

Oakland Athletics

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A's AT A GLANCE

Season High 5-5, 6-6 (April 11, 13) Season Low 1-4, 2-5 (April 6, 8) April May 0-0 June July 0-0 0-0 August September 0-0 0-0 Home Series 0-1-0 Road Series 2-1-0 Series Sweeps First Game of Series 0-0 Last Game of Series 4-0 5-4 2-2 3-1 4-0 A's Score First Opponent Scores First Leading After 7th
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Tied After 8th 0-2 0-3 Trailing After 7th Trailing After 8th 3-4 2-4 4-2 Commit No Errors Commit 1 or More Errors More HR Than Opp. 2-5 2-0 Fewer HR Than Opp. Same Total HR of Opp. 1-2 3-5 3-3 3-4 3-2 Starter Pitches 7 or More Starter Pitches Less Than 7 When Scoring 4 or More 3-5 1-2 9 When Scoring Less Than 4 Different Lineups

A's vs. TIGERS

The A's were shut out 3-0 by the Tigers yesterday...it was the first time they have been shut out by Detroit since Aug. 23, 1993, a 9-0 loss at Tiger Stadium (Mike Moore one-hitter)...that was a span of 152 consecutive games without being shutout, which was the longest in Oakland history against one team...the A's have lost the season series only twice in the previous 10 seasons and are 51-31 (.622) against the Tigers over that span...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 231-224 against the Tigers...that includes 128-98 in Oakland, 101-124 in Detroit and 2-2 in Las Vegas...are 25-18 at Comerica Park...all-time, the A's are 899-977 against the Tigers.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Coco Crisp a .322 (94 for 292) career hitter against the Tigers, his highest average against any American League...is 4 for 27 (.148) in seven games since opening the season on a five-game hitting streak (7 for 21, .333)

David DeJesus has a 251-game errorless streak, which is the longest active streak among all Major League outfielders...his last error came on Sept. 15, 2008.

Brian Fuentes has recorded five saves this season, which is tied for second most in the Major Leagues...now has 188 saves since 2005, which are the most by a left-handed reliever in the majors over that span.

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In 1990, Dennis Eckersley records his 100th career save in the A's 3-0 win at Seattle...with 100 saves, he becomes just the sixth pitcher in major league history with 100 saves and 100 victories...in 2006, Eric Chavez, Frank Thomas and Milton Bradley hit back-to-back home runs on three consecutive pitches off Vicente Padilla in the sixth inning of the A's 5-4 win over Texas.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS (6-7) VS. DETROIT TIGERS (6-7)

FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 2011 – OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM – 7:05 P.M. PDT RHP BRANDON MCCARTHY (1-0, 3.52) VS. RHP RICK PORCELLO (0-2, 9.00) CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (SPORTSRADIO 95.7 FM)

ABOUT THE A's

ABOUT THE A'S: The A's have won five of their last eight games since opening the season 1-4...are 4-0 in the last game of a series and 2-7 in all other games, including 1-4 in the first game of a series...however, their last five losses have been decided by a combined eight runs...have spent one day in second place, one day tied for second, seven days in third place, two days tied for third and four days in fourth place...this is the A's 44th season in Oakland where they have won 14 American League West titles, one AL Wild Card, six AL pennants and four World Championships...only Atlanta (16) and the Yankees (16) have more division titles than the A's...since the A's moved to Oakland in 1968, only the Yankees have more league (11) and world (7) championships...the A's compiled a 3,555-3,280 (.520) record over the previous 43 seasons in Oakland...only five teams have won more games over that span (New York, Boston, Los Angeles Dodgers, St. Louis, Cincinnati)...the A's went 81-81 last year, snapping a streak of three consecutive seasons with a losing record...this is the Athletics franchise's 111th season in the American League...since 1901, the A's have 14 AL West titles plus 15 AL pennants and nine World Championships...only the Yankees (27) and Cardinals (10) have won more World Championships.

JAPANESE RELIEF EFFORTS: The A's announced yesterday that the team has now generated \$81,000 for Japanese earthquake and tsunami victims...the A's will continue to raise funds online at www.oaklandathletics.com/japan throughout the year.

AT HOME: The A's are 0-1 on this six-game homestand against Detroit (0-1) and Boston (two games)...are now 1-3 at home and 5-4 on the road following their nine-game, three-city road trip to Toronto (1-2), Minnesota (2-1) and Chicago-AL (2-1), which concluded Sunday...went 47-34 (.580) at home last season, their best home mark since going 49-32 in 2006.

DAY AND NIGHT: The A's are 4-1 in day games and 2-6 at night...last year, they went 35-21 (.625) during day games and 46-60 (.434) at night...the day record was the third best in the American League and the night record was fourth worst.

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have committed four errors in their past three games after going six consecutive games without an error...opened the season by committing an Oakland-record nine errors over their first four games...their 13 errors total are **the tied for the most in the Major Leagues**...last season, the A's defense ranked fifth in the AL in fielding percentage (.984) and were charged with less than 100 errors (99) for the sixth time in the last seven years.

EXTRA INNINGS: The A's and White Sox played extra innings in each game of their three-game series in Chicago from April 11-13...the last time the A's played extra innings in each game of a three-game series was June 17-19, 1988 against Texas in Oakland...they also played three straight extra-inning games at home against the White Sox earlier that year (April 21-23), the first three games of a four-game series...the last time the A's had played three consecutive extra-inning games was June 1-3, 2004 at home...the first two games were also against the White Sox, the third against Toronto...are now 2-2 in extra-inning games this season after going 4-7 in such games last season.

STARTING PITCHING: A's starters have combined for a 4-2 record and have posted a 2.56 ERA (24 er in 84.1 ip) this season...the innings pitched are the most by starting pitchers in the Major Leagues and the ERA ranks second best...have allowed only four home runs this season, which is tied for the fewest in the majors...also rank fourth in the American League with 62 strikeouts.

PITCHING: A's pitchers have compiled a 2.83 ERA (37 er in 117.2 ip), which **is tied for the second best mark in the majors...** also rank fourth in opponents batting average (.232) and have recorded 95 strikeouts, which is tied for third most in the American League.

OFFENSE: The A's are batting .230 (101 for 440) this season, which is the fourth lowest average in the American League...are 22 for 110 (.200) with runners in scoring position, which is tied for third lowest in the AL...their seven home runs are tied for the second fewest in the AL, but their 27 doubles are tied for the most.

LOCKED UP: The A's announced Monday that they have agreed to terms with All-Star pitcher Trevor Cahill on a new five-year contract through 2015 with club options for both 2016 and 2017...Oakland now has five players under contract beyond the 2011 season...Brett Anderson is signed through 2013 with club options for 2014 and 2015...Kurt Suzuki is also signed through 2013 with a club option for 2014...Grant Balfour and Brian Fuentes are both signed through 2012 with club options for 2013...Michael Wuertz has a club option for 2012

ROSTER NOTES: The A's opened the season with 12 pitchers and 13 position players for the fifth time in the last six years...13 players return from last year's Opening Day roster (Anderson, Barton, Blevins, Braden, Breslow, Ellis, Gonzalez, Kouzmanoff, Pennington, Ross, Suzuki, Sweeney, Ziegler)...Mark Ellis was on his eighth Opening Day Roster in the last nine years...five other players on the current roster played for the A's at some point last year (Cahill, Cramer, Crisp, Jackson, Powell)...five signed with the A's as free agents (Balfour, Fuentes, LaRoche, Matsui, McCarthy), which are the most free agents to make the A's Opening Day roster since the 1999 club also had five...the other two players were acquired in a trade (DeJesus, Willingham).

THE DISABLED LIST: The A's began the season with three players on the disabled list (Bailey, Harden, Rosales) and now have four with the April 6 addition of Wuertz (left hamstring strain) retroactive to April 2...Rosales was placed on the 60-day DL retroactive to March 22 with a fractured right foot...Bailey (strained right forearm) and Harden (strained right shoulder) were placed on the 15-day DL retroactive to March 22...the A's used the DL 23 times last year, which was the second highest total in Oakland history to the record of 25 in 2008...have now used the DL 91 times since the start of the 2007 season, which is second most in the majors to Texas (102)...have not had fewer than three players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season (one).

PITCHING PROBABLES

Sat., April 16 vs. DET RHP Justin Verlander (1-0, 3.86) vs. LHP Dallas Braden (0-1, 4.15) Sun., April 17 vs. DET RHP Brad Penny (0-1, 8.27) vs. RHP Trevor Cahill (1-0, 3.12) Tues., April 19 vs. BOS RHP John Lackey (1-1, 15.58) vs. LHP Brett Anderson (0-1, 2.29) Wed., April 20 vs. BOS RHP Clay Buchholz (0-2, 7.20) vs. LHP Gio Gonzalez (2-0, 0.47)

1:05 CSNCA 7:05 CSN Plus 12:35 CSNCA

6:05 No TV

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TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Brandon McCarthy (1-0, 3.52)

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McCARTHY'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	9, 5/24/09 at HOU
IP:	9.0, 5/24/09 at HOU
Fewest IP, GS:0.2 (to	wice), last: 9/15/08 vs. DET
H:	10, 4/4/07 at LAA
R:	7, 5/7/09 at OAK
ER:	7, 5/7/09 at OAK
BB : 4 (six t	imes), last: 4/9/09 vs. CLE
SO: 8 (t	wice), last: 9/27/06 at CLE
HR:	4, 5/27/05 at TEX
Win Streak:	4, 5/24/09 to 9/8/09
Loss Streak:	4, 6/25/06 to 9/10/06
Scoreless Streak:	17.2, 8/30/05 to 9/11/05
Complete Games:	1, 5/24/09 at HOU
Shutouts:	1, 5/24/09 at HOU

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...did not pitch in the majors in 2010, last appearing in 2009 with Texas...the Rangers were 9-8 (.529) in his starting assignments that year...his teams

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are 28-30 (.483) in his 58 career starts...tossed six or more innings in nine of his 17 starts in 2009, allowed two runs or fewer five times and walked two batters or fewer nine times.

DON'T WALK: Has only walked one batter in 15.1 innings this season...the one walk ties him for third fewest in the Major Leagues by a starting pitcher...has now walked one batter or fewer in 25 of his 58 career starts, including eight starts in which he did not walk a batter.

FIRST START: Had a no decision in the A's 7-6 extra-innings loss to Toronto on April 5...allowed five runs, four earned, on eight hits over eight innings, walking one while striking out two...gave up only one run over the first five innings when Hill drove in Escobar on a force out...however, then allowed four runs, three earned, in the sixth inning...Lind drove in Davis with a sacrifice fly, Hill singled home Escobar and Encarnacion scored Hill with a double...Snider then brought in Rivera, who had reached on a Kouzmanoff throwing error, on a groundout to tie the game at 5-5...then pitched two more scoreless innings before being relieved by Blevins to start the ninth after throwing 89 pitches...it was his first start in the majors since making 17 starts with Texas in 2009...his last outing was Oct. 2, 2009 at Seattle, a no decision in a 7-4 Rangers win (4.2 ip, 7 h, 4 r, 4 er, 5 so).

LAST START: Earned his first win of the year in the A's 5-3 victory in Minnesota on Sunday...it was his first Major League win since Sept. 8, 2009 with Texas at Cleveland...allowed two runs on nine hits over 7.1 innings...he struck out five and did not walk a batter...was replaced by Blevins with one out and runners on second and third in the eighth inning, with both runners going on to score.

McCARTHY vs. DETROIT: Is 1-3 with a 4.83 ERA (31.2 ip, 37 h, 18 r, 17 er, 7 bb, 20 so, 4 hr) in 12 career games, five starts...is 0-3 with a 4.55 ERA (14 er in 27.2 ip) in nine games, four starts, in Detroit and 1-0 with a 6.75 ERA (3 er in 4.0 ip) in three appearances, one start, at home...is 0-3 with a 5.14 ERA (12 er in 21.0 ip) in his five starts...last faced the Tigers on May 19, 2009, when he took the loss in a 4-0 Rangers defeat in Detroit...allowed four runs, three earned, on nine hits in seven innings, throwing 72 of 118 pitches for strikes

THIS SPRING: Was 1-1 with a 4.50 ERA (26.0 ip, 29 h, 14 r, 13 er, 1 bb, 20 so, 1 hr) in six games, all starts...also started in a minor league game March 31...tied for eighth in the Cactus League in innings pitched (26.0)...allowed a .274 (29 for 106) opponents batting average...did not issue a walk or allow a home run over his first five games (20.2 ip) and then allowed one home run and walked one in his final start...his first three

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Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	ΙP	Н	R	ER	ВВ	SO	HR
*Feb. 28	at LAA	7-8		4.50	2.0	2	1	1	0	1	0
*March 4	TEX	3-6		3.60	3.0	3	1	1	0	3	0
*March 9	TEX	2-9		3.38	3.0	4	1	1	0	1	0
March 15	at KC	3-4		3.29	5.2	5	2	2	0	4	0
March 20	at SF	6-4	W	3.05	7.0	5	2	2	0	5	0
March 25	LAA	3-10	L	4.50	5.1	10	7	6	1	6	1
Totals (6	games, 3 st	arts)	1-1	4.50	26.0	29	14	13	1	20	1
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appearances came in relief (3.38 ERA)...then went 1-1 with a 5.00 ERA over his final three outings, all starts.

2010 RECAP: Was 4-2 with a 3.36 ERA in 11 games, nine starts, at Triple-A Oklahoma City in a season interrupted by right shoulder problems...had three stints on the DL with the RedHawks and was added to the Rangers' 60-day disabled list July 29...struck out 44 and walked just 11 in 56.1 innings.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Allowed a .234 opponents batting average, which broke down to .227 (22 for 97) against left-handed hitters and .240 (29 for 121) against right-handers...yielded six of his eight home runs to righties and six were solo shots...opponents batted .190 with runners in scoring position and .208 when leading off an inning.

THIS AND THAT: Was 4-1 with a 1.99 ERA in seven games at home and 0-1 with a 6.89 ERA in four outings on the road...tossed 7.0 innings in each of his first four starts but would reach that mark just once over his final five starts...allowed two runs or fewer in six of his nine starts and walked two batters or fewer all nine times.

MORE FROM 2010: Spent most of the spring with Texas, going 1-3 with an 8.03 ERA in four spring training starts before he was optioned to Oklahoma City March 27...went 1-0 with a 2.51 ERA over his first four starts with the Red Hawks before he was placed on the disabled list April 26 with a right scapula stress reaction...was reinstated June 3 and made two relief appearances (2.0 ip, 3 h, 1 so) before returning to the DL June 8 with right shoulder inflammation...reinstated June 18 and had a no decision in a start June 19 at Nashville (2.0 ip, 3 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 4 so) before returning to the DL June 22 with the same injury...was recalled by Texas July 29 and immediately added to the Major League 60-day DL...returned to Oklahoma City on a rehab assignment Aug. 20 and went 2-2 with a 4.56 ERA over his final four starts...picked up the win in his first start to lower his season ERA to 2.39 but then allowed a season-high nine runs in 5.0 innings in an 11-3 loss at Albuquerque Aug. 25...struck out a season-high nine in 7.0 innings Aug. 30 against Nashville...allowed just one run in that game for the win...made one postseason start Sept. 9 and was the losing pitcher in a 3-2 loss to Memphis in Game 2 of the first round of the playoffs (6.0 ip, 8 h, 3 r, 3 er, 1 bb, 4 so).

WINTER LEAGUE: Made four starts for Toros del Este in the Dominican Winter League following the season and was 2-0 with a 1.96 ERA and .227 opponents batting average.

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

LHP Dallas Braden (0-1, 4.15): Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...the A's were 13-17 (.433) in his starting assignments last year and are 34-44 (.436) in his 78 career starts...had a no decision in the A's 2-1 win in Chicago Monday...held the White Sox scoreless through the first four innings before allowing his only run in the fifth inning when Lillibridge hit a two-out home run...gave up five hits, walked two and had seven strikeouts in six innings...took the loss in an A's 5-3 defeat at Toronto April 6...allowed five runs on 10 hits in seven innings, walking one and striking out three...gave up one run in the first when Lind doubled in Escobar before throwing scoreless second and third innings...however, then allowed a three-run home run to Snider in the fourth to hand the Blue Jays a 4-2 lead...is 2-4 with a 6.75 ERA (42.2 ip, 56 h, 32 r, 32 er, 11 bb, 24 so, 7 hr) in eight career starts against the Tigers...is 1-1 with a 4.30 ERA (11 er in 23.0 ip) in four starts in Oakland and 1-3 with a 9.61 ERA (21 er in 19.2 ip) in four starts in Detroit

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

Save/Save Opportunities: 5/7 (71.4%)

2-5, 3.51 ERA (33.1 ip, 22 h, 18 r, 13 er, 16 bb, 33 so, 4 hr)

Save/Save Opportunities: 5/7 (71.4%)

The A's bullpen has allowed one earned run or fewer in seven of its last 10 games and has a 2.42 ERA (7 er in 26.0 ip) over that span after allowing three earned runs in each of the first two games of the season...has been charged with five of the team's seven losses, which are the most losses by relievers in the majors...compiled a 3.75 ERA last year, which ranked sixth in the American League...converted 38 of 51 (74.5%) save opportunities, which was third best in the AL...the 13 blown saves tied for the fewest in the AL, but the save opportunities were third fewest and the saves tied for fourth fewest...also ranked fourth in the AL in opponents batting average (.248), fifth in on-base percentage (.325) and eighth in slugging percentage (.394)...held first batters faced to a .214 batting average, which was the third lowest mark in the AL...it was the lowest average by an A's team since 1989 (.199).

40 RHP ANDREW BAILEY Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 3/14 at Cleveland (ND, 0.1 ip, 1 h, 2 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 0-0 (0 bb)

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list March 30 retroactive to March 22 with a strained right forearm...this is his second career stint on the DL.
- Appeared in just two games this spring, tossing a scoreless inning March 10 against Kansas City and allowing two unearned runs in 0.1 innings March 14 at Cleveland before leaving with his injury.
- Led the A's in saves (25) and was named to the American League All-Star team for the second consecutive season last year...was 1-3 with a 1.47 ERA in 47 relief appearances...ranked seventh among AL relievers in opponents on-base percentage (.251) and eighth in slugging (.292).

50 RHP GRANT BALFOUR Save/Opportunities: 0-1 Last Outing: 4/13 at Chicago (W, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/2 First Hitters: 1-5 (0 bb)

- Earned his first win as an Athletic Wednesday after pitching a scoreless ninth inning.
- Has not allowed a run in four of his five appearances this season...allowed two runs without recording an out April 5 and has a 4.15 ERA (2 er in 4.1 ip) overall this year.
- Did not allow a run in two appearances against Detroit last season (1.1 ip) and is 3-2 with three blown saves and a 3.05 ERA in 20 career outings (20.2 ip, 15 h, 7 r, 7 er, 11 bb, 31 so)...the 31 strikeouts are his most against any team.
- Begins his eighth season in the majors but is on an Opening Day roster for just the third time (2009, 2010).
- Was 1-0 with a 6.97 ERA in 11 spring training appearances...tied for seventh in the Cactus League in games pitched...did not allow an earned run over his last five outings (4.1 ip) after posting a 12.00 ERA over his first six contests. Signed with the A's as a free agent, January 18, 2011.
- Made 57 relief appearances for Tampa Bay last year, despite spending the month of August on the disabled list...compiled a 2.28 ERA, which ranked eighth among American League relievers...allowed a .216 batting average, including .174 against right-handed hitters.

13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 4/14 vs. Detroit (ND, 0.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/4 First Hitters: 0-5 (1 bb)

- Has allowed one run or fewer in each of his six games this season, including four scoreless appearances (2 er in 7.0 ip, 2.57 ERA).
- Has no decisions and a 8.11 ERA in four career appearances against the Tigers (3.1 ip, 6 h, 4 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 5 so).
- Begins his fifth Major League season, all with Oakland, and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Had no decisions and a 7.30 ERA in a team-leading 12 appearances this spring...tied for fourth in the Cactus League in games pitched...did not allow a run over his last five outings (4.1 ip) after posting an 11.25 ERA over his first seven contests.
- The 2010 season was his fourth in the majors but the first where he spent the entire year at the big league level...was 2-1 with a save and a 3.70 ERA in a career-high 63 appearances...allowed seven home runs in 48.2 innings after yielding five in 64.2 innings over his first three years.

Last Outing: 4/13 at Chicago (ND, 1.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) **56 LHP CRAIG BRESLOW** Save/Opportunities: 0-1 Inherited Runners/Scored: 5/1 First Hitters: 2-4 (0 bb)

- Has pitched two of the last three games after going eight consecutive games without making an appearance...has allowed at least one run in three of his four outings this season (4 er in 3.1 ip, 10.80 ERA).
- Has not allowed a run in 11 career appearances against Detroit (11.0 ip, 11 h, 5 bb, 12 so).
- Has played for five teams in his Major League career, which is now in his sixth season...this is the first time he has started consecutive seasons
- Did not appear in a spring training game until March 22 and posted an 11.25 ERA in five appearances...opponents hit .500 (9 for 18).
- Made a team-leading 75 appearances for the A's in 2010, registering a 4-4 mark with five saves and 3.01 ERA...the games pitched tied for the fifth highest single season total in Oakland history...also set an Oakland record for strikeouts by a left-handed reliever with 71.

26 LHP BOBBY CRAMER Last Outing: 4/14 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/0 First Hitters: 0-3 (0 bb)

- Did not allow a runner to reach base in 1.1 innings yesterday...it was his first career appearance Detroit.
- Is on his first Opening Day roster as he made his Major League debut with Oakland Sept. 13 of last year at Kansas City.
- Was 0-2 with a 7.16 ERA in eight games, three starts, during the spring...went 0-1 with a 10.29 ERA in his three starts and 0-1 with a 4.82 ERA in his five relief appearances.
- Was a combined 15-5 with a 2.71 ERA and 158 strikeouts in 29 games, 27 starts, with Quintana Roo (Mexican League) and Sacramento when he was selected by Oakland Sept. 10...went 2-1 with a 3.04 ERA in four starts with the A's...was named Mexican League Pitcher of the Year.

57 LHP BRIAN FUENTES Save/Opportunities: 5-5 Last Outing: 4/13 at Chicago (S, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0 First Hitters: 1-6 (0 bb)

- Has recorded five saves this season, which is tied for second most in the Major Leagues...now has 188 saves since 2005, which are the most by a left-handed reliever in the majors over that span.
- Has not allowed a run in any of his last five appearances (6.2 ip), all saves, after surrendering three runs (two earned) in his first outing.
- Was 0-1 with one save in two chances and had a 4.91 ERA (2 er in 3.2 ip) in three games against Detroit last year...has a 3.38 ERA in 13 career games against the Tigers (13.1 ip, 12 h, 5 r, 5 er, 6 bb, 17 so).

 Was 1-1 with a save and a 5.19 ERA in 10 appearances this spring...did not allow a run in eight of his 10 outings.
- Signed with the A's as a free agent, January 19, 2011.
- Started the 2010 season as the closer with Los Angeles (AL) but finished it in a set-up role with Minnesota...combined for a 4-1 record, 24 saves and a 2.81 ERA in 48 relief appearances...allowed a .181 opponents batting average, which ranked fifth lowest among AL relievers.

66 RHP TYSON ROSS Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 4/14 vs. Detroit (L, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 3 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 0 so) First Hitters: 1-2 (0 bb) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0

- Took the loss yesterday and has now lost each of his two career appearances against the Tigers (5.0 ip, 9 h, 6 r, 5 er, 4 bb, 4 so)
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento April 6 after being optioned March 30 as one of the team's final cuts before Opening Day.
- Went 1-0 with a 0.59 ERA (1 er in 15.1 ip) in five spring training appearances...recorded 10 strikeouts, walked four and had a .241 opponents
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster last year and made his Major League debut in registering a 1-4 record and 5.49 ERA in 26 games, including two starts...was optioned to Sacramento July 7 and was 2-1 with a 3.55 ERA in six games, all starts, with the River Cats.

Last Outing: 4/1 vs. Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so) **48 RHP MICHAEL WUERTZ** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 0-1 (0 bb)

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list April 6 retroactive to April 2 with a left hamstring strain...this is his third career stint on the DL.
- Did not pitch until March 15 this spring and posted a 7.50 ERA in six appearances...allowed at least two runs in three of his six games.
- Stranded each of his 17 inherited runners over his final 40 games in 2010.
- Was 2-3 with a career-high six saves and a 4.31 ERA in 48 relief appearances with the A's last year...spent the first month of the season on the disabled list with right shoulder tendinitis...tossed just 39.2 innings, which were his fewest since his rookie season of 2004 (29.0).

31 RHP BRAD ZIEGLER Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 4/13 at Chicago (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 1 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 1 so) First Hitters: 1-3 (1 bb) Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/3

- Has not allowed an earned run in four appearances this season (3.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 2 bb, 4 so).
- Did not allow a run in two games against Detroit last year (3.1 ip)...has converted each of his three career save opportunities against the Tigers and has a 1.00 ERA (18.0 ip. 16 h. 2 r. 2 er. 4 bb. 11 so).
- Is in his fourth season with the A's and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Was 1-0 with a 1.64 ERA in a team-leading 12 appearances this spring...tied for fourth in the Cactus League in games pitched...did not allow a run in 10 of his 12 outings.
- Was 3-7 with a 3.26 ERA in 64 relief appearances last year...the losses tied for the most among American League relievers and his .300 winning percentage was second lowest...yielded four home runs in 60.2 innings after allowing just four in 133.0 innings over his first two seasons.

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

10 DARIC BARTON Detroit Series: 0-2, 2 bb, so Career vs. Porcello (.400, 2-5, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)

Homestand: 0-2, 2 bb, so

- Is batting .279 (12 for 43) 11 walks and 10 strikeouts to start the season after hitting .299 in April last year...is a .286 (62 for 217) career hitter in the month, his second highest mark for any month of the season (September, .287).
- Is third in the American League in walks (11), tied for fourth in doubles (5) and ranks tied for ninth in on-base percentage (.436).
- Committed an error in each of his first three games but has not committed an error in 10 games since...the three errors are tied for sixth most in the majors...last year, he had seven errors over his first 30 games but just three over his last 127 contests.
- Was 6 for 20 (.300) with three doubles, a home run and four RBI against Detroit last year.
- Made his second consecutive Opening Day start at first base for the A's, his third in the last four years...in Oakland history, only Mark McGwire (9) and Jason Giambi (4) have made more Opening Day starts at first base.
- Hit .326 with two home runs and eight RBI in 16 games this spring...reached base safely in 15 of his 16 games.
- Batted .273 with 10 home runs, 57 RBI and an American League-leading 110 walks in 2010...the walks fueled a .393 on-base percentage, which was fifth best in the AL...also ranked second in pitches per plate appearance (4.39) and tied for second in times on bases (265).

4 COCO CRISP

Career vs. Porcello (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)

Current Streak: 0 for 3 Homestand: 0-4, so

Detroit Series: 0-4, so

- Is 4 for 27 (.148) in seven games since opening the season on a five-game hitting streak (7 for 21, .333).
- Is tied for the American League lead in triples (2) and is tied for second in stolen bases (5).
- Is a .322 (94 for 292) career hitter against the Tigers, his highest average against any American League team.
- Is in his 10th Major League season, his second with the A's...is on his seventh Opening Day roster (2004-09), his first as an Athletic.
- Batted .379 with three home runs and 11 RBI in 20 games this spring...led the A's in slugging (.690), runs (14), total bases (40) and triples (2) and tied for the team lead in doubles (5)...tied for fourth in the Cactus League in triples and ranked eighth in slugging...batted leadoff and played center field in all 20 of his games.
- Had his 2010 season interrupted by injury three times, but when healthy, he posted some of the best numbers on the A's...hit .279 with eight home runs and 38 RBI in 75 games and stole a career-high 32 bases...tied for ninth in the AL in steals despite missing over half the season.

12 DAVID DeJESUS

Career vs. Porcello (.333, 4-12, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)

Current Streak: 0 for 10 Homestand: 0-1

Detroit Series: 0-1

- Is 0 for 10 since his five-game hitting streak (7 for 20, .350) was snapped...is now 1 for 13 (.077) at home.
- Is 8 for 42 (.190) overall to start the season after hitting .287 (27 for 94) in April last year...has 13 career home runs in the month, his most for
- Had his seven-game hitting streak against the Tigers snapped last night and is now batting .387 (12 for 31) in his last eight games against the team...is a .307 (106 for 345) career hitter with 46 RBI against Detroit, equaling his most RBI against any team (Minnesota).
- Did not commit an error in 88 games in the outfield last year and now has a 251-game errorless streak, which is the longest active streak among all Major League outfielders...last committed an error Sept. 15, 2008 against Seattle in center field.
- Made his seventh consecutive Opening Day start, his first for the A's in right field...the previous six came with Kansas City (four in center field, one in right field, one in left field)...is the A's fourth different Opening Day starter in right field in the last four years and the seventh in the last eight years.
- Hit .241 with a home run and four RBI in 18 games during the spring.
- Was acquired from Kansas City for Vin Mazzaro and Justin Marks on November 10, 2010 after spending his first eight seasons with the Royals. Was batting .318 with 23 doubles, three triples, five home runs and 37 RBI in 91 games with Kansas City last year before thumb surgery ended
- his season in late July...the batting average was a career high as was his .384 on-base percentage.

14 MARK ELLIS **Detroit Series: 0-3** Career vs. Porcello (.500, 4-8, 2 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)

Current Streak: 0 for 7 Homestand: 0-3

- Was awarded a triple yesterday by the league office for the fly ball he hit to center field April 9 in Minnesota, which was originally scored a three-base error on Span...the triple was the 22nd of his career, tying Sal Bando for eighth most in Oakland history...is now one triple away from tying Carney Lansford, Reggie Jackson and Billy North for fifth most in Oakland history
- Is 6 for 31 (.194) since his season-opening four-game hitting streak (4 for 15, .267).
- Was 6 for 10 (.600) against Detroit last year...however, is a .218 (51 for 234) career hitter against the team.

 Made his seventh consecutive Opening Day start at second base, which sets an Athletics record for consecutive Opening Day starts at second base...the previous mark of six was held by Danny Murphy (1903-08), Eddie Collins (1909-14), Max Bishop (1928-33) and Dick Green (1969-74)...it was his eighth overall, which is an on-going Oakland record for a second baseman...in Athletics history, only Dick Green (10) and Max Bishop (9) have more...the eight Opening Day starts are tied for eighth most by any player in Oakland history.
- Batted .213 with one double and seven RBI in 21 games this spring.
- Led the A's in batting for the second time in the last six seasons last year, hitting .291 in 124 games...the average was the second-best mark of his career but he hit just five home runs, which were the fewest of his career...ranked second among AL second basemen in fielding (.995).

28 CONOR JACKSON

Career vs. Porcello (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)

Current Streak: 2 games (4 for 8) Homestand: 2-4, so

- Detroit Series: 2-4, so Has started five games this season (four in right field, one in left field) and is 7 for 20 (.350) with two doubles, two RBI and three runs scored in
- those games...is 7 for 24 (.292) in seven games overall.

 Moved from right field to third base in the 10th inning Wednesday...it was his third career appearance at third base, first since August 20, 2007 with Arizona at home against Milwaukee.
- Entered the game as a pinch hitter Tuesday and grounded into a force out...is now 0 for 2 in the pinch this year and is 7 for 51 (.137) with 12 walks and 12 RBI in his career.
- Is 3 for 16 (.188) in his career against the Tigers.
- Is in his seventh Major League season and is on his sixth consecutive Opening Day roster...had started each of the previous five openers for Arizona (three at first base, the last two in left field).
- Hit .176 with no home runs and six RBI in 24 games this spring...appeared in 15 games at first base, seven in right field, three at designated hitter and one in left field.
- Combined to hit .236 with two home runs and 16 RBI in 60 games with Arizona and Oakland last year in a season that was interrupted by three stints on the disabled list...had season-ending surgery for a sports hernia Sept. 1...has four stints on the DL over the previous two years.

5 KEVIN KOUZMANOFF Career vs. Porcello (.000, 0-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 8 **Detroit Series:** 0-3 Homestand: 0-3

- Hit a two-run home run in the sixth inning Tuesday, his first of the season.
- Is 7 for 44 (.159) with a home run and four RBI this season and is a .219 (89 for 407) career hitter in April with six home runs and 37 RBI...all three figures are his lowest for any month.
- Is 3 for 26 (.115) in his career against Detroit.
- Committed a throwing error in the eighth inning Wednesday and has now made four errors this season, which is tied for the most in the majors.
- Made his fifth consecutive Opening Day start at third base, his second with the A's.
- Hit .413 with two home runs and 12 RBI in 22 games this spring...ranked sixth in the Cactus League in batting, tied for sixth in hits (26) and 10th in on-base percentage (.449)...led the A's in batting, on-base percentage and hits.
- Led the A's in home runs (16) and extra base hits (49) last year and tied for the team lead in RBI (71)...however, all three figures were the lowest totals over his four full seasons, as were his .247 batting average, .283 on-base percentage and .396 slugging percentage.

21 ANDY LaROCHE Career vs. Porcello (.000, 0-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Detroit Series: 0-2, gidp

Had his six-game hitting streak snapped yesterday and is now 7 for 21 (.333) over his last seven games...the hitting streak was the longest by an Athletic this season.

Current Streak: 0 for 3

Homestand: 0-2, gidp

- Has started seven games this season at four different positions (three at shortstop, two at third base, one at first base, one at second base).
- Batted .333 in April last year and .168 from May 1 through the end of the season...is a .298 (42 for 141) career hitter in April, his best mark for any month of the season.
- Is 3 for 25 (.120) in his career against the Tigers.
- Is in his fifth season in the majors and is on his third Opening Day roster (2009-10 with Pittsburgh).
- Was signed by the A's as a free agent to a minor league contract Jan. 24 and is the only non-roster invitee to make the A's Opening Day roster.
- Hit .333 in a team-leading 29 games this spring and also topped the club in home runs (4) and RBI (13)...appeared in 12 games at third base, nine at first base, nine at shortstop and five at second base.
- Batted .206 with four home runs and 16 RBI in 102 games with Pittsburgh last year...hit .256 against left-handed pitching compared to .180 with three of his four home runs against right-handers...hit .229 before the All-Star Break, .109 after the break.

55 HIDEKI MATSUI Career vs. Porcello (.333, 2-6, 0 HR, 2 BB, 2 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 4 **Detroit Series:** 0-3 Homestand: 0-3

- Has recorded three multiple-hit games in his last five games and is 7 for 20 (.350) with two home runs over that span.
- Is 11 for 45 (.244) this season and is now a .269 (180 for 669) career hitter in April with 22 home runs and 105 RBI...the average is his lowest for any month of the season, while the home runs are tied for his lowest of any month (September).
- This is his 19th professional season, which includes 10 years in Japan and nine in the Major Leagues...has recorded 2,510 hits in his career between the United States and Japan...is also closing in on a combined 500 home runs (has 496) and 1,500 runs scored (has 1,496)...as a point of reference, 25 players in Major League history have hit 500 home runs, 69 have scored 1,500 runs and 93 have collected 2,500 hits.
- Was 5 for 32 (.156) against Detroit last season.
- Made his ninth consecutive Opening Day start as a Major Leaguer...is the A's seventh different Opening Day designated hitter in the last seven years (Chavez, Giambi, Cust, Piazza, Thomas, Durazo).
- Batted .169 with one home run and two RBI in 22 games this spring...made 20 of his 22 appearances at designated hitter (also pinch hit once and played left field once).
- Batted .274 with 21 home runs and 84 RBI in 145 games last year with Los Angeles...topped 20 home runs for the fifth time in his last seven seasons and it was the sixth time in eight Major League seasons he drove in 80 or more runs...the games played were his most since 2005.

2 CLIFF PENNINGTON Career vs. Porcello (.250, 1-4, 0 HR, 1 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 3 Detroit Series: 0-3, so Homestand: 0-3, so

- Is 6 for 31 (.194) this season and is a .229 (25 for 109) career hitter in April but hit three of his six home runs last year during the month.
- Was 1 for 16 (.063) against Detroit last season and is a .231 (9 for 39) career hitter against the team.
- Batted .224 with one home run and eight RBI in 17 games this spring...went 6 for 20 (.300) over his last seven games after hitting .172 over his first 10 contests.
- Hit .250 with six home runs and 46 RBI in 156 games in his first full season at the Major League level last year...ranked fourth in the American League with eight triples, tied for fourth with 12 sacrifice hits and fifth with a stolen base percentage of 85.3 (29-of-34).

11 LANDON POWELL Career vs. Porcello (.400, 2-5, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 4) Minnesota Series: 2-3, 2b, rbi, bb Road Trip: 2-3, 2b, rbi, bb

- Made his first start of the season Sunday and went 2 for 3 with a double, an RBI and a walk.
- Is a .381 (8 for 21) career hitter against the Tigers, his highest average against any team.
- Batted .237 with two home runs and four RBI in 20 games this spring...went 5 for 16 (.313) over his final 11 games after hitting .182 over his first
- Is on the A's Opening Day roster for the second time in the last three years (also 2009).
- Had four stints with Oakland last year and batted .214 with 2 HR and 11 RBI in 41 games...spent all but five weeks of the season with the A's, seeing limited action as the back-up to Kurt Suzuki...made a total of 29 starts at catcher, including just 14 over the A's final 97 games.

7 ADAM ROSALES Current Streak: 0 for 0

- Was placed on the 60-day disabled list March 30 retroactive to March 22 with a fractured right foot...this is his second career stint on the DL as he finished the 2010 season on the DL with a stress fracture in his right ankle.
- Batted .271 with 7 HR and 31 RBI in 80 games with Oakland last year before going on the DL in mid-August...became the first Athletic to start at least one game at six different positions (45 at second, 10 at short, five at third, three at first, three in left and one at DH) since Brosius in 1995.

8 KURT SUZUKI Career vs. Porcello (.167, 1-6, 0 HR, 2 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3) **Detroit Series:** 1-3 Homestand: 1-3

- Snapped an 0 for 9 streak with a single in the second inning yesterday... is 8 for 43 (.186) with one home run and two RBI to start the season.
- Was 3 for 19 (.158) against Detroit last year but is a .287 (29 for 101) career hitter against the team.
- Made his fourth straight Opening Day start at catcher...the four starts are tied for second most by a catcher in Oakland history (Steinbach, 9).
- Hit .255 with two home runs and 12 RBI in 19 games this spring.
- Tied for the team lead in RBI (71) last year and tied for second in home runs (13)...tied for second among AL catchers in starts (121), despite missing 19 games while on the DL and three while on the BL...had career lows in batting (.242), on-base (.303) and slugging (.366).

15 RYAN SWEENEY Career vs. Porcello (.625, 5-8, 0 HR, 2 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 3 **Road Trip:** 1-5, 2 r, 2b, 3 <u>bb</u>, 2 so Chicago Series: 0-2, r, 2 bb, so

- Has made two starts this season (one in left field, one in right field) and is 1 for 3 (.333) with a double, three walks and two runs scored in those games...is 1 for 7 (.143) in six games overall.
- Pinch hit for LaRoche in the ninth inning Wednesday and struck out...is now 0 for 3 as a pinch hitter this year and 2 for 19 (.105) with eight strikeouts in his career in the pinch.
- Was 3 for 20 (.150) against Detroit last year.
- Is on his fourth consecutive Opening Day roster with the A's...had started each of the previous three A's openers (two in center, one in right).
- Did not commit an error in 81 games last year and now has a 119-game errorless streak dating back to his last miscue Aug. 15, 2009...that is the sixth longest errorless streak by an outfielder in Oakland history...the longest of his career is a career-opening 123-game streak. Batted .395 with a home run and five RBI in 13 games this spring...did not appear in a game until March 9.
- Was batting a team-leading .294 with one home run and 36 RBI in 82 games in 2010 before undergoing season-ending surgery July 30...his batting average has improved each of his three seasons with Oakland as he hit .286 in 2008 and .293 in 2009.

Current Streak: 0 for 4 Homestand: 0-4, so

- Is tied for ninth in the American League in home runs with three...however, his 18 strikeouts are the most in the league.
- Has a .284 (116 for 408) career average in April, his best for any month of the season.
- Hit his second career Opening Day home run (also March 31, 2008 vs. New York-NL)...the home run came in his first at bat, making him the 10th player in Oakland history to homer in his first at bat with the A's...the last before him was Frank Thomas on April 3, 2006.

 Made his fifth career Opening Day and all have come in left field (also 2006-08, 2010)...is the A's 12th different Opening Day starter in left field in
- the last 12 years (Buck, Holliday, Brown, Stewart, Payton, Byrnes, Kielty, Long, Jeremy Giambi, Damon, Grieve). Batted .217 with one home run and nine RBI in 22 games this spring.

 Was acquired by the A's December 16, 2010 from the Washington Nationals for Henry Rodriguez and Corey Brown.

- Batted .268 with 16 home runs and 56 RBI in 114 games with Washington last year in a season that ended early following knee surgery in late August... had career highs in walks (67) and on-base percentage (.389) and matched his best in steals (8).

A's vs. DETROIT

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2011 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

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		Barton	0			0
	7, April 5 at Toronto	Crisp	0			0
		DeJesus	2			0
	4 (twice), last: April 12 at Chicago (2 nd)	Ellis	1			0
Nost Hits, Game, A's		Jackson	3		-	0
Nost Hits, Game, Opponents		Kouzmanoff	2		-	0
Nost Hits, Inning, A's		LaRoche	1		-	0
	4 (twice), last: April 12 at Chicago (2 nd)	Matsui	3			0
		Pennington	1			0
		Powell	2		-	0
		Suzuki	1		-	0
		Sweeney	0		-	0
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		Crisp	0	-		
		DeJesus	0	0	0 0	0
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EAM MISCELLANEOUS		Jackson	0	0	0 0	0
		Kouzmanoff	1	0	0 0	0
		LaRoche	0	0	0 0	0
		Matsui	2	0	0 0	0
	3:05, April 9 at Minnesota	Pennington	1	0	0 0	0
		Powell	0	0	0 0	0
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		Sweeney	0	0	0 0	0
		Willingham	2	0	0 0	0
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	5, April 1 vs. Seattle					
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NDIVIDUAL BATTING		Crisp	1	1	2	
	ven times), last: Conor Jackson, Josh Willingham, Coco Crisp, April 13 at Chicago	DeJesus	0	2	2	
Nost Hits. Game		Ellis	0	2	2	
		Jackson	0	2	2	
Nost Triples, Game		Kouzmanoff	0	1	1	
	1 (seven times), last: Hideki Matsui, April 13 at Chicago	LaRoche	0	0	0	
	3, Josh Willingham, April 1 vs. Seattle	Matsui	0	2	2	
Nost Walks, Game	2 (three times), last: Daric Barton, April 14 vs. Detroit	Pennington	1	0	1	
		Powell	0	0	0	
Nost Stolen Bases, Game	1 (eight times), last: Coco Crisp, Conor Jackson, Mark Ellis, April 13 at Chicago	Suzuki	0	1	1	
		Sweeney	0	0	0	
NDIVIDUAL PITCHING		Willingham	1	2	3	
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DeJesus	2	-	7	-	-	1	-	-	-	Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	-	-	1	-
Ellis	-	1	-	-	2	2	7	-	-	DeJesus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	8	8	-	-
Jackson	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	Ellis	-	-	-	-	13	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Suzuki	-	-	-	-	1	6	5	-	-	Powell	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGU	LAR SEA	SON H	OME F	RUNS		LAST	REGULAR SEA	SON HOME R	UN	Grand Slams (0)
Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since	None
Barton	0	0	0	0	0	Oct. 1, 2010	at Seattle	French	15	Pinch Hit Home Runs (0)
Crisp	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 8, 2010	Seattle	French	20	None
DeJesus	0	0	0	0	0	June 13, 2010	at Cincinnati	Masset	40	Lead Off Home Runs (0)
Ellis	0	0	0	0	0	Oct. 2, 2010	at Seattle	Pauley	14	None
Jackson	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 16, 2010	Toronto	Marcum	10	Back-To-Back Home Runs (0)
Kouzmanoff	0	1	0	0	1	April 12, 2011	at Chicago	Pena	2	None
LaRoche	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 24, 2010	Houston	Myers	10	Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
Matsui	2	0	0	0	2	April 13, 2011	at Chicago	Danks	1	None
Pennington	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 30, 2010	at Seattle	Varvaro	15	Walk-Off Wins (0)
Powell	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 18, 2010	at Minnesota	Slowey	6	None
Rosales	0	0	0	0	0	July 18, 2010	at Kansas City	Bannister	10	
Suzuki	1	0	0	0	1	April 11, 2011	at Chicago	Crain	3	
Sweeney	0	0	0	0	0	May 4, 2010	Texas	Feldman	59	
Willingham	2	1	0	0	3	April10, 2011	at Minnesota	Baker	4	
Team	5	2	0	0	7	•				

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Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Bailey	Saves	51	10 for 61 (ties Howell for 6th in Oakland history)	Ellis (cont.)	Triples	22	1 for 23 (ties Lansford, Jackson and North for 5th
Balfour	Games	265	35 for 300				in Oakland history)
Barton	Games	384	116 for 500		Home Runs	85	15 for 100
	Games at 1B	373	12 for 385 (ties Tenace for 5th in Oakland history)		RBI	420	80 for 500
	Hits	333	167 for 500		Extra Base Hits	302	49 for 351 (ties Steinbach for 10th in Oakland
	Doubles	76	24 for 100				history)
Braden	Games	93	7 for 100	Fuentes	Games	556	44 for 600
	Games Started	78	22 for 100		Saves	191	9 for 200
	Innings	486.1	13.2 for 500	Gonzalez	Innings	352.1	147.2 for 500
Breslow	Games	232	68 for 300		Strikeouts	328	172 for 500
Cahill	Innings	392.2	107.1 for 500	Kouzmanot	f Home Runs	79	21 for 100
Crisp	Games	919	81 for 1000	LaRoche	Games	371	129 for 500
-	Hits	952	48 for 1000	Matsui	Runs (Total)	1495	5 for 1500 (Japan plus MLB)
	Doubles	182	18 for 200		Doubles (Total)	468	32 for 500 (Japan plus MLB)
	Stolen Bases	174	26 for 200		Home Runs (Tot	al) 494	6 for 500 (Japan plus MLB)
DeJesus	Games	887	113 for 1000		Walks (MLB)	485	15 for 500
	Hits	979	21 for 1000	Suzuki	Games at C	476	61 for 537 (ties Heath for 3rd in Oakland history)
	Doubles	188	12 for 200		Hits	485	15 for 500
Ellis	Games	1007	81 for 1088 (ties Rudi for 10th in Oakland history)		Doubles	95	5 for 100
	Games at 2B	975	21 for 996 (ties Collins for 3rd in Athletics history)	Sweeney	Games	368	132 for 500
	At Bats	3657	316 for 3970 (ties Canseco for 10th in Oakland		Hits	359	141 for 500
			history)		Doubles	73	27 for 100
	Hits	979	21 for 1000	Wuertz	Games	388	12 for 400
	Doubles	196	5 for 201 (ties Lansford for 8th in Oakland history)		Strikeouts	414	86 for 500
			•	Ziegler	Games	181	19 for 200
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DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Mi	ssed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Bailey	Strained right forearm	March 22-present (eligible April 6)	13	Rosales	Fractured right foot	March 22-prese	nt (eligible May 21) 13
Harden	Strained right shoulder	March 22-present (eligible April 6)	13	Wuertz	Strained left hamstring	April 6-present (eligible April 17) 9

The A's have placed four players on the disabled list this season...placed 23 players on the disabled list in 2010,17 in 2009, an Oakland record 25 in 2008 and 22 in 2007.

TRANSACTIONS

March 13 March 20	Adrian Cardenas, Fautino De Los Santos and Sean Doolittle optioned to Sacramento; Pedro Figueroa optioned to Midland Trystan Magnuson, Guillermo Moscoso, Josh Outman and Michael Taylor		60-day disabled list retroactive to March 22 (fractured right foot); Andrew Bailey placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 22 (strained right forearm); Rich Harden placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive
	optioned to Sacramento		to March 22 (strained right shoulder).
March 25	Chris Carter optioned to Sacramento	April 6	Michael Wuertz placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to April 2
March 27	Joey Devine optioned to Sacramento		(strained left hamstring); Tyson Ross recalled from Sacramento.
March 30	Josh Donaldson, Tyson Ross and Eric Sogard optioned to Sacramento;		
	Andy LaRoche selected from Sacramento; Adam Rosales placed on the		