



Auburn 76, Mississippi State 68

MSU Leading Scorer: Quindary Weatherspoon, 14

MSU Leading Rebounder: Abdul Ado, 11

Auburn Leading Scorer: Bryce Brown, 23

Auburn Leading Rebounder: Desean Murray, 9

Saturday, January 13, 2018 • Humphrey Coliseum

Official Basketball Box Score -- Game Totals -- Final Statistics
Auburn vs Mississippi State
01-13-18 2:30 p.m. at Starkville, Miss. (Humphrey Coliseum)

Auburn 76 • 16-1, 4-0

##	Player		Total	3-Ptr	FT-FTA	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA		Off	Def	Tot							
24	Anfernee MCLEMORE	f	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	12
01	Jared HARPER	g	2-7	1-3	7-7	0	4	4	3	12	4	2	0	1	29
02	Bryce BROWN	g	6-13	5-8	6-8	0	2	2	2	23	1	0	0	1	33
05	Mustapha HERON	g	5-13	0-4	4-6	1	4	5	1	14	0	2	0	1	29
13	Desean MURRAY	g	3-10	1-3	7-8	3	6	9	3	14	0	1	1	3	26
00	Horace SPENCER		0-2	0-0	1-2	1	4	5	3	1	2	0	1	1	25
04	Chuma OKEKE		1-4	0-0	0-1	3	2	5	2	2	0	0	0	0	17
10	Davion MITCHELL		1-4	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	3	2	1	0	0	0	18
14	Malik DUNBAR		3-6	2-3	0-0	0	3	3	1	8	0	0	0	0	11
Team						1	1	2				1			
Totals			21-60	9-21	25-32	10	29	39	19	76	8	7	3	7	200

FG % 1st Half: 8-30 26.7% 2nd half: 13-30 43.3% Game: 21-60 35.0%
3FG % 1st Half: 3-11 27.3% 2nd half: 6-10 60.0% Game: 9-21 42.9%
FT % 1st Half: 5-8 62.5% 2nd half: 20-24 83.3% Game: 25-32 78.1%

Deadball
Rebounds
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Mississippi State 68 • 13-4, 1-3

			Total	3-Ptr	Rebounds										
##	Player		FG-FGA	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	Off	Def	Tot	PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
24	Abdul Ado	f	4-5	0-0	2-4	3	8	11	3	10	0	1	2	2	31
35	Aric Holman	f	4-9	1-3	2-2	1	5	6	3	11	0	2	2	0	29
00	Nick Weatherspoon	g	3-10	0-3	4-6	0	3	3	4	10	3	0	0	0	28
11	Q Weatherspoon	g	5-13	2-7	2-2	0	4	4	4	14	3	2	1	0	33
23	Tyson Carter	g	3-8	1-5	0-0	0	3	3	1	7	0	1	0	0	23
01	Lamar Peters		4-7	1-2	1-2	1	2	3	5	10	1	4	1	1	21
02	Eli Wright		0-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	2	1	0	0	8
03	Xavian Stapleton		0-4	0-3	4-6	1	4	5	2	4	0	0	1	0	19
45	E.J. Datcher		1-1	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	2	1	0	1	0	8
Team						2	3	5			1				
Totals			24-59	5-23	15-22	10	32	42	24	68	10	12	8	3	200

FG % 1st Half: 13-32 40.6% 2nd half: 11-27 40.7% Game: 24-59 40.7%
3FG % 1st Half: 3-13 23.1% 2nd half: 2-10 20.0% Game: 5-23 21.7%
FT % 1st Half: 6-9 66.7% 2nd half: 9-13 69.2% Game: 15-22 68.2%

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Rebounds
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Officials: Pat Adams, Joe Lindsay, Wil Howard
Technical fouls: Auburn-None. Mississippi State-None.
Attendance: 8443

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Auburn	24	52	76
Mississippi State	35	33	68

	In	Off	2nd	Fast	
Points	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench
AU	18	19	9	2	13
MS	30	10	13	10	16

Last FG - AU 2nd-01:42, MS 2nd-00:09.
Largest lead - AU by 11 2nd-06:04, MS by 13 2nd-18:30.
AU led for 10:32. MS led for 28:35. Game was tied for 00:53.

Score tied - 1 time.
Lead changed - 3 times.

Auburn vs Mississippi State

01-13-18 2:30 p.m. at Starkville, Miss. (Humphrey Coliseum)

2nd PERIOD Play-by-Play (Page 1)

HOME TEAM: Mississippi State	Time	Score	Margin	VISITORS: Auburn
MISSED FT SHOT by Abdul Ado	19:49	35-26	H 9	GOOD! JUMPER by Mustapha HERON
REBOUND (OFF) by (DEADBALL)	19:27			FOUL by Anfernee MCLEMORE (P1T1)
MISSED FT SHOT by Abdul Ado	19:27			
REBOUND (OFF) by (TEAM)	19:27			
GOOD! JUMPER by Abdul Ado [PNT]	19:19	37-26	H 11	
REBOUND (DEF) by Q Weatherspoon	18:58			MISSED JUMPER by Desean MURRAY
MISSED LAYUP by Nick Weatherspoon	18:50			BLOCK by Anfernee MCLEMORE
	18:48			REBOUND (DEF) by Jared HARPER
REBOUND (DEF) by Q Weatherspoon	18:41			MISSED JUMPER by Mustapha HERON
GOOD! FT SHOT by Aric Holman	18:30	38-26	H 12	FOUL by Desean MURRAY (P1T2)
GOOD! FT SHOT by Aric Holman	18:30	39-26	H 13	
	18:30			SUB IN : Horace SPENCER
	18:30			SUB OUT: Anfernee MCLEMORE
BLOCK by Abdul Ado	18:12			MISSED JUMPER by Mustapha HERON
	18:12			REBOUND (OFF) by (TEAM)
REBOUND (DEF) by Abdul Ado	18:07			MISSED JUMPER by Horace SPENCER
MISSED 3 PTR by Tyson Carter	17:58			REBOUND (DEF) by Mustapha HERON
FOUL by Nick Weatherspoon (P2T1)	17:53	39-27	H 12	GOOD! FT SHOT by Mustapha HERON
	17:53	39-28	H 11	GOOD! FT SHOT by Mustapha HERON
TURNOVR by Q Weatherspoon	17:33			
	17:22			MISSED JUMPER by Mustapha HERON
	17:22			REBOUND (OFF) by Horace SPENCER
	17:17	39-31	H 8	GOOD! 3 PTR by Jared HARPER
	17:17			ASSIST by Horace SPENCER
TURNOVR by Abdul Ado	16:38			
	16:37			STEAL by Jared HARPER
REBOUND (DEF) by Aric Holman	16:31			MISSED 3 PTR by Mustapha HERON
GOOD! LAYUP by Tyson Carter [FB/PNT]	16:26	41-31	H 10	
FOUL by Tyson Carter (P1T2)	16:04	41-32	H 9	GOOD! FT SHOT by Jared HARPER
	16:04	41-33	H 8	GOOD! FT SHOT by Jared HARPER
	16:04	41-34	H 7	GOOD! FT SHOT by Jared HARPER
SUB IN : E.J. Datcher	16:04			SUB IN : Chuma OKEKE
SUB IN : Xavian Stapleton	16:04			SUB OUT: Desean MURRAY
SUB IN : Lamar Peters	16:04			
SUB OUT: Nick Weatherspoon	16:04			
SUB OUT: Aric Holman	16:04			
SUB OUT: Abdul Ado	16:04			
MISSED JUMPER by Lamar Peters	15:46			REBOUND (DEF) by Horace SPENCER
	15:37			MISSED LAYUP by Bryce BROWN
	15:37			REBOUND (OFF) by Mustapha HERON
	15:35	41-36	H 5	GOOD! TIP-IN by Mustapha HERON [PNT]
TIMEOUT 30sec	15:25			
TIMEOUT MEDIA	15:25			
SUB IN : Nick Weatherspoon	15:25			
SUB OUT: Tyson Carter	15:25			
MISSED JUMPER by Q Weatherspoon	15:08			
REBOUND (OFF) by E.J. Datcher	15:08			
MISSED 3 PTR by Nick Weatherspoon	15:01			REBOUND (DEF) by Mustapha HERON
FOUL by Lamar Peters (P3T3)	14:55			
	14:55			TIMEOUT MEDIA
SUB IN : Abdul Ado	14:55			
SUB OUT: E.J. Datcher	14:55			
	14:37	41-39	H 2	GOOD! 3 PTR by Bryce BROWN
	14:37			ASSIST by Jared HARPER
	14:17			FOUL by Horace SPENCER (P2T3)
SUB IN : Aric Holman	14:17			
SUB OUT: Q Weatherspoon	14:17			
MISSED JUMPER by Xavian Stapleton	14:14			
REBOUND (OFF) by Abdul Ado	14:14			

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2nd PERIOD Play-by-Play (Page 2)

HOME TEAM: Mississippi State	Time	Score	Margin	VISITORS: Auburn
GOOD! JUMPER by Abdul Ado [PNT]	14:11	43-39	H 4	
	13:54			TURNOVR by Mustapha HERON
STEAL by Lamar Peters	13:53			
GOOD! LAYUP by Lamar Peters [FB/PNT]	13:51	45-39	H 6	
	13:26	45-42	H 3	GOOD! 3 PTR by Bryce BROWN
	13:05			FOUL by Chuma OKEKE (P1T4)
MISSED LAYUP by Lamar Peters	12:50			
REBOUND (OFF) by Abdul Ado	12:50			
GOOD! FT SHOT by Abdul Ado	12:46	46-42	H 4	FOUL by Chuma OKEKE (P2T5)
GOOD! FT SHOT by Abdul Ado	12:46	47-42	H 5	
SUB IN : Q Weatherspoon	12:46			
SUB OUT: Xavian Stapleton	12:46			
REBOUND (DEF) by Aric Holman	12:21			MISSED 3 PTR by Jared HARPER
GOOD! LAYUP by Lamar Peters [FB/PNT]	12:16	49-42	H 7	
ASSIST by Nick Weatherspoon	12:16			
	12:05	49-45	H 4	GOOD! 3 PTR by Bryce BROWN
	12:05			ASSIST by Horace SPENCER
MISSED 3 PTR by Q Weatherspoon	11:33			REBOUND (DEF) by Chuma OKEKE
FOUL by Q Weatherspoon (P2T4)	11:28			
	11:28			TIMEOUT MEDIA
SUB IN : Eli Wright	11:28			SUB IN : Desean MURRAY
SUB IN : Xavian Stapleton	11:28			SUB IN : Davion MITCHELL
SUB OUT: Aric Holman	11:28			SUB OUT: Jared HARPER
SUB OUT: Nick Weatherspoon	11:28			SUB OUT: Chuma OKEKE
FOUL by Q Weatherspoon (P3T5)	11:14	49-46	H 3	GOOD! FT SHOT by Bryce BROWN
	11:14	49-47	H 2	GOOD! FT SHOT by Bryce BROWN
SUB IN : Aric Holman	11:14			SUB IN : Malik DUNBAR
SUB OUT: Q Weatherspoon	11:14			SUB OUT: Mustapha HERON
GOOD! DUNK by Abdul Ado [PNT]	10:52	51-47	H 4	
ASSIST by Eli Wright	10:52			
	10:23	51-50	H 1	GOOD! 3 PTR by Malik DUNBAR
	10:23			ASSIST by Davion MITCHELL
TURNOVR by Eli Wright	10:02			
	10:00			STEAL by Desean MURRAY
FOUL by Aric Holman (P2T6)	10:00	51-51	T 1	GOOD! FT SHOT by Desean MURRAY
	10:00	51-52	V 1	GOOD! FT SHOT by Desean MURRAY
SUB IN : Tyson Carter	10:00			
SUB OUT: Eli Wright	10:00			
TURNOVR by Lamar Peters	09:49			
	09:47			STEAL by Desean MURRAY
	09:28	51-54	V 3	GOOD! JUMPER by Desean MURRAY
TIMEOUT TEAM	09:27			
SUB IN : Q Weatherspoon	09:27			SUB IN : Jared HARPER
SUB IN : Nick Weatherspoon	09:27			SUB OUT: Bryce BROWN
SUB OUT: Lamar Peters	09:27			
SUB OUT: Xavian Stapleton	09:27			
	09:16			FOUL by Davion MITCHELL (P3T6)
TURNOVR by (TEAM)	09:15			
	09:02	51-57	V 6	GOOD! 3 PTR by Malik DUNBAR
	09:02			ASSIST by Jared HARPER
MISSED JUMPER by Aric Holman	08:42			REBOUND (DEF) by Desean MURRAY
REBOUND (DEF) by Abdul Ado	08:25			MISSED JUMPER by Desean MURRAY
GOOD! FT SHOT by Nick Weatherspoon	08:11	52-57	V 5	FOUL by Desean MURRAY (P2T7)
GOOD! FT SHOT by Nick Weatherspoon	08:11	53-57	V 4	
SUB IN : Xavian Stapleton	08:11			SUB IN : Chuma OKEKE
SUB OUT: Aric Holman	08:11			SUB OUT: Horace SPENCER
	07:55			TIMEOUT media
SUB IN : Lamar Peters	07:55			SUB IN : Bryce BROWN
SUB OUT: Tyson Carter	07:55			SUB OUT: Davion MITCHELL
FOUL by Nick Weatherspoon (P3T7)	07:44	53-58	V 5	GOOD! FT SHOT by Jared HARPER
	07:44	53-59	V 6	GOOD! FT SHOT by Jared HARPER

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HOME TEAM: Mississippi State	Time	Score	Margin	VISITORS: Auburn
GOOD! FT SHOT by Lamar Peters	07:25	54-59	V 5	FOUL by Jared HARPER (P3T8)
SUB IN : Aric Holman	07:25			
SUB OUT: Abdul Ado	07:25			
MISSED FT SHOT by Lamar Peters	07:17			REBOUND (DEF) by Malik DUNBAR
BLOCK by Xavian Stapleton	07:16			MISSED JUMPER by Desean MURRAY
	07:16			REBOUND (OFF) by Desean MURRAY
FOUL by Lamar Peters (P4T8)	07:09	54-60	V 6	GOOD! FT SHOT by Desean MURRAY
	07:09	54-61	V 7	GOOD! FT SHOT by Desean MURRAY
SUB IN : Tyson Carter	07:09			SUB IN : Mustapha HERON
SUB OUT: Lamar Peters	07:09			SUB OUT: Malik DUNBAR
MISSED 3 PTR by Nick Weatherspoon	06:55			REBOUND (DEF) by Desean MURRAY
FOUL by Q Weatherspoon (P4T9)	06:53	54-62	V 8	GOOD! FT SHOT by Desean MURRAY
	06:53	54-63	V 9	GOOD! FT SHOT by Desean MURRAY
MISSED LAYUP by Nick Weatherspoon	06:32			BLOCK by Desean MURRAY
	06:31			REBOUND (DEF) by Mustapha HERON
	06:07			MISSED JUMPER by Chuma OKEKE
	06:07			REBOUND (OFF) by Chuma OKEKE
	06:04	54-65	V 11	GOOD! JUMPER by Chuma OKEKE [PNT]
FOUL by Nick Weatherspoon (P4T10)	06:04			MISSED FT SHOT by Chuma OKEKE
REBOUND (DEF) by Abdul Ado	06:04			
SUB IN : Abdul Ado	06:04			
SUB IN : Lamar Peters	06:04			
SUB OUT: Xavian Stapleton	06:04			
SUB OUT: Nick Weatherspoon	06:04			
GOOD! JUMPER by Aric Holman [PNT]	05:51	56-65	V 9	
REBOUND (DEF) by Aric Holman	05:25			MISSED 3 PTR by Mustapha HERON
GOOD! 3 PTR by Q Weatherspoon	05:11	59-65	V 6	
BLOCK by Abdul Ado	04:53			MISSED JUMPER by Chuma OKEKE
REBOUND (DEF) by Abdul Ado	04:51			
	04:46			SUB IN : Horace SPENCER
	04:46			SUB OUT: Chuma OKEKE
MISSED 3 PTR by Tyson Carter	04:35			REBOUND (DEF) by Jared HARPER
REBOUND (DEF) by Lamar Peters	04:27			MISSED JUMPER by Jared HARPER
GOOD! LAYUP by Tyson Carter [PNT]	04:21	61-65	V 4	
ASSIST by Lamar Peters	04:21			
	04:21			SUB IN : Davion MITCHELL
	04:21			SUB OUT: Jared HARPER
	04:11	61-67	V 6	GOOD! JUMPER by Mustapha HERON [PNT]
TURNOVR by Tyson Carter	03:51			
	03:49			STEAL by Desean MURRAY
BLOCK by Q Weatherspoon	03:46			MISSED 3 PTR by Bryce BROWN
	03:44			REBOUND (OFF) by Desean MURRAY
	03:17			TURNOVR by (TEAM)
TIMEOUT media	03:17			
SUB IN : Nick Weatherspoon	03:17			SUB IN : Jared HARPER
SUB OUT: Tyson Carter	03:17			SUB OUT: Davion MITCHELL
GOOD! 3 PTR by Q Weatherspoon	02:58	64-67	V 3	
GOOD! FT SHOT by Q Weatherspoon	02:58	65-67	V 2	FOUL by Horace SPENCER (P3T9)
	02:43	65-69	V 4	GOOD! JUMPER by Bryce BROWN
MISSED 3 PTR by Q Weatherspoon	02:33			REBOUND (DEF) by Jared HARPER
REBOUND (DEF) by Nick Weatherspoon	02:15			MISSED JUMPER by Bryce BROWN
MISSED LAYUP by Nick Weatherspoon	02:07			BLOCK by Horace SPENCER
	02:05			REBOUND (DEF) by Horace SPENCER
	01:42	65-71	V 6	GOOD! LAYUP by Jared HARPER [PNT]
TURNOVR by Lamar Peters	01:31			STEAL by Horace SPENCER
FOUL by Lamar Peters (P5T11)	01:31			MISSED FT SHOT by Horace SPENCER
	01:31			REBOUND (OFF) by (DEADBALL)
	01:31	65-72	V 7	GOOD! FT SHOT by Horace SPENCER
SUB IN : Xavian Stapleton	01:31			
SUB OUT: Lamar Peters	01:31			
TURNOVR by Aric Holman	01:17			

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2nd PERIOD Play-by-Play (Page 4)

HOME TEAM: Mississippi State	Time	Score	Margin	VISITORS: Auburn
FOUL by Aric Holman (P3T12)	01:17			
FOUL by Abdul Ado (P2T13)	01:15			MISSED FT SHOT by Bryce BROWN
	01:15			REBOUND (OFF) by (DEADBALL)
	01:15	65-73	V 8	GOOD! FT SHOT by Bryce BROWN
GOOD! FT SHOT by Nick Weatherspoon	01:08	66-73	V 7	FOUL by Desean MURRAY (P3T10)
MISSED FT SHOT by Nick Weatherspoon	01:08			REBOUND (DEF) by Desean MURRAY
REBOUND (DEF) by Xavian Stapleton	00:43			MISSED JUMPER by Horace SPENCER
MISSED 3 PTR by Q Weatherspoon	00:33			REBOUND (DEF) by Jared HARPER
FOUL by Abdul Ado (P3T14)	00:31	66-74	V 8	GOOD! FT SHOT by Jared HARPER
	00:31	66-75	V 9	GOOD! FT SHOT by Jared HARPER
MISSED 3 PTR by Nick Weatherspoon	00:20			REBOUND (DEF) by Bryce BROWN
FOUL by Xavian Stapleton (P2T15)	00:13			MISSED FT SHOT by Bryce BROWN
	00:13			REBOUND (OFF) by (DEADBALL)
	00:13	66-76	V 10	GOOD! FT SHOT by Bryce BROWN
	00:13			SUB IN : Chuma OKEKE
	00:13			SUB OUT: Desean MURRAY
GOOD! LAYUP by Nick Weatherspoon [PNT]	00:09	68-76	V 8	

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	In	Off	2nd	Fast		
2nd period-only	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench	
Auburn	8	12	9	0	9	Score tied - 1 time.
Mississippi State	18	6	6	6	5	Lead changed - 1 time.

Official Basketball Box Score -- Game Totals -- 1st Half
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			FG-FGA	FG-FGA		Off	Def	Tot							
24	Anfernee MCLEMORE	f	0-1	0-0	0-0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	10
01	Jared HARPER	g	0-3	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	2	0	2	2	0	0	12
02	Bryce BROWN	g	2-6	2-4	2-2	0	1	1	2	8	1	0	0	1	15
05	Mustapha HERON	g	2-5	0-2	2-4	0	1	1	1	6	0	1	0	1	13
13	Desean MURRAY	g	2-6	1-3	1-2	1	3	4	0	6	0	1	0	0	11
00	Horace SPENCER		0-0	0-0	0-0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	10
04	Chuma OKEKE		0-1	0-0	0-0	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
10	Davion MITCHELL		1-4	0-0	0-0	1	2	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	13
14	Malik DUNBAR		1-4	0-1	0-0	0	2	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	7
Team						0	1	1							
Totals			8-30	3-11	5-8	4	14	18	9	24	3	5	0	2	100

FG % 1st Half: 8-30 26.7%
3FG % 1st Half: 3-11 27.3%
FT % 1st Half: 5-8 62.5%

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Rebounds
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##	Player		Total	3-Ptr	FT-FTA	Rebounds			PF	TP	A	TO	Blk	Stl	Min
			FG-FGA	FG-FGA		Off	Def	Tot							
24	Abdul Ado	f	1-2	0-0	0-0	1	4	5	1	2	0	0	0	2	13
35	Aric Holman	f	3-7	1-3	0-0	1	2	3	1	7	0	1	2	0	12
00	Nick Weatherspoon	g	2-3	0-0	1-2	0	2	2	1	5	2	0	0	0	14
11	Q Weatherspoon	g	3-7	0-2	1-1	0	2	2	1	7	3	1	0	0	16
23	Tyson Carter	g	1-4	1-3	0-0	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	12
01	Lamar Peters		2-3	1-2	0-0	1	1	2	2	5	0	2	1	0	9
02	Eli Wright		0-2	0-0	0-0	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	7
03	Xavian Stapleton		0-3	0-3	4-6	1	3	4	1	4	0	0	0	0	10
45	E.J. Datcher		1-1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	7
Team						1	3	4							
Totals			13-32	3-13	6-9	6	20	26	9	35	7	4	4	2	100

FG % 1st Half: 13-32 40.6%
3FG % 1st Half: 3-13 23.1%
FT % 1st Half: 6-9 66.7%

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Rebounds
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Officials: Pat Adams, Joe Lindsay, Wil Howard
Technical fouls: Auburn-None. Mississippi State-None.
Attendance:

Score by periods	1st	2nd	Total
Auburn	24	0	24
Mississippi State	35	0	35

	In	Off	2nd	Fast	
Points	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench
AU	10	7	0	2	4
MS	12	4	7	4	11

Last FG - AU 1st-03:20, MS 1st-00:21.
Largest lead - AU by 2 1st-18:37, MS by 12 1st-09:20.
AU led for 00:32. MS led for 18:35. Game was tied for 00:53.

Score tied - 0 times.
Lead changed - 2 times.

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1st PERIOD Play-by-Play (Page 1)

HOME TEAM: Mississippi State	Time	Score	Margin	VISITORS: Auburn
REBOUND (DEF) by Tyson Carter	19:29			MISSED 3 PTR by Desean MURRAY
MISSED 3 PTR by Q Weatherspoon	19:09			
REBOUND (OFF) by Abdul Ado	19:08			
GOOD! JUMPER by Abdul Ado [PNT]	19:07	2-0	H 2	
FOUL by Abdul Ado (P1T1)	18:58			MISSED FT SHOT by Desean MURRAY
	18:58			REBOUND (OFF) by (DEADBALL)
	18:58	2-1	H 1	GOOD! FT SHOT by Desean MURRAY
MISSED 3 PTR by Tyson Carter	18:52			REBOUND (DEF) by Anfernee MCLEMORE
	18:37	2-4	V 2	GOOD! 3 PTR by Desean MURRAY
	18:37			ASSIST by Jared HARPER
	18:12			FOUL by Jared HARPER (P1T1)
GOOD! 3 PTR by Aric Holman	18:05	5-4	H 1	
ASSIST by Q Weatherspoon	18:05			
REBOUND (DEF) by Abdul Ado	17:46			MISSED 3 PTR by Mustapha HERON
GOOD! JUMPER by Q Weatherspoon	17:33	7-4	H 3	
REBOUND (DEF) by Aric Holman	16:58			MISSED 3 PTR by Jared HARPER
GOOD! 3 PTR by Tyson Carter	16:52	10-4	H 6	
ASSIST by Nick Weatherspoon	16:52			
	16:31			MISSED JUMPER by Bryce BROWN
	16:31			REBOUND (OFF) by Desean MURRAY
REBOUND (DEF) by Aric Holman	16:28			MISSED JUMPER by Desean MURRAY
MISSED 3 PTR by Aric Holman	16:20			REBOUND (DEF) by Mustapha HERON
REBOUND (DEF) by Abdul Ado	16:07			MISSED 3 PTR by Desean MURRAY
MISSED JUMPER by Aric Holman	15:54			REBOUND (DEF) by Desean MURRAY
BLOCK by Aric Holman	15:49			MISSED LAYUP by Jared HARPER
REBOUND (DEF) by Tyson Carter	15:46			
	15:32			FOUL by Bryce BROWN (P1T2)
TIMEOUT MEDIA	15:32			
SUB IN : E.J. Datcher	15:32			SUB IN : Horace SPENCER
SUB IN : Lamar Peters	15:32			SUB IN : Malik DUNBAR
SUB IN : Xavian Stapleton	15:32			SUB IN : Davion MITCHELL
SUB OUT: Aric Holman	15:32			SUB IN : Chuma OKEKE
SUB OUT: Abdul Ado	15:32			SUB OUT: Jared HARPER
	15:32			SUB OUT: Mustapha HERON
	15:32			SUB OUT: Desean MURRAY
	15:32			SUB OUT: Anfernee MCLEMORE
MISSED 3 PTR by Tyson Carter	15:17			
REBOUND (OFF) by (TEAM)	15:17			
MISSED 3 PTR by Lamar Peters	15:11			REBOUND (DEF) by Malik DUNBAR
	14:38			MISSED 3 PTR by Malik DUNBAR
	14:38			REBOUND (OFF) by Davion MITCHELL
BLOCK by Lamar Peters	14:31			MISSED JUMPER by Davion MITCHELL
REBOUND (DEF) by Lamar Peters	14:30			
GOOD! LAYUP by Q Weatherspoon [FB/PNT]	14:26	12-4	H 8	
ASSIST by E.J. Datcher	14:26			
GOOD! FT SHOT by Q Weatherspoon	14:26	13-4	H 9	FOUL by Horace SPENCER (P1T3)
	14:11	13-6	H 7	GOOD! JUMPER by Davion MITCHELL [PNT]
MISSED JUMPER by Tyson Carter	13:41			REBOUND (DEF) by Horace SPENCER
BLOCK by E.J. Datcher	13:20			MISSED JUMPER by Malik DUNBAR
REBOUND (DEF) by Q Weatherspoon	13:18			
MISSED 3 PTR by Xavian Stapleton	13:11			REBOUND (DEF) by Horace SPENCER
REBOUND (DEF) by Xavian Stapleton	13:04			MISSED 3 PTR by Bryce BROWN
MISSED JUMPER by Q Weatherspoon	12:39			REBOUND (DEF) by Chuma OKEKE
	12:33	13-8	H 5	GOOD! DUNK by Malik DUNBAR [FB/PNT]
	12:33			ASSIST by Bryce BROWN
GOOD! JUMPER by E.J. Datcher	12:04	15-8	H 7	
ASSIST by Q Weatherspoon	12:04			
REBOUND (DEF) by Q Weatherspoon	11:43			MISSED JUMPER by Davion MITCHELL
	11:16			FOUL by Davion MITCHELL (P1T4)
TIMEOUT MEDIA	11:16			

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HOME TEAM: Mississippi State	Time	Score	Margin	VISITORS: Auburn
MISSED FT SHOT by Xavian Stapleton	11:16			
REBOUND (OFF) by (DEADBALL)	11:16			
GOOD! FT SHOT by Xavian Stapleton	11:16	16-8	H 8	
SUB IN : Abdul Ado	11:16			SUB IN : Jared HARPER
SUB IN : Eli Wright	11:16			SUB IN : Anfernee MCLEMORE
SUB OUT: E.J. Datcher	11:16			SUB IN : Desean MURRAY
SUB OUT: Q Weatherspoon	11:16			SUB IN : Mustapha HERON
SUB OUT: Tyson Carter	11:16			SUB OUT: Bryce BROWN
	11:16			SUB OUT: Horace SPENCER
	11:16			SUB OUT: Malik DUNBAR
	11:16			SUB OUT: Chuma OKEKE
FOUL by Nick Weatherspoon (P1T2)	11:05			
	10:58			TURNOVR by Jared HARPER
STEAL by Abdul Ado	10:57			
MISSED LAYUP by Eli Wright	10:45			REBOUND (DEF) by Desean MURRAY
REBOUND (DEF) by Abdul Ado	10:33			MISSED 3 PTR by Mustapha HERON
MISSED JUMPER by Aric Holman	10:08			
REBOUND (OFF) by Lamar Peters	10:08			
SUB IN : Aric Holman	10:08			
SUB OUT: Xavian Stapleton	10:08			
GOOD! LAYUP by Lamar Peters [PNT]	10:05	18-8	H 10	
FOUL by Eli Wright (P1T3)	09:46			
REBOUND (DEF) by (TEAM)	09:44			MISSED JUMPER by Anfernee MCLEMORE
GOOD! LAYUP by Aric Holman [PNT]	09:20	20-8	H 12	
	08:50	20-10	H 10	GOOD! LAYUP by Desean MURRAY [PNT]
MISSED 3 PTR by Aric Holman	08:33			
REBOUND (OFF) by Eli Wright	08:33			
MISSED JUMPER by Eli Wright	08:29			REBOUND (DEF) by (TEAM)
SUB IN : Q Weatherspoon	08:28			SUB IN : Horace SPENCER
SUB OUT: Lamar Peters	08:28			SUB IN : Bryce BROWN
	08:28			SUB OUT: Anfernee MCLEMORE
	08:28			SUB OUT: Davion MITCHELL
REBOUND (DEF) by Nick Weatherspoon	08:12			MISSED LAYUP by Mustapha HERON
MISSED FT SHOT by Nick Weatherspoon	08:06			FOUL by Bryce BROWN (P2T5)
REBOUND (OFF) by (DEADBALL)	08:06			
GOOD! FT SHOT by Nick Weatherspoon	08:06	21-10	H 11	
	07:54	21-13	H 8	GOOD! 3 PTR by Bryce BROWN
	07:54			ASSIST by Jared HARPER
GOOD! JUMPER by Nick Weatherspoon	07:29	23-13	H 10	
REBOUND (DEF) by Abdul Ado	07:14			MISSED JUMPER by Jared HARPER
MISSED 3 PTR by Q Weatherspoon	06:50			REBOUND (DEF) by Desean MURRAY
	06:43	23-15	H 8	GOOD! LAYUP by Mustapha HERON [PNT]
TURNOVR by Aric Holman	06:22			
	06:21			STEAL by Mustapha HERON
FOUL by Aric Holman (P1T4)	06:18			
	06:18			TIMEOUT media
	06:18	23-16	H 7	GOOD! FT SHOT by Mustapha HERON
	06:18	23-17	H 6	GOOD! FT SHOT by Mustapha HERON
SUB IN : E.J. Datcher	06:18			SUB IN : Davion MITCHELL
SUB IN : Xavian Stapleton	06:18			SUB OUT: Bryce BROWN
SUB OUT: Abdul Ado	06:18			
SUB OUT: Aric Holman	06:18			
GOOD! JUMPER by Nick Weatherspoon	05:52	25-17	H 8	
ASSIST by Eli Wright	05:52			
	05:31			TURNOVR by Desean MURRAY
SUB IN : Lamar Peters	05:31			
SUB IN : Tyson Carter	05:31			
SUB OUT: Nick Weatherspoon	05:31			
SUB OUT: Eli Wright	05:31			
GOOD! 3 PTR by Lamar Peters	05:17	28-17	H 11	
ASSIST by Q Weatherspoon	05:17			

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REBOUND (DEF) by (TEAM)	04:53			MISSED JUMPER by Desean MURRAY
	04:51			SUB IN : Chuma OKEKE
	04:51			SUB OUT: Desean MURRAY
TURNOVR by Lamar Peters	04:36			
FOUL by Lamar Peters (P1T5)	04:36			
	04:36			SUB IN : Bryce BROWN
	04:36			SUB OUT: Davion MITCHELL
	04:25	28-19	H 9	GOOD! LAYUP by Mustapha HERON [PNT]
FOUL by E.J. Datcher (P1T6)	04:25			MISSED FT SHOT by Mustapha HERON
REBOUND (DEF) by Xavian Stapleton	04:25			
	04:25			SUB IN : Davion MITCHELL
	04:25			SUB IN : Anfernee MCLEMORE
	04:25			SUB OUT: Horace SPENCER
	04:25			SUB OUT: Bryce BROWN
MISSED 3 PTR by Xavian Stapleton	03:55			REBOUND (DEF) by Davion MITCHELL
	03:49			TURNOVR by Jared HARPER
	03:49			FOUL by Jared HARPER (P2T6)
TIMEOUT MEDIA	03:49			
SUB IN : Abdul Ado	03:49			SUB IN : Bryce BROWN
SUB IN : Aric Holman	03:49			SUB OUT: Jared HARPER
SUB OUT: E.J. Datcher	03:49			
SUB OUT: Q Weatherspoon	03:49			
TURNOVR by Lamar Peters	03:32			
FOUL by Lamar Peters (P2T7)	03:32			
SUB IN : Nick Weatherspoon	03:32			
SUB OUT: Lamar Peters	03:32			
	03:20	28-22	H 6	GOOD! 3 PTR by Bryce BROWN
MISSED LAYUP by Nick Weatherspoon	03:04			REBOUND (DEF) by Davion MITCHELL
BLOCK by Aric Holman	02:54			MISSED LAYUP by Bryce BROWN
REBOUND (DEF) by Xavian Stapleton	02:52			
GOOD! FT SHOT by Xavian Stapleton	02:45	29-22	H 7	FOUL by Davion MITCHELL (P2T7)
GOOD! FT SHOT by Xavian Stapleton	02:45	30-22	H 8	
SUB IN : Q Weatherspoon	02:45			SUB IN : Jared HARPER
SUB OUT: Tyson Carter	02:45			SUB OUT: Davion MITCHELL
FOUL by Xavian Stapleton (P1T8)	02:29			MISSED FT SHOT by Mustapha HERON
	02:29			REBOUND (OFF) by Chuma OKEKE
	02:29			SUB IN : Davion MITCHELL
	02:29			SUB OUT: Jared HARPER
	02:18			TURNOVR by Mustapha HERON
	02:18			FOUL by Mustapha HERON (P1T8)
	02:18			SUB IN : Malik DUNBAR
	02:18			SUB OUT: Mustapha HERON
MISSED 3 PTR by Xavian Stapleton	02:05			REBOUND (DEF) by Bryce BROWN
	01:55			TURNOVR by Anfernee MCLEMORE
STEAL by Abdul Ado	01:54			
MISSED JUMPER by Q Weatherspoon	01:47			
REBOUND (OFF) by Xavian Stapleton	01:47			
GOOD! FT SHOT by Xavian Stapleton	01:46	31-22	H 9	FOUL by Malik DUNBAR (P1T9)
MISSED FT SHOT by Xavian Stapleton	01:46			REBOUND (DEF) by Malik DUNBAR
FOUL by Q Weatherspoon (P1T9)	01:29	31-23	H 8	GOOD! FT SHOT by Bryce BROWN
	01:29	31-24	H 7	GOOD! FT SHOT by Bryce BROWN
SUB IN : Eli Wright	01:29			SUB IN : Horace SPENCER
SUB OUT: Xavian Stapleton	01:29			SUB OUT: Anfernee MCLEMORE
MISSED JUMPER by Abdul Ado	01:16			
REBOUND (OFF) by Aric Holman	01:16			
GOOD! JUMPER by Aric Holman [PNT]	01:13	33-24	H 9	
	00:51			MISSED 3 PTR by Bryce BROWN
	00:51			REBOUND (OFF) by Chuma OKEKE
REBOUND (DEF) by (TEAM)	00:45			MISSED JUMPER by Chuma OKEKE
SUB IN : Tyson Carter	00:43			
SUB OUT: Eli Wright	00:43			
TURNOVR by Q Weatherspoon	00:31			

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	00:30			STEAL by Bryce BROWN
REBOUND (DEF) by Tyson Carter	00:27			MISSED LAYUP by Malik DUNBAR
GOOD! LAYUP by Q Weatherspoon [FB/PNT]	00:21	35-24	H 11	
ASSIST by Nick Weatherspoon	00:21			
REBOUND (DEF) by Nick Weatherspoon	00:02			MISSED JUMPER by Davion MITCHELL

Mississippi State 35, Auburn 24

	In	Off	2nd	Fast	
1st period-only	Paint	T/O	Chance	Break	Bench
Auburn	10	7	0	2	4
Mississippi State	12	4	7	4	11

Score tied - 0 times.

Lead changed - 2 times.



HEAD COACH BEN HOWLAND

January 13, 2018

Auburn vs. Mississippi State

Opening statement...

“We had the lead. Our shots were falling. I have to credit Auburn. They are very good. Their shooters are very effective, especially in the second half. They hit a bunch of threes. They were 6-10, and they got to the foul line. We struggle at times. We still shot 40 percent in the second half. We had the opportunities to make a couple of the big shots we took. I credit them, they are very, very good. I loved our team in the first half. We really played well defensively. We held them to 26 percent in the first half. You knew they were going to make a run at us. Their key guys are the ones who did it. They ended up getting some ball screens and would kick it back out to the three, which they didn’t get in the first half. Maybe we were just tired and I didn’t utilize our bench enough. We had some key turnovers, one specifically on an out of bounds play. We had the ball back when we were down four. I credit our guys for fighting back. We cut the eleven-point deficit back to two after Q made the four-point play. That is a very tough loss, and in this league it stings. We have to bounce back and get ready for another very skilled and well-shooting Vanderbilt team. We have to learn from this, evaluate it, study the film, and get back to what we do.”

On the ball movement comparison from half to half...

“I thought it was much better in the first half. We got it inside, we were more patient. We got the lead. We were a little more patient. I watched Auburn come back down 14 to Tennessee. That team doesn’t quit. When you shoot the ball that well from three, you always have a chance to come back.”

On the play of Auburn guard Bryce Brown...

“He is a very good player. There was one three he hit on a handoff, they don’t hand it off to him that often. He is a great shooter. He has perfect form. We got hurt a couple times when we were back in transition and they would kick it out. They got their transition going because we weren’t scoring at such a high pace. We were 2-10 from three in the second half. Some of those threes were late. We just have to be patient. Based on the stats, we are not a great shooting team. We need to be smart.”

On Abdul Ado’s contributions...

“He impacted the games in so many ways today. When I took him out to try and give him a blow, it’s hard to find someone who does what he does, with his size, defensively, as well as with his screens. He has been playing well.”



MISSISSIPPI STATE PLAYER QUOTES

January 13, 2018

Mississippi State vs. Auburn

G - Quinndary Weatherspoon - Jr.

On moving forward in SEC play...

"We need to stay together and practice harder. Everyone felt good coming into this game after two good practices this week, but we need to come back Monday and have an even better practice in order to beat Vanderbilt on Tuesday."

On how the offense responded to freshman Nick Weatherspoon handling the ball more...

"We did a great job in the first half advancing the ball up the court, but they really took that away in the second half. We had some great looks and open shots, but we just couldn't knock them down."

F - Abdul Ado - R-Fr.

On his second straight double-double...

"I'm trying to do anything possible to get my team a win. Whether it's rebounding, making shots or blocking shots, I'm trying to do anything possible to get my team a win. If a double-double is not enough, then I need to do more to help my team."

On what Auburn did differently in the second half...

"They were consistent with what they did the first half, which was taking shots. The first half, we did a better job of being aggressive on defense. The second half we were more laid back having an eight-point lead, and we should not have done that. We need to keep playing and have the same intensity of the first half. The first five minutes of the game, especially in the second half, is what matters."



HEAD COACH BRUCE PEARL

January 13, 2018

Auburn vs. Mississippi State

Opening Statement...

"I don't know if it was just a matter of when Mississippi State wins 14 out of 15, the odds are that at some point we can come in and play well, we got a chance. Mississippi State played terrific in the first half and frustrated us completely out of sorts. We only made eight baskets. They had a terrific scout. Everything I was trying to do, they had. Our guys got a little rattled. We didn't look like a team that won 13 or 14 in a row, but we were still within range. At halftime, we regrouped. We were pretty accountable. I think it was really important that we came out and played really well early and cut it to the deficit pretty early and made it a contest. I thought our guys made plays, and to me you have to make plays. Like Desean Murray making a couple steals defensively late – that was huge. Don't just sit back and wait for them to miss. You want to go make a play. Bryce Brown, he took over, offensively. He was feeling it. He is really explosive. A lot of times, during the course of the game, we don't force feed it to him. During the first half, he was frustrated because he was in foul trouble. He wanted to play, and I was pulling him out on offense, defense, but we do have chemistry. A lot of things you could see, during the warmups and during the game, just how much size we were giving up. Desean/[Aric] Holman it is pretty different and even [Abdul] Ado. I am so proud of Abdul. Congratulations to Mississippi State's coaching staff, we wanted him really badly and came close. What a great kid and what a warrior. He is a really good player and is going to be a great player."

On the height difference not bothering Desean Murray...

"It was time to just take over and win and rather than trying to get fouled, he tried to finish and score. As a result, sometimes you might get the foul. Then, of course, we have been a terrific free-throw shooting team. We made our free-throws. I think in many ways he made some big plays."

On the team getting on the boards better during the second half...

"We did because we had gotten beaten on the boards six in the first half, but Mississippi State still won the battle of the boards, but they didn't quite have as many second chance points. Those second chance points and 50/50 balls they were getting in the first half are great crowd energizers. They give you confidence. Then we started getting more of those in the second half. I thought Horace Spencer's defense, we got one point out of the five-spot tonight, but those guys still had a big, big role in defending and rebounding and helping this team win."



AUBURN PLAYER QUOTES

January 13, 2018

Mississippi State vs Auburn

G – Bryce Brown – Jr.

On first half versus the second half...

“The second half we moved the ball much better. Coaches warned us at half time about sharing the ball. We only had three assists in the first half as a team. That was not good; we weren’t hitting each other when we needed to hit each other. The second half, we came out and corrected that. We needed to rebound better too; they were beating us on the boards. Those two improvements really helped turn the game around for us.”

On Bruce Pearl challenging him personally at half time...

“Yes, he challenged me to just be more aggressive and stay in attack mode because their defense was bothering all of us. They weren’t letting us have a look that we wanted. In the second half, we came out more aggressive, and I came out looking for my shot and open teammates. That made the difference at that point.”

On getting points off turnovers in the second half...

“I feel like we gave away too many points away in the first half. That’s not the type of game we are accustomed to. We made big improvements over the offseason, and we didn’t show that in the first half. We talked about it at half time and knew we couldn’t win if we didn’t change that. We executed it in the second half and won the game because of that.”

**MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY
Basketball**

Auburn at Mississippi State
Saturday, January 13, 2018
Humphrey Coliseum
Starkville, Miss.

Auburn 76, Mississippi State 68

Paid Attendance: 8,443

Mississippi State Team Notes

- Auburn snapped a six-game losing streak at Humphrey Coliseum.
- The loss snapped Mississippi State's 13-game winning streak at home, dating back to last year, which tied for the second-longest in school history.
- The Bulldogs fell to 12-1 at home this year.
- MSU is now 1-1 in conference play at Humphrey Coliseum.
- The Tigers extended their series lead to 76-69.
- Mississippi State is now 11-2 when leading at the half (Ole Miss).
- MSU squandered a 13-point lead for the second time this year (Ole Miss).

Mississippi State Individual Notes

- Aric Holman had two blocked shots to give him 99 for his career, leaving him one shy of Gavin Ware for the 10th most in school history.
- Quindary Weatherspoon had 14 points to give him 1,093 for his career, now the 33rd most in school history.
- Abdul Ado recorded his second-straight double-double with 10 points and 11 rebounds. It's the third of his career.
- Abdul Ado had 2 blocked shots to give him 36, one shy of Wiley Peck for the fifth most as a freshman.

