



2015 SEC Men's Basketball Tournament

Nashville, Tenn. – Bridgestone Arena



Second Round – Game #3 Notes

Florida 69, Alabama 61

Florida will play No. 1 seed Kentucky Friday at noon CT.

Series Notes:

- All-Time Series: Alabama leads 73-66
- SEC Tournament: Tied at 7-7
- Season Series: Florida leads 2-0
- Florida won the lone regular-season encounter 52-50 in Tuscaloosa on January 27.
- Florida has won 11 straight in the series.
- This marked the teams' third meeting in the last four SEC Tournaments.

Game Notes:

- Trailing 23-15 at the 10:46 mark of the first half, Florida ended the half on an 18-6 run for a 33-29 halftime edge. The Gators never trailed again.
- The teams combined for just 15 turnovers (Florida 6, Alabama 9). It was a season low for the Gators.
- Florida led in bench points 22-0 and rebounds 35-24.
- Alabama held a 28-18 edge in points in the paint.

Florida Notes:

- Florida improves to 16-16 and has won three of its last four games.
- The Gators' 69 points are their most in the last 13 games.
- Dorian Finney-Smith posted his third double-double of the year with 23 points and 11 rebounds.
- Finney-Smith recorded his fourth 20-point game of the year and was just two shy of his career high.
- Finney-Smith hit four 3-pointers on a career-high nine attempts.

Alabama Notes:

- Alabama falls to 18-14.
- Jimmy Taylor posted his third straight game in double figures with 15 points, which matched his career high.
- Levi Randolph was 11-for-11 from the free throw line and has made his last 30 attempts.
- Rodney Cooper topped the 500 mark in career rebounds (501).