

OAKLAND ATHLETICS Game Information

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A's AT A GLANCE

Season High 5-5, 6-6 (April 1 Season Low 1-4, 2-5 (Apr	
April	6-8
May	0-0
June	0-0
July	0-0
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	0-1-0
Road Series	2-1-0
Series Sweeps	0-0
First Game of Series	1-4
Last Game of Series	4-0
A's Score First	5-5
Opponent Scores First	2-2
Leading After 7 th	3-2
Leading After 8 th	4-1
Tied After 7 th	0-2
Tied After 8 th	0-3
Trailing After 7 th	3-4
Trailing After 8th	2-4
Commit No Errors	4-2
Commit 1 or More Errors	2-6
More HR Than Opp.	2-0
Fewer HR Than Opp.	1-3
Same Total HR of Opp.	3-5
Starter Pitches 7 or More	3-3
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	3-5
When Scoring 4 or More	3-2
When Scoring Less Than 4	3-6
Last At Bat	1-2
Different Lineups	10

A's vs. TIGERS

The A's, who have dropped the first two game of this series, were shut out 3-0 by the Tigers Thursday...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 onehitter)...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 231-225 against the Tigers...that includes 128-99 in Oakland, 101-124 in Detroit and 2-2 in Las Vegas...alt-time, the A's are 899-978 against the Tigers.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Coco Crisp a .320 (95 for 297) career hitter against the Tigers, his highest average against any American League...is 5 for 32 (.156) in eight games since opening this season on a five-game hitting streak (7 for 21, .333)

David DeJesus has a 252-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 **1969**, Sal Bando hits the first Grand Slam in Oakland history in the A's 6-1 win over California at the Coliseum ... in **1984**, Dave Kingman becomes the second player in Oakland A's history to homer three times in one game in the A's 9-6 win at Seattle...he has a grand slam in the first, and tworun shots in the third and fifth and drives in eight runs.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS (6-8) VS. DETROIT TIGERS (7-7) SATURDAY, APRIL 16, 2011 – OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM – 6:05 P.M. PDT LHP DALLAS BRADEN (0-1, 4.15) VS. RHP JUSTIN VERLANDER (1-0, 3.86) 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 nine games since opening the season 1-4...are 4-0 in the last game of a series and 2-8 in all other games, including 1-4 in the first game of a series...however, their last six losses have been decided by a combined 12 runs...have spent one day in second place, one day tied for second, eight 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...

AT HOME: The A's are 0-2 on this six-game homestand against Detroit (0-2) and Boston (two games)...are now 1-4 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 2-7 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 seven errors in their past four 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 16 errors total are **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: Four of Oakland's last five games have been 10-inning affairs, with the A's winning two of those extra-inning games...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 2-3 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 2.37 ERA (24 er in 91.0 ip) this season...**the innings pitched are the most by starting pitchers in the Major Leagues and the ERA ranks second best** (Texas, 2.32)...have allowed only four home runs this season, which is **fewest in the majors**...also rank second in the American League and tied for fifth in the Major Leagues with 69 strikeouts.

PITCHING: A's pitchers have compiled a 2.96 ERA (42 er in 127.2 ip), which **ranks third in AL and fourth in the majors...** also rank fifth in opponents batting average (.234) and have recorded 104 strikeouts, which is tied for second most in the American League.

OFFENSE: The A's are batting .236 (113 for 478) this season, which is the sixth lowest average in the American League...are 25 for 119 (.210) with runners in scoring position, which is fourth lowest in the AL...their seven home runs are tied for second fewest in the AL, but their 28 doubles are third 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 YOUNG AND THE OLD: The average age on the A's Opening Day roster was 28.96 years, which is nearly two years older than last year (27.16)...the A's current roster features three players under the age of 25 with Cahill, Anderson and Ross all 23...there are 11 players that are at least 30 years old.

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 (103)...have not had fewer than three players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season (one).

	PITCHING PROBABLES	
Tue	n., April 17 vs. DET RHP Brad Penny (0-1, 8.27) vs. RHP Trevor Cahill (1-0, 3.12) es., April 19 vs. BOS RHP John Lackey (1-1, 15.58) vs. LHP Brett Anderson (0-1, 2.29) d., 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

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SATURDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Dallas Braden (0-1, 4.15 ERA)

BRAD	EN	BY	THE	NUN	IBER	S
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2011	0	1	4.15	2	13.0	6
2010	11	14	3.50	30	192.2	75
Career	25	36	4.20	93	486.1	227
Home	0	0		0	0.0	0
Road	0	1	4.15	2	13.0	6
Day	0	0		0	0.0	0
Night	0	1	4.15	2	13.0	6
Pre-ASB	0	1	4.15	2	13.0	6
Post-ASB	0	0		0	0.0	0
		AVG.		A	В	н
vs. LHH			.400		10	4
vs. RHH			.275	4	40	11

Braden Runs Scored Times 0 1 1 0 2 0 3 1 4 0 5 0 6 0 7 0 8 0 9 0 10 0 Run Support Avg. 2.08

BRADEN vs. DETROIT ERA G IP ER L 2010 0 2 5.25 2 2 12.0 2009 1 5.25 12.0 8 4 32 2 42.2 Career 6.75 Braden's Starts vs. Detroit DATE H/A DEC IP н R ER BB SO 8/1/07 5.1 Н 4 7 2 2 8/12/07 L 1.2 8 8 1 А 9/2/07 9 6 2 6 2 2 1 3 2 W 7.0 8/8/08 A 5 A 5.0 7.0 2 1 5/16/09 9 5 6 6 7/1/09 Ŵ 5 3 5/19/10 Н L 6.0 6 5 2 1 2 1 2 2 1 7 4/11/11 А 6.0 Detroit Career Batting vs. Braden AVG AB H HR BB SO 0 3 3 12 0 0 Boesch .000 0 4 Cabrera .333 6 15 Guillen 333 2 1 2 5 .333 Inge Jackson .143 0 0 3 7 3 8 Kelly Martinez 333 ñ 0 .000 0 0 0 16 5 Ordonez .313 2 3 5 3 0 1 .600 0 0 Peralta Raburn .400 15 6 2 2 Santiago 400 5 0 0 0 0 Wells 0

BRADEN'S	CAREER HIGHS
Low Hit CG:	0, 5/9/10 vs. TB
IP: 9.0 (four t	imes), last: 8/28/10 at TEX
Fewest IP, GS:	1.2, 8/12/07 at DET
H: 11 (three	times), last: 6/9/10 vs. LAA
R:	8, 8/12/07 at DET
ER:	8, 8/12/07 at DET
BB:	6, 7/26/09 at NYY
SO:	10, 4/6/10 vs. SEA
HR:	3, 4/29/07 vs. TB
Win Streak:	4, 7/31/09 to 4/22/10
Loss Streak:	8, 4/29/07 to 9/23/07
Scoreless Streak:	16.0, 5/3/10 to 5/14/10
Complete Games:	5, last: 8/28/10 at TEX
Shutouts:	2, last: 8/28/10 at TEX

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...the A's were Date Opponent Score Dec ERA IP н R ER BB SO HR #PIT 13-17 (.433) in his starting assignments last year and are 34-44 (.436) in his 78 $\,$ 10 5 6.43 4.15 L 1 2 95 April 11 at CWS 2-1 (10) 7 1 6.0 career starts...tossed six or more innings in 22 of his 30 starts in 2010, allowed two runs or fewer 14 times and walked two batters or fewer 27 times.

FIRST START: 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...exited the game in the eighth inning after allowing a single to McDonald and double to Lind after throwing 89 pitches...Ziegler entered and allowed a RBI single to Hill, scoring McDonald to charge Braden with his fifth run.

LAST START: 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 before he was replaced by Ross to start the seventh...Ross then pitched three scoreless innings, Suzuki hit the go-ahead home run in the 10th, and Fuentes threw a scoreless inning for his fourth save.

BRADEN vs. DETROIT: 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...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...was 0-2 with a 5.25 ERA (7 er in 12.0 ip) in two starts last year...was the losing pitcher in the A's 10-2 loss at Detroit May 30 when he allowed a career high tying 11 hits in 6.0 innings...allowed single runs in each of the first four innings on an Ordonez RBI single, a Laird RBI single, a Cabrera RBI double and an Inge solo home run...allowed a leadoff home run to Guillen in the sixth...also took the loss in a 5-1 decision in Oakland on May 19...shutout the Tigers on four hits over the first six innings before allowing a leadoff home run to Inge in the seventh...Laird followed with a single and Braden was removed from the game with the flu-like symptoms that he had in the days leading up to the start...left trailing 1-0 as Verlander tossed a complete game four-hitter, allowing the A's only run in the eighth inning.

THIS SPRING: Was 0-3 with a 5.24 ERA (22.1 ip, 34 h, 18 r, 13 er, 6 bb, 14 so, 1 hr) in six games, all starts...also started in a minor league game March 25...allowed a .337 (34 for 101) opponents batting average...yielded just one home run in 22.1 innings...went 0-3 with a 10.13 ERA over his first four starts but then had no decisions and a 0.77 ERA over his final two starts.

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Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
Feb. 28	at LAA	7-8	L	9.00	1.0	2	2	1	2	1	0
March 4	TEX	3-6	L	11.25	3.0	5	4	4	0	1	1
March 9	at TEX	2-9	L	10.80	2.2	6	5	3	1	2	0
March 14	at CLE	8-9	-	10.13	4.0	7	6	4	1	3	0
March 20	ARI	2-4	-	7.02	6.0	9	1	1	0	2	0
March 30	at SF	1-2		5.24	5.2	5	0	0	2	5	0
Totals (6	games, 6 st	arts)	0-3	5.24	22.1	34	18	13	6	14	1

2010 RECAP: Had one of the most memorable performances in Oakland history with his Mother's Day Perfect Game yet finished the season with an 11-14 record despite a 3.50 ERA...the ERA was sixth lowest in Oakland history among pitchers with a losing record and was the lowest since 1978 when Matt Keough went 8-15 with a 3.24 ERA and Rick Langford posted a 7-13 mark and a 3.43 ERA...the last Major Leaguer with an ERA of 3.50 or lower and a winning percentage of .440 or worse was Omar Daal, who was 8-12 with a 2.88 ERA for Arizona in 1998...had career bests in nearly every category, including ERA, opponents batting (.249), opponents on-base percentage and opponents slugging (.373)...is now 19-24 with a 3.68 ERA (140 er in 342.1 ip) since the start of 2009, with his ERA 11th lowest among AL pitchers with 300 or more innings over that span.

AMONG THE LEADERS: Ranked fifth in the American League in fewest walks per nine innings (2.01) and had the eighth lowest opponents on-base percentage (.294)...also tied for the league lead in shutouts (2) and ranked fourth in complete games (5)...tied for fifth in the AL in losses (14), becoming just the second A's pitcher over the last 12 years to lose at least 14 games (Greg Smith, 16 in 2008)...averaged 14.8 pitches per inning, which was third fewest in the AL.

ON THE BASES: Tied for second in the American League in pickoffs (8)...now has 19 career pickoffs...since 2007, only Mark Buehrle (31) and Andy Pettitte (23) have more pickoffs...opponents were successful in just 1 of 3 (33.3%) stolen base attempts, which tied for the lowest percentage in the AL...has yielded just one stolen base since the start of 2009, while opponents are 4 for 12 (33.3%) off him in his career.

RUN SUPPORT: Had the fourth-lowest run support in the American League in 2010 (3.60).....received run support of two runs or fewer in 17 of his 30 starts...had 17 runs of support in his 14 losses (83.1 ip, 1.84 RSA) and now has 39 runs of support in his 36 career losses (197.0 ip, 1.78 RSA)...is 2-32 in 46 career starts with support of two runs or fewer, compared to 22-4 in 32 starts with run support of three or more...has career run support of 3.58 (184 rs in 463.0 ip) as a starter.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Opponents hit .249, including .242 by right-handed hitters and .271 by left-handers...entered the season with a .295 mark against righties and .236 against lefties...yielded a .239 mark with runners in scoring position after entering the season with a .315 career mark with RISP.

DAYS REST: Was 6-11 with a 4.15 ERA in 18 starts on four days rest and 5-3 with a 2.55 ERA in 12 starts on five days rest or more.

INNING BY INNING: Yielded 48 of his 83 runs in the fifth through seventh innings...had a 2.18 ERA over the first four innings of a game and 5.70 from the fifth inning on

BRADEN AND POWELL: Made 10 starts with Landon Powell as his catcher, a pairing that produced a 4-6 record with four complete games, two shutouts and a 2.75 ERA (22 er in 72.0 ip) in those starts, including the perfect game...was 7-8 with a 3.95 ERA (53 er in 120.2 ip) in his other 20 starts.

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: Was part of four double plays on defense, which tied for second among AL pitchers.

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

RHP Trevor Cahill (1-0, 3.12): Is scheduled to make his fourth start of the season ...posted an 18-8 record in 30 starts with a team-leading 2.97 ERA...his wins were the most by an Athletic over the last eight years...all of his wins came after May 1 and he had the most wins in Oakland history by a pitcher who did not win a game in April...the last Athletics pitcher to win as many as 18 games without winning one in April was Bobby Shantz, who had 18 for the Philadelphia A's in 1951...matched Jon Lester (BOS) and CC Sabathia (NYY) for most wins in the majors beginning May 1...went 1-2 with a 4.37 ERA over his first four starts, 13-3 with a 2.10 ERA over a 19-start stretch from May 21 to Aug. 25 and 4-3 with a 5.05 ERA over his last seven starts...ranked third in the American League in opponents batting average (.220), fourth in ERA (2.97) and opponents on-base percentage (.287), tied for fourth in wins (18), tied for fifth in winning percentage (.692) and sixth in opponents slugging (.332)... had a no decision in his last start, an A's 6-5 loss at Chicago Tuesday...surrendered all four of his runs in the second inning (4.2 ip, 6 h, 4 r, 4 er, 3 bb, 3 so, 1 hr)...is 1-1 with a 5.74 ERA (15.2 ip, 17 h, 10 r, 9 bb, 7 so) in three career starts vs. Detroit...is 1-1 with a 8.31 ERA (8 er in 8.2 ip) in two starts in Detroit and 0-0 with a 2.57 ERA (2 er in 7.0 ip) in one start in Oakland ... the win came on May 31 of last year.

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

-6, 4.42 ERA (36.2 ip, 26 h, 26 r, 18 er, 19 bb, 35 so, 5 hr) Save/Save Opportunities: 5/8 (62.5%) Despite being buffeted for eight runs (five earned) on four hits in 3.1 innings last night, the A's bullpen has allowed one earned run or fewer in seven of its last 11 games and has a 3.68 ERA (12 er in 29.1 ip) over that span after allowing three earned runs in each of the first two games of the season...has been charged with six of the team's eight 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: 4/15 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/2 First Hitters: 1-6 (0 bb) Earned his first win as an Athletic Wednesday after pitching a scoreless ninth inning. ٠ Has not allowed a run in five of his six appearances this season...allowed two runs without recording an out April 5 and has a 3.38 ERA (2 er in 5.1 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 2.90 ERA in 21 career outings (21.2 ip, 15 h, 7 r, 7 er, 11 bb, 32 so)...the 32 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: 4/15 vs. Detroit (ND, 0.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) **56 LHP CRAIG BRESLOW** Save/Opportunities: 0-1 Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/1 First Hitters: 2-5 (0 bb) Has pitched three of the last four games after going eight consecutive games without making an appearance...has allowed at least one run in three of his five outings this season (4 er in 3.2 ip, 9.73 ERA). Has not allowed a run in 12 career appearances against Detroit (11.1 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 with the same team. 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 Thursday...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: 5-6 Last Outing: 4/15 vs. Detroit (L, BS, 1.1 ip, 2 h, 6 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0 First Hitters: 2-7 (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. However, had his scoreless streak halted at five straight appearances when he was rocked for six runs (three earned) last night, walking three and allowing two hits in 1.1 innings in being charged with his first blown save and second loss of the season.. previously had 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 4.91 ERA in 14 career games against the Tigers (14.2 ip, 14 h, 11 r, 8 er, 9 bb, 18 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) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 1-2 (0 bb) Took the loss Thursday 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 batting average.
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• 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.

48 RHP MICHAEL WUERTZ Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0	Save/Opportunities: 0-0	Last Outing: 4/1 vs. Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so) First Hitters: 0-1 (0 bb)
 Was placed on the 15-day disabled list 	t April 6 retroactive to April 2 with a l	eft hamstring strainthis 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: 4/15 vs. Detroit (ND, 0.2 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 0 bb, 0 so) First Hitters: 2-4 (1 bb) Inherited Runners/Scored: 9/6

Was tagged for two runs (both earned) on two hits in 0.2 innings of relief in the 10th last night, his first earned runs allowed in five appearances

- this season (4.0 ip, 4 h, 3 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 1.93 ERA (18.2 ip, 18 h, 4 r, 4 er, 4 bb, 11 so).
- Is in his fourth season with the A's and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.

10 DARIC BARTON

Detroit Series: 2-7, 2b, 2 bb, 3 so

- 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

Career vs. Verlander (.200, 1-5, 0 HR, 2 BB, 2 SO)

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 5) Homestand: 2-7, 2b, 2 bb, 3 so

- Is batting .292 (14 for 48) with 11 walks and 12 strikeouts to start the season after hitting .299 in April last year... is a .288 (64 for 222) career hitter in the month, his highest mark for any month of the season.
- Is fourth in the American League in walks (11), tied for third in doubles (6) and eighth in on-base percentage (.433).
- Committed an error in each of his first three games, then went error-free for 10 straight games before being charged with a 10th inning error last night... his four overall errors are the most by a first baseman and tied for most of any player 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 Detroit Series: 1-9, r, sb, so	Career vs. Verlander (.400, 6-15, 0 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 5) Homestand: 1-9, r, sb, so
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- Is 5 for 32 (.156) in eight 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 rank second in stolen bases (6).
- Is a .320 (95 for 297) 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 Detroit Series: 3-6, 3 rbi	Career vs. Verlander (.268, 11-41, 0 HR, 4 BB, 10 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (3 for 5) Homestand: 3-6, 3 rbi
 Snapped an 0 for 10 drought last n 	abt with a 3 for 5 3-RBI game vs. Detroit opened the season with	a five-game hitting streak (7 for 20 350)

- vs. Detroit....opened the season with a five-game hitting streak (7 for 20, (BI gar ...was only 1 for 13 (.077) at home before last night's outburst .
- Is 11 for 47 (.234) 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 any month of the season.
- Had his seven-game hitting streak against the Tigers snapped Thursday night ... now batting .417 (15 for 36) in his last nine games against the team...is a .311 (109 for 350) career hitter with 49 RBI against Detroit, his most RBI against any team.
- Did not commit an error in 88 games in the outfield last year and now has a 252-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)...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: 0-7, 2 so, gidp	Career vs. Verlander (.211, 4-19, 0 HR, 0 BB, 5 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 11 Homestand: 0-7, 2 so, gidp
 Is 6 for 35 (.171) since his season-or 	ppening four-game hitting streak (4 for 15, .267).	
• Was awarded a triple Thursday by	the league office for the fly ball he hit to center field April 9 in Minnesota	a, which was originally scored a three-
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- Sal Bando for eighth most in Oakland history...is now one triple away from tying of his career, tying Span...the triple was the Carney Lansford, Reggie Jackson and Billy North for fifth most in Oakland history.
- Was 6 for 10 (.600) against Detroit last year...however, is a .214 (51 for 238) 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. Verlander (.---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 2 games (4 for 8) Detroit Series: 2-4, so Homestand: 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. Verlander (.333, 2-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 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 Detroit Series: 0-5, so, 2 gidp

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

Current Streak: 0 for 6 Homestand: 0-5, so, 2 gidp

- Had his six-game hitting streak snapped Thursday and is now 7 for 24 (.292) over his last eight games...the hitting streak was the longest by an Athletic this season.
- 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 .292 (42 for 144) career hitter in April, his best mark for any month of the season.
- Is 3 for 28 (.107) 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 Detroit Series: 0-7	Career vs. Verlander (.286, 6-21, 1 HR, 1 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 8 Homestand: 0-7
•	t games in his last six games and is 7 for 24 (.292) with two home runs over that	1

- Is 11 for 49 (.224) this season and is now a .267 (180 for 673) 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. Verlander (.000, 0-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 4) Detroit Series: 2-7, so, cs Homestand: 2-7, so, cs

- Is 8 for 35 (.225) this season and is a .239 (27 for 113) 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 .256 (11 for 43) 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 Minnesota Series: 4-7, 2b, rbi, bb, cs	Career vs. Verlander (, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 4) 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 nine contests.
- 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. Verlander (.294, 5-17, 0 HR, 1 BB, 2 SO) Current Streak: 2 games (4 for 7) Detroit Series: 4-7, r Homestand: 4-7, r Snapped an 0 for 9 streak with a single in the second inning Thursday...is 11 for 47 (.234) with one home run and two RBI to start the season. Was 3 for 19 (.158) against Detroit last year but is a .305 (32 for 105) 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. Verlander (.200, 2-10, 0 HR, 0 BB, 3 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 1) Detroit Series: 1-1, r Homestand: 1-1. r

· 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 2 for 8 (.250) in seven games overall.

- Pinch hit for LaRoche in the ninth inning Wednesday and struck out, but lined a single in a 10th inning pinch hitting role last night... is now 1 for 4 as a pinch hitter this year and 3 for 20 (.150) 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.

16 JOSH WILLINGHAM Detroit Series: 0-7, 2 bb, 2 so

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

Is tied for ninth in the American League in home runs with three...however, his 19 strikeouts are the most in the league.

- Has a .282 (116 for 411) 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).

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2011 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

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HIGHS AND LOWS

TEAM BATTING

Most Runs, Game, A's	
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	
Most Runs, Inning, A's	
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	
Most Hits, Game, A's	
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	
Most Hits, Inning, A's	
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	2, April 10 at Minnesota
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	2, April 12 at Chicago
Most Doubles, Game, A's	
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	
Most Triples, Game, A's	
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	1, April 6 at Toronto
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	

TEAM PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, A's	
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	
Most Walks, A's	
Most Walks, Opponents	
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Winning Streak	
Longest Losing Streak	
Longest Game, Innings	
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	
Shortest Game, Time	2:18, April 6 at Toronto
Largest Margin, Victory	
Largest Margin, Loss	
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	
Fewest Left on Base, Game	1, April 1 vs. Seattle
Most Errors, Game	
Largest Comeback in Win	
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	4, April 5 at Toronto

. 2 (eight times), last: Coco Crisp, April 15 vs. Detroit1 (seven times), last: Hideki Matsui, April 13 at Chicago ..3 (twice), last: Kurt Suzuki, April 13 at Chicago 1 (nine times), last: Coco Crisp, April 15 vs. Detroit .6, Andy LaRoche, April 5 to April 13

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Barton	1	1	1	0	3
Crisp	0	1	0	0	1
DeJesus	2	1	0	0	3
Ellis	1	0	0	0	1
Jackson	3	0	0	0	3
Kouzmanoff	2	0	0	0	2
LaRoche	1	0	0	0	1
Matsui	3	1	0	0	4
Pennington	2	0	0	0	2
Powell	2	0	0	0	2
Suzuki	1	1	0	0	2
Sweeney	0	0	0	0	0
Willingham	1	0	0	0	1

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

14, April 1 vs. Seattle 12, April 5 at Toronto 11, April 14 vs. Detroit . 6, April 13 at Chicago ... 4, April 14 vs. Detroit .3, April 14 vs. Detroit

. 3, April 9-11

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Barton	1	0	0	0	0	1
Crisp	0	0	0	0	0	0
DeJesus	0	1	0	0	0	1
Ellis	0	1	0	0	0	1
Jackson	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kouzmanoff	1	0	0	0	0	1
LaRoche	0	0	0	0	0	0
Matsui	2	0	0	0	0	2
Pennington	1	0	0	0	0	1
Powell	0	0	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweeney	0	0	0	0	0	0
Willingham	2	0	0	0	0	2

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	тот
Barton	0	0	0
Crisp	1	1	2
DeJesus	0	3	3
Ellis	0	2	2
Jackson	0	2	2
Kouzmanoff	0	1	1
LaRoche	0	0	0
Matsui	0	2	2
Pennington	1	0	1
Powell	0	0	0
Suzuki	0	1	1
Sweeney	0	0	0
Willingham	1	2	3

Most Walks, Game... Most Strikeouts, Game ... Most Stolen Bases, Game ... Longest Hitting Streak.

Most Home Runs, Game .

Most Runs Batted In, Game.

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most Runs, Game ..

Most Doubles, Game.

Most Triples, Game ...

Most Hits, Game

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING Most Strikeouts, Game	8, Trevor Cahill, April 1 vs. Seattle
Most Innings, Game, Starter	
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	
Low Hit Complete Game	
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	

STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Barton	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Crisp	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
DeJesus	2	-	8	-	-	1	-	-	-	
Ellis	-	1	-	-	2	3	7	-	-	
Jackson	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Kouzmanoff	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	8	-	
LaRoche	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	
Matsui	-	-	-	2	9	2	-	-	-	
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	
Powell	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	
Suzuki	-	-	-	-	1	6	6	-	-	
Sweeney	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	
Willingham	-	-	1	12	-	-	-	-	-	

GAMES BY POSITION

	С		1B		2B		3B		SS		LF		CF		RF		DH	
PLAYER	G	GS																
Barton	-	-	14	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	12	-	-	1	-
DeJesus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	9	9	-	-
Ellis	-	-	-	-	14	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jackson	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	4	4	-	-
Kouzmanoff	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LaRoche	-	-	1	1	1	1	3	3	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Matsui	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	13
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Powell	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Suzuki	13	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweeney	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2	1	1	-
Willingham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	12	-	-	-	-	1	1

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	16	Pinch Hit Home Runs (0)
Crisp	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 8, 2010	Seattle	French	21	None
DeJesus	0	0	0	0	0	June 13, 2010	at Cincinnati	Masset	41	Lead Off Home Runs (0)
Ellis	0	0	0	0	0	Oct. 2, 2010	at Seattle	Pauley	15	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	11	Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
Matsui	2	0	0	0	2	April 13, 2011	at Chicago	Danks	2	None
Pennington	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 30, 2010	at Seattle	Varvaro	16	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	4	
Sweeney	0	0	0	0	0	May 4, 2010	Texas	Feldman	60	
Willingham	2	1	0	0	3	April10, 2011	at Minnesota	Baker	5	
Team	5	2	0	0	7					

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No	Needs	Player	Category	No	Needs
Bailey	Saves		10 for 61 (ties Howell for 6 th in Oakland history)	Ellis (cont.)			1 for 23 (ties Lansford, Jackson and North for 5 th
Balfour	Games		34 for 300	2	mpico		in Oakland history)
Barton	Games		115 for 500		Home Runs	85	15 for 100
	Games at 1B		11 for 385 (ties Tenace for 5 th in Oakland history)		RBI		80 for 500
	Hits		165 for 500		Extra Base Hits		49 for 351 (ties Steinbach for 10 th in Oakland
	Doubles	77	23 for 100				history)
Braden	Games	93	7 for 100	Fuentes	Games	557	43 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	233	67 for 300		Strikeouts	328	172 for 500
Cahill	Innings	392.2	107.1 for 500	Kouzmanol	fHome Runs	79	21 for 100
Crisp	Games	920	80 for 1000	LaRoche	Games	372	128 for 500
	Hits	953	47 for 1000	Matsui	Runs (Total)	1495	5 for 1500 (Japan plus MLB)
	Doubles	182	18 for 200		Doubles (Total)		32 for 500 (Japan plus MLB)
	Stolen Bases	175	25 for 200		Home Runs (Tota	al) 494	6 for 500 (Japan plus MLB)
DeJesus	Games	888	112 for 1000		Walks (MLB)	485	15 for 500
	Hits	982	18 for 1000	Suzuki	Games at C	477	60 for 537 (ties Heath for 3 rd in Oakland history)
	Doubles	188	12 for 200		Hits	488	12 for 500
Ellis	Games	1008	80 for 1088 (ties Rudi for 10 th in Oakland history)		Doubles	95	5 for 100
	Games at 2B	976	20 for 996 (ties Collins for 3 rd in Athletics history)	Sweeney	Games	369	131 for 500
	At Bats	3661	312 for 3970 (ties Canseco for 10th in Oakland		Hits	360	140 for 500
			history)		Doubles	73	27 for 100
	Hits		21 for 1000	Wuertz	Games		12 for 400
	Doubles	196	5 for 201 (ties Lansford for 8th in Oakland history)		Strikeouts		86 for 500
				Ziegler	Games	182	18 for 200

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Mis	sed
Bailey	Strained right forearm	March 22-present (elig	ible April 6)	14
Harden	Strained right shoulder	March 22-present (elig	ible April 6)	14

PlayerInjuryRosalesFractured right footWuertzStrained left hamstring

DatesGames MissedMarch 22-present (eligible May 21)14April 6-present (eligible April 17)10

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	Adrian Cardenas, Fautino De Los Santos and Sean Doolittle optioned to
	Sacramento; Pedro Figueroa optioned to Midland
March 20	Trystan Magnuson, Guillermo Moscoso, Josh Outman and Michael Taylor
	optioned to Sacramento
March 25	Chris Carter optioned to Sacramento
March 27	Joey Devine optioned to Sacramento

March 30 Josh Donaldson, Tyson Ross and Eric Sogard optioned to Sacramento; Andy LaRoche selected from Sacramento; Adam Rosales placed on the 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 to March 22 (strained right shoulder).

April 6 Michael Wuertz placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to April 2 (strained left hamstring); Tyson Ross recalled from Sacramento.