

1981 Arkansas Statistics

Arkansas	Team Statistics	Opponents
225	First Downs	175
145	By Rushing	84
75	By Passing	84
5	By Penalty	7
64	Penalties	42
552	Yards Penalized	384
10	Fumbles Lost	13
26	Number Fumbles	34
78	Third Down Conversions	57
183	Third Down Plays	162
9	Fourth Down Conversions	5
14	Fourth Down Plays	13
355:01	Possession Time	304:59
32:16	Per Game Possession	27:44
38.2	Punt Effectiveness	38.2

INDIVIDUAL STATISTICS

Boldface Indicates Returning in 1982

Rushing	No.	Gain	Loss	Net	TD	LP	Play Avg.	Game Avg.
Anderson, RB	121	624	8	616	1	30	5.1	56.0
Clark, RB	106	477	2	475	9	25	4.5	43.2
Bowles, RB	75	278	9	269	3	19	3.6	29.9
Tolbert, RB	41	231	2	229	2	47	5.6	22.9
T. Jones, QB	68	286	67	219	3	41	3.2	27.4
Pierce, QB-RB	44	225	16	209	0	46	4.8	20.9
M. Douglas, RB	39	168	4	164	0	14	4.2	14.9
Brown, RB	26	149	0	149	1	21	5.7	21.3
Taylor, QB	55	171	40	131	1	19	2.4	11.9
Holloway, WR	7	62	15	47	0	22	6.7	4.3
Koch, RB	3	15	0	15	0	8	5.0	15.0
Reed, QB	1	12	0	12	0	12	12.0	6.0
N. Jones, CB	3	9	2	7	0	5	2.3	0.7
Joiner, RB	2	7	0	7	0	4	3.5	7.0
Nellum, RB	1	2	0	2	0	2	2.0	2.0
Wagner, RB	1	1	0	1	0	1	1.0	1.0
McHan, QB	3	9	8	1	0	7	0.3	0.5
Mason, TE	1	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	0.0

Arkansas	597	2726	173	2553	20	47	4.3	232.1
Opponents	467	1836	407	1429	11	41	3.1	138.1

Passing	Comp.	Att.	Int.	Yds.	TD	Pct.	LP	Avg.
Taylor, QB	53	99	4	726	1	.535	47	66.0
Jones, QB	60	109	7	684	7	.551	49	85.5
Pierce, QB-RB	18	40	2	213	2	.450	45	21.3
Brown, RB	1	1	0	41	1	1.000	41	5.9
Arkansas	132	249	13	1664	11	.530	49	151.3
Opponents	145	282	17	1793	10	.514	56	163.0

Total Offense	Rushing	Passing	Total	Play Avg.	Game Avg.
Jones, QB	68-219	109-684	177-903	5.1	112.9
Taylor, QB	55-131	99-726	154-857	5.6	77.9
Anderson, RB	121-616	0-0	121-616	5.1	56.0
Arkansas	597-2553	249-1664	846-4217	5.0	383.4
Opponents	467-1519	282-1793	749-3312	4.4	301.0

Receiving	No.	Yds.	TD	LP	Play Avg.	Game Avg.
Mason, TE	23	285	3	36	12.4	28.5
Anderson, RB	26	263	3	22	10.1	23.9
Mistler, WR	14	251	1	45	17.9	22.8
McMurray, WR	16	242	1	49	15.1	22.0
Holloway, WR	17	237	1	41	13.9	21.5
Clark, RB	10	95	0	19	9.5	8.6

Kidd, WR	6	77	1	21	12.8	7.0
Tolbert, RB	5	56	0	25	11.2	5.6
Brown, RB	4	38	0	17	9.5	5.5
Clyde, TE	1	32	0	32	32.0	5.3
White, TE	3	31	1	16	10.3	2.9
Bowles, RB	4	28	0	15	7.0	3.1
M. Douglas, RB	2	24	0	17	12.0	2.2
Pierce, RB	1	5	0	5	5.0	0.5

Arkansas	132	1664	11	49	12.6	151.3
Opponents	145	1793	10	56	12.4	163.0

Kickoff Returns	No.	Yds.	TD	LP	Avg.
Holloway, WR	20	419	0	50	21.0
N. Jones, CB	3	62	0	23	20.7
Anderson, RB	3	56	0	23	18.7
Lee, SS	1	15	0	15	15.0
Rudasill, RB	1	14	0	14	14.0
Fields, LB	1	4	0	4	4.0

Arkansas	29	570	0	50	19.7
Opponents	45	756	0	40	16.8

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	TD	LP	Avg.	IPG
Walters, CB	4	98	1	87	24.5	0.4
*Sutherland, LB	1	40	0	40	40.0	0.1
Morris, LB	1	36	1	36	36.0	0.1
Smith, DE	1	19	0	19	19.0	0.1
S. Douglas, LB	1	11	0	11	11.0	0.1
Lee, SS	1	8	0	8	8.0	0.1
Dameron, FS	3	5	0	5	1.7	0.3
Richardson, NG	1	2	0	2	2.0	0.1
Burns, SS	2	0	0	0	0.0	0.2
Matheney, CB	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.1
Goff, LB	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.1
Walton, CB	1	0	0	0	0.0	0.1

Arkansas	+18	219	2	87	12.2	1.5
Opponents	13	161	1	42	12.4	1.2

*Fumble Return

+ Includes Fumble Return

Punting	No.	Yds.	Avg.	LP
Lahay, K	63	2436	38.7	68
Taylor, QB	1	41	41.0	41

Arkansas	64	2477	38.7	68
Opponents	71	2961	41.7	84

Scoring	TD	FG	PAT	2-Pt.	Pts.	Avg.
Lahay, K		19-24	31-31		88	8.0
Clark, RB	9				54	4.9
Anderson, RB	4				24	2.2
Jones, QB	3			1-1	20	2.5
Mason, TE	3			1-0	20	2.0
Bowles, RB	3				18	2.0
Tolbert, RB	2				12	1.2
Mistler, WR	2				12	1.1
Brown, RB	1				6	0.9
White, TE	1				6	0.6
Holloway, WR	1				6	0.6
Walters, CB	1				6	0.6
McMurray, WR	1				6	0.6
Kidd, WR	1				6	0.6
Morris, LB	1				6	0.6
Taylor, QB	1				6	0.6
Pierce				0-1	0	0.0
Team				0-1	0	0.0

Arkansas	34	19-24	31-31	2-3	*298	27.1
Opponents	22	12-13	17-17	2-5	188	17.1

*Includes Safety

Punt Returns	No.	Yds.	TD	LP	Avg.
Anderson, RB	29	252	0	39	8.7
Mason, TE	1	-6	0	—	—

Arkansas	30	246	0	39	8.2
Opponents	14	30	0	12	2.1

1981 Defensive Statistics

	UT	AT	For Loss	Fum Rec	Int	PBU	BK
Linemen							
Phillip Boren	26	29	1 for 7	0	0	2	0
Ron Faurot	24	14	5 for 30	2	0	2	0
Richard Richardson	12	22	5 for 28	1	1	2	0
George Hall	13	10	1 for 8	0	0	1	0
Bobby Shantz	5	6	2 for 16	0	0	0	0
Earl Buckingham	5	5	1 for 1	0	0	0	0
Ira Wells	0	2	0 for 0	0	0	0	0
Joe McCraney	2	0	0 for 0	0	0	0	0
Ends-Linebackers							
Billy Ray Smith	50	22	19 for 128	1	1	5	0
Teddy Morris	46	26	5 for 11	1	1	0	0
Steve Douglas	37	30	3 for 6	3	1	2	0
Bert Zinamon	38	18	1 for 3	1	0	0	0
Jeff Goff	29	7	1 for 1	2	1	3	0
Ed Jackson	15	11	5 for 36	1	0	1	0
Bruce Sutherland	15	8	4 for 19	1	0	1	0
Milton Fields	7	4	0 for 0	0	0	0	0
David Bazzel	11	0	0 for 0	0	0	0	0
Mike Harris	3	3	0 for 0	0	0	0	0
Calvin Shaw	2	0	0 for 0	0	0	0	0
Marty Kobza	1	0	0 for 0	0	0	0	0
Backs							
Keith Burns	30	20	4 for 29	0	2	8	0
Kim Dameron	26	10	2 for 2	0	3	1	0
Danny Walters	19	5	2 for 2	0	4	7	0
Kent Reber	17	7	2 for 10	0	0	2	0
Cliff Henry	9	7	0 for 0	0	0	0	0
Mark Lee	10	4	0 for 0	0	1	1	0
Ronald Matheney	8	0	0 for 0	0	1	2	0
Nathan Jones	6	3	1 for 1	0	0	0	0
Scott Chalene	6	1	1 for 7	0	0	0	0
Phillip Walton	1	1	0 for 0	0	1	0	0

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Richard Richardson intercepts an SMU pass.

1981 Game-By-Game Rushing

Player	TU	NW	OM	TCU	Tech	Tex.	Hous.	Rice	Bay.	A&M	SMU	Totals
Anderson	11-53	14-111	12-90	12-61	8-25	8-23	14-54	11-51	8-31	11-67	12-50	121-616
Clark	3-12	7-42	10-51	10-53	5-24	10-53	11-54	11-43	19-91	14-36	6-16	106-475
Bowles	10-43	9-39	14-49	8-31	6-12	4-21	4-12	16-51	4-11			75-269
Tolbert	6-18	3-16	8-28	1-2		2-(-2)		12-113	2-16	7-38		41-229
T. Jones	12-12	10-49	10-45	8-22	3-(-15)	13-73	3-15				9-18	68-219
Pierce		4-16	3-13	3-8	14-84		8-15	5-52	4-8		3-13	44-209
M. Douglas	6-22	6-30	4-13	2-0	4-9	4-23	2-6	4-29		2-8	5-24	39-164
Brown	1-5	5-61		8-31	5-33	5-14	1-5	1-0				26-149
Taylor		4-(-4)			1-(-2)	5-10	1-10	20-90	13-30	8-(-3)	3-0	55-131
Holloway	1-6	1-22		2-31	1-(-8)		1-3				1-(-7)	7-47
Koch		3-15										3-15
Reed		1-12										1-12
N. Jones						3-7						3-7
Joiner		2-7										2-7
Nellum						1-2						1-2
Wagner						1-1						1-1
McHan		1-7				1-2		1-(-8)				3-1
Mason			1-0									1-0
ARKANSAS	50-171	70-423	62-289	54-239	47-162	57-227	45-174	81-421	50-187	42-146	39-114	597-2553
OPPONENTS	53-153	31-68	31-99	44-171	39-(-25)	35-139	56-201	18-15	60-206	47-100	53-302	467-1519

1981 Game-By-Game Passing

Player	TU	NW	OM	TCU	Tech	Tex.	Hous.	Rice	Bay.	A&M	SMU	Totals
Taylor		1-2		0-1	1-3	1-3	2-7	15-25	17-23	11-24	5-11	53-99
		16		0	15	13	30	199	250	145	58	726
Jones	16-27	5-8	8-14	10-18	0-1	7-18	5-5				9-18	60-109
	148	89	68	154	0	83	55				87	684
Pierce		3-5		1-3	9-17		5-14	0-1				18-40
		41		11	91		70	0				213
Brown	1-1											1-1
	41											41
ARKANSAS	17-28	9-15	8-14	11-22	10-21	8-21	12-26	15-26	17-23	11-24	14-29	132-249
	189	146	68	165	106	96	155	199	250	145	145	1664
OPPONENTS	4-7	15-30	15-32	13-26	21-39	21-51	8-17	7-21	17-26	19-21	5-12	145-282
	14	138	213	208	208	282	141	102	286	233	68	1793

1981 Game-By-Game Receiving

Player	TU	NW	OM	TCU	Tech	Tex.	Hous.	Rice	Bay.	A&M	SMU	Totals
Mason	1-9	2-32	4-42	3-40	3-34	1-10	2-19	1-8	4-71		2-20	23-285
Anderson	4-47		2-14	2-9	2-37	2-33	2-25	4-37	3-16	1-7	4-38	26-263
Mistler	2-26	1-26				1-12	4-69	1-19	1-14	2-34	2-51	14-251
McMurray	1-(-2)	1-18		3-77					5-113	2-16	4-20	16-242
Holloway	3-59		1-4		1-15	2-27	1-18	5-71	1-3	3-40		17-237
Clark					2-6	2-14	1-2	1-13	1-18	2-31	1-11	10-95
Kidd		2-41			2-14		2-22					6-77
Tolbert	2-11		1-8	1-25						1-12		5-56
Brown	2-21	1-10		1-7								4-38
Clyde								1-32				1-32
White	1-12	2-19										3-31
Bowles	1-6							2-19	1-3			4-28
M. Douglas				1-7						1-17		2-24
Pierce										1-5		1-5
ARKANSAS	17-189	9-146	8-68	11-165	10-106	8-96	12-155	15-199	17-250	11-145	14-145	132-1664
OPPONENTS	4-14	15-138	15-213	13-208	21-208	21-282	8-141	7-102	17-286	19-233	5-68	145-1793