



# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

## Post Game Notes

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### Houston Astros (47-93) at Oakland Athletics (80-60) Thursday, September 5, 2013 O.co Coliseum

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	H	E	LOB
Houston	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	8	0	5
Oakland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	6	1	6

W — Peacock (4-5)    L — Gray (2-3)    S — Fields (3)

#### OAKLAND NOTES

- The Oakland Athletics fell to 5-2 in their last seven games and 8-3 in their last 11...are 12-4 against Houston this season, but have lost three of their last four and four of their last six games against the Astros...are now 5-2 on their current 10-game homestand against Tampa Bay (3-0), Texas (2-1) and Houston (0-1)...fell to a half game behind Texas for first place in the AL West.
- Sonny Gray** suffered his first career home loss...allowed seven of the first 11 batters to reach base but retired 19 of the final 20 batters he faced, including the last 10 in a row...tied a career high with eight innings pitched...has tossed at least six innings and allowed two earned runs or fewer in five of his six career starts.
- Yoenis Céspedes** (1 for 4, 2 so) is 7 for 19 (.368) in September after hitting a career-worst .216 in August...has hit safely in nine straight games against Houston (13 for 36, 361) since starting the year 0 for 11 in his first three games against the Astros.
- Coco Crisp** (1 for 4, 2b, so) recorded at least one extra-base hit for the sixth consecutive game...matches his career high (three times, last: September 6-11, 2005)...extended his hitting streak to eight games, during which he has hit .324 (11 for 34) with two doubles, four home runs and nine RBI...has hit .344 (21 for 61) with a Major League best eight home runs over his last 15 games (since August 21).
- Stephen Vogt** (1 for 3, 2 bb, rbi) extended his career high hitting streak to eight games...is hitting .360 (9 for 25) with three doubles, a triple and a home run during the streak.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Sonny Gray (L, 2-3)	8.0	7	3	2	1	7	0	95/67
Ryan Cook	1.0	1	0	0	0	2	0	15/10

Home Runs	Inning	Count	RBI	Location	Pitcher
None					

#### HOUSTON NOTES

- The Houston Astros are 1-0 on their current seven-game homestand to Oakland (1-0) and Seattle (three games).
- Brad Peacock** improved to 3-1 over his last four starts after going 1-3 over his first 11 appearances (seven starts)...nine strikeouts was one short of his career high (10, August 4, 2013 at Minnesota).
- Jose Altuve** (2 for 4, rbi) recorded his 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> hits of September...entered tonight with the most September hits in the AL.
- Chris Carter** (1 for 4, rbi, 2 so) drove in his 50<sup>th</sup> run on the road this season...entered tonight tied for fourth in the AL in road RBI.
- Trevor Crowe** (2 for 4, r, 2b) extended his hitting streak to seven games, dating back to June 22...his gone 11 for 26 (.423) over streak...is 9 for 22 (.409) since being recalled on September 1.

Pitching Lines	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Brad Peacock (W, 4-5)	7.0	5	2	2	1	9	0	97/66
Kevin Chapman	0.2	1	0	0	0	1	0	8/6
Jorge De Leon	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4/3
Josh Fields (S, 3)	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	17/10

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Time of Game.....	Overall Record.....	80-59	Home/Road .....	44-26/36-33
First Pitch .....	Streak.....	Won 1	Day/Night.....	31-24/49-35
Temperature .....	Homestand .....	5-1	April/May/June.....	16-12/16-12/16-11
	Last Five .....	4-1	July/Aug./Sept. ....	15-10/14-13/3-1
Attendance .....	Last 10 .....	8-2		
Total .....	Series Record .....	2-1	A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7 .....	37-14/43-44
Average (70 games) .....	Series First Game .....	30-15	A's/Opponents score first.....	52-24/28-35
	vs. AL West .....	34-26	Leading after 7 <sup>th</sup> inn/8 <sup>th</sup> inn.....	62-4/62-2
Win/Lose in Last At-Bat.....	vs. RHP/LHP .....	55-40/25-19	Tied after 7 <sup>th</sup> inn/8 <sup>th</sup> inn.....	13-7/8-5
Extra Innings.....			Trailing after 7 <sup>th</sup> inn/8 <sup>th</sup> inn.....	4-48/3-52