



OAKLAND ATHLETICS

Game Information

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A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	19-17/22-20 (May 9/May 17)
Season Low	60-76 (August 31)
April	13-14
May	14-15
June	9-17
July	13-13
August	11-17
September	1-0
Home Series	10-8-3
Road Series	6-13-4
Series Sweeps	3-8
First Game of Series	16-28
Last Game of Series	23-21
A's Score First	40-18
Opponent Scores First	21-58
Leading After 7 th	51-4
Leading After 8 th	53-2
Tied After 7 th	3-10
Tied After 8 th	4-12
Trailing After 7 th	7-61
Trailing After 8 th	4-61
Commit No Errors	30-30
Commit 1 or More Errors	31-46
More HR Than Opp.	27-11
Fewer HR Than Opp.	15-36
Same Total HR of Opp.	19-29
Starter Pitches 7 or More	31-20
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	30-56
When Scoring 4 or More	49-22
When Scoring Less Than 4	12-54
Last At Bat	10-19
Different Lineups	116

A's vs. MARINERS

The A's trail in the season series 4-9 and with one more loss will lose the season series...are 2-4 in Oakland and 2-5 in Seattle...each team has two season series wins over the previous four years and the A's are 37-52 (.416) against Seattle since 2007...that is the **lowest winning percentage** by any American League team against the Mariners over that span...all-time, the A's are 287-216 (.571) against Seattle, which is the second best mark by an AL team against the Mariners (Boston, .576)...are 160-92 in Oakland and 127-124 in Seattle.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

The A's played 33 hours and 50 minutes of baseball in the 10 games on the last road trip for an average time of game of 3 hours and 23 minutes...also had four rain delays totaling 5 hours and 29 minutes.

Andrew Bailey has converted all 10 of his save opportunities since the All-Star Break and is a perfect 33 for 33 in saves after the break in his career.

Cliff Pennington had a career-high tying four hits yesterday and went 17 for 42 (.405) on the road trip...he is now batting .347 (51 for 147) since the All-Star Break, which ranks fifth in the American League.

Jemile Weeks has a career-high nine-game hitting streak (15 for 39, .385)...leads American League rookies in triples (8), ranks second in stolen bases (21), third in hits (92), fourth in doubles (19) and fifth in extra base hits (27) despite spending the first two months of the season in the minors.

THIS DATE IN A's HISTORY

In **1989** Jose Canseco's two-run homer in the first inning of the A's 7-2 win at Milwaukee is the 8000th in the history of the Athletics franchise...in **2003** the A's score two times in the 12th inning to defeat Baltimore 2-0 and extend their winning streak to 10 games.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS (61-76) VS. SEATTLE MARINERS (58-78)
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2011 – OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM – 7:05 P.M. PDT
RHP GUILLERMO MOSCOSO (6-8, 3.80) VS. LHP JASON VARGAS (7-12, 4.52)
CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)

ABOUT THE A's

ABOUT THE A'S: Snapped their five-game losing streak yesterday and are now 8-8 over the last 16 games...trail Texas by 16½ games in the American League West for the third consecutive day, which matches the A's largest deficit of the season...have not been farther back since finishing the 2009 season 22 games out...were in a tie for first place in the AL West at the conclusion of play May 17 with a 22-20 record...however, have gone 39-56 (.411) since then, which is the third worst record in the AL and fifth worst in the majors...have spent 40 of the last 41 days in third place in the West...for the season, have spent one day tied for first, three days in second, eight days tied for second, 74 days in third, five days tied for third and 61 days in fourth...have a 24-21 (.533) record on the weekend (12-12 on Saturday, 12-9 on Sunday) compared to 37-55 (.402) during the week...made a managerial change June 9, replacing Bob Geren with new interim manager Bob Melvin.

SINCE THE ALL-STAR BREAK: The A's are 22-23 (.489) since the All-Star Break after going 39-53 (.424) before the break...are batting .272 (426 for 1566) since the break after hitting .233 before the break...the pitching staff has a 4.84 ERA (216 er in 401.1 ip) since the break after posting a 3.13 ERA before the break...were leading the American League in ERA at the break but have the fourth highest post-break ERA in the AL...the offense ranks second in the AL in doubles (106) and triples (12) since the break, third in walks (156) and fourth in slugging (.434), on-base percentage (.338) and runs (228)...are hitting .306 (126 for 412) with runners in scoring position since the break...A's starting pitchers are 17-19 with a 5.09 ERA (149 er in 263.2 ip) since the break after going 31-35 with a 3.17 ERA before the break.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's begin a six-game homestand tonight against Seattle (three games) and Kansas City (three games)...went 4-6 on the last homestand against Texas (0-3), Baltimore (2-1) and Toronto (2-2) and are 35-30 (.538) at home...went 4-6 on the last road trip to New York (2-1), Boston (1-2) and Cleveland (1-3)...are 26-46 (.361) on the road, which is the third worst record in the American League...have clinched a losing record on the road for the fifth consecutive season...are batting .253 (538 for 2129) at home and .240 (604 for 2516) on the road...have a 3.09 ERA (204 er in 594.0 ip) at home compared to 4.25 (299 er in 632.2 ip) on the road...have the lowest home ERA in the AL and the fifth lowest in the majors.

SCHEDULE NOTES: Beginning tonight, the A's will play 16 of their next 19 games in Oakland in a stretch that runs through Sept. 22...the only exception is a three-game series at Texas next weekend...just completed a 29-game stretch that ran from Aug. 1 to Sept. 1 where they played 19 of 29 games on the road...were 12-17 over that span.

OFFENSE: The A's hit .264 with 52 runs, 28 doubles, 11 home runs and 15 stolen bases in 10 games on the last road trip after batting .213 with 31 runs, 17 doubles, five home runs and two stolen bases in 10 games on the last homestand...have the third lowest batting average (.246), on-base percentage (.313) and slugging percentage (.370) in the American League and the third fewest runs (543) and home runs (92)...are on pace to score 642 runs and have not scored fewer than 646 runs in a non-strike season since 1979 (573)...have not had an on-base percentage under .318 since 1982 (.309)...are on pace to hit 108 home runs...hit 109 home runs last year, which was the A's fewest in a non-strike season since 1979 (108)...have been shutout 14 times, which is the most in the AL and second most in the majors...it is the most by an A's team since 1991 (14)...have been shutout more than 14 times just twice in Oakland history (19 in 1978, 17 in 1979).

PITCHING: The A's pitching staff tossed its eighth shutout of the season yesterday and now has a 2.79 ERA (15 er in 48.1 ip) and 50 strikeouts over the last five games...has a 3.69 ERA for the season, which is fourth lowest in the American League...rank third with 990 strikeouts...have topped 1000 strikeouts 11 times in franchise history, including each of the last 10 seasons dating back to 2001...are on pace to break the franchise record of 1124 set in 2009...have allowed the fewest home runs in the AL (110), have the lowest opponents slugging percentage (.375) and are tied for the lead in pickoffs (19)...have issued the third most walks (463)...Brandon McCarthy tossed the A's fourth complete game of the season Monday night and the A's have lost all four of those games.

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have committed 107 errors, which is second most in the majors to the Cubs (114)...it is also the most by an A's team since the 2003 club also had 107...have not made more than 107 errors in a season since 2001 (125)...18 of the errors have been committed by pitchers, which is tied with the Cubs and Reds for the most in the majors...they are the most by an A's pitching staff since the 1999 club also had 18...the last time A's pitchers had more errors was in 1997 when they had 19...the errors have led to 73 unearned runs, which are the most in the majors.

CLOSE CALLS: The A's are 17-24 (.415) in one-run games, which is the worst record in the American League and second worst in the majors (San Diego, 18-27 .400)...the 24 one-run losses match the most by an A's team over the last 24 years...have not lost more since 1987 when they went 20-27...are 8-11 (.421) in extra inning games, which is tied for the third worst record in the AL...are tied for the AL lead in extra inning games and losses...the 11 losses are the most by an A's team since 1996 (9-11)...combined for just seven extra inning wins over the previous two seasons and are 15-28 (.349) in extra inning games over the last three years...are 14-26 in games decided in the seventh inning or later, including 10-19 in games decided in the last at bat...have seven wins when trailing after seven innings, which is tied for second most in the AL.

IN AUGUST: The A's finished August with an 11-17 (.393) record, which was third worst in the American League...it marked the seventh consecutive month in which the A's did not finish above .500...have not finished a month with a winning record since going 14-10 last July...hit .244 in August, which was third lowest in the AL...tied for second in doubles (62) and ranked fourth in triples (8)...hit 29 home runs, which was their most in a month since hitting 36 in August, 2007...the pitching staff had a 4.93 ERA, which was second highest in the AL.

PLAYERS USED: Neil Wagner became the 45th player to appear in a game for Oakland on Wednesday...the A's used 49 players last year and have not used fewer than 49 in a season since 2006 (40)...Wagner is the 25th pitcher the A's have used this year, which is one short of the Oakland record of 26 set in 1997 and matched in 2009...the A's have used just three right fielders (DeJesus, Jackson, Sweeney), which is currently the fewest in Oakland history (used 4 in 1980).

PITCHING PROBABLES

Sat., Sept. 3 vs. SEA RHP Brandon McCarthy (7-7, 3.64) vs. RHP Michael Pineda (9-8, 3.71) 1:05
Sun., Sept. 4 vs. SEA RHP Trevor Cahill (9-13, 4.26) vs. RHP Blake Beavan (3-4, 4.11) 1:05 CSNCA

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ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

13-22, 3.51 ERA (392.2 ip, 359 h, 183 r, 153 er, 169 bb, 354 so, 32 hr)

Save/Save Opportunities: 33/49 (67.3%)

The A's bullpen recorded 13 strikeouts Wednesday, which was third most by the bullpen in Oakland history (16, Aug. 10, 1972 vs. Chicago and 14, Aug. 6, 2007 at Texas)...had a 6.03 ERA (23 er in 34.1 ip) on the road trip and issued 18 walks in 34.1 innings...now has a 4.38 ERA (67 er in 137.2 ip) since the All-Star Break after posting a 3.04 ERA before the break...has the fewest wins in the American League (13) and is tied for the third most losses (22)...ranks second in first batter strikeouts (93) and tied for third in fewest first batter home runs (7)...four of those seven first batter home runs came on the last road trip...has allowed 65 of 176 (36.9%) inherited runners to score, which is the second highest percentage in the majors (Seattle, 42.0).

40 RHP ANDREW BAILEY

Save/Opportunities: 18-20

Last Outing: 8/31 at Cleveland (ND, 2.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/1

First Hitters: 4-31 (1 bb)

- Matched his career high by tossing 2.0 innings Wednesday (15th time, last: July 20, 2010 vs. Boston).
- Has converted all 10 of his save opportunities since the All-Star Break...is now a perfect 33 for 33 in save chances following the break in his career.
- Is 18 for 20 (90.0%) in save opportunities, which is the third best percentage in the American League...is 69 for 78 (88.5%) in his career, which is the best mark in Oakland history...ranks sixth on the Oakland career saves list (Isringhausen is 5th, 75).
- Has allowed at least one run in five of his last eight outings (5 er in 9.0 ip, 5.00 ERA) after allowing just one earned run in his previous 10 outings (0.96 ERA).
- Has a loss and a save in two appearances against Seattle this year (1 er in 2.0 ip)...is 1-1 with a 1.96 ERA and five saves in six opportunities in 17 appearances in his career (18.1 ip, 13 h, 5 r, 4 er, 4 bb, 18 so, 1 hr).
- Has a 1.80 ERA (4 er in 20.0 ip) in 20 appearances at home compared to a 4.05 ERA (6 er in 13.1 ip) in 13 road outings...is 10 for 10 in saves at home and has converted each of his last 18 save opportunities in Oakland...his last blown save at home was May 18, 2010 against Seattle.
- Began the season on the 15-day disabled list with a strained right forearm...it was his second career stint on the DL...was reinstated May 29.
- 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: 2-6

Last Outing: 8/31 at Cleveland (ND, 1.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 12/2

First Hitters: 12-52 (2 bb)

- Has a 1.29 ERA (3 er in 21.0 ip) in 21 games since being reinstated from the 15-day disabled list July 7...was placed on the DL June 28 retroactive to June 22 with a strained right oblique...it was his sixth career stint on the DL.
- Ranks seventh among American League relievers with a .185 opponents batting average and is eighth with a 2.01 ERA...is also tied for fourth in first batter strikeouts (18) and tied for sixth in grounded into double plays (7).
- His opponents batting average includes a .163 (16 for 98) mark against left-handers and .111 (4 for 36) with runners in scoring position.
- Has a 1.16 ERA (4 er in 31.0 ip) over his last 31 games (since May 28) after posting a 3.18 ERA over his first 23 contests.
- Has a 0.62 ERA (2 er in 29.0 ip) in 27 appearances in Oakland compared to a 3.65 ERA (10 er in 24.2 ip) in 27 outings on the road.
- Has not allowed a run in three games against the Mariners this season (3.1 ip) but has a 4.73 ERA in 14 career appearances (13.1 ip, 12 h, 8 r, 7 er, 9 bb, 11 so, 2 hr).
- 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: 8/31 at Cleveland (ND, 2.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 3 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 10/7

First Hitters: 5-17 (3 bb)

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento Wednesday for his sixth stint with the A's this year and has pitched once since his return (2.0 ip).
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and posted a 4.61 ERA in 14 relief appearances before he was optioned for the first time May 11...appeared in just one game during each of his next three stints from May 20 to 23, July 16 to 19 and July 30 to August 1...joined the A's last Friday in Boston for his fifth stint and pitched twice (3.00 ERA) before he was sent down between games of Saturday's doubleheader.
- Has a 5.79 ERA (3 er in 4.2 ip) in four appearances against Seattle this season.
- Did not pitch for Sacramento after he was sent down last Saturday...has allowed a .227 opponents batting average overall with the River Cats, including .188 (9 for 48) against left-handed hitters and .258 (16 for 62) against right-handers...his complete minor league statistics this year:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	2	0	4.85	27	0	0	0	0	29.2	25	16	16	7	35

- 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: 9/1 at Cleveland (ND, 2.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 3 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 26/6

First Hitters: 14-53 (4 bb)

- Has a 5.82 ERA (11 er in 17.0 ip) in 19 outings since the All-Star Break after posting a 3.06 ERA in 38 games before the break.
- Has allowed a .312 opponents batting average, which is third highest among American League relievers...right-handed hitters are batting .267 (32 for 120) and lefties are hitting .380 (30 for 79).
- Is tied for seventh among all AL pitchers in pickoffs (4).
- Has a 6.23 ERA (3 er in 4.1 ip) in six games against Seattle this year.
- Has a 3.03 ERA (10 er in 29.2 ip) in 36 outings at night and a 5.49 ERA (12 er in 19.2 ip) in 21 games during the day.
- 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.

67 RHP ANDREW CARRIGAN

Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 8/30 vs. Las Vegas (AAA) (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0

First Hitters: 0-0 (0 bb)

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento today and will be making his Major League debut.
- Is 9-8 with a 2.94 ERA and 40 saves in 132 career appearances over his five seasons in the minors...has recorded 195 strikeouts in his 150.0 innings pitched.
- Did not allow a run over his final eight games with the River Cats (12.0 ip)...was 1-0 with a 1.85 ERA in 33 relief appearances between Sacramento, Double-A Midland and Single-A Stockton, recording 46 strikeouts in 39.0 innings...his complete minor league stats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Stockton (A)	1	0	0.00	9	0	0	0	5	11.0	4	1	0	2	12
Midland (AA)	0	0	3.18	11	0	0	0	3	11.1	10	4	4	3	15
Sacramento (AAA)	0	0	2.16	13	0	0	0	0	16.2	11	5	4	7	19

- Was 3-3 with a 6.27 ERA in 30 games with Stockton last season...recorded 44 strikeouts and walked 34 in 33.0 innings pitched...held opponents to a .228 batting average.

60 RHP FAUTINO DE LOS SANTOS

Save/Opportunities: 0-2

Last Outing: 8/31 at Cleveland (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 18/7

First Hitters: 5-22 (3 bb)

- Has a 5.06 ERA (6 er in 10.2 ip) over his last 13 games and has allowed 7 of 9 inherited runners to score...posted a 2.35 ERA over is first 12 contests and did not allow any of his nine inherited runners to score.
- Has 34 strikeouts in 26.0 innings (11.77 per nine innings).
- Has a .206 opponents batting average, including .179 (7 for 39) against left-handed hitters.
- Has faced the Mariners twice this year (1.2 ip, 1 h, 2 so).
- Has a 3.42 ERA (9 er in 23.2 ip) in 23 games since being recalled from Triple-A Sacramento July 1 for his third stint with the A's this season...did not pitch during his first stint from May 20 to 23...pitched twice during his second stay with the A's from June 3 to 5 (3.86 ERA).
- Was 0-0 with a 1.83 ERA in 15 relief appearances with Triple-A Sacramento and 0-0 with three saves and a 2.89 ERA in eight outings with Double-A Midland...combined to strike out 36 and allow just one home run in 29.0 minor league innings overall.
- Went a combined 2-5 with a 5.13 ERA in a career-high 37 appearances between Midland and Single-A Stockton last season...recorded 73 strikeouts in 47.1 innings and had a .242 opponents batting average.

57 LHP BRIAN FUENTES Save/Opportunities: 12-15 Last Outing: 8/30 at Cleveland (ND, 1.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 25/6 First Hitters: 12-54 (6 bb)

- Was placed on the bereavement list Wednesday...is eligible to be reinstated Saturday.
- Has a 1.59 ERA (3 er in 17.0 ip) over his past 22 appearances (since July 4) after posting a 5.09 ERA over his first 38 contests.
- Leads Major League relievers with eight losses...is tied for fourth among American League relievers in runs (29) and tied for fifth in games (60).
- Has a 1.59 ERA (4 er in 22.2 ip) in 26 appearances during the day but has a 5.76 ERA (19 er in 29.2 ip) in 34 night games.
- Has a 2.67 ERA (9 er in 30.1 ip) in 33 games on the road compared to a 5.73 ERA (14 er in 22.0 ip) in 27 appearances at home.
- Has recorded 12 saves this season...now has 199 career saves, which is the most among active left-handers...needs one more to become the sixth left-hander in Major League history to reach the 200 plateau (Franco, Wagner, Myers, Righetti, Lyle).
- 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.

64 RHP TRYSTAN MAGNUSON Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 8/15 vs. Baltimore (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 0 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 4/3 First Hitters: 4-9 (0 bb)

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list August 18 retroactive to August 16 with right shoulder tendinitis...was transferred to the 60-day DL August 23 and will miss the remainder of the season.
- Went 3-0 with a 2.58 ERA and recorded five saves in 46 appearances with Double-A New Hampshire last season...had 63 strikeouts and allowed only 10 walks in 73.1 innings.

88 LHP JOSH OUTMAN Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 8/31 at Cleveland (L, 1.1 ip, 4 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 3 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 2-2 (0 bb)

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento a week ago today for his second stint with the A's this year and has pitched twice since his return (5.1 ip, 7, 2 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 10 so, 1.69 ERA).
 - Relieved Godfrey after the rain delay in the second game of the doubleheader last Saturday at Boston and tossed 4.0 innings, a season high for an A's reliever...struck out seven, which are the most strikeouts by an A's reliever since Erik Hiljus fanned eight in 5.0 innings July 24, 2001 against Minnesota.
 - Was used exclusively as a starter during his first stint from May 23 to July 2...went 2-2 with a 2.88 ERA over his last four starts after going 1-1 with a 4.15 ERA over his first four starts.
 - Is 0-1 with a 4.41 ERA in three career appearances, all starts, against Seattle (16.1 ip, 18 h, 9 r, 8 er, 4 bb, 13 so, 2 hr).
 - Went 4-2 with a 3.10 ERA in nine starts with Sacramento following his July 3 option...allowed a .250 opponents batting average, including .231 (25 for 108) against left-handers and .269 (52 for 193) and six of his seven home runs against righties...his complete stats with the River Cats:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------------------|---|---|------|----|----|----|-----|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Sacramento (AAA) | 8 | 3 | 3.91 | 17 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 78.1 | 77 | 47 | 34 | 47 | 72 |
- Missed the entire season as he continued his rehab from June 30, 2009 "Tommy John" surgery on his left elbow...prior to this year, had not pitched in the majors since going 4-1 with a 3.48 ERA in 14 games, 12 starts, with Oakland in 2009.

63 RHP JASON RICE Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 8/30 at Rochester (AAA) (ND, 1.2 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 2 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 0-0 (0 bb)

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento yesterday after being acquired from the Boston Red Sox for Conor Jackson and cash considerations Wednesday...will be making his Major League debut.
 - Is 26-31 with a 3.91 ERA in 256 career appearances, including 47 starts, over seven seasons in the minors...in 543.0 innings, he has struck out 589 for an average of 9.76 per nine innings
 - Spent the entire season at Triple-A Pawtucket prior to his selection yesterday...held opponents to a .238 batting average, including .211 against right-handed hitters while lefties hit .279...his complete stats with the Pawtucket:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|-----------------|---|---|------|----|----|----|-----|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Pawtucket (AAA) | 4 | 5 | 3.69 | 44 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 85.1 | 77 | 37 | 35 | 42 | 89 |
- Went 3-2 with a 2.85 ERA and 13 saves in 48 appearances with Double-A Portland last year...held opponents to a .211 batting average and recorded 71 strikeouts in 60.0 innings.

62 RHP NEIL WAGNER Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 8/31 at Cleveland (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 0-2 (0 bb)

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento Tuesday and has pitched twice since then (2.0 ip, 1 h, 2 so).
 - Made his Major League debut in the ninth inning Tuesday night (1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 so) and struck out the first batter he faced (Santana).
 - Was originally drafted by Cleveland in the 21st round of the 2005 First-Year Player Draft...is 15-23 with 44 saves and a 3.47 ERA in 266 career appearances over six seasons in the minors...struck out 425 in 362.2 innings (10.55 per nine innings) and surrendered just 14 home runs (0.35 per nine innings).
 - Did not allow a run over his final seven outings with the River Cats (10.0 ip)...began the season at Double-A Midland but was promoted to Sacramento June 25...combined for a 3.26 ERA in 50 appearances overall...allowed a .222 opponents batting average, including .219 (33 for 151) against righties and .226 (26 for 115) against lefties...his complete minor league stats this year:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------------------|---|---|------|----|----|----|-----|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Midland (AA) | 1 | 3 | 3.38 | 28 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 37.1 | 31 | 18 | 14 | 13 | 53 |
| Sacramento (AAA) | 2 | 1 | 3.10 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 29.0 | 27 | 10 | 10 | 10 | 34 |
- Began the 2010 season with Triple-A Akron in the Cleveland organization and went 1-1 with four saves and a 6.28 ERA in 13 relief appearances before he was traded to the A's for cash, May 14...went 6-2 with a save and a 3.70 ERA in 33 games at Double-A Midland.

48 RHP MICHAEL WUERTZ Save/Opportunities: 0-1 Last Outing: 7/29 vs. Minnesota (ND, 0.2 ip, 3 h, 4 r, 4 er, 3 bb, 1 so)
Inherited Runners/Scored: 12/7 First Hitters: 8-30 (3 bb)

- Was reinstated from the disabled list today...had been placed on the 15-day disabled list July 30 with right thumb tendinitis...it was his second stint on the DL this year as he was also out from April 2 to 24 with a strained left hamstring.
 - Has an 18.69 ERA (9 er in 4.1 ip) in six appearances since the All-Star Break after posting a 2.67 ERA in 28 games before the break.
 - Has allowed a .239 opponents batting average, including .226 (14 for 62) against right-handers and .323 (10 for 31) with runners in scoring position.
 - Has faced Seattle once this year (1.0 ip)...has a 0.93 ERA in nine appearances in his career (9.2 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 8 so).
 - Began a rehab assignment with Single-A Stockton Sunday against Inland Empire (1.0 ip, 1 h, 3 so)...was transferred to Sacramento Wednesday and tossed a 1-2-3 seventh inning for the River Cats against Las Vegas, striking out two...his complete stats this year:
- | | W | L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|------------------|---|---|-------|----|----|----|-----|----|------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Stockton (A) | 0 | 0 | 12.00 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3.0 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 7 |
| Sacramento (AAA) | 0 | 0 | 9.00 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3.0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 5 |
| OAKLAND | 0 | 0 | 4.88 | 34 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 31.1 | 28 | 17 | 17 | 22 | 30 |
- 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).

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

31 BRANDON ALLEN	Career vs. Vargas (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 9
Cleveland Series: 2-19, rbi, bb, 1bb, 8 so, sb	Road Trip: 9-45, 5 r, 3 2b, 3 hr, 6 rbi, 2 bb, 1bb, 20 so, sb	

- Went 9 for 45 (.200) with 20 strikeouts in 10 games on the road trip after going 11 for 29 (.379) with four strikeouts in nine games on the last homestand.
- Is 2 for 22 over his last five games.
- Of his 20 hits with the A's, 10 are for extra bases (five doubles, two triples, three home runs)...as are 13 of his 25 hits for the season (five doubles, two triples, six homers).
- Is batting .294 (20 for 68) with five of his six home runs against right-handed pitching compared to .143 (5 for 35) against lefties.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento August 13 and has started each of the A's 19 games at first base since then...was acquired by the A's from Arizona with pitcher Jordan Norberto for pitcher Brad Ziegler July 31.
- Began the season at Triple-A Reno but was promoted to Arizona July 15...hit .172 with three home runs, seven RBI and seven walks in 11 games with Diamondbacks, including nine starts at first base...was optioned to Sacramento following the trade.
- Combined to hit .299 with 21 home runs and 72 RBI in 93 games with Reno and Sacramento...had 66 walks, which ranked fourth in the Pacific Coast League at the time of his promotion...appeared in 77 games at first base and 18 in left field...his complete minor league stats this year:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Reno (AAA)	.306	83	304	75	93	21	4	18	66	64	90	7	4	.579	.427
Sacramento (AAA)	.250	10	40	4	10	2	1	3	6	2	11	0	0	.575	.286

- Was a September call-up with Arizona in 2010 and hit .267 with one home run and six RBI in 22 games...batted .261 with 25 home runs and 86 RBI in 107 games with Triple-A Reno...ranked third in the Pacific Coast League in walks (83) and fourth in on-base percentage (.405).

4 COCO CRISP	Career vs. Vargas (.333, 4-12, 1 HR, 1 BB, 1 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (3 for 5)
Cleveland Series: 5-14, 3 rbi, bb, 2 sb	Road Trip: 11-37, 4 r, 2b, 2 hr, 9 rbi, 3 bb, 4 so, 2 sb, sh, sf	

- Is 10 for 33 (.303) with two home runs and nine RBI over his last nine games after going 5 for 34 (.147) over his previous nine contests.
- Leads the American League with a career-high 39 stolen bases...needs one more to become the 10th player (26th time) in Oakland history to steal 40 bases in a season...16 of his steals have come in the seventh inning or later, which is tied for the Major League lead...is tied for eighth in the AL in caught stealing (9).
- The switch-hitter is batting .295 (92 for 312) against right-handed pitching and .219 (33 for 151) against lefties.
- Ranks seventh in the AL in plate appearances per strikeout (9.83).
- Is batting .315 (17 for 54) with nine runs scored in 13 games against Seattle.
- Had his 2010 season interrupted by injury three times, but when healthy, he posted some of the best numbers on the A's...hit .279 with eight home runs and 38 RBI in 75 games and stole a career-high 32 bases...tied for ninth in the AL in steals despite missing over half the season.

12 DAVID DeJESUS	Career vs. Vargas (.000, 0-9, 0 HR, 1 BB, 1 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 6
Cleveland Series: 1-14, r, 2 bb, 2 so	Road Trip: 8-30, 5 r, 2b, 3b, 4 rbi, 4 bb, 6 so	

- Is 1 for 16 over his last four games and 11 for 52 (.212) over his last 15 games.
- Is hitting .172 (20 for 116) against left-handed pitching, which is the lowest mark in the American League and second lowest in the majors (Pena, CHI .130).
- Is tied for sixth in the AL in hit by pitches (10).
- Is batting .258 (33 for 128) with 10 doubles in 36 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .220 with nine doubles in 79 games before the break.
- Is 3 for 31 (.097) in five games against Seattle.
- Has committed four errors in his last 46 games after going errorless over his previous 301 contests.
- 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.

55 HIDEKI MATSUI	Career vs. Vargas (.200, 4-20, 3 HR, 3 BB, 6 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 4
Cleveland Series: 4-17, 2b, rbi, 2, so, sf, gidp	Road Trip: 8-40, 2 r, 3 2b, 4 rbi, 4 so, 2 sf, 2 gidp	

- Is 15 for 69 (.217) with no walks over his last 16 games...the 16 consecutive games without a walk matches his longest streak as a Major Leaguer (June 29-July 19, 2003).
- Is batting .331 (56 for 169) since the All-Star Break after hitting .209 before the break...ranks ninth in the American League in batting since the break.
- Is 21 for 51 (.412) with runners in scoring position since the break after hitting .210 before the break...is now batting .301 (34 for 113) with RISP for the season.
- Ranks fourth in the AL in sacrifice flies (9).
- Has hit 8 of his 11 home runs off left-handed pitching...four have put the A's ahead and one has tied the game.
- Is a .301 (90 for 299) career hitter against Seattle with 15 home runs and 55 RBI in 82 games.
- His double Monday night in Cleveland was the 488th of his professional career (245 in Japan, 243 in Major League Baseball)...that is tied for the most by a Japanese Player as Ichiro Suzuki collected his 488th double yesterday...Kazuyoshi Tatsunami of the Chunichi Dragons holds the Japanese Leagues double record with 487.
- Hit the 500th home run of his professional career July 20 in Detroit, a solo shot off Below in the sixth inning (now has 504)...his total includes 172 in the Major Leagues (140 with New York, 21 with Los Angeles, 11 with Oakland) and 332 in the Japanese Leagues...25 Major Leaguers have hit 500 home runs and eight players in the Japanese Leagues have reached that plateau...he is the first to combine for 500.
- 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. Vargas (.300, 3-10, 1 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 3 games (8 for 15)
Cleveland Series: 8-18, r, 2 2b, 3 rbi, bb, 5 so, 3 sb	Road Trip: 17-42, 4 r, 4 2b, hr, 10 rbi, 2 bb, 12 so, sh, 4 sb	

- Is 2 for his last 26 and batted .192 (10 for 52) in August...has had a roller coaster season with his batting average as he hit .222 in April, .365 in May, .228 in June and .333 in July
- Matched his career high yesterday in Cleveland with four hits (also April 27, 2010 at Tampa Bay and July 1, 2010 at Baltimore).
- Has three straight multiple hit games (8 for 15, .533) and batted .405 (17 for 42) on the road trip.
- Had 10 RBI on the trip to bring his season total to 48, which is a new career high (had 46 in 2010)...has matched his best with six home runs (also 2010).
- Is batting .347 (51 for 147) with three home runs and 25 RBI in 41 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .235 with three home runs and 23 RBI in 88 games before the break...ranks fifth in the American League in batting since the break and eight in on-base percentage (.409).
- Is 13 for 22 (.591) with runners in scoring position over his last 25 games and is batting .351 (34 for 97) with RISP overall, which ranks fifth in the AL.
- Has stolen a base in each of his last three games and is 6 for 6 in stolen base attempts over his last 23 games...is 12 for 21 (57.1%) for the season, which is the lowest percentage in the AL and third lowest in the majors...is tied for eighth in the AL in caught stealing (9).
- Has grounded into just four double plays and his average of 110.3 at bats per GIDP is second best in the AL
- Five of his six home runs have come with runners on base as have 10 of his 16 career home runs...five of his home runs have come on the road.
- Ranks second among AL shortstops in errors (19).
- 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).

AMERICAN LEAGUE BATTING LEADERS SINCE THE ALL-STAR BREK
.361 Mike Napoli, TEX
.359 Michael Young, TEX
.357 Dustin Pedroia, BOS
.357 Miguel Cabrera, DET
.347 Cliff Pennington, OAK
<i>Minimum 139 plate appearances</i>

26 ANTHONY RECKER Cleveland Series: 2-4, 2 r, 2b, bb, so	Career vs. Vargas (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 7) Road Trip: 3-11, 2 r, 2b, 3 bb, 4 so
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- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento August 23 and has started three games at catcher since then.
- Singled off Erik Bedard to lead off the fifth inning in the second game of the doubleheader last Saturday in Boston for his first Major League hit.
- Was originally drafted by the A's in the 18th round of the 2005 First-Year Player Draft and compiled a .273 (644 for 2357) batting average with 89 home runs and 353 RBI in 667 games over seven seasons in the minors.
- Was leading the River Cats in walks (56) and on-base percentage (.388) at the time of his promotion...appeared in 61 games at catcher at 25 at first base...hit .305 before the All-Star Break but batted .228 after the break...his complete statistics with the River Cats this year:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.287	99	345	61	99	24	1	16	48	56	81	7	5	.501	.388

- Began the 2010 season at Double-A Midland, hitting .211 with 1 HR and 3 RBI in 11 games before he was moved up to Triple-A Sacramento April 22...batted .288 with 10 HR and 42 RBI in 80 games with the River Cats for a .278 average with 11 HR and 45 RBI in 91 games overall.

7 ADAM ROSALES Seattle Series: 0-0	Career vs. Vargas (.500, 1-2, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 25 Homestand: 0-0
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- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento today for his third stint with the A's this year.
- Is 0 for his last 25, which is the longest hitless streak of his career (previous, 17: June 12 to 23, 2010).
- Began the season on the 60-day DL with a fractured right foot and went 3 for 10 (.300) on a three-game rehab assignment with Sacramento before being reinstated from the DL June 6...went 4 for 33 (.121) in 12 games with Oakland before he was optioned to Sacramento July 16...returned August 2 and went 0 for 15 with two RBI in five games before he was sent back to Sacramento August 13.
- Has started 14 games at five different positions (five at third base, four at shortstop, three at first base, one at second base, one in left field).
- Two of his four hits are home runs and he has seven RBI on his four hits.
- Is 0 for 4 against Seattle this year but is 7 for 22 (.318) in his career.
- Hit .274 with a home run and 10 RBI in 20 games with the River Cats following his most recent option...overall, batted .297 (30 for 101) against right-handed pitching and .196 (9 for 46) against left-handers...hit .361 with runners in scoring position...his complete statistics this year:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.265	40	147	23	39	5	1	3	22	13	32	1	1	.374	.323
OAKLAND	.083	17	48	4	4	0	0	2	7	4	11	0	0	.208	.167

- 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.

29 SCOTT SIZEMORE Cleveland Series: 1-12, r, 2b, rbi, bb, 5 so, sb	Career vs. Vargas (.500, 2-4, 1 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 9 Road Trip: 9-32, 6 r, 4 2b, 2 hr, 7 rbi, 3 bb, 10 so, sb
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- Is batting .224 (22 for 98) over his last 29 games but 15 of his 22 hits over that span are for extra bases (12 doubles, three home runs).
- Tied for second in the American League with 11 doubles in August...that is the second best August double total in Oakland history to Jason Giambi's 12 in 1999.
- Ranks third in the AL in strikeouts since the All-Star Break (50) and tied for 10th in doubles (13).
- Is hitting .316 (30 for 95) against left-handed pitching compared to .203 (40 for 197) against right-handers.
- Is batting .343 (23 for 67) with runners in scoring position.
- Is batting .201 (32 for 159) over his last 48 games (since July 4) after hitting .343 in his first 21 games with the A's.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento June 6 and has started 66 of the A's 77 games at third base since his promotion...was acquired by the A's from Detroit May 27 for David Purcey...hit .408 with Triple-A Toledo, .222 with Detroit and .267 with Sacramento.
- Batted .298 with nine home runs and 37 RBI in 76 games with Toledo last season...hit 23 doubles and recorded a .378 on-base percentage and .472 slugging percentage...also played 48 games for the Tigers and batted .224 with three home runs and 14 RBI.

36 ERIC SOGARD Cleveland Series: 1-5, r, so	Career vs. Vargas (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 5) Road Trip: 2-8, 2 r, hr, rbi, so
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- Is 3 for 24 (.125) over his last 10 games after going 5 for 18 (.278) over his first seven contests.
- Is 0 for 10 against left-handed pitching and 8 for 32 (.250) against right-handers.
- Four of his eight hits are for extra bases (three doubles, one home run).
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento July 15 and is 8 for 42 (.190) in 17 games, 10 starts (five at third base, four at shortstop, one at second base).
- Was batting .298 with five home runs and 37 RBI in 79 games with Sacramento...added 40 walks for a .381 on-base percentage...was leading the River Cats in runs (55), hits (94) and stolen bases (13) at the time of his promotion...made all 73 of his defensive appearances at shortstop.
- Made his Major League debut with the A's in 2010 during a September call-up, going 3 for 7 (.429) in four games...spent the balance of the season at Triple-A Sacramento where he hit .300 with 5 HR and 65 RBI in 137 games...added 75 walks to fuel a .391 on-base percentage.

8 KURT SUZUKI Cleveland Series: 3-12, r, 2b, hr, 2 rbi, bb, 3 so, sh, sf	Career vs. Vargas (.214, 3-14, 0 HR, 3 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 8) Road Trip: 9-28, 6 r, 3 2b, hr, 3 rbi, 2 bb, 4 so, sh, sf
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- Is batting .275 (39 for 142) over his last 40 games (since July 4)...hit .260 over his first 37 games and .158 over his next 36 games from May 18 to July 3.
- Hit his 13th home run of the season Wednesday night, matching his season total from last year...is two short of his career high of 15 from 2009...12 of his home runs this year have come with the bases empty and 11 have come off right-handed pitching.
- Ranks third among American League catchers in games started (107)...has started 496 games behind the plate since 2008, which is the most in the majors over that span.
- Is 11 for 35 (.314) against Seattle.
- Opponents have been successful in 70 of their last 81 (86.4%) stolen base attempts off him (since May 6)...has tossed out just 19 of 102 (18.6%) for the season, which is the fourth lowest mark in the AL...the 83 stolen bases allowed are the most in the AL and second most in the majors (McCann, ATL 87)...they are the most allowed by an Athletic since opponents stole an Oakland record 101 bases off Jason Kendall in 2005.
- 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 Cleveland Series: 2-12, r, bb, 3 so, gidp	Career vs. Vargas (1.000, 1-1, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 11) Road Trip: 2-18, r, bb, 4 so, gidp
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- Is 3 for 30 (.100) over his last 15 games.
- Batted .192 in August...has had a roller coaster season with his batting average as he hit .222 in April, .365 in May, .228 in June and .333 in July
- Is hitting .289 (59 for 204) against right-handed pitching compared to .152 (5 for 33) against left-handers...has started just eight games against lefties.
- Is batting .309 (17 for 55) with runners in scoring position.
- Has not committed an error in 82 games in the outfield and now has a 199-game errorless streak, which is an Oakland record for an outfielder...the previous mark was 165 by Jermaine Dye...it is also the longest errorless streak by an Athletics outfielder since at least 1918...the previous high was 187 by Al Simmons from June 27, 1928-August 5, 1929...his last error was August 15, 2009 against Chicago as a right fielder.
- Is 4 for 17 (.235) with three walks as a pinch hitter...ranks second among AL pinch hitters in plate appearances (20), tied for second in hits and tied for third in walks...was 2 for 16 (.125) in his career as a pinch hitter entering this season.
- 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.

**MOST CONSECUTIVE ERRORLESS GAMES,
OAKLAND OUTFIELDER**

199	Ryan Sweeney, August 17, 2009-present
165	Jermaine Dye, Sept. 25, 2002-August 6, 2004
162	Travis Buck, April 2, 2007-August 21, 2010
162	Stan Javier, June 26, 1994-October 1, 1995
126	Johnny Damon, May 4, 2001-October 7, 2001

23 MICHAEL TAYLOR Seattle Series: DNP	Career vs. Vargas (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 0 Homestand: DNP
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- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento today and will be making his Major League debut.
- Was acquired by the A's December 16, 2009 from Toronto after the Blue Jays acquired him in a three-team trade in which they sent Roy Halladay to Philadelphia and the Phillies sent Cliff Lee to Seattle...has a .296 batting average with 67 home runs and 347 RBI over five seasons in the minors.
- Was 14 for 52 (.269) with three home runs, 14 RBI and 11 runs scored over his past 12 games with Sacramento...was batting .289 against right-handed pitching and .229 against lefties...his complete statistics with the River Cats this year:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.272	93	349	51	95	16	0	16	64	46	80	14	5	.456	.360

- Batted .272 with six home runs and 78 RBI in 127 games with the River Cats last season...also had 26 doubles, 16 stolen bases and 79 runs scored...had a .348 on-base percentage and slugged .392.

19 JEMILE WEEKS (pronounced juh-mile) Cleveland Series: 6-18, 4 r, 2 2b, 2 rbi, bb, 2 hbp, so, 2 sb, cs, sf	Career vs. Vargas (.250, 1-4, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 9 games (15 for 39) Road Trip: 15-44, 10 r, 5 2b, 2 rbi, 5 bb, 2 hbp, 6 so, 7 sb, cs, sf
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- Has a career-high nine-game hitting streak and is 15 for 39 (.385) with 10 runs, five doubles and seven stolen bases during the streak.
- Has seven stolen bases in his last eight games after stealing 14 bases over his first 66 contests...ranks second among American League rookies with 21 steals and is the seventh rookie in Oakland history to steal 20 bases.
- Leads American League rookies in triples (8), ranks third in hits (92) and multiple hit games (27), fourth in doubles (19) and fifth in total bases (127) and extra base hits (27) despite spending the first two months of the season in the minors.
- Leads the AL with five triples since the All-Star Break and ranks fourth with eight for the season...the eight triples match Pennington's team-leading total from last year for sixth best in Oakland history...the last Athletic with more than eight is Eric Byrnes, who had nine in 2003.
- Is hitting .371 during the day (39 for 105), .367 (22 for 60) with runners in scoring position, .324 (48 for 148) at home and .317 (65 for 205) against right-handed pitching.
- Has gone homerless in each of his 74 games, which is the fourth longest career-opening homerless streak in Oakland history...it is the longest since Mike Bordick set the Oakland record with a 132-game streak before hitting his first home run May 10, 1992...Rickey Henderson and Claudell Washington had 77-game streaks.
- Is 4 for 26 (.154) against Seattle.
- Leads AL second basemen with 11 errors, which are the most by an A's second baseman since Mark Ellis had 14 in 2003.
- Stole three bases in the first game of the doubleheader last Saturday at Boston to tie the Oakland single game record for stolen bases by a rookie...the last time by was Luis Polonia on June 20, 1987 vs. Texas.
- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento June 7 and has started 74 of the A's 76 games at second base since his promotion...has made each of his last 64 starts in the leadoff spot.
- Hit .321 with three home runs and 22 RBI in 45 games with Sacramento...added 29 walks for a .417 on-base percentage...stole 10 bases...appeared exclusively at second base on defense (43 games) and hit leadoff 42 times...batted .404 with runners in scoring position.
- Batted .267 with 14 doubles, seven triples, three home runs and 33 RBI in 67 games with Double-A Midland last season...missed two months of the season while on the disabled list and hit .306 during a 10-game rehab assignment with the A's affiliate in the Arizona Rookie League.

OAKLAND A's ROOKIE BESTS

STOLEN BASES

42	Mitchell Page, 1977
33	Rickey Henderson, 1979
29	Luis Polonia, 1987
28	Herb Washington, 1974
27	Mike Edwards, 1978
21	Don Hopkins, 1975
21	Jemile Weeks, 2011

BATTING AVG. (min. 300 PA)

.307	Mitchell Page, 1977
.297	Jemile Weeks, 2011
.290	Brent Gates, 1993
.290	Troy Neel, 1993
.289	Mark McGwire, 1987

TRIPLES

10	Luis Polonia, 1987
8	Jemile Weeks, 2011
8	Mitchell Page, 1977
5	five players tied

16 JOSH WILLINGHAM Cleveland Series: 2-13, r, 2b, 2 bb, 1bb, 5 so	Career vs. Vargas (.000, 0-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 6) Road Trip: 8-37, 5 r, 3 2b, hr, 6 rbi, 4 bb, 1bb, 11 so, sf
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- Batted .226 (24 for 106) with seven doubles, eight home runs and 21 RBI in August...tied for third in the American League in home runs in August and tied for seventh in RBI.
- Is tied for fourth in the AL in RBI (35) since the All-Star Break, ranks fifth in home runs (12) and tied for eighth in walks (24).
- Leads the A's with 23 home runs and 79 RBI...the RBI are second most in his career (89 in 2007) and the home runs are third best (26 in 2006, 24 in 2009)...both figures have already surpassed the A's team leaders from last year.
- Struck out twice Wednesday night and now has 124 strikeouts for the season, which is a new career high (previous: 122 in 2007)...ranks seventh in the AL in strikeouts.
- Has 12 home runs against left-handed pitching, which is tied for second in the AL (Granderson, NYY 15)...those are the most home runs against lefties by an Athletic since Mark McGwire also had 12 in 1996...the last with more than 12 is McGwire with 14 in 1995.
- Is batting .319 (36 for 113) with runners in scoring position.
- Has grounded into just four double plays and is averaging 100.8 at bats per GIDP, which is the third best figure in the AL.
- Is batting .264 (46 for 174) with 29 runs, 12 doubles, 13 home runs, 37 RBI and 24 walks in 47 games since he was reinstated from the disabled list July 7...has started 46 of the A's 49 games since his return (29 in left field, 17 at designated hitter).
- Was placed on the DL June 23 retroactive to June 18 with a left Achilles strain...it was his fifth career stint on the DL.
- 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	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	CAREER	PLAYER
####	0	0	0	0	0	Allen	####
.340	53	18	0	4	4	Crisp	.293 246 72 4 26
.097	31	3	0	1	1	DeJesus	.264 261 69 6 33
.262	42	11	0	3	3	Matsui	.301 299 90 15 55
.233	30	7	1	2	2	Pennington	.220 150 33 4 13
####	0	0	0	0	0	Recker	#### 0 0 0 0
.000	4	0	0	0	0	Rosales	.318 22 7 1 2
.200	20	4	2	5	5	Sizemore	.233 30 7 2 6
.333	6	2	0	0	0	Sogard	.333 6 2 0 0
.314	35	11	2	5	5	Suzuki	.243 267 65 7 34
.190	21	4	0	0	0	Sweeney	.234 171 40 0 9
####	0	0	0	0	0	Taylor	#### 0 0 0 0
.154	26	4	0	0	0	Weeks	.154 26 4 0 0
.282	39	11	2	9	9	Willingham	.282 39 11 2 9
.175	126	22	1	10	10	others	

PITCHING

2011	W	L	SV	G	ERA	IP	ER	CAREER	PITCHER	W	L	SV	G	ERA	IP	ER
	0	1	1	2	4.50	2.0	1	Bailey	1	1	5	17	1.96	18.3	4	
	0	0	0	3	0.00	3.3	0	Balfour	0	0	0	14	4.73	13.3	7	
	0	0	0	4	5.79	4.7	3	Blevins	1	1	0	22	6.75	18.7	14	
	0	1	0	6	6.23	4.3	3	Breslow	1	2	2	29	4.76	22.7	12	
	1	1	0	4	4.15	21.7	10	Cahill	2	4	0	9	3.44	52.3	20	
####	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Carignan	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	
	0	0	0	2	0.00	1.7	0	De Los Santos	0	0	0	2	0.00	1.7	0	
	1	1	0	2	4.73	13.3	7	Gonzalez	5	2	0	11	3.68	63.7	26	
	0	1	0	1	6.35	5.7	4	Harden	5	3	0	13	2.77	61.7	19	
	0	2	0	2	1.84	14.7	3	McCarthy	1	4	0	9	5.02	43.0	24	
	1	0	0	1	0.00	7.0	0	Moscoco	1	0	0	1	0.00	7.0	0	
####	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Outman	0	1	0	3	4.41	16.3	8	
	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Rice	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	
	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Wagner	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	
	0	0	0	1	0.00	1.0	0	Wuertz	0	0	1	9	0.93	9.7	1	

HIGHS AND LOWS

TEAM BATTING

Most Runs, Game, A's	15, August 26 at Boston
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	22, August 25 at New York
Most Runs, Inning, A's	9, July 27 vs. Tampa Bay (4 th)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	9, July 22 at New York (3 rd)
Most Hits, Game, A's	17, July 27 vs. Tampa Bay
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	21, August 25 at New York
Most Hits, Inning, A's	7, July 27 vs. Tampa Bay (4 th) and July 31 vs. Minnesota (3 rd)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	7, July 22 at New York (3 rd)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	3, May 2 vs. Texas and August 23 at New York
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	5, August 25 at New York
Most Doubles, Game, A's	8, August 26 at Boston
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	7, June 4 at Boston
Most Triples, Game, A's	2, May 31 vs. New York, July 27 vs. Tampa Bay and August 17 vs. Baltimore
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	2, April 26 at Los Angeles
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	7, August 6 at Tampa Bay
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	4, (twice), last: May 31 vs. New York

TEAM PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, A's	19, August 31 at Cleveland
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	16, June 22 at New York
Most Walks, A's	13, August 25 at New York
Most Walks, Opponents	9, July 17 vs. Los Angeles and August 11 at Toronto
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	1, June 28 vs. Florida
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	1, August 21 vs. Toronto

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Winning Streak	6, June 15 to June 21
Longest Losing Streak	10, May 30 to June 9
Longest Game, Innings	16, August 31 at Cleveland
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	4:31, August 25 at New York
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	5:17, June 4 at Boston (14)
Shortest Game, Time	2:12, July 6 vs. Seattle
Largest Margin, Victory	14, May 17 vs. Los Angeles (14-0)
Largest Margin, Loss	13, August 25 at New York (9-22)
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	15, April 20 vs. Boston and May 27 vs. Baltimore
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	16, June 22 at New York
Fewest Left on Base, Game	1 (three times), last: May 6 at Kansas City
Most Errors, Game	5, April 1 vs. Seattle
Largest Comeback in Win	3 (four times), last: July 31 vs. Minnesota
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	6, August 25 at New York

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most Runs, Game	3 (10 times), last: Jemile Weeks, September 1 at Cleveland
Most Hits, Game	5, Ryan Sweeney, May 5 vs. Cleveland and Hideki Matsui, July 24 at New York
Most Doubles, Game	2 (16 times), last: Jemile Weeks, August 29 at Cleveland
Most Triples, Game	1 (27 times), last: David DeJesus, August 25 at New York
Most Home Runs, Game	2 (seven times), last: Coco Crisp, August 24 at New York
Most Runs Batted In, Game	5 (four times), last: Coco Crisp, August 24 at New York
Most Walks, Game	3 (six times), last: Cliff Pennington, August 11 at Toronto
Most Strikeouts, Game	4 (three times) last: Hideki Matsui, June 22 at New York
Most Stolen Bases, Game	4, Coco Crisp, August 6 at Tampa Bay
Longest Hitting Streak	15, Cliff Pennington, July 15 to 31 and Hideki Matsui, July 23 to August 7

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, Game	11, Rich Harden, August 19 vs. Toronto
Most Walks, Game	7, Gio Gonzalez, June 11 at Chicago and Trevor Cahill, June 14 vs. Kansas City
Most Innings, Game, Starter	9.0, Brett Anderson, May 5 vs. Cleveland
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	4.0, Josh Outman, August 27 at Boston (2)
Low Hit Complete Game	4, Brandon McCarthy, April 21 at Seattle
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	18.0, Gio Gonzalez, April 3 to 20
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	16 (twice), last: Brandon McCarthy, May 2 to 7

STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Allen	-	-	-	-	16	2	-	1	-
Barton	-	52	-	-	-	5	1	3	1
Carter	-	-	-	-	6	1	2	-	-
Crisp	58	32	23	-	-	-	-	-	-
DeJesus	11	10	22	-	14	32	11	6	-
Ellis	2	2	-	-	5	10	38	1	-
Jackson	-	-	28	3	24	21	6	1	-
Kouzmanoff	-	-	-	-	1	2	4	34	1
LaRoche	-	-	-	-	-	2	4	18	4
Matsui	-	-	41	41	26	4	1	-	-
Pennington	-	30	-	-	-	1	11	9	73
Powell	-	-	-	-	-	2	7	14	5
Recker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1
Rosales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	6
Sizemore	1	7	-	-	11	10	7	10	20
Sogard	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	8
Suzuki	-	-	-	-	23	27	34	26	-
Sweeney	-	3	11	-	11	18	7	7	-
Weeks	65	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
Willingham	-	-	12	93	-	-	-	-	-

GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Allen	-	-	19	19	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barton	-	-	65	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carter	-	-	7	6	-	-	-	-	-	3
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	116	113	-	1
DeJesus	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	6	100	98
Ellis	-	-	2	2	59	56	-	-	-	-
Jackson	-	-	50	43	-	6	2	-	20	14
Kouzmanoff	-	-	-	-	-	46	42	-	-	-
LaRoche	-	-	1	1	8	5	27	17	9	5
Matsui	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	20
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	128	124
Powell	30	27	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Recker	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rosales	-	-	3	3	1	1	6	5	4	4
Sizemore	-	-	-	-	1	-	68	66	-	-
Sogard	-	-	-	-	1	1	7	5	9	4
Suzuki	108	107	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweeney	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	24
Weeks	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	18
Willingham	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	80	78

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Allen	5	2	0	0	7
Barton	9	1	1	0	11
Carter	1	0	0	0	1
Crisp	22	7	1	0	30
DeJesus	20	5	0	0	25
Ellis	9	2	0	0	11
Jackson	19	6	0	0	25
Kouzmanoff	7	0	0	0	7
LaRoche	5	0	0	0	5
Matsui	22	5	1	1	29
Pennington	21	6	1	0	28
Powell	1	0	0	0	1
Recker	1	0	0	0	1
Sizemore	11	2	1	0	14
Suzuki	24	1	0	0	25
Sweeney	9	1	1	1	12
Weeks	18	9	0	0	27
Willingham	22	2	0	0	24

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Allen	1	0	0	0	0	1
Barton	5	0	0	0	0	5
Crisp	6	0	0	1	0	7
DeJesus	4	4	1	0	0	9
Ellis	1	1	1	0	0	3
Jackson	7	1	1	0	0	9
Kouzmanoff	2	0	1	0	0	3
LaRoche	8	1	0	0	0	9
Matsui	10	2	0	1	0	13
Pennington	6	3	1	0	0	10
Rosales	2	0	0	0	0	2
Sizemore	6	2	0	0	0	8
Suzuki	5	0	0	0	0	5
Sweeney	3	0	0	0	0	3
Weeks	2	2	0	0	0	4
Willingham	14	2	2	2	0	20

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Allen	2	2	4
Barton	1	5	6
Crisp	8	9	17
DeJesus	4	10	14
Ellis	0	4	4
Jackson	5	8	13
Kouzmanoff	1	4	5
LaRoche	0	1	1
Matsui	6	18	24
Pennington	8	11	19
Powell	1	1	2
Rosales	0	2	2
Sizemore	3	5	8
Sogard	0	1	1
Suzuki	3	6	9
Sweeney	4	4	8
Weeks	0	3	3
Willingham	12	16	28

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS

Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.
Allen	4	1	1	0	6
Crisp	5	1	1	0	7
DeJesus	6	2	0	0	8
Matsui	8	2	1	0	11
Pennington	1	3	2	0	6
Recker	0	0	0	0	0
Sizemore	4	3	0	0	7
Sogard	1	0	0	0	1
Suzuki	12	1	0	0	13
Sweeney	1	0	0	0	1
Weeks	0	0	0	0	0
Willingham	10	9	4	0	23
others	5	5	1	1	12
Team	55	27	9	1	92

LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN

Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP	Since
Aug. 27, 2011	at Boston	Lester	5	
Aug. 24, 2011	at New York	Soriano	8	
Aug. 10, 2011	at Toronto	Alvarez	15	
August 7, 2011	at Tampa Bay	Price	21	
Aug. 25, 2011	at New York	Wade	7	
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Aug. 26, 2011	at Boston	Wakefield	5	
Aug. 23, 2011	at New York	Colon	2	
Aug. 31, 2011	at Cleveland	Jimenez	--	
July 27, 2011	Tampa Bay	Shields	20	
--	--	--	74	
Aug. 26, 2011	at Boston	Wakefield	5	

Grand Slams (1)

Conor Jackson, July 17 vs. Los Angeles (Pineiro)

Pinch Hit Home Runs (1)

Josh Willingham, August 20 vs. Toronto (Lewis)

Lead Off Home Runs (1)

Coco Crisp, April 20 vs. Boston (Buchholz)

Back-To-Back Home Runs (0)

None

Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)

None

Walk-Off Wins (3)

May 2 vs. Texas (Matsui home run)

May 16 vs. Los Angeles (Ellis fielders choice)

July 16 vs. Los Angeles (Sizemore single)

MILESTONES

Player Category

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Bailey	Saves	69	6 for 75 (ties Isringhausen for 5 th in Oakland history)
Breslow	Games	285	15 for 300
DeJesus	Games	991	9 for 1000
Devine	Games	93	7 for 100
Fuentes	Saves	199	1 for 200

Player Category

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Gonzalez	Innings	493.1	6.2 for 500
	Strikeouts	472	28 for 500
Matsui	Doubles (Total)	488	12 for 500 (Japan plus MLB)
Suzuki	Games at C	573	18 for 591 (ties Hernandez for 2 nd in Oakland history)
Sweeney	Doubles	83	17 for 100

DISABLED LIST

Player

Injury	Dates	Games Missed	
Anderson	Left elbow soreness	June 7-present	76
Bailey	Strained right forearm	March 22-May 28	53
Balfour	Strained right oblique	June 22-July 6	14
Braden	Stiff left shoulder	April 17-present	122
Ellis	Right hamstring strain	June 7-21	13
Harden	Strained right shoulder	March 22-June 30	82
Magnuson	Right shoulder tendinitis	August 16-present	16

Player

Injury	Dates	Games Missed	
McCarthy	Stress reaction, right scapula	May 19-July 2	41
Rosales	Fractured right foot	March 22-June 5	60
Ross	Strained left oblique	May 20-July 24	57
Willingham	Left achilles strain	June 18-July 6	17
Wuertz	Strained left hamstring	April 2-24	21
Wuertz	Right thumb tendinitis	July 30-present	31

The A's have placed 13 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.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

April 20	Michael Wuertz rehab transferred to Sacramento
April 25	Michael Wuertz reinstated from the 15-day disabled list; Bobby Cramer optioned to Sacramento
April 27	Kurt Suzuki placed on paternity leave list; Josh Donaldson recalled from Sacramento
April 29	Kurt Suzuki reinstated from paternity leave list; Josh Donaldson optioned to Sacramento
May 11	Trystan Magnuson recalled from Sacramento; Jerry Blevins optioned to Sacramento
May 13	Josh Willingham placed on suspended list
May 14	Josh Willingham reinstated from suspended list
May 20	Jerry Blevins, Fautino De Los Santos and Joey Devine recalled from Sacramento; Brandon McCarthy placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 19 (stress reaction in right scapula); Tyson Ross placed on the 15-day disabled list (left oblique strain); Trystan Magnuson optioned to Sacramento; Andrew Bailey sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
May 23	Josh Outman recalled from Sacramento; Jerry Blevins designated for assignment
May 24	Guillermo Moscoso recalled from Sacramento; Fautino De Los Santos and Jerry Blevins optioned to Sacramento
May 27	Scott Sizemore acquired from the Detroit Tigers for David Purcey and optioned to Sacramento; Bobby Cramer recalled from Sacramento
May 29	Andrew Bailey reinstated from the disabled list; Bobby Cramer optioned to Sacramento
June 1	Adam Rosales sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
June 3	Grant Balfour placed on paternity leave list; Fautino De Los Santos recalled from Sacramento
June 5	Grant Balfour reinstated from paternity leave list; Andy LaRoche designated for assignment
June 6	Adam Rosales reinstated from the disabled list; Scott Sizemore recalled from Sacramento; Kevin Kouzmanoff and Fautino De Los Santos optioned to Sacramento
June 7	Bobby Cramer recalled from Sacramento; Jemile Weeks selected from Sacramento; Brett Anderson placed on the 15-day disabled list (left elbow soreness); Mark Ellis placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained right hamstring); Dallas Braden transferred to the 60-day disabled list
June 8	Andy LaRoche outrighted to Sacramento
June 10	Graham Godfrey selected from Sacramento; Bobby Cramer optioned to Sacramento; Kevin Kouzmanoff outrighted to Sacramento
June 18	Mark Ellis sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
June 20	Rich Harden sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
June 22	Mark Ellis reinstated from the disabled list; Daric Barton optioned to Sacramento
June 23	Chris Carter recalled from Sacramento; Josh Willingham placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 18 (left achilles strain); Brandon McCarthy sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
June 28	Trystan Magnuson recalled from Sacramento; Grant Balfour placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 22 (strained right oblique)
June 30	Mark Ellis traded to the Colorado Rockies with cash considerations for pitcher Bruce Billings and a player to be named later; Josh Willingham and Tyson Ross sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment

July 1	Rich Harden reinstated from the disabled list; Fautino De Los Santos recalled from Sacramento; Trystan Magnuson optioned to Sacramento; Bobby Cramer designated for assignment
July 3	Brandon McCarthy reinstated from the disabled list; Josh Outman optioned to Sacramento
July 5	Grant Balfour sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
July 7	Grant Balfour and Josh Willingham reinstated from the disabled list; Graham Godfrey and Guillermo Moscoso optioned to Sacramento
July 10	Tyson Ross transferred to Stockton on rehab
July 11	Bobby Cramer released
July 13	Tyson Ross returned from rehab
July 15	Eric Sogard recalled from Sacramento; Chris Carter optioned to Sacramento
July 16	Jerry Blevins recalled from Sacramento; Adam Rosales optioned to Sacramento (after game 1 of doubleheader)
July 19	Guillermo Moscoso recalled from Sacramento; Jerry Blevins designated for assignment
July 20	Jerry Blevins optioned to Sacramento
July 24	Tyson Ross sent to Sacramento on rehab
July 25	Tyson Ross reinstated from the disabled list and optioned to Sacramento
July 27	Trystan Magnuson recalled from Sacramento; Joey Devine optioned to Sacramento
July 30	Jerry Blevins recalled from Sacramento; Michael Wuertz placed on the 15-day disabled list (right thumb tendinitis)
July 31	Brad Ziegler traded to the Arizona Diamondbacks for Jordan Norberto and Brandon Allen; Brandon Allen optioned to Sacramento; Brett Anderson transferred to the 60-day disabled list
August 2	Adam Rosales recalled from Sacramento; Jerry Blevins designated for assignment
August 3	Jerry Blevins optioned to Sacramento
August 13	Brandon Allen and Bruce Billings recalled from Sacramento; Adam Rosales and Jordan Norberto optioned to Sacramento
August 18	Trystan Magnuson placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to August 16 (right shoulder tendinitis); Jordan Norberto recalled from Sacramento
August 22	Landon Powell optioned to Sacramento
August 23	Anthony Recker selected from Sacramento; Trystan Magnuson transferred to the 60-day disabled list
August 26	Jerry Blevins and Josh Outman recalled from Sacramento; Bruce Billings and Jordan Norberto optioned to Sacramento
August 27	Graham Godfrey recalled from Sacramento; Jerry Blevins designated for assignment (after game 1 of doubleheader)
August 28	Michael Wuertz sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
August 29	Graham Godfrey optioned to Sacramento
August 30	Neil Wagner selected from Sacramento; Bruce Billings outrighted to Sacramento; Jerry Blevins optioned to Sacramento
August 31	Brian Fuentes placed on the bereavement list; Jerry Blevins recalled from Sacramento; Michael Wuertz transferred to Sacramento on rehab; Conor Jackson traded to the Boston Red Sox with cash considerations for minor league pitcher Jason Rice
Sept. 1	Jason Rice selected from Sacramento
Sept. 2	Adam Rosales and Michael Taylor recalled and Andrew Carignan selected from Sacramento; Michael Wuertz reinstated from the disabled list; Daric Barton transferred to the 60-day DL