FLORIDA STATE BASEBALL March 5, 1993

Florida State 9, Florida 3

TALLAHASSEE -- Florida State pitcher John Wasdin struck out 10 over eight innings and FSU scored six runs in the second inning off Gator ace Marc Valdes to lead the Seminoles to a 9-3 victory over Florida in college baseball action Friday night.

Before the largest crowd of the season at Dick Howser Stadium, 4,538, FSU won its second straight over UF and improved its record to 10-2 on the year. Florida fell to 9-6. The series moves to Gainesville Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. and ends Sunday with a game scheduled for 6 p.m.

Wasdin scattered seven hits and walked just one batter in improving his record to 3-0 on the season. Florida scored a single run in the third on back-to-back singles by Shane McGinnis and Joey Arnold, a sacrifice bunt, and a ground out by Brian Duva. Arnold led off the fifth inning with his first career home run for Florida's second run.

Florida State took a 1-0 lead in the first. Leadoff batter Randy Hodges reached on an error and advanced on a single by Link Jarrett. After a sacrifice bunt, Hodges scored on a fly ball by Mike Martin.

The Seminoles knocked Valdes, 1-2, out of the game in the second by scoring six. Valdes walked the first three batters of the inning to load the bases. Scott Schroeffel singled to score one run and Hodges followed with a single to drive in two. One batter later, Doug Mientkiewicz doubled to drive in two more, and later scored himself on a passed ball.

The Seminoles added single runs in the fifth, on Jack Niles' solo home run, and in the eighth. Florida's McGinnis completed the scoring with a two out solo home run in the ninth. He led the Gators with three hits and scored twice. Steve Daily and Arnold each collected a pair of hits for UF.

Four FSU players had two hits apiece while Mientkiewicz and Hodges each drove in two. The Seminoles walked eight times off four Florida pitchers.

Steven Morgan pitched the ninth for Florida State after Wasdin threw a career high eight innings.

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Valdes, Rhoads (2), McClellan (4), Nelson (8) and Ramos, Walters (5). Wasdin, Morgan (9) and Martin, Weaver (9). WP-Wasdin (3-0). LP-Valdes (1-2). HR-Arnold (1), Niles (1), McGinnis (5).

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