

Yves Missi- Baylor Bears- 7 feet 0 inches-235 pounds- 19 years old- Freshman

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The source was asked what is the most transferable skillset for Yves Missi? The source responded that the most transferable skillset for Missi is his finishing especially just lobs. He has been an amazing lob catcher and great at finishing. He is a freak athlete. He can really guard most positions well on the defensive end like when he gets switched. He has gotten a lot better at hedging ball-screens. He is progressively getting better with it. The source wouldn't call it bad. Missi has only been playing basketball for only 3 or 4 years now so getting thrown in the Big 12 is going to be a learning curve but he has picked it up quick.

The source was asked how Missi was being defended at the college level compared to how he will be defended on the NBA level? The source responded that Missi is being defended as a lob threat. It is going to be the same in the NBA. He is going to be defended as a rim runner also. The lack of shooting is not a concern for the source. He will just be really good at what he does because in the NBA there is only a handful of bigs that are like elite shooters and the rest of them are just really great at all the other stuff.

The source was asked about his thoughts about Missi's aggressiveness during games? The source responded that Missi is very aggressive. He wants to block every single shot that goes up around him. He is a very aggressive player. He shows his aggressiveness by going for every single block he can. He doesn't care if there is only like a 1 percent chance to block the shot he is going to go for it. His defensive aggressiveness can get him into foul trouble a little bit but the source thinks that is just going to come with age. He just has got to learn the game a little bit more to play at such a high level. He just needs to learn when he should and shouldn't to go for the blocked shot. The source thinks Missi can definitely add that defensive discipline to his game. The source has seen it get better. They are 30ish games into the season now and has gotten a lot better. What he was doing that wasn't being disciplined on defense to start the season is stuff like facing a big in the post and he will bite on all the pump fakes. It is stuff like that. He just learned to stay down and just stick his hands up. He doesn't need to jump for everything. He used to jump for everything and easily get baited into shot fakes. He has gotten a lot better at that now. The source would say Missi is medium aggressive but in a good way.

The source was asked how he feels about Missi's ability to perform under pressure and in big moments? The source responded that Missi's ability to perform under pressure and in big moments is good. He stepped up in the Kansas game at home. He stepped up and played amazing. He stepped up in the Auburn game as well. He was one of the reasons they won that game. His most impactful skillset in clutch

moments and late in games is his shot blocking and rim running. What stood out to the source in the Auburn game is that in the last 5ish minutes of the Auburn game Missi had points and then he had the game sealing steal and dunk.

The source was asked how he feels about Missi's physicality and if he's ready to play at the next level? The source responded that he thinks Missi is ready to play at the next level. He will need to put on a little bit of weight but he has already put some on since he is getting bigger. The source would like to see Missi get to around something like Jarrett Allen's playing weight. The source thinks this is possible for Missi. His frame looks like he can add that weight and muscle. There are no adjustments the source likes to see Missi make to his body other than adding weight. This is about it. This is more something that Missi worked on during the summer. They tried to get him to add more weight in the summer. They did this with how much they lift and the food that they provide to him.

The source was asked what are Missi's motives to play the game at the next level? The source responded that Missi's motives to play at the next level is that he knows that he is going to be really good.

The source was asked what kind of teammate Missi is? The source responded that Missi is a good teammate. He is very dependable and very reliable. He is a quiet guy. That is just how he is. It is not a bad thing either. He is a quiet guy but he is a good teammate and is good to everyone on the team. He still communicates with teammates when he needs to. He is not a super loud personality. He is more of an introvert. He really does his own thing a lot. He is the quiet guy that keeps to himself. He will just stay everyday at practice and gamedays. He gets in the gym when he needs to. The way that teammates react to Missi being quiet is that it is fine. They just know that is how he is and they know they can count on him. He talks when it matters like on the court and in games.

The source was asked how is Missi's ego and if he is coachable? The source responded that Missi has no ego and is a very coachable kid. He has improved a lot since he has been here especially free-throw shooting. What went into the development is just the coaches telling him to work on it and he did. He did a little bit of a change in the summer to his mechanics but a lot of it was just the reps. He responds well to criticism from the coaching staff. He reacts well. He doesn't take it as an insult. He knows it is a way to grow and get better. He works on what coaches tell him. He gets in the gym a lot.

The source was asked how is Missi's work ethics and if he does more than what is required? The source responded that Missi definitely does more than what is required. They have a thing that tracks how many times a player shoots and they can check how much of it is out of practice. He is always in like the top 2 or 3 guys. They have a thing tracks how much the player shoots like outside of practice and he is always among the top couple guys. It tracks how many shot attempts and where they are. It is stuff like that. Most of the he is shooting free-throws. It is mostly free-throws and a lot of

free-throws. The skills he works on other than free-throw shooting is just finishing around the rim.

The source was asked what is Missi's level of basketball IQ and if he can carry over the scouting report to the court? The source responded that Missi can carry over the scouting report. In games like the Kansas game they had specific ways they wanted to treat Hunter Dickinson. Missi did it every time and knew exactly what he had to do. With him being late to playing basketball there was a little bit of a learning curve but not a lot. It is as much as there is with any freshman. It wasn't anything extraordinary. The source couldn't tell that Missi was late to playing with his IQ. It is not too obvious. There aren't really any improvements Missi needs to make with the scouting reports. When they switched up the defense it was just the same as everyone else. He got used to it when he got good. Baylor scouting reports are somewhere in the middle in terms of being complex.

The source was asked how Missi responds to in game adjustments? The source responded that Missi responds well to in game adjustments. He knows what he has to do. The type of game adjustments Missi had to respond to are like switching between man and zone and switching ball-screens. It is stuff like that. He does this really well.

The source was asked what will be one reason Missi will be successful and one reason he will not be successful at the next level? The source responded that the big reasons why Missi will be successful is his finishing and athleticism. The only reason that the source could think of why Missi wouldn't be successful is that if it is too physical but the source thinks Missi will be fine. This is part of him adding more weight so he can handle the physicality better and not committing cheap fouls because he lacks physicality. It is stuff like that. It doesn't occur. The source was just thinking of anything that would hold Missi back.

The source was asked if Missi ever failed a drug test? The source responded that Missi has never failed a drug test.

The source was asked if there are any personal and social red flags for Missi? The source responded that there are no personal and social red flags for Missi.

The source was asked how is Missi's competitive level in practice and does he push others? The source responded that Missi is a very competitive guy. He always wants to win. The source feels like this is a top down thing in their culture. The ways he shows his competitiveness in practice are making big plays like big blocks and big dunks. The energy definitely shifts when he does that. It shifts positively for his team. It is very positive for his team when he makes those big impactful plays. Everyone gets fired up. He does push others in practice through his desire of wanting to win and just going out there and making the winning plays. He is a high motor player in practice. He shows his motor in practice by always being ready to make the plays and always wants to play more. It is stuff like that.