



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Game Information

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A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	2-1 (April 8)
Season Low	59-76 (September 4)
April	8-11
May	11-18
June	13-15
July	12-14
August	14-15
September	15-7
Home Series	11-10-4
Road Series	8-11-5
Series Sweeps	4-7
First Game of Series	23-25
Last Game of Series	23-25
A's Score First	41-29
Opponent Scores First	32-51
Leading After 7 th	62-5
Leading After 8 th	63-1
Tied After 7 th	4-9
Tied After 8 th	7-12
Trailing After 7 th	7-66
Trailing After 8 th	3-67
Commit No Errors	45-44
Commit 1 or More Errors	28-36
More HR Than Opp.	32-15
Fewer HR Than Opp.	16-43
Same Total HR of Opp.	25-22
Starter Pitches 7 or More	18-13
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	55-67
When Scoring 4 or More	65-25
When Scoring Less Than 4	8-54
Last At Bat	10-16
Different Lineups	125

OAKLAND ATHLETICS (73-80) VS. LOS ANGELES ANGELS (90-62)
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2009 – ANGEL STADIUM OF ANAHEIM – 7:05 P.M. PDT
LHP GIO GONZALEZ (5-6, 6.15) VS. RHP JERED WEAVER (15-7, 3.87)
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 won nine of the last 11 games, 11 of the last 14 and 14 of the last 18...that includes a season high tying seven-game winning streak that was snapped Monday night (also June 2-8)...went 31-43 over the first 74 games this year but are 42-37 (.532) since June 29...had the worst record in the American League as late as June 3 but are now tied for ninth with Chicago...the A's are 17-30 (.362) against teams that would be in the playoffs if the season ended today and 56-50 (.528) against everyone else.

LOSING RECORD AND LAST PLACE: The A's are 73-80 and need to go 8-1 over the final nine games to avoid finishing with a losing record for the third consecutive season...have not had a losing record in three straight seasons since 1993-98 when they had six straight...have spent each of the last 145 days (since May 3) and 151 days this year in sole possession of last place in the American League West...the days in last are second most in Oakland history and the A's will break the record of 153 days set in 1997...the "tragic" number for clinching last place is three...have finished the season last in the AL West six times in Oakland history (1977, 1979, 1993, 1995, 1997, 1998)...however, by going 4-5 over the last nine games the A's will post their best record over the last three years.

SERIES NOTES: The A's split the four-game series with Texas and are now 4-0-4 over the last eight series...that is the A's longest stretch of consecutive series without a loss since July 27-September 3, 2006 when they went 10-0-1 over an 11 series stretch...have not lost a series since August 24-26 when they were swept at Seattle.

SINCE THE ALL-STAR BREAK: The A's are batting .282 (662 for 2344) since the All-Star Break, which is the third best batting average in the American League and fourth best in the majors...the Oakland record for batting average after the All-Star Break is .279 in 2006...have a Major League leading 74 stolen bases, which are the most post-break steals by an A's team since 1989 (90)...also lead the majors in doubles after the break (150), rank third in runs (363) and fourth in extra base hits (222).

IN SEPTEMBER: The A's are 15-7 (.682) in the month of September, which is tied with Boston for the best record in the majors...have clinched a winning record in a month for the first time since June of 2008 (16-10), snapping a streak of eight consecutive months without a winning record...that equaled the second longest streak in Oakland history...are batting a Major League leading .301 (235 for 781) this month...hit .296 in July and that was the second best single month batting average in Oakland history (.305 in August, 1995)...also lead the majors in runs (141), doubles (57), extra base hits (84) and stolen bases (25)...the pitching staff has compiled a 3.23 ERA (72 er in 200.1 ip), which is second best in the American League.

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have committed three errors in each of the last two games, the first time they have had back-to-back three error games since May 12-13, 2007...have at least one error in a season high six consecutive games (11 errors total) after compiling a season high tying seven game errorless streak...have 96 errors for the season with nine games remaining...have made fewer than 100 errors in each of the previous five seasons, which equals the longest such streak in Major League history (Philadelphia, 2001-05).

PITCHING: The A's have compiled a 2.09 ERA (23 er in 99.0 ip) over the last 11 games while holding the opposition to a .214 (79 for 369) batting average, including .170 (16 for 94) with runners in scoring position...now have a 4.22 ERA for the season, which is third lowest in the American League...have allowed just one home run in the last nine games, including a streak of seven consecutive games without a home run, which was the A's longest homerless streak in eight years...have allowed 146 home runs for the season, which is the fewest in the AL.

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers are 12-3 with a 3.40 ERA (36 er in 95.1 ip) over the last 18 games but are 50-58 with a 4.65 ERA for the season...have the second fewest innings pitched (850.0) in the American League and the fourth fewest wins...have two complete games, which is tied for the fewest in the AL and in Oakland history (also had two in 1997)...the A's have started a rookie pitcher 110 times this year, which is an on-going Oakland record...the previous record was 93 set by the 1983 club...have started a rookie pitcher in 84 of the last 106 games and have had at least four rookies in the rotation since Vin Mazzaro was recalled on June 2.

OFFENSE: Adam Kennedy stole his 20th base of the season yesterday, giving the A's two players with 20 or more steals (Davis, 40) for the first time since 1995 (Henderson and Javier)...the A's now have 128 stolen bases for the season, which ranks fourth in the American League and the majors...over the last 16 years, the only time the A's have stolen more bases was in 1998 when they had 131...walked a season high nine times yesterday and now have 501 walks for the season...the last time the A's walked fewer than 537 times in a non-strike season was 1985 when they had 508...are batting .262, which equals the highest the average has been outside the first eight games of the season...rank last in the AL in home runs (131) and slugging percentage (.399), have the fourth lowest on-base percentage (.329) and the fourth fewest extra base hits (442)...over the last 20 years, the only A's team to hit fewer than 142 home runs is last years club, which finished with 125.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's begin their final road trip of the season tonight, six-game jaunt to Los Angeles (three games) and Seattle (three games)...went 6-2 on the last road trip to Chicago (1-1), Minnesota (2-1) and Texas (3-0), marking just their second winning road trip of more than one series this year...are now 14-10 (.583) over the last 24 road games but are 33-42 (.440) for the season...will finish with a losing record on the road for the third consecutive season...went 6-2 on the last homestand against Cleveland (4-0) and Texas (2-2), giving the A's back-to-back winning homestands for the first time this year...have won eight of the last 10 games in Oakland and are 40-38 (.513) at home for the season...have finished with a losing record at home just once over the previous 11 seasons (40-41 in 2007)...close out the home schedule with a three-game series with the Angels next weekend.

PLAYERS USED: Henry Rodriguez became the A's 26th pitcher this year Monday night, tying the Oakland record set in 1997...Eric Munson also made his A's debut Monday and Oakland has now used 51 players this year, which matches last years total for second most in Oakland history...the record of 54 was set in 2007...a total of 107 different players have appeared in at least one game for the A's over the last three years, ranging from Jack Cust (412 games) to Munson, Rodriguez, Kevin Meilillo and Chad Reineke (1 game each).

A's vs. ANGELS

The A's trail in the season series, 5-8...have lost five of six in Oakland but are 4-3 in Anaheim...neither team has swept a series of three or more games since June 29-July 1, 2004 when the A's swept a three-game series in Oakland...the two clubs have played 27 series of three or more games since then...the A's lost the season series last year, 9-10, the fourth time in the last five years the season series has been decided 10-9...the A's have lost four of the five season series over that span and are 50-58 against the Angels since 2004...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 355-281 against the Angels...that includes 184-133 in Oakland and 171-148 in Los Angeles...all-time, the A's are 404-358 against the Angels.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Andrew Bailey has 25 saves, which is an on-going Oakland rookie record and tied for seventh most by a rookie in American League history...ranks ninth among all AL pitchers this year.

Rajai Davis has a career high tying 12-game hitting streak (20 for 51, .392)...has a .346 (82 for 237) average since the break, which is fourth best in the American League...has a .340 (105 for 309) average since June 1, which is fifth best in the majors.

Michael Wuertz leads American League relievers and ranks second in the majors with a career high 95 strikeouts...the strikeouts are tied for sixth best by a reliever in Oakland history.

THIS DATE IN A's HISTORY

On **September 25, 1987** Mark McGwire's ninth inning game tying homer breaks Reggie Jackson's Oakland home run record as it is his 48th of the year...he would go on to hit a Major League rookie record 49 home runs...on **September 25, 1990** Dave Stewart tosses a five-hit shutout at Kansas City to win his 22nd game and clinch the A's third consecutive AL West title.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Sat., Sept. 26 at LAA LHP Dana Eveland (2-3, 6.50) vs. RHP John Lackey (11-8, 3.56) 6:05 CSNCA
Sun., Sept. 27 at LAA RHP Edgar Gonzalez (0-3, 5.22) vs. LHP Joe Saunders (14-7, 4.63) 12:35 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: Gio Gonzalez (5-6, 6.15 ERA)

GONZALEZ BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2009	5	6	6.15	18	86.1	59
2008	1	4	7.68	10	34.0	29
Career	6	10	6.58	28	120.1	88

Home	2	4	6.85	9	44.2	34
Road	3	2	5.40	9	41.2	25
Day	3	2	5.18	8	41.2	24
Night	2	4	7.05	10	44.2	35
Pre-ASB	1	2	6.29	6	24.1	17
Post-ASB	4	4	6.10	12	62.0	42

	AVG.	AB	H
vs. LHH	.364	88	32
vs. RHH	.268	257	69

RUN SUPPORT

Gonzalez (as starter)

Runs Scored	Times
0	1
1	4
2	1
3	2
4	2
5	3
6	2
7	0
8	0
9	0
10	0
Run Support Avg.	5.21

GONZALEZ vs. LOS ANGELES

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2009	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
2008	0	0	12.00	1	3.0	4
Career	0	0	12.00	1	3.0	4

Gonzalez' Starts vs. Los Angeles

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
8/27/08	A	--	3.0	3	4	4	5	4

Los Angeles Career Batting vs. Gonzalez

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Aybar	.500	2	1	0	0	1
Guerrero	.000	2	0	0	0	0
Hunter	.000	1	0	0	1	1
Kendrick	.000	2	0	0	0	1
Matthews	.000	2	0	0	0	1
Napoli	---	0	0	0	2	0
Quinlan	---	0	0	0	1	0

GONZALEZ' CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	7.0, 9/6/09 vs. SEA
Fewest IP, GS:	1.2, 9/8/08 at DET
H:	10 (twice), last: 7/20/09 vs. MIN
R:	11, 7/20/09 vs. MIN
ER:	11, 7/20/09 vs. MIN
BB:	6, 8/15/09 vs. CWS
SO:	9, 8/21/09 vs. DET
HR:	4, 7/20/09 vs. MIN
Win Streak:	4, 7/5/09 to 8/10/09
Loss Streak:	5, 8/17/08 to 6/30/09
Scoreless Streak:	14.2, 8/4/09 to 8/15/09
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his 19th appearance and 16th start of the season...it will be the 23rd start of his career...the A's are 8-7 (.533) in his starting assignments...has tossed at least six innings in five of his 15 starts, allowed two runs or fewer five times and walked two or fewer five times.

LAST SEVEN STARTS: Is 1-4 with a 7.01 ERA (27 er in 34.2 ip), .287 (39 for 136) opponents batting average and 27 walks in 34.2 innings over his last seven starts after going 3-0 with a 1.46 ERA, .189 opponents batting average and 11 walks in 24.2 innings over his previous four starts.

EARNED RUN AVERAGE: Has a 6.15 ERA, which is fifth highest among American League pitchers with 80 or more innings pitched...using the same minimum, it is eighth highest in Oakland history.

STRIKEOUTS: Has struck out 92 batters in 86.1 innings, an average of 9.59 strikeouts per nine innings...that is the fifth highest ratio in the American League among pitchers with 80 or more innings pitched...his 92 strikeouts rank seventh among AL rookies.

MONTH BY MONTH: Is 1-1 with a 6.59 ERA (10 er in 13.2 ip) over his first three starts in September...went 2-3 with a 4.54 ERA in six starts in the month of August...it was the first time in his career he had an ERA under 7.00 in a month...this year, he had a 7.27 ERA in May, 7.27 in June and 7.48 in July...last year, he had a 7.25 ERA in August and 8.49 in September.

DAYS REST: Made his second start on six or more days rest this year on September 13 and is 0-1 with a 28.59 ERA (18 er in 5.2 ip) in those two starts, both against Minnesota...is scheduled to pitch on five days rest today and is 5-4 with a 4.18 ERA (33 er in 71.0 ip) on 13 starts on five days rest or less.

HOME AND AWAY: Is 2-4 with a 6.85 ERA (34 er in 44.2 ip) and .302 (54 for 179) opponents batting average in nine starts in Oakland compared to 3-2 with a 5.40 ERA (25 er in 41.2 ip) and .283 (47 for 166) opponents average in nine games, six starts on the road...has allowed 10 of his 13 home runs in Oakland.

NIGHT AND DAY: Is 2-4 with a 7.05 ERA (35 er in 44.2 ip) and .326 (61 for 187) opponents batting average in 10 games, eight starts, at night compared to 3-2 with a 5.18 ERA (24 er in 41.2 ip) and .253 (40 for 158) opponents batting average in eight games, seven starts, during the day...has allowed 10 of his 13 home runs at night.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Has allowed a .293 opponents batting average, which includes a .364 (32 for 88) mark against left-handed hitters and .268 (69 for 257) against right-handers...has yielded six of his 13 home runs to lefties and has a .693 opponents slugging percentage against lefties and .409 against righties...has allowed a .405 (17 for 42) average and six of his 13 home runs against the opponents number three hitter.

FOUR UNDER THE AGE OF 24: Has made 15 starts this year and is one of four Oakland pitchers under the age of 24 to make at least 15 starts (all season ages are based on players age as of June 30)...this is the third time in Athletics history and the first time in Oakland history the A's have had four pitchers under the age of 24 make at least 15 starts...the last time was by the 1967 Kansas City A's (Dobson, Hunter, Nash and Odom) and the other time was by the 1906 Philadelphia A's (Bender, Coakley, Coombs and Dygert)...the last Major League team to do it is the 2006 Florida Marlins (Nolasco, Olsen, Johnson, Sanchez) but no American League team has done it since the 1967 A's.

SOME LIKE IT HOT: Is 4-2 with a 3.38 ERA (13 er in 34.2 ip) in six starts where game time temperature is 72 and above and 0-2 with a 12.42 ERA (23 er in 16.2 ip) in four starts with a temperature of 62 or less...is 2-2 with a 5.33 ERA (15 er in 25.1 ip) in five starts with the temp in between.

BRIEFLY: Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento for the third time on June 24 and is 5-6 with a 6.03 ERA (52 er in 77.2 ip) in 16 games, 15 starts, since his return...his first stint was from May 2 to 4 and he pitched 5.0 innings of relief on May 3 in the A's 8-7, 15-inning loss at Seattle (5 h, 3 r, 3 er, 4 bb, 1 so)...his second stint was from May 18 to 19 and he pitched 3.2 innings of relief on the 18th at Tampa Bay (6 h, 4 r, 4 er, 3 bb, 6 so).

LAST START: He had a no decision in the A's 8-4 win over Cleveland last Saturday in Oakland...blanked the Indians on a hit and two walks over the first three innings and took a 6-0 lead into the fourth...allowed a leadoff double to Choo and then walked the bases loaded before a Crosby error allowed two runs to score...a third run scored on a ground out and he was relieved by Kilby after issuing his fifth walk in 3.2 innings...left with a 6-3 lead but did not qualify for the decision.

GONZALEZ vs. LOS ANGELES: Had a no decision in his only career appearance, a start in the A's 6-5 win on August 27, 2008 at Los Angeles...the A's scored a run in the first and five more in the second and he blanked the Angels on a hit and four walks over the first three innings...was then charged with four runs in the fourth inning, including a two-run single by Aybar...tossed 3.0 innings and left with a 6-3 lead.

WITH SACRAMENTO: Was 4-1 with a 2.51 ERA (61.0 ip, 42 h, 21 r, 17 er, 34 bb, 71 so, 5 hr) in 12 games, all starts, at Triple-A Sacramento...ranked fourth in the Pacific Coast League in ERA at the time of his promotion...had the lowest opponents batting average (.194) and ranked second in strikeouts (71)...the batting average included a .188 (28 for 149) mark against right-handed hitters and .209 (14 for 67) against left-handers...allowed all five of his home runs to righties...his opponents batting average dropped to .160 (8 for 50) with runners in scoring position...the River Cats were 9-3 (.750) in his starting assignments...tossed six or more innings in five of his 12 starts, allowed two runs or fewer nine times and walked two batters or fewer six times.

GONZALEZ' 2009 APPEARANCES WITH OAKLAND

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
*May 3	at SEA	7-8 (15)	--	5.40	5.0	5	3	3	4	1	0	108
*May 18	at TB	4-13	--	7.27	3.2	6	4	4	4	3	6	91
May Totals (2 G, 0 GS)				0-0	7.27	8.2	11	7	7	7	7	0
June 24	SF	3-6	L	8.03	3.2	10	6	4	2	6	1	83
June 30	DET	3-5	L	7.27	5.0	7	3	3	2	5	1	84
June Totals (2 G, 2 GS)				0-2	7.27	8.2	17	9	7	4	11	2
July 5	at CLE	5-2	W	6.17	6.0	6	2	2	1	8	1	92
*July 10	at TB	0-6	--	6.29	1.0	1	1	1	2	2	0	25
July 20	MIN	14-13	--	9.33	2.2	10	11	11	3	1	4	89
July 25	at NYY	6-4	W	7.75	6.2	2	1	1	3	6	0	102
July 30	at BOS	5-8	--	7.38	5.1	5	3	3	4	8	0	107
July Totals (5 G, 4 GS)				2-0	7.48	21.2	24	18	18	13	25	5
Aug. 4	TEX	6-0	W	6.31	6.2	3	0	0	3	7	0	97
Aug. 10	at BAL	9-1	W	5.57	6.0	7	0	0	1	5	0	85
Aug. 15	CWS	1-8	L	5.88	5.0	6	6	5	6	2	1	96
Aug. 21	DET	2-3	L	5.78	5.2	4	3	3	4	9	2	102
Aug. 26	at SEA	3-5	L	5.88	5.0	7	4	4	3	7	1	107
Aug. 31	KC	8-5	--	6.07	5.1	6	5	5	4	8	1	103
August Totals (6 G, 6 GS)				2-3	4.54	33.2	33	18	17	21	38	5
Sept. 6	SEA	5-2	W	5.76	7.0	6	2	2	2	3	0	101
Sept. 13	at MIN	0-8	L	6.31	3.0	8	7	7	3	5	1	78
Sept. 19	CLE	8-4	--	6.15	3.2	2	3	1	5	3	0	83

*indicates relief appearance

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

LHP Dana Eveland (2-3, 6.50 ERA): Is scheduled to make his 12th appearance and eight start of the season...is 1-0 with a 2.00 ERA in four games, one start, since he returned to Oakland when rosters expanded on September 1...was on the A's Opening Day roster and went 1-2 with a 7.40 ERA in six games, five starts, before he was optioned to Sacramento on May 5...recalled July 6 to take Dallas Braden's turn after he was placed on the bereavement list...started and lost on July 7 at Boston and was optioned back to Sacramento following the game...has allowed three home runs in 36.0 innings, an average of 0.75 per nine innings, and has allowed just 19 home runs in 268.1 career innings, an average of 0.64 per nine innings...was the winning pitcher in his last start, an 11-4 A's win over Cleveland last Sunday in Oakland (5.0 ip, 5 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 2 so)...is 0-2 with a 5.64 ERA (22.1 ip, 24 h, 14 r, 14 er, 10 bb, 18 so, 0 hr) in four career starts against Los Angeles...had a no decision in his only start this year, a 6-4 A's win at Los Angeles April 8 (6.0 ip, 8 h, 3 r, 3 er, 2 bb, 4 so).

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

23-22, 3.53 ERA (520.1 ip, 479 h, 227 r, 204 er, 185 bb, 467 so, 39 hr) **Save/Save Opportunities: 37/49 (75.5%)**
 The A's bullpen has compiled a 1.80 ERA (13 er in 65.0 ip) over its last 16 games and has a 3.53 ERA for the season, which is the lowest in the American League and second lowest in the majors (LAD, 3.10)...has 467 strikeouts, which is an Oakland record, the most in the AL and second most in the majors (SD, 492)...has not allowed a home run in its last 16 games and 65.0 innings and has allowed just 39 for the season, which is the fewest in the AL and third fewest in the majors...leads the AL in innings pitched (520.1), has the second lowest opponents batting average (.244), is tied for the second fewest walks (185) and has the third best save percentage (75.5%)...also leads the AL in first batter strikeouts (106), has the third fewest first batter walks (29) and is tied for third in first batter grounded into double plays (7)...has a 2.79 ERA (83 er in 267.2 ip) and 12 home runs allowed in Oakland compared to a 4.31 ERA (121 er in 252.2 ip) and 27 home runs allowed on the road.

40 RHP ANDREW BAILEY **Save/Opportunities: 25-29** **Last Outing: 9/23 vs. Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)**
Inherited Runners/Scored: 23/8 **First Hitters: 8-60 (4 bb, 20 so)**

- Has 25 saves, which is an on-going Oakland rookie record (previous: 23 by Huston Street in 2005)...leads Major League rookies and ranks ninth among all American League pitchers in saves...is tied with Jorge Julio (BAL, 2002) for the seventh most saves ever by an AL rookie.
- Has now converted each of his last 20 save opportunities, which is also an Oakland rookie record, topping Street's mark of 18 in 2005...the streak is the longest active in the AL and tied for third longest for the season...has a 1.41 ERA (38.1 ip, 24 h, 6 r, 6 er, 7 bb, 39 so, 2 hr) during the streak, which spans 34 games dating back to June 17.
- Ranks second among AL relievers in strikeouts (87), third in innings pitched (79.1) and opponents batting average (.174), fourth in ERA (1.93) and tied for seventh in wins (6).
- Has retired each of his last 19 first batters faced and they are hitting .133 (8 for 60) for the season, which is fifth lowest in the AL...is tied for fifth in first batter strikeouts (20).
- Ranks third among AL rookies in games pitched (64) and ninth in strikeouts (87)...his games are tied for third most by a rookie in Oakland history (Small, 71 in 1997; Street, 67 in 2005; Lacey, 64 in 1977).
- Has converted each of his two save opportunities and is 1-1 with a 1.29 ERA (7.0 ip, 4 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 8 so) in six outings against Los Angeles.
- Has allowed just one run (17.1 ip, 0.52 ERA) and converted 11 of 12 save opportunities in 15 outings on no days rest.
- Was named the AL Rookie of the Month for the month of August...was the sixth Oakland rookie to be named to the AL All-Star team but did not pitch in the game...was the only rookie named to either All-Star team this year.
- 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, AMERICAN LEAGUE ROOKIE	
37	Kazuhiro Sasaki, SEA (2000)
35	Jonathan Papelbon, BOS (2006)
31	Billy Koch, TOR (1999)
27	Mike MacDougal, KC (2003)
27	Gregg Olson, BAL (1989)
26	Lance Carter, TB (2003)
25	Jorge Julio, BAL (2002)
25	Andrew Bailey, OAK (2009)
OAKLAND A's MOST CONSECUTIVE SAVES	
40	Eckersley, Sept. 15, 1991-Aug. 7, 1992
21	Street, July 19, 2005-April 15, 2006
21	Eckersley, Sept. 28, 1989-June 10, 1990
21	Grant, May 1-August 14, 1970
20	Bailey, June 17, 2009-present

13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS **Save/Opportunities: 0-0** **Last Outing: 9/24 vs. Texas (ND, 2.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 4 so)**
Inherited Runners/Scored: 8/2 **First Hitters: 3-14 (2 bb, 6 so)**

- Struck out a career high four batters yesterday against Texas and has now retired each of the last 11 batters he has faced, six by strikeout.
 - Has not allowed a run in nine outings at night (7.2 ip) and has an 8.38 ERA (9 er in 9.2 ip) in seven day games.
 - Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 for his third stint with the A's and has not allowed a run in nine of his 11 outings since his return (13.0 ip, 7 h, 3 r, 3 er, 2 bb, 13 so, 2.08 ERA).
 - Faced the Angels once this year on May 4 (0.2 ip) and has not allowed a run five career outings against Los Angeles (3.2 ip).
 - Was on the Opening Day roster and allowed four runs in 0.2 innings (54.00 ERA) over two appearances before he was optioned to Sacramento on April 18...recalled for a second time on May 4 and compiled a 4.91 ERA in three appearances before he was optioned May 15.
 - Allowed a .271 batting average with Sacramento, including .263 against right-handers and .286 against lefties...yielded five home runs in 63.1 innings...his complete statistics with Sacramento this year:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------------|---|---|------|----|----|----|-----|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Sacramento | 5 | 3 | 3.84 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 63.1 | 65 | 28 | 27 | 18 | 62 |
- Spent the first three months of the 2008 season at Triple-A Sacramento where he was 2-2 with a 2.78 ERA and 10 saves in 28 games...was promoted to Oakland on July 4 and spent the remainder of the season with the A's, going 1-3 with a 3.11 ERA in 36 relief appearances.

56 LHP CRAIG BRESLOW **Save/Opportunities: 0-2** **Last Outing: 9/22 vs. Texas (H, 1.1 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)**
Inherited Runners/Scored: 47/10 **First Hitters: 17-59 (11 bb, 13 so, 3 sh)**

- Ranks second in the American League with a career-high 73 games pitched...is tied for the lead among AL relievers in losses (7), tied for second in wins (7) and ranks seventh in opponents batting average (.191).
- Has compiled a 1.25 ERA (21.2 ip, 14 h, 6 r, 3 er, 4 bb, 17 so) over his last 18 games and has allowed just 1 of 10 inherited runners to score...has allowed 21.3% (10 of 47) of his inherited runners to score for the season, which is seventh lowest in the AL.
- Opponents are batting .131 (8 for 61) with runners in scoring position.
- Is tied for the lead among AL relievers in first batter grounded into double plays (4), ranks second in walks (11) and is tied for third in home runs (4).
- Has a win in four outings against Los Angeles this year (3.1 ip, 2 h, 3 r, 2 bb, 6 so) and has not allowed an earned run in five career outings against the Angels (4.0 ip, 3 r).
- Was claimed off waivers from Minnesota on May 20 and is 6-5 with a 2.66 ERA (15 er in 50.2 ip) in 56 outings with the A's...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 AL 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: 9/21 vs. Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 3 so)**
Inherited Runners/Scored: 19/15 **First Hitters: 11-39 (4 bb, 5 so, 1 sh, 1 hbp)**

- Has allowed at least one run in five of his last eight games (7.0 ip, 15 h, 8 r, 7 er, 5 bb, 5 so, 9.00 ERA) and has allowed all six of his inherited runners to score over that span.
- His 6.08 ERA is the highest among American League relievers and second highest in the majors (Lidge, PHI 7.48).
- Has worked just five times over the last 37 days...has a 2.84 ERA (8 er in 25.1 ip) in 20 outings on one day rest or less and a 9.82 ERA (24 er in 22.0 ip) in 25 outings on two days rest or more.
- First batters faced are 6 for their last 14 (.429) with three doubles, a hit by pitch and three walks, one intentional.
- Has faced the Angels five times this year (5.0 ip, 4 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 1 so, 1.80 ERA)
- 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 7.50 ERA (30 er in 36.0 ip) in 36 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.

60 RHP JEFF GRAY **Save/Opportunities: 0-0** **Last Outing: 9/23 vs. Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 0 so)**
Inherited Runners/Scored: 8/3 **First Hitters: 5-20 (1 bb, 6 so)**

- Has allowed at least one run in five of his nine outings in September (9.2 ip, 16 h, 6 r, 6 er, 4 bb, 8 so, 5.59 ERA) after compiling a 0.68 ERA over his first 12 outings this year.
- Faced the Angels once this year on August 29 (1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 so) and has not allowed a run in two career outings against Los Angeles (2.0 ip)..
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento on August 6 for his fourth stint with the A's and has a 2.95 ERA (7 er in 21.1 ip) in 18 outings since his return...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.
- Was 2-2 with a 1.54 ERA in 37 relief appearances with Sacramento...converted 16 of 17 (94.1%) save opportunities...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)...allowed a .200 batting average overall.
- 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.

39 LHP BRAD KILBY Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/23 vs. Texas (ND, 0.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 5/1 First Hitters: 1-8 (0 bb, 3 so)

- Had his career opening scoreless streak snapped at 11.0 innings when he allowed an unearned run in the fifth inning on Wednesday against Texas...that equaled the sixth longest scoreless streak to start a career in Oakland history.
- Recorded a career-best-tying three strikeouts in his second straight outing Monday and retired each of his eight batters faced.
- Notched his first Major League victory last Saturday against Cleveland with 1.2 scoreless innings.
- Has never faced Los Angeles in his career.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 and has not allowed an earned run in eight outings (11.1 ip)...has fanned two or more in five of those outings and has 13 strikeouts in 11.1 innings (10.32 per nine innings).
- Allowed a .179 opponents batting average with Sacramento, which broke down to .150 against right-handed hitters and .234 against left-handers...did not allow a run in 16 of his last 19 outings (3 er in 29.1 ip, 0.92 ERA)...allowed five home runs over a four-game stretch from May 30 to June 5 (5.1 ip) but none over his final 30 games and 42.2 innings...his complete stats with Sacramento this year:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento	4	2	2.13	45	0	0	0	2	63.1	40	15	15	24	77

- Spent the entire 2008 season at Triple-A Sacramento and was 7-2 with two saves a 3.47 ERA in 51 appearances, all in relief.

52 LHP JAY MARSHALL Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/1 vs. Kansas City (L, 0.0 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 7/0 First Hitters: 2-8 (0 bb, 0 so, 2 sh)

- Has been shut down for the remainder of the season with rotator cuff tendinitis.
- Yielded eight runs over his last three outings (2.0 ip, 8 h, 36.00 ERA) after not allowing a run in six of his first seven outings (6.75 ERA).
- Did not walk a batter in 7.1 innings but struck out just one.

65 RHP JOHN MELOAN Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/23 vs. Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 0-2 (2 so)

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento last Saturday and has pitched twice since then (3.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 4 so)...made his Major League debut with Los Angeles in 2007, posting an 11.05 ERA in five relief appearances...also appeared in two games with Cleveland last year without allowing a run or hit in 2.0 innings.
- Has never faced the Angels in his career.
- Did not allow a run in four playoff games for Sacramento (4.2 ip, 1 h, 3 bb, 2 so).
- Has pitched for four different organizations in 2009 as he began the season with Triple-A Columbus in the Cleveland organization, was traded to the Tampa Bay organization July 2 for Winston Abreu and was claimed off waivers by Pittsburgh August 12 and Oakland September 2...had no decisions and combined for a 4.37 ERA in 44 games, including two starts, with all four teams...his complete minor league stats this year follow:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Columbus (CLE)	0	0	5.52	25	2	0	0	0	44.0	52	27	27	17	37
Durham (TB)	0	0	3.38	10	0	0	0	0	13.1	13	5	5	10	15
Indianapolis (PIT)	0	0	1.17	6	0	0	0	0	7.2	3	1	1	1	8
Sacramento (OAK)	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	0	0	3.0	0	0	0	2	1
TOTALS	0	0	4.37	44	2	0	0	0	68.0	68	33	33	30	61

63 RHP HENRY RODRIGUEZ Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/21 vs. Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 2 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 1 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 1-1

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento last Saturday and made his Major League debut Monday against Texas...recorded his first strikeout in Nelson Cruz...also walked a batter, hit a batter and had two wild pitches.
- Began the season on the disabled list with a strained muscle in his back and was assigned to Single-A Stockton when he was reinstated on May 19...did not allow a run in three relief appearances and struck out 11 in 5.0 innings before being moved up to Sacramento on May 27...then compiled a 5.91 ERA in 37 relief appearances with the River Cats and struck out 71 in 43.2 innings (14.6 k/9)...had 82 strikeouts total in 48.2 ip (15.2 k/9) on the year.
- Posted a 20.25 ERA (1.1 ip, 3 r, 3 er, 4 bb, 2 so) in two playoff appearances for Sacramento.
- The Venezuelan native was signed by the A's as a non-drafted free agent on July 18, 2003...compiled a 17-23 record, seven saves and a 4.78 ERA in 117 career minor league appearances, including 47 starts...struck out 421 in 330.1 innings, an average of 11.5 per nine innings, but also walked 245, or 6.7 per nine innings...his complete minor league stats this year follow:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Stockton	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	0	0	5.0	3	0	0	1	11
Sacramento	2	1	5.77	37	0	0	0	4	43.2	38	28	28	38	71

48 RHP MICHAEL WUERTZ Save/Opportunities: 4-6 Last Outing: 9/23 vs. Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 39/8 First Hitters: 10-66 (5 bb, 23 so)

- Has not allowed a run in his last eight outings (9.2 ip, 2 h, 4 bb, 11 so)...including last Saturday against Cleveland when he recorded his first save since July 20 against Minnesota.
- Leads American League relievers and ranks second in the majors (Broxton, LAD 109) with a career high 95 strikeouts...those are the most strikeouts by an A's reliever since Dennis Eckersley had 105 in 1987.
- Is tied for third among AL relievers in games (71), ranks fifth in percentage of inherited runners score (20.5%), tied for sixth in innings (75.0), tied for seventh in wins (6) and eighth in opponents batting average (.193).
- First batters faced are 0 for their last 26 with four walks and 12 strikeouts...ranks second among AL relievers with 23 first batter strikeouts (Nathan MIN, 24) and has the sixth lowest opponents batting average (.152).
- Has a win and has not allowed a run in five career outings against Los Angeles, all this year (5.2 ip, 2 h, 10 so).
- Has allowed three earned runs over his last 23 outings (25.0 ip, 1.08 ERA) after allowing six over his previous four outings (3.2 ip, 14.73 ERA).
- In addition to strikeouts, he also has a career high four saves and has matched his best with six wins...his 75.0 innings pitched are 0.2 shy of his career high of 75.2 in 2005 and his 71 games are four short of his best of 75 from 2005.
- Has not allowed a run in 30 of his 33 outings at home and has a 1.01 ERA (4 er in 35.2 ip) and .128 (15 for 117) opponents batting average in Oakland...has a 4.35 ERA (19 er in 39.1 ip) and .245 (36 for 147) opponents average with four of his six 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.

MOST STRIKEOUTS, OAKLAND RELIEVER

- 115 Rollie Fingers, 1975
- 113 Rollie Fingers, 1972
- 113 Rollie Fingers, 1976
- 105 Dennis Eckersley, 1987
- 104 Rollie Fingers, 1973
- 95 Michael Wuertz, 2009
- 95 Rollie Fingers, 1974

31 RHP BRAD ZIEGLER Save/Opportunities: 7-10 Last Outing: 9/24 vs. Texas (ND, 1.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 2 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 30/11 First Hitters: 17-60 (3 bb, hbp, 13 so)

- Has not allowed a run in nine of his last 11 outings (2 er in 11.0 ip, 1.64 ERA) and has stranded all four of his inherited runners over that span.
- Leads American League relievers and ranks second in the majors with 13 opponents grounded into double plays (Affeldt, SF 16).
- Converted the save a week ago tonight against Cleveland, his first since June 22 against San Francisco.
- Has compiled a 2.33 ERA (10 er in 38.2 ip) and allowed 3 of 20 (15.0%) inherited runners to score over his last 38 outings (since June 20), after posting a 3.99 ERA and allowing 8 of 10 (80.0%) inherited runners to score over his first 26 contests.
- Opponents are 8 for 37 (.216) with runners in scoring position since June 20 but they are hitting .380 (27 for 71) for the season.
- Has a win, a loss, two saves and a blown save in six outings against Los Angeles this year (5.2 ip, 8 h, 5 r, 5 er, 2 bb, 7 so).
- 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 Career vs. Weaver (.200, 2-10, 2 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 3
 Texas Series: 3-10, 3 r, 3b, 5 rbi, 2 bb, hbp Homestand: 6-21, 4 r, 3b, 6 rbi, 5 bb, hbp, 2 so, sf, cs

- Is 13 for 39 (.333) with four doubles, a triple, a home run, nine RBI, 11 runs scored and eight walks over his last 12 games.
- Is batting .327 (17 for 52) on the road compared to .200 (15 for 75) in Oakland.
- Is 4 for 13 (.308) against Los Angeles and has a .378 (17 for 45) average against American League West teams this year and .183 against everyone else.
- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list August 21 and is batting .290 (27 for 93) in 28 games, all starts at first base, since his return.
- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list July 28 retroactive to July 27 with a strained left hamstring...it was his second career stint on the DL.
- Hit .118 in 12 games during his first stint with Oakland from June 8 to 27...recalled for a second time on July 20 and hit .176 with a home run and two RBI in five games before going on the DL...hit .261 with nine home runs, 48 RBI and 45 walks in 70 games with Sacramento.
- Struggled in his first full season with the A's in 2008 as he batted .226 with nine home runs and 47 RBI in 140 games...the average was third lowest in the American League and seventh lowest in Oakland history...led AL rookies in walks (65) and ranked third in triples (5).

6 TRAVIS BUCK Career vs. Weaver (.400, 2-5, 0 HR, 1 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)
 Texas Series: 1-5, rbi, bb, so Homestand: 1-5, rbi, bb, so

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento last Saturday for his third stint with the A's this year and is 1 for 5 (.200) in two games, one start (left field), since his return.
- Has not committed an error in his career and has a 146-game errorless streak, which is third longest in Oakland history by an outfielder.
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and was hitting .235 with three home runs and nine RBI in 28 games before going on the disabled list May 30 with a strained left oblique...it was his fourth career stint on the DL in three seasons...began a rehab assignment with Sacramento on June 8 but was reinstated from the DL and optioned June 14...was recalled on June 29 and went 1 for 8 (.125) with a double in three games before he was optioned back to Sacramento July 6.
- Hit .244 (42 for 172) with three home runs and 21 RBI in 45 games with Sacramento following his option on July 6...went 3 for 12 (.250) with a double in four playoff games...his complete statistics with the River Cats this year:

**LONGEST ERRORLESS STREAK,
OAKLAND OUTFIELDER**

165	Jermaine Dye, Sept. 25, 2002-August 6, 2004
162	Stan Javier, June 26, 1994-October 1, 1995
146	Travis Buck, April 2, 2007-present
126	Johnny Damon, May 4, 2001-October 7, 2001
120	Dave Henderson, May 16, 1991-Sept. 29, 1992

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento	.272	62	232	37	63	13	3	5	29	23	44	3	1	.418	.345

- Batted .226 with seven home runs and 25 RBI in 38 games over three stints with the A's last year...hit .154 over his first 15 games before going on the DL on April 15...hit .171 during his second stint from May 30 to June 12 and .367 with 4 HR and 12 RBI in 12 games in September.

25 MATT CARSON Career vs. Weaver (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 3 games (4 for 6)
 Texas Series: 1-1, r, hr, 2 rbi Homestand: 4-9, r, hr, 3 rbi, 2 so

- Hit his first Major League home run Monday night, a two-run shot off Guardado in the ninth inning...had a pinch hit RBI single in the eighth inning last Sunday off Gosling for his first career RBI...singled off Ohka in the fifth inning Saturday for his first ML hit...made his big league debut a week ago tonight.
- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento a week ago tonight and has appeared in five of the A's seven games since then, including two starts in right field.
- Has a .256 (793 for 3089) batting average, 102 home runs, 429 RBI and 80 stolen bases in 838 games over eight seasons in the minor leagues...was originally a fifth round draft pick of the Yankees in 2002 and spent seven seasons in New York's farm system before signing a minor league contract with the A's organization on November 25, 2008.
- Led Sacramento in games (118), home runs (25) and RBI (77) and tied for the lead in doubles (29)...had career highs in home runs, RBI and walks (38)...was 7 for 27 (.259) with three doubles, a home run and three RBI in six playoff games...hit .354 with 11 home runs and 29 RBI over his final 28 regular season games...appeared in 81 games in center field, 18 in right field and seven in left field...also pitched six times (6.0 ip, 11 h, 8 r, 7 er, 3 bb, 1 so, 2 hr, 10.50 ERA)...his complete statistics with Sacramento this year:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento	.264	118	440	68	116	29	3	25	77	38	94	15	4	.514	.327

- Spent the 2008 season with Double-A Trenton and Triple-A Scranton-Wilkes Barre in the New York Yankees organization and combined to hit .285 with 17 doubles, 10 triples, 15 home runs and 64 RBI in 11 games...the batting average was a career high.

3 ERIC CHAVEZ Current Streak: 0 for 15

- Had season-ending microdiscectomy 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 Career vs. Weaver (.222, 2-9, 1 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 6
 Texas Series: 0-6, sh Homestand: 2-13, 2 rbi, sh

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list September 2 and is 4 for 20 (.200) in seven games, five starts (three at third base, two at first base), since his return...was placed on the DL August 21 retroactive to August 18 with a strained left calf...it was his seventh career stint on the DL.
- Is 5 for 9 (.556) with a home run and three RBI in five games against Los Angeles this year but is a .179 (36 for 201) career hitter against the Angels, including .174 (19 for 109) at Angel Stadium.
- Is 5 for 13 (.385) over his last 14 games in which he did not start and is 10 for 33 (.303) in non-starting assignments for the season.
- Has made 60 starts at four different positions (30 at third base, 24 at first base, four at second base, two at shortstop).
- Has appeared in 54 games at first base, 39 at third base, six at shortstop, five at second base, 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.

32 JACK CUST Career vs. Weaver (.231, 3-13, 0 HR, 5 BB, 6 SO) Current Streak: 3 games (4 for 10)
 Texas Series: 4-12, 5 r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, 2 bb, hbp, 7 so Homestand: 7-18, 6 r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, 3 bb, hbp, 9 so

- Leads the American League, ranks third in the majors and is tied for second in Oakland history with 175 strikeouts...has led the AL in strikeouts in each of the previous two seasons and the last player to lead the AL in strikeouts in three consecutive seasons is Minnesota's Bobby Darwin (1972-74).
- Is tied for fourth in the AL in walks (90) and has the fifth lowest batting average (.240).
- Went 7 for 18 (.389) on the last homestand after going 4 for 26 (.154) on the last road trip...is batting .209 (52 for 249) on the road for the season, which is the fourth lowest mark in the AL.
- Has hit 20 of 23 home runs this year and 69 of his 87 career home runs off right-handed pitching...14 of his home runs this year have come at home, 11 have come with runners on base (six two-run, four three-run, one grand slam), nine have given Oakland the lead and two have tied the game.
- 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.

**OAKLAND A'S
SINGLE SEASON
STRIKEOUT
LEADERS**

197	Cust (2008)
175	Cust (2009)
175	Canseco (1986)
171	Jackson (1968)
164	Cust (2007)

11 RAJAI DAVIS	Career vs. Weaver (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 12 games (20 for 51)
Texas Series: 6-18, 4 r, 2 2b, 3b, 4 rbi, 5 so, sf	Homestand: 12-35, 7 r, 3 2b, 3b, 5 rbi, bb, 9 so, sf, 2 sb, gidp	

- Extended his hitting streak to a career high tying 12 games yesterday, which is the third longest active streak in the American League...also hit safely in 12 straight earlier this year from August 5-17...is 20 for 51 (.392) with 11 runs and 11 RBI during his current streak.
- Is batting .383 (36 for 94) with 21 runs scored, eight doubles, 16 RBI and 10 stolen bases in 22 games in September...leads the AL in runs and hits in September, ranks second in stolen bases, third in batting and tied for third in doubles.
- Is batting .346 (82 for 237) with 44 runs, 20 doubles, four triples, one home run, 41 RBI and a Major League leading 29 stolen bases in 62 games since the All-Star Break...is tied for third in the AL in runs scored since the break, ranks fourth in batting, tied for fifth in doubles and tied for sixth in hits.
- Is hitting .340 (105 for 309) over his last 91 games (since June 1) after hitting .146 over his first 25 games...has the fifth best average in the majors since June 1.
- Has just 390 plate appearances and will not qualify for the league leaders...however, his .317 batting average ranks ninth in the AL among batters with at least 350 plate appearances...his average has been over .300 each of his last 16 games.
- Has 15 multiple hit games over his last 26 games, including five three-hit games...had no three-hit games over his first 90 games this year.
- Stole his 40th base of the season a week ago tonight to become the ninth player (24th time) in Oakland history to steal 40 bases in a season...is the first to do it since Rickey Henderson had 66 in 1998...the last Athletic not named Rickey Henderson to steal 40 bases was Jose Canseco, who had 40 in 1988...the steals are a career high and fourth most in the AL...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 did it seven straight years from 1989-95).
- Is a .310 (18 for 58) career hitter against Los Angeles with 10 stolen bases...the steals are his most against any team.
- Had his streak of four consecutive games with a stolen a base end last Saturday...also had a streak of four consecutive games with a steal from September 8 to 12, and that was the longest streak by an Athletic since Stan Javier also had a four-game streak from August 31-Sept. 3, 1995.
- Combined for 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.

BATTING LEADERS	
MAJORS SINCE JUNE 1 (min. 324 PA)	
.360	Mauer, MIN
.359	Ramirez, FLA
.356	Suzuki, SEA
.341	Jeter, NYY
.340	Davis, OAK
AL SINCE ASB (min 195 PA)	
.369	Mauer, MIN
.348	Young, TEX
.347	Suzuki, SEA
.346	Davis, OAK
.340	Cabrera, DET
OAKLAND HISTORY POST ASB	
.367	Giambi, 2001
.361	Giambi, 1999
.354	Lansford, 1989
.347	Lansford, 1984
.346	Davis, 2009
.344	Ellis, 2005

14 MARK ELLIS	Career vs. Weaver (.188, 3-16, 0 HR, 1 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 7)
Texas Series: 3-10, 2 r, 2 2b, 2 rbi, bb, gidp	Homestand: 8-26, 5 r, 2 2b, hr, 4 rbi, 2 bb, so, gidp	

- Is 7 for 22 (.318) with four RBI over his last six games and is now batting .313 (62 for 198) over his last 53 games after hitting .219 over his first 43 contests.
- Is hitting .297 (71 for 239) with 19 doubles since the All-Star Break after hitting .219 before the break...is tied for eighth in the American League in post-break doubles...now has a .282 (457 for 1619) career batting average after the All-Star Break compared to .249 before the break.
- Has a .344 (33 for 96) average with runners in scoring position, including .417 (20 for 48) with RISP and two outs.
- Hit his 77th career home run as a second baseman last Saturday, breaking Dick Green's A's franchise record for homers by a second baseman.
- Has 10 career home runs against Los Angeles, his most against any team...has five home runs at Angel Stadium, his most at any road park.
- Is batting .309 (72 for 233) at night compared to .198 (22 for 111) during day games.
- 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...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).

5 NOMAR GARCIA PARRA	Career vs. Weaver (.250, 1-4, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 4
Texas Series: 0-1, so	Homestand: 4-10, r, 2b, rbi, 2 so, sb	

- Struck out as a pinch hitter Wednesday night and is now 0 for his last 16 with six strikeouts in the pinch...is 4 for 27 (.148) with a double and two RBI as a pinch hitter for the season...ranks second in the American League in pinch plate appearances (27).
- Is 8 for 23 (.348) in seven games in September...has had a roller coaster season with his batting average as he hit .231 in April, .333 in May, .222 in June, .324 in July and .231 in August.
- Went 1 for 4 in a start at first base on September 13 in Minnesota, just his fourth start on defense since the All-Star Break and his first since August 25 in Seattle.
- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list June 12 and has appeared in 48 of the A's 94 games since then, going 30 for 104 (.288)...has pinch hit 26 times, started at designated hitter 14 times and first base six times, pinch run once 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. Weaver (.000, 0-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 1
Texas Series: 0-1	Homestand: 3-14, 3 r, 2b, 2 rbi, 2 so, sf, gidp	

- Is 20 for 105 (.190) over his last 26 games and is now batting .236 (55 for 233) in 60 games with the A's after hitting .299 in 56 contests with San Diego.
- Seven of his last 12 hits have been for extra bases (six doubles, one home run).
- Nine of his last 19 RBI have either tied the game or put the A's ahead.
- Has made each of his last 42 starts on defense in left field after making his first 12 starts with the A's in center field.
- Has career highs in games (116), at bats (430), runs (50), hits (114), doubles (27), RBI (64) and stolen bases (11) and has matched his best in home runs (17)...his 25 walks are second only to his 28 with San Diego last year.
- 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...made 34 starts in center and 14 in right.
- Established career highs in home runs (17) and walks (28) with San Diego last year...added a .248 batting average and 31 RBI in 112 games.

29 ADAM KENNEDY	Career vs. Weaver (.333, 2-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (3 for 5)
Texas Series: 4-15, 2 r, 2 2b, rbi, so, sb, cs, gidp	Homestand: 9-25, 5 r, 5 2b, hr, 5 rbi, 2 so, sb, cs, gidp	

- Stole his 20th base of the season yesterday, the third time he has stolen 20 or more bases in his career...had 22 with the Angels in 2000 and 2003.
- Has the second best totals of his career with 11 home runs (13 in 2003), 60 RBI (72 in 2000) and 42 walks (45 in 2003).
- Played for Los Angeles from 2000-06 and hit .280 with 51 home runs, 353 RBI and 123 stolen bases in 992 career games with the Angels...is 9 for 35 (.257) in eight games against the Angels this year and is 9 for 40 (.225) with no home runs and two RBI in 10 career games.
- Is batting .375 (30 for 80) with 15 runs, eight doubles, 11 RBI, 10 walks and 12 multiple hit games in 19 games in September...is tied for third in the American League in hits and doubles in September and is tied for fourth in batting.
- Ranks fourth in the AL in batting with runners in scoring position (.360).
- Has committed one error in each of his last two games and three of his last four...now has 17 errors for the season (10 at third base, seven at second base), which is tied for fifth among all AL fielders...it is also the second highest total of his career (19 in 2000).
- Was ejected from the game Tuesday night by home plate umpire Eric Cooper after striking out in the first inning.
- Has hit 10 of his 11 home runs off right-handed pitching...eight have either tied the game or put the A's ahead and six have come in the sixth inning or later...the A's are 7-3 in games in which he homers.
- Has started 72 games at third base and 49 at second base and is the first Athletic to start at least 40 games at two infield positions since Mike Bordick in 1992 (83 at second base, 66 at shortstop)...has started 121 of the A's 126 games since he was selected from Triple-A Sacramento on May 9.
- Has batted leadoff in 87 of the A's last 92 games and is hitting .286 (108 for 377) batting first for the season.
- Is the second player in Oakland history to have two five-hit games in one season (Sal Bando, 1969)...went 5 for 7 on July 28 at Boston and 5 for 5 on August 15 vs. Chicago.
- 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.

28 ERIC MUNSON	Career vs. Weaver (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 1
Texas Series: 0-1		Homestand: 0-1

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento September 11 and made his Oakland debut Monday night against Texas, flying out to right as a pinch hitter.
- This is his ninth season in the majors and the A's are his fourth team along with Detroit (2000-04), Tampa Bay (2005) and Houston (2006-07).
- Had a team leading 54 walks with Sacramento...was 2 for 6 (.333) with a home run in the River Cats first two playoff games...hit .283 over his first 75 games and .207 over his final 24...appeared in 73 games at catcher, 21 at designated hitter and five at first base...his complete statistics with Sacramento this year:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento	.265	99	351	50	93	22	2	13	68	54	71	0	1	.450	.362

- Two stints on the disabled list limited him to just 27 games with Triple-A Nashville...hit .165 with a home run and 12 RBI...was on the DL from April 11 to 29 with a strained left hip and May 29 through the end of the season with left shoulder bursitis.

1 ERIC PATTERSON	Career vs. Weaver (.000, 0-5, 0 HR, 0 BB, 3 SO)	Current Streak: 3 games (6 for 10)
Texas Series: 6-12, 4 r, 2b, hr, 4 rbi, 4 bb, so, sb		Homestand: 6-12, 5 r, 2b, hr, 4 rbi, 4 bb, so

- Has three straight multiple hit games for the first time in his career (6 for 10, .600).
- Hit his second career home run Wednesday night...the first came June 22 of last year against Chicago (AL), a streak of 53 consecutive games without a homer.
- Has three stolen bases this year and is 11 for 11 in stolen base attempts in two seasons with the A's...is 13 for 14 (92.9%) in his career.
- Is 1 for 3 (.333) against Los Angeles this year and 5 for 16 (.313) in his career.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento August 28 for his third stint with the A's this year...is 12 for 36 (.333) with four doubles, a home run and 10 runs scored in 18 games, 10 starts (eight in left field, one in right field, one at second base), since his return.
- His first stint with Oakland came from April 29 through May 3, when he started two games at second base and batted .125 (1 for 8)...then hit .182 (4 for 22) with four RBI and 10 strikeouts in 10 games from July 24 to August 4.
- Set a River Cats' record with 43 stolen bases, breaking the previous mark of 39 by Bo Porter in 2000...at the time of his promotion, he ranked second in the Pacific Coast League in triples and stolen bases, fourth in runs scored and fifth in hits...went 20 for 89 (.225) with 17 RBI in 20 games after being optioned on August 5...appeared in 48 games at second base, 29 in center field, 19 in left field, 10 at third base and one at first base...his complete statistics with the River Cats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento	.307	110	466	91	143	29	11	12	56	52	81	43	6	.494	.376

- Was acquired by the A's from Chicago in the Rich Harden trade on July 8, 2008 and hit .174 with eight RBI and eight stolen bases in 30 games over two stints with the A's last year...also hit .237 with the Cubs and combined for a .192 batting average, 1 HR and 15 RBI in 43 games.

26 CLIFF PENNINGTON	Career vs. Weaver (.200, 1-5, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)	Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 8)
Texas Series: 3-14, 2 r, 3b, 4 rbi, hbp, 3 so		Homestand: 7-27, 5 r, 2b, 2 3b, 7 rbi, 2 bb, hbp, 6 so, gdp

- Is 24 for 65 (.369) with eight multiple hit games, 13 runs, five doubles, three triples, two home runs and 12 RBI over his last 18 games...hit .167 over his previous 19 games after batting .320 over his first 14 games.
- Is hitting .323 (42 for 130) against right-handed pitching and .170 (8 for 47) against left-handers.
- Is batting .342 (27 for 79) on the road compared to .235 (23 for 98) in Oakland.
- The A's have won all four games in which he has homered.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento July 31 and has started 51 of the A's 52 games at shortstop since then.
- Spent the first four months of the season at Sacramento and hit .264 with three home runs and 40 RBI in 99 games...ranked fourth in the A's organization in stolen bases (27) at the time of his promotion...batted .323 (31 for 96) against left-handed pitching and .242 (64 for 264) with all three of his home runs against right-handers...appeared in 77 games at shortstop, 16 at second base, three at third base and one in left field.
- Began the 2008 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. Weaver (1.000, 2-2, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 8
Texas Series: 0-3, 2 r, 3 bb, so		Homestand: 0-7, 2 r, 3 bb, 3 so

- Is 8 for 43 (.186) with 13 strikeouts over his last 13 games but has five home runs and 11 RBI over that span...four of his seven home runs this year have come with runners on base and the A's are 7-0 in games in which he homers
- Has 29 RBI in 43 games and the RBI are the second best single season total in Oakland history by a player with fewer than 50 games...Rico Carty had 31 RBI in 41 games with the A's in 1978.
- Is hitting .265 (26 for 98) with six of his seven home runs and 26 of his 29 RBI against right-handed pitchers and .125 (4 for 32) against lefties.
- Is 4 for 7 (.571) in two games against Los Angeles this year.
- Is 0 for his last 9 with runners in scoring position after hitting .393 (11 for 28) with RISP to start the season.
- Has tossed out 7 of 17 (41.2%) attempted base stealers.
- Is 3 for 24 (.125) in eight games in September...hit .217 in seven games in August, .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.

OAKLAND A'S BESTS, FIRST 43 GAMES OF CAREER	
HOME RUNS	
13	Mark McGwire, 1986-87
9	Jose Canseco, 1985-86
9	Wayne Gross, 1976-77
8	Brian Leshar, 1996-97
8	Terry Steinbach, 1986-87
8	Mitchell Page, 1977
7	Landon Powell, 2009
RBI	
33	Ben Grieve, 1997-98
29	Landon Powell, 2009
29	Mark McGwire, 1986-87
29	Mitchell Page, 1977
27	two players tied

8 KURT SUZUKI	Career vs. Weaver (.167, 2-12, 0 HR, 1 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 8)
Texas Series: 3-11, 2 r, 2b, 2 rbi, bb, 2 so, sb		Homestand: 8-25, 8 r, 2 2b, 2 hr, 6 rbi, 4 bb, hbp, 7 so, sb

- Is 8 for 25 (.320) with eight runs scored and six RBI in seven games on the homestand...has 18 RBI in the month of September, which is tied for sixth in the American League.
- Is batting .238 (56 for 235) since the All-Star Break, but has 44 RBI, which is tied for seventh in the AL...hit .293 before the break.
- Leads the A's with 81 RBI...in Athletics history, the only catcher to lead the team in RBI was Frankie Hayes, who had 78 RBI for Philadelphia in 1944...also leads the A's with 35 doubles and the last A's catcher to lead the team in doubles was Hal Smith in 1957 (26)...is tied for the team lead with 146 hits after topping the club with 148 last year.
- Had his season best streak of four consecutive games with a walk end last Sunday...is averaging 22.4 plate appearances per walk for the season, which is the fourth highest ratio in the AL...has struck out 13 times in his last 14 games but is averaging 10.2 plate appearances per strikeout for the season, which is the seventh best mark in the AL.
- Leads AL catchers in games (128), games started (125), innings caught (1116.1), total chances (936) and putouts (868) and ranks second in assists (63)...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)...has tossed out 17 of 93 (18.3%) attempted base stealers.
- Leads AL catchers in doubles (32), RBI (76) and stolen bases (8), ranks second in runs (66) and third in hits (134).
- Is 10 for 49 (.204) against Los Angeles this year and is a .186 (30 for 161) career hitter against the Angels, his second lowest mark against any team (Toronto, .182)
- Is 1 for 3 with two RBI, a walk and a hit by pitch as a pinch hitter...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
- 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).

OAKLAND A'S MOST RBI AS A CATCHER*	
96	Steinbach, 1996 (100)
78	Hernandez, 2003 (78)
76	Suzuki, 2009 (81)
64	Steinbach, 1995 (65)
64	Tenace, 1975 (87)
*Only includes RBI in games when catching. Number in parentheses is total RBI for that season.	

15 RYAN SWEENEY

Career vs. Weaver (.000, 0-5, 0 HR, 3 BB, 3 SO)

Current Streak: 5 games (8 for 21)

Texas Series: 6-16, 5 r, 2b, 2 rbi, bb, so, sf

Homestand: 8-23, 6 r, 2 2b, 5 rbi, 3 bb, so, sf

- Is batting .356 (26 for 73) with 16 runs scored and 16 RBI in 19 games in September...that has boosted his average to .291, which matches the highest it has been outside his first six games of the season.
- Is tied for the American League lead in doubles (9) in September...has 19 doubles since the All-Star Break, which is tied for eighth in the AL.
- Has reached base safely via hit or walk in each of his last 21 games, which is the longest streak of his career and matches the longest by an Athletic this year (Davis, July 25-August 17)...is 28 for 80 (.350) with nine walks (1 hbp, 2 sf, .413 on-base percentage) during the streak.
- Is batting .322 (79 for 245) on the road, which is the seventh best road batting average in the AL.
- Has a .337 (30 for 89) career average against Los Angeles, including .385 (25 for 65) at Angel Stadium.
- Had his career best streak of five consecutive games with an RBI end Monday night but he has 18 RBI in his last 20 games after collecting 35 RBI over his first 111 contests.
- Has 20 extra base hits (15 doubles, two triples, three home runs) over his last 41 games after collecting just eight extra base hits over his previous 57 games.
- Is batting .321 (90 for 280) in 82 games since he was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list June 18...hit .246 before going on the DL.
- Is tied for fourth among AL outfielders with 11 assists...has five assists from right field, four from center field and two in left field...the 11 assists equal the most by an A's outfielder over the last 10 years (Eric Byrnes and Mark Kotsay had 11 each in 2004).
- Has made 60 starts in right field, 53 in center field and five in left field...is batting .339 (84 for 248) in 82 games total while playing right field compared to .246 (50 for 203) in 57 games in center field.
- Was placed on the 15-day DL June 8 retroactive to June 3 with a sprained left knee...it was his third stint on the DL in two seasons with the A's.
- Batted .286 with five home runs and 45 RBI in 115 games with the A's last year in a season interrupted by two stints on the disabled list.

A's vs. LOS ANGELES

BATTING

PITCHING

2009											2009														
					CAREER											CAREER									
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	W	L	SV	G	ERA	IP	ER	PITCHER	W	L	SV	G	ERA	IP	ER
.308	13	4	0	2	Barton	.284	88	25	3	12	0	2	0	3	4.34	18.7	9	Anderson	0	2	0	3	4.34	18.7	9
.133	15	2	0	2	Buck	.250	76	19	2	12	1	1	2	6	1.29	7.0	1	Bailey	1	1	2	6	1.29	7.0	1
####	0	0	0	0	Carson	####	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.00	0.7	0	Blevins	0	0	0	5	0.00	3.7	0
.556	9	5	1	3	Crosby	.179	201	36	5	23	1	0	0	4	0.00	3.3	0	Breslow	1	0	0	5	0.00	4.0	0
.278	36	10	1	5	Cust	.248	125	31	6	13	1	0	0	3	2.70	16.7	5	Cahill	1	0	0	3	2.70	16.7	5
.207	29	6	0	2	Davis	.310	58	18	0	5	0	0	0	5	1.80	5.0	1	Casilla	1	0	0	15	3.68	14.7	6
.231	39	9	0	3	Ellis	.234	389	91	10	35	0	0	0	1	4.50	6.0	3	Eveland	0	2	0	4	5.64	22.3	14
.267	15	4	0	1	GarciaParra	.294	326	96	14	46	0	0	0	2	3.38	5.3	2	Gonzalez, E	0	0	0	2	3.38	5.3	2
.174	23	4	1	2	Hairston	.174	23	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Gonzalez, G	0	0	0	1	12.00	3.0	4
.257	35	9	0	2	Kennedy	.225	40	9	0	2	0	0	0	1	0.00	1.0	0	Gray	0	0	0	2	0.00	2.0	0
####	0	0	0	0	Munson	.160	25	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Kilby	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0
.333	3	1	0	0	Patterson	.313	16	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Meloan	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0
.200	15	3	0	0	Pennington	.200	30	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Mortensen	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0
.571	7	4	0	0	Powell	.571	7	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Rodriguez	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0
.204	49	10	1	5	Suzuki	.186	161	30	1	10	0	0	0	2	3.86	7.0	3	Tomko	0	1	0	11	3.99	38.3	17
.295	44	13	1	3	Sweeney	.337	89	30	1	12	1	0	0	5	0.00	5.7	0	Wuertz	1	0	0	5	0.00	5.7	0
.252	111	28	2	12	others						1	1	2	6	7.94	5.7	5	Ziegler	3	1	4	14	3.86	16.3	7
.253	443	112	7	42	TOTALS						0	4	0	12	6.62	35.3	26	others							
											5	8	4	13	4.23	115.0	54	TOTALS							

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				4	-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	1,065,542	
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	1,090,043	
4/9		at LAA	PPD		2		-1	TEX	1						7/5	80	at CLE	W	5-2	34-46	4	-11	LAA/TEX	--	Gonzalez, G	Lee	19,105	1,109,148	
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*	1,147,442	
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	37,676*	1,185,118	
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	37,981*	1,223,099	
4/13	7	BOS	W	8-2	3-4	t3	-2	SEA	1½	Braden	Lester		21,331	89,085	7/9		OFF DAY			4	-11½	TEX	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	1,243,457	
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	1,276,730	
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	1,306,457	
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			37-49	4	-12	LAA	1½					
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	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	Mijares	10,283	799,653	
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	1,350,663
4/26	17	TB	W	7-1	7-10	3	-4	SEA	3½	Eveland	Sonnanshine		18,689	200,545	7/24	95	at NYY	L	3-8	40-55	4	-17	LAA	3½	Chamberlain	Anderson	46,086	1,396,749	
4/27		OFF DAY			3		-4	SEA	3						7/25	96	at NYY	W	6-4	41-55	4	-17	LAA	4½	Gonzalez, G	Pettitte	Bailey	46,412	1,443,161
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	1,489,324
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*	1,527,279
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	Beckett	Delcarmen	Bailey	38,084*	1,565,363
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*	1,603,556
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*	1,641,475
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	Gonzalez, 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	1,663,393	
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	1,693,211	
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	Bailey	19,439	1,712,650
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	Gonzalez, G	Guthrie	Bailey	14,688	1,727,338
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	1,750,344
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	1,769,472
5/16	33	at DET	L	1-9	13-20	4	-7½	TEX	3½	Porcello	Braden		31,554	447,423	8/13		OFF DAY				4	-18	LAA	4½					
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	20,648	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	W	3-2	52-65	4	-19	LAA	4½	Bailey	Jenks	20,241	1,010,408	
5/20	37	at TB	W	7-6	15-22	4	-7	TEX	3	Anderson	Kazmir	Ziegler	13,721	512,941	8/17	118	NYN	W	3-0	53-65	4	-19	LAA	4½	Tomko	BURNETT	Bailey	24,409	1,034,817
5/21	38	at TB	L	5-6	15-23	4	-7	TEX	2	Nelson	Ziegler		14,374	527,315	8/18	119	NYN	L	2-7	53-66	4	-20	LAA	5½	Sabathia	Marshall	25,383	1,060,200	
5/22	39	ARI	L	1-2	15-24	4	-8	TEX	2	Buckner	Cahill	Rauch	13,586	338,129	8/19	120	NYN	L	2-3	53-67	4	-21	LAA	6½	Aceves	Anderson	Rivera	35,067	1,095,267
5/23	40	ARI	L	7-8 (11)	15-25	4	-9	TEX	3	Pena	Breslow	Qualls	21,295	359,424	8/20														

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	7, August 28 at Los Angeles
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	5, September 11, 2009 at Minnesota
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	4 (three times), last: 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	2, September 24 vs. Texas
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	2, May 17 at Detroit and July 21 vs. Minnesota
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	5, September 9 at Chicago and September 12 at Minnesota
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	4, September 23 vs. Texas

TEAM PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, A's	15, September 18 vs. Cleveland
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	13, April 14 vs. Boston and September 15 at Texas
Most Walks, A's	9, April 18 at Toronto and May 18 at Tampa Bay
Most Walks, Opponents	9, September 24 vs. Texas
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	1, September 16 at Texas
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 and September 14 to 20
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 and August 17 vs. New York
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 and Jack Cust, September 11 at Minnesota
Most Hits, Game	5, Kennedy, July 28 at Boston; Ellis, August 10 at Baltimore; Kennedy, August 15 vs. Chicago
Most Doubles, Game	3, Ryan Sweeney, September 14 at Texas
Most Triples, Game	1 (19 times), last: Rajai Davis and Cliff Pennington, September 24 vs. Texas
Most Home Runs, Game	2 (five times), last: Jack Cust, August 23 vs. Detroit
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 (five times), last: Jack Cust, September 15 at Texas
Most Stolen Bases, Game	2 (10 times), last: Rajai Davis, September 9 at Chicago
Longest Hitting Streak	14, Orlando Cabrera, June 17 to July 1

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, Game	10, Brett Anderson, September 18 vs. Cleveland
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 and Brett Tomko, September 14 at Texas
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

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Barton	8	0	0	0	8
Buck	3	2	0	0	5
Cabrera	26	9	0	0	35
Carson	1	0	0	0	1
Crosby	8	1	0	0	9
Cust	20	6	0	0	26
Davis	20	5	0	0	25
Ellis	18	3	1	1	23
Everidge	3	0	0	0	3
Garcia	10	1	0	0	11
Giambi	11	1	0	0	12
Gonzalez, E	1	0	0	0	1
Hairston	9	2	0	0	11
Hannahan	4	0	0	0	4
Holliday	21	2	2	0	25
Kennedy	29	10	2	2	43
Patterson	3	1	0	0	4
Pennington	6	4	0	0	10
Petit	1	1	0	0	2
Powell	6	1	0	0	7
Suzuki	27	7	1	0	35
Sweeney	25	8	1	0	34

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Barton	4	1	0	0	0	5
Buck	2	0	0	0	0	2
Cabrera	7	1	1	0	0	9
Carson	1	0	0	0	0	1
Crosby	3	4	0	0	0	7
Cunningham	2	0	0	0	0	2
Cust	10	3	3	0	0	16
Davis	7	2	2	0	0	11
Ellis	8	5	1	0	0	14
Everidge	1	0	0	0	0	1
Garcia	1	1	0	0	0	2
Giambi	7	4	0	0	0	11
Hairston	3	3	1	0	0	7
Hannahan	0	1	0	0	0	1
Holliday	9	4	0	0	1	14
Kennedy	12	4	0	0	0	16
Patterson	1	1	0	0	0	2
Pennington	6	0	0	0	0	6
Powell	6	3	1	0	0	10
Suzuki	15	5	0	0	0	20
Sweeney	8	2	1	0	0	11

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Barton	1	3	4
Buck	3	3	6
Cabrera	4	4	8
Chavez	0	1	1
Crosby	2	4	6
Cunningham	1	0	1
Cust	6	14	20
Davis	6	7	13
Ellis	4	9	13
Everidge	1	2	3
Garcia	2	3	5
Giambi	5	8	13
Hairston	5	9	14
Hannahan	2	1	3
Holliday	5	11	16
Kennedy	1	12	13
Patterson	1	2	3
Pennington	1	3	4
Petit	0	1	1
Powell	1	6	7
Suzuki	5	17	22
Sweeney	5	11	16

STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Barton	-	-	-	-	-	2	17	18	-
Buck	-	-	-	-	-	2	9	12	2
Cabrera	35	52	-	-	1	10	2	-	-
Carson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Chavez	-	-	-	1	2	3	2	-	-
Crosby	-	-	-	-	1	11	18	24	7
Cunningham	-	-	-	-	-	6	5	3	-
Cust	-	7	33	27	46	9	15	2	-
Davis	5	46	-	-	-	2	4	16	15
Ellis	-	3	1	-	1	22	17	25	23
Everidge	-	-	-	-	3	14	3	2	-
Garcia	-	-	3	7	12	10	1	-	-
Giambi	-	-	29	17	29	1	4	-	-
Hairston	-	-	27	19	7	2	1	1	-
Hannahan	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	9	22
Holliday	-	-	19	73	-	-	-	-	-
Kennedy	88	19	-	-	1	6	5	2	-
Patterson	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	12	-
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	46	-
Petit	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	-
Powell	-	-	-	-	6	3	10	7	9
Suzuki	1	26	24	9	33	28	10	2	-
Sweeney	24	-	17	-	11	27	24	15	-

GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Barton	-	-	42	37	-	-	-	-	-	-
Buck	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	-	25
Cabrera	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carson	-	-	-	-	-	101	100	-	-	-
Chavez	-	-	-	-	-	8	8	-	-	-
Crosby	-	-	54	24	5	4	39	30	6	2
Cunningham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-
Cust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Davis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50
Davis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	104
Denorfia	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-
Ellis	-	-	-	96	93	-	-	-	-	-
Everidge	-	-	21	19	-	-	-	-	-	3
Garcia	-	-	16	11	-	6	6	-	-	17
Giambi	-	-	58	58	-	-	-	-	-	22
Hairston	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	42
Hannahan	-	-	1	1	-	51	34	-	-	-
Holliday	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	93	92	-
Kennedy	-	-	1	-	50	49	74	72	-	-
Patterson	-	-	-	-	4	3	-	-	17	11
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51	51	-
Petit	-	-	-	8	4	3	3	-	-	-
Powell	33	28	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	4
Suzuki	128	125	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Sweeney	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	5	57

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS					LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN				Grand Slams (4)
Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since
Barton	1	1	1	0	3	Sept. 9, 2009	at Minnesota	Mahay	11
Buck	2	1	0	0	3	May 29, 2009	at Texas	Hunter	5
Carson	0	1	0	0	1	Sept. 21, 2009	Texas	Guardado	1
Crosby	5	0	1	0	6	August 9, 2009	at Kansas City	Bales	14
Cust	12	6	4	1	23	Sept. 24, 2009	Texas	Feldman	--
Davis	2	1	0	0	3	Sept. 1, 2009	Kansas City	Davies	21
Ellis	5	3	1	0	9	Sept. 19, 2009	Cleveland	Sowers	4
GarciaParra	2	1	0	0	3	Sept. 4, 2009	Seattle	Rowland-Smith	5
Hairston	9	4	3	1	17	Sept. 6, 2009	Seattle	Kelley	12
Kennedy	7	4	0	0	11	Sept. 20, 2009	Cleveland	Carmona	4
Munson	0	0	0	0	0	July 29, 2007	San Diego	Stauffer	24
Patterson	1	0	0	0	1	Sept. 23, 2009	Texas	Hunter	1
Pennington	3	1	0	0	4	Sept. 9, 2009	at Minnesota	Blackburn	13
Powell	3	2	1	1	7	Sept. 16, 2009	at Texas	Nippert	2
Suzuki	10	2	2	0	14	Sept. 19, 2009	Cleveland	Ohka	4
Sweeney	4	1	1	0	6	Aug. 27, 2009	at Los Angeles	Santana	23
others	16	6	5	1	28				
Team	78	32	17	4	131				

Grand Slams (4)
Jack Cust, May 7 vs. Texas (McCarthy)
Matt Holliday, July 20 vs. Minnesota (Keppel)
Landon Powell, September 2 vs. Kansas City (Yabuta)
Scott Hairston, September 6 vs. Seattle (Hairston)
Pinch Hit Home Runs (0)
None
Lead Off Home Runs (1)
Adam Kennedy, July 29 at Boston (Penny)
Back-To-Back Home Runs (5)
Crosby and Powell, June 3 at Chicago (Richard)
Kennedy and Cust, June 20 at San Diego (Burke)
Holliday and Cust, July 20 vs. Minnesota (Keppel/Mijares)
Sweeney and Crosby, August 9 at Kansas City (Hochevar)
Cust and Ellis, September 8 at Chicago (Torres)
Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
None
Walk-Off Wins (5)
April 14 vs. Boston (Buck single)
June 11 vs. Minnesota (Davis single)
August 3 vs. Texas (Davis triple)
August 16 vs. Chicago (Ellis home run)
August 22 vs. Detroit (Suzuki single)

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No. Needs	Player	Category	No. Needs
Davis	Stolen Bases	92 8 for 100	Ellis	Triples	21 1 for 22 (ties Bando for 8 th in Oakland history)

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Barton	Strained left hamstring	July 27-August 20	23	Ellis	Strained left calf	April 29-June 27	55
Braden	Rash on left foot	August 1-present (eligible Sept. 30)	51	GarciaParra	Strained right calf	April 29-May 21	20
Buck	Strained left oblique	May 30-June 13	15	GarciaParra	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	138	Giese	Right elbow ulnaritis	May 16-present	121
Copeland	Sprained left shoulder	March 27-May 4	23	Mazzaro	Right shoulder tendinitis	September 8-present	16
Crosby	Strained left calf	August 18-September 1	14	Outman	Sprained left elbow	June 20-present	87
Devine	UCL surgery, right elbow	April 4-present	153	Sweeney	Sprained left knee	June 3-18	14
Duchscherer	Right elbow surgery	March 27-present	153				

The A's have placed 17 players on the disabled list this season...placed an Oakland record 25 players on the disabled list in 2008.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

May 5	Ben Copeland reinstated from disabled list; Dana Eveland optioned to Sacramento	July 7	Dana Eveland designated for assignment
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 8	Jeff Gray recalled from Sacramento
May 12	Santiago Casilla transferred to Sacramento on rehab assignment	July 10	Dana Eveland optioned to Sacramento
May 14	Ben Copeland returned to San Francisco (Rule 5); Jerry Blevins and Jeff Gray optioned to 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 15	Santiago Casilla reinstated from disabled list; Aaron Cunningham recalled from Sacramento	July 20	Jason Giambi placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained right quad); Daric Barton recalled from Sacramento
May 18	Dan Giese placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 16 (right elbow ulnaritis); Gio Gonzalez recalled from Sacramento	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 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 26	Justin Duchscherer sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
May 20	Craig Breslow claimed off waivers from Minnesota; Mark Ellis transferred to 60-day disabled list	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 21	Aaron Cunningham optioned to Sacramento	July 31	Orlando Cabrera traded to the Minnesota Twins with cash for minor league infielder Tyler Ladendorf; Cliff Pennington recalled from Sacramento
May 22	Nomar GarciaParra reinstated from disabled list; Chris Schroder optioned to Sacramento	August 5	Chad Reineke selected from Sacramento; Eric Patterson optioned to Sacramento
May 27	Nomar GarciaParra placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 24 (strained right calf); Jeff Gray recalled from Sacramento	August 6	Jeff Gray recalled from Sacramento; Chad Reineke 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 7	Jason Giambi reinstated from disabled list and released
June 2	Vin Mazzaro selected from Sacramento; Kevin Cameron optioned to Sacramento; Dan Giese transferred to 60-day disabled list	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)
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 9	Jay Marshall selected from Sacramento; Clayton Mortensen optioned to Sacramento; Justin Duchscherer transferred to Sacramento on rehab
June 9	Chris Denorfia recalled from Sacramento; Gregorio Petit optioned to Sacramento	August 13	Justin Duchscherer transferred to AZL A's on rehab; Daric Barton sent to AZL A's on rehab
June 12	Nomar GarciaParra reinstated from the disabled list; Aaron Cunningham optioned to Sacramento	August 17	Brett Tomko selected from Sacramento; Aaron Cunningham optioned to Sacramento
June 14	Travis Buck reinstated from disabled list and optioned to Sacramento	August 19	Chris Schroder outrighted to Sacramento
June 15	Mark Ellis sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	August 20	Daric Barton transferred to Stockton on rehab; Justin Duchscherer returned from rehab assignment
June 18	Ryan Sweeney reinstated from the disabled list; Chris Denorfia optioned to Sacramento; Mark Ellis transferred to Sacramento on rehab	August 21	Bobby Crosby placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to August 18 (strained left calf); Daric Barton reinstated from disabled list
June 24	Josh Outman placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 20 (sprained left elbow); Gio Gonzalez recalled from Sacramento	August 28	Eric Patterson recalled from Sacramento; Tommy Everidge optioned to Sacramento
June 28	Mark Ellis reinstated from disabled list; Daric Barton optioned to Sacramento; Josh Outman transferred to 60-day disabled list	Sept. 1	Jerry Blevins and Dana Eveland recalled from Sacramento; Brad Kilby selected from Sacramento
June 29	Travis Buck recalled from Sacramento; Jack Hannahan optioned to Sacramento	Sept. 2	Bobby Crosby reinstated from disabled list; John Meloan claimed off waivers from Pittsburgh and optioned to Sacramento
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	Sept. 4	Clayton Mortensen recalled from Sacramento
July 6	Dallas Braden placed on bereavement list; Dana Eveland recalled from Sacramento; Travis Buck optioned to Sacramento	Sept. 11	Eric Munson selected from Sacramento; Dallas Braden transferred to the 60-day disabled list
		Sept. 18	Matt Carson selected from Sacramento; Vin Mazzaro placed on 60-day disabled list retroactive to September 8 (right shoulder tendinitis)
		Sept. 19	Travis Buck, John Meloan and Henry Rodriguez recalled from Sacramento