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OFFENSE	Michigan	Indiana
Points per game	22.7	36.6
First downs	100	146
Rushing yards	886	1401
Rushing attempts	211	247
Average yards per rush	4.2	5.7
Rushing yards per game	147.7	200.1
Passing yards	994	1744
Passing completions-attempts-int.	79-135-6	113-177-0
Average yards per catch	12.6	15.4
Passing yards per game	165.7	249.1
Total offense yards	1880	3150
Average yards per game	313.3	450.0
Kickoff return average	21.3	19.8
Punt return average	4.9	11.4
Third-down conversions	29-71	37-80
Third-down conversion percentage	41%	46%
Fourth-down conversions	5-7	6-11
Fourth-down conversion percentage	71%	55%

DEFENSE	Michigan	Indiana
Points allowed per game	16.2	12.9
First downs allowed	98	107
Rushing yards allowed	538	528
Opponent rushing attempts	201	232
Average yards allowed per rush	2.7	2.3
Rushing yards allowed per game	89.7	75.4
Passing yards allowed	1001	1366
Opp. passing completions-attempts-int.	108-173-6	123-206-6
Average yards per catch allowed	9.3	11.1
Passing yards per game allowed	166.8	195.1
Total offense yards allowed	1539	1894
Average yards per game allowed	256.5	270.6
Kickoff return average allowed	31.3	19.0
Punt return average allowed	4.4	8.0
Third-down conversions	27-83	34-101
Third-down conversion percentage	33%	34%
Fourth-down conversions	3-6	7-17
Fourth-down conversion percentage	50%	41%

INDIANA STATISTICAL LEADERS

Passing	Comp.	Att.	Yds.	TD	INT
Josh Hoover	108	169	1660	18	0
Grant Wilson	4	5	74	2	0

Rushing	Att.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
Turbo Richard	87	643	7.4	6	57
Lee Beebe Jr.	107	575	5.4	4	70
Jayreon Campbell	8	50	6.3	0	23
Sean Cuono	13	46	3.5	0	9
Grant Wilson	4	45	11.3	1	42
Josh Hoover	26	45	1.7	1	16

Receiving	Rec.	Yds.	Avg.	TD	LG
Charlie Becker	39	694	17.8	8	79
Nick Marsh	32	585	18.3	7	75
Davion Chandler	11	131	11.9	4	42
Shazz Preston	10	129	12.9	1	39
Tyler Morris	9	82	9.1	0	22
Turbo Richard	4	49	12.3	0	38
Brock Schott	2	33	16.5	0	25

Tackles	UT	AT	Tot.	TFL-Yds.	Sacks-Yds.
Isaiah Jones	30	22	52	1-1	0-0
Rolijah Hardy	27	22	49	3.5-4	0-0
Preston Zachman	18	18	36	0-0	0-0
Amare Ferrell	14	20	34	0.5-2	0-0
Byron Baldwin Jr.	12	17	29	2.5-26	2-25
Tobi Osunsanmi	16	10	26	11.5-56	7-47
Stephen Daley	13	11	24	6.5-42	5-36
Tyrique Tucker	10	12	22	3-10	1-8
Jamari Sharpe	11	8	19	1-7	0-0

Interceptions	No.	Yds.	TD
Amare Ferrell	2	23	0
Jamari Sharpe	1	0	0
Isaiah Jones	1	21	0
Rolijah Hardy	1	19	1
Quan Sanks	1	31	0

Kicking	PAT	FG	LG
Nico Radicic	18-19	7-10	49
Paddy McAteer	12-13	1-2	21

Punting	No.	Avg.	I20	LG
Billy Gowers	20	38.5	7	58

Score By Qtrs	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total	Avg.
Michigan	21	37	45	33	—	136	22.7
Indiana	49	75	58	74	—	256	36.6

Turnovers	Gained	Lost	+/-
Michigan	8	11	-3
Indiana	6	3	+3

MICHIGAN (4-2, 1-2)
VS. NO. 6 INDIANA (6-1, 3-1)
SATURDAY, OCT. 24, 2026

LOCATION: Michigan Stadium (107,601) • Ann Arbor

TIME: Noon ET

TV: FOX will broadcast the game nationally, with Gus Johnson (play-by-play), Joel Klatt (color) and Jenny Taft (sideline) on the call. This is the Big Noon Game of the Week.

RADIO: LEARFIELD Michigan Sports Network, anchored by WCSX (94.7 FM) in Detroit, with Doug Karsch (play-by-play), Jon Jansen (color) and Jason Avant (sideline) on the call.

SERIES FACTS: This will be the 74th meeting between the Hoosiers and Wolverines, with Michigan holding a 62-11 advantage. U-M has won 27 of the last 30 games and 42 of the last 45 – with setbacks in 1987, 2020 and 2024. Michigan Stadium has seen the Wolverines win 36 of 43 games against the Hoosiers, including 22 straight. U-M's last home setback against Indiana was during the 1967 season, a 27-20 loss.

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Staff Predictions: Michigan vs. Indiana - by Chris Balas

Michigan will face Indiana with a chance to gain some momentum in the back half of the Big Ten slate, but this one will be tough. Freshman quarterback, banged up offensive line against a tough defensive front … what could go wrong?

Well, as we've seen in the two Big Ten losses this year … plenty. But there's a renewed sense of optimism, both among (some) fans and many of the players, who showed a lot of life when freshman Tommy Carr replaced Bryce Underwood. This is a huge test for the young guy, but also a big opportunity to show what he can do on the biggest stage.

As for IU — the Hoosiers might still be the Big Ten's best team, and that has a segment of their fan base in a tizzy. This is still technically a "basketball school," after all — at least they think they are — and we suspect some of the booster meetings probably go like this:

"I like this foosball and coach Cignutty, but can we take some of that money and apply it to basketball? Bobby's probably rolling over in his grave!"

"Yeah! We haven't won a Big Ten Tournament EVER! And it's usually played right down the street!"

"Maybe put Cig's name on the basketball building like they did up there in reverse with Izzo in East Lansing? How has that worked out for them?"

Not well, actually. So … maybe scratch that idea.

But we do have great respect for Cignetti's program. The Hoosiers aren't going away, and we're grateful IU got to him before a more hate-able program did.

Congratulations to Doug Skene and Ethan McDowell for winning staff picks last week. The biggest loser was the guy taking the victory lap in the press box when he actually finished third (cough). This week's winner receives a hug from Morganna, the kissing bandit (now 79, but we're told she's still got … um, it).

Michigan vs. Indiana Staff Predictions

CHRIS BALAS: Was going to go the George Constanza route and say, "since every decision (pick) I've made this year has been wrong, I'm going to do the opposite." But .. the journalist in me says I have to take this seriously and offer an honest opinion.

Michigan will play inspired football on both sides of the ball. IU has championship DNA, though, and U-M has a freshman quarterback. Love his future, but this is going to be a tough one. **Indiana 24, Michigan 17**

JOHN BORTON: So you want to separate yourself from the pack this week? Take the seals over the Great Whites, the salmon over the grizzlies and Michigan over Indiana. You might wind up separating yourself as the out-scalped Custer of the crew, but hey, hop on the right Carr and you're riding all the way to Savantown. So we kept the score, flipped the teams and here we go … **Michigan 23, Indiana 17**

CLAYTON SAYFIE: There's no evidence that Michigan is capable of beating Indiana, but this sport is crazy, and there are two new variables this week: Tommy Carr and a potentially revived run game. Could those two things lift the Wolverines to victory?

The problem with Indiana is that it feels like in most cases you have to beat them by 10 to win by one because of how good they are in close games. Even last week, the Hoosiers' first loss since 2024, they were inches away from pulling it off. There's a great opportunity ahead for Michigan, but it's hard not to trust Indiana more. **Indiana 30, Michigan 13**

ANTHONY BROOME: Michigan has new life and (likely) a new quarterback to break in on Saturday. That's exciting and adds some juice to what has been an underwhelming season, but the Indiana Hoosiers are coming off an emotional loss to Ohio State and still might be the best team in the Big Ten. Curt Cignetti has a disciplined group that won't beat itself and never loses the turnover battle. It is going to take everyone's best possible game to spring the upset.

Frankly, there's an awful lot of maturing to do in a little amount of time. Indiana is more experienced in the trenches on both sides of the ball, and has been the far better-coached team. Curt Cignetti will not take it easy on Tommy Carr. **Indiana 24, Michigan 14**

DOUG SKENE: The positive offensive spark that came from the overdue quarterback change is going to need to grow into a fireworks display for Michigan to beat Indiana. Can it happen? Sure, as long as Tommy Carr and his offensive line can execute a real pocket passing attack.

It's gonna take a real balanced offense with red zone performance that results in TDs to get this done. More importantly, the Michigan defense must have its best game of the year. QB pressure and a stiff rushing defense is the recipe for success to keep the Hoosiers point total in the low 20s. I'm still not sure this Michigan offense, even with young Carr at QB, is capable of getting near 30 points. **Indiana 28, Michigan 21**

ETHAN MCDOWELL: Michigan's defense is talented enough to keep things close this weekend, but the Wolverines are working a true freshman quarterback into the lineup against one of the nation's best defensive fronts. The running game started to trend in a positive direction against Penn State.

Michigan needs the ground attack to take another leap this weekend, keeping pressure off Tommy Carr. That's easier said than done against an IU team that, in its three one-score games this fall, did not allow a running back to rack up more than 56 yards. **Indiana 27, Michigan 17**

TEAM STATISTICS

Scoring by Quarters:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	OT	Total
Michigan	21	37	45	33	0	136
Opponents	27	10	10	50	0	97

	U-M	OPP
Total First Downs	100	98
Rushing	46	32
Passing	45	50
Penalty	9	16
Total Net Yards	1880	1539
Total Plays	346	374
Yards Per Play	5.4	4.1
Yards Per Game	313.3	256.5
Rushing Attempts-Yards	211-886	201-538
Yards Per Attempt	4.2	2.7
Yards Per Game	147.7	89.7
Pass Att.-Comp.-Int.	135-79-6	173-108-6

	U-M	OPP
Passing Yards	994	1001
Yards Per Completion	12.6	9.3
Yards Per Game	165.7	166.8
Punting: No.-Avg.	30-41.9	33-40.0
Fumbles-Lost	7-5	7-2
Penalties-Yards	46-395	29-233
Sacks By-Yds. Lost	15-77	9-43
Third-Down Conversions	29-71	27-83
Conversion Pct.	40.8	32.5
Fourth-Down Conversions	5-7	3-6
Conversion Pct.	71.4	50.0
Avg. Time Of Possession	28:17	31:43

2026 MICHIGAN FOOTBALL CUMULATIVE STATISTICS

RUSHING	G	No	Gain	Lost	Net	Avg	TD	Lg	Yd/G
Marshall, Jordan	6	69	300	7	293	4.2	4	17	48.8
Hiter, Savion	6	57	240	17	223	3.9	2	41	37.2
Underwood, Bryce	6	60	267	44	223	3.7	2	38	37.2
Kuzdzal, Bryson	6	11	74	5	69	6.3	1	43	11.5
Carr, Tommy	2	6	56	2	54	9.0	1	22	27.0
Marsh, Andrew	6	1	15	0	15	15.0	0	15	2.5
Owens, Eli	5	1	7	0	7	7.0	0	7	1.4
O'Meara, Tomas	6	1	5	0	5	5.0	0	5	0.8
Johnson, Travis	6	1	2	0	2	2.0	0	2	0.3
Moa, Salesi	6	1	0	1	-1	-1.0	0	0	-0.2
Johnson, Donovan	1	1	0	2	-2	-2.0	0	0	-2.0
TEAM	6	2	0	2	-2	-1.0	0	0	-0.3
Total	**6**	**211**	**966**	**80**	**886**	**4.2**	**10**	**43**	**147.7**
Opponent	**6**	**201**	**675**	**137**	**538**	**2.7**	**2**	**31**	**89.7**

PASSING	G	Att	Comp	%	Int	Yds	TD	Lg	Yd/G
Underwood, Bryce	6	124	72	58.1	6	924	5	49	154.0
Carr, Tommy	2	9	7	77.8	0	70	1	22	35.0
TEAM	6	2	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0
Total	**6**	**135**	**79**	**58.5**	**6**	**994**	**6**	**49**	**165.7**
Opponent	**6**	**173**	**108**	**62.4**	**6**	**1001**	**7**	**45**	**166.8**

RECEIVING	G	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg	Yd/G
Buchanan, JJ	6	27	482	17.9	4	49	80.3
Marsh, Andrew	6	28	289	10.3	1	34	48.2
Hansen, Hogan	4	7	66	9.4	0	22	16.5
Hiter, Savion	6	7	61	8.7	0	19	10.2
Marshall, Jordan	6	3	33	11.0	0	16	5.5
Hoffman, Jalen	6	3	25	8.3	0	13	4.2
Moa, Salesi	6	2	23	11.5	1	19	3.8
Johnson, Travis	6	1	10	10.0	0	10	1.7
Owens, Eli	5	1	5	5.0	0	5	1.0
Total	**6**	**79**	**994**	**12.6**	**6**	**49**	**165.7**
Opponent	**6**	**108**	**1001**	**9.3**	**7**	**45**	**166.8**

TOTAL OFFENSE	G	Rush	Pass	Total	PG
Underwood, Bryce	6	223	924	1147	191.2
Marshall, Jordan	6	293	0	293	48.8
Hiter, Savion	6	223	0	223	37.2
Carr, Tommy	2	54	70	124	62.0
Kuzdzal, Bryson	6	69	0	69	11.5
Marsh, Andrew	6	15	0	15	2.5
Owens, Eli	5	7	0	7	1.4
O'Meara, Tomas	6	5	0	5	0.8
Johnson, Travis	6	2	0	2	0.3
Moa, Salesi	6	-1	0	-1	-0.2
Johnson, Donovan	1	-2	0	-2	-2.0
TEAM	6	-2	0	-2	-0.3
Total	**6**	**886**	**994**	**1880**	**313.3**
Opponent	**6**	**538**	**1001**	**1539**	**256.5**

ALL PURPOSE	G	Rush	Rec	PR	KR	IR	Total	PG
Buchanan, JJ	6	0	482	0	0	0	482	80.3
Marsh, Andrew	6	15	289	30	0	0	334	55.7
Marshall, Jordan	6	293	33	0	0	0	326	54.3
Hiter, Savion	6	223	61	0	0	0	284	47.3
Kuzdzal, Bryson	6	69	0	0	170	0	239	39.8
Underwood, Bryce	6	223	0	0	0	0	223	37.2
Staehling, Nathaniel	6	0	0	0	0	79	79	13.2
Hansen, Hogan	4	0	66	0	0	0	66	16.5
Carr, Tommy	2	54	0	0	0	0	54	27.0
Moa, Salesi	6	-1	23	9	0	0	31	5.2
Hoffman, Jalen	6	0	25	0	0	0	25	4.2
Hill, Jyaire	6	0	0	0	0	24	24	4.0
Johnson, Travis	6	2	10	0	0	0	12	2.0
Owens, Eli	5	7	5	0	0	0	12	2.4
Lea'ea, Jonah	6	0	0	0	0	9	9	1.5
O'Meara, Tomas	6	5	0	0	0	0	5	0.8
Snowden, Smith	6	0	0	0	0	3	3	0.5
Johnson, Donovan	1	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-2.0
TEAM	6	-2	0	0	0	0	-2	-0.3
Total	**6**	**886**	**994**	**39**	**170**	**115**	**2204**	**367.3**
Opponent	**6**	**538**	**1001**	**40**	**219**	**2**	**1800**	**300.0**

PUNT RETURNS	G	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg	Yd/G
Marsh, Andrew	6	7	30	4.3	0	10	5.0
Moa, Salesi	6	1	9	9.0	0	9	1.5
Total	**6**	**8**	**39**	**4.9**	**0**	**10**	**6.5**
Opponent	**6**	**9**	**40**	**4.4**	**0**	**16**	**6.7**

KICK RETURNS	G	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg	Yd/G
Kuzdzal, Bryson	6	8	170	21.2	0	36	28.3
Total	**6**	**8**	**170**	**21.2**	**0**	**36**	**28.3**
Opponent	**6**	**7**	**219**	**31.3**	**1**	**99**	**36.5**

PUNTING	G	No	Avg	Lg	Blk	TB	FC	50+	In 20
Brown, Cam	6	30	41.9	52	0	2	13	5	13
Total	**6**	**30**	**41.9**	**52**	**0**	**2**	**13**	**5**	**13**
Opponent	**6**	**33**	**40.0**	**62**	**2**	**1**	**9**	**6**	**15**

FIELD GOALS	G	Att	Made	Lg	Blkd
Butkowski, Trey	6	4	4	49	0
Total	**6**	**4**	**4**	**49**	**0**
Opponent	**6**	**10**	**9**	**52**	**0**

DEFENSE	G	TACK	AST	TOT	TFL	SACK	PD	FF	FR
Bowles, Troy	6	25	25	50	5-14	0.5-1	1	0	1
Staehling, Nathaniel	6	15	19	34	2.5-6	0-0	0	0	0
Bracy, Chris	6	17	14	31	1-9	1-9	2	2	0
Hill, Jyaire	6	19	12	31	1-3	0-0	0	0	0
Moore, Rod	6	13	12	25	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Daley, John Henry	6	8	11	19	6-24	4-21	0	0	0
Snowden, Smith	6	15	4	19	1-1	0-0	2	0	0
Etta, Enow	6	10	8	18	3-2	0.5-0	0	0	1
Taylor, Chase	6	8	10	18	1.5-4	1-3	1	0	0
Moa, Aisea	6	8	9	17	0.5-1	0-0	1	0	0
Nichols, Dominic	6	6	10	16	5-18	2.5-12	0	0	0
Berry, Zeke	6	9	6	15	1-1	0-0	2	0	0
Pierce, Trey	6	8	7	15	1.5-1	0.5-0	0	0	0
Lea'ea, Jonah	6	5	7	12	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Marshall, Nate	6	3	7	10	2.5-18	2-17	0	0	0
Boney, Tariq	6	5	3	8	3-12	2-11	0	0	0
Patterson, Benny	5	0	7	7	2-7	0.5-4	0	0	0
Owusu-Boateng, N	6	4	2	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Young, Jordan	6	6	0	6	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Alford, Max	6	2	3	5	1-6	0-0	0	0	0
Kanka, Bobby	6	3	2	5	0.5-1	0.5-1	0	0	0
Curtis, Mason	6	3	1	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Earls, Shamari	6	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	1	0	0
Palepale, Deyvid	5	2	1	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Andrighetto, Nico	6	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Bell, Kendrick	5	2	0	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Brandt, Cameron	6	0	2	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Oden, Jacob	1	2	0	2	1-3	0-0	0	0	0
Dabney, Markel	1	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Goodwin, Channing	6	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Hammond, Ted	5	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Kuzdzal, Bryson	6	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Marsh, Andrew	6	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Meadows, Carter	3	1	0	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Tonielli, Deakon	5	0	1	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0
Edokpayi, Lugard	5	0	0	0	0-0	0-0	0	0	0

INT. RETURNS	G	No	Yds	Avg	TD	Lg	Yd/G
Staehling, Nathaniel	6	1	79	79.0	1	79	13.2
Hill, Jyaire	6	1	24	24.0	0	24	4.0
Lea'ea, Jonah	6	1	9	9.0	1	9	1.5
Snowden, Smith	6	1	3	3.0	0	3	0.5
Bracy, Chris	6	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Moore, Rod	6	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0
Total	**6**	**6**	**115**	**19.2**	**2**	**79**	**19.2**
Opponent	**6**	**6**	**2**	**0.3**	**0**	**4**	**0.3**

SCORING	G	TD	FG	SAF	PAT-1	PAT-2	Total	PG
Butkowski, Trey	6	0	4	0	16	0	28	4.7
Buchanan, JJ	6	4	0	0	0	0	24	4.0
Marshall, Jordan	6	4	0	0	0	0	24	4.0
Hiter, Savion	6	2	0	0	0	0	12	2.0
Underwood, Bryce	6	2	0	0	0	0	12	2.0
Carr, Tommy	2	1	0	0	0	0	6	3.0
Kuzdzal, Bryson	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	1.0
Lea'ea, Jonah	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	1.0
Marsh, Andrew	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	1.0
Moa, Salesi	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	1.0
Staehling, Nathaniel	6	1	0	0	0	0	6	1.0
Total	**6**	**18**	**4**	**0**	**16**	**0**	**136**	**22.7**
Opponent	**6**	**10**	**9**	**0**	**8**	**1**	**97**	**16.2**