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Tampa Bay Rays (53-48) at Oakland Athletics (45-57) Monday, July 25, 2011 Oakland, Calif.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Tampa Bay	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	5	10	0	9
Oakland	0	2	0	0	0	1	3	1	X	7	10	2	10

W — Fuentes (2-8)

L — Howell (2-2)

S — Bailey (12)

OAKLAND NOTES

- The Oakland Athletics are 6-4 to start the second half of the season after losing four straight and 13 of 18 going into the break...are 27-22 at home compared to 18-35 on the road...are batting .308 (108 for 351) and averaging 5.30 (53 runs in 10 games) runs per game since the break...have hit two home runs or fewer in each of the last 73 games, which is the longest streak by an A's team since an 86-game streak from July 5, 1978-April 10, 1979...are 1-0 on this seven-game homestand against Tampa Bay (1-0) and Minnesota (three games).
- Guillermo Moscoso** is 0-1 with a 10.24 ERA (11 er in 9.2 ip) in his past two starts after going 1-1 with a 0.36 ERA over his previous four starts...A's starting pitchers are 3-7 with a 6.54 ERA (55 er in 75.2 ip) over the last 14 games after posting a 1.86 ERA over the previous 20 contests.
- David DeJesus** (2 for 5) recorded the 200th double of his career in the sixth inning...is now 12 for 39 (.308) since the All-Star Break.
- Conor Jackson** (2 for 4) is batting .333 (13 for 39) with eight RBI in 10 games since the All-Star Break.
- Cliff Pennington** (2 for 2) homered in the second inning to extend his hitting streak to a career-high-tying nine games (also May 22-30 of this year)...is batting .455 (15 for 33) during the streak.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Guillermo Moscoso	5.0	8	5	5	4	0	2	100/60
Michael Wuertz	1.1	2	0	0	0	2	0	18/11
Brian Fuentes (W, 2-8)	0.2	0	0	0	0	1	0	14/9
Grant Balfour	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	0	16/10
Andrew Bailey (S, 12)	1.0	1	0	0	1	2	0	24/15

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Cliff Pennington (5)	2 nd	0-1	2	RF	Hellickson

TAMPA BAY NOTES

- The Tampa Bay Rays have lost nine of their past 13 games and 14 of their last 23...are now 6-10 against the AL West this year...the Rays bullpen is 0-4 with a 5.16 ERA (17 er in 29.2 ip) over the past nine games...are 1-3 on this 10-game road trip through Kansas City (1-2), Oakland (0-1) and Seattle (three games).
- Jeremy Hellickson** is 2-0 with a 3.72 ERA (8 er in 19.1 ip) in three starts in July...has allowed nine home runs in his past seven games after allowing only one home run in his previous six starts.
- Johnny Damon** (1 for 5) doubled in the fifth inning and now has 505 career doubles, which ties Tony Perez for 48th place on the all-time list.
- Desmond Jennings** (2 for 5) has recorded multiple-hit games in each of his three contests (6 for 11, .545) since being recalled from Triple-A Durham.
- Matt Joyce** (0 for 5) is batting .179 (26 for 145) since May 28 after batting .377 from April 1 through May 27.
- Evan Longoria** (0 for 1) had a career-high four walks.
- Ben Zobrist** (3 for 4) is batting .386 (22 for 57) over his last 15 games...is batting .330 (68 for 206) on the road compared to .209 (34 for 163) at home.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Jeremy Hellickson	5.0	4	3	3	4	2	1	106/60
Brandon Gomes	0.2	2	0	0	0	0	0	9/6
J.P. Howell (L, 2-2)	0.2	2	3	3	1	0	0	18/10
Joel Peralta	0.2	1	0	0	0	0	0	14/9
Cesar Ramos	1.0	1	1	1	2	0	0	19/7

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
Ben Zobrist (12)	1 st	2-1	1	RF	Moscoso
Kelly Shoppach (6)	6 th	1-1	1	LF	Moscoso

Time of Game	3:35	Overall Record	45-57	Home/Road	27-22/18-35
First Pitch	7:08 pm	Streak	Won 1	Day/Night	20-20/25-37
Temperature	63 degrees	Homestand	1-0	April/May/June	13-14/14-15/9-17
Attendance	11,053	Last Five	3-2	July/Aug./Sept.	9-11/0-0/0-0
Total	925,926	Last 10	6-4	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7	23-17/22-40
Average (48 games)	19,290	Series Record	1-0	A's/Opponents score first	31-16/14-41
Win/Lose in Last At-Bat	8-17	Series First Game	13-21	Leading after 7 th inn/8 th inn	37-4/39-2
Extra Innings	6-10	vs. AL West	16-17	Tied after 7 th inn/8 th inn	2-8/2-10
		vs. RHP/LHP	30-42/15-15	Trailing after 7 th inn/8 th inn	6-45/4-45