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## 2005 BOWL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES STANDINGS

(Games Through Nov. 19, 2005)

	BCS Standings (through Nov. 19, 2005)			Harris Interactive			USA Today			Computer Rankings				Avg. Computer Rank	BCS Average	Previous
	Rank	Points	%	Rank	Points	%	Rank	Points	%	Massey	Sagarin	Wolfe				
1. Southern California	1	2800	0.9912	1	1536	0.9910	24	25	24	24	24	24	0.960	0.9807	1	
2. Texas	2	2737	0.9688	2	1501	0.9684	25	24	25	25	25	25	1.000	0.9791	2	
3. Penn State	4	2494	0.8828	4	1344	0.8671	23	22	23	23	23	23	0.920	0.8900	4	
4. LSU	3	2539	0.8988	3	1415	0.9129	17	21	18	15	17	18	0.700	0.8372	5	
5. Virginia Tech	6	2244	0.7943	5	1277	0.8239	22	23	21	21	21	22	0.870	0.8294	6	
6. Ohio State	7	2172	0.7688	7	1137	0.7335	21	19	21	22	22	21	0.850	0.7841	7	
7. Oregon	8	1980	0.7009	8	1102	0.7110	20	17	20	19	20	20	0.790	0.7340	10	
8. Notre Dame	5	2254	0.7979	6	1185	0.7645	13	8	13	12	14	13	0.510	0.6908	9	
9. Miami (Fla.)	10	1799	0.6368	10	990	0.6387	18	18	17	20	19	19	0.740	0.6718	3	
10. Auburn	9	1945	0.6885	9	1025	0.6613	14	20	14	11	9	16	0.550	0.6333	13	
11. West Virginia	13	1428	0.5055	12	881	0.5684	16	15	16	18	18	17	0.670	0.5813	12	
12. UCLA	11	1611	0.5703	11	970	0.6258	19	12	19	5	8	15	0.540	0.5787	11	
13. TCU	15	1243	0.4400	15	704	0.4542	15	14	15	0	4	14	0.470	0.4547	14	
14. Alabama	14	1343	0.4754	14	727	0.4690	7	13	10	3	3	9	0.290	0.4115	8	
15. Georgia	12	1582	0.5600	13	797	0.5142	6	16	7	0	2	2	0.150	0.4081	16	
16. Texas Tech	17	1009	0.3572	17	525	0.3387	8	9	12	14	11	12	0.440	0.3786	19	
17. Wisconsin	23	383	0.1356	22	218	0.1406	12	1	11	16	16	11	0.500	0.2587	20	
18. Boston College	20	648	0.2294	20	345	0.2226	10	6	9	9	7	7	0.320	0.2573	24	
19. Fresno State	16	1051	0.3720	16	543	0.3503	0	10	0	0	0	3	0.030	0.2508	17	
20. Louisville	18	908	0.3214	18	520	0.3355	1	7	4	2	0	0	0.070	0.2423	18	
21. Georgia Tech	22	384	0.1359	24	149	0.0961	11	11	6	13	13	8	0.430	0.2207	NR	
22. Michigan	24	332	0.1175	23	158	0.1019	9	4	8	17	15	10	0.420	0.2132	15	
23. Florida	19	660	0.2336	19	383	0.2471	0	3	0	0	0	0	0.000	0.1602	22	
24. Florida State	21	518	0.1834	21	341	0.2200	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.000	0.1345	NR	
25. Northwestern	T-35	10	0.0035	T-32	9	0.0058	3	0	5	10	12	6	0.240	0.0831	NR	

### EXPLANATION:

To derive a team's poll percentages in the Harris Interactive and USA Today polls, each team's point total is divided by a maximum 2825 possible points in the Harris Interactive Poll and 1550 possible points in the USA Today Poll.

Teams are assigned an inverse point total (25 for #1, 24 for #2, etc.) for each of their respective computer poll rankings to determine the overall computer component. The highest and lowest ranking for each team is dropped, and the sum total of the remaining four rankings is divided by 100 (the maximum possible points). This figure produces 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 within its formula.

The BCS Average is calculated by averaging the percent totals of the Harris Interactive and USA Today Polls, and Computer rankings. The highest BCS Average receives the #1 ranking, the second highest receives #2, and so forth.



On January 4, 2006, the Rose Bowl will host the BCS National Championship Game and determine which team will win both The National Football Foundation & College Hall of Fame's MacArthur Trophy, awarded to college football's National Champion since 1959, and the ADT National Championship Trophy on behalf of the American Football Coaches Association.