The NCAA Evaluation Tool (NET) for women’s basketball is the contemporary sorting tool used to measure a team’s quality and help evaluate team resumes for selection and seeding in the NCAA tournament. NET ranking is determined by who you played, where you played, how efficiently you played and the result of the game.

The NET ranking is one of many criteria used by the Division I Women’s Basketball Committee in the selection and seeding of the NCAA Division I Women’s Basketball Championship. (Alphabetical Order)

- Availability of talent
- Bad losses
- Common opponents
- Competitive in losses
- Conference record
- Early competition versus late competition
- Head to head
- NET ranking
- Non-conference record
- Overall record
- Regional rankings
- Strength of schedule
- Significant wins
- Strength of conference

NET INCLUDES:

Adjusted Net Efficiency and Team Value Index. Adjusted Net Efficiency reflects the overall efficiency of a team (point differential per possession), while Team Value Index measures the wins and losses. Both are adjusted for schedule, looking at games against Division I opponents only.

1 ADJUSTED NET EFFICIENCY

Includes:

EFFICIENCY = 
OFFENSIVE EFFICIENCY (PTS/POSS) - 
DEFENSIVE EFFICIENCY (OPP PTS/POSS)

STRENGTH OF OPPONENTS PLAYED

LOCATION OF GAME
(Home/Away/Neutral)

2 TEAM VALUE INDEX

Algorithm set up to reward teams who beat other good teams. Results-oriented component of the NET.

BASED ON:

WINS AND LOSSES

FACTORS:

OPPONENT
LOCATION
WINNER

TEAM VALUE INDEX SCORE

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