

ACCUSCORE NCAA TOURNAMENT CHEAT SHEET



AccuScore's College Basketball Simulator has simulated every possible Tournament Match-up (nearly 500 different match-ups), even the #1 Seed in the East playing the #16 Seed in the West. We use these match-up probabilities to simulate the entire NCAA Tournament 100,000 times. We analyze the most important findings from our simulations along with our proprietary analysis of each tournament team to provide you with what you need to WIN YOUR BRACKET!

ROUND-BY-ROUND PROBABILITIES

See the precise probability each team has of getting past round 1, reaching the Sweet 16, the Final 8, Final 4, the Championship Game and Winning it all based on the 100,000 Tournament Simulations. Which #1 Seed has the best chance of cutting down the nets? Which lower seed could 'pull a George Mason' and has the best chance of making a run to the Final 4?

WHO IS ON UPSET WATCH? WHO ARE YOUR CINDERELLA TEAMS?

In simulations every 5 Seed may win over 50% of the first round simulations. However, there is a very good chance that one of them will get upset. Identify the team from the power conference most vulnerable to an upset, the mid-major ready to show the bigger conferences what they got, or the team that started the season slow, but is now ready to go on a roll.

HIGHEST PROBABILITY BRACKET

This is the AccuScore Computer's bracket with the team winning over 50% of simulations advancing in each round.

TEAM STATISTICAL PROFILES

Identify each team's strengths and weaknesses and identify potential upsets. We focus on:

- **PACE:** The pace teams play (pts per game)
- **OFFENSIVE/DEFENSIVE EFFICIENCY:** Team FG%, Defensive FG%, Three Point %, Three Point attempts per game, Free Throw Attempts per Game. A team that shoots a high percentage from three point range and take over 20 a game may thrive in early rounds against teams that don't play great defense, but when they get into the Sweet 16 they could struggle against a team playing great perimeter defense.
- **POSSESSION MARGIN:** Rebounding margin and turnover margin determine how many shots a team gets. A bad shooting team can beat a good shooting team if they kill them on the boards or force a ton of turnovers.
- **VS. ALL TEAMS / TOURNAMENT TEAMS (TT):** See how these key statistics change when a team has played other NCAA Tournament Teams vs. all teams. Make sure your tournament favorites have performed well against the best competition and not simply posted big numbers against weaker teams.



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ROUND-BY-ROUND PROBABILITIES

Out of 10,000 Simulated Tournaments this is the percent chance each team has of advancing past the 1st round, 2nd round, Sweet 16, Final 8, Final 4, Championship Game and Winning the Whole Thing.

TEAM	SEED	PERCENT CHANCE OF BEING IN					WIN CHAMP
		FINAL 32	FINAL 16	FINAL 8	FINAL 4	FINAL 2	
Kansas	1	98.1%	76.3%	53.6%	35.7%	22.7%	13.6%
Kentucky	1	97.2%	68.5%	46.7%	28.0%	16.9%	9.8%
W.Virginia	2	84.7%	60.7%	42.1%	24.7%	15.0%	8.6%
Syracuse	1	92.6%	67.7%	45.3%	27.4%	15.0%	8.2%
Villanova	2	87.5%	67.1%	43.4%	26.3%	14.4%	8.0%
Duke	1	98.0%	67.4%	45.3%	25.4%	13.3%	7.2%
Ohio St.	2	91.1%	61.3%	36.3%	17.8%	9.6%	4.9%
Kansas St.	2	89.2%	52.2%	30.7%	16.4%	8.1%	4.0%
Baylor	3	80.7%	46.5%	23.5%	12.1%	5.7%	2.7%
Wisconsin	4	74.5%	48.1%	21.4%	10.8%	5.3%	2.4%
Georgetown	3	84.9%	48.2%	24.9%	11.0%	5.4%	2.4%
Pittsburgh	3	79.5%	45.4%	22.6%	10.9%	4.9%	2.2%
New Mexico	3	69.5%	41.3%	19.6%	8.9%	4.4%	2.0%
Brigham Young	7	64.9%	33.8%	18.6%	9.1%	4.2%	2.0%
Michigan St.	5	80.1%	46.1%	17.9%	8.6%	4.1%	1.7%
Butler	5	48.0%	28.9%	14.0%	7.5%	3.5%	1.6%
Maryland	4	76.2%	41.4%	15.8%	7.5%	3.6%	1.5%
Vanderbilt	4	47.4%	27.3%	13.0%	6.7%	3.1%	1.4%
Texas	8	64.3%	23.1%	13.2%	6.5%	3.2%	1.4%
Xavier	6	53.8%	30.0%	14.8%	7.1%	3.2%	1.4%
Tennessee	6	51.0%	27.5%	13.9%	6.0%	2.8%	1.3%
Texas A&M	5	48.1%	29.7%	13.6%	6.4%	2.8%	1.3%
Notre Dame	6	57.8%	30.3%	13.6%	6.6%	2.8%	1.2%
Purdue	4	58.6%	32.4%	14.1%	6.3%	2.4%	1.0%
Temple	5	52.3%	27.7%	10.9%	4.8%	2.1%	0.8%
Clemson	7	47.4%	20.1%	10.6%	4.5%	2.0%	0.8%
Marquette	6	48.5%	26.0%	10.8%	4.4%	1.9%	0.8%
California	8	56.6%	19.4%	10.3%	4.5%	1.8%	0.7%
UNLV	8	50.6%	13.1%	6.8%	3.2%	1.4%	0.5%
Oklahoma St.	7	61.4%	23.5%	10.0%	3.5%	1.3%	0.5%
Florida St.	9	36.7%	12.5%	6.3%	2.8%	1.2%	0.5%
San Diego St.	11	49.0%	20.7%	8.6%	2.9%	1.1%	0.4%

TEAM	SEED	PERCENT CHANCE OF BEING IN					WIN CHAMP
		FINAL 32	FINAL 16	FINAL 8	FINAL 4	FINAL 2	
Washington	11	51.5%	23.0%	7.8%	2.7%	0.9%	0.4%
Gonzaga	8	63.3%	17.8%	7.7%	3.1%	1.0%	0.3%
St. Marys CA	10	44.6%	14.7%	6.4%	2.7%	0.9%	0.3%
Louisville	9	43.4%	13.0%	6.5%	2.6%	0.9%	0.3%
Missouri	10	52.6%	15.6%	6.8%	2.2%	0.8%	0.3%
Old Dominion	11	42.3%	17.5%	6.3%	2.4%	0.8%	0.2%
Minnesota	11	46.2%	18.9%	7.0%	2.4%	0.7%	0.2%
Georgia Tech	10	38.6%	13.0%	5.4%	1.7%	0.6%	0.2%
Northern Iowa	9	49.4%	10.1%	4.7%	1.8%	0.6%	0.2%
Murray St.	13	52.6%	22.3%	6.8%	2.4%	0.7%	0.2%
Utah St.	12	51.9%	23.4%	7.0%	2.2%	0.6%	0.2%
Florida	10	35.1%	11.9%	4.9%	1.7%	0.5%	0.2%
UTEP	12	52.0%	21.6%	6.4%	2.2%	0.6%	0.2%
Richmond	7	55.4%	15.1%	5.4%	1.7%	0.5%	0.2%
Wake Forest	9	35.7%	7.9%	3.5%	1.2%	0.4%	0.1%
Cornell	12	47.7%	15.5%	3.2%	0.8%	0.2%	0.0%
Siena	13	41.4%	14.5%	3.2%	0.7%	0.1%	0.0%
Montana	14	30.5%	9.7%	1.6%	0.3%	0.1%	0.0%
Wofford	13	25.5%	8.7%	1.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Oakland- Mich	14	20.6%	5.7%	1.1%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Sam Houston St.	14	19.4%	5.8%	1.1%	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Houston	13	23.9%	6.4%	0.6%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
NMex St	12	19.9%	6.0%	0.6%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Morgan St.	15	15.4%	3.6%	0.7%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Ohio	14	15.2%	3.6%	0.7%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Robert Morris	15	12.5%	3.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
N. Texas	15	10.8%	2.2%	0.4%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
UC Santa Barbara	15	8.9%	2.2%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Vermont	16	7.4%	2.1%	0.5%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
ETSU	16	2.8%	0.5%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
PLAY-IN	16	2.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Lehigh	16	1.9%	0.5%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%

WHO IS ON UPSET WATCH? WHO ARE CINDERELLA TEAMS?

Among Top 8 Seeds the team with the lowest first round simulation winning percentage is put on UPSET watch.
 Among teams with Seeds 9 to 16, the team with the winning percentage is identified as a CINDERELLA team.

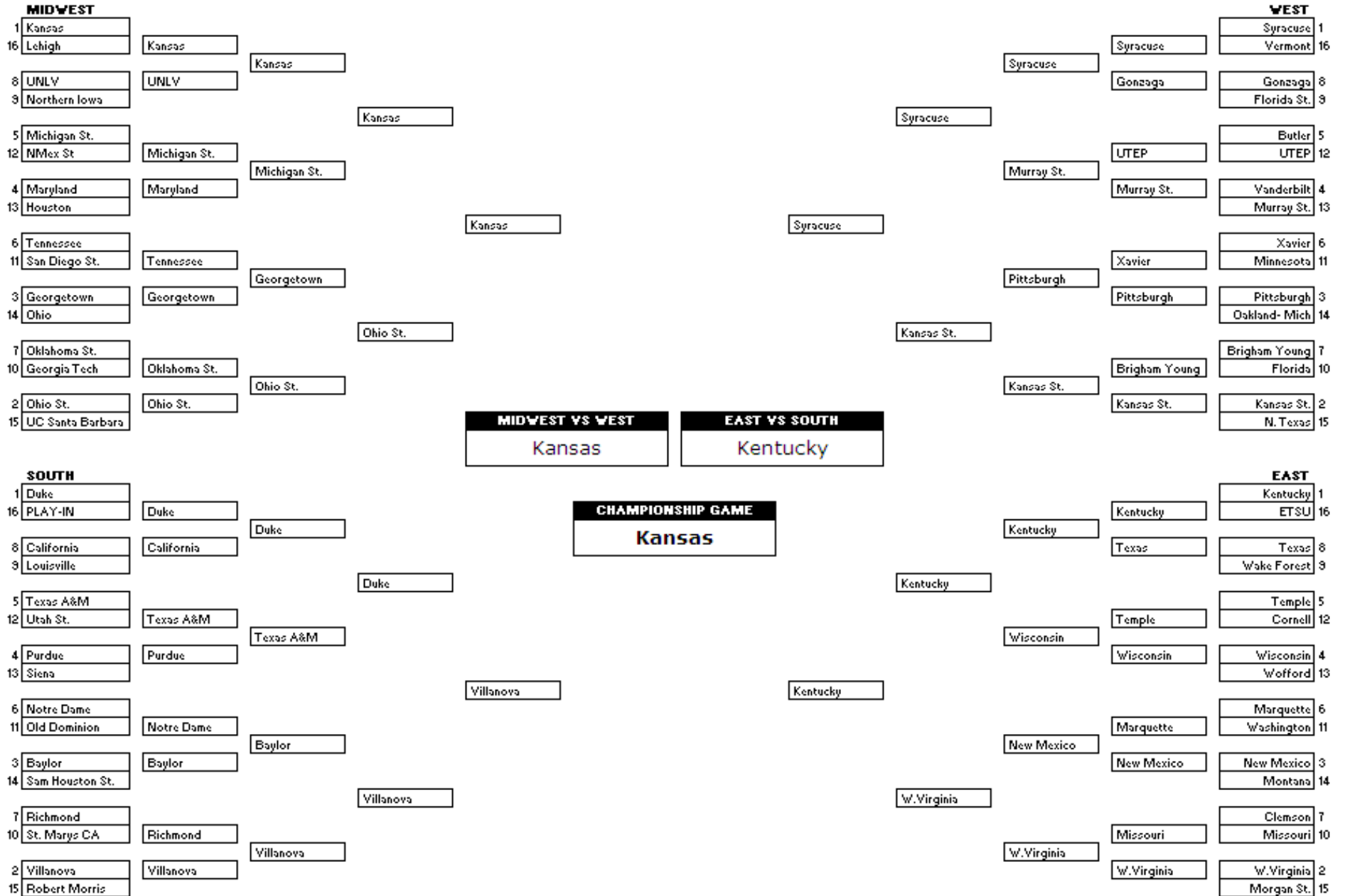
SEED	EAST REGION		SOUTH REGION		MIDWEST REGION		WEST REGION	
1	Kentucky	97.2%	Duke	98.0%	Kansas	98.1%	Syracuse	92.6%
2	W. Virginia	84.6%	Villanova	87.5%	Ohio St.	91.1%	Kansas St.	89.2%
3	New Mexico	69.5%	Baylor	80.6%	Georgetown	84.8%	Pittsburgh	79.4%
4	Wisconsin	74.5%	Purdue	58.6%	Maryland	76.2%	Vanderbilt	47.4%
5	Temple	52.3%	Texas A&M	48.1%	Michigan St.	80.1%	Butler	48.0%
6	Marquette	48.5%	Notre Dame	57.8%	Tennessee	51.0%	Xavier	53.8%
7	Clemson	47.4%	Richmond	55.4%	Oklahoma St.	61.4%	Brigham Young	64.9%
8	Texas	64.3%	California	56.6%	UNLV	50.6%	Gonzaga	63.3%
9	Wake Forest	35.7%	Louisville	43.4%	Northern Iowa	49.4%	Florida St.	36.7%
10	Missouri	52.6%	St. Marys CA	44.6%	Georgia Tech	38.6%	Florida	35.1%
11	Washington	51.5%	Old Dominion	42.2%	San Diego St.	49.0%	Minnesota	46.2%
12	Cornell	47.7%	Utah St.	51.9%	NMex St	19.9%	UTEP	52.0%
13	Wofford	25.5%	Siena	41.4%	Houston	23.8%	Murray St.	52.6%
14	Montana	30.5%	Sam Houston St.	19.4%	Ohio	15.2%	Oakland- Mich	20.6%
15	Morgan St.	15.4%	Robert Morris	12.5%	UC Santa Barbara	8.9%	N. Texas	10.8%
16	ETSU	2.8%	Ark.-Pine Bluff	2.0%	Lehigh	1.9%	Vermont	7.4%

**HIGHER SEED ON
UPSET WATCH**

**LOWER SEED ON
CINDERELLA WATCH**

HIGHEST PROBABILITY BRACKET

This is the bracket where the team that wins over 50% of game simulations advances



TEAM STATISTICS (EAST REGION)

COMPARE STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES OF TOURNAMENT TEAMS.

IDENTIFY TEAMS WHO PERFORM SIGNIFICANTLY WORSE AGAINST TOURNEY TEAM (TT) COMPETITION.

SEED	TEAM	FIRST ROUND	SEASON (TT = TOURNEY TEAMS)			POINTS PER GAME			FIELD GOAL %		THREE POINT			TEAM FREE THROW		AVG MARGIN	
			OPP CLASS	W	L	PTS	PA	MOV	FG%	DFG%	3PA	3P%	D3P%	FTA	FT%	REB	TO
1	Kentucky <i>vs ETSU</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	32	2	76.6	65.6	10.9	48.1%	41.3%	16.6	34.7%	33.2%	23.5	72.5%	7.3	-2.0
		97.2%	vs. TT	8	1	72.9	65.6	7.3	48.1%	42.6%	16.6	37.7%	30.6%	23.8	70.4%	5.3	-3.6
2	W.Virginia <i>vs Morgan St.</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	27	6	72.5	62.9	9.5	43.1%	37.4%	20.3	33.2%	31.8%	21.9	69.5%	6.2	2.8
		84.6%	vs. TT	9	5	69.0	67.3	1.7	41.9%	40.4%	20.3	32.6%	33.8%	19.5	72.7%	2.7	1.4
3	New Mexico <i>vs Montana</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	29	4	75.5	66.6	8.9	45.3%	39.5%	20.0	38.1%	33.8%	25.3	68.8%	4.6	1.8
		69.5%	vs. TT	8	3	74.8	71.1	3.7	43.6%	42.0%	19.9	37.4%	34.9%	26.4	68.9%	3.8	0.8
4	Wisconsin <i>vs Wofford</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	23	8	65.6	57.7	7.9	44.0%	39.6%	19.5	36.1%	33.0%	17.4	73.0%	2.3	2.8
		74.5%	vs. TT	7	5	60.4	60.9	-0.6	39.7%	41.0%	21.4	33.0%	32.9%	15.2	74.3%	-3.0	2.5
5	Temple <i>vs Cornell</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	29	5	67.1	59.8	7.2	44.1%	38.5%	19.1	35.4%	31.5%	15.7	69.1%	3.7	0.3
		52.3%	vs. TT	4	3	65.9	68.1	-2.3	41.6%	44.6%	18.8	33.5%	36.7%	19.2	69.9%	-0.7	1.1
6	Marquette <i>vs Washington</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	22	11	75.6	66.9	8.7	45.3%	43.9%	19.8	37.8%	33.4%	22.9	73.1%	0.6	4.1
		48.5%	vs. TT	4	9	69.9	69.5	0.4	41.5%	47.5%	21.4	36.3%	34.3%	22.4	73.6%	-2.6	2.9
7	Clemson <i>vs Missouri</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	21	10	75.6	66.0	9.6	45.6%	40.0%	20.4	35.4%	32.7%	20.2	67.3%	2.6	2.7
		47.4%	vs. TT	5	6	70.6	68.3	2.2	42.3%	41.9%	22.4	33.3%	32.3%	19.8	66.8%	-0.4	1.6
8	Texas <i>vs Wake Forest</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	24	9	76.8	67.8	9.0	45.7%	39.0%	15.6	33.7%	33.2%	24.3	65.1%	7.3	1.1
		64.3%	vs. TT	5	7	71.6	71.5	0.1	43.7%	41.3%	14.4	33.0%	35.2%	22.2	65.3%	3.7	-0.8
9	Wake Forest <i>vs Texas</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	19	10	77.2	69.7	7.6	46.6%	40.4%	13.3	31.8%	29.9%	25.2	68.8%	5.6	-0.8
		35.7%	vs. TT	6	4	77.3	75.4	1.9	45.1%	43.5%	12.6	31.2%	29.7%	27.2	70.9%	3.5	-2.8
10	Missouri <i>vs Clemson</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	22	10	79.8	66.5	13.3	45.9%	37.0%	20.1	36.0%	30.3%	22.0	69.6%	-1.4	6.5
		52.6%	vs. TT	5	7	75.8	71.3	4.6	42.8%	39.4%	19.2	32.4%	33.0%	23.9	70.9%	-6.0	6.8
11	Washington <i>vs Marquette</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	24	9	79.2	69.7	9.5	45.5%	39.9%	14.1	33.0%	32.2%	26.2	71.3%	6.3	1.7
		51.5%	vs. TT	4	2	75.2	73.4	1.8	41.7%	40.6%	12.9	31.1%	32.4%	25.6	73.3%	3.8	0.7
12	Cornell <i>vs Temple</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	25	4	74.4	64.6	9.7	47.5%	40.4%	20.6	42.5%	32.8%	16.9	73.1%	2.0	0.9
		47.7%	vs. TT	1	2	64.7	75.6	-10.9	39.2%	42.1%	26.0	32.4%	36.1%	13.9	63.9%	-0.9	-1.4
13	Wofford <i>vs Wisconsin</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	26	7	68.9	65.1	3.7	44.7%	44.2%	17.0	35.6%	34.1%	22.2	68.1%	1.7	1.1
		25.5%	vs. TT	0	2	53.3	76.0	-22.7	35.6%	54.0%	20.7	27.4%	35.2%	12.0	75.0%	-11.0	0.0
14	Montana <i>vs New Mexico</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	20	9	67.6	63.3	4.3	46.9%	43.1%	16.1	38.8%	36.5%	19.1	72.5%	0.0	-0.2
		30.5%	N/A: Under 2 GP vs TT														
15	Morgan St. <i>vs W.Virginia</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	27	9	71.8	66.4	5.4	42.6%	38.6%	16.0	33.7%	31.4%	23.1	68.1%	4.7	1.5
		15.4%	vs. TT	1	5	68.2	77.7	-9.4	38.4%	39.6%	15.2	29.9%	35.3%	20.7	68.3%	-3.9	2.3
16	ETSU <i>vs Kentucky</i>	WIN	All Div 1 Opp	19	14	73.5	68.4	5.0	44.7%	40.3%	16.8	32.3%	33.0%	23.3	68.7%	0.6	2.2
		2.8%	vs. TT	0	4	61.2	71.8	-10.7	34.9%	41.8%	20.0	29.2%	32.2%	21.7	60.0%	-6.0	0.8

