

POSTGAME NOTES

Ohio State 90 (18-10, 8-9 B1G), No. 22 Iowa 70 (21-7, 10-7 B1G)

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Value City Arena – Columbus, Ohio

GAME/SERIES

- Ohio State improves to 76-78 in the all-time series against Iowa.
- The Buckeyes are 49-27 in Columbus versus the Hawkeyes.
- Against ranked Iowa teams, Ohio State improves to 14-17.

TEAM

- Ohio State is now 14-3 on the season when leading at the half. The Buckeyes led the Hawkeyes 36-33 at the half.
- The Buckeyes had five players score in double figures: Justin Ahrens (29), Duane Washington Jr. (10), Andre Wesson (11), Kaleb Wesson (18) and Keyshawn Woods (13). The last time the team had five players score in double figures was against Michigan State (1/5/19) with A. Wesson (10), K. Wesson (25), C.J. Jackson (10), Luther Muhammad (12) and Washington Jr. (10) scoring 10-plus points.
- Ohio State improves to 166-268 all-time against ranked opponents and 9-4 against teams ranked No. 24 in the *Associated Press* Top-25.
- The Buckeyes kept the Hawkeyes scoreless on fast-break opportunities while they recorded nine points off of their opportunities.
- In games when at least one player records a double-double, Ohio State is 638-274.
- Ohio State outscored Iowa in points off turnovers, 12-8.
- Ohio State finished 12-32 (.375) from 3-point range as a team, the second highest margin since Purdue Fort Wayne (11/11/18).

CHRIS HOLTSMANN

- Chris Holtmann improves to 3-2 as a head coach against Iowa and 3-1 with the Buckeyes.
- Holtmann improves to 27-20 against conference opponents as a head coach.

JUSTIN AHRENS

- Justin Ahrens scored a game-high 29 points in his second start of the season and second in as many games. The total is a career-high mark for the freshman. Prior to his first start last game, Ahrens had just 29 points on the season. He had a total of 38 points coming into the contest against the Hawkeyes.
- With 25 points in the second half, Ahrens is the first player since D'Angelo Russell (vs. Minnesota, 1/6/15) to score 25-plus points in either half against a conference opponent and is the most recent 25-plus point scorer in a half since Kaleb Wesson scored 25 against Youngstown State (12/19/18).
- His 29 points rank sixth in single game scoring by an Ohio State freshman. The last time a freshman scored 29 points in a single game was JaQuan Lyle at Indiana (1/10/16).

- Ahrens finished 6-for-10 from 3-point range, tying the mark for the most 3-point field goals made by a freshman in a single game, last reached by Duane Washington Jr. (vs. Purdue FW, 11/11/18). The six makes are a career high made 3-pointers and 3-point attempts for Ahrens. His 10 attempts are the fourth-most by a Buckeye freshman since D'Angelo Russell went 3-for-10 vs. Minnesota (3/12/15).
- Ahrens played a career-high 30 minutes for the Buckeyes, finishing 9-for-9 from the free throw line, grabbing three rebounds, dishing a career-high two assists and recording one steal.

KALEB WESSON

- Kaleb Wesson recorded his third double-double of the season and fourth of his career, scoring 18 points and grabbing 11 boards.
- Wesson finished 6-for-7 from the free throw line, dished four helpers, grabbed three steals and one block.

ANDRE WESSON

- Andre Wesson played a career-high 40 minutes for the Buckeyes.
- Wesson scored 11 points for Ohio State, scoring in double figures for the 13th time this season.
- Wesson recorded five rebounds, three assists and two blocks.

C.J. JACKSON

- C.J. Jackson made two 3-point field goals to put his career total at 140, just four shy of Jamie Skelton's total of 144 which ranks 10th in Ohio State history.
- He has made at least one 3-pointer in 21 of the last 22 games that he has played in and in all but three games this season.
- Jackson dished six helpers, pulled down five rebounds, recorded two steals and one block.

KEYSHAWN WOODS

- Keyshawn Woods recorded his 1,200th point in the game against Iowa, scoring 13 to put his career total at 1,206.
- Woods went 5-for-5 from the free throw line and recorded two assists and one rebound.