

2011 HOUSTON ASTROS



FULCHINO GAME HIGHS

Longest Winning Streak:	4 -- last, Aug. 16, 2009-Sept. 17, 2010
Longest Losing Streak:	2 (2x) -- last, June 17-24, 2009
Strikeouts:	6 -- Sept. 16, 2009 at Cincinnati
Walks:	3 (3x) -- last, Aug. 24, 2010 at PHI
Innings (starter):	No Major League starts
Innings (relief):	5.0 -- July 3, 2009 at San Francisco
Low-Hit Game (CG):	No Major League complete games



BILL HALL

22

Bats/Throws: **Right/Right**

Height/Weight: **6-0/210**

Born: **12/28/79 in Nettleton, MS**

Resides: **Paradise Valley, AZ**

Opening Day Age: **31**

ML Service: **7.099**

Contract Status: **Signed through 2011**

Acquired: **Signed as a free agent on December 20, 2010.**

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CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

- Owns a .250 (786x3140) average with 201 doubles, 122 homers and 425 RBI in 985 career Major League games over nine seasons...has spent time with Milwaukee (2002-09), Seattle (2009) and Boston (2010).
- Of his 985 Major League games, 831 have come with the Brewers.
- Has played all defensive positions except first base and catcher...made his pitching debut in 2010, with 1.0 scoreless inning on May 28 vs. KC for BOS...threw 11 pitches to finish the game, a 12-5 loss.
- Tallied 20-or-more doubles in each of six seasons from 2004-09, including three consecutive campaigns of at least 35 from 2005-2007.
- Made his postseason debut with the Brewers in the 2008 NLDS vs. PHI...went 2x8 (.250) with one walk and a run scored in three games...both hits game in Game 3, when he went 2x4 with a walk and run scored as the starting third baseman.

2010: In his first season with Boston, made appearances at every position except catcher and first base, including 51 at second base (38 starts), six at shortstop (three starts), five at third base (two starts), 55 in left field (42 starts), seven in center (six starts), nine in right (five starts) and one at pitcher...joined Jack Rothrock (1928) and Steve Lyons (1991) as the only Red Sox ever to appear in at least one game at each of those positions in a single season...became the first Red Sox to make starts at second base, shortstop, third base, left field, center field and right field in one season since Damian Jackson in 2003...was the third Sox player ever with at least 350 plate appearances while appearing at seven defensive positions in one season, also Jeff Frye (1997) and Jack Rothrock (1928 and 1931)...hit 18 homers, his second-most in a single season behind 35 in 2006...among Major Leaguers with 350 at-bats or less, ranked tied for fourth in homers...joined Ted Williams (28 HR in 1950, 28 in 1955, and 29 in 1960) as the only Red Sox ever to hit at least 18 homers in a season that consisted of no more than 344 at-bats...went .364 in the pinch (4x11) with two walks...hit a pinch-hit homer on May 14 at DET, the fifth of his career...debuted with the Red Sox on April 11 at KC, starting at shortstop and also playing left and right field...marked the first time in his career playing three positions in a game...became the only Red Sox since the stat was tracked in 1920 to

Astros NOTES

- Graduated from Nettleton (MS) High School in 1998.
- Was originally selected by Milwaukee in the sixth round of the 1998 June Draft...signed by Brewers scout Jonathan Story.
- Served as a special playoff analyst on ESPN's Cold Pizza following the 2006 season.
- Appeared in an episode of The Young and the Restless in 2007 with three other Brewer teammates.
- Took part in a youth program in December 2007, escorting children from Milwaukee's Beckum-Stapleton Little League on a day trip to Kansas City to visit the Negro Leagues Baseball Museum.
- Earned the Michael Harrison Award for Community Service, presented by the Brewers, in both 2004 and 2006...was the Brewers 2006 nominee for the Roberto Clemente Award and received the Brewers 2006 Good Guy Award from the Milwaukee chapter of the BBWAA.
- Has participated in activities to benefit the Susan G. Komen for the Cure and the RBI program.
- On Dec. 20, 2010, signed by Houston to a one-year contract worth \$3 million...also includes a mutual option for 2012, worth \$4 million, and carries a \$250,000 buyout if the club opts out of the contract.



play each of those positions in the same game...was the first Major Leaguer to do it since Detroit's Shane Halter played every position on Oct. 1, 2000 vs. MIN...played three positions again on Aug. 20 vs. TOR (left field, second base and shortstop), also the first Sox to play each of those spots in a contest...made his first professional pitching appearance on May 28 vs. KC, tossing a 1-2-3 9th inning...was the second position player to pitch for the Sox in 2010, also Jonathan Van Every on May 8 vs. NYY...scored a career-high four runs on June 3 vs. OAK and also collected a season-high four hits, his most since four on July 3, 2006 with the Brewers vs. CIN...joined Johnny Damon (July 23, 2002 vs. TB, G1) as the only Red Sox since 1920 with at least four runs, four hits, one homer and one stolen base in a game...collected his 400th and 401st career RBI with a two-run homer in the 2nd inning on July 9 at TOR...finished that game with a season-high four RBI (matched on Aug. 11 at TOR) and three extra-base hits (two doubles, one homer)...tied for the team lead with six home runs in August (also Adrian Beltre), his most in any month since hitting seven in April 2008...ranked seventh in the AL with a club-best 12.00 AB/HR (72 AB) during the month...matched his career high with two homers on Aug. 11 at TOR (fourth time, first since April 4, 2008 vs. SF with MIL)...hit safely in 14 of his final 17 home games at .367 (18x49), including season-long, seven-game home hit streaks from Aug. 22-Sept. 7 and Sept. 18-Oct. 2...recorded hits in 10 of his last 12 games on the season, hitting .361 (13x36)...the stretch began with a season-high, seven-game hit streak from Sept. 18-26...tallied a career-high two outfield assists, both from left field, on Sept. 20 vs. BAL...stole a career-high-tying two bases (6th time), drove in the tying run and scored the go-ahead run in the 9th in an eventual 4-3, 10-inning loss at NYY on Sept. 26.

2009: After spending the first 12-plus years of his career in the MIL system, was traded to SEA in August...combined to post a .980 fielding percentage (5E/256TC) while appearing in 69 games at third base (51 starts), 22 in left field (22 starts), 15 in right (12 starts), three at second base (two starts) and one in center between the Brewers and Mariners...made his first-career appearances in left and right field in 2009...began the season with MIL and hit safely in his first nine games, going 10x32 (.313) from April 7-18...Also hit in each of nine consecutive games from April 25-May 3 (.364, 12x33, 5 RBI)...optioned to Triple A Nashville on July 30...recalled on Aug. 3 and designated for assignment on Aug. 12...acquired by SEA with cash considerations on Aug. 19 in exchange for right-hander Ruben Flores...played mostly outfield with Mariners, including 21 games/starts in left and 10 contests in right (eight starts)...hit the game-tying homer in 9th off CWS closer Bobby Jenks on Sept. 17...Mariners won 4-3 in 14 frames.

2008: Served as the Brewers primary third baseman, switching starting positions for the third consecutive year after playing shortstop in 2006 and center field in 2007...made 101 starts, including 98 at third base and three at second base...tied a career high with two home runs and collected a career-high six RBI on April 4 vs. SF...recorded game-winning hits in the Brewers final at-bat three times in a week on July 21, 22 and 26...on July 21-22 at STL, became the first player since the Indians Albert Belle (Aug. 30-31, 1995 vs. TOR) to provide the game-winning run in consecutive games by way of a home run in the 9th inning or later...hit a 10th-inning homer on July 21 and a 9th-inning shot on July 22...on July 26 vs. HOU, notched a go-ahead, RBI-single in the 8th...recorded his fourth career, pinch-hit homer on Aug. 26 at STL in the 9th inning off Jaime Garcia in a 12-0 win...appeared in three games of the NLDS vs. the eventual World Series Champion Phillies...started two games at third base...went 2x4 with a walk and run scored in the Brewers 4-1, Game 3 victory on Oct. 4.

2007: Tied Prince Fielder for the team lead with 35 doubles...was his third year to reach the 30-double plateau...signed a four-year contract with a club option for 2011 on Feb. 5...was the Brewers primary center fielder, making all of his 116 starts at the position...hit his first two career grand slams, on April 16 at CIN off Todd Coffey and on June 20 vs. SF off Barry Zito, a game in which he drove in a season-high five RBI...homered with a pink bat on Mother's Day (May 13 at NYM) for the second consecutive season...walked in all three plate appearances on June 12 at DET as Justin Verlander tossed a no-hitter against the Brewers...became the first player ever to reach base three times on a team that was no-hit...recorded his 500th career hit on June 27 vs. HOU with a double off Dave Borkowski in the bottom of the 11th...marked his third hit of the game and scored the winning run on Damian Miller's three-run homer...was on the 15-day Disabled List from July 6-24 with a sprained right ankle...suffered the injury on July 5 at PIT while leaping for a Ryan Doumit home run...had a two-game rehab stint with the Arizona League Brewers...hit .226 (37x164) with five homers and 25 RBI in 57 games after the injury, compared to .271 (78x288) with nine home runs and 38 RBI in 79 games prior.

2006: Named the Brewers MVP by the Milwaukee Chapter of the BBWAA...led MIL in runs (101), doubles (39), triples (4), home runs (35), RBI (85), extra-base hits (78), total bases (297) and walks (63)...ranked tied for eighth in the National League in extra-base hits and tied for 10th in homers...hit 27 of 35 home runs as a shortstop to lead the Majors...placed second in franchise history in home runs as a shortstop behind Robin Yount's 29 homers at the position in 1982...led the team and ranked third in the NL with 162 strikeouts...had starts at four different positions (126 at shortstop, 10 at third base, four at second base and three in center field)...made his final 116 starts at shortstop for the injured J.J. Hardy...recorded the first home run in the history of new Busch Stadium on April 10 at STL...the bat was sent to the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum in Cooperstown, NY...was one of five Brewers (joining Damian Miller, Brady Clark, J.J. Hardy and Prince Fielder) to homer in the 4th inning on April 22 vs. CIN...was the fifth time in Major League history that a team hit five home runs in one inning...homered in four consecutive games, April 29-May 2...logged a career-high, 11-game hit streak May 11-22 (.295, 13x44, 3 HR, 6 RBI)...hit his second career walk-off home run on May 14 vs. the Mets, a solo shot in the 10th off Chad Bradford...was using a pink bat with his mother's name (Vergie Hall) on it as part of the Mother's Day celebration...also connected for a walk-off homer on June 8 vs. SD, a solo shot off Scott Cassidy in the 10th...recorded his second-career, two-homer game on July 24 vs. PIT...following the season, was selected to play for the MLB All-Stars in the Japan All-Star Series.

2005: Named the Brewers Unsung Hero by the Milwaukee Chapter of the BBWAA...hit a career-high .291 (146x501) and led the team with a career-high 18 stolen bases...started 128 contests at three different positions (58 at shortstop, 49 at third base, and 21 at second base)...produced the first multi-homer game of his career on June 21 vs. the Cubs...recorded a career-high five hits on Sept. 15 at ARI, going 5x6 with a double, triple and three runs scored.

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2004: Played his first full season with the big league club...made 87 starts in the field, including 47 at second base, 33 at shortstop and seven at third base...recorded three walk-off hits, including in back-to-back games on April 27-28 vs. CIN and also on Aug. 1 vs. PIT (RBI-single in the 9th)...hit his first-career, walk-off homer on April 27, a two-out, two-run, pinch-hit shot off Danny Graves in the 9th inning of the Brewers 9-8 win over the Reds...also marked his first-career pinch homer...produced a season-high four RBI en route to the biggest comeback in franchise history on April 28 vs. CIN...hit a game-tying, three-run double in the 8th inning and then bunted home the game-winning run in the 10th as the Brewers won, 10-9, after trailing 9-0... named MVP by the Puerto Rican media for the series vs. MON in San Juan, hitting .375 (3x8) with a triple, home run and five RBI from May 18-20.

2003: Split the year between Triple A Indianapolis and MIL...began the year at Indianapolis and was recalled by the Brewers on July 21...had a 13-game hitting streak at the time of promotion (.368, 21x57)...played 52 games with the Brewers, including 32 starts (18 at shortstop, 14 at second base)...homered in three consecutive games from Aug. 24-28.

2002: Made his Major League debut as a September call-up, on Sept. 1 at CIN...entered the game at third base in a double switch and struck out in his only plate appearance...recorded his first Major League hit, a two-run homer off Joe Borowski in game 2 of a doubleheader on Sept. 2 at CHI...entered the season as the second-best prospect in the Brewers organization according to *Baseball America*...spent most of the season at Triple A Indianapolis...played for the Maryvale Saguaros in the Arizona Fall League.

MINOR LEAGUES:

2001: Named Brewers Minor League Player of the Year...hit a combined .289 (146x506) with 18 homers, 65 RBI and 23 stolen bases in 130 games between Class A High Desert and Double A Huntsville...named the Best Defensive Infielder in the Brewers organization by *Baseball America*...began the season at High Desert and earned California League All-Star honors...ranked third in the league with 105 hits at the time of his July 16 promotion to Huntsville...played for the Maryvale Saguaros in the Arizona Fall League, earning All-Prospect Team honors after hitting .291 with 22 RBI in 37 games...added to MIL's 40-man roster on Nov. 20...**2000:** Played the entire year with Class A Beloit in the Midwest League...recorded a 15-game hit streak from Aug. 8-25 (.362, 21x58)...**1999:** Appeared in 69 games with Rookie-level Ogden in the Pioneer League...logged a 12-game hitting streak (.375, 21x56) from June 19-July 1...Went 5x5 with three runs scored and a stolen base on July 5 at Billings...**1998:** Made his professional debut with Rookie-level Helena.

WILLIAM HALL III

YEAR CLUB	AVG.	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HB	BB	SO	SB	CS	E
1998 Helena (R)	.176	29	85	11	15	3	0	0	5	1	0	1	9	27	5	5	16
1999 Ogden (R)	.289	69	280	41	81	15	2	6	31	2	1	2	15	61	19	8	38
2000 Beloit (A)	.262	130	470	57	123	30	6	3	41	12	5	1	18	127	10	11	40
2001 High Desert (A)	.303	89	346	61	105	21	6	15	51	4	3	3	22	78	18	9	30
Huntsville (AA)	.256	41	160	14	41	8	1	3	14	3	0	0	5	46	5	3	15
2002 Indianapolis (AAA)	.228	134	465	35	106	20	1	4	31	4	2	4	25	105	17	10	41
MILWAUKEE	.194	19	36	3	7	1	1	1	5	0	0	0	3	13	0	1	2
2003 Indianapolis (AAA)	.282	89	354	57	100	25	2	5	32	9	0	1	27	79	10	11	19
MILWAUKEE	.261	52	142	23	37	9	2	5	20	4	1	1	7	28	1	2	9
2004 MILWAUKEE	.238	126	390	43	93	20	3	9	53	2	2	1	20	119	12	6	19
2005 MILWAUKEE	.291	146	501	69	146	39	6	17	62	2	3	1	39	103	18	6	16
2006 MILWAUKEE	.270	148	537	101	145	39	4	35	85	3	4	1	63	162	8	9	19
2007 AZL Brewers (R)	.167	2	6	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
MILWAUKEE	.254	136	452	59	115	35	0	14	63	1	7	3	40	128	4	5	9
2008 MILWAUKEE	.225	128	404	50	91	22	1	15	55	1	3	3	37	124	5	6	19
2009 Nashville (AAA)	.286	4	14	1	4	1	0	1	4	0	0	0	1	4	1	0	1
MILWAUKEE	.201	76	214	22	43	12	0	6	24	0	1	0	19	72	1	0	4
SEATTLE	.200	34	120	10	24	8	1	2	12	0	3	0	8	48	1	2	1
2010 BOSTON	.247	119	344	44	85	16	1	18	46	2	1	1	34	104	9	1	4
MINOR LEAGUE TOTALS	.264	587	2180	277	576	123	18	37	211	35	12	12	123	528	85	57	200
MAJOR LEAGUE TOTALS	.250	984	3140	424	786	201	19	122	425	15	25	11	270	901	59	38	33

DIVISION SERIES RECORD

YEAR CLUB/OPP	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	AVG	OBP	SLG
2008 MIL/PHI	3	8	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	.250	.333	.250

HALL CAREER TRANSACTIONS

- Selected by Milwaukee in the sixth round of the 1998 June Draft.
- Acquired by Seattle from Milwaukee on Aug. 19, 2009 along with cash considerations in exchange for RHP Ruben Flores.
- Acquired by Boston from Seattle with a player to be named later or cash considerations in exchange for IF Casey Kotchman on Jan. 7, 2010.
- Signed by Houston as a free agent on Dec. 20, 2010.





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HALL GAME HIGHS

Hits:	5 -- September 15, 2005 at Arizona
Home Runs:	2 (4x) -- last, August 11, 2010 vs. Toronto
RBI:6 -- April 4, 2008 vs. San Francisco
Stolen Bases:	2 (6x) -- last, September 26, 2010 at New York (AL)
Longest Hitting Streak:	11 -- May 11-22, 2006
Career Grand Slams:	June 20, 2007 vs. San Francisco (Barry Zito) April 16, 2007 at Cincinnati (Todd Coffey)

LEADOFF HR

PINCH-HIT HR

WALK-OFF HR

No.	Date	Opp.	Pitcher	No.	Date	Opp.	Pitcher	No.	Date	Opp.	Pitcher
none				1	4/27/04	CIN	D. Graves	1	4/27/04	CIN	D. Graves
				2	6/16/04	SEA	R. Villone	2	5/14/06	NYM	C. Bradford
				3	9/5/07	HOU	F. Paulino	3	6/8/06	SD	S. Cassidy
				4	8/26/08	STL	J. Garcia				
				5	5/14/10	DET	E. Bonine				

HALL CAREER FIELDING

YEAR	POSITION	PCT.	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP
2010	Pitcher	-	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Second Base	.966	51	72	100	6	178	19
	Third Base	.909	5	4	6	1	11	1
	Shortstop	.917	6	3	8	1	12	3
	Left Field	.988	55	78	3	1	82	0
	Center Field	.947	7	18	0	1	19	0
	Right Field	.800	9	8	0	2	10	0
Totals	Pitcher	-	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Second Base	.960	155	264	340	25	629	69
	Third Base	.948	271	159	447	33	639	56
	Shortstop	.965	267	367	673	38	1078	128
	Outfield	.973	239	491	12	14	517	0

