

2017 Missouri Valley Football  
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SCORING OFFENSE	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G
1. South Dakota State	8	38	6	33	0	0	0	279	34.9
2. North Dakota State	8	35	6	33	0	0	0	261	32.6
3. Western Illinois	8	35	6	28	1	0	1	260	32.5
4. South Dakota	8	35	5	34	0	0	0	259	32.4
5. Northern Iowa	8	27	12	24	1	0	0	224	28.0
6. Youngstown State	8	29	4	29	0	0	1	217	27.1
7. Missouri State	8	23	12	19	0	0	1	195	24.4
8. Illinois State	8	23	7	23	0	0	0	182	22.8
9. Southern Illinois	8	24	4	24	0	0	0	180	22.5
10. Indiana State	8	11	5	7	1	0	0	90	11.2

RUSHING DEFENSE	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. Northern Iowa	8	251	839	3.3	52	6	104.9
2. North Dakota State	8	277	907	3.3	46	7	113.4
3. Western Illinois	8	318	1092	3.4	40	9	136.5
4. Illinois State	8	282	1128	4.0	84	10	141.0
5. South Dakota	8	305	1252	4.1	87	15	156.5
6. Youngstown State	8	307	1479	4.8	80	13	184.9
7. Southern Illinois	8	340	1499	4.4	62	11	187.4
8. South Dakota State	8	317	1597	5.0	68	14	199.6
9. Indiana State	8	362	1715	4.7	67	22	214.4
10. Missouri State	8	304	1756	5.8	61	24	219.5

SCORING DEFENSE	G	TD	FG	XPT	2XP	DXP	Saf	Pts	Avg/G
1. North Dakota State	8	14	6	11	0	0	1	115	14.4
2. Northern Iowa	8	20	8	13	0	0	1	159	19.9
3. Illinois State	8	22	4	19	0	0	0	163	20.4
4. Youngstown State	8	21	9	20	0	0	0	173	21.6
5. South Dakota State	8	25	7	25	0	0	1	198	24.8
6. Western Illinois	8	27	4	25	1	0	0	201	25.1
7. South Dakota	8	28	8	26	0	0	0	218	27.2
8. Southern Illinois	8	32	5	31	0	0	0	238	29.8
9. Missouri State	8	39	8	32	2	0	0	294	36.8
10. Indiana State	8	52	8	52	0	0	0	388	48.5

PASS OFFENSE	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. South Dakota	8	212-324-5	65.4	2560	7.9	19	320.0
2. South Dakota State	8	144-253-7	56.9	2168	8.6	21	271.0
3. Western Illinois	8	154-244-4	63.1	2049	8.4	20	256.1
4. Southern Illinois	8	143-272-14	52.6	1864	6.9	15	233.0
5. Northern Iowa	8	134-217-5	61.8	1631	7.5	15	203.9
6. Illinois State	8	118-216-8	54.6	1603	7.4	8	200.4
7. North Dakota State	8	95-158-7	60.1	1443	9.1	13	180.4
8. Youngstown State	8	104-171-3	60.8	1441	8.4	10	180.1
9. Missouri State	8	118-216-7	54.6	1427	6.6	6	178.4
10. Indiana State	8	109-216-14	50.5	1322	6.1	5	165.2

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G
1. South Dakota	8	1474	2560	647	4034	6.2	33	504.2
2. South Dakota State	8	1360	2168	532	3528	6.6	38	441.0
3. North Dakota State	8	1783	1443	492	3226	6.6	34	403.2
4. Southern Illinois	8	1316	1864	564	3180	5.6	24	397.5
5. Western Illinois	8	1033	2049	499	3082	6.2	32	385.2
6. Youngstown State	8	1604	1441	535	3045	5.7	27	380.6
7. Illinois State	8	1392	1603	528	2995	5.7	20	374.4
8. Missouri State	8	1481	1427	516	2908	5.6	21	363.5
9. Northern Iowa	8	1025	1631	567	2656	4.7	25	332.0
10. Indiana State	8	796	1322	470	2118	4.5	9	264.8

PASS DEFENSE	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/A	TD	Avg/G
1. Youngstown State	8	83-188-4	44.1	1248	6.6	7	156.0
2. North Dakota State	8	127-207-10	61.4	1391	6.7	6	173.9
3. South Dakota State	8	132-215-9	61.4	1471	6.8	9	183.9
4. Southern Illinois	8	135-245-7	55.1	1623	6.6	17	202.9
5. Illinois State	8	130-250-7	52.0	1657	6.6	11	207.1
6. Missouri State	8	145-221-2	65.6	1831	8.3	13	228.9
7. Western Illinois	8	134-229-11	58.5	1846	8.1	17	230.8
8. Northern Iowa	8	140-269-12	52.0	1926	7.2	12	240.8
9. South Dakota	8	140-234-7	59.8	2083	8.9	12	260.4
10. Indiana State	8	165-229-5	72.1	2432	10.6	28	304.0

TOTAL DEFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Plays	Yards	Avg/P	TD	Avg/G
1. North Dakota State	8	907	1391	484	2298	4.7	13	287.2
2. Youngstown State	8	1479	1248	495	2727	5.5	20	340.9
3. Northern Iowa	8	839	1926	520	2765	5.3	18	345.6
4. Illinois State	8	1128	1657	532	2785	5.2	21	348.1
5. Western Illinois	8	1092	1846	547	2938	5.4	26	367.2
6. South Dakota State	8	1597	1471	532	3068	5.8	23	383.5
7. Southern Illinois	8	1499	1623	585	3122	5.3	28	390.2
8. South Dakota	8	1252	2083	539	3335	6.2	27	416.9
9. Missouri State	8	1756	1831	525	3587	6.8	37	448.4
10. Indiana State	8	1715	2432	591	4147	7.0	50	518.4

PASS EFFICIENCY	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.
1. Western Illinois	8	154-244-4	63.1	2049	256.1	20	157.4
2. North Dakota State	8	95-158-7	60.1	1443	180.4	13	155.1
3. South Dakota State	8	144-253-7	56.9	2168	271.0	21	150.8
4. South Dakota	8	212-324-5	65.4	2560	320.0	19	148.1
5. Youngstown State	8	104-171-3	60.8	1441	180.1	10	147.4
6. Northern Iowa	8	134-217-5	61.8	1631	203.9	15	143.1
7. Illinois State	8	118-216-8	54.6	1603	200.4	8	121.8
8. Southern Illinois	8	143-272-14	52.6	1864	233.0	15	118.0
9. Missouri State	8	118-216-7	54.6	1427	178.4	6	112.8
10. Indiana State	8	109-216-14	50.5	1322	165.2	5	96.5

RUSHING OFFENSE	G	Att.	Yards	Avg/A	Long	TD	Avg/G
1. North Dakota State	8	334	1783	5.3	80	21	222.9
2. Youngstown State	8	364	1604	4.4	67	17	200.5
3. Missouri State	8	300	1481	4.9	68	15	185.1
4. South Dakota	8	323	1474	4.6	53	14	184.2
5. Illinois State	8	312	1392	4.5	87	12	174.0
6. South Dakota State	8	279	1360	4.9	84	17	170.0
7. Southern Illinois	8	292	1316	4.5	58	9	164.5
8. Western Illinois	8	255	1033	4.1	61	12	129.1
9. Northern Iowa	8	350	1025	2.9	29	10	128.1
10. Indiana State	8	254	796	3.1	77	4	99.5

PASS DEFENSE EFFIC.	G	Comp-Att-Int	Pct.	Yds	Avg/G	TD	Effic.
1. Youngstown State	8	83-188-4	44.1	1248	156.0	7	107.9
2. Illinois State	8	130-250-7	52.0	1657	207.1	11	116.6
3. North Dakota State	8	127-207-10	61.4	1391	173.9	6	117.7
4. Northern Iowa	8	140-269-12	52.0	1926	240.8	12	118.0
5. South Dakota State	8	132-215-9	61.4	1471	183.9	9	124.3
6. Southern Illinois	8	135-245-7	55.1	1623	202.9	17	127.9
7. Western Illinois	8	134-229-11	58.5	1846	230.8	17	141.1
8. South Dakota	8	140-234-7	59.8	2083	260.4	12	145.5
9. Missouri State	8	145-221-2	65.6	1831	228.9	13	152.8
10. Indiana State	8	165-229-5	72.1	2432	304.0	28	197.2

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KICKOFF RETURNS	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.
1. Illinois State	8	21	500	1	100	23.8
2. Missouri State	8	30	681	0	72	22.7
3. Western Illinois	8	30	648	0	42	21.6
4. North Dakota State	8	16	338	0	64	21.1
5. Southern Illinois	8	29	588	0	35	20.3
6. South Dakota State	8	24	483	0	61	20.1
7. Youngstown State	8	24	481	0	32	20.0
8. South Dakota	8	20	373	0	38	18.6
9. Indiana State	8	40	738	0	33	18.5
10. Northern Iowa	8	24	427	0	33	17.8

FIELD GOALS	G	Made	Att	Pct.
1. Northern Iowa	8	12	13	.923
2. South Dakota State	8	6	7	.857
Western Illinois	8	6	7	.857
4. Illinois State	8	7	9	.778
5. North Dakota State	8	6	8	.750
6. South Dakota	8	5	7	.714
Indiana State	8	5	7	.714
8. Missouri State	8	12	17	.706
9. Southern Illinois	8	4	7	.571
Youngstown State	8	4	7	.571

PUNT RETURN AVG	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.
1. Western Illinois	8	13	239	1	81	18.4
2. Missouri State	8	15	202	2	63	13.5
3. Southern Illinois	8	17	139	0	33	8.2
4. Northern Iowa	8	10	77	0	26	7.7
5. South Dakota	8	16	119	0	28	7.4
6. South Dakota State	8	10	56	0	29	5.6
7. Indiana State	8	13	68	0	54	5.2
8. North Dakota State	8	14	73	0	20	5.2
9. Illinois State	8	12	59	0	13	4.9
10. Youngstown State	8	16	76	0	22	4.8

PAT KICKING	G	Made	Att	Pct.
1. South Dakota	8	34	34	1.000
Youngstown State	8	29	29	1.000
Southern Illinois	8	24	24	1.000
Illinois State	8	23	23	1.000
5. Northern Iowa	8	24	25	.960
6. Missouri State	8	19	20	.950
7. North Dakota State	8	33	35	.943
South Dakota State	8	33	35	.943
9. Western Illinois	8	28	31	.903
10. Indiana State	8	7	9	.778

INTERCEPTIONS	G	No.	Yards	TD	Long	Avg.
1. Northern Iowa	8	12	245	2	46	20.4
2. Western Illinois	8	11	167	1	43	15.2
3. North Dakota State	8	10	129	1	32	12.9
4. South Dakota State	8	9	73	0	24	8.1
5. Illinois State	8	7	3	0	3	0.4
6. Southern Illinois	8	7	70	0	57	10.0
7. South Dakota	8	7	192	2	97	27.4
8. Indiana State	8	5	73	2	47	14.6
9. Youngstown State	8	4	33	0	33	8.2
10. Missouri State	8	2	33	0	33	16.5

SACKS BY	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. North Dakota State	8	25	147	3.12
2. Illinois State	8	23	158	2.88
3. Northern Iowa	8	21	136	2.62
South Dakota	8	21	114	2.62
Western Illinois	8	21	132	2.62
6. Southern Illinois	8	13	89	1.62
7. South Dakota State	8	11	58	1.38
Indiana State	8	11	68	1.38
9. Youngstown State	8	10	61	1.25
Missouri State	8	10	79	1.25

PUNTING	G	No.	Yards	Avg/P	Ret.	Avg/R	TB	Net/P
1. Northern Iowa	8	43	1801	41.9	124	2.9	1	38.5
2. Youngstown State	8	39	1601	41.1	101	2.6	2	37.4
3. South Dakota State	8	29	1178	40.6	89	3.1	1	36.9
4. Indiana State	8	54	2275	42.1	213	3.9	4	36.7
5. Missouri State	8	36	1428	39.7	48	1.3	3	36.7
6. North Dakota State	8	32	1292	40.4	100	3.1	1	36.6
7. South Dakota	8	39	1619	41.5	111	2.8	4	36.6
8. Southern Illinois	8	44	1817	41.3	53	1.2	8	36.5
9. Illinois State	8	45	1815	40.3	136	3.0	3	36.0
10. Western Illinois	8	45	1636	36.4	133	3.0	3	32.1

SACKS AGAINST	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. Southern Illinois	8	9	45	1.12
2. North Dakota State	8	11	78	1.38
3. South Dakota State	8	12	71	1.50
4. South Dakota	8	15	89	1.88
Missouri State	8	15	92	1.88
6. Illinois State	8	16	106	2.00
Western Illinois	8	16	96	2.00
8. Northern Iowa	8	19	148	2.38
9. Indiana State	8	20	141	2.50
10. Youngstown State	8	33	176	4.12

KICKOFF COVERAGE	G	No.	Yards	Avg.	Ret.	TB	NetAvg
1. Youngstown State	8	40	2465	61.6	497	11	42.3
2. North Dakota State	8	49	3049	62.2	729	11	41.7
3. Northern Iowa	8	48	3040	63.3	521	22	41.0
4. Western Illinois	8	47	2900	61.7	308	27	40.8
5. Indiana State	8	22	1373	62.4	301	7	40.8
6. Southern Illinois	8	35	2126	60.7	547	8	39.4
7. South Dakota	8	46	2794	60.7	798	8	39.0
8. Illinois State	8	37	2211	59.8	469	12	39.0
9. South Dakota State	8	51	3099	60.8	568	24	37.9
10. Missouri State	8	40	2275	56.9	519	13	35.8

FIRST DOWNS	G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1. South Dakota	8	80	115	14	209	26.1
2. South Dakota State	8	63	103	13	179	22.4
3. Youngstown State	8	87	67	8	162	20.2
4. Northern Iowa	8	63	82	13	158	19.8
5. North Dakota State	8	80	62	10	152	19.0
Missouri State	8	73	63	16	152	19.0
Western Illinois	8	54	91	7	152	19.0
8. Southern Illinois	8	64	73	13	150	18.8
9. Illinois State	8	71	65	10	146	18.2
10. Indiana State	8	37	46	11	94	11.8

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OPPONENT 1ST DOWNS	G	Rush	Pass	Pen	Total	Avg/G
1. North Dakota State	8	50	57	11	118	14.8
2. Northern Iowa	8	42	81	10	133	16.6
3. Youngstown State	8	76	55	11	142	17.8
4. Illinois State	8	62	76	9	147	18.4
5. Western Illinois	8	60	81	12	153	19.1
6. South Dakota	8	58	84	12	154	19.2
7. Missouri State	8	81	79	8	168	21.0
8. South Dakota State	8	85	74	13	172	21.5
Southern Illinois	8	77	77	18	172	21.5
10. Indiana State	8	81	103	11	195	24.4

PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. Missouri State	8	34	299	37.4
2. North Dakota State	8	34	305	38.1
3. Illinois State	8	40	322	40.2
South Dakota State	8	38	322	40.2
5. Youngstown State	8	41	350	43.8
6. Northern Iowa	8	45	366	45.8
7. Indiana State	8	41	380	47.5
8. Southern Illinois	8	51	484	60.5
9. South Dakota	8	53	519	64.9
10. Western Illinois	8	68	557	69.6

3RD-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. South Dakota	8	62	128	48.4
2. Youngstown State	8	52	109	47.7
3. South Dakota State	8	44	96	45.8
4. Northern Iowa	8	53	127	41.7
5. North Dakota State	8	38	92	41.3
6. Western Illinois	8	45	110	40.9
7. Southern Illinois	8	41	115	35.7
8. Missouri State	8	33	102	32.4
9. Illinois State	8	33	108	30.6
10. Indiana State	8	25	110	22.7

OPPONENT PENALTIES	G	No.	Yards	Avg/G
1. South Dakota	8	62	527	65.9
2. Missouri State	8	52	491	61.4
3. Western Illinois	8	42	428	53.5
4. Southern Illinois	8	46	424	53.0
5. South Dakota State	8	53	415	51.9
6. Northern Iowa	8	45	380	47.5
7. Illinois State	8	39	348	43.5
8. Indiana State	8	37	331	41.4
9. Youngstown State	8	34	308	38.5
10. North Dakota State	8	35	252	31.5

OPP 3RD-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. Northern Iowa	8	33	109	30.3
2. North Dakota State	8	37	111	33.3
3. Western Illinois	8	39	111	35.1
4. South Dakota State	8	37	100	37.0
5. Youngstown State	8	37	99	37.4
6. Illinois State	8	43	115	37.4
7. South Dakota	8	43	113	38.1
8. Southern Illinois	8	54	123	43.9
9. Missouri State	8	48	107	44.9
10. Indiana State	8	55	109	50.5

TIME OF POSSESSION	G	Total possession	Avg/G
1. Northern Iowa	8	267:09	33:23
2. Youngstown State	8	264:33	33:04
3. North Dakota State	8	250:52	31:21
4. Illinois State	8	248:59	31:07
5. Western Illinois	8	242:00	30:15
6. South Dakota State	8	238:24	29:48
7. Missouri State	8	235:27	29:25
8. South Dakota	8	226:07	28:15
9. Southern Illinois	8	224:22	28:02
10. Indiana State	8	202:07	25:15

4TH-DOWN CONVERSIONS	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. North Dakota State	8	5	6	83.3
2. Youngstown State	8	6	8	75.0
Northern Iowa	8	6	8	75.0
4. Illinois State	8	8	13	61.5
5. Western Illinois	8	5	9	55.6
6. South Dakota	8	10	20	50.0
7. South Dakota State	8	5	11	45.5
8. Missouri State	8	5	13	38.5
9. Southern Illinois	8	6	17	35.3
10. Indiana State	8	3	13	23.1

TURNOVER MARGIN	Gained			Lost			Margin	Per/G
	Fum	Int	Tot	Fum	Int	Tot		
1. Western Illinois	8	5	11	16	5	4	9	+7 0.88
2. North Dakota State	8	7	10	17	4	7	11	+6 0.75
3. Northern Iowa	8	5	12	17	7	5	12	+5 0.62
4. Youngstown State	8	6	4	10	4	3	7	+3 0.38
South Dakota State	8	6	9	15	5	7	12	+3 0.38
6. South Dakota	8	3	7	10	4	5	9	+1 0.12
7. Southern Illinois	8	10	7	17	6	14	20	-3 -0.38
8. Missouri State	8	5	2	7	5	7	12	-5 -0.62
Illinois State	8	5	7	12	9	8	17	-5 -0.62
10. Indiana State	8	8	5	13	11	14	25	-12 -1.50

OPP 4TH-DN CONVERT	G	Conv.	Att.	Pct.
1. North Dakota State	8	2	12	16.7
2. South Dakota	8	4	11	36.4
3. Illinois State	8	3	8	37.5
4. Western Illinois	8	8	18	44.4
5. Southern Illinois	8	5	10	50.0
6. Northern Iowa	8	7	13	53.8
7. Missouri State	8	8	13	61.5
8. Youngstown State	8	7	11	63.6
9. Indiana State	8	8	12	66.7
10. South Dakota State	8	7	10	70.0

RED ZONE OFFENSE	G	Scores	Pct.	TDs	(R-P)	FGs	TurnO
1. Northern Iowa	8	30-32	93.8	20	9-11	10-11	0
2. South Dakota State	8	31-35	88.6	28	13-15	3-4	1
3. North Dakota State	8	28-33	84.8	22	15-7	6-8	2
4. Western Illinois	8	19-23	82.6	14	7-7	5-5	1
5. South Dakota	8	26-32	81.2	21	10-11	5-6	2
6. Youngstown State	8	20-26	76.9	16	13-3	4-5	3
7. Missouri State	8	20-28	71.4	11	10-1	9-12	1
8. Indiana State	8	9-13	69.2	5	3-2	4-5	2
9. Southern Illinois	8	20-29	69.0	16	8-8	4-6	4
10. Illinois State	8	17-25	68.0	14	11-3	3-3	5

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1. Northern Iowa	8	19-28	67.9	12	5-7	7-12	3
2. Western Illinois	8	20-27	74.1	17	7-10	3-4	2
3. Indiana State	8	32-42	76.2	26	15-11	6-7	6
4. Illinois State	8	17-22	77.3	14	8-6	3-6	1
5. North Dakota State	8	15-19	78.9	11	7-4	4-4	1
6. Southern Illinois	8	24-30	80.0	20	9-11	4-4	2
7. South Dakota State	8	23-28	82.1	17	11-6	6-6	1
8. Missouri State	8	24-28	85.7	18	15-3	6-6	2
South Dakota	8	24-28	85.7	19	12-7	5-6	2
10. Youngstown State	8	22-24	91.7	13	10-3	9-10	1

ON-SIDE KICKS BY	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. Indiana State	8	1	2	50.0
2. South Dakota	8	0	2	0.0
Missouri State	8	0	2	0.0
South Dakota State	8	0	1	0.0
Southern Illinois	8	0	1	0.0
Western Illinois	8	0	1	0.0
Youngstown State	8	0	1	0.0
Illinois State	8	0	0	0.0
North Dakota State	8	0	0	0.0
Northern Iowa	8	0	0	0.0

ON-SIDE KICKS AGAINST	G	Recovered	Attempts	Success%
1. Northern Iowa	8	0	3	0.0
South Dakota	8	0	1	0.0
North Dakota State	8	0	1	0.0
South Dakota State	8	0	1	0.0
Youngstown State	8	0	1	0.0
Western Illinois	8	0	1	0.0
Southern Illinois	8	0	0	0.0
Illinois State	8	0	0	0.0
Indiana State	8	0	0	0.0
10. Missouri State	8	1	2	50.0

ATTENDANCE	Home	Away	Neutral	Total
Illinois State	4-11590	4-9371	0-0	8-10481
Indiana State	4-4444	4-9686	0-0	8-7065
Missouri State	4-7081	4-9176	0-0	8-8129
North Dakota State	4-18708	4-11736	0-0	8-15222
Northern Iowa	4-10958	4-12076	0-0	8-11517
South Dakota	4-9273	4-11795	0-0	8-10534
South Dakota State	4-13706	4-9024	0-0	8-11365
Southern Illinois	4-6404	4-7753	0-0	8-7078
Western Illinois	4-3477	4-11909	0-0	8-7693
Youngstown State	4-13986	4-7099	0-0	8-10542
Totals	40-9963	40-9963	0-0	80-9963