NetScouts Basketball (Player Report)

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| **Date:** November 21, 2012 | **Game:** W&M vs. Miami(OH) | **Scout:** Leon W. Dillard |

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| **Player/Number:** Marcus Thorton (#3) | **Height:** 6’4” |
| **School:** William & Mary | **Weight:** 185 |
| **Class:** 2015 | **Position:** Guard |

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| **Athleticism/Body:** Athletic build with deceiving strength. Possesses advanced ball handling skills, pushes the ball in transition as well as fills the lanes without the ball. Has good footwork with or without the ball and gets to the rim with ability to draw contact against post players. |

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| **Shooting:** Good form and technique. Has a good mid-range game 15-18’ and can make the open college 3-pointer. A catch and shoot style shooter, but prefers to get his shot off of the dribble with a quick release. Player has potential to develop range to NBA3. Solid from the FT line. |

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| **Position Offense:** Good ball handler who excels in both the open and half court settings. Good in pick/roll play as he can effectively pass, shoot or dribble attacking the rim. Quiet leader as he is not very verbal while on the court. More of a combo guard as he can effectively play both the 1 & 2 positions. |

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| **Defense/Rebounding:** A solid on ball defender with good feet and lateral movement. Also a good help defender as he plays good position defense keeping his head on a swivel at all times allowing him to anticipate the passing lanes for easy steals. Rarely goes to the boards, but occasionally tracks down long boards in his area. |

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| **Miscellaneous:** Good poise and competitive. Has good basketball IQ with a winning mentality. Makes good decisions. |

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| **Rating:** 6 |