2017 Football Rules Survey Report

QUANTITATIVE DATA February 23, 2017

Title	n	N	%
FBS HC	111	129	86%
FCS HC	78	122	64%
DII HC	95	173	55%
DIII HC	164	246	67%
TOTAL COACHES	448	670	67%
FBS Commissioner	10	10	100%
FCS Commissioner	11	13	85%
DII Commissioner	11	16	69%
DIII Commissioner	24	29	83%

Title	n	N	%
FBS Coordinator	8	8	100%
FCS Coordinator	7	7	100%
DII Coordinator	9	15	60%
DIII Coordinator	14	17	82%
FBS Game Official	581	3067	19%
FCS Game Official	453	3067	15%
DII Game Official	634	3067	21%
DIII Game Official	534	3067	17%
Instant Replay Official	174	3067	6%

^{*}Officials 'N'=total number of officials, not by division

REVIEW OF PREVIOUS RULES CHANGES AND EMPHASIS

Indicate the impact of the previous rules changes below.

1. Sliding ball carrier protected as a defenseless player.

HEAD COACH	F	BS	F	CS	DII			DIII	Overall	
Positive	85%	93	91%	70	73%	69	76%	124	80%	356
Negative	3%	3	1%	1	12%	11	5%	9	5%	24
No Opinion	13%	14	8%	6	16%	15	19%	31	15%	66
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	77	100%	95	100%	164	100%	446
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	F	cs	DII		1	DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	90%	9	100%	11	100%	11	88%	21	93%	52
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	10%	1	0%	0	0%	0	13%	3	7%	4
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
COORDINATOR	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38

SLIDING BALL CARRIER CONTINUED

GAME OFFICIALS	F	FBS		FCS				DIII	Overall	
Positive	95%	550	91%	414	92%	581	94%	502	93%	2047
Negative	2%	11	2%	8	1%	9	2%	10	2%	38
No Opinion	3%	19	7%	31	7%	42	4%	22	5%	114
TOTAL	100%	580	100%	453	100%	632	100%	534	100%	2199

INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Positive	95%	165
Negative	3%	5
No Opinion	2%	4
TOTAL	100%	174

2. Blocking below the waist changes, which require low blocks to be directly from the front once the blocker has left the tackle box

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HEAD COACH	F	BS	FC	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	79%	86	70%	54	76%	72	76%	124	76%	336
Negative	14%	15	16%	12	16%	15	17%	28	16%	70
No Opinion	7%	8	14%	11	8%	8	7%	11	9%	38
TOTAL	100%	109	100%	77	100%	95	100%	163	100%	444
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	FC	cs	DII]	DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	80%	8	73%	8	91%	10	67%	16	75%	42
Negative	10%	1	9%	1	0%	0	8%	2	7%	4
No Opinion	10%	1	18%	2	9%	1	25%	6	18%	10
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56

COORDINATOR	FBS		FCS		DII		i	DIII	Overall		
Positive	100%	8	86%	6	67%	6	93%	13	87%	33	
Negative	0%	0	14%	1	33%	3	7%	1	13%	5	
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38	

GAME OFFICIALS	FBS		FCS		DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	75%	431	82%	370	83%	524	84%	450	81%	1775
Negative	18%	105	13%	59	10%	66	10%	52	13%	282
No Opinion	7%	41	5%	21	6%	41	6%	31	6%	134
TOTAL	100%	577	100%	450	100%	631	100%	533	100%	2191

BBW CHANGES CONTINUED

INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Positive	66%	115
Negative	11%	19
No Opinion	23%	39
TOTAL	100%	173

3. Allowing the medical observer to instruct the Instant Replay Official to stop the game for an injured player.

HEAD COACH	F	BS	FC	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	66%	73	66%	51	41%	39	31%	51	48%	214
Negative	9%	10	5%	4	6%	6	2%	3	5%	23
No Opinion	25%	27	29%	22	53%	50	67%	110	47%	209
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	77	100%	95	100%	164	100%	446

COMMISSIONER	F	BS	FCS		DII		1	DIII	Overall	
Positive	80%	8	64%	7	40%	4	42%	10	53%	29
Negative	0%	0	18%	2	10%	1	4%	1	7%	4
No Opinion	20%	2	18%	2	50%	5	54%	13	40%	22
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	10	100%	24	100%	55

COORDINATOR	F	BS	FCS		DII			DIII	Overall	
Positive	50%	4	43%	3	56%	5	43%	6	47%	18
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	7%	1	3%	1
No Opinion	50%	4	57%	4	44%	4	50%	7	50%	19
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38

GAME OFFICIALS	F	BS	F	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	66%	384	60%	269	43%	274	40%	211	52%	1138
Negative	2%	14	2%	10	2%	13	1%	7	2%	44
No Opinion	31%	182	38%	173	55%	345	59%	315	46%	1015
TOTAL	100%	580	100%	452	100%	632	100%	533	100%	2197

Positive	64%	112
Negative	6%	11
No Opinion	29%	51
TOTAL	100%	174

4. Broadened authority of the Instant Replay Official in relation to targeting fouls.

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HEAD COACH	F	BS	F	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	76%	84	71%	55	53%	50	34%	55	55%	244
Negative	18%	20	10%	8	9%	8	5%	9	10%	45
No Opinion	5%	6	18%	14	38%	36	61%	100	35%	156
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	77	100%	94	100%	164	100%	445
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	100%	10	73%	8	45%	5	42%	10	59%	33
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	0%	0	27%	3	55%	6	58%	14	41%	23
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
COORDINATOR	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	100%	8	100%	7	56%	5	64%	9	76%	29
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	11%	1	14%	2	8%	3
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	33%	3	21%	3	16%	6
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38
GAME OFFICIALS	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	89%	512	86%	390	57%	358	53%	283	71%	1543
Negative	6%	37	4%	18	4%	23	3%	17	4%	95
No Opinion	5%	27	10%	44	39%	247	44%	232	25%	550
TOTAL	100%	576	100%	452	100%	628	100%	532	100%	2188
INSTANT REPLAY	OFFICIAL		_							
Positive	82%	143]							
Negative	14%	25	1							
No Opinion	3%	6	1							
TOTAL	100%	174	1							

5. Two unsportsmanlike conduct fouls by a coach results in ejection.

HEAD COACH	FI	BS	FC	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	80%	88	82%	63	80%	76	74%	122	78%	349
Negative	2%	2	4%	3	8%	8	6%	10	5%	23
No Opinion	18%	20	14%	11	12%	11	20%	32	17%	74
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	77	100%	95	100%	164	100%	446
COMMISSIONER	FI	BS	FC	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall

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Positive	90%	9	100%	11	100%	11	96%	23	96%	54
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	10%	1	0%	0	0%	0	4%	1	4%	2
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56

UNSPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT CONTINUED

COORDINATOR	F	BS	F	cs	DII		1	DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	100%	8	86%	6	100%	9	93%	13	95%	36
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	0%	0	14%	1	0%	0	7%	1	5%	2
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38
GAME OFFICIALS	F	BS	F	cs	DII		ļ	DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	92%	529	94%	424	92%	581	90%	483	92%	2017
Negative	0%	2	1%	3	1%	8	1%	5	1%	18
No Opinion	8%	46	6%	25	7%	44	9%	46	7%	161
TOTAL										1

INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Positive	88%	153
Negative	1%	1
No Opinion	11%	19
TOTAL	100%	173

6. Point of emphasis on enforcing ineligible receivers downfield more strictly

HEAD COACH	F	BS	F	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	66%	73	62%	48	69%	66	67%	110	67%	297
Negative	18%	20	18%	14	20%	19	20%	32	19%	85
No Opinion	15%	17	19%	15	11%	10	13%	22	14%	64
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	77	100%	95	100%	164	100%	446
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	F	cs	DII		I	DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	80%	8	73%	8	64%	7	58%	14	66%	37
Negative	0%	0	0%	0	9%	1	0%	0	2%	1
No Opinion	20%	2	27%	3	27%	3	42%	10	32%	18
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
COORDINATOR	F	BS	F	CS	DII	_		DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	75%	6	86%	6	56%	5	79%	11	74%	28
Negative	13%	1	14%	1	22%	2	14%	2	16%	6
No Opinion	13%	1	0%	0	22%	2	7%	1	11%	4
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38
GAME OFFICIALS	F	BS	F	cs	DII]	DIII	Ove	rall
Positive	53%	305	55%	249	67%	425	69%	366	61%	1345
Negative	21%	124	18%	83	12%	74	11%	56	15%	337
No Opinion	26%	149	27%	120	21%	132	21%	111	23%	512

POINTS OF EMPHASIS CONTINUED

INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Positive	53%	93
Negative	11%	19
No Opinion	36%	62
TOTAL	100%	174

PACE OF PLAY

Indicate your level of support on the following:

1. The committee should find ways, without impacting the game on the field, to shorten the length of time it takes to play a game.

HEAD COACH	FI	BS	F	cs	DII	DII		DIII	Overall	
Support	71%	79	69%	53	44%	42	34%	55	51%	229
No Support	20%	22	18%	14	39%	37	48%	78	34%	151
No Opinion	9%	10	13%	10	17%	16	19%	31	15%	67
TOTAL	100%	111	100%	77	100%	95	100%	164	100%	447
COMMISSIONER	FI	BS	FC	cs	DII	-		DIII	Ove	rall
Support	90%	9	91%	10	91%	10	67%	16	80%	45
No Support	10%	1	9%	1	9%	1	17%	4	13%	7
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	17%	4	7%	4
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
COORDINATOR	FI	BS	FC	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
COORDINATOR Support	100%	BS 8	F0 86%	CS 6	DII 89%	8	71%	DIII 10	Ove 84%	r all 32
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Support	100%	8	86%	6	89%	8	71%	10	84%	32
Support No Support	100% 0%	8	86% 0%	6 0	89% 11%	8	71% 14%	10	84% 8%	32 3
Support No Support No Opinion	100% 0% 0% 100%	8 0 0	86% 0% 14% 100%	6 0 1	89% 11% 0%	8 1 0 9	71% 14% 14% 100%	10 2 2	84% 8% 8%	32 3 3 38
Support No Support No Opinion TOTAL	100% 0% 0% 100%	8 0 0 8	86% 0% 14% 100%	6 0 1 7	89% 11% 0% 100%	8 1 0 9	71% 14% 14% 100%	10 2 2 14	84% 8% 8% 100%	32 3 3 38
Support No Support No Opinion TOTAL GAME OFFICIALS	100% 0% 0% 100%	8 0 0 8 8	86% 0% 14% 100%	6 0 1 7	89% 11% 0% 100% DII	8 1 0 9	71% 14% 14% 100%	10 2 2 14	84% 8% 8% 100% Ove	32 3 3 38 rall
Support No Support No Opinion TOTAL GAME OFFICIALS Support	100% 0% 0% 100% Fi 87%	8 0 0 8 8 BS	86% 0% 14% 100% F0	6 0 1 7 CS 356	89% 11% 0% 100% DII 70%	8 1 0 9	71% 14% 14% 100%	10 2 2 14 DIII 376	84% 8% 8% 100% Ove	32 3 3 38 rall 1679

Support	83%	145
No Support	10%	18
No Opinion	6%	11
TOTAL	100%	174

2. The committee should change the rules to shorten the length of time it takes to play a game.

HEAD COACH	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Support	38%	42	22%	17	18%	17	13%	21	22%	97
No Support	52%	58	62%	48	71%	67	73%	120	66%	293
No Opinion	10%	11	16%	12	12%	11	14%	23	13%	57
TOTAL	100%	111	100%	77	100%	95	100%	164	100%	447
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Support	78%	7	64%	7	55%	6	29%	7	49%	27
No Support	22%	2	27%	3	27%	3	54%	13	38%	21
No Opinion	0%	0	9%	1	18%	2	17%	4	13%	7
TOTAL	100%	9	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	55
COORDINATOR	F	BS	F	cs	DII		I	DIII	Ove	rall
Support	75%	6	86%	6	67%	6	64%	9	71%	27
No Support	250/	2	0%	0	22%	2	29%	4	21%	8
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No Opinion	25% 0%	0	14%	1	11%	1	7%	1	8%	3
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No Opinion	0% 100%	0	14% 100%	1	11%	1	7% 100%	1	8%	38
No Opinion TOTAL	0% 100%	0 8	14% 100%	1 7	11% 100%	1	7% 100%	1 14	8% 100%	38
No Opinion TOTAL GAME OFFICIALS	0% 100% F l	0 8 BS	14% 100% F (1 7	11% 100% DII	9	7% 100%	1 14 DIII	8% 100% Ove	38 rall
No Opinion TOTAL GAME OFFICIALS Support	0% 100% FI 67%	0 8 BS 388	14% 100% F(55%	1 7 CS	11% 100% DII 45%	1 9 282	7% 100% 49%	1 14 DIII 260	8% 100% Over	38 rall 1177
No Opinion TOTAL GAME OFFICIALS Support No Support	0% 100% FI 67% 21%	0 8 BS 388 120	14% 100% F(55% 32%	1 7 CS 247 146	11% 100% DII 45% 37%	1 9 282 232	7% 100% 1 49% 32%	1 14 DIII 260 172	8% 100% Ove 54% 31%	38 rall 1177 670

INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Support	68%	118
No Support	24%	41
No Opinion	9%	15
TOTAL	100%	174

3. The clock should continue to run after a first down is gained in the field of play, except in the last two minutes of each half when it would stop when the ball is dead and start on the snap.

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Support	42%	47	36%	28	34%	32	24%	39	33%	146
No Support	52%	58	57%	44	60%	57	72%	117	62%	276
No Opinion	5%	6	6%	5	6%	6	4%	7	5%	24
TOTAL	100%	111	100%	77	100%	95	100%	163	100%	446
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Support	70%	7	82%	9	64%	7	58%	14	66%	37
No Support	10%	1	18%	2	36%	4	29%	7	25%	14
No Opinion	20%	2	0%	0	0%	0	13%	3	9%	5
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56

CLOCK CONTINUED

COORDINATOR	F	BS	FC	CS	DII		1	DIII	Ove	rall
Support	88%	7	71%	5	78%	7	50%	7	68%	26
No Support	13%	1	14%	1	22%	2	50%	7	29%	11
No Opinion	0%	0	14%	1	0%	0	0%	0	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38
GAME OFFICIALS	F	BS	F	cs	DII		-	DIII	Ove	rall
GAME OFFICIALS Support	80%	BS 462	70%	3 17	DII 73%	459	69%	DIII 368	Ove 73%	r all 1606
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Support	80%	462	70%	317	73%		69%	368	73%	1606

INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Support	70%	121
No Support	25%	44
No Opinion	5%	9
TOTAL	100%	174

4. After an incomplete pass, the clock should stop. When the ball is ready for play, the clock should start on the referee's signal, except in the last two minutes of each half when it would start on the snap. (Note: This rule would mirror the out-of-bounds rules.)

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HEAD COACH	F	BS	FC	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Support	33%	36	32%	25	41%	39	26%	43	32%	143
No Support	62%	68	57%	44	53%	50	66%	109	61%	271
No Opinion	5%	6	10%	8	6%	6	7%	12	7%	32
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	77	100%	95	100%	164	100%	446
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	FC	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Support	80%	8	73%	8	73%	8	54%	13	66%	37
No Support	20%	2	18%	2	27%	3	38%	9	29%	16
No Opinion	0%	0	9%	1	0%	0	8%	2	5%	3
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
COORDINATOR	F	BS	FC	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Support	88%	7	86%	6	89%	8	93%	13	89%	34
No Support	13%	1	14%	1	11%	1	7%	1	11%	4
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38

INCOMPLETE PASS CONTINUED

GAME OFFICIALS	F	BS	F	CS	DII		DIII		Ove	rall
Support	71%	413	65%	293	69%	436	71%	378	69%	1520
No Support	24%	141	31%	137	27%	174	25%	135	27%	587
No Opinion	4%	24	4%	19	4%	23	4%	20	4%	86
TOTAL	100%	578	100%	449	100%	633	100%	533	100%	2193

INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Support	72%	125
No Support	25%	43
No Opinion	3%	6
TOTAL	100%	174

TECHNOLOGY

Share your level of support on the following:

1. The committee should allow the experimental use of technology on the sideline for coaching purposes.

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HEAD COACH	FI	BS	F	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Support	45%	50	43%	33	46%	43	38%	62	42%	188
No Support	49%	54	47%	36	50%	47	58%	95	52%	232
No Opinion	6%	7	10%	8	4%	4	4%	7	6%	26
TOTAL	100%	111	100%	77	100%	94	100%	164	100%	446
COMMISSIONER	FI	BS	F	CS	DII		I	DIII	Ove	rall
Support	40%	4	18%	2	27%	3	33%	8	30%	17
No Support	50%	5	45%	5	55%	6	33%	8	43%	24
No Opinion	10%	1	36%	4	18%	2	33%	8	27%	15
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
COORDINATOR	FI	BS	F	cs	DII		I	DIII	Ove	rall
COORDINATOR Support	75%	BS 6	33%	2	DII 78%	7	21%	DIII 3	Ove 49%	rall 18
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Support	75%		33%	2	78%	7	21%	3	49%	18
Support No Support	75% 13%	6 1	33% 50%	2	78% 11%	7	21% 57%	3 8	49% 35%	18 13
Support No Support No Opinion	75% 13% 13% 100%	6 1 1	33% 50% 17% 100%	2 3 1	78% 11% 11%	7 1 1 9	21% 57% 21% 100%	3 8 3	49% 35% 16%	18 13 6 37
Support No Support No Opinion TOTAL	75% 13% 13% 100%	6 1 1 8	33% 50% 17% 100%	2 3 1 6	78% 11% 11% 100%	7 1 1 9	21% 57% 21% 100%	3 8 3 14	49% 35% 16% 100%	18 13 6 37
Support No Support No Opinion TOTAL GAME OFFICIALS	75% 13% 13% 100%	6 1 1 8 8	33% 50% 17% 100%	2 3 1 6	78% 11% 11% 100% DII	7 1 1 9	21% 57% 21% 100%	3 8 3 14	49% 35% 16% 100% Ove	18 13 6 37
Support No Support No Opinion TOTAL GAME OFFICIALS Support	75% 13% 13% 100% Fi 45%	6 1 1 8 8 3S	33% 50% 17% 100% F0 46%	2 3 1 6 CS	78% 11% 11% 100% DII 45%	7 1 1 9	21% 57% 21% 100%	3 8 3 14 DIII 266	49% 35% 16% 100% Ove 46%	18 13 6 37 rall

SIDELINE TECHNOLOGY CONTINUED

INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Support	39%	68
No Support	24%	41
No Opinion	37%	64
TOTAL	100%	173

2. Coaches should be permitted to use a limited number of computers and/or digital recorders in the coaching booths.

HEAD COACH	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Support	45%	50	52%	40	47%	44	43%	71	46%	205
No Support	50%	55	40%	31	49%	46	52%	85	49%	217
No Opinion	5%	6	8%	6	3%	3	5%	8	5%	23
TOTAL	100%	111	100%	77	100%	93	100%	164	100%	445
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	FC	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Support	70%	7	45%	5	27%	3	38%	9	43%	24
No Support	30%	3	9%	1	55%	6	38%	9	34%	19
No Opinion	0%	0	45%	5	18%	2	25%	6	23%	13
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
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COORDINATOR	F	BS	F	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	
	F 88%		F0 50%	CS 3	DII 78%	7	36%		Ove 59%	
COORDINATOR		BS				7		DIII		rall
COORDINATOR Support	88%	BS 7	50%	3	78%	7 1 1	36%	DIII 5	59%	rall
COORDINATOR Support No Support	88% 0%	BS 7 0	50% 33%	3 2	78% 11%	1	36% 50%	DIII 5 7	59% 27%	rall 22 10
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Support	34%	59
No Support	23%	40
No Opinion	43%	74
TOTAL	100%	173

NEW RULES TOPICS / EMPHASIS

Share your view on the following situations:

1. Should players that jump over the line during a field goal or extra point attempt be penalized for leaping, even if they do not touch another player?

HEAD COACH	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	53%	58	53%	41	47%	45	43%	71	48%	215
No	44%	48	42%	33	52%	49	51%	84	48%	214
No Opinion	4%	4	5%	4	1%	1	5%	9	4%	18
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	78	100%	95	100%	164	100%	447
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	70%	7	45%	5	64%	7	63%	15	61%	34
No	30%	3	36%	4	27%	3	25%	6	29%	16
No Opinion	0%	0	18%	2	9%	1	13%	3	11%	6
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
COORDINATOR	FI	BS	F	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
COORDINATOR Yes	63%	BS 5	F(CS 7	DII 67%	6	71%	DIII 10	Ove: 74%	rall 28
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Yes	63%	5	100%	7	67%	_	71%	10	74%	28
Yes No	63% 38%	5 3	100% 0%	7	67% 33%	3	71% 29%	10 4	74% 26%	28 10
Yes No No Opinion	63% 38% 0% 100%	5 3 0	100% 0% 0% 100%	7 0 0	67% 33% 0%	3	71% 29% 0% 100%	10 4 0	74% 26% 0%	28 10 0 38
Yes No No Opinion TOTAL	63% 38% 0% 100%	5 3 0 8	100% 0% 0% 100%	7 0 0 7	67% 33% 0% 100%	3	71% 29% 0% 100%	10 4 0 14	74% 26% 0% 100%	28 10 0 38
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Yes	55%	96
No	39%	68
No Opinion	6%	10
TOTAL	100%	174

2. Should changes be considered to the kickoff to encourage more touchbacks?

HEAD COACH	FBS		F	cs	DII	DII		DIII	Overall	
Yes	45%	49	40%	31	31%	29	30%	50	36%	159
No	44%	48	53%	41	63%	60	60%	99	55%	248
No Opinion	12%	13	8%	6	6%	6	9%	15	9%	40
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	78	100%	95	100%	164	100%	447
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	60%	6	55%	6	55%	6	29%	7	45%	25
No	10%	1	9%	1	18%	2	54%	13	30%	17
No Opinion	30%	3	36%	4	27%	3	17%	4	25%	14
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
COORDINATOR	F	BS	F	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	63%	5	71%	5	33%	3	50%	7	53%	20
No	25%	2	29%	2	56%	5	50%	7	42%	16
No Opinion	13%	1	0%	0	11%	1	0%	0	5%	2
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38
GAME OFFICIALS	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	36%	206	35%	160	31%	194	34%	181	34%	741
No	51%	298	51%	232	55%	344	53%	282	53%	1156
No Opinion	13%	76	13%	60	15%	93	13%	70	14%	299
TOTAL	100%	580	100%	452	100%	631	100%	533	100%	2196
INSTANT REPLAY	OFFICIAL									
Yes	29%	50								
No	54%	94								
No Opinion	17%	30								
TOTAL	100%	174								

3. Should double team blocks be eliminated during kickoffs?

HEAD COACH	FBS		FCS		DII		DIII		Overall	
Yes	18%	20	29%	23	19%	18	14%	23	19%	84
No	79%	87	67%	52	80%	76	84%	138	79%	353
No Opinion	3%	3	4%	3	1%	1	2%	3	2%	10
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	78	100%	95	100%	164	100%	447
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	F	CS	DII		I	DIII	Ove	rall
COMMISSIONER Yes	30%	BS 3	64%	CS 7	DII 36%	4	29%	DIII 7	Ove 38%	rall 21
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Yes	30%	3	64%	7	36%		29%	7	38%	21

DOUBLE TEAM BLOCKS CONTINUED

COORDINATOR	R FBS		FCS		DII			DIII	Overall		
Yes	25%	2	14%	1	11%	1	21%	3	18%	7	
No	75%	6	86%	6	89%	8	71%	10	79%	30	
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	7%	1	3%	1	
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38	
GAME OFFICIALS	FBS		FCS		DII			DIII	Overall		
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GAME OFFICIALS	FBS		FCS DII				DIII	Overall		
Yes	10%	58	12%	56	16%	100	17%	89	14%	303
No	81%	471	80%	363	76%	480	73%	391	78%	1705
No Opinion	9%	50	7%	33	8%	52	10%	53	9%	188
TOTAL	100%	579	100%	452	100%	632	100%	533	100%	2196

INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Yes	19%	33
No	66%	114
No Opinion	16%	27
TOTAL	100%	174

4. Should rules that deal with sideline management/coaching behavior be enforced more stringently?

HEAD COACH	FBS		FBS FCS		DII		DIII		Overall	
Yes	28%	31	36%	28	37%	35	25%	41	30%	135
No	55%	61	36%	28	48%	46	61%	100	53%	235
No Opinion	16%	18	28%	22	15%	14	14%	23	17%	77
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	78	100%	95	100%	164	100%	447
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COMMISSIONER	FBS		FCS		DII		DIII		Overall	
Yes	90%	9	100%	11	91%	10	92%	22	93%	52
No	10%	1	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	2%	1
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	9%	1	8%	2	5%	3
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56

COORDINATOR	FBS		FCS		DII		DIII		Overall	
Yes	75%	6	86%	6	78%	7	93%	13	84%	32
No	25%	2	14%	1	22%	2	7%	1	16%	6
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38

GAME OFFICIALS	FBS		FCS		DII			DIII	Overall		
Yes	81%	466	84%	377	84%	531	86%	460	84%	1834	
No	12%	67	11%	50	10%	65	9%	48	11%	230	
No Opinion	7%	43	5%	23	6%	35	5%	24	6%	125	
TOTAL	100%	576	100%	450	100%	631	100%	532	100%	2189	

SIDELINE BEHAVIOR CONTINUED

INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Yes	89%	154
No	6%	11
No Opinion	5%	9
TOTAL	100%	174

The intent of these two questions is to disallow forcible contact against an unsuspecting opponent on turnover returns and kick returns.

1. Should forcible peelback blocks be illegal during turnover returns and kick returns regardless of the point of contact?

HEAD COACH	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	32%	35	44%	34	45%	42	39%	63	39%	174
No	56%	62	47%	37	50%	47	58%	95	54%	241
No Opinion	12%	13	9%	7	5%	5	3%	5	7%	30
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	78	100%	94	100%	163	100%	445
COMMISSIONER	FBS		F	CS	DII		I	DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	60%	6	82%	9	91%	10	63%	15	71%	40
No	10%	1	9%	1	0%	0	17%	4	11%	6
No Opinion	30%	3	9%	1	9%	1	21%	5	18%	10
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
COORDINATOR	F	BS	FCS		DII		I	DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	63%	5	71%	5	78%	7	79%	11	74%	28
No	38%	3	29%	2	22%	2	14%	2	24%	9
No Opinion	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	7%	1	3%	1
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	14	100%	38
GAME OFFICIALS	F	BS	F	CS	DII		I	DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	55%	318	62%	281	58%	369	68%	361	60%	1329
No	41%	240	33%	149	33%	212	28%	148	34%	749
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No Opinion	4%	22	5%	23	8%	52	4%	23	5%	120

Yes	60%	105
No	33%	57
No Opinion	7%	12
TOTAL	100%	174

2. Should forcible blindside blocks be illegal during turnover returns and kick returns regardless of the point of the contact?

HEAD COACH	F	BS	FC	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	37%	41	46%	36	47%	44	44%	72	43%	193
No	53%	58	46%	36	45%	42	54%	88	50%	224
No Opinion	10%	11	8%	6	8%	7	2%	4	6%	28
TOTAL	100%	110	100%	78	100%	93	100%	164	100%	445
COMMISSIONER	F	BS	FC	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Yes	70%	7	91%	10	91%	10	71%	17	79%	44
No	10%	1	0%	0	0%	0	8%	2	5%	3
No Opinion	20%	2	9%	1	9%	1	21%	5	16%	9
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
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Yes	63%	5 5	71%	5	89%	8	86%	12	79%	30
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Yes	63%	5	71%	5	89%		86%	12	79%	30
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INSTANT REPLAY OFFICIAL

Yes	68%	118
No	26%	46
No Opinion	6%	10
TOTAL	100%	174

Do you believe that in general the rules are more favorable to one side of the ball or the other?

HEAD COACH	F	BS	FC	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Offense	59%	65	50%	39	66%	63	60%	98	59%	265
Defense	2%	2	1%	1	3%	3	1%	2	2%	8
No Opinion	40%	44	49%	38	31%	29	39%	64	39%	175
TOTAL	100%	111	100%	78	100%	95	100%	164	100%	448

RULES FAVORABLE CONTINUED

COMMISSIONER	F	BS	F	cs	DII		[DIII	Ove	rall
Offense	60%	6	73%	8	27%	3	46%	11	50%	28
Defense	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
No Opinion	40%	4	27%	3	73%	8	54%	13	50%	28
TOTAL	100%	10	100%	11	100%	11	100%	24	100%	56
COORDINATOR	F	BS	F	cs	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Offense	88%	7	57%	4	44%	4	62%	8	62%	23
Defense	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	8%	1	3%	1
No Opinion	13%	1	43%	3	56%	5	31%	4	35%	13
TOTAL	100%	8	100%	7	100%	9	100%	13	100%	37
GAME OFFICIALS	F	BS	F	CS	DII			DIII	Ove	rall
Offense	40%	234	47%	212	49%	308	42%	223	44%	977
Defense	2%	13	1%	4	1%	7	2%	13	2%	37
No Opinion	57%	333	52%	237	50%	318	56%	297	54%	1185
TOTAL	100%	580	100%	453	100%	633	100%	533	100%	2199
INSTANT REPLAY	OFFICIAL									
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Offense	46%	79
Defense	2%	3
No Opinion	53%	91
TOTAL	100%	173