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## BOWL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES STANDINGS

(Games Through November 18)

Rank	Team	AP	USA Today/ ESPN	Poll Avg.	Richard Billingsley	Dunkel Index	Kenneth Massey	NY Times	David Rothman	Jeff Sagarin	Scripps- Howard	Seattle Times	Computer Avg.	Schedule Strength	Schedule Rank	Losses	TOTAL
1.	Oklahoma	1	1	1.0	2	2	1	3	1	1	2	1	1.43	13	0.52	0	2.95
2.	Florida State	3	3	3.0	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	4	1.43	3	0.12	1	5.55
3.	Miami	2	2	2.0	3	3	3	2	3	3	4	3	2.86	5	0.20	1	6.06
4.	Washington	4	4	4.0	9	10	6	4	4	8	3	2	5.14	8	0.32	1	10.46
5.	Oregon State	5	6	5.5	6	8	5	8	6	5	5	5	5.71	28	1.12	1	13.33
6.	Virginia Tech	6	5	5.5	7	5	9	6	9	7	9	6	7.00	15	0.60	1	14.10
7.	Florida	7	9	8.0	4	4	7	5	8	6	7	7	5.71	1	0.04	2	15.75
8.	Nebraska	9	8	8.5	5	6	4	10	5	4	6	9	5.57	12	0.48	2	16.55
9.	Kansas State	8	7	7.5	8	11	8	11	7	9	10	10	9.00	43	1.72	2	20.22
10.	Oregon	10	11	10.5	11	19	11	15	10	12	8	8	10.71	22	0.88	2	24.09
11.	Notre Dame	11	10	10.5	17	18	15	7	12	15	11	11	12.57	19	0.76	2	25.83
12.	Texas	12	13	12.5	15	13	10	19	15	10	20	18	14.29	95	3.80	2	32.59
13.	Clemson	15	12	13.5	13	23	16	20	14	18	15	13	15.57	52	2.08	2	33.15
14.	TCU	13	15	14.0	23	15	12	23	13	14	12	22	15.86	85	3.40	1	34.26
15.	Michigan	16	16	16.0	14	9	17	18	17	13	14	19	14.57	36	1.44	3	35.01

### EXPLANATION:

**Poll Average** – Average of USA Today/ESPN Coaches and AP Media Polls. Others receiving votes calculated in order received.

**Computer Average** – Average of Richard Billingsley, Dunkel Index, Kenneth Massey, New York Times, David Rothman, Jeff Sagarin's USA Today, Matthews/Scripps-Howard, and the Anderson & Hester/Seattle Times rankings. The computer component will be determined by averaging the seven highest computer rankings. The lowest (worst) computer ranking will be disregarded.

**Schedule Rank** – Rank of schedule strength compared to other Division I-A teams of actual games played divided by 25. This component is calculated by determining the cumulative won/loss records of the team's opponent (66 2/3 percent) and the cumulative won/loss records of the team's opponents' opponents (33 1/3 percent).

**Losses** – One Point for each loss during the season.

**Notes:** BCS Standings each week will list the top 15 teams.