

FSU seeks berth in regionals

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TAMPA — Florida State defeated the University of Miami Friday afternoon 94-60 to advance to a semifinal contest against Florida Friday night in the state women's collegiate basketball tournament here.

A win against Florida would put FSU into the regionals.

Cheryl Weigand and Cherry Rivers scored 20 points and Karen Barrineau added 11 as FSU rushed to a 52-29 halftime lead and coasted him with its 17th win against 13 losses this season.

Wendy Foote and Susan Hartman led Miami with 16 and 14 points, in that order.

On Friday night, FSU fell to South Florida, 70-65. Mary Ann York scored 17 for South Florida, Laura Mooney had 16 and Jennifer Merritt added 12. Rose Harper, Jackie Arnod and An Collins led FSU with 16, 13 and 12, respectively.

FSU (38-18-94) — Gailey 1-0-2; Harper 2-2-6; Weigand 8-4-20; Silsby 2-0-4; Ruffe 3-0-6; Rivers 9-2-20; Arnold 4-0-8; Barrineau 5-1-11; Harstved 4-0-8.

MIAMI (25-10-60) — Holland 4-0-8; Castinera 2-1-5; Rubin 1-0-2; Grafentin 4-3-11; Hartman 4-2-14; McCrystal 1-2-4; Foote 7-1-16.

Halftime: FSU 52, Miami 29.