

# 2012 Oakland A's



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# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

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### A's AT A GLANCE

Season High +2 (3 times, last: May 14)	
Season Low	4-7 (April 16)
April	10-12
May	10-8
June	0-0
July	0-0
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	2-2-3
Road Series	3-3-2
Series Sweeps	0-1
First Game of Series	5-10
Last Game of Series	9-6
A's Score First	14-4
Opponent Scores First	7-17
Leading After 7 <sup>th</sup>	15-1
Leading After 8 <sup>th</sup>	17-1
Tied After 7 <sup>th</sup>	5-1
Tied After 8 <sup>th</sup>	4-1
Trailing After 7 <sup>th</sup>	1-19
Trailing After 8 <sup>th</sup>	0-19
Commit No Errors	11-11
Commit 1 or More Errors	10-10
More HR Than Opp.	9-6
Fewer HR Than Opp.	3-10
Same Total HR of Opp.	9-5
Starter Pitches 7 or More	9-6
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	12-15
When Scoring 4 or More	18-4
When Scoring Less Than 4	3-17
Last At Bat	6-2
Different Lineups	39

### OAKLAND ATHLETICS (21-21) VS. LOS ANGELES ANGELS (18-24)

**MONDAY, MAY 21, 2012 – OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM – 7:05 P.M. PDT**

**LHP TOMMY MILONE (5-3, 4.09) VS. RHP JEROME WILLIAMS (4-1, 3.86)**

**CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)**

### ABOUT THE A's

**ABOUT THE A'S:** Lost two of three at San Francisco, the A's first series loss since dropping two of three at Baltimore April 27-29...had gone 2-0-4 over the previous six series...have lost four of the last six games and seven of the last 12...are 21-21 for the season...were 22-20 after 42 games last year and 20-22 in 2010...remain in second place in the American League West for the 20<sup>th</sup> consecutive day and trail first place Texas by five games...have spent one day tied for first this year, 25 days in second, eight days tied for second, six days in third and seven days in fourth...are 8-5 in games started by a left-handed pitcher, which is the second best record in the AL (Baltimore, 6-3)...are 13-16 against right-handers.

**ON THE BASES:** The A's have gone a season-high five consecutive games without a stolen base...however, **lead the American League** and rank second in the majors with 38 stolen bases (Miami, 46)...have five double steals, which is two more than the season total from last year...10 of the A's steals have been of third base, which is the most in the majors...have a stolen base percentage of 82.6% (8 cs), which is second best in the majors (Philadelphia, 85.4%)...Jemile Weeks was caught stealing in the first inning last Thursday at Texas, ending the A's streak of 20 consecutive successful stolen base attempts...that was the third longest streak in Oakland history and was two short of the record of 22 (Oct. 2, 1991-April 10, 1992 and July 19-Aug. 1, 1983)...A's opponents have been caught stealing 12 times, which is tied for second most in the AL (Kansas City, 18).

**PITCHING:** The A's have a 3.60 ERA, which ranks third in the American League...have allowed just four home runs in the last 10 games and have surrendered 34 for the season, which is tied for second fewest...struck out a season-high-tying 12 batters yesterday but have just 250 strikeouts for the season, which is second fewest...A's starting have a 5.57 ERA (72 er in 116.1 ip) and .297 (141 for 474) opponents batting average over the last 21 games after posting a 2.86 ERA and .242 average over the first 21 contests.

**THE LONG BALL:** The A's hit their 36<sup>th</sup> home run of the season yesterday in game 42...last year, the A's did not hit their 36<sup>th</sup> home run until game 67 (number 37 came in game 68)...18 of the A's 36 home runs have come with runners on base (nine two-run, seven three-run, two grand slams)...19 have come with two outs, which is tied for third in the American League...had just 35 two-out home runs all last year.

**SHUTOUTS:** The A's have been shutout twice in the last six games and have been blanked six times for the season...that is second most in the majors to the Angels (8)...have scored just 150 runs, which is the fewest in the American League and fourth fewest in the majors...the pitching staff has tossed five shutouts, which is tied with the Angels for the **most in the majors**.

**OFFENSE:** The A's are batting .193 (50 for 259) with 24 runs scored over the last eight games...rank last in the majors in batting (.216), second to last in slugging (.344) and have the third lowest on-base percentage (.291)...are last in the American League in batting with runners in scoring position (.222)...have struck out 117 times in the last 12 games (9.8 per game) and have fanned 342 times for the season, which is second most in the AL...have grounded into 21 double plays, which is second fewest in the majors...are averaging 4.00 pitches per plate appearances, which is the most in the majors.

**DEFENSIVE DOINGS:** The A's did not commit an error in the three-game series at San Francisco...have made six errors in the last 16 games after tallying 19 in the first 26 contests...A's outfielders have eight assists, which is tied for the most in the American League with Kansas City and Seattle.

**HOME AND AWAY:** The A's begin a six-game homestand tonight against Los Angeles (three games) and New York (three games)...went 3-3 on the last homestand against Toronto (1-1) and Detroit (2-2) and are 9-10 at home...went 3-4 on the last road trip to Los Angeles (1-1), Texas (1-1) and San Francisco (1-2) and are 12-11 on the road...the A's pitching staff has a 3.06 ERA (61 er in 179.2 ip) at home compared to 4.09 (91 er in 200.1 ip) on the road.

**CLOSE CALLS:** The A's improved to 4-1 in extra inning games with a 5-4, 12-inning win last Thursday at Texas...rank second in the American League in extra inning wins and third in extra inning games and winning percentage (.800)...had a 15-28 record in extra innings over the previous three years...are 5-2 in one-run games, which is the fourth best record in the AL...the seven one-run games are tied with Atlanta for the fewest in the majors...are 11-6 in games decided by two runs or fewer and 10-15 in all other games...are 7-3 in games decided in the seventh inning or later, including 6-2 in the last at bat...the six last at bat wins are tied for second most in the AL (Baltimore, 9)...have three "walk-off" wins this year, matching their season total from last year...all three of those wins came after the visiting team scored at least one run in the top of the final inning.

**PLAYERS USED:** Friday night, Travis Blackley became the 36<sup>th</sup> different player to appear in a game for the A's this year, which is second most in the American League to Boston (38)...he is the fourth Australian (Grant Balfour, Luke Hughes, Rich Thompson)...the A's were already the first team in Major League history with three Australian born players...12 of the 36 are rookies, which is the most in the majors...used a total of 14 rookies all last year...currently have eight rookies on the roster (Cook, Cowgill, Donaldson, Figueroa, Miller, Milone, Parker, Recker).

**THE DISABLED LIST:** The A's have used the disabled list nine times and currently have seven players on the DL (Anderson, Braden, Céspedes, Devine, Inge, McCarthy, Sizemore)...Devine ("Tommy John" surgery) and Sizemore (torn ACL) will miss the entire season...the A's used the DL 15 times last year, which was the fewest since 2006 when they also used it 15 times...used the DL a total of 87 times from 2007-10...have not had fewer than two players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season, when they had just one.

**CONTRACT STATUS:** The A's have four players under contract beyond the 2012 season...Brett Anderson is signed through 2013 with club options for 2014 and 2015...Coco Crisp is signed through 2013 with a club option for 2014...Kurt Suzuki is signed through 2013 with a club option for 2014...Yoenis Céspedes is signed through 2015...Grant Balfour and Brian Fuentes both have club options for 2013.

### A's vs. ANGELS

The A's lead the season series, 4-2...split a two-game series at Anaheim last week after taking three of four in Anaheim in April...meet in Oakland for the first time this year tonight...have won 10 of the last 14 games in the Coliseum...won the season series last year, 11-8...it was just their second season series win over the previous eight years (went 10-9 in 2007)...are now 75-83 (.475) against the Angels over the past nine seasons (since 2004)...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 380-306 against the Angels...that includes 196-143 in Oakland and 184-163 in Anaheim...all-time, the A's are 429-383 against the Angels.

### TODAY'S TIDBITS

**Ryan Cook** has not allowed a run and his 20.2 innings pitched are an Oakland record for consecutive scoreless innings to start a season by a player on the Opening Day roster...the longest streak by an Athletic since 1918 is 21.0 innings by Alex Kellner for the 1953 Philadelphia A's...his 20.2 innings pitched are the most among Major League relievers that have not allowed a run.

**Josh Reddick** hit his 11<sup>th</sup> home run of the season yesterday, which is tied for sixth in the American League...had 10 home runs in 143 career games entering the season.

### THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1930** Max Bishop walks five times in the first game of a doubleheader against New York and adds three more in the second game...in **1974** Reggie Jackson becomes the first Oakland Athletic to reach 200 homers when he hits a two-run homer in the seventh inning of the A's 8-1 win at Minnesota...in **1995** the A's tie a club record by turning six double plays, but still lose at Chicago, 6-4...in **1997** Jose Canseco doubles in the seventh inning of the A's 7-3 win at Texas for his 1000<sup>th</sup> hit in an Oakland uniform...he becomes the ninth Oakland player to reach 1000 hits.

### PITCHING PROBABLES

Tue., May 22 vs. LAA	TBA vs. LHP CJ Wilson (4-4, 3.35)	7:05 CSNCA
Wed., May 23 vs. LAA	RHP Jarrod Parker (1-2, 3.90) vs. RHP Jered Weaver (6-1, 2.80)	12:35 CSNCA

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# TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Tommy Milone (5-3, 4.09 ERA)

## MILONE BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2012	5	3	4.09	8	50.2	23
2011	1	0	3.81	5	26.0	11
Career	6	3	3.99	13	76.2	34
Home	3	0	0.39	3	23.0	1
Road	2	3	7.16	5	27.2	22
Day	1	0	9.00	1	5.0	5
Night	4	3	3.55	7	45.2	18
Pre-ASB	5	3	4.09	8	50.2	23
Post-ASB	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			.212	33	7	
vs. RHH			.240	157	37	

## RUN SUPPORT

Milone	
Runs Scored	Times
0	2
1	2
2	1
3	0
4	1
5	0
6	0
7	0
8	1
9	0
10	0
11	1
Run Support Avg.	4.97

## MILONE vs. LOS ANGELES

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2012	1	0	3.60	1	5.0	2
2011	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Career	1	0	3.60	1	5.0	2

## Milone's Starts vs. Los Angeles

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
4/19/12	A	W	5.0	7	2	2	1	3

## Los Angeles Career Batting vs. Milone

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Aybar	.500	2	1	0	0	0
Bourjos	.000	2	0	0	0	0
Hunter	.500	2	1	0	1	0
Iannetta	.000	2	0	0	0	0
Izturis	.000	3	0	0	0	2
Kendrick	.333	3	1	0	0	1
Pujols	.667	3	2	0	0	0
Trumbo	.500	2	1	0	0	0
Wells	.333	3	1	0	0	0

## MILONE'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	8.0 (twice), last: 4/24/12 vs. CWS
Fewest IP, GS:	4.1 (twice), last: 9/26/11 at FLA
H:	9, 5/16/2012 at TEX
R:	8, 4/30/12 at BOS
ER:	7, 4/30/12 at BOS
BB:	4, 5/6/12 at TB
SO:	6, 5/11/12 vs. DET
HR:	3, 4/30/12 at BOS
Win Streak:	2 (3 times), last: 5/6/12-5/11/12
Loss Streak:	1 (3 times), last: 5/16/12-present
Scoreless Streak:	10.0, 4/19/12 to 4/30/12
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

**FOR STARTERS:** Is scheduled to make his ninth start of the season...the A's are 5-3 (.625) in his starting assignments this year and his teams are 10-3 (.769) in his career...has tossed at least six innings in five of his eight starts, allowed two runs or fewer four times and walked two batters or fewer six times.

**FIRST FOUR, LAST FOUR:** Went 3-1 with a 2.00 ERA and .185 opponents batting average over his first four starts and yielded just one home run in 27.0 innings...is 2-2 with a 6.46 ERA (17 er in 23.2 ip) and .284 (27 for 95) opponents average over his last four starts and has allowed five home runs in 23.2 innings.

**HOME AND AWAY:** Is 3-0 with a 0.39 ERA (1 er in 23.0 ip) and .147 (11 for 75) opponents batting average at home compared to 2-3 with a 7.16 ERA (22 er in 27.2 ip) and .295 (33 for 112) opponents average in five starts on the road...has allowed all six of his home runs on the road...has the lowest home ERA in the Major Leagues and the third highest road ERA in the American League.

**AMONG THE LEADERS:** Is tied for the lead among American League rookies in games started (8), ranks second in wins (5) and innings pitched (50.2) and fifth in strikeouts (29)...the wins are tied for sixth among all AL pitchers.

**OPPONENTS BATTING:** Has allowed a .195 (24 for 123) batting average with the bases empty but opponents are hitting .313 (20 for 64) with runners on base, including .333 (12 for 36) with runners in scoring position...four of the six home runs he has allowed have been solo shots.

**FIRST START:** He combined with Grant Balfour on a three-hit, 1-0 shutout of Kansas City April 9 in Oakland in his A's debut...tossed a career-high 8.0 innings and allowed all three of the hits...all three hits were doubles but no one advanced past second base...became just the second pitcher in Oakland history to toss eight or more shutout innings in his Oakland debut (Mike Norris, complete game shutout, April 10, 1975 against Chicago)...did not strikeout a batter to become the third pitcher in Oakland history to toss at least 8.0 shutout innings and not strikeout a batter (Matt Keough, July 27, 1980 against Detroit; Catfish Hunter, May 25, 1973 against Detroit).

**SECOND START:** He was the losing pitcher in the A's 4-0 loss at Seattle April 14...faced just one batter over the minimum over the first five innings but that was a solo home run by Montero in the second inning...then allowed three runs in the sixth on a bases loaded walk by Smoak and a two-run double by Montero...Noesi and League combined to shutout the A's on five hits.

**THIRD START:** He was the winning pitcher in the A's 4-2 win at Los Angeles April 19...blanked the Angels on two hits over the first three innings before allowing his only two runs in the fourth...Pujols doubled and scored on a Wells double...Wells scored on a Trumbo single...left after five innings with a 4-2 lead.

**FOURTH START:** He combined with Grant Balfour on a four-hit, 2-0 shutout of Chicago April 24 in Oakland...tossed a career-high tying 8.0 innings and allowed three of the hits...did not allow a hit until Ramirez singled to lead off the fifth...did not allow a runner past first base and faced just two batters over the minimum as he was aided by two double plays and a caught stealing...according to the Elias Sports Bureau he is just the second Oakland rookie over the last 75 years to have two wins while pitching at least eight scoreless innings and allowing three or fewer hits in a season (Vida Blue, 1970).

**FIFTH START:** He was the losing pitcher in the A's 11-6 loss at Boston April 30...allowed a career-high eight runs on eight hits, including a career-high three home runs...allowed four runs in the second inning, including a lead-off home run to Ortiz and RBI singles by Byrd and Aviles...McDonald hit a two-run home run in the third and Ortiz added a solo shot in the fifth.

**SIXTH START:** He was the winning pitcher in the A's 9-5 win at Tampa Bay May 6...allowed five runs in five innings and walked a career-high four batters...allowed four runs in the first inning...walked the first three batters he faced...Keppinger followed with a sacrifice fly and after hitting Scott to reload the bases, he allowed a RBI single to Rodriguez and a two-run single to Joyce...the A's then scored five times in the third and three more times in the fifth to take an 8-4 lead...also allowed an Upton solo home run in the fifth.

**SEVENTH START:** He won his second consecutive start in the A's 11-4 win over Detroit May 11 in Oakland...struck out a career-high six batters in 7.0 innings...allowed a run to score in the first inning when Jackson led off with a double and later scored on a double play...the A's came back with two in the bottom of the inning before he allowed an unearned run in the third on a Cabrera RBI double...retired each of the final 10 batters he faced.

**LAST START:** He was the losing pitcher in the A's 4-1 loss at Texas last Wednesday...allowed four runs in 7.0 innings pitched and all four runs came in the fourth inning...allowed a two-run home run to Beltre, a RBI single to Gentry and a RBI single to Andrus...surrendered a career-high nine hits.

**MILONE vs. LOS ANGELES:** Was the winning pitcher in his only career start, a 4-2 A's win at Los Angeles earlier this year on April 19 (see third start above).

**THIS SPRING:** Was 2-1 with a 4.91 ERA in five appearances, four starts (14.2 ip, 13 h, 9 r, 8 er, 1 bb, 12 so)...that does not include two starts and wins in exhibition games...faced Yomiuri in Japan March 25 (5.0 ip, 2 h, 7 so) and tossed 6.0 perfect innings at Sacramento March 31 (6 so)...including the exhibition games, he walked just one batter in 25.2 innings...his only relief appearance came in his first outing March 2 against Seattle.

**2011 RECAP:** Spent the entire season at Triple-A Syracuse before being called up by Washington in September to make his Major League debut...went 1-0 with a 3.81 ERA in five starts for the Nationals...walked just four batters in 26.0 innings (1.38 per nine innings)...held the opposition to a .208 average with runners in scoring position...opponents hit .175 the first time through the lineup, .293 the second time through and .500 after that...was 12-6 with a 3.22 ERA in 24 starts in his Triple-A debut with Syracuse...was named to the *Baseball America* Triple-A All-Star team...ranked second in the International League in strikeouts (155), tied for third in wins and was sixth in ERA...averaged 0.97 walks per nine innings, which was the lowest among IL starters...also ranked second in strikeouts per nine innings (9.40) and fourth in opponents batting average (.241)...walked just 16 for a strikeout-to-walk ratio of 9.69...was traded to the A's December 23, 2011 with A.J. Cole, Derek Norris and Brad Peacock for Gio Gonzalez and Rob Gilliam.

## MILONE'S 2012 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 9	KC	1-0	W	0.00	8.0	3	0	0	3	0	0	93
April 14	at SEA	0-4	L	2.57	6.0	4	4	4	2	5	1	90
April 19	at LAA	4-2	W	2.84	5.0	7	2	2	1	3	0	94
April 24	CWS	2-0	W	2.00	8.0	3	0	0	0	5	0	98
April 30	at BOS	6-11	L	3.69	4.2	8	8	7	1	5	3	98
April Totals (5 G, 5 GS)		3-2		3.69	31.2	25	14	13	7	18	4	
May 6	at TB	9-5	W	4.42	5.0	5	5	5	4	1	1	94
May 11	DET	11-4	W	3.92	7.0	5	2	1	1	6	0	98
May 16	at TEX	1-4	L	4.09	7.0	9	4	4	1	4	1	100

## ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

**6-2, 2.59 ERA (128.1 ip, 94 h, 41 r, 37 er, 58 bb, 100 so, 10 hr)**

**Save/Save Opportunities: 11/14 (78.6%)**

The A's bullpen has a 1.89 ERA (12 er in 57.0 ip) and .187 (36 for 193) opponents batting average over the last 16 games...has a 2.59 ERA for the season, which ranks third in the American League...ranks second in opponents batting average (.209) and opponents slugging percentage (.340) and fourth in opponents on-base percentage (.298)...has allowed just two home runs in the last 18 games (both May 9 vs. Toronto) and has surrendered 10 for the season, which is third fewest in the AL...ranks first among AL bullpens in opponents grounded into double plays (16) and tied for fourth in saves (11)...is tied for the third most walks (58) and has recorded the third fewest strikeouts (100).

**50 RHP GRANT BALFOUR**

**Save/Opportunities: 7-9**

**Last Outing: 5/20 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 9/5**

**First Hitters: 7-19 (3 bb)**

- Has not allowed a run in five of his past six games (2 er in 5.2 ip, 3.18 ERA)...however, is 1-1 with two saves, two blown saves and an 8.10 ERA (9 er in 10.0 ip) over his last 12 games after yielding just one run over his first 10 contests (0.82 ERA).
- Is tied for the American League lead in games pitched (22)...is also tied for ninth in saves (7) and tied for fourth in blown saves (2).
- Has allowed a .234 opponents batting average...that includes .200 (9 for 45) against left-handers and .281 (9 for 32) against right-handers...first batters faced are 7 for 19 (.368) with three walks (.455 on-base percentage).
- Has allowed 5 of 9 (55.6%) inherited runners to score, which is the second highest percentage in the AL.
- Has a 1.54 ERA (2 er in 11.2 ip) in 11 appearances at home and a 7.71 ERA (8 er in 9.1 ip) in 11 outings on the road.
- Has two saves in three appearances against Los Angeles this year (1 er in 3.0 ip, 3.00 ERA)...is 2-3 with two saves, one blown save and a 5.76 ERA in 25 career appearances against the Angels (25.0 ip, 20 h, 16 r, 16 er, 13 bb, 29 so, 5 hr)...the ERA is his second highest against any American League team (Boston, 5.79).
- Recorded the 17<sup>th</sup> save of his career May 5, tying Graeme Lloyd for the most in Major League history by an Australian-born pitcher.
- Was used mostly as a setup man with Oakland last year, posting a 5-2 record with two saves, a 2.47 ERA and .199 opponents average in 62 appearances...tied for eighth among AL relievers in grounded into double plays (8) and ranked 10<sup>th</sup> in opponents on-base percentage (.266).

**54 LHP TRAVIS BLACKLEY**

**Save/Opportunities: 0-0**

**Last Outing: 5/19 at San Francisco (ND, 1.1 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/1**

**First Hitters: 0-5 (1 sh)**

- Has not allowed a run in two games since he was claimed off waivers from San Francisco Tuesday (2.1 ip, 1 h, 1 so).
- Became the fourth Australian to play for the A's this year (Grant Balfour, Luke Hughes, Rich Thompson)...the A's were already the first team in Major League history with three Australian born players.
- Has made one career appearance and start against the Angels, July 31, 2004 (4.1 ip, 7 h, 5 r, 4 er, 2 bb, 4 so, 1 hr, 8.31 ERA).
- Posted a 9.00 ERA and .333 opponents batting average in four relief appearances with San Francisco before he was designated for assignment May 13...began the season at Triple-A Fresno and was selected by the Giants May 1.
- Pitched in relief in his first appearance with Fresno but then started and won in each of his next three outings...allowed a .163 opponents batting average, including .153 against right-handers...opponents were 0 for 11 with runners in scoring position...his complete 2012 statistics:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Fresno (AAA)	3	0	0.39	4	3	0	0	1	23.1	13	1	1	3	19
SAN FRANCISCO	0	0	9.00	4	0	0	0	0	5.0	7	6	5	2	2

- Pitched in Korea in 2011 for the KIA Tigers of the Korean Baseball Organization and was 7-5 with a 3.48 ERA in 25 games, 22 starts...pitched in the A's farm system in 2010 at Single-A Stockton (0-0, 1.80 ERA in 2 GS) and Triple-A Sacramento (2-1, 2.52 ERA in 15 G, 4 GS).

**13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS**

**Save/Opportunities: 0-0**

**Last Outing: 5/18 at San Francisco (ND, 2.0 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 3 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 11/5**

**First Hitters: 5-14 (0 bb, 1 sf)**

- Allowed season-highs in earned runs (2) and hits (3) in his last appearance Friday night...however, has not allowed an earned run in 10 of his past 12 games (3 er in 15.0 ip, 1.80 ERA) after allowing two earned runs in his first three games (5.40 ERA).
- Allowed two of his three inherited runners to score Friday and has now allowed 5 of 11 (45.5%) to score for the season...has allowed 13 of 25 (52.0%) to score over the past two seasons.
- Has allowed three home runs in 15 games this year...last year, yielded just two in 26 outings for the season.
- His opponents have a .233 batting average...left-handed hitters are batting .226 (7 for 31) and right-handers are hitting .241 (7 for 29).
- Has faced Los Angeles once this year, May 15, and retired the only batter he faced (Morales)...has a 3.63 ERA in 19 career appearances (17.1 ip, 16 h, 8 r, 7 er, 6 bb, 14 so, 1 hr).
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster last year but had six stints with Oakland...had a 2.86 ERA and .235 opponents average in 26 games...the ERA was the lowest of his career but he allowed 8 of 14 (57.1%) inherited runners to score, which was the highest percentage of his career.

**48 RHP RYAN COOK**

**Save/Opportunities: 0-0**

**Last Outing: 5/20 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)**

**Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/0**

**First Hitters: 1-15 (3 bb)**

- Has tossed 20.2 innings this season and has not allowed a run, which is an **Oakland record** for consecutive scoreless innings to start a season by a player on the Opening Day roster (previous: Jim Corsi, 18.1 ip in 1995)...since 1918, the longest season opening scoreless streak in Athletics history for players on the Opening Day roster is 21.0 innings by Alex Kellner in 1953 (see chart).
- His 20.2 innings pitched are **the most among Major League relievers** that have not allowed a run.
- Now has a 21.2-inning scoreless streak dating back to last year, which is an on-going career-high.
- Picked up his first Major League win Thursday at Texas.
- Has allowed a .063 opponents batting average, which is the **lowest among Major League relievers**...also has the lowest slugging percentage (.094) and the third lowest on-base percentage (.189)...left-handed hitters are 1 for 30 (.033) and right-handers are 3 for 34 (.088)...has not allowed a hit with a runner on base (28 ab).
- Allowed his first hit to a first batter faced a week ago tonight at Los Angeles and they are now batting .067 (1 for 15) for the season, which is tied for third lowest in the AL.
- Is tied for seventh among AL relievers in opponents grounded into double plays (3).
- Has faced the Angels three times this season (3.0 ip, 2 h, 1 bb, 2 so).
- Made his Major League debut with Arizona in 2011, posting a 7.04 ERA and .333 opponents batting average in 12 relief appearances over three stints...led the Diamondbacks farm system with 19 saves after being used exclusively as a starter over his first three professional seasons.

### ATHLETICS LONGEST SEASON OPENING SCORELESS STREAKS SINCE 1918 (players on Opening Day roster)

21.0	Alex Kellner, April 14-24, 1953
20.2	Ryan Cook, March 28, 2012-present
18.1	Jim Corsi, April 27-June 5, 1995
17.1	Dennis Eckersley, April 10-May 25, 1990
17.1	Santiago Casilla, March 26-May 6, 2008

**65 LHP PEDRO FIGUEROA**

**Save/Opportunities: 0-0**

**Last Outing: 5/18 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 3 bb, 0 so)**

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

**First Hitters: 2-7 (1 bb)**

- Has allowed a run in two of his last four outings (4.1 ip, 4 h, 2 r, 2 er, 6 bb, 1 so, 4.15 ERA) after not allowing a run in his first four contests (4.2 ip).
- Allowed a career-high three walks Friday night and has now walked one or more batters in seven of his eight appearances (9 walks total).
- Is tied for second among American League relievers in opponents grounded into double plays (5).
- His opponents have a .222 batting average...left-handed hitters are 1 for 12 (.083) but right-handers are 5 for 15 (.333).
- Has not faced the Angels in his career.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento April 21 tossed a scoreless inning in his Major League debut that night against Cleveland.
- Held the opposition to a .087 batting average at Sacramento...his complete 2012 statistics with the River Cats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	0	0	0.00	5	0	0	0	0	7.0	2	0	0	4	8

- Missed nearly the entire 2011 season as he continued his recovery from June 2010 "Tommy John" surgery on his left elbow...made two starts with the A's affiliate in the Arizona Rookie League in August, posting a 4.50 ERA...struck out six batters in 2.0 innings.

**40 LHP BRIAN FUENTES** Save/Opportunities: 3-4 Last Outing: 5/20 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)  
**Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/0** First Hitters: 2-16 (0 bb)

- Has pitched just three times in the A's last 13 games but has recorded the save in two of those outings.
- Has a 0.87 ERA (1 er in 10.1 ip) in 10 games on the road but has a 7.94 ERA (5 er in 5.2 ip) in six contests in Oakland.
- Is tied for sixth among American League relievers with two wins.
- Has allowed a .254 opponents batting average...that includes .243 (9 for 37) against right-handed hitters and .269 (7 for 26) against lefties.
- Is 2-1 with a 0.96 ERA (9.1 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 1 er, 5 bb, 11 so) in 10 career games against the Angels...pitched parts of two seasons with Los Angeles from 2009-10 and was 5-6 with 71 saves, 11 blown saves and a 3.76 ERA in 104 games over that span.
- Recorded the 200<sup>th</sup> save of his career May 2 at Boston (now has 202)...became the sixth left-handed reliever in Major League history to record 200 saves (Franco, Wagner, Myers, Righetti, Lyle).
- Was the A's closer the first two months last year due to Bailey's injury...was 1-8 with 12 saves, 3 blown saves and a 5.09 ERA in 38 games through July 1...then went 1-0 with no save opportunities and a 1.57 ERA over his final 29 appearances...had a 3.70 ERA in 67 games overall.

**53 RHP JIM MILLER** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 5/18 at Albuquerque (AAA) (ND, 1.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so)  
**Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/2** First Hitters: 1-5 (1 bb)

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento yesterday for his second stint with the A's this year...was selected from Sacramento April 25 and logged a 1.93 ERA in six appearances before he was optioned May 11.
- Tossed 3.0 innings in his last appearance with the A's May 10 vs. Detroit, which are the most innings pitched in a game by an A's reliever this season...has appeared in six games and has tossed 2.0 or more innings in three of them.
- Has allowed a .229 opponents batting average...left-handed hitters are 3 for 16 (.188) and righties are 5 for 19 (.263).
- Has not faced the Angels in his career.
- Is 22-30 with 123 saves and a 3.49 ERA in 413 career appearances over nine seasons in the minors.
- Appeared in two games with the River Cats following his May 11 option, allowing a run in 3.1 innings...has allowed a .200 batting average in 10 relief appearances overall, including .071 against right-handed hitters and .412 against lefties...his complete 2012 statistics with Sacramento:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	0	2	2.92	10	0	0	0	2	12.1	9	4	4	2	12

- Spent the entire 2011 season with Triple-A Colorado Springs before he was selected by Colorado Sept. 6...appeared in six games, compiling a 2.57 ERA and .130 opponents batting average...went 8-5 with 24 saves and a 5.25 ERA in 65 relief appearances with Colorado Springs.

**77 LHP JORDAN NORBERTO** Save/Opportunities: 1-1 Last Outing: 5/20 at San Francisco (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)  
**Inherited Runners/Scored: 12/2** First Hitters: 2-17 (0 bb)

- Has a 0.79 ERA (1 er in 11.1 ip) and .105 (4 for 38) opponents batting average in nine games in the month of May after posting a 5.23 ERA and .243 opponents average in eight appearances in April.
- Has not allowed a run in 10 appearances on two days rest or fewer (12.0 ip) and has a 6.52 ERA (7 er in 9.2 ip) in his seven other outings.
- Has a 0.90 ERA (1 er in 10.0 ip) in eight games during the day compared to a 4.63 ERA (6 er in 11.2 ip) in nine games at night.
- Has held opponents to a .173 batting average, which ranks 10<sup>th</sup> among American League relievers...right-handers are batting .160 (8 for 50) and left-handers are hitting .200 (5 for 25).
- Has faced Los Angeles twice this year (2.0 ip, 2 h, 2 so).
- Was acquired from Arizona at the trading deadline last year, posting an 8.10 ERA in six relief appearances over two stints with the A's...also combined for a 6-2 record and a 3.79 ERA in 47 minor league appearances with Reno and Sacramento...allowed two home runs in 57.0 innings.

## ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

**10 DARIC BARTON** Career vs. Williams (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 6  
**San Francisco Series: 2-9, 3 r, 2 bb, 3 so** Last Road Trip: 5-18, 3 r, 5 bb, 5 so

- Is 5 for 16 (.313) over his last six games after going 1 for 20 over his previous six contests.
- Is batting .140 (6 for 43) at home compared to .260 (13 for 50) on the road.
- Had a pinch hit single in the 10<sup>th</sup> inning last Thursday at Texas and is 2 for 4 (.500) in the pinch this year...was 1 for 15 as a pinch hitter in his career entering this season.
- Has five career home runs against Los Angeles, equaling his most against any team (Texas).
- Began the season on the 15-day disabled list with a strained right shoulder and was reinstated April 9 after a four-game rehab with Sacramento.
- Batted .212 with no home runs and 21 RBI in 67 games with the A's last year before he was optioned to Sacramento June 22...hit .197 with no home runs and four RBI in 17 games with the River Cats before his season ended July 17...had right shoulder surgery August 12.

**52 YOENIS CÉSPEDES** Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 5)

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list May 12 retroactive to May 7 with a strained muscle in his left hand...is eligible to be reinstated tomorrow.
- Was leading Major League rookies in RBI (21) and stolen bases (4) and was tied for the lead in home runs (5) when he was placed on the DL.
- Spent eight seasons in Cuba playing for Granma in Cuba's Serie Nacional...hit .333 with 33 home runs and 99 RBI in 90 games in his final season, 2010-11...the home runs tied for the league lead and set a league record...had 177 career home runs.

**12 COLLIN COWGILL** Career vs. Williams (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)  
**San Francisco Series: 1-7, 2 rbi, 3 so** Last Road Trip: 4-21, 2 rbi, 6 so, 2 sb, 2 gidp

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento May 11 for his second stint with the A's this year...has started nine of the A's 10 games in center field since his return...is 5 for 31 (.161) in 10 game since his recall.
- Is 5 for 28 (.179) against right-handed pitching...is hitless in seven at bats against left-handers.
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and went 0 for 4 with three walks in four games before he was optioned to Sacramento April 17.
- Hit safely in 11 of his final 12 games with Sacramento (17 for 50, .340) after batting .179 over his first seven contests...hit .387 with runners in scoring position...appeared in 10 games in right field, seven in center field and three in left field...his complete 2012 statistics:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.282	19	78	15	22	5	0	2	16	7	14	4	0	.423	.349

- Made his Major League debut with Arizona last year and hit .239 with a home run and nine RBI in 36 games...also batted .354 with 13 home runs and 70 RBI in 98 games with Triple-A Reno...was named to the PCL Postseason All-Star team and earned PCL Rookie of the Year honors.

**4 COCO CRISP** Career vs. Williams (.333 (1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 5  
**Los Angeles Series: 0-0** Homestand: 0-0

- Was reinstated from the disabled list today...was placed on the 15-day DL May 4, retroactive to May 3, with an inner ear infection.
- Has been successful in each of his last 27 stolen base attempts dating back to last year...that is the longest streak of his career (previous: 24, July 24-September 13, 2010) and it is one short of the Oakland record of 28 set by Stan Javier in 1995...has not been caught stealing since July 10, 2011 at Texas.
- Has made 15 of his 17 starts this year in left field (also one in center field, one at designated hitter)...had 203 career starts in left entering this season, but none since October 2, 2005.
- Appeared in 136 games with the A's last year after playing in just 124 games over the previous two seasons...batted .264 with eight home runs and 54 RBI...stole a career-high 49 bases, which tied for the American League lead (Gardner, NYY).

### OAKLAND A'S CONSECUTIVE STOLEN BASES, NO CAUGHT STEALING

28	Stan Javier, May 31-October 1, 1995
27	Coco Crisp, July 16, 2011-present
26	Mitchell Page, April 10-August 13, 1977
26	Bert Campaneris, July 10-September 11, 1976
25	Don Baylor, May 7-June 22, 1976

**20 JOSH DONALDSON** Career vs. Williams (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)  
**San Francisco Series:** 4-11, 2 r, 2 2b, hr, 5 rbi, so, gidp Last Road Trip: 5-25, 3 r, 3 2b, hr, 6 rbi, 4 so, sf, gidp

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento May 12 for his second stint with the A's this year...has started each of the last eight games at third base (5 for 28, .179).
  - Went 3 for 4 with two doubles, a home run and five RBI Friday night at San Francisco...the hits, doubles and RBI were all career highs...was 4 for 49 with two RBI over his first 14 games prior to that.
  - Snapped a career-high tying 0 for 17 streak with his eighth inning double a week ago today at Los Angeles (also May 1-13, 2010).
  - Has made 17 starts, all at third base...his Major League experience prior to this season included seven games at catcher and two at first base.
  - Was on the A's Opening Day roster and hit .094 with no RBI in nine games before he was optioned to Sacramento April 23.
  - Reached base safely in all 13 of his games with Sacramento...homed four times over a six-game stretch from April 28 to May 4 and drove in a run in seven consecutive games from April 28 to May 5...appeared in nine games at third base and five at catcher...his complete 2012 stats:
- |                  | AVG  | G  | AB | R  | H  | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB | CS | SLG  | OBP  |
|------------------|------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|----|----|----|----|------|------|
| Sacramento (AAA) | .447 | 13 | 47 | 10 | 21 | 1  | 1  | 5  | 14  | 5  | 4  | 0  | 2  | .830 | .509 |
- With the exception of a two-day stay with Oakland in April, spent the entire 2011 season at Triple-A Sacramento...did not appear in a game with the A's...batted .261 with 17 home runs and 70 RBI in 115 games with the River Cats...had career-highs in runs (79) and stolen bases (13).

**31 JONNY GOMES** Career vs. Williams (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 6  
**San Francisco Series:** 0-6, bb, 4 so Last Road Trip: 3-16, 2 r, 2b, rbi, 3 bb, 7 so

- Is 3 for 20 (.150) over his last seven games but is batting .279 (12 for 43) with eight walks and a hit by pitch (.404 on-base percentage) over his last 14 games.
- Had his first three-hit game last Thursday at Texas since June 9, 2011 against San Francisco.
- Struck out as a pinch hitter last Wednesday night and is 0 for 4 with a walk in the pinch this year...went 0 for 28 as a pinch hitter last year and is now 0 for his last 32...his last pinch hit came on August 29, 2010 against Chicago (NL)...is 14 for 105 (.133) in the pinch in his career.
- Has struck out at least once in 25 of his 29 games.
- Began the 2011 season with Cincinnati and was batting .211 with 11 HR and 31 RBI in 77 games when he was traded to Washington July 26...hit .204 with 3 HR and 12 RBI in 43 games with the Nationals for a .209 batting average, 14 HR and 43 RBI in 120 games overall.

**7 BRANDON INGE** Current Streak: 0 for 4

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list last Thursday retroactive to May 13 with a strained right groin...it is his second stint on the disabled list this year as he began the season on Detroit's DL with a strained left groin...is eligible to be reinstated May 28.
- Is 7 for 23 (.304) with a double, four home runs and 16 RBI over his last six games after hitting .122 over his first 14 contests.
- Was signed by the A's April 30 after being released by Detroit April 26...started each of the A's 11 games at third base prior to the injury.
- Batted .197 with three home runs and 23 RBI in 120 games with Detroit last year...those were his fewest games played since 2002 (95 games)...finished strong with a .324 batting average in September.

**25 KILA KA'AIHUE** Career vs. Williams (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 3  
**San Francisco Series:** 0-3, gidp Last Road Trip: 2-15, 2b, rbi, 7 so, gidp

- Pinch hit in all three games against San Francisco over the weekend and was 0 for 3...is 0 for 5 as a pinch hitter for the season...was 3 for 6 (.500) in his career in the pinch entering the season.
- Is batting .212 (11 for 52) over his last 16 games after hitting .333 over his first 12 contests.
- Seven of his last 10 hits are for extra bases (six doubles, one home run)...has six doubles in May, which is tied for 10<sup>th</sup> in the American League.
- Went 1 for 5 with three strikeouts last Thursday at Texas, but the one hit was the game-winning RBI single in the top of the 10<sup>th</sup> inning.
- Was on the Royals Opening Day roster last year and batted .195 with two home runs and six RBI in 23 games before he was optioned to Triple-A Omaha May 5...spent the balance of the season with the Storm Chasers, hitting .272 with 11 home runs and 65 RBI in 95 games.

**2 CLIFF PENNINGTON** Career vs. Williams (.500, 1-2, 0 HR, 1 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 5)  
**San Francisco Series:** 3-12, 2 r, rbi, 2 so Last Road Trip: 7-24, 4 r, 2 2b, rbi, 2 bb, 4 so

- Went 7 for 24 (.292) on the road trip and is now batting .264 (23 for 87) on the road compared to .169 (11 for 65) at home...has the second lowest home batting average in the American League (Zobrist, TB .118).
- Is batting .254 (17 for 67) in May after hitting .184 in April.
- Has not grounded into a double play and his 152 at bats are third most in the American League among players with no GIDP.
- Is tied for sixth in the AL in stolen bases (7)...three of those steals have been of third base, which ranks third in the AL.
- Hit .264 with eight home runs and 58 RBI in a team-leading 148 games last year...had career highs in hits (136), home runs and RBI and matched his high in doubles (26)...ranked fifth in the American League with a .348 batting average with runners in scoring position.

**99 MANNY RAMIREZ** Current Streak: 0 for 0

- Began a rehab assignment with Triple-A Sacramento Saturday at Albuquerque...did not play yesterday due to a sore left wrist...went 0 for 4 with three strikeouts in a start at designated hitter batting third on Saturday.
- The River Cats begin a four-game series at Round Rock today and return to Sacramento Friday for a four-game series with Reno.
- Barring any rainouts, Ramirez will be eligible to play his first game for the A's May 30 in Minnesota, his 40<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**26 ANTHONY RECKER** Career vs. Williams (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 14  
**San Francisco Series:** DNP Last Road Trip: 0-3, so

- Is 1 for 17 (.059) in six games in May after batting .273 in six games in April.
- Has made nine starts (eight at catcher, one at designated hitter) and is 2 for 23 (.087) in his starting assignments.
- Has thrown out 3 of 10 (30.0%) attempted base stealers.
- Is 0 for 5 against left-handed pitching compared to 4 for 23 (.174) against right-handers.
- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento Aug. 23 and made his Major League debut with the A's...went 3 for 17 (.176) with a double and no RBI in five games...spent the balance of the season with the River Cats, batting .287 with 16 home runs and 48 RBI in 99 games.

**16 JOSH REDDICK** Career vs. Williams (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)  
**San Francisco Series:** 1-11, r, hr, 2 rbi, bb, 2 so Last Road Trip: 4-25, 5 r, 3 hr, 5 rbi, 4 bb, 6 so, sf, gidp

- Hit his 11<sup>th</sup> home run of the season yesterday, which is tied for sixth in the American League...had just 10 home runs in 143 career games entering the season...the last time the A's had a player hit at least 10 home runs before the end of May was in 2006 when three players did it (Swisher 16, Chavez 12, Thomas 11).
- Also ranks tied for fifth in the AL in total bases (87), tied for seventh in runs (28) and tied for eighth in extra base hits (20).
- The home run yesterday came with two outs, his Major League leading seventh two-out home run of the season...is batting .314 (22 for 70) with 15 RBI with two outs and is tied for the AL lead in two-out RBI.
- Has hit 10 of his 11 home runs as a right fielder...from 2008-11, the most combined home runs by an A's right fielder was 10 by David DeJesus.
- Six of his home runs have with two strikeouts, which is tied for the AL lead (Jones, BAL)...five of his home runs have come in the seventh inning or later, which is also tied for the most in the AL.
- Went 4 for 25 (.160) on the road trip but three of the four hits were home runs.
- Leads the AL lead in runs scored in May (16), ranks fifth in home runs (7), tied for seventh in RBI (15) and tied for ninth in walks (11).
- Had his fifth assist of the season last Tuesday at Los Angeles, which is tied for the most among American League outfielders (Francoeur, KC 5)...it matches his career-high established in 80 games in the outfield with Boston last year...the A's team leader last year had six (DeJesus).
- Is batting .348 (8 for 23) with four runs, three doubles, a home run and two RBI in six games against Los Angeles this year.
- Appeared in 87 games over two stints with Boston last year and batted .280 with seven home runs and 28 RBI...ranked third among American League rookies in batting...spent the balance of the season at Pawtucket where he batted .230 with 14 home runs and 36 RBI in 52 games.

**17 ADAM ROSALES** Career vs. Williams (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 0 for 1  
**San Francisco Series: 0-1** Last Road Trip: 1-2, 3 bb

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento last Thursday for his second stint with the A's this year...started at first base and reached base safely in all four of his plate appearances that day against Texas (one hit, three walks) before lining out as a pinch hitter Friday night.
- Is 9 for 30 (.300) with a home run and seven RBI in 11 career games against Los Angeles...the RBI match his most against any team (Baltimore).
- Was on the Opening Day roster and appeared in one game in Japan as a defensive replacement at first base...was optioned to Sacramento April 2 before the regular season resumed.
- Hit .302 over his first 28 games with the River Cats but was 4 for 24 (.167) over his final eight contests...was batting .318 against right-handed pitchers compared to .190 against left-handers...appeared in 32 games at shortstop and four at third base...his complete 2012 stats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.277	36	130	19	36	13	1	2	19	8	30	2	1	.438	.314

- Began the 2011 season on the 60-day disabled list, recovering from a fractured right foot...was reinstated June 6 but was never able to get on track offensively...hit .098 (6 for 61) in 24 games over three stints with the A's...batted .265 with 3 HR and 22 RBI in 40 games with Sacramento.

**15 SETH SMITH** Career vs. Williams (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 3 games (3 for 10)  
**San Francisco Series: 3-10, r, 4 so** Last Road Trip: 5-23, 2 r, 2 2b, 2 rbi, 8 so

- Went 5 for 23 (.217) on the road trip and is batting .194 (12 for 62) on the road compared to .298 (14 for 47) at home.
- Is batting .291 (16 for 55) with eight walks and a hit by pitch (.391 on-base percentage) over his last 18 games after hitting .185 over his first 21 contests.
- Has not grounded into a double play and his 109 at bats are fourth most in the American League among players with no GIDP.
- Lined into a double play as a pinch hitter last Thursday and is 1 for 5 (.200) with a walk and a RBI as a pinch hitter this year...is now a .331 (47 for 142) career hitter in the pinch with five home runs and 35 RBI...since 2007, he has the best batting average, on-base percentage (.427) and slugging percentage (.585) among pinch hitters with 90 or more plate appearances...also ranks fourth in RBI and tied for fifth in walks (26).
- Spent the entire 2011 season as one of the Rockies regular outfielders (97 starts in right field, 22 in left)...had career-highs in games (147), runs (67), hits (135), doubles (32), triples (9), RBI (59), extra-base hits (56) and stolen bases (10)...his 15 HR and .284 average were second best.

**8 KURT SUZUKI** Career vs. Williams (.000, 0-5, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 4)  
**San Francisco Series: 3-10, r, rbi, bb, 2 so, gdp** Last Road Trip: 7-23, r, 2b, 4 rbi, bb, 5 so, sb, gdp

- Is 9 for 40 (.225) over his last 11 games after going 10 for 30 (.333) over his previous nine contests.
- Has started 34 games at catcher, which is the most in the American League...now has 550 starts behind the plate since 2008, which are the most in the majors over that span.
- Opponents have been successful in each of their last 11 stolen base attempts off him...tossed out 6 of the first 12 attempted base stealers.
- Has not had three RBI in a game since July 25, 2010 against Chicago (AL)...has a streak of 225 consecutive games with two RBI or fewer, which is the longest streak by an Oakland since Mike Bordick had a 261-game streak from April 13, 1990-April 17, 1993.
- Has walked three times in his last 10 games after drawing just one free pass over his first 26 contests.
- Batted .237 with 14 home runs and 44 RBI in 134 games with the A's last year...the batting average was a career low, as was his .301 on-base percentage...however, his 14 home runs were the second-best total of his career and second most on the A's.

**19 JEMILE WEEKS** Career vs. Williams (.333, 2-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3)  
**San Francisco Series: 2-12, r, 2 3b, 2 bb, 3 so** Last Road Trip: 5-26, 2 r, 2b, 2 3b, 5 bb, hbp, 5 so, sb, cs

- Went 5 for 26 (.192) on the road trip and is now batting .154 (12 for 78) on the road compared to .253 (19 for 75) at home.
- Tripled twice in the three-game series at San Francisco and now has three for the season, which is tied for the American League lead.
- Leads the AL with 10 stolen bases...is the fifth player in Oakland history to steal at least 10 bases in each of his first two season, the first since Jason McDonald in 1997...four of his steals have been of third base, which is tied for the most in the AL.
- Is 12 for 44 (.273) over his last 12 games after hitting .174 over his first 26 contests.
- Has committed four errors, which are tied for third most among AL second basemen.
- Batted .303 with 26 doubles, eight triples, two home runs, 36 RBI and 22 stolen bases in 97 games last year...his batting average led Major League rookies and was second best by a rookie in Oakland history...also hit .321 in 45 games at Sacramento.

## A's vs. LOS ANGELES

### BATTING

2012	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	CAREER
PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER
.111	18	2	1	1	Barton	.246 228 56 5 24
.286	7	2	0	0	Cowgill	.286 7 2 0 0
.125	8	1	0	0	Crisp	.270 248 67 7 27
.071	14	1	0	1	Donaldson	.176 17 3 0 1
.167	12	2	1	2	Gomes	.184 98 18 5 10
.273	11	3	0	1	Ka'aihue	.189 37 7 1 4
.227	22	5	0	0	Pennington	.264 197 52 2 10
####	0	0	0	0	Recker	#### 0 0 0 0
.348	23	8	1	2	Reddick	.333 24 8 1 2
####	0	0	0	0	Rosales	.300 30 9 1 7
.200	20	4	0	2	Smith	.216 37 8 1 6
.208	24	5	0	2	Suzuki	.234 316 74 3 30
.125	24	3	0	1	Weeks	.286 63 18 1 9
.211	19	4	1	5	others	
.198	202	40	4	17	TOTALS	

### PITCHING

2012	W	L	SV	G	ERA	IP	ER	CAREER
PITCHER	W	L	SV	G	ERA	IP	ER	PITCHER
Balfour	2	3	2	25	5.76	25.0	16	Balfour
Blackley	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Blackley
Blevins	0	0	0	19	3.63	17.3	7	Blevins
Colón	9	6	0	20	3.55	131.7	52	Colón
Cook	0	0	0	3	0.00	3.0	0	Cook
Figueroa	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Figueroa
Fuentes	2	1	0	10	0.96	9.3	1	Fuentes
Miller	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Miller
Milone	1	0	0	1	3.60	5.0	2	Milone
Norberto	0	0	0	2	0.00	2.0	0	Norberto
Parker	0	0	0	0	####	0.0	0	Parker
Ross	1	1	1	6	2.03	26.7	6	Ross
others								others
TOTALS	4	2	2	6	2.60	52.0	15	TOTALS





## HIGHS AND LOWS

### TEAM BATTING

Most Runs, Game, A's	11, May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	11, April 30 at Boston
Most Runs, Inning, A's	5, April 30 at Boston (7 <sup>th</sup> ), May 6 at Tampa Bay (3 <sup>rd</sup> ) and May 8 vs. Toronto (9 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	8, May 10 vs. Detroit (3 <sup>rd</sup> )
Most Hits, Game, A's	13, May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	17, May 10 vs. Detroit
Most Hits, Inning, A's	5, April 25 vs. Chicago (14 <sup>th</sup> ) and May 18 at San Francisco (6 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	8, May 10 vs. Detroit (3 <sup>rd</sup> )
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	3, March 29 vs. Seattle and May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	4, April 30 at Boston
Most Doubles, Game, A's	4, May 2 at Boston
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	6, April 25 vs. Chicago
Most Triples, Game, A's	1 (five times), last: May 20 at San Francisco
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	2, April 7 vs. Seattle
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	4, April 22 vs. Cleveland and May 1 at Boston
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	3, May 13 vs. Detroit

### TEAM PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, A's	12, April 25 vs. Chicago, May 12 vs. Detroit and May 20 at San Francisco
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	14, May 1 at Boston and May 9 vs. Toronto
Most Walks, A's	9, April 20 vs. Cleveland and May 18 at San Francisco
Most Walks, Opponents	8, May 8 vs. Toronto
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	3, March 29 vs. Seattle, April 9 vs. Kansas City and April 13 at Seattle
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	1, April 10 vs. Kansas City and May 19 at San Francisco

### TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Winning Streak	3, April 17 to 19, April 24 to 27 and May 5 to 8
Longest Losing Streak	3, April 14 to 16 and April 28 to 30
Longest Game, Innings	14, April 25 vs. Chicago
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	3:31, May 1 at Boston
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	4:14, May 5 at Tampa Bay (12)
Shortest Game, Time	2:13, April 10 vs. Kansas City (8)
Shortest Game, Time, Nine Innings	2:23, March 29 vs. Seattle and April 23 vs. Chicago
Largest Margin, Victory	7, May 11 vs. Detroit (11-4)
Largest Margin, Loss	9, April 28 at Baltimore (1-10)
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	11, April 20 vs. Cleveland
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	14, May 5 at Tampa Bay (12)
Fewest Left on Base, Game	1, May 19 at San Francisco
Most Errors, Game	2 (five times), last: May 17 at Texas
Largest Comeback in Win	4, May 6 at Tampa Bay
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	2, April 29 at Baltimore

### INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most Runs, Game	4, Josh Reddick, May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Hits, Game	4, Josh Reddick, May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Doubles, Game	2 (four times), last: Josh Donaldson, May 18 at San Francisco
Most Triples, Game	1 (five times), last: Jemile Weeks, May 20 at San Francisco
Most Home Runs, Game	2, Josh Reddick, May 11 vs. Detroit
Most Runs Batted In, Game	5, Josh Reddick, May 11 vs. Detroit and Josh Donaldson, May 18 at San Francisco
Most Walks, Game	3, Smith, April 18 at Los Angeles; Gomes, May 8 vs. Toronto and Rosales, May 17 at Texas
Most Strikeouts, Game	4, Seth Smith, April 30 at Boston
Most Stolen Bases, Game	2, Jemile Weeks, April 21 vs. Cleveland
Longest Hitting Streak	7 (three times), last: Josh Reddick, May 8 to 14

### INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, Game	10, Brandon McCarthy, May 12 vs. Detroit
Most Walks, Game	5, Godfrey, April 20 vs. Cleveland; Ross, April 22 vs. Cleveland and Parker, May 8 vs. Toronto
Most Innings, Game, Starter	8.1, Bartolo Colón, April 29 at Baltimore
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	3.0, Jim Miller, May 10 vs. Detroit
Low Hit Complete Game	None
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	20.2, Ryan Cook, March 28 to present
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	13, Bartolo Colón, March 29

## MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Barton	2	1	0	0	3
Céspedes	4	2	0	0	6
Crisp	4	0	0	0	4
Donaldson	0	1	0	0	1
Gomes	3	1	0	0	4
Inge	2	0	0	0	2
Ka'aihue	6	1	0	0	7
Pennington	10	0	0	0	10
Recker	1	0	0	0	1
Reddick	12	1	1	0	14
Smith	4	1	0	0	5
Sogard	1	0	0	0	1
Suzuki	3	2	0	0	5
Taylor	1	0	0	0	1
Weeks	8	0	0	0	8

## MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Barton	1	0	0	0	0	1
Céspedes	4	3	0	0	0	7
Cowgill	1	0	0	0	0	1
Crisp	1	0	0	0	0	1
Donaldson	0	0	0	1	0	1
Gomes	2	1	0	0	0	3
Inge	0	0	4	0	0	4
Ka'aihue	1	0	0	0	0	1
Pennington	1	0	0	0	0	1
Reddick	4	1	0	1	0	6
Smith	3	0	0	0	0	3
Sogard	1	1	0	0	0	2
Suzuki	2	0	0	0	0	2
Weeks	1	0	0	0	0	1

## GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Barton	0	1	1
Céspedes	2	4	6
Cowgill	1	1	2
Crisp	2	0	2
Donaldson	0	1	1
Gomes	1	5	6
Inge	1	3	4
Ka'aihue	2	3	5
Pennington	2	1	3
Reddick	3	6	9
Smith	1	2	3
Sogard	1	1	2
Suzuki	2	3	5
Weeks	0	0	0

## STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Allen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Barton	-	1	-	-	-	3	16	5	1
Céspedes	-	-	1	24	1	1	1	-	-
Cowgill	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	2	6
Crisp	2	13	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	2	6	3	5	1
Gomes	-	-	-	12	7	4	-	-	-
Hughes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1
Inge	-	1	-	-	1	5	1	2	1
Ka'aihue	-	-	-	1	6	3	7	4	1
Pennington	2	22	-	-	-	1	2	1	11
Recker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	2
Reddick	-	-	38	-	1	1	1	-	-
Rosales	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Smith	-	-	1	5	19	6	-	-	-
Sogard	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	12
Suzuki	-	-	-	-	5	11	11	7	-
Taylor	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Weeks	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

## GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Allen	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barton	-	-	30	26	-	-	-	-	-	-
Céspedes	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	28	-	-
Cowgill	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	10	9	2
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	16	15	1	1	-
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	-	17	17	-	-	-
Gomes	-	-	-	-	-	15	11	-	-	12
Hughes	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	-
Inge	-	-	-	-	11	11	-	-	-	-
Ka'aihue	-	-	14	13	-	-	-	-	-	9
Pennington	-	-	-	-	-	40	39	-	-	-
Recker	11	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	4	35	35
Rosales	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Smith	-	-	-	-	-	16	14	-	5	3
Sogard	-	-	-	5	4	11	10	5	3	-
Suzuki	36	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taylor	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	3	3
Weeks	-	-	-	38	38	-	-	-	-	-

## HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS						LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN				Grand Slams (2)
Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since	
Barton	1	0	0	0	1	April 17, 2012	at Los Angeles	Haren	24	Brandon Inge, May 8 vs. Toronto (Cordero)
Céspedes	0	3	2	0	5	April 25, 2012	Chicago	Santiago	9	Brandon Inge, May 10 vs. Detroit (Balester)
Cowgill	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 28, 2011	San Diego	Luebke	25	Pinch Hit Home Runs (0)
Crisp	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 20, 2011	Texas	Kirkman	26	None
Donaldson	1	0	0	0	1	May 18, 2012	at San Fran.	Zito	2	Lead Off Home Runs (0)
Gomes	4	1	0	0	5	May 5, 2012	at Tampa Bay	Peralta	13	None
Inge	0	1	2	2	5	May 11, 2012	Detroit	Below	2	Back-To-Back Home Runs (1)
Ka'aihue	0	1	0	0	1	May 10, 2012	Detroit	Scherzer	7	Céspedes and Reddick, March 29 vs. Seattle
Pennington	1	0	0	0	0	May 4, 2012	at Tampa Bay	Gomes	15	Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
Recker	0	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	17	None
Reddick	7	2	2	0	11	May 20, 2012	at San Fran.	Loux	--	Walk-Off Wins (3)
Rosales	0	0	0	0	0	June 25, 2011	at Philadelphia	Hamels	19	April 11 vs. Kansas City (Gomes hit by pitch)
Smith	2	1	0	0	3	May 13, 2012	Detroit	Verlander	7	April 25 vs. Chicago (Ka'aihue single)
Suzuki	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 15, 2011	Detroit	Scherzer	46	May 8 vs. Toronto (Inge grand slam)
Weeks	2	0	0	0	2	April 13, 2012	at Seattle	Furbush	31	
others	0	1	1	0	2					
<b>Team</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>36</b>					

## MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Barton	Games	470	30 for 500	Inge	Games	1419	81 for 1500
	Hits	390	110 for 500		At Bats	4670	330 for 5000
	Doubles	89	11 for 100	McCarthy	Games Started	90	10 for 100
Blevins	Games	166	34 for 200		Strikeouts	414	86 for 500
Braden	Games	94	6 for 100	Pennington	Games	440	60 for 500
	Games Started	79	21 for 100		Hits	379	121 for 500
	Innings Pitched	491.1	8.2 for 500		Doubles	76	24 for 100
Crisp	Steals (w/OAK)	85	18 for 103 (ties Javier for 10 <sup>th</sup> in Oakland history)	Smith	Hits	380	120 for 500
					Doubles	82	18 for 100

## DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Anderson	Left UCL surgery	March 13-present	42	Devine	Right UCL surgery	March 24-present	42
Barton	Right shoulder strain	March 24-April 8	4	Inge	Strained right groin	May 13-present (eligible May 28)	8
Braden	Left shoulder surgery recovery	March 24-present	42	McCarthy	Right shoulder strain	May 18-present (eligible June 2)	3
Céspedes	Strained muscle, left hand	May 7-present (eligible May 22)	13	Sizemore	Left ACL tear	March 3-present	42
Crisp	Inner ear infection	May 3-20	16				

*The A's have placed nine players on the disabled list this season...placed 15 players on the disabled list in 2011.*

## TRANSACTIONS

March 3	Yoenis Céspedes agrees to terms on a four-year contract; Scott Sizemore placed on the 60-day disabled list (torn left ACL)	April 22	Luke Hughes claimed off waivers from Minnesota; Dallas Braden transferred to the 60-day disabled list
March 11	Sean Doolittle and Jermaine Mitchell optioned to Sacramento	April 23	Josh Donaldson optioned to Sacramento
March 13	Brandon Hicks claimed off waivers from Atlanta; Brett Anderson placed on the 60-day disabled list (left ulnar collateral ligament surgery)	April 25	Jarrod Parker recalled from Sacramento; Jim Miller selected from Sacramento; Fautino De Los Santos optioned to Sacramento; Rich Thompson designated for assignment
March 15	Brandon Hicks optioned to Sacramento	April 27	Rich Thompson outrighted to Sacramento
March 18	Chris Carter, Michael Taylor and Neil Wagner optioned to Sacramento	April 30	Brandon Inge agrees to terms on a one-year contract; Luke Hughes designated for assignment
March 19	Jarrod Parker and Derek Norris optioned to Sacramento	May 2	Luke Hughes outrighted to Sacramento
March 20	Pedro Figueroa and Brad Peacock optioned to Sacramento	May 4	Coco Crisp placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 3 (inner ear infection); Michael Taylor recalled from Sacramento
March 28	Dallas Braden placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 24 (left shoulder surgery recovery); Joey Devine placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 24 (right biceps tendinitis)	May 10	Andrew Carignan and Collin Cowgill recalled from Sacramento; Jim Miller and Michael Taylor optioned to Sacramento
April 2	Adam Rosales optioned to Sacramento	May 12	Yoenis Céspedes placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 7 (strained muscle in left hand); Josh Donaldson recalled from Sacramento
April 3	Daric Barton placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 24 (strained right shoulder)	May 15	Travis Blackley claimed off waivers from San Francisco; Joey Devine transferred to the 60-day disabled list
April 4	Tyson Ross optioned to Sacramento	May 16	Andrew Carignan optioned to Sacramento
April 9	Daric Barton reinstated from the disabled list; Brandon Allen designated for assignment	May 17	Brandon Inge placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 13 (strained left groin); Adam Rosales recalled from Sacramento
April 17	Tyson Ross and Neil Wagner recalled from Sacramento; Andrew Carignan and Collin Cowgill optioned to Sacramento	May 20	Brandon McCarthy placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 18 (strained right shoulder); Jim Miller recalled from Sacramento
April 19	Brandon Allen claimed off waivers by Tampa Bay	May 21	Coco Crisp reinstated from the disabled list; Eric Sogard optioned to Sacramento
April 20	Rich Thompson claimed off waivers from Los Angeles (AL); Neil Wagner optioned to Sacramento		
April 21	Pedro Figueroa recalled from Sacramento; Graham Godfrey optioned to Sacramento		

**Note:** Items in red have not been updated since Parker made his last start. Please check the notes on the day he pitches for updated information.

## WEDNESDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Jarrod Parker (1-2, 3.90 ERA)

### PARKER BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2012	1	2	3.90	5	27.2	12
2011	0	0	0.00	1	5.2	0
Career	1	2	3.24	6	33.1	12
Home	0	1	2.37	3	19.0	5
Road	1	1	7.27	2	8.2	7
Day	0	1	2.25	2	12.0	3
Night	1	1	5.17	3	15.2	9
Pre-ASB	1	2	3.90	5	27.2	12
Post-ASB	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			.207	58	12	
vs. RHH			.289	45	13	

### RUN SUPPORT

Parker	
Runs Scored	Times
0	0
1	2
2	2
3	0
4	0
5	1
6	0
7	0
8	0
9	0
10	0
Run Support Avg.	3.58

### PARKER vs. LOS ANGELES

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2012	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
2011	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Career	0	0	---	0	0.0	0

#### Parker's Starts vs. Los Angeles

DATE H/A DEC IP H R ER BB SO  
Has never started against Los Angeles

#### Los Angeles Career Batting vs. Parker

AVG. AB H HR BB SO  
Has no match-ups

### PARKER'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	7.0, 5/8/12 vs. TOR
Fewest IP, GS:	2.0, 5/18/12 at SF
H:	7, 4/25/12 vs. CWS
R:	6, 5/18/12 at SF
ER:	6, 5/18/12 at SF
BB:	5, 5/8/12 vs. TOR
SO:	5 (twice), last: 5/13/12 vs. DET
HR:	1, 5/8/2012 vs. TOR
Win Streak:	1, 5/1/12
Loss Streak:	2, 5/13/12 to present
Scoreless Streak:	11.2, 9/27/11 to 4/25/12
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

**FOR STARTERS:** Is scheduled to make his sixth start of the season, the seventh of his career...the A's are 3-2 (.600) in his starting assignments and his teams are 4-2 (.667) in his career...has tossed at least six innings in three of his five starts, allowed two runs or fewer four times and walked two batters or fewer twice.

**RUNS ALLOWED:** Allowed six runs in 2.0

innings in his last start after allowing six runs total over the first five starts of his career (31.1 ip, 1.72 ERA)...allowed one run or fewer in each of the first three starts of his career from September 27, 2011 to May 1, 2012...tossed at least 5.0 innings in each of those outings to become just the second pitcher since 1990 to begin his career with three consecutive outings of five or more innings and one run or fewer...the other is Rich Harden, who did it for the A's from July 21 to 31, 2003.

**BASES ON BALLS:** Has walked at least four batters in each of his last three starts (13 bb in 14.2 ip)...has now issued 17 walks while striking out 18 in 33.1 innings for the season (4.59 walks per nine innings).

**OPPONENTS BATTING:** Opponents are 5 for 28 (.179) with two walks (.233 on-base percentage) when leading off an inning...has allowed a .190 (4 for 21) batting average with runners in scoring position, including .125 (1 for 8) with RISP and two outs.

**BRIEFLY:** Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento April 25 after going 1-0 with a 2.18 ERA in four starts with the River Cats...replaced Graham Godfrey in the starting rotation.

**FIRST START:** He had a no decision in his A's debut, a 5-4, 14-inning win over Chicago April 25 in Oakland...shutout the White Sox on five hits and a walk over the first six innings to extend his career-opening scoreless streak to 11.2 innings...had a 2-0 lead when he allowed a RBI double to Fukudome in the seventh inning...Balfour allowed a run in the ninth inning for the blown save.

**SECOND START:** He earned his first Major League win in the A's 5-3 victory at Boston May 1...had a 5-0 lead when he allowed his only run in the fourth inning...Pedroia led off with single, went to second on wild pitch, third on a ground out and then scored on an Ortiz ground out...Norberto recorded the save, marking the first time A's pitchers recorded their first win and save in the same game since Joe Klink saved Steve Chitren's victory Sept. 30, 1990 at Texas.

**THIRD START:** He had a no decision in the A's 7-3 win over Toronto May 8 in Oakland...tossed a career-high seven innings but issued a career-high five walks...allowed his only runs on a two-run home run by Johnson in the third inning, the first home run he allowed in his career.

**FOURTH START:** He was charged with the first loss of his career in the A's 3-1 loss to Detroit May 13 in Oakland...shutout the Tigers on three hits and two walks over the first four innings before allowing a RBI single to Cabrera in the fifth...the A's tied the game with a run in the bottom of the fifth but he allowed a two-out double Boesch and then walked the bases loaded in the sixth...was relieved by Balfour, who walked in the go-ahead run.

**LAST START:** He was the losing pitcher in the A's 8-6 loss at San Francisco last Friday...allowed a career-high six runs in a career-low 2.0 innings...retired the side in order in the first inning but then allowed two runs in the second on a Belt RBI single and an Arias sacrifice fly...did not retire a batter in the third inning, allowing each of the first five batters to reach base...yielded a RBI double to Crawford and was relieved by Blevins after walking Belt with the bases loaded...Blevins allowed two inherited runners to score.

**PARKER vs. LOS ANGELES:** Is making his first career appearance.

**WITH SACRAMENTO:** Was 1-0 with a 2.18 ERA in four starts...struck out 21 batters in 20.2 innings...allowed a .275 opponents batting average, including .271 (13 for 48) against right-handed hitter and .281 (9 for 32) against left-handers...surrendered both of his home runs to lefties...opponents were 4 for 29 (.138) with runners in scoring position...tossed 6.0 innings in each of his first three starts before leaving his last start April 21 at Reno after just 2.2 innings in preparation for starting in Oakland April 25 on three days rest.

**THIS SPRING:** Was 2-1 with a 3.27 ERA in four appearances, three starts, before he was optioned to Sacramento March 19...held the opposition to a .162 batting average (6 for 37) but walked 13 batters and hit one in 11.0 innings...his only relief appearance came in his first outing March 3 against Seattle.

**TRADE:** Was acquired from the Arizona Diamondbacks with Ryan Cook and Collin Cowgill for Trevor Cahill, Craig Breslow and cash considerations, December 9, 2011.

**2011 RECAP:** Spent the entire season at Double-A Mobile, earning a promotion to Arizona after the BayBears won the Southern League Championship...was 11-8 with a 3.79 ERA in 26 starts for Mobile...tied for second in the Southern League in wins, ranked third in opponents batting average (.236) and fifth in ERA...was third in the Diamondbacks farm system in wins, fifth in strikeouts (112) and 10<sup>th</sup> in ERA...had career highs in starts and innings pitched (130.2)...was 1-0 with a 1.50 ERA (12.0 ip, 9 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 12 so, 1 hr) in two postseason starts...was selected by the Diamondbacks Sept. 19 and made one regular season start in his Major League debut...faced Los Angeles (NL) Sept. 27 and had a no decision in Arizona's 7-6, 10-inning win...tossed 5.2 shutout innings, yielded just four hits, walked a batter and struck out one...retired the first seven batters he faced, including a strikeout of Jerry Sands with one out in the first inning, his first big league strikeout...left the game with no score...the Dodgers scored five times in the 10th but Arizona came back with six in the bottom of the inning for the win...also made one postseason appearance in the NLDS against Milwaukee, a relief outing in Game 4...entered the game in the sixth inning with the Diamondbacks leading 7-3 and allowed a run on two hits and a walk in 0.1 innings.

**MINOR LEAGUE CAREER:** Is 29-19 with a 3.41 ERA (139 er in 366.1 ip) in 74 starts over four seasons in the minors...has yielded just 19 home runs, an average of 0.47 per nine innings...was rated as the Diamondbacks' top prospect by *Baseball America* in three consecutive seasons from 2009-11 prior to being listed as number four entering the 2012 season...is listed as the A's top prospect by the magazine for 2012...missed the entire 2010 season following Tommy John surgery Oct. 28, 2009...pitched in the All-Star Futures Game in 2009.

### PARKER'S 2012 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 25	CWS	5-4 (14)	--	1.42	6.1	7	1	1	1	5	0	99
April Totals (1 G, 1 GS)				0-0	1.42	6.1	7	1	1	1	5	0
May 1	at BOS	5-3	W	1.38	6.2	4	1	1	2	4	0	98
May 8	TOR	7-3	--	1.80	7.0	4	2	2	5	3	1	105
May 13	DET	1-3	L	2.10	5.2	6	2	2	4	5	0	112
May 18	at SF	6-8	L	3.90	2.0	4	6	6	4	0	0	58

### PARKER'S 2012 STARTS WITH SACRAMENTO

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 6	at Las Vegas	3-4 (10)	--	4.50	6.0	6	3	3	1	4	1	88
April 11	at Tucson	3-2	--	3.00	6.0	9	2	1	1	6	0	89
April 16	Reno	2-1	W	2.50	6.0	6	1	1	2	7	1	103
April 21	at Reno	6-0	--	2.18	2.2	1	0	0	2	4	0	48
SAC TOTALS (4 G, 4 GS)				1-0	2.18	20.2	22	6	5	6	21	2



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NO	PITCHERS (12)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
50	Grant Balfour	R	R	6-2	200	12-30-77	Sydney, Australia	Clearwater, FL
54	Travis Blackley	L	L	6-3	205	11-4-82	Melbourne, Australia	Victoria, Australia
13	Jerry Blevins	L	L	6-6	175	9-6-83	Johnson City, TN	Swanton, OH
21	Bartolo Colón	R	R	5-11	267	5-24-73	Alta Mira, D.R.	Puerto Plata, D.R.
48	Ryan Cook	R	R	6-2	217	6-30-87	Clovis, CA	Clovis, CA
65	Pedro Figueroa	L	L	6-0	214	11-23-85	Santo Domingo, D.R.	Santo Domingo, D.R.
40	Brian Fuentes	L	L	6-4	230	8-9-75	Merced, CA	Merced, CA
53	Jim Miller	R	R	6-1	200	4-28-82	Randolph, NJ	Virginia Beach, VA
57	Tommy Milone	L	L	6-0	205	2-16-87	Saugus, CA	Agua Dulce, CA
77	Jordan Norberto	L	L	6-0	195	12-8-86	Nagua, D.R.	Nagua, D.R.
11	Jarrod Parker	R	R	6-1	195	11-24-88	Fort Wayne, IN	Bluffton, IN
66	Tyson Ross	R	R	6-6	230	4-22-87	Berkeley, CA	Oakland, CA
NO	CATCHERS (2)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
26	Anthony Recker	R	R	6-2	242	8-29-83	Allentown, PA	Catasauqua, PA
8	Kurt Suzuki	R	R	5-11	196	10-4-83	Wailuku, HI	Torrance, CA
NO	INFIELDBERS (6)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
10	Daric Barton	L	R	6-0	204	8-16-85	Springfield, VT	Corona, CA
20	Josh Donaldson	R	R	6-0	221	12-8-85	Pensacola, FL	Daphene, AL
25	Kila Ka'aihue	L	R	6-4	235	3-29-84	Kailua, HI	Honolulu, HI
2	Cliff Pennington	S	R	5-10	193	6-15-84	Corpus Christi, TX	Missouri City, TX
17	Adam Rosales	R	R	6-1	195	5-20-83	Chicago, IL	Phoenix, AZ
19	Jemile Weeks	S	R	5-9	161	1-26-87	Orlando, FL	Altamonte Springs, FL
NO	OUTFIELDERS (5)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
12	Collin Cowgill	R	L	5-9	184	5-22-86	Lexington, KY	Lexington, KY
4	Coco Crisp	S	R	5-10	185	11-1-79	Los Angeles, CA	Rancho Mirage, CA
31	Jonny Gomes	R	R	6-1	223	11-22-80	Petaluma, CA	Scottsdale, AZ
16	Josh Reddick	L	R	6-2	180	2-19-87	Savannah, GA	Guyton, GA
15	Seth Smith	L	L	6-3	210	9-30-82	Jackson, MS	Brandon, MS
NO	DISABLED LIST (7)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
49	*Brett Anderson	L	L	6-4	233	2-1-88	Midland, TX	Stillwater, OK
51	*Dallas Braden	L	L	6-1	185	8-13-83	Phoenix, AZ	Stockton, CA
52	Yoenis Céspedes	R	R	5-10	210	10-18-85	Granma, Cuba	Santiago, D.R.
33	*Joey Devine	R	R	6-0	235	9-19-83	Junction City, KS	Roswell, GA
7	Brandon Inge	R	R	5-11	188	5-19-77	Lynchburg, VA	Saline, MI
32	Brandon McCarthy	R	R	6-7	200	7-7-83	Glendale, CA	Dallas, TX
29	*Scott Sizemore	R	R	6-0	185	1-4-85	Virginia Beach, VA	Chesapeake, VA

\*indicates 60-day disabled list

NO	MINORS (12)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
38	Andrew Carignan	R	R	5-11	233	7-23-86	New London, CT	Norwich, CT
22	Chris Carter	R	R	6-4	244	12-18-86	Redwood City, CA	Las Vegas, NV
60	Fautino De Los Santos	R	R	6-2	225	2-15-86	Samana, D.R.	Samana, D.R.
67	Sean Doolittle	L	L	6-3	212	9-26-86	Rapid City, SD	Tabernacle, NJ
45	Graham Godfrey	R	R	6-3	204	8-9-84	Tampa, FL	Birmingham, AL
18	Brandon Hicks	R	R	6-2	200	9-14-85	Houston, TX	Pasadena, CA
64	Jermaine Mitchell	L	L	6-0	216	11-2-84	Naples, TX	Daingerfield, TX
72	Derek Norris	R	R	6-0	210	2-14-89	Goddard, KS	Goddard, KS
47	Brad Peacock	R	R	6-1	175	2-2-88	Palm Beach, FL	West Palm Beach, FL
28	Eric Sogard	L	R	5-10	188	5-22-86	Phoenix, AZ	Phoenix, AZ
23	Michael Taylor	R	R	6-5	256	12-19-85	Cheverly, MD	Apopka, FL
62	Neil Wagner	R	R	6-0	195	1-1-84	Minneapolis, MN	Eden Prairie, MN

**MANAGER:** 6 Bob Melvin.

**COACHES:** 30 Chili Davis (Hitting), 3 Mike Gallego (Third Base), 5 Chip Hale (Bench), 44 Rick Rodriguez (Bullpen), 46 Tye Waller (First Base), 41 Curt Young (Pitching).

**BULLPEN CATCHER:** 99 Casey Chavez.

**TRAINERS:** Nick Paparesta, Walt Horn, Brian Schulman.

**STRENGTH & CONDITIONING:** Mike Henriques.

**MASSAGE THERAPIST:** Ozzie Lyles.

**EQUIPMENT MANAGER:** Steve Vucinich.

**TRAVELING SECRETARY:** Mickey Morabito.

**VIDEO COORDINATOR:** Adam Rhoden.

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### Pronunciation Guide

Andrew Carignan	CARE-uh-gan	Kila Ka'aihue	KEY-luh Kuy-eye-HOO-a
Yoenis Céspedes	yo-EHN-ess SES-peh-des	Tommy Milone	muh-LONE
Bartolo Colón	bar-TOE-lo co-LONE	Adam Rosales	ro-SALL-ez
Fautino De Los Santos	fah-TEEN-o DAY-los SAN-toes	Eric Sogard	SO-gard
Mike Gallego	guy-A-go	Jemile Weeks	juh-MILE
Jonny Gomes	GOMES		

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## **Supplemental Bios**

**includes bios for:**

**Travis Blackley, Yoenis Céspedes and Brandon Inge**

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**LEFT-HANDED PITCHER**

**Height/Weight:** 6-3 / 200      **Bats/Throws:** Left / Left  
**Birthdate:** November 4, 1982      **Opening Day Age:** 29  
**Birthplace/Resides:** Melbourne, Australia / Melbourne, Australia  
**Major League Service:** 1 year, 42 days  
**Obtained:** Claimed off waivers from San Francisco, May 15, 2012  
**Contract Status:** First year of a one-year contract through 2012.

**CAREER HIGHLIGHTS**

The 29-year-old southpaw returns to the United States after pitching in South Korea during the 2011 season...last played in the San Francisco organization in 2007, making 28 starts for Fresno...also played in parts of two seasons with Tacoma in 2004 and 2006...has represented Australia in the World Baseball Classic in 2007 and pitched in the Australian Baseball League this past offseason...pitched for the World team in the MLB Futures Game at U.S. Cellular Field in 2003, the same year he was named the Texas League Pitcher of the Year in 2003 after leading the league with 17 wins.

**2011 HIGHLIGHTS**

Pitched for the KIA Tigers of the Korean Baseball Organization...appeared in 25 games with the Tigers, including 22 starts, and posting a 7-5 record with a 3.48 ERA.

**CAREER**

**2010**—Pitched in four different leagues...including 15 appearances, four starts, for the Sacramento River Cats.

**2009**—Pitched for the Reno Aces in their inaugural season...recorded 101 strikeouts in 111.1 innings...went 4-7 with a 4.85 ERA over 38 games, 12 starts.

**2008**—Made his first 21 appearances of the season as a starter for Triple-A Lehigh Valley, going 5-9 with a 5.47 ERA...was 0-1 with a 5.02 ERA in seven relief appearances...struck out a season-high nine batters April 7 at Pawtucket, suffering the loss by allowing four runs on four hits with a walk over 5.0 innings...earned his first win of the season June 3 at Indianapolis, allowing one run on six hits over 6.0 innings with a walk and five strikeouts...tossed a season-high 8.0 innings June 19 at Charlotte to earn the victory, allowing two runs off five hits with four walks and six strikeouts...went 2-3 with a 4.24 ERA in 12 games, 10 starts, for Aguilas in the Mexican Winter League...struck out 55 and walked 19.

**2007**—Had a 3.67 ERA in 24 of his 28 starts for Triple-A Fresno...had a 16.34 ERA in the other four...pitched at least 6.0 innings in 19 of his 28 starts...was recalled by San Francisco Sept. 21 and made two starts for the Giants...collected his first big league hit Sept. 29 at Los Angeles (NL) off Chad Billingsley.

**2006**—Pitched at least 6.0 innings in 13 of his 25 starts and allowed two earned runs or less in 14 of the 25 for Double-A San Antonio...promoted to Triple-A Tacoma Aug. 19 and made two starts...finished the year by allowing one hit over 6.0 innings Aug. 31 vs. Salt Lake.

**2005**—Had surgery Feb. 8 to repair two small tears in the labrum of his left shoulder (Dr. Lewis Yocum)...spent the entire season on the disabled list.

**2004**—Led Triple-A Tacoma in wins and strikeouts...named Pacific Coast League Pitcher of the Week for the week of May 21-27...recalled by Seattle July 1 and won his Major League debut that night against Texas...allowed four runs on six hits in 5.2 innings...optioned to Tacoma Aug. 1...ended the season on the DL (left shoulder tendinitis).

**2003**—Named the Texas League Pitcher of the Year after leading the league in wins...also ranked second in ERA and fourth in strikeouts and innings...his 17 wins were the most by a Texas League pitcher since 1978, when Jeff Reardon of the Jackson Mets won 17...had a season-high 11 strikeouts June 2 vs. Arkansas...participated in the Texas League All-Star Game and was named to the postseason All-Star Team...pitched for the World squad in the 2003 MLB Futures Game on July 15 at U.S. Cellular Field...named Seattle's Minor League Pitcher of the Year and received the 2003 John Ellis Award for his community involvement.

**2002**—Finished second among Seattle minor leaguers in strikeouts for Single-A San Bernardino...had a career-high 14 strikeouts July 19 against San Jose in 8.0 innings pitched.

**2001**—Began his professional career with Rookie League Everett and held opponents to a .211 batting average...had a season-high 13 strikeouts July 23 at Tri-Cities in 7.0 innings pitched.

**PERSONAL/MISCELLANEOUS**

Travis Jarrod Blackley...graduated from Cheltenham High School (Cheltenham, Australia).

LIFETIME PITCHING RECORD																				
Year	Club	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2001	Everett	6	1	3.52	14	14	0	0	0	78.2	60	34	29	7	1	29	0	90	3	0
2002	San Bernardino	5	9	3.49	21	20	1	0	0	121.1	102	52	47	11	7	44	0	152	11	2
2003	San Antonio	17	3	2.61	27	27	0	0	0	162.1	125	55	47	11	6	62	0	144	9	2
2004	Tacoma	8	6	3.83	19	18	2	2	0	110.1	100	49	47	14	3	47	0	80	9	3
	SEATTLE	1	3	10.04	6	6	0	0	0	26.0	35	31	29	9	1	22	0	16	3	1
2005										(Injured — Did Not Pitch)										
2006	San Antonio	8	11	4.06	25	25	0	0	0	144.0	139	77	65	18	15	45	2	100	11	1
	Tacoma	1	1	4.09	2	2	0	0	0	11.0	10	5	5	2	0	5	0	5	0	0
2007	Fresno	10	8	4.66	28	28	0	0	0	162.1	156	87	84	21	7	68	0	121	14	1
	SAN FRANCISCO	0	0	7.27	2	2	0	0	0	8.2	10	7	7	2	0	5	0	5	0	1
2008	Lehigh Valley	5	10	5.41	28	21	0	0	0	123.0	132	75	74	15	6	59	1	87	11	0
2009	Reno	4	7	4.85	38	12	0	0	0	111.1	133	65	60	11	7	38	1	101	7	1
2010	Buffalo	0	0	8.53	4	0	0	0	0	6.1	6	6	6	2	0	7	0	4	2	0
	Chihuahua (Mex)	0	1	15.88	2	1	0	0	0	5.2	10	10	10	0	0	5	0	4	4	0
	Sacramento	2	1	2.52	15	4	0	0	0	35.2	31	10	10	2	2	22	1	35	1	1
	Stockton	0	0	1.80	2	2	0	0	0	5.0	3	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	0
2011	Kia (Korea)	7	5	3.48	25	22	1	1	0	126.2	120	59	49	13	3	62	0	115	12	3
<b>AL Totals</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10.04</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>26.0</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>NL Totals</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7.27</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8.2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>ML Totals</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9.35</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>34.2</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>

**CAREER TRANSACTIONS**

**2000** — Signed by the Seattle Mariners organization as a non-drafted free agent, October 29. **2005** — On the disabled list, March 3 to October 30. **2007** — Traded to the San Francisco Giants for outfielder Jason Ellison, April 1. Selected by the Philadelphia Phillies in the Rule 5 draft, December 6. **2008** — Elected free agency, October 14; signed by the Arizona Diamondbacks, December 19. **2009** — Elected free agency, October 5. **2010** — Signed by the New York Mets to a minor league contract, March 6. Released, May 1; signed by the Oakland Athletic to a minor league contract, May 14. Released, December 20. **2012** — Signed by the San Francisco Giants to a minor league contract, February 19. Claimed off waivers by the Oakland Athletics, May 15.

**WORLD BASEBALL CLASSIC RECORD**

Year	Club	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK
2009	Australia	0	0	1.59	1	1	0	0	0	5.2	5	1	1	0	0	2	0	4	0	1

**OUTFIELDER**

**Height/Weight:** 5-10 / 210      **Bats/Throws:** Right / Right  
**Birthdate:** October 18, 1985      **Opening Day Age:** 26  
**Birthplace/Resides:** Granma, Cuba / Santiago, Dominican Republic  
**Major League Service:** None  
**Obtained:** Signed as a non-drafted free agent, March 3, 2012  
**Contract Status:** First year of a four-year contract through 2015.

**CAREER HIGHLIGHTS**

Played for Granma in Cuba's Serie Nacional for eight seasons before defecting to the Dominican Republic following the 2010-11 season...batted .323 (668-for-2069) with 145 home runs and 464 RBI in 528 games over his final six seasons...added 119 doubles and 14 triples for a .604 slugging percentage...has a .565 career slugging percentage, which ranks ninth all-time in Cuba...had 177 career home runs...led the league in runs (89) and RBI (99) and tied for the league lead in home runs (33), while batting .333 in 90 games during his final season in 2010-11...played for Cuba in the 2009 World Baseball Classic and hit .458 with two home runs and five RBI in six games...led Cuba's Series Nacional in runs scored in 2006-07 (79) and 2005-06 (89).

**2011 HIGHLIGHTS**

Played for Aguilas Cibaenas during the Dominican Winter League playoffs and batted .143 with one double, one home run and two RBI in nine games...did not walk and struck out 10 times.

**CAREER**

**2010-11**—Led Cuba's Serie Nacional in runs (89) and RBI (99), tied for the lead in home runs (33), ranked fifth in slugging (.667) and tied for 10th in hits (118)...the 33 home runs are a league record...named to the All-Star Game but did not appear in the game...hit .368 against left-handed pitching compared to .325 against right-handers...22 of his 33 home runs came with runners on base...including three grand slams...hit three home runs Dec. 15 against Guantanamo...also had three two-homer games...tallied 10 outfield assists...batted .222 with two home runs and eight RBI in 13 postseason games.

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CUBAN-BORN  
PLAYERS**

- Bert Campaneris
- Jose Canseco
- Ozzie Canseco
- Tito Fuentes
- Orlando Gonzalez
- George Lauzerique
- Marty Martinez
- Ariel Prieto
- Diego Segui
- Jose Tartabull

**2009-10**—Played for Cuba in the 2009 World Baseball Classic and hit .458 with two home runs and five RBI in six games...added a double and three triples and scored five runs...was also a member of Cuba's World Cup team and hit .214 with a home run and three RBI in 10 games...in Cuba, ranked third in the league in runs (87), eighth in home runs (22), ninth in slugging (.617) and 10th in hits (118)...batted .316 with eight home runs in 79 at bats against left-handed pitching compared to .354 with 14 home runs in 263 at bats against right-handers...had a pair of two-homer games...connected for a grand slam Nov. 29 against Cienfuegos...had 10 assists as an outfielder...also appeared in two games at shortstop.

**2008-09**—Tied for third in Cuba's Serie Nacional in home runs (24), tied for fourth in runs (83), ranked ninth in RBI (76) and 10th in slugging (.601)...hit .358 against left-handed pitching compared to .314 against right-handers...hit three home runs Feb. 5 against Guantanamo...also had two two-homer games...collected 11 assists as an outfielder.

**2007-08**—Ranked second in Cuba's Serie Nacional in home runs (26), tied for third in RBI (78) and tied for fourth in runs (82)...went 0 for 3 in the All-Star Game...hit .306 against left-handed pitching compared to .279 against right-handers...16 of his 26 home runs came with runners on base...including two grand slams...had four two-homer games...tallied 14 outfield assists.

**2006-07**—Ranked first in Cuba's Serie Nacional in runs (79), tied for third in home runs (17), tied for fourth in stolen bases (15) and RBI (66), fifth in doubles (24), tied for fifth in hit by pitches (14) and sixth in slugging (.541)...went 3 for 4 with a RBI in the All-Star Game to help Orientales to a 2-0 win over Occidentales...hit .359 with five home runs in 78 at bats against left-handed pitching compared to .286 with 12 home runs in 262 at bats against right-handers...had 13 assists in 78 games as an outfielder...also appeared in one game at shortstop.

**2005-06**—Ranked first in Cuba's Serie Nacional in runs (89), second in home runs (23), fourth in slugging (.649), fifth in RBI (78), tied for sixth in hits (119), tied for seventh in doubles (24)...went 0 for 2 in the All-Star Game...hit .417 against left-handed pitching compared to .333 against right-handers...connected for two two-homer games...belted a grand slam April 22 against Holguin...had eight outfield assists...hit .167 with a home run and four RBI in nine postseason games.

**PERSONAL/MISCELLANEOUS**

Yoenis Céspedes Milanés...his mother, Estela, pitched for Cuba in the 2000 Summer Olympics.

LIFETIME PLAYING RECORD																					
Year	Club	AVG.	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	E	
2003	Granma (Cuba)																				
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2005	Granma (Cuba)	.351	88	339	89	119	24	4	23	78	0	2	13	44	53	8	3	.649	.442	10	
2006	Granma (Cuba)	.303	89	340	79	103	24	3	17	66	1	3	14	42	53	15	10	.541	.409	4	
2007	Granma (Cuba)	.284	89	366	82	104	16	2	26	78	0	3	2	32	50	4	4	.552	.342	9	
2008	Granma (Cuba)	.323	85	328	83	106	19	0	24	76	0	6	10	43	40	15	0	.601	.411	6	
2009	Granma (Cuba)	.345	87	342	87	118	19	4	22	67	0	1	7	42	45	5	3	.617	.426	4	
2010	Granma (Cuba)	.333	90	354	89	118	17	1	33	99	0	3	7	49	40	11	3	.667	.424	5	

**CAREER TRANSACTIONS**

**2012** — Signed by the Oakland Athletics organization as a non-drafted free agent, March 3.

WORLD BASEBALL CLASSIC RECORD																				
Year	Club	AVG.	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	E
2009	Cuba	.458	6	24	5	11	1	3	2	5	0	0	1	1	4	0	1	.412	.316	1

**INFIELDER****Height/Weight:** 5-11 / 188**Bats/Throws:** Right / Right**Birthdate:** May 19, 1977**Opening Day Age:** 34**Birthplace/Resides:** Lynchburg, Virginia / Saline, Michigan**Major League Service:** 10 years, 95 days**Obtained:** Signed as a free agent, April 30, 2012**Contract Status:** Second year of a two-year contract through 2012.**CAREER HIGHLIGHTS**

Began his 12th seasons at Major League with Detroit in 2012 before he was released...was in the final year of a two-year contract, plus a club option for 2013...agreed to terms Oct. 21, 2010...selected to the American League's All-Star squad with the Tigers in 2009...won the All-Star Game Final Vote, establishing an AL record with 11.8 million votes...played five different positions during his career with the Tigers: catcher (376 games), third base (997 games), left field (10 games), center field (33 games) and right field (two games)...is third all-time in Tigers history with 997 games played at third base...holds the Tigers single-season record for third basemen with 42 double plays in 2005 and 398 assists in 2006...leads American League third basemen with 1,892 assists since the start of the 2005 season, while he is second with 2,725 total chances and 731 putouts...selected to participate in the Futures Game held prior to Major League Baseball's All-Star Game in 2000.

**2011 HIGHLIGHTS**

Completed his 11th season with Detroit in 2011...saw action in 102 games, marking the fewest games he has played with the club since appearing in 95 games during the 2002 season...saw action in 99 games at third base during the season, passing Tom Brookens (979) to move into third place in Tigers history with 997 games played at third base...was sidelined from June 2-22 with mononucleosis...joined Triple-A Toledo for an injury rehabilitation assignment on June 16...hit .250 with two home runs in seven games with the Mud Hens...was designated for assignment by the Tigers July 21 and had his contract outrighted to Toledo July 26...hit .361 with four doubles, four home runs and 16 RBI over a 16-game stretch with Toledo July 26-Aug. 12...returned to Detroit for the remainder of the season after his contract was selected from Toledo Aug. 20...collected a season-high three hits Sept. 4 against the Chicago White Sox...equaled the high with three hits Sept. 12 at Chicago's U.S. Cellular Field...batted .324 in 21 games during September...hit .245 against left-handed pitchers...batted .170 with righties on the mound...hit .242 in 35 games following the All-Star Break...batted .184 in 67 games prior to the All-Star Break.

**CAREER**

**2010**—Completed his 10th season at the major league level with the Tigers, belting 10-or-more home runs for the seventh consecutive season...led American League third basemen with a .977 fielding percentage...ranked ninth in the AL with 134 strikeouts...tabbed the third-best defensive third baseman in the AL by *Baseball America*...saw action in 144 games at third base during the season...equaled a career high with two home runs April 26 at Texas...compiled a season-high 10-game hitting streak June 3-15, batting .350 (14-for-40)...was sidelined July 20-August 3 with a non-displaced fracture of the fifth metacarpal in his left hand...saw action in one game with Single-A West Michigan Aug. 3 as part of an injury rehabilitation assignment...batted .326 with five doubles, two triples and 10 RBI in 13 games during July...collected the 1,000th hit of his major league career Aug. 24 against Kansas City, a single in the fourth inning off Kyle Davies...became the 29th player in Tigers history to collect 1,000 hits...hit .288 in 72 games at home...batted .206 in 72 games on the road.

**2009**—Returned to third base for the Tigers and was selected to the American League's all-star squad for the first time in his career...established a career-high with 84 RBI and matched a career-high with 27 home runs...won the All-Star Game Final Vote, establishing an AL record with 11.8 million votes...tied for the AL lead in games (161), ranked second in strikeouts (170) and tied for second in hit by pitches (17)...the hit by pitches tied for fifth most in Tigers' history...topped AL third basemen with 444 total

chances and 143 putouts...rated as possessing the best infield arm in the AL by *Baseball America*... homered in each of the Tigers first three games of the season April 6-8...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, he became the first Tigers player to ever do so...reached base safely in each of his first 24 games of the season April 6-May 3...that marked the longest such streak by a Tigers player to begin a season since Ron LeFlore reached base in 30 straight games to open the 1976 season...connected for his 100th career home run April 12 against Texas, a solo shot in the eighth inning off C.J. Wilson...played in his 1,000th career game April 13 against the Chicago White Sox...tabbed the Tigers Player of the Month for April after hitting .319 with 17 runs scored, three doubles, seven home runs and 18 RBI in 21 games... tied for fourth in the AL in home runs, finished fifth with a .447 on-base percentage and .667 slugging percentage...belted his fourth career grand slam May 15 against Oakland and equaled a career-high with five RBI...belted a game-winning, two-run home run with two outs in the ninth inning June 28 at Houston to lead the Tigers to a 4-3 win...selected the Tigers Player of the Month for June after batting .287 with three doubles, a triple, six home runs and 19 RBI in 28 games...tied for ninth in the AL in RBI during the month...equaled a career high with two home runs July 12 against Cleveland...connected for his fourth career walk-off home run Aug. 14 against Kansas City to lead the Tigers to a 1-0 win... belted his fifth career grand slam Sept. 6 at Tampa Bay...the slam led the Tigers back from a 3-1 deficit to a 5-3 win in the ninth inning...hit .500 (9-for-18) with 24 RBI when batting with the bases loaded... batted .268 with 21 home runs in 86 games prior to the All-Star Break...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, he joined Dean Palmer (22 home runs in 1999) as the only two third basemen in club history to hit 20-or-more home runs prior to the all-star break...hit .186 with six home runs in 75 games following the break...underwent surgery to address the chronic patellar tendinitis in both of his knees that plagued him throughout the season, Nov. 3...the procedure was performed by Dr. Stephen Lemos at the Detroit Medical Center and involved the debridement and repair of the patellar tendon in both his left and right knees.

**2008**—Completed his eighth season with the Tigers, showing his versatility as he saw action at four positions: catcher (60 games), third base (51 games), left field (two games) and center field (13 games)... played in 113 games for the Tigers, marking his fewest with the club since he played in 104 games in 2003...did not commit an error in his first 110 games of the season March 31 to Sept. 26...sidelined June 23-July 9 with a pulled oblique...saw action in three games with Toledo during an injury rehab assignment July 7-9, batting .300 with a home run and four RBI...became the Tigers primary catcher following the trade of Ivan Rodriguez to the New York Yankees July 30 as he started behind the plate in 33 of the club's next 42 games before returning to third base...batted .238 with eight home runs in 60 games at Comerica Park...hit .169 with three home runs in 53 games on the road...ranked second among American League catchers with 11 passed balls.

**2007**—Completed his third full season as Detroit's primary third baseman...led American League third basemen with 434 total chances and 325 assists, while he tied for the lead with 18 errors...was hit by a pitch 11 times, which tied for ninth most in the league...rank fourth with 150 strikeouts...rated as possessing the second-best infield arm in the AL by *Baseball America*...swiped a career-high two bases April 14 at Toronto...batted .373 over a 15-game stretch May 6-22, collecting four doubles, four home runs and nine RBI...sustained a small chip fracture of his left great toe after being hit by a pitch May 29 at Tampa Bay...missed five games before returning to action June 5 at Texas...collected a career-high five RBI June 10 against the New York Mets...hit .343 with 15 runs scored, six doubles, three home runs and 19 RBI in 21 games during June...ranked 10th in the AL during the month with a .440 on-base percentage...established a career high with three doubles Aug. 27 versus the New York Yankees...hit safely in a season-high seven straight games Sept. 4-10, batting .435 (10-for-23) with a double, two home runs and five RBI...connected for a solo home run Sept. 6 against the Chicago White Sox, his first home run since July 21 against Kansas City, snapping a stretch of 135 at-bats without a home run...hit .333 against left-handed pitchers...ranked 10th in the AL with a .419 on-base percentage against lefties...batted .209 with righties on the mound...was seventh in the AL with 4.23 pitches per plate appearance.

**2006**—Established career highs with 83 runs scored and 27 home runs...the home runs were the most by a Tigers third baseman since Dean Palmer hit 38 home runs in 1999...rated as possessing the second-best infield arm and named the third-best defensive third baseman in the American League by *Baseball America*...belted a lead-off home run April 6 at Texas, his fifth career lead-off home run...equaled a career high with two home runs April 14 against Cleveland and June 18 at Chicago's Wrigley Field... tied for ninth in the AL with seven home runs during May and batted .220 with 19 RBI in 28 games



during the month...hit safely in 11-of-12 games July 13-25, batting .439 with four doubles, three home runs and 13 RBI...belted his third career grand slam Sept. 15 against Baltimore, connecting against Senty Reale...managed a .221 batting average in 85 games prior to the All-Star Break...batted .290 in 74 games following the break...led AL third basemen with 555 total chances and 398 assists, while he was second with 22 errors and third with 135 putouts...established a franchise record for assists by a third baseman...collected three hits in Game One of the American League Championship Series Oct. 10 at Oakland, matching the club record for hits in a LCS game.

**2005**—Established career highs in at bats (616), hits (161), total bases (258), doubles (31) and triples (9)...ranked fifth in the American League with nine triples and tied for eighth with 160 games played...was second in the league with 140 strikeouts...his 160 games played at third base were the most by a Tigers third baseman since Aurelio Rodriguez played in 160 games during the 1973 season...equaled a career best with a 13-game hitting streak from April 13-28, batting .365 (19-for-52) with 12 runs scored...in 22 games during April, he hit .333 with 17 runs scored and ranked ninth in the AL with a .419 on-base percentage during the month...led off the game May 8 at Angel Stadium of Anaheim with a home run off Jarrod Washburn, his first career lead-off home run...led off the game with a home run three more times during the season: May 31 against Texas (Kenny Rogers), June 18 against San Francisco (Kirk Rueter) and July 18 at Chicago-AL (Orlando Hernandez)...tied for eighth in the AL with 32 hits and 15 walks during May...cleared the center field fence at Comerica Park with a home run June 14 against San Diego...cleared the fence two more times during the season (June 18 against San Francisco and Sept. 26 against the Chicago White Sox) to become the first player to homer three times to center field at Comerica Park...did not play July 26 at Seattle, snapping his 141 consecutive games played streak dating back to Aug. 20, 2004...belted two home runs Sept. 26 against Chicago (AL) to match a career high...matched a career best with four hits against the White Sox Sept. 29...hit .282 in 80 games at Comerica Park...in 80 games on the road, he batted .240...batted .285 with a .371 on-base percentage when hitting in the lead-off spot...the on-base percentage ranked fourth in the AL...led all AL third basemen with 530 total chances, 378 assists and 23 errors, while he was second with 129 putouts...his 530 total chances at third base were the most by a Tigers player since Aurelio Rodriguez posted 536 total chances in 1975...they were the most by a Major League third baseman since Robin Ventura accepted 536 total chances for the Chicago White Sox in 1992...his 378 assists at third base were the most by a Tigers player since Aurelio Rodriguez established the club record with 389 in 1974...participated in 42 double plays at third base, the most in Tigers history.

**2004**—Displayed versatility by seeing action as the catcher (39), at third base (73), in left field (seven), center field (19) and right field (two)...tied for seventh in the American League with seven triples...posted a 10-game hitting streak from April 15 to 24, batting .455 (15-for-33) with eight runs scored and 10 RBI...belted his first career grand slam April 23 against Cleveland's Jason Anderson...added a second grand slam April 27 against Anaheim's Scot Shields...tied for fourth in the league with two grand slams...became the first major leaguer since Kansas City's Roger Maris Aug. 3, 1958 against Washington to triple and hit a grand slam in the same inning after pulling off the feat in the sixth inning in the game against the Indians...collected three outfield assists April 27 versus Anaheim, two from left field and one from center field, to become the first ML outfielder with three assists in a single game since Florida's Mark Kotsay on July 16, 2000 at Baltimore...in 18 games during April, he hit .333 with 15 RBI...did not commit an error in 38 consecutive games from May 1 to June 23, a stretch of 151 total chances at catcher, third base, in left field, center field and right field...hit .372 in June, which ranked fourth in the AL...was scratched from the lineup June 26 against Arizona due to a right hand injury resulting from being hit during a sacrifice bunt attempt June 25 against the Diamondbacks...X-rays revealed a non-displaced fracture of his right index finger and he was placed on the disabled list retroactive to June 26...after being reinstated from the disabled list July 15, he played in 72 of the club's final 75 games...collected a career-best four hits July 26 at Cleveland, a figure he matched at Anaheim Aug. 13...batted .306 in 27 games in August...recorded a career-high 13-game hitting streak Sept. 3-17, batting .365 (19-for-52)...hit .286 in September...batted .327 with lefties on the mound, compared to .258 against right-handed pitchers...hit .284 with runners in scoring position...batted .455 with 18 RBI when hitting with the bases loaded...hit .319 when playing third base, compared to .238 when catching and .257 when playing in the outfield...tied for eighth among AL third basemen with 12 errors.

**2003**—Ranked second among American League catchers with a .996 fielding percentage in his third season with the Tigers...did not commit an error in his first 57 games behind the plate from March 31 to

June 15...established a career-high with two home runs May 7 at Baltimore...optioned to Toledo June 17...hit safely in 15 of his 16 games with the Mud Hens from July 2 to 21, batting .339 with five doubles, three home runs and seven RBI...recalled from Toledo Aug. 6 and hit safely in his first 12 games back with the Tigers from Aug. 7-19...batted .404 (19-for-47) with six doubles, a home run and eight RBI during the streak...hit .325 with six doubles, a triple, three home runs and 14 RBI in 22 games during August...ranked fourth among AL catchers by throwing out 30.0 percent of base runners attempting to steal (30-of-100)...topped all AL catchers with 11 double plays.

**2002**—Began the season with Toledo before becoming the Tigers regular catcher following his recall April 22...started 94 games behind the plate for the Tigers...named the best defensive catcher in the International League by *Baseball America*...belted his first major league home run April 28 against Minnesota, a solo shot off Brad Radke in the fourth inning...was on the disabled list from May 12-26 with a dislocated left shoulder...hit .308 with two doubles, two triples, a home run and nine RBI in eight games during an injury rehab assignment with Toledo, May 17-25...ranked second among American League catchers with a .998 fielding percentage and tied for third with 10 passed balls...underwent arthroscopic surgery to repair his left shoulder Oct. 9, a procedure performed by Dr. Kyle Anderson in Detroit.

**2001**—Made the Tigers Opening Day roster out of Spring Training, seeing his first major league action...made his ML debut April 3 against Minnesota, starting behind the plate for the Tigers...was the first rookie to start behind the plate for the Tigers on Opening Day since John Sullivan on April 12, 1965 at Kansas City...doubled in the third inning off Jim Parque April 6 at Chicago (AL) for his first ML hit...dislocated his left shoulder sliding head-first into home plate June 24 against Minnesota...was on the disabled list from June 25 to Aug. 6 with the dislocated left shoulder...was assigned to the Gulf Coast League Tigers as part of an injury rehab assignment July 25...saw action in three games before his injury rehab assignment was transferred to West Michigan July 29...transferred to Toledo Aug. 2 and was reinstated from the DL and optioned to Toledo Aug. 6...compiled a 12-game hitting streak from Aug. 5-17 with the Mud Hens, batting .405 (17-for-42) with seven doubles, two home runs and 10 RBI...recalled by the Tigers Sept. 1...threw out 42.3 percent of base runners attempting to steal (22-of-52) with the Tigers...rank fourth among American League catchers with 10 passed balls...played for Escogido in the Dominican Winter League following the season...batted .259 with two doubles, a triple and three RBI in 17 games.

**2000**—Opened the season with Double A Jacksonville before being promoted to Toledo in July...appeared in 133 games between the two levels...selected to the Southern League's Midseason and Post-season All-Star squads...participated in the Futures Game at Turner Field in Atlanta prior to the Major League Baseball All-Star Game...named the best defensive catcher in the Southern League by *Baseball America*...led league catchers with a .990 fielding percentage...posted a season-high eight-game hitting streak from April 15 to 24, batting .500 (16-for-32) with five runs, five doubles, a triple, two home runs and 16 RBI...collected an RBI in 10 consecutive games from April 15-26, totaling 19 RBI...drove in a season-high five runs, belting a grand slam, against Birmingham April 21...earned Southern League Player of the Week honors for April 21-27...named the Tigers Minor League Player of the Month for April, hitting .353 (with 14 runs, 11 doubles, a triple, two home runs and 24 RBI in 22 games...finished with a season-high four hits and matched a season high with five RBI against Carolina May 5...named the top prospect and best defensive catcher in the Tigers organization following the season by *Baseball America*...hit .293 with 15 runs, four doubles, three home runs, 10 RBI and three stolen bases for the Scottsdale Scorpions in the Arizona Fall League following the season...named to the Arizona Fall League's All-Prospect team.

**1999**—Spent his second year in professional baseball with West Michigan, making 95 starts behind the plate after being converted from a shortstop to catcher in 1998...collected a season-high four hits May 23 at Clinton...compiled a 12-game hitting streak from June 10-26, tying for the team's longest streak in 1999...batted .350 (14-for-40) during that stretch with eight doubles, two home runs and 12 RBI...drilled a grand slam July 14 against South Bend, collecting a season-high four RBI...led Midwest League catchers with 114 assists...posted a .990 fielding percentage, committing eight errors...named Most Valuable Player of the California Fall League after batting .407 with 35 runs scored, seven doubles, four triples, eight home runs and 28 RBI for Lancaster following the season...led the league with a .407 batting average, while he tied for the league lead with four triples.

1998—Made his professional debut with Single-A Jamestown as he was converted from a shortstop to catcher...led the Jammers in doubles (10), home runs (8) and RBI (29)...finished third on the team with 44 hits.

### PERSONAL/MISCELLANEOUS

Charles Brandon Inge was originally signed by Tigers scout Rob Guzik...he and his wife Shani have two sons: Tyler Mason (10/6/04) and Samuel Chase (8/9/07)...attended Virginia Commonwealth University...was a three-time All-Colonial Athletic Conference selection, earning honors as a shortstop as a sophomore and a relief pitcher in all three seasons...was a Second-Team All-America selection by *Baseball America* in 1998...batted .335 with 28 home runs and 144 RBI over his three-year career at VCU...inducted into the Virginia Commonwealth University Athletics Hall of Fame on December 11, 2004...had his high school jersey number seven retired by Brookville High School in Lynchburg, VA in 2006...with Detroit, he participated in Tigers Dreams Come True and the Detroit Tigers Autographed Memorabilia Donation Program, Autographs for a Cause (donated funds to C.S. Mott Children's Hospital), served as a judge for the Comerica Bank Grand Slam Grant program providing a \$10,000 grant to support a Michigan high school and baseball/softball program and participated in the Tigers Winter Caravan.

### LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES RECORD

Year	Club/Opp.	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HB	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	E
2006	DET vs. OAK	.333	4	12	3	4	1	0	1	3	0	1	0	3	3	0	0	.667	.438	0
2011	DET vs. TEX	.267	6	15	3	4	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	3	0	0	.467	.389	0
<b>Totals</b>		<b>.296</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.556</b>	<b>.412</b>	<b>0</b>

### WORLD SERIES RECORD

Year	Club/Opp.	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HB	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	E
2006	DET vs. STL	.353	5	17	0	6	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	.471	.389	3
<b>Totals</b>		<b>.353</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.471</b>	<b>.389</b>	<b>3</b>

### ALL-STAR GAME RECORD

Year	Club/Site	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HB	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	E
2009	AL/STL	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	0
<b>Totals</b>		<b>.000</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>0</b>

### LIFETIME PLAYING RECORD

Year	Club	AVG.	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	E
1998	Jamestown	.230	51	191	24	44	10	1	8	29	0	1	6	17	53	8	8	.419	.312	6
1999	West Michigan	.244	100	352	54	86	25	2	9	46	2	6	3	39	87	15	3	.403	.320	8
2000	Jacksonville	.258	78	298	39	77	25	1	6	53	1	5	0	26	73	10	3	.409	.313	5
	Toledo	.221	55	190	24	42	9	3	5	20	1	1	1	15	51	2	1	.379	.280	3
2001	GCL Tigers	.100	3	10	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	.400	.250	0
	West Michigan	.188	4	16	3	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	5	0	0	.350	.316	0
	Toledo	.289	27	90	11	26	11	1	2	15	1	3	1	7	24	1	0	.500	.337	2
	DETROIT	.180	79	189	13	34	11	0	0	15	2	2	0	9	41	1	4	.238	.215	4
2002	Toledo	.262	21	65	10	17	2	4	3	13	2	1	2	11	16	1	3	.554	.380	4
	DETROIT	.202	95	321	27	65	15	3	7	24	1	1	4	24	101	1	3	.333	.266	1
2003	Toledo	.275	39	142	15	39	9	0	5	15	1	0	0	11	23	3	1	.444	.327	0
	DETROIT	.203	104	330	32	67	15	3	8	30	4	3	5	24	79	4	4	.339	.265	2
2004	DETROIT	.287	131	408	43	117	15	7	13	64	8	6	4	32	72	5	4	.453	.340	16
2005	DETROIT	.261	160	616	75	161	31	9	16	72	6	6	3	63	140	7	6	.419	.330	23
2006	DETROIT	.253	159	542	83	137	29	2	27	83	4	5	7	43	128	7	4	.463	.313	22
2007	DETROIT	.236	151	508	64	120	25	2	14	71	7	4	11	47	150	9	2	.376	.312	18
2008	Toledo	.300	3	10	2	3	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	.600	.417	0
	DETROIT	.205	113	347	41	71	16	4	11	51	5	4	8	43	94	4	3	.369	.303	1
2009	DETROIT	.230	161	562	71	129	16	1	27	84	1	3	17	54	170	2	5	.406	.314	20
2010	West Michigan	.400	1	5	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.800	.400	0
	DETROIT	.247	144	514	47	127	28	5	13	70	0	7	5	54	134	4	3	.397	.321	9
2011	Toledo	.287	29	108	18	31	4	0	7	19	0	0	1	17	30	0	0	.519	.389	1
	DETROIT	.197	102	269	29	53	10	2	3	23	5	3	2	24	74	1	1	.283	.265	9
<b>ML Totals</b>		<b>.235</b>	<b>1399</b>	<b>4606</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>1081</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>587</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>1183</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>.388</b>	<b>.305</b>	<b>125</b>

### CAREER TRANSACTIONS

1998 — Selected by the Detroit Tigers organization in the 2nd round of the June Draft. 2001 — On disabled list, June 25 to August 5; included rehabilitation assignments to GCL Tigers, July 25 to 28, West Michigan, July 29 to August 1, and Toledo, August 2 to 5. 2002 — On disabled list, May 12 to 26; included rehabilitation assignment to Toledo, May 17 to 26. 2004 — On disabled list, June 26 to July 14. 2008 — On disabled list, June 23 to July 9; included rehabilitation assignment to Toledo, July 7 to 9. 2010 — On disabled list, July 20 to August 3; included rehabilitation assignment to West Michigan, August 3. 2011 — On disabled list, June 2 to 22; included rehabilitation assignment to Toledo, June 16 to 22. 2012 — On disabled list, March 30 to April 13; included rehabilitation assignment to Toledo, April 10 to 12. Released, April 26; signed by the Oakland Athletics, April 30.

### DIVISION SERIES RECORD

Year	Club/Opp.	AVG.	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	E
2006	DET vs. NYY	.133	4	15	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	.133	.133	0
2011	DET vs. NYY	.429	4	7	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.571	.500	0
<b>Totals</b>		<b>.227</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.273</b>	<b>.261</b>	<b>0</b>

### VS. THE AMERICAN LEAGUE

2011		CAREER								
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	vs. TEAM	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.167	12	2	0	0	Baltimore	.241	228	55	9	35
.214	14	3	0	0	Boston	.216	218	47	4	26
.379	29	11	0	3	Chicago	.236	534	126	14	53
.190	21	4	1	2	Cleveland	.255	518	132	20	77
—	0	0	0	0	Detroit	—	0	0	0	0
.063	32	2	0	0	Kansas City	.239	536	128	15	65
.000	7	0	0	0	Los Angeles	.245	273	67	9	38
.296	27	8	1	3	Minnesota	.209	521	109	12	49
.227	22	5	0	2	New York	.213	197	42	2	15
.053	19	1	0	2	Oakland	.208	236	49	5	28
.235	17	4	0	2	Seattle	.244	225	55	6	39
.125	8	1	0	0	Tampa Bay	.209	191	40	3	23
.222	9	2	1	2	Texas	.281	249	70	11	41
.286	14	4	0	2	Toronto	.222	194	43	8	29

### VS. THE NATIONAL LEAGUE

2011		CAREER								
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	vs. TEAM	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.167	12	2	0	2	Arizona	.217	60	13	1	6
—	0	0	0	0	Atlanta	.226	31	7	1	4
—	0	0	0	0	Chicago	.273	22	6	3	4
—	0	0	0	0	Cincinnati	.000	10	0	0	0
—	0	0	0	0	Colorado	.214	28	6	1	4
—	0	0	0	0	Florida	.231	13	3	1	2
—	0	0	0	0	Houston	.429	21	9	1	4
—	0	0	0	0	Los Angeles	.108	37	4	1	1
—	0	0	0	0	Milwaukee	.257	35	9	2	7
.000	8	0	0	0	New York	.273	33	9	1	6
—	0	0	0	0	Philadelphia	.273	22	6	1	1
.250	8	2	0	0	Pittsburgh	.259	54	14	2	6
—	0	0	0	0	San Diego	.167	24	4	1	3
.200	10	2	0	3	San Francisco	.290	31	9	2	8
—	0	0	0	0	St. Louis	.333	33	11	3	7
—	0	0	0	0	Washington	.250	32	8	0	6

### MONTHLY BREAKDOWN

2011		CAREER								
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	by MONTH	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.500	4	2	0	1	March	.400	10	4	0	1
.198	81	16	1	7	April	.250	720	180	28	108
.219	73	16	0	4	May	.228	829	189	28	97
.087	23	2	0	2	June	.264	689	182	26	98
.059	34	2	0	3	July	.224	625	140	15	79
.200	20	4	1	2	August	.231	814	188	17	96
.324	34	11	1	4	September	.218	852	186	21	101
—	0	0	0	0	October	.179	67	12	4	7

### BATTING BREAKDOWN

2011		CAREER								
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	by CATEGORY	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.201	139	28	3	17	Home	.248	2286	566	76	332
.192	130	25	0	6	Road	.222	2320	515	63	255
.227	110	25	2	13	Day	.229	1609	368	53	199
.176	159	28	1	10	Night	.238	2997	713	86	388
.184	207	38	1	17	Pre-ASG	.242	2467	597	86	330
.242	62	15	2	6	Post-ASG	.226	2139	484	53	257
.245	98	24	3	6	vs. LHP	.265	1240	329	50	168
.170	171	29	0	17	vs. RHP	.223	3366	752	89	419
.137	73	10	0	17	RISP	.237	1153	273	27	415
.250	8	2	0	4	Bases Loaded	.325	117	38	5	109
.500	2	1	0	1	Pinch Hitter	.400	10	4	0	2
-	0	0	0	0	Designated Hitter	.600	5	3	0	1

### BALLPARK BREAKDOWN

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
Angel Stadium	.265	155	41	4	20
AT&T Park	.250	8	2	1	2
Busch Stadium	.417	12	5	1	2
Camden Yards	.212	118	25	6	16
Chase Field	.208	24	5	1	3
Citi Field	.375	8	3	0	1
Citizens Bank Park	.267	15	4	1	1
Comerica Park	.248	2286	566	76	332
Coors Field	.273	11	3	0	1
Dodger Stadium	.136	22	3	0	0
Fenway Park	.214	98	21	3	11
Kauffman Stadium	.232	272	63	6	27
Metrodome	.222	203	45	6	18
Miller Park	.083	12	1	0	0
Minute Maid Park	.364	11	4	1	2
O.co Coliseum	.144	125	18	2	10
Original Yankee Stadium	.227	66	15	0	2
PETCO Park	.000	4	0	0	0
PNC Park	.133	30	4	1	1
Progressive Field	.241	278	67	6	36
Qualcomm Stadium	.000	8	0	0	0
Rangers Ballpark	.273	128	35	4	20
RFK Stadium	.273	11	3	0	5
Rogers Centre	.184	103	19	7	19
Safeco Field	.198	106	21	1	10
Shea Stadium	.286	7	2	0	0
Sun Life Stadium	.200	10	2	1	1
Target Field	.167	48	8	0	3
Tropicana Field	.216	88	19	1	11
Turner Field	.200	25	5	0	1
U.S. Cellular Field	.222	270	60	7	27
Wrigley Field	.364	11	4	2	2
Yankee Stadium	.242	33	8	1	3

### FIELDING STATISTICS

Catcher										
YEAR	PCT.	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP	BP		
2001	.989	79	330	40	4	374	3	10		
2002	.998	94	484	46	1	531	3	10		
2003	.996	104	500	67	2	569	11	5		
2004	.988	39	209	30	3	242	1	4		
2008	1.000	60	370	33	0	403	4	11		
<b>Totals</b>	<b>.995</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>1893</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2119</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>40</b>		

Third Base										
YEAR	PCT.	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP			
2004	.935	73	42	131	12	185	12			
2005	.957	160	129	378	23	530	42			
2006	.960	159	135	398	22	555	34			
2007	.959	150	91	325	18	434	25			
2008	.992	51	38	80	1	119	14			
2009	.955	161	143	281	20	444	41			
2010	.977	144	119	267	9	395	24			
2011	.964	99	76	163	9	248	12			
<b>Totals</b>	<b>.961</b>	<b>997</b>	<b>773</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>2910</b>	<b>204</b>			

Outfield										
YEAR	PCT.	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP			
2004	.980	26	43	5	1	49	1			
2005	1.000	2	2	0	0	2	0			
2008	1.000	13	26	2	0	28	0			
<b>Totals</b>	<b>.987</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>1</b>			

### INGE'S CAREER BESTS

**Hits:** 4 (three times), last: September 29, 2005 vs. Chicago (AL)  
**Home Runs:** 2 (six times), April 26, 2010 at Texas; July 12, 2009 vs. Cleveland; June 18, 2006 at Chicago (NL); April 14, 2006 vs. Cleveland; September 26, 2005 vs. Chicago (AL); May 7, 2003 at Baltimore  
**Runs Batted In:** 5 (twice), May 15, 2009 vs. Oakland; June 10, 2007 vs. New York (NL)  
**Stolen Bases:** 2, April 14, 2007 at Toronto  
**Hitting Streak:** 13 (twice), last: April 13 to 28, 2005  
**Hitless Streak (At Bats):** 25, August 30 to September 17, 2002  
**Grand Slams:** 5, September 6, 2009 at Tampa Bay (Russ Springer); May 15, 2009 vs. Oakland (Dan Giese); September 15, 2006 vs. Baltimore (Sentry Rleal); April 27, 2004 vs. Anaheim (Scot Shields); April 23, 2004 vs. Cleveland (Jason Anderson)  
**Pinch-Hit Home Runs:** None  
**Inside-The-Park Home Runs:** None  
**Game Ending Home Runs:** 6, September 10, 2011 vs. Minnesota (Glen Perkins); April 13, 2011 vs. Texas (Darren Oliver); August 14, 2009 vs. Kansas City (Roman Colon); July 21, 2007 vs. Kansas City (Joakim Soria); April 29, 2007 vs. Minnesota (Jesse Crain); August 24, 2003 vs. Anaheim (Troy Percival)  
**Lead Off Home Runs:** 5, April 6, 2006 at Texas (R.A. Dickey); July 18, 2005 at Chicago-AL (Orlando Hernandez); June 18, 2005 vs. San Francisco (Kirk Rueter); May 31, 2005 vs. Texas (Kenny Rogers); May 8, 2005 at Los Angeles-AL (Jarrod Washburn).

# 2012 PLAYER HIGHLIGHTS

## BRANDON ALLEN

- Was the A's Opening Day starter at first base March 28 but went for 7 with five strikeouts in three games before he was designated for assignment April 9...was claimed off waivers by the Tampa Bay Rays April 19.

## BRETT ANDERSON

- Was placed on the 60-day disabled list March 13 as he continues his recovery from July 14, 2011 "Tommy John" surgery.

## DARIC BARTON

- Homered in the fifth inning April 17 at Los Angeles to snap a career-high 76-game homerless streak...it was his first home run since Oct. 1, 2010 against Seattle...the home run also snapped a 72-game homerless streak as a first baseman, which was second longest in Oakland history...the record is 75 by Mike Hegan from July 6, 1971 to Aug. 16, 1973.

## JERRY BLEVINS

- Had his career-high 10.1-inning scoreless streak dating back to last season snapped April 7 against Seattle when Saunders homered in the sixth inning.

## DALLAS BRADEN

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list March 28 as he continues his recovery from left shoulder surgery.
- Was transferred to the 60-day disabled list April 22.

## YOENIS CÉSPEDES

- Made his Major League debut March 28 against Seattle in Tokyo with a start in center field...doubled off Felix Hernandez to lead off the bottom of the seventh inning for his first ML hit.
- Hit his first ML home run in the seventh inning March 29 against Seattle in Tokyo, a two-run shot off Shawn Kelley.
- Homered in three consecutive games from March 29 to April 7...became the third player since 1918 to homer in three of his first four Major League games (Trent Oeltjen, ARI 2009 and Mike Jacobs, NYM 2005)...is the ninth player with at least three home runs in his first four games (Jacobs had 4)...the previous fastest an Oakland Athletic reached three career home runs was seven games by Kurt Abbott in 1993 and Mitchell Page in 1977.
- Had multiple RBI games in each of those contests...since 1918, he is the first Athletic and ninth Major Leaguer with three multiple RBI games over his first four career games (last: Wladimir Balentien, 2006-07).
- Struck out at least once in each of his first eight games, which is an Oakland record to start a career...the previous mark was six (Chris Carter, 2010; Brooks Conrad, 2008; Travis Buck, 2007)...matched the longest streak by an Athletic since 1918 (Troy Herriage, 1956; Norm Bass, 1961).
- Hit his fourth home run April 18 at Los Angeles in his 12th game...since 1918, that is the fastest a player has reached four career home runs in Athletics history...the previous best was by Brian Leshar, who did it in 14 games in 1996.
- Did not have a putout a April 25 against Chicago, becoming the first A's outfielder without a putout in a game of 14 or more innings since Stan Javier on May 30, 1988 against New York.

## BARTOLO COLÓN

- Was on his 13th career Opening Day roster and is in his 15th season in the majors.
- Made each of his first three starts against Seattle to become the first pitcher in Oakland history to make three consecutive starts against one team in the same season without missing a turn in the rotation.

## RYAN COOK

- Became the third pitcher in Athletics franchise history to record four strikeouts in an inning April 27 at Baltimore (Blake Stein, 1998; Erik Hiljus, 2001).

## COCO CRISP

- Was the A's 13th different Opening Day starter in left field in the last 13 years...had 203 career starts in left entering the season, but none since October 2, 2005.
- Committed his first error since April 25, 2011 on April 7 against Seattle, snapping a 116-game error-less streak...that streak was seventh longest by an outfielder in Oakland history.

## FAUTINO DE LOS SANTOS

- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and compiled a 3.00 ERA in six relief appearances before he was optioned to Sacramento, April 25.
- Did not retire a batter over his final three outings before his option (5 h, 2 r, 1 er, 2 bb).

## JOEY DEVINE

- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list March 28 retroactive to March 24...underwent "Tommy John" surgery on his right elbow April 10... Dr. James Andrews performed the surgery in Pensacola, Fla., which included an ulnar collateral ligament reconstruction, an ulnar nerve transposition and a debridement of the flexor tendon...also had "Tommy John" surgery on the same elbow April 21, 2009.

## JOSH DONALDSON

- Was on the A's Opening Day roster but hit just .094 in nine games before he was optioned to Triple-A Sacramento April 23.
- Made nine starts, all at third base...his Major League experience prior to this season included seven games at catcher and two at first base.

## BRIAN FUENTES

- Recorded his 200th career save May 2 at Boston to become the sixth left-handed reliever in Major League history to reach the 200 plateau (Franco, Wagner, Myers, Righetti, Lyle).

## GRAHAM GODFREY

- Godfrey was on the A's Opening Day roster and went 0-3 with a 5.06 ERA in three starts before he was optioned to Sacramento April 21.

## JONNY GOMES

- Was hit by a Jonathan Braxton pitch with the bases loaded in the bottom of the 12th inning April 11 against Kansas City to force in the winning run in the A's 5-4 victory...it was his second career walk-off hit by pitch (August 21, 2011 vs. Philadelphia)...it was his fifth career walk-off RBI (two home runs, one walk)...it was the third walk-off hit by pitch in Oakland history (Mike Bordick, August 4, 1993 vs. Seattle and Olmedo Saenz, July 20, 2002 vs. Texas).
- Singled in the eighth inning April 19 at Los Angeles after homering for each of his first three hits for the season...is the first player in Oakland history whose first three hits in a season were all home runs.

## LUKE HUGHES

- Was claimed off waivers from Minnesota April 22 and went 1 for 13 (.077) in four games with the A's before he was designated for assignment April 30...cleared waivers and was outrighted to Sacramento May 2.

## BRANDON INGE

- Agreed to terms with the A's on a one-year contract April 30 after he was released by Detroit April 26.

- Had four four-RBI game over a five-game span from May 6 to 11...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, he is the second player in Major League history with four games of four or more RBI over a five-game stretch...the other is Lou Gehrig in 1931...now has 14 career games with four or more RBI...drove in 16 runs over that five-game stretch...since 1970, the only other Athletic to drive in 16 runs over a five-game span is Damian Miller (June 6-11, 2004).
- Had the game-ending grand slam in the bottom of the ninth inning May 8 against Toronto...it was his seventh career "walk-off" home run and his 10th "walk-off plate appearance (two singles, one sacrifice fly)...it was the sixth "walk-off" grand slam in Oakland history (Tenace, 1973; Armas, 1980; McGwire, 1990 and 1995; Ellis, 2008).
- Added another grand slam May 10 against Detroit...is just the second player in Athletics history to hit two grand slams over a three-game span...the other is Jimmie Foxx (September 22 and 24, 1932)...now has seven career grand slams.
- Had 17 RBI in his first 10 games with the A's...those are the most in Oakland history by a player in his first 10 games with the A's...the previous best was 15 by Mitchell Page (1977) and Jack Cust (2007).

### KILA KA'AIHUE

- Matched his career high with three hits April 15 at Seattle (third time, last: Sept. 28, 2010 vs. Minnesota).
- Had the game-winning RBI single in the 14th inning April 25 against Chicago, his second career walk-off hit (home run, April 1, 2011 vs. Los Angeles-AL).

### BRANDON MCCARTHY

- Made his first career Opening Day start March 28 against Seattle and had a no decision in the A's 3-1, 11-inning loss...allowed just one run on six hits and no walks in 7.0 innings.
- Also started the third game of the season, April 6 against Seattle, to become the second pitcher in Oakland history to start two of the A's first three games...the other is Joe Blanton who did it in 2008, the other time the A's opened the season in Japan...also started three of the first seven games, joining Blanton as the only Oakland pitchers to do that since 1977.

### JIM MILLER

- Picked up his first Major League win April 25 against Chicago...allowed two inherited runners to score in the top of the 14th inning but the A's came back with three in the bottom of the inning.

### TOMMY MILONE

- Combined with Grant Balfour on a three-hit, 1-0 shutout of Kansas City April 9 in Oakland in his A's debut...tossed 8.0 innings and allowed all three of the hits...became just the second pitcher in Oakland history to toss eight or more shutout innings in his Oakland debut (Mike Norris, complete game shutout, April 10, 1975 against Chicago)...did not strikeout a batter to become the third pitcher in Oakland history to toss at least 8.0 shutout innings and not strikeout a batter (Matt Keough, July 27, 1980 against Detroit; Catfish Hunter, May 25, 1973 against Detroit).

### JORDAN NORBERTO

- Retired the final two batters May 1 at Boston for his first Major League save...he saved Jarrod Parker's first ML win, marking the first time A's pitchers recorded their first win and save in the same game since Joe Klink saved Steve Chitren's victory Sept. 30, 1990 at Texas.

### JOSH REDDICK

- Was the A's fifth different Opening Day starter in right field in the last five years.
- Had career highs May 11 against Detroit with four runs, four hits (tied), two home runs and five RBI...is the eighth player in Oakland history with at least four runs, four hits, two home runs and five RBI in a game...the last was Matt Holliday (July 20, 2009 vs. Minnesota).

### ADAM ROSALES

- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and appeared in one game against Seattle in Japan before he was optioned to Sacramento April 2.

### **SCOTT SIZEMORE**

- Was placed on the 60-day disabled list March 3 after tearing the anterior cruciate ligament in his left knee in the team's first full-squad workout Feb. 27 in Phoenix...underwent successful reconstructive surgery March 21...the surgery was performed by Dr. Douglas Freedberg of the Arizona Sports Medicine Center of Scottsdale...will miss the entire 2012 season.

### **SETH SMITH**

- Was the A's eight different Opening Day starter at designated hitter in the last eight years.
- Hit his first home run of the season April 22 against Cleveland, a two-run shot off Masterson in the fourth inning, to snap a career-high 45-game homerless streak...his previous high was 35 (June 22-July 31, 2011)...it was his first home run since Aug. 23, 2011 against Houston.
- Went 0 for 4 with four strikeouts April 30 at Boston, the first four-strikeout game of his career.

### **ERIC SOGARD**

- Had a career-high three RBI, April 15 at Seattle.

### **KURT SUZUKI**

- Made his fifth consecutive Opening Day start at catcher...the five starts are second most by a catcher in Oakland history...only Terry Steinbach, with nine, has more.
- Made his 598th career appearance at catcher April 7 against Seattle, which moves him past Ossee Schreckengost for fifth most in Athletics history.
- Had five assists April 25 against Chicago, the third time in Oakland history a catcher had five or more assists in a game (6, Jim Essian vs. Texas on Sept. 19, 1979; 5, Jeff Newman vs. Toronto on Aug. 13, 1979).

### **RICH THOMPSON**

- Was claimed off waivers from the Los Angeles Angels April 20 and appeared in one game for the A's before he was designated for assignment April 25...faced Chicago on April 23 (0.2 ip, 1 h).
- Cleared waivers and was outrighted to Sacramento April 27.

### **NEIL WAGNER**

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento April 17 but did not appear in a game before he was optioned back to Sacramento April 20.

### **JEMILE WEEKS**

- Played in the 100th game of his career April 6 against Seattle and collected 126 hits over that span...since 1918, the only player in Athletics history with more hits over the first 100 games of his career is Wally Moses, who had 134 hits in his first 100 games with the Philadelphia A's in 1935-36...the previous Oakland record was 122 by Ben Grieve.

# FINAL SPRING TRAINING STATISTICS

## BATTING

NAME	BA	SLG	OBP	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HBP	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	GDP	E
Allen	.314	.571	.366	14	35	7	11	20	3	0	2	14	0	2	2	2	0	5	0	0	0	1
Barfield	—	—	—	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barton	.176	.235	.364	7	17	4	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	4	0	0	0	2
Cabrera	1.000	4.000	1.000	1	1	1	1	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Carter	.217	.304	.321	12	23	4	5	7	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	4	0	10	0	0	0	0
Cespedes	.229	.429	.308	11	35	3	8	15	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	4	0	12	0	0	1	0
Choice	.286	.286	.286	5	7	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
Coleman	.000	.000	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Cowgill	.396	.563	.455	20	48	7	19	27	4	2	0	9	0	1	1	5	0	9	4	2	0	0
Crisp	.263	.368	.333	13	38	4	10	14	0	2	0	4	0	0	0	4	0	6	0	0	1	0
Crumbless	1.000	1.000	1.000	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Donaldson	.270	.413	.319	20	63	6	17	26	3	0	2	10	0	1	0	5	0	16	2	0	2	4
Florentino	.333	.444	.571	12	9	5	3	4	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Gomes	.250	.625	.467	17	32	11	8	20	3	0	3	4	0	0	2	11	0	8	1	0	0	0
Green	.250	.625	.222	9	8	1	2	5	0	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Horton	.308	.462	.357	11	13	2	4	6	2	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	1
Hunter, C.	.429	.857	.500	8	7	3	3	6	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Ka'aihue	.250	.575	.311	17	40	8	10	23	4	0	3	6	0	1	0	4	0	9	0	0	1	1
Ladendorf	.250	.250	.250	4	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Moss	.500	.773	.522	13	22	4	11	17	3	0	1	7	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	0
Norris	.250	.500	.250	10	16	1	4	8	1	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Ortiz	1.000	2.000	1.000	3	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Parker, S.	.000	.000	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pennington	.385	.487	.467	14	39	7	15	19	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	6	0	3	1	0	0	5
Powell	.333	.500	.333	3	6	0	2	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Pridie	.143	.286	.333	4	7	2	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Ramirez	.167	.556	.250	7	18	4	3	10	1	0	2	3	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	2	0
Recker	.265	.412	.297	14	34	4	9	14	2	0	1	4	0	1	0	2	0	10	0	0	1	0
Reddick	.304	.587	.333	15	46	10	14	27	2	1	3	12	0	0	0	2	0	12	1	1	2	0
Rosales	.167	.222	.261	12	18	3	3	4	1	0	0	2	1	2	0	3	0	4	0	2	0	1
Smith	.244	.366	.326	16	41	4	10	15	3	1	0	5	0	0	0	5	0	8	0	0	5	0
Sogard	.296	.519	.361	21	54	14	16	28	3	0	3	9	0	1	0	6	0	6	2	1	1	2
Spina	.000	.000	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stassi	.000	.000	.000	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Suzuki	.243	.378	.349	15	37	7	9	14	2	0	1	3	0	0	0	6	0	5	0	0	0	1
Taylor	.200	.200	.292	12	20	3	4	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	0	6	0	1	0	1
Timmons	.270	.297	.364	20	37	6	10	11	1	0	0	5	0	1	1	5	0	4	1	0	2	1
Weeks	.339	.554	.345	16	56	8	19	31	3	0	3	10	0	1	0	1	0	9	2	1	0	3
<b>TEAM</b>	<b>.284</b>	<b>.468</b>	<b>.356</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>842</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>.250</b>	<b>.387</b>	<b>.323</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>811</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>314</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>25</b>



PITCHING

NAME	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	INN	H	R	ER	HR	SH	SF	HBP	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK	BA
Balfour	0	0	6.75	7	0	0	0	0	6.2	9	5	5	3	0	0	0	4	0	6	0	0	.346
Banwart	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	1	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333
Barham	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	1.1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	.200
Blevins	1	0	3.86	8	0	0	0	0	7.0	4	3	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	.167
Bowman	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.000
Carignan	0	0	2.16	7	0	0	0	0	8.1	8	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	.258
Castro	1	0	3.00	2	0	0	0	0	3.0	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	.333
Colon	1	0	5.40	2	2	0	0	0	6.2	7	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	.250
Cook	0	0	3.38	7	0	0	0	0	8.0	2	3	3	1	0	0	0	3	0	6	1	0	.077
De Los Santos	0	1	4.32	9	0	0	0	1	8.1	6	6	4	1	1	0	1	5	0	5	5	0	.194
Devine	0	0	13.50	3	0	0	0	0	2.2	2	4	4	0	0	0	0	3	0	2	1	0	.200
Doolittle	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	1.1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	.200
Figueroa	1	0	0.00	7	0	0	0	0	7.0	4	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	5	0	0	.167
Fuentes	0	0	6.43	7	0	0	0	0	7.0	6	5	5	2	0	0	0	4	0	5	0	0	.231
Godfrey	1	2	5.09	6	4	0	0	0	17.2	19	10	10	2	0	0	0	6	0	13	1	0	.268
Gonzalez	0	0	15.00	2	0	0	0	0	3.0	6	5	5	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	.429
Gray	0	0	5.40	2	0	0	0	0	3.1	3	3	2	0	0	1	0	4	0	1	0	0	.273
Hernandez	0	0	27.00	1	0	0	0	0	0.1	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.667
Hunter, B.	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.143
McCarthy	0	0	4.63	3	3	0	0	0	11.2	13	9	6	0	1	2	0	4	0	6	0	0	.283
Miller	0	0	4.91	4	0	0	0	0	3.2	3	3	2	0	0	0	0	5	0	5	1	0	.200
Milone	2	1	4.91	5	4	0	0	0	14.2	13	9	8	3	0	1	0	1	0	12	0	0	.232
Norberto	1	0	3.38	10	0	0	0	0	10.2	11	5	4	1	0	1	0	4	0	12	1	0	.256
Parker, J.	2	1	3.27	4	3	0	0	0	11.0	6	4	4	0	0	0	1	13	0	9	1	0	.162
Peacock	0	1	12.86	3	2	0	0	0	7.0	12	11	10	0	0	1	0	4	0	4	2	0	.375
Ross	2	1	1.80	5	5	0	0	0	15.0	15	4	3	0	0	0	0	7	0	10	0	0	.263
Schlichting	2	0	5.40	6	1	0	0	1	11.2	12	7	7	1	0	0	0	3	0	7	0	0	.261
Scribner	1	0	1.38	8	0	0	0	1	13.0	10	2	2	0	0	0	2	3	0	10	0	0	.213
Souza	0	0	4.50	3	0	0	0	1	2.0	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	.375
Thornton	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	.250
Threets	0	0	1.17	7	0	0	0	1	7.2	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	8	2	0	.231
Treinen	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000
Wagner	0	0	13.50	5	0	0	0	1	5.1	11	8	8	2	0	1	0	2	0	4	0	0	.458
Walz	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
<b>TEAM</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>4.44</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>213.0</b>	<b>203</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.250</b>
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>4.99</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>211.0</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>.284</b>

# APRIL STATISTICS

PLAYER	AVG	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	IBB	SO	SB	CS	GI				E	SLG	OBP
																			DP						
Allen,B	.000	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
Barton,D	.184	18	49	3	9	16	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	7	0	11	0	0	1	0	0	.327	.286		
+Cespedes,Y	.250	23	84	8	21	40	4	0	5	19	0	1	3	8	0	24	4	2	3	0	0	.476	.333		
+Cowgill,C	.000	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	.000	.429		
Crisp,C	.206	17	63	5	13	14	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	6	0	9	4	0	1	1	0	.222	.275		
+Donaldson,	.094	9	32	0	3	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	13	1	0	0	0	3	.094	.094		
Gomes,J	.216	13	37	6	8	20	0	0	4	7	0	0	1	7	0	16	1	0	0	0	0	.541	.356		
Hughes,L	.130	8	23	0	3	3	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	0	3	.130	.125		
OAK	.077	4	13	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	3	.077	.077		
Inge,B	.130	10	23	2	3	7	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	.304	.167		
OAK	.333	1	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.333	.500		
Kaaihue,K	.289	15	45	4	13	15	2	0	0	2	0	0	1	2	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	.333	.333		
Pennington	.200	23	85	6	17	22	5	0	0	3	0	0	1	4	0	12	3	1	0	2	0	.259	.244		
+Recker,A	.273	6	11	2	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	.364	.429		
Reddick,J	.277	23	94	12	26	45	7	0	4	9	0	0	1	2	0	14	2	0	3	0	0	.479	.299		
Rosales,A	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
Smith,S	.197	23	61	8	12	18	0	0	2	5	0	1	2	13	1	15	1	1	0	0	0	.295	.351		
Sogard,E	.152	13	46	5	7	14	1	0	2	6	1	0	0	4	0	8	1	0	0	2	0	.304	.220		
Suzuki,K	.228	22	79	4	18	24	6	0	0	8	0	1	0	1	0	13	0	0	1	1	0	.304	.235		
Weeks,J	.181	23	94	10	17	29	4	1	2	3	0	0	0	10	0	14	4	2	1	4	0	.309	.260		
Balfour,G	.000	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
Blevins,J	.000	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
+Carignan,A	.000	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
Colon,B	.000	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000	.000		
+Cook,R	.000	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
De Los Santos	.000	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
+Figueroa,P	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
Fuentes,B	.000	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
+Godfrey,G	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
McCarthy,B	.000	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
+Miller,J	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
+Milone,T	.000	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
Norberto,J	.000	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000	.000		
+Parker,J	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
Ross,T	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
Thompson,R	.000	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
OAK	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000		
PITCHERS	.000	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	.000	.000		
<b>OAKLAND</b>	<b>.209</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>807</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>266</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>.330</b>	<b>.280</b>			
<b>OPPONENT</b>	<b>.245</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>815</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>316</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>.388</b>	<b>.305</b>			

PITCHER	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	GFSHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	HR	HB	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK	AVG	OPP	
																					E	OBP
Balfour,G	0	1	3.46	13	0	0	10	0	6	13.0	7	5	5	3	0	4	1	10	0	0	.156	
Blevins,J	0	0	1.93	8	0	0	2	0	0	9.1	9	4	2	2	0	3	1	6	0	0	.290	
+Carignan,	1	1	6.23	5	0	0	3	0	0	4.1	4	3	3	0	0	5	0	3	1	0	.267	
Colon,B	3	2	2.53	6	6	0	0	0	0	42.2	34	12	12	3	0	6	0	26	0	0	.214	
+Cook,R	0	0	0.00	9	0	0	0	0	0	10.0	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	8	2	0	.034	
De Los Santos	0	0	3.00	6	0	0	2	0	0	3.0	7	2	1	0	0	3	0	3	1	0	.412	
+Figueroa,	0	0	0.00	3	0	0	1	0	0	3.0	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	.222	
Fuentes,B	1	0	4.15	9	0	0	1	0	0	8.2	9	4	4	1	0	1	0	8	1	0	.250	
+Godfrey,G	0	3	5.06	3	3	0	0	0	0	16.0	15	11	9	2	2	7	0	7	0	0	.250	
McCarthy,	1	3	3.23	6	6	0	0	0	0	39.0	45	17	14	3	1	10	1	22	0	0	.292	
+Miller,J	1	0	2.08	3	0	0	3	0	0	4.1	3	1	1	1	0	2	1	3	0	0	.200	
+Milone,T	3	2	3.69	5	5	0	0	0	0	31.2	25	14	13	4	1	7	0	18	0	0	.216	
Norberto,	0	0	5.23	8	0	0	1	0	0	10.1	9	6	6	1	0	6	2	7	0	0	.243	
+Parker,J	0	0	1.42	1	1	0	0	0	0	6.1	7	1	1	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	.304	
Ross,T	1	1	6.48	3	3	0	0	0	0	16.2	22	12	12	0	0	6	0	8	1	0	.333	
Thompson,	0	1	12.00	3	0	0	3	0	0	3.0	6	4	4	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	.400	
<b>OAKLAND</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>3.41</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>219.0</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.245</b>	
<b>OPPONENTS</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2.79</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>219.0</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>70</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.209</b>	