



# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

## Game Information

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### A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	9-8 (April 19)
Season Low	1-4, 2-5 (April 6, 8)
April	10-11
May	0-0
June	0-0
July	0-0
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	0-1-2
Road Series	2-1-0
Series Sweeps	0-0
First Game of Series	2-5
Last Game of Series	5-1
A's Score First	6-6
Opponent Scores First	4-5
Leading After 7 <sup>th</sup>	7-2
Leading After 8 <sup>th</sup>	8-1
Tied After 7 <sup>th</sup>	0-2
Tied After 8 <sup>th</sup>	0-3
Trailing After 7 <sup>th</sup>	3-7
Trailing After 8 <sup>th</sup>	2-7
Commit No Errors	5-4
Commit 1 or More Errors	5-7
More HR Than Opp.	3-0
Fewer HR Than Opp.	2-5
Same Total HR of Opp.	5-6
Starter Pitches 7 or More	5-4
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	5-7
When Scoring 4 or More	7-2
When Scoring Less Than 4	3-9
Last At Bat	2-4
Different Lineups	54

### OAKLAND ATHLETICS (10-11) VS. SEATTLE MARINERS (8-14)

**SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 2011 – SAFECO FIELD – 1:10 P.M. PDT**  
**LHP BRETT ANDERSON (1-1, 1.63) VS. RHP DOUG FISTER (1-3, 3.60)**  
**CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (SPORTSRADIO 95.7 FM)**

### ABOUT THE A's

**ABOUT THE A'S:** The A's snapped their season-high three-game losing streak last night...have won four of their last seven and eight of their last 14 games...have spent each of the last 12 days in third place and 16 days in third overall...have also spent one day in second place, one day tied for second, two days tied for third and four days in fourth place.

**STARTING PITCHING:** A's starters have combined for a 1.55 ERA (10 er in 58.0 ip) over their past nine games and are now 8-5 with a 2.24 ERA (34 er in 136.1 ip) this season...the ERA ranks **first in the Major Leagues** among starting pitchers (SD, 3.11)...are second in the majors in innings pitched (136.1) and fourth in strikeouts (108)...have not allowed a run in five of their 21 games this season and have allowed three earned runs or less 17 times...have allowed eight home runs this season, which is tied for third fewest in the majors.

**PITCHING:** A's pitchers have compiled a 2.53 ERA (53 er in 188.2 ip), which is the **best in the majors**...rank third in the majors in opponents batting average (.228)...have recorded 156 strikeouts, which ranks fourth in the American League and 11<sup>th</sup> in the majors.

**ON THE BASES:** A's pitchers lead the majors with eight pickoffs (Anderson 4, Breslow 3, McCarthy 1)...last year the A's topped the majors with 27 pitcher pickoffs...opponents have been successful in 11 of 17 (64.7%) stolen base attempts, which is the third lowest in the majors...the offense has been successful in 17 of 21 (81.0%) stolen base attempts, which is the third best percentage in the American League...last season, the A's stole 156 bases, which ranked third in the AL and the majors.

**OFFENSE:** The A's recorded a season-high eight runs last night...were shutout in consecutive games on Thursday and Friday, the first back-to-back shutouts for the A's since May 13-14, 2008 at Cleveland...went 20 consecutive innings without scoring a run before Coco Crisp doubled to drive in Mark Ellis in the third inning...that was the A's longest scoreless streak since June 18-21, 2006 when they went 25 straight innings without a run...the A's have been shutout three times this year and have scored 75 runs which is third fewest in the American League...are .241 on the season and the average is the sixth lowest in the AL...team's 10 home runs are the second fewest in the majors, but their 41 doubles are the tied for the fourth most in the majors...are hitting .221 (41 for 190) with runners in scoring position, the third lowest average in the AL.

**DEFENSIVE DOINGS:** The A's have not committed an error over the last three games, after being charged with 11 errors in the previous eight games...opened the season by committing an Oakland-record nine errors over their first four games...their 20 errors total are the second most in the majors (Houston 23)...last season, the A's were charged with less than 100 errors (99) for the sixth time in the last seven years.

**CLOSE CALLS:** The A's dropped their fourth one-run game of the season Thursday night, and are 3-4 in one run games this year...10 of the A's 21 games this season have been decided by two runs or less, and the A's are 4-6 in those games...are 2-3 in extra-inning games.

**HOME AND AWAY:** The A's are 1-2 on this seven game road trip through Seattle (1-2) and Los Angeles (three games)...went 3-3 on the last homestand against Detroit (2-2) and Boston (1-1)...are 4-5 at home and 6-6 on the road...went 47-34 (.580) at home last season, their best home mark since going 49-32 in 2006, compared to 34-47 on the road.

**DAY AND NIGHT:** The A's are 5-2 in day games and 5-9 at night...the day record is tied for fourth best in the majors and the night record is the third worst...2.14 ERA during the day is second lowest among Major League teams, and 2.72 night ERA is fourth best in the majors...last year, the A's posted a 35-21 (.625) record for day games and 46-60 (.434) record at night...the day record was the second best in the American League and the night record was fourth worst.

**STARTING LINEUPS:** The A's have used 14 different lineups this season...the only lineup they have used more than one time this year is their Opening Day lineup (Crisp, Barton, DeJesus, Willingham, Matsui, Suzuki, Ellis, Kouzmanoff, Pennington), which they have used six times this season.

**LOCKED UP:** Oakland has five players under contract beyond the 2011 season...Trevor Cahill is signed through 2015 with club options for 2016 and 2017 after agreeing to terms on a new contract April 11...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)...the other two players were acquired in a trade (DeJesus, Willingham).

**THE DISABLED LIST:** The A's now have used the disabled list five times this year and 92 times since the start of the 2007 season, which is second most in the majors to Texas (103)...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...began the year with three players on the DL and it now stands at five (Braden, Wuertz, Bailey, Harden, Rosales)...have not had fewer than three players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season, when they had just one.

### A's vs. MARINERS

The A's are 2-4 against the Mariners this season...they won the season series last year 13-6, with the 13 wins equalling their second most ever against Seattle, trailing only the 17-2 mark in 2006...were 7-2 in Oakland and 6-4 in Seattle last year...each team has two season series wins over the previous four years and the A's are 35-47 (.427) against Seattle since 2007...that is the **lowest winning percentage** by any American League team over that span...all-time, the A's are 285-211 (.575) against Seattle, which is the second best mark by an AL team against the Mariners (Boston, .577)...are 159-90 in Oakland and 126-121 in Seattle.

### TODAY'S TIDBITS

**Daric Barton** is a .312 career hitter against the Mariners with four home runs and 25 RBI...the average and RBI are his best against any team.

**David DeJesus** has a 258-game errorless streak, which is the longest active streak among all Major League outfielders...his last error came on Sept. 15, 2008.

**Mark Ellis** has 200 career doubles, and is one double away from tying Carney Lansford for eighth most in Oakland history.

**Brian Fuentes** has five saves this season, which is tied for third most in the American League.

### THIS DATE IN A's HISTORY

In **1969** Rick Monday establishes a club record with three doubles in the A's 6-4 win at Minnesota...In **1986** Jose Rijo strikes out 14 Mariners after fanning a club record 16 batters in his previous start, but the A's lose 3-1...In **2003** Mark Mulder tosses a three-hit shutout in the A's 2-0 win over Detroit.

### PITCHING PROBABLES

Mon., April 25 at LAA	LHP Gio Gonzalez (2-1, 1.80) vs. RHP Jered Weaver (5-0, 1.23)	7:10 CSN Plus
Tue., April 26 at LAA	RHP Brandon McCarthy (1-1, 2.10) vs. RHP Tyler Chatwood (1-1, 3.50)	7:05 CSNCA
Wed., April 27 at LAA	RHP Tyson Ross (1-2, 4.82) vs. RHP Dan Haren (4-1, 1.46)	4:05 CSNCA

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# SUNDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Brett Anderson (1-1, 1.63 ERA)

## ANDERSON BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2011	1	1	1.63	4	27.2	5
2010	7	6	2.80	19	112.1	34
<b>Career</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>3.40</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>315.1</b>	<b>119</b>
Home	1	0	0.64	2	14.0	1
Road	0	1	2.63	2	13.2	4
Day	0	1	2.63	2	13.2	4
Night	1	0	0.64	2	14.0	1
Pre-ASB	1	1	1.63	4	27.2	5
Post-ASB	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
	<b>AVG.</b>		<b>AB</b>		<b>H</b>	
vs. LHH			.333	39	13	
vs. RHH			.203	64	13	

## RUN SUPPORT

Anderson	Runs Scored	Times
0	0	0
1	3	3
2	0	0
3	0	0
4	0	0
5	1	1
6	0	0
7	0	0
8	0	0
9	0	0
10	0	0
<b>Run Support Avg.</b>	<b>2.60</b>	

## ANDERSON vs. SEATTLE

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2011	0	0	1.50	1	6.0	1
2010	3	1	0.81	5	33.2	3
<b>Career</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1.97</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>68.2</b>	<b>15</b>

## Anderson's Starts vs. Seattle

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
4/10/09	H	L	6.0	7	5	5	2	2
5/25/09	H	W	6.0	6	1	1	2	4
8/25/09	A	--	7.0	6	1	1	1	8
9/5/09	H	W	5.0	7	3	3	2	6
10/1/09	A	L	5.0	8	4	1	1	5
4/8/10	H	W	6.0	3	0	0	1	4
4/13/10	A	--	6.0	6	0	0	2	6
8/10/10	A	L	7.0	5	1	1	2	7
9/6/10	H	W	7.2	4	1	1	0	4
10/2/10	A	W	7.0	8	2	1	1	6
4/2/11	H	--	6.0	5	1	1	1	5

## Seattle Career Batting vs. Anderson

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Bradley	.250	8	2	0	0	0
Cust	.333	3	1	0	0	1
Figgins	.320	25	8	0	2	4
Gutierrez	.222	27	6	1	3	5
Langerhans	.333	3	1	0	0	1
Mangini	.000	3	0	0	0	2
Moore	.133	15	2	0	0	8
Ryan	.000	2	0	0	0	0
Saunders	.300	10	3	0	0	2
Smoak	.600	5	3	0	1	0
Suzuki	.345	29	10	0	0	3
Wilson	.250	12	3	0	0	2

## ANDERSON'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	2, 7/6/09 at BOS
IP:	9.0, 7/6/09 at BOS
Fewest IP, GS:	2.0 (twice), 8/27/10 at TEX
H:	10 (twice), 7/30/10 at CWS
R:	9, 5/15/09 at DET
ER:	7, 8/14/09 vs. CWS
BB:	4 (twice), last: 7/29/09 at BOS
SO:	10, 9/18/09 vs. CLE
HR:	3, 4/22/09 at NYY
Win Streak:	4 (twice), last: 9/6/10 to 4/8/11
Loss Streak:	4 (twice), last: 8/10/10 to 9/1/10
Scoreless Streak:	23.0, 7/6/09 to 7/24/09
Complete Games:	2, last: 4/8/11 at MIN
Shutouts:	1, 7/6/09 at BOS

**FOR STARTERS:** Is scheduled to make his fifth start of the season...the A's are 2-2 in his starting assignments this year and are 24-29 (.453) in his career...has tossed six or more innings in three of his four starts this year, allowed two runs or fewer four times and walked one batter or fewer four times.

**DON'T WALK:** Has allowed only three walks through his first four starts, which is tied for the seventh fewest walks allowed in the American League and tied for the 15<sup>th</sup> fewest in the majors among starting pitchers...has now walked one batter or less in 33 of his 53 career starts, including 11 starts in which he has not walked a batter.

**EARNED RUN AVERAGE:** Has allowed five earned runs in 27.2 innings through his first four starts for a 1.63 ERA, which is **third lowest in the American League and sixth lowest in the Major Leagues** among starting pitchers...is now 16-11 with a 2.74 ERA (75 er in 246.1 ip) in 40 starts since June 29, 2009, which is the seventh lowest ERA in the majors over that span (minimum 162.0 ip).

**OPPONENTS BATTING:** Opponents are batting .252 (26 for 103) this year, which includes .203 (13 for 64) by right-handed hitters and .333 (13 for 39) against left-handers...righties were .243 (80 for 329) and left-handers were .299 (32 for 107) last season and his career splits are now .243 (216 for 890) and .311 (102 for 328) against righties and lefties, respectively.

**PICKOFFS:** Leads the majors with four pitcher pickoffs this season...recorded four pickoffs in all of 2010 which was tied for eighth in the American League last year...now has 12 pitcher pickoffs in three seasons.

**FIRST START:** He had a no decision in the A's 5-2 loss to Seattle April 2 in Oakland...blanked the Mariners on three hits and a walk over the first five innings and took a 1-0 lead into the sixth...allowed a two out single to Bradley, who stole second and scored on a Cust single...was relieved by Breslow to start the seventh inning after throwing 108 pitches...left with the score tied at 1-1.

**SECOND START:** Took the loss despite pitching a complete game in a 2-1 defeat at Minnesota April 8...it was his second career complete game, his first since a two-hit shutout in Boston on July 6, 2009...allowed a base hit to Morneau in the first inning and then retired 14 consecutive batters...pitched seven shutout innings before allowing two runs in the eighth when Span and Mauer had back-to-back RBI singles...he threw 75 of his 109 pitches for strikes.

**THIRD START:** Had a no decision in the A's 7-4 win in Chicago April 13...allowed three runs, two earned, on nine hits in 5.2 innings...held the White Sox scoreless over the first four innings...made a fielding error in the fifth to allow Pierre to reach base, who then scored on a double by Beckham...then allowed two more runs in the sixth...Castro drove in the first run after reaching on a fielder's choice and then a Morel sacrifice bunt brought in the second run...was replaced by Breslow following a Pierre single, who then stranded both runners by getting Beckham to pop out to short.

**LAST START:** Earned his first win of the season in the A's 5-0 victory over Boston on Tuesday...allowed only four hits and one walk while recording a season-high eight strikeouts...gave up one hit over the first seven innings and then allowed three hits in the eighth...struck out Cameron as Ellsbury was caught stealing before striking out McDonald to end the threat...was relieved by Breslow to start the ninth after throwing 109 pitches.

**ANDERSON vs. SEATTLE:** Is 5-3 with a 1.97 ERA (68.2 ip, 65 h, 19 r, 15 er, 15 bb, 57 so, 5 hr) in 11 career starts...that includes 1-2 with a 1.13 ERA (4 er in 32.0 ip) in five starts at Safeco Field and 4-1 with a 2.70 ERA (11 er in 36.2 ip) in six starts in Oakland...had a no decision in the A's 5-1 loss in Oakland on April 2, his first start of the year...allowed one run on five hits over 6.0 innings before he left with the game tied 1-1...was 3-1 with a 0.81 ERA (33.2 ip, 26 h, 4 r, 3 er, 6 bb, 27 so) in five starts last year...the ERA was second lowest ever by any Major League pitcher against the Mariners in one season with a minimum of four starts (John Lackey, LAA 0.58)...his first win came in a 6-2 decision on April 8 in Oakland...tossed 6.0 shutout innings, scattering three hits and a walk...then had a no decision in the A's 3-0 loss at Seattle April 13...tossed 6.0 shutout innings and allowed six hits and two walks...took the loss in a 2-0 loss at Seattle on August 10...shutout the Mariners on two hits and a walk over the first five innings before allowing a Kotchman RBI single in the sixth...Hernandez and Aardsma shutout the A's on five hits and a walk...was the winning pitcher in the A's 6-2 win over Seattle September 6...shutout the Mariners on two hits and a hit batsman over the first six innings and retired 13 straight at one point...allowed his only run in 7.2 innings when Gutierrez homered to lead off the seventh inning...won again in a 5-3 decision at Seattle October 2...allowed an unearned run in the fourth on a Smoak RBI double and another run in the sixth on a Halman RBI single.

**2010 RECAP:** Lowered his ERA by more than a run from his rookie campaign of 2009 but two stints on the disabled list with elbow problems limited him to just 19 starts...was 7-6 with a 2.80 ERA after going 11-11 with a 4.06 ERA in his first season...tied for eighth in the American League with four pickoffs and now has 12 in three seasons...allowed all six of his home runs to righties last year...five came at home, five were hit in night games and five were with the bases empty...his opponents batting average dropped to .225 with runners in scoring position after yielding a .314 average with RISP in 2009.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Tossed 112.1 innings and did not qualify for the league leaders...however, based on a minimum of 100 innings pitched, he ranked fifth in the American League in ERA...also ranked fourth in fewest home runs per nine innings (0.48), fifth in fewest walks per nine innings (1.76) and lowest run support (3.53), eighth in strikeout to walk ratio (3.41) and ninth in opponents slugging percentage (.353).

**RUN SUPPORT:** Received run support of one run or fewer in eight of his 19 starts and was 0-5 in those games...had a 7-1 record in his 11 starts with support of two runs or more...is now 0-15 in 23 career starts with zero or one run of support and 19-3 in 30 starts with at least two runs of support.

## ANDERSON'S 2011 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 2	SEA	2-5	--	1.50	6.0	5	1	1	1	5	0	108
April 8	at MIN	1-2	L	1.93	8.0	8	2	2	0	5	0	109
April 13	at CWS	7-4 (10)	--	2.29	5.2	9	3	2	1	3	0	105
April 19	BOS	5-0	W	1.63	8.0	4	0	0	1	8	0	109

## TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

**LHP Gio Gonzalez (2-1, 1.80):** Is scheduled to make his fifth start of the season...has a 1.80 ERA (5 er in 25.0 ip) in four starts this season, which is the **sixth best ERA in the American League and ninth best in the majors** among starting pitchers...in his last start, took the loss in the A's 5-3 defeat to Boston Wednesday (6.0 ip, 8 h, 4 r, 4 er, 1 bb, 9 so, 2 hr)...had his scoreless streak snapped at 18.0 innings in the second inning of his last start...the streak was the longest of his career...is 3-1 with a 3.29 ERA (27.1 ip, 25 h, 10 r, 10 er, 10 bb, 33 so, 2 hr) in five career appearances, all starts, against the Angels...is 2-0 with a 3.52 ERA (6 er in 15.1 ip) in three starts at Anaheim and 1-1 with a 3.00 ERA (4 er in 12.0 ip) in two starts in Oakland.

## ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

**2-6, 3.27 ERA (52.1 ip, 39 h, 29 r, 19 er, 28 bb, 48 so, 6 hr)**

**Save/Save Opportunities: 5/8 (62.5%)**

The A's bullpen has posted a 1.54 ERA over their last five games (11.2 ip, 10 h, 2 r, 2 er, 5 bb, 13, so 1 hr)...ranks fourth among American League relief corps with a 3.27 ERA...has been charged with six of the team's 11 losses, which are the most losses by relievers in the AL...have converted five of eight (62.5%) save opportunities, which is the fourth lowest percentage in the AL...the three blown saves are tied for third most in the AL...rank fourth in the AL in opponents batting average (.210) and on-base percentage (.309)...last year, compiled a 3.75 ERA last year, which ranked sixth in the AL...converted 38 of 51 (74.5%) save opportunities in 2010, which was third best in the AL.

**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: 4/23 at Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 2 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/2**

**First Hitters: 1-8 (0 bb)**

- Has not allowed a run in six of his eight appearances this season (3 er in 7.1 ip, 3.68 ERA).
- Has a 4.97 ERA in 13 career appearances against the Mariners (12.2 ip, 11 h, 8 r, 7 er, 8 bb, 11 so).
- Is in his eighth season in the majors but was on an Opening Day roster for just the third time (2009, 2010).
- 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: 4/22 at Seattle (ND, 0.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 0 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 8/6**

**First Hitters: 0-6 (2 bb)**

- Has allowed six of eight inherited runners to score this season (75.0%), which is tied for the fourth highest percentage among American League relievers.
- Is holding opponents to a .160 (4 for 25) batting average this season.
- Has a 7.02 ERA in 21 career appearances against Seattle (16.2 ip, 25 h, 13 r, 13 er, 13 bb, 15 so).
- Is in his fifth Major League season, all with Oakland, and was on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- 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.

**56 LHP CRAIG BRESLOW**

**Save/Opportunities: 0-1**

**Last Outing: 4/23 at Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/1**

**First Hitters: 4-8 (1 bb)**

- Has not allowed a run in his last six appearances (5.0 ip, 3 h, 2 bb, 3 so) after allowing five runs, four earned runs, over his first three outings of the season (2.0 ip, 7 h, 5 r, 4 er 2 bb, 1 so 1 hr).
- Has pitched in seven of the last 10 games (1 er in 6.0 ip, 1.50 ERA) after going eight consecutive games without making an appearance.
- Ranks second in the majors behind Anderson with three pitcher pickoffs.
- Has a 5.06 ERA in 27 career appearances (21.1 ip, 26 h, 14 r, 12 er, 6 bb, 20 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.
- 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**

**Save/Opportunities: 0-0**

**Last Outing: 4/14 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/0**

**First Hitters: 0-3 (0 bb)**

- Has not allowed a run in two of his three appearances this year...however, took the loss in his other appearance as he allowed a walk-off home run to Ramirez in Chicago April 12...the home run is the only hit he has allowed this season as opponents are 1 for 11 (.091).
- Has faced the Mariners once in his career and pitched 1.2 scoreless innings (1 bb, 1 so).
- Made his first Opening Day roster as he made his Major League debut with Oakland Sept. 13 of last year at Kansas City.
- 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: 4/19 vs. Boston (ND, 0.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 5/1**

**First Hitters: 2-9 (0 bb)**

- Has recorded five saves this season, which is tied for the third most in the American League...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 seven of his nine appearances this season...however, allowed a combined nine runs (five earned) in his two other appearances and has a 4.66 ERA (5 er in 9.2 ip).
- Has held right-handed hitters to a .125 (3 for 24) average while left-handers are 3 for 9 (.333)
- Has not allowed a run in five road outings (5.2 ip) but has a 11.25 ERA (5 er in 4.0 ip) in four appearances at home.
- Is 2-1 with a 4.20 ERA and seven saves (nine opportunities) in his 16 career outings against Seattle (15.0 ip, 12 h, 8 r, 7 er, 6 bb, 19 so).
- 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.

**29 LHP DAVID PURCEY**

**Save/Opportunities: 0-0**

**Last Outing: 4/22 at Seattle (ND, 1.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 1 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0**

**First Hitters: 2-6 (1 bb)**

- Has made two appearances for the A's (3.1 ip, 1 bb, 3 so) since being acquired from Toronto in exchange for Danny Farquhar on April 18.
- Has not allowed a run in six of his seven appearances this season but allowed three runs in 0.1 innings in his other outing for a 6.23 ERA (3 er in 4.1 ip) overall.
- Is 1-0 but has a 6.23 ERA in four career appearances, two starts, against the Mariners (13.0 ip, 18 h, 9 r, 9 er, 5 bb, 9 so).
- Was 1-1 with a 3.71 ERA in 33 appearances, all in relief, for Toronto last season...recorded 32 strikeouts in 34.0 innings and held opponents to a .210 batting average...stranded 16 of his 19 inherited runners.

**48 RHP MICHAEL WUERTZ**

**Save/Opportunities: 0-0**

**Last Outing: 4/1 vs. Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0**

**First Hitters: 0-1 (0 bb)**

- Retired all three batters faced, two by strikeout, in a rehab assignment Saturday night with Triple-A Sacramento...tossed 1.0 inning and allowed three earned runs off three hits and two walks in a rehab outing at Sacramento on April 20...also made two rehab appearances for Single-A Stockton, April 18 (1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 3 so) and April 16 (1.0 ip, 4 h, 3 r, 3 er, 1 so, 1 hr, 1 wp).
- 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.
- 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).

<b>31 RHP BRAD ZIEGLER</b> Inherited Runners/Scored: 11/6	<b>Save/Opportunities:</b> 0-0	<b>Last Outing:</b> 4/23 at Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)	<b>First Hitters:</b> 2-7 (1 bb)
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- Has not allowed an earned run in his eight appearances this season (7.1 ip, 6 h, 2 r, 2 bb, 7 so), however has allowed six of his inherited runners to score this season (54.5%)..
- Is 1-2 with a 2.38 ERA in his 22 career appearances against Seattle (22.2 ip, 21 h, 9 r, 6 er, 11 bb, 14 so)...the 11 walks are his most allowed to any team.
- Is in his fourth season with the A's and is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster.
- 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

<b>10 DARIC BARTON</b> Seattle Series: 0-8, 2 bb, 3 so	<b>Career vs. Fister (.353, 6-17, 0 HR, 2 BB, 3 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak:</b> 0 for 12 <b>Road Trip:</b> 0-8, 2 bb, 3 so
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- Is 1 for 21 over his last six games after batting .292 (14 for 48) in his first 14 games.
- Is hitting .267 (12 for 45) over the first six innings of the game and .125 (3 for 24) in the seventh inning or later...has a .237 (9 for 38) average on the road compared to .194 (6 for 31) at home.
- Is batting .217 (15 for 69) with 15 walks and 18 strikeouts to start the season after hitting .299 in April last year...is a .267 (65 for 243) career hitter in the month, his second highest mark for any month of the season (September, .287).
- Is tied for second in the American League in walks (17).
- Has committed five errors in 20 games this season, which is tied for the third most in the majors...last year, he had seven errors over his first 30 games but just three over his last 127 contests.
- Is a .312 (53 for 170) career hitter against the Mariners with four home runs and 25 RBI...the average and RBI are his best against any team.
- 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.
- 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).

<b>4 COCO CRISP</b> Seattle Series: 3-13, r, 2b, 2 rbi, 2 so	<b>Career vs. Fister (.667, 4-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak:</b> 1 (3 for 5) <b>Road Trip:</b> 3-13, r, 2b, 2 rbi, 2 so
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- Has hit safely in 14 of 19 games this season, hitting .238 (19 for 80).
- Is batting .304 (17 for 56) against right-handed pitching this season and is 2 for 24 (.083) against lefties...is hitting .286 (10 for 35) at home and .200 (9 for 45) on the road.
- Is batting .318 (7 for 22) with three of his six RBI in the seventh inning or later and .207 (12 for 58) over the first six innings of the game.
- Is tied for second in the majors in triples (2)...is tied for seventh in the majors and is tied for second in the American League in stolen bases (7).
- Is 8 for 25 (.320) against the Mariners this season and is a .284 (62 for 218) career hitter against the team.
- Is in his 10<sup>th</sup> Major League season, his second with the A's...was on his seventh Opening Day roster (also 2004-09), his first as an Athletic.
- 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.

<b>12 DAVID DeJESUS</b> Seattle Series: 2-7, bb	<b>Career vs. Fister (.222, 2-9, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak:</b> 4 games (4 for 16) <b>Road Trip:</b> 2-7, bb
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- Is 9 for 26 (.346) with a double, and four RBI and over his last seven games, after going hitless in his previous three games (0 for 10).
- Is batting .286 (14 for 49) against right-handed pitching and .158 (3 for 19) against lefties...has a .283 (13 for 46) average at night compared to .182 (4 for 22) during that day.
- Is 3 for 19 (.158) against Seattle this year.
- Did not commit an error in 88 games in the outfield last year and now **has a 258-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.
- 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.

<b>14 MARK ELLIS</b> Seattle Series: 2-12, r, so, sb	<b>Career vs. Fister (.333, 6-18, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak:</b> 2 games (2 for 8) <b>Road Trip:</b> 2-12, r, so, sb
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- Recorded the 200<sup>th</sup> double of his career Wednesday vs. Boston and is now one double away from tying Carney Lansford for eighth most in Oakland history...has doubled four times in his last five games and now has seven on the season, which is tied for fifth most in the American League.
- Has 22 career triples and needs one more to tie Lansford, Reggie Jackson and Billy North for fifth place in Oakland history.
- Is batting .348 (8 for 23) during day games compared to .180 (9 for 50) at night.
- Is 5 for 22 (.227) against the Mariners this season and is a .274 (118 for 430) career hitter with 54 RBI against Seattle, his most RBI against any team.
- Made his seventh consecutive Opening Day start at second base, which set 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.
- 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).

<b>28 CONOR JACKSON</b> Seattle Series: 2-10, rbi, 2 so	<b>Career vs. Fister (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak:</b> 1 game (1 for 5) <b>Road Trip:</b> 2-10, rbi, 2 so
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- Has made eight starts for the A's this season (six in right field, one in left field, one at first base).
- Is 0 for 3 as a pinch hitter this year and is 7 for 52 (.135) with 12 walks and 12 RBI in the pinch in his career.
- Is batting .333 (7 for 21) against left-handed pitching compared to .188 (3 for 16) against right-handers...is 8 for 23 (.348) over the first six innings of the game and 2 for 14 (.143) in the seventh inning or later.
- Is in his seventh Major League season and was 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).
- 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.

<b>5 KEVIN KOUZMANOFF</b> Seattle Series: 2-9, 2 r, hr, 4 rbi, 4 so	<b>Career vs. Fister (.333, 4-12, 0 HR, 2 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak:</b> 2 games (3 for 7) <b>Road Trip:</b> 2-9, 2 r, hr, 4 rbi, 4 so
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- Recorded a career-high tying four RBI last night (six times, last: June 8, 2009 vs. ARI).
- Is batting .268 (11 for 41) against right-handed pitching but is 2 for 18 (.111) against lefties.
- Is a .225 (95 for 422) career hitter in April with seven home runs and 42 RBI...all three figures are his lowest for any month.
- Has committed four errors this season, which is tied for third most in the American League.
- Made his fifth consecutive Opening Day start at third base, his second with the A's.
- 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.

<b>21 ANDY LaROCHE</b> Seattle Series: 0-0	<b>Career vs. Fister (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 1)</b> <b>Road Trip: 0-0</b>
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- Has started 10 games this season at four different positions (four at third base, three at shortstop, two at second base, one at first base).
- Is batting .368 (7 for 19) on the road and .091 (1 for 11) at home...is 5 for 13 (.385) against left-handed pitching and is batting .176 (3 for 17) against righties.
- Batted .333 in April last year and .168 from May 1 through the end of the season...is a .287 (43 for 150) career hitter in April, his best mark for any month of the season.
- Is in his fifth season in the majors and was 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 was the only non-roster invitee to make the A's Opening Day roster.
- 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.

<b>55 HIDEKI MATSUI</b> Seattle Series: 1-7, r, 2 bb, 4 so	<b>Career vs. Fister (.400, 4-10, 1 HR, 1 BB, 1 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 0 for 4</b> <b>Road Trip: 1-7, r, 2 bb, 4 so</b>
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- Is 13 for 47 (.277) with two home runs and eight RBI over his past 12 games after going 4 for 25 (.160) over his first seven games.
- Is a .267 (187 for 700) career hitter in April with 22 home runs and 109 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).
- Is batting .333 (9 for 27) during day games compared to .178 (8 for 45) at night.
- This is his 19<sup>th</sup> professional season, which includes 10 years in Japan and nine in the Major Leagues...has recorded 2,516 hits in his career between the United States and Japan...**is also closing in on a combined 1,500 runs scored (has 1,499) and 500 home runs (has 495)**...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.
- Is 3 for 18 (.167) against Seattle this year but is a .298 (82 for 275) career hitter against the team.
- Made his ninth consecutive Opening Day start as a Major Leaguer...was the A's seventh different Opening Day designated hitter in the last seven years (Chavez, Giambi, Cust, Piazza, Thomas, Durazo).
- 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.

<b>2 CLIFF PENNINGTON</b> Seattle Series: 4-8, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 2 sb	<b>Career vs. Fister (.067, 1-15, 0 HR, 1 BB, 3 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 3)</b> <b>Road Trip: 4-8, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 2 sb</b>
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- His fourth inning home run snapped a 22-game homerless streak dating back to Sept. 30, 2010 at Seattle.
- Is batting .313 (10 for 32) over the last 10 games, compared to hitting .160 (4 for 25) over the first 10 games of the season.
- Is a .230 (31 for 135) career hitter against the Mariners, his third lowest average against any team.
- 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).

<b>11 LANDON POWELL</b> Seattle Series: 0-0	<b>Career vs. Fister (.333, 1-3, 1 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 4 games (5 for 11)</b> <b>Road Trip: 0-0</b>
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- Has recorded a hit in each of his four games, three starts, this season (5 for 11, .455).
- Is 5 for 9 (.556) with all three of his walks against righties and 0 for 2 against left-handers.
- Was 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.

<b>7 ADAM ROSALES</b>		<b>Current Streak: 0 for 0</b>
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- 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.

<b>8 KURT SUZUKI</b> Seattle Series: 3-10, 2 r, 3 bb, sb	<b>Career vs. Fister (.250, 5-20, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 7)</b> <b>Road Trip: 3-10, 2 r, 3 bb, sb</b>
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- Is 8 for 23 (.348) at home compared to .195 (8 for 41) on the road.
- Is batting .273 (6 for 22) with all three of his RBI in the seventh inning or later...is hitting .238 (10 for 42) over the first six innings.
- The A's pitching staff has a 2.48 ERA (44 er in 159.2 ip) with him behind the plate, and he has the second lowest catchers ERA in the majors (Varitek, BOS, 2.07).
- Has tossed out 5 of 16 (31.2%) attempted base stealers this year.
- Has started 18 of the A's 21 games at catcher this season, and has started 407 games at catcher over the last three seasons, which is the most in the majors during that time span (McCann, ATL, 404).
- 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).
- 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).

<b>15 RYAN SWEENEY</b> Seattle Series: 0-4, bb, so	<b>Career vs. Fister (.286, 2-7, 0 HR, 2 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 0 for 4</b> <b>Road Trip: 0-4, bb, so</b>
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- Has made four starts this season (three in left field, one in right field) and is 2 for 12 (.167) in those games.
- Is 2 for 5 (.400) as a pinch hitter this year but is 4 for 21 (.190) with eight strikeouts in his career in the pinch.
- Is a .231 (36 for 156) career hitter against the Mariners.
- Did not commit an error in 81 games last year and now **has a 121-game errorless streak** dating back to his last error Aug. 15, 2009...that is the fifth longest errorless streak by an outfielder in Oakland history...the longest of his career is a career-opening 123-game streak.
- Was 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).
- 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.

<b>16 JOSH WILLINGHAM</b> Seattle Series: 4-12, bb, 4 so	<b>Career vs. Fister (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 3 games (4 for 12)</b> <b>Road Trip: 4-12, bb, 4 so</b>
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- Is batting .222 (16 for 72) this season but is 7 for 22 (.318) with eight RBI with runners in scoring position, including 4 for 10 (.400) with runners in scoring position and two outs.
- Leads the team with three home runs and is second with 10 RBI...however, his 27 strikeouts are tied for the most in the majors.
- Has a .280 (122 for 435) 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 10<sup>th</sup> 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)...was the A's 12<sup>th</sup> different Opening Day starter in left field in the last 12 years (Buck, Holliday, Brown, Stewart, Payton, Byrnes, Kiely, Long, Jeremy Giambi, Damon, Grieve).
- 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. SEATTLE

## BATTING

2011					CAREER					
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.158	19	3	0	0	Barton	.312	170	53	4	25
.320	25	8	0	3	Crisp	.284	218	62	4	25
.158	19	3	0	1	DeJesus	.277	249	69	6	33
.227	22	5	0	3	Ellis	.274	430	118	7	54
.182	11	2	0	1	Jackson	.200	20	4	0	1
.263	19	5	1	5	Kouzmanoff	.245	147	36	5	19
---	0	0	0	0	LaRoche	---	0	0	0	0
.167	18	3	0	1	Matsui	.298	275	82	15	53
.333	15	5	1	2	Pennington	.230	135	31	4	13
1.000	1	1	0	0	Powell	.320	25	8	1	6
.263	19	5	0	1	Suzuki	.235	251	59	5	30
.000	6	0	0	0	Sweeney	.231	156	36	0	9
.304	23	7	1	3	Willingham	.304	23	7	1	3
.239	197	47	3	20	TOTALS					

## PITCHING

2011										CAREER									
W	L	SV	G	ERA	IP	ER	PITCHER	W	L	SV	G	ERA	IP	ER					
0	0	0	1	1.50	6.0	1	Anderson	5	3	0	11	1.97	68.7	15					
0	0	0	2	0.00	2.7	0	Balfour	0	0	0	13	4.97	12.7	7					
0	0	0	3	6.67	2.7	2	Blevins	1	1	0	21	7.01	16.7	13					
0	1	0	4	9.00	3.0	3	Breslow	1	2	2	27	5.06	21.3	12					
1	0	0	2	1.69	10.7	2	Cahill	2	3	0	7	2.61	41.3	12					
0	0	0	1	0.00	1.7	0	Cramer	0	0	0	1	0.00	1.7	0					
0	1	0	1	18.00	1.0	2	Fuentes	2	1	7	16	4.20	15.0	7					
1	0	0	1	1.29	7.0	1	Gonzalez	5	1	0	10	3.14	57.3	20					
0	1	0	1	1.13	8.0	1	McCarthy	1	3	0	8	5.45	36.3	22					
0	0	0	2	16.20	1.7	3	Purcey	1	0	0	4	6.25	13.0	9					
0	1	0	1	6.23	4.3	3	Ross	0	1	0	2	4.07	6.6	3					
0	0	0	3	0.00	2.7	0	Ziegler	1	2	3	22	2.38	22.7	6					
2	4	0	3	3.15	51.4	18	TOTALS												



## HIGHS AND LOWS

### TEAM BATTING

Most Runs, Game, A's	9, April 23 at Seattle
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	8, April 15 vs. Detroit
Most Runs, Inning, A's	5, April 23 at Seattle (6 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	7, April 15 vs. Detroit (10 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Hits, Game, A's	13, April 5 at Toronto
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	12, April 15 vs. Detroit
Most Hits, Inning, A's	5 (twice), last: April 23 at Seattle (6 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	4 (twice), last: April 12 at Chicago (2 <sup>nd</sup> )
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	2, April 10 at Minnesota
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	3, April 20 vs. Boston
Most Doubles, Game, A's	6, April 5 at Toronto
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	3, April 10 at Minnesota
Most Triples, Game, A's	1 (four times), last: April 16 vs. Detroit
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	1, April 6 at Toronto
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	3 (twice), last: April 23 at Seattle
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	3 (twice), last: April 2 vs. Seattle

### TEAM PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, A's	14, April 1 vs. Seattle
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	12, April 5 at Toronto
Most Walks, A's	11, April 14 vs. Detroit
Most Walks, Opponents	6 (twice), last: April 17 vs. Detroit
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	4, April 14 vs. Detroit
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	3, April 14 vs. Detroit

### TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Winning Streak	3 (twice), last: April 16-19
Longest Losing Streak	3, April 20-22
Longest Game, Innings	10 (four times), last: April 15 vs. Detroit
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	3:09, April 20 vs. Boston
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	3:32, April 12 at Chicago
Shortest Game, Time	2:17, April 21 at Seattle
Largest Margin, Victory	8, April 23 at Seattle (9-1)
Largest Margin, Loss	4 (three times), last: April 22 at Seattle (0-4)
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	15, April 20 vs. Boston
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	11, April 12 at Chicago
Fewest Left on Base, Game	1, April 1 vs. Seattle
Most Errors, Game	5, April 1 vs. Seattle
Largest Comeback in Win	3, April 13 at Chicago
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	4, April 5 at Toronto

### INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most Runs, Game	2 (12 times), last: Suzuki, Kouzmanoff and Pennington, April 23 at Seattle
Most Hits, Game	3 (seven times), last: Crisp, April 23 at Seattle
Most Doubles, Game	2 (twice), last: Ellis, April 17 vs. Detroit
Most Triples, Game	1 (four times), Sweeney, April 16 vs. Detroit
Most Home Runs, Game	1 (10 times), last: Kouzmanoff and Pennington, April 23 at Seattle
Most Runs Batted In, Game	4, Kouzmanoff, April 23 at Seattle
Most Walks, Game	2 (eight times), last: Barton, April 23 at Seattle
Most Strikeouts, Game	3 (three times), last: Matsui, April 23 at Seattle
Most Stolen Bases, Game	1 (15 times), last: Pennington, Ellis and Suzuki, April 23 at Seattle
Longest Hitting Streak	6, LaRoche, April 5-April 13

### INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, Game	9 (twice), last: Gonzalez, April 20 vs. Boston
Most Walks, Game	6, Gonzalez, April 14 vs. Detroit
Most Innings, Game, Starter	8.0 (five times), last: McCarthy, April 23 at Seattle
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	3.0, Ross, April 11 at Chicago
Low Hit Complete Game	8, Anderson, April 8 at Minnesota
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	18.0, Gonzalez, April 3-April 20
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	14, Anderson, April 8 at Minnesota

## STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Barton	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crisp	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DeJesus	3	1	12	-	-	1	-	-	-
Ellis	-	1	-	-	2	5	11	-	-
Jackson	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kouzmanoff	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	14	-
LaRoche	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	6	3
Matsui	-	-	-	3	14	2	-	-	-
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18
Powell	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-
Suzuki	-	-	-	-	1	11	6	-	-
Sweeney	-	-	-	-	3	1	-	-	-
Willingham	-	-	1	18	-	-	-	-	-

## GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Barton	-	-	20	19	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	18	-
DeJesus	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	14
Ellis	-	-	-	21	19	-	-	-	-	-
Jackson	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	2	1	-
Kouzmanoff	-	-	-	-	-	19	17	-	-	-
LaRoche	-	-	1	1	2	2	6	4	5	3
Matsui	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	18	-
Powell	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Suzuki	18	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweeney	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	-
Willingham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	17	-

## MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

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

## MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

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

## GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

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



## HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS					LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN				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	12	Pinch Hit Home Runs (0)
Crisp	1	0	0	0	1	April 20, 2011	Boston	Buchholz	3	None
DeJesus	0	0	0	0	0	June 13, 2010	at Cincinnati	Masset	47	Lead Off Home Runs (0)
Ellis	0	0	0	0	0	Oct. 2, 2010	at Seattle	Pauley	21	None
Jackson	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 16, 2010	Toronto	Marcum	15	Back-To-Back Home Runs (0)
Kouzmanoff	0	1	1	0	2	April 23, 2011	at Seattle	Lueke	-	None
LaRoche	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 24, 2010	Houston	Myers	14	Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
Matsui	2	0	0	0	2	April 13, 2011	at Chicago	Danks	8	None
Pennington	0	2	0	0	1	April 23, 2011	at Seattle	Vargas	--	Walk-Off Wins (0)
Powell	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 18, 2010	at Minnesota	Slowey	8	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	9	
Sweeney	0	0	0	0	0	May 4, 2010	Texas	Feldman	64	
Willingham	2	1	0	0	3	April 10, 2011	at Minnesota	Baker	12	
<b>Team</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>					

## MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Bailey	Saves	51	10 for 61 (ties Howell for 6 <sup>th</sup> in Oakland history)	Ellis (cont.)	Triples	22	1 for 23 (ties Lansford, Jackson and North for 5 <sup>th</sup> in Oakland history)
Balfour	Games	268	32 for 300		Home Runs	85	15 for 100
Barton	Games	392	108 for 500		RBI	423	77 for 500
	Games at 1B	379	6 for 385 (ties Tenace for 5 <sup>th</sup> in Oakland history)		Extra Base Hits	307	44 for 351 (ties Steinbach for 10 <sup>th</sup> in Oakland history)
	Hits	336	164 for 500	Fuentes	Games	560	40 for 600
	Doubles	77	23 for 100		Saves	192	8 for 200
Braden	Games	94	6 for 100	Gonzalez	Innings	358.1	141.2 for 500
	Games Started	79	21 for 100		Strikeouts	337	163 for 500
	Innings	491.1	8.2 for 500	Kouzmanoff	Home Runs	80	20 for 100
Breslow	Games	237	63 for 300	LaRoche	Games	376	124 for 500
Cahill	Innings	406.2	93.1 for 500	Matsui	Runs (Total)	1499	1 for 1500 (Japan plus MLB)
Crisp	Games	926	74 for 1000		Doubles (Total)	470	30 for 500 (Japan plus MLB)
	Hits	960	40 for 1000		Home Runs (Total)	495	5 for 500 (Japan plus MLB)
	Doubles	183	17 for 200		Walks (MLB)	488	12 for 500
	Stolen Bases	175	25 for 200	Suzuki	Games at C	483	54 for 537 (ties Heath for 3 <sup>rd</sup> in Oakland history)
DeJesus	Games	894	106 for 1000		Hits	493	7 for 500
	Hits	988	12 for 1000		Doubles	96	4 for 100
	Doubles	189	11 for 200	Sweeney	Games	376	124 for 500
Ellis	Games	1015	73 for 1088 (ties Rudi for 10 <sup>th</sup> in Oakland history)		Hits	362	138 for 500
	Games at 2B	983	13 for 996 (ties Collins for 3 <sup>rd</sup> in Athletics history)		Doubles	74	26 for 100
	At Bats	3684	286 for 3970 (ties Canseco for 10 <sup>th</sup> in Oakland history)	Wuertz	Games	388	12 for 400
	Hits	985	15 for 1000		Strikeouts	414	86 for 500
	Doubles	200	1 for 201 (ties Lansford for 8 <sup>th</sup> in Oakland history)	Ziegler	Games	188	12 for 200

## DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Bailey	Strained right forearm	March 22-present	21	Rosales	Fractured right foot	March 22-present (eligible May 21)	21
Braden	Stiff left shoulder	April 17-present (eligible May 2)	6	Wuertz	Strained left hamstring	April 2-present	17
Harden	Strained right shoulder	March 22-present (eligible May 21)	21				

*The A's have placed five 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		right forearm); Rich Harden placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 22 (strained right shoulder).
March 20	Trystan Magnuson, Guillermo Moscoso, Josh Outman and Michael Taylor optioned to Sacramento	April 6	Michael Wuertz placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to April 2 (strained left hamstring); Tyson Ross recalled from Sacramento.
March 25	Chris Carter optioned to Sacramento	April 11	Trevor Cahill signed a contract extension through 2015 with club options for 2016 and 2017.
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	April 18	Dallas Braden placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to April 17 (stiff left shoulder); David Purcey acquired from Toronto for Danny Farquhar; Rich Harden transferred from the 15-day disabled list to the 60-day disabled list.