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San Diego State Postgame Notes vs. No. 20 Colorado State Steve Fisher Court at Viejas Arena | San Diego, Calif. Saturday, Jan. 8, 2022

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Next Media Availability: Monday, Jan. 10 | more information to follow

Big Notes

- SDSU's 30-point victory over No. 20 Colorado State was its largest margin of victory against a nationally ranked school. San Diego State's previous largest wins were 21 points against New Mexico on Jan. 26, 2013 and against Air Force on Feb. 6, 2007.
- The Aztecs' 30-point victory was the largest in the history of the series (today was the 89th game between the two teams).
- SDSU's 30-point win is the third largest this season against an AP Top 25 team.
- The Aztecs won their fifth straight home game against an AP Top 25 team, extending their school record.
- San Diego State improves to 7-3 vs. ranked Mountain West opponents since the start of the 2013-14 season.
- The Aztecs hands Colorado State (11-1) its first loss of the season.
- San Diego State had held back-to-back conference opponents to under 30 percent shooting for the first time in its Mountain West history.
- SDSU has held back-to-back opponents to under 30 percent shooting for the first time since a three-game stretch from Dec. 18-27, 2013.

Streaks Extended

- San Diego State has won 16 straight games overall vs. Mountain West competition
- San Diego State has won its last 13 consecutive regular-season games against Mountain West teams.
- San Diego State extends its home winning streak against Mountain West programs to 12 games.
- San Diego State has won its last 5 games overall.
- San Diego State extends its winning streak in the Pacific Time Zone to 5 games.

Big Picture

- Since the start of the 2010-11 season, San Diego State has a 192-34 (.850) record in games played in the state of California.
- Since the start of the 2010-11 season, San Diego State has 163-22 (.881) record in games played in Viejas Arena.
- San Diego State improves to 60-8 (.882) in Viejas Arena since in the start of the Dutcher era (2017-18 season).
- San Diego State has won 17 of its 23 Mountain West home openers.
- San Diego State improves to 7-3 in games against ranked Mountain West opposition since the start of the 2013-14 season.
- San Diego State improves to 15-15 in games against all ranked opposition since the start of the 2013-14 season.
- SDSU has won 23 straight, is 9-0 this season, and 92-11 in the Dutcher era when leading at the half.

Team Notes

- Colorado State game into the game ranked second in the nation in field goal percentage (51.8), third in 3-point field goal percentage (42.0) and 22nd in scoring (81.9). The Aztecs held the Rams to 49 points, a 27.9 field goal percentage and a 15.0 3-point field goal percentage.
- CSU's 27.9 field goal percentage was its lowest in a game since shooting 25.4 percent against Utah State on March 12, 2021.

- Colorado State's 15.0 3-point field goal percentage was its lowest in a game since shooting 13.0 percent (3-for-23) against North Carolina State on March 25, 2021 in the NIT.
- SDSU handed the Rams in largest defeat (30 points) since a 34-point loss at No. 4 Duke on Nov. 8, 2019 (L, 89-55).

Trends

- San Diego State won the tip.
- Aguek Arop had the first field goal for San Diego State at the 12:49 mark.
- SDSU missed its first seven field goal attempts of the game and then went 11-of-20 to end the first half.
- SDSU wins its 23rd straight game when leading at the half (9-0 this season, 92-11 in Brian Dutcher era).
- San Diego State improves to 9-0 this season when leading with 5 minutes to play and 98-7 in the Dutcher era.
- The Aztecs won their 27th straight game when outrebounding their opponent (9-0 this season, 75-9 in the Brian Dutcher era).
- SDSU won its 35th straight game when holding its opponent to under 35 percent shooting.
- SDSU dunks: 3 (Chad Baker-Mazara 2, Keshad Johnson 1)
- SDSU blocks: 8 (Aguek Arop 2, Chad Baker-Mazara 2, Keshad Johnson 1, Nathan Mensah 1, Tahirou Diabate 1, Lamont Butler 1)
- The Aztecs ended the game on a 14-0 run.
- SDSU outscored Colorado State in points off turnovers, 22-9.
- San Diego State outscored CSU, 34-14, in the paint.
- The Aztecs outscored the Rams, 15-8, in second chance opportunities.
- SDSU outscored Colorado State, 17-7, in fast break chances.
- San Diego State outscored CSU, 30-11, off the bench.

Entering Today

- San Diego State was 41st in KenPom.
- San Diego State was 42nd in Strength of Record
- San Diego State was 44th in BPI.
- San Diego State was 62nd in Strength of Schedule.

Player Notes

Matt Bradley – 26 points, 7 rebounds, 2 steals

The 26 points were the most by an Aztec this season and just three off his career high... Now has four games this year with at least 20 points... Scored in double figures for the seventh straight game, the 11th time (10-1) this season and 82nd time of his career... Led the team in scoring for the seventh time this season and 52nd time of his career... Made a season-high 10 field goals... Had a season-high four 3-point field goals... Matched a season high in steals (2).

Chad Baker-Mazara – 14 points, 2 rebounds, 2 blocked shots, 2 assists, 1 steal

Scored a season-high 14 points... Reached double figures for the second (2-0) time this season and seventh (6-1) time in his career... Tied a season high with two blocked shots... Also tied a season high with two assists.

Lamont Butler – 11 points, 6 rebounds, 1 blocked shot, 3 assists, 4 steals

Reached double-figure scoring for the fourth (4-0) time this year and ninth (8-1) time in his career... Had a season-high four steals... Matched a season high with three assists.

Aguek Arop – 10 points, 8 rebounds, 2 blocked shots, 2 assists, 1 steal

Had a season-high 10 points... Scored in double figures for the first time this season and fifth time in his career... Tied a career-high with eight rebounds... Had his first two blocked shots of the season and tied a career high with two blocks... In the team's two Mountain West games, is averaging 9.5 points and 8.0 rebounds off the bench.

Keshad Johnson – 10 points, 3 rebounds, 1 blocked shot, 1 assist, 1 steal

Scored in double figures for the third consecutive game, the fourth (4-0) time this year and sixth time (6-0) in his career...