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Tomorrow is Championship Saturday, Hawkeyes!

The No. 13 Iowa football team takes on No. 2 Michigan on Saturday in the Big Ten Championship Game in Indianapolis. The Hawkeyes are going for the program's first conference title since 2004 and first outright Big Ten championship since 1985. For all the coverage you need before kickoff, read through the *Daily Iowan* Pregame championship edition.



For this week's cover story, Pregame Editor Robert Read [previewed Iowa's chance for Big Ten glory](#) and looked at the adversity the Hawkeyes had to overcome to make a trip to Lucas Oil stadium.

Pick up a print copy of this week's Pregame edition and check out our online content at dailyiowan.com/pregame.

More in Pregame



Daily Iowan Sports Editor Austin Hanson talked to [Iowa football center and captain Tyler Linderbaum](#) at a media availability session on Tuesday. Hanson and Linderbaum chatted about restaurants in Iowa City, the 2021 Big Ten Championship Game, and NFL aspirations.

The Hawkeye offense will be on the lookout for [Big Ten Defensive Player of the Year Aidan Hutchinson](#) when it takes the field at Lucas Oil Stadium on Saturday. Hutchinson has a team-leading 13 sacks on the 2021 campaign and is a projected top pick in the 2022 NFL Draft.





Saturday night's matchup between Iowa and Michigan could be decided on the ground.

[Michigan running back Hassan Haskins](#) had a career-high five rushing touchdowns last week in the Wolverines' 42-27 win over Ohio State.

It's Championship Weekend, and conference titles are at stake. See if the [DI football staff thinks Iowa will defeat Michigan](#) in the Big Ten Championship Game.



Also in Pregame

- [What's at stake for Iowa football in the Big Ten Championship Game](#)
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