

2013 Oakland A's



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A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	9-2 (April 12)
Season Low	0-2 (April 2)
April	9-2
May	0-0
June	0-0
July	0-0
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	0-0-1
Road Series	2-0-0
Series Sweeps	2-0
First Game of Series	3-1
Last Game of Series	3-0
A's Score First	7-1
Opponent Scores First	2-1
Leading After 7 th	8-0
Leading After 8 th	8-0
Tied After 7 th	1-0
Tied After 8 th	1-0
Trailing After 7 th	0-2
Trailing After 8 th	0-2
Commit No Errors	6-1
Commit 1 or More Errors	3-1
More HR Than Opp.	7-0
Fewer HR Than Opp.	0-1
Same Total HR of Opp.	2-1
Starter Pitches 7 or More	3-1
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	6-1
When Scoring 4 or More	9-0
When Scoring Less Than 4	0-2
Last At Bat	1-0
Different Lineups	10

ATHLETICS BEST STARTS

11 Games	12 Games
11-0 (1981)	11-1 (1981)
9-2 (2013)	9-3 (1992)
9-2 (1990)	9-3 (1990)
9-2 (1913)	9-3 (1980)
8-3 (6 times)	9-3 (1978)
	9-3 (1913)

A's vs. TIGERS

The A's won the first meeting of 2013 last night after losing the season series to Detroit last year, 3-4...met again in the ALDS, which the A's lost in five games...the Tigers were one of two American League teams the A's had a losing record against (Kansas City, 4-5)...lost two of three in Detroit and split four games in Oakland...over the previous six years, the A's have won two season series, lost two and split two...are 28-24 against Detroit since 2007...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 240-232 against the Tigers...that includes 135-103 in Oakland, 103-127 in Detroit and 2-2 in Las Vegas...all-time, the A's are 908-985 against the Tigers

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Grant Balfour has converted each of his last 19 saves.

Coco Crisp is tied for the ML lead in runs (14)...has a nine-game hitting streak (16 for 41, .390).

Josh Donaldson has four straight multiple hit games (8 for 19, .421).

Jed Lowrie has reached base safely via hit or walk in all 11 games (17 for 44, .386).

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1968** the Oakland A's win their first game, a 9-6 victory at Washington...Chuck Dobson pitches six innings for the win and Sal Bando homers and drives in four runs...in **1994** the A's draw 12 walks for the second consecutive game, tying what was then a club record for walks in a game...Mark McGwire walks in his first four at bats of the A's 8-7, 12 inning win...Oakland also collects 18 hits and strands 20 base runners.

OAKLAND ATHLETICS (9-2) VS. DETROIT TIGERS (5-5)

SATURDAY, APRIL 13, 2013 – O.CO COLISEUM – 1:05 P.M. PDT
LHP BRETT ANDERSON (1-1, 1.38) VS. RHP JUSTIN VERLANDER (1-1, 2.19)
CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME) – EN ESPAÑOL (KIQI 1010 AM)

ABOUT THE A's

ABOUT THE A'S: Have won nine straight after losing the first two games of the season...the A's 9-2 record is the best in the American League, second best in the majors (Atlanta, 9-1) and **tied for the second best mark in Athletics history after 11 games** (see chart on left)...are in sole possession of first place in the American League West for the third consecutive day and have held at least a share of first place in each of the last seven days...spent just one day in first last year and that was the final day of the season...lead the West by two games, which is the A's largest lead since April 25, 2010 when they also led by two games...this is the A's 46th season in Oakland where they have won 15 American League West titles, one AL Wild Card, six AL pennants and four World Championships in Oakland...only the New York Yankees (18) and Atlanta Braves (16) have more division titles than the A's...since the A's moved to Oakland in 1968, only the Yankees (11) and Cardinals (7) have more league championships and only the Yankees have more world championships (7).

NINE-GAME WINNING STREAK: The A's have won each of their last nine games, which matches the longest winning streak from last year (August 24-September 2)...it is the 14th winning streak of nine or more games in Oakland history...have not won 10 in a row since June 8-18, 2006...the winning streak is second longest in Oakland history among streaks that took place entirely in the month of April...the longest is 11 in 1981 (April 9-19)...have outscored the opposition 69-27 during the current streak...have trailed at the end of an inning just nine times...are batting .314 (105 for 334) with 27 doubles, one triple and 18 home runs (.563 slugging percentage)...the pitching staff has a 2.46 ERA (23 er in 84.0 ip).

WALK-OFFS: The A's had their first walk-off win of the season last night after tallying a Major League leading 14 last year...also played their first one-run game and extra inning game of 2013...went 11-5 (.688) in extra inning games last year, which was the second best record in the AL...were 25-18 (.581) in one-run games, which was third best.

A's OFFENSE: The A's lead the majors in runs (70), doubles (29), home runs (19), stolen bases (11), slugging (.505) and extra base hits (49), are tied for the lead in walks (42), rank second in hits (111) and on-base percentage (.356) and third in batting (.282)...the 19 home runs are second most in Athletics history over the first 11 games of the season (20 in 1994)...the 49 extra base hits are the most by an A's team over the first 11 games since at least 1916...the 70 runs scored are two more than their total for the entire month of April last year...they are the most in Oakland history over the first 11 games of the season since 1996 (77)...were held to eight hits last night, ending the A's Oakland record tying streak of eight consecutive games with 10 or more hits (also August 22-23, 2002).

A's PITCHING: The A's lead the American League and rank third in the majors with a 2.82 ERA...have allowed seven home runs, which is tied for third fewest in the AL...A's starting pitchers lead the majors in wins (7)...rank third in the AL in ERA (3.36) and innings (67.0)...the A's Opening Day starting rotation of Brett Anderson, Jarrod Parker, Tommy Milone, A.J. Griffin and Dan Straily had an average age of 25.03 years...according to Stats, Inc., that was the youngest in the majors by over a year and a half (Miami, 26.62)...however, Bartolo Colón replaced Dan Straily in the rotation a week ago today, increasing the average age of the rotation to over 28...Jarrod Parker had a no decision Tuesday night, ending the A's season-opening streak of seven consecutive games with a decision by the starting pitcher...that was the longest such streak by an A's team since the 1989 club had a decision in each of the first 12 games.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 1-0 on this six-game homestand against Detroit (1-0) and Houston (three games) after going 2-2 on the first homestand against Seattle...went 6-0 on the last road trip to Houston (3-0) and Los Angeles (3-0)...it was the third undefeated road trip of six or more games in Oakland history...had a 10-0 trip August 19-28, 2002 (Cleveland 4, Detroit 3, Kansas City 3) and an 8-0 trip April 9-16, 1981 (Minnesota 4, California 4)...this marks the first time the A's have won their first six road games since 1990 when they won their first eight...scored 51 runs on the trip, which was second most in Oakland history for a six-game road trip...scored 52 runs against Minnesota and Kansas City, July 18-23, 2001.

DURING THE SPRING: The A's went 17-13-3 (.561) this spring, which was the third best record in the Cactus League and sixth best in the majors...went 15-7-2 last spring and posted a winning record in consecutive springs for the first time since 2007 (17-12-2) and 2008 (18-8)...A's pitchers walked just 84 batters, which was the fewest in the majors...the offense ranked second in the majors in on-base percentage (.367) and walks (134), fourth in runs (203) and seventh in batting (.287) and hit by pitches (15).

ROSTER NOTES: The A's had two rookies on the Opening Day Roster (Freiman, Straily) after having seven last year...now have just one after Straily was optioned a week ago today...three players had six or more years of service (Balfour, Crisp, Young)...that matched the A's fewest players with six or years more service since 1997 (1997, 2001, 2008)...now have four with the addition of Colón...of the 25 players on the A's Opening Day roster, only seven played for the A's prior to last season...only Jerry Blevins played for the A's prior to 2009 (2007)...the average age on the A's Opening Day roster was 28.03 years...according to Stats, Inc., that was the youngest roster in the American League and second youngest in the majors (Atlanta, 27.79).

LOCKED UP: The A's have two players under contract beyond the 2013 season...Hiroyuki Nakajima is signed through 2014 with a club option for 2015 and Yoenis Céspedes is signed through 2015...Brett Anderson has club options for 2014 and 2015 and Coco Crisp and Chris Young have club options for 2014.

THE DISABLED LIST: The A's have four players on the disabled list (Nakajima, Rodriguez, Rosales, Sizemore)...Rodriguez (sprained right elbow), Rosales (strained left intercostal) and Nakajima (strained left hamstring) began the season on the DL...Sizemore (torn left ACL) was added Wednesday...Rodriguez and Sizemore will both miss the remainder of the season...the A's have not had fewer than two players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season when they had just one...used the DL 21 times last year, the fourth time in the last six years they used it at least 20 times.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Sun., April 14 vs. DET	RHP Jarrod Parker (0-1, 6.48) vs. RHP Anibal Sanchez (1-0, 1.50)	1:05 CSNCA
Mon., April 15 vs. HOU	LHP Tommy Milone (2-0, 4.50) vs. LHP Erik Bedard (0-0, 0.00)	7:05 CSNCA
Tue., April 16 vs. HOU	RHP A.J. Griffin (2-0, 1.93) vs. RHP Brad Peacock (1-1, 4.82)	7:05 CSNCA
Wed., April 17 vs. HOU	RHP Bartolo Colón (1-0, 4.15) vs. RHP Bud Norris (2-1, 1.96)	12:35

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TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Brett Anderson (1-1, 1.38 ERA)

ANDERSON BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2013	1	1	1.38	2	13.0	2
2012	4	2	2.57	6	35.0	10
Career	26	26	3.50	70	419.0	163
Home	0	1	2.57	1	7.0	2
Road	1	0	0.00	1	6.0	0
Day	1	0	0.00	1	6.0	0
Night	0	1	2.57	1	7.0	2
Pre-ASB	1	1	1.38	2	13.0	2
Post-ASB	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
	AVG.	AB	H			
vs. LHH	.091	11	1			
vs. RHH	.222	36	8			

RUN SUPPORT

Anderson	Runs Scored	Times
0	1	0
1	0	0
2	0	0
3	0	0
4	0	0
5	0	0
6	0	0
7	0	0
8	1	0
9	0	0
10	0	0
Run Support Avg.	5.54	

ANDERSON vs. DETROIT

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2012	0	1	11.57	1	2.1	3
2011	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Career	2	2	3.78	4	16.2	7

Anderson's Starts vs. Detroit

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
5/15/09	A	L	3.1	6	9	3	2	1
6/29/09	H	W	5.1	4	1	1	4	7
5/29/10	A	W	5.2	3	0	0	0	4
9/19/12	A	L	2.1	3	3	3	3	1

Detroit Career Batting vs. Anderson

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Cabrera	.429	7	3	0	3	0
Dirks	1.000	1	1	0	0	0
Felder	.000	1	0	0	1	0
Garcia	.000	1	0	0	0	0
Hunter	.438	16	7	2	2	2
Infante	.500	2	1	0	0	0
Jackson	.200	5	1	0	0	2
Martinez	.500	4	2	0	1	0
Pena	.200	5	1	0	0	3
Peralta	.000	6	0	0	0	2
Tuiasosopo	.000	7	0	0	0	4

ANDERSON'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	2, 7/6/09 at BOS
IP:	9.0 (twice), last: 5/5/11 vs. CLE
Fewest IP, GS:	2.0 (twice), 8/27/10 at TEX
H:	11, 5/31/11 vs. NYY
R:	10, 5/31/11 vs. NYY
ER:	9, 5/31/11 vs. NYY
BB:	4 (six times), last: 4/1/13 vs. SEA
SO:	10 (twice), last: 4/7/13 at HOU
HR:	3 (twice), last: 4/30/11 vs. TEX
Win Streak:	4 (3 times), last: 8/21/12 to 9/8/12
Loss Streak:	4 (twice), last: 8/10/10 to 9/1/10
Scoreless Streak:	23.0, 7/6/09 to 7/24/09
Complete Games:	2, last: 4/8/11 at MIN
Shutouts:	1, 7/6/09 at BOS

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...the A's were 4-2 (.667) in his starting assignments last year and are 32-38 (.457) in his career...tossed at least six innings in five of his six starts in 2012, allowed one run or fewer four times and walked two batters or fewer five times.

OPENING DAY STARTER: Made the first Opening Day start of his career April 1 against Seattle...became the eighth different Opening Day starter for the A's in the last eight years (McCarthy, Cahill, Sheets, Braden, Blanton, Haren, Zito).

FIRST START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 2-0 loss to Seattle on Opening Day in Oakland April 1...issued a career-high tying four walks (sixth time, first since May 16, 2011 vs. Los Angeles-AL)...struck out the side in the first inning to become the first A's pitcher since at least 1947 to strike out the side in the first inning on Opening Day...blanked the Mariners on two hits and two walks over the first four innings...then allowed a two-run single to Gutierrez in the fifth...Hernandez, Furbush, Pryor and Wilhelmsen combined to shutout the A's on three hits.

LAST START: He was the winning pitcher in the A's 9-3 win at Houston last Sunday...struck out a career-high tying 10 batters in 6.0 innings (also September 18, 2009 vs. Cleveland)...now has 16 strikeouts for the season, which are tied for fifth in the American League...blanked the Astros on three hits and a walk over the first five innings...had an 8-0 lead when he allowed two unearned runs in the sixth...loaded the bases with no outs but then struck out each of the next two batters before a Lowrie error allowed two runs to score.

ANDERSON vs. DETROIT: Is 2-2 with a 3.78 ERA (16.2 ip, 16 h, 13 r, 7 er, 9 bb, 13 so, 1 hr) in four career regular season appearances, all starts...is 1-2 with a 4.76 ERA (6 er in 11.1 ip) in three starts at Comerica Park and 1-0 with a 1.69 ERA (1 er in 5.1 ip) in one start in Oakland...was the losing pitcher in his only start last year, a 6-2 A's loss at Detroit September 19...retired six of the first seven batters he faced...then allowed a two-run double to Infante in the third inning...intentionally walked Cabrera and then walked Fielder to load the bases with one out...left the game after 2.1 innings with a strained right oblique...also made one postseason start in the 2012 ALDS and was the winning pitcher in Game 3 in Oakland on October 9 (6.0 ip, 2 h, 2 bb, 6 so)...combined with Cook, Doolittle and Balfour on a four-hit shutout in the A's 2-0 win...at the age of 24 years and 251 days, he became the fifth youngest pitcher in Oakland history and the seventh youngest in Athletics history to win a postseason game...both of the hits he allowed came in the second inning on back-to-back singles by Young and Peralta...did not allow any other runners into scoring position.

THIS SPRING: Was 1-0 with a 6.75 ERA (12.0 ip, 16 h, 11 r, 9 er, 3 bb, 7 so, 3 hr) in four games, all starts...also pitched in a minor league game against the Cubs March 16 (5.0 ip, 5 h, 2 r, 2 er, 4 bb, 3 so) and started and won in the exhibition game against Italy's WBC team March 5 (3.0 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 3 so)...faced just two batters March 10 against Arizona before leaving the game with a strained right trapezius...allowed a .314 (16 for 51) opponents batting average.

2012 RECAP: Completed his rehab from "Tommy John" surgery in late August and made six starts before his regular season ended when he strained his right oblique Sept. 19...went 4-2 with a 2.57 ERA and .225 opponents batting average...allowed just one home run in 35.0 innings.

OPPONENTS BATTING: His opponents batting average included a .219 (7-for-32) mark against left-handed hitters compared to .227 (22-for-97) against right-handers...had 22 of his 25 strikeouts against righties...allowed a .148 average with runners in scoring position...opponents were 0-for-10 with RISP and two outs...has held the opposition to a .211 (46-for-218) batting average with runners in scoring position over his last four seasons after allowing a .314 mark in his rookie campaign of 2009...had a .194 opponents batting average the first two times through the lineup, .323 with his only home run after that...walked just one batter to lead off an inning.

SPLITS: Was 2-0 with a 1.38 ERA in his two starts in Oakland compared to 2-2 with a 3.27 ERA in four starts on the road...logged a 3-1 record, a 1.61 ERA and .188 opponents batting average in four starts at night compared to 1-1 with a 4.26 ERA and .286 opponents average in two starts during the day.

ON THE BASES: Had one pickoff and now has 14 in his 70 career starts...opponents were 1-for-2 in stolen bases attempts...they are now 15-for-28 (53.6%) over the last four years after going 14-for-18 (77.8%) during his rookie campaign.

RUN SUPPORT: Received no run support in each of his two losses...is now 2-22 in 35 career starts with run support of fewer than three runs, 24-4 in 35 starts with support of three runs or more.

MORE 2012: Was reinstated from the disabled list Aug. 20 and started the next day against Minnesota...allowed just one run in 7.0 innings for the win...it was his first start since June 5, 2011 at Boston and his first win since May 26, 2011 at Los Angeles (AL)...combined with Cook and Balfour on a two-hit shutout in his second start, a 3-0 win at Cleveland Aug. 27...tossed 7.0 innings and allowed both of the hits...allowed one run in each of his next two starts to become the first Athletics pitcher since at least 1918 to begin his season with four consecutive starts of one run or fewer...won each of his first four starts to become the first Oakland pitcher to start the season by winning at least his first four starts since Dave Stewart had six wins in his first six starts in 1990...the four-game winning streak matched the longest of his career (third time, last: Sept. 6 to Oct. 2, 2010)...had a 0.69 ERA, a .185 opponents batting average and three walks in 26.0 innings over his first four starts...then lost each of his final two starts, logging an 8.00 ERA, a .324 opponents batting average and four walks in 9.0 innings...left his final start Sept. 19 at Detroit after just 2.1 innings with the oblique injury...returned to start and win Game 3 of the ALDS against Detroit in Oakland...combined with Cook, Doolittle and Balfour on a four-hit shutout in the A's 2-0 win...tossed 6.0 innings and allowed two of the hits (2 bb, 6 so).

ANDERSON'S 2013 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 1	SEA	0-2	L	2.57	7.0	4	2	2	4	6	0	108
April 7	at HOU	9-3	W	1.38	6.0	5	2	0	2	10	0	92

ANDERSON'S 2013 SPRING STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	
Feb. 28	at CHI	3-5	--	0.00	2.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	
March 10	ARI	7-5	--	4.50	0.0	1	2	1	0	0	0	
March 21	at CIN	10-9	W	9.45	4.2	8	6	6	2	5	2	
March 26	at CLE	7-6 (10)	--	6.75	5.1	6	3	2	1	1	1	
Totals (4 games, 4 starts)				1-0	6.75	12.0	16	11	9	3	7	3

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

RHP Jarrod Parker (0-1, 6.48 ERA): Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...had a no decision in his last start, a 9-5 A's win at Los Angeles on Tuesday (3.1 ip, 9 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 1 so)...was the losing pitcher in his only career regular season appearance against Detroit, a 3-1 A's loss in Oakland last year on May 13 (5.2 ip, 6 h, 2 r, 2 er, 4 bb, 5 so)...also started and lost Games 1 and 5 of the 2012 ALDS against Verlander...was 0-2 with a 7.45 ERA (19.1 ip, 25 h, 18 r, 16 er, 5 bb, 13 so, 5 hr) in five games, all starts, this spring...went 13-8 with a 3.47 ERA in 29 starts last year...tied with fellow rookie Tommy Milone for the team lead in wins as they both set an Oakland record for wins by a rookie...the previous mark of 12 was held by Chris Codiroli (1983) and Joe Blanton (2005).

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

2-0, 1.80 ERA (35.0 ip, 27 h, 9 r, 7 er, 10 bb, 31 so, 1 hr)

Save/Save Opportunities: 1/2 (50.0%)

The A's bullpen has allowed one earned run or fewer in 10 of the first 11 games...including each of the past nine contests (4 er in 29.0 ip, 1.24 ERA)...has a 1.80 ERA, which is the lowest in the American League...has the second lowest opponents on-base percentage (.264) and fourth lowest batting average (.206) and slugging percentage (.328)...has yielded the fewest home runs (1)...has allowed 4 of 16 (25.0%) inherited runners to score, which is tied for fourth best...compiled a 2.90 ERA last year, which was second lowest in the AL and ninth lowest in Oakland history...it was the lowest since the 1990 club had an Oakland record 2.35 ERA...also had the second lowest opponents batting average (.209), on-base percentage (.293) and slugging percentage (.334) in the AL.

50 RHP GRANT BALFOUR

Save/Opportunities: 1-1

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0

First Hitters: 2-4 (0 bb)

- Recorded his first save of the season a week ago tonight...has converted each of his last 19 save opportunities dating back to last season, which is tied for the sixth longest streak in Oakland history...his last blown save came on April 29, 2012 at Baltimore.
- Is in his 10th season in the majors...is on his fifth consecutive Opening Day roster (2011-13 with Oakland, 2009-10 with Tampa Bay).
- Posted a 2.25 ERA in four spring training appearances...opponents were 2 for 14 (.143) with no walks in 4.0 innings...had arthroscopic surgery February 14 to perform a lateral meniscectomy of his right knee and did not pitch in a Cactus League game until March 21.
- Did not allow a run in two appearances against Detroit last year (1.2 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 2 so)...is 3-2 with a 2.54 ERA in 28 outings in his career (28.1 ip, 20 h, 8 r, 8 er, 14 bb, 37 so, 3 hr).
- Had two stints as the A's closer in 2012 and saved a team-leading 24 games in a team-high 75 appearances while posting a 2.53 ERA...was charged with just two blown saves and his save percentage of 92.3 ranked fourth in the American League...was 10th in saves.

13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS

Save/Opportunities: 0-1

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.2 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/2

First Hitters: 2-5 (1 bb, 1 sf)

- Has appeared in seven of the A's 11 games and has not allowed a run (6.1 ip, 4 h, 1 bb, 9 so)...is tied for the Major League lead in appearances and tied for fifth among ML relievers in strikeouts.
- Is in his seventh Major League season, all with Oakland, and is on his fifth consecutive Opening Day roster.
- Compiled a 2.45 ERA and .250 opponents batting average in seven spring games...did not allow an earned run over his final six outings (6.2 ip).
- Had a 2.70 ERA in four games against Detroit last season (3.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 1 so, 1 hr)...has a 4.32 ERA in nine career appearances (8.1 ip, 10 h, 5 r, 4 er, 4 bb, 8 so, 1 hr).
- Completed his sixth season in an Oakland uniform last year, but it was just his second full season (2010)...was 5-1 with a save, a 2.48 ERA and a .201 opponents batting average in 63 relief appearances...the ERA and opponents batting average were the lowest marks of his career.

48 RHP RYAN COOK

Save/Opportunities: 0-0

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/1

First Hitters: 0-5 (0 bb)

- Earned his first win of the season Tuesday night.
- Is tied for eighth among American League relievers in strikeouts (7).
- Has a 0.63 ERA (1 er in 14.1 ip) in 13 career appearances in the month of April, his best ERA for any month of the season.
- Was 1-1 with a 6.14 ERA in nine spring training appearances...did not allow a run over his final six outings (4.2 ip).
- Has not allowed a run in three career appearances against the Tigers (3.2 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 3 so).
- Was the A's lone representative to the American League All-Star team last year as a 25-year-old rookie...went 6-2 with 14 saves, a 2.09 ERA and .166 opponents batting average in 71 appearances...tied the Oakland rookie record for games pitched and had the third best save total.

62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE

Save/Opportunities: 0-0

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Detroit (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0

First Hitters: 0-5 (0 bb)

- Has not allowed a run in five appearances (5.0 ip, 2 h, 2 so) and has held opponents to a .118 (2 for 17) batting average.
- Is on his first career Opening Day roster.
- Was 2-0 with a 2.35 ERA and .222 opponents batting average in eight spring games...issued just one walk in 7.2 innings while striking out 10.
- Has faced Detroit twice in his career (2.0 ip, 2 so).
- Made his Major League debut with the A's last year after just 17 professional appearances as a pitcher...was 2-1 with a save and a 3.04 ERA in 44 appearances with Oakland...struck out 60 batters in just 47.1 innings, an average of 11.41 per nine innings.

47 RHP PAT NESHEK

Save/Opportunities: 0-0

Last Outing: 4/10 at Los Angeles (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 1 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/1

First Hitters: 3-5 (0 bb)

- Has made five appearances and allowed five runs (three earned) in 2.2 innings...is tied for fifth among American League relievers in walks (4) and tied for seventh in hits allowed (7).
- Is in his seventh season in the majors and is on his fifth Opening Day roster (2007-08 and 2010 with Minnesota, 2011 with San Diego).
- Did not allow a run in nine spring training appearances (8.1 ip) and has not allowed a run in 19 games (17.1 ip) over the last two springs...allowed a .233 opponents batting average this spring.
- Had a win in two outings against the Tigers last year (2.0 ip, 2 h, 2 so)...is 3-2 with a 4.29 ERA in 21 career games (21.0 ip, 21 h, 10 r, 10 er, 6 bb, 27 so, 3 hr).
- Was acquired from the Baltimore Orioles organization last year on Aug. 3 for cash considerations after going 3-2 with 11 saves and a 2.66 ERA in 35 appearances at Triple-A Norfolk...then went 2-1 with a 1.37 ERA and .147 opponents batting average in 24 appearances with the A's.

44 RHP CHRIS RESOP

Save/Opportunities: 0-0

Last Outing: 4/12 vs. Detroit (W, 0.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 7/0

First Hitters: 0-6 (0 bb)

- Recorded his first win of the season last night.
- Has allowed 0 of 7 inherited runners to score, which is the second most in the majors without allowing a score.
- Has appeared in six of the A's 11 games and has not allowed a run (5.1 ip, 3 h, 5 so)...is tied for second among AL relievers in appearances.
- Is in his eighth Major League season and is on his fifth Opening Day roster (2006 with Florida, 2008 with Atlanta and 2011-12 with Pittsburgh).
- Was acquired from Pittsburgh on November 30, 2012 for minor league pitcher Zach Thornton.
- Did not allow a run or walk a batter in eight games this spring (9.0 ip)...opponents were 6 for 30 (.200).
- Has a win and a loss in five appearances in his career against Detroit (5.0 ip, 4 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 4 so, 5.40 ERA).
- Spent the entire 2012 season with Pittsburgh, posting a 1-4 record, one save and a 3.91 ERA in 61 relief appearances...had career-highs in innings pitched (73.2), hits (81) and runs (35) and matched his high in saves and losses...tied for seventh among NL relievers in innings.

58 RHP EVAN SCRIBNER

Save/Opportunities: 0-0

Last Outing: 4/11 at Los Angeles (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)

Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/0

First Hitters: 0-5 (0 bb)

- Has appeared in five games and tossed 6.1 innings...the innings are tied for seventh most among American League relievers.
- Had a save and a 6.55 ERA in 10 games this spring...opponents hit .354, but he walked just two while striking out 12 in 11.0 innings.
- Has made two career appearances against the Tigers, both last year (2.0 ip, 3 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 1 so).
- Split the 2012 season between Oakland and Triple-A Sacramento...was 2-0 with a save, a 2.55 ERA and .221 opponents batting average in 30 relief appearances over three stints with the A's...posted a 3-0 record, eight saves and a 3.03 ERA in 26 games with the River Cats.

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

52 YOENIS CÉSPEDES

Career vs. Verlander (.667, 2-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)

Current Streak: 0 for 3

Detroit Series: 0-2, 2 bb, so, cs

Last Road Trip: 5-24, 5 r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, 3 bb, 8 so

- Is 5 for 15 (.333) over his last four games after starting the season 3 for 25 (.120).
- Went 0 for 2 last night after hitting safely in all eight of his games against Detroit last year (three regular season, five in ALDS).
- Had his career-high tying streak of four consecutive games with an RBI snapped a week ago tonight (also: June 26-29, 2012).
- Batted .295 in 22 games this spring and led the A's in home runs (6) and RBI (15)...tied for fifth in the Cactus League in home runs.
- Batted a team-leading .292 with 23 home runs and 82 RBI in 129 games in his first year in the United States last year as a 26-year-old rookie from Cuba...also led the A's in on-base percentage (.356) and slugging (.505)...the batting average was second best by an Oakland rookie.

4 COCO CRISP	Career vs. Verlander (.364, 8-22, 0 HR, 0 BB, 3 SO)	Current Streak: 9 games (16 for 41)
Detroit Series: 2-4, rbi, so, 2 sb	Last Road Trip: 11-28, 10 r, 4 2b, 4 hr, 6 rbi, 5 bb, 2 so, 2 sb, cs	

- Went 2 for 4 last night before leaving the game after nine innings with a strained left groin...it was his sixth multiple hit game of the season, which is tied for second in the American League...has now hit safely in each of his last nine games (16 for 41, .390).
- Had his career-high tying streak of eight consecutive games with a run end last night...is tied for the Major League lead in runs (14).
- Is tied for the AL lead in extra base hits (9), ranks second in total bases (33), tied for second in stolen bases (4), tied for third in doubles (5) and home runs (4) and tied for fifth in hits (16).
- Is a .322 (108 for 335) career hitter against Detroit, which is his best average against any AL team.
- Is one of three Athletics (Donaldson, Lowrie) to start each of the first 11 games (nine in center field, two at designated hitter).
- Stole his second base of the season Wednesday night at Los Angeles...it was his 122nd with the A's, moving him past Mike Davis for seventh in Oakland history...now has 124 (Canseco is sixth, 135)...has been successful in 124 of 141 (87.9%) stolen base attempts with the A's, which is the best percentage in Athletics history.
- Homered in a career-high four consecutive games from last Friday through Tuesday...is the first leadoff hitter in Oakland history to homer in four straight games...the last Athletic to do it was Wally Moses (July 21-23, 1937).
- Homered and doubled in all three games at Houston last weekend to become the second player in Oakland history with both a double and a home run in three consecutive games (Matt Stairs, August 14-16, 1997).
- Hit .296 in 19 spring training games...stole a team-leading four bases, which tied for ninth in the Cactus League.
- Batted .259 with 11 home runs, 46 RBI and a team-leading 39 stolen bases in 120 games last year...it was his third career 30-steal season...ranked third in the American League in batting with RISP (.367), fourth in stolen bases and fifth in stolen base percentage (90.7%).

20 JOSH DONALDSON	Career vs. Verlander (.200, 1-5, 0 HR, 1 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 4 games (8 for 19)
Detroit Series: 2-5, 2 r, 2b, hr, rbi	Last Road Trip: 8-26, 5 r, 2b, hr, 6 rbi, 2 bb, 3 so, 2 gidp	

- Had his first career game-ending RBI last, a home run in the bottom of the 12th inning...has now homered in back-to-back games.
- Has four straight multiple hit games (8 for 19, .421), the first time he has put together more than two straight multiple hit games in his career...went 3 for 25 (.120) over his first seven games.
- Is one of three Athletics (Crisp, Lowrie) to start each of the first 11 games, all at third base.
- Grounded into his fifth double play of the season last Sunday, which is the most in the majors...had six GIDP in 75 games all last year.
- Batted .300 with three home runs and 10 RBI in 22 games this spring...including .455 with all of his home runs and RBI over his final 11 games.
- Was moved to third base following the injury to Scott Sizemore at the start of Spring Training last year and made the A's Opening Day roster...hit .241 in 75 games over three stints with the A's, including .290 with eight home runs and 26 RBI in 47 games during his final stint.

7 NATE FREIMAN	Career vs. Verlander (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 10
Detroit Series: 0-1, so	Last Road Trip: 0-8, bb, 3 so	

- Is the only rookie on the A's roster (was one of two on the A's Opening Day roster along with Straily).
- Made his Major League debut with a start at first base April 3 against Seattle and had a RBI single off Joe Saunders in the second inning for his first ML hit...added another single in the fourth inning for his first multiple hit game...is 0 for 10 since then.
- Was claimed off waivers from Houston March 23...the Astros selected him in the Rule 5 draft from San Diego so he must remain on the A's roster all year or be exposed to waivers and offered back to the Padres.
- Hit .241 with a home run and nine RBI in 25 games this spring, including .167 with two RBI in six games with the A's.
- Batted .298 with 24 home runs and 105 RBI in 137 games with Double-A San Antonio last year...was a Texas League Postseason All-Star after leading the league in hits (154) and RBI while ranking second in extra base hits (56), third in home runs and fourth in doubles (31).

5 JOHN JASO	Career vs. Verlander (.200, 2-10, 0 HR, 1 BB, 3 SO)	Current Streak: 6 games (9 for 24)
Detroit Series: 1-5, 2 so	Last Road Trip: 7-16, 5 r, hr, 5 rbi, bb, 2 so, sh, 2 gidp	

- Has hit safely in each of his last six games (9 for 24, .375), which is one short of the longest hitting streak of his career (7, June 27-July 4, 2012).
- Is 10 for 30 (.333) to start the season and has a .295 (36 for 122) career batting average in April, his best for any month of the season.
- Hit his first career pinch hit home run Tuesday night at Los Angeles, a three-run shot off Jepsen in the seventh inning to give the A's a 7-5 lead...is 7 for 19 (.368) with a home run and seven RBI in the pinch over the last two years after going 3 for 30 (.100) with one RBI over his first three seasons.
- Hit .238 with a team-leading three triples, no home runs and six RBI in 19 games this spring...tied for fourth in the Cactus League in triples.
- Was acquired from Seattle in a three-team trade in which the A's sent A.J. Cole, Blake Treinen and a PTBNL (Ian Krol) to Washington and the Nationals sent Michael Morse to the Mariners, January 16, 2013.
- Batted .276 with 10 home runs and 50 RBI in 108 games in his lone season with Seattle last year...added 56 walks for a .394 on-base percentage...had career-highs in batting, on-base percentage, slugging percentage (.456), doubles (19), home runs and RBI.

8 JED LOWRIE	Career vs. Verlander (.200, 1-5, 0 HR, 1 BB, 2 SO)	Current Streak: 3 games (4 for 14)
Detroit Series: 1-5, r, 2b, so	Last Road Trip: 10-26, 7 r, 2b, 2 hr, 5 rbi, 4 bb, 2 so, gidp	

- Has started each of the first 11 games at shortstop and has reached base via hit or walk in all 11 contests.
- Is tied for the Major League lead in doubles (6)...is tied for the American League lead in extra base hits (9), ranks third in total bases (32) and tied for third in hits (17) and runs (11).
- Is batting .386 and now has a .320 (72 for 225) career batting average in April, his best average for any month of the season
- His 17 hits are the most by an Athletic over the first 11 games of the season since 1997 when Geronimo Berroa had 19.
- Had back-to-back three-hit games for the first time in his career last Saturday and Sunday in Houston...has three for the season, which is tied for the Major League lead.
- Hit .273 with 3 HR and 13 RBI in 21 spring training games...appeared in 13 games at shortstop, four at second base and four at third base.
- Was acquired from Houston February 4 with Fernando Rodriguez for Chris Carter, Brad Peacock and minor leaguer Max Stassi.
- Batted .244 with 16 home runs and 42 RBI in 97 games in his lone season with Houston last year...the home runs ranked third among National League shortstops...had career highs in games, at-bats (340), runs (43), hits (83), home runs and walks (43)...had two stints on the DL.

37 BRANDON MOSS	Career vs. Verlander (.000, 0-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 9
Detroit Series: 0-5, 4 so	Last Road Trip: 10-19, 6 r, 3b, 2 hr, 10 rbi, 5 bb, 2 so	

- Went 0 for 5 with a career-high four strikeouts last night...is now 1 for 16 with no RBI at home compared to 10 for 19 (.526) with two home runs and 10 RBI on the road.
- Is tied for fifth in the American League in RBI (10).
- Matched his career high with five RBI on Wednesday at Los Angeles (also September 29, 2012 vs. Seattle) after driving in four runs the night before.
- Batted .304 with a home run and eight RBI in 21 games this spring.
- Batted .291 with 21 home runs and 52 RBI in just 84 games with the A's last year after joining the club in June...the home runs were a career-high and tied for third most in American League history by a player with fewer than 90 games played...also had a career high in RBI.

3 HIRO NAKAJIMA	Current Streak: 0 games (0 for 0)
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- Begins the season on the disabled list as he was added to the 15-day DL March 30 retroactive to March 27 with a strained left hamstring.
- Batted .311 with 13 HR and 74 RBI in 136 games with Seibu in his final season in Japan last year...was honored with the Best Nine Award at shortstop for the second consecutive season and fourth time in his career...also won his second consecutive Gold Glove, his third overall.

36 DEREK NORRIS	Career vs. Verlander (.000, 0-2, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)	Current Streak: 0 for 1
Detroit Series: 0-1	Last Road Trip: 5-10, 3 r, 2b, 2 rbi, bb, so, hbp, sb	

- Flew out as a pinch hitter last night and is now 0 for 3 in three pinch hitting appearances.
- Has made four starts, all at catcher, and has hit safely in each game (6 for 13, .462).
- Hit .350 with five home runs and 12 RBI in 19 spring games...tied for seventh in Cactus League in home runs...led the A's in runs (14).
- Split the 2012 season between Triple-A Sacramento and Oakland...batted .271 with nine home runs and 38 RBI in 58 games with the River Cats and .201 with seven home runs and 34 RBI in 60 games in his Major League debut with the A's.

2013 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/ LEADER	GB AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	CUM. ATT.
3/31		OFF DAY				12	-½ HOU	½					
4/1	1	SEA	L	0-2	0-1	14	-1 HOU/LAA/SEA	1	Hernandez	Anderson	Wilhelmsen	36,067*	36,067
4/2	2	SEA	L	1-7	0-2	5	-2 SEA	½	Iwakuma	Parker		15,315	51,382
4/3	3	SEA	W	6-2	1-2	14	-1 SEA/TEX	½	Milone	Saunders		15,162	66,544
4/4	4	SEA	W	8-2	2-2	12	-½ TEX	½	Griffin	Maurer		12,134	78,678
												(4 dates)	
4/5	5	at HOU	W	8-3	3-2	12	-½ TEX	½	Straily	Peacock		18,197	18,197
4/6	6	at HOU	W	6-3	4-2	1	+½ OAK	½	Colon	Norris	Balfour	18,685	36,882
4/7	7	at HOU	W	9-3	5-2	1	+½ OAK	½	Anderson	Harrell		16,914	53,796
4/8		OFF DAY				11	-- OAK/TEX	--					
4/9	8	at LAA	W	9-5	6-2	11	-- OAK/TEX	--	Cook	Jepsen		44,014	97,810
4/10	9	at LAA	W	11-5	7-2	1	+1 OAK	1	Milone	Blanton		36,011	133,821
4/11	10	at LAA	W	8-1	8-2	1	+1 OAK	1	Griffin	Vargas		43,533	177,354
												(6 dates)	
4/12	11	DET	W	4-3 (12)	9-2	1	+2 OAK	2	Resop	Villarreal		21,377	100,055

DATE	G	OPP	TIME	TV	PROMOTION
4/13	12	DET	1:05	CSNCA	2012 AL West Division Champion Fleece Blanket sponsored by Cache Creek Casino Resort (10,000 fans)
4/14	13	DET	1:05	CSNCA	Pet Calendar / Pet Adoption Day sponsored by Central Garden and Pet (10,000 fans)
4/15	14	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
4/16	15	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
4/17	16	HOU	12:35		
4/18		OFF DAY			
4/19	17	at TB	4:10	CSNCA	
4/20	18	at TB	4:10	CSNCA	
4/21	19	at TB	10:40	CSNCA	
4/22	20	at BOS	3:30	CSNCA	
4/23	21	at BOS	3:30	CSNCA	
4/24	22	at BOS	1:05	CSNCA	
4/25	23	BAL	7:05	CSNCA	
4/26	24	BAL	7:05	CSNCA	
4/27	25	BAL	1:05	CSNCA	1973 World Series Champions Reunion / Reggie Jackson Bobblehead sponsored by Pepsi (10,000 fans)
4/28	26	BAL	1:05	CSNCA	Little League Day # 1 / Kids Wristbands sponsored by Chevrolet (7,500 kids)
4/29	27	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
4/30	28	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
5/1	29	LAA	12:35	CSNCA	
5/2		OFF DAY			
5/3	30	at NYY	4:05	CSNCA	
5/4	31	at NYY	10:05	CSNCA	
5/5	32	at NYY	10:05	CSNCA	
5/6	33	at CLE	4:05	CSNCA	
5/7	34	at CLE	4:05	CSNCA	
5/8	35	at CLE	4:05	CSNCA	
5/9	36	at CLE	9:05		
5/10	37	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
5/11	38	at SEA	6:10	CSNCA	
5/12	39	at SEA	1:10	CSNCA	
5/13	40	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
5/14	41	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
5/15	42	TEX	12:35	CSNCA	
5/16		OFF DAY			
5/17	43	KC	7:05	CSNCA	
5/18	44	KC	6:05	CSNCA	Fireworks Night sponsored by Xfinity
5/19	45	KC	1:05	CSNCA	Scout Day / Kids Beanie / Mathletics Day sponsored by Ross Dress for Less (5,000 kids)
5/20	46	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
5/21	47	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
5/22	48	at TEX	11:05	CSNCA	
5/23		OFF DAY			
5/24	49	at HOU	5:05	CSNCA	
5/25	50	at HOU	4:15	FOX	
5/26	51	at HOU	11:05	CSNCA	
5/27	52	SF	1:05	CSNCA	
5/28	53	SF	7:05	CSNCA	
5/29	54	at SF	7:15	CSNCA	
5/30	55	at SF	12:45	CSNCA	
5/31	56	CWS	7:05	CSNCA	
6/1	57	CWS	1:05	CSNCA	Yoenis Cespedes Replica Jersey sponsored by Pepsi (10,000 fans)
6/2	58	CWS	1:05	CSNCA	Little League Day #2 / Coco Crisp Kids Cereal Bowl sponsored by Chevrolet (5,000 kids)
6/3	59	at MIL	5:10	CSNCA	
6/4	60	at MIL	5:10	CSNCA	
6/5	61	at MIL	11:10		
6/6	62	at CWS	5:10	CSNCA	
6/7	63	at CWS	5:10	CSNCA	
6/8	64	at CWS	1:10	CSNCA	
6/9	65	at CWS	11:10	CSNCA	
6/10		OFF DAY			
6/11	66	NYN	7:05	CSNCA	
6/12	67	NYN	7:05	CSNCA	
6/13	68	NYN	12:35	CSNCA	
6/14	69	SEA	7:05	CSNCA	Superhero Themed Fireworks Night
6/15	70	SEA	4:15	FOX	BeerFest
6/16	71	SEA	1:05	CSNCA	Grant Balfour Ragin' Gnome (10,000 fans)
6/17	72	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
6/18	73	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
6/19	74	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
6/20	75	at TEX	11:05	CSNCA	
6/21	76	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
6/22	77	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
6/23	78	at SEA	1:10	CSNCA	
6/24		OFF DAY			
6/25	79	CIN	7:05	CSNCA	

6/26	80	CIN	12:35		
6/27		OFF DAY			
6/28	81	STL	7:05	CSNCA	Dog Day sponsored by AvoDerm, Nylabone and Bio Spot
6/29	82	STL	1:05	CSNCA	Coco "Lean" Bobblehead sponsored by NetSuite (15,000 fans)
6/30	83	STL	1:05	CSNCA	
7/1		OFF DAY			
7/2	84	CHC	7:05	CSNCA	
7/3	85	CHC	7:05	CSNCA	Patriotic Themed Fireworks Night
7/4	86	CHI	1:05	CSNCA	Picnic Blanket (10,000 fans)
7/5	87	at KC	5:10	CSNCA	
7/6	88	at KC	11:10	CSNCA	
7/7	89	at KC	11:10	CSNCA	
7/8	90	at PIT	4:05	CSNCA	
7/9	91	at PIT	4:05	CSNCA	
7/10	92	at PIT	4:05	CSNCA	
7/11		OFF DAY			
7/12	93	BOS	7:05	CSNCA	
7/13	94	BOS	7:05	CSNCA	Josh Reddick Replica Jersey sponsored by Cache Creek Casino Resort (10,000 fans)
7/14	95	BOS	1:05	CSNCA	
7/15		ALL-STAR			
7/16		STAR			
7/17		BREAK			
7/18		(Citifield)			
7/19	96	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
7/20	97	at LAA	6:05	CSNCA	
7/21	98	at LAA	12:35	CSNCA	
7/22	99	at HOU	5:05	CSNCA	
7/23	100	at HOU	5:05	CSNCA	
7/24	101	at HOU	11:05		
7/25	102	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
7/26	103	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
7/27	104	LAA	12:05	FOX	1969 "Summer of Love" Turn-Back-the-Clock Day and Giveaway (10,000 fans)
7/28	105	LAA	1:05	CSNCA	
7/29	106	TOR	7:05	CSNCA	
7/30	107	TOR	7:05	CSNCA	Jewish Heritage Night
7/31	108	TOR	12:35		
8/1		OFF DAY			
8/2	109	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	Fireworks Night / Italian Heritage Night
8/3	110	TEX	1:05	FOX	
8/4	111	TEX	1:05	CSNCA	
8/5		OFF DAY			
8/6	112	at CIN	4:10	CSNCA	
8/7	113	at CIN	9:35		
8/8		OFF DAY			
8/9	114	at TOR	4:07	CSNCA	
8/10	115	at TOR	10:07	CSNCA	
8/11	116	at TOR	10:07	CSNCA	
8/12	117	at TOR	9:37		
8/13	118	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
8/14	119	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
8/15	120	HOU	12:35		
8/16	121	CLE	7:05	CSNCA	Filipino Heritage Night sponsored by Cache Creek Casino Resort
8/17	122	CLE	6:05	CSNCA	Yoenis Cespedes Bobblehead (10,000 fans)
8/18	123	CLE	1:05	CSNCA	
8/19	124	SEA	7:05	CSNCA	
8/20	125	SEA	7:05	CSNCA	
8/21	126	SEA	12:35		
8/22		OFF DAY			
8/23	127	at BAL	4:05	CSNCA	
8/24	128	at BAL	1:05	FOX	
8/25	129	at BAL	10:35	CSNCA	
8/26	130	at DET	4:05	CSNCA	
8/27	131	at DET	4:05	CSNCA	
8/28	132	at DET	4:05	CSNCA	
8/29	133	at DET	10:05		
8/30	134	TB	7:05	CSNCA	
8/31	135	TB	6:05	CSNCA	Fireworks Night sponsored by Chevron
9/1	136	TB	1:05	CSNCA	Breast Cancer Awareness Day
9/2	137	TEX	1:05	CSNCA	
9/3	138	TEX	7:05	CSNCA	
9/4	139	TEX	12:35	CSNCA	
9/5	140	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
9/6	141	HOU	7:05	CSNCA	
9/7	142	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	
9/8	143	HOU	1:05	CSNCA	Fiesta Day and Giveaway sponsored by Chevrolet (10,000 fans)
9/9		OFF DAY			
9/10	144	at MIN	5:10	CSNCA	
9/11	145	at MIN	5:10	CSNCA	
9/12	146	at MIN	10:10		
9/13	147	at TEX	5:05	CSNCA	
9/14	148	at TEX	10:05	FOX	
9/15	149	at TEX	12:05	CSNCA	
9/16	150	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/17	151	LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/18	152	LAA	12:35	CSNCA	
9/19	153	MIN	7:05	CSNCA	
9/20	154	MIN	7:05	CSNCA	Star Wars Themed Fireworks Night
9/21	155	MIN	1:05	CSNCA	Fan Appreciation Day
9/22	156	MIN	1:05	CSNCA	Fan Appreciation Day
9/23	157	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/24	158	at LAA	7:05	CSNCA	
9/25	159	at LAA	12:35	CSNCA	
9/26		OFF DAY			
9/27	160	at SEA	7:10	CSNCA	
9/28	161	at SEA	1:10	CSNCA	
9/29	162	at SEA	1:10	CSNCA	

HIGHS AND LOWS

TEAM BATTING

Most Runs, Game, A's	11, April 10 at Los Angeles
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	7, April 2 vs. Seattle
Most Runs, Inning, A's	7, April 5 at Houston (5 th)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	3 (four times), last: April 12 vs. Detroit (3 rd)
Most Hits, Game, A's	16, April 10 at Los Angeles and April 11 at Los Angeles
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	14, April 10 at Los Angeles
Most Hits, Inning, A's	4 (six times), last: April 11 at Los Angeles (6 th)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	5, April 9 at Los Angeles (3 rd)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	3 (three times), last: April 9 at Los Angeles
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	2 (twice), last: April 3 vs. Seattle
Most Doubles, Game, A's	6, April 11 at Los Angeles
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	4 (twice), last: April 10 at Los Angeles
Most Triples, Game, A's	1, April 10 at Los Angeles
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	2, April 9 at Los Angeles
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	3, April 12 vs. Detroit
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	2, April 2 vs. Seattle

TEAM PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, A's	14, April 7 at Houston
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	17, April 12 vs. Detroit
Most Walks, A's	8, April 2 vs. Seattle
Most Walks, Opponents	8, April 5 at Houston
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	5 (three times), last: April 11 at Los Angeles
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	3 (twice), last: April 2 vs. Seattle

TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Winning Streak	9, April 3 to present
Longest Losing Streak	2, April 1 to 2
Longest Game, Innings	12, April 12 vs. Detroit
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	3:51, April 5 at Houston
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	4:04, April 12 vs. Detroit
Shortest Game, Time	2:32, April 4 vs. Seattle
Largest Margin, Victory	7, April 11 at Los Angeles (8-1)
Largest Margin, Loss	6, April 2 vs. Seattle (1-7)
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	13, April 10 at Los Angeles
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	6, April 12 vs. Detroit
Fewest Left on Base, Game	1, April 4 vs. Seattle
Most Errors, Game	2, April 7 at Houston and April 9 at Los Angeles
Largest Comeback in Win	3, April 12 vs. Detroit
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	1, April 2 vs. Seattle

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most Runs, Game	2 (19 times), last: Josh Donaldson, April 12 vs. Detroit
Most Hits, Game	4, Seth Smith, April 11 at Los Angeles
Most Doubles, Game	2 (five times), last: Seth Smith, April 11 at Los Angeles
Most Triples, Game	1, Brandon Moss, April 10 at Los Angeles
Most Home Runs, Game	1 (19 times)
Most Runs Batted In, Game	5, Brandon Moss, April 10 at Los Angeles
Most Walks, Game	2 (eight times), last: Yoenis Céspedes, April 12 vs. Detroit
Most Strikeouts, Game	4, Brandon Moss, April 12 vs. Detroit
Most Stolen Bases, Game	2, Coco Crisp, April 12 vs. Detroit
Longest Hitting Streak	9, Coco Crisp, April 3 to present

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, Game	11, Dan Straily, April 5 at Houston
Most Walks, Game	4, Brett Anderson, April 1 vs. Seattle
Most Innings, Game, Starter	8.0, A.J. Griffin, April 11 at Los Angeles
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	2.0, Evan Scribner, April 5 at Houston
Low Hit Complete Game	None
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	7.0, Brett Anderson, April 1 to 7
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	11, Tommy Milone, April 3 to 10, and Sean Doolittle, April 4 to present

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Céspedes	2	0	0	0	2
Crisp	5	1	0	0	6
Donaldson	4	0	0	0	4
Freiman	1	0	0	0	1
Jaso	3	0	0	0	3
Lowrie	2	3	0	0	5
Moss	1	2	0	0	3
Norris	2	0	0	0	2
Reddick	1	0	0	0	1
Sizemore	0	0	0	0	0
Smith	1	1	1	0	3
Sogard	1	0	0	0	1
Young	0	0	0	0	0

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Céspedes	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crisp	0	1	0	0	0	1
Donaldson	2	0	0	0	0	2
Freiman	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jaso	0	1	0	0	0	1
Lowrie	1	1	0	0	0	2
Moss	0	0	1	1	0	2
Norris	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reddick	0	0	1	0	0	1
Sizemore	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith	2	0	0	0	0	2
Sogard	0	0	0	0	0	0
Young	1	1	0	0	0	2

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Céspedes	1	1	2
Crisp	1	2	3
Donaldson	1	2	3
Freiman	0	0	0
Jaso	1	2	3
Lowrie	0	3	3
Moss	0	0	0
Norris	0	2	2
Reddick	0	1	1
Sizemore	0	0	0
Smith	0	1	1
Sogard	0	0	0
Young	0	0	0

STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Céspedes	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-
Crisp	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	1	-	6	4	-
Freiman	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Jaso	-	4	-	-	1	2	1	-	-
Lowrie	-	5	3	1	2	-	-	-	-
Moss	-	-	-	-	5	3	-	1	-
Norris	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	1	-
Parrino	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Reddick	-	-	7	-	-	-	1	-	-
Sizemore	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Smith	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	3	-
Sogard	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	7
Young	-	2	1	-	-	4	-	-	-

GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH				
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS			
Céspedes	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	9	1	-	-	1	1
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	9	-	-	2	2
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Freiman	-	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Jaso	8	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lowrie	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moss	-	-	10	9	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Norris	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Parrino	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8	-
Sizemore	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Smith	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	7
Sogard	-	-	-	9	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Young	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	2	3	3

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS					LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN					Grand Slams (0)
Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since	None
Céspedes	2	1	0	0	3	April 11, 2013	at Los Angeles	Burnett	1	Pinch Hit Home Runs (1)
Crisp	4	0	0	0	4	April 9, 2013	at Los Angeles	Wilson	3	John Jaso, April 9 at Los Angeles (Kevin Jepsen)
Donaldson	1	1	0	0	2	April 12, 2013	Detroit	Villarreal	--	Lead Off Home Runs (1)
Freiman	0	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	4	Coco Crisp, April 5 at Houston (Brad Peacock)
Jaso	0	0	1	0	1	April 9, 2013	at Los Angeles	Jepsen	2	Back-To-Back Home Runs (1)
Lowrie	2	1	0	0	3	April 7, 2013	at Houston	Harrell	4	Jed Lowrie and Chris Young, April 3 vs. Seattle
Moss	1	1	0	0	2	April 10, 2013	at Los Angeles	Blanton	2	Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)
Norris	0	0	0	0	0	Oct. 3, 2012	Texas	Ogando	7	None
Parrino	0	0	0	0	0	April 8, 2012	Los Angeles (NL)	Harang	52	Walk-Off Wins (1)
Reddick	0	1	0	0	1	April 4, 2013	Seattle	Maurer	4	Josh Donaldson, April 12 vs. Detroit (home run)
Sizemore	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 27, 2011	at Seattle	Beavan	13	
Smith	1	0	0	0	1	April 6, 2013	at Houston	Keuchel	4	
Sogard	0	0	0	0	0	April 27, 2012	at Baltimore	Arrieta	30	
Young	1	0	1	0	2	April 7, 2013	at Houston	Harrell	4	
Team	12	5	2	0	19					

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Anderson	Games	70	30 for 100	Crisp	Triples (w/OAK)	16	5 for 21 (ties Monday and Page for 10 th in Oakland history)
	Game Started	70	30 for 100		Home Runs	90	10 for 100
	Innings Pitched	419.0	81.0 for 500		RBI	472	28 for 500
Balfour	Saves (w/OAK)	27	10 for 37 (ties Caudill for 10 th in Athletics history)		Steals	261	39 for 300
	Strikeouts	444	56 for 500		Steals (w/OAK)	124	11 for 135 (ties Canseco for 6 th in Oakland history)
Blevins	Games	221	41 for 262 (ties Mohler for 10 th in Oakland history)	Lowrie	Games	364	136 for 500
Colón	Games	383	17 for 400		Doubles	79	21 for 100
	Game Started	377	23 for 400	Neshek	Games	186	14 for 200
	Innings Pitched	2406.1	93.2 for 2500	Smith	Hits	457	43 for 500
				Young	Games	893	107 for 1000
					Runs	458	42 for 500
					RBI	414	86 for 500
				TEAM	Home Runs	6979	21 for 7000 in Oakland history
						11961	39 for 12000 in Athletics history

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Nakajima	Strained left hamstring	March 27-present	11	Rosales	Strained left intercostal	March 26-present	11
Rodriguez	Sprained right elbow	March 23-present	11	Sizemore	Sprained left knee	April 10-present	3

The A's have used the disabled list four times this season...used the disabled list 21 times in 2012.

TRANSACTIONS

February 4	Jed Lowrie and Fernando Rodriguez acquired from the Houston Astros for Chris Carter, Brad Peacock and minor leaguer Max Stassi	April 3	Will Harris claimed off waivers from Colorado and optioned to Sacramento; Josh Stinson designated for assignment
March 10	Jesse Chavez and Andrew Werner optioned to Sacramento; Michael Ynoa optioned to Beloit	April 4	Josh Stinson claimed off waivers by Baltimore; Daric Barton outrighted to Sacramento; Travis Blackley traded to Houston for minor league outfielder Jake Goebbert
March 11	Arnold Leon optioned to Sacramento	April 5	Stephen Vogt acquired from Tampa Bay for a player to be named later or cash considerations and optioned to Sacramento; Danny Otero designated for assignment
March 17	Grant Green and Michael Taylor optioned to Sacramento	April 6	Bartolo Colón reinstated from the suspended list; Dan Straily optioned to Sacramento; Will Harris claimed off waivers by Arizona
March 23	Nate Freiman claimed off waivers from the Houston Astros; Fernando Rodriguez placed on the 60-day disabled list (sprained right elbow)	April 7	Danny Otero outrighted to Sacramento
March 24	Shane Peterson and Jemile Weeks optioned to Sacramento	April 10	Scott Sizemore placed on the 15-day disabled list (sprained left knee); Andy Parrino recalled from Sacramento
March 26	Adam Rosales placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained left intercostal)		
March 29	Danny Otero claimed off waivers from New York (AL); Josh Stinson claimed off waivers from Milwaukee; Daric Barton and Travis Blackley designated for assignment; Jordan Norberto optioned to Sacramento		
March 30	Hiro Nakajima placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 27 (strained left hamstring); Pedro Figueroa and Andy Parrino optioned to Sacramento		

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SUNDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Jarrod Parker (0-1, 6.48 ERA)

PARKER BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2013	0	1	6.48	2	8.1	6
2012	13	8	3.47	29	181.1	70
Career	13	9	3.50	32	195.1	76
Home	0	1	7.20	1	5.0	4
Road	0	0	5.40	1	3.1	2
Day	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Night	0	1	6.48	2	8.1	6
Pre-ASB	0	1	6.48	2	8.1	6
Post-ASB	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			.389	18	7	
vs. RHH			.412	17	7	

RUN SUPPORT

Parker	
Runs Scored	Times
0	0
1	1
2	0
3	0
4	1
5	0
6	0
7	0
8	0
9	0
10	0
Run Support Avg.	5.40

PARKER vs. DETROIT

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2012	0	1	3.18	1	5.2	2
2011	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Career	0	1	3.18	1	5.2	2

Parker's Starts vs. Detroit

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
5/13/12	H	L	5.2	6	2	2	4	5

Detroit Career Batting vs. Parker

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Avila	.000	3	0	0	0	1
Cabrera	.667	3	2	0	0	0
Dirks	.333	3	1	0	0	1
Fielder	.000	3	0	0	0	1
Hunter	.182	11	2	0	0	5
Jackson	.500	2	1	0	1	0
Peralta	.000	1	0	0	2	0

PARKER'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	8.0 (four times), last: 9/21/12 at NYY
Fewest IP, GS:	2.0, 5/18/12 at SF
H:	9 (three times), last: 4/9/13 at LAA
R:	6 (four times), last: 7/27/12 at BAL
ER:	6 (four times), last: 7/27/12 at BAL
BB:	6 (twice), last: 6/9/12 at ARI
SO:	9, 6/27/12 at SEA
HR:	2 (twice), last: 10/1/12 vs. TEX
Win Streak:	4, 9/10/12 to 10/1/12
Loss Streak:	3, 8/1/12 to 8/19/12
Scoreless Streak:	18.0, 5/23/12 to 6/4/12
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...the A's were 17-12 (.587) in his starting assignments last year and his teams are 19-13 (.594) in his career...tossed at least 6.0 innings in 22 of his 29 starts in 2012, allowed two runs or fewer 17 times and walked two batters or fewer 18 times.

FIRST START: He was the losing pitcher in the A's 7-1 loss to Seattle April 2 in Oakland...Céspedes homered in the first inning to give the A's a 1-0 lead but he allowed a three-run home run to Morse in the third inning...also allowed a RBI single to Morales in the fifth.

LAST START: He had a no decision in the A's 9-5 win at Los Angeles on Tuesday...surrendered a career-high tying nine hits in just 3.1 innings...also walked three batters but yielded just two runs...had a 4-0 lead when he allowed RBI singles to Trumbo and Callaspo in the third...was relieved by Resop after loading the bases with one out in the fourth...Resop escaped the jam and the A's scored five times in the seventh for the win.

PARKER vs. DETROIT: Was the losing pitcher in his only career regular season appearance, a 3-1 A's loss in Oakland last year on May 13...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...also started and lost Games 1 and 5 of the 2012 ALDS against Verlander...dropped a 3-1 decision in Detroit October 6 (6.1 ip, 7 h, 3 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 5 so)...the A's scored a run in the first but he allowed a run in the bottom of the first when Jackson doubled and later scored when Cabrera grounded into a double play...allowed an unearned run in the third when Infante doubled and later scored on Parker's error...also surrendered a leadoff home run to Avila in the fifth...lost 6-0 in Oakland October 11 (6.1 ip, 7 h, 4 r, 4 er, 1 bb, 6 so)...allowed two runs in the third on a Jackson RBI double and a wild pitch...was also charged with two of the Tigers four runs in the seventh inning...was relieved by Cook with runners on first and third and one out and Cook allowed both runs to score...Verlander tossed a complete game four-hit shutout.

THIS SPRING: Was 0-2 with a 7.45 ERA (19.1 ip, 25 h, 18 r, 16 er, 5 bb, 13 so, 5 hr) in five games, all starts...also pitched in the A's minor league camp on the A's off day March 6...allowed a .309 (25 for 81) opponents batting average.

2012 RECAP: Was one of three players acquired from Arizona in the Trevor Cahill trade during the offseason and went 13-8 with a 3.47 ERA in 29 starts...tied with fellow rookie Tommy Milone for the team lead in wins as they both set an Oakland record for wins by a rookie...the previous mark of 12 was held by Chris Codiroli (1983) and Joe Blanton (2005)...had the most wins by an Athletics rookie since Harry Byrd won 15 games for the 1952 Philadelphia A's en route to Rookie of the Year honors...the A's became the first team since the 1952 Brooklyn Dodgers to have two rookies win 13 or more games (Joe Black 15, Billy Loes 13)...it was the second time in Oakland history the A's had two rookie 10-game winners...the other time was in 2009 (Anderson 11, Cahill 10)...with Milone making 31 starts, this was the third time in Oakland history the A's had two rookies with 20 or more starts (Keough and Johnson in 1978; Anderson and Cahill in 2009)...led the A's with 140 strikeouts, which was the third best mark by a rookie in Oakland history and the fourth best in Athletics history...his 29 starts were 10th most by an Oakland rookie.

ROOKIE LEADERS: Tied for second among American League rookies in wins, ranked fourth in strikeouts and innings pitched (181.1) and tied for fourth in starts...his ERA was the lowest among AL rookies with 130 or more innings, his .619 winning percentage was second best and his .248 opponents batting average was third best...received one third place vote in the BBWAA AL Rookie of the Year balloting and finished fifth

AMONG THE LEADERS: His winning percentage was 10th best among all AL pitchers...allowed just 11 home runs in 181.1 innings, an average of 0.55 per nine innings...that was the second lowest mark in the AL and third lowest in the majors...had a .358 opponents slugging percentage, which was sixth lowest in the AL...tied for first in the AL in sacrifice hits allowed (7), tied for third in sacrifice flies (8), ranked fifth in stolen bases against (21) and tied for sixth in wild pitches (10).

OPPONENTS BATTING: Allowed a .248 opponents batting average, including .247 (86-for-348) against left-handed hitters and .248 (80-for-322) against right-handers...opponents hit .215 with runners in scoring position, which ranked fourth lowest in the AL...yielded a .173 batting average to the number three hitter in the order, which was fourth lowest in the AL...eight of the 11 home runs he allowed were solo shots

BASES ON BALLS: Issued a team-leading 63 walks, which were the fewest by a team-leader in a non-strike season in Oakland history...the previous low was 69 by Doug Johns in 1996...walked four batters or more in six of his first 12 starts (36 bb in 73.2 ip, 4.40 per nine innings)...then walked three batters or fewer in each of his final 17 starts (27 bb in 107.2 ip, 2.26 per nine innings).

THIS AND THAT: Went 5-3 with a 2.46 ERA and .209 opponents batting average over his first 13 starts, 2-4 with a 6.15 ERA and .309 opponents average over a seven-start stretch from July 7 to Aug. 14 and 6-1 with a 3.00 ERA and .252 opponents average over his final nine starts...had eight wins after the All-Star Break, which tied for third in the AL.

SPLITS: Was 6-5 at home compared to 7-3 on the road...however, had a 2.61 ERA at home compared to 4.54 on the road...had the fifth lowest home ERA in the AL...compiled a 5-2 record and 2.64 ERA in nine starts during the day compared to 8-6 with a 3.87 ERA in 20 starts at night...had the fourth lowest day ERA in the AL...posted a mark of 6-1 with a 3.03 ERA in 12 starts on five days rest or more...was 7-7 with a 3.81 ERA in 17 starts on four days rest or fewer...received one run of support or fewer in 11 of his 29 starts and was 0-8 with a 5.03 ERA in those starts...went 13-0 with a 2.65 ERA in 18 starts with support of two runs or more...allowed 20 of his 71 runs in the fifth inning for a 6.26 ERA...had a 2.98 ERA in all other innings.

SACRAMENTO: Went 1-0 with a 2.18 ERA in four starts with Sacramento...struck out 21 batters in 20.2 innings...allowed a .275 opponents batting average, including .271 (13-for-48) against right-handed hitters compared to .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.

PARKER'S 2013 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 2	SEA	1-7	L	7.20	5.0	5	4	4	3	1	1	95
April 9	at LAA	9-5	--	6.48	3.1	9	2	2	3	1	0	74

PARKER'S 2013 SPRING TRAINING STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	
March 1	SF	9-13	--	0.00	2.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	
March 11	at SD	0-10	L	7.50	4.0	6	5	5	0	2	2	
March 16	at CWS	5-11	L	10.00	3.0	9	7	5	2	3	0	
March 22	CWS	4-4	--	7.20	6.0	3	2	2	2	5	0	
March 27	COL	6-5	--	7.45	4.1	6	4	4	1	1	3	
Totals (5 games, 5 starts)				0-2	7.45	19.1	25	18	16	5	13	5

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

MONDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Tommy Milone (2-0, 4.50 ERA)

MILONE BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2013	2	0	4.50	2	12.0	6
2012	13	10	3.74	31	190.0	79
Career	16	10	3.79	38	228.0	96
Home						
Home	1	0	2.57	1	7.0	2
Road	1	0	7.20	1	5.0	4
Day	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Night	2	0	4.50	2	12.0	6
Pre-ASB	2	0	4.50	2	12.0	6
Post-ASB	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
vs. LHH						
vs. LHH			.200	5		1
vs. RHH						
vs. RHH			.250	40		10

RUN SUPPORT

Milone	
Runs Scored	Times
0	0
1	0
2	0
3	0
4	0
5	0
6	1
7	0
8	0
9	0
10	1
Run Support Avg.	12.00

MILONE vs. HOUSTON

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2013	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
2012	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Career	0	0	4.76	1	5.2	3

Milone's Starts vs. Houston

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
9/9/11	H	--	5.2	8	3	3	0	3

Houston Career Batting vs. Milone

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Altuve	.333	3	1	0	0	0
Martinez	.000	2	0	0	0	0
Norris	1.000	1	1	0	0	0
Pena	.000	4	0	0	1	2

MILONE'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	3, 6/20/12 vs. LAD
IP:	9.0, 6/20/12 vs. LAD
Fewest IP, GS:	3.0, 9/3/12 vs. LAA
H:	10 (twice), last: 9/3/12 vs. LAA
R:	8 (twice), last: 6/13/12 at COL
ER:	8, 6/13/12 at COL
BB:	4 (twice), last: 6/13/12 at COL
SO:	10 (twice), last: 9/9/12 at SEA
HR:	3 (twice), last: 6/13/12 at COL
Win Streak:	4, 9/9/12 to present
Loss Streak:	3, 7/26/12 to 8/5/12
Scoreless Streak:	15.0, 6/20/12 to 6/30/12
Complete Games:	1, 6/20/12 vs. LAD
Shutouts:	None

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...the A's were 20-11 (.645) in his starting assignments last year and his teams are 27-11 (.711) in his career...tossed at least six innings in 21 of his 31 starts last year, allowed two runs or fewer 18 times and walked two batters or fewer 27 times...including nine games with no walks and 14 with one.

FOUR-GAME WINNING STREAK: Has won his first two decisions of 2013 after winning each of his final two in 2012...this marks the first time he was won more than two straight games in his career...has a 3.18 ERA (14 er in 39.2 ip) and .312 (49 for 157) opponents batting average during the streak, which spans seven starts dating back to September 9 of last year...no pitcher on the A's Opening Day roster has won more than his first two starts of the season since Dave Stewart had six wins in his first six starts in 1990.

FIRST START: He was the winning pitcher in the A's 6-2 win over Seattle April 3 in Oakland...allowed a home run to Gutierrez to start the game and Morse added a solo home run two outs later...did not allow a run over his final six innings...retired each of the final 10 batters he faced and 17 of the final 18.

LAST START: He won his second consecutive start in the A's 11-5 win at Los Angeles last Wednesday...the A's scored a run in the first but he allowed a Hamilton sacrifice fly in the bottom of the first...the A's added three more in the third before he allowed another run in the third...had a 5-2 lead when he allowed a two-run single to Callaspo in the fifth.

MILONE vs. HOUSTON: Had a no decision in his only career start, a 4-3 Washington win in 11 innings on September 9, 2011...had a 2-0 lead before allowing a Norris sacrifice fly in the third, a Johnson sacrifice fly in the fourth and a Bames RBI single in the sixth...left trailing 3-2 but the Nationals tied the game with a run in the seventh.

THIS SPRING: Was 3-0 with a 4.63 ERA (23.1 ip, 28 h, 12 r, 12 er, 5 bb, 17 so, 3 hr) in six games, all starts...the three wins tied for third in the Cactus League...led the A's in wins and innings and tied for the lead in starts...walked one batter or fewer in each of his first five starts before issuing two in his final start...had five walks in 23.1 innings (1.93 per nine innings) for the spring...allowed a .304 (28 for 92) opponents batting average.

2012 RECAP: Was one of four players acquired from Washington in the Gio Gonzalez trade during the offseason and went 13-10 with a 3.74 ERA in a team-leading 31 starts...also led the A's in innings pitched (190.0), had the only complete game and tied for the team-lead in wins...fellow rookie Jarrod Parker also won 13 games, both setting an Oakland record for wins by a rookie...the previous mark of 12 was held by Chris Codiroli (1983) and Joe Blanton (2005)...had the most wins by an Athletics rookie since Harry Byrd won 15 games for the 1952 Philadelphia A's en route to Rookie of the Year honors...the A's became the first team since the 1952 Brooklyn Dodgers to have two rookies win 13 or more games (Joe Black 15, Billy Loes 13)...it was the second time in Oakland history the A's had two rookie 10-game winners...the other time was in 2009 (Anderson 11, Cahill 10)...with Parker making 29 starts, this was the third time in Oakland history the A's had two rookies with 20 or more starts (Keough and Johnson in 1978; Anderson and Cahill in 2009)...struck out 137, which was the fourth best rookie total in Oakland history and the sixth best in Athletics history...also tied for the fifth most games started by an Oakland rookie (31) and was sixth in innings pitched (190.0)...surrendered 24 home runs, which tied for second most.

ROOKIE LEADERS: Tied for the lead among Major League rookies in complete games...tied for second among American League rookies in wins and games started, ranked third in innings pitched and was fifth in strikeouts...his ERA ranked third among AL rookies with 130 or more innings.

AMONG THE LEADERS: Walked just 36 batters in 190.0 innings, an average of 1.71 per nine innings...that was the second lowest mark in the AL and sixth lowest in the majors...it was the fifth lowest mark in Oakland history...had a strikeout to walk ratio of 3.81, which ranked seventh in the AL...it was the fourth best mark in Athletics history...tied for third in the AL with six pickoffs...opponents were 8-for-18 (44.4%) in stolen base attempts, which was the second lowest mark in the AL...allowed a team-leading 207 hits, which were ninth most in the AL...his 31 games started were the fewest by an A's team leader since Steve Karsay led Oakland with 24 starts in 1997.

HOME AND AWAY: Went 7-4 with a 2.74 ERA and .240 opponents batting average in 15 starts at home compared to 6-6 with a 4.83 ERA and .316 opponents batting average in 16 starts on the road...had the eighth lowest home ERA in the AL and the ninth highest road ERA...allowed 18 of his 24 home runs on the road, which was fourth most in the AL.

RUN SUPPORT: Received just 12 runs of support in his 10 losses (58.1 ip, 1.85 RSA)...received no run support six times and one run four times...had two wins where he received just one run of support.

OPPONENTS BATTING: His opponents batting average included a .263 (51-for-194) mark against left-handed hitters compared to .283 (156-for-551) against right-handers...walked 15 of the 214 lefties he faced (one per 14.2 plate appearances) compared to 21 of the 577 right-handers (one per 27.5 plate appearances...allowed a .319 batting average to hitters leading off an inning...yielded 10 of his 24 home run in that situation...opponents are batting .326 (71-for-218) against him to lead off an inning in his career...yielded a .462 (6-for-13) batting average and two home runs with the bases loaded...the two grand slams tied for second most in the AL and the batting average was fourth highest.

MORE SPLITS: His lowest ERA in a month was 3.55 in July, his highest was 3.96 in August...was 6-1 with a 1.96 ERA in nine starts against AL Central teams, 7-9 with a 4.56 ERA in 22 starts against everyone else...was 10-5 with a 3.14 ERA and .257 opponents batting average in 21 starts at night, 3-5 with a 5.12 ERA and .322 opponents batting average in 10 starts during the day...ranked eighth in the AL in night ERA and tied for 10th in wins...issued 12 of his 36 walks in the first inning of a game.

MILONE'S 2013 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 3	SEA	6-2	W	2.57	7.0	4	2	2	1	4	2	102
April 10	at LAA	11-5	W	4.50	5.0	7	4	4	3	5	0	106

MILONE'S 2013 SPRING TRAINING STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
March 2	COL	6-3	--	0.00	2.0	0	0	0	1	1	0
March 7	SEA	7-3	W	0.00	3.0	3	0	0	1	3	0
March 12	KC	6-3	--	3.12	3.2	6	3	3	0	2	1
March 17	CHI (NL)	12-6	--	4.73	4.2	8	4	4	0	2	1
March 23	at SF	12-5	W	4.82	5.1	6	3	3	1	4	1
March 28	at SF	7-3	W	4.63	4.2	5	2	2	2	5	0
Totals (6 games, 6 starts)		3-0		4.63	23.1	28	12	12	5	17	3

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

TUESDAY'S STARTING PITCHER: A.J. Griffin (2-0, 1.93 ERA)

GRIFFIN BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2013	2	0	1.93	2	14.0	3
2012	7	1	3.06	15	82.1	28
Career	9	1	2.90	17	96.1	31
Home	1	0	3.00	1	6.0	2
Road	1	0	1.13	1	8.0	1
Day	1	0	3.00	1	6.0	2
Night	1	0	1.13	1	8.0	1
Pre-ASB	2	0	1.93	2	14.0	3
Post-ASB	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
	AVG.	AB	H			
vs. LHH	.227	22	5			
vs. RHH	.241	29	7			

RUN SUPPORT

Griffin	
Runs Scored	Times
0	0
1	0
2	0
3	0
4	0
5	0
6	1
7	0
8	1
9	0
10	0
Run Support Avg.	9.00

GRIFFIN vs. HOUSTON

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2013	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
2012	0	0	---	0	0.0	0
Career	0	0	---	0	0.0	0

Griffin's Starts vs. Houston

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Has never faced the Astros								

Houston Career Batting vs. Griffin

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Pena	.667	3	2	0	0	1

GRIFFIN'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	8.0 (twice), last: 4/11/13 at LAA
Fewest IP, GS:	1.2, 8/4/12 vs. TOR
H:	8 (twice), last: 9/18/12 at DET
R:	5 (twice), last: 10/3/12 vs. TEX
ER:	5, 9/18/12 at DET
BB:	3, 9/23/12 at NYY
SO:	9, 7/25/12 at TOR
HR:	3, 9/18/12 at DET
Win Streak:	6, 7/13/12 to 9/12/12
Loss Streak:	1, 9/18/12
Scoreless Streak:	14.0, 6/24/12 to 7/4/12
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his third start of the season...the A's were 12-3 (.800) in his starting assignments last year...tossed six or more innings in nine of his 15 starts, allowed two runs or fewer 10 times and walked two batters or fewer 14 times.

WINS: Has won each of his first two starts...**no pitcher on an A's Opening Day roster has won more than his first two starts of the season since Dave Stewart had six wins in his first six starts in 1990...**is now 9-1 in 17 career starts...the nine wins match the most in Oakland history by a pitcher over the first 17 games of his career...the other is Tim Hudson who also started his career 9-1 in 1999...Hudson won his 10th game in his 18th start, which are the fewest games a pitcher has needed to reach 10 career wins in Oakland history.

FIRST START: He was the winning pitcher in the A's 8-2 win over Seattle April 4 in Oakland...blanked the Mariners on two hits and a walk over the first four innings and had a 2-0 lead when he allowed a Saunders sacrifice fly in the fifth...the A's scored a run in the bottom of the fifth and he allowed a leadoff home run to Morse in the sixth.

LAST START: He won his second consecutive start in the A's 8-1 win at Los Angeles last Thursday...matched his career-high by tossing 8.0 innings...had a 1-0 lead when he allowed his only run in the fourth inning on a Kendrick RBI double...blanked the Angels on one walk over his final four innings and the A's scored four times in the sixth for the win.

GRIFFIN vs. HOUSTON: Has never faced the Astros in his career.

THIS SPRING: Was 2-2 with a 5.40 ERA (20.0 ip, 20 h, 12 r, 12 er, 4 bb, 21 so, 4 hr) in five starts this spring...walked just four batters in 20.0 innings (1.80 per nine innings)...struck out 21 for a strikeout to walk ratio of 5.25...allowed a .263 (20 for 76) opponents batting average...also pitched in a minor league game March 13 (4.0 ip, 6 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 4 so) and started at Seattle March 8 in the game that was cancelled in the top of the fourth because of rain (3.0 ip, 4 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 4 so).

2012 RECAP: Began the year at Double-A Midland but finished the season in the starting rotation for Oakland...went 7-1 with a 3.06 ERA in 15 starts in his Major League debut with the A's...his .875 winning percentage was the best in Oakland history and third best in Athletics history among pitchers with 15 or more starts...it topped the previous Oakland high by Tim Hudson, who went 11-2 (.846) in 1999...it was the best by an Athletic since Jim Nash went 12-1 (.923) in 1966...it was the second best mark by any ML pitcher over the last 17 years to Cliff Lee, who went 22-3 (.880) for Cleveland in 2008...it was second best by a rookie in ML history (since 1900) among pitchers with 15 or more starts to Nash in 1966...had the eighth lowest ERA in the American League among pitchers with 81 or more innings pitched...using the same minimum, it was the sixth best mark by a rookie in Oakland history...ranked 10th among AL rookies in wins...walked just 19 batters in 82.1 innings, an average of 2.08 per nine innings...struck out 64 for a strikeout to walk ratio of 3.37.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Allowed a .236 opponents batting average, which included a .225 (34-for-151) mark against right-handed hitters compared to .245 (40-for-163) against left-handers...opponents were 16-for-83 (.193) with three walks (.221 on-base percentage) when leading off an inning...yielded a .218 average with the bases empty but that rose to .341 with runners in scoring position...allowed a .359 batting average to the number three hitter, .218 against everyone else.

SPLITS: Was 7-1 with a 2.34 ERA in 10 starts at night, 0-0 with a 5.23 ERA in five starts during the day...was 3-0 with a 1.95 ERA in five starts against AL West competition.

MINORS: Was named the A's Minor League Co-Pitcher of the Year with Dan Straily after combining for a 7-3 record and a 2.82 ERA in 17 games, all starts, with Double-A Midland and Triple-A Sacramento...struck out 91 and walked just 18 in 102.0 innings...averaged 1.59 walks per nine innings with a strikeout to walk ratio of 5.06...yielded just seven home runs, an average of 0.62 per nine innings...allowed a .211 opponents batting average, including .181 (33-for-182) against left-handed hitters compared to .238 (46-for-193) against right-handers...surrendered six of his seven home runs to righties...opponents hit .195 with the bases empty compared to .294 with runners in scoring position...compiled a 1.32 ERA over the first two innings of a game, had a 7.16 ERA in the third inning and a 2.44 ERA from the fourth inning on...his teams were 11-6 (.647) in his starting assignments...tossed six or more innings in 11 of his 17 starts, allowed two runs or fewer 11 times and walked one batter or fewer 14 times.

MORE WITH THE A's: Was selected from Sacramento June 24, making his Major League debut that day against San Francisco...became the 43rd pitcher in Oakland history to start in his debut and had a no decision in the A's 4-2 win...allowed a two-run home run to Posey in the first inning but those were the only runs he would yield in six innings...left trailing 2-1 but Norris hit a three-run "walk-off" home run for the win...tossed 6.0 shutout innings in his second start at Texas June 29 as part of a career-high 14.0 inning scoreless streak from June 24 to July 4...the streak ended on the 4th when he surrendered David Ortiz' 400th career home run...earned his first Major League win in his fourth start, a 6-3 win at Minnesota July 13...allowed three runs in six innings but a Gomes grand slam in the fourth gave him a 4-3 lead...struck out a career-high nine batters July 25 at Toronto...tossed six or more innings and allowed three runs or fewer in each of his first seven starts, which was the longest such streak to start a career in Athletics history...left after 1.2 innings in his eighth start Aug. 4 against Toronto...was placed on the 15-day disabled list the next day with right shoulder tightness...was 3-0 with a 2.42 ERA at the time...was reinstated from the DL Sept. 1...won each of his first three starts following his return, allowing just two runs in 20.1 innings (0.89 ERA), including Sept. 12 at Los Angeles (AL) when he tossed a career-high 8.0 shutout innings...that improved his career record to 6-0 with a 1.94 ERA over his first 11 starts...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, since earned runs became an official stat (1912 in NL, 1913 in AL), he is just the second pitcher to go undefeated in at least his first 11 Major League appearances, all starts, while maintaining an ERA under 2.00...is the first pitcher in Oakland history to start his career 6-0 and just the second Athletic since 1927 (Jim Nash, 7-0 in 1966)...allowed three runs or fewer and walked two batters or fewer in each of his first 11 starts, which is the longest such career-opening streak by a ML pitcher since at least 1916...was charged with his first loss Sept. 18 at Detroit...walked a career-high three batters Sept. 23 at New York, snapping a career-opening streak of 12 consecutive starts with two walks or fewer...that is the longest streak to start a career by an Athletics starting pitcher since at least 1916...finished September with a 4-1 record and a 3.09 ERA in six starts...started Game 4 of the ALDS against Detroit and had a no decision in the A's 4-3 win...allowed two runs on seven hits in 5.0 innings.

GRIFFIN'S 2013 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 4	SEA	8-2	W	3.00	6.0	7	2	2	2	3	1	95
April 11	at LAA	8-1	W	1.93	8.0	5	1	1	1	2	0	110

GRIFFIN'S 2013 SPRING TRAINING STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR
Feb. 26	at ARI	4-9	--	0.00	2.0	1	0	0	0	3	0
March 3	at COL	7-2	W	1.80	3.0	3	1	1	0	1	1
March 18	SEA	5-6	L	5.23	5.1	6	5	5	2	3	1
March 24	LAD	7-4	W	6.00	4.2	5	4	4	1	8	2
March 29	at SF	1-3	L	5.40	5.0	5	2	2	1	6	0
Totals (5 games, 5 starts)		2-2		5.40	20.0	20	12	12	4	21	4



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NO	PITCHERS (12)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
49	Brett Anderson	L	L	6-4	233	2-1-88	Midland, TX	Stillwater, OK
50	Grant Balfour	R	R	6-2	200	12-30-77	Sydney, Australia	Clearwater, FL
13	Jerry Blevins	L	L	6-6	175	9-6-83	Johnson City, TN	Swanton, OH
40	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
62	Sean Doolittle	L	L	6-3	212	9-26-86	Rapid City, SD	Tabernacle, NJ
64	A.J. Griffin	R	R	6-5	230	1-28-88	El Cajon, CA	El Cajon, CA
57	Tommy Milone	L	L	6-0	205	2-16-87	Saugus, CA	Agua Dulce, CA
47	Pat Neshek	S	R	6-3	210	9-4-80	Madison, WI	Melbourne Beach, FL
11	Jarrod Parker	R	R	6-1	195	11-24-88	Fort Wayne, IN	Bluffton, IN
44	Chris Resop	R	R	6-3	225	11-4-82	Naples, FL	Naples, FL
58	Evan Scribner	R	R	6-3	190	7-19-85	New Milford, CT	Washington Depot, CT
NO	CATCHERS (2)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
5	John Jaso	L	R	6-2	205	9-19-83	Chula Vista, CA	McKinleyville, CA
36	Derek Norris	R	R	6-0	210	2-14-89	Goddard, KS	Goddard, KS
NO	INFIELDBERS (6)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
20	Josh Donaldson	R	R	6-0	221	12-8-85	Pensacola, FL	Daphene, AL
7	Nate Freiman	R	R	6-8	250	12-31-86	Washington, DC	Wellesley, MA
8	Jed Lowrie	S	R	6-0	180	4-17-84	Salem, OR	Buckeye, AZ
37	Brandon Moss	L	R	6-0	210	9-16-83	Monroe, GA	Loganville, GA
12	Andy Parrino	S	R	6-0	190	10-31-85	Brockport, NY	Brockport, NY
28	Eric Sogard	L	R	5-10	188	5-22-86	Phoenix, AZ	Phoenix, AZ
NO	OUTFIELDERS (5)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
52	Yoenis Céspedes	R	R	5-10	210	10-18-85	Granma, Cuba	Santiago, D.R.
4	Coco Crisp	S	R	5-10	185	11-1-79	Los Angeles, CA	Rancho Mirage, CA
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
25	Chris Young	R	R	6-2	192	9-5-83	Houston, TX	Houston, TX
NO	DISABLED LIST (4)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
3	Hiro Nakajima	R	R	5-11	198	7-31-82	Itami, Hyogo, Japan	Tokyo, Japan
33	*Fernando Rodriguez	R	R	6-3	237	6-18-84	El Paso, TX	El Paso, TX
17	Adam Rosales	R	R	6-1	195	5-20-83	Chicago, IL	Phoenix, AZ
29	Scott Sizemore	R	R	6-0	185	1-4-85	Virginia Beach, VA	Chesapeake, VA

*indicates 60-day DL

MANAGER: 6 Bob Melvin.

COACHES: 51 Darren Bush (Bullpen), 30 Chili Davis (Hitting), 2 Mike Gallego (Third Base), 14 Chip Hale (Bench), 59 Ariel Prieto (Major League), 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.

NO	MINORS (12)	B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
60	Jesse Chavez	R	R	6-2	160	8-21-83	Victorville, CA	Pomona, CA
65	Pedro Figueroa	L	L	6-0	214	11-23-85	Santo Domingo, D.R.	Santo Domingo, D.R.
35	Grant Green	R	R	6-3	180	9-27-87	Fullerton, CA	Anaheim, CA
68	Arnold Leon	R	R	6-1	206	9-6-88	Culiacan, Mexico	Culiacan, Mexico
77	Jordan Norberto	L	L	6-0	195	12-8-86	Nagua, D.R.	Nagua, D.R.
63	Shane Peterson	L	L	6-0	210	2-11-88	Fallbrook, CA	Temecula, CA
67	Dan Straily	R	R	6-2	215	12-1-88	Redlands, CA	Springfield, OR
23	Michael Taylor	R	R	6-5	256	12-19-85	Cheverly, MD	Apopka, FL
	Stephen Vogt	L	R	6-0	215	11-1-84	Visalia, CA	Tumwater, WA
19	Jemile Weeks	S	R	5-9	161	1-26-87	Orlando, FL	Altamonte Springs, FL
31	Andrew Werner	L	L	6-2	215	2-25-87	West Peoria, IL	Indianapolis, IN
66	Michael Ynoa	R	R	6-7	210	9-24-91	Puerto Plata, D.R.	Puerto Plata, D.R.

NUMERICAL ROSTER

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- 4 Coco Crisp, OF
- 5 John Jaso, C
- 6 Bob Melvin, Manager
- 7 Nate Freiman, 1B
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- 11 Jarrod Parker, RHP
- 12 Andy Parrino, IF
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- 48 Ryan Cook, RHP
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- 57 Tommy Milone, LHP
- 58 Evan Scribner, RHP
- 59 Ariel Prieto, Coach
- 62 Sean Doolittle, LHP
- 64 A.J. Griffin, RHP
- 99 Casey Chavez, Bullpen

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

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Pronunciation Guide

Yoenis Céspedes	yo-EHN-ess SES-peh-des	Hiro Nakajima	HERO
Bartolo Colón	bar-TOE-lo co-LONE	Pat Neshek	NEE-shek
Nate Freiman	FRY-man	Adam Rosales	ro-SALL-ez
Mike Gallego	guy-A-go	Eric Sogard	SO-gard
Tommy Milone	muh-LONE	Jemile Weeks	juh-MILE

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NATE FREIMAN

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INFIELDER

Height/Weight: 6-8 / 250

Bats/Throws: Right / Right

Birthdate: December 31, 1986

Opening Day Age: 26

Birthplace/Resides: Washington, D.C. / Wellesley, MA

Major League Service: None

Obtained: Claimed off waivers from Houston, March 23, 2013

Contract Status: First year of a one-year contract through 2013.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

Hit .294 (551-for-1876) with 131 doubles, 71 home runs and 368 RBI in 483 games over four seasons in the San Diego farm system...played first base in 462 of those games...was selected by Houston in the second round of the Major League portion of the 2012 Rule 5 Draft...claimed off waivers by the A's March 23...has a .328 (138-for-421) career average against left-handed pitching...earned Texas League Postseason All-Star honors at Double-A San Antonio in 2012 after leading the league in hits (154), RBI (105) and games played (137)...was a California League Postseason All-Star in 2011 with Lake Elsinore.

2012 HIGHLIGHTS

Spent the entire season with Double-A San Antonio of the Padres organization, posting a .298 average with 31 doubles, 24 home runs and 105 RBI in 137 games...earned Texas League Midseason and Post-season All-Star honors...hit .336 with runners in scoring position...led the Texas League in hits (154), RBI and games played...also ranked second in extra-base hits (56) and total bases (259), third in home runs, fourth in doubles, fifth in slugging (.502), sixth in runs (80) and seventh in batting average...hit .266 (21-for-79) with five doubles, one home run, 14 RBI and a .359 on-base percentage in 21 games for the Peoria Javelinas of the Arizona Fall League...was selected by the Astros in the second round of the Major League portion of the 2012 Rule 5 draft on Dec. 6.

CAREER

2011—Played in 138 games with Single-A Lake Elsinore, hitting .288 with 35 doubles, four triples, 22 home runs and 111 RBI...was named to the California League Postseason All-Star team...led the CL in games played, ranked third in RBI, fourth in total bases (267), tied for fourth in extra base hits (61), and tied for sixth in hits (158) and homers.

2010—Hit .294 with 43 doubles, 14 home runs and 84 RBI in 136 games with Single-A Fort Wayne...was a 2010 Midwest League Midseason All-Star...led the league in games played and ranked tied for first in doubles, fourth in hits and RBI, fifth in extra base hits (57) and tied for sixth in total bases (239).

2009—Posted a .294 average with 22 doubles, 11 home runs and 68 RBI in 72 games with Short Season Single-A Eugene...received Northwest League Player of the Week honors Aug. 24...led the league in extra base hits (33), total bases (140) and RBI...ranked tied for first in the league in games played, second in doubles and homers, and tied for fourth in hits.

PERSONAL/MISCELLANEOUS

Nathan S. Freiman was originally signed by San Diego scout Adam Bourassa...graduated from Wellesley High School (MA) in 2005 where he was a two-way player...was ranked by Perfect Game USA as the top High School prospect in Massachusetts in 2005...attended Duke University from 2006-2009, where he played first base and catcher for the Blue Devils while graduating with a degree in history...is the only player in school history to receive the ACC Baseball Scholar-Athlete of the Year award (2009)...his 43 career home runs at Duke are the most in school history, while his .616 career slugging percentage is also a school record...ranks second in Duke history with a .356 career batting average...his wife, Amanda, is a professional golfer and has played in 78 LPGA tournaments since 2006...while at Duke University, she was a three-time National Player of the Year and won the U.S. Women's Amateur

title in 2008...participated in the 2013 World Baseball Classic Qualifiers as a member of Team Israel...hit .417 (5-for-12) with four home runs and seven RBI in three games from Sept. 19-23...Israel was eliminated by Spain, 9-6, in the Jupiter Pool Finals.

LIFETIME PLAYING RECORD

Year	Club	AVG.	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	E
2009	Eugene	.294	72	289	36	85	22	0	11	68	0	2	3	30	55	2	0	.484	.364	4
2010	Fort Wayne	.294	136	523	83	154	43	0	14	84	0	6	7	58	117	0	0	.457	.369	9
2011	Lake Elsinore	.288	138	548	81	158	35	4	22	111	0	9	11	50	93	6	1	.487	.354	16
2012	San Antonio	.298	137	516	80	154	31	1	24	105	0	4	12	49	95	0	2	.502	.370	4
Minor League Totals		.294	483	1876	280	551	131	5	71	368	0	21	33	187	360	8	3	.482	.364	33

CAREER TRANSACTIONS

2008 — Selected by the Texas Rangers organization in the 28th round of the First-Year Player Draft; did not sign. **2009** — Selected by the San Diego Padres organization in the 8th round of the First-Year Player Draft. **2012** — Selected by the Houston Astros in the Major League portion of the Rule 5 Draft, December 6. **2013** — Claimed off waivers by the Oakland A's, March 23.

JED LOWRIE

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INFIELDER

Height/Weight: 6-0 / 180

Bats/Throws: Switch / Right

Birthdate: April 17, 1984

Opening Day Age: 28

Birthplace/Resides: Salem, Oregon / Buckeye, Arizona

Major League Service: 4 years, 111 days

Obtained: Acquired from Houston with Fernando Rodriguez for Chris Carter, Brad Peack and minor leaguer Max Stassi, February 4, 2013

Contract Status: First year of a one-year contract through 2013.

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS

The switch-hitting infielder owns a .250 career Major League average with 35 home runs and 159 RBI...his career splits are .292 (107-for-366) with 14 home runs against left-handed pitching, compared to his .230 (180-for-782) average with 21 homers against righties...made eight starts at shortstop for Boston in the 2008 postseason...hit safely in each of his three ALDS games, including a walk-off RBI single in the ninth inning of Game 4 to give the Sox a 3-2 win and clinch the series, 3-1...became just the fourth rookie ever to end a postseason series with a walk-off hit...had three RBI in his Major League debut April 15, 2008 at Cleveland, which was the most by a Boston player in his first big league game since Merrill Combs also had three on Sept. 12, 1947...named the 2007 Red Sox Minor League Offensive Player of the Year, hitting a combined .298 with 47 doubles, 13 homers and 70 RBI in 133 games between Double-A Portland and Triple-A Pawtucket...named both a Minor League All-Star and Double A All-Star by *Baseball America*...entered that season rated the No. 5 prospect in the Red Sox organization according to *Baseball America*...was number 2009 in 2006...was a New York-Penn League All-Star in his first season in 2005 and led the league with a .429 on-base percentage.

2012 HIGHLIGHTS

Set career highs in games (97), at-bats (340), runs (43), hits (83), home runs (16) and walks (43) in his first season with the Astros...led the club in walks...posted 16 home runs as the Astros shortstop, which ranked second on the club and third among all National League shortstops...also ranked second among NL shortstops with his .436 slugging percentage...his 16 home runs rank second in franchise history among shortstops in a single season, trailing only Dickie Thon's 20 homers in 1983...traditionally a stronger performer while batting right-handed, reversed that trend in 2012, posting a .265 (67-for-253) average while batting left-handed and a .184 (16-for-84) mark against lefties...played 93 games, including 90 starts at shortstop, posting a .980 fielding percentage at the position...had the best fielding percentage among NL shortstops with 90 or more games and ranked seventh in the Majors...finished his season by not committing an error in his final 31 games (116 total chances)...also began his season with a 23-game errorless streak before committing his first error May 9 against Miami...began the season on the disabled list and missed the first six games of the season with a sprained right thumb...

activated April 13...sustained a sprained right ankle, which placed him on the DL for a second time from July 15 to Aug. 11...missed 52 team games in that stretch...tied his career high with a nine-game hitting streak from April 27 to May 6, during which he hit .469 with three home runs and nine RBI...hit home runs in three consecutive games from June 7-9, becoming the first Astros shortstop to do so since Andujar Cedenro from April 9-12, 1994...prior to Lowrie, the last Astro at any position to homer in three straight games was Lance Berkman (four games) from July 4-8, 2010...combined to play in six minor league games while on injury rehab assignments, including four playoff games...appeared in games for Double-A Corpus Christi and Single-A Lancaster during their playoff runs in September.

CAREER

2011—Had a career-high four triples in 88 games in a season that included a trip to the disabled list...saw action at all four infield positions with 49 games at shortstop, 33 at third base, four at first base and one at second base...hit .330 against left-handed pitching, the seventh-best mark in the American League among players with at least 115 plate appearances against lefties...hit an AL-best (min. 50 PA) .368 in April and led the Sox with a .574 slugging percentage, which was 10th-best in the AL during the month...placed on the 15-day DL with a left shoulder strain June 17...played in five rehab games with Triple-A Pawtucket, hitting .412 with four doubles and five RBI...activated from DL Aug. 8...hit .270 in 55 games before the trip to the DL and .221 after...began a 5-4-3 triple play in game two of a double-header Aug. 16 against Tampa Bay...it was just the second triple play turned by Boston since 1980 and the club's first since shortstop John Valentin's unassisted triple play July 8, 1994 against Seattle.

2010—Started the season on the disabled list with mononucleosis but hit a career-best .287 average with nine home runs in 55 games after joining the Red Sox in July...missed Boston's first 94 games while on the DL...activated July 21 and played in 55 of the club's last 68 tilts, including 45 starts...was placed on the 15-day DL March 26 and transferred to the 60-day DL April 14...made 24 starts at second base (28 total games) and 21 at shortstop (23), including 19 starts at short over the club's last 24 contests...also appeared in seven games at first base, his first action at the position at the Major League level, and one at third base...knocked nine home runs in just 171 at-bats, more than doubling his combined total of four homers over 328 previous ML at-bats from 2008-09...23 of his 49 hits went for extra bases...after his activation from the DL July 21, led AL middle infielders (min. 10 PA) in on-base percentage (.381), slugging (.526) and OPS (.907) and ranked in that group in extra-base hits (t-2nd, 23) and homers (t-3rd, 9)...posted a career-high, nine-game hitting streak from Aug. 4-21 (10-for-28, .357) and a career-high, 16-game on-base streak, July 26-Aug. 21 (.347, 17-for-49, 11 walks)...hit his first career walk-off home run to lead off the bottom of the 11th inning Aug. 21 off Toronto's Casey Janssen...reached base safely in 23 consecutive starts from Aug. 27-Sept. 29, including seven starts at second base and 16 at shortstop...notched his first career multi-homer games with two long balls in wins on both Sept. 14 at Seattle and Oct. 3 against New York (AL).

2009—Limited to 32 games with the Big League club due to two trips to the disabled list...made an Opening Day roster for the first time in his career...appeared at second base (2 games), third base (4 games) and shortstop (26 games) for the second straight season...made his first career Opening Day start April 7 against Tampa Bay, going 1-for-4...was placed on the 15-day DL April 12 with a left wrist sprain...underwent an ulnar styloid excision and arthroscopic ligament repair on that wrist April 21...reinstated from the DL July 8 and optioned to Short-Season Single-A Lowell...recalled by the Sox from Triple-A Pawtucket July 18 but appeared in only 14 games before returning to the DL Aug. 7 with ulnar neuritis in his left wrist...reinstated Sept. 8...belted his first career grand slam off Chris Perez on the final day of the regular season, Oct. 4 against Cleveland...combined to hit .202 with three homers and 11 RBI in 26 minor league games between Pawtucket, Portland and Lowell, including 18 rehab outings...played in all three of Boston's ALDS games against Los Angeles but made no starts.

2008—Saw his first Major League action, playing most of the year with the Red Sox...finished among American League rookie leaders in sacrifice flies (t-1st in Majors, 8), doubles (5th, 25), triples (t-6th, 3), walks (8th, 35) and extra-base hits (10th, 30)...collected 46 RBI, second most ever for a Red Sox rookie switch-hitter behind Reggie Smith's 61 in 1967...hit .338 right-handed...played with a non-displaced fracture in his left wrist for much of the season...appeared in 49 games at shortstop, 45 at third base and three at second base...became just the second switch-hitter ever to play at least 30 games at both shortstop and third base in his first Major League season, joining Carlos Baerga (1990)...set a ML record for rookie shortstops by handling 155 chances without an error...tallied 154 errorless chances to start his

career before a miscue at third base in the second game of a doubleheader Aug. 26 at New York (AL)...was a non-roster invitee to Spring Training and accompanied the team to Japan before opening the year at Triple-A Pawtucket...selected to the ML roster when Mike Lowell went on the DL April 10...started at third base in his Big League debut April 15 at Cleveland...knocked a two-run single off Rafael Perez in the seventh inning for first hit...finished the game with three RBI, which was the most by a Red Sox in his first ML game since Merrill Combs also had three Sept. 12, 1947...hit safely in his first eight tilts with an at-bat, tallying a .357 clip through April 26...that matched the third longest by a Sox player to begin his Major League career since at least 1920 behind only nine-game runs by Ted Williams (April 20-May 4, 1939) and Shea Hillenbrand (April 2-12, 2001)...connected for his first Major League homer off Glen Perkins May 10 at Minnesota...optioned to Pawtucket May 11 and rejoined Boston July 12 after an injury to Julio Lugo...started 57 of the club's final 64 games...led all rookies with 21 doubles after All-Star break...knocked a game-winning solo homer in the 11th inning Aug. 24 at Toronto to give Boston a 6-5 victory...made eight starts at shortstop in the postseason and played in nine of Boston's 11 games overall...hit .207 with two RBI...was second on the club with a .364 average in the ALDS against Los Angeles...hit safely in each of his three ALDS games, including a walk-off RBI single in the ninth inning of Game 4 to give the Sox a 3-2 win and clinch the series, 3-1...lined a two-out pitch from Scot Shields into right field to score Jason Bay from second base...became just the fourth rookie ever to end a postseason series with a walk-off hit...was 2-for-18 (.111) with a RBI in six ALCS games against the Rays.

2007—Named the Red Sox Minor League Offensive Player of the Year, hitting a combined .298 with 47 doubles, 13 homers, 70 RBI, 82 runs and an .896 OPS in 133 games between Double-A Portland and Triple-A Pawtucket...named both a Minor League All-Star and Double-A All-Star by *Baseball America*...combined to play 116 games at shortstop, nine at second base and two at third base...began the season with Portland...hit .333 with 11 doubles, 17 RBI and a .484 on-base percentage in that span, earning Red Sox Minor League Offensive Player of the Month honors...was one of four Sea Dogs selected to the Eastern League All-Star Game...placed fourth in the Eastern League with seven triples despite not finishing the year with Portland...earned a July 27 promotion to Pawtucket...named the Red Sox Minor League Defensive Player of the Month for August/September...played for the Mesa Solar Sox in the Arizona Fall League, hitting .163 with 14 RBI in 24 games...prior to the season, rated the No. 5 prospect in the Red Sox organization according to *Baseball America*

2006—Spent the entire year with Single-A Wilmington...tied for fourth in the Carolina League and ranked second on the team with six triples...finished third on the club with 50 RBI and 54 walks...played 88 games in the field, exclusively at shortstop...for the second straight year, won Boston Minor League Quality Plate Appearances Award for the month of August...hit .327 with nine doubles, two homers, three triples and 12 walks in the month...hit .231 (3-for-13) in three postseason games for the Blue Rocks...entered 2006 as the No. 9 prospect in the Red Sox system, according to *Baseball America*.

2005—In his first pro campaign, named a New York-Penn League All-Star with Short-Season Single-A Lowell...led the league with a .429 on-base percentage and tied for fifth with a .328 batting average...won the organization's Quality Plate Appearances Award in August, hitting .341 with 21 walks compared to 13 strikeouts in 25 games.

PERSONAL/MISCELLANEOUS

Jed Carlson Lowrie...graduated from North Salem HS in Oregon...went on to attend Stanford University where he earned First-Team All-American and All-Pac-10 honors from *Baseball America* in both 2004 and 2005...hit .338 with 47 doubles, 31 homers, 162 RBI and 143 runs scored in 179 games over three seasons while with the Cardinal...named a *Baseball America* Pre-season First-team All-American on three occasions...as a sophomore in 2004, captured Pac-10 Player of the Year honors after winning the conference Triple Crown with a .399 batting average, 17 home runs and 68 RBI...was a 2004 national semifinalist for the Dick Howser Trophy, presented annually to the nation's top collegiate player.

LIFETIME PLAYING RECORD

Year	Club	AVG.	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	E
2005	Lowell	.328	53	201	36	66	12	0	4	32	2	1	2	34	30	7	5	.448	.429	10
2006	Wilmington	.262	97	374	43	98	21	6	3	50	0	8	2	54	65	2	2	.374	.352	25
2007	Portland	.297	93	337	61	100	31	7	8	49	3	2	1	65	58	5	3	.501	.410	13
	Pawtucket	.300	40	160	21	48	16	1	5	21	0	2	3	12	33	0	1	.506	.356	7
2008	Pawtucket	.268	53	198	35	53	14	2	5	32	0	5	0	31	43	1	0	.434	.359	7
	BOSTON	.258	81	260	34	67	25	3	2	46	2	8	1	35	68	1	0	.400	.339	2
2009	BOSTON	.147	32	68	5	10	2	0	2	11	0	2	0	6	20	0	0	.265	.211	4
	Pawtucket	.176	22	68	9	12	3	0	3	8	0	1	1	13	13	0	0	.353	.313	1
	Portland	.600	1	5	1	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.800	.600	0
	Lowell	.182	3	11	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	.364	.308	1
2010	Lowell	.400	6	15	2	6	1	0	0	5	0	1	0	5	1	0	0	.467	.524	0
	Pawtucket	.333	4	15	3	5	3	0	1	4	0	1	0	1	4	1	0	.733	.353	0
	BOSTON	.287	55	171	31	49	14	0	9	24	0	0	1	25	25	1	1	.526	.381	5
2011	BOSTON	.252	88	309	40	78	14	4	6	36	1	6	2	23	60	1	1	.382	.303	15
	Pawtucket	.412	5	17	2	7	4	0	0	5	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	.647	.474	0
2012	Oklahoma City	.500	2	6	1	3	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	.500	.500	0
	HOUSTON	.244	97	340	43	83	18	0	16	42	0	2	2	43	65	2	0	.438	.331	8
AL Totals		.252	256	808	110	204	55	7	19	117	3	16	4	89	173	3	2	.408	.324	67
NL Totals		.244	97	340	43	83	18	0	16	42	0	2	2	43	65	2	0	.438	.331	8
ML Totals		.250	353	1148	153	287	73	7	35	159	3	18	6	132	238	5	2	.417	.326	75

CAREER TRANSACTIONS

2005 — Selected by the Boston Red Sox organization as a supplemental pick following the 1st round (45th selection overall) in First-Year Player Draft. **2009** — On the disabled list, April 12 to July 7; included rehabilitation assignments to Pawtucket, June 21 to July 5, and Portland, July 6 to 7. On the disabled list, August 7 to September 7; included rehabilitation assignment to Pawtucket, August 24 to September 7. **2010** — On the disabled list, March 26 to July 20; included rehabilitation assignments to Lowell, July 5 to 14, and Pawtucket, July 15 to 20. **2011** — On the disabled list, June 17 to August 7; included rehabilitation assignment to Pawtucket, August 1 to 7. **2011** — Traded to the Houston Astros with pitcher Kyle Weiland for pitcher Mark Melancon, December 14. **2012** — On the disabled list, March 29 to April 12; included rehabilitation assignment to Oklahoma City, April 10 to 11. On the disabled list, July 15 to September 10; included rehabilitation assignments to Corpus Christi, September 7, and Lancaster, September 8 to 10. **2013** — Traded to the Oakland Athletics with pitcher Fernando Rodríguez for pitcher Brad Peacock, first baseman Chris Carter and minor league catcher Max Stassi, February 4.

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
2008	BOS vs. LAA	.364	3	11	2	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	.364	.462	1
2009	BOS vs. LAA	.000	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000	.000	0
Totals	.308	6	13	2	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	4	0	0	.308	.400	1	

LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES RECORD

Year	Club/Opp.	AVG.	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	SH	SF	HP	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP	E
2009	BOS vs. TB	.111	6	18	2	2	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	4	4	0	0	.167	.261	0

LOWRIE'S CAREER BESTS

Hits: 4 (twice), April 18, 2011 vs. Toronto; September 24, 2010 at New York (AL)
Home Runs: 2 (twice), October 3, 2010 vs. New York (AL); September 14, 2010 at Seattle
Runs Batted In: 4 (three times), last: September 9, 2011 vs. Baltimore
Stolen Bases: 1 (five times), last: May 21, 2012 vs. Chicago (NL)
Hitting Streak: 9 (twice), last: April 27 to May 6, 2012
Hitless Streak (At Bats): 18 (twice), last: April 7 to July 18, 2009
Grand Slams: 1, October 4, 2009 vs. Cleveland (Chris Perez)
Pinch-Hit Home Runs: None
Inside-The-Park Home Runs: None
Game Ending Home Runs: 1, August 21, 2010 vs. Toronto (Casey Janssen)
Lead Off Home Runs: None

VS. THE AMERICAN LEAGUE

2012	CAREER									
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	vs. TEAM	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
—	0	0	0	0	Baltimore	.210	81	17	3	16
—	0	0	0	0	Boston	—	0	0	0	0
.222	9	2	0	0	Cleveland	.161	56	9	1	9
.308	13	4	2	4	Chicago	.232	69	16	2	11
—	0	0	0	0	Detroit	.292	24	7	0	1
.167	6	1	0	1	Kansas City	.300	30	9	0	6
—	0	0	0	0	Los Angeles	.264	72	19	0	5
—	0	0	0	0	Minnesota	.280	25	7	1	4
—	0	0	0	0	New York	.330	88	29	3	10
—	0	0	0	0	Oakland	.241	58	14	1	13
—	0	0	0	0	Seattle	.228	57	13	3	8
—	0	0	0	0	Tampa Bay	.151	86	13	0	6
.238	21	5	2	4	Texas	.322	90	29	3	14
—	0	0	0	0	Toronto	.268	112	30	6	21

VS. THE NATIONAL LEAGUE

2012	CAREER									
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	vs. TEAM	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
—	0	0	0	0	Atlanta	—	0	0	0	0
.156	32	5	1	1	Chicago	.220	41	9	1	3
.471	17	8	2	5	Cincinnati	.471	17	8	2	5
.222	9	2	0	0	Cleveland	.161	56	9	1	9
.400	15	6	1	2	Colorado	.400	15	6	1	2
.167	6	1	0	1	Kansas City	.300	30	9	0	6
.174	23	4	0	1	Los Angeles	.174	23	4	0	1
.167	24	4	0	1	Miami	.167	24	4	0	1
.250	40	10	3	7	Milwaukee	.250	40	10	3	7
.600	10	6	1	3	New York	.600	10	6	1	3
.231	13	3	0	2	Philadelphia	.231	13	3	0	2
.219	32	7	1	5	Pittsburgh	.219	32	7	1	5
.188	16	3	1	2	San Diego	.188	16	3	1	2
.067	15	1	0	0	San Francisco	.067	15	1	0	0
.256	43	11	2	4	St. Louis	.256	43	11	2	4
.273	11	3	0	0	Washington	.273	11	3	0	0

MONTHLY BREAKDOWN

2012	CAREER									
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	by MONTH	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.297	64	19	2	7	April	.304	181	55	5	24
.275	102	28	6	14	May	.268	205	55	7	25
.218	87	19	6	12	June	.187	123	23	6	16
.188	32	6	0	3	July	.209	115	24	1	15
—	0	0	0	0	August	.280	243	68	6	38
.234	47	11	2	6	September	.220	259	57	7	34
.000	8	0	0	0	October	.227	22	5	3	7

BATTING BREAKDOWN

2012	CAREER									
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	by CATEGORY	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.262	164	43	9	24	Home	.267	562	150	16	92
.227	176	40	7	18	Road	.234	586	137	19	67
.227	97	22	5	11	Day	.244	324	79	14	46
.251	243	61	11	31	Night	.252	824	208	21	113
.254	280	71	14	36	Pre-ASG	.255	541	138	18	68
.200	60	12	2	6	Post-ASG	.245	607	149	17	91
.184	87	16	3	13	vs. LHP	.292	366	107	14	71
.265	253	67	13	29	vs. RHP	.230	782	180	21	88
.193	88	17	2	21	RISP	.237	304	72	5	111
.000	6	0	0	0	Bases Loaded	.225	40	9	1	31
.400	5	2	0	2	Pinch Hitter	.273	22	6	0	3
—	0	0	0	0	Designated Hitter	.000	7	0	0	0

BALLPARK BREAKDOWN

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
Angel Stadium	.257	35	9	0	3
AT&T Park	.067	15	1	0	0
Busch Stadium	.250	8	2	0	0
Camden Yards	.217	46	10	2	5
Citizens Bank Park	.000	4	0	0	0
Comerica Park	.300	10	3	0	1
Coors Field	.400	15	6	1	2
Dodger Stadium	.182	11	2	0	1
Fenway Park	.269	398	107	7	68
Great American	.455	11	5	1	3
Kauffman Stadium	.333	24	8	0	5
Marlins Park	.250	12	3	0	1
Metrodome	.750	4	3	1	1
Miller Park	.261	23	6	2	3
Minute Maid Park	.262	164	43	9	24
Nationals Park	.273	11	3	0	0
O.co Coliseum	.222	18	4	1	3
Original Yankee Stadium	.250	12	3	0	0
PNC Park	.192	26	5	0	2
Progressive Field	.111	18	2	0	4
Rangers Ballpark	.260	50	13	2	4
Rogers Centre	.173	52	9	3	6
Safeco Field	.270	37	10	3	8
Target Field	.143	7	1	0	0
Tropicana Field	.122	41	5	0	3
U.S. Cellular Field	.275	40	11	2	7
Wrigley Field	.059	17	1	0	0
Yankee Stadium	.308	39	12	1	5

FIELDING STATISTICS

First Base							
YEAR	PCT.	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP
2010	.923	7	10	2	1	13	2
2011	1.000	4	12	0	0	12	0
Totals	.960	11	22	2	1	25	2

Second Base							
YEAR	PCT.	G	PO	A	E	TC	DP
2008	1.000	3	2	4	0	6	0
2009	—	2	0	0	0	0	0
2010	.976	28	44	77	3	124	14
2011	1.000	1	0	2	0	2	0
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2013 PLAYER HIGHLIGHTS

GRANT BALFOUR

- Had successful arthroscopic surgery on his right knee Feb. 14...the surgery, a lateral meniscectomy, was performed by Dr. Douglas Freedberg in Scottsdale, Ariz.
- Did not pitch in a Spring Training game until March 21.
- Made his 400th career appearance April 6 at Houston.

YOENIS CÉSPEDES

- Became the A's 14th different Opening Day starter in left field in the last 14 years April 1 against Seattle.

COCO CRISP

- Was on his ninth Opening Day Roster (2004-09, 11-13), his third straight with the A's...made his eighth career Opening Start April 1 against Seattle, including three straight with the A's.
- Hit his ninth career leadoff home run April 5 at Houston, his seventh with the A's...in Oakland history, only Rickey Henderson (43) and Campy Campaneris (10) have more.

JOHN JASO

- Is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster with his third team (Tampa Bay, 2011; Seattle, 2012).

FERNANDO RODRIGUEZ

- Was placed on the 60-day disabled list March 23 with a sprained right elbow.
- Had successful UCL reconstruction surgery March 27...the procedure was performed by Dr. Thomas Mehlhoff at the Texas Orthopedic Hospital in Houston, Texas.

SCOTT SIZEMORE

- Doubled in the second inning April 3 against Seattle in his first game since September 28, 2011 at Seattle...that extended his hitting streak to six games dating back to September 24, 2011 (8 for 20, .400), which is the longest hitting streak of his career.

SETH SMITH

- Went 2 for 3 with a double April 1 against Seattle in his fifth consecutive Opening Day start (2009-10 in left field with Colorado, 2011 in right field with Colorado, 2012-13 at designated hitter with Oakland)...is 7 for 22 (.318) with two doubles, a home run and three RBI in his five openers...is the first Athletic to start back-to-back openers at designated hitter since Erubiel Durazo (2003-05).

CHRIS YOUNG

- Is in his eighth season in the majors...the first seven came with Arizona...is on his seventh Opening Day roster.
- Made his A's debut April 3 against Seattle and homered in the seventh inning...became the 20th player in Oakland history to homer in his first game with the A's (last: Jonny Gomes, March 29, 2012 vs. Seattle at Tokyo).

PLAYER TRANSACTIONS

- February 4 Jed Lowrie and Fernando Rodriguez acquired from the Houston Astros for Chris Carter, Brad Peacock and minor leaguer Max Stassi
- March 10 Jesse Chavez and Andrew Werner optioned to Sacramento; Michael Ynoa optioned to Beloit
- March 11 Arnold Leon optioned to Sacramento
- March 17 Grant Green and Michael Taylor optioned to Sacramento
- March 23 Nate Freiman claimed off waivers from the Houston Astros; Fernando Rodriguez placed on the 60-day disabled list (sprained right elbow)
- March 24 Shane Peterson and Jemile Weeks optioned to Sacramento
- March 26 Adam Rosales placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained left intercostal)
- March 29 Danny Otero claimed off waivers from New York (AL); Josh Stinson claimed off waivers from Milwaukee; Daric Barton and Travis Blackley designated for assignment; Jordan Norberto optioned to Sacramento
- March 30 Hiro Nakajima placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to March 27 (strained left hamstring); Pedro Figueroa and Andy Parrino optioned to Sacramento

**for transactions after March 31, please see the game notes.

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
Aliciotti	.000	.000	.000	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Barfield	.500	1.250	.500	3	4	2	2	5	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Barton	.206	.265	.438	17	34	3	7	9	2	0	0	5	0	0	3	11	0	5	0	1	0	1
Cespedes	.295	.623	.377	22	61	13	18	38	2	0	6	15	0	0	1	7	0	13	0	1	0	2
Choice	.313	.458	.346	21	48	8	15	22	2	1	1	9	0	1	1	2	0	8	0	0	2	1
Coleman	.000	.000	.000	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Crisp	.296	.315	.356	19	54	11	16	17	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	7	4	0	1	1
Crumbliss	.000	.000	.000	5	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Donaldson	.300	.517	.368	22	60	9	18	31	4	0	3	10	0	1	0	7	0	12	1	1	2	1
Freiman (TOT)	.241	.370	.268	25	54	5	13	20	4	0	1	9	0	0	1	1	0	11	0	0	1	2
Freiman (OAK)	.167	.278	.250	6	18	2	3	5	2	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	0	1
Freitas	.444	.667	.444	12	18	5	8	12	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Green	.409	.636	.409	14	22	6	9	14	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1
Head	.100	.100	.091	4	10	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
Horton	.200	.200	.200	4	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Jaso	.238	.405	.353	19	42	6	10	17	1	3	0	6	0	1	0	8	0	5	1	0	1	1
Ladendorf	.000	.000	.000	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lamas	.000	.000	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lipkin	.250	.250	.250	2	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0
Lowrie	.273	.509	.375	21	55	13	15	28	4	0	3	13	0	0	0	9	0	9	0	0	2	2
Marte	.400	.600	.455	7	10	4	4	6	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0
Montz	.154	.308	.207	23	26	4	4	8	1	0	1	4	0	1	0	2	0	9	0	0	0	0
Moore	.182	.318	.280	19	22	3	4	7	0	0	1	3	0	0	1	2	0	5	0	0	0	0
Moss	.304	.429	.339	21	56	3	17	24	2	1	1	8	0	0	0	3	0	10	0	0	0	1
Myers	.200	.200	.200	4	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Nakajima	.167	.190	.286	17	42	4	7	8	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	4	0	11	2	0	3	4
Norris	.350	.775	.460	19	40	14	14	31	2	0	5	12	0	1	0	9	0	12	0	0	2	3
Oberacker	.000	.000	.000	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Ortiz	.500	.500	.500	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Parrino	.368	.605	.442	26	38	10	14	23	6	0	1	9	0	0	0	5	0	9	1	0	0	0
Perez	.313	.375	.421	14	16	2	5	6	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	0	4	1	0	0	0
Peterson	.408	.653	.463	26	49	9	20	32	7	1	1	7	0	0	0	5	0	11	0	0	1	1
Reddick	.294	.627	.390	20	51	11	15	32	3	1	4	14	0	0	0	8	0	5	2	1	1	0
Richard	---	---	---	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rosales	.324	.622	.468	21	37	12	12	23	2	0	3	9	0	0	2	8	0	6	1	0	1	1
Russell	.250	.313	.294	6	16	2	4	5	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	5	1	0	1	0
Sizemore	.216	.275	.344	21	51	7	11	14	1	1	0	6	0	2	1	10	0	17	0	0	2	1
Smith	.280	.440	.321	20	50	8	14	22	3	1	1	10	0	2	0	4	0	8	0	0	3	0
Sogard	.444	.648	.500	26	54	10	24	35	8	0	1	9	0	0	0	6	0	4	1	0	0	0
Taylor, B.	.000	.000	.000	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Taylor, M.	.217	.304	.250	10	23	2	5	7	2	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	0	8	0	0	1	0
Thompson	.000	.000	.000	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Weeks	.370	.556	.424	11	27	5	10	15	2	0	1	6	0	2	0	4	0	1	0	2	2	2
Whitaker	.250	.250	.250	3	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Young	.250	.411	.364	22	56	11	14	23	3	0	2	9	0	0	2	8	0	14	2	0	0	1
TEAM	.287	.463	.367	33	1135	203	326	526	71	9	37	187	1	12	15	134	0	223	17	6	29	27
OPPONENTS	.303	.491	.349	33	1173	197	355	576	78	13	39	183	4	15	8	84	0	228	25	9	25	15

PITCHING

NAME	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	INN	H	R	ER	HR	SH	SF	HBP	BB	IBB	SO	WP	BK	BA
Anderson	1	0	6.75	4	4	0	0	0	12.0	16	11	9	3	0	1	0	3	0	7	0	0	.314
Balfour	0	0	2.25	4	0	0	0	0	4.0	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	.143
Banwart	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Billings	0	0	1.93	3	0	0	0	0	4.2	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.278
Blackley	1	1	14.21	7	2	0	0	1	12.2	27	20	20	3	1	2	1	6	0	12	5	0	.450
Blevins	0	0	2.45	7	0	0	0	0	7.1	8	5	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	5	0	0	.250
Chavez	0	1	1.80	3	1	0	0	0	5.0	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	4	0	0	.125
Colon	1	2	6.30	6	3	0	0	1	20.0	31	17	14	2	0	0	1	1	0	22	0	0	.344
Cook	1	1	6.14	9	0	0	0	0	7.1	10	5	5	2	0	0	0	5	0	4	0	0	.323
Doolittle	2	0	2.35	8	0	0	0	0	7.2	6	2	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	10	0	0	.222
Ekstrom	0	1	1.20	10	0	0	0	3	15.0	9	2	2	1	0	0	0	4	0	10	2	0	.170
Figueroa	0	0	3.38	9	0	0	0	1	10.2	12	4	4	0	0	2	1	1	0	10	1	0	.286
Fisher	0	0	20.25	2	0	0	0	0	1.1	0	3	3	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	.000
Gordon	0	0	4.91	4	0	0	0	0	7.1	8	7	4	0	0	1	1	2	0	3	0	0	.267
Granier	0	0	9.00	1	0	0	0	0	1.0	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	.333
Gray	1	0	6.00	3	0	0	0	0	6.0	7	5	4	2	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	.280
Griffin	2	2	5.40	5	5	0	0	0	20.0	20	12	12	4	0	1	1	4	0	21	0	0	.263
Hassebrock	0	0	13.50	2	0	0	0	0	1.1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	.333
Hernandez	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	.143
Leon	0	0	6.00	3	0	0	0	1	3.0	3	2	2	1	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	.300
Milone	3	0	4.63	6	6	0	0	0	23.1	28	12	12	3	1	1	0	5	0	17	0	0	.304
Neshek	2	0	0.00	9	0	0	0	0	8.1	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	5	0	0	.233
Newby	0	0	4.50	2	0	0	0	0	2.0	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	.444
Norberto	0	0	4.35	9	0	0	0	0	10.1	16	6	5	1	0	1	0	4	0	8	2	0	.356
Okajima	1	0	5.79	9	0	0	0	1	9.1	12	6	6	3	0	0	1	4	0	6	0	0	.300
Olson	0	0	3.60	5	0	0	0	0	5.0	4	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	0	0	.222
Parker	0	2	7.45	5	5	0	0	0	19.1	25	18	16	5	1	0	0	5	0	13	1	0	.309
Perez	0	0	27.00	1	0	0	0	0	0.2	3	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	.600
Resop	0	0	0.00	8	0	0	0	0	9.0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	.200
Rodriguez	0	0	10.13	4	0	0	0	0	2.2	4	3	3	1	0	0	0	2	0	3	1	0	.364
Scribner	0	0	6.55	10	0	0	0	1	11.0	17	8	8	0	0	0	0	2	0	12	3	1	.354
Simmons	0	0	10.80	5	0	0	0	1	5.0	10	6	6	2	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	.417
Smyth	0	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	.000
Straily	2	2	5.82	7	6	0	0	0	21.2	31	17	14	2	1	3	1	7	0	20	1	0	.333
Thomas	0	0	6.75	3	0	0	0	0	5.1	6	4	4	1	0	0	0	5	0	6	0	0	.316
Walz	0	0	108.00	2	0	0	0	0	0.1	4	4	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	.800
Werner	0	1	4.50	3	1	0	0	0	6.0	7	4	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	.318
TEAM	17	13	5.45	33	33	0	0	10	289.0	355	197	175	39	4	15	8	84	0	228	22	1	.303
OPPONENTS	13	17	6.11	33	33	0	1	5	287.0	326	203	195	37	1	12	15	134	0	223	22	4	.287