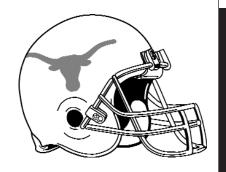
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BIG 12 CHAMPIONS • 1996

SOUTHWEST CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS • 1920, '28, '30, '42, '43, '45, '50, '52, '53*, '59*, '61*, '62, '63, '68*, '69, '70, '71, '72, '73, '75*, '77, '83, '90, '94*, '95 (*co-champs)



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#2 TEXAS (0-0, 0-0 Big 12)

LOUISIANA-LAFAYETTE (0-0, 0-0 Sun Belt)

Darrell K Royal-Texas Memorial Stadium (80,082) Austin, Texas

Sat., Sept. 3 (Time: 6 p.m. CST/TV: FSN)

RANKINGS: Texas is ranked second in both The Associated Press poll and USA Today Coaches preseaon poll. That matches UT's highest ever preseason ranking. Texas has been ranked among the USA Today Top 25 for 102 weeks in a row and The AP Poll for 76 consecutive weeks.

THE SERIES: Texas and Louisiana-Lafayette are meeting for the second time in series history. The Longhorns own a 1-0 edge in the series after a 52-10 win in Austin on Sept. 9, 2000.

TELEVISION: The game will be broadcast nationally on Fox Sports Net. Joel Meyers (play-by-play), Dave Lapham (color) and Jim Knox (sidelines) will have the call.

RADIO: The Longhorn Sports Network and KVET (1300 AM/98.1 FM) broadcast each game on its 35station network. Games will also be available on Sirius Satellite Radio. Craig Way (play-by-play), Keith Moreland (color) and Roger Wallace (sidelines) have the call. The Longhorns Sports Network will offer Spanish Language Radio Broadcasts of all games this season on a four-station network. Dr. Rubén Pizarro-Silva (play-by-play) and Raúl Sáenz (color) will have the call.

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LONGHORNS SET TO KICKOFF EIGHTH YEAR OF MACK BROWN ERA:

Texas enters its eighth season under Mack Brown with 17 starters (seven offense/nine defense/one kicker) and 46 lettermen (18 offense/25 defense/3 specialist) returning from a team that tied the Horns single-season victory



record (11-1), claimed the Rose Bowl Championship and posted its top national finish (No. 4 in ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll) since 1981. That marked the fifth straight year the Horns ranked among the nation's final Top 12, a UT first, and the third final Top 10 ranking in the last four years. One of only two teams nationally riding a string of seven consecutive nine (or more) win seasons, Texas enters 2005 on the heels of the school's first-ever streak of four-straight 10 (or more) victory campaigns. UT and Oklahoma are the only two schools nationally that have won at least 10 games in each of the last four years.

TEXAS OPENS WITH NO. 2 RANKING: With a No. 2 ranking, Texas matched its highest-ever Associated Press Preseason standing. The last time the Longhorns entered the year ranked second in the AP Preseason Poll was 1970. UT also was rated

second entering the 1962 and 1965 seasons. The No. 2 AP preseason ranking matched the Longhorns standing in the USA Today Coaches Preseason Top 25 Poll released on August 5. That No. 2 national ranking was Texas' highest in the coaches poll since 2002, when it ranked second for the first eight weeks of the season. It marks the sixth consecutive season the Longhorns have opened the year in The AP Top 10 and the fourth time in the last five years they have been ranked in the Top 5.

NCAA'S WINNINGEST TEAMS: LAST FOUR SEASONS

1.	Oklahoma	47-7
2.	Miami (Fla.)	44-6
	Boise State	44-7
4.	TEXAS	43-8
5.	Southern California	42-9
	Georgia	_42-10
7.	Ohio State	_40-11
	LSU	_40-12
9.	Tennessee	_39-13
10.	Iowa	_38-12

NCAA ALL-TIME RECORDS LISTS

	All-Time Winning Percentage					
		YEARS	RECORD	PCT.		
1.	Michigan	125	842-275-36 _	7459		
2.	Notre Dame	116	802-263-42 _	7435		
3.	Oklahoma	110	749-285-53 _	7134		
4.	TEXAS	112	_787-310-33	7111		
5.	Alabama	110	764-299-44 _	7100		
6.	Ohio State	115	764-298-53 _	7090		
7.	Nebraska	115	786-317-40 _	7052		

All-Time Victories

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		YEARS	WINS
1.	Michigan	125	842
2.	Notre Dame	116 _	802
3.	TEXAS	112	787
4.	Nebraska	115	786
5.	Alabama	110 _	764
	Ohio State	115	764
7	Penn State	117 _	760











TEXAS/ULL ALL-TIME SERIES AT-A-GLANCE

OVERALL SERIES: Texas leads, 1-0

SERIES RECORD IN AUSTIN: Texas leads, 1-0

TEXAS VS. LOUISIANA-LAFAYETTE

Ye	ar Score	Texas' final record	ULL's final record
20	00 @ #6 Texas 52, ULL 10	9-3 (7-1 Big 12/2nd S)	1-10

Texas has finished the year ranked among The AP Top 10 in three of the last five years and is riding a UT record streak of five straight AP Top 12 finishes.

TURN BACK THE CLOCK: Honoring its more than a century of college football tradition, Texas will wear throwback jerseys for its game with Louisiana-Lafayette. UT's senior returning starters pictured on the cover of the 2005 yearbook are wearing the jerseys, and the helmet featured in the photo are the throwback uniform pieces for that game. The most noticeable difference in the throwback uniform will be the addition of numbers above the Longhorn on the helmet and the removal of the "Texas" across the front of the jersey, as well as the individual players name on the back. The number was first displayed on the UT helmet in 1957, at which time the Longhorn logo was not a helmet feature. UT's Longhorn logo was added in 1961 and the number was moved to the back of the helmet in 1967. "Texas" first appeared on the jersey in 1981.

1963 CAPTAINS HONORED: In honor of the throwback uniforms, the captains of the 1963 Longhorns will be represented at the opening coin toss verusu Louisiana-Lafayette. David McWilliams and Tommy Ford, along with Coach Darrell Royal will be present, and a recognition of Scott Appleton will be made.

THE SERIES: Texas and Louisiana-Lafayette are meeting for the second time in their history. The Longhorns own a 1-0 edge in the series after a 52-10 win in Austin on Sept. 9, 2000.

SEVEN YEARS UNDER MACK **BROWN:** With a 70-19 (.787) record in seven seasons at UT, Mack Brown is off to the best coaching start in UT history. The 70 victories over the last seven seasons are tied for the fourth-most nationally during that stretch. Brown has led the Horns to a 43-8 (.843) mark over the last four seasons, which is also fourth-best nationally. He led the Longhorns to back-to-back 11win seasons in 2001-02, a UT first, and consecutive Top 10 finishes in 2001-02, a UT best dating back to 1977-78. The Horns string of seven straight bowl games is the best for UT since it went to nine in a row from 1977-85. Brown's personal strings, including time at North Carolina, go back even further. He has posted 15 consecutive winning seasons and has directed his team to 13 straight bowl games. Both of those marks are the second-longest active streaks in the nation.

UT IN OPENERS: In its previous 112 years of football, UT is 92-17-3 (.835) in season-opening games. The Longhorns are 71-7-2 (.900) when they open the year at home. Head coach Mack Brown enters his eighth year at UT having won eight of his last nine and 14 of his last 17 season-opening games. He is 6-1 in openers at UT and was 8-2 at North Carolina.

THE ONE AND ONLY: After posting back-to-back nine (or more) win seasons at North Carolina prior to taking over at

			SIX-FOR	R-SIX			
Te	xas is the or	ıly team to b	e ranked in e	ach of the la	st six BCS Fi	inal Polls.	
		Schools rank	ed in the las	t six BCS Fin	al Polls.		
PROGRAM	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	TOTAL
TEXAS	15th	12th	7th	10th	6th	4th	6
	5	Schools ranke	ed in the last	five BCS Fin	al Polls.		
PROGRAM	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	TOTAL
TEXAS	15th	12th	7th	10th	6th	4th	6
Miami (Fla.)		3rd	1st	1st	9th	14th	5
Oklahoma		1st	11th	7th	1st	2nd	5



#2 TEXAS

Record: 0-0 (0-0, Big 12) Home: 0-0 Away: 0-0 Neutral: 0-0

Sept. 3	LALAFAYETTE (FSN)	6 p.m.			
10	at #6 Ohio State (ABC)	7 p.m.			
17	RICE (FSN)	6 p.m.			
Oct. 1	at Missouri*	TBA			
8	vs. #7 Oklahoma*+ (ABC)	Noon			
15	COLORADO*	TBA			
22	#21 TEXAS TECH*	TBA			
29	at Oklahoma State*	TBA			
Nov. 5	at Baylor*	TBA			
12	KANSAS*	TBA			
25	at #17 Texas A&M*(ABC)	11 a.m.			
all times	all times Central + at Cotton Bowl (Dallas, Texas) * Big				
	12 Conference game				

MACK BROWN (Florida State '74): Texas' eighth-year head coach has won 90 of his last 112 games (.804) and led his teams to a 124-37 (.770) record the last 12 years. Brown, who is 70-19 (46-10 Big 12) in his eighth year at UT, has a 156-93-1 mark in 21 years overall. With 11 wins last season, he secured a 15th consecutive winning season and 13th straight bowl berth. Brown is the Big 12's winningest active coach (Division I-A games only), and his string of 13 straight bowl appearances is the longest among league mentors.



LOUISIANA-LAFAYETTE

Record: 0-0 (0-0, Sun Belt) Home: 0-0 Away: 0-0 Neutral: 0-0

Sept	. 3	at #2 Texas (FSN)	_6 p.m.
	10	at Eastern Michigan	_5 p.m.
	18	NORTHWESTERN ST.	_7 p.m.
Oct.	1	CENTRAL FLORIDA	_7 p.m.
	6	FLORIDA ATLANTIC*	_7 p.m.
	13	at Arkansas State*6	:30 p.m.
	22	at Middle Tennessee St.*	_4 p.m.
	29	TROY*	_4 p.m.
Nov.	5	at North Texas*	_6 p.m.
	12	FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL*	4 p.m.
	19	at Louisiana-Monroe*	_3 p.m.
	all ti	imes Central * Sun Belt Conference ga	me

RICKEY BUSTLE (CLEMSON '76): Rickey Bustle is in his fourth season as head coach at Louisiana-Lafayette. In his first head coaching position, Bustle is 11-24 with the Ragin' Cajuns.

NCAA'S WINNINGEST TEAMS: LAST SEVEN SEASONS

	Mack Brown Era					
1.	Miami (Fla.)	73-13				
2.	Boise State	72-23				
3.	Oklahoma	71-18				
4.	TEXAS	70-19				
	Florida State _	70-19				

Texas in 1998, Mack Brown has registered at least nine victories for nine consecutive seasons. He is the only active NCAA Division I-A head coach currently riding a string of nine, nine (or more) victory campaigns in a row.

AND THEN THERE WERE TWO:

Texas posted at least nine victories for a UT record seventh straight season in 2004. The Longhorns and Miami (Fla.) are the only NCAA Division I-A schools that are currently riding a streak of at least seven straight nine (or more) win seasons.

FIVE STRAIGHT TOP 12 FINISHES:

Texas' No. 5 ranking in 2004 marked the fifth straight year the Horns have finished the year ranked among the nation's Top 12. That is the first time UT has ever accomplished that feat. The 2004 standing followed a No. 12 ranking in 2003, a No. 6 ranking in 2002, No. 5 ranking in 2001 and No. 12 ranking in 2000. Texas has finished the year ranked among the nation's Top 25 in each of Mack Brown's seven years in Austin. The last time the Horns posted seven straight Top 25 finishes was when UT recorded eight consecutive Top 25 finishes from 1968-75. Texas enters 2005 having been ranked among The Associated Press Top 25 for 76 straight weeks. That's the Horns longest stint in that poll since they posted a school-record 113 consecutive weeks from 1968-76. UT has been ranked among the USA Today Coaches Poll Top 25 for 102 straight weeks.

FOUR-PEAT

NCAA Division I-A programs with 10 wins the last four seasons

PROGRAM	2001	2002	2003	2004
PROGRAM Oklahoma	11-2	12-2	12-2	12-1
TEXAS	11-2	11-2	10-3	11-1

WIRE-TO-WIRE: Texas and Miami are the nation's only two schools that have both started and finished the season ranked among the nation's Top 12 teams in each of the last five seasons. In 2004, Texas was ranked No. 5 and Miami was No. 11.

CONFERENCE COMPETITION:

Mack Brown, who has won or shared the Big 12 South Division Championship three times, is 46-10 (.821) in seven seasons of Big 12 Conference play. That is a significant improvement from the 8-8 (.500) mark Texas produced in Big 12 competition the two years prior to his arrival, the Horns first two years in the league.

HORNS AT HOME: Texas is 38-3 (.927) at Darrell K Royal-Texas Memorial Stadium under Mack Brown. Including a perfect 6-0 in 2004, the Horns have won 10 straight and 29 of their last 30 games at home. In contrast, UT was 25-11 at Royal-Texas Memorial Stadium in the seven seasons prior to Mack Brown's arrival. UT's 20-game home-winning streak from 1999-2003 was the program's longest since a 42-gamer from 1968-76 (No. 7 on the NCAA all-time list). The home-winning streak also was tied for the third-longest in UT history.

HOME FIELD DOMINANCE: Texas has been dominant at home in winning more than 90 percent of its games at Royal-Texas Memorial Stadium under Mack Brown. In 41 games under Brown, Texas has outscored its opponents, 1,690-

- Texas has finished ranked in the Top 12 for five consecutive seasons, a first in school history.
- The Longhorns' seven Top 25 finishes in a row mark the first time UT has accomplished that feat since 1968-75.
- Texas' current streak of seven straight bowl berths is a school first dating back to 1977-85.

656, or an average of 41-16. An opponent has scored at least 24 points just seven times in the last 41 home games. Texas has scored 24 or more points 35 times during that stretch.

BIG 12 HOME COOKING: UT has won 20 straight Big 12 home games. Texas is 24-1 (.960) in league home contests under Mack Brown. Kansas State's 35-17 win in Austin in 1999 is the only Big 12 home defeat of a Mack Brown squad.

"FAN"-TASTIC: Texas has been one of the best-attended programs in the nation over the past six years, drawing nearly 82,000 fans per game. The Horns, who have played in front of a sellout home crowd in the last 28 home games, have attracted nine of the top 10 crowds in UT history since Mack Brown took over the program in 1998. The 2004 season saw yet another year of record-setting season ticket sales, as the Horns sold 66,700 (25,957 more than the record set prior to Brown's arrival). That comes on the heels of a record-setting season in 2003 when UT sold 66,500 and 2002 when the Horns sold 63,000 season tickets. In 1999, Texas sold a record 48,300 season tickets, a total that was nearly 9,000 more than the previous all-time season ticket record of 39,743 set

THE LAST TIME - #6 TEXAS 52, LOUISIANA-LAFAYETTE 10

Austin, Texas, Sept. 9, 2000: Major Applewhite threw for 315 yards and four TDs (tied for No. 3 on the UT all-time single-game list) as Texas scored 52 unanswered points in a 52-10 win over Louisiana-Lafayette. Upon entering the game late in the first quarter, Applewhite completed a school-record tying nine straight passes. He completed passes to seven different receivers, including four freshmen. Leading the way was true freshman Roy Williams, who caught six passes (No. 4 on the UT all-time single-game freshman list) for 105 yards (No. 10 on the UT all-time single-game freshman list). Fifth-year senior Brandon Healy caught four passes for 88 yards and a pair of TDs. Including Chris Simms' 88 passing yards and a TD, UT completed 25 of 40 passes for 403 yards and five TDs on the day. First-team All-Big 12 RB Hodges Mitchell scored by rush and reception as he tallied 104 all-purpose yards on just 15 plays (6.9 yards per play). The Longhorns held the Ragin' Cajuns to just 68 yards rushing on 42 carries and 251 yards of total offense. Defensive tackles Shaun Rogers (eight tackles, four tackles for loss, 1.5 sacks, three QB pressures) and Casey Hampton (seven tackles, one tackle for loss, two caused fumbles) led the way for the UT defense. Linebacker Everick Rawls led the team with nine tackles.

NCAA LEADERS Longast Active Streaks in the AD Dell

Longest Active Streaks in the AP Poil					
Rk. Team	Streak	Last Time NR			
1Michigan	108 _	10/24/98			
2Miami	88 _	11/27/99			
3Oklahoma _	84 _	8/5/00			
4TEXAS	76	10/15/00			
5Georgia	62	9/29/01			
6Florida State	54 _	11/24/01			

in 1997. In 2000, the Longhorns upped that total to 53,617 season tickets sold, and in 2001, UT broke the record again, increasing the total to 56,350. Texas ranked 10th nationally with an average of 83,094 fans per game last season and stood ninth in home attendance by drawing a UT record 83,339 fans per game in 2003. The Horns' season total of 500,034 fans in six home games in 2003 stands as the highest total in UT history. Its total of 498,556 last season was the third-best total on school record.

OFFENSIVE EXPLOSION: In seven seasons under Mack Brown and offensive coordinator Greg Davis, UT's explosive offense has produced five of the top six passing seasons, six of the top eight total yardage campaigns and the top five scoring years in school history. Over the last seven years, the Longhorns have registered 23 school records, nineteen 50-point games and three of the top five total offensive games on school record. Since Brown took over in 1998, UT has produced twenty-two 500-yard total offense performances (there are only 45 of them in the 112 years of Texas football) and has recorded five of the school's fifteen 600-yard total offensive games. The Horns' balanced attack has produced at least 400 yards of offense in 32 of its last 51 games and has registered 200 yards both passing and rushing 26 times in seven seasons under Brown and Davis. UT ranked second in the nation in rushing (299.2 ypg), seventh in total offense (464.4 ypg) and 12th in scoring (35.3 ppg) last season. Texas rushed for at least 300 yards six times last season, the most since 1977. The Horns posted at least 600 yards of offense twice in 2004, recording 673 yards of offense (third-most in UT history) versus North Texas on the strength of 513 rushing yards, the most since 1977 versus Rice (516), and 600 total yards (15th-best total in school history) against No. 19 Oklahoma State. UT averaged a balanced 232.5 rushing yards (8th NCAA) and 206.6 passing yards in 2003 (No. 7 on the UT all-time list), marking just the fourth time in school history the Horns averaged better than 200 yards both rushing and passing. Texas also averaged 439.2 yards of offense (20th NCAA) while averaging 41.0 points per game (6th NCAA) in 2003. That came one year after UT averaged 250.1 passing yards, 385.6 yards of offense and 33.8 points per game (16th NCAA) in 2002. In '01, the Horns' highpowered offensive attack led the Big 12 in scoring (39.2 ppg/sixth NCAA) and pass efficiency (136.1 rating/27th NCAA). Brown's first UT squad produced a schoolbest 692 yards against Rice in 1998.

PRODUCTIVE PERFORMERS: Since Mack Brown and offensive coordinator Greg Davis took over UT's offense in 1998, Texas has produced its only 2,000yard rusher (2,124, Ricky Williams, 1998), 1,000-yard receivers (1,087, Wane McGarity, 1999/1,188, Kwame Cavil, 1999/1,142, Roy Williams, 2002/1,079, Roy Williams, 2003) and 3,000-yard passers (3,357, Major Applewhite, 1999/3,207, Chris Simms, 2002) in a season in school history. UT has seen players record school single-season bests for rushing touchdowns (28, Ricky Williams, 1998), TD passes (26, Chris Simms, 2002), TD receptions (12, Roy Williams, 2002), total TDs (30, Chris Simms, 2002), receptions (100, Kwame Cavil, 1999), scoring

(168, Ricky Williams, 1998) and total offense (3,211,Major Applewhite, 1999). Cedric Benson became the fifth player in NCAA history to rush for over 1,000 yards in four straight seasons and finished his career ranked sixth on the NCAA all-time rushing list (5,540 yards). Vince

OFFENSIVE EXPLOSION

Texas' 500-yard total offense games in school history

692	vs. Rice	1998		
676	at SMU			
673	vs. North Texas	2004		
651	vs. TCU			
637	at Kansas	2000		
626	vs. Houston			
624	vs. Oklahoma State			
	vs. Rice			
614	at Houston	1995		
611	vs. Kansas State	1942		
609	at SMU	1973		
606	vs. Kansas	2001		
603	vs. Texas A&M	1970		
601	at Houston	1987		
600	vs Oklahoma Stato	2004		
595	vs. Navy* vs. Texas A&M vs. Washington*	1969		
594	vs. Texas A&M	1996		
592	vs. Washington*	2001		
592	at Baylor	1994		
586	at Baylor			
	vs. Iowa State			
581	at Kansas	2004		
580	vs. New Mexico State			
579	at TCU	1980		
578	at Iowa State	2003		
575	at Texas Techat North Carolina	1996		
566	at Rice			
562	vs. Kansas	1997		
	vs. Stanford			
558	at SMU			
	vs. Oklahoma			
549	at Texas Tech			
	at Houston			
	vs. Rice	2004		
515	at Rice			
	vs. Tulane			
512	vs. Baylor	1993		
	vs. Baylor			
508	at Colorado			
507	vs. Baylor	2004		
	vs. Oklahoma State			
	vs. Texas Tech			
	vs. Nebraska	1996		
502	at Oklahoma State			
X7	Mack Brown era in bold // * bowl game			

Young became the first player in UT history to rush (1,079 yards) and pass (1,849 yards) for more than 1,000 yards in the same season in 2004. He came within two yards of becoming just the third freshman QB in NCAA history to post 1,000 yards rushing and passing in a season in 2003. The Longhorns' freshman records for rushing yards (1,053, Cedric Benson, 2001), rushing TDs (12, Cedric Benson, 2001), total TDs (13, Cedric Benson, 2001), 100yard rushing games (5, Cedric Benson, 2001), passing yards (2,453, Major Applewhite, 1998), receptions (41, B.J.

COACHING SUCCESS

NCAA Division I-A head coach	ing records sinc	e 1990
By victories		
1. Bobby Bowden, Florida State	156-30-1	837
2. MACK BROWN, TEXAS/UNC	137-45-1	751
3. Bill Snyder, Kansas State	130-52-1	713
By winning percentage (min. 70 victo	ries)	
1. Bobby Bowden, Florida State	156-30-1	
2. Phillip Fulmer, Tennessee	123-30-0	.804
3. MACK BROWN, TEXAS/UNC	137-45-1	751
4. Bill Snyder, Kansas State	130-52-1	713

ON THE DEFENSIVE

Texas' top defensive efforts since 1990

<u>Total Yards</u>				
67	vs. Kansas	2001		
127	vs. Baylor	2002		
130	vs. NORTH TEXAS	2004		
	at Colorado	2000		
134	vs. Baylor	2000		
	vs. SMU			
145	vs. North Texas	2002		
	vs. Houston			
	at Baylor			
160	vs. Texas Tech	1999		
	at SMU			
162	at Oklahoma State	2001		
165	at Texas A&M	2001		
172	vs. North Carolina State _	1999		
173	vs. Texas A&M	1998		
	vs. Nebraska			
	at SMU	1995		
	at Rice	2003		
	at Baylor			
195	at Rice	1990		
197	vs. Oklahoma	1998		
198	vs. Houston	2000		
	Rushing Yards			
(-17)	at TEXAS TECH	2004		
(-7)	vs. Texas A&M	1998		
2	vs. SMU	1992		
	at COLORADO	2004		
	at Baylor			
	at Rice			
	vs. Baylor			
13	vs. Houston	2000		
15	vs. Oklahoma	1999		
	at Texas Tech			
23	vs. Texas Tech	1999		
27	vs. Kansas	2001		
31	vs. Houston	2002		
36	vs. Iowa State	1998		
37	vs. Texas Tech	2001		
38	vs. NORTH TEXAS	2004		
40	at KANSAS	2004		
41	vs. Baylor	2002		
41	at Texas Tech	1990		
42				
'	at Houston Mack Brown era in BOLD	1991		

Johnson, 2000), receiving yards (809, Roy Williams, 2000), TD catches (8, Roy Williams, 2000) and TD passes (18, Major Applewhite, 1998) have also been set during the Brown era.

DEFENSIVE DOMINANCE: After inheriting a program that ranked among the NCAA's bottom half in total defense for the previous five seasons, Mack Brown and the Longhorns staff have reversed that trend. Texas enters 2005 riding a streak of six straight years ranked among the nation's top 25 in total defense. Texas is coming off a season where it held its oppo-

nents to 320.1 yards (23rd NCAA) and 17.9 points per game (18th NCAA). The Horns also ranked 16th in rushing defense (107.4 ypg) in 2004. Texas ranked 25th nationally in total

defense (329.8 ypg) and allowed just 21.1 points per game in 2003 and held its opponents to 307.7 yards (16th NCAA) and 16.3 points per game (8th NCAA) in 2002. UT was one of only two teams to post three shutouts against NCAA Division I-A opponents in 2002. The Longhorns defense went from ranking 85th nationally in total defense in 1997, the year prior to Brown's arrival, to back-to-back top 10 finishes in total defense in 1999-2000 and captured an NCAA statistical title in total defense in '01. UT's 236.2 yards per game allowed that season were the fewest it had allowed since 1983 (212.0 ypg). It marked the first time since '83 and the third time in school history that UT led the nation in total defense. Texas also led the Big 12 Conference in rushing (89.5 ypg/sixth NCAA), passing (146.7 ypg/third NCAA) and scoring defense (13.7 ppg/third NCAA) while establishing itself as one of only two defenses that ranked among the nation's top 10 in every major defensive category in 2001.

AIR DEFENSE: Texas' pass defense has been among the nation's premier units over the past five seasons, ranking among the top 10 in four of those campaigns. Texas has allowed its opponents to complete less than 45 percent (830-of-1,897) of its passes for 171.3 passing yards per game (10,791 in 63 games) while intercepting 82 passes (1.3 pg) over the last five seasons.

hold italics denotes Mack Brown era

	NCAA'S WINNINGEST COACHES					
	Last Nine Years					
1.	Bobby Bowden, Florida State	92-21	814			
2.	MACK BROWN, TEXAS/N. CAROLINA	90-22	804			
3.	Phillip Fulmer, Tennessee	90-24	789			
4.	Lloyd Carr, Michigan	86-27	761			
5.	Bill Snyder, Kansas State	84-29	743			

The Horns intercepted 13 passes and ranked 31st nationally in pass efficiency defense (114.3 rating) last year. Texas allowed opponents to complete just 167-of-364 passes (45.9%/third-best nationally) for 2,305 yards (177.3 ypg/9th NCAA) and ranked 18th nationally in pass efficiency defense (106.5 rating) in 2003. UT's recent pass defense efforts continue a turnaround that started when Mack Brown took over the Longhorns program in 1998. That year, UT was coming off a season that saw it rank 75th nationally in pass efficiency defense (132.7 rating). In just their third season (2000), they guided UT back among the national leaders in directing a pass defense that led the nation in pass efficiency (88.3 rating). The Horns limited opponents to the second-lowest completion percentage in the nation (45.2%/171-of-378), 184.3 yards per game, 5.36 yards per pass attempt (second-lowest in the nation), while allowing just eight TD passes that season. The Horns put up comparable numbers in 2001, holding a schedule that featured several high-powered passing attacks to a Big 12-low 146.7 passing yards per game (third NCAA) and ranked fourth nationally in pass efficiency defense (88.0). Texas held its opponents to an NCAA-low 4.77 yards per attempt and just six TDs (tied for the second-fewest nationally) in 2001. In 2002, Texas allowed opponents to complete just 192-of-400 passes (48.0%) for 2,147 yards (165.2 pg/eighth NCAA).

LONGHORNS DEFENSIVE PROGRESS REPORT

	RUSH DEFENSE	PASS EFFICIENCY	TOTAL DEFENSE	SCORING DEF.
YEAR	YPG (NCAA)	RATING (NCAA)	YPG (NCAA)	PPG (NCAA)
2004	107.4 (16th)	114.3 (31st)	320.1 (23rd)	17.9 (18th)
2003 _	152.5 (58th)	106.5 (18th)	329.8 (25th)	21.5 (32nd)
2002 _	142.5 (47th)	96.1 (7th)	307.7 (16th)	16.3 (8th)
2001	89.5 (6th)	88.0 (4th)	236.2 (1st)	13.7 (3rd)
2000 _	94.0 (12th)	88.3 (1st)	278.3 (7th)	17.9 (11th)
1999 _	105.7 (17th)	101.6 (12th)	286.7 (6th)	20.6 (30th)
1998	143.5 (45th)	138.7 (92nd)	364.4 (56th)	29.6 (83rd)
1997	241.5 (104th)	132.7 (75th)	399.2 (85th)	33.3 (96th)
1996	203.4 (86th)	102.8 (27th)	373.0 (65th)	22.3 (44th)
1995	173.8 (67th)	108.7 (35th)	366.3 (55th)	18.9 (26th)
1994	171.4 (64th)	111.1 (35th)	363.4 (55th)	23.6 (52nd)
1993	194.4 (80th)	111.2 (27th)	401.4 (82nd)	24.5 (55th)

NCAA Division I-A programs with seven consecutive nine-win seasons							
PROGRAM	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
Miami (Fla.)	9-3	9-4	11-1	12-0	12-1	11-2	9-3
TEYAC	0_3	0-5	0_3	11_9	11_9	10-3	11_1

UT also ranked seventh nationally in pass efficiency defense (96.1 rating) and allowed just nine passes of more than 30 yards. Texas' 22 interceptions were tied for the fourth-most nationally, its 22 picks in 400 opponent pass attempts (one every 18.2 attempts) was tied for the third-best ratio in the nation (5.5%) and the opposition's average of just 5.37 yards per pass attempt was the third-lowest in the nation. UT ranked 92nd nationally in pass efficiency defense (138.7 rating) in 1998 and improved to 12th in 1999 (101.6 rating).

GROUND PATROL: Mack Brown and his staff inherited a ground defense that had ranked no better than 64th nationally in the five seasons prior to their arrival and have turned that around dramatically over the last seven seasons. The Horns have limited 22 of their last 49 opponents to less than 100 yards rushing and allowed just 17 100-yard rushers in the last 75 games. UT has held opponents to just 124.0 rushing yards per game (6,199 yards on 1,805 car-

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DRIVING EFFICIENCY				
Lon	g scoring drives in the Mack B	rown era		
	By Plays			
19	vs. Iowa State	2002		
17 _	at Nebraska	2002		
16	at Oklahoma State	2001		
16	at Texas Tech	2004		
15 _	vs. Washington State*	2003		
15	at Iowa State	2003		
15	at Oklahoma State	1999		
14	several times			
	*2003 Holiday Bowl			
	By Yards			
99 _	vs. Missouri	2000		
	vs. Oklahoma			
	vs. Louisiana-Lafayette			
98	vs. Oklahoma	1998		
97 _	vs. Mississippi State^	1998		
97 _	at Nebraska	2002		
	^ 1999 Cotton Bowl			
	By Time of Possession			
9:04	vs. Iowa State	2002		
	vs. New Mexico State			
7:52	vs. Michigan	2004		
7:51	at Oklahoma State	2003		
7:51	at Baylor	1999		
7:46	at Iowa State			
7:45	at Nebraska	2002		
7:38	at Oklahoma State	2001		

ries) and 3.4 yards per carry the past four seasons. The Horns ranked 16th nationally in rushing defense (107.4 ypg), including allowing just 60.0 yards per game over the final six contests, in 2004. UT held six foes to 70 yards rushing or fewer last season. Although UT ranked 58th nationally in rushing defense (152.5 ypg) in 2003, the Horns allowed only 121.3 yards per game over the season's final seven contests. After inheriting a unit that ranked 104th nationally and allowed 241.5 yards per game in 1997, Brown and company guided the Horns to the nation's 17th-best run defense (105.7 ypg) in 1999 and the 12thbest ground defense (94.0 ypg) in 2000. UT's 94.0 yards allowed rushing per game in 2000 was, at the time, the fewest allowed by a Longhorns squad since 1977 (91.1 ypg). UT followed that effort up in 2001 by allowing a Big 12-low 89.5 rushing yards per game (sixth NCAA) and just 2.8 yards per carry. The 89.5 rushing yards per game was the Horns' best effort since limiting foes to 84.4 rushing yards per game in 1964. Injuries on the defensive front wreaked havoc on the Horns' run defense in a few games in 2002, but when healthy, it was very effective in limiting six of its opponents to less than 100 yards rushing. UT allowed 142.5 rushing yards per game (47th NCAA) on the year.

SHORT DRIVES: The Texas defense has prevented its opponents from moving the chains on 37.3 percent of their drives over the past four seasons. During that time, UT has forced 248 three-and-outs in 665 possessions. The Horns held foes to three-andouts or better on 46 of 153 possessions (30.7%) last season. Texas forced 56 threeand-outs on 181 possessions (30.9%) in 2003. In 176 possessions in 2002, Longhorns foes were forced to give the ball up in three plays or less on 73 occasions (41.4%). That came one year after the Longhorns forced 73 three-and-outs in 165 drives (44.2%) in 2001.

FORCING **TURNOVERS:** Texas' aggressive defense has forced 204 turnovers over the past seven seasons (89 games/2.3 per game). The Horns had a plus-five turnover margin, forcing 23

turnovers and losing 18 last season. UT forced 29 turnovers (15 interceptions/14 fumble recoveries) in 2003. The 29 turnovers were tied for 21st-best nationally, while the 14 fumble recoveries were tied for 23rd, in 2003. UT's attacking unit provided several big plays in forcing 35 turnovers (T-12th NCAA) in 2002. The Longhorns combined for 22 interceptions (T-No. 4 NCAA) by eight different players and also recovered 13 fumbles that year.

LONGHORN **RETURNEES:** Longhorns return seven starters on offense, nine on defense and its starting punter, as well as 46 lettermen (18 offense/24 defense/3 special teams) from their 2005 Rose Bowl Championship team. Among its returning offensive/defensive starters, UT welcomes back 16 starters that have combined for 328 career starts (139 offense/189 defense). When you add in five other returning veterans who have combined to start 17 career games (13 offense/4 defense), Texas' 2005 squad features 21 returnees with starting experience on offense or defense. That group has combined to start 345 career games (152 offense/193 defense).

BIG SHOES TO FILL: Texas heads into 2005 without the services of 19 seniors from last year's 11-1 team. That group posted a 43-8 (84.3%) overall record and 27-5 (84.3%) mark in regular season Big 12 games. The 43 wins set a new four-year UT victory record (since freshmen became eligible in 1972) set previously by the 2003 senior class (41-10). UT's group of departing seniors included 10 players who started at least one game. That group posted four straight 10 (or more victory) seasons, including a school-record-tying 11 wins in back-to-back seasons in 2001 and '02, for the first time in school history. Among the senior class that led the 2004 squad to a No. 5 national ranking were six starters on offense and defense as well as its starting placekicker — RB Cedric Benson (43 starts/2004 Doak Walker Award winner and first-team All-American), FS Phillip Geiggar (22 starts/two-time second-team All-Big 12), C Jason Glynn (38 starts/three-time second-team Academic All-District), WR Tony Jeffery (12 starts), LB Derrick Johnson (40 starts/2004 Nagurski and Butkus Award winner/two-time consensus first-team All-American), PK Dusty Mangum (four-year starter/three-time hon-

NATIONAL RANKINGS

The Associated Press

(Preseason Poll)

Team (1st)	Record	Points	LW
1. USC (60)	0-0	1,619	
2. TEXAS (4)		1,500	
3. Tennessee	0-0	1,376	
4. Michigan	0-0	1,329	
5. LSU	0-0	1,291	
6. Ohio State	0-0	1,205	
7. Oklahoma	0-0	1,204	
8. Virginia Tech	0-0	1,184	
9. Miami, Fla.	0-0	1,142	
10. Florida	0-0	1,080	
11. Iowa	0-0	_1,011	
12. Louisville (1)		892	
13. Georgia	0-0	869	
14. Florida State	0-0	764	
15. Purdue	0-0	711	
16. Auburn	0-0	650	
17. Texas A&M	0-0	576	
18. Boise State	0-0	375	
19. California	0-0	358	
20. Arizona State	0-0	313	
21. Texas Tech	0-0	256	
22. Boston College _	0-0	232	
23. Pittsburgh	0-0	211	
24. Fresno State	0-0	196	
25. Virginia	0-0	153	

USA Today Coaches

(Preseason Poll)

Team (1st)	Record	Points LW
1. USC (60)	0-0	1,547
2. TEXAS (2)		1,405
3. Tennessee	0-0	1,259
4. Michigan	0-0	
5. Oklahoma		1,223
6. LSU	0-0	1,109
7. Virginia Tech	0-0	1,090
8. Miami, Fla.	0-0	1,080
9. Ohio State	0-0	1,033
10. Iowa	0-0	1,014
11. Florida		910
12. Florida State		
13. Georgia	0-0	838
14. Louisville		
15. Auburn	0-0	723
16. Purdue	0-0	616
17. Texas A&M	0-0	366
18. Arizona State	0-0	304
19. Boise State	0-0	303
20. California	0-0	293
21. Texas Tech	0-0	247
22. Boston College _	0-0	237
24. Virginia	0-0	210
24. Alabama	0-0	194
25. Pittsburgh		193

LW: Last week's ranking Bold: Big 12 Conference schools orable mention All-Big 12). RB Will Matthews (two-year starter), TE Bo Scaife (17 starts/2004 first-team All-Big 12) split time as a starter last season. Also gone from the 2004 senior class are experienced squadmen OG Trey Bates, DT Stevie Lee (3 starts), QB Chance Mock (6 starts), DE Aurmon Satchell, and LB Stevie Stigall.

DEPARTED STARTERS: Texas enters 2005 seeking to replace a combined six starters on offense (4) and defense (2). The group of offensive and defensive players started a combined 177 career games (115 offense/62 defense). When you add in two other part-time offensive and defensive starters that exhausted their eligibility in 2004, the Longhorns enter '05 without the services of eight former starters who combined to start 186 contests (121 offense/65 defense).

OFFENSIVE RETURNEES: Texas returns seven starters, six of which earned all-conference mention last season, from an offense that ranked second nationally in rushing (299.2 ypg), seventh in total offense (464.4 ypg) and 12th in scoring (35.3 ppg). The Horns 5,573 yards of offense rank second only to the 5,709 they produced in 2003. It's 3,590 rushing yards were the third-most on school record and the most since the 1970 squad set the UT mark in 1970 (3,745). UT's 464.4 yards per game of offense rank fourth on the school's all-time list. Back from the offenses starting lineup are senior G Will Allen (19 starts/honorable mention All-Big 12), junior OT Justin Blalock (25 starts/first-team All-Big 12), senior OT Jonathan Scott (32 starts/honorable mention All-American/first-team All-Big 12), junior G Kasey Studdard (12 starts/honorable mention All-Big 12), sophomore WR Limas Sweed (7 starts), senior TE David Thomas (25 starts/first-team All-Big 12) and junior QB Vince Young (19 starts/Rose Bowl MVP/second-team All-Big 12). Senior WR Brian Carter (3 starts), senior G Mike Garcia (6 starts) and sophomore WR Nate Jones (4 starts) all return with starting experience.

FIVE KEY OFFENSIVE STARTERS NEED TO BE REPLACED: Texas will look to replace five veterans on offense, four of which earned all-conference mention last season, that helped produce three of the top four scoring campaigns and four of the top seven total offense seasons on

UT record the past four years. The five standouts combined to start 115 career games. RB Cedric Benson, a 2004 firstteam All-American and the Doak Walker Award winner (nation's top RB) who finished his career ranked sixth in NCAA history in rushing yards (5,540) and third in rushing TDs (64), heads the list. Texas also will be without the services of two starters that paved the way for Benson in FB Will Matthews and C Jason Glynn. Matthews, a 2004 honorable mention All-Big 12 pick, was a two-year starter and Glynn, a twotime Academic All-District choice, started the final 38 games of his career. Depending on the formation the Longhorns started in, TE Bo Scaife shared the starting duties with Matthews in 2004. Scaife earned first-team All-Big 12 honors after catching 26 passes for 348 yards and two TDs as a senior. He finished his career ranked second on the UT all-time receptions by a TE list (75) and third among TEs in UT history with 997 receiving yards. WR Tony Jeffery led the Horns with 33 catches for 437 yards and three TDs in 2004. When you add in valuable veteran QB Chance Mock, the Longhorns' starter for the first six games of 2003, UT will be without the services of seven players who combined to start 121 career contests.

SELVIN YOUNG LEADS RETURN-ING RUSHERS: With the graduation of the second-leading rusher in UT history and the sixth-best in NCAA history, Cedric Benson, Texas will be seeking to replace a back that rushed for 5,540 yards (No. 6 in NCAA history) and 64 TDs (third in NCAA history) over the last four years. Benson also became just the fifth player in NCAA history to rush for 1,000 yards in four consecutive seasons during that time. The top returning candidate to fill the void is junior Selvin Young, who missed the last

SELVIN YOUNG'S SUPER 30

Selvin Young's plays of 30 or more y	ards
Runs	
48vs. North Texas	2004
48vs. Washington State	2003
30tat North Carolina	2002
Punt Returns	
71tat Tulane	2002
39tvs. New Mexico State	2003
Kickoff Returns	
97tvs. New Mexico State	2003
55vs. Oklahoma	2002

10 games of 2004 with a broken ankle and was limited due to injury in 2003. Young, also UT's top kick and punt returner, has rushed for 661 yards and 10 TDs in 26 career games. He has 1,622 career all-purpose yards (8.9 yards per play). With Young sidelined last spring, the Horns focused on the development of versatile sophomore Ramonce Taylor. Taylor, who joined only teammate Vince Young and USC's Reggie Bush in registering a rush, pass and reception of 40 or more yards last season, rushed for 283 yards and a TD on just 27 carries (10.5 ypc) as a true freshman. He will work at several different positions, as well as kickoff returns in 2005. True freshmen Jamaal Charles and Henry Melton had strong preseason camps and are expected to see immediate action. Charles is a Parade All-America selection and a two-time first-team 5A all-state back who rushed for 4,107 yards and 50 TDs in his last two high school seasons. Melton was a second-team All-USA selection by USA Today and gained over 800 yards and scored eight TDs as a prep senior.

FULLBACKS TOO: Texas spent the spring and preseason auditioning for the starting fullback position. Gone is two-year starter Will Matthews who developed into one of the nation's top performers at the position and played a key role in Benson's rush to the 2004 Doak Walker Award. Also gone is promising veteran Albert Hardy who was forced to give up football after the 2004 season as a result of a series of injuries. Junior Ahmard Hall, a walk-on who joined the Longhorns in 2003 after serving in the Marines, enters the fall

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	Career Rushing Yards	
1.	Ricky Williams (1995-98)	6,279
2.	Earl Campbell (1974-77)	4,443
3.	Cedric Benson (2001-04)	5,540
4.	Chris Gilbert (1966-68)	3,231
5.	Roosevelt Leaks (1972-74)	2,923
6.	A.J. "Jam" Jones (1978-81)	2,874
7.	Hodges Mitchell (1997-2000)	2,664
8.	Eric Metcalf (1985-88)	2,661
9.	Jim Bertelsen (1969-71)	2,510
10.	Adrian Walker (1989-92)	2,473
11.	Steve Worster (1968-70)	2,353
12.	Phil Brown (1990-93)	2,102
13.	Darron Norris (1985-88)	2,079
14.	VINCE YOUNG (2003-)	2,077
15.	Marty Akins (1973-75)	1,974

Mack Brown era in bold

season as the starter. He played primarily on special teams last season. True freshman Michael Houston and redshirt freshman Chris Ogbonnaya, both of whom have worked at tailback, enter the season as backups.

OLDER YOUNG: Entering his junior year with a 17-2 record (No. 9 on the UT all-time QB victory chart), Vince Young has steadily developed into one of the nation's premier offensive players. He

has been listed on the 2005 Maxwell Award (nation's top player) and Davey O'Brien Award (nation's top QB) watch lists. The 2005 Rose Bowl MVP is coming off of a season where he threw for 1,849 yards and 12 TDs and became the first player in UT history to register 1,000 yards both passing (1,849) and rushing (1,079). He also rushed for a UT QB record 14 TDs. Young capped the year with a spectacular 192 yards rushing (No. 1 on UT's single-game QB rushing list) and four TDs, as well as completing 16-of-28 passes for 180 yards and a TD in leading the Horns to a Rose Bowl victory. The first QB in UT history to rush and pass for 1,000 yards in a season and rush and pass for 2,000 yards in a career, Young already ranks eighth on the UT all-time passing yardage list (3,004) and ninth in TD passes (18). His 5,081 yards of total offense rank eighth on the UT all-time list and his 2,077 rushing yards rank 14th all-time. Young's 25 career TDs are the secondmost ever by a UT QB. He also has completed 59% of his passes (232-of-393) which is the best pass completion percentage for a UT OB through their first two seasons. Texas enters the season without the services of reliable backup Chance Mock, who started six games in 2003. Mock threw for 1,613 yards and 17 TDs in 28 career games. After three seasons as the Horns third-string signal caller, senior Matt Nordgren enters the season as UT's top backup. A bright fourth-year player who completed his undergraduate degree last year, Nordgren has completed 2-of-3 passes for 13 yards in seven career games. True freshman Colt McCov is a promising young player, who will continue to compete for playing time.

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	Long Runs by a Quarterback						
1.	74t	Bret Stafford	vs. Stanford1985				
2.	65t	VINCE YOUNG*	vs. BAYLOR2003				
3.	64	VINCE YOUNG*	vs. BAYLOR2003				
4.	63	Eddie Phillips	vs. Notre Dame1971#				
5.	60t	VINCE YOUNG	vs. MICHIGAN2004@				
6.	60	VINCE YOUNG*	vs. TULANE2003				
7.	59	VINCE YOUNG*	vs. OKLAHOMA2003				
7.	55	Marty Akins	vs. Arkansas1975				
8.	52	Bret Stafford	vs. Air Force1985+				
9.	50t	Peter Gardere	vs. Texas A&M1990				
10.	47	VINCE YOUNG	VS. BAYLOR2004				

*Freshman | +Bluebonnet Bowl | #Cotton Bowl | @Rose Bowl

GRAND SLAM: At Texas Tech and again versus No. 13 Michigan in the Rose Bowl, Vince Young became the first QB in UT history to rush for at least four TDs in a game.

SOPHOMORE SENSATION: On the heels of a tremendous freshman campaign, Vince Young continued to step up as a sophomore in 2004, averaging 350 yards of offense (219.5 passing) over his final four games of the season. Capped by his 16-of-28 for 180 yards and a TD to go with 192 yards and four TDs rushing against Michigan in the Rose Bowl, Young completed 148-of-250 passes (59.2%) for 1,849 yards and 12 TDs in 2004. His 59.2% completion accuracy was the best ever by a UT sophomore QB. He also became the first UT QB to rush for 1,000 yards (1,079) and ran for a UT QB record 14 TDs on 167 carries. Young tallied 2,928 yards of total offense (244.0 pg/32nd NCAA) and accounted for 26 TDs. Along with his spectacular numbers in a Rose Bowl MVP effort, Young also produced 300 yards of total offense en route to Big 12 Player of the Week honors in a victory at Texas Tech.

HEATING UP: Junior quarterback Vince Young took his game to a new level over the final six games of the 2004 season, all UT victories. Starting with the Texas Tech game on Oct. 25, Young went 86-of-137 (62.8%) for 1,091 yards through the air, while posting an additional 748 yards on the ground. He also accounted for 17 TDs (13 rushing/4 passing). The stretch included three games of at least 180 yards passing and four 100-yard rushing games. He led Texas to points on 38-of-71 drives (53.5%), 29 of which went for TDs during that stretch.

TOP RUSHING GAMES BY A TEXAS QUARTERBACK

Na	me	Yards	Game
1.	VINCE YOUNG _	192	VS. MICHIGAN, 2004
2.	Marty Akins	188	@ Rice, 1974
3.	Eddie Phillips	164	vs. Arkansas, 1972
4.	VINCE YOUNG _	163	VS. NEBRASKA, 2003
5.	VINCE YOUNG _	158	@ TEXAS TECH, 2004
6.	Alan Lowry	156	vs. Arkansas, 1972
7.	Alan Lowry	145	vs. Utah State, 1972
8.	Eddie Phillips	142	@ UCLA, 1971
9.	Marty Akins	140	@ Washington, 1975
10.	Marty Akins	135	@ Arkansas, 1975
11.	Eddie Phillips	129 _	vs. California, 1970
12.	VINCE YOUNG _	127 _	VS. OKLAHOMA, 2003
	Eddie Phillips	127 _	@Texas Tech, 1970
14.	Bobby Layne	125	vs. Oklahoma State, 1946
15.	VINCE YOUNG _	123	_VS. OKLAHOMA ST., 2004

COMEBACK KID: Junior quarterback Vince Young has led Texas to come-frombehind victories when the Horns were tied or trailed at halftime on six occasions and directed four fourth-quarter comebacks during his career. Young has directed game-winning drives on the Horns final series in two of his last three games. He began as a redshirt freshman in 2003, while splitting time with Chance Mock, when he scored on a QB sneak with 5:19 left in the game giving No. 13 Texas a 24-20 victory over No. 16 Kansas State. Five games later, he led Texas to 41 unanswered points against Oklahoma State after the Horns trailed 16-14 at halftime, giving Texas a 55-16 victory. Then, in 2004, the seventh-ranked Horns trailed Arkansas, 17-16, at the half, before ending up with a 22-20 victory in Fayetteville. He capped the 2004 season by pulling out four consecutive victories in the second half. The streak started with what ended up being the greatest comeback in Texas history. The sixth-ranked Longhorns trailed No. 19 Oklahoma State 35-7 with 1:21 left in the first half. From that point, Young led Texas on eight consecutive touchdown drives as the Horns scored 49 unanswered points to win 56-35. In the next game at Kansas, the Horns trailed 23-13 with 7:41 to play in the game. Young led Texas on a 13-play, 87yard TD drive to bring the score to 23-20 with 4:12 to play. After the Texas defense held, the Horns got the ball on the KU 47 with 1:53 to play. Following a sack and two incomplete passes, Texas faced 4thand-18, but Young scrambled for 22 yards and a first down. Four plays later, he connected with Tony Jeffery for a 21-yard TD to make the score 27-23 with 11 seconds

remaining. Next up, Texas hosted Texas A&M and trailed 13-6 at halftime before putting up 20 unanswered points on their way to a 26-13 victory. Young culminated his 2004 comeback run when Texas faced Michigan in a Rose Bowl that saw four lead changes and three ties. With the game tied at 14 at halftime, Young raced 60 yards to put the Longhorns up 21-14. But, Michigan came back to score the next 17 points to take a 31-21 lead with 2:35 left in the third quarter. The fourth quarter twice saw a Young TD followed by a FG

from Michigan's Garrett Rivas giving Michigan the lead 37-35 with 3:04 remaining. On the Horns final drive, Young moved Texas from their own 34 to the Michigan 19 setting up Dusty Mangum's 37-yard field goal, which gave Texas the 38-37 victory.

BACK-TO-BACK: Vince Young turned in one of the most productive two-game stretches in UT history last season versus No. 19 Oklahoma State and at Kansas. During that time, Young became the first player on UT record to register two career 400-yard total offense games, recorded his first career back-to-back 200-yard passing games and became the first UT QB since Marty Akins in 1975 (at Washington/vs. Texas Tech) to rush for 100 yards in consecutive games. His 804 yards of total offense over the last two games is the most in a two-game stretch on UT record. He also completed 40-of-61 passes (65.6%) for 567 yards and two TDs while rushing for 237 yards and two TDs on 31 carries (7.7 ypc). Young completed a UT record 14 straight passes, eclipsing Chris Simms' school mark of 11 in a row in 2001, at the end of the game against Oklahoma State and the beginning of Kansas. He generated 804 yards of offense on 71 plays (40 completions/31 rushes) for an average of 11.3 yards per play. Young passed for a then career-high 278 yards and rushed for 123 yards in generating 401 yards of total offense (No. 4 on the UT all-time singlegame list) and set a UT passing accuracy record by completing 18-of-21 passes (85.7%) in a 56-35 win over No. 19 Oklahoma State. He followed that up by throwing for a career-high 289 yards, rush-

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	Career Rushing Yards by a QB	}
1.	VINCE YOUNG (2003-)	2,077
2.	Marty Akins (1973-75)	_1,974
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	Career Passing Yards	
1.	Major Applewhite (1998-2001)	8,353
2.	James Brown (1994-97)	_7,638
3.	Peter Gardere (1989-92)	_7,396
4.	Chris Simms (1999-2002)	_7,097
5.	Bret Stafford (1984-87)	_4,735
6.	Shea Morenz (1993-94)	_3,744
7.	Bobby Layne (1944-47)	_3,145
8.	VINCE YOUNG (2003-)	_3,004
9.	Todd Dodge (1982-85)	_2,791
10.	Paul Campbell (1947-49)	_2,408
	Career Passing TDs	
1.	Major Applewhite (1998-2001)	60
2.	Chris Simms (1999-2002)	₅₈
3.	James Brown (1994-97)	53
3. 4.	Peter Gardere (1989-92)	37
5.	Shea Morenz (1993-94)	37 25
5.	Bobby Layne (1944-47)	25
7.	Bret Stafford (1984-87)	23
7. 8.	Todd Dodge (1982-85)	
	VINCE YOUNG (2003-)	18
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10.	Chance Mock (2001-04)	17
	Career Total Offense	
1.	Major Applewhite (1998-2001)	8,059
2.	James Brown (1994-97)	8,049
3.	Peter Gardere (1989-92)	7,409
4.	Chris Simms (1999-2002)	6,960
5.	Ricky Williams (1995-98)	6,306
6.	Cedric Benson (2001-04)	5,553
7.	Bret Stafford (1984-87)	5,379
8.	VINCE YOUNG (2003-)	5,081
9.	Earl Campbell (1974-77)	4,443
10.	Bobby Layne (1944-47)	3,990
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	Career QB Victories	
1.	Bobby Layne (1944-47)	28-7
2.	Chris Simms (1999-2000)	
	Marty Akins (1973-75)	26-9
4.	James Brown (1994-97)2	
	Peter Gardere (1989-92)	
6.	Major Applewhite (1998-2001)	22-8
7.	James Street (1967-69)	20-0
8.	Bret Stafford (1985-87)	_19-15
9.	VINCE YOUNG (2003-)	17-2
10.	Donnie Little (1970-80)	15-7
	Career Rushing TDs by a QB	
1.	Marty Akins (1972-75)	26
2.	VINCE YOUNG (2003-)	20 25
3.	Donnie Wiggington (1969-71)	
3. 4.	Eddie Phillips (1969-71)	10
4. 5.	Bill Bradley (1966-68)	
٥.	Din Dinnie, (1700 00)	10
	Mack Brown era in bold	

ing for 114 and tallying a career-best 403 yards of total offense (No. 3 on the UT all-time single-game chart) at Kansas.

Winningest QBs (First Two Years)
1. VINCE YOUNG (2003-04)17-2 (.895)
2. Major Applewhite (1998-99)17-6 (.739)
3. James Brown (1994-95)14-2-1 (.853)
Total Offense by a QB (First Two Years)
1. Major Applewhite (1998-99)5,601 yds.
2. VINCE YOUNG (2003-04)5,081 yds.
3. James Brown (1994-95)3,757 yds.
4. Shea Morenz (1993-94)3,661 yds.
5. Peter Gardere (1989-90)3,534 yds.
Rushing Yards by a QB (First Two Years)
1. VINCE YOUNG (2003-04)2,077 yds.
2. Donnie Little (1978-79)820 yds.
3. Bret Stafford (1984-85) 351 yds.
4. James Brown (1994-95)
1. Junies Brown (1991-93)203 yus.
Total Passing Yards (First Two Years)
1. Major Applewhite (1998-99)5,810 yds.
2. Shea Morenz (1993-94)3,709 yds.
3. Peter Gardere (1989-90)3,642 yds.
4. James Brown (1994-95)3,494 yds.
5. VINCE YOUNG (2003-04)3,004 yds.
Completion Percentage (First Two Years)
1. VINCE YOUNG (2003-04) 232-393 (.590)
2. Peter Gardere (1989-90) 266-468 (.568)
3. Chris Simms (1999-2000)86-153 (.562)
4. James Brown (1994-95)243-437 (.556)
5. Major Applewhite (1998-99)400-740 (.541)
, 11
TDs Accounted for by a QB (First Two Years)
1. VINCE YOUNG (2003-04)43 TDs (18p/25r)
2. Major Applewhite (1998-99)40 TDs (39p/1r)
3. James Brown (1994-95)34 TDs (31p/3r)
4. Shea Morenz (1993-94)26 TDs (25p/1r)
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PASSING FANCY: Vince Young put on a passing display in the Longhorns 56-35 win over No. 19 Oklahoma State last season. Young completed 18-of-21 passes for 278 yards in the game. His completion percentage of 85.7% eclipsed James Brown's UT record of 81.5% (minimum of 20 passes) on 22-of-27 passes against Houston in 1994. Young closed out the game by completing his final 12 passes, eclipsing the UT record of 11 straight completions set by Chris Simms in 2001. He extended that streak to 14 in his first two passes at Kansas. In leading Texas to its biggest comeback ever (overcoming a 28 point deficit), Young completed 19 of his final 20 passes for 222 yards in just over two quarters as he led the Horns on seven straight scoring drives to overcome a 35-7 Cowboy lead. At Kansas, Young led another comeback by passing for 289 yards, including the game-winning 21-yard TD

with 11 seconds left. He completed his last six passes (for 87 yards) in leading the come-from-behind win in the Rose Bowl.

CAREER NUMBERS: Young, who is 17-2 (89.5%) as a starter (T-No. 9 on UT's QB victories list), has completed 232-of-393 passes (59.0%) for 3,004 yards (No. 8 on UT's all-time list) and 18 TDs (T-No. 8 on UT's all-time list) while rushing for 2,077 yards (No. 14 on UT's all-time list/tops among QBs) and 25 TDs (No. 2 on UT's career rushing TDs by a QB list) on 302 carries (6.9 ypc) in 24 games.

ACCURATE ARM: Vince Young has completed 59.0% (232-of-393) of his passes in two seasons at Texas. That is by far the best on record of any QB through their first two seasons at UT. The previous best was Peter Gardere, who completed 56.8% (266-of-468) of his passes as a freshman and sophomore in 1989-90. Chris Simms (1999-2000) was third at 56.2% (86-of-153). Young's 58.7% completion percentage in 2003 was the second-best of any freshman in UT history (trailing James Brown's record 69.6% in 1994) while his 59.2% completion rate in 2004 was tops among Longhorn sophomore QBs (bettering Chris Simms' mark of 57.3% in 2000).

BIG 12 FRESHMAN OF THE YEAR:

Vince Young produced a spectacular first season at Texas where he earned Big 12 Freshman of the Year honors. His 998 rushing yards (No. 2 on the UT freshman list) were the most-ever by a Longhorn freshman QB, while his 1,155 passing vards rank fifth on the UT freshman list. Young's 2,153 yards of total offense ranked third on the Longhorn's freshman chart. His three 100-yard rushing games were the most-ever by a UT freshman OB and were tied with Ricky Williams (1995) for third place on the school's freshman list. Young's 11 rushing TDs were the most-ever by a UT freshman QB and ranked second on the Longhorns' freshman list. The 11 TDs also rank second on Texas' freshman total TDs scored list. His 68 points, including a two-point PAT, on the year rank fifth on Texas' freshman list (first among QBs). The former prep Parade All-American, who was 6-1 as a starter in 2003, ranked 49th nationally (third among QBs) in rushing (83.2 ypg). His 17 TDs responsible for were second-most nationally among freshman QBs.

FAST FEET: Vince Young averaged 6.5 yards per carry in 2004 and is netting 6.9 yards per run for his career. He has recorded five career runs of 59 or more yards. Young's 7.4 yards per carry in 2003 was the highest among the nation's top 100 rushers and he posted Texas' four longest runs of the season that year. He has already recorded 26 career runs of 20 or more yards (2004: 60, 24 and 23 vs. Michigan; 21 vs. Texas A&M; 22 at Kansas; 42 vs. Oklahoma State; 27 vs. Oklahoma State; 22 at Texas Tech; 23 vs. Missouri; 23 vs. Oklahoma; 47 vs. Baylor; 22 vs. Rice; 33 vs. North Texas; 2003: 20 vs. Washington State; 21 at Texas A&M; 23 at Oklahoma State; 65 vs. Nebraska; 64 at Baylor; 59 and 27 vs. Oklahoma; 30 vs. Kansas State; 60 vs. Tulane; 20 and 22 at Rice and 23 vs. NMSU). Young has 40 rushes of at least 15 yards (2004: 15 vs. Texas A&M; 18 at Kansas; 16 at Kansas; 15 vs. Oklahoma State; 18 at Colorado; 18 at Colorado; 18 vs. Rice; 19 vs. North Texas; 2003: 18 at Texas A&M; 19 vs. Texas Tech; 19 at Oklahoma State; 17 vs. Nebraska; 15 at Iowa State; 17 at Baylor; 16t vs. NMSU). He has turned in six of the top 11 runs by a OB in UT history. His 65-varder versus Nebraska in 2003 was the second-longest (record: 74t, Bret Stafford vs. Stanford, 1985), while his 64-yarder at Baylor that year ranks third. Young turned in the fifthlongest run by a QB in UT history when he dashed 60 yards against Tulane (2003) and again versus Michigan in the Rose Bowl (2004). His 59-yard run vs. Oklahoma (2003) ranks seventh. He added a 47-yard run versus Baylor in 2004 for the 11thlongest run. Young's 32 runs of 10 or more yards in 2003 were the second-most on the team, trailing only Cedric Benson (36).

DRIVER'S TEST: In 210 career drives, Vince Young has led UT to 90 TDs and 17 field goals (107 scores). That equates to the Longhorns scoring on 51.0% of Young's possessions, with 42.9% of his drives resulting in TDs. Young's 51.0% success rate is the best of any UT QB since that statistic was first included in the Longhorns stats in 1993. He has led Texas to an average of 3.2 points per drive.

DOUBLE TROUBLE: Vince Young has now pulled off a rare feat in UT history, rushing and passing for 100 yards in the same game five times. When he did so in 2003 versus No. 1 Oklahoma, it established him as just the fourth player in UT

	Career Receptions by a Tight I	and
1.	Pat Fitzgerald (1994-96)	80
2.	Bo Scaife (1999; 2001-04)	75
3.	Kerry Cash (1987-90)	71
4.	Lawrence Sampleton (1978-81)	57
5.	Williams Harris (1983-85)	49
6.	DAVID THOMAS (2002-)	
7.	Pete Lammons (1963-65)	47
	Derek Lewis (1995-98)	47
9.	Steven Clark (1986-88; '90)	46
10.	Randy Peschel (1967-69)	40
1.	areer Receiving Yards by a Tigh Pat Fitzgerald (1994-96)	
2.	Lawrence Sampleton (1978-81)	
3.	Bo Scaife (1999; 2001-04)	
4.	Kerry Cash (1987-90)	979
5.	Williams Harris (1983-85)	909
6.	DAVID THOMAS (2002-)	754
7.	Pete Lammons (1963-65)	706
8.	Randy Peschel (1967-69)	644
9.	Derek Lewis (1995-98)	551
10.	Brock Edwards (2000-04)	418
(Career TD Receptions by a Tight	
1.	Pat Fitzgerald (1994-96)	
2.	DAVID THOMAS (2002-)	
	Kerry Cash (1987-90)	10
4.	Derek Lewis (1995-98)	8
5.	Lawrence Sampleton (1978-81)	7

Mack Brown era in bold

history to register that double. He ran for 127 yards (most-ever by a UT freshman QB/T-12th-best rushing total ever by a UT QB/No. 13 on the UT single-game freshman rushing list) and completed 11-of-21 passes for 135 yards in that game. Against Texas Tech last season, he became the first to do it twice, rushing for 158 yards (No. 5 on UT's single-game list by a QB) and passing for 142 yards on 10-of-15 attempts. He added a third time versus No. 19 Oklahoma State by rushing for 123 yards and passing for 278 on 18-of-21 attempts. His 401 yards of total offense are the fourth-highest total in UT history. He then became the first player in UT history to record 400-plus yards of total offense in back-to-back games when he threw for 289 yards and ran for 114 at Kansas. The 403 yards of total offense is the third-most in UT history. Young registered a UT QB record 192 yards rushing to go with 180 yards passing in Texas' 38-37 win over Michigan in the Rose Bowl. He also came up just short of the double in victories at Oklahoma State (92 rushing/195 passing) and at Texas A&M (90 rushing/97 passing) in 2003. The other UT QBs to accomplish the double 100s were: Donnie Little (119 rushing/215 passing vs. TCU, 1980), Eddie Phillips (164 rushing/199 passing vs. Notre Dame, 1971 Cotton Bowl) and James Street (108 rushing/100 passing vs. Baylor, 1968).

EXPERIENCED **O-LINE:** The Longhorns' have one big void to fill on an offensive line that has been rated as the nation's best entering 2005. UT's line returns four starters and four other veterans who have seen significant action. Gone from the unit that paved the way for Texas to rank second nationally in rushing (299.2 ypg), 12th in scoring (35.3 ppg) and seventh in total offense (464.4 ypg) is C Jason Glynn, a starter in his final 38 career games. Among the returnees are four starters, three of which earned All-Big 12 recognition a year ago when Texas produced its most rushing yards (3,590) since 1977. The returning starters are senior RG Will Allen (19 career starts/2004 honorable mention All-Big 12), RT Justin Blalock (25 straight starts/2004 first-team All-Big 12), LT Jonathan Scott (31 career starts/second-team All-American) and junior LG Kasey Studdard (11 starts in 2004). Scott, a preseason first-team All-American, is a member of the Outland Trophy (nation's top interior lineman) and Lombardi Award (nation's top lineman) watch list. With Scott as the anchor, the group has combined to start 86 career games. Texas also returns senior Mike Garcia, who has five career starts as Allen's backup, as well as three of the other four top backups from a year ago. Junior C Lyle Sendlein, Glynn's backup for the past two seasons who has played in 23 career games at either center or guard, enters the spring as the lone new starter. Senior RT William Winston and sophomore LT Tony Hills return as experienced backups at tackle. Veterans senior C Brett Valdez, who will work at center the spring after spending his first three years at guard, as well as redshirt freshmen G Cedric Dockery, T Greg Dolan and true freshman Adam Ulatoski will all compete for playing time in the spring. Redshirt freshman Dallas Griffin missed the spring season while recovering from a knee injury but will return to compete for action at center.

O-LINEMAN FEATURED AMONG WATCH LISTS: The Longhorn line is flanked by a pair of preseason national awards candidates in senior RT Jonathan

NCAA ACTIVE LEADERS

Career Returning Tigh	t Ends
Name	RecYds. TDs
1. Clark Harris, Rutgers, Sr	71-9385
2. T.J. Williams, NC St., Sr.	62-8763
3. Andy Roland, Duke, Sr	56-8556
4. Joe Newton, Oregon St., Sr	69-8428
5. Tim Day, Oregon, Sr	61-79312
6. DAVID THOMAS, Texas, Sr	_48-75410
7. Anthony Mix, Auburn, Sr	53-7225
2004 Season Returning To	0
Name	RecYds. TDs
Name	0
Name	RecYds. TDs 53-7255
Name 1. Clark Harris, Rutgers, Sr 2. Joe Newton, Oregon St., Sr	RecYds. TDs 53-7255
Name 1. Clark Harris, Rutgers, Sr 2. Joe Newton, Oregon St., Sr	RecYds. TDs 53-725556-6877
Name 1. Clark Harris, Rutgers, Sr 2. Joe Newton, Oregon St., Sr 3. Tim Day, Oregon, Sr	RecYds. TDs _53-725 _5 _56-687 _7 _35-457 _8 _25-430 _5

Scott and junior LT Justin Blalock, both of whom earned first-team All-Big 12 honors in 2004. Scott is a member of the preseason Lombardi Award (nation's top lineman) and Outland Trophy (nation's top interior lineman) watch lists while Blalock is listed on the Lombardi Award watch list.

MACKEY AWARD CANDIDATE:

Texas returns one of the nation's top tight ends in senior David Thomas, a first-team All-Big 12 pick last season and a member of the 2005 Mackey Award (nation's top TE) watch list. A replacement will be sought in the spring for Bo Scaife, a firstteam All-Big 12 pick who completed his career ranked second on the UT all-time TE reception list (75) and third in receiving yards (997). The dynamic duo of Thomas and Scaife combined to catch 51 passes for 778 yards and seven TDs last season. Thomas is a versatile athlete who has lined up at tight end, H-back, slot receiver and wideout during his career. He has posted three of the top nine longest receptions by a TE in UT history. Thomas registered 25 catches for 430 yards and

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	Longest Receptions by a Tight End	l
1.	Williams Harris (vs. Penn St., 1984)	_84t
2.	Lawrence Sampleton (at Rice, 1980)	73
3.	Pat Fitzgerald (vs. Baylor, 1995)	_70t
4.	Derek Lewis (vs. Nebraska, 1996)	61
5.	DAVID THOMAS (at A&M, 2003)	_60t
6.	William Cormer (vs. SMU, 1968)	59
7.	Bobby Micho (vs. SMU, 1982)	51
8.	Rick Davis (vs. Miami, 1972)	50
9.	DAVID THOMAS (vs. Rice, 2004)	49t
	DAVID THOMAS (at Ark., 2004)	_49t

UT FRESHMAN RECORD BOOK Single-game receptions 1. 9_B.J. Johnson (162 yards) _____ vs. Baylor (2000) 2. 7 Kwame Cavil (112 yards) vs. Texas Tech (1997) 7__^Jamel Thompson (143 yards) _____vs. Texas Tech (1997) 4. 6_B.J. Johnson (187 yards) _____vs. Texas A&M (2000) 6 Roy Williams (105 yards) vs. La.-Lafayette (2000) 6__^LIMAS SWEED (50 yards) _____ at Kansas (2004) 7. 5_B.J. Johnson (50 yards) _____at Texas Tech (2000) 5_B.J. Johnson (40 yards) _ vs. Houston (2000) 5_Roy Williams (87 yards) vs. Missouri (2000) 5_Roy Williams (175 yards) ____vs. Oklahoma State (2000) Single-season receptions 1. B.J. Johnson 41 (2000) 2. Roy Williams 40 (2000)

five TDs (T-No. 3 on UT's all-time TE list) last season and ranks among the Top six on the UT all-time TE receiving lists in TD receptions (10/T-2nd), receiving yards (754/6th) and receptions (48/6th). There is plenty of talent in place to compete for Scaife's spot, led by junior Neale Tweedie, who will work exclusively at tight end this season after serving double-duty as a tight end/defensive end last season and as a tight end/offensive tackle in 2003. Sophomore Steven Hogan, redshirt freshman Peter Ullman and true freshman Jermichael Finley will compete for time, as well.

3. Kwame Cavil

redshirt freshman

4. ^LIMAS SWEED

5. Lovell Pinkney

DT-4: Junior TE David Thomas is a versatile player the Longhorns use in multiple positions. In 2004, Thomas was shifted from tight end to fullback to H-back to slot receiver and even split wide, providing the Longhorns with a number of different options. Thomas has recorded 48 catches (No. 6 on the UT all-time TE list) for 754 yards (No. 6 on the UT all-time TE list) and 10 TDs (T-No. 2 on the UT all-time TE list) in 38 games (25 starts), including 25 receptions for 430 yards in 2004 en route to first-team All-Big 12 honors. His 60vard TD catch at A&M in 2003 is the fifthlongest reception by a TE in UT history. In 2004, he added a 49-yard TD reception at Arkansas and matched that against Rice, marking the ninth-longest reception by a TE in school history. Thomas also recorded a 36-yard grab in the 2004 opener versus UNT. He has registered five career catches of at least 30 yards and three of the 10 longest receptions by a TE in UT history. In 2003, he grabbed 14 passes for 219 vards and three TDs.

DT = DEEP THREAT:

David Thomas is one of the nation's most explosive tight ends. In three seasons at Texas, Thomas has averaged 15.7 yards per catch (48 receptions for 754 yards) and 10 of his 48 career receptions have gone for TDs (4.8-to-1 reception-to-TD ratio). He is averaging 24.0 yards per TD reception (10-240) and his last seven TD grabs have covered an average of 33.4 yards (234). Thomas has recorded three of the 10 longest pass receptions by a tight end in UT history. In 2004, Thomas had a

great year in the big-play column. He caught 25 passes for 430 yards and a teamhigh five TDs. His 17.2 yards per reception also was tops on the team. He hauled in a 36-yard catch against UNT and turned in 49-yard TD grabs at Arkansas and versus Rice (No. 9 on the UT all-time list). His 61-yard TD catch at Texas A&M in 2003 is tied for the fourth-longest reception by a TE in UT history.

23 (1997)

21 (2004)

22 (1992)

ROOKIE RECEIVERS: For the second season in a row, Texas' wide receiver unit will start the year without its top pass catcher from the previous season. Gone is Tony Jeffery who caught 33 passes for 437 yards and three TDs in 2004. There is plenty of talent returning with the most productive returnee being sophomore Limas Sweed. A starter in seven games, Sweed hauled in 23 receptions (No. 3 on the UT all-time freshman list) for 263 yards as a redshirt freshman. Also back with game experience is sophomore Nate Jones, who had seven receptions for 73 yards and started five games as a true freshman, and senior Brian Carter (three starts in 2004). Two other talented young receivers are returning to action after missing last season with injuries in redshirt freshman Jordan Shipley and sophomore Billy Pittman. True freshman Quan Cosby also is expected to have an impact.

DEFENSIVE RETURNEES: The Longhorns return nine starters from a

Longhorns return nine starters from a defense that ranked among the nation's leaders again in 2004. Texas ranked 23rd in total defense (320.1 ypg), 16th in rushing defense (107.4 ypg) and 18th in scor-

ing defense (17.9 ppg). Back from that defense are junior CB Tarell Brown (12 starts), junior DE Tim Crowder (honorable mention All-Big 12/21 starts), senior DT Larry Dibbles (first-team All-Big 12/11 starts), senior CB Cedric Griffin (honorable mention All-Big 12/31 starts), senior LB Aaron Harris (second-team All-Big 12/18 starts), senior LB Eric Hall (12 starts), senior SS Michael Huff (honorable mention All-America/37 starts/UT record four career interception returns for TDs), junior DE Brian Robison (honorable mention All-Big 12/14 starts) and senior DT Rodrique Wright (second-team All-American/32 starts). The Longhorns also welcome back a pair of veterans on defense with starting experience in junior S Michael Griffin (three starts), and sophomore DT Frank Okam (first-team Freshman All-America/1 start).

UT SEEKS TO REPLACE TWO DEFENSIVE STARTERS: The

Longhorns will need to replace two experienced starters on defense to continue its current string of finishing among the nation's top 25 in total defense for six straight years. UT's pair of departed defensive starters combined to start 70 games over the past four seasons. One of the losses is among the most decorated players in Longhorn history in LB Derrick Johnson, a two-time consensus first-team All-American, three-time first-team All-Big 12 pick and the 2004 Butkus Award winner (nation's top LB), Nagurski Award winner (nation's top defensive player) and Big 12 Defensive Player of the Year. A two-time finalist for the Butkus Award, he was the first UT linebacker since Tommy Nobis in 1964-65 to earn first-team All-America honors twice and the first ever to be a twotime consensus first-team All-American. Johnson finished his career with a school record 65 tackles for loss, 458 tackles (No. 3 on the UT all-time list), 10 forced fumbles (No. 5 on the UT all-time chart) and a UT record for LBs nine interceptions. He registered 130 tackles, 19 TFLs, 10 QB pressures and a UT and NCAA single-season record nine forced fumbles in 2004. Also gone is FS Phillip Geiggar, who started 30 career games and earned secondteam All-Big 12 honors last season.

VETERAN D-LINE: Texas returns all four starters from a defensive line that has been rated as the nation's best entering 2005. All totalled, DTs Rodrique Wright

(32 starts) and Larry Dibbles (11 starts) and DEs Tim Crowder (21 straight starts) and Brian Robison (14 starts) have started 78 career games. If you add in sophomore DT Frank Okam (one start), UT returns five players that have a combined 79 career starts. DT Stevie Lee, who started three career games, is the lone Longhorn loss on the defensive line.

DEFENSIVE TACKLES CLEARING THE WAY: Texas' defensive tackles that helped the Horns limit opponents to 107.4 rushing yards per game (16th NCAA) and 17.9 points per game (18th NCAA) returns virtually intact. Anchoring that unit is one of the nation's premier defensive tackle tandems in senior Rodrique Wright (32 career starts) and senior Larry Dibbles (11 starts in 2004), both of whom passed up a chance to head to the NFL to return to UT for their senior seasons. Despite battling an ankle injury for much of the season, Wright earned second-team All-American honors while Dibbles made his mark in his first year as a starter, claiming first-team All-Big 12 honors. That duo combined to post 85 tackles, eight TFLs and 16 pressures last season. In his first year as a starter, Dibbles recorded 49 tackles, five TFLs, 1.5 sacks and nine QB pressures. Also back in the middle for the Horns are a pair sophomores in Frank Okam and Derek Lokey, both of which played as true freshman in 2004. A first-team Freshman All-American in 2004, Okam, who played in all 12 games, starting one, recorded 22 tackles, six TFLs, two sacks, and nine QB pressures in his first season with UT. Lokey had 10 tackles, three TFLs, a half sack and five pressures in 10 games on the year. Sophomore Tully Janszen, who missed the 2004 season with a knee injury and was limited this spring, played in seven games as a redshirt freshman in 2003 and will compete for action in the fall. Sophomore Thomas Marshall is a third-year veteran who will compete for playing time as well. True freshman Roy Miller is expected to see action in his first season.

THE WRIGHT STUFF: Rodrique Wright, who earned a spot on the Bednarik Award (nation's top defensive player), Lombardi Award (nation's top linemen), Lott Trophy (nation's IMPACT defensive player of the year), Nagurski Trophy (nation's top defensive player) and Outland Trophy (nation's top interior line-

man) watch lists, returns as one of the nation's top defensive linemen. A second-team All-America (The Sporting News) and first-team All-Big 12 selection in 2004 and sec-

ond-team all-conference pick in 2002-03, Wright battled an ankle injury for much of 2004 but still managed to post 36 tackles, a sack, three TFLs and seven QB pressures in 11 games. In 2003, he registered 80 tackles (tied for fourth on team), 12 TFLs (tied for second on team), a team-high 7.5 sacks, a team-best 30 QB pressures, three batted down passes and shared the team lead with three forced fumbles. For his career, Wright has 181 tackles, 28 TFLs, 13 sacks, 52 QB pressures and five forced fumbles in 37 games (32 starts).

ROD'S RAPID IMPACT: Rodrique Wright made his mark when he worked his way into the Longhorns' starting lineup and earned first-team Freshman All-America (Football Writers Association of America/The Sporting News) and Big 12 Defensive Freshman of the Year honors in 2002. He played in all 13 games (nine starts) and posted 65 tackles, 13 TFLs, 4.5 sacks, 15 QB pressures and two forced fumbles. His 13 TFLs (tied for second on the team) tied for third on UT's freshman list, while his 4.5 sacks (tied for third on the team) tied for fourth on the Longhorns' freshman chart. He tallied 53 tackles, 13 TFLs, 4.5 sacks and 12 QB pressures over the last eight games of that season.

ROD AGAINST RANKED FOES:

Wright has been at his best against the best. For his career, he has 88 tackles, 15 TFLs, seven sacks and 17 pressures in 15 games against Top 25 foes. Last season, he recorded 14 of his 36 tackles on the year against Top 25 foes. He also had one TFL, one sack and two pressures in those contests. Versus teams ranked by the AP and USA Today/ESPN Coaches polls, he registered 37 tackles, three sacks, four TFLs and nine pressures in Texas' five matchups in 2003. He also rose to the occasion as a freshman with 33 tackles, 10 TFLs, three sacks and six pressures during four games against three Top 25 opponents and at Nebraska.

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High-Tackle Games in the Mack Brown Era						
Ahmad Brooks	22 vs. Colorado (2001)					
AARON HARRIS	18 vs. Oklahoma (2004)					
Derrick Johnson	18 vs. Oklahoma State (2004)					

DIBBLES RISING TO THE OCCA-SION: Senior DT Larry Dibbles is set to return to help form one of the nation's top tackle tandems alongside fellow senior DT Rodrique Wright. In his first year as a starter last season, senior DT Larry Dibbles made the best of his opportunity. After seeing limited action as a freshman and sophomore, Dibbles put his high-energy and relentless style of play to work en route to first-team All-Big 12 honors for the Horns in 2004. He led all UT defensive linemen with 49 tackles and also posted five TFLs, 1.5 sacks, nine QB pressures and batted down six passes on the year. His forced fumble at Arkansas, when the Razorbacks were driving deep in UT territory late in the fourth quarter, preserved that critical road victory for Texas. Dibbles has 72 tackles, nine TFLs, 2.5 sacks and 12 pressures in 28 career games (11 starts).

FRESHMAN ALL-AMERICAN:

Sophomore DT Frank Okam was named to the Football Writers Association of America and Scripps Freshman All-America team in 2004. Okam played in all 12 games last season with one start. He posted 22 tackles, six tackles for loss, five passes batted down, a fumble recovery and two sacks. It marked the fourth consecutive year the FWAA and Scripps named a

LONGHORNS ON WATCH LISTS

Texas has eight athletes on 10 national award watch lists entering 2005.

Name	Watch List
Justin Blalock, OT	Lombardi Award
Tim Crowder, DE	Hendricks Award
Aaron Harris, LB	Bednarik Award
	Lombardi Award
Michael Huff, S	Thorpe Award
	Nagurski Trophy
Jonathan Scott, OT	Lombardi Award
	Outland Trophy
David Thomas, TE	Mackey Award
	Lombardi Award
Rodrique Wright, DT	Bednarik Award
	Lombardi Award
	Lott Trophy
	Nagurski Trophy
	Outland Trophy
Vince Young, QB	Maxwell Award
	Davey O'Brien Award

	Interception Returns for T	Ds in a season
1.	MICHAEL HUFF (2003)	2
	MICHAEL HUFF (2002)	2
	Greg Brown (2000)	2
	Alan Lowry (1971)	2
	Career Interception Retu MICHAEL HUFF (2002-) Rod Babers (1999-2002) Greg Brown (1997-2000)	urns for TDs 4 3

team, and Texas has been represented each year. Okam joined OT Justin Blalock (2003), DT Rodrique Wright (2002), LB Derrick Johnson (2001) and PK Dusty Mangum (2001) as Longhorns having earned the honor.

ON THE EDGE: Texas returning starting tackle tandem will be flanked by a pair of returning starters at end in juniors Tim Crowder and Brian Robison. A third-team freshman All-American as a true freshman in 2003, Crowder continued his progress in 2004, earning honorable mention All-Big 12 honors. Crowder earned a spot on the Hendricks Award (nation's top DE) watch list entering 2005. He posted 47 tackles, 10 TFLs and team highs of 4.5 sacks and 22 pressures on the season. He has played in 25 career games (21 starts) and posted 82 tackles, 13 TFLs, 5.5 sacks and 36 pressures. Joining Crowder as a returnee to the starting lineup is Robison, who earned honorable mention All-Big 12 honors after moving from linebacker to end last spring. He led all UT defensive linemen with 14 TFLs and also recorded 48 tackles, 1.5 sacks and 18 pressures in 2004. His interception return for a TD against Missouri last season helped the Horns secure a 28-20 win. Robison, who played in 13 games and started three at middle linebacker in 2003, has registered 86 tackles, 18 TFLs, 1.5 sacks and 24 pressures in 25 career games (15 starts). Redshirt freshman Brian Orakpo, who is coming off a tremendous spring and preseason after redshirting in 2004, and true freshman Chris Brown are promising pass rushers that enter the year as the top backups.

HARRIS LEADS LINEBACKERS:

Texas will be looking to fill its biggest loss on defense at the linebacker position with WLB Derrick Johnson completing his eligibility. Johnson posted team bests of 130 tackles and 19 TFLs as well as a UT and NCAA record nine forced fumbles en route to National Defensive Player of the Year honors last season. The two-time consensus first-team All-American started 40 career games and registered 458 tackles (No. 3 on the UT all-time list) and a UT record 65 tackles for loss during his career. Texas returns its other two starters at linebacker in second-team All-Big 12 MLB Aaron Harris and SLB Eric Hall. Harris was Texas' second leading tackler with 118 stops in 2004. He also had two sacks, 10 TFLs, six pressures, nine pass breakups and a pair of forced fumbles on the year. Harris capped off a stellar junior season with a team-high nine tackles in the Longhorns Rose Bowl victory over Michigan. He has played in 38 career games (18 starts) and posted 191 tackles, 15 TFLs, 20 pressures, 11 PBUs and five forced fumbles. Hall started all 12 games at strongside LB in 2004, will start the spring competing for the starting weakside spot vacated by Johnson. A former fullback who also has worked at defensive end, Hall turned in 41 tackles, four TFLs, one sack and four pressures last year. Another returnee with game experience, sophomore Robert Killebrew, enters the year as Harris' top backup in the middle. Killebrew, Johnson's top backup at WLB last year, played in 11 games and recorded 15 tackles and two pressures as a redshirt freshman. Sophomore Drew Kelson, who saw action at safety in 2004 is a speedy, hard-hitting defender who is competing with Hall for SLB. Redshirt freshman Rashad Bobino is an explosive young defender who enters the year as the starting WLB. He is backed up by classmate Jeremy Campbell.

MANNING THE MIDDLE: Senior Aaron Harris, a member of the 2005 Bednarik Award (nation's top defensive player) and Lombardi Award (nation's top lineman) watch lists and a candidate for the Butkus Award (nation's top LB), is

UT RECORD BOOK

Career Punt Returns for TDs
1. Jim Moore (1971-73)3
2. Nathan Vasher (2000-)2
SELVIN YOUNG (2002-)2
Mike Adams (1992-93; '95-96)2
Raymond Clayborn (1973-76)2
Career Kick Returns for TDs
1. SELVIN YOUNG (2002-)3 (2 PR/1 KR)
Raymond Clayborn (1973-76) 3 (2 PR/1 KR)
Jim Moore (1971-73)3 (3 PR)
Mack Brown era in bold

coming off of a tremendous junior season. The second-team All-Big 12 pick ranked second only to Derrick Johnson on the squad with 118 tackles (65 solo). His 10 TFLs were third-best on the team and he added two sacks, six pressures, one interception, nine PBUs and two forced fumbles. He capped the year with nine tackles, a sack, one TFL and two PBUs in the Horns Rose Bowl victory over Michigan. In six games versus Top 25-ranked opponents last year, Harris registered 67 tackles (11 per game), two sacks, six TFLs and three PBUs. He had a season high 18 tackles against No. 2 Oklahoma. Over the last two seasons, Harris has tallied 178 tackles, 5.5 sacks, 16 TFLs, 20 pressures, 11 PBUs and four forced fumbles.

HORNS RETURN THREE STARTERS

IN SECONDARY: Texas returns three of its four starters from a talented defensive backfield. The lone loss is FS Phillip Geiggar, a second-team All-Big 12 pick in 2004 who played in 48 career games (22 starts). Led by fourth-year starter SS Michael Huff, who passed on leaving for the NFL early to return for his senior season, the Horns three returning starters have combined to start 80 career games. Huff (37 starts) is joined by senior CB Cedric Griffin (31 starts), a fourth-year starter and 2004 honorable mention All-Big 12 selection, and junior CB Tarell Brown (12 starts) as returning starters in the secondary. CB Aaron Ross is competing with Brown for action. All totalled, UT returns 11 defensive backs with experience.

Mack Brown is the ONLY active NCAA Division I-A head coach that has won at least nine games in each of the past nine seasons

Head Coach (Schools)	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	Total (Pct.)
MACK BROWN (TEXAS/NORTH CAROLINA)	10-2	10-1	9-3	9-5	9-3	11-2	11-2	10-2	11-1	90-21 (81.1%)

	Career Blocked Kicks
l.	BRIAN ROBISON (2003-) 4 (3 FG/1 PAT)
	Marcus Tubbs (2000-03)4 (2 FG/2 PAT)
	Shane Dronett (1989-91)4 (3 FG/1 PAT)
	Single Season Blocked Kicks
١.	BRIAN ROBISON (2003)4 (3 FG/1 PAT)
	Shane Dronett (1991)4 (3 FG/1 PAT)
	Career Blocked Punts
ι.	Terrol Dillon (1999)4
	Tony Jeffery (2001-04)4
	Single Season Blocked Punts
L•	Terrol Dillon (1999)4
	Mack Brown era in bold

SAFETY IN NUMBERS: An honorable mention All-America and first-team All-Big 12 pick in 2004, senior SS Michael Huff leads a deep safety unit that returns seven of the eight players that saw game action a year ago. Huff, who is versatile enough to play all four defensive back positions, registered 73 tackles, two interceptions and a team-high 14 PBUs as a junior. He has played in 38 career games (37 starts) and posted 209 tackles, 16 TFLs, 30 PBUs, two caused fumbles and blocked a pair of kicks. Huff averages 25.2 yards per interception return and has returned four of his six career picks for TDs. The four career INT returns for TDs is a UT record and one short of the NCAA career mark. Fourth-year junior Matt Melton is Huff's top backup at SS. He battled injuries as a sophomore, missing four of the final five games, but has played in 21 career games and posted 17 tackles, three PBUs and returned a fumble for a TD. Junior Michael Griffin, who has been Huff's top backup at SS the past two years, enters the season as the starter at free safety. Griffin played in all 12 games (one start) and posted 49 tackles, two TFLs, one sack, three PBUs, one fumble recovery, a

COACHING CONSISTENCY

Coaches with an active streak of at least 13 consecutive bowl appearances

1. Bobby Bowden, Florida State	23
2. MACK BROWN, TEXAS/UNC	13
Phillip Fulmer, Tennessee	13

caused fumble and two blocked kicks as a sophomore. He has 114 tackles, three sacks, seven TFLs, one interception, five PBUs, four forced fumbles and two fumble recoveries in 24 career games (three starts). Michael's twin brother Marcus is the top backup at free safety. Marcus, who after working as a walk-on for two seasons was awarded a scholarship in the preseason, ranked third on the team with seven special teams tackles in 2004.

ON THE CORNER: Senior Cedric Griffin is a fourth-year starter who heads up a crew of cornerbacks that returns both of its starters and its top two backups in 2005. Griffin turned in 68 tackles, three TFLs, two interceptions and six PBUs en route to honorable mention All-Big 12 honors as a junior and has 189 tackles, seven TFLs, three interceptions and 17 PBUs in 38 career games (31 starts). Tarell Brown is competing with junior Aaron Ross for the other CB job. Brown registered 42 tackles, five TFLs, 1.5 sacks and four PBUs in starting all 12 games last year. Ross has played in 25 career games and posted 63 tackles, one interception and five PBUs. Sophomores Brandon Foster and Erick Jackson have game experience and Ryan Palmer is a promising redshirt freshman, who missed 2004 with a knee injury. Foster played in nine games as a redshirt freshman last fall.

TEXAS TWO-STEP: Texas' secondary is led by a tandem of senior, fourth-year starters in SS Michael Huff and CB Cedric Griffin. Huff (38 starts) and Griffin (31 starts) have combined to start 69 career games. Huff and Griffin teamed to record 141 tackles, five TFLs, four interceptions and 20 PBUs in 2004. They have posted 398 tackles, 23 TFLs, nine interceptions and 47 PBUs during their careers.

BRINGING IT BACK: Against Oklahoma last season, Michael Huff made his first career interception that he did not return for a touchdown. He followed with a second at Kansas, leaving him still an exceptional 4-of-6 INTs returned for TDs. He returned a pick 27 yards for a score at No. 21 Oklahoma State in 2004. Huff, who

LONGHORNS BEFORE AND AFTER

Texas football seven years before Mack Brown and seven years (entering 2005) under Brown

Category	Before Brown	Under Brown
Final Top 25 Rankings	3	7
Final Top 15 Rankings	11	6
Final Top 10 Rankings	0	3
Nine (or more) Win Season	ıs1	7
10 (or more) Win Seasons	1	4
11 (or more) Win Seasons	0	3
Bowl Games	2	7
Winning Seasons	4	7
2,000-yard rushers	0	1
3,000-yard passers	0	2
1,000-yard receivers	0	4

returned an interception 55 yards for a score against New Mexico State earlier that season, tied his own school single-season record with two interception returns for a score in 2003. He also returned a pair of picks for scores (27 yards vs. Houston/28 yards vs. Texas A&M) in 2002. His four career interception returns for scores are a UT all-time record, eclipsing the mark of three he previously shared with Rod Babers (1999-2002) and Greg Brown (1997-2000). The NCAA record for career interception returns for TDs is five. That mark is shared by Jackie Walker of Tennessee (1969-71), Ken Thomas of San Jose State (1979-82) and Deltha O'Neal of Cal (1996-99).

SPECIALISTS RETURNING: Texas returns all of its primary kickoff/punt return men, its punter, a reliable deep snapper and a place-kicker and holder with game experience in 2005. Senior P Richmond McGee has steadily improved and enters his third year as the Horns punter and fourth handling kickoff duties. He averaged 39.7 yards on 49 punts and dropped 11 punts inside the opponents 20yard line in 2004. Of his 75 kickoffs on the year, 28 were touchbacks. He has averaged 40.3 yards per punt on 95 career punts and dropped 20 punts inside the opponents 20. Of his 249 career kickoffs, 91 have been touchbacks. He also enters the year as the leader for the place-kicking duties. The Longhorns top kickoff returner, junior Selvin Young (career averages: 23.8 yards per kickoff return/17.5 per punt return), was sidelined for most of last season with a broken ankle and missed the spring season while he continued to rehab that injury. He registered a UT first when he returned a kickoff and punt for a TD in the same game in 2003. Young, who already has tied the UT record for career kick returns for scores at three (two punts/one kickoff), has returned two of his seven career punts for TDs. Junior Aaron Ross, who replaced the injured Young on punt returns in 2004, averaged 7.6 yards on 18 punt returns on the year. Sophomore Ramonce Taylor gained experience returning both kickoffs and punts as a true freshman and junior Tarell Brown has experience returning kickoffs. Senior PK David Pino, who filled in for an injured Mangum in the final two games of 2003 and has lettered twice, is competing with McGee for the place-kicking job. He has connected on three of his four career field goal attempts and 17-of-18 PATs. Junior Greg Johnson is battling for the punting job. Before transferring to UT in 2003, Johnson averaged 43.8 yards per punt, made eight-of-13 field goal attempts and all 27 of his PAT attempts en route to Freshman All-America honors at Vandy in 2002. Senior Nick Schroeder, who served as Cullen Loeffler's (now the snapper for the Minnesota Vikings) backup deep snapper in 2002-03, proved to be a solid replacement in handling those duties last fall. Senior Matt Nordgren returns with experience as holder.

SPECIALISTS LOST: The Horns will be without the services of three-time honorable mention All-Big 12 PK Dusty Mangum, who connected on the gamewinning field goal in UT's Rose Bowl win over Michigan, as well as holder Tony Jeffery. Mangum, who connected on 11of-15 field goals and 50-of-51 extra points in 2004, finished his career ranked third on the UT all-time scoring list (358 points/tops among kickers). Mangum made 50-of-73 field goals and 208-of-211 extra points, including a UT record 121 in a row at one point, in his four years as a starter. Jeffery handled the holding duties for the past two years.

	TEXAS'	NATIONAL	RANKINGS	SINCE 19	98
2005	AP	USA Today/ESPN	10/7	11th _	11th
Preseason		2nd	10/14	9th	8th
			10/21	7th	7th
		USA Today/ESPN			5th
Preseason			11/4	5th	5th
		8th	11/11		5th
	7th	8th		5th	5th
9/12	6tn	6th 5th	11/25	3rd 10th	3rd
9/26		5th	12/2	10th 9th	10t11 9th
10/3	5th	5th	1/5	5th	5th
		11th	1/0		
		9th	2000	AP	USA Today/ESPN
10/24		9th	Preseason	7th	8th
		7th	8/27	7th	8th
		7th	9/3	6th	8th
11/14		5th	9/10	5th	6th
11/21 11/28		5th 5th	9/1/	15th 13th	15th 13th
12/5	0111 6th	5th		13th _	
1/5	oth 5th	5th		25th	
1,0			10/15	NR	21st
2003	AP	USA Today/ESPN			20th
Preseason			10/29	20th _	
	6th	4th	11/5	19th _	
9/7	6th	5th	11/12	14th _	15th
9/14	13th _	13th		12th	13th
9/21 9/28				12th _	
10/5	13th _	13th 11th	12/3	12th 12th	12th
10/3			1/4	12111 _	12111
10/19			1999	AP	USA Today/ESPN
10/26		16th	Preseason		16th
11/2	11th _		8/29	NR	No Poll
11/9	6th	7th	9/5	NR	23rd
11/16		7th	9/12	NR	23rd
	6th	6th	9/19	22nd _	
12/1	6th	6th	9/26	15th 23rd	15th 23rd
		5th 11th		251d _ 19th _	
1/4	12111 _	11111		18th _	19th 18th
2002	AP	USA Today/ESPN	10/24	12th	12th
Preseason		•	10/31	11th	11th
8/26	3rd	2nd	11/7	10th _	10th
9/2	3rd	2nd	11/14	6th	6th
9/8	3rd	2nd	11/21	7th	5th
9/15	3rd	2nd		12th _	
9/22		2nd 2nd	12/5	14th 21st	18tn 23rd
9/29 10/6	211u 3rd	2nd	1/4	218t	231u
10/0	Stu 8th	8th	1998	AP	USA Today/ESPN
10/20		7th		NR	
10/27	7th	7th	8/30	NR	NR
11/3	4th	4th	9/6	23rd	22nd
11/10	4th	3rd		NR	
11/17			9/20		NR
11/24				NR	
12/1		8th 9th		NR	NR NR
12/8 1/4	9th	9th 7th	10/11 10/18	NR	
			10/25	NR	NR
2001	AP	USA Today/ESPN	I 11/1	20th	23rd
Preseason	5th	6th	11/8	18th	21st
8/27	5th	6th	11/15	25th	NR
9/2	4th	6th	11/22	NR	NR
9/9	5th	6th	11/29	20th	23rd
9/16		NP		20th	23rd
9/23 9/29	5th	5th 5th	1/4	15th	16th
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TEXAS BY THE NUMBERS

- 1: Vince Young is the only player in Texas history to rush and pass for at least 1,000 yards in a season. He posted 1,849 yards passing and 1,079 yards rushing in 2004 after coming up two yards shy of accomplishing the feat in 2003.
- 2: Texas enters 2005 ranked No. 2 by both The Associated Press and the USA Today Preseason Coaches polls. The last time the Longhorns entered the year ranked second in The AP Preseason Poll was 1970. The Horns were ranked second by the coaches in 2002.
- 3: Texas is one of only three schools that have been ranked among the nation's Top 12 in the final polls in each of the last five seasons. The others are Oklahoma and Miami.
- 3: David Thomas has posted three of the top 10 longest receptions by a tight end in UT history.
- **4**: With four rushing touchdowns at Texas Tech and versus Michigan in the Rose Bowl, Vince Young became the only UT quarterback to rush for at least four TDs in one game.
- **4:** With sophomore Frank Okam being named to the FWAA and Scripps Freshman All-America teams in 2004, Texas has now had at least one player on each of the four Freshman All-America teams named by those two outlets.
- 5: Number of times Vince Young has rushed and thrown for over 100-yards in the same game (2003 vs. Oklahoma; 2004 at Texas Tech; 2004 vs. Oklahoma State; 2004 at Kansas; 2004 vs. Michigan).
- **5**: Of Texas' 15 all-time 600-yard games, five have been posted during the Mack Brown era.
- **6**: Texas is the only program that has earned a spot among the final BCS standings in each of the last six years.
- 7. Selvin Young enters 2005 having recorded seven plays of at least 30 yards or more during his career. He has posted three runs of 30 or more yards, two punt returns and two kickoff returns. He is the only player in UT history to return a punt and a kickoff for a TD in the same game (2003 vs. New Mexico St.).
- **8:** The number of Longhorns on preseason watch lists. Justin Blalock, Tim Crowder, Aaron Harris, Michael Huff, Jonathan Scott, David Thomas, Rodrique Wright and Vince Young combined to be named to 10 national award watch lists. Wright leads the group after being named to five watch lists.
- **8.9:** The number of yards per play junior Selvin Young has averaged on his 181 touches.
- **9:** Mack Brown is the only coach in Division I-A currently riding a streak of nine, nine (or more) win seasons.
- **10:** UT has posted a 1,000-yard rusher in each of the last 10 seasons.
- 10: David Thomas enters the 2005 season with 10 receiving TDs, which ranks him second on UT's all-time TE list. With 48 career receptions (No. 6 on UT all-time TE list), Thomas has a 4.8-to-1 reception-to-TD ratio.
- 13: Texas returns 13 players that were recognized as all-conference performers in 2004. Of those 13, three were recognized as first-team members, four as second teamers and five as honorable mention selections.
- 14: In 2004, Vince Young established a UT record of 14-straight pass completions after ending the Oklahoma State game with 12-straight pass completions and completing his first two attempts at Kansas.
- **15.7:** UT's tight end David Thomas enters 2005 averaging 15.7 yards-per-catch for his career (48 rec./754 yards).
- **16:** Texas returns 16 starters off their 2004 Rose Bowl Championship team including nine defensive starters and seven offensive starters.
- 17: The Texas defense has allowed just 17 100-yard rushers in the last 75 games.

- 19: Yards Michael Huff held Oklahoma's all-time leading receiver Mark Clayton to on just three catches in Texas' 2004 meeting with OU.
- **20:** Texas has won 20 straight Big 12 home games. The Longhorns are 24-1 (.960) in league games under Mack Brown.
- **23:** Texas' 2004 national ranking in total defense. Texas enters 2005 riding a streak of six straight seasons ranked among the nation's top 25 in total defense.
- **26:** Runs of 20 yards or more Vince Young has posted in his career.
- **40**: Ramonce Taylor was one of only three players nationally, along with teammate Vince Young and USC's Reggie Bush, to produce plays of at least 40 yards rushing, passing and receiving in 2004.
- **43**: Texas has blocked 43 kicks in seven seasons under Mack Brown. That is a dramatic turnaround from the seven years prior to Brown's arrival. From 1991-97, UT blocked just 13 kicks.
- **43:** Vince Young has accounted for 43 touchdowns in his first two seasons at Texas.
- **45:** Texas returns 45 lettermen (18 offense/24 defense/3 specialist) from the 2004 Rose Bowl Championship squad.
- **59:** Texas is 59-0 when it outrushes its opponent under Mack Brown.
- **59:** Vince Young has completed 59 percent of his passes during his first two years at Texas. That is by far the best percentage of any QB in UT history over their freshman and sophomore seasons.
- **64:** Texas is 64-4 under Mack Brown when leading after three quarters
- **66.6**: Percentage of his career interceptions that senior Michael Huff has returned for touchdowns (4-6). He tied the single-season school record for intercepions returned for a TD with two as a sophomore in 2002, then tied it with two more in 2003. He needs one more to tie the NCAA career mark of five.
- **76:** Texas enters the 2005 season having been ranked in The AP Top 25 for 76 straight weeks. That is the longest stint in that poll since the Horns posted a school-record 113 consecutive weeks from 1968-76
- **82.1:** Mack Brown's winning percentage in Big 12 games (46-10).
- **85.7:** Vince Young's completion percentage against Oklahoma State (18-of-21) in 2004. Young's mark broke UT's previous record of 81.5 percent (22-27) set by James Brown against Houston in 1994.
- **88:** The number of tackles Rodrique Wright has made in 15 career games versus ranked opponents. Wright has also recorded 15 TFLs, seven sacks and 17 QB pressures in those games.
- **92:** Texas has forced at least one turnover in 82 of 89 games (92%) during the Mack Brown era (last seven years).
- **92.7:** Texas has gone 38-3 at Darrell K Royal-Texas Memorial Stadium (92.7%) during the Mack Brown era (last seven years).
- 118: The number of tackles recorded by middle linebacker Aaron Harris in 2004, which ranked him second on the team behind Derrick Johnson and third in the Big 12. Harris enters 2005 as a member of the Bednarik (nation's top defensive player) and Lombardi Award watch lists and is a top candidate for the Butkus Award.
- **204:** Texas has forced 204 turnovers during Mack Brown's seven years at Texas. Having played 89 games during that time, the Longhorns are averaging 2.3 forced turnovers per game.
- **401/403:** Vince Young's total yards of offense against Oklahoma State (401/No. 4 on UT single-game list 123 rushing, 278 passing) and Kansas (403/No. 3 on UT single-game list 114 rushing, 289 passing) in 2004. He is the only player in Texas history to produce two games of at least 400 yards of total offense.
- **3,590:** Texas was the only Division I-A team to rush for over 3,500 yards in 2004.

BIG 12 STANDINGS

NORTH DIVISION

CONFERENCE						OVERALL				
Team	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA
Colorado	0	0 _	000 _		_	0	0 _	000 _		
Iowa State	0	0 _	000 _		_	0	0 _	000 _		
Kansas	0	0 _	000 _			0	0 _	000 _		
Kansas State	0	0 _	000 _		_	0	0 _	000 _		
Missouri	0	0 _	000 _		_	0	0 _	000 _		
Nebraska	0	0	.000			0	0	.000		_

SOUTH DIVISION

CONFERENCE						OVERALL					
Team	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	W	L	Pct.	PF	PA	
Baylor	0	0 _	000 _			0	0 _	000			
Oklahoma	0	0 _	000 _			0	0 _	000			
Oklahoma State	0	0 _	000 _			0	0 _	000			
TEXAS	0	0 _	000 _			0	0 _	000			
Texas A&M	0	0 _	000 _			0	0 _	000			
Texas Tech	0	0	000 _			0	0 _	000			

		2004 UT STATIST	ICAL BREAKD	OWN	
Passing Yards		Scoring		Tackles for Loss	
Seniors	4.0%	Seniors	61.5%	Seniors	26.7%
Juniors	0.4%	Juniors	14.1%	Juniors	40.6%
Sophomores	93.2%	Sophomores	21.5%	Sophomores	31.7%
Freshmen	2.4%	Freshmen	2.9%	Freshmen	10.9%
Rushing Yards		<u>Sacks</u>		Interceptions	
Seniors	56.2%	Seniors	13.6%	Seniors	15.4%
Juniors	3.9%	Juniors	34.1%	Juniors	46.2%
Sophomores	31.0%	Sophomores	36.4%	Sophomores	38.5%
Freshmen	8.9%	Freshmen	15.9%	Freshmen	0.0%
Receiving Yards					
Seniors	51.3%				
Juniors	24.1%				
Sophomores	3.2%				
Freshmen					

59-0when outrushing an opponent
38-0when rushing for more than 200 yards
53-2when recording more than 400 total yards
50-6when scoring first
45-5when forcing more turnovers than opponent
33-6when passing for more than 250 yards
66-8when scoring more than 20 points
59-7when leading at halftime
9-10when trailing at the half
2-2when tied at the half
64-4when leading after three quarters
4-13when trailing after three quarters
0.0

2-2 ____when tied after three quarters

UT'S MACK BROWN ERA RECORDS

MEDIA INFORMATION

UT ON THE INTERNET MackBrown-TexasFootball.com

Up-to-date information on UT's football team is available on the Internet 24 hours a day at MackBrown-TexasFootball.com. Quotes from press conferences, releases, feature stories and game notes will be available on the Web site.

CYBERCAST

A cybercast featuring real time play-by-play, game statistics and much more is available for each UT game at MackBrown-TexasFootball.com.

UT WEEKLY PRESS CONFERENCE FEED

The University of Texas' weekly Monday press conference with head coach Mack Brown is available live on the web beginning at 11 a.m. (Central). The press conference is also carried live on News 8 Austin and is carried on a tape delay basis on ESPN News each Tuesday (check your local listings).

BIG 12 SATELLITE FEED

University of Texas and Big 12 Conference highlights are available weekly on the Big 12 satellite feed. The feed is available on Tuesday from 3:30-4:30 p.m. (CT) throughout the season on Galaxy 3C, Transponder 2 (C-Band), Frequency 4100 mhz (vertical) and audio (6.2/6.8 mhz).

VIDEO CLIPS

For UT video, please contact Mike Miller at Earl Miller Productions (emptv@aol.com/512/458-4343/Fax: 512/458-4485).

PHOTOGRAPHY

Action shots of UT coaches and student-athletes can be requested by contacting the UT Athletics Photography Department at 512/471-6573.

BEVO-D

UT and Time Warner Cable have launched a joint venture in 2004 called Bevo-D, a new video-ondemand channel that will exclusively feature Longhorn sports. The channel is available to TWC digital subscribers and will include a number of current and historical football V-O-D options.

LONGHORN SPORTS CENTER WITH MACK BROWN

Catch UT football action each week on Longhorn Sports Center with Mack Brown. The 30-minute show airs several times each week starting September 4. Below is this year's schedule.

Sunday	10:30 a.m	KTBC (FOX 7)
Sunday	7 p.m	News 8 Austin
Wednesday	11:30 a.m	FSN SW
	5:30 p.m., 8:30	p.mCSTV
Thursday _	1:30 a.m., 4:30	a.m., 9:30 a.m. &
	12:30 p.m	CSTV

INTERVIEW POLICIES

Game-Week Media Schedule

Monday: Coach Brown and players available at weekly Media Luncheon beginning at 11 a.m. (Carpenter-Winkel Centennial Room/9th Floor Bellmont Hall). Note: Players that are available at luncheon are not available on Tues. or Weds.

Tuesday: Offensive/Defensive Coordinators Media Luncheon beginning at 11:30 a.m. (Centennial Room).

3:45 p.m. - Practice (closed/video and still photographers may shoot first 15 minutes) — Offensive players and coaches available by request at Moncrief-Neuhaus after practice.

Wednesday: FINAL DAY FOR INTERVIEWS

3:45 p.m. - Practice (closed/video and still photographers may shoot first 15 minutes) — Defensive players and coaches available by request at Moncrief-Neuhaus roof after practice.

Postgame

The Longhorns' locker room is closed. Interview requests should be given to Assistant AD/Media Relations Director John Bianco. Requested players will be brought to the Moncrief-Neuhaus Athletics Complex meeting rooms following home contests and to a designated interview area at road games. NO INTERVIEWS ARE TO BE CONDUCTED ON THE FIELD FOLLOWING THE GAME. After a NCAA required and team-enforced 10-minute cooling off period, players and coaches will be escorted to the interview area. Failure to abide by this rule will result in termination of credential.

Practice

Players and coaches are available for interviews following UT football practices. Your requests should be given to Assistant AD/Media Relations Director John Bianco. The coaches and players will be brought to a designated interview area. NO INTERVIEWS ARE ALLOWED DURING PRACTICE OR ON THE FIELD PRIOR TO PRACTICE.

Phone

Phone interviews with Longhorns players should be requested at least 24 hours in advance through Assistant AD/Media Relations Director John Bianco (office: 512/471-1346/cell: 512/748-9315). Based on the players' schedules, the call will either be made following practice or at an assigned time. The last chance for player interviews is after Wednesday's practice. Phone interviews with coaches and staff members should be requested at least 24 hours in advance through Bill Little (office: 512/471-6062/cell: 512/748-9316).

CONFERENCE CALL

Head coach Mack Brown participates in the Big 12 Conference's weekly coaches conference call each Monday from 11:20-11:30 a.m. Contact Big 12 Media Relations Director Bob Burda at 214/742-1212 for the access number.

LONGHORN SPORTS NETWORK

For complete coverage of Texas Longhorns football, tune into the Longhorn Sports Network. Craig Way (play-by-play), Keith Moreland (color) and Roger Wallace (sidelines) call the action. Longhorn Sportsline, Mack Brown's one-hour radio show, hosted by Craig Way, airs each Wednesday (7-8 p.m./Central) on LSN.

Abilene	KKHR-FM (106.3)
Alpine	
Amarillo	KPUR-AM (1440)
Austin (flagship)	KVET-AM (1300)
	KVET-FM (98.1)
Beaumont	KRCM-AM (1380)
Big Spring	KBST-AM (1490)
Brownwood	KXYL-FM (96.9)
Bryan	KZNE-AM (1150)
Carthage	KGAS-AM (1590)
Coleman	KSTA-FM (107.1)
Corpus Christi	KEYS-AM (1440)
Crockett	KIVY-AM (1290)
Dallas	KSKY-AM (660)
El Paso	KHEY-AM (1380)
Fort Stockton	
Houston	
Junction	KMBL-AM (1450)
Kerrville	KERV-AM (1230)
Liberty	KSHN-FM (99.9)
Llano	KBEY-FM (92.5)
Longview	KFRO-AM (1370)
Lufkin	
Marshall	KMHT-FM (103.9)
Midland	
Odessa	
Orange	KOGT-AM (1600)
Plainview	
Raymondville	
Rusk	KTLU-AM (1580)
San Angelo	KKSA-AM (1260)
San Antonio	
San Saba	
	KCMC-AM (740)
Tyler	KTBB-AM (600)
Uvalde	KVOU-AM (1400)

NOTE: All Texas games are also broadcast on Sirius Satellite Radio and available online at www.TexasSports.com

SPANISH LANGUAGE BROADCAST

The Longhorns Sports Network will also offer a Spanish Language Radio broadcast of all Texas Football games this season. The games will be broadcast on a four station network.