



OKLAHOMA BASKETBALL

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- Sparked by a stout defensive performance, the No. 22/25 Oklahoma women's basketball team picked up its fifth Big 12 victory of the season as it defeated Texas Tech, 66-45, on Saturday afternoon inside Lloyd Noble Center. Junior center Vionise Pierre-Louis recorded her second straight double-double with 10 points and 11 rebounds, while Peyton Little scored a game-high 18 points. The Sooners improved to 14-4 overall and 5-1 in the Big 12, while Texas Tech fell to 11-6 and 3-3 against league foes.
- OU has won 12 straight meetings against Texas Tech, which ranks as the third-longest winning streak against a Big 12 in program history. The 12 straight victories ranks as OU's longest active winning streak against any Division I opponent.
- At home this season, OU boasts a 9-1 record. The Sooners are 32-5 over the last three seasons at Lloyd Noble Center.
- The Sooners have also won 12 consecutive home meetings against the Lady Raiders dating back to 2005. OU leads the all-time series, 33-22, over the Lady Raiders.
- The Sooners held Texas Tech to a season-low 45 points on Saturday. OU opened the game with an 11-0 run led 34-18 at halftime. The 18 points by the Lady Raiders in the opening half marked the first time OU held an opponent to less than 20 first-half points since Dec. 7, 2014, at North Texas.
- OU held Texas Tech to a season-low .297 field goal percentage, the second time the Sooners have kept their opponents below a .300 shooting percentage in Big 12 play (Kansas, .284) this season.
- The Sooners improved to 10-0 this season when finishing with a higher shooting percentage than its opponent. OU has won 31 straight games when posting a better field goal percentage than its opponent.
- Fifteen OU players saw action on Saturday against Texas Tech, including Morgan Rich, who made her first career field goal in the fourth quarter.
- OU's starting lineup vs. Texas Tech -- Gabbi Ortiz (G), Gioya Carter (G), Peyton Little (G), Maddie Manning (G), Nancy Mulkey (C). It was the first time OU has used this lineup combination this year.
- Oklahoma head coach Sherri Coale is now 456-221 in her 21 seasons with the Sooners. She is 217-119 against Big 12 teams during the regular season at OU. Coale is 29-12 against Texas Tech in the Big 12 era.

PEYTON LITTLE

- Led OU in scoring for the ninth time this season and the 30th time in her career with 18 points on 7-of-13 shooting. Little hit two 3-pointers in the win and finished with five rebounds, two assists and a tied a career high with two blocks.
- OU is 10-2 this season and 38-16 overall when Little scores at least 10 points in a game during her career.
- Has 1,021 points as a Sooner and needs 68 points to pass Nicole Griffin (1,088) for 31st all-time in scoring at Oklahoma.

NANCY MULKEY

- Finished with two blocks against Texas Tech to earn seventh game this season with multiple blocks. Mulkey leads OU with 40 blocks.

GABBI ORTIZ

- Earned her fourth straight game in double figures, adding in 10 points and five rebounds in 18 minutes of action.
- Continued to provide OU with a threat from 3-point range, knocking down two triples against Texas Tech. Ortiz is shooting .476 (10-for-21 from beyond the arc in Big 12 play this season).

VIONISE PIERRE-LOUIS

- Picked up a double-double for the second straight game and for the sixth time this year with 10 points and a game-high 11 rebounds. OU is 6-1 all-time when Pierre-Louis records a double-double.
- Finished with 10-plus rebounds for the seventh time this season.
- In Big 12 play, Pierre-Louis is averaging 11.8 points, 9.2 rebounds and 2.3 blocks per game this season.