

# FIGHTING ILLINI BASKETBALL

Game #17: #7<sub>AP</sub>/6 Illinois (15-1, 1-1) vs. Michigan (11-2, 1-1)

Jan. 14, 2006 • 3:30 p.m. CT • ESPN-Plus Regional

Champaign, III. • Assembly Hall (16,618)

	2005-06 Schedu	ule/Re	sults		
11-3	Illinois Wesleyan (exh.)	W, 82-60			
11-9	Quincy Univ. (exh.)	W, 78-52			
11-18	South Dakota State	W, 90-65	(1-0)		
11-20	Texas-Pan American &	W, 71-59	(2-0)		
11-22	Texas Southern &	W, 93-59	(3-0)		
11-25	Wichita St. (South Padre Island) $\&$	W, 55-54	(4-0)		
11-26	Rutgers (South Padre Island) &	W, 77-57	(5-0)		
11-29	at North Carolina @	W, 68-64	(6-0)		
12-3	vs. Xavier (Chicago)	W, 65-62	(7-0)		
12-5	Arkansas-Little Rock	W, 75-49	(8-0)		
12-8	Georgetown	W, 58-48	(9-0)		
12-10	vs. Oregon (Portland)	W, 89-59	(10-0)		
12-18	Coppin State	W, 61-42	(11-0)		
12-21	vs. Missouri (St. Louis)	W, 82-50	(12-0)		
12-28	Southeast Missouri State	W, 89-64	(13-0)		
12-30	Tennessee-Martin	W, 84-46	(14-0)		
1-5	#7 Michigan State	W, 60-50	(15-0, 1-0)		
1-7	at Iowa	L, 48-63	(15-1, 1-1)		
1-14	Michigan	3:30 p.m.E	SPN+Regional		
1-17	at Indiana	6 p.m.	ESPN		
1-21	at Northwestern	3:30 p.m.E	SPN+Regional		
1-25	Minnesota	8 p.m.	ESPN+Local		
1-28	Purdue	3:30 p.m.E	SPN+Regional		
1-31	at Wisconsin	6 p.m.	ESPN		
2-4	Penn State	8 p.m.	ESPN+Local		
2-12	at Ohio State	Noon	CBS		
2-15	Northwestern	7 p.m.	ESPN+Local		
2-19	Indiana	2:30 p.m.	CBS		
2-21	at Michigan	6 p.m.	ESPN		
2-25	Iowa	5 p.m.	ESPN		
TBA	at Minnesota	TBA	TBA		
3-4	at Michigan State	TBA	TBA		
3-9-12	Big Ten Tournament (Conseco	Fieldhouse,	Indianapolis)		
(Associated Press rankings) • All Times Central & South Padre Island Invitational @ = Big Ten/ACC Challenge					

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#### Television

ESPN+ Regional: Mike Adamle, play-by-play; Bill Hosket, expert analyst.

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Illini Sports Network - 50 stations: Brian Barnhart, play-by-play; Jerry Hester, expert analyst; Loren Tate, pregame/halftime/postgame interviews.

### **Probable Starters**

### #7/6 ILLINOIS (15-1, 1-1)

F – 42 Brian Randle (So.-r, 6-8, 215, 7.8 ppg, 5.1 rpg, 1.5 apg)

F – 40 James Augustine (Sr., 6-10, 235, 13.9 ppg, 9.3 rpg. 1.8 apg)

C – 55 Shaun Pruitt (So., 6-10, 240, 5.8 ppg, 5.6 rpg)

G - 33 Rich McBride (Jr., 6-3, 205, 9.0 ppg, 2.1 rpg, 2.4 apg)

G - 11 Dee Brown (Sr., 6-0, 185, 14.9 ppg, 2.9 rpg, 5.3 apg)

#### Off The Bench ...

G – 2 Chris Hicks (So., 6-2, 190, 1.3 ppg, 0.0 rpg)

G – 3 Chester Frazier (Fr., 6-2, 190, 1.5 ppg, 1.9, rpg, 2.6 apg)

G - 25 Calvin Brock (Fr.-r, 6-4, 185, 1.8 ppg, 2.1 rpg)

G - 31 Jamar Smith (Fr., 6-3, 175, 9.5 ppg, 1.8 rpg, 1.4 apg)

F - 34 C.J. Jackson (Fr., 6-8, 265, intends to redshirt)

F - 41 Warren Carter (Jr., 6-9, 210, 5.3 ppg, 3.2 rpg)

C - 44 Marcus Arnold (Jr.-r, 6-8, 245, 4.3 ppg, 3.0 rpg)

### Series Notes: Michigan

Illinois leads the all-time series, 78-67, including 49-23 in games played at Champaign. The Illini have won 10 straight in the series, and 14 of the last 16, including eight wins in a row at the Assembly Hall. Before the current 14 of 16 streak by Illinois, Michigan had won nine in a row. The two teams met just one last season, with the Illini pulling out a 57-51 win at Ann Arbor.

### The Head Coaches

Illinois Head Coach Bruce Weber

Overall Record: 181-64/.739 (8th year) Big Ten: 29-5/.853

At Illinois: 78-10/.886 (3rd year) Vs. Michigan: 3-0

Assistant Coaches: Wayne McClain (5th year), Jay Price (3rd year),

Tracy Webster (2nd year)

Assistant to the Head Coach: Gary Nottingham (3rd year)

Trainer: Al Martindale (23rd year at Illinois)

Michigan Head Coach: Tommy Amaker

Overall Record: 144-116/.554 (9th year)

At Michigan: 76-61/.555 (5th year) All-Time Vs. Illinois: 0-9 Assistant Coaches: Chuck Swenson, Andrew Moore, Mike Jackson

### Media Information - What's Coming Up

Illinois Basketball Media Teleconferences/Luncheons with Bruce Weber

- Monday, Jan. 16, 10:40 a.m. Big Ten Teleconference
- Monday, Jan. 16, 11:30 a.m. Teleconference
- Thursday, Jan. 19, 11:30 a.m. Teleconference
- Monday, Jan. 23, 10:40 a.m. Big Ten Teleconference
- Monday, Jan. 23, 11:30 a.m. Luncheon/Teleconference

Illini Headlines

- Illinois has the most victories of any team in the nation so far this season with 15 wins (tied with Duke and Florida).
- Illinois has won 54 of its last 56 games during the regular season.
- Illinois owns the nation's second-longest homecourt winning streak at 30 games, tied with Gonzaga and one behind Southern Illinois' 31game streak.
- Illinois' 30-game winning streak at the Assembly Hall is its second-longest in school history, trailing only the school-record streak of 31 straight wins at The Hall from Jan. 15, 1984 through Jan. 4, 1986.
- Illinois is 87-3 (.967) at the Assembly Hall over the last six-and-a-half seasons, the best home mark in the nation over this time period.
- Illinois is the second-winningest team in the nation over the past five-and-a-half seasons. Illinois has won 156 games since the beginning of the 2000-01 season, which trails only Duke (165 wins).
- Bruce Weber is the winningest coach in the nation over the past four-and-a-half seasons. Since the beginning of the 2001-02 season, Weber has won 130 games, recording 52 wins in his final two years at Southern Illinois and 78 wins in his first two-and-a-half years at Illinois. He is tied with Duke's Mike Krzyzewski over this time period.
- Illinois and Duke are the only two schools in the nation to win at least 25 games each of the last five seasons.
- Illinois, Duke and Oklahoma State are the only three teams to advance to the NCAA Sweet 16 each of the last two seasons.
- Illinois has won 12 of 15 games by double figures, leading the Big Ten and ranking 13th in the nation in scoring margin at +17.1 ppg.
- Illinois' opponents are averaging just 55.7 points on 38.4 percent shooting on the season. The Illini rank third in the Big Ten and seventh in the nation in scoring defense, and are second in the Big Ten and 16th nationally in field goal percentage defense.
- Illinois is outrebounding its opponents by an

- average of 7.9 boards per game. The Illini rank second in the Big Ten and 13th in the nation in rebounding margin and have outrebounded 14 of 16 opponents on the year.
- Dee Brown scored a career-high 34 points in the win over Michigan State on Jan. 5. It marked the most points by an Illini player in eight years, since Kevin Turner scored 35 vs. Indiana on Jan. 3, 1998.
- Sharp-shooting freshman guard Jamar Smith ranks third in the NCAA in 3-point field goal percentage at 54.1 percent (40-74). He has come off the bench to make his first 3-point attempt in 10 of 16 games on the year (62.5 percent), which includes 10 of the last 13 games.
- Dee Brown has an assist-to-turnover ratio of 2.48 over the past 10 games (62 assists, 25 turnovers), after opening the season with an assist/turnover ratio of 0.96 in the first six games (23 assists, 24 turnovers).
- James Augustine broke the school record for career rebounds vs. Tennessee-Martin on Dec. 30 when he collected his 854th rebound, breaking the previous Illini career record of 853 rebounds set by Efrem Winters from 1983-86. Augustine currently has 872 career rebounds and is on pace to become the first 1,000-point scorer and 1000-rebounder in UI history and just the 11th in Big Ten history.
- Dee Brown and James Augustine have each played in 103 wins during their respective careers, ranking fourth on the UI career wins chart. The Illinois record for wins (played in) is 110 by Nick Smith (2002-05).
- Dee Brown recorded his 1,500th career point vs. Coppin State on Dec. 18, becoming just the eighth player in UI history to reach that milestone. Brown currently has 1,581 points to rank seventh on the all-time UI list, and he is the top active career scorer in the Big Ten.
- James Augustine has won the opening tip in all but two games this season, and has won the tip over 81 percent of the time during his career (94-22)
- Illinois has played 65 consecutive games while ranked in the Top 25.
- Illinois has the nation's longest nonconfer-

	2005-06 Illinois Roster						
No.	<u>Name</u>	Pos.	<u>Ht.</u>	$\underline{\mathbf{W}}_{\mathbf{t}}$ .	<u>Year</u>	<u>Hometown</u>	
1	Trent Meacham	G	6-2	195	So.	Champaign, Ill.	
2	Chris Hicks	G	6-2	190	So.	Chicago, Ill.	
3	Chester Frazier	G	6-2	190	Fr.	Baltimore, Md.	
11	Dee Brown***	G	6-0	185	Sr.	Maywood, Ill.	
25	Calvin Brock	G	6-5	190	r-Fr.	Chicago, Ill.	
31	Jamar Smith	G	6-3	175	Fr.	Peoria, Ill.	
33	Rich McBride**	G	6-3	205	Jr.	Springfield, Ill	
34	C.J. Jackson	F	6-8	265	Fr.	Buena Vista, Ga.	
40	James Augustine***	F/C	6-10	235	Sr.	Mokena, Ill.	
41	Warren Carter**	F	6-9	215	Jr.	Dallas, Texas	
42	Brian Randle*	F	6-8	215	r-So.	Peoria, Ill	
44	Marcus Arnold	F	6-8	245	r-Jr.	Chicago, Ill.	
55	Shaun Pruitt*	F/C	6-10	240	So.	Aurora, Ill	

#### Illini Head Coach Bruce Weber

Bruce Weber has led the Fighting Illini to the top of the national charts in just his third season at the helm of the Illinois program. In addition to becoming the first coach in Big Ten history to lead his squad to outright Big Ten titles in each of his first two seasons, Weber had Illinois at No. 1 in the national polls the final 15 weeks of the 2004-05 season. He led the Illini to an NCAA record-tying 37 victories and the school's first appearance in the national championship game. The Illini success helped Weber be named National Coach of the Year by 10 different organizations. He came to Illinois following five years at Southern Illinois where he led the Salukis to Missouri Valley Conference titles each of his last two seasons.

Weber became just the third coach in Big Ten history to win an outright title in his first season in the league, leading the Illini to 10 straight victories to end the regular season and claim the title. He is also just the sixth coach in the conference since 1951 (when Michigan State joined the league) to defeat every other conference team in his first season.

In his five seasons at SIU, Weber took the Saluki program to the top of the MVC, winning league titles in 2002 and 2003. He posted records of 28-8 and 24-7 in his last two seasons, leading the Salukis to back-to-back NCAA Tournament appearances.

A 1978 graduate of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Weber spent 18 years as an assistant at Purdue under Gene Keady before moving to SIU.

He has helped teams make 19 NCAA Tournament appearances in 26 seasons as a collegiate coach, including one Final Four, one Elite Eight and four Sweet Sixteen appearances. Purdue won six Big Ten titles during his stop in West Lafayette.

#### Weber Career Record

All Games	64 (.739)
at Illinois78-	10 (.886)
Illinois, 2005-06	-1 (.938)
Southern Illinois, 1999-2003	103-54
	(.656)
Assistant at Western Kentucky	21-8
Assistant at Purdue	394-168

ence homecourt winning streak at 46 games (tied with Oklahoma).

- Illinois tied its fourth-best start in school history this season with a 15-0 start, marking the second straight season that the UI won its first 15 games. The Illini won a school-record 29 games to start last season.
- Illinois sold out of season tickets for the entire season for the second year in a row and third time in the last five years. The Illini have played in front of a school-record 21 consecutive sell-out crowds at the Assembly Hall.

#### Illini By the Numbers Under Weber

Illinois has been a consistent winner during Bruce Weber, a tenure that spans the most successful period in school history. The following is a breakdown of Illinois' success under Weber:

- 78-10: Illinois' overall record under Weber, a winning percentage of .886.
- 36-1: Illinois' record at the Assembly Hall under Weber, a winning percentage of .973.
- 54-2: Illinois' record in its last 56 regular season games under Weber (beginning Jan. 31, 2004), a winning percentage of .964.
- 37-2: Illinois' record last season, which tied the record for the winningest season in NCAA history.
- 26-7: Illinois' record in Weber's first season (2003-04), which tied the fourth-winningest season in school history.
- 15-1: Illinois' record so far this season the second straight year under Weber that Illinois has gone undefeated in non-conference play and won its first 15 games a winning percentage of .938.
- 29-5: Illinois' record in Big Ten play under Weber which incudes back-to-back outright championships in 2004 and 2005 a winning percentage of .853.
- 66-7: Illinois' record in regular season games under Weber, a winning percentage of .904.
- 16-4: Illinois' record in road games under Weber, a winning percentage of .800.
- 26-5: Illinois' record in neutral-site games under Weber, a winning percentage of .839.
- 7-2: Illinois' NCAA Tournament record

under Weber – which includes a trip to the Sweet 16 in 2004 and the program's first-ever appearance in the national championship game in 2005 – a winning percentage of .778.

- 5-1: Illinois' Big Ten Tournament record under Weber which includes the 2005 tournament title a winning percentage of .833.
- 12-3: Illinois' combined postseason record under Weber, a winning percentage of .800.

#### Home Cookin'

Illinois carries a 30-game winning streak at the Assembly Hall, which ranks second in the nation among active homecourt winning streaks (tied with Gonzaga and trailing Southern Illinois by one) ... Illinois' 30-game winning streak at the Assembly Hall is its second-longest in school history, trailing only the school-record streak of 31 straight wins at The Hall from Jan. 15, 1984 through Jan. 4, 1986 ... The Illini have also won 46 in a row at the Assembly Hall against nonconference opponents, which is tied with Oklahoma for the longest non-conference homecourt winning streak in the country ... Illinois is 75-2 (.974) at the Assembly Hall over the last five-and-a-half years, with the only losses coming to Michigan State on Feb. 3, 2002 and to Purdue on Jan. 10, 2004 ... The Boilermakers broke a 23game Illini winning streak at the Hall that at the time ranked fourth in the nation ... Illinois is 87-3 (.967) at the Assembly Hall over the past sixand-a-half seasons, the best home mark in the nation over that period ... Illinois has won 44 of its last 46 (.957) Big Ten games at the Assembly Hall ... Below is a look at Illinois' home record the past six-and-a-half seasons:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Overall</u>	Big Ten
2005-06	9-0	1-0
2004-05	15-0	8-0
2003-04	12-1	7-1
2002-03	14-0	7-0
2001-02	13-1	7-1
2000-01	12-0	8-0
<u>1999-2000</u>	<u>12-1</u>	<u>7-1</u>
Total	87-3 (.967)	45-3 (.938)

	Big Te	n Stanc	lings	This Week's Big Ten Schedule
1. 2.	Wisconsin Ohio State Indiana Northwestern ILLINOIS	3-0 2-1 2-1 2-1 1-1	Overall 13-2 12-1 10-3 9-5 15-1	Tuesday, Jan. 10 Wisconsin 64, Minnesota 62  Wednesday, Jan. 11 Michigan State 87, Indiana 73 Penn State 65, Northwestern 61 Ohio State 80, Purdue 64
9. 10.	Michigan Iowa Penn State Michigan State Minnesota Purdue	1-1 1-1 1-1 1-2 0-2 0-3	11-2 12-4 8-4 13-4 9-4 6-8	Saturday, Jan. 14  Iowa at Penn State  Northwestern at Wisconsin  Michigan at Illinois  Minnesota at Purdue  Sunday, Jan. 15
				Michigan State at Ohio State

Following is a list of the current longest home-court winning streaks in Div. I:

	<u>School</u>	Wins	Next Home Game
1.	Southern Illinois	31	Jan. 22
T2.	ILLINOIS	30	Jan. 14
T2.	Gonzaga	30	Jan. 14

#### Last Time Out: Iowa

Illinois had its 15-game winning streak come to an end on Saturday, suffering its first loss of the at Iowa by the score of 63-48. The Illini struggled offensively, shooting a season-low 34.6 percent from the field while scoring under 50 points for the first time since 1999. James Augustine was the lone Illini player to reach double figures, scoring 14 points on 5-7 shooting to go along with nine rebounds.

# Illini Win Another Top-10 Showdown at Assembly Hall

With 6th-ranked Illinois' 60-50 win over 7th-ranked Michigan State on Jan. 5, it marked Illinois' fourth straight win at the Assembly Hall in a game where both teams were ranked in the Top 10. Illinois is now 13-4 all-time at home in Top-10 match-ups, including 9-2 at the Assembly Hall. The game marked the first time at Assembly Hall with both teams ranked in the Top 10 since last season when No. 5 Illinois defeated No. 1 Wake Forest 91-73 on Dec. 1, 2004. And it marked the first time in five years that Illinois hosted a Big Ten game with both teams in the Top 10, since the No. 7 Illini defeated No. 4 Michigan State 77-66 on Feb. 6, 2001.

#### Augustine and Brown Approaching School Record for Career Wins

The win over Michigan State marked the 103rd career victory that seniors James Augustine and Dee Brown have played in during their UI tenure, which ranks fourth on the school career wins chart. The school record for career wins (played in) is 110 by Nick Smith (2002-05).

#### Illini Claim Eighth Undefeated Non-Conference Record in Modern Era

Illinois went 14-0 in non-conference play for the second consecutive season, claiming its eighth perfect non-Big Ten record since World War II. Illinois has gone unbeaten in non-conference play in the following seasons during the modern era:

	Non-Conf.		Final
<u>Year</u>	Record	<u>Coach</u>	Record
1947-48	8-0	Combes	15-5
1952-53	4-0	Combes	18-4
1968-69	10-0	Schmidt	19-5
1978-79	12-0	Henson	19-11
1988-89	13-0	Henson	31-5
1989-90	10-0	Henson	21-8

Illini Record Under Brud	ce W	eber:	When rebounding is tied	4-0	0-0
	All	05-06	Scores more bench points	47-4	11-1
Plays at home	36-1	9-0	Scores fewer bench points	25-5	1-0
Plays on the road	16-4	1-1	Scores same bench points	5-1	2-0
Plays at neutral site	26-5	5-0	Has fewer TOs than opp.	60-3	9-0
Plays at United Center	7-0	1-0	Has equal or more TOs than opp.	18-7	6-1
Big Ten record	29-5	1-1	Has 15+ assists	55-5	9-0
Big Ten at home	15-1	1-0	Wears white uniforms	32-2	7-0
Big Ten on the road	13-4	0-1	Wears blue uniforms	6-4	1-1
When Ranked	71-9	15-1	Wears orange uniforms	40-4	7-0
As No. 1	31-2	0-0	Plays in tournaments	16-3	4-0
Plays a ranked opponent	14-6	1-0	NCAA Tournament	7-2	0-0
Plays a Top-10 opponent	4-4	1-0	In November	13-0	6-0
Vs. No. 1	1-0	0-0	In December	23-2	8-0
Wins the game before	69-9	14-1	In January	13-4	1-1
Loses the game before	7-1	0-0	In February	14-0	0-0
Leading at the half	68-3	12-0	In March	14-3	0-0
Trailing at the half	7-7	2-1	In April	1-1	0-0
Tied at the half	3-0	1-0	Plays during the day	34-5	4-1
Shoots 45% or better	55-1	10-0	Plays at night	44-5	11-0
Shoots less than 45%	23-9	5-1	Margin is 5 points or less	9-3	3-0
Opp. shoots 45% or less	58-2	12-1	Margin is between 6-10	15-3	2-0
Opp. shoots better than 45% FG	20-8	3-0	Margin is between 11-20	30-4	3-1
Shoots better than opp.	62-0	12-0	Margin is more than 20	16-0	7-0
Shoots worse than opp.	15-10	3-1	Has a 20+ point scorer	37-3	6-0
Shoots same as opp.	1-0	0-0	Scores 59 points or less	5-5	2-1
Shoots more FT than opp.	39-0	10-0	Scores 60-69 points	16-3	4-0
Shoots fewer FT than opp.	36-9	5-1	Scores 70-79 points	25-1	3-0
Shoots same number of FT	3-1	0-0	Scores 80-89 points	21-1	4-0
Makes more FT than opp.	40-1	7-0	Scores 90-99 points	10-0	2-0
Makes fewer FT than opp.	34-9	8-1	Scores 100+ points	1-0	0-0
Makes same number of FT	4-0	0-0	Overtime	4-0	0-0
Scores 70 or more points	57-2	9-0	On ESPN	16-3	2-1
Leads in rebounding	52-6	14-0	On espn2	7-0	2-0
Trails in rebounding	22-4	1-1	On CBS	16-4	0-0
			On FOX Sports Net	3-0	1-0

2004-05	14-0	Weber	37-2
2005-06	14-0	Weber	555

#### Augustine Breaks IIIini Career Rebounding Record

Senior James Augustine broke the Illinois school record for career rebounds with his final rebound with 10:51 left in the game vs. Tennessee-Martin on Dec. 30 to give him 854 rebounds in his career, breaking the previous Illini career record of 853 rebounds set by Efrem Winters from 1983-86. Augustine now has 872 career boards and is on pace to become the first 1,000-point scorer and 1,000-rebounder in Illinois history and just the 11th in Big Ten history.

#### Doing it with Defense

At the beginning of the season, Bruce Weber challenged his team to build its identity and reputation on defense. Illinois has responded, using defense to spur its 15-1 start. Opponents are

averaging just 55.7 points (third in Big Ten, seventh in NCAA) on 38.4 percent shooting (second in Big Ten, 16th in NCAA) for the season. The Illini have not given up more than 65 points in any game, with 11 of the 16 opponents scoring under 60. Illinois has also not had an opponent shoot 50 percent in a game this season, and only three teams have shot better than 45 percent.

Illinois held back-to-back opponents to less than 50 points in wins over Arkansas-Little Rock (75-49) and Georgetown (58-48) for the first time since Nov. 30 and Dec. 5, 1998 under Lon Kruger when the Illini defeated Valparaiso (53-49) and Bradley (53-48).

On Dec. 18, the Illini held Coppin State to just 42 points, the second-fewest points by an opponent in the Weber era at Illinois and the fewest by a UI opponent since Penn State scored 37 in an 80-37 loss at the Assembly Hall on Jan. 21, 2004.

Week-by-Week Rankings					
AP ESPN/USA Today					
Preseason	17	17			
Nov. 14	17	17			
Nov. 21	15	14			
Nov. 28	12	12			
Dec. 5	11	10			
Dec. 12	9	8			
Dec. 19	6	6			
Dec. 26	6	6			
Jan. 2	6	6			
Jan. 9	7	6			
Jan. 16					
Jan. 23					
Jan. 30					
Feb. 6					
Feb. 13					
Feb. 20					
Feb. 27					
March 6					
March 13					

	National Polls					
(Jan	. 9)	(Jan. 9)				
<u>AP</u>		ESF	N/USA Today			
1.	Duke (72)	1.	Duke (31)			
2.	Florida	2.	Florida			
3.	Villanova	3.	Villanova			
4.	Connecticut	4.	Connecticut			
5.	Memphis	5.	Memphis			
6.	Gonzaga	6.	ILLINOIS			
7.	ILLINOIS	7.	Gonzaga			
8.	Texas	8.	Indiana			
9.	Indiana	9.	Texas			
10.	Louisville	10.	Louisville			
11.	UCLA	11.	Pittsburgh			
12.	Pittsburgh	12.	UCLA			
13.	Washington	13.	Washington			
14.	Michigan State	14.	Boston College			
15.	Boston College	15.	Michigan State			
16.	West Virginia	16.	Ohio State			
17.	George Washington	17.	Wisconsin			
18.	N.C. State	18.	N.C. State			
19.	Ohio State	19.	George Washington			
20.	North Carolina	20.	North Carolina			
21.	Wisconsin	21.	Maryland			
22.	Oklahoma	22.	Oklahoma			
23.	Maryland	23.	West Virginia			
24.	Arizona	24.	Syracuse			
25.	Cincinnati	25.	Arizona			
Illin	i opponents in bold					

Illinois Car	oor Tot	als
	2005-06	Career
Double-Digit Scoring		0.2
Dee Brown	11	82
James Augustine	14	62
Rich McBride	6	8
Jamar Smith	7	7
Brian Randle	4	5
Marcus Arnold	3	3
Warren Carter	3	3
Shaun Pruitt	2	2
20 D : C		
20+ Point Games	,	17
Dee Brown	4	17
James Augustine	1	4
Rich McBride	1	2
Jamar Smith	1	1
5 A D 1 TO 0		
5+ 3-Point FG Game		1/
Dee Brown	3	14
Rich McBride	1	2
Jamar Smith	1	1
10+ Rebound Games		
	(	27
James Augustine	6	27
Brian Randle	0	1
Double-Doubles		
James Augustine	5	21
Dee Brown	0	2
Dec blown	U	2
10+ Assist Games		
Dee Brown	2	7
Dec Brown	-	,
3+ Steal Games		
Dee Brown	5	31
James Augustine	2	10
Rich McBride	2	4
Brian Randle	0	2
3+ Block Games		
James Augustine	2	15
Brian Randle	0	2
Starts		
Dee Brown	16	119
James Augustine	16	117
Brian Randle	15	24
Richard McBride	16	16
Shaun Pruitt	16	16
Warren Carter	1	1

2005-06 Fighting Illini Starters									
Game	<u>G</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>F</u>	<u>F</u>	<u>C</u>				
South Dakota State	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
Texas-Pan American	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
Texas Southern	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
vs. Wichita State	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
vs. Rutgers	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
at North Carolina	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
vs. Xavier	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
Arkansas-Little Rock	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
Georgetown	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
vs. Oregon	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
Coppin State	Brown	McBride	Carter	Augustine	Pruitt				
vs. Missouri	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
Southeast Missouri State	e Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
Tennessee-Martin	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
Michigan State	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
at Iowa	Brown	McBride	Randle	Augustine	Pruitt				
Michigan									
at Indiana									
Northwestern									
at Minnesota									
Purdue									
at Wisconsin									
Penn State									
at Ohio State									
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at Minnesota									
at Michigan State									

Illinois' best defensive effort of the season came in the win over Michigan State on Jan. 5. The Spartans entered the game ranked 14th in the nation in scoring, averaging 82.8 ppg. But the Illini held MSU to a season-low 50 points, nearly 33 points below its average. MSU was 10th in the NCAA in field goal percentage at 50.4 percent but shot just 36.2 percent against the Illini defense.

The Illini "D" did its best work on Michigan State's top two scorers, Maurice Ager and Paul Davis. Ager entered the game ranked 12th in the nation in scoring at 22 points per game, but he was held 13 below his average, scoring a season-low nine points on 3-8 shooting, his only game of the season not reaching double figures. Davis, meanwhile, came into the game third in the Big Ten in scoring, averaging 20 points, but scored just 12.

#### Crashing the Boards

One major area where Illinois has improved its performance compared to last season is in rebounding. The Illini are averaging 38.4 rpg and have totaled 40+ boards eight times. Illinois is outrebounding its opponents by an average of 7.9 boards to rank second in the Big Ten and 13th in the NCAA in rebounding margin. Illinois has

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outrebounded its opponent in all but two games (Xavier and Iowa) on the season.

Last season, Illinois averaged 34.3 rpg and outrebounded its opponent by an average of 3.0 boards.

#### Brown Eclipses 1,500 Career Points

Dee Brown scored his 1,500th point against Coppin State on Dec. 18, becoming the eighth player in Illinois history to reach that milestone. Brown currently stands seventh on the UI career scoring list with 1,581 points, which is also the most career points of any current Big Ten player. At his current pace, Brown should finish his career ranked third on the all-time Illini scoring chart.

Illini Also Enjoy Success in Close Games Illinois leads the Big Ten and ranks 13th in the nation in scoring margin at +17.1 ppg and has won 12 of its 15 games by double figures. But the other three games have gone down to the wire and the Illini have been successful in close games as well, owning a 3-0 record this season in games decided by five points or less:

Nov. 25	vs. Wichita State	W, 55-54
Nov. 29	at North Carolina	W, 68-64
Dec. 3	vs. Xavier	W. 65-62

#### The Last Time.....

#### AN ILLINOIS PLAYER HAD

35+ points Kevin Turner (35) vs. Indiana, 1/3/98 30-34 points Dee Brown (34) vs. Michigan State, 1/5/06 25+ points Dee Brown (34) vs. Michigan State, 1/5/06 20+ rebounds Nick Weatherspoon (22) vs. DePauw, 12/2/72 15-19 rebounds James Augustine (15) vs. Nevada, 3/19/05 15+ assists Tony Wysinger (16) vs. Pittsburgh, 12/6/86 10-14 assists Dee Brown (10) vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30/05 Dee Brown (7) vs. Michigan State, 1/5/06 6+ 3-pointers

7+ steals Kendall Gill (7) vs. Iowa, 3/4/90 6 steals Luther Head vs. Iowa, 1/20/05

5+ blocks James Augustine (5) vs. Arkansas, 12/6/03 Triple-Double Sergio McClain (10p, 11r, 11a) vs. Mich, 1/13/01

AN ILLINOIS TEAM HAD

100+ points 105 vs. Longwood, 12/27/04

under 50 points 48 at Iowa, 1/7/06 under 40 points 34 vs. Purdue, 1/30/85

over 50 rebounds 52 vs. Illinois-Chicago, 12/30/03 over 20 off. reb. 21 vs. Georgetown, 12/8/05 overtime W (90-89) vs. Arizona, 3/26/05

#### AN OPPONENT PLAYER HAD

35+ pointsShawn Respert (35), Michigan State, 2/15/9530-34 pointsJoah Tucker (32), Wisconsin-Milwaukee, 3/24/0525-29 pointsRoy Booker (26), Southeast Missouri State, 12/28/05

20+ rebounds Joe Franklin (23), Wisconsin, 12/19/66 15-19 rebounds Reggie Evans (15), Iowa, 1/11/01

15+ assists never, Quinn Buckner (14), Indiana, 2/18/74
10-14 assists Vince Greene (10), Illinois State, 1/3/04
7+ steals Pat Baldwin (7), Northwestern, 3/2/91
5+ blocks Roy Hibbert (6), Georgetown, 12/8/05

AN OPPONENT TEAM HAD

100+ points 108, Missouri, 12/22/93 50 points or less 50, Michigan State, 1/5/06 under 40 points 37, Penn State, 1/21/04 over 50 rebounds 50, Delaware State, 11/25/96 over 20 off. reb. 21, Arkansas, 12/6/03

Those three games that were decided by five or less came within the first seven games of the season. That is quite a contrast to last year, when Illinois had a total of just four games decided by five points or less out of 39 games on the year. Last season, Illinois did not play in a game decided by five or less until its 19th game, when it defeated Iowa in overtime on Jan. 20 by the score of 73-68. Illinois went 2-2 in games decided by five points or less last season and is 9-3 in such games under Bruce Weber.

#### Dee Does it All

Dee Brown, the "one-man fast break", is doing it all for the Illini this season now that his former running mates Deron Williams and Luther Head are in the NBA. Brown boasts a career-best scoring average of 14.9 ppg to lead the team, and he has been Illinois' leading scorer in nine of 16 games. He has reached double figures 11 times, with four games of 20 or more points.

Brown put on one of the best scoring performances by an Illinois player in nearly a decade in the Big Ten opener vs. Michigan State on Jan. 5. He scored a career-high 34 points, making a career high 12 field goals. Seven of his 12 buckets came from 3-point range, tying the most treys by a Big Ten player on the year. Brown was on fire in the first half, scoring 23 points on 8-12 shooting, which matched the number of first-half baskets that MSU had as a team. His 34 points are the most by a UI player in eight years, since Kevin Turner scored 35 vs. Indiana in the 1998 Big Ten opener vs. Indiana (Jan. 3, 1998).

Brown's first scoring explosion of the season came in the win at Oregon on Dec. 10 when he led the Illini with 26 points. Brown made 9-15 shots against the Ducks, including 5-8 from 3-point range.

Against Missouri on Dec. 21, Brown played a brilliant all-around game, scoring a game-high 17 points while also recording a game-high seven assists. He played the entire game (36 min.) without committing a turnover.

Brown's presence can be felt all over the court, as he leads the Illini in five total categories: scoring (14.9 ppg), minutes (33.7 mpg), assists (5.3 apg), steals (1.7 spg) and free throw percentage (37.50 740)

Brown has recorded a season-high 10 assists twice, vs. Arkansas-Little Rock (Dec. 5) and vs. Tennessee-Martin (Dec. 30). He also owns an assist-to-turnover ratio of 2.48 over the last 10 games (62 assists, 25 turnovers).

#### Augie Taking Over

Illinois is counting on a big year from senior James Augustine, and he is delivering. A four-year starter, Augustine was the Illini's fifth-leading scorer last year (10.1 ppg), but ranks second on the team in scoring this season at 13.9 points per game. He has reached double figures in all but two games (Oregon, Michigan State) and tied his career high with 23 points in the win over Xavier on Dec. 3. Augustine had a nine-game streak of scoring in double figures — the longest stretch of games scoring in double figures of his career — come to an end vs. Oregon on Dec. 10 when he finished with eight points.

The leading career field goal percentage shooter in Illinois history, Augustine has made 63.4 percent of his shots this season (85-134), which ranks 13th in the NCAA. He's shot 50 percent or better in all but two games (Georgetown, Michigan State) this season, highlighted by a pair of 7-9 performances vs. Rutgers (Nov. 26) and Xavier (Dec. 3) and 8-9 shooting vs. Tennessee-Martin (Dec. 30).

### Illinois and the Century Mark

Illinois has scored 100 points or more 77 times in school history. Below is a breakdown of Illinois' record in games where it hits the 100 mark.

All-Time Record: 73-4

The Last Time: Dec. 27, 2004

vs. Longwood (105-79)

Most Points: 127, Dec. 22, 1988

vs. Louisiana State (127-100) Both Teams: Missouri 108, Illinois 107

Dec. 22, 1993

At Assembly Hall: 46-0

The Last Time: Dec. 27, 2004

vs. Longwood (105-79)

Most Points: 126, March 10, 1982

vs. Long Island (126-78)

All-Time at Home: 60-0

In addition to his increased scoring, Augustine has remained the Illini's top rebounder and has increased his production in that category as well. He is averaging 9.3 boards per game this season to lead the team and rank third in the Big Ten and 33rd nationally. Augustine averaged 7.6 rpg last year and entered his senior season with a career average of 7.0 rebounds.

Augustine broke the school career rebounding record vs. Tennessee-Martin on Dec. 30 and with 872 career rebounds, at his current average he is on pace to become Illinois' first-ever player to collect 1,000 rebounds.

Augustine has five double-doubles on the season with 18 pts.-14 reb. vs. South Dakota State (Nov. 18), 14 pts.-10 reb. vs. Wichita State (Nov. 25), 13 pts.-13 reb. vs. North Carolina (Nov. 29), 10 pts.-13 reb. vs. Georgetown (Dec. 8) and 19 pts.-11 reb. vs. Tennessee-Martin (Dec. 30).

Jamar Smith Gives Illini Instant Offense True-freshman shooting guard Jamar Smith has given the Illini instant offense off the bench. Despite playing under 20 minutes per game, Smith is third on the team in scoring, averaging 9.5 points in a reserve role. He is shooting over 52 percent from the field and ranks third in the NCAA in 3-point field goal shooting at 54.1 percent (40-74) while ranking second on the team with 40 treys, which is also the most 3-pointers by a freshman in the NCAA.

Smith has come off the bench to make his first 3-point attempt in 10 of 16 games on the year, which includes 10 of the last 13 games. He has made at least one 3-pointer in all but one game (Michigan State) on the season.

Smith's coming out party occurred during Illinois' victory over Arkansas-Little Rock on Dec. 5. He scored a career-high 23 points, connecting on 8-10 from the field, including 6-8 from 3-point range.

Against Southeast Missouri State on Dec. 28, Smith scored 14 points on 5-5 shooting, including 4-4 from 3-point range.

On the season, Smith has scored at least eight points in 13 of 16 games.

#### Randle Hitting Stride

After redshirting last season due to a broken hand, sophomore Brian Randle is back in the UI lineup and has had a number of breakout performances. He has also become Illinois' defensive stopper, drawing the assignment of containing the opponents' top perimeter player each game.

Randle scored a career-high 16 points against Rutgers on Nov. 26, shooting 6-8 from the field. He then had 12 points on 4-5 shooting against North Carolina on Nov. 29. He came up huge in the clutch, scoring in traffic with 1:06 remaining to give Illinois a 66-62 lead after the team had gone scoreless for five-and-a-half minutes.

Randle had 11 points on 5-7 shooting and six rebounds vs. Arkansas-Little Rock (Dec. 5). and had nine points and seven boards vs. Oregon on Dec. 10.

Randle did not play vs. Coppin State on Dec. 18 due to a sprained ankle but returned to the starting lineup to score 13 points and collect six rebounds vs. Missouri on Dec. 21. His defense locked down MU's Thomas Gardner, who entered the game leading the Big XII in scoring at 22.3 ppg but managed just six points on 2-12 shooting and had five turnovers against the Illini.

Randle had another superb defensive performance on Michigan State's Maurice Ager on Jan. 5. Ager entered the game ranked 12th in the nation in scoring at 22 points per game, but Randle held him 13 below his average, as Ager scored a season-low nine points on 3-8 shooting, his first game of the season not reaching double figures.

Randle has started 15 games on the year. He

is fifth on the team in scoring, averaging 7.8 points while shooting over 51 percent from the field (48-93). He is third on the team in rebounding at 5.1 rpg and ranks second with nine blocks.

McBride Showcases All-Around Game Rich McBride was known as a three-point specialist in his first two seasons with the Illini. Now that he has moved from a reserve role to a starter, McBride has strengthened other parts of his game. He worked hard over the summer to improve his conditioning and is now playing nearly 29 minutes per game and has earned a reputation as one of the team's top perimeter defenders along with Brian Randle.

McBride is still a threat from behind the arc, ranking second on the team with 40 treys on the year. He had a season-high 21 points vs. Tennessee-Martin on Dec. 30 behind a career-high seven 3-pointers, tying the most by a Big Ten player this season and also tying the third-most 3-pointers in a game ever by an Illinois player.

McBride ranks fourth on the team in scoring at 9.0 points per game and is shooting over 40 percent from 3-point range (40-99). He is second on the team behind in Brown in assists, averaging 2.0.

	Illinois (	Career Re	ecorc	ds to Watch	
Poin	ts		4.	Sergio McClain, 1998-2001	210
1.	Deon Thomas, 1991-94	2,129	5.	Dee Brown, 2003-	205
2.	Kiwane Garris, 1994-97	1,948			
3.	Brian Cook, 2000-03	1,748	Bloc	ked Shots	
4.	Cory Bradford, 1999-02	1,735	1.	Deon Thomas, 1991-94	177
5.	Eddie Johnson, 1978-81	1,692	2.	Derek Holcomb, 1979-81	174
6.	Mark Smith, 1978-81	1,653	3.	James Griffin, 1979-82	156
7.	Dee Brown, 2003-	1,581	4.	Brian Cook, 2000-03	136
8.	Andy Kaufmann, 1989-93	1,533	5.	James Augustine, 2003-	128
9.	Efrem Winters, 1983-86	1,487			
<u>10.</u>	Nick Weatherspoon, 1971-73	1,481	Field	Goal Percentage	
21.	Bruce Douglas, 1983-86	1,261	1.	James Augustine, 2003	618 (445-720)
22.	Lowell Hamilton, 1986-89	1,241	2.	Ken Norman, 1985-87 .	.609 (558-916)
23.	Rich Adams, 1975-78	1,223	3.		601 (803-1336)
24.	Anthony Welch, 1982-86	1,217	4.	Kenny Battle, 1988-89 .	.591 (415-702)
25.	Audie Matthews, 1975-78	1,210	5.	Roger Powell, 2002-05 .	.572 (456-797)
26.	Roger Powell, 2002-05	1,178			
27.	Nick Anderson, 1988-89	1,172	Minu	ıtes	
28.	Skip Thoren, 1963-65	1,164	1.	Bruce Douglas, 1983-86	4,373
29.	James Augustine, 2003-	1,156	2.	Cory Bradford, 1999-2002	4,351
30.	Kevin Turner,1995-98	1,150	3.	Dee Brown, 2003-	4,054
			4.	Efrem Winters, 1983-86	4,033
Thre	e-Point Field Goals		5.	Kiwane Garris, 1994-97	3,803
1.	Cory Bradford, 1999-02	327			
2.	Dee Brown, 2003-	263	Start	S	
3.	Richard Keene, 1993-96	237	1.	Cory Bradford, 1999-2002	134
4.	Luther Head, 2002-05	209	2.	Efrem Winters, 1983-86	120
5.	Sean Harrington, 2000-03	191	3.	Dee Brown, 2003-	119
			T4.	James Augustine, 2003-	117
Reb	ounds		T4.	Bruce Douglas, 1983-86	117
1.	James Augustine, 2003-	872	6.	Brian Cook, 2000-03	116
2.	Efrem Winters, 1983-86	853	7.	Richard Keene, 1993-96	113
3.	Deon Thomas, 1991-94	846	8.	Kiwane Garris, 1994-97	111
4.	Eddie Johnson, 1978-81	831	9.	Deon Thomas, 1991-94	110
5.	Skip Thoren, 1963-65	830			
١				(Played in)	
Assis			1.	Nick Smith, 2002-05	110
1.	Bruce Douglas, 1983-86	765	2.	Roger Powell, 2002-05	107
2.	Deron Williams, 2003-05	594	3.	Luther Head, 2002-05	104
3.	Dee Brown, 2003-	568	T4.	Dee Brown, 2003-	103
4.	Kiwane Garris, 1994-97	502	T4.	James Augustine, 2003-	103
5.	Stephen Bardo, 1987-90	495	T6.	Sean Harrington, 2000-03	99
<b>.</b> .			T6.	Doug Altenberger, 1983-87	
Stec			T8.	Brian Cook, 2000-03	98
1.	Bruce Douglas, 1983-86	324	T8.	Stephen Bardo, 1987-90	98
2.	Kendall Gill, 1987-90	218			
3.	Frank Williams, 2000-02	212			
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#### Illini Honors 2005-06

#### James Augustine

- South Padre Island Invitational MVP
- Big Ten Co-Player of the Week (Dec. 5)

#### Dee Brown

- Papé Jame MVP (Oregon game)
- South Padre Island Invitational All-Tournament Team
- Associated Press Preseason All-American
- Preseason Wooden Award Candidate
- Preseason Naismith Award Candidate
- Preseason Robertson Award Candidate
- Senior CLASS Award Candidate
- Preseason Playboy Magazine All-American
- Preseason Big Ten Player of the Year Media
- First-Team Preseason All-Big Ten Media

#### Rich McBride

 South Padre Island Invitational All-Tournament Team

#### Team

 Dick Vitale's Team of the Week, Dec. 24 (following victory over Missouri)

#### Frazier Returns to Action

Freshman point guard Chester Frazier missed five games during December with a slight tear and strained quadriceps muscle in his left leg. He has played well since he returning to the UI lineup. In his first game back vs. Southeast Missouri State on Dec. 28, he played 13 minutes with five rebounds, five assists and no turnovers. Against Tennessee-Martin on Dec. 30, Frazier dished out a career-best eight assists and had just one turnover in a career-high tying 22 minutes. Over the past four games since his return, Frazier has totaled 14 assists with just three turnovers (4.67 a/to ratio) in 61 minutes.

# Illini Nation's Second-Winningest Team over Past Five-and-a-Half Seasons

Illinois ranks as the second-winningest team in the nation over the past five-and-a-half seasons in terms of total wins, and ranks third over that same time span in terms of winning percentage. Illinois has reeled off 157 victories since the beginning of the 2000-01 season, which trails only Duke, while the Illini's .821 winning percentage over that time span trails just Duke and Gonzaga. Following is a list of the five winningest teams (ranked by total wins) over the past five-and-a-half seasons:

	<u>School</u>	Wins	Record	Pct. Ne	ext Game
1.	Duke	165	165-27	.859	Jan. 14
2.	ILLINOIS	156	156-34	.821	Jan. 14
3.	Kansas	146	146-39	.789	Jan. 14
4.	Gonzaga	145	145-31	.824	Jan. 14
5.	Kentucky	142	142-39	.785	Jan. 14

Weber Nation's Winningest Coach over Past Four-and-a-Half Seasons

Bruce Weber has coached consistent winners everywhere he's been throughout his college career. In fact, over the past four-and-a-half seasons no head coach in America has more wins on his resume than Weber. Beginning with the 2001-02 season, Weber has recorded 130 victories, which is tied with Mike Krzyzewski (130 wins, next game 1/14) and leads Roy Williams (125 wins, next game 1/14) for the most wins by an NCAA Div. I coach over this time span. In his final two years at Southern Illinois, Weber went 28-8 in 2001-02 and 24-7 in 2002-03. He then took over the Illinois program, leading the Illini to a 26-7 record in 2003-04, a 37-2 mark in 2004-05 and a 15-1 mark so far this season.

#### Road Warriors

Illinois has received much attention from its homecourt dominance, but the Illini have also enjoyed great success on the road. Illinois is 16-4 (.800) in away games under coach Bruce Weber. The Illini had to win six straight road games to clinch the 2004 Big Ten championship, finishing the 2003-04 season 7-2 in away games. Illinois then compiled an 8-1 record on the road last season. Illinois' 14-game road winning streak was snapped in the 2005 regular season finale at Ohio State, and the Illini are 1-1 on the road this season, winning at North Carolina while falling at Iowa

<u>Year</u>	Road Record
2003-04	7-2
2004-05	8-1
2005-06	1-1
Total	16-4 (.800)

# Augustine Named Big Ten Co-Player of the Week

James Augustine was named Big Ten Co-Player of the Week on Dec. 5. He recorded a double-double with 13 points and 13 rebounds at North Carolina on Nov. 29 as Illinois recorded its first road victory of the season with a win at Chapel Hill. He added three assists and three steals against UNC. Augustine then equaled his career high in scoring in the win over Xavier on Dec. 3, erupting for 23 points. He was 7-of-9 from the field in the victory, while adding a game-high seven rebounds and two steals. For the week, Augustine averaged a double-double with 18 points and 10 rebounds on a combined 73.3 percent shooting (11-of-15).

It marked the third career Big Ten weekly accolade for Augustine, as he was also honored twice last season (Jan. 10 and Jan. 31). He shared the award with Indiana's Marco Killingsworth.

Chicagoans Brown and Augustine Finish Careers Undefeated at United Center

Illinois' victory over Xavier on Dec. 3 marked the final United Center appearance for a pair of Chicagoland products on the Illini roster in seniors Dee Brown and James Augustine. The duo never lost a game at the UC, finishing their four-year careers with a perfect 12-0 record.

#### Illinois Does Its Part in Big Ten/ACC Challenge

The ACC won the 2005 Big Ten/ACC Challenge by a narrow 6-5 margin. But the Illini represented the Big Ten Conference well, posting a 68-64 victory over North Carolina at Chapel Hill on Nov. 29 to become the only Big Ten squad to win on the road in this year's Challenge. Illinois also broke UNC's 21-winning streak at the Smith Center, which was the second-longest UNC winning streak in the 20-year history of Dean Dome.

# Augustine Named MVP of South Padre Island Invitational

Senior James Augustine was named Most Valuable Player of the South Padre Island Invitational on Nov. 26. Augustine averaged 14.8 points and 7.5 rebounds over the course of the four-game tournament, while shooting 65 percent from the field. He had 18 points on 7-9 shooting in the championship game vs. Rutgers, and recorded a double-double vs. Wichita State with 14 points and 10 rebounds. Augustine also tied his career high in assists with four against the Shockers.

#### Brown and McBride Named to South Padre Island All-Tournament Team

In addition to James Augustine bringing home the MVP trophy from South Padre Island, guards Dee Brown and Rich McBride were named to the All-Tournament Team. Brown averaged 13 points, 4.3 rebounds, 4.5 assists and 2.0 steals during the tournament. His best game came against Texas-Pan American where he scored 20 points while tying his career high with seven rebounds, along with tallying four assists and four steals.

McBride was Illinois' best perimeter defender during the tournament while also averaging 9.8 ppg. In the four games, he dished out a combined 14 assists while turning the ball over just three times.

#### Augustine Joins 1,000-Point Club

Senior James Augustine became the 40th player in Illinois history to record 1,000 career points when he scored his 1,000th point against Rutgers on Nov. 26. He joins Dee Brown as current UI players in the 1,000-point club. Brown scored his 1,000th point last season against Cincinnati (Dec. 31, 2004) and currently ranks seventh in

school history with 1,581 career points, while Augustine ranks 29th with 1,156 career points.

#### Orange Krush Donates \$50,000 to Jimmy V Foundation

Illinois student section, "Orange Krush" is a charity foundation in addition to a cheering section, donating thousands of dollars each year to the community, University and students. During the past season, the Orange Krush Foundation raised and donated \$400,000 for charity to bring its seven-year total to \$1 million. Orange Krush donated \$350,000 to the University and 35 local charities at its annual check presentation ceremony this past October, and donated \$50,000 to the V Foundation for Cancer Research on Dec. 8 during halftime of the game vs. Georgetown.

Orange Krush is almost entirely student run and is based on the 3-point program. Students must solicit pledges from the alumni and community in order to gain entry into Orange Krush. In addition to supporting countless charities over the past seven years, the Orange Krush Foundation has created two endowments. Two years ago the Orange Krush formed the Rod Cardinal Sports Medicine Fund honoring Rod Cardinal, who was Illinois men's basketball athletic trainer for 30 years. This endowment benefits all student-trainers at the University of Illinois. This was the second endowment formed by Orange Krush. The first was the Matthew Heldman Memorial Scholarship Fund, which endows a scholarship for an Illini basketball player. The scholarship honors the late Matt Heldman, point guard for the 1997-98 Big Ten Championship Team, who was tragically killed in a car accident in 1999.

#### Brown Preseason Player of the Year Candidate

Illinois senior guard Dee Brown is the first Illini player to ever be named preseason All-American by the *Associated Press*, and is a preseason Wooden Award, Naismith Award and Oscar Robertson Award candidate. He is also on the preseason Playboy Magazine All-America team for the second time. Brown earned Big Ten Preseason Player of the Year honors for the second time in his career (also prior to the 2004 season). Illinois has had the Big Ten Preseason Player of the Year for each of the last six seasons (2001-Cory Bradford; 2002-Frank Williams; 2003-Brian Cook; 2004-Dee Brown; 2005-Deron Williams; 2006-Dee Brown).

# A Look Back at the Fighting Illini's Magical 2004-05 Season

Illinois recorded its best season in school history in 2004-05. The Illini tied the NCAA record for wins with 37 en route to a 37-2 overall record. The UI made its first Final Four appearance since 1989 and advanced to the NCAA Championship

game for the first time in school history, finishing as the national runner-up. The Illini were ranked No. 1 in the nation for 15 straight weeks, including a first-ever No. 1 ranking in the final Associated Press poll. Illinois reeled off 29 straight wins to start the season and secured its second straight outright Big Ten championship with a 15-1 league record as Bruce Weber became the first coach in the 100-year history of Big Ten basketball to win consecutive outright titles in his first two seasons. The Illini also added the Big Ten Tournament title in addition to the regular season crown.

#### Illini Unveil New Starting Lineup

With the departure of three starters from last year, Illinois had a new starting lineup for the season opening win over South Dakota State, marking the UI's first starting lineup change since the 2004 Big Ten Tournament Championship game. Dee Brown, Deron Williams, Luther Head, Roger Powell and James Augustine were all in the same starting lineup for a school-record streak of 42 consecutive games, which included all 39 games of the 2004-05 season.

#### Illini Reach 25-Win Marker for Fifth Straight Season in 2005

The 2005 season marked the fifth straight year that the Illini recorded at least 25 wins. Illinois and Duke are the only teams in the nation to accomplish this feat in each of the last five seasons (beginning in 2000-01). Duke has won at least 25 games each of the past eight seasons.

With a combined record of 156-34 (.821) over the last five-and-a-half years, this marks Illinois' winningest stretch over that time period in school history.

#### Big Ten Road Success

It took a total of just 13 conference road games in just his second season for Bruce Weber's Illini to win at every Big Ten arena. Illinois won at Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, Ohio State, Penn State and Purdue in 2004 and completed the conference run with wins at Northwestern, Wisconsin, Michigan State and Michigan in 2005.

Weber is just one of two current coaches in the Big Ten to win at every opposing arena – joining Michigan State's Tom Izzo. Weber has accomplished the feat the fastest. Below is a breakdown of how long it took the two to win at every arena.

	<u>Coach</u>	<u>School</u>	<u>Games</u>	Season
1.	Bruce Weber	ILL	13	2nd
2.	Tom Izzo	MSU	33	4th

#### Quick Shots

• Illinois spent 15-straight weeks at the top of the national polls during the 2004-05 season, easily the longest streak in school history, and the longest such streak in the nation since Kansas also spent 15-straight weeks at No. 1 in 1996-97. It was the third year in school history (1952 and 1989) that the Illini were ranked No. 1 in the nation.

- Illinois' 30-game winning streak at the Assembly Hall is the longest current homecourt streak in the nation (tied with Southern Illinois and Gonzaga). The Illini wrapped up their third undefeated season at the Assembly Hall in the last five years with a 15-0 record last year. Illinois also went undefeated at home in 2000-01 (12-0) and 2002-03 (14-0). Illinois has the best homecourt record in the nation over the past six-and-a-half years at 87-3 (.967).
- Illinois has led the Big Ten in scoring each of the last five seasons. The Illini led the Big Ten in scoring with an average of 75.9 points per conference game.
- More fans saw Illinois play in person during the 2004-05 season than any other school. Including the postseason, the Illini were seen by a total of 711,798 fans across the country. During the NCAA tournament alone, 196,065 fans watched the Illini advance to the national championship game. In home games, the Illini finished seventh in the nation with an average of 16,387 fans per game.

#### Brown Sixth-Straight Illini Chosen Preseason Player of the Year Pick

Senior guard Dee Brown became the sixth consecutive Fighting Illini player to earn Big Ten Preseason Player of the Year honors, the second time he has earned the distinction. The streak began in 2000 with Cory Bradford and followed with Frank Williams, Brian Cook, Brown, Deron Williams and Brown again this season. Cook went on to win the postseason award, while Frank Williams and Deron Williams earned First-Team All-Big Ten honors. Brown earned Big Ten Player of the Year honors following the 2005 season.

#### Illinois Begins Season in the Top 25

Illinois began the 2005-06 season ranked No. 17 in both the Preseason ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll and Associated Press Poll, the sixth time in the last seven years they've been in the preseason Top 25. The Illini have played 65 straight games ranked in the Top 25. Illinois is currently ranked No. 6 in the Coaches Poll and No. 7 in the AP Poll.

#### Randle Returns after Redshirt

Redshirt-sophomore forward Brian Randle used the 2004-05 season as a medical redshirt season after suffering a broken left hand in practice on Nov. 10, 2004. Randle started nine games as a true freshman in 2004, averaging 2.7 points and 2.3 rebounds on the season. As Illinois' most athletic player, Randle has shown great defensive ability and is a great finisher around the basket.

#25 Re-emerges on Brock's Back Illinois redshirt freshman Calvin Brock is donning No. 25 on his uniform this season, continuing a tradition of Chicago Simeon players wearing the number when at Illinois. Nick Anderson (1988-89), Deon Thomas (1991-94), Bryant Notree (1995-97) and Brock have worn No. 25 in honor of former Simeon star Ben Wilson, who was tragically shot and killed prior to his senior year of high school.

Hot Ticket to Watch the Illini at the Hall For the second year in a row, and third time in the last five years, Illinois sold out of season tickets for the season, making it again one of the hottest tickets in program history. The Illini have played in front of a current school-record streak of 21 consecutive sell-out crowds at the Assembly Hall.

#### New Faces on the Roster

- Arnold Eligible After Transferring From Illinois State: Marcus Arnold, a 6-8 forward/center from Chicago, transferred to Illinois from Illinois State in the summer of 2004 and is eligible after sitting out the 2004-05 season per NCAA transfer rules. He begins the 2005-06 season with junior eligibility.
- Meacham Transfers From Dayton: Trent Meacham, a 6-2 point guard from Champaign, transferred to Illinois from Dayton in the summer of 2005 and will sit out the 2005-06 season per NCAA transfer rules. He will begin the 2006-07 season with sophomore eligibility.
- Freshman trio: The 2005 recruiting class of 6-foot-2-inch guard Chester Frazier of Baltimore, Md., 6-8 forward C.J. Jackson of Buena Vista, Ga. and 6-3 guard Jamar Smith of Peoria are now in their freshman season for the Illini.
- Hicks joins squad as walk-on: Sophomore Chris Hicks has joined the Illini squad as a walk-on after surviving a tryout this fall. The 6-2, 190-pound guard is a native of Chicago and graduated from Whitney Young High School. Hicks is majoring in athletic training.

#### Illini Sign Two

Illinois signed two prep standouts to national letters of intent during the fall signing period in Brian Carlwell, a 6-11 center from Maywood, Ill. (Proviso East High School) and 6-9 forward Richard Semrau of Rocky River, Ohio (Lutheran West High School).

Cook, Williams and Head in the NBA Illinois currently has three alumni in the NBA in Brian Cook, Deron Williams and Luther Head.

Cook, chosen as the 24th pick in the first round of the 2003 draft, is in his third season with the Los Angeles Lakers.

Deron Williams was chosen No. 3 overall in 2005 by the Utah Jazz, the highest draft pick in UI history. Head was the 24th pick by the

Houston Rockets in 2005.

#### Orange Krush Honors Cardinal

The Orange Krush student support group and cheering section announced in 2004 that it will fund an endowment in the name of former men's basketball trainer Rod Cardinal in the amount of \$300,000 to fund future student athletic trainers for the UI sports medicine program. The Krush has already endowed the \$250,000 Matthew Heldman Memorial Scholarship, named after former Illini point guard Matt Heldman who was tragically killed in a car accident in 1999.

### UI vs. Ranked Opponents

The Illini have played 20 games against opponents ranked by the Associated Press under Bruce Weber, winning 14 times. Following is a complete list of the Illini vs. ranked opponents (AP) since 2003-04 under Weber:

12/3/03	vs. #10 North Carolin	na L, 81-88
12/23/03	vs. #11 Missouri	W, 71-70
1/10/04	#24 Purdue	L, 54-58
1/24/04	at #21 Wisconsin	L, 56-76
2/18/04	#12 Wisconsin	W, 65-57
3/14/04	vs. #10 Wisconsin	L, 53-70
3/21/04	vs. #11 Cincinnati	W, 92-68
3/26/04	vs. #6 Duke	L, 62-72
11/27/04	vs. #24 Gonzaga	W, 89-72
12/1/04	#1 Wake Forest	W, 91-73
12/31/04	#22 Cincinnati	W, 67-45
1/20/05	#23 Iowa V	W, 73-68-ot
1/25/05	at #18 Wisconsin	W, 75-65
2/1/05	at #12 Michigan St.	W, 81-68
2/12/05	#20 Wisconsin	W, 70-59
3/13/05	vs. #23 Wisconsin	W, 54-43
3/26/05	vs. #9 Arizona V	W, 90-89-ot
4/2/05	vs. #4 Louisville	W, 72-57
4/4/05	vs. #2 North Carolin	na L, 70-75
1/5/06	#7 Michigan State	W, 60-50

### By the Numbers

- 1 Illinois' final ranking in the 2005 Associated Press Poll.
- 3 Seasons in which Illinois has been ranked No. 1 in the national polls, including 1952, 1989 and 2004-05
- 4 Times Illinois has won back-to-back Big Ten titles, including 2001 and 2002, and 2004 and 2005
- 4 States represented on the Illinois roster (Georgia, Illinois, Maryland and Texas).
- 6 Illinois' current ranking in the ESPN/USA Today Coaches Poll.
- 6 Consecutive NCAA Tournament appearances for the Illini (2000-05).
- 7 Illinois' current ranking in the Associated Press Poll.
- 9 Players on the roster from the state of Illinois (Marcus Arnold, James Augustine, Calvin Brock, Dee Brown, Rich McBride, Trent Meacham, Shaun Pruitt, Brian Randle and Jamar Smith).
- 11 Illinois' final ranking in the 2004 Associated Press Poll.
- 17 Big Ten Championships won by Illinois.
- 24 20-win seasons for Illinois, including eight of the last nine seasons.
- 25 All-time NCAA Tournament appearances by Illinois.
- 25 Wins in 2002-03.
- 26 Wins in 2001-02.
- 26 Wins in 2003-04.
- 27 Wins by the Illini in 2000-01.
- 37 School record for wins, set by the 2005 team.
- 157 Wins by the Illini in the last five+ seasons.
- 283 Consecutive games Illinois has made a three-point field goal (since 11/28/97).

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### Illinois at the Assembly Hall

Illini at "The Hall"

All-Time: 457-118 (.794) 1963-69 49-13 (.790) 1970-79 69-42 (.622) 1980-89 134-23 (.854) 1990-99 114-34 (.770) 2000-present 87-3 (.967)

Longest Winning Streak: 31 games (1/15/84 - 1/4/86)

Current Winning Streak: 30 games (1/17/04 - present)

Current Winning Streak vs. Non-Conference Opponents: 46 (11/20/98 - present)

### Streakin' Illini Current Streaks by the Illini

All Games: 1 L

At the Assembly Hall: 30 W

Sellout Crowds at the Assembly Hall: 21

On the Road: 1 L

Neutral Sites: 5 W

vs. Ranked Opponents: 1 W

Non-Conference Home Games: 46 W

(last loss vs. George Washington, 11/17/98)

Big Ten Play: 1 L

Big Ten Home Games: 15 W

Big Ten Road Games: 2 L

Since Opponent Scored 100 Pts:

397 games (12/22/93)

Consecutive Games with 3-pt. FG: 283 games (11/28/97)

### Did you Know ...

- ... Dee Brown is the eighth Illinois Mr. Basketball to attend the University of Illinois.
- ... Since 1980 Illinois has signed 12 McDonald's All-Americans and one is currently on the Illini roster. Dee Brown made the All-America team in 2002. Illinois ranks 11th all-time in number of McDonald's All-Americans to attend the school.
- ... Illinois has the 11th best all-time winning percentage (.656) among Division I schools.
- ... Illinois has an all-time record of 1535-806. The 1535 wins rank 14th on the Division I list.
- ... Twelve Illini players have been first-round draft selections, including Nick Anderson and Kendall Gill from the 1989 Final Four team and recent UI alumni Frank Williams to the New York Knicks in 2002, Brian Cook to the Los Angeles Lakers in 2003 and the tandem of Deron Williams (No. 3 overall) to Utah and Luther Head (No. 24) to Houston in 2005.
- ... Illinois ranks second in the Big Ten behind Indiana in total NCAA appearances with 25, including the last six in a row.
- ... Illinois has the highest all-time winning percentage among Big Ten schools, and ranks second behind Indiana in all-time victories. In all-time Big Ten play, the Illini are first in conference wins, and third in winning percentage behind Purdue and Indiana.
- ... The Orange Krush student group is more than just a Fighting Illini cheering section. The students raised over \$600,000 last year which went to the University of Illinois general scholarship fund, the Fighting Illini Scholarship Fund (to the Matthew Heldman Scholarship Fund) and a variety of charities. Over the last six years, Orange Krush has distributed more than \$1 million to charities.

# MEDIA INFORMATION

#### Illini on Television

1/14	Michigan	ESPN+Regional
1/17	at Indiana	ĔSPN
1/21	at Northwestern	ESPN+Regional
1/25	Minnesota	
1/28	Purdue	
1/31	at Wisconsin	ĒSPN
2/4	Penn State	ESPN+Local
2/12	at Ohio State	
2/15	Northwestern	ESPN+Local
2/19	Indiana	
2/21	at Michigan	ESPN
2/25	Iowa	ESPN
TBA	at Minnesota	
3/4	at Michigan State	TBA
3/10	Big Ten Tournament	
3/11	BTT CBS - if playing	
3/12	BTT CBS - if playing	

#### Bruce Weber Teleconference / Press Conference Schedule

Contact the UI Sports Information Office for phone number information.

Date	Event	<u>Time</u>
1/16	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
1/19	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
1/23	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
1/26	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
1/30	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
2/2	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
2/6	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
2/9	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
2/13	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
2/17	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
2/20	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
2/23	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
2/27	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Teleconference	11:30 a.m.
3/2or 3	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
3/6	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
3/7	Big Ten Teleconference	10:40 a.m.
3/8	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.
3/14	Media Luncheon/Teleconf.	11:30 a.m.

### Bruce Weber Television Show (Begins week of Dec. 4)

CSTV, National - Thursday, 4 p.m.

WCIA, Champaign/Decatur/Springfield, Ill. - Sunday, 10:30 a.m.

Comcast SportsNet Chicago - Wednesday, 5 p.m.

Charter Cable, St. Louis - Thursday, 5:30 p.m.

WMBD, Peoria - Sunday, 10:30 p.m.

WQRF, Rockford - Tuesday, 9:30 p.m.

Comcast Detroit/Lansing - Wednesday, 5:30 p.m. & Thursday, 9 a.m.

### Bruce Weber Radio Show

The Bruce Weber Radio Show runs Monday evenings from 7-8 p.m. on the 50-station Illini Sports Network and live on the internet at "fightingillini.com" beginning Nov. 14. Dates for the show during the 2005-06 season are Nov. 14, 21; Dec. 12, 19; Jan. 2, 9, 23; Feb. 6, 13, 27; and March 6, 13.

### Illini TV and Radio in Chicago

Jan. 14 Jan. 17 Jan. 21 Jan. 25 Jan. 28 Jan. 31 Feb. 4 Feb. 12 Feb. 15 Feb. 19 Feb. 21 Feb. 21 Feb. 25 Feb. 28/M 1/2	Michigan at Indiana at Northwestern Minnesota Purdue at Wisconsin Penn State at Ohio State Northwestern Indiana at Michigan Iowa	WCIU-TV/WIND-AM ESPN/WIND-AM WCIU-TV/WIND-AM WCIU-TV/WIND-AM WCIU-TV/WIND-AM ESPN/WIND-AM WCIU-TV/WIND-AM WCIU-TV/WIND-AM WBBM-TV/WIND-AM WBBM-TV/WIND-AM ESPN/WIND-AM ESPN/WIND-AM
Feb. 25 Feb. 28/M 1/2 March 4 March 10 March 11 March 12	Iowa at Minnesota at Michigan State Big Ten Tournament Big Ten Tourn. (if playing) Big Ten Tourn. (if playing)	ESPN/WIND-AM TBA/WIND-AM TBA/WIND-AM TBA/WIND-AM WBBM-2/WIND-AM WBBM-2/WIND-AM

Illinois Radio Network	Danville, WDNL-FM, 102.1	LaSalle-Peru, WLPO-AM 1220	Robinson, WTAY-AM 1570
(50 Stations)	Davenport, Iowa, KUUL-FM 101.3	Litchfield, WSMI-FM 106.1	Robinson, WTYE-FM 101.7
Aledo, WRMJ-FM 102.3	Decatur, WSOY-AM 1340	Mattoon, WCRC-FM 95.7	Rockford, WROK-AM 1440
Alton, WBGZ-AM 1570	DuQuoin, WDQN-AM 1580	Mt. Carmel, WVMC-AM 1360	St. Louis, KRFT-AM 1190
Bloomington, WTRX-FM 93.7	East Moline, KUUL-FM 101.3	Morrison, WZZT-FM 102.7	St. Louis, KFNS-AM 590
Bloomington, WJBC-AM 1230	Effingham, WCRC-FM 95.7	Newton, WIKK-FM 103.5	Salem, WJBD-AM 1350
Casey, WCBH-FM 104.3	Fairfield, WFIW-AM 1390	Olney, WVLN-AM 740	Salem, WJBD-FM 100.1
Champaign, WDWS-AM 1400	Galesburg, WGIL-AM 1400	Olney, WSEI-FM 92.9	Sparta, WHCO-AM 1230
Champaign, WHMS-FM 97.5	Highland, WCBW-AM 880	Paxton, WPXN-FM 104.9	Springfield, WTAX-AM 1240
Chicago, WIND-AM 560	Jacksonville, WJIL-AM 1550	Peoria, WWFS-AM 1290	Sterling, WSDR-AM 1240
Clinton, WHOW-AM 1520	Jerseyville, WJBM-AM 1480	Pittsfield, WBBA-FM 97.5	Taylorville, WTIM-FM 97.3
Clinton, WHOW-FM 95.9	Kankakee, WKAN-AM 1320	Pontiac, WTRX-FM 93.7	Vandalia, WPMB-AM 1500
Danville, WDAN-AM 1490	Kewanee, WYEC-FM 93.9	Quincy, WTAD-AM 930	Watseka, WGFA-FM 94.1

# University of Illinois Fighting Illini Illinois Combined Team Statistics (as of Jan 07, 2006) All games

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11 Brown, Dee 16-16						.740		40		2.9				49			239	
40 Augustine, James 16-16					52-76	.684				9.3			29		13		222	
31 Smith, Jamar 16-0			40-74		12-18	.667		18		1.8			23	22	1		152	
33 McBride, Rich 16-16	378 25.2		40-99	.404	6-7	.857	4	30		2.1 5.1				21 27			144 117	
42 Randle, Brian 15-15 55 Pruitt, Shaun 16-16					18-35 18-40	.514		41 54		5.6				18	7	8		7.8 5.8
41 Carter, Warren 16-1	322 20.1 196 12.3				17-27	.630	22	29		3.2				10	7	3		5.3
44 Arnold, Marcus 16-0	218 13.6				9-19	.474		30		3.0			1	12	7	4		4.3
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BLOCKS	40	6 4	0															
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Home win streak		9	-															
ATTENDANCE	14956																	
Home games-Avg/Game	9-1661																	
Neutral site-Avg/Game		- 5-1205	9															
SCORE BY PERIODS:	1st	2nd Total																
Illinois	558	607 - 1165																
Opponents	415	476 - 891																

# University of Illinois Fighting Illini Illinois Combined Team Statistics (as of Jan 07, 2006) Conference games

RECORD: ALL GAMES CONFERENCE NON-CONFERENCE	• • • •	OVER: (1-1 (1-1 (0-0	) )		HOM (1-0 (1-0	)) ))		AW (0- (0-	1)			(	EU 0 - 0 -	0)	AL			
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SCORING  Points per game  Scoring margin  FIELD GOALS-ATT  Field goal pct	10 54. -2. 39-10 .39	08 0 5 00	113 56.5 - 35-98 .357		*01/0		MI	CHIGA						W	L	60-	-50 -63	16618 15500
3 POINT FG-ATT	15-4 .31 7. 15-2 .55	.9 5 27	7-26 .269 3.5 36-46 .783															
REBOUNDS  Rebounds per game  Rebounding margin  ASSISTS	6 31. -4.	5 5 .7	72 36.0 - 22															
Assists per game TURNOVERS Turnovers per game Turnover margin Assist/turnover ratio	8. 2 14. -1. 0.	9 5 0	11.0 27 13.5 - 0.8															
STEALS Steals per game BLOCKS Blocks per game	1	.0 0 7	8 4.0 4 2.0															
WINNING STREAK  Home win streak ATTENDANCE  Home games-Avg/Game Neutral site-Avg/Game			- 15500 -15500 0-0															
SCORE BY PERIODS:		2nd 5	<b>Total</b>															
IllinoisOpponents	54	54 - 62 -	108 113															

	2005-06 FIGHT	ING ILLII	VI RESULTS,	/ATTENDAN	ICE .
				HIGH	HIGH
<u>DATE</u>	<u>OPPONENT</u>	W/L, SCORE	<u>ATTENDANCE</u>	<u>POINTS</u>	<u>REBOUNDS</u>
11-18-05	SOUTH DAKOTA STATE	W, 90-65	16,618	19 - Brown	14 - Augustine
11-20-05	TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN \$	W, 71-59	16,618	20 - Brown	8 - Randle
11-22-05	TEXAS SOUTHERN \$	W, 93-59	16,618	14 - Brown	8 - Carter
11-25-05	vs. Wichita State \$	W, 55-54	1,500	14 - Augustine	10 - Augustine
11-26-05	vs. Rutgers \$	W, 77-57	1,700	18 - Augustine	7 - Augustine 7 - Pruitt
11-29-05	at North Carolina @	W, 68-64	21,273	14 - Brown	13 - Augustine
12-3-05	vs. Xavier (Chicago)	W, 65-62	19,833	23 - Augustine	7 - Augustine
12-5-05	ARKANSAS-LITTLE ROCK	W, 75-49	16,618	23 - Smith	8 - Pruitt
12-8-05	GEORGETOWN	W, 58-48	16,618	16 - Brown	13 - Augustine
12-10-05	vs. Oregon (Portland)	W, 89-59	15,109	26 - Brown	11 - Augustine
12-18-05	COPPIN STATE	W, 61-42	16,618	15 - Augustine	9 - Augustine
12-21-05	vs. Missouri (St. Louis)	W, 82-50	22,153	17 - Brown	8 - Augustine
12-28-05	SOUTHEAST MISSOURI ST.	W, 89-64	16,618	16 - Brown	9 - Randle
12-30-05	TENNESSEE-MARTIN	W, 84-46	16,618	21 - McBride	11 - Augustine
1-5-06	MICHIGAN STATE	W, 60-50	16,618	34 - Brown	9 - Augustine
1-7-06	at Iowa	L, 48-63	15,500	14 - Augustine	9 - Augustine
1-14-06	MICHIGAN				
1-17-06	at Indiana				
1-21-06	at Northwestern				
1-25-06	MINNESOTA				
1-28-06	PURDUE				
1-31-06	at Wisconsin				
2-4-06	PENN STATE				
2-12-06	at Ohio State				
2-15-06	NORTHWESTERN				
2-19-06	INDIANA				
2-21-06	at Michigan				
2-25-06	IOWA				
TBA	at Minnesota				
3-4-06	at Michigan State				
3-19-12-06	at Big Ten Tournament %				

<sup>\$ =</sup> South Padre Island Invitational

		ATTENDA	ANCE	
	Games	<u>Totals</u>	Average/High Game	Sellouts
HOME	9	149,562	16,618/16,618	9
BIG TEN HO	ME 1	16,618	16,618/16,618	1
AWAY	2	36,773	18,387/21,273	2
NEUTRAL	5	60,295	12,059/22,153	2
TOTAL	16	246,630	15,414/22,153	13

<sup>@ =</sup> Big Ten/ACC Challenge% = Big Ten Tournament (Conseco Fieldhouse, Indianapolis)

# 2005-06 ILLINOIS TEAM HIGHS & LOWS

HIGHS	LOWS
Points	48 vs. Iowa, 1/7
Field Goals Made	18 vs. Iowa, 1/7
Field Goals Attempted	40 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
Field Goal Percentage	.323 (20-62) vs. Georgetown, 12/8
Three-Point Field Goals Made 11 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20	5 vs. Wichita State, 11/25
	5 vs. Iowa, 1/7
Three-Point Field Goals Attempted 34 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20	15 vs. Rutgers, 11/26
Three-Point Field Goal Percentage 500 (9-18) vs. Southeast Missouri St., 12/28	.192 (5-26) vs. Iowa, 1/7
Free Throws Made	2 vs. Wichita State, 11/25
Free Throws Attempted	4 vs. Wichita State, 11/25
Free Throw Percentage	.333 (4-12) vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20
Rebounds	31 vs. Xavier, 12/3
	31 vs. Michigan State, 1/5
Assists	6 vs. Georgetown, 12/8
Turnovers	10, three times, last vs. Georgetown, 12/8
Blocks 5 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	0 vs. Rutgers, 11/26
Steals	2 vs. Georgetown, 12/8
Fouls	10 vs. Georgetown, 12/8

# OPPONENT TEAM HIGHS & LOWS

<u>HIGHS</u>	<u>LOWS</u>
Points	42, Coppin State, 12/18
Field Goals Made	17, four teams; last, Michigan State, 1/5
Field Goals Attempted	44, Rutgers, 11/26
Field Goal Percentage	.309 (17-55), Tennessee-Martin, 11/30
Three-Point Field Goals Made 9, South Dakota State, 11/18	2, three teams; last, North Carolina, 11/29
Three-Point Field Goals Attempted 22, South Dakota State, 11/18	8, Wichita State, 11/25
Three-Point Field Goal Percentage 438 (7-16), Xavier, 12/3	.154 (2-13), North Carolina, 11/29
Free Throws Made	4, Coppin State, 12/18
Free Throws Attempted	11, Georgetown, 12/8
	11, Missouri, 12/21
Free Throw Percentage857 (12-14), Michigan State, 1/5	.308 (4-13), Coppin State, 12/18
Rebounds	22, Coppin State, 12/18
Assists	3, Texas Southern, 11/22
Turnovers	9, Coppin State, 12/18
	9, Southeast Missouri State, 12/28
Blocks	0, three teams; last, Coppin State, 12/18
Steals	3, Georgetown, 12/8
	3, Michigan State, 1/5
Fouls	13, Wichita State, 11/25
	13, Iowa, 1/7

# ILLINOIS & OPPONENT PLAYER SUPERLATIVES

ILLINOIS	OPPONENT
Points	28, Steve Holdren, South Dakota State, 11/18
Field Goals	9, Steve Holdren, South Dakota State, 11/18
Field Goal Attempts	20, Roy Booker, Southeast Missouri St., 12/28
Field Goal Percentage (min. 6 att.) 889 (8-9), James Augustine vs. Tennessee-Martin, 11/30	1.000 (6-6), Derrick East, Texas-Pan Am, 11/20
Three-Point Field Goals Made 7, Rich McBride vs. Tennessee-Martin, 11/30	5, Steve Holdren, South Dakota State, 11/18
Three-Point Field Goal Attempts 13, Dee Brown vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20	10, Roy Booker, Southeast Missouri St., 12/28
Three-Point Field Goal Pct. (min. 5 att.)750 (6-8), Jamar Smith vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5	.556 (5-9), Steve Holdren, S. Dakota St., 11/18
Free Throws Made	9, Tyler Hansbrough, North Carolina, 11/29
	9, Adam Haluska, Iowa, 1/7
Free Throws Attempted	11, Tyler Hansbrough, North Carolina, 11/29
Free Throw Percentage (min. 8 att.) 900 (9-10), Dee Brown vs. Xavier, 12/3	.900 (9-10), Adam Haluska, Iowa, 1/7
Rebounds	12, Greg Brunner, Iowa, 1/7
Assists	7, Drew Neitzel, Michigan State, 1/5
Steals	4, Marcus Ginyard, North Carolina, 11/29
Blocks	6, Roy Hibbert, Georgetown, 12/8

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11-18	Illinois (W, 90-65)	31-57/.544	10-21/.476	18-29/.621	11-29 – 40	20	18	20	3	9	90 (46-44)
	South Dakota State	22-58/.379	9-22/.409	12-21/.571	9-19 – 28	24	9	21	1	10	65 (32-33)
11-20	Illinois (W, 71-59)	28-68/.412	11-34/.324	4-12/.333	24-14 – 38	18	20	12	1	9	71 (36-35)
11 20	Texas-Pan American	23-47/.489	2-10/.200	11-18/.611	14-18 – 32	16	5	17	0	4	59 (32-27)
11-22	Illinois (W, 93-59)	35-72/.486	8-21/.381	15-25/.600	21-20 - 41	18	23	10	5	7	93 (46-47)
11 22	Texas Southern	22-53/.415	3-11/.273	12-17/.706	15-17 – 32	22	3	24	4	5	59 (30-29)
11-25	Illinois (W, 55-54)	24-56/.429	5-16/.313	2-4/.500	9-27 - 36	17	16	17	3	7	55 (29-26)
11 2)	vs. Wichita State	19-50/.407	2-8/.250	14-21/.667	9-24 - 33	13	10	15	0	8	54 (33-21)
11-26	Illinois (W, 77-57)	26-51/.510	6-15/.400	19-29/.655	13-25 - 38	24	14	10	0	4	77 (38-39)
11-20	vs. Rutgers	17-44/.386	3-12/.250	20-27/.741	7-19 – 26	22	4	13	2	5	57 (26-31)
11-29	Illinois (W, 68-64)	25-54/.463	8-21/.381	10-17/.588	13-20-33	20	14	18	2	12	68 (35-33)
11-2)	at North Carolina	23-51/.451	2-13/.154	16-23/.696	11-18 – 29	16	12	16	5	12	64 (35-29)
12-3	Illinois (W, 65-62)	20-49/.408	6-21/.286	19-31/.613	11-10 = 2	15	11	12	4	8	65 (26-39)
12-3	vs. Xavier (at Chicago)	24-50/.480	7-16/.438	7-13/.538	9-24 - 33	25	19	15	3	6	62 (36-26)
12-5	Illinois (W, 75-49)	26-53/.491	7-20/.350	16-28/.571	15-26 – 41	17	17	11	4	6	75 (32-43)
12-)	Arkansas-Little Rock	19-53/.358	5-14/.357	6-14/.429	13-15 – 28	19	9	16	1	4	49 (28-21)
12-8	Illinois (W, 58-48)	20-62/.323	7-18/.389	11-14/.786	21-23 – 44	10	6	10	4	2	58 (28-30)
12-0	Georgetown	19-50/.380	5-18/.278	5-11/.455	9-22 – 31	14	11	10	8	3	48 (13-35)
12-10	Illinois (W, 89-59)	34-67/.507	10-23/.435	11-16/.688	13-32 – 45	21	14	12	4	7	89 (40-49)
12-10	vs. Oregon (at Portland)	20-57/.351	3-17/.176	16-26/.615	8-21 – 29	14	8	13	3	8	59 (22-37)
12-18	Illinois (W, 61-42)	20-3/1.331	8-21/.381	13-18/.722	7-26 – 33	14	15	16	3	3	61 (24-37)
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12-21	Coppin State Illinois (W, 82-50)	17-50/.340	4-18/.222	4-13/.308 16-24/.667	13-28 – 41	15	19	9		11	42 (12-30)
12-21		29-60/.483	8-18/.444						1		82 (39-43)
12.20	vs. Missouri (at St. Louis)	21-60/.350	3-17/.176	5-11/.455 8-12/.667	15-21 – 36	19	7 19	21	4	5	50 (21-29)
12-28	Illinois (W, 89-64)	36-71/.507	9-18/.500		16-32 – 48	13		12		3	89 (38-51)
12.20	Southeast Missouri State	24-62/.387	7-26/.269	9-11/.818	6-18 – 24	14	15	9	3	4	64 (29-35)
12-30	Illinois (W, 84-46)	33-62/.532	11-25/.440	7-16/.438	12-30 - 42	17	25	16	1	9	84 (47-37)
1.5	Tennessee-Martin	17-55/.309	3-13/.231	9-14/.643	11-21 – 32	17	7	23	2	7	46 (15-31)
1-5	Illinois (W, 60-50)	21-48/.438	10-21/.476	8-12/.667	10-21 – 31	11	9	13	3	4	60 (35-25)
1.7	Michigan State	17-47/.362	4-15/.267	12-14/.857	8-19 - 27	17	11	12	2	3	50 (28-22)
1-7	Illinois (L, 48-63) at Iowa	18-52/.346	5-26/.192	7-15/.467 24-32/.750	7-25 - 32	27 13	8 11	16 15	4 2	6 5	48 (19-29)
1-14	Illinois	18-51/.353	3-11/.273	24-321./30	13-32 – 45	13	11	1)		)	63 (23-40)
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11-20	Texas-Pan Am 1-1	38	7-17	.412	5-13	.385	1-2	.500	3-47	4		4	0	4	20
11-22 11-25	Texas Southern 1-1 vs. Wichita State 1-1	25 38	5-11 3-14	.455 .214	3-8 2-9	.375 .222	1-1 0-2	1.000	2-46 0-22	C		1 5	0	1 3	14 8
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12-10	Coppin St. 1-1	35	2-7	.288	2-6	.333		1.000	0-22	0		1	0	0	8
12-21 12-28	vs. Missouri 1-1 SE Missouri St. 1-1	36 29	5-11 6-17	.455 .353	4-7 3-9	.571 .333	3-5 1-1	.600 1.000	0-44 0-22	1 2		0 2	0	2	17 16
12-26	Tenn-Martin 1-1	25	2-5	.400	1-2	.500	0-0	.000	0-22	0		3	0	2	5
1-5	Michigan St. 1-1	39	12-22	.545	7-13	.539		1.000	0-11	2		3	0	2	34
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11-20 11-22	Texas-Pan Am DNP Texas Southern 1-0	15	1-3	.333	0-0	.000	1-2	.500	1-12	1	2	1	0	1	3
11-25	vs. Wichita State 1-0	4	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0	.000	1-12	1		0	1	0	0
11-26 11-29	vs. Rutgers 1-0 at N. Carolina 1-0	5 2	0-0 0-0	.000	0-0 0-0	.000	0-2 0-0	.000	0-11 0-00	2		0	0	0	0
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12-18	Coppin St. 1-0	20	2-5	.400	1-2	.500	1-2	.500	1-56	2		2	0	0	6
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11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-0	21	3-6	.500	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-22	0	2 1	0	0	9
11-20	Texas-Pan Am	1-0	20	4-9	.444	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	4-04	1	1 1	0	0	10
11-22	Texas Southern	1-0	22	4-9	.444	2-6	.333	2-5	.400	0-11	2	3 1	0	0	12
11-25	vs. Wichita State	1-0	8	1-1	1.000	1-1	1.000	0-0	.000	0-00	0	1 0	0	1	3
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-0	20	2-6	.333	2-5	.400	3-4	.750	1-12	0	2 0	0	0	9
11-29	at N. Carolina	1-0	14	3-5	.600	3-4	.750	0-1	.000	0-00	1	1 2	0	0	9
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-0	14	2-3	.667	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-00	1	1 1	0	1	6
12-5	ArkLittle Rock	1-0	28	8-10	.800	6-8	.750	1-2	.500	0-22	0	3 2	0	2	23
12-8	Georgetown	1-0	21	3-7	.429	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	1-12	1	0 1	1	0	9
12-10	vs. Oregon	1-0	24	2-3	.667	2-3	.667	4-4	1.000	0-33	2	3 3	0	0	10
12-18	Coppin St.	1-0	27	4-7	.571	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	2-35	0	2 6	0	1	10
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-0	20	3-5	.600	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-22	0	2 1	0	1	8
12-28	SE Missouri St.	1-0	20	5-5	1.000	4-4	1.000	0-0	.000	2-02	0	2 2	0	0	14
12-30	Tenn-Martin	1-0	21	3-8	.375	3-7	.429	2-2	1.000	0-11	0	0 0	0	0	11
1-5	Michigan St.	1-0	8	0-1	.000	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-11	0	0 0	0	0	0
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11-18	S.Dakota St.	1-1	29	5-9	.556	4-7	.571	1-2	.500	0-33		4 1	0	3	15
11-20	Texas-Pan Am		33	4-13	.308	3-10	.300	0-0	.000	2-02		8 1	0	1	11
11-22	Texas Southern		17	3-6	.500	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-00	2	2 1	0	2	9
11-25	vs. Wichita State		34	3-9	.333	2-6	.333	0-0	.000	1-23	1	2 1	0	0	8
11-26	vs. Rutgers	1-1	30	4-7	.571	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-22	4	2 0	0	0	11
11-29	at N. Carolina		33	4-11	.364	3-8	.375		1.000	0-33	1	5 2	0	1	12
12-3	vs. Xavier	1-1	33	1-7	.143	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-33	2	2 1	0	0	3
12-5	ArkLittle Rock		22	0-6	.000	0-4	.000		1.000	1-23	0	1 1	0	1	2
12-8	Georgetown	1-1	32	2-5	.400	2-3	.667		1.000	0-33	0	0 0	0	0	8
12-10	vs. Oregon	1-1	28	5-12	.417	3-10	.300	0-0	.000	0-22	1	2 1	0	0	13
12-18	Coppin St.	1-1	29	3-8	375	3-8	.375	0-0	.000	0-11	3	0 4	0	0	9
12-21	vs. Missouri	1-1	33	2-6	.333	1-4	.250	0-0	.000	0-22	1	4 3	0	3	5
12-28	SE Missouri St.		24	2-4	.500	2-3	.667	0-0	.000	0-00	0	1 1	0	1	6
12-30	Tenn-Martin	1-1	24	7-12	.583	7-10	.700	0-0	.000	0-44	4	1 2	0	2	21
1-5	Michigan St.	1-1	31	3-6	.500	2-4	.500	0-0	.000	0-11	1	2 1	0	0	8
1-7	at Iowa	1-1	28	1-7	.143	1-6	.167	0-0	.000	0-22	2	2 1	0	1	3
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11-26	vs. Rutgers 1-1	25	7-9	.778	0-0	.000	4-5 .800	2-57	4 1	0	0	0	18
11-29	at N. Carolina 1-1	38	4-6	.667	0-0	.000	5-6 .833	6-713	2 3	2	0	3	13
12-3	vs. Xavier 1-1	40	7-9	.778	0-0	.000	9-16 .563	3-47	1 0	2	1	2	23
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12-18	Coppin St. 1-1	31	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	5-5 1.000	1-89	1 3	2	1	2	15
12-21	vs. Missouri 1-1	30	6-11	.545	0-0	.000	0-0 .000	4-48	3 3	3	0	3	12
12-28	SE Missouri St. 1-1	25	5-8	.625	0-0	.000	2-2 1.000	1-78	1 3	1	3	0	12
12-30	Tenn-Martin 1-1	25	8-9	.889	0-0	.000	3-8 .375	5-611	0 2	1	0	1	19
1-5	Michigan St. 1-1	37	2-5	.400	0-0	.000	3-4 .750	2-79	2 1	7	3	2	7
1-7	at Iowa 1-1	25	5-7	.714	0-0	.000	4-6 .667	2-79	4 0	2	0	1	14
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<u>Date</u> 11-18	Opponent G-GS S.Dakota St. 1-0	18	<u>FG-A</u> 3-5	<u>Pct.</u> .600	0-0	<u>Pct.</u> .000	FT-A Pct. 1-2 .500	<u>101</u> 2-35	<u>PF-FO</u> <u>A</u> 3	2	<u>BLK</u> 0	0	7
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11-22	Texas Southern 1-0	20	3-9	.333	0-0	.000	5-7 .714	4-48	4 1	1	0	0	11
11-25	vs. Wichita State 1-0	14	4-6	.667	0-0	.000	0-0 .000	0-33	1 0	1	0	0	8
11-26	vs. Rutgers 1-0	15	1-6	.167	0-0	.000	0-1 .000	1-01	1 0	1	0	0	2
11-29	at N. Carolina 1-0	8	0-2	.000	0-0	.000	0-0 .000	1-23	2 0	2	0	1	0
12-3	vs. Xavier 1-0	2	0-1	.000	0-0	.000	0-0 .000	0-00	0 0	0	0	0	0
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<u>Date</u>	Opponent G-GS	MIN	FG-A	Pct.	FG-A	Pct.	FT-A Pct.	<u>TOT</u>	PF-FO A	<u>TO</u>		<u>ST</u>	PTS
11-18	S.Dakota St. 1-1	17	3-4	.750	0-0	.000	0-0 .000	0-22	4 0	3	0	0	6
11-20	Texas-Pan Am 1-1	18	3-5	.600	0-0	.000	0-4 .000	6-28	2 1	1	0	2	6
11-22	Texas Southern 1-1 vs. Wichita State 1-1	24	3-6	.500	0-0	.000	0-0 .000	2-13	2 5 2 1	1 1	2	1	6
11-25 11-26		22 32	1-3 6-8	.333	0-0	.000 1.000	2-2 1.000 3-4 .750	1-56	2 1 3 1	1	1 0	1	4
11-20	vs. Rutgers 1-1 at N. Carolina 1-1	20	0-8 4-5	.750 .800	1-1 2-2	1.000	3-4 .750 2-4 .500	4-15 2-13	4 1	3	2	2	16 12
12-3	vs. Xavier 1-1	31	3-5	.600	0-2	.000	0-0 .000	2-13	4 1	2	1	2	6
12-5	ArkLittle Rock 1-1	28	5-7	.714	0-1	.000	1-4 .250		2 2	1	1	0	11
12-8	Georgetown 1-1	29	3-11	.272	0-3	.000	2-2 1.000		4 1	2	0	0	8
12-10	vs. Oregon 1-1	26	4-8	.500	0-1	.000	1-2 .500	3-47	2 0	1	0	1	9
12-18	Coppin St. DNP-Inj												
12-21	vs. Missouri 1-1	27	4-7	.571	0-2	.000	5-8 .625	2-46	1 2	3	0	1	13
12-28	SE Missouri St. 1-1	26	4-9	.444	0-2	.000	1-2 .500		4 2	3	1	1	9
12-30	Tenn-Martin 1-1	21	2-6	.333	0-2	.000	0-1 .000		1 3	1	0	0	4
1-5	Michigan St. 1-1	32	1-6	.167	0-2	.000	1-2 .500		2 1	1	0	0	3
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#### 2005-06 FIGHTING ILLINI GAME-BY-GAME STATISTICS CONT. 44 MARCUS ARNOLD, JR.-r 3-PT OR-DR FT-A PF-FO **PTS** FG-A FG-A <u>TO</u> **BLK** <u>ST</u> <u>Date</u> **Opponent** G-GS **MIN** Pct. Pct. Pct. TOT <u>A</u> 11-18 S.Dakota St. 9 0-3 .000 0 - 0.000 0 - 1.000 1-0--1 1 0 2 1 0 0 11-20 Texas-Pan Am 14 1-4 .250 .000 1-2 .500 0-3--3 3 0 0 0 3 ()-()0 11-22 Texas Southern 1-0 17 5-8 .625 0 - 0.000 0-0.000 2-1--3 2 0 0 1 0 10 vs. Wichita State 1-0 2 11-25 0 - 1.000 0 - 0.000 0-0 .000 0-1--1 0 2 0 1 0 11-26 vs. Rutgers 1-0 10 0 - 1.000 0 - 0.000 2-2 1.000 1-2--3 4 0 2 0 0 2 11-29 at N. Carolina 1-0 2-2 1.000 .000 2-0--2 2 0 0 0 4 15 0-0.0000-01 0 0 0 7 12-3 vs. Xavier 1-0 3-4 .750 1-3 .333 2-4--6 4 16 ()-().0001 12-5 Ark.-Little Rock 1-0 .000 4 0 0 0 2 11 1-3 0-0.000 0 - 11-1--2 1 .333 12-8 22 .000 0 0 0 2 Georgetown 1-3 0-00-02-4--6 1 .333 .0001 vs. Oregon 1-0 23 5-10 2 0 11 12-10 .500 ()-().000 1-3 .333 1-7--8 1 2 1 12-18 Coppin St. 1-0 12 1-1 1.000 0 - 0.000 0 - 1.000 0-1--1 5-1 0 0 0 0 2 12-21 vs. Missouri 1-0 19 5-11 .455 0 - 0.000 3-5 .600 2-3--5 4 0 0 0 1 13 12-28 SE Missouri St. 1-0 4-9 .444 0 - 0.000 1-1 1.000 3-1--4 0 0 1 0 9 12-30 Tenn-Martin 2-2 1.000 0 - 0.000 0-0.000 0 - 0 - 05-2 0 1 0 4 0 1-5 Michigan St. 1-0 7 0 - 1.000 0 - 0.000 0 - 0.000 1-0--1 2 1 1 0 0 1-7 at Iowa 1-0 11 0 - 1.000 0 - 0.000 0 - 0.000 0-2--2 3 0 1 0 0 55 SHAUN PRUITT, SO. 3-PT OR-DR Date **Opponent** G-GS **MIN** FG-A Pct. FG-A Pct. FT-A Pct. **TOT** PF-FO A TO **BLK** ST**PTS** S.Dakota St. 11-18 24 5-5 1.000 0 - 0.000 1-2 .500 3-6--9 1 1 1 1 11 11-20 Texas-Pan Am 1-1 15 0 - 3.000 0 - 0.000 0-0 .000 1-1--2 2 1 1 0 0 0 11-22 Texas Southern 1-1 19 4-8 .500 0-0 .000 1-5 .200 4-3--7 9 0 0 1 1 1 11-25 vs. Wichita State 1-1 22 5-7 .714 0-0 .000 .000 1-6--7 0 0 10 0-04 0 1 2-6 .000 vs. Rutgers 1-1 0 - 0.500 2-5--7 2 0 2 11-26 21 .333 2-4 6 1 1 at N. Carolina 1-1 2-2 1.000 .000 0-2--2 0 11-29 18 0 - 0.000 0-2 3 2 0 4 1 vs. Xavier 17 0-2 .000 0 0 0 12-3 1-1 .000 0 - 0.000 0-2 2-2--4 3 1 0

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0 01100	Season/Career High	3-Pt.	6 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5
Points	4 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	3-Pt. Att.	8 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5
FG	1, three times, last vs. Texas Southern, 11/22		8 vs. Iowa, 1/7
FG Att.	5 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20	FT	4 vs. Oregon, 12/10
3-Pt.	1 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20	FT Att.	5 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22
	1 vs. Michigan State, 1/5	Rebounds	5 vs. Coppin State, 12/18
3-Pt. Att.	5 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20	Assists	3, three times, last vs. Oregon, 12/10
FT	2 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	Blocks	0
FT Att.	4 vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30	Steals Minutes	2 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5
Rebounds	5 vs. Rutgers, 11/26	Millutes	28 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5
	5 vs. Southeast Missouri State, 12/28	33 Dich	n McBride
Assists	8 vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30	JJ RICI	
Blocks	0 1 .1 T M 12/20	D. t.	Season High  Career High
Steals	1, three times, last vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30	Points	21 vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30 22 vs. Memphis (12/13/03)
Minutes	22 vs. Texas-Pan American, 11/20 22 vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30	FG	7 vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30 7 vs. Memphis (12/13/03) 7 vs. Tennessee-Martin (12/30/05)
	22 vs. Tellifessee-ivialtifi, 12/30	FG Att.	13 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20 13 vs. Memphis (12/13/03)
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		3-Pt.	7 vs. Tenn-Martin, 12/30 7 vs. Tenn-Martin (12/30/05)
n ·	Season High  Career High	3-Pt. Att.	10, three times, 10, four times,
Points FG	34 vs. Michigan State, 1/5  34 vs. Michigan State (1/5/06)  12 vs. Michigan State (1/5/06)	•	last vs. Tenn-Martin, 12/30 last vs. Tenn-Martin (12/30/05)
FG Att.	12 vs. Michigan State, 1/5 22 vs. Michigan State, 1/5 22 vs. Michigan State, 1/5 22 vs. Michigan State (1/5/06)	FT	2 vs. ArkLittle Rock, 12/5 3 vs. Northwestern (3/11/05)
3-Pt.	7 vs. Michigan State, 1/5 8 vs. Purdue (3/3/05)	FT Att.	2 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18 3 vs. Memphis (12/13/03)
3-Pt. Att.	13 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20 13 vs. Texas-Pan Am (11/20/05)		2 vs. ArkLittle Rock, 12/5 3 vs. Northwestern (3/11/05)
<i>3</i> 1 ti 1 ttt	13 vs. Michigan State, 1/5  13 vs. Michigan State (1/5/06)	Rebounds	4 vs. Tenn-Martin, 12/30 6 vs. Chicago State (12/6/04)
FT	9 vs. Xavier, 12/3 9 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)	Assists	8 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20 8 vs. Texas-Pan Am (11/20/05)
FT Att.	10 vs. Xavier, 12/3 10 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)	Blocks	0 1 vs. Valparaiso (12/19/04)
Rebounds	7 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20 7, five times,		1 vs. Penn State (1/12/05)
	last vs. Texas-Pan Am (11/20/05)	Steals	3 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18 3, four times,
Assists	10 vs. ArkLittle Rock, 12/5 13 vs. Longwood (12/27/04)	M.	3 vs. Missouri, 12/21 last vs. Missouri (12/21/05)
	10 vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30	Minutes	34 vs. Wichita State, 11/25 34 vs. Wichita State (11/25/05)
Blocks	1 vs. Xavier, 12/3 1, seven times,	21 (	lackan
0 1	last vs. Xavier (12/3/05)	34 C.J.	. Jackson
Steals	4 vs. Texas-Pan Am, 11/20 5 vs. Michigan State (2/18/03)	11 1	Season/Career High
Minutes	5 vs. Northwestern (2/22/03)	Has not pla	ayed - intends to redshirt
Minutes	39 vs. Georgetown, 12/8 43 vs. Purdue (3/3/04) 39 vs. Michigan State, 1/5	10 lar	and Augustina
	5) vs. Wildingan State, 17)	40 Jan	nes Augustine
25 Cal	vin Brock	D. t.	Season High  Career High
		Points	23 vs. Xavier, 12/3 23 vs. Nevada (3/19/05) 23 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)
Points	<u>Season/Career High</u> 6 vs. Coppin State, 12/18	FG	8 vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30 9 vs. Penn State (1/25/03)
FG	2 vs. Oregon, 12/10	rd	9 vs. Nevada (3/19/05)
10	2 vs. Coppin State, 12/18	FG Att.	14 vs. Wichita State, 11/25 14 vs. Penn State (1/25/03)
FG Att.	5 vs. Coppin State, 12/18		14 vs. Wichita State (11/25/05)
3-Pt.	1 vs. Coppin State, 12/18	3-Pt.	0 1, five times,
3-Pt. Att.	2 vs. Coppin State, 12/18		last vs. Michigan (3/1/03)
FT	3 vs. South Dakota State, 11/18	3-Pt. Att.	0 2 vs. Michigan (3/1/03)
FT Att.	6 vs. South Dakota State, 11/18	FT	9 vs. Xavier, 12/3 9 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)
Rebounds	9 vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30	FT Att.	16 vs. Xavier, 12/3 16 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)
Assists	2 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	Rebounds	14 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18 15 vs. FDU (3/17/05)
- ·	2 vs. Coppin State, 12/18	Assists	4 vs. Wichita State, 11/25 4, three times,
Blocks	1 vs. South Dakota State, 11/18	nt t	last vs. Wichita State (11/25/05)
C+1-	1 vs. Wichita State, 11/25	Blocks	3 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28 5 vs. Oakland (1/4/03)
Steals Minutes	1, four times, last vs. Tennessee-Martin, 12/30	Steals	3 vs. Michigan St., 1/5 5 vs. Arkansas (12/6/03) 3 vs. North Carolina, 11/29 4, three times,
141111111111111111111111111111111111111	20 vs. Coppin State, 12/18	occais	3 vs. Missouri, 12/21 last vs. Nevada (3/19/05)
31 lam	nar Smith	Minutes	40 vs. Xavier, 12/3 40 vs. Xavier (12/3/05)
o i Juli			10 10 1 miles (12/5/07)
Points	Season/Career High 23 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5		
FG	8 vs. Arkansas-Little Rock, 12/5		
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41 Warren Carter								
	Season High	<u>Career High</u>						
Points	14 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28	14 vs. SE Missouri St (12/28/05)						
FG	6 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28	6 vs. SE Missouri St (12/28/05)						

FG 6 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28 6 vs. SE Missouri St (12/28/05)
FG Att. 11 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28 11 vs. SE Missouri St (12/28/05)
3-Pt. 1 vs. Missouri, 12/21 1 vs. Northwestern (2/23/05)
1 vs. Missouri (12/21/05)

3-Pt. Att. 1 vs. Missouri, 12/21 1, six times, 1 vs. Tenn-Martin, 12/30 last vs. Tenn-Martin (12/30/05) FT 5 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22 5 vs. Texas Southern (11/22/05) FT Att. 7 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22 7 vs. Florida A&M (11/21/04)

7, Texas Southern (11/22/05) **Rebounds** 8 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22 8 vs. Texas Southern 11/22/05) **Assists** 3 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18 3 vs. S. Dakota St. (11/18/05)

Blocks 2 vs. Ark.-Little Rock, 12/5 2, three times, 2 vs. Coppin St., 12/18 last vs. Coppin St. (12/18/05)

Steals 1, three times, 2 vs. Florida A&M (11/21/04)

last vs. Tenn-Martin, 12/30

Minutes 20 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22 20 vs. Texas Southern (11/22/05)

#### 42 Brian Randle

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	Season High	<u>Career High</u>
Points	16 vs. Rutgers, 11/26	16 vs. Rutgers (11/26/05)
FG	6 vs. Rutgers, 11/26	6 vs. Rutgers (11/26/05)
FG Att.	11 vs. Georgetown, 12/8	11 vs. Georgetown (12/8/05)
3-Pt.	2 vs. North Carolina, 11/29	2 vs. North Carolina (11/29/05)
3-Pt. Att.	3 vs. Georgetown, 12/8	3 vs. Georgetown (12/8/05)
FT	5 vs. Missouri, 12/21	5 vs. Missouri (12/21/05)
FT Att.	8 vs. Missouri, 12/21	8 vs. Missouri (12/21/05)
Rebounds	9 vs. Georgetown, 12/8	11 vs. IllChicago (12/30/03)
	9 vs. SE Missouri St, 12/28	
Assists	5 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	5 vs. Texas Southern (11/22/05)
Blocks	2 vs. Texas Southern 11/22	3 vs. Penn State (1/21/0/)

 Assists
 5 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22
 5 vs. Texas Southern (11/22/05)

 Blocks
 2 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22
 3 vs. Penn State (1/21/04)

 2 vs. North Carolina, 11/29
 3 vs. Minnesota (2/8/04)

 Steals
 2, three times, last vs. Xavier, 12/3
 3 vs. Western Illinois (11/22/03)

 3 vs. Memphis (12/13/03)
 3 vs. Memphis (12/13/03)

Minutes 32 vs. Rutgers, 11/26 32 vs. Rutgers (11/26/05) 32 vs. Michigan State, 1/5 32 vs. Michigan State (1/5/06)

#### 44 Marcus Arnold

#### Season/UI Career High

Points 13 vs. Missouri, 12/21

FG 5, three times, last vs. Missouri, 12/21

FG Att. 11 vs. Missouri, 12/21

3-Pt. 0 3-Pt. Att. 0

FT Att. 3 vs. Missouri, 12/21 FT Att. 5 vs. Missouri, 12/21 Rebounds 8 vs. Oregon, 12/10

Assists 0

Blocks 2 vs. Oregon, 12/10

Steals 1, four times, last vs. Missouri, 12/21

Minutes 23 vs. Oregon, 12/10

### 55 Shaun Pruitt

	Season High	<u>Career High</u>
Points	11 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	11 vs. S. Dakota St., (11/18/05)
FG	5 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	5 vs. S. Dakota St., (11/18/05)
	5 vs. Wichita State, 11/25	5 vs. Wichita State (11/25/05)
FG Att.	8 vs. Texas Southern, 11/22	8 vs. Texas Southern (11/22/05)
3-Pt.	0	0
3-Pt. Att.	0	0
FT	4 vs. Coppin State, 12/18	4 vs. Oakland, 11/24
		4 vs. Coppin State (12/18/05)
FT Att.	6 vs. Coppin State, 12/18	6 vs. Oakland, 11/24
		6 vs. Coppin State (12/18/05)
Rebounds	9 vs. South Dakota St., 11/18	9 vs. S. Dakota St., (11/18/05)
	9 vs. Tenn-Martin, 12/30	9 vs. Tenn-Martin (12/30/05)
Assists	2 vs. Rutgers, 11/26	2 vs. Rutgers (11/26/05)
Blocks	2 vs. Iowa, 1/7	2 vs. Iowa (1/7/06)
Steals	2 vs. Rutgers, 11/26	2 vs. Rutgers (11/26/05)
	2 vs. Oregon, 12/10	2 vs. Oregon (12/10/05)
Minutes	27 vs. Iowa, 1/7	25 vs. Iowa (1/7/06)

### Game 1 #17 Illinois 90 South Dakota State 65 Nov. 18, 2005

Assembly Hall, Champaign, III.

This was not the smooth, methodical effort that Illinois became known for in 2004-05.

The 17th-ranked Illini beat South Dakota State 90-65, but they had to overcome some sloppy play to do it.

Illinois committed 20 turnovers, a number reached only twice during its 39-game run to the national title game last April. But with three starters gone from a line-up that started 42 consecutive games together, the new Illini are still getting to know each other on the court.

Brown scored 19 points and James Augustine had 18 points and 14 rebounds as Illinois (1-0) won its 22nd consecutive home game.

South Dakota State committed 21 turnovers and its two best big men were in foul trouble all night. Ben Beran, who added 11 points, and Mohammed Berte both fouled out with more than 5 minutes to go.

Augustine and Shaun Pruitt, who scored 15 points, were able to have their way inside with Beran and Berte limited to a combined 38 minutes on the court.

South Dakota State led twice early, but Illinois used an 8-0 run to take a 15-10 lead with 14:41 to go in the first half. Even though the Jackrabbits scored the next five points to tie the score, Illinois never trailed again.

The Illini put the game away with a 13-4 run to close out the first half after South Dakota State closed a 10-point Illinois lead to 33-28 with 6:29 to go on Holdren's 3-pointer and a layup by Andre Gilbert.

Augustine and Brown hit free throws, then Pruitt got a basket and Calvin Brock had a pair of free throws to give the Illini a 38-29 lead with 3:15 to go.

Holdren	9-19	5-9	5-6	6	28	2	4	0	2	40
Beran	4-8	2-4	1-2	2	11	1	4	0	1	23
Berte	0-3	0-0	2-4	3	2	0	1	1	1	15
Cadwell	3-7	1-2	0-2	0	7	2	2	0	0	33
Gilbert	4-8	0-2	0-1	4	8	2	2	0	1	25
Casey	1-6	1-4	1-2	2	4	1	2	0	3	21
Heien	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
Frias	0-3	0-0	2-2	2	2	0	4	0	1	10
Keller	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
Kleinjan	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	7
Loney	1-3	0-0	1-2	3	3	1	1	0	1	26
Team				6						
Totals	22-58	9-22	12-21	28	65	9	21	1	10	200
FG%	1st: 10-2	24/.417	7 2n	d: 12-3	34/.3	53	(	Gan	ne:	.379
3PT%	1st: 5-10	0/.500	2ne	d: 4-12	2/.33	3	(	Gan	ne:	.409
FT%	1st: 7-1	1/.636	2ne	d: 5-10	0/.50	0	(	Gan	ne:	.571
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Randle	3-4	0-0	0-0	2	6	0	3	0	0	17
Pruitt	5-5	0-0	1-2	9	11	1	1	1	0	24
Pruitt Augustine	5-5 5-7	0-0 0-0	1-2 8-10	9 14	11 18	1 2	1 4	1	0	24 26
Pruitt Augustine Brown	5-5 5-7 6-16	0-0 0-0 3-8	1-2 8-10 4-6	9 14 1	11 18 19	1 2 2	1 4 6	1 1 0	0 2 3	24 26 30
Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride	5-5 5-7 6-16 5-9	0-0 0-0 3-8 4-7	1-2 8-10 4-6 1-2	9 14 1 3	11 18 19 15	1 2 2 4	1 4 6 1	1 1 0 0	0 2 3 3	24 26 30 29
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Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride Frazier Brock	5-5 5-7 6-16 5-9 1-2 0-0	0-0 0-0 3-8 4-7 0-1 0-0	1-2 8-10 4-6 1-2 0-0 3-6	9 14 1 3 1 0	11 18 19 15 2 3	1 2 2 4 4 0	1 4 6 1 0	1 1 0 0 0 0	0 2 3 3 0 1	24 26 30 29 16 10
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### Game 2 #17 Illinois 71 Texas-Pan American 59 Nov. 20, 2005

Assembly Hall, Champaign, Ill.

Dee Brown scored 20 points and No. 17 Illinois bounced back from a poor-shooting first half to beat Texas-Pan American 71-59.

Brown hit five 3-pointers for the Illini, who trailed by 10 points with 8:19 to go in the first half before their shots started to fall.

Pan American was able to get the ball to the basket early and its zone defense kept the Illinois out on the perimeter.

Nineteen of Illinois' 35 first-half shots were from behind the arc and it hit only six of them. Meanwhile, the Broncs were getting the ball inside.

A 3-point play by Kano Edwards broke a 13-13 tie and ignited a 10-0 Pan Am run. Dexter Shankle had a layup, Derrick East tipped one in and David Burrell had a fast-break layup to put the Broncs up 23-13.

Illini freshman Jamar Smith started Illinois' comeback when he finally got a 3-pointer to go with 7:11 left. Rich McBride hit two more, Chester Frazier hit another and finally James Augustine's layup with 1:53 to go gave Illinois a 31-30 lead.

The Illini closed the half with a 23-9 run and led 36-32 lead at the break.

Pan Am cut the Illinois lead to two points twice early in the second half, but Augustine's jumper started an 8-0 run that put the Illini up 46-38 and the Broncs never got closer than five points again.

Brown added seven rebounds, four assists and four steals for Illinois. Augustine scored 14 points and McBride had 11 as the Illini finished the game shooting just 40 percent and 14-of-33 from 3-point range.

<u>UTPA</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>REB</u>	PTS	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
East	6-6	0-0	0-0	6	12	0	1	0	0	30
Chatman	4-7	2-4	0-0	5	10	0	3	0	0	30
Lien	2-8	0-2	1-2	1	5	0	4	0	0	23
Sheppard	2-7	0-1	1-2	6	5	1	4	0	1	33
Shankle	4-7	0-1	4-6	5	12	0	1	0	1	30
Puente	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	1	0	0	7
Gaither	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Robinson	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	0	0	0	14
Edwards	3-6	0-1	3-6	5	9	1	1	0	1	17
Burrell	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0	0	1	4
Trader	0-1	0-0	2-2	0	2	1	1	0	0	10
Team				0			1			
Totals	23-47	2-10	11-18	32	59	5	17	0	4	200
FG%	1st: 14-2	26/ 53	8 2n	d: 9-2	1/429	)	(	Gan	10.	.489
3PT%	1st: 2-5/			d: 0-5/						.200
FT%	1st: 2-3/			d: 9-1:		)				.611
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<b>Illinois</b>	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	<u>REB</u>	PTS	$\underline{\mathbf{A}}$	<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>S</u>	$\underline{\mathbf{M}}$
Randle	3-5	0-0	0-4	8	6	1	1	0	3	18
Pruitt	0-3	0-0	0-0	2	0	1	1	0	0	15
Augustine	6-8	0-0	2-4	7	14	3	4	0	2	34
Brown	7-17	5-13	1-2	7	20	4	4	0	4	38
McBride	4-13	3-10	0-0	2	11	8	1	0	1	33
Frazier	1-5	1-5	0-0	3	3	2	0	0	0	22
Smith	4-9	2-6	0-0	4	10	1	1	0	0	20
Carter	2-4	0-0	0-0	1	4	0	0	1	0	6
Arnold	1-4	0-0	1-2	3	3	0	0	0	0	14
Team				1						
Totals	28-68	11-34	4-12	38	71	20	12	1	9	200
FG%	1st: 14-3	35/.40	0 2n	d: 14-3	33/.42	24	(	Gan	ne:	.412
					- 1	_		_		22/
3PT%	1st: 6-19	9/.316	2ne	d: 5-1:	5/.33.	3	(	Jan	ie:	.324
3PT% FT%	1st: 6-19 1st: 2-3/			d: 5-1; d: 2-9/		3				.333

### Game 3 #15 Illinois 93 Texas Southern 59 Nov. 22, 2005

Assembly Hall, Champaign, III.

llinois appears to have shaken out of its early season funk.

Dee Brown scored 14 points and James Augustine added 13 to lead No. 15 Illinois to a 93-59 rout of Texas Southern.

Illinois had been surprised by Texas-Pan American's zone defense on Sunday and struggled, falling behind by 10 points before pulling out a 71-59 victory. But Tuesday night, there were no surprises.

The Illini were in complete control after the first two minutes of the game. They broke it open with a 19-8 run early in the first half and then buried the Tigers with a 33-6 run to begin the second half. They led by as many as 41 points.

Brown also had six rebounds and five assists. Jamar Smith added 12, while Carter scored 11 and Arnold had 10

Brian Randle, who struggled in his first two games after sitting out last season with an injury, scored six points. But he also had five assists two blocks and a steal that led to a crowd-pleasing dunk in the first half.

Illinois led 46-30 at halftime and held the Tigers to just eight points over the first 13 minutes of the second half. Smith's 3-pointer with seven minutes left made the score 79-38.

This was the second game of the South Padre Island Invitational.

<u>TSU</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>REB</u>	<u>PTS</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
Jones	1-4	0-1	2-3	5	4	1	3	1	0	30
Johnson	2-4	0-0	0-0	0	4	0	1	1	0	10
Moore	3-7	0-0	2-2	8	8	1	4	2	1	33
S. Walker	7-15	1-2	5-6	1	20	0	5	0	2	39
Count	4-11	1-3	2-2	5	11	1	5	0	1	32
Brown	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	9
Cole	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	0	0	0	4
N. Walker	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Smith	1-3	1-2	0-0	1	3	0	4	0	1	17
Norwood	0-1	0-1	0-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Finkenbind	ler0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bell	2-3	0-0	0-1	1	4	0	1	0	0	9
Egwautu	1-2	0-0	1-2	4	3	0	0	0	0	9
Team				6						
Totals	22-53	3-11	12-17	32	59	3	24	4	5	200
	st: 10-2	27/.370		d: 12-2		52	(	Gam	ie:	.415
	st: 2-8/	.250	2ne	d: 1-3	.333		(	Gam	ie:	.273
FT% 1	st: 8-1	1/.727	2no	d: 4-6	.667		(	Gam	ie:	.706
<u>Illinois</u>			FT-A					<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
Randle	3-6	0-0	0-0	3	6	5	1	2	1	24
Pruitt	4-8	0-0	1-5	7	9	0	1	0	1	19
Augustine	6-9	0-0	1-1	6	13	1	2	2	1	21
Brown	5-11	3-8	1-1	6	14	5	1	0	1	25
McBride	3-6	3-6	0-0	0	9	2	1	0	2	17
Hicks	0-0	0-0	2-2	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Frazier	1-3	0-1	2-2	3	4	4	1	0	1	18
Brock	1-3	0-0	1-2	2	3	2	1	0	1	15
Smith	4-9	2-6	2-5	1	12	3	1	0	0	22
Carter	3-9	0-0	5-7	8	11	1	1	0	0	20
Arnold	5-8	0-0	0-0	3	10	0	0	1	0	17
Team				2						
Totals	35-72	8-21	15-25	41	93	23	10	5	7	200
FG% 1	st: 19-3	36/.528	8 2n	d: 16-3	36/.4	44	(	Gam	ie:	.486
3PT% 1	st: 4-14	4/.286	2no	d: 4-7	.571		(	Gam	ie:	.381
FT% 1	st: 4-8/	.500	2ne	d: 11-	17/.64	47	(	Gam	ie:	.600
Score by H	lalves:	<u>1st</u>	2nd	Game						
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Illinois		46	47	93			A:	16,	618	3

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### #15 Illinois 55 Game 4 Wichita State 54

Nov. 25, 2005

#### South Padre Island, Texas

Back in his home state, Warren Carter helped Illinois stay there a little longer.

Carter, a junior from Dallas, hit the winning layup with one second left to give No. 15 Illinois a 55-54 win Friday over Wichita State in the South Padre Island Invitational semifinals.

Illinois (4-0) advanced to Saturday's championship against Rutgers, which beat Kent State 55-52 in Friday's other semifinal.

"Warren made a good catch, took his time and made the basket," Illinois coach Bruce Weber said. "Its a great win for Warren."

Carter, who was open near the basket, scored the last of his eight points after receiving an inbound pass from Rich McBride. It was Illinois' second lead of the second half, after James Augustine's jumper with 4:46 left briefly put Illinois ahead 51-50.

"The coaching staff did a good job of drawing up the play," Carter said. "Dee (Brown) came off the screen so of course the team is going to guard him because he is an All-American. I just got open."

Augustine led Illinois with 14 points and Shaun Pruitt added 10. Paul Miller scored 18 points for Wichita State (3-1), which led for most of the second half after trailing by as many as 11 in the first. Miller also had five rebounds, one steal and was 6-for-8 from the free throw line.

Kyle Wilson's layup with 1:24 left gave Wichita State a 54-53 lead before Carter's winning shot.

Wilson had 10 points for the Shockers, who shot just 35 percent from the field in the second half.

Wichita St.	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>REB</u>	PTS	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	$\underline{\mathbf{B}}$	<u>S</u>	$\underline{\mathbf{M}}$
Couisnard	4-7	1-1	0-3	4	9	2	1	0	1	32
Bradley	1-4	0-1	0-0	4	2	1	2	0	0	28
Braeuer	0-3	0-1	2-2	0	2	3	2	0	2	16
Wilson	3-7	0-1	6-8	5	12	0	3	0	1	30
Miller	6-12	0-0	6-8	5	18	0	2	0	1	30
Martin	1-5	0-0	0-0	3	2	1	2	0	0	19
Preadom	1-2	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0	0	0	11
Young	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	1	0	0	10
Ogirri	2-8	1-4	0-0	4	5	3	2	0	3	24
Team				7						
Totals	19-50	2-8	14-21	33	54	10	15	0	8	200
FG% 1	lst: 11-2	27/.40	7 2n	d: 8-2	3/.34	8	(	Gan	ne:	.380
3PT% 1	lst: 2-5/	.400	2ne	d: 0-3	.000		(	Gan	ne:	.250
FT% 1	lst: 9-14	4/.643	2ne	d: 5-7	7.714		(	Gan	ne:	.667
<u>Illinois</u>	FG-A		FT-A		<u>PTS</u>		<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>M</u>
Randle	3-14	2-9	0-2	2	8	5	5	0	3	38
McBride	3-9	2-6	0-0	3	8	2	1	0	0	34
Augustine	7-14	0-0	0-0	10	14	4	6	1	2	37
Randle	1-3	0-0	2-2	6	4	1	1	1	0	22
Pruitt	5-7	0-0	0-0	7	10	0	1	0	0	22
Frazier	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	2	0	0	0	13
Brock	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	0	1	0	1	0	4
Smith	1-1	1-1	0-0	0	3	1	0	0	1	8
Carter	4-6	0-0	0-0	3	8	0	1	0	0	14
Arnold	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	2	0	1	8
Team				2						
Totals	24-56	5-16	2-4	36	55	16	17	3	7	200
FG% 1	lst: 13-3	33/.39	4 2n	d: 11-	23/.47	78	(	Gan	ne:	.429
3PT% 1	lst: 3-9/	.333	2ne	d: 2-7	.286		(	Gan	ne:	.313
FT% 1	lst: 0-0/	.000	2ne	d: 2-4	/.500		(	Gan	ne:	.500
Score by H	Ialves:	1st	2nd	Game						
Wichita Sta		33	21	54						
Illinois		29	26	55			A:	1,5	00	

### Game 5

### #15 Illinois 77 Rutgers 57

Nov. 26, 2005

#### South Padre Island, Texas

James Augustine was quick to praise his teammates after Illinois' latest win.

Augustine scored 18 points and Brian Randle added 16, leading No. 15 Illinois to a 77-57 victory over Rutgers in the championship game of the South Padre Island Invitational

Augustine, the tournament MVP, was 7-of-9 from the field and had seven rebounds. Rich McBride scored 11 points and Dee Brown added 10 for Illinois.

Shaun Pruitt, who had six points, was the only Illinois starter who didn't score in double figures. Illinois got just 16 points from its bench, but Augustine said reserves still played a key role.

We're making progress each and every game, and I think that's what counts," Augustine said. "I think the bench did a great job today and carried us the whole time. It means a lot to know that your bench can go out there and do the same thing that you do."

Quincy Douby led Rutgers (3-1) with 21 points, and Anthony Farmer had 12.

Illinois shot 51 percent from the field, including 65 percent in the second half. Rutgers shot 26 percent in the first half and finished at 39 percent.

Illinois, which trailed only once early in the game, led by as many as 23 points after having a 38-26 lead at the break.

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<u>Rutgers</u> Webb	0-1	0-1	<u>FT-A</u> 1-2	1	1	2	2	0	<u>S</u>	<u>M</u> 30
Farmer	4-7	0-1	4-5	1	12	0	4	1	0	33
Douby	7-14	3-6	4-5	3	21	0	2	1	1	33
Inman	1-4	0-2	3-5	6	5	0	1	0	0	20
Bailey	0-3	0-2	3-4	2	3	0	0	0	1	14
Hill	2-4	0-0	2-2	5	6	0	0	0	0	11
Mimmo	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3
	0-0	0-0	2-2	4	2	1	2	0	1	20
Joynes Griffin	1-4	0-0	1-2	1	3	0	0	0	0	18
				-	-	-	-	-	-	
Gibson	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	0	0	0	6
Keating	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
Inglis	1-1	0-0	0-0	0	2	0	0	0	0	5
Waterstra	dt 0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Team				2		,	1	_	_	
Totals	17-44	3-12	20-27	26	57	4	13	2	5	200
FG%	1st: 6-23	3/.261	2ne	d: 11-	21/.52	24	(	Gan	ne:	.386
3PT%	1st: 2-9/	.222	2ne	1: 1-3	.333		(	Gan	ne:	.250
FT%	1st: 12-	14/.85	7 2n	l: 8-1	3/.61	5	(	Gan	ne:	.741
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<u>Illinois</u>	FG-A					_		<u>B</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>M</u>
Brown	4-7	0-2	2-2	2	10	4	3	0	0	22
Brown McBride	4-7 4-7	0-2 3-6	2-2 0-0	2 2	10 11	4 2	3 0	0	0	22 30
Brown McBride Augustine	4-7 4-7 7-9	0-2 3-6 0-0	2-2 0-0 4-5	2 2 7	10 11 18	4 2 1	3 0 0	0 0 0	0 0	22 30 25
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Brown McBride Augustine Randle Pruitt	4-7 4-7 7-9 6-8 2-6	0-2 3-6 0-0 1-1 0-0	2-2 0-0 4-5 3-4 2-4	2 2 7 5 7	10 11 18 16 6	4 2 1 1 2	3 0 0 1 1	0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 1 2	22 30 25 32 21
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Brown McBride Augustine Randle Pruitt Hicks Frazier	4-7 4-7 7-9 6-8 2-6 0-0 0-1	0-2 3-6 0-0 1-1 0-0 0-0 0-1	2-2 0-0 4-5 3-4 2-4 2-2 1-3	2 2 7 5 7 0 5	10 11 18 16 6 2 1	4 2 1 1 2 0 2	3 0 0 1 1 0 2	0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 1 2 0	22 30 25 32 21 1
Brown McBride Augustine Randle Pruitt Hicks Frazier Brock	4-7 4-7 7-9 6-8 2-6 0-0 0-1 0-0	0-2 3-6 0-0 1-1 0-0 0-0 0-1 0-0	2-2 0-0 4-5 3-4 2-4 2-2 1-3 0-2	2 2 7 5 7 0 5 1	10 11 18 16 6 2 1 0	4 2 1 1 2 0 2 0	3 0 0 1 1 0 2	0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 1 2 0 1 0	22 30 25 32 21 1 19 5
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#### #12 Illinois 68 Game 6 North Carolina 64 Nov. 29, 2005

Dean Smith Center, Chapel Hill, N.C.

Revenge? Dee Brown and his Illinois teammates found all the incentive they needed in simply getting an early season victory on the road.

The dazzling guard scored 14 points and Brian Randle grabbed a key rebound in the waning seconds, helping the 12th-ranked Illini hold off North Carolina 68-64 in a rematch of the 2005 NCAA championship

James Augustine added 13 points and 13 rebounds for Illinois, which improved to 3-4 in the Big Ten/ACC Challenge. The Illini also snapped the Tar Heels' 21-game home winning streak despite scoring only four points in the final 6 1/2 minutes.

No one expected a true rematch of the final because only seven remaining players on the two teams even played in that game, won 75-70 by the Tar Heels.

Those points came during a 12-0 run to make it 64-62, and after the teams traded baskets, Illinois freshman Jamar Smith missed the front end of a 1and-1 with 17 seconds left. But Randle beat everyone to the rebound and quickly got the ball to Brown, who made two free throws to finally seal the victory.

Illinois also seemed to rally around injured coach Bruce Weber, who broke his ankle a day earlier working in his yard. He hobbled a bit on the sidelines with a protective boot, and used a crutch to travel from the locker room to the sideline.

He watched his team take the lead for good on Randle's 3-pointer to open the second half, and Illinois stayed in control until suddenly losing its shooting touch. Illinois missed five straight shots and had three turnovers in one 5-minute stretch, losing nearly all of a 14-point lead.

<b>Illinois</b>	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	<b>REB</b>	PTS	<u>A</u>	TO	<u>B</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>M</u>
Randle	4-5	2-2	2-4	3	12	1	3	2	2	20
Pruitt	2-2	0-0	0-2	2	4	0	2	0	1	18
Augustine	4-6	0-0	5-6	13	13	3	2	0	3	38
Brown	6-19	0-6	2-3	0	14	3	5	0	2	38
McBride	4-11	3-8	1-1	3	12	5	2	0	1	33
Frazier	0-2	0-1	0-0	2	0	1	0	0	1	14
Brock	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Smith	3-5	3-4	0-1	0	9	1	2	0	0	14
Carter	0-2	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	2	0	1	8
Arnold	2-2	0-0	0-0	2	4	0	0	0	1	15
Team				5						
Totals	25-54	8-21	10-17	33	68	14	18	2	12	200
FG%	1st: 14-3	30/.46	7 2nd	d: 11-2	24/.45	58	(	Gan	ne:	.463
3PT%	1st: 2-10	0/.200	2nd	d: 6-1	1/.545	5	(	Gan	ne:	.381
FT%	1st: 5-7/	.714	2nd	d: 5-10	0/.500	)	(	Gan	ne:	.588
UNC	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	<u>REB</u>	PTS	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
Terry	3-11	0-4	0-0	3	6	0	1	1	0	23
Noel	4-8	0-2	4-4	5	12	3	4	1	2	36
Hansbroug	gh 4-8	0-0	9-11	6	17	2	3	0	2	31
Ginyard	6-11	1-2	1-2	3	14	1	3	0	4	32
Frasor	3-6	1-3	0-1	1	7	2	2	0	3	34
Green	2-5	0-2	1-2	3	5	2	2	3	1	20
Miller	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	2	0	0	0	14
Sanders	1-2	0-0	1-3	2	3	0	1	0	0	10
Team				6						
Totals	23-51	2-13	16-23	29	64	12	16	5	12	200
FG%	1st: 15-2	27/.55	5 2nd	d: 8-2	4/.333	3	(	Gan	ne:	.451
3PT%	1st: 0-4/	.000	2no	d: 2-9/	.222		(	Gan	ne:	.154
FT%	1st: 5-7/	.714	2nd	d: 11-	16/.68	38	(	Gan	ne:	.696
Score by F	Halves:	<u>1st</u>	2nd	Game						
Illinois		35	33	68						
North Car	olina	35	29	64			A:	21,	273	3
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### Game 7

#12 Illinois 65 Xavier 62

Dec. 3, 2005

United Center, Chicago, III.

Dee Brown and James Augustine carried the scoring load and Marcus Arnold's inspired play off the bench late in the second half helped the No. 12 Illini rally from an early 15-point deficit to defeat Xavier 65-62.

Augustine scored 23 points to tie his career high and Brown had 20, but Arnold scored seven points and grabbed a pair of key rebounds. He tied the game 53-53 and then converted a 3-point play to give the Illini a 56-53 lead with 5:10 to go.

Xavier built a 19-4 lead and led 36-26 at halftime. But Illinois, which has now won 15 in a row at the United Center, came out of the locker room with a 15-4 run.

Augustine's 3-point play gave Illinois its first lead, 41-40, with 12:31 to go. Xavier scored six straight points and looked like it might take control again, but fouls got the Musketeers into trouble.

Their leading scorer, Brian Thornton, fouled out when he fouled Arnold with 5:10 left and three other players ended the game with four fouls. Thornton, who had been averaging 20 points, finished with nine.

The Musketeers were led by Justin Cage's 15 points. Justin Doellman scored 12 and Stanley Burrell had 11. Xavier shot 60 percent in the first half, but dropped off in the second half to finish with 48 percent.

Illinois had major trouble getting started. The Illini turned the ball over on their first two possessions and missed their first nine shots. Meanwhile, the Musketeers hit five of their first eight to build a 12-0 lead

Xavier	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	ТО	В	S	M
Cage	6-9	0-1	3-5	4	15	3	3	2	2	36
Doellman	4-8	3-6	1-2	5	12	2	1	0	0	27
Thornton	4-6	0-0	1-2	4	9	2	3	0	0	26
Finn	1-3	0-0	0-0	1	2	2	3	0	1	32
Burrell	4-14	3-7	0-0	3	11	3	4	0	0	36
Duncan	1-2	1-1	0-0	3	3	3	0	0	2	15
Raymond	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2
Wolf	0-2	0-1	0-2	1	0	3	0	0	0	10
Caudle	4-6	0-0	2-2	5	10	0	1	1	1	16
Team				5						
Totals	24-50	7-16	7-13	33	62	19	15	3	6	200
FG%	1st: 15-2	26/.57	7 2n	d: 9-2	4/.37	5	(	Gan	ne:	.480
3PT%	1st: 6-8/	.750	2n	d: 1-8	1.125		(	Gan	ne:	.438
FT%	1st: 0-0/			d: 7-1		8				.538
Illinois		<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>REB</u>		<u>A</u>		<u>B</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>M</u>
Augustine	7-9	0-0	9-16	7	23	0	2	1	2	40
Randle	3-5	0-2	0-0	3	6	1	2	1	2	31
Pruitt	0-2	0-0	0-2	4	0	0	1	0	0	17
Brown	4-16	3-10	9-10	5	20	7	2	1	3	37
McBride	1-7	1-4	0-0	3	3	2	1	0	0	33
Frazier	0-2	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	1	0	0	10
Smith	2-3	2-3	0-0	0	6	1	1	0	1	14
Carter	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Arnold	3-4	0-0	1-3	6	7	0	0	1	0	16
Team				3						
Totals	20-49	6-21	19-31	31	65	11	12	4	8	200
FG%	1st: 9-25	5/.360	2n	d: 11-2	24/.4	58	(	Gan	ne:	.408
3PT%	1st: 2-9/	.222	2n	d: 4-12	2/.33	3	(	Gan	ne:	.286
FT%	1st: 6-8/	.750	2n	d: 13-2	23/.50	65	(	Gan	ne:	.613
Score by I	Talves:	1st	2nd	Game	:					
Xavier		36	26	62						
Illinois		26	39	65			A:	19,	833	3

### Game 8 #11 Illinois 75 Arkansas-Little Rock 49 Dec. 5, 2005

#### Assembly Hall, Champaign, Ill.

Freshman reserve Jamar Smith hit six 3-pointers and had a career-high 23 points to lift No. 11 Illinois to a 75-49 victory over Arkansas-Little Rock.

Smith was 8-of-10 from the field and had three assists and two steals. He scored seven points and had an assist during a 20-0 second-half run that broke the game open.

Illinois (8-0) had just seen Arkansas-Little Rock (3-3) run off seven straight points to cut its deficit to 41-39. After Dee Brown hit a free throw and Brian Randle a layup, Smith got a pass from Brown and hit a three that brought the crowd to its feet.

The next time down the floor, Smith sent an alleyoop pass that Randle dunked to put the Illini up 49-39. He scored five more points before leaving to a standing ovation with 1:48 left and Illinois on its way to its 25th straight win at the Assembly Hall.

James Augustine scored 12 points for Illinois. Randle and Warren Carter each added 11 points, and Brown had six points, 10 assists and five rebounds.

Lekheythan Malone scored 12 of his 17 points in the first half for Arkansas-Little Rock, but he spent much of the second half on the bench in foul trouble. Elijah Muldrow added 10 points for the Trojans.

The Illini used a 10-0 run to take a 14-6 lead and led 20-12 after Randle put in a rebound with 7:48 to go in the first half. But the Trojans came back with a 9-3 run and closed within 27-26 with 2:22 to go on Muldrow's 3-pointer.

<u>UALR</u> Malone	<u>FG-A</u> 7-14	<u>3P-A</u> 3-4	FT-A 0-0	<u>REB</u>	<u>PTS</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>M</u> 27
Jones-Jenni		0-0	0-4	9	8	1	2	0	0	36
Muldrow	2-7	2-5	4-4	1	10	2	1	1	1	28
Wright	2-10	0-1	1-4	8	5	3	6	0	2	39
Harding	1-4	0-2	0-0	1	2	3	3	0	0	26
Eggins	0-3	0-1	0-0	2	0	0	2	0	0	21
Razz	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Thornton	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Ray	3-3	0-0	1-2	4	7	0	0	0	1	15
Nichols	0-2	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Team				2						
Totals	19-53	5-14	6-14	28	49	9	16	1	4	200
FG%	1st: 12-2	28/.429	9 2nd	d: 7-2	5/.280	)	(	Gan	ne:	.358
3PT%	1st: 3-8/	.375	2ne	d: 2-6	1.333		(	Gan	ne:	.357
FT%	1st: 1-2/	.500	2ne	d: 5-12	2/.417	7	(	Gan	ne:	.429
<b>Illinois</b>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	REB	<u>PTS</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
Randle	5-7	0-1	1-4	6	11	2	1	1	0	28
Pruitt	1-1	0-0	3-4	8	5	0	1	1	1	21
Augustine	4-8	0-0	4-6	7	12	0	1	0	0	33
Brown	2-8	1-5	1-2	5	6	10	4	0	1	35
McBride	0-6	0-4	2-2	3	2	1	1	0	1	22
Hicks	0-1	0-1	1-2	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
Brock	1-2	0-1	0-1	2	2	0	0	0	0	7
Smith	8-10	6-8	1-2	2	23	3	2	0	2	28
Carter	4-7	0-0	3-4	4	11	0	0	2	1	13
Arnold	1-3	0-0	0-1	2	2	0	1	0	0	11
Team				2						
Totals	20-49	6-21	19-31	31	65	11	12	4	8	200
FG%	1st: 12-2	27/.444	4 2no	d: 14-2	26/.53	38	(	Gan	ie:	.491
	1st: 4-12			d: 3-8			(	Gan	ne:	.350
FT%	1st: 4-8/	.500		d: 12-		00				.571
Score by H		<u>1st</u>		Game						
Arkansas-Lit	tle Rock	28	21	49						
Illinois		32	43	75			A:	16,	618	3

# Game 9

#11 Illinois 58 Georgetown 48 Dec. 8, 2005

Assembly Hall, Champaign, III.

Dee Brown scored 16 points and Illinois' defense made up for a poor shooting night as the 11th-ranked Illini won their ninth straight to open the season, 58-48 over Georgetown.

Brown made two layups midway through the second half that boosted Illinois' lead to 14 points and stalled Georgetown's comeback attempt. The Hoyas (3-2), who were down 15 points at halftime, rallied behind Jeff Green, who scored 19 of his 21 points in the second half.

But Georgetown ran out of time. After closing to 52-44 on Ashanti Cook's 3-pointer with 1:10 to go, the Hoyas missed three straight shots, were forced to foul and the Illini converted all six free throws before Green scored four points in the final seconds.

James Augustine got his fourth double-double of the season for Illinois with 10 points and 13 rebounds. Cook scored 10 points for the Hoyas.

Illinois was only 9-of-25 from the field in the second half and finished the game shooting a paltry 32 percent. They were helped by nine 3-pointers.

Illinois scored the first 10 points of the game and then held the Hoyas to five first-half baskets.

Illini coach Bruce Weber, still hobbled by a broken left ankle, was waving his arms early exhorting his players and applauding their defensive play as Georgetown missed its first six shots and eight of its first 10 on their way shooting 38 percent.

The Hoyas closed within 12-7 with 10:59 to go in the half but the Illini tightened up their defense again and forced Georgetown to miss nine straight shots and turn the ball over four times over the next 9:02. Illinois took a 25-11 lead and was up 28-13 at half-time.

Georgetow	m FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>REB</u>	<u>PTS</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
Bowman	1-6	0-2	1-2	4	3	0	2	1	1	21
Green	8-12	2-4	3-7	7	21	1	0	0	0	38
Hibbert	2-9	0-0	0-0	7	4	2	1	6	0	33
Cook	4-10	2-7	0-0	1	10	3	0	0	1	38
Wallace	1-3	1-2	0-0	1	3	3	4	0	0	22
Owens	3-8	0-2	0-0	5	6	2	1	1	1	29
Sapp	0-1	0-1	1-2	0	2	0	0	0	0	7
Crawford	0-1	0-0	0-0	4	0	0	1	0	0	12
Team				2			1			
Totals	19-50	5-18	5-11	31	48	11	10	8	3	200
FG%	1st: 5-22			d: 14-2			(	Gam	ie: .	.380
3PT%	1st: 1-7/	.143	2no	d: 4-1	1/.364	í	(	Gam	ie: .	.278
FT%	1st: 2-4/	.500	2no	d: 3-7/	1.429		(	Gam	ıe: .	.455
<u>Illinois</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>REB</u>	<u>PTS</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
Randle	3-11	0-3	2-2	9	8	1	2	0	0	29
Pruitt	1-6	0-0	1-1	3	3	0	0	1	0	13
Augustine	4-10	0-0	2-3	13	10	2	1	1	2	37
Brown	5-16	2-7	4-5	3	16	3	3	0	0	39
McBride	2-5	2-3	2-2	3	8	0	0	0	0	32
Smith	3-7	3-5	0-0	2	9	0	1	1	0	21
Carter	1-4	0-0	0-1	2	2	0	0	0	0	7
Arnold	1-3	0-0	0-0	6	2	0	0	1	0	22
Team				3			3			
Totals	20-62	7-18	11-14	44	58	6	10	4	2	200
FG%	1st: 11-3			d: 9-2		)				.323
3PT%	1st: 5-12			d: 2-6/						.389
FT%	1st: 1-1/	1.000	2no	d: 10-	13/.70	59	(	Gam	ıe: .	.786
Score by I	Halves:	<u>1st</u>	2nd	Game						
Georgetov	vn	13	35	48						
Illinois		28	30	58			A:	16,	618	3

# Game 10

### #11 Illinois 89 Oregon 59

Dec. 10, 2005

Rose Garden, Portland, Ore.

Playing its 10th game in 23 days, Illinois coach Bruce Weber didn't know exactly what to expect from

However, the 11th-ranked Fighting Illini showed no signs of fatigue as Dee Brown had 26 points and seven assists in an 89-59 win over Oregon. Brown hit 9 of 15 shots, including five 3s in his best performance

"After all this travel and all these games, I did not anticipate this," Weber said. "I was just hoping we could gut out a win. This really surprised me.

Rich McBride had 13 points and James Augustine added eight points and 11 rebounds for the Illini, who improved to 10-0.

Reserve forward Ivan Johnson tied a career-high with 16 points to lead the Ducks (4-3). Malik Hairston added 12 for Oregon, which shot just 35 percent from the field, including 26 percent in the first half.

The Ducks struggled against an Illinois defense that forced 13 turnovers and shut off the middle early. The Illini were up 12-6 in the first half when a flurry of 3s quickly doubled their lead. Brown hit two 3pointers and Rich McBride had added two more as Îllinois went up 24-11.

As the Illini began to sprint away, the Ducks hurt their cause by forcing up bad shots. Oregon missed all seven of its first-half 3-pointers, while Brown knocked down two more 3s to make it 34-18.

The strong shooting continued into the second half for Illinois with Brown directing the offense with pinpoint efficiency.

<u>Illinois</u>	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	$\underline{\mathbf{A}}$	<u>TO</u>	$\underline{\mathbf{B}}$	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
Randle	4-8	0-1	1-2	7	9	0	1	0	1	26
Pruitt	3-5	0-0	2-3	7	8	1	2	1	2	14
Augustine	4-7	0-0	0-0	11	8	1	1	0	1	33
Brown	9-15	5-8	3-4	4	26	7	2	0	1	34
McBride	5-12	3-10	0-0	2	13	2	1	0	0	28
Hicks	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Brock	2-4	0-1	0-0	0	4	0	0	0	1	4
Smith	2-3	2-3	4-4	3	10	3	3	0	0	24
Carter	0-3	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	1	1	0	12
Arnold	5-10	0-0	1-3	8	11	0	1	2	1	23
Team				1						
Totals	34-67	10-23	11-16	45	89	14	12	4	7	200
FG%	1st: 16-3	35/.45	7 2ne	d: 18-	32/.50	53	(	Gan	ne:	.507
3PT%	1st: 6-14	4/.429	2ne	d: 4-9	/.444		(	Gan	ne:	.435
FT%	1st: 2-3/	.667	2ne	d: 9-1.	3/.692	2	(	Gan	ne:	.688
Oregon	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	Α	то	В	S	M
Hairston	5-10	1-3	1-1	4	12	0	4	0	1	30
Leunen	1-2	0-1	1-2	8	3	2	2	0	0	25
Schafer	1-2	0-0	1-3	2	3	0	1	0	0	12
Brooks	1-7	0-4	6-7	2	8	3	3	0	2	34
Taylor	3-14	0-3	3-4	1	9	1	0	0	2	28
Kent	0-1	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	1	1	1	10
Short	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Love	1-2	1-1	0-0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3
Lincoln	0-2	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0	0	0	10
Oguchi	1-5	1-5	2-4	2	5	1	0	0	0	12
Zahn	0-2	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	1	1	0	9
Johnson	7-10	0-0	2-5	3	16	0	1	1	2	24
Team				3			3			
Totals	20-57	3-17	16-26	29	59	8	13	3	8	200
FG%	1st: 6-23	3/.261	2ne	d: 14-	34/.4	12	(	Gan	ne:	.351
3PT%	1st: 0-7/	.000	2ne	d: 3-10	0/.300	)	(	Gan	ie:	.176
FT%	1st: 10-	16/.62	5 2n	d: 6-10	0/.600	)	(	Gan	ie:	.615
Score by 1	Halves:	1st	2nd	Game	2					
Illinois		40	49	89						

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A: 15,109

Oregon

#### Game 11 #9 Illinois 61

Coppin State 42

Dec. 18, 2005

Assembly Hall, Champaign, Ill. Illinois' Bruce Weber wasn't as happy as the coach

of an 11-0 team might be expected to be.

The ninth-ranked Illini's sluggish offense in a 61-42 victory over Coppin State could have had something to do with it.

James Augustine had 15 points and nine rebounds to lead Illinois, which broke the game open with an 18-4 run after Coppin State (0-8) had cut a 14-point

Augustine's three-point play started the run after the Eagles had closed within 29-22 with 15:17 to go. He had a layup and another three-point play as the Illini pushed their lead to 50-28 with 7:25 left.

Coppin State coach Fang Mitchell said he knew his team couldn't keep up with Illinois in a fast-break game so he concentrated on slowing things down to limit Illini possessions.

Illinois led 24-7 after Brown hit a 3-pointer with 5:41 to go in the first half, but the Illini failed to score for the rest of the half and the Eagles put together a 12-5 run that lasted 4:43 into the second half.

But Augustine got free for a fast-break layup with 15:12 left and converted a free throw to start the decisive run, which also included 3-pointers from Rich McBride and Calvin Brock and a basket from Jamar

Smith scored 10 points and McBride had nine for the Illini, while Dee Brown had eight points and seven

Coppin St. FG-A 3P-A FT-A REB PTS A TO B S M

Darryl Proctor scored 14 points and Tywain McKee added 13 for Coppin State.

Coppin St			<u>F1-A</u>	<u>KEB</u>	<u>P15</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
Proctor	5-9	1-3	3-9	7	14	0	3	0	0	35
Chesnut	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	2	0	0	8
Roberts	2-8	2-6	1-2	1	7	1	1	0	0	34
McKee	6-13	1-2	0-2	3	13	3	2	0	1	37
Woodlin	0-5	0-3	0-0	3	0	0	0	0	1	28
Ivey	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Otis	0-6	0-3	0-0	0	0	2	0	0	1	13
Bell	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4
Miller	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Norwood	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	10
Harrison	3-5	0-0	0-0	1	6	0	0	0	0	23
Pressey	1-1	0-0	0-0	1	2	0	0	0	0	4
Team				2			1			
Totals	17-50	4-18	4-13	22	42	6	9	0	4	200
FG%	1st: 5-2	1/.238	2ne	d: 12-2	29/.4	14	(	Gam	ie:	.340
3PT%	1st: 1-9/	.111	2ne	d: 3-9/	.333		(	Gam	ie:	.222
FT%	1st: 1-8/	.125	2ne	d: 3-5/	.600		(	Gam	ie:	.308
<u>Illinois</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>REB</u>	<u>PTS</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>M</u>
<u>Illinois</u> Carter	<u>FG-A</u> 3-5	<u>3P-A</u> 0-0	<u>FT-A</u> 1-2	<u>REB</u> 6	<u>PTS</u> 7	<u>A</u> 1	<u>TO</u> 1	<u>B</u> 2	<u>S</u> 0	<u>M</u> 19
								_	_	_
Carter	3-5 0-0	0-0	1-2	6	7	1	1	2	0	19
Carter Pruitt	3-5 0-0	0-0 0-0	1-2 4-6	6	7 4	1	1	2 0	0	19 24
Carter Pruitt Augustine	3-5 0-0 5-7	0-0 0-0 0-0	1-2 4-6 5-5	6 2 9	7 4 15 8 9	1 0 3	1 0 2	2 0 1	0 0 2	19 24 31 35 29
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2	6 2 9 2	7 4 15 8 9 0	1 0 3 7 0 0	1 0 2 1 4 0	2 0 1 0	0 0 2 0	19 24 31 35 29 3
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7 3-8	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6 3-8	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2 0-0	6 2 9 2 1 0 6	7 4 15 8 9	1 0 3 7 0 0 2	1 0 2 1 4 0 2	2 0 1 0 0	0 0 2 0 0	19 24 31 35 29 3 20
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride Hicks	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7 3-8 0-0	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6 3-8 0-0	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2 0-0 0-0	6 2 9 2 1 0	7 4 15 8 9 0 6 10	1 0 3 7 0 0 2 2	1 0 2 1 4 0 2 6	2 0 1 0 0 0	0 0 2 0 0 0	19 24 31 35 29 3
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride Hicks Brock Smith Arnold	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7 3-8 0-0 2-5	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6 3-8 0-0 1-2	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2 0-0 0-0 1-2	6 2 9 2 1 0 6 5	7 4 15 8 9 0 6	1 0 3 7 0 0 2	1 0 2 1 4 0 2	2 0 1 0 0 0	0 0 2 0 0 0	19 24 31 35 29 3 20
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride Hicks Brock Smith Arnold Team	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7 3-8 0-0 2-5 4-7 1-1	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6 3-8 0-0 1-2 2-5 0-0	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2 0-0 0-0 1-2 0-0 0-1	6 2 9 2 1 0 6 5 1	7 4 15 8 9 0 6 10 2	1 0 3 7 0 0 2 2 0	1 0 2 1 4 0 2 6 0	0 1 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1	19 24 31 35 29 3 20 27 12
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride Hicks Brock Smith Arnold	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7 3-8 0-0 2-5 4-7	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6 3-8 0-0 1-2 2-5 0-0	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2 0-0 0-0 1-2 0-0	6 2 9 2 1 0 6 5	7 4 15 8 9 0 6 10	1 0 3 7 0 0 2 2 0	1 0 2 1 4 0 2 6	2 0 1 0 0 0 0	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 1	19 24 31 35 29 3 20 27
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride Hicks Brock Smith Arnold Team Totals	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7 3-8 0-0 2-5 4-7 1-1	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6 3-8 0-0 1-2 2-5 0-0	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2 0-0 0-0 1-2 0-0 0-1 13-18	6 2 9 2 1 0 6 5 1 1 33	7 4 15 8 9 0 6 10 2 61	1 0 3 7 0 0 2 2 0	1 0 2 1 4 0 2 6 0	2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	19 24 31 35 29 3 20 27 12
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride Hicks Brock Smith Arnold Team Totals FG% 3PT%	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7 3-8 0-0 2-5 4-7 1-1 20-40	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6 3-8 0-0 1-2 2-5 0-0 8-21	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2 0-0 0-0 1-2 0-0 0-1 13-18	6 2 9 2 1 0 6 5 1 1 33	7 4 15 8 9 0 6 10 2 61	1 0 3 7 0 0 2 2 0	1 0 2 1 4 0 2 6 0	0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	19 24 31 35 29 3 20 27 12
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride Hicks Brock Smith Arnold Team Totals	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7 3-8 0-0 2-5 4-7 1-1 20-40 1st: 8-18	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6 3-8 0-0 1-2 2-5 0-0 8-21 8/.444 1/.364	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2 0-0 0-0 1-2 0-0 0-1 13-18	6 2 9 2 1 0 6 5 1 1 33	7 4 15 8 9 0 6 10 2 61 22/.54	1 0 3 7 0 0 2 2 0	1 0 2 1 4 0 2 6 0	2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 Gam	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	19 24 31 35 29 3 20 27 12 200 500
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride Hicks Brock Smith Arnold Team Totals FG% 3PT% FT% Score by 1	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7 3-8 0-0 2-5 4-7 1-1 20-40 1st: 8-18 1st: 4-1 1st: 4-6/	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6 3-8 0-0 1-2 2-5 0-0 8-21 8/.444 1/.364 2.667 <u>1st</u>	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2 0-0 0-0 1-2 0-0 0-1 13-18 2nd 2nd	6 2 9 2 1 0 6 5 1 1 33 d: 12-2 d: 4-10 d: 9-12	7 4 15 8 9 0 6 10 2 61 222/.5-0 61 222/.5-750	1 0 3 7 0 0 2 2 0	1 0 2 1 4 0 2 6 0	2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 Gam	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	19 24 31 35 29 3 20 27 12 200 .500 .381
Carter Pruitt Augustine Brown McBride Hicks Brock Smith Arnold Team Totals FG% 3PT% FT%	3-5 0-0 5-7 2-7 3-8 0-0 2-5 4-7 1-1 20-40 1st: 8-18 1st: 4-1 1st: 4-6/	0-0 0-0 0-0 2-6 3-8 0-0 1-2 2-5 0-0 8-21 8/.444 1/.364	1-2 4-6 5-5 2-2 0-0 0-0 1-2 0-0 0-1 13-18 2nd 2nd	6 2 9 2 1 0 6 5 1 1 33 d: 12-2 d: 4-10	7 4 15 8 9 0 6 10 2 61 222/.5-0 61 222/.5-750	1 0 3 7 0 0 2 2 0 15	1 0 2 1 4 0 2 6 0	2 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 Gam	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 3	19 24 31 35 29 3 20 27 12 200 .500 .381

### Game 12

#6 Illinois 82 Missouri 50

Dec. 21, 2005

Savvis Center, St. Louis, Mo.

In its first trip to town since last year's Final Four, Illinois got big games from its tournament holdovers.

Dee Brown had 17 points, seven assists and two steals and James Augustine added 12 points, eight rebounds and three steals in the sixth-ranked Illini's 82-50 rout of Missouri in St. Louis.

Illinois (12-0) won by the most lopsided margin in the 25-year history of the neutral-court "Braggin' Rights" series.

The sold-out game was played in an arena across downtown from the domed stadium where the Illini lost to North Carolina in the 2005 national champi-

The Fighting Illini's superior quickness had Missouri (4-4) on the run from the start and the game was over by halftime when the lead was 18 points. It grew to as many as 34 near the end as Illinois won its sixth straight in the series and raised its overall record to 17-8. The previous highest winning margin was 22 points by Illinois in 1980.

Jimmy McKinney had 11 points for Missouri, which got an off-night from Thomas Gardner. Gardner, who leads the Big 12 with a 22-point average, was held to a season-worst six points on 2-for-12 shooting. Gardner wasn't the only one struggling: Missouri shot 35 percent and committed a seasonworst 21 turnovers.

Brian Randle returned to the Illinois lineup after missing a game with a sprained right ankle and added 13 points and six rebounds, while Marcus Arnold had 13 points. Randle also led the defensive effort against Gardner.

<u>Illinois</u>	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	<b>REB</b>	PTS	$\underline{\mathbf{A}}$	TO	<u>B</u>	<u>S</u>	M
Augustine	6-11	0-0	0-0	8	12	3	3	0	3	30
Randle	4-7	0-2	5-8	6	13	2	3	0	1	27
Pruitt	2-5	0-0	1-2	4	5	0	2	1	0	20
Brown	5-11	4-7	3-5	4	17	7	0	0	2	36
McBride	2-6	1-4	0-0	2	5	4	3	0	3	33
Hicks	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Brock	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Smith	3-5	2-3	0-0	2	8	2	1	0	1	20
Carter	2-2	1-1	4-4	2	9	1	0	0	0	9
Arnold	5-11	0-0	3-5	5	13	0	0	0	1	19
Team				8						
Totals	29-60	8-18	16-24	41	82	19	12	1	11	200
FG%	lst: 15-2	29/.517	7 2n	d: 14-3	31/.45	52	(	Gan	ne:	.483
3PT%	lst: 5-12	2/.417	2ne	d: 3-6/	.500		(	Gan	ne:	.444
FT%	lst: 4-7/	.571	2ne	d: 12-	17/.70	06	(	Gan	ne:	.667
Missouri		<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A		<u>PTS</u>			<u>B</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>M</u>
Brown	3-10	0-1	0-1	9	6	2	3	0	0	27
Young	3-6	0-0	0-0	6	6	0	0	2	0	23
McKinney	4-13	0-2	3-3	3	11	2	3	0	2	31
Gardner	2-12	2-7	0-0	2	6	0	5	0	0	27
Horton	4-7	1-2	0-1	2	9	2	4	0	0	35
Douglas	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1	0	0	5
Lyons	1-3	0-1	1-2	1	3	0	2	2	0	10
Watkins	2-2	0-0	0-0	0	4	0	1	0	1	11
Dandridge	0-1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Lawrence	0-3	0-3	0-0	2	0	0	0	0	1	12
Grimes	2-3	0-0	1-4	7	5	0	2	0	1	17
Team				4						
Totals	21-60	3-17	5-11	36	50	7	21	4	5	200
FG%	lst: 9-28	3/.321	2ne	d: 12-	32/.33	75	(	Gan	ne:	.350
3PT%	lst: 3-9/	.333	2ne	d: 0-8	.000					.176
D / ·	lst: 0-0/			d: 5-1		5				.455
Score by H	Inlyse:	1st	2nd	Game						
Illinois	iaives.	39	43	82						
Missouri		21	29	50		Λ	: 22,	153		
wiissouri		21	29	50		Λ	. 44,	1)3	,	

### Game 13 #6 Illinois 89 Southeast Missouri State 64 Dec. 28, 2005

Assembly Hall, Champaign, Ill.

Only 2 seconds remained before halftime and Illinois had already seen a 15-point lead shrink to three. Dee Brown grabbed the inbounds pass and raced to midcourt where he let fly from about 40 feet away.

"I just threw it up and prayed for it to go in, and it went in," Brown said after the sixth-ranked Illini beat Southeast Missouri State 89-64. "It was big momentum for us going into halftime."

The basket extended Illinois lead to 38-29, the Illini came out of the locker room energized and went on to their 13th straight victory to start the season.

Brown scored 16 points and made two diving saves that led directly to baskets. Early in the game, he dove into the defensive corner and scooped the ball back to Warren Carter who got it back to Brown. Brown then sent a pass to Jamar Smith, who hit a 3-pointer.

In the second half, Brown dove over the midcourt line and into the courtside seats to save a ball. He got it to Smith who found Rich McBride for another 3 that gave the Illini a 16-point lead.

Southeast Missouri fought off an 0-for-6 start and trimmed a 20-5 Illini lead to 27-24 when Ketschner Guerrier hit a jumper with 11:42 to go in the first half.

But Smith's 3-pointer stopped the outburst and the Illini stretched their lead when Brown scored the final five points of the half, the last three on the buzzer-beater. He hit another 3-pointer with 17:27 left in the game that started a 13-2 Illinois run.

Smith and Carter scored 14 points each off the bench, and James Augustine added 12 and eight rebounds for Illinois. Smith was 4-for-4 from 3-point range and Carter grabbed seven rebounds to help the Illini to a 48-24 edge on the boards.

SEMO	FG-A	3P-A	FT-A	REB	PTS	Α	ТО	В	S	M	
Thornton	4-8	0-1	2-2	7	10	1	0	0	1	29	
Guerrier	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	2	2	1	2	0	18	
Paradoski	1-3	1-2	0-0	2	3	6	0	0	2	29	
Burtin	4-9	2-5	0-0	1	10	1	2	0	1	23	
Booker	8-20	3-10	7-9	1	26	2	4	0	0	37	
Willoughl	oy 4-12	1-7	0-0	5	9	2	0	0	0	32	
Jones	0-4	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	0	1	0	10	
Francis	2-3	0-0	0-0	4	4	1	1	0	0	22	
Team				1			1				
Totals	24-62	7-26	9-11	24	64	15	9	3	4	200	
FG%	1st: 11-2	29/.37	9 2n	d: 13-	33/.3	94	(	Gan	ne:	.387	
3PT%	1st: 4-1	5/.267	2n	d: 3-1	1/.27	3	(	Gan	ne:	.269	
FT%	1st: 3-4/	.750	2n	d: 6-7	/.857		Game: .818				
Illinois	EC A	3D Δ	FT-A	REB	DTC	Δ	то	В	S	M	
Randle	4-9	0-2	1-2	9	9	2	3	1	1	26	
Pruitt	4-6	0-2	0-1	6	8	0	0	0	0	19	
Augustine		0-0	2-2	8	12	3	1	3	0	25	
Brown	6-17	3-9	1-1	2	16	5	2	0	0	29	
McBride	2-4	2-3	0-0	0	6	1	1	0	1	24	
Hicks	0-0	0-0	1-2	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	
Frazier	0-0	0-0	0-0	5	0	5	0	0	1	13	
Brock	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	0	8	
Smith	5-5	4-4	0-0	2	14	2	2	0	0	20	
Carter	6-11	0-0	2-3	7	14	0	1	0	0	18	
Arnold	4-9	0-0	1-1	4	9	0	1	0	0	16	
Team	1 )	0 0		4		0	1	Ü	0	10	
Totals	36-71	9-18	8-12	48	89	19	12	4	3	200	
FG%	1st: 15-3	221 65	s 2	d: 21-	20/5	= 2	,	٦		507	
3PT%	1st: 13-3			d: 21 d: 3-6.		))	Game: .507 Game: .500				
51'1% FT%	1st: 6-12 1st: 2-3/										
г1%	1st: 2-3/	.00/	Zn	d: 6-9	.66/		(	Jan	ıe:	.667	
Score by Halves:1st2ndGameSE Missouri State293564											

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# Game 14 #6 Illinois 84 Tennessee-Martin 46 Dec. 30, 2005

Assembly Hall, Champaign, III.

Rebound by rebound, the Illinois fans counted along silently. When James Augustine grabbed his 11th, the applause rippled from the top of the Assembly Hall even though there was no immediate announcement that he had set a school record.

Augustine's grab of a missed layup with 10:51 to play in the sixth-ranked Illini's 84-46 rout of Tennessee-Martin was the 854th of his career, passing Efrem Winters who played from 1983-86.

Augustine scored 19 points and Rich McBride added 21, all on 3-pointers, to lead Illinois

Weber says he will push Augustine, who scored his 1,000th career point earlier in the season, to also reach 1,000 rebounds before the end of the season.

Augustine was just as effective from the field as he was on the glass. He hit eight of nine shots, made three free throws and added two assists and a steal. The double-double was Augustine's fourth of the season and 21st of his career.

Tennessee-Martin was outclassed from the opening tip. McBride hit his first 3 just 33 seconds into the game and Illinois was up 17-0 before Bubba Tolliver finally put the Skyhawks in the scorebook with a free throw with 14:45 left in the half.

Augustine had a dunk and layup to start another 10-0 run. Tennessee-Martin trailed 47-15 at halftime after going 4-of-22 from the field.

Tennessee-Martin didn't make its first field goal until Justin Flatt hit a 3-pointer with 9:14 to go in the half

McBride was 7-of-10 from 3-point range, a career high, as Illinois won its 29th straight at home.

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UT-Martin	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>REB</u>	<u>PTS</u>	<u>A</u>	<u>TO</u>	$\underline{\mathbf{B}}$	<u>S</u>	$\underline{\mathbf{M}}$		
Thompson	n 4-10	0-0	3-5	3	11	0	2	0	3	25		
Jones	1-4	0-0	0-1	3	2	0	2	1	0	17		
Woodfork	0-3	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	3	1	0	25		
Newson	5-12	0-1	3-4	8	13	0	3	0	1	34		
Kelly	3-13	0-5	2-2	2	8	2	5	0	0	34		
Knight	0-1	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	0	0	0	11		
Lewis	0-2	0-0	0-0	3	0	0	3	0	0	12		
Ferrell	0-1	0-1	0-0	2	0	3	0	0	0	12		
Flatt	3-6	3-5	0-0	0	9	0	1	0	0	15		
Tolliver	1-3	0-1	1-2	0	3	2	4	0	3	13		
Dorse	0-0	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Ingram	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Team				5								
Totals	17-55	3-13	9-14	32	46	7	23	2	7	200		
FG%	1st: 4-2	2/.182	2n	d: 13-3	33/.3	94	(	Gan	ne:	.309		
3PT%	1st: 1-5	/.200	2n	d: 2-8/	.250		Game: .231					
FT%	1st: 6-8	/.750	2n	d: 3-6/	.500		(	Gan	ne:	.643		
Illinois	EC A	3P-A	ет л	DED	DTC	٨	то	В	c	M		
Augustine		0-0	3-8	11	19	2	1	0	1	25		
Randle	2-6	0-2	0-1	3	4	3	1	0	0	21		
Pruitt	3-6	0-0	1-1	9	7	0	4	0	1	23		
Brown	2-5	1-2	0-0	1	5	10	3	0	2	25		
McBride	7-12	7-10	0-0	4	21	1	2	0	2	24		
Hicks	2-2	0-0	0-0	0	4	0	0	0	0	2		
Frazier	0-2	0-2	1-4	0	1	8	1	0	1	22		
Brock	1-4	0-1	0-0	9	2	1	3	0	1	14		
Smith	3-8	3-7	2-2	1	11	0	0	0	0	21		
Carter	3-6	0-1	0-0	3	6	0	0	0	1	15		
Arnold	2-2	0-0	0-0	0	4	0	1	1	0	8		
Team		0 0	0 0	1	•	Ů	-	•				
Totals	33-62	11-25	7-16	42	84	25	16	1	9	200		
FG%	1st: 19-	30/ 63:	3 2n	d- 14-	32/4	38	(	Gan	ne.	.532		
3PT%	1st: 7-1			d: 4-12		-				.440		
FT%	1st: 2-8			d: 5-8/						.438		
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Score by I		1st		Game								
Tenn-Mar		15	31	46								
Illinois		47	37	84		А	. 16	618	2			

### Game 15 #6 Illinois 60 #7 Michigan State 50 Jan. 5, 2006

Assembly Hall, Champaign, III.

Dee Brown scored a career-high 34 points and the sixth-ranked Illini remained unbeaten with a 60-50 victory over the seventh-ranked Spartans to run their home winning streak to 30 games in the Big Ten opener for both teams.

Brown was 12-of-22 from the field, including 7-of-13 from 3-point range, for the Illini and had 23 points in the first half. He hit a 30-foot bailout as the shot clock wound down and a buzzer beater at halftime.

"I think it was one of the most incredible performances I've seen," Izzo said.

Michigan State had its 11-game winning streak snapped as the Illini held the Spartans nearly 33 points below their average. Maurice Ager, the Big Ten's leading scorer, finished with nine points, 13 below his average.

Shannon Brown had 17 points for Michigan State, which was held to its lowest point total since falling 72-50 to Duke on Dec. 3, 2003. The Spartans have lost four straight to Illinois.

Brown's hot hand helped the Illini overcome a poor night by their big men. James Augustine, Shaun Pruitt and Marcus Arnold combined for a woeful 4-for-12 from the field, missing several easy layups and tips, and Augustine committed seven turnovers.

The Spartans never could get their fast break going. Brian Randle corralled Ager and Dee Brown and Rich McBride consistently beat Shannon Brown down the floor on defense.

Once the game began it was a typical Big Ten battle with both coaches screaming at the officials. Weber drew a technical foul with 2:29 left in the first half after his complaint to J.D. Collins was heard by most in the building during a free throw attempt by Augustine.

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<u>MSU</u>	FG-A		FT-A	<u>REB</u>		_		<u>B</u>	<u>S</u>	<u>M</u>
Gray	1-2	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	1	0	0	12
Davis	3-9	0-2	6-6	9	12	3	3	0	0	30
Brown	6-16	3-7	2-2	4	17	0	2	0	0	38
Neitzel	0-4	0-3	2-2	0	2	7	2	0	0	37
Ager	3-8	1-3	2-2	2	9	1	2	1	1	35
Walton	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Suton	1-3	0-0	0-0	2	2	0	1	0	1	11
Trannon	3-5	0-0	0-2	2	6	0	1	1	1	24
Rowley	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Team				6						
Totals	17-47	4-15	12-14	27	50	11	12	2	3	200
FG%	1st: 8-23	3/.348	2nd	d: 9-2	4/.375	5	(	Gan	ie: .	362
3PT%	1st: 2-8/	.250	2no	d: 2-7	.286		(	Gan	ie: .	.267
FT%	1st: 10-1	2/.833	3 2nd	d: 2-2	1.000	)	(	Gan	ie: .	.857
Illinois	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	REB	PTS	A	TO	<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
Augustine	2-5	0-0	3-4	9	7	1	7	3	2	37
Randle	1-6	0-2	1-2	5	3	1	1	0	0	32
Pruitt	2-5	0-0	1-3	5	5	0	0	0	0	25
Brown	12-22	7-13	3-3	1	34	3	3	0	2	39
McBride	3-6	2-4	0-0	1	8	2	1	0	0	31
Frazier	1-1	1-1	0-0	2	3	1	0	0	0	15
Smith	0-1	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8
Carter	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Arnold	0-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	0	7
Team				6						
Totals	21-48	10-21	8-12	31	60	9	13	3	4	200
FG%	1st: 12-2	25/.480	) 2nd	d: 9-2	3/.39	1	(	Gan	ie: .	.438
3PT%	1st: 8-14	1/.571	2no	d: 2-7	.286		(	Gan	ie: .	476
FT%	1st: 3-5/	.600	2nd	d: 5-7	7.714		(	Gan	ie: .	.667
Score by 1	Halves:	<u>1st</u>	2nd	Game						
Michigan		28	22	50						
Illinois		35	25	60		Α	: 16,	618		
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### Game 16

#6 Illinois 48 Iowa 63

Jan. 7, 2006

Carver-Hawkeye Arena, Iowa City

Jeff Horner scored 16 points to help Iowa beat Illinois 63-48, snapping the Illini's 15-game winning streak.

In a physical battle between two of the Big Ten's best defensive teams, Iowa held Illinois to 34.6 percent shooting and became the first team to keep the Illini under 50 points since Michigan State did it Feb. 11, 1999

The Hawkeyes also shut down Illinois' flashy point guard Dee Brown, who scored six points on 2-of-13 shooting - one game after he scored a career-high 34 in a victory over No. 7 Michigan State.

The win also helped Iowa snap a four-game losing streak against Illinois, and fans savored the moment by rushing the court to celebrate with the team after time expired.

James Augustine led Illinois with 14 points and nine rebounds, but was in foul trouble for much of the game.

The Illini, which had won 54 of its last 55 regularseason games, committed 16 turnovers, trailed the entire second half and shot 19 percent from 3-point range.

Iowa shot 35 percent and made 3-of-11 3-pointers. The difference was at the free-throw line, where the Hawkeyes went 24-of-32, compared to 7-of-15 for Illinois

The Hawkeyes led 23-19 at the half and grabbed its first double-digit lead when Haluska swished a 3-pointer to put Iowa up 38-28.

The Illini cut it to six 3 minutes later when Chester Frazier scored on a one-hander in the paint and Jamar Smith's 3-pointer on the next possession brought Illinois to 41-38. But the Illini would get no closer.

<u>Illinois</u>		<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A			_		<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	$\underline{\mathbf{M}}$
Augustine	5-7	0-0	4-6	9	14	0	2	0	1	25
Randle	2-3	0-0	0-0	2	4	1	3	1	0	25
Pruitt	3-4	0-0	1-4	8	7	0	1	2	0	27
Brown	2-13	1-10	1-2	2	6	3	5	0	3	39
McBride	1-7	1-6	0-0	2	3	2	1	0	1	28
Frazier	1-3	0-2	0-0	0	2	0	2	0	0	11
Smith	3-11	3-8	0-0	2	9	0	1	0	1	20
Carter	1-3	0-0	1-3	4	3	2	0	1	0	14
Arnold	0-1	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	1	0	0	11
Team				1						
Totals	18-52	5-26	7-15	32	48	8	16	4	6	200
	st: 8-27			d: 10-2						.346
	st: 1-12			d: 4-14						.192
FT% 1	st: 2-5/	.400	2nd	d: 5-10	0/.500	)	(	Gan	ie:	.467
<u>Iowa</u>	FG-A	<u>3P-A</u>	FT-A	<u>REB</u>	PTS	A	<u>TO</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>s</u>	<u>M</u>
Brunner	3-11	0-0	2-4	12	8	1	1	0	1	31
Hansen	4-5	0-0	0-1	4	8	0	1	2	0	21
Haluska	2-7	2-3	9-10	3	15	1	3	0	1	35
Horner	4-14	1-6	7-8	6	16	6	3	0	3	36
Henderson	3-7	0-0	4-4	8	10	2	4	0	0	30
Thompson	0-0	0-0	1-4	3	1	1	1	0	0	10
Freeman	0-3	0-2	0-0	1	0	0	2	0	0	16
Wieck	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
Thomas	2-4	0-0	1-1	4	5	0	0	0	0	18
Reed	0-0	0-0	0-0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
Gorney	0-0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0+
Team				2						
Totals	18-51	3-11	24-32	45	63	11	15	2	5	200
FG% 1	st: 8-32	2/.350	2no	d: 10-	19/.52	26	(	Gan	ne:	.353
3PT% 1	st: 1-6/	.167	2no	d: 2-5/	/.400		(	Gan	ie:	.273
FT% 1	st: 6-1	1.545	2nd	d: 18-2	21/.85	57	(	Gan	ie:	.750
Score by H	alves:	1st	2nd	Game						
Illinois		19	29	48						
Iowa		23	40	63		Α	: 15,	500	1	