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2004 FINAL BOWL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES STANDINGS

(Games Through Dec 4, 2004)

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		Rank	Points	%	Rank	Points	%	Anderson & Hester	Billingsley	Colley ^L Matrix	Massey	Sagarin	Wolfe	%	Computer Rank	BCS Average	Previous
1.	Southern California	1	1599	.9840	1	1490	.9770	24	24	25	25	24	24	.970	2	.9770	1
2.	Oklahoma	2	1556	.9575	2	1459	.9567	25	25	24	24	25	25	.990	1	.9681	2
3.	Auburn	3	1525	.9385	3	1435	.9410	23	23	23	23	23	23	.920	3	.9331	3
4.	Texas	6	1337	.8228	5	1281	.8400	21	22	22	22	22	22	.880	4	.8476	5
5.	California	4	1399	.8609	4	1286	.8433	20	18	20	20	21	20	.800	6	.8347	4
6.	Utah	5	1345	.8277	6	1215	.7967	22	20	21	21	20	21	.830	5	.8181	6
7.	Georgia	8	1117	.6874	7	1117	.7325	17	19	18	17	15	15	.670	8	.6966	7
8.	Virginia Tech	9	1111	.6837	9	1037	.6800	13	15	14	18	18	18	.650	T-9	.6712	12
9.	Boise State	10	960	.5908	10	943	.6184	19	21	19	19	19	19	.760	7	.6564	8
10.	Louisville	7	1183	.7280	8	1066	.6990	9	12	13	11	17	16	.520	13	.6490	9
11.	LSU	12	929	.5717	11	932	.6111	16	17	15	16	16	17	.650	T-9	.6109	11
12.	lowa	11	948	.5834	13	812	.5325	18	14	17	10	9	14	.550	12	.5553	13
13.	Michigan	13	917	.5643	12	874	.5731	14	16	12	3	2	9	.380	17	.5058	14
14.	Miami (FL)	14	776	.4775	14	738	.4839	11	13	10	12	12	10	.450	T-14	.4705	10
15.	Tennessee	15	651	.4006	17	559	.3666	12	11	11	14	11	11	.450	T-14	.4057	15
16.	Florida State	17	647	.3982	15	643	.4216	8	4	8	5	5	4	.220	21	.3466	16
17.	Wisconsin	16	648	.3988	16	599	.3928	7	10	6	1	3	8	.240	20	.3439	17
18.	Virginia	18	482	.2966	18	455	.2984	6	9	7	9	8	6	.300	18	.2983	18
19.	Arizona State	21	222	.1366	24	173	.1134	15	0	16	15	13	13	.560	11	.2700	19
20.	Texas A&M	22	213	.1311	25	147	.0964	10	0	9	13	14	12	.440	16	.2225	20
21.	Pittsburgh	19	415	.2554	20	318	.2085	0	6	0	0	0	0	.000	NR	.1546	23
22.	Texas Tech	23	168	.1034	21	234	.1534	4	0	4	6	7	5	.190	22	.1489	21
23.	Florida	20	325	.2000	19	324	.2125	0	5	0	0	0	0	.000	NR	.1375	22
24.	Oklahoma State	32	16	.0098	28	35	.0230	5	0	5	8	10	7	.250	19	.0943	24
25.	Ohio State	24	155	.0954	22	181	.1187	3	8	1	0	0	0	.040	NR	.0847	25

EXPLANATION:

Team percentages are derived by dividing a team's actual voting points by a maximum 1625 possible points in the AP Poll and 1525 possible points in the USA Today/ESPN Coaches Poll.

Six computer rankings calculated in inverse points order (25 for #1, 24 for #2, etc.) are used to determine the overall computer component. The best and worst ranking for each team is dropped, and the remaining four are added and divided by 100 (the maximum possible points) to produce a Computer Rankings Percentage. The six computer ranking providers are Anderson & Hester, Richard Billingsley, Colley Matrix, Kenneth Massey, Jeff Sagarin, and Peter Wolfe. Each computer ranking accounts for schedule strength in its formula.

The BCS Average is calculated by averaging the percent totals of the Associated Press, USA Today/ESPN Coaches and Computer polls.

On January 4, 2005, the FedEx Orange Bowl will host the BCS National Championship Game and determine which team will be presented The National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame's MacArthur Trophy, awarded to college football's National Champion since 1959, as well as the ADT National Championship Trophy on behalf of the American Football Coaches Association.



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