

# Oakland Athletics

## **Post Game Notes**

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Scherzer

### Detroit Tigers (1-0) at Oakland Athletics (0-1) Friday, October 4, 2013 O.co Coliseum

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	R	Н	Ε	LOB
Detroit	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	10	0	6
Oakland	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	Χ	2	3	1	4

W — Scherzer (1-0) L — Colon (0-1) S — Benoit (1)

#### **OAKLAND NOTES**

- The Oakland Athletics are making their eighth appearance in the Division Series, which is tied for fifth most all-time...have a 16-16 record (.500) record in the Division Series.
- The A's 16 strikeouts are their most ever in a postseason game.
- Tonight's paid attendance of 48,401 is the largest baseball attendance since June 27, 2004 (vs. San Francisco).

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- Bartolo Colon made his first postseason start since October 10, 2005 against New York, and his ninth career Division Series start which ties him for seventh most all-time...is 1-4 with a 4.20 ERA (23 er in 49.1 ip) over his nine career Division Series starts...is the oldest pitcher in Oakland history to start a postseason game at 40 years, 133 days.
- Yoenis Cespedes (2 for 4, r, 3b, hr, 2 rbi, 2 so) hit his first career postseason home run...hit the first triple by an Athletics player in a postseason game since Adam Melhuse in Game Four of the 2003 ALDS, and the first of his career...joins Rickey Henderson (Game Four of the 1989 World Series) as the only players in Athletics history with a triple and a home run in a postseason game...extended his ALDS hitting streak to six games, which is the longest ALDS hitting streak in Oakland history...is batting .348 (8 for 23) over the streak.
- Coco Crisp (0 for 1, 3 bb, so) recorded a postseason career-high three walks.
- Josh Reddick (0 for 4, 3 so) made his first career postseason outfield assist...has now thrown out five base runners over his last eight games.

Pitching Lines	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Bartolo Colon (L, 0-1)	6.0	10	3	3	0	4	0	99/63
Dan Otero	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	15/11
Sean Doolittle	1.2	0	0	0	0	3	0	30/20
Home Runs	Inning	Cou	nt	RBI	Location	Pi	tcher	

#### **DETROIT NOTES**

Yoenis Cespedes (1)

- The Detroit Tigers are making their 15<sup>th</sup> postseason appearance in franchise history...it is their fourth postseason series against the Athletics, and are 10-5 against the Athletics in postseason play...have won the first game in each of their last three postseason series against the Athletics.
- Max Scherzer recorded a postseason career-high 11 strikeouts...is 3-1 with a 3.49 ERA (15 er in 38.2 ip) in his eight career postseason starts...is 1-0 with a 1.46 ERA (2 er in 12.1 ip) in two postseason starts against Oakland.
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- Torii Hunter (1 for 3, r, so, hbp) appeared in his 35<sup>th</sup> career postseason game, his first since 2009...is 41 for 134 (.306) with 10 doubles, one triple, and 18 RBI over his postseason career.

Pitching Lines	IP	Н	R	ER	BB	so	HR	Pitches/Strikes
Max Scherzer (W, 1-0)	7.0	3	2	2	2	11	1	118/78
Drew Smyly	0.2	0	0	0	0	1	0	15/8
Joaquin Benoit (S, 1)	1.1	0	0	0	0	3	0	17/13
Home Runs	Inning	Cou	unt	RBI	Location	Pi	tcher	

None

#### **GAME NOTES**

- Time of Game: 3:24
- First Pitch: 6:38 p.m.
- Temperature: 77 degrees
- Attendance: 48,401