

## NCAA Tournament Round 2 — Daily Edge Report

### Today's Mesh Highlights

Top edges + the flip game where Mesh disagrees with market on the winner

#### © GAME OF THE DAY

#### High Point Panthers (+26%)

(4) Arkansas Razorbacks vs (12) High Point Panthers | 9:15 PM ET | truTV | West

Win Prediction (Mesh)



HPU Edge = Mesh 42% – Market 16% = **+26%**

**The verdict:** The mesh gives High Point Panthers a 42% chance to win outright -- far more competitive than the market's 16% implies. Even in scenarios where ARK holds on, the expected margin is just 1 point, making the 11.5-point spread very generous.

**Best play: HPU +11.5 (Very High confidence).**

#### Texas A&M Aggies (+17%)

(2) Houston Cougars vs (10) Texas A&M Aggies | 6:10 PM ET | TNT | South

Win Prediction (Mesh)



TAMU Edge = Mesh 37% – Market 20% = **+17%**

**The verdict:** The mesh gives Texas A&M Aggies a 37% chance to win outright -- far more competitive than the market's 20% implies. Even in scenarios where HOU holds on, the expected margin is just 1 point, making the 9.5-point spread very generous.

**Best play: TAMU +9.5 (High confidence).**

#### FLIP ALERT Mesh predicts a different winner than the market

#### Nebraska Cornhuskers (+7%)

(4) Nebraska Cornhuskers vs (5) Vanderbilt Commodores | 8:45 PM ET | TBS | Midwest

Win Prediction (Mesh)



NEB Edge = Mesh 51% – Market 44% = **+7%**

**The verdict:** The market has VANDY winning. The mesh disagrees, giving NEB a 51% chance to win outright. This is the only game today where the mesh calls a different winner. **Best play: NEB ML (Medium confidence).**

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### Game Predictions

All 8 games | Sorted by tip-off | Bidirectional bars: left = favorite, right = upset

Time	Matchup	Market	Mesh	Market vs Mesh	Edge
12:10 PM	<b>(1) MICH</b> vs (9) SLU	88/12	<b>71/29</b>		<b>+17% SLU</b>
2:40 PM	<b>(3) MSU</b> vs (6) LOU	62/38	<b>69/31</b>		<b>-7% LOU</b>
5:15 PM	<b>(1) DUKE</b> vs (9) TCU	85/15	<b>68/32</b>		<b>+17% TCU</b>
6:10 PM	<b>(2) HOU</b> vs (10) TAMU	80/20	<b>63/37</b>		<b>+17% TAMU</b>
7:10 PM	<b>(3) ZAGS</b> vs (11) TEX	67/33	<b>72/28</b>		<b>-5% TEX</b>
7:50 PM	<b>(3) ILL</b> vs (11) VCU	81/19	<b>77/23</b>		<b>+4% VCU</b>
8:45 PM	<b>(4) NEB</b> vs (5) VANDY	44/56	<b>51/49</b>		<b>+7% NEB</b>
9:15 PM	<b>(4) ARK</b> vs (12) HPU	84/16	<b>58/42</b>		<b>+26% HPU</b>

### Recommended Bets

Spread bets prioritized when cover probability is high. Moneyline when mesh win% significantly exceeds market.

#### **HPU +11.5 2.0u (ATS | +38% edge)**

Mesh says ARK wins by ~1.1 pts. Spread is 11.5 -- that's 10 points of cushion. Cover confidence: **Very High**.

#### **SLU +12.5 1.5u (ATS | +36% edge)**

Mesh says MICH wins by ~2.7 pts. Spread is 12.5 -- that's 10 points of cushion. Cover confidence: **High**.

#### **TCU +11.5 1.5u (ATS | +36% edge)**

Mesh says DUKE wins by ~2.0 pts. Spread is 11.5 -- that's 10 points of cushion. Cover confidence: **High**.

#### **TAMU +9.5 1.5u (ATS | +33% edge)**

Mesh says HOU wins by ~1.1 pts. Spread is 9.5 -- that's 8 points of cushion. Cover confidence: **High**.

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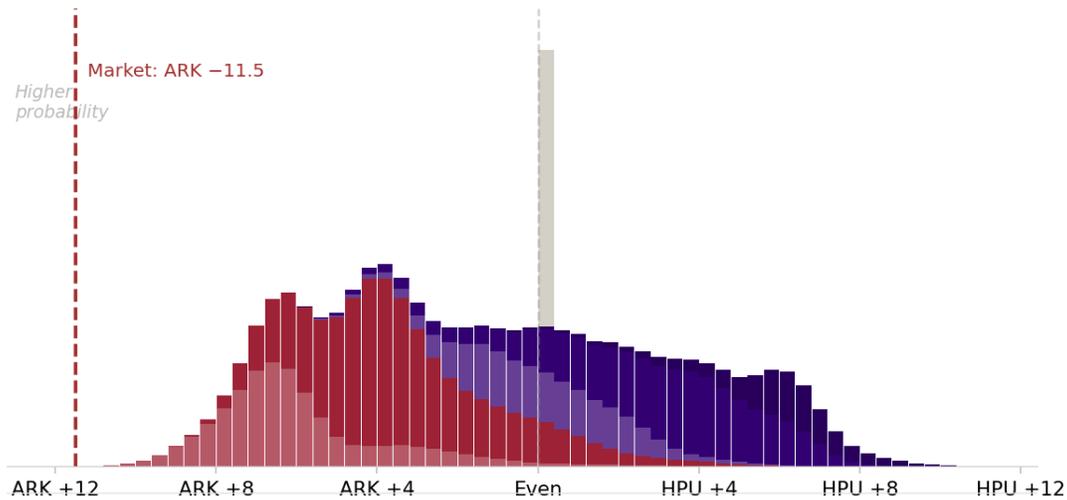
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#### Win prediction



Toss-up scenarios: 18%

#### Distribution of simulated outcomes



#### World Distribution — 5 Scenarios

50,000 Monte Carlo runs

<b>W2</b> Arkansas survives the volatility	34.90%	<b>Favors ARK</b>
<b>W4</b> High Point live-upset script	23.10%	<b>Favors HPU</b>
<b>W1</b> Arkansas control script	16.30%	<b>Favors ARK</b>
<b>W3</b> Knife-edge toss-up game	13.10%	<b>Favors HPU</b>
<b>W5</b> High Point full disruption upset	7.70%	<b>Favors HPU</b>

#### Mesh Thesis

50,000 simulations: ARK 58% / HPU 42%. Expected margin: ARK by 1.1 pts ( $\pm 1.2$ ). Market prices High Point Panthers at 16%; mesh gives them 42% (+26pp gap). **Take HPU +11.5**. 10 points of cushion. Cover confidence: **Very High**. Toss-up zone: 18%.