



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Game Information

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A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	9-4 (April 17)
Season Low	34-40 (June 23)
April	12-12
May	16-12
June	10-17
July	14-10
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	11-5-1
Road Series	6-10-0
Series Sweeps	4-6
First Game of Series	13-21
Last Game of Series	21-12
A's Score First	39-17
Opponent Scores First	13-34
Leading After 7 th	43-1
Leading After 8 th	44-0
Tied After 7 th	8-8
Tied After 8 th	6-10
Trailing After 7 th	1-42
Trailing After 8 th	2-41
Commit No Errors	34-22
Commit 1 or More Errors	18-29
More HR Than Opp.	18-7
Fewer HR Than Opp.	11-30
Same Total HR of Opp.	23-14
Starter Pitches 7 or More	18-10
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	34-41
When Scoring 4 or More	44-11
When Scoring Less Than 4	8-40
Last At Bat	9-11
Different Lineups	83

A's vs. WHITE SOX

The A's lead the 2010 series, 3-2, winning two of three in Oakland last weekend, and splitting the first two here in Chicago...won last year's series, 5-4...lost two of three in Oakland but won four of six in Chicago...have won the season series seven times over the previous nine years and are 54-29 (.651) against the Sox since the start of the 2001 season...that is the best record by any American League team over that span...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 281-259 against the White Sox...that breaks down to 148-126 in Oakland and 133-133 in Chicago...all-time, the A's are 958-1014 against Chicago.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Jack Cust is batting .306 (15 for 49) with six home runs and 15 RBI in his last 15 games... his six HR have come in his last 13 games.

Rajai Davis has 32 steals, which ranks third in the American League...he also is hitting .385 (20 for 52) with five doubles, two home runs and 11 RBI in his last 14 games...stole his 30th base Wednesday night in Texas, thus becoming only the fifth player in Oakland history with at least two 30-steal seasons.

Kurt Suzuki is batting .370 (20 for 54) with 10 RBI and nine runs scored in his last 14 games...also ranks second among AL catchers in home runs (12) and is third in RBI (44) despite missing 19 games on the DL and bereavement lists.

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1976**, the A's steal a club record 12 bases in an 8-7, 12 inning loss in the first game of a doubleheader at Minnesota ...in **1986**, Jose Canseco hits his 100th career home run off Melido Perez in the A's 10-2 win at Chicago...in **1999**, Miguel Tejada, Eric Chavez, Jason Giambi and John Jaha all homer in the fourth inning of the A's 10-6 win over Tampa Bay. The four home runs in an inning ties the Oakland record.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS (52-51) VS. CHICAGO WHITE SOX (58-45)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1, 2010 – U.S. CELLULAR FIELD – 1:05 P.M. CDT

LHP GIO GONZALEZ (9-6, 3.64) VS. RHP GAVIN FLOYD (6-8, 3.66)

CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (XTRA SPORTS 860 AM) – ESPAÑOL (LOSATLETICOS.COM)

ABOUT THE A'S

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NIGHT AND DAY: The A's extended their winning streak in day games to seven last Sunday and have not lost a day game since June 23...are 24-10 (.706) during the day, which is the best record in the majors, compared to 28-41 (.406) at night, which is tied for fifth worst in the majors...have a 2.87 ERA (97 er in 303.2 ip) during the day and a 4.20 ERA (286 er in 612.1 ip) at night...have the lowest day ERA in the majors.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are playing the final game of a six-game road trip today, having etched a 2-3 mark thus far vs. Texas (1-2) and Chicago (1-1)...have won 10 of their last 15 road games....the A's were 4-2 on their last homestand against Boston (2-1) and Chicago (2-1) July 19-25...are 30-22 (.577) at home this season compared to 22-29 (.431) on the road...have a 2.97 ERA (157 er in 475.0 ip) at home compared to a 4.61 ERA (226 er in 441 ip) on the road...have the lowest home ERA in the American League...have allowed 34 home runs at home compared to 67 on the road...have yielded the fewest home runs at home in the AL and tied for the most on the road...starting pitchers are 22-16 with a 3.06 ERA (109 er in 321 ip) at home compared to 16-18 with a 4.42 ERA (146 er in 297 ip) on the road.

IN JULY: The A's closed the curtain on the month of July with a 14-10 (.583), which was the fourth best record in the AL ...it was their best July record since 2005, when they went 20-6, and their first winning July since 2006 (14-13)...combined for a 29-49 (.372) record in July over the previous three seasons...the pitching staff had a 3.07 ERA (74 er in 217 ip) for the month, second lowest in the majors (CWS, 2.94)...had a .238 opponents batting average, lowest in the AL and third lowest in the majors, and yielded 18 home runs, which was fourth fewest...the A's offense had 30 stolen bases, which was second most in the majors (TB, 35).

AGAINST THE BEST: Beginning with last weekend's three-game series against Chicago, the A's encounter a 15-game stretch where they will play 12 games against first place teams...they are 4-4 thus far during the stretch...after this three-game set in Chicago they return home to play Kansas City Monday-Wednesday and then face Texas again in a three-game series next weekend...the A's are 28-35 against opponents that were at or above .500 when the A's played them and 24-16 against teams that were below .500.

PITCHING: The A's have allowed two earned runs or fewer in eight of the last 16 games (47 er in 143.1 ip, 2.95 ERA), which has lowered the season ERA to 3.76—second lowest in the American League behind Tampa Bay (3.63)...tied with the White Sox for the AL lead in shutouts (9), while rank first in fewest hit batters (21) and rank fourth in lowest opponents batting average (.249).

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers have allowed two earned runs or fewer in 11 of the last 16 games and are 9-4 with a 3.10 ERA (36 er in 104.2 ip) over that span...have a 3.71 ERA (255 er in 619 ip) this season, tops in the American League...their.247 opponents batting average ranks third in the AL.

THE LONG BALL: The A's have hit 68 home runs this season, which is tied for second fewest in the American League...are on pace to hit 107 home runs...have hit 108 or fewer home runs three times in Oakland history in a non-strike season (94 in 1968, 100 in 1978 and 108 in 1979)... have hit three home runs three times in the last 16 games, the last time occurring July 24 vs. the White Sox...did it just once over the first 87 games (4 at Boston, June 3)

OFFENSE: Oakland has managed only 269 extra base hits this year, third fewest in the American League...also rank fourth lowest in slugging percentage (.383) and runs (433) in the AL...however, are tied for third in the American League with 22 triples, which is one more than the season total from last year...rank second with 34 sacrifice hits, which is three more than last year's season total ...have not had more since 1999 when they had 39...have 313 walks and are on pace for 492...have walked fewer than 500 times in a non-strike season just three times in Oakland history (433 in 1978, 472 in 1968, 482 in 1979)...A's pinch hitters lead the AL in home runs (3), rank second in RBI (12) and are fourth in batting (.250).

ON THE BASES: The A's have 22 stolen bases since the All-Star Break, most in the majors...have been successful in 87 of 109 (79.8%) stolen base attempts for the season, which is the second best percentage in the American League (TB, 80.4%) and third best in the majors (Philadelphia, 84.1%)...the Oakland record is 80.7% set in 2008...have a record of 36-17 when stealing a base and are 16-34 with no stolen bases...the A's pitching staff ranks second in the majors with 18 pickoffs (CWS, 20).

CLOSE CALLS: The A's are 15-10 (.600) in one-run games, which is third best in the American League behind Chicago (19-12) and New York (11-7)...have lost eight of their last 13 one-run decisions after winning 10 of the first 12...with Tuesday night's 3-1, 10-inning loss at Texas, they are 4-6 (.444) in extra inning games.

THE DISABLED LIST: The A's placed Andrew Bailey on the disabled list Friday, marking the 20th time they have used the DL this year...have now used the DL 84 times since the start of the 2007 season (17 in 2009, an Oakland record 25 in 2008 and 22 in 2007)...the only team that has used the DL more over that span is Texas (87)...the 20 players have combined to miss 846 games (42.3 games per stint)...began the year with six players on the DL and it now stands at nine (Bailey, Chavez, Devine, Duchscherer, Jackson, Meloan, Outman, Sheets, Sweeney)...have had at least seven players on the DL every day since April 21 and at least five on the DL all year...have not had fewer than five players on the DL since April 28 of last year when they had four...have not had fewer than three players on the DL since the end of 2006 when they had one.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Mon., Aug. 2 vs. KC	RHP Brian Bannister (7-10, 5.82)	vs. RHP Trevor Cahill (10-4, 2.93)	7:05 CSNCA
Tue., Aug. 3 vs. KC	RHP Kyle Davies (5-6, 5.48)	vs. RHP Vin Mazzaro (6-3, 4.04)	7:05 CSNCA
Wed., Aug. 4 vs. KC	RHP Sean O'Sullivan (0-1, 4.13)	vs. LHP Brett Anderson (2-2, 3.25)	12:35 CSNCA

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TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Gio Gonzalez (9-6, 3.64 ERA)

GONZALEZ BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2010	9	6	3.64	21	126.0	51
2009	6	7	5.75	20	98.2	63
Career	16	17	4.98	51	258.2	143
Home	5	3	3.27	10	63.1	23
Road	4	3	4.02	11	62.2	28
Day	5	0	1.99	6	40.2	9
Night	4	6	4.43	15	85.1	42
Pre-ASB	7	6	3.79	18	107.0	45
Post-ASB	2	0	2.84	3	19.0	6
	AVG.	AB	H			
vs. LHH	.173	110	19			
vs. RHH	.261	364	95			

RUN SUPPORT

Gonzalez	
Runs Scored	Times
0	3
1	6
2	3
3	1
4	2
5	2
6	1
7	0
8	1
9	0
10	1
11	1
Run Support Avg.	4.86

GONZALEZ vs. CHICAGO

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2010	0	0	0.00	0	--	--
2009	0	1	10.80	1	5.0	6
2008	0	1	18.92	1	3.1	7
Career	0	2	14.05	2	8.1	13

Gonzalez' Starts vs. Chicago

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
8/17/08	H	L	3.1	6	8	7	5	2
8/15/09	H	L	5.0	6	6	6	6	2

Chicago Career Batting vs. Gonzalez

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Beckham	.500	2	1	0	1	0
Jones	.000	3	0	0	0	0
Konerko	.000	2	0	0	3	0
Pierzynski	.400	5	2	0	1	0
Quentin	.750	4	3	1	2	0
Ramirez	.333	3	1	0	1	0
Rios	.167	6	1	0	0	0
Teahen	..250	4	1	0	1	3

GONZALEZ' CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	8.0, 5/22/10 vs. SF
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:	10, 10/2/09 vs. LAA
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 22nd start of the season...the A's are 11-10 (.524) in his starting assignments this year and are 22-23 (.489) in his career...has tossed at least six innings in 14 of his 21 starts, allowed two runs or fewer 11 times and walked two batters or fewer nine times.

LAST SIX STARTS: Has allowed one run or fewer in five of his last seven starts and is 3-1 with a 2.53 ERA (12 er in 42.2 ip) over that span...went 1-2 with a 5.65 ERA over his previous five starts.

WALKS AND STRIKEOUTS: Leads the A's with 101 strikeouts but has also issued 59 walks, which is second most in the American League...now has 244 strikeouts and 140 walks in 258.2 career innings for an average of 8.49 strikeouts and 4.87 walks per nine innings.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Has allowed a .173 (19 for 110) batting average against left-handed hitters compared to .261 (95 for 364) against right-handers...the mark against lefties is ninth lowest in the American League...has issued 50 of his 59 walks to right-handers...the opposition is 24 for 126 (.190) with seven walks when leading off an inning...the on-base percentage (.233) when leading off is fifth lowest in the AL and the batting average is tied for sixth lowest...has yielded two home runs over his first 60 pitches in a game and eight after that.

IN JULY: Is 3-1 with a 3.34 ERA (11 er in 29.2 ip) in five starts in July...the three wins are tied for seventh in the American League last month and match the best one-month total of his career (May, 2010).

INNING BY INNING: Has a 2.29 ERA (16 er in 63.0 ip) over the first three innings of a game and a 5.00 ERA (35 er in 63.0 ip) from the fourth inning on...has allowed 25 of his 52 runs in the fourth and fifth innings (39.0 ip, 5.77 ERA).

NIGHT AND DAY: Is 5-0 with a 1.99 ERA (9 er in 40.2 ip) and .186 (27 for 145) opponents batting average in six starts during the day and 4-6 with a 4.43 ERA (42 er in 85.1 ip) and .264 (87 for 329) opponents average in 15 starts at night...has the fourth lowest day ERA in the American League.

HOME AND AWAY: Is 5-3 with a 3.27 ERA (23 er in 63.1 ip) and .203 (46 for 227) opponents batting average in 10 starts at home and 4-3 with a 4.02 ERA (28 er in 62.2 ip) and .275 (68 for 247) opponents average in 11 starts on the road...is third lowest home opponents batting average in the American League...has allowed six of his 10 home runs on the road.

RUN SUPPORT: Has received support of one run or less in each of his last eight losses dating back to last year...has six career starts with no run support and is 2-16 in 24 career starts with run support of two runs or less...is 14-1 in 21 starts with three runs of support or more.

CAREER BESTS: Has career highs in wins (9), starts (21), games (21), innings pitched (126.0) and walks (59)...has 101 strikeouts, which is eight short of his best of 109 from last year...has a 3.64 ERA after posting marks of 7.68 and 5.75 in his first two seasons.

2010 HIGHLIGHTS: Combined with Kilby and Bailey on a seven-hit shutout in the A's 11-0 win over Cleveland **April 25** in Oakland...tossed 7.0 innings and allowed five of the hits while walking two...retired each of the last 10 batters that he faced...won his second consecutive start in the A's 4-3 win at Toronto **May 1**...retired each of the first nine batters he faced, giving him a streak of 19 consecutive batters retired...combined with Bailey on a three-hit shutout in the A's 1-0 win over San Francisco on **May 22** in Oakland...tossed a career high 8.0 innings and allowed two hits while walking one...allowed a two-out single to Sanchez in the first and a one-out walk to Huff followed by a Torres single in the second...then retired each of the final 20 batters he faced before he was relieved by Bailey to start the ninth...had a no decision in the A's 7-5 win at Baltimore **May 27**...retired each of the first two batters before walking Wigginton, snapping his streak of consecutive batters retired at 22...was the winning pitcher in the A's 5-4 win over Minnesota on **June 6** in Oakland...tossed a career high 117 pitches...had his three-game winning streak snapped in the A's 6-2 loss at San Francisco **June 11**...allowed two home runs in a start for the first time this year (had allowed just four home runs over his first 12 starts)...lost his second consecutive decision in the A's 6-2 loss at Chicago **June 16**...yielded a season high six runs in five innings...had a no decision in the A's 6-4, 10-inning loss to Cincinnati **June 27**...allowed an unearned run in the first inning but that was the only run he would allow in seven innings...retired 16 of the final 18 hitters he faced...had his second consecutive no decision in a 3-2 win over Pittsburgh **June 27**...allowed one run in 6.0 innings and left with a 2-1 lead before Ziegler blew the save...combined with Breslow and Bailey on a five-hit shutout in the A's 3-0 win at Cleveland **July 2**...tossed 6.2 innings and allowed all five hits...was the losing pitcher in the A's 6-2 loss to New York on **July 7** in Oakland...walked a season high tying five batters and allowed eight hits in just 4.0 innings...allowed four runs on seven hits in 6.0 innings in winning his second straight start, a 6-4 A's win vs. Boston **July 21**.

LAST START: After allowing a RBI double to Guerrero in the first inning and stranding five Ranger runners in the first two frames, he settled down to work 6.0 innings before exiting with the game tied, 1-1...held Texas to five hits, striking out six and walking three in a 111-pitch effort...the A's bullpen worked three scoreless innings before Wuertz was tagged for a one-out, game-winning two-run homer by Cruz in the 10th.

GONZALEZ vs. CHICAGO: Is 0-2 with a 14.05 ERA (13 er, 8.1 ip) in two career starts vs. the White Sox...both starts were in Oakland, allowing eight runs (seven earned) on six hits and five walks in a 13-1 loss August 17, 2008 and yielding six runs (all earned) on six hits in 5.0 innings in an 8-1 setback August 15, 2009...in the 2008 loss, he allowed three runs in the second inning on a wild pitch and two-run homer by Uribe and then was tagged for three more runs in the third on a two-run home run by Quentin and solo shot by Dye...the key blow in last year's loss was a two-run homer by Nix in the third. Inning...he left that game down 4-1 in the sixth inning, but was charged for two additional runs when Casilla allowed two inherited runners to score.

GONZALEZ' 2010 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT	
April 9	at LAA	10-4	W	3.00	6.0	6	2	2	1	6	1	95	
April 14	at SEA	2-4	--	3.38	4.2	6	2	2	4	5	0	98	
April 20	NYN	3-7	L	5.40	4.1	3	5	5	5	5	0	97	
April 25	CLE	11-0	W	3.68	7.0	5	0	0	2	3	0	100	
April Totals (4 G, 4 GS)				2-1	3.68	22.0	20	9	9	12	19	1	
May 1	at TOR	4-3	W	3.45	6.2	3	2	2	2	8	0	103	
May 7	TB	1-4	L	3.53	7.0	3	3	3	5	7	0	103	
May 12	at TEX	1-10	L	4.08	4.0	9	4	4	0	3	1	97	
May 17	SEA	8-4	W	4.05	7.0	4	3	3	4	4	1	104	
May 22	SF	1-0	W	3.46	8.0	2	0	0	1	5	0	95	
May 27	at BAL	7-5	--	3.54	6.1	6	3	3	3	6	0	108	
May Totals (6 G, 6 GS)				3-2	3.46	39.0	27	15	15	15	33	2	
June 1	at BOS	4-9	--	3.68	5.0	7	3	3	4	5	1	108	
June 6	MIN	5-4	W	3.58	7.0	6	2	2	1	4	0	117	
June 11	at SF	2-6	L	3.79	5.1	6	4	4	4	4	2	105	
June 16	at CHI (NL)	2-6	L	4.21	5.0	8	6	6	3	3	1	89	
June 21	CIN	4-6 (10)	--	3.89	7.0	4	1	0	1	9	0	105	
June 27	PIT	3-2	--	3.74	6.0	4	1	1	4	2	1	87	
June Totals (6 G, 6 GS)				1-2	4.08	35.1	35	17	16	17	27	5	
July 2	at CLE	3-0	W	3.50	6.2	5	0	0	4	5	0	107	
July 7	NYN	2-6	L	3.79	4.0	8	5	5	5	5	1	90	
July 16	at KC	5-1	W	3.63	7.0	7	1	1	1	3	0	99	
July 21	BOS	6-4	W	3.75	6.0	7	4	4	2	3	1	107	
July 27	at TEX	3-1	--	3.64	6.0	5	1	1	3	6	0	111	

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

RHP Trevor Cahill (10-4, 2.93 ERA): Is scheduled to make his 19th start of the season...has a streak of 17 consecutive starts with six hits or fewer and five innings pitched or more, which is the longest such streak in Oakland history...has the lowest opponents batting average in the American League (.196)—second lowest in the majors (Latos, SD, .195)—and the second lowest on-base percentage (.266) and slugging percentage (.312)...in his last start Wednesday in Texas, he twirled 8.0 scoreless innings and allowed only two hits while striking out four and walking three in improving his season record to 10-4 in a 3-1 A's win...he joined Tim Hudson (1999-2000) in becoming only the second pitcher in Oakland history to win at least 10 games in each of their first two seasons of their career...is 2-0 with a 5.09 ERA in two career starts vs. Kansas City, with his last start coming July 17 at KC, when he pitched 6.2 innings in a no decision outing in the A's 6-5 win (5 h, 5 r, 5 er, 4 bb, 3 so, hr).

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

14-17, 3.88 ERA (297 ip, 282 h, 140 r, 128 er, 127 bb, 262 so, 38 hr) Save/Save Opportunities: 25/33 (75.8%)

The A's bullpen has allowed one run or less in 25 of the past 30 games and has a 2.73 ERA (24 er in 79 ip) over that span... posted a 2.34 ERA in 22 games in July (61.2 ip, 49 h, 19 r, 16 er, 24 bb, 56 so)...ranks third in the American League in losses (17), is third in home runs allowed (38), tied for fourth in strikeouts (262), is sixth in innings pitched (297) and tied for sixth in wins (14)...has 33 save opportunities this season, which is tied for second fewest in the AL...has a 2.82 ERA (48 er in 153.1 ip) at home compared to a 5.00 ERA (80 er in 144 ip) on the road.

40 RHP ANDREW BAILEY Save/Opportunities: 20-23 Last Outing: 7/20 vs. Boston (W, 2.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 15/5 First Hitters: 9-34 (2 bb, 2 sf)

- Placed on the 15-day DL Friday with a right intercostal strain, retroactive to July 21.
- Earned his 45th career save July 17, which moved him past Billy Koch and Keith Foulke for seventh place on the Oakland career list...now has 46 saves.
- Has not allowed a run in 13 of his past 15 appearances (1.10 ERA, 2 er in 16.1 ip)...has a 1.56 ERA for the season, which is fourth lowest among American League relievers.
- Has a 1.17 ERA (3 er in 23.0 ip) in Oakland and a 2.08 ERA (4 er in 17.1 ip) on the road.
- Has yielded a .154 (6 for 39) batting average with runners in scoring position.
- Is 1-0 with a save in three career outings against the White Sox (3.2 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 4 so).
- Was named to his second consecutive American League All-Star team and appeared in the game for the first time...entered the game in the seventh inning with a runner on second and two outs...walked Furcal but then struck out Phillips to end the inning.
- Made the jump from Double-A to the majors in 2009 and was named American League Rookie of the Year by the BBWAA...set an Oakland rookie record with 26 saves, which tied for the sixth highest save total by a rookie in AL history...ranked third among AL relievers in ERA (1.84).

13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 7/27 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 25/8 First Hitters: 11-43 (3 bb)

- Has not allowed a run 14 of his last 15 appearances and has a 0.84 ERA (10.2 ip, 9 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 10 so) over that span.
- Is tied for 13th in the American League in games pitched with 46.
- Has a 1.88 ERA (3 er in 14.1 ip) in 16 outings on two days rest or more and a 4.79 ERA (11 er in 20.2 ip) in 30 appearances on one day of rest or less.
- Has a 2.08 ERA in eight career outings against Chicago (8.2 ip, 6 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 5 so).
- Made the A's Opening Day roster for the first time last year and had three stints with Oakland, compiling a 4.84 ERA in 20 relief appearances...opponents hit .229...also went 5-3 with two saves and a 3.84 ERA in 45 relief appearances at Triple-A Sacramento.

52 RHP BOOF BONSER Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 6/11 vs. PHI (ND, 2.0 ip, 4 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 1-1 (1 bb)

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento yesterday... had pitched in five games (all starts) for the RiverCats with a 2-1 record and 4.56 ERA (12 er, 23.2 ip)... in his last start Tuesday, allowed only four hits and one run (earned) in pitching 7.2 innings in the RiverCats' 7-1 win against Colorado Springs, striking out six and walking three batters.
- Has posted an 18-25 career record and 5.19 ERA (227 er, 393.2 ip) in 98 career games, 60 starts, with the Minnesota Twins (2006-09) and Boston Red Sox (2010)...was designated for assignment by the Red Sox June 18 and subsequently signed by the A's July 2.
- A former 2000 first-round draft choice by the Giants, he was traded by San Francisco to Minnesota Nov. 14, 2003...registered a 7-6 record and 4.22 ERA (47 er, 101.1 ip) in 18 games, all starts, during his 2006 rookie season with the Twins...was named the American League Rookie of the Month in September after scrolling a 4-1 mark and 2.63 ERA with 30 strikeouts ins six starts.
- Posted an 8-12 record and 5.10 ERA in 31 games, 30 starts, in 2007 and went 3-7 with a 5.93 ERA in 47 games in 2008, starting his first 12 games before being assigned to the bullpen for the remainder of the season...missed the entire 2009 season when he underwent arthroscopic surgery during spring training (Feb. 25) to repair partial tears to the labrum and rotator cuff in his right shoulder.
- The Red Sox placed him on the 15-day Disabled List March 31 due to a right groin strain. He was sent to Triple-A Pawtucket on a rehab assignment April 8 and posted a 0-2 record and 6.34 ERA there until he was activated by the Red Sox June 7...his 2010 minor league stats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Pawtucket	0	2	6.34	9	8	0	0	0	32.2	37	23	23	14	25
Sacramento	2	1	4.56	5	5	0	0	0	23.2	20	14	12	11	17

56 LHP CRAIG BRESLOW Save/Opportunities: 1-2 Last Outing: 7/28 at Texas (S, 0.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 25/6 First Hitters: 6-47 (3 bb)

- Has held opponents to a .186 (32 for 172) average this season, which ranks seventh lowest among American League relievers...is fourth in the AL in games pitched with 50.
- Had a 2.84 ERA in 12 appearances in July (12.2 ip, 12 h, 4 r, 4 er, 3 bb, 14 so)...logged a 3.60 ERA in 16 appearances in June after posting a 0.71 ERA in 12 games in May.
- Has a 4.50 ERA (5 er in 10.0 ip) in 12 outings on no days rest and a 2.37 ERA (10 er in 38.0 ip) in his other 38 games...his career numbers are 3.60 (18 er in 45.0 ip) on no days rest and 2.55 (42 er in 148.0 ip) with one day or more.
- Is 0-2 with a 2.45 ERA in 15 career appearances against the White Sox (14.2 ip, 6 h, 4 r, 4 er, 3 bb, 8 so).
- Began the 2009 season with Minnesota and had a 6.28 ERA in 17 appearances when he was claimed off waivers by the A's May 20...went 7-5 with a 2.60 ERA in 60 games with Oakland and combined for an 8-7 record and a 3.36 ERA in a career high 77 appearances overall.

63 RHP HENRY RODRIGUEZ Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 7/30 at Chicago (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0 First Hitters: 3-7 (1 bb)

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento July 19 for his fourth stint with the A's this year...has made four appearances since his recall (4.1 ip, 4 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 5 so, 6.24 ERA).
- Pitched once during his first stint from May 5 to 14 (13.50 ERA), twice during his second stay from May 16 to 19 (4.50 ERA) and once during his last stint from June 4 to 7 when he tossed 2.0 scoreless innings June 7 against Los Angeles (1 bb, 2 so).
- Has faced Chicago twice in his career with an 11.59 ERA (2.1 ip, 4 h, 3 r, 3 er, 1 bb, 4 so,).
- Had five saves in six appearances with Sacramento following his last option on June 8 and did not allow an earned run (6.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 9 so)...was on Sacramento's disabled list from June 15 to July 9 with a strained right hamstring...has allowed a .133 opponents batting average with the River Cats, including .106 (5 for 47) against right-handed hitters and .179 (5 for 28) against left-handers...allowed just one home run in 21.1 innings...struck out 31 in 21.1 innings and now has 452 career strikeouts in 351.2 minor league innings (11.57 per nine innings)...his complete statistics with Sacramento this year:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento	0	2	1.69	20	0	0	0	11	21.1	10	8	4	9	31

- Made his Major League debut with Oakland last year and posted a 2.25 ERA and .235 opponents batting average in three games in September...combined for a 2-1 record and a 5.18 ERA in a career-high 40 relief appearances with Single-A Stockton and Triple-A Sacramento.

50 RHP ROSS WOLF Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 7/29 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/0 First Hitters: 0-3 (1 bb)

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento July 7 and made his 2010 debut July 10...was his first big league appearance since September 29, 2007 at New York-NL (0.2 ip, 4 h, 3 r, 3 er, 1 bb, 1 hr).
- Made his Major League debut with Florida in 2007 and went 0-1 with an 11.68 ERA in 14 relief appearances.
- Has one career appearance against the White Sox (1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so).
- Was acquired by the A's from Baltimore June 22 with cash considerations for Jake Fox.
- Began the season at Triple-A Norfolk and was assigned to Sacramento following the trade...allowed a .196 batting average, including .200 (14 for 70) against left-handed hitters and .194 (19 for 98) against right-handers...opponents were 8 for 46 (.174) with runners in scoring position and he allowed one home run in 45.1 innings...had a 14-game, 15.2 inning scoreless streak before allowing a run in his final Triple-A outing on July 6 at Reno...his complete minor league statistics this year:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Norfolk	0	2	2.11	25	0	0	0	0	38.1	29	12	9	15	26
Sacramento	0	0	1.29	7	0	0	0	3	7.0	4	3	1	2	8
TOTALS	0	2	1.99	32	0	0	0	3	45.1	33	15	10	17	34

48 RHP MICHAEL WUERTZ Inherited Runners/Scored: 19/3	Save/Opportunities: 3-3	Last Outing: 7/28 at Texas (ND, 0.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) First Hitters: 5-26 (3 bb, 1 sh)
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- Has not allowed an earned run in 13 of his past 15 appearances (10.2 ip, 8 h, 4 r, 3 er, 5 bb, 11 so, 2.53 ERA) after allowing six runs in his previous seven outings (3.2 ip, 14.75 ERA)...now has a 5.95 ERA (13 er in 19.2 ip) over his last 27 games.
- Has a 1.17 ERA (1 er in 7.2 ip) in 11 appearances during the day and a 6.90 ERA (12 er in 15.2 ip) in 20 outings at night.
- Is 1-1 with a 2.92 ERA and two saves in 13 career outings against Chicago (12.1 ip, 9 h, 4 r, 4 er, 4 bb, 11 so).
- Began the season on the 15-day disabled list with right shoulder tendinitis and was reinstated May 3.
- Went 6-1 with four saves and a 2.63 ERA in a team-leading 74 appearances for the A's last year...the games pitched tied for eighth most in Oakland history...led American League relievers and tied for second in the majors with a career-high 102 strikeouts.

31 RHP BRAD ZIEGLER Inherited Runners/Scored: 23/6	Save/Opportunities: 0-3	Last Outing: 7/30 at Chicago (ND, 0.2 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so) First Hitters: 7-44 (2 bb, 1 hbp)
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- Has appeared in just nine of the past 24 games (7.2 ip, 8 h, 4 r, 4 er, 2 bb, 5 so, 4.70 ERA) after making 11 appearances over the previous 18 games (9.1 ip, 14 h, 4 r, 4 er, 2 bb, 6 so, 3.86 ERA).
- Had a 2.46 ERA in seven July appearances (7.1 ip, 7 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 5 so) after allowing at least one run in seven of his 15 outings in June for a 6.40 ERA...posted a 2.53 ERA in April and 1.93 ERA in May.
- Has held right-handed hitters to a .231 (28 for 121) average while lefties are hitting .319 (15 for 47) with three of his four home runs and 12 of his 18 walks...has yielded six of his eight career home runs to left-handed hitters.
- Has allowed four home runs, which is a new career high...yielded two in each of the previous two seasons.
- Has a 1.16 ERA (3 er in 23.1 ip) at home compared to a 5.82 ERA (14 er in 21.2 ip) on the road.
- Has a 2.28 ERA (6 er in 23.2 ip) in 26 outings on one day rest or less and a 4.64 ERA (11 er in 21.1 ip) in his other 22 outings.
- Has not allowed a run in seven career appearances against the White Sox (8.2 ip, 6 h, 4 bb, 9 so).
- Was 2-4 with seven saves and a 3.07 ERA in 69 relief appearances last year...allowed two home runs in 73.1 innings for an average of 0.25 per nine innings, the third lowest mark among American League relievers...led AL relievers and ranked second in the majors in GIDP (14).

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

10 DARIC BARTON Chicago Series: 2-8, 2 rbi, 2b, bb, 2 so, gidp	Career vs. Floyd (.000, 0-5, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 4) Road Trip: 2-12, 2 rbi, db, 2 bb, 4 so, gidp
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- Is 13 for 45 (.289) with seven runs, five doubles, six walks and six multiple-hit games in his 12 games since the All-Star Break...went 2 for 26 over his final seven games before the break.
- Has three stolen bases in his past 11 games...had three steals over the first 302 games of his career.
- Ranks second in the American League in walks (61) and is tied for 11th in times on base (164).
- Is tied for second in the AL with 12 sacrifice hits, which are the most by an Athletic since A.J. Hinch had 13 in 1998...they are the most by a first baseman in Oakland history and are the most by any major league first baseman since Rod Carew had 16 for California in 1982.
- Has committed nine errors, which is tied for the lead among AL first basemen (Cabrera, DET) and ranks second among Major League first basemen (Howard, PHI 11)...Is 6 for 21 (.286) in five games vs. the White Sox this season and is a career .245 (13 for 53) hitter vs. Chicago.
- Split the 2009 season between Triple-A Sacramento and Oakland...hit .261 with nine home runs and 48 RBI in 70 games with the River Cats and .269 with three home runs and 24 RBI in 54 games with the A's...batted .302 in 37 games after returning from the DL August 21.

6 TRAVIS BUCK	Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 7)
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- Was reinstated from the 60-day DL Friday and optioned to Triple-A Sacramento...went 2 for 3 with a solo home run in the seventh inning last night in the RiverCats' 4-1 win over visiting Las Vegas on his rehab assignment...is 7 for 36 (.194) with five runs, one double, one triple, one home run, eight RBI, four walks, 12 strikeouts and a stolen base in 10 games with the River Cats after hitting .188 (3 for 16) with three runs, a double, four RBI, five walks and four strikeouts in six games with the A's affiliate in the Arizona Rookie League on rehab from July 11-17.
- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list April 22 retroactive to April 21 with a strained right oblique muscle...this is his fifth career stint on the disabled list in four seasons...was transferred to the 60-day DL July 5.

25 MATT CARSON Chicago Series: 1 for 4, rbi, 2 so	Career vs. Floyd (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 7) Road Trip: 3-10, rbi, 5 so
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- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento July 5 for his third stint with the A's this year and is 6 for 22 (.273) in nine games, including six starts in right field, since his return...started in right field last night and delivered a RBI single in the second inning while going 1 for 4 with two strikeouts.
- Appeared in just one game during his first stay with Oakland from April 22 to 29, going 0 for 3 in a start in left field on April 22 against New York...was 1 for 6 (.167) with a home run and RBI in three games during his second stint from June 8 to 14.
- Hit .314 (22 for 70) with three home runs and 10 RBI in 18 games with Sacramento following his option on June 15...appeared in 49 games in center field, four in left field and one in right field...his complete stats with the River Cats this year:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento	.301	51	193	39	58	14	2	9	29	20	44	10	4	.534	.376

- Made his Major League debut with Oakland last September and hit .286 with a home run and five RBI in 10 games.

3 ERIC CHAVEZ	Current Streak: 0 for 6
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- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list May 22 retroactive to May 21 with neck spasms...this is his seventh career stint on the DL, his fifth in the last four years...was transferred to the 60-day DL July 7.
- Had season-ending surgery for the third consecutive season in 2009, appearing in just eight games before having microdiscectomy surgery on his back June 23...it was his fifth surgery since Sept. 5, 2007...hit .100 in eight games...appeared in 121 games from 2007 to 2009.

4 COCO CRISP Chicago Series: 1-9, bb, 2 so	Career vs. Floyd (.333, 2-6, 0 HR, 1 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 8) Road Trip: 6-21, 3 r, 3 bb, 4 so, 2 sb
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- Is 7 for 24 (.292) over his past six games after going 11 for 65 (.169) in his previous 17 games...was 11 for 27 (.407) in his first seven games following his reinstatement from the disabled list June 22...has made 31 of his 32 starts in the leadoff spot (hit ninth July 21).
- Is tied for 10th in the American League in triples (4) despite missing 70 games while on the disabled list.
- Has 24 runs scored and 17 RBI in 32 games this year and has either scored or driven in a run in 24 of those contests.
- Is 3 for 18 (.167) in five games against Chicago this season but is a career .301 (82 for 272) hitter with nine home runs and 37 RBI against the team...the home runs and RBI are his most against any Major League team.
- Had his third two-steal game of the season last Sunday and his second in his past 11 games...it was his 13th career game of two or more steals.
- Has two stints on the DL this year as he was out from April 3 to May 20 with a fractured left pinky and May 23 to June 21 with a strained right intercostal muscle...hit .591 (13 for 22) with five RBI and seven runs scored during a six-game rehab assignment with Sacramento.
- Batted .228 with 29 walks and 13 stolen bases in 49 games in his first season with Kansas City last year in a season that ended in mid-June due to injuries...was placed on the 15-day disabled list June 14 with a right rotator cuff strain and ended up have surgeries on both of his shoulders.

32 JACK CUST Chicago Series: 1-6, 2 bb, 3 so	Career vs. Floyd (.273, 3-11, 1 HR, 1 BB, 4 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 3) Road Trip: 3-13, 2 bb, 8 so
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- Has driven in at least one run in nine of his last 15 games and is 15 for 49 (.306) with six home runs and 15 RBI over that span...had two home runs and 14 RBI over his first 41 games.
- Is tied for seventh in the American League in home runs since the All-Star Break (4) and is tied for 14th in RBI (11).
- Tied for sixth in the AL in home runs (6) in July and tied for eighth in RBI (18) for the month.
- Is batting .300 (42 for 140) with all eight of his home runs and 28 of his 29 RBI vs. right-handers...has 79 of his 97 career homers off righties.
- Is batting .393 (22 for 56) with six of his eight home runs during the day compared to .248 (29 for 117) at night.
- Had his seventh career two-homer game July 24, his first since August 23, 2009 vs. Detroit...added three walks and is just the fourth player in Oakland history to walk three times in a multi-homer game (Giambi, McGwire, Jackson)...now has six home runs over his last 10 games.
- Is 4 for 11 (.363) in four games against Chicago this season and is a career .253 (21 for 83) hitter with 10 home runs against the team.
- Was batting .273 with four home runs and 19 RBI in 33 games with the River Cats before the A's called May 15...was leading the PCL in walks (33) and ranked third in on-base percentage (.444) at the time of his promotion...appeared in 19 games at DH, seven in left and six in right.
- Led the A's in home runs (25), walks (93) and strikeouts (185) for the third consecutive season in 2009 and also topped the club in games (149), runs (88) and on-base percentage (.356)...led the American League in strikeouts and ranked fifth in walks but hit .240, which was fourth lowest.

11 RAJAI DAVIS Chicago Series: 3-8	Career vs. Floyd (.286, 2-7, 0 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 6 games (10 for 25) Road Trip: 9-21, 2 r, 2 rbi, 2 so, 3 sb
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- Is 20 for 52 (.385) with five doubles, two home runs and 11 RBI over his last 14 games after going 1 for 28 over his previous 10 contests.
- Had two steals Thursday night and has 32 for the season, which is third most in the American League...is the fifth player in Oakland history with two or more 30-steal seasons (41 stolen bases last year)...Rickey Henderson (13 times), Bert Campaneris (8), Bill North (4) and Claudell Washington (2) are the four who had already done it...has nine stolen bases over his last 36 games after swiping 23 bags over his first 50.
- Has hit a career high four home runs this season...hit three in each of the previous two seasons...all four of his home runs have come at home.
- Is hitting .322 (28 for 87) with 13 RBI against left-handed pitching and .260 (58 for 223) with 19 RBI against right-handers.
- Is a career .339 (20 for 59) hitter against the White Sox, his second best batting average among American League teams (KC, .366).
- Batted .305 in 125 games last year, including .324 from June 1 through the end of the season, which was the fourth best mark in the AL...ranked fifth in the AL with a career high 41 stolen bases...those were the most steals by an Athletic since Rickey Henderson had 66 in 1998.

14 MARK ELLIS Chicago Series: 1-3, r, bb	Career vs. Floyd (.111, 1-9, 0 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 4 Road Trip: 2-13, r, 2 bb, 3 so
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- Is batting .317 (38 for 120) with both of his home runs and 19 of his 25 RBI on the road compared to .204 (22 for 108) in Oakland.
- Snapped a 0 for 11 streak with a sixth-inning single Thursday.
- Is 18 for his last 46 (.391) with runners in scoring position after going 3 for his first 17 (.176)...is hitting .339 (21 for 62) with RISP overall.
- Is 2 for 16 (.125) in five games against Chicago this season and is batting .197 (35 for 178) against the White Sox all-time, his lowest batting average against any American League team.
- Has committed just one error in 59 games at second base this year.
- Was on the disabled list from April 21 to May 21 with a strained left hamstring...it was his fifth career stint on the DL.
- Batted .263 with 10 HR and 61 RBI in 105 games in 2009...missed 55 games while on the DL but his RBI were the second best total of his career...enters the 2010 season with a .98938 career fielding pct., which is third best in ML history among second basemen (min. 750 games).

18 GABE GROSS Chicago Series: 0-4	Career vs. Floyd (.000, 0-5, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 8 Road Trip: 0-5
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- Is 14 for 88 (.159) with 11 RBI over his last 33 games.
- Is batting .258 (39 for 151) against right-handed pitching and .129 (4 for 31) against left-handers...his career splits entering this season were .251 against righties and .152 against lefties.
- Is hitting .270 (30 for 111) at night and .183 (13 for 71) during the day.
- Is 3 for 10 (.300) with three RBI and a walk in the pinch this year...went 2 for 27 (.074) as a pinch hitter last year.
- Is 7 for 36 (.194) in 15 career games against the White Sox,
- Has started 44 games in the outfield (20 in left field, 15 in right field, nine in center field) and one at designated hitter.
- Batted .227 with six home runs and 36 RBI in 115 games with Tampa Bay last year...started 71 games (67 in right field, four at designated hitter)...the A's are his fourth team in seven major league seasons (Toronto, Milwaukee, Tampa Bay).

28 CONOR JACKSON		Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 8)
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- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list July 5 retroactive to July 1 with a strained right hamstring...this is his second stint on the DL this year as he was on the Arizona DL from April 19 to May 6 with a strained right hamstring...has four stints on the DL over the last three years.
- Was acquired from Arizona June 15 with cash considerations in exchange for minor league pitcher Sam Demel and was 2 for 16 (.125) over his last five games after going 10 for 29 (.345) over his first nine games with the A's.
- Appeared in just 30 games with Arizona last year and hit .182 with a home run and 14 RBI...was placed on the DL May 12 with what was later diagnosed as Valley Fever...went 0 for 10 in three games with Single-A Visalia on rehab before he was shut down for the rest of the season.

5 KEVIN KOUZMANOFF Chicago Series: 3-9, 2b, hr, rbi, 3 r, gidp	Career vs. Floyd (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (3 for 5) Road Trip: 6-21, 3 2b, hr, rbi, 3 r, 3 so, gidp
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- Has hit safely in 11 of his 13 games since the All-Star Break and is 17 for 54 (.315) with eight runs, eight doubles, two home runs and 11 RBI over that span...is tied for second in the American League in doubles since the break (9).
- Is 23 for 104 (.221) over his last 27 games after going 36 for 91 (.396) over his previous 23 contests...that leaves him with a .303 (59 for 195) average since June 1 after combining for a .244 average in April and May.
- Is batting .328 (41 for 125) with six of his 10 home runs and 23 of his 51 RBI in the seventh inning or later and .247 (66 for 267) over the first six innings of a game.
- Tied for fifth in the AL in most grounded into double plays (15).
- Has committed eight errors this season...made just three errors in 139 games at third base with San Diego last year.
- Hit .255 with 18 doubles and 88 RBI in 141 games in his third and final season with San Diego last year...the RBI were a career high and he matched his best with 31 doubles...set the National League record for fielding percentage by a third baseman (.990), making just three errors.

2 CLIFF PENNINGTON Chicago Series: 1-3, rbi, bb, so	Career vs. Floyd (.000, 0-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)	Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 6) Road Trip: 2-10, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 2 so
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- Batted .293 (22 for 75) in July after hitting .338 in June...his June batting average was the best single month average of his career.
- Is hitting .353 (42 for 119) over his last 37 games...also has 21 runs scored, seven stolen bases and 12 multiple hit games over that span.
- Has been successful in each of his last 11 stolen base attempts and 15 of 17 (88.2%) for the season, which is the third best percentage in the American League.
- Is tied for fourth in the AL in triples (6)...is just the third Athletic over the last 21 years with at least six triples in a season (Byrnes, 9 in 2003; Scutaro, 6 in 2006).
- Has a career long 76-game homerless streak...his last home run came on April 27 at Tampa Bay...over the last 12 years, the only longer homerless streaks by an Athletic were by Jason Kendall (190, April 4-May 30, 2006; 157, June 1, 2006-June 12, 2007).
- Has committed an error in three of the past eight games and now has 11 in his last 42 contests after making five in his first 56...has 16 errors for the season, which is the most among AL shortstops and second most in the majors (Desmond, WAS 24).
- Is 3 for 15 (.200) in four games against the White Sox this season.
- Began the 2009 season at Triple-A Sacramento but was promoted to Oakland July 31 following the Orlando Cabrera trade...started 60 of the A's final 61 games at shortstop and hit .279 with seven stolen bases in 60 games...hit .264 with 27 steals in 99 games with the River Cats.

35 LANDON POWELL Texas Series: 0-5, r, rbi, so	Career vs. Floyd (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 5 Road Trip: 0-5, r, rbi, so
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- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento June 11 for his fourth stint with the A's this year and is 5 for 26 (.192) in 10 games, including six starts at catcher, since his return...started two of the first three games behind the plate following his return with Suzuki on the BL but has started just four of 37 games since then...started behind the plate Thursday for his first time since July 18 at Kansas City.
- Is 16 for 55 (.291) with seven RBI over his last 18 games after going 1 for 17 with no RBI over his first seven games.
- Has tossed out 3 of 11 (27.3%) attempted base stealers this year and 12 of 31 (39.7%) in his career.
- Did not play during his first stint from April 21 to 22...hit .239 (9 for 39) with two doubles and three RBI in 13 games during his second stint from April 27 to May 20...went 3 for 7 (.429) with a home run and two RBI in two starts at catcher during his third stay from May 26 to June 3.
- Batted .200 (9 for 45) with one home run, two RBI and 10 walks in 14 games with Sacramento...appeared in seven games at catcher, four at designated hitter and two at first base with the River Cats.
- Spent the entire 2009 season on the A's roster but appeared in just 46 games as the back-up to Kurt Suzuki...hit .229 with seven home runs and 30 RBI in his Major League debut...the RBI were second most in Oakland history by a player with 50 or fewer games played.

HIGHS AND LOWS

TEAM BATTING

Most Runs, Game, A's	15, July 10 vs. Los Angeles
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	12, May 15 at Los Angeles
Most Runs, Inning, A's	8, July 10 vs. Los Angeles (3 rd)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	6, April 28 at Tampa Bay (5 th)
Most Hits, Game, A's	18, June 8 vs. Los Angeles
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	18, June 3 at Boston
Most Hits, Inning, A's	6 (four times), last: July 10 vs. Los Angeles (3 rd)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	5 (five times), last: June 9 vs. Los Angeles (6 th)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	4, June 3 at Boston
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	5, May 12 at Texas and June 30 at Baltimore
Most Doubles, Game, A's	6, April 15 vs. Baltimore
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	7, June 3 at Boston
Most Triples, Game, A's	2, April 25 vs. Cleveland, May 29 at Detroit and June 25 vs. Pittsburgh
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	2, April 21 vs. New York
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	4, June 29 at Baltimore
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	4, July 23 vs. Chicago

TEAM PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, A's	14, June 21 vs. Cincinnati
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	17, May 30 at Detroit
Most Walks, A's	10, April 20 vs. New York
Most Walks, Opponents	7, April 5 vs. Seattle and April 12 at Seattle
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	0, May 9 vs. Tampa Bay
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	3 (five times), last: July 19 vs. Boston

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Winning Streak	5, July 10 to 18
Longest Losing Streak	5, May 12 to 16
Longest Game, Innings	13, May 11 at Texas
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	3:29, June 1 at Boston
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	4:08, May 11 at Texas (13)
Shortest Game, Time	2:05, May 14 at Los Angeles (AL)
Largest Margin, Victory	14, July 10 vs. Los Angeles (15-1)
Largest Margin, Loss	9, May 12 at Texas (1-10) and May 15 at Los Angeles (3-12)
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	13, May 28 at Detroit
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	14, May 18 vs. Seattle
Fewest Left on Base, Game	2, April 22 vs. New York and May 19 vs. Detroit
Most Errors, Game	4, April 5 vs. Seattle
Largest Comeback in Win	4, July 20 vs. Boston
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	4, June 1 at Boston

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most Runs, Game	3 (12 times), last: Kevin Kouzmanoff, July 31 at Chicago (NL)
Most Hits, Game	4 (nine times), last: Rajai Davis, July 10 vs. Los Angeles
Most Triples, Game	3, Daric Barton, June 26 vs. Pittsburgh
Most Triples, Game	1 (22 times), last: Coco Crisp, July 21 vs. Boston
Most Home Runs, Game	2, Kurt Suzuki, June 3 at Boston and Jack Cust, July 24 vs. Chicago (AL)
Most Runs Batted In, Game	5, Ryan Sweeney, May 4 vs. Texas and Rajai Davis, July 10 vs. Los Angeles
Most Walks, Game	3 (four times), last: Jack Cust, July 24 vs. Chicago
Most Strikeouts, Game	4, Gabe Gross, June 5 vs. Minnesota
Most Stolen Bases, Game	3, Rajai Davis, May 26 at Baltimore
Longest Hitting Streak	15, Kevin Kouzmanoff, May 31 to June 15

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, Game	10, Dallas Braden, April 6 vs. Seattle and Trevor Cahill, June 26 vs. Pittsburgh
Most Walks, Game	6, Vin Mazzaro, June 29 at Baltimore
Most Innings, Game, Starter	9.0, Dallas Braden, May 9 vs. Tampa Bay
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	5.0, Vin Mazzaro, May 20 vs. Detroit
Low Hit Complete Game	0, Dallas Braden, May 9 vs. Tampa Bay
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	16.0, Dallas Braden, May 3 to 14
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	29, Dallas Braden, May 9 to 14

STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Barton	-	94	5	-	-	1	-	-	-
Buck	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-
Carson	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	2
Chavez	-	-	-	4	12	10	3	-	-
Crisp	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Cust	-	-	-	10	24	11	5	1	-
Davis	41	2	-	-	-	-	2	12	20
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	5	-
Ellis	2	3	1	-	3	15	21	17	1
Fox	-	-	-	-	4	12	7	-	1
Gross	-	-	-	-	2	6	28	10	-
Jackson	1	1	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kouzmanoff	-	-	6	49	18	25	-	-	-
Patterson	2	-	-	-	-	-	7	9	7
Pennington	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	55
Powell	-	-	-	-	-	3	8	7	3
Rosales	-	3	-	-	13	17	15	12	4
Suzuki	-	-	22	40	13	-	-	-	-
Sweeney	-	-	59	-	14	3	1	-	-
Watson	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	-

GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Barton	-	-	##	##	-	-	-	-	-	-
Buck	-	-	-	-	-	10	10	-	-	-
Carson	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	1	1	7
Chavez	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	29
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	32	-
Cust	-	-	-	-	-	9	9	-	3	2
Davis	-	-	-	-	-	19	16	64	58	4
Donaldson	7	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Ellis	-	-	-	59	58	-	-	-	-	5
Fox	8	7	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	9
Gross	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	20	9	9
Jackson	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	11	-	-
Kouzmanoff	-	-	-	-	99	98	-	-	-	-
Patterson	-	-	-	5	1	-	25	22	7	2
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	98	94	-	-	-
Powell	23	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Rosales	-	-	7	3	46	44	5	5	13	9
Suzuki	75	72	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Sweeney	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	80
Watson	-	-	-	-	-	7	5	-	-	-

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Barton	16	9	0	0	25
Buck	2	0	0	0	2
Carson	1	0	0	0	1
Chavez	7	0	0	0	7
Crisp	6	2	0	0	8
Cust	11	3	0	0	14
Davis	14	5	2	0	21
Donaldson	1	0	0	0	1
Ellis	12	4	0	0	16
Fox	2	2	0	0	4
Gross	7	3	0	0	10
Jackson	3	0	0	0	3
Kouzmanoff	21	6	1	0	28
Patterson	4	1	0	0	5
Pennington	13	4	2	0	19
Powell	3	1	0	0	4
Rosales	10	4	1	0	15
Suzuki	15	4	1	0	20

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Barton	9	0	2	0	0	11
Chavez	1	1	0	0	0	2
Crisp	2	1	1	0	0	4
Cust	6	2	0	0	0	8
Davis	4	2	0	1	0	7
Donaldson	1	0	0	0	0	1
Ellis	4	0	1	0	0	5
Fox	2	0	0	0	0	2
Gross	2	0	0	0	0	2
Jackson	1	0	0	0	0	1
Kouzmanoff	9	3	0	0	0	12
Patterson	0	1	0	0	0	1
Pennington	4	2	1	0	0	7
Powell	1	0	0	0	0	1
Rosales	5	1	2	0	0	8
Suzuki	7	4	1	0	0	12
Sweeney	2	1	0	1	0	4

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Barton	2	11	13
Carson	1	0	1
Chavez	1	2	3
Crisp	0	5	5
Cust	2	7	9
Davis	4	3	7
Donaldson	1	0	1
Ellis	1	7	8
Fox	1	3	4
Gross	1	2	3
Jackson	2	1	3
Kouzmanoff	8	11	19
Patterson	0	2	2
Pennington	2	5	7
Powell	2	2	4
Rosales	3	4	7
Suzuki	5	12	17
Sweeney	1	10	11
Watson	1	0	1

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS

Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP	Since
Barton	3	2	0	0	5	July 10, 2010	Los Angeles	Kazmir	13	
Buck	1	0	0	0	1	April 20, 2010	New York	Vazquez	--	
Carson	1	0	0	0	1	June 12, 2010	at San Fran.	Zito	9	
Chavez	0	1	0	0	1	May 11, 2010	at Texas	Lewis	6	
Crisp	0	1	2	0	3	July 10, 2010	Los Angeles	Kazmir	15	
Cust	4	3	1	0	8	July 24, 2010	Chicago	Linebrink	5	
Davis	3	0	0	1	4	July 19, 2010	Boston	Matsuzaka	7	
Ellis	2	0	0	0	2	June 17, 2010	at Chicago (NL)	Wells	34	
Gross	0	1	0	0	1	May 27, 2010	at Baltimore	Bergesen	37	
Jackson	0	1	0	0	1	June 6, 2010	Colorado	Jimenez	21	
Kouzmanoff	7	3	0	0	10	July 31, 2010	at Chicago (AL)	Danks	--	
Pennington	1	0	2	0	3	April 27, 2010	at Tampa Bay	Davis	77	
Powell	1	0	0	0	1	May 28, 2010	at Detroit	Willis	10	
Rosales	4	2	1	0	7	July 18, 2010	at Kansas City	Bannister	6	
Suzuki	5	4	2	0	11	July 28, 2010	at Texas	Lewis	3	
Sweeney	0	1	0	0	1	May 4, 2010	Texas	Feldman	54	
Watson	1	0	0	0	1	July 21, 2010	Boston	Buchholz	4	
Team	36	21	8	1	66					

Grand Slams (1)

Rajai Davis, July 10 vs. Los Angeles (Kazmir)

Pinch Hit Home Runs (3)

Eric Patterson, May 12 at Texas (Mathis)

Kevin Kouzmanoff, June 2 at Boston (Papellbon)

Adam Rosales, June 12 at San Francisco (Zito)

Lead Off Home Runs (0)

None

Back-To-Back Home Runs (3)

Cust and Kouzmanoff, June 3 at Boston (Delcarmen)

Crisp and Barton, July 10 vs. Los Angeles (Kazmir)

Suzuki and Cust, July 24 vs. Chicago (Pena)

Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)

None

Walk-Off Wins (5)

April 6 vs. Seattle (Ellis single)

April 7 vs. Seattle (Suzuki double)

April 17 vs. Baltimore (Sweeney single)

May 18 vs. Seattle (Suzuki single)

July 20 vs. Boston (Kouzmanoff single)

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Bailey	Saves	46	15 for 61 (ties Howell for 6 th in Athletics history)
Chavez	Games	1320	9 for 1329 (ties McGwire for 3 rd in Oakland history)
	Runs	730	12 for 743 (ties Jackson for 3 rd in Oakland history)
	Hits	1276	3 for 1279 (ties Bando for 4 th in Oakland history)
	Doubles	282	7 for 289 (ties Henderson for 1 st in Oakland history and 6 th in Athletics history)
	Triples	20	1 for 21 (ties Ellis, Monday and Page for 9 th in Oakland history)
	Coliseum HRs	115	7 for 122 (ties Canseco for 3 rd in Coliseum history)
	Runs Batted In	787	2 for 789 (ties Bando for 3 rd in Oakland history)
	Strikeouts	922	11 for 933 (ties Campaneris for 4 th in Athletics history)
	Total Bases	2288	35 for 2323 (ties Jackson for 8 th in Athletics history)

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Crisp	Runs	487	13 for 500
Cust	Home Runs	97	3 for 100
Davis	Steals (with Oak)	98	1 for 99 (ties Murphy for 10 th in Oakland history)
Ellis	Runs	494	6 for 500
	Doubles	178	13 for 191 (ties Tejada for 10 th in Oakland history)
	Triples	21	1 for 22 (ties Bando for 8 th in Oakland history)
Suzuki	Games as C	416	7 for 423 (ties Duncan for 6 th in Oakland history)
	Hits	434	66 for 500
	Doubles	83	17 for 100

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Anderson	Left elbow inflam./forearm strain	April 25-May 28	30	Duchscherer	Left hip inflammation	April 30-May 14	13
Anderson	Left elbow inflammation	June 4-July 29	46	Duchscherer	Left hip inflammation	May 15-present	66
Bailey	Right intercostal strain	July 21-present	9	Ellis	Strained left hamstring	April 21-May 21	28
Braden	Left elbow stiffness	June 23-July 19	20	Jackson	Strained right hamstring	July 1-present	24
Buck	Strained right oblique	April 21-present	88	Meloan	Right elbow surgery	March 29-present	103
Cahill	Stress reaction, left scapula	April 4-19	14	Outman	Left elbow surgery recovery	March 26-present	103
Chavez	Neck spasms	May 21-present	61	Sheets	Strained right elbow	July 20-present	10
Crisp	Fractured left pinky	April 3-May 20	42	Suzuki	Intercostal strain	April 24-May 15	19
Crisp	Strained right intercostal	May 23-June 21	28	Sweeney	Right patella tendinitis	July 12-present	14
Devine	Right elbow surgery recovery	March 26-present	103	Wuertz	Right shoulder tendinitis	March 26-May 2	26

The A's have placed 20 players on the disabled list this season...placed 17 players on the disabled list in 2009, an Oakland record 25 in 2008 and 22 in 2007.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

May 3	Michael Wuertz reinstated from the disabled list; Brad Kilby optioned to Sacramento	June 11	Kurt Suzuki placed on the bereavement list; Landon Powell recalled from Sacramento
May 4	Vin Mazzaro recalled from Sacramento; Steve Tolleson optioned to Sacramento	June 13	Jake Fox designated for assignment
May 5	Henry Rodriguez recalled from Sacramento; Vin Mazzaro optioned to Sacramento	June 15	Conor Jackson acquired from the Arizona Diamondbacks for minor league pitcher Sam Demel; Kurt Suzuki reinstated from the bereavement list; Matt Carson optioned to Sacramento; Coco Crisp sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
May 7	Justin Duchscherer placed on 15-day disabled list retroactive to April 30 (left hip inflammation); Edwar Ramirez recalled from Sacramento	June 22	Coco Crisp reinstated from the disabled list; Eric Patterson designated for assignment; Jake Fox traded to the Baltimore Orioles for minor league pitcher Ross Wolf and cash considerations
May 11	Kurt Suzuki sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	June 26	Eric Patterson traded to the Boston Red Sox for minor league pitcher Fabian Williamson
May 15	Justin Duchscherer reinstated from the disabled list; Jack Cust selected from Sacramento; Henry Rodriguez optioned to Sacramento; Edwar Ramirez designated for assignment	July 2	Jeff Lyman claimed off waivers from Atlanta and optioned to Midland
May 16	Kurt Suzuki reinstated from the disabled list; Henry Rodriguez recalled from Sacramento; Cedrick Bowers selected from Sacramento; Justin Duchscherer placed on the 15-day disabled list (left hip inflammation); Josh Donaldson optioned to Sacramento; Chad Gaudin designated for assignment	July 3	Dallas Braden placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 23 (left elbow stiffness); Clayton Mortensen recalled from Sacramento
May 18	Coco Crisp and Mark Ellis sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	July 5	Conor Jackson placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 1 (strained right hamstring); Clayton Mortensen optioned to Sacramento; Matt Carson recalled from Sacramento; Matt Watson selected from Sacramento; Travis Buck transferred to the 60-day DL
May 19	Edwar Ramirez outrighted to Sacramento	July 7	Ross Wolf selected from Sacramento; Tyson Ross optioned to Sacramento; Eric Chavez transferred to the 60-day DL
May 20	Vin Mazzaro recalled from Sacramento; Henry Rodriguez optioned to Sacramento	July 9	Brett Anderson sent to Arizona A's on rehab assignment
May 21	Coco Crisp reinstated from the disabled list; Landon Powell optioned to Sacramento; Chad Gaudin released; Mark Ellis transferred to Sacramento on rehab	July 11	Travis Buck sent to Arizona A's on rehab assignment
May 22	Mark Ellis reinstated from the disabled list; Eric Chavez placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 21 (neck spasms)	July 15	Dallas Braden sent to Stockton on rehab assignment
May 24	Brett Anderson sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	July 19	Ryan Sweeney placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 12 (right patella tendinitis); Henry Rodriguez recalled from Sacramento; Travis Buck transferred to Sacramento on rehab
May 26	Coco Crisp placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 23 (strained right intercostal muscle); Landon Powell recalled from Sacramento	July 20	Dallas Braden reinstated from the disabled list; Cedrick Bowers optioned to Sacramento; Brett Anderson transferred to Sacramento on rehab
May 29	Brett Anderson reinstated from the disabled list; Cedrick Bowers optioned to Sacramento	July 24	Ben Sheets placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 20 (strained right elbow); Cedrick Bowers recalled from Sacramento
June 3	Adam Heether claimed off waivers from Milwaukee and optioned to Sacramento; Justin Duchscherer transferred to the 60-day disabled list	July 30	Brett Anderson reinstated from the disabled list; Andrew Bailey placed on the 15-day disabled list (right intercostal strain); Travis Buck reinstated from the 60-day disabled list and optioned to Sacramento; Ryan Sweeney transferred to the 60-day disabled list.
June 4	Brett Anderson placed on the 15-day disabled list (left elbow inflammation); Landon Powell optioned to Sacramento; Cedrick Bowers and Henry Rodriguez recalled from Sacramento	July 31	Boof Bonser selected from Sacramento; Cedrick Bowers optioned to Sacramento; Ben Sheets transferred to the 60-day disabled list.
June 8	Matt Carson recalled from Sacramento; Henry Rodriguez optioned to Sacramento		

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