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FLORIDA STATE SPLITS WITH SOUTH CAROLINA

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TALLAHASSEE, Fla. -- No. 17 Florida State and No. 7 South Carolina split the first two of a three-game series this afternoon at Lady Seminole Field as the Lady Seminoles topped USC 5-1 in the opener and were victims of a come-from behind USC rally, falling in the second game 5-3.

In game one, Florida State (48-19) took a 3-0 advantage in the third inning off two hits and two Gamecock errors as Shama Wilson got things started for FSU reaching on a one-out error. A Myssi Calkins double allowed Wilson to advance to third and a double steal brought Wilson across the plate. Another USC error scored Calkins and Kristy Hull who reached on a fielder's choice was brought in by third baseman Tami Post.

South Carolina (36-10) got on the scoreboard in the fifth inning with a run off two hits as Kelly Dammer opened the inning with a single to left field and leadoff hitter Chanda Lee later singled her in.

FSU got some insurance runs in the bottom half of the fifth though as the combination of Wilson and Calkins each picked up singles and then scored again for the Tribe.

FSU senior Renee Espinoza recorded win number 27 with the four-hit victory as USC's Trinity Johnson fell to 18-6 on the season.

Florida State scored first again in game two with three runs off four hits in the second inning. But the lead was short-lived as the Lady Gamecocks came back to tie it in the top of the third. USC scored a run in both the fifth and the seventh to take the lead and then secure the victory. The Tribe ripped off nine hits but stranded five runners for the game. USC's Sky Brown improved her mark to 15-1 while FSU's Niki Zenger fell to 12-5 on the year.

The series will conclude with a single game tomorrow afternoon, beginning at 2 p.m. In three outings vs. USC this season, Florida State is now 2-1.

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South Carolina at Florida State May 05, 1996 at Lady Seminole Field

South Carolina 1 (35-10)

Florida State 5 (48-18)

Name (Pos)	AB	R	Ħ	RBI	BB	SO	PO	A	Name (Pos)	λВ	R	H	RBI	BB	SO	PO	λ
Lee, Chanda rf	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	Wilson, Shama cf	4	2	1	0	0	0	2	0
McCutcheon, Kendra 3b	4	0	1	0	0	0	3	4	Calkins, Myssi lf	3	2	2	1	0	0	3	0
Plew, Tina dh	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Hull, Kristy c	2	1	0	0	0	0	3	0
Lyons, Carrie c	2	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	Post, Tami 3b	2	0	2	1	1	0	0	2
Farr, April 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	Fuentes, Kristy dh	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dammer, Kelly lf	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	McGregor, Jesse ss	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
Davis, Jennifer pr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Bailey, Dana rf	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
Johnson, Trinity p	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	Braye, Wendy ph	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Collett, Beth 1b	2	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	Williams, Corrie 1b	3	0	0	0	0	1	8	1
Pietro, Kim cf	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	Weltz, Windy 2b	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	1
Heathcock, Diane ss	0	0	Q	0	0	0	0	1	Molin, Misty ph	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
									Espinoza, Renee p	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Totals	25	1	4	1	3	2	18	6	Totals	26	5	6	2	1	4	21	9

Score by innings: R H E

South Carolina 000 010 0 - 1 4 3

Florida State 003 020 - 5 6 1

E - Collett, B, Farr, A, Johnson, T, McGregor, J.

LOB - S. Carolina 7, FSU 5.

2B - Calkins, M, McGregor, J.

SB - Calkins, M, Hull, K, Wilson, S 2.

SH - Lee, C, Hull, K.

South Carolina	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	Plorida State	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Johnson, Trinity	6.0	6	5	2	1	4	Espinoza, Renee	7.0	4	1	1	3	2

Winner - Espinoza, R 27-6. Loser - Johnson, T 18-6. Save - None.

WP - Espinoza, R. PB - Lyons, C.

Umpires - T. Stupski, G. Smith

Start: 1:06 Time: 1:44 Attendance: