



# FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

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## SPORTS INFORMATION



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**APRIL 26, 2002**

**Matt Lynch Throws Complete Game as No. 5 Florida State Tops NC State 9-3**  
**The complete game was the first for an FSU pitcher this season**

TALLAHASSEE, FLA. – Junior left-hander Matt Lynch improved to 9-1 on the year with a complete game victory as No. 5 Florida State (39-12, 7-6 ACC) defeated NC State (26-18, 4-12 ACC) by a score of 9-3 Friday night in front of 2,658 fans at Dick Howser Stadium. Trent Peterson recorded FSU's last complete game, which came last season against Wake Forest in the ACC Tournament. Blair McCaleb led the Seminoles with four RBI while Stephen Drew and Jerrod Brown added three hits apiece.

Lynch allowed three runs on eight hits in the longest outing of his career. He walked two and struck out four.

The Seminoles wasted no time in opening up a lead, scoring four runs in the bottom of the first. Tony McQuade doubled and Ryan Barthelemy singled to right to put runners on second and third. McQuade scored on an error and Brown then knocked in Barthelemy with an RBI-single. After a Nick Rogers walk, Mike Futrell plated McCaleb with a groundout. Brown then made it 4-0 when he scored on a wild pitch.

FSU added three more in the fourth to make it 7-0. Drew doubled, McQuade and Barthelemy walked to load the bases. McCaleb then picked up three of his four RBI when his double down the left field line cleared the bases.

NC State got two back in the top of the seventh on Joe Gaetti's two-run single to center with two outs.

In the eighth, the Seminoles upped the lead to 9-2 on a bases loaded walk by Richie Smith and a sacrifice fly by Tony Richie.

Adam Hargrave's single that scored Matt Butler in the ninth completed the scoring as Lynch finished the game to seal FSU's 9-3 victory.

Wolfpack starter Ryan Combs (0-1) took the loss after surrendering seven runs (four earned) on eight hits in 3.1 innings.

The series continues Saturday with FSU RHP Marc LaMachhia (7-1, 2.60 ERA) scheduled to face NC State's RHP Daniel Caldwell (6-5, 5.71 ERA). The final game is set for a 1:00 p.m. first pitch on Sunday.

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The Automated ScoreBook  
 NC State at Florida State  
 Apr 26, 2002 at Tallahassee, FL (Dick Howser)

NC State 3 (26-18,4-12 ACC)

Florida State 9 (39-12,7-6 ACC)

| P                | AB | R | H | RBI | BB | SO | PO | A  | LOB |
|------------------|----|---|---|-----|----|----|----|----|-----|
| Gaetti cf.....   | 4  | 0 | 2 | 2   | 0  | 0  | 2  | 1  | 0   |
| Wright lf.....   | 3  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 1  | 0  | 3  | 0  | 1   |
| Riley dh.....    | 3  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 1  | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Morton c.....    | 3  | 0 | 1 | 0   | 0  | 1  | 6  | 1  | 2   |
| Butler rf.....   | 4  | 1 | 1 | 0   | 0  | 2  | 4  | 0  | 1   |
| Dutton 3b.....   | 4  | 0 | 1 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 2  | 0   |
| Esposito 1b..... | 4  | 1 | 1 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 6  | 0  | 1   |
| Hargrave 2b..... | 4  | 1 | 2 | 1   | 0  | 0  | 3  | 3  | 0   |
| Orvella ss.....  | 3  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 3  | 1   |
| Combs p.....     | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0   |
| Minugh p.....    | 0  | 0 | 0 | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0   |
| Totals.....      | 32 | 3 | 8 | 3   | 2  | 4  | 24 | 11 | 6   |

| Player                  | AB | R | H  | RBI | BB | SO | PO | A | LOB |
|-------------------------|----|---|----|-----|----|----|----|---|-----|
| Stephen Drew ss.....    | 5  | 1 | 3  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 3 | 0   |
| Tony McQuade lf.....    | 3  | 2 | 2  | 0   | 1  | 1  | 6  | 0 | 0   |
| Ryan Barthelemy 3b..... | 4  | 3 | 1  | 0   | 1  | 1  | 0  | 1 | 2   |
| Blair McCaleb dh.....   | 4  | 1 | 1  | 4   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 2   |
| Scott Toole pr/2b.....  | 0  | 1 | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0   |
| Jerrod Brown 1b.....    | 3  | 1 | 3  | 1   | 1  | 0  | 9  | 0 | 0   |
| Jeff Probst pr/1b.....  | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 2  | 0 | 0   |
| Nick Rogers cf.....     | 3  | 0 | 0  | 0   | 1  | 1  | 3  | 0 | 0   |
| Mike Futrell rf.....    | 4  | 0 | 0  | 1   | 0  | 1  | 1  | 0 | 3   |
| Richie Smith rf.....    | 0  | 0 | 0  | 1   | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0   |
| Tony Richie c.....      | 4  | 0 | 1  | 1   | 0  | 1  | 4  | 0 | 2   |
| Bryan Zech 2b.....      | 3  | 0 | 1  | 0   | 1  | 1  | 2  | 4 | 0   |
| Kevin Richmond ph.....  | 1  | 0 | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 2   |
| Matt Lynch p.....       | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1 | 0   |
| Totals.....             | 34 | 9 | 12 | 8   | 7  | 6  | 27 | 9 | 12  |

| Score by Innings   | R   | H   | E            |
|--------------------|-----|-----|--------------|
| NC State.....      | 000 | 020 | 001 - 3 8 2  |
| Florida State..... | 400 | 300 | 02X - 9 12 0 |

E - Combs(1); Minugh(1). DP - Seminoles 2. LOB - Wolfpack 6; Seminoles 12. 2B - Butler(12); Drew(4); McQuade 2(17);  
 McQuade(11). HBP - Morton; Brown. SH - Orvella(7); McQuade(1); Rogers(1). SF - Richie(6).

| NC State    | IP  | H | R | ER | BB | SO | AB | BF |
|-------------|-----|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|
| Combs.....  | 3.1 | 8 | 7 | 4  | 3  | 1  | 17 | 22 |
| Minugh..... | 4.2 | 4 | 2 | 0  | 4  | 5  | 17 | 23 |

| Florida State   | IP  | H | R | ER | BB | SO | AB | BF |
|-----------------|-----|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|
| Matt Lynch..... | 9.0 | 8 | 3 | 3  | 2  | 4  | 32 | 36 |

Win - M. Lynch (9-1). Loss - Combs (0-1). Save - None.

WP - Combs(1). HB - Minugh; M. Lynch.

Umpires - Home:Ken Couch 1st:Steve Manders 3rd:Arthur Schmidt

Start: 7:07 Time: 2:41 Attendance: 2658

Game: NCS1

Game notes:

Matt Lynch's complete game is the first for an FSU pitcher this season.

Trent Peterson threw the last complete game (5/19/01) vs. Wake Forest in the ACC Tournament.

Tony Richie has hit safely in nine straight games.