



POSTGAME NOTES

// 2018-19 KANSAS MEN'S BASKETBALL

#1/1 Kansas 92, #10/10 Michigan State 87

Tuesday, November 6, 2018

Bankers Life Fieldhouse // Indianapolis, Ind.

KU STARTERS (SEASON/CAREER)

Devon Dotson (1/1)

Quentin Grimes (1/1)

Lagerald Vick (1/42)

Dedric Lawson (1/65*) *Includes 64 starts at Memphis*

Udoka Azubuike (1/41)

SERIES INFO: SERIES TIED 7-7

ATTENDANCE: NOT ANNOUNCED

KANSAS' WIN...

- Made Kansas 1-0 for the 15th time in head coach Bill Self's 16 seasons at KU.
- Made Kansas 4-4 in the Champions Classic, giving KU its third-straight win in the event.
- Gave the Jayhawks at least one win over an AP top-10 team for the fourth-straight season and the 15th year in Bill Self's 16 seasons.
- Improved Kansas' record to 22-10 as the AP's No. 1-ranked team when playing a ranked opponent and 12-3 since 2010.
- Improved the Jayhawks' record to 26-6 at neutral sites since 2015-16.
- Make KU 1-2 versus Michigan State in the Champions Classic and 7-7 in the all-time series.
- Improved Bill Self to 448-96 while at Kansas, 655-201 all-time and 7-7 in his coaching career against Michigan State.
- Made Kansas 2,249-849 all-time.

TEAM NOTES

- The diaper dandy duo of Quentin Grimes and Devon Dotson combined for nine 3-pointers, the most by a freshman pair in Kansas history (records dating back to 1988-89).
- Kansas and Michigan State's 179 combined points marks the most points scored in Champions Classic history. The previous highest-scoring contest in Champions Classic history was KU vs. Duke in 2013, where the Jayhawks won 94-83, a total of 177 points between the two teams.

INDIVIDUAL NOTES

Redshirt junior Dedric Lawson

- Lawson's 11 first-half rebounds moved him into a tie with Thomas Robinson (second half vs. Kentucky, 4/2/2012) for fourth-most rebounds in a half by a KU player since 1988-89. Eric Chenoweth leads with 14 (second half vs. Texas A&M, 1/14/1998).
- Lawson notched the 37th double-double of his collegiate career with 20 points and 14 rebounds, having recorded 17 his freshman season and 19 as a sophomore at Memphis.

- Lawson is just the fifth Jayhawk (records dating back to 1988-89) to record a double-double in his Kansas debut. Other Jayhawks to record double-doubles in their career debut include Marcus Garrett (10 points, 10 rebounds vs. Tennessee State, 11/10/2017), David Padgett (13 points, 10 rebounds vs. UT Chattanooga, 11/21/2003) and Wayne Simien (10 points, 11 rebounds vs. Wake Forest, 12/4/2001).
- On the floor for 38 minutes, Lawson set the Kansas record for minutes played in a debut since the 1988-89 season. Andrew Wiggins (34 minutes vs. Louisiana Monroe (11/8/2013), David Padgett (31 minutes vs. UT Chattanooga, 11/21/2003) and Ben McLemore (30 minutes vs. SE Missouri State, 11/9/2012) are the only other Jayhawks to record 30-plus minutes in their KU debut.
- Going 10-for-12 from the charity stripe, Lawson became the first player in KU history (records dating back to 1988-89) to make 10-plus free throws in their Kansas debut. Joel Embiid (7-for-10 vs. Louisiana Monroe, 11/8/2013) and Markieff Morris (7-for-10 vs. UMKC, 11/16/2008) are the only other KU players to attempt 10-or-more free throws in their KU debut.

Freshman Quentin Grimes

- Grimes' six 3-pointers (6-for-10) marks the most 3-pointers in a Kansas debut (records dating back to 1988-89). Josh Selby was the last Jayhawk to make five-or-more in his debut, going 5-for-8 from deep against USC (12/18/2010). Other Jayhawks to make at least three 3-pointers in their debut prior to this season (since 1988-89) include Xavier Henry (5-for-8 vs. Hofstra, 11/13/2009) and Tyrel Reed (3-for-4 vs. Louisiana Monroe, 11/9/2007).
- Grimes' six treys ties Malik Newman for fourth-most in a game in KU history (records dating back to 1988-89). Newman's six threes came against West Virginia on March 10, 2018.
- Grimes (30 minutes played) joined teammates Dedric Lawson and Devon Dotson and former Kansas players David Padgett and Ben McLemore as the only players to play 30-plus minutes in their Kansas debut.
- Grimes' six 3-pointers are the most by a KU freshman since J.R. Giddens hit seven against Iowa State on Jan. 31, 2004.

Freshman Devon Dotson

- Dotson became just the fifth KU player to hit three-or-more 3-pointers (3-for-5) in their career debut, after teammate Quentin Grimes hit six on the night.
- Dotson (33 minutes played) joined teammates Dedric Lawson and Quentin Grimes and former Kansas players David Padgett and Ben McLemore as the only players to play 30-plus minutes in their Kansas debut.