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**2001 SCHEDULE/RESULTS
(43-14, 17-7 PAC-10, 1-0 NCAA)**

JANUARY

21	Sun.	at Cal Poly	L, 5-6 (12)
26	Fri.	at Fresno State	W, 11-9
27	Sat.	at Fresno State	L, 2-3 (10)
28	Sun.	at Fresno State	W, 9-5

FEBRUARY

2	Fri.	at #15 Cal State Fullerton (OCN)	L, 4-5
3	Sat.	at #15 Cal State Fullerton	W, 9-8
4	Sun.	at #15 Cal State Fullerton (OCN)	W, 3-0
9	Fri.	#7 Florida State	W, 6-2
10	Sat.	#7 Florida State	W, 5-2
11	Sun.	#7 Florida State	W, 8-2
16	Fri.	at Texas	W, 9-6
17	Sat.	at Texas	W, 5-0
18	Sun.	at Texas	L, 1-2
23	Fri.	at Santa Clara	W, 7-3
25	Sun.	Santa Clara	W, 8-0
26	Mon.	at Santa Clara	W, 6-1
27	Tue.	Nevada	W, 8-6

MARCH

2	Fri.	California	W, 3-1
3	Sat.	California	L, 2-3
7	Wed.	California	W, 3-2 (10)
9	Fri.	#4 USC	W, 2-0
10	Sat.	#4 USC	W, 15-3
11	Sun.	#4 USC	W, 9-5 (10)
23	Fri.	Washington*	W, 9-3
24	Sat.	Washington*	W, 9-0
25	Sun.	Washington*	W, 13-4
27	Tue.	Saint Mary's	W, 8-3
30	Fri.	at #6 Arizona State* (COX)	W, 6-2
31	Sat.	at #6 Arizona State*	W, 5-2

APRIL

1	Sun.	at #6 Arizona State*	L, 5-6
3	Tue.	at San Jose State (SVCC)	W, 5-3 (10)
7	Sat.	UCLA*	L, 4-6 (Game 1)
7	Sat.	UCLA*	W, 9-0 (Game 2)
8	Sun.	UCLA*	W, 11-2
10	Tue.	at Nevada	W, 18-13
12	Thu.	Oregon State*	W, 4-1
13	Fri.	Oregon State*	W, 8-1
14	Sat.	Oregon State*	W, 22-5 (7)
17	Tue.	USF	L, 4-5
20	Fri.	at #8 USC*	L, 1-2
21	Sat.	at #8 USC* (FOX)	L, 0-7
22	Sun.	at #8 USC*	W, 9-5
24	Tue.	San Jose State	W, 4-3
27	Fri.	at California*	L, 4-7
28	Sat.	at California*	L, 0-4
29	Sun.	at California*	W, 8-0

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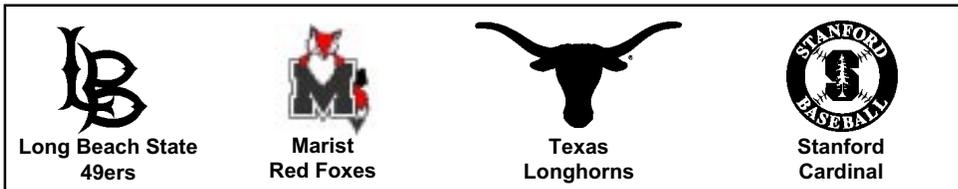
1	Tue.	Santa Clara	W, 15-8
2	Wed.	at Sacramento State (Raley Field)	L, 3-12
8	Tue.	Cal Poly	W, 11-10
9	Wed.	at USF	W, 8-6
11	Fri.	Arizona*	W, 6-5
12	Sat.	Arizona*	L, 4-5
13	Sun.	Arizona*	W, 8-2
18	Fri.	at Washington State*	W, 14-6
19	Sat.	at Washington State*	W, 19-3
20	Sun.	at Washington State*	W, 12-1
25	Fri.	Marist*	W, 4-3
26	Sat.	Texas*	3:00 p.m.

JUNE

1-3	Fri.-Sun.	NCAA Super Regionals	TBA
8-16	Fri.-Sat.	at College World Series	TBA

* NCAA Regional at Stanford, CA; *Pac-10 Game; (OCN) Orange County NewsChannel; (COX) Cox Cable; (SVCC) Silicon Valley Community Communications; (FOX) - Fox Sports Net; All Times Local; **All Home Games In Bold**; Rankings by Baseball America

• Texas Moves To Winners Bracket Game With 11-2 Win Over Long Beach State
STANFORD TO MEET TEXAS IN WINNERS BRACKET GAME AFTER SQUEEZING BY MARIST, 4-3, IN OPENING CONTEST



**2001 NCAA DIVISION I BASEBALL REGIONAL
May 25-27, 2001 -- at Stanford, CA**

Saturday, May 26
Game 3 (11:00 a.m.) - Visitors: Long Beach State (35-22) vs. Home: Marist (32-20-1)
Game 4 (3:00 p.m.) - Visitors: Stanford (43-14) vs. Home: Texas (35-24)
Game 5 (7:00 p.m.) - Game 3 Winner vs. Game 4 Loser

Sunday, May 27
Game 6 - Championship Game (1:00 p.m.) - Game 4 Winner vs. Game 5 Winner
Game 7 - Championship Game #2 (5:00 p.m., if necessary) - Only played if both remaining teams have one loss following the conclusion of Game 6

A live audio broadcast of all Stanford Baseball games in the 2001 NCAA Regional will be available on KZSU (90.1 FM) as well as at www.gostanford.com and realaudio.stanford.edu ... Chad Goldberg and Joey Elger will call the action ... Live stats of all games at the 2001 NCAA Regional will be available at www.gostanford.com ... Call 800-STANFORD for tickets to the 2001 NCAA Regional.

Friday, May 25
Game 2 - Texas 11, Long Beach State 2
Game 1 - Stanford 4, Marist 3

A QUICK LOOK AT THE 2001 NCAA REGIONAL AT STANFORD
Stanford and Texas will square off in Saturday's winners bracket game at 3:00 p.m., while Marist and Long Beach State will play an elimination game on Saturday at 11:00 a.m. ... The winner of Saturday's 3:00 p.m. game will advance to Sunday's regional championship game at 1:00 p.m. ... The winner of Saturday's 11:00 a.m. game will play the loser of Saturday's 3:00 p.m. game at 7:00 p.m. ... The winner of Saturday's 7:00 p.m. game will advance to the Sunday's regional championship game.

DAY 1 RECAPS
Texas 11, Long Beach State 2 - Texas opened the regional with an 11-2 victory over Long Beach State on Friday. Gerrit Simpson (6-5) tossed a complete game, scattering nine hits and giving up two runs, while tying a career-high with 12 strikeouts. Sam Anderson (3-4, 2 2B, 3 RBI) led the Longhorns' 11-hit offensive attack.
Stanford 4, Marist 3 - Sam Fuld squeezed home Chris O'Riordan on a 2-2 pitch in the bottom of the seventh to lift Stanford to a 4-3 victory over Marist. Fuld (2-3, 3B, 2 RBI) also had a game-tying triple in bottom of the fifth inning and was the only Cardinal with more than one hit. Jeremy Guthrie (11-4) picked up the victory for Stanford, scattering nine hits and three runs in 7.1 innings.

WINNER OF NCAA REGIONALS ADVANCE TO SUPER REGIONAL
The winners advancing of each of the nation's 16 regionals will advance to eight NCAA Super Regionals on June 1-3 (Friday-Sunday). The eight Super Regional winners advance to the 55th College World Series to be held June 8-16 (Friday-Saturday) at Rosenblatt Stadium in Omaha, Nebraska. Super Regional sites will be announced on Monday, May 28.



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2001 PAC-10 STANDINGS (Thru 5/24)

Team	Pac-10	GB	Overall
USC	18-6	---	39-17
Stanford	17-7	1.0	42-14
Arizona State	14-10	4.0	36-18-1
California	14-10	4.0	33-23
Arizona	12-12	6.0	33-23
Oregon State	11-13	7.0	31-24
UCLA	9-15	9.0	30-27
Washington	7-17	11.0	29-23
Washington State	6-18	12.0	15-39

THIS WEEK'S PAC-10 SCHEDULE

Friday, May 25

Arizona State vs. Texas Tech (3 pm, PDT)¹
 Oral Roberts at USC (3 pm, PDT)²
 California vs. Virginia Commonwealth (7 pm, CDT)³
 Marist at Stanford (7 pm, PDT)⁴

Saturday, May 26

Arizona State at NCAA Regional (TBA)¹
 NCAA Regional at USC (TBA)²
 California at NCAA Regional (TBA)³
 NCAA Regional at Stanford (TBA)⁴

Sunday, May 27

Arizona State at NCAA Regional (TBA)¹
 NCAA Regional at USC (TBA)²
 California at NCAA Regional (TBA)³
 NCAA Regional at Stanford (TBA)⁴
¹NCAA Regional at Fullerton, CA (Cal State Fullerton host)
²NCAA Regional at Los Angeles, CA (USC host)
³NCAA Regional at Baton Rouge, LA (Louisiana State host)
⁴NCAA Regional at Stanford, CA (Stanford host)

LAST WEEK'S PAC-10 RESULTS

Monday, May 14

Arizona State 17, at Washington 1*
 at USC 5, Washington State 1*

Tuesday, May 15

at UC Santa Barbara 10, UCLA 4
 at USC 10, Long Beach State 2
 Gonzaga 3, at Washington 2

Wednesday, May 16

at Nevada 6, Arizona State 4
 at Lewis-Clark State 13, Washington State 10

Friday, May 18

at Arizona 8, Washington 3*
 at Arizona State 7, UCLA 3*
 USC 7, at Oregon State 3 (10)*
 Stanford 14, at Washington State 6*

Saturday, May 19

at Arizona 5, Washington 2*
 UCLA 3, at Arizona State 1*
 at Oregon State 6, USC 0*
 Stanford 19, at Washington State 3*

Sunday, May 20

at Arizona 18, Washington 6*
 at Arizona State 12, UCLA 9*
 USC 1, at Oregon State 0*
 Stanford 12, at Washington State 1*
 *Pac-10 Game

STANFORD'S PAC-10 STAT LEADERS

TEAM: ERA (3.36), Fielding Percentage (.975), Slugging Percentage (.476, 1st-T), Home Runs (58), Sacrifice Flies (40), Fewest Losses (14), Fewest Runs Allowed (216), Opponents Batting Average (.234), Saves (17), Fewest Earned Runs Allowed (187), Wins (42), Fewest Hits Allowed (427), Fewest Walks Allowed (172), Fewest Stolen Bases Against (23), Fewest Errors (54), Fewest Steal Attempts Against (38), Winning Percentage (.750)

INDIVIDUAL: Runners Picked Off - Bruksch (6, 1st-T), Fielding Pct. - Hall (1,000, 1st-T)

STANFORD'S NCAA STAT LEADERS

TEAM: Fielding Percentage (2nd, .9751), Winning Percentage (12th, .750), ERA (10th, 3.36)

STANFORD BASEBALL PROBABLE STARTING LINEUP

Texas Longhorns (35-24) at #6 Stanford Cardinal (43-14) ... Texas is home team
 NCAA Regional First Round Game (Saturday, May 26, 3 pm, PDT)

Batting Order

	No	Name (B/T)	Pos	Ht	Wt	Yr	2001 Stats
1	1	Chris O'Riordan (R/R)	2B	5-9	175	Jr.	.377, 10 HR, 63 RBI, 16 SB
2	5	Sam Fuld (L/L)	CF	5-10	180	Fr.	.352, 0 HR, 28 RBI, 9 SB
3	12	Ryan Garko (R/R)	C	6-2	215	So.	.354, 4 HR, 34 RBI, 0 SB
4	18	Jason Cooper (L/R)	LF/DH	6-3	205	So.	.321, 9 HR, 36 RBI, 2 SB
5	24	Carlos Quentin (R/R)	RF	6-2	210	Fr.	.352, 11 HR, 45 RBI, 5 SB
6	4	Jonny Ash (L/R)	DH	5-8	175	Fr.	.282, 0 HR, 15 RBI, 0 SB
or	17	Jason VanMeetren (R/R)	LF	6-2	200	Jr.	.318, 7 HR, 31 RBI, 7 SB
7	8	Scott Dragicevich (R/R)	SS	6-3	210	Jr.	.338, 5 HR, 32 RBI, 6 SB
8	21	Andy Topham (R/R)	3B	6-2	200	Jr.	.266, 4 HR, 34 RBI, 9 SB
9	2	Arik VanZandt (R/R)	1B	6-1	200	Jr.	.275, 6 HR, 31 RBI, 9 SB

Probable Starting Pitcher

Day	No	Name (B/T)	Pos	Ht	Wt	Yr	2001 Stats
5/26	37	Jeff Bruksch (R/R)	RHP	6-4	200	So.	9-3, 2.93, 97 SO, 110.2 IP

*Notes: This probable line-up is versus right-handed pitchers; Versus left-handed pitchers, Jason VanMeetren will most likely hit 9th with Dragicevich moving up to 6th, Topham to 7th and VanZandt to 8th.

BRIEF STANFORD POST-SEASON HISTORY AND REVIEW

The Cardinal is hosting its sixth straight NCAA Regional in 2001 ... Stanford finished second in the 2000 College World Series and is attempting to reach the CWS for the third straight season and the fourth time in five years ... Stanford is making its 22nd appearance in the NCAA Tournament and its 19th showing in an NCAA Regional ... Stanford won CWS titles in 1987 and 1988 ... The Cardinal has advanced to the College World Series 12 times and has an overall record of 28-21 (.571) in the event ... Stanford has won both NCAA Super Regionals it has participated in during the 1999 and 2000 seasons, defeating USC (2-0) and Nebraska (2-1), respectively ... Stanford has won a total of 10 NCAA Regionals, including two in a row ... Stanford's updated all-time post-season record is 88-46 (.657), while the Cardinal is 52-20 (.722) all-time in regional play ... Stanford won an NCAA Regional held at Stanford, defeating Alabama by a score of 16-6 in the second championship game ... The Cardinal compiled a 3-1 record in the event with a 14-9 loss to Alabama in the first championship game before ... Long Beach State knocked Stanford out of the 1998 NCAA Regional with a 5-1 victory (5/23/98) at Sunken Diamond ... Stanford finished 8-3 in 11 post-season games in 2000 (Regionals: 3-1; Super Regionals: 2-1; CWS: 3-1).

OTHER ESSENTIAL STANFORD BASEBALL NOTES

Stanford's current 43-14 record is one game under the 44-13 record compiled by the 2000 CWS runners-up club through 57 games ... The Cardinal finished second in the Pac-10 standings with a 17-7 record to end a school record string of four consecutive Pac-10 titles (includes co-championships and Southern Division titles) ... The 17-7 mark was identical to the 17-7 Pac-10 record posted by the 2000 tri-champion Stanford team and left the Cardinal one game behind 2001 Pac-10 champion USC (18-6 Pac-10 record) ... Stanford has posted a 25-4 record at Sunken Diamond and an 18-10 road mark during the 2001 regular season ... Stanford has won 10 of its last 12 games ... Stanford's team batting average is currently at .316 ... The Cardinal had 10 or more hits in each of their final eight regular season games before collecting only nine versus Marist in the first round of the NCAA Super Regional ... Carlos Quentin was named the Pac-10 Baseball Freshman of the Year, while Chris O'Riordan and Sam Fuld joined Quentin on the All-Pac-10 team ... Stanford moved up one spot to No. 6 ranking in the *Baseball America* poll this week ... The Cardinal is currently No. 4 in the *Collegiate Baseball* poll and No. 3 in the *Baseball Weekly/ESPN* poll ... The Cardinal sat at the top of the *Baseball America* poll for six consecutive weeks (3/12 - 4/16) and had been the nation's unanimous No. 1 team for two weeks (4/9 - 4/16) ... Stanford has had four winning streaks of five or more games this season, including a season-best 10-game winning streak from March 7-31 ... Stanford is 11-4 against ranked teams this year (according to *Baseball America* ... Stanford's team fielding percentage of .976 is currently .004 percentage points ahead of the school record ... Stanford head coach Mark Marquess has an updated record of 1038-512-5 (.669)