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## 2003 BOWL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES STANDINGS

(Games Through Oct. 18, 2003)

	AP	USA Today/ESPN	Poll Avg.	Anderson & Hester	Billingsley	Colley Matrix	Massey	New York Times	Sagarin	Wolfe	Comp. Avg.	Schedule Strength	Schedule Rank	Loss Record	Sub-total	Quality Win	Total
1. Oklahoma	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	1.33	11	0.44	0	2.77		2.77
2. Miami (FL)	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	1	1	1.50	30	1.20	0	4.70	- 0.6	4.10
3. Virginia Tech	3	3	3	3	11	4	5	3	16	3	4.83	60	2.40	0	10.23		10.23
4. Georgia	4	5	4.5	8	4	7	7	8	3	8	6.17	33	1.32	1	12.99		12.99
5. Florida State	6.5	7	6.75	5	8	5	4	5	5	4	4.67	18	0.72	1	13.14		13.14
6. Ohio State	8	8	8	7	3	3	3	4	6	5	4.00	5	0.20	1	13.20		13.20
7. So. California	5	4	4.5	11	5	8	6	9	4	12	7.17	29	1.16	1	13.83		13.83
8. Purdue	10	10	10	9	7	11	9	6	13	9	8.50	50	2.00	1	21.50		21.50
9. Washington St.	6.5	6	6.25	14	6	16	18	19	11	17	13.67	76	3.04	1	23.96		23.96
10. Northern Illinois	12	14	13	6	19	6	8	27	8	7	9.00	100	4.00	0	26.00		26.00
11. Nebraska	14	11	12.5	10	33	10	12	10	17	11	11.67	32	1.28	1	26.45		26.45
12. Louisiana State	9	9	9	18	12	15	16	13	18	16	15.00	56	2.24	1	27.24	- 0.7	26.54
13. Michigan State	11	12	11.5	13	18	13	13	12	14	10	12.50	61	2.44	1	27.44		27.44
14. Texas Christian	15	13	14	4	14	9	14	33	15	6	10.33	96	3.84	0	28.17		28.17
15. Iowa	16	16	16	16	13	17	11	16	12	14	13.67	10	0.40	2	32.07		32.07

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(Games Through Oct. 25, 2003)

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1. Oklahoma	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1.17	7	0.28	0	2.45		2.45
2. Miami (FL)	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	1	2	1.67	25	1.00	0	4.67	- 0.8	3.87
3. Florida State	5	5	5	3	7	4	3	4	4	3	3.50	21	0.84	1	10.34		10.34
4. Southern California	3	3	3	8	4	6	6	6	5	7	5.67	35	1.40	1	11.07		11.07
5. Georgia	4	4	4	6	5	5	5	5	3	5	4.67	37	1.48	1	11.15		11.15
6. Ohio State	8	7	7.5	4	3	3	4	3	8	4	3.50	15	0.60	1	12.60		12.60
7. Louisiana State	7	8	7.5	14	8	9	8	7.5	10	9	8.58	55	2.20	1	19.28	- 0.6	18.68
8. Washington State	6	6	6	11	6	12	13	14	9	14	10.83	71	2.84	1	20.67		20.67
9. Nebraska	12	9	10.5	7	24	7	7	9	12	6	8.00	47	1.88	1	21.38		21.38
10. Michigan State	9	10	9.5	9	19	11	11	10	13	10	10.67	59	2.36	1	23.53		23.53
11. Iowa	13	14	13.5	13	11	13	9	12	11	8	10.67	10	0.40	2	26.57		26.57
12. Texas Christian	15	13	14	5	10	8	15	36	14	12	10.67	99	3.96	0	28.63		28.63
13. Michigan	11	12	11.5	16	9	17	17	17.5	18	15	15.25	46	1.84	2	30.59		30.59
14. Oklahoma State	14	15	14.5	15	16	15	14	7.5	15	19	13.75	78	3.12	1	32.37		32.37
15. Tennessee	19	18	18.5	12	15	14	12	11	16	13	12.83	5	0.20	2	33.53		33.53
16. Virginia Tech	10	11	10.5	17	21	19	27	15.5	40	29	21.42	69	2.76	1	35.68		35.68
17. Bowling Green	17	20	18.5	22	18	16	16	32	6	16	15.67	89	3.56	1	38.73		38.73
18. Purdue	18	17	17.5	18	12	20	19	25	20	18	17.83	50	2.00	2	39.33		39.33
19. Miami (OH)	26	29	27.5	10	23	10	10	24	7	11	11.83	52	2.08	1	42.41		42.41
20. Missouri	21.5	24	22.75	23	27	18	18	19	17	17	18.67	42	1.68	2	45.10	- 0.2	44.90
21. Florida	23	21	22	33	13	32	26	13	21	21	21.00	9	0.36	3	46.36	- 0.4	45.96
22. Texas	16	16	16	28	14	27	31	23	32	30	25.50	75	3.00	2	46.50		46.50
23. Northern Illinois	21.5	22	21.75	21	26	21	21	54	19	22	21.67	104	4.16	1	48.58		48.58
24. Minnesota	24	19	21.5	24	25	25	29	30	29	25	26.17	76	3.04	2	52.71		52.71
25. UCLA	29	32.5	30.75	19	28	24	20	17.5	23	20	20.58	64	2.56	2	55.89		55.89

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	AP	USA Today/ ESPN	Poll Avg.	Anderson & Hester	Billingsley	Colley Matrix	Massey	New York Times	Sagarin	Wolfe	Comp. Avg.	Schedule Strength	Schedule Rank	Loss Record	Sub- total	Quality Win	Total
1. Oklahoma	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.00	6	0.24	0	2.24		2.24
2. Southern California	2	2	2	6	4	2	5	2	3	5	3.50	13	0.52	1	7.02		7.02
3. Florida State	3	3	3	3	5	4	3	7	5	4	4.00	38	1.52	1	9.52		9.52
4. Miami (FL)	6	7	6.5	2	3	5	2	5	2	3	2.83	18	0.72	1	11.05	- 0.8	10.25
5. Ohio State	7	6	6.5	5	2	3	4	3	6	2	3.17	20	0.80	1	11.47		11.47
6. Virginia Tech	5	5	5	7	6	6	8	4	20	6	6.17	25	1.00	1	13.17	- 0.7	12.47
7. Louisiana State	4	4	4	8	8	8	6	8	9	7	7.50	63	2.52	1	15.02	- 0.1	14.92
8. Michigan	8	8	8	10	10	9	12	9	10	10	9.67	28	1.12	2	20.79		20.79
9. Texas Christian	13	12	12.5	4	13	7	10	33	8	8	8.33	98	3.92	0	24.75		24.75
10. Georgia	9	9	9	14	11	11	16	17	13	12	12.83	33	1.32	2	25.15		25.15
11. Iowa	10	10	10	15	14	16	9	16	12	9	12.50	35	1.40	2	25.90	- 0.3	25.60
12. Texas	11	11	11	19	12	22	17	11	22	14	15.83	44	1.76	2	30.59		30.59
13. Tennessee	18	17	17.5	11	16	10	15	10	19	19	13.50	16	0.64	2	33.64		33.64
14. Purdue	16	14	15	13	15	17	13	19	16	18	15.33	53	2.12	2	34.45		34.45
15. Washington State	12	13	12.5	20	9	20	22	26	14	23	18.00	62	2.48	2	34.98		34.98
16. Bowling Green	15	20	17.5	24	18	15	7	29	4	13	13.50	85	3.40	1	35.40		35.40
17. Florida	17	19	18	25	7	24	19	6	15	20	15.17	5	0.20	3	36.37	- 0.5	35.87
18. Nebraska	19	16	17.5	12	29	12	14	21	18	16	15.50	27	1.08	2	36.08		36.08
19. Oklahoma State	21	22	21.5	21	19	19	11	15	11	11	14.33	45	1.80	2	39.63		39.63
20. Michigan State	14	15	14.5	17	25	21	24	23	24	22	21.83	51	2.04	2	40.37		40.37
21. Miami (OH)	26	28	27	9	23	13	18	31	7	17	14.50	71	2.84	1	45.34		45.34
22. Northern Illinois	23	23	23	18	22	18	20	44.5	17	15	18.33	100	4.00	1	46.33		46.33
23. Mississippi	20	24	22	22	21	23	26	13	28	24	21.50	65	2.60	2	48.10		48.10
24. Missouri	22	26	24	26	26	25	21	25	21	21	23.17	59	2.36	2	51.53		51.53
25. Pittsburgh	25	21	23	23	28	26	32	22	30	32	26.83	54	2.16	2	53.99		53.99

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1. Oklahoma	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.00	7	0.28	0	2.28	- 0.6	1.68
2. Southern California	2	2	2	4	3	3	3	3	2	3	2.83	16	0.64	1	6.47	- 0.2	6.27
3. Ohio State	4	4	4	3	2	2	2	2	5	2	2.17	14	0.56	1	7.73		7.73
4. Louisiana State	3	3	3	5	8	6	4	8	9	9	6.67	65	2.60	1	13.27	- 0.1	13.17
5. Texas	6	7	6.5	8	13	11	7	5	11	5	7.83	18	0.72	2	17.05		17.05
6. Texas Christian	10	9	9.5	2	9	4	6	25	3	4	4.67	87	3.48	0	17.65		17.65
7. Tennessee	9	13	11	6	4	5	5	4	6	6	5.00	8	0.32	2	18.32		18.32
8. Michigan	5	5	5	11	10	14	13	9	12	12	11.17	28	1.12	2	19.29		19.29
9. Georgia	7	6	6.5	14	11	13	10	15	8	11	11.17	25	1.00	2	20.67	- 0.4	20.27
10. Washington State	8	8	8	9	7	8	11	11	10	13	9.33	29	1.16	2	20.49		20.49
11. Purdue	11	10	10.5	10	14	10	9	12	15	8	10.50	41	1.64	2	24.64		24.64
12. Miami (FL)	14	14	14	15	5	12	12	18	14	10	11.33	15	0.60	2	27.93		27.93
13. Florida State	13	11	12	12	16	9	14	17	20	14	13.67	32	1.28	2	28.95		28.95
14. Florida	15	18	16.5	22	6	20	15	6	13	18	13.00	10	0.40	3	32.90	- 0.8	32.10
15. Virginia Tech	12	12	12	20	15	19	24	16	27	22	19.33	20	0.80	2	34.13		34.13
16. Miami (OH)	23	24	23.5	7	18	7	8	24	4	7	8.50	59	2.36	1	35.36		35.36
17. Nebraska	18	15	16.5	13	25	15	16	20	16	17	16.17	42	1.68	2	36.35		36.35
18. Mississippi	17	19	18	16	17	16	18	7	18	16	15.00	50	2.00	2	37.00		37.00
19. Pittsburgh	16	16	16	17	12	18	27	13	28	27	19.00	33	1.32	2	38.32		38.32
20. Iowa	20	20	20	25	20	26	19	31	19	20	21.50	30	1.20	3	45.70	- 0.3	45.40
21. Northern Illinois	21.5	21	21.25	21	22	22	22	48	17	19	20.50	111	4.44	1	47.19		47.19
22. Minnesota	19	17	18	24	21	24	28	22	33	25	24.00	88	3.52	2	47.52		47.52
23. Bowling Green	25	26	25.5	28	23	23	17	38	7	15	18.83	51	2.04	2	48.37		48.37
24. Michigan State	21.5	22	21.75	23	29	27	25	29.5	26	26	26.00	22	0.88	3	51.63		51.63
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3. Southern California	2	2	2	4	3	3	4	5	2	4	3.33	37	1.48	1	7.81	- 0.1	7.71
4. Louisiana State	3	3	3	5	4	7	3	11	7	9	5.83	72	2.88	1	12.71	- 0.5	12.21
5. Texas	7	7	7	8	11	11	5	3	10	3	6.67	17	0.68	2	16.35		16.35
6. Georgia	6	6	6	10	10	12	6	10	6	8	8.33	20	0.80	2	17.13	- 0.4	16.73
7. Tennessee	9	11	10	7	5	5	7	6	5	6	5.67	12	0.48	2	18.15		18.15
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11. Florida State	11	10	10.5	11	13	6	12	12	17	11	10.83	23	0.92	2	24.25		24.25
12. Miami (FL)	13.5	13	13.25	9	6	10	10	13	14	7	9.17	7	0.28	2	24.70		24.70
13. Florida	13.5	14	13.75	18	7	17	13	4	12	13	11.00	9	0.36	3	28.11	- 1.2	26.91
14. Miami (OH)	18	19	18.5	6	16	8	9	22	4	10	8.83	55	2.20	1	30.53		30.53
15. Mississippi	15	15	15	16	15	15	17	8	18	18	14.83	57	2.28	2	34.11		34.11
16. Purdue	16	16	16	14	17	16	15	18	16	15	15.50	15	0.60	3	35.10		35.10
17. Virginia Tech	12	12	12	21	14	19	24	19	26	22	19.83	56	2.24	2	36.07		36.07
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19. Kansas State	19	18	18.5	24	27	24	23	16	23	24	22.33	43	1.72	3	45.55		45.55
20. Bowling Green	22	25	23.5	25	22	20	19	35	13	17	19.33	61	2.44	2	47.27		47.27
21. Oklahoma State	24	24	24	22	26	23	18	20.5	20	19	20.42	38	1.52	3	48.94		48.94
22. Nebraska	23	23	23	20	33	21	22	29	24	23	23.17	36	1.44	3	50.61		50.61
23. Boise State	20	20	20	33	21	25	26	44	21	25	25.17	113	4.52	1	50.69		50.69
24. Utah	29	26	27.5	17	30	14	20	37	19	20	20.00	47	1.88	2	51.38		51.38
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1. Oklahoma	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.00	10	0.40	0	2.40	- 0.5	1.90
2. Southern California	2	2	2	3	2	2	3	3	2	2	2.33	39	1.56	1	6.89		6.89
3. Louisiana State	3	3	3	2	3	4	2	9	3	4	3.00	61	2.44	1	9.44	- 0.4	9.04
4. Michigan	4	4	4	5	4	5	5	4	5	3	4.33	13	0.52	2	10.85	- 0.6	10.25
5. Ohio State	8	7	7.5	6	5	3	4	6	7	5	4.83	6	0.24	2	14.57		14.57
6. Texas	6	6	6	4	10	9	6	2	9	9	6.50	12	0.48	2	14.98		14.98
7. Georgia	5	5	5	8	9	8	7	7.5	6	6	7.08	32	1.28	2	15.36	- 0.3	15.06
8. Tennessee	7	8	7.5	7	6	7	8	7.5	8	8	7.25	33	1.32	2	18.07	- 0.1	17.97
9. Florida State	9	9	9	10	11	6	9	10	14	14	10.00	19	0.76	2	21.76		21.76
10. Miami (FL)	10	10	10	9	7	10	11	11	13	11	9.83	14	0.56	2	22.39	- 0.2	22.19
11. Florida	11	11	11	18	8	17	13	5	11	10	10.67	9	0.36	3	25.03	- 1.2	23.83
12. Iowa	13	12	12.5	15	14	14	12	16	12	12	13.17	15	0.60	3	29.27	- 0.7	28.57
13. Miami (OH)	15	16	15.5	11	13	11	10	21	4	7	9.33	72	2.88	1	28.71		28.71
14. Purdue	12	13	12.5	14	15	15	14	17	15	17	15.00	37	1.48	3	31.98		31.98
15. Washington State	16	14	15	17	17	16	16	20	16	19	16.83	38	1.52	3	36.35		36.35
16. Kansas State	14	15	14.5	20	27	18	18	12	20	20	18.00	36	1.44	3	36.94		36.94
17. Texas Christian	19	17	18	12	12	12	19	38	22	15	15.33	83	3.32	1	37.65		37.65
18. Mississippi	17	19	18	23	20	23	21	19	21	22	21.00	48	1.92	3	43.92		43.92
19. Boise State	18	18	18	28	18	24	24	39	17	16	21.17	108	4.32	1	44.49		44.49
20. Bowling Green	22	25	23.5	25	21	19	22	35	10	13	18.33	73	2.92	2	46.75		46.75
21. Oklahoma State	23	24	23.5	22	29	20	17	18	19	21	19.50	53	2.12	3	48.12		48.12
22. Utah	29	27	28	13	22	13	15	34	18	18	16.50	54	2.16	2	48.66		48.66
23. Nebraska	25	23	24	19	31	21	20	27	23	24	22.33	40	1.60	3	50.93		50.93
24. Arkansas	26	29.5	27.75	16	25	22	23	15	24	23	20.50	30	1.20	3	52.45	- 0.5	51.95
25. Pittsburgh	20	21	20.5	26	19	29	34	24	39	32	27.33	64	2.56	3	53.39		53.39

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1. Oklahoma	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.00	14	0.56	0	2.56	- 0.5	2.06
2. Southern California	2	2	2	3	2	2	4	2.5	3	2	2.42	37	1.48	1	6.90		6.90
3. Louisiana State	3	3	3	2	3	4	2	5	2	3	2.67	54	2.16	1	8.83	- 0.4	8.43
4. Michigan	4	4	4	7	4	6	5	2.5	5	4	4.42	10	0.40	2	10.82	- 0.6	10.22
5. Ohio State	8	7	7.5	6	6	3	3	7	7	6	5.17	4	0.16	2	14.83		14.83
6. Texas	6	6	6	5	10	8	6	4	8	8	6.50	17	0.68	2	15.18		15.18
7. Georgia	5	5	5	10	8	9	8	8	6	5	7.33	30	1.20	2	15.53	- 0.2	15.33
8. Florida State	9	9	9	8	9	5	7	6	9	7	7.00	11	0.44	2	18.44		18.44
9. Tennessee	7	8	7.5	11	7	10	11	9	10	9	9.33	41	1.64	2	20.47	- 0.1	20.37
10. Miami (FL)	10	10	10	9	5	7	10	10	12	11	8.67	13	0.52	2	21.19	- 0.3	20.89
11. Miami (OH)	14	15	14.5	4	13	11	9	23	4	10	8.50	85	3.40	1	27.40		27.40
12. Iowa	12	11	11.5	15	14	14	12	15	13	13	13.50	15	0.60	3	28.60	- 0.7	27.90
13. Purdue	11	12	11.5	14	16	15	13	16	14	16	14.67	34	1.36	3	30.53		30.53
14. Florida	16	16	16	23	11	23	14	13	15	18	15.67	6	0.24	4	35.91	- 1.2	34.71
15. Kansas State	13	13	13	18	24	19	20	12	21	21	18.50	29	1.16	3	35.66		35.66
16. Washington State	15	14	14.5	17	18	17	19	20	16	19	17.67	40	1.60	3	36.77		36.77
17. Texas Christian	19	19	19	12	12	12	21	40	23	14	15.67	93	3.72	1	39.39		39.39
18. Bowling Green	20	23	21.5	22	19	16	15	27	11	12	15.83	60	2.40	2	41.73		41.73
19. Boise State	18	17	17.5	25	15	20	24	38	18	15	19.50	112	4.48	1	42.48		42.48
20. Mississippi	17	18	17.5	24	20	24	22	18	24	24	22.00	69	2.76	3	45.26		45.26
21. Nebraska	23	21	22	16	29	18	18	21	20	20	18.83	36	1.44	3	45.27		45.27
22. Oklahoma State	22	22	22	19	26	22	16	17	19	22	19.17	55	2.20	3	46.37		46.37
23. Utah	26	27	26.5	13	21	13	17	34	17	17	16.33	57	2.28	2	47.11		47.11
24. Maryland	24	25	24.5	26	31	21	23	11	22	23	21.00	53	2.12	3	50.62		50.62
25. Minnesota	25	20	22.5	28	25	28	27	29	32	29	27.67	82	3.28	3	56.45		56.45

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1. Oklahoma	3	3	3	1	1	1	2	5	1	1	1.17	11	0.44	1	5.61	- 0.5	5.11
2. Louisiana State	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	1.83	29	1.16	1	5.99		5.99
3. Southern California	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	1	4	3	2.67	37	1.48	1	6.15		6.15
4. Michigan	4	4	4	7	4	6	5	3	5	5	4.67	14	0.56	2	11.23	- 0.6	10.63
5. Ohio State	7	6	6.5	6	6	4	4	8	6	7	5.50	7	0.28	2	14.28		14.28
6. Texas	5	5	5	5	9	8	7	4	8	10	6.83	20	0.80	2	14.63	- 0.1	14.53
7. Florida State	9	8	8.5	8	8	5	8	7	7	6	6.83	15	0.60	2	17.93		17.93
8. Tennessee	6	7	6.5	10	7	10	11	9	10	11	9.50	46	1.84	2	19.84	- 0.2	19.64
9. Miami (FL)	10	9	9.5	9	5	7	9	10	11	9	8.17	13	0.52	2	20.19	- 0.4	19.79
10. Kansas State	8	10	9	16	12	12	12	6	13	13	11.33	10	0.40	3	23.73	- 1.0	22.73
11. Miami (OH)	14	15	14.5	4	10	9	6	22	3	4	6.00	68	2.72	1	24.22		24.22
12. Georgia	11	11	11	12	11	11	10	12	9	8	10.17	18	0.72	3	24.89	- 0.3	24.59
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15. Florida	17	17	17	24	14	23	15	13	16	18	16.50	5	0.20	4	37.70	- 0.9	36.80
16. Washington State	15	14	14.5	18	19	19	22	21	21	21	19.83	44	1.76	3	39.09		39.09
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19. Mississippi	16	18	17	23	20	24	20	17	24	24	21.33	70	2.80	3	44.13		44.13
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22. Utah	25	25	25	13	21	14	17	33	19	19	17.17	59	2.36	2	46.53		46.53
23. Maryland	23	24	23.5	25	31	20	23	11	23	23	20.83	56	2.24	3	49.57		49.57
24. Bowling Green	26	30	28	29	26	22	19	36	14	14	20.67	36	1.44	3	53.11		53.11
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