

NCAA WOMEN'S COLLEGE WORLD SERIES

May 29-June 4, 2014

**ASA Hall of Fame Stadium – OG&E Field
Oklahoma City, Okla.**

POSTGAME NOTES

Game 5: Florida 4, Oregon 0

- No. 5 seed Florida won the fifth game of the 2014 Women's College World Series against No. 1 seed Oregon by a 4-0 score. The Gators improved to 52-12 on the season, while the Ducks fell to 55-8-1. Florida is 2-0 in this year's WCWS, and Oregon is 1-1.
- Florida advances to the semifinals and will play Sunday at noon CT. Oregon will face the winner of the Saturday afternoon contest between No. 6 seed Louisiana-Lafayette and No. 7 seed Oklahoma at 8:30 p.m. CT Saturday.
- In its sixth WCWS appearance (2008, '09, '10, '11, '13, '14), Florida improved to 14-11 all-time with today's win. Oregon dropped to 3-5 all-time in its third WCWS appearance (1989, 2012, '14).
- The Gators have outscored their opponents 64-4 so far in the 2014 NCAA postseason. They have posted seven shutouts in eight games. Today, Florida had at least one base runner in every inning but the seventh.
- Florida starting pitcher Hannah Rogers improved to 28-8 this season, throwing her second complete-game shutout in as many days. The senior gave up three hits and one walk while striking out five. Rogers is the NCAA active career wins leader with 125.
- Junior Bailey Castro put the Gators on the board with a solo home run in the top of the second inning. The homer was her eighth this season. Castro finished the game 3 for 4 at the plate with two RBIs and two runs.
- Florida junior Briana Little added to the Gators' lead in the third with a two-run base hit. Sophomores Kelsey Stewart and Kirsti Merritt each went 2 for 3 with a run scored.
- Oregon leadoff hitter Courtney Ceo extended her hitting and on-base streaks to 17 and 30 games, respectively. She reached base on a bunt single in the sixth inning for her 100th hit of her senior campaign.
- Defensively, Florida tallied two double plays in the contest. Entering the game, Oregon had hit into just seven double plays all year. The Ducks also had two double plays tallied against them in an 8-7 win at Utah on March 22.
- Oregon's three hits were its fewest of the season (previous low was four in a 3-1, 10-inning win at UNLV on Feb. 14). Before today's contest, the Ducks had at least eight hits in nine straight games. The loss marked the second shutout of the season for Oregon, which fell to James Madison 3-0 on March 15.
- Oregon starting pitcher Cheridan Hawkins fell to 34-5 on the season. The sophomore allowed five hits, four runs (all earned) and two walks while striking out three batters in 3.1 innings. In 3.2 innings of relief work, junior Karissa Hovinga gave up three hits and no runs while striking out four.