2026 TIAA BIG TEN MEN'S BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

Game #13 • Friday, March 13, 2026
United Center • Chicago, Ill.
FINAL: #7 Purdue d. #2 Nebraska, 74-58
RECORDS: Nebraska (26-6), Purdue (25-8)
#7 Purdue advances to play the winner of #3 Michigan State-#6 UCLA
at approx. 2:30 p.m. CT on Saturday

GAME NOTES

NEBRASKA

- Pryce Sandfort scored a team-high 15 points, notching double-figures for the 28th time this season.
- The Cornhuskers' No. 2 seeding is the best conference tournament seed in program history.
- Nebraska set a school record with their 27th win tonight.
- Nebraska is ranked 11th by the Associated Press.

PURDUE

- Purdue has yet to trail in the tournament, posting consecutive wire-to-wire victories.
- Placed four scorers in double figures led by Fletcher Loyer's 19 points.
- The Boilermakers have reached the semifinals for the fourth time in five seasons.
- The Boilermakers have played in the quarterfinals every year since 2015 and are the only team to win at least one game in the tourney since 2022.
- Purdue is ranked 18th by the Associated Press.

MISCELLANEOUS/TOURNAMENT NOTES

- First meeting between Nebraska and Purdue in the BTT since 2013.
- Purdue has won both games against Nebraska this season; they held the Cornhuskers to 19 fewer points than in their first encounter.