

Jeremy Sochan (March 10,2022, vs Oklahoma Sooners)

In the beginning of the game Jeremy Sochan didn't get many offensive touches but still found ways to be effective and get involved. He did things that didn't show up on the stat sheet like setting good picks for the ball handler and screens for the off-ball player to free them up for high quality shots.

He was mostly used as an off-ball player. His touches came off the pick and roll and cutting to the rim. When operating in the pick and roll, the ball handler got double teamed after the pick leading to a high percentage open layup inside for Sochan. A play where he got a pick and roll opportunity was with 5:57 minutes left in the first half. Sochan set the pick for James Akinjo and then Akinjo found him rolling to the rim after being double teamed, which led to a high percentage look inside for Sochan enabling him to finish inside the paint through contact. When he cut to the rim, he was able to find the open space and finish through contact to get to the free throw line. The Oklahoma Sooners had a major size advantage making it difficult for Sochan to create opportunities for himself by getting putbacks off offensive rebounds.

Off defensive rebounds, Sochan was able to push the pace and operate as a ball handler in transition. As a ball handler in transition, he was able to be a playmaker and find the open man without turning the ball over.

On the defensive end, Sochan showed defensive versatility guarding multiple positions. He had good defensive positioning and was able to get into a defensive stance. He also had quick and active hands which led to multiple steals and deflections allowing the Baylor Bears to get easy opportunities in transition. He also had some possessions in this game in which he was able to defend the guards from the backcourt and be physical with them.