



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Game Information

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A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	2-1 (April 8)
Season Low	41-57/44-60 (July 27/Aug. 2)
April	8-11
May	11-18
June	13-15
July	12-14
August	7-7
September	0-0
October	0-0
Home Series	8-9-2
Road Series	6-10-3
Series Sweeps	2-6
First Game of Series	16-22
Last Game of Series	16-20
A's Score First	28-24
Opponent Scores First	23-41
Leading After 7 th	43-4
Leading After 8 th	43-1
Tied After 7 th	2-9
Tied After 8 th	5-10
Trailing After 7 th	6-52
Trailing After 8 th	3-54
Commit No Errors	30-37
Commit 1 or More Errors	21-28
More HR Than Opp.	22-11
Fewer HR Than Opp.	12-36
Same Total HR of Opp.	17-18
Starter Pitches 7 or More	12-10
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	39-55
When Scoring 4 or More	48-22
When Scoring Less Than 4	3-43
Last At Bat	8-14
Different Lineups	96

OAKLAND ATHLETICS (51-65) VS. CHICAGO WHITE SOX (60-57)
SUNDAY, AUGUST 16, 2009 – OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM – 1:05 P.M. PDT
RHP TREVOR CAHILL (6-12, 5.06) VS. LHP JOHN DANKS (9-8, 4.23)
CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (KTRB 860 AM) – EN ESPAÑOL (KDIA 1640 AM/KDYA 1190 AM)

ABOUT THE A's

ABOUT THE A'S: Have lost the first two games of this series, snapping the A's three-series winning streak...it was the first time the A's won three consecutive series since April 18-27, 2008 (Kansas City, Minnesota and Seattle)...have lost two straight games for the first time since August 1-2 and have not lost three in a row since July 7-10...have not won or lost more than three games in a row since June 29 and are 20-22 over that span...are 51-65 (.440) for the season, which is the fourth worst record in the American League...have spent each of the last 105 days (since May 3) and 111 days this year in sole possession of last place in the AL West...the only seasons in Oakland history in which the A's spent more days all alone in last are 1997 (153), 1979 (147) and 1993 (120)...the A's finished the season in last in the AL West six times in Oakland history (1977, 1979, 1993, 1995, 1997, 1998).

SINCE THE BREAK: The A's are 14-16 since the All-Star Break...are batting .285 (302 for 1060), which is the third best average in the American League, but have a 5.27 ERA (157 er in 268.0 ip), which is third highest...lead the majors in doubles (74) and stolen bases (36)...rank second in the AL in runs (170) and extra base hits (105)...before the break, the A's ranked last in the AL in batting (.246) and extra base hits (22), had the second lowest on-base percentage (.316) and the third fewest doubles (142) and runs (361).

ROOKIES ON THE MOUND: Trevor Cahill is scheduled to make the 84th start by an A's rookie pitcher, which is the second highest total in Oakland history...the record is 93 set in 1983...today marks the 15th consecutive game the A's have started a rookie, which is the longest streak in Oakland history (previous high was five twice)...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, that is the longest such streak since the 1997 St. Louis Cardinals started a rookie in each of their last 19 games that season (Manny Aybar, Rigo Beltran, Matt Morris, Sean Lowe, Mike Busby and Brady Raggio)...the A's have started a rookie pitcher in 57 of the last 69 games...the last non-rookie to start a game was Dallas Braden on July 31...have had at least four rookies in the rotation since Vin Mazzaro was recalled on June 2.

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers are 9-12 with a 6.56 ERA (123 er in 168.2 ip) and .313 (216 for 689) opponents batting average since the All-Star Break after going 25-36 with a 4.39 ERA and .273 opponents average before the break...are 34-48 with a 4.96 ERA for the season...have the second fewest innings pitched in the American League (644.1), are tied for the second fewest wins and have the third highest ERA and opponents batting average (.284)...are the only AL team with just one complete game.

ON THE BASES: The A's had their streak of 10 consecutive games with a stolen base come to an end yesterday...stolen 17 bases during the streak, which was the longest by an Oakland team since August 5-14, 1988 when they also had a steal in 10 consecutive contests...have 90 steals for the season, which is fifth most in the American League and the most by an A's team since the 1998 club had 131...have four players (Cabrera, Davis, Holliday, Kennedy) with at least 10 steals for the first time since 1993.

OFFENSE: The A's rank last in the American League in slugging (.389), tied for last in home runs (97), second to last in batting (.256), triples (12) and extra base hits (325), rank third in fewest runs scored (531), tied for third in most grounded into double plays (101) and fourth in lowest on-base percentage (.324).

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have committed two errors in the last three games, snapping the A's season high seven-game errorless streak...have 71 errors for the season, which is fifth most in the American League...are on pace for 99 errors...have committed fewer than 100 errors in each of the previous five seasons, which equals the longest such streak in Major League history.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 0-2 on this nine-game homestand against Chicago (0-2), New York (three games) and Detroit (three games)...it equals the A's longest homestand of the season (third time)...went 4-3 on the last homestand against Toronto (1-2) and Texas (3-1), just the second time this year the A's finished with a winning record on a homestand with more than one series (June 5-11, 5-2 vs. Baltimore and Minnesota)...are 26-30 (.464) at home for the season and are one of just three AL teams with a losing record at home...went 4-2 on the last road trip to Kansas City (2-1) and Baltimore (2-1), their first winning road trip of more than one series since June 13-19 of last year (4-2 vs. San Francisco and Arizona)...are 25-35 (.417) on the road.

EXTRA INNING GAMES AND OTHER CLOSE CALLS: The A's fell to 3-8 (.273) in extra inning games with the loss Friday night and have the second worst record in extra inning games in the majors (Colorado, 1-4)...the 11 extra inning games are tied for second most in the American League (Toronto, 16)...the eight extra inning losses are the A's most in a season since 1996 when they lost 11 and the Oakland record for lowest winning percentage in extra inning games is .273 (3-8) in 1970...are 11-18 (.379) in one-run games, which is the second worst record in the AL (Kansas City, 10-17)...have not had a losing record in one-run games since 1998 (16-19) and the Oakland record for lowest winning percentage in one-run games is .381 (16-26) in 1980.

WINS AND LOSSES: The A's are 34-34 (.500) against teams from the Central and Eastern divisions and are 17-31 (.354) against Western division teams...have finished with a losing record in each of the first four months of the season for the first time since 1993 (had a losing record in each of the first five months that year)...the only time in Oakland history the A's had a losing record in all six months was in 1979...have not had a winning record in a month since last June (16-10) and the seven consecutive months without a winning record is the third longest such streak in Oakland history...had 10 straight months at .500 or less from August, 1996 to May, 1998 and eight straight from August, 1978 to September, 1979.

THE DISABLED LIST: The A's have used the disabled list 15 times this year...used it an Oakland record 25 times last year, breaking the previous mark of 22 (2007 and 1992)...have now used the DL 62 times since the start of the 2007 season...the 15 players on the DL have combined to miss 677 games, an average of 45.1 games per stint...last year they combined to miss 877 games, an average of 35.1 games per stint...currently have seven players on the DL...have had at least five players on the DL every day since April 29 and for the third consecutive season will have at least three players on the DL for the entire season...the A's have not had fewer than three players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season when they had just one.

A's vs. WHITE SOX

The season series is even at three games each entering the final meeting today...the A's have lost the first two games in Oakland and have not been swept by the White Sox in the Coliseum since May 16-18, 1997...won three of four in Chicago in June...lost the season series last year 4-5, marking the first time the A's have lost the season series to Chicago since 2000...are 49-26 (.653) against the White Sox since 2001, which is the best record by any American League team...are 28-10 (.737) against the White Sox in Oakland since 2001...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 276-256 against the White Sox...that breaks down to 145-125 in Oakland and 131-131 in Chicago...all-time, the A's are 953-1011 against Chicago.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Adam Kennedy had his second five-hit game of the season yesterday and the third by an Athletic this year (Ellis)...this is the first time the A's had three five-hit games in one season since 1969 when they had four (Bando 2, Francona and Jackson)...all three five-hit games this year have come over an 18-game span...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, he is the first player to get five hits in a nine-inning game in which his team scored one run or less since Joe Medwick for St. Louis on June 4, 1940 vs. Brooklyn.

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

On **August 16, 1930** Lefty Grove wins his 20th game of the season, defeating St. Louis in Philadelphia, 4-2...on **August 16, 1983** Chris Codiroli and Dave Beard combine on a 4-0 shutout against California, the A's third consecutive shutout...the shutout comes as part of an Oakland record 37 consecutive scoreless innings...on **August 16, 1996** Geronimo Berroa hits two home runs in the first game of a doubleheader against Boston, the A's 199th and 200th of the season, which sets a new franchise record.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Mon., Aug. 17 vs. NYY RHP Vin Mazzaro (4-8, 5.54) vs. RHP A.J. Burnett (10-5, 3.71)	7:05 CSNCA
Tue., Aug. 17 vs. NYY TBA vs. LHP CC Sabathia (13-7, 3.64)	7:05 CSNCA
Wed., Aug. 18 vs. NYY LHP Brett Anderson (7-8, 4.55) vs. RHP Chad Gaudin (1-0, 0.00)	7:05 CSNCA

WORLD CHAMPIONS...1910 • 1911 • 1913 • 1929 • 1930 • 1972 • 1973 • 1974 • 1989

AMERICAN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS...1902 • 1905 • 1910 • 1911 • 1913 • 1914 • 1929 • 1930 • 1931 • 1972 • 1973 • 1974 • 1988 • 1989 • 1990

TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Trevor Cahill (6-12, 5.06 ERA)

CAHILL BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2009	6	12	5.06	24	133.1	75
2008	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Career	6	12	5.06	24	133.1	75

	Home	Road	Day	Night	Pre-ASB	Post-ASB
W	5	1	2	4	5	1
L	7	5	4	8	8	4
ERA	4.68	5.68	4.15	5.57	4.67	6.17
G	14	10	8	16	18	6
IP	82.2	50.2	47.2	85.2	98.1	35.0
ER	43	32	22	53	51	24

	AVG.	AB	H
vs. LHH	.303	277	84
vs. RHH	.256	242	62

RUN SUPPORT

Cahill		Runs Scored	Times
0		3	
1		5	
2		4	
3		4	
4		2	
5		1	
6		1	
7		0	
8		0	
9		2	
10		0	
12		1	
16		1	
Run Support Avg.		6.08	

CAHILL vs. CHICAGO

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2009	0	0	3.18	1	5.2	2
2008	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Career	0	0	3.18	1	5.2	2

Cahill's Starts vs. Chicago

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
6/1/09	A	--	5.2	3	2	2	2	3

Chicago Career Batting vs. Cahill

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Dye	.000	1	0	0	1	0
Fields	.000	2	0	0	0	1
Konerko	.000	3	0	0	0	0
Kotsay	.000	2	0	0	0	0
Nix	.000	2	0	0	0	1
Pierzynski	.500	2	1	1	0	0
Podsednik	.000	2	0	0	1	0
Ramirez	.333	3	1	0	0	0
Rios	.167	6	1	0	0	0
Thome	.333	3	1	0	0	1
Wise	.000	2	0	0	0	0

CAHILL'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	7.1, 5/22/09 vs. ARI
Fewest IP, GS:	2.1, 5/17/09 at DET
H:	10, 7/27/09 at BOS
R:	8, 7/3/09 at CLE
ER:	7 (three times), last: 6/27/09 vs. COL
BB:	5 (twice), last: 4/18/09 at TOR
SO:	6, 8/6/09 vs. TEX
HR:	4, 6/27/09 vs. COL
Win Streak:	3, 6/6/09 to 6/22/09
Loss Streak:	4, 7/27/09 to present
Scoreless Streak:	8.0, 5/2/09 to 5/7/09
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

OAKLAND A's 21 YEAR-OLD AND UNDER BESTS

GAMES STARTED	INNINGS PITCHED
39 Blue, 1971	312.0 Blue, 1971
30 Johnson, 1978	193.2 Rijo, 1986
26 Rijo, 1986	186.0 Johnson, 1978
24 Cahill, 2009	133.1 Cahill, 2009
22 Anderson, 2009	126.2 Anderson, 2009

WINS	STRIKEOUTS
24 Blue, 1971	301 Blue, 1971
11 Johnson, 1978	176 Rijo, 1986
9 Rijo, 1986	103 Anderson, 2009
7 Anderson, 2009	91 Johnson, 1978
6 Cahill, 2009	72 Street, 2005
6 Van Poppel, 1993	
6 Rijo, 1985	

all ages as of June 30

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his 25th start of the season and his career...the A's are 10-14 (.417) in his starting assignments...has tossed six or more innings in 12 of his 24 starts, allowed two runs or fewer 11 times and walked two batters or fewer 15 times.

RECENTLY: Has lost each of his last four starts (23.1 ip, 34 h, 20 r, 20 er, 8 bb, 17 so, 5 hr, 7.71 ERA), which is the longest losing streak of his career...is now 1-7 with a 7.55 ERA (40 er in 47.2 ip) and .328 (64 for 195) opponents batting average over his last nine starts (since June 27)...was 5-5 with a 3.68 ERA and .253 opponents batting average over his first 15 starts.

AMONG THE LEADERS: Is tied for the American League lead in losses (12), ranks second in home runs (25), fourth in runs (82) and tied for sixth in walks (55)...is averaging 4.59 strikeouts per nine innings, which is second lowest in the AL...his strikeout to walk ratio of 1.24 is the lowest in the majors.

ROOKIE LEADERS: Has set an Oakland rookie record with 25 home runs, topping the previous mark of 24 set by John Wasdin in 1996...his 12 losses are tied for fourth most by a rookie in Oakland history...leads Major League rookies in games started (24) and innings pitched (133.1)...ranks seventh among AL rookies in strikeouts (68) and tied for ninth in wins (6).

THE LONG BALL: Did not allow a home run in his last start, ending a streak where he allowed at least one home run in nine consecutive games (15 home runs total)...that equaled the third longest streak in Oakland history and it was the longest since Gil Heredia had a nine-game streak from June 24-August 5, 2000...19 of his 25 home runs have been hit by left-handed hitters, which is the most in the majors and tied for third most in Oakland history...19 have been hit at home, which is the most in the majors and ties the Oakland record...however, 19 of the home runs have been solo shots...allowed just eight home runs in 238.2 career minor league innings.

HOME AND AWAY: Is 5-7 with a 4.68 ERA (43 er in 82.2 ip) in 14 starts at home compared to 1-5 with a 5.68 ERA (32 er in 50.2 ip) in 10 starts on the road...has 25 walks and 46 strikeouts in Oakland and 30 walks and 22 strikeouts on the road.

RUN SUPPORT: Has received run support of two runs or less in 12 of his 24 starts and is 0-8 in those starts...however, has four games with run support of nine or more and is tied for the seventh highest run support in the American League (6.08, 90 rs in 133.1 ip).

20 STARTS BY TWO 21-YEAR OLDS: Is making his 25th start of the season today and fellow 21-year old Brett Anderson has made 22 starts...this is the first time in the history of the Athletics franchise the A's have had two pitchers under the age of 22 make at least 20 starts in the same season...the last Major League team to do it is the 1980 Chicago White Sox (Britt Burns, 32 and Rich Dotson 32)...according to baseball-reference.com, the A's are just the 10th team in American League history and the 17th ML team since 1900 to have two 21-year olds make at least 20 starts each...all ages are based on players age as of June 30.

THE FIRST INNING: Has allowed seven runs in the first inning this year and has a 2.63 ERA (7 er in 24.0 ip) and .214 (18 for 84) opponents batting average in the inning...has a 5.51 ERA (67 er in 109.1 ip) and .294 (128 for 435) opponents average after that.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Has allowed a .281 batting average, but that drops to .237 (28 for 118) with runners in scoring position...has allowed a .203 (12 for 59) batting average to the opponents number three hitters, which is eighth lowest in the American League.

2009 HIGHLIGHTS: Was on the A's Opening Day roster at the age of 21 years, 36 days and was the sixth youngest player on an O.D. roster in Oakland history...made his Major League debut in the A's second game of the season and had a no decision in the A's 6-4 win at Los Angeles on **April 7**...according to baseball-reference.com, he is just the 16th pitcher since 1954 to make his Major League debut with a start in one of the first two games of the season (all 16 started game two)...at the age of 21 years, 37 days, he was the seventh youngest pitcher to debut with a start in Oakland history...no-hit Seattle over the first 6.1 innings on **April 12** before Beltre singled with one out in the seventh...became the first Oakland rookie to take a no-hitter into the seventh inning since Mike Warren tossed his no-hitter on September 29, 1983...recorded his first Major League win in the A's 9-4 victory over Texas on **May 7** in Oakland...at the age of 21 years, 67 days he is the fifth youngest pitcher in Oakland history to record his first ML win...allowed seven runs in 3.2 innings **June 27** against Colorado and eight runs in 3.2 innings in his next start on **July 3** at Cleveland...is the first starting pitcher in Oakland history to allow seven or more runs while pitching fewer than 4.0 innings in back-to-back starts...yielded four home runs in the game against the Rockies...it was the 27th time in Oakland history a pitcher allowed at least four home runs in a game, the first time since Barry Zito on August 9, 2006 against Texas.

LAST START: He lost his fourth consecutive start in the A's 3-2 loss at Baltimore last Tuesday...allowed a run in the second inning on a RBI groundout by Mora, but the A's scored single runs in the fourth and fifth innings to take a 2-1 lead...he then allowed two runs in the bottom of the fifth on a RBI single by Roberts and a RBI groundout by Jones.

CAHILL vs. CHICAGO: Had a no decision in his only career appearance, a 6-2 A's loss at Chicago on June 1...the A's scored twice in the first inning, but those were the A's only runs of the game...allowed a Dye sacrifice fly in the first inning and a leadoff home run to Pierzynski in the bottom of the fifth...left after 5.2 innings with the score tied at 2-2 and the bullpen allowed four runs in the eighth inning for the loss.

CAHILL'S 2009 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 7	at LAA	6-4	-	3.60	5.0	5	3	2	5	1	0	103
April 12	SEA	0-1	L	2.25	7.0	2	1	1	3	3	0	97
April 18	at TOR	2-4 (12)	-	2.60	5.1	5	2	2	5	1	0	93
April 24	TB	2-8	L	5.40	2.2	8	7	7	2	2	2	76
April Totals (4 G, 4 GS)				0-2	5.40	20.0	20	13	12	15	7	2
May 2	at SEA	3-2	-	4.50	6.0	7	1	1	3	1	1	97
May 7	TEX	9-4	W	3.82	7.0	5	1	1	0	4	1	97
May 12	KC	12-3	W	3.69	6.0	7	2	2	2	2	2	99
May 17	at DET	7-11	L	5.01	2.1	7	7	7	2	0	0	60
May 22	ARI	1-2	L	4.62	7.1	6	2	2	1	5	1	91
May 27	SEA	1-6	L	4.45	6.0	6	3	2	1	5	1	105
May Totals (6 G, 6 GS)				2-3	3.89	34.2	38	16	15	9	17	6
June 1	at CWS	2-6	--	4.33	5.2	3	2	2	2	3	1	98
June 6	BAL	9-4	W	4.21	6.0	6	2	2	0	5	0	91
June 11	MIN	4-3	--	4.17	7.0	7	3	3	2	2	1	104
June 17	at LAD	5-4	W	3.89	5.1	4	2	0	4	3	0	107
June 22	SF	5-1	W	3.68	7.0	4	1	1	1	4	1	99
June 27	COL	9-11	L	4.23	3.2	8	7	7	1	2	4	82
June Totals (6 G, 6 GS)				3-1	3.89	34.2	32	17	15	10	19	7
July 3	at CLE	3-15	L	4.55	3.2	6	8	5	4	2	1	95
July 8	at BOS	4-5	L	4.67	5.1	4	4	4	3	2	2	102
July 17	LAA	7-3	--	4.72	4.2	6	3	3	4	0	1	90
July 22	MIN	16-1	W	4.50	7.0	6	1	1	2	4	1	96
July 27	at BOS	3-8	L	4.77	5.0	10	6	6	2	5	1	110
July Totals (5 G, 5 GS)				1-3	6.66	25.2	32	22	19	15	13	6
Aug. 1	TOR	5-6	L	5.01	5.1	8	6	6	4	2	2	105
Aug. 6	TEX	4-6	L	5.13	6.0	8	5	5	2	6	2	100
Aug. 11	at BAL	2-3	L	5.06	7.0	8	3	3	0	4	0	97

OAKLAND A's MOST HOME RUNS ALLOWED

- ROOKIE**
- 25 Trevor Cahill, 2009
 - 24 John Wasdin, 1996
 - 23 Joe Blanton, 2005
 - 22 Mark Mulder, 2000
 - 22 Blake Stein, 1998

VS. LEFT-HANDERS

- 26 Catfish Hunter, 1973
- 21 Catfish Hunter, 1969
- 19 Trevor Cahill, 2009
- 19 Rick Langford, 1982
- 19 Catfish Hunter, 1970

AT HOME

- 19 Trevor Cahill, 2009
- 19 Catfish Hunter, 1973
- 18 four players tied

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

RHP Vin Mazzaro (4-8, 5.54 ERA): Is scheduled to make his 15th start of the season and his career...went 2-0 with a 0.00 ERA and a .170 opponents batting average over the first two starts of his career, 0-8 with a 7.22 ERA and .347 opponents batting average over his next 10 starts and is 2-0 with a 4.35 ERA and .348 opponents batting average over his last two starts...has run support of three runs or less in 11 of his 14 starts and has season run support of 3.89...was the winning pitcher in his last start, a 6-3 A's win at Baltimore last Wednesday (5.1 ip, 8 h, 3 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 1 so)...was the losing pitcher in his only career start against the Yankees, a 6-3 loss at New York on July 23 (4.1 ip, 8 h, 6 r, 6 er, 4 bb, 7 so).

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

17-17, 3.77 ERA (394.1 ip, 362 h, 175 r, 165 er, 153 bb, 351 so, 33 hr)

Save/Save Opportunities: 27/37 (73.0%)

The A's bullpen has allowed two home runs over the last two home games after allowing just one over the previous 24 home games (83.1 ip)...is tied with New York for the American League in strikeouts (351), ranks second in innings pitched (394.1) and fourth in ERA (3.77) and save percentage (73.0%)...has allowed 64 of 166 (38.6%) inherited runners to score, which is the third highest percentage in the AL...has issued 21 first batter walks, which is second fewest in the AL...the pen allowed six runs in 18.2 innings on the last road trip (2.89 ERA)...yielded two runs in 21.0 innings on the previous homestand (0.86 ERA)...now has a 2.74 ERA (58 er in 190.1 ip), nine home runs allowed and 56 walks issued in Oakland this year compared to a 4.72 ERA (107 er in 204.0 ip), 24 home runs allowed and 97 walks issued on the road.

40 RHP ANDREW BAILEY

Save/Opportunities: 17-21

Last Outing: 8/14 vs. Chicago (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 22/8

First Hitters: 8-46 (4 bb, 14 so)

- Worked a scoreless inning Friday but did not receive a decision, snapping his streak of converting the save in each of his previous seven outings...has converted each of his last 12 save opportunities dating back to June 17...leads Major League rookies and ranks 10th among all American Leaguers in saves (17)...has recorded more than three outs in six of his saves.
- Ranks second among Major League relievers with 73 strikeouts (Broxton LAD, 78)...has struck out two or more batters in 27 of his 50 outings.
- Ranks second among AL rookies in games pitched (50) and sixth in strikeouts (73).
- Ranks third among AL relievers in innings pitched (65.0), third in opponents batting average (.174), fifth in ERA (2.08) and tied for fifth in blown saves (4).
- Has retired each of his eight batters faced over his two career appearances against Chicago (2.2 ip, 3 so)...recorded the save in his only other appearance against the White Sox earlier this year on June 3 (1.2 ip, 2 so).
- Has allowed only one run (12.1 ip, 0.73 ERA) and has converted 7 of 8 save opportunities in 10 outings on no days rest.
- Has not yielded a home run in 126 at bats against right-handed hitters.
- Was the sixth Oakland rookie to be named to the American League All-Star team but did not pitch in the game.
- Spent the entire 2008 season at Double-A Midland...began the season in the starting rotation and went 1-8 with a 6.18 ERA and .258 opponents batting average in his 15 starts...then went 4-1 with a 0.92 ERA and .207 opponents average over his final 22 appearances, all in relief.

MOST SAVES, OAKLAND ROOKIE

23	Huston Street, 2005
17	Andrew Bailey, 2009
12	Rollie Fingers, 1969
11	Brad Ziegler, 2008
8	Steve Ontiveros, 1985

56 LHP CRAIG BRESLOW

Save/Opportunities: 0-2

Last Outing: 8/14 vs. Chicago (L, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so, 1 hr)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 40/9

First Hitters: 14-46 (11 bb, 10 so, 2 sh)

- Leads the American League and is tied for fourth in the majors with a career-high 59 games pitched...is tied with the most losses (6) among AL relievers, ranks seventh in percentage of inherited runners scored (22.5%), ranks seventh in opponents batting average (.190) and tied for ninth in wins (5).
- Tossed a season-high tying 2.0 innings of relief last Monday night at Baltimore (twice, also: May 6 at Baltimore for Minnesota).
- Is 0-2 with a 6.23 ERA (3 er in 4.1 ip) in five appearances against the White Sox this year but has a 3.38 ERA (4 er in 10.2 ip) over 12 total career appearances against Chicago.
- Opponents are 6 for 50 (.120) with runners in scoring position and 10 for 76 (.132) overall with runners on base.
- First batters faced are 10 for their last 25 (.400) with six walks and three home runs...has issued 11 first batter walks this year, which are second most in the majors (Marmol CHC, 14), and allowed four home runs, which are the second most in the AL.
- Was claimed off waivers from Minnesota on May 20 and has not allowed a run in 32 of his 42 outings with the A's (13 er in 34.2 ip, 3.38 ERA)...was 1-2 with a 6.28 ERA in 17 appearances with the Twins (14.1 ip, 11 h, 11 r, 10 er, 11 bb, 11 so).
- Posted a combined 0-2 record and a 1.91 ERA for Cleveland and Minnesota last season and his ERA ranked second lowest among American League left-handed relievers with a minimum of 35.0 innings pitched...it was ninth-best in the AL for all pitchers with at least 40.0 ip.

44 RHP SANTIAGO CASILLA

Save/Opportunities: 0-0

Last Outing: 8/15 vs. Chicago (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 0 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 15/11

First Hitters: 10-36 (3 bb, 4 so, 1 sh)

- Has a 3.46 ERA (5 er in 13.0 ip) in 11 outings since the All-Star Break after compiling a 6.75 ERA in 28 outings before the break...his career ERA splits entering the season was 2.49 before the break and 6.60 after the break.
- Has a 5.74 ERA for the season, which is third highest among American League relievers.
- Has yielded a .245 (23 for 94) batting average against right-handed hitters compared to .325 (25 for 77) against left-handers.
- First batters faced are 4 for their last 11 with three doubles and two walks.
- Has a 3.00 ERA (8 er in 24.0 ip) in 18 outings on one day rest or less and a 9.33 ERA (19 er in 18.1 ip) in 21 outings on two days rest or more.
- Has allowed four runs in 2.1 ip (15.43 ERA) over three appearances against the White Sox this year...has an 8.31 ERA (8 er in 8.2 ip) over nine total career appearances against Chicago.
- Was on the 15-day disabled list from April 29 to May 14 with a sprained right knee...made two rehab appearances before he was reinstated...has a 7.20 ERA (24 er in 30.0 ip) in 29 games since his return...posted a 1.59 ERA in nine games before going on DL.
- Was 2-1 with two saves and a 3.93 ERA in a career high 51 appearances last year...had a 0.93 ERA and .185 opponents batting average in 21 games before he was placed on the 15-day DL on May 16...posted a 5.81 ERA and .353 opponents batting average over his final 30 games.

59 RHP EDGAR GONZALEZ

Save/Opportunities: 0-0

Last Outing: 8/15 vs. Chicago (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 2 so, 1 hr)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 9/2

First Hitters: 4-19 (0 bb, 3 so)

- Made the 100th appearance of his career August 8 in Kansas City and tossed 3.2 innings, his longest outing as a reliever this year.
- Has allowed five runs on 11 hits over his last two games (4.2 ip) after allowing four runs on six hits in 11.1 innings over his previous six outings.
- Began the season by going 0-1 with a 5.40 ERA in two starts but his last 18 outings have come in relief...has no decisions and a 5.20 ERA (21 er in 36.1 ip) in relief.
- Allowed his first home run of the year to his first batter faced yesterday in Jim Thome...had thrown 45.1 innings this year without a home run...his previous home run allowed was on June 17, 2008 against Oakland (Suzuki).
- Has yielded a .198 (17 for 86) batting average against right-handed hitters and .351 (33 for 94) against left-handers.
- Made his first career appearance against the White Sox yesterday.
- Was signed by the A's as a free agent to a minor league contract on February 9 and went 1-2 with a 10.93 ERA in six games, three starts, this spring...began the season at Triple-A Sacramento and was 3-2 with a 5.22 ERA in seven starts when he was selected by Oakland on May 19.
- Was 1-2 with a 6.00 ERA in six starts with Arizona last year and 0-1 with a 6.00 ERA in 11 relief appearances.

60 RHP JEFF GRAY

Save/Opportunities: 0-0

Last Outing: 8/15 vs. Chicago (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/0

First Hitters: 2-7 (0 bb, 0 so)

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento on August 6 for his fourth stint with the A's and has pitched four times since his return (4.0 ip, 3 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 so, 1hr).
 - Made one appearance during each of his first three stints from May 9 to 13, May 27 to 29 and July 8 to 10 and retired all five batters he faced.
 - Made his first career appearance against the White Sox yesterday.
 - Converted 16 of 17 (94.1%) save opportunities with Sacramento...did not allow a run or walk a batter in eight outings following his last option on July 11 (9.1 ip, 7 h, 6 so), but had his lone blown save on July 25 against Colorado Springs...has allowed a .200 batting average overall, including .189 (18 for 95) against right-handed hitters and .218 (12 for 51) against left-handers...his complete stats with Sacramento this year:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------------|---|---|------|----|----|----|-----|----|------|----|---|----|----|----|
| Sacramento | 2 | 2 | 1.54 | 37 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 41.0 | 30 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 22 |
- Spent the first five months of the 2008 season at Triple-A Sacramento where he was 2-7 with a 4.39 ERA and four saves in 54 games...was promoted to Oakland on September 5 and spent the remainder of the season with the A's...had a 7.71 ERA in five games with Oakland.

52 LHP JAY MARSHALL Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/0	Save/Opportunities: 0-0	Last Outing: 8/15 vs. Chicago (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)	First Hitters: 1-3 (0 bb, 0 so, 1 sh)
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- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento a week ago today and made his 2009 debut Tuesday...retired the side in order in the eighth inning.
- Made his Major League debut with Oakland in 2007 and was 1-2 with a 6.43 ERA in 51 relief appearances after being selected from the Chicago White Sox organization in the Rule 5 draft...Boston claimed him off waivers on October 15, 2007 but the A's got him back off waivers on December 6, 2007.
- Has a 3.60 ERA (2 er in 5.0 ip) over seven career appearances against the White Sox...has not allowed a run in six of those seven outings.
- Was leading the Pacific Coast League in appearances (50) at the time of his promotion...had a 1.69 ERA in 40 appearances before the Triple-A All-Star Break and a 11.25 ERA in 10 outings since the break...had a 21.0 inning scoreless streak from April 27 to June 6...yielded just two home runs in 50.2 innings...allowed a .280 batting average, including .179 (15 for 84) against left-handed hitters and .362 (38 for 105) against right-handers...his complete stats with Sacramento this year:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento	5	3	3.20	50	0	0	0	7	50.2	53	23	18	15	30

- Split the 2008 season between Double-A Midland and Triple-A Sacramento and combined for a 4-6 record, three saves and a 3.71 ERA in 57 relief appearances...had a 0.84 ERA in 20 outings with the Rockhounds and a 6.16 ERA in 37 relief appearances with the River Cats.

48 RHP MICHAEL WUERTZ Inherited Runners/Scored: 30/8	Save/Opportunities: 3-4	Last Outing: 8/14 vs. Chicago (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)	First Hitters: 10-52 (2 bb, 18 so)
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- Has allowed six runs over his last 10 outings (9.2 ip, 5.59 ERA) after allowing three runs over his previous 13 outings (16.1 ip, 1.65 ERA).
- Has four strikeouts over his last seven games and 6.2 innings after fanning 36 over his previous 15 games and 18.2 innings...ranks second among American League relievers and fifth among Major League relievers with 70 strikeouts
- Also ranks tied for second among AL relievers in wins (6) and tied for fifth in games pitched (54)...the wins match his career-high from 2005.
- Is 1-1 with a save in two chances and a 4.32 ERA (4 er in 8.1 ip) over 10 career appearances against the White Sox.
- Has not allowed a run in 22 of his 23 outings at home and has a 0.36 ERA (1 er in 24.2 ip) and .123 (10 for 81) opponents batting average in Oakland...has a 5.46 ERA (19 er in 31.1 ip) and .283 (34 for 120) opponents average with four of his five home runs allowed on the road.
- Was acquired by the A's from the Chicago Cubs on February 2 after spending his entire 11-year professional career in the Chicago (NL) organization...split the 2008 campaign between the Cubs and Triple-A Iowa, compiling a 1-1 record and a 3.63 ERA in 45 big league outings.

31 RHP BRAD ZIEGLER Inherited Runners/Scored: 22/9	Save/Opportunities: 6-8	Last Outing: 8/14 vs. Chicago (BS, 1.2 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 2 so)	First Hitters: 13-46 (2 bb, hbp, 10 so)
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- Has a 1.16 ERA (23.1 ip, 18 h, 4 r, 3 er, 7 bb, 19 so) over his last 23 outings (since June 20)...has stranded 11 of his 12 inherited runners over that span.
- Leads American League relievers and ranks second in the majors with 12 grounded into double plays (Affeldt, SF 15).
- Has allowed a .243 (27 for 111) average against right-handed hitters and .330 (29 for 88) against left-handers...has 7 walks and 25 strikeouts against righties and 12 walks and 12 strikeouts against lefties.
- Has not allowed a run over three career appearances against the White Sox (4.2 ip, 3 h, 2 bb, 4 so)
- Opponents are 1 for 18 with runners in scoring position since June 20 but they are hitting .385 (20 for 52) for the season.
- Has just two save opportunities over his last 35 appearances (since May 21).
- Made his Major League debut with the A's last year and began his career with a 39.0 inning scoreless streak, which set three records and tied another...finished with a 1.06 ERA, which was the lowest among ML relievers and second lowest in Athletics history (min. 50.0 ip, since 1913).

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

10 DARIC BARTON	Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 4)
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- The A's affiliate in the Arizona Rookie League had the day off yesterday...he is 0 for 5 with a walk and two strikeouts in two games (one at first base, one at DH) since beginning a rehab assignment on Thursday.
- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list July 28 retroactive to July 27 with a strained left hamstring...this is his second career stint on the DL...is eligible to be reinstated any time.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento July 20 for his second stint with the A's this year and started five of the A's eight games at first base before going on the DL...was 3 for 17 (.176) with five runs scored, a double, a home run, two RBI and five walks.

3 ERIC CHAVEZ	Current Streak: 0 for 15
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- Had season-ending microdissectomy surgery on his back June 23, performed by Dr. Robert Watkins in Los Angeles...it was his fifth surgery since September 5, 2007, the second on his back...has also had three shoulder surgeries.
- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list on May 1 retroactive to April 25 with a strained right forearm...had back spasms on May 10 and an MRI on May 11 revealed a bulging disk in his back...was transferred to the 60-day DL May 19...this is his sixth career stint on the DL, his fourth in the last three years...has appeared in just 121 games over the last three years (8 this year, 23 last year, 90 in 2007).

7 BOBBY CROSBY Chicago Series: 0-1, so	Career vs. Danks (.222, 2-9, 0 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 2 Road Trip: 2-5, 2 r, 2 hr, 2 rbi, 3 so
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- Struck out as a pinch hitter yesterday and is 0 for 4 with two strikeouts in the pinch this year...is 0 for 7 with four strikeouts in his career.
- Is 5 for 9 (.556) over his last 12 games in which he did not start and is 10 for 29 (.345) in non-starting assignments for the season.
- Is batting .290 (18 for 62) with one walk over his last 28 games after hitting .138 over his previous 36 contests...hit .262 over his first 21 games.
- Had his second career two-homer game a week ago today at Kansas City...his first came on May 21, 2004, also against the Royals, a span of 603 games between multi-homer games...that is the second longest streak between multi-homer games in Oakland history...the most is 787 by Terry Steinbach from June 14, 1987 to April 15, 1994.
- Has made 53 starts at four different positions (27 at third base, 21 at first base, four at second base, one at shortstop).
- Has appeared in 50 games at first base, 34 at third base, five at second base, five at shortstop, one in right field and one at designated hitter...is the first Athletic to appear in at least five games at all four infield positions since Ernie Riles in 1991...had never played a position other than shortstop in his professional career prior to this season.
- Played in 145 games in 2008 after appearing in fewer than 100 games in each of the previous three seasons...batted .237, which was seventh lowest in the AL...had a .232 batting average in 334 games over the previous three seasons, which was sixth lowest in the majors.

57 AARON CUNNINGHAM Baltimore Series: 0-1, gidp	Career vs. Danks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 9 Road Trip: 0-4, so, gidp
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- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento August 8 for his third stint with the A's this year...has appeared in six of the A's seven games since then as a late inning replacement in left field and is 0 for 4.
- Went 1 for 13 (.077) with a double, a run scored, a RBI and five strikeouts during his first stint from May 15 to 20...batted .182 with a home run and five RBI in 11 games during his second stay from May 30 to June 11.
- Hit .307 with six home runs and 31 RBI in 51 games with Sacramento following his most recent option on June 12...appeared in 27 games in left field, 25 in right field and five in center field...his complete statistics with the River Cats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento	.300	65	260	47	78	19	1	9	42	26	58	9	4	.485	.369

- Made his Major League debut with Oakland last year and hit .250 with a home run and 14 RBI in 22 games...hit .333 over his first 14 games and then went 2 for 26 (.077) over his final eight games...was named the A's fourth best prospect by *Baseball America* following the season.

32 JACK CUST	Career vs. Danks (.143, 1-7, 0 HR, 2 BB, 3 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 3
Chicago Series: 1-5, r, bb, 3 so		Road Trip: 3-19, 4 r, 7 bb, 6 so

- Is 11 for 54 (.204) over his last 18 games but has 15 runs scored and 22 walks for a .434 on-base percentage.
- Has gone a career and A's season high 22 consecutive games without an RBI...his last RBI came on July 23 at New York on a sacrifice fly.
- Has a 25-game, 77-at bat homerless streak...those are the most consecutive at bats without a home run in his career and the game streak is second longest to a 32-game streak from August 3, 2002 to August 6, 2003...his last home run came on July 20 against Minnesota.
- Has gone 17 games and 51 at bats since his last extra base hit, a double on July 28 a Boston.
- Ranks second in the American League in strikeouts (132) and fourth in walks (69)...has the third lowest batting average (.228).
- Has either walked or struck out in all 29 of his games since the All-Star Break...leads the majors in walks (30) and strikeouts (40) since the break and is tied for fourth in the AL in runs scored (21).
- Eight of his 16 home runs have put Oakland ahead...14 have come off right-handed pitching and nine have come with runners on base (six two-run, two three-run, one grand slam).
- Is 11 for 65 (.169) off left-handed pitching since June 1 after hitting .268 (15 for 56) off southpaws the first two months of the season.
- Led the A's in home runs (33), RBI (77), walks (111), strikeouts (197), on-base percentage (.375) and slugging percentage (.476) for the second consecutive season in 2008 and currently leads the A's in home runs, walks and strikeouts this year.

11 RAJAI DAVIS	Career vs. Danks (.200, 1-5, 0 HR, 1 BB, 3 SO)	Current Streak: 10 games (15 for 43)
Chicago Series: 3-10, r, 2b, 3 so, gidp, sb		Road Trip: 9-25, 4 r, 2 rbi, 2b, 3b, 2 bb, hbp, 2 so, 4 sb, sf

- Extended his hitting streak to 10 games yesterday, which is an on-going career high...is 15 for 43 (.349) during the streak and has now hit safely in 18 of his last 19 games (26 for 72, .361)...has reached base safely via hit or walk in 19 consecutive games, which is the longest streak by an Athletic this year.
- Is tied for sixth in the American League with a team leading 23 stolen bases...stole a team leading 25 bases for the A's last year and is the first Athletic with back-to-back 20-steal seasons since Rickey Henderson and Stan Javier both did it in 1994 and 1995...Henderson actually did it seven straight years from 1989-95.
- Is hitting .345 (19 for 55) with eight stolen bases in 14 games in August...is a .322 (64 for 199) career hitter in August, his best average for any month of the season.
- Is batting .345 (29 for 84) with 16 runs, eight doubles, three triples, 19 RBI and 12 stolen bases in 26 games since the All-Star Break...ranks second in the AL in stolen bases since the break and is tied for third in triples.
- Is hitting .335 (52 for 155) over his last 54 games after hitting .146 over his first 26 games.
- Has 21 RBI in his last 28 games after driving in four runs over his first 52 games...his career high for RBI entering this season was 19.
- Is 6 for 17 (.353) against Chicago this year.
- Combined for a career high 29 steals in 226 plate appearances with the A's and Giants last year...the steals tied for fourth most in the majors since 1900 among players with 250 or fewer plate appearances...had 25 steals with the A's, the most by an Athletic since Damon in 2001 (27).

14 MARK ELLIS	Career vs. Danks (.000, 0-9, 0 HR, 2 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 3 games (5 for 9)
Chicago Series: 4-8, r, 2 2b, 4 rbi, 2 so		Road Trip: 9-18, 2 r, 2b, hr, 8 rbi, bb, 2 so, sh, sf

- Has hit safely in 16 of the last 18 games in which he has batted and is 28 for 71 (.394) with 14 runs, nine doubles, two home runs and 21 RBI over that span.
- Is batting .417 (20 for 48) in August and is tied for the Major League lead with 17 RBI (Kemp, LAD).
- Is batting .337 (35 for 104) with 19 runs scored, 11 doubles and 22 RBI in 29 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .219 before the break...is tied for third in the AL in doubles since the break and tied for 10th in RBI...now has a .284 (421 for 1484) career batting average after the All-Star Break compared to .249 before the break.
- Has not committed an error in his last 50 games at second base, the fourth errorless streak of 50 or more games of his career.
- Is batting .346 (46 for 133) at night compared to .158 (12 for 76) during day games.
- Is a .181 (27 for 149) career hitter against Chicago, his lowest mark against any AL team.
- Had a career high and tied an Oakland record with five hits last Monday night in Baltimore...at the time, it was the 27th five-hit game in Oakland history and the 18th time an Oakland player went 5 for 5 (Kennedy made it 28 and 19 yesterday)...it was the first time in Oakland history an A's player had five hits in a game while playing the entire game at second base...Tony Phillips had a five-hit game when he hit for the cycle on May 16, 1986 at Baltimore...Phillips had four of those hits while playing second base and the final hit came as a third baseman.
- The five-hit game gave him six consecutive hits, a streak which ended in his first at bat Tuesday night.
- Had a season high four RBI Monday night, which fell one short of his career high.
- Did not score a run Monday night, one of six time in Oakland history a player had five hits and no runs in a game...Kennedy has done it twice this year but the last time before that was by Bert Campaneris vs. Boston, August 22, 1976.
- Was placed on the 15-day DL April 29 with a strained left calf and was transferred to the 60-day DL May 20...it was his fourth career stint on the DL...hit .162 with three RBI during a 10-game rehab assignment with Stockton and Sacramento and was reinstated June 28.
- Led Major League second basemen in fielding for the second time in the last three years last year (.993) but batted a career low .233...entered the 2009 season with a .9893 career fielding percentage, which is fourth best in ML history by a second baseman (min. 650 games).

ATHLETICS BESTS BY A SECOND BASEMAN (1901-2009)
HOME RUNS
76 Dick Green
73 Mark Ellis
39 Max Bishop
37 Jimmy Dykes
29 Tony Phillips
GAMES PLAYED
1158 Dick Green
1139 Max Bishop
996 Eddie Collins
810 Danny Murphy
805 Pete Suder
801 Mark Ellis

21 TOMMY EVERIDGE	Career vs. Danks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 4
Chicago Series: 1-8, r, hp, 3 so, gidp		Road Trip: 6-22, 5 r, 2b, hr, 2 rbi, 3 bb, 3 so, 2 gidp

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento July 28 and has started each of the A's 18 games since then (16 at first base, two at designated hitter)...has reached base safely in 16 of those games and has hit safely in 14 of those contests.
 - Is 6 for 16 (.375) against left-handed pitching and is batting .212 (11 for 52) against right-handers.
 - Went 0 for 4 a week ago today at Kansas City to snap his career-opening reaching base streak at 12 games...it was the third longest streak to start a career in Oakland history.
 - Began the 2009 season at Double-A Midland, but was promoted to Sacramento on June 9...combined for 136 hits, which was leading all of Minor League Baseball at the time of his promotion to Oakland...also ranked third in RBI (85), fourth in total bases (222), tied for fifth in doubles (33) and tied for 11th in extra base hits (51)...appeared in 37 games at first base and 30 at third base...his complete minor league statistics:
- | | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB | CS | SLG | OBP |
|---------------|-------------|-----------|------------|-----------|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|----------|-------------|-------------|
| Midland | .306 | 55 | 229 | 41 | 70 | 18 | 0 | 8 | 53 | 28 | 34 | 0 | 1 | .489 | .380 |
| Sacramento | .382 | 43 | 173 | 31 | 66 | 15 | 1 | 9 | 32 | 16 | 26 | 0 | 0 | .636 | .432 |
| TOTALS | .338 | 98 | 402 | 72 | 136 | 33 | 1 | 17 | 85 | 44 | 60 | 0 | 1 | .552 | .402 |
- Hit .279 with 22 home runs and 115 RBI in 136 games with Double-A Midland last year...named to the Texas League postseason All-Star Team after leading the league in RBI while ranking fourth in hits (148), tied for fourth in doubles (34) and tied for fifth in home runs.

5 NOMAR GARCIAPARRA	Career vs. Danks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 6
Chicago Series: 0-2		Road Trip: 0-1

- Grounded out as a pinch hitter Friday night and is 0 for his last 12 with four strikeouts in the pinch...is 4 for 23 (.174) with a double and two RBI in the pinch for the season...is tied for the American League lead in pinch plate appearances (23) and is tied for second in pinch hits.
- Is 2 for 13 (.154) in six games in August...hit .231 in April, .333 in May, .222 in June and .324 in July.
- Friday night was his first game against the White Sox since September 13, 2003.
- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list June 12 and has appeared in 35 of the A's 60 games since then, going 17 for 64 (.266)...has pinch hit 22 times, started at designated hitter nine times and first base three times, and was part of a double switch once.
- Was placed on the DL May 27 retroactive to May 24 with a strained right calf...it was his second stint on the DL this year as he was also out from April 29 to May 21 with the same injury...started at first base on May 22 and 23 vs. Arizona (3 for 9, hr) before returning to the DL.
- Hit .264 with eight home runs, 28 RBI and 24 runs in 55 games with Los Angeles (NL) last year...missed 90 games due to three stints on the disabled list with injuries to his right hand, left calf and left knee...has 14 stints on the DL in his career, including five in the last two seasons.

12 SCOTT HAIRSTON	Career vs. Danks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 6
Chicago Series: 2-9, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, gidp		Road Trip: 8-26, r, 2 2b, hr, 5 rbi, 5 so, cs

- Is batting .308 (12 for 39) with three doubles, three home runs and 11 RBI over his last 10 games.
- Is batting .343 (34 for 99) against left-handed pitching compared to .255 (55 for 216) against righties.
- Has a .329 (24 for 73) batting average with runners in scoring position.
- Has made each of his last 16 starts on defense in left field (13 for 62, .210) after making his first 13 starts with the A's in center field.
- Has career highs this year in hits (89), doubles (20), RBI (49) and stolen bases (10) and his 41 runs are one short of his best.
- Was acquired from San Diego on July 5 for minor league pitchers Ryan Webb and Craig Italiano and a player to be named later (Sean Gallagher on July 28)...hit .299 with 10 home runs and 29 RBI in 56 games with the Padres...was batting .327 in 43 games before going on the DL June 2 with a strained left biceps...was reinstated on June 23 and hit .220 in 13 games following his return...made 34 starts in center and 14 in right.
- Established career highs in games (112), runs (42), home runs (17) and walks (28) with San Diego last year...added a .248 batting average and 31 RBI.

29 ADAM KENNEDY	Career vs. Danks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (5 for 5)
Chicago Series: 5-10, 2b, 3 so		Road Trip: 6-23, 2 r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, 4 bb, 7 so, 2 sb, cs, sh, sf

- Matched his career high and an Oakland record with five hits yesterday...also had five hits earlier this year on July 28 at Boston and is just the second player in Oakland history with two five-hit games in a season...Sal Bando did it on July 17 and September 30 in 1969, both times at Seattle...Bert Campaneris is the only other player in Oakland history with two five-hit games in his career...it was 28th five-hit game in Oakland history and the 19th time a player went 5 for 5.
- Is the first player in Oakland history to collect five hits with out scoring a run or driving in a run.
- It was just the second five-hit game in Oakland history against the White Sox, the first since Tito Francona on September 12, 1969...Kennedy was 0 for 19 against the White Sox this year prior to yesterday and was 1 for his last 35.
- Did not score a run in his previous five hit game on July 28 at Boston either...Mark Ellis did not score a run in his five-hit game on August 10 at Baltimore, giving the A's three games where a player had five hits and no runs over their last 18 games...there were just three such games over the first 6,609 games in Oakland history and none since Bert Campaneris vs. Boston, August 22, 1976.
- According to the Elias Sports Bureau, he is the first Major Leaguer to get five hits in a nine-inning game in which his team scored one run or less since Joe Medwick did it for St. Louis on June 4, 1940 against Brooklyn.
- Is one of two Major Leaguers with two five-hit games this year (Span, MIN) and has four games of four or more hits, which is tied for second in the American League (Span, 5).
- Is now batting .315 (23 for 73) dating back to his last five-hit game on July 28.
- Ranks fourth in the AL in batting with runners in scoring position (.372).
- Hit his 10th home run of the season Tuesday night in Baltimore, his third career 10-homer season...also had 10 round trippers in 2004 and his career high is 13 in 2003.
- The home run Tuesday night gave the A's the lead and eight of his 10 home runs have either tied the game or put the A's ahead...five have come in the sixth inning or later and the A's are 6-3 in games in which he homers.
- Has batted leadoff in 53 of the A's last 55 games and is hitting .284 (66 for 232) batting first for the season.
- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento on May 9 and has started 87 of the A's 89 games since then (49 at second base, 38 at third base)...has started 38 of the A's last 43 games at third base after making his Major League debut at third in the eighth inning on June 27.
- Was released by St. Louis on February 9 and signed a minor league contract with Tampa Bay on February 17...began the season at Triple-A Durham and hit .280 with 3 HR and 9 RBI in 23 games before he was traded to Oakland on May 8 for a player to be named later (Joe Dillon).
- Batted .280 in 115 games with St. Louis last year and appeared in 84 games at second base...hit .300 with runners in scoring position.

26 CLIFF PENNINGTON	Career vs. Danks (.000, 0-1, 0 HR, 1 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 6
Chicago Series: 1-8, rbi, 2 so, cs		Road Trip: 9-23, 4 r, 2 2b, 3 rbi, bb, 4 so, 3 sb, gidp

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento July 31 and has started each of the A's 15 games at shortstop since then...has hit safely in 12 of those games, including a career high tying seven straight from August 2-8 (9 for 25, .360)...this is his first stint with the A's this year.
 - Is 2 for 16 (.125) against left-handed pitching and is batting .368 (14 for 38) against right-handers.
 - Had the second three-hit game of his career on Wednesday at Baltimore (also August 7 at Kansas City).
 - Batted .323 (31 for 96) against left-handed pitching and .242 (64 for 264) with all three of his home runs against right-handers with Sacramento...ranked fourth in the A's organization in stolen bases (27) at the time of his promotion...appeared in 77 games at shortstop, 16 at second base, three at third base and one in left field...his complete statistics with Sacramento:
- | | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB | CS | SLG | OBP |
|------------|------|----|-----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|------|------|
| Sacramento | .264 | 99 | 360 | 48 | 95 | 22 | 3 | 3 | 40 | 45 | 54 | 27 | 4 | .367 | .345 |
- Began the 2009 season at Double-A Midland and finished it in Oakland...hit .171 over his first 17 games and .281 over his final 19 for a .242 batting average and no home runs in 36 games overall...made 15 starts at second base, eight at third base and six at shortstop.

35 LANDON POWELL	Career vs. Danks (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)
Baltimore Series: 1-4, r, hr, 2 rbi		Road Trip: 1-5, r, hr, 2 rbi

- Is 1 for 8 (.125) over his last three games after hitting safely in a career high nine consecutive games...was 12 for 28 (.429) with seven runs scored during the hitting streak.
- Made his 20th start of the season at catcher Wednesday in Baltimore and is 19 for 70 (.271) in those games...has tossed out 5 of 12 (41.7%) attempted base stealers.
- Is hitting .288 (19 for 66) against right-handed pitchers and .160 (4 for 25) against lefties.
- Is 9 for 52 (.173) with the bases empty and 14 for 39 (.359) with runners on base...including 9 for 23 (.391) with runners in scoring position.
- Is 1 for 8 (.125) in three games in August...hit .474 in seven games in July, .238 in seven games in June, .240 in eight games in May and .111 in six games in April.
- Batted .230 with 15 home runs and 53 RBI in 88 games in his first full season at Triple-A Sacramento last year...added 63 walks for a .360 on-base percentage...the RBI and walks were career highs.

8 KURT SUZUKI	Career vs. Danks (.250, 1-4, 0 HR, 2 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3)
Chicago Series: 1-8, bb, 2 so		Road Trip: 7-21, 6 r, 2 2b, hr, 3 rbi

- Is 10 for 36 (.278) with eight runs scored, two doubles, three home runs and five RBI over his last 10 games.
- Leads American League catchers with 96 games started and a .997 fielding percentage (2 errors in 727 chances)...an Oakland catcher has led the AL in games started in five of the previous eight seasons (Hernandez, 2001 and 2003; Kendall, 2005 and 2006; Suzuki, 2008).
- Leads AL catchers in doubles (25) and stolen bases (5), ranks second in runs (49) and hits (106) and tied for second in RBI (48).
- Has walked just twice in his last 34 games and has the third highest ratio of plate appearances per walk in the AL (23.3)...has the fifth best ratio of plate appearances per strikeout (12.0).
- Is 1 for 8 (.125) on the homestand and is now batting .228 (45 for 197) in Oakland compared to .326 (71 for 218) on the road.
- Has homered four times in his last 17 games and has nine home runs for the season, which is a career high...each of his last eight home runs have been solo shots
- Also has career highs in doubles (28), RBI (53) and stolen bases (5)...his 52 runs scored are two short of his best from last year.
- Is 1 for 3 with two RBI, a walk and a hit by pitch as a pinch hitter this year...is 7 for 13 (.538) with a double, two home runs, six RBI, a walk and a hit by pitch in 15 career pinch hitting appearances
- Has allowed 33 stolen bases in his last 35 games at catcher and opponents have been successful in 41 of their 46 stolen base attempts off him since June 1...has tossed out 14 of 74 (18.9%) attempted base stealers for the season.
- Led the A's last year in batting (.279), hits (148), hit by pitches (11) and multiple hit games (36) while tying for the lead in games played (148).

2009 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/GB	LEADER AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	CUM. ATT.	DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/GB	LEADER AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	CUM. ATT.		
4/6	1	at LAA	L	0-3	0-1	4	-1	LAA/SEA/TEX	--	Saunders	Braden	Fuentes	43,220*	43,220	7/2		OFF DAY					-10	LAA	1					
4/7	2	at LAA	W	6-4	1-1	t2	-½	TEX	½	Wuertz	Jepsen	Ziegler	43,396*	86,616	7/3	78	at CLE	L	3-15	33-45	4	-10	LAA/TEX	--	Huff	Cahill	26,557	1,062,452	
4/8	3	at LAA	W	6-4	2-1	2	-½	TEX	½	Bailey	Fuentes	Ziegler	43,283*	129,899	7/4	79	at CLE	L	2-5	33-46	4	-11	LAA/TEX	--	Pavano	Mazzaro	24,501	1,086,953	
4/9		at LAA	PPD			2	-1	TEX	1						7/5	80	at CLE	W	5-2	34-46	4	-11	LAA/TEX	--	Conzalez, G	Lee	19,105	1,106,058	
4/10	4	SEA	L	4-5	2-2	t3	-1	TEX	½	Jakubauskas	Anderson	Aardsma	36,067*	36,067	7/6	81	at BOS	W	6-0	35-46	4	-11	LAA	1	ANDERSON	Smoltz	38,294*	1,144,352	
4/11	5	SEA	L	5-8	2-3	t3	-1½	SEA	½	Batista	Casilla	Morrow	19,560	55,627	7/7	82	at BOS	L	2-5	35-47	4	-11	LAA/TEX	--	Beckett	Eveland	Papelbon	37,676*	1,182,028
4/12	6	SEA	L	0-1	2-4	4	-2½	SEA	1½	Bedard	Cahill	Aardsma	12,127	67,754	7/8	83	at BOS	L	4-5	35-48	4	-12	TEX	1	Wakefield	Cahill	Papelbon	37,981*	1,220,009
4/13	7	BOS	W	8-2	3-4	t3	-2	SEA	1½	Braden	Lester		21,331	89,085	7/9		OFF DAY							½					
4/14	8	BOS	W	6-5 (12)	4-4	2	-2	SEA	2	Gallagher	Lopez		22,132	111,217	7/10	84	at TB	L	0-6	35-49	4	-12½	TEX	½	NIEMANN	Mazzaro	20,358	1,240,367	
4/15	9	BOS	L	2-8	4-5	t2	-3	SEA	3	WAKEFIELD	Anderson		35,067*	146,284	7/11	85	at TB	W	7-2	36-49	4	-12	LAA	½	Braden	Garza	33,273	1,273,640	
4/16		OFF DAY				t2	-2½	SEA	2½						7/12	86	at TB	W	7-3	37-49	4	-12	LAA	1½	Wuertz	Wheeler	29,727	1,303,367	
4/17	10	at TOR	W	8-5	5-5	2	-2½	SEA	2½	Bailey	League	Ziegler	18,272	148,171	7/13-15		ALL-STAR BREAK												
4/18	11	at TOR	L	2-4 (12)	5-6	2	-2½	SEA	2½	Frasor		Giese	21,698	169,869	7/16	87	LAA	L	2-6	37-50	4	-13	LAA	2	Santana	Braden	Fuentes	11,113	736,209
4/19	12	at TOR	L	0-1	5-7	t2	-2½	SEA	2½	Romero	Braden	Ryan	22,164	192,033	7/17	88	LAA	W	7-3	38-50	4	-12	LAA	2	Breslow	Saunders	17,147	753,356	
4/20		at NYY	PPD, Rain			t2	-2½	SEA	2½						7/18	89	LAA	L	6-11	38-51	4	-13	LAA	3	Oliver	Mazzaro	16,475	769,831	
4/21	13	at NYY	L	3-5	5-8	t3	-3½	SEA	3½	Pettitte	Eveland	Rivera	42,065	234,098	7/19	90	LAA	L	0-1 (10)	38-52	4	-14	LAA	3	Lackey	Bailey	Fuentes	18,539	788,370
4/22	14	at NYY	L	7-9 (14)	5-9	t3	-3½	SEA	2½	Veras	Giese		43,342	277,440	7/20	91	MIN	W	14-13	39-52	4	-13½	LAA	2½	Breslow	Mjajares	Wuertz	10,283	798,653
4/23		OFF DAY				4	-4	SEA	3½						7/21	92	MIN	L	2-3	39-53	4	-15	LAA	3	Guerrier	Bailey	Nathan	12,027	810,680
4/24	15	TB	L	2-8	5-10	4	-5	SEA	3½	Kazmir	Cahill		20,140	166,424	7/22	93	MIN	W	16-1	40-53	4	-15	LAA	3	Cahill	Perkins	22,031	832,711	
4/25	16	TB	W	5-2	6-10	3	-5	SEA	3½	Braden	Garza	Ziegler	15,432	181,856	7/23	94	at NYY	L	3-6	40-54	4	-16	LAA	3½	Sabathia	Mazzaro	Hughes	44,206	1,347,573
4/26	17	TB	W	7-1	7-10	3	-4	SEA	3½	Eveland	Sonnastine		18,689	200,545	7/24	95	at NYY	L	3-8	40-55	4	-17	LAA	3½	Chamberlain	Anderson	46,086	1,393,659	
4/27		OFF DAY				3	-4	SEA	3						7/25	96	at NYY	W	6-4	41-55	4	-17	LAA	4	Conzalez, G	Pettitte	Bailey	46,412	1,440,071
4/28	18	at TEX	L	4-5	7-11	4	-4½	SEA	2½	Millwood	Wuertz	Francisco	12,627	290,067	7/26	97	at NYY	L	5-7	41-56	4	-17	LAA	3½	Coke	Braden	Rivera	46,163	1,486,234
4/29		at TEX	PPD, Rain			4	-4	SEA	2						7/27	98	at BOS	L	3-8	41-57	4	-17	LAA	2½	Beckett	Cahill	37,955*	1,524,189	
4/30	19	at TEX	W	4-2	8-11	t3	-3½	SEA	2½	Braden	Padilla	Wuertz	13,802	303,869	7/28	99	at BOS	W	9-8 (11)	42-57	4	-17	LAA	2½	Breslow	Delcarmen	Bailey	38,084*	1,562,273
5/1	20	at SEA	L	7-8	8-12	t3	-4½	SEA	3½	Kelley	Springer		25,760	329,629	7/29	100	at BOS	W	8-6	43-57	4	-17	LAA	3½	Anderson	Penny	Bailey	38,193*	1,600,436
5/2	21	at SEA	W	3-2	9-12	t3	-3½	SEA	2½	Bailey	Aardsma	Wuertz	29,495	359,124	7/30	101	at BOS	L	5-8	43-58	4	-17½	LAA	3	Delcarmen	Breslow	Papelbon	37,919*	1,638,355
5/3	22	at SEA	L	7-8 (15)	9-13	4	-4½	SEA	2½	Vargas	Eveland		29,975	389,099	7/31	102	TOR	W	8-5	44-58	4	-17½	LAA	3	Braden	Richmond	Bailey	12,151	844,862
5/4	23	LAA	L	2-5	9-14	4	-4½	SEA	1½	Saunders	Anderson	Fuentes	10,397	210,942	8/1	103	TOR	L	5-6	44-59	4	-18½	LAA	4	Cecil	Cahill	Frasor	35,067*	879,929
5/5	24	LAA	L	3-5	9-15	4	-4½	SEA	½	Loux	Braden	Fuentes	13,298	224,240	8/2	104	TOR	L	2-7	44-60	4	-19½	LAA	4	Romero	Mazzaro	13,070	892,999	
5/6	25	TEX	L	2-3	9-16	4	-5	TEX	½	Feldman	Giese	Francisco	15,342	239,582	8/3	105	TEX	W	3-2	45-60	4	-19	LAA	4½	Wuertz	Wilson	10,523	903,522	
5/7	26	TEX	W	9-4	10-16	4	-4	TEX	½	Cahill	McCarthy		13,702	253,284	8/4	106	TEX	W	6-0	46-60	4	-18	LAA	4½	Conzalez, G	Holland	10,781	914,303	
5/8	27	TOR	W	5-3	11-16	4	-4	TEX	1½	Wuertz	RICHMOND	Bailey	14,103	267,387	8/5	107	TEX	W	7-5	47-60	4	-17	LAA	4½	Breslow	Padilla	Bailey	20,560	934,863
5/9	28	TOR	L	4-6	11-17	4	-4	TEX	½	Tallet	Gallagher		15,817	283,204	8/6	108	TEX	L	4-6	47-61	4	-18	LAA	4½	Hunter	Cahill	Wilson	17,214	952,077
5/10	29	TOR	L	0-5	11-18	4	-5	TEX	½	Cecil	Braden		15,126	298,330	8/7	109	at KC	W	9-4	48-61	4	-17	LAA	3½	Mazzaro	Bannister	21,918	1,660,273	
5/11		OFF DAY				4	-5	TEX	½						8/8	110	at KC	L	6-12	48-62	4	-18	LAA	4½	Greinke	Mortensen	29,818	1,690,091	
5/12	30	KC	W	12-3	12-18	4	-5	TEX	1½	Cahill	Hochevar		10,156	308,486	8/9	111	at KC	W	6-3	49-62	4	-17	LAA	3½	Anderson	Hochevar	19,439	1,709,530	
5/13	31	KC	W	7-2	13-18	4	-5	TEX	1½	Outman	Bannister		16,057	324,543	8/10	112	at BAL	W	9-1	50-62	4	-17	LAA	3½	Conzalez, G	Guthrie	14,688	1,724,218	
5/14		OFF DAY				4	-5½	TEX	1½						8/11	113	at BAL	L	2-3	50-63	4	-18	LAA	5	Hernandez	Cahill	Johnson	23,006	1,747,224
5/15	32	at DET	L	1-14	13-19	4	-6½	TEX	2½	Jackson	Anderson		26,770	415,869	8/12	114	at BAL	W	6-3	51-63	4	-18	LAA	5	Mazzaro	Berken	Bailey	19,128	1,766,352
5/16	33	at DET	L	1-9	13-20	4	-7½	TEX	3½	Porcello	Braden		31,554	447,423	8/13		OFF DAY												
5/17	34	at DET	L	7-11	13-21	4	-8½	TEX	4½	Miner	Cahill		27,535	474,958	8/14	115	CWS	L	7-8 (10)	51-64	4	-18	LAA	4½	Dotel	Breslow	Jenks	20,348	972,425
5/18	35	at TB	L	4-13	13-22	4	-9	TEX	4	Niemann	Gallagher		11,420	486,378	8/15	116	CWS	L	1-8	51-65	4	-19	LAA	4½	Floyd	Gonzalez, G	17,742	990,167	
5/19	36	at TB	W	4-1 (11)	14-22	4	-8	TEX	3	Casilla	Wheeler		12,842	499,220	8/16	117	CWS												
5/20	37	at TB	W	7-6	15-22	4	-7	TEX	3	Anderson	Kazmir	Ziegler	13,721	512,941	8/17	118	NY												
5/21	38	at TB	L	5-6	15-23	4	-7	TEX	2	Nelson	Ziegler		14,374	527,315	8/18	119	NY												
5/22	39	ARI	L	1-2	15-24	4	-8	TEX	2	Buckner	Cahill	Rauch	13,586	338,129	8/19	120	NY												
5/23	40	ARI	L	7-8 (11)	15-25	4	-9	TEX	3	Pena	Breslow	Qualls	21,295	359,424	8/20		OFF DAY												
5/24	41	ARI	W	6-2	16-25	4	-9	TEX	3	Outman	Garland		13,792	373,216	8/21	121</													

HIGHS AND LOWS

TEAM BATTING

Most Runs, Game, A's	16, July 22 vs. Minnesota
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	15, July 3 at Cleveland
Most Runs, Inning, A's	7, May 12 vs. Kansas City (2 nd), July 20 vs. Minnesota (7 th) and July 22 vs. Minnesota (2 nd)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	6, April 15 vs. Boston (8 th), May 18 at Tampa Bay (1 st) and July 18 vs. Los Angeles (3 rd)
Most Hits, Game, A's	22, July 20 vs. Minnesota
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	17 (four times), last: August 8 at Kansas City
Most Hits, Inning, A's	8, July 22 vs. Minnesota (2 nd)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	7, July 20 vs. Minnesota (2 nd)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	4 (four times), last: August 9 at Kansas City
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	4, April 22 at New York, June 27 vs. Colorado and July 20 vs. Minnesota
Most Doubles, Game, A's	8, June 6 vs. Baltimore
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	7, May 7 vs. Texas and May 16 at Detroit
Most Triples, Game, A's	1 (12 times), last: August 12 at Baltimore
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	2, May 17 at Detroit and July 21 vs. Minnesota
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	4, July 17 vs. Los Angeles (AL), August 4 vs. Texas and August 9 at Kansas City
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	3 (four times), last: August 11 at Baltimore

TEAM PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, A's	14, June 29 vs. Detroit
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	13, April 14 vs. Boston
Most Walks, A's	9, April 18 at Toronto and May 18 at Tampa Bay
Most Walks, Opponents	8 (four times), last: July 22 vs. Minnesota
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	2, July 6, 2009 at Boston
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	2, June 7 vs. Baltimore and June 21 at San Diego

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Winning Streak	7, June 2 to 8
Longest Losing Streak	5, April 18 to 24 and June 23 to 28
Longest Game, Innings	15, May 3 at Seattle
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	3:44, June 27 vs. Colorado
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	5:02, May 3 at Seattle (15)
Shortest Game, Time	2:02, June 12 at San Francisco
Largest Margin, Victory	15, July 22 vs. Minnesota (16-1)
Largest Margin, Loss	13, May 15 at Detroit (1-14) and May 30 at Texas (1-14)
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	14, April 10 vs. Seattle
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	14, May 3 at Seattle (15)
Fewest Left on Base, Game	2, June 21 at San Diego
Most Errors, Game	4, May 15 at Detroit and July 18 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Largest Comeback in Win	10, July 20 vs. Minnesota
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	6, May 17 at Detroit

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most Runs, Game	4, Mark Ellis, July 28 at Boston
Most Hits, Game	5, Kennedy, July 28 at Boston; Ellis, August 10 at Baltimore; Kennedy, August 15 vs. Chicago
Most Doubles, Game	2 (14 times), last: Ryan Sweeney, August 10 at Baltimore
Most Triples, Game	1 (12 times), last: Rajai Davis, August 12 at Baltimore
Most Home Runs, Game	2 (four times), last: Bobby Crosby, August 9 at Kansas City
Most Runs Batted In, Game	6, Matt Holliday, July 20 vs. Minnesota
Most Walks, Game	4, Jack Cust, July 29 at Boston
Most Strikeouts, Game	4, Jack Cust, May 4 vs. Los Angeles, June 23 vs. San Francisco and July 11 at Tampa Bay
Most Stolen Bases, Game	2 (nine times), last: Rajai Davis, August 9 at Kansas City
Longest Hitting Streak	14, Orlando Cabrera, June 17 to July 1

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, Game	9, Josh Outman, May 29 at Texas (G#1) and Brett Anderson, July 6 at Boston
Most Walks, Game	6, Dallas Braden, July 26 at New York and Gio Gonzalez, August 15 vs. Chicago
Most Innings, Game, Starter	9.0, Brett Anderson, July 6 at Boston
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	5.0, Gio Gonzalez, May 3 at Seattle
Low Hit Complete Game	2, Brett Anderson, July 6 at Boston
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	23.0, Brett Anderson, July 6 to 24
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	22, Brett Anderson, July 12 to 19

STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Barton	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	2	-
Buck	-	-	-	-	-	2	9	11	2
Cabrera	35	52	-	-	1	10	2	-	-
Chavez	-	-	-	1	2	3	2	-	-
Crosby	-	-	-	-	-	8	17	22	7
Cunningham	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	5	2
Cust	-	7	33	16	36	6	10	2	-
Davis	2	13	-	-	-	2	4	16	15
Ellis	-	-	-	-	1	2	6	24	23
Everidge	-	-	-	-	3	14	1	-	-
Garciparra	-	-	3	5	7	9	1	-	-
Giambi	-	-	29	17	29	1	4	-	-
Hairston	-	-	25	4	-	-	-	-	-
Hannahan	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	9	22
Holliday	-	-	19	73	-	-	-	-	-
Kennedy	54	19	-	-	1	6	5	2	-
Patterson	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	7
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15
Petit	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	5
Powell	-	-	-	-	-	2	8	6	9
Suzuki	1	25	7	-	29	28	10	2	-
Sweeney	24	-	-	-	7	21	22	12	-

GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH							
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS						
Barton	-	-	14	9	-	-	-	-	-	-						
Buck	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	-	25	22	-	-			
Cabrera	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Chavez	-	-	-	-	-	8	8	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Crosby	-	-	51	21	5	4	34	27	5	1	-	-	1	-		
Cunningham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	15	13	-	
Cust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	46	64	64
Davis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	48	5	4	-	-
Denorfia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
Ellis	-	-	-	-	60	57	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Everidge	-	-	16	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
Garciparra	-	-	12	8	-	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	11
Giambi	-	-	58	58	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	22
Hairston	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17	16	13	12	-	-	1	1
Hannahan	-	-	1	-	1	-	51	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Holliday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	93	92	-	-	-	-	-
Kennedy	-	-	1	-	49	49	40	38	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Patterson	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	5	3	4	4	-	-	-
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	15	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petit	-	-	-	-	8	4	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Powell	23	20	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1
Suzuki	98	96	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6
Sweeney	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	56	52	51	31	-	-

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Barton	1	0	0	0	1
Buck	3	2	0	0	5
Cabrera	26	9	0	0	35
Crosby	6	1	0	0	7
Cust	13	4	0	0	17
Davis	17	0	0	0	17
Ellis	7	3	1	1	12
Everidge	3	0	0	0	3
Garciparra	6	1	0	0	7
Giambi	11	1	0	0	12
Gonzalez, E	1	0	0	0	1
Hairston	3	2	0	0	5
Hannahan	4	0	0	0	4
Holliday	21	2	2	0	25
Kennedy	17	7	2	2	28
Pennington	0	2	0	0	2
Petit	1	1	0	0	2
Powell	4	1	0	0	5
Suzuki	23	5	1	0	29
Sweeney	16	6	0	0	22

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Barton	1	0	0	0	0	1
Buck	2	0	0	0	0	2
Cabrera	7	1	1	0	0	9
Crosby	2	4	0	0	0	6
Cunningham	2	0	0	0	0	2
Cust	10	2	2	0	0	14
Davis	4	2	1	0	0	7
Ellis	6	4	1	0	0	11
Everidge	1	0	0	0	0	1
Garciparra	0	1	0	0	0	1
Giambi	7	4	0	0	0	11
Hairston	1	3	0	0	0	4
Hannahan	0	1	0	0	0	1
Holliday	9	4	0	0	1	14
Kennedy	12	2	0	0	0	14
Patterson	1	0	0	0	0	1
Pennington	1	0	0	0	0	1
Powell	6	2	0	0	0	8
Suzuki	11	2	0	0	0	13
Sweeney	4	2	0	0	0	6

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Buck	3	3	6
Cabrera	4	4	8
Chavez	0	1	1
Crosby	2	4	6
Cunningham	1	0	1
Cust	4	13	17
Davis	4	5	9
Ellis	4	6	10
Everidge	1	1	2
Garciparra	2	2	4
Giambi	5	8	13
Hairston	3	4	7
Hannahan	2	1	3
Holliday	5	11	16
Kennedy	1	9	10
Petit	0	1	1
Powell	0	6	6
Suzuki	2	12	14
Sweeney	4	7	11

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS						LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN				Grand Slams (2)
Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since	Jack Cust, May 7 vs. Texas (McCarthy)
Barton	0	1	0	0	1	July 20, 2009	Minnesota	Blackburn	4	Matt Holliday, July 20 vs. Minnesota (Keppel)
Crosby	5	0	1	0	6	August 9, 2009	at Kansas City	Bales	5	Pinch Hit Home Runs (0)
Cunningham	0	1	0	0	1	June 4, 2009	at Chicago	Dotel	11	None
Cust	7	6	2	1	16	July 20, 2009	Minnesota	Mijares	25	Lead Off Home Runs (1)
Davis	1	1	0	0	2	July 11, 2009	at Tampa Bay	Garza	27	Adam Kennedy, July 29 at Boston (Penny)
Ellis	2	3	0	0	5	August 8, 2009	at Kansas City	Soria	6	Back-To-Back Home Runs (4)
Everidge	1	0	0	0	1	August 8, 2009	at Kansas City	Soria	6	Crosby and Powell, June 3 at Chicago (Richard)
Garcia	2	0	0	0	2	May 23, 2009	Arizona	Haren	35	Kennedy and Cust, June 20 at San Diego (Burke)
Hairston	9	3	3	0	15	Aug. 14, 2009	Chicago	Contreras	1	Holliday and Cust, July 20 vs. Minnesota (Keppel/Mijares)
Kennedy	7	3	0	0	10	Aug. 11, 2009	at Baltimore	Hernandez	3	Sweeney and Crosby, August 9 at Kansas City (Hochevar)
Pennington	1	0	0	0	1	August 5, 2009	Texas	Padilla	9	Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
Powell	1	2	0	0	3	Aug. 12, 2009	at Baltimore	Berken	--	None
Suzuki	8	0	1	0	9	August 9, 2009	at Kansas City	Colon	4	Walk-Off Wins (3)
Sweeney	3	1	1	0	5	August 9, 2009	at Kansas City	Hochevar	5	April 14 vs. Boston (Buck single)
others	18	6	5	1	30					June 11 vs. Minnesota (Davis single)
Team	59	25	11	2	97					August 3 vs. Texas (Davis triple)

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Cust	Home Runs	80	20 for 100	Ellis	Games as 2B	801	4 for 805 (ties Suder for 5 th in Athletics history)
Duchscherer	Innings Pitched	426.2	73.1 for 500		Triples	21	1 for 22 (ties Bando for 8 th in Oakland history)
					Homers as 2B	73	3 for 76 (ties Green for 1 st in Athletics history as second baseman)
				Ziegler	Games	96	4 for 100

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Barton	Strained left hamstring	July 27-present	19	Ellis	Strained left calf	April 29-June 27	55
Braden	Rash on left foot	August 1-present (eligible August 16)	14	Garcia	Strained right calf	April 29-May 21	20
Buck	Strained left oblique	May 30-June 13	15	Garcia	Strained right calf	May 24-June 12	19
Casilla	Sprained right knee	April 29-May 14	13	Giambi	Strained right quad	July 20-August 6	18
Chavez	Strained right forearm	April 25-present	101	Giese	Right elbow ulnaritis	May 16-present	84
Copeland	Sprained left shoulder	March 27-May 4	23	Outman	Sprained left elbow	June 20-present	50
Devine	UCL surgery, right elbow	April 4-present	116	Sweeney	Sprained left knee	June 3-18	14
Duchscherer	Right elbow surgery	March 27-present	116				

The A's have placed 15 players on the disabled list this season...placed an Oakland record 25 players on the disabled list in 2008.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

April 8	Dan Giese claimed off waivers from New York (AL) and optioned to Sacramento; Chris Schroder designated for assignment	June 9	Chris Denorfia recalled from Sacramento; Gregorio Petit optioned to Sacramento
April 10	Jeff Baisley and Chris Schroder outrighted to Sacramento	June 12	Nomar Garcia
April 18	Dan Giese recalled from Sacramento; Jerry Blevins optioned to Sacramento	June 14	Travis Buck reinstated from disabled list and optioned to Sacramento
April 23	Sean Gallagher optioned to Sacramento	June 15	Mark Ellis sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
April 24	Jack Hannahan recalled from Sacramento	June 18	Ryan Sweeney reinstated from the disabled list; Chris Denorfia optioned to Sacramento; Mark Ellis transferred to Sacramento on rehab
April 29	Nomar Garcia	June 24	Josh Outman placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 20 (sprained left elbow); Gio Gonzalez recalled from Sacramento
May 1	Eric Chavez placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to April 25 (strained right forearm); Gregorio Petit recalled from Sacramento; Ben Copeland sent to Stockton on rehab assignment	June 28	Mark Ellis reinstated from disabled list; Daric Barton optioned to Sacramento; Josh Outman transferred to 60-day disabled list
May 2	Santiago Casilla placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to April 29 (sprained right knee); Gio Gonzalez recalled from Sacramento	June 29	Travis Buck recalled from Sacramento; Jack Hannahan optioned to Sacramento
May 4	Jerry Blevins and Sean Gallagher recalled from Sacramento; Gio Gonzalez and Eric Patterson optioned to Sacramento; Ben Copeland transferred to Sacramento on rehab assignment	July 5	Scott Hairston acquired from the San Diego Padres for minor league pitchers Ryan Webb and Craig Italiano and a player to be named later
May 5	Ben Copeland reinstated from disabled list; Dana Eveland optioned to Sacramento	July 6	Dallas Braden placed on bereavement list; Dana Eveland recalled from Sacramento; Travis Buck optioned to Sacramento
May 9	Adam Kennedy selected from Sacramento; Jeff Gray recalled from Sacramento; Gregorio Petit optioned to Sacramento; Ben Copeland designated for assignment; Santiago Casilla sent to Stockton on rehab assignment	July 7	Dana Eveland designated for assignment
May 12	Santiago Casilla transferred to Sacramento on rehab assignment	July 8	Jeff Gray recalled from Sacramento
May 14	Ben Copeland returned to San Francisco (Rule 5); Jerry Blevins and Jeff Gray optioned to Sacramento	July 10	Dana Eveland optioned to Sacramento
May 15	Santiago Casilla reinstated from disabled list; Aaron Cunningham recalled from Sacramento	July 11	Dallas Braden reinstated from bereavement list; Jeff Gray optioned to Sacramento; Jack Hannahan traded to the Seattle Mariners for minor league pitcher Justin Souza
May 18	Dan Giese placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 16 (right elbow ulnaritis); Gio Gonzalez recalled from Sacramento	July 20	Jason Giambi placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained right quad); Daric Barton recalled from Sacramento
May 19	Edgar Gonzalez and Chris Schroder selected from Sacramento; Sean Gallagher and Gio Gonzalez optioned to Sacramento; Eric Chavez transferred to 60-day disabled list; Javier Herrera released	July 24	Matt Holliday traded to the St. Louis Cardinals with cash for minor leaguers Brett Wallace, Clayton Mortensen and Shane Peterson; Eric Patterson recalled from Sacramento
May 20	Craig Breslow claimed off waivers from Minnesota; Mark Ellis transferred to 60-day disabled list	July 26	Justin Duchscherer sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
May 21	Aaron Cunningham optioned to Sacramento	July 28	Daric Barton placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 27 (strained left hamstring); Tommy Everidge selected from Sacramento; Sean Gallagher sent to the San Diego Padres as the PTBNL in the July 5 trade for Scott Hairston
May 22	Nomar Garcia	July 31	Orlando Cabrera traded to the Minnesota Twins with cash for minor league infielder Tyler Ladendorf; Cliff Pennington recalled from Sacramento
May 27	Nomar Garcia	August 5	Chad Reineke selected from Sacramento; Eric Patterson optioned to Sacramento
May 30	Travis Buck placed on 15-day disabled list (strained left oblique); Jeff Gray optioned to Sacramento; Aaron Cunningham and Gregorio Petit recalled from Sacramento	August 6	Jeff Gray recalled from Sacramento; Chad Reineke optioned to Sacramento
June 2	Vin Mazzaro selected from Sacramento; Kevin Cameron optioned to Sacramento; Dan Giese transferred to 60-day disabled list	August 7	Jason Giambi reinstated from disabled list and released
June 8	Ryan Sweeney placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 3 (sprained left knee); Daric Barton recalled from Sacramento; Travis Buck sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	August 8	Russ Springer claimed off waivers by Tampa Bay; Aaron Cunningham and Clayton Mortensen recalled from Sacramento; Dallas Braden placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to August 1 (rash on left foot)
		August 9	Jay Marshall selected from Sacramento; Clayton Mortensen optioned to Sacramento; Justin Duchscherer transferred to Sacramento on rehab
		August 13	Justin Duchscherer transferred to AZL A's on rehab; Daric Barton sent to AZL A's on rehab