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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (64-39) VS. TEXAS RANGERS (41-63)

SUNDAY, JULY 27, 2014 – GLOBE LIFE PARK – 6:05 P.M. CDT
LHP SCOTT KAZMIR (11-3, 2.32) VS. RHP MILES MIKOLAS (1-2, 7.48)
CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)

ABOUT THE A'S: The A's are 5-3 since the All-Star Break and 24-12 over the last 36 games...are a season-high tying 25 games over .500 at 64-39 (63-38, July 24)...that is the **best record in the majors for the 35th consecutive day** (since June 18) and 37th day this year (also May 21-22)...have held at least a share of first place in the American League West for 103 days (99 alone, four days tied)...this is the 10th season in Oakland history the A's have spent at least 100 days in first, but just the second over the last 22 years (2006)...have been alone in first every day since April 28 and have held at least a share of first since April 24...have a two-game lead in the West over the Angels...have held the best record in the AL every day since May 31.

MLB BEST RECORDS SINCE 2012

	W	L	PCT
Oakland	254	173	.595
Atlanta	246	182	.575
Washington	240	185	.565
St. Louis	240	187	.562
Detroit	238	187	.560
Cincinnati	239	188	.560

OAKLAND A'S BEST STARTS

103 Games	104 Games
65-38 1975	66-38 1975
64-39 2014	65-39 1971
64-39 1990	64-40 1990
64-39 1971	63-41 1988
62-41 1988	62-42 1972
62-41 1972	

WINNING MONTHS: The A's are 13-8 in July and have clinched a winning record for the 14th consecutive month...that is the **longest streak in Oakland history** (previous: 13, Sept. 1970-Sept. 1972) and second longest in Athletics history (15, July 1928-Sept. 1930)...the only American League team with more than 13 consecutive winning months over the last 36 years is the New York Yankees (20, Sept. 1996-April 2000)...the last time the A's had a losing record in a month was May of 2012 (11-16)...all winning month notes exclude March and October.

RUN DIFFERENTIAL: The A's have outscored the opposition by 164 runs, which is the **most in the majors** (Los Angeles-AL, 90)...it is currently the third best season run differential in Oakland history (239 in 2001, 180 in 1988, 163 in 1990, 152 in 1975)...have won seven games by 10 or more runs, which is one short of the Oakland record of eight in 2000.

OFFENSE: The A's hit four home runs last night, which was their fourth game of four or more home runs this season and one short of their season-high of five (May 26 vs. Detroit)...the home runs included back-to-back homers by Jaso and Céspedes in the sixth inning, the third time the A's have gone back-to-back...are now batting .295 (64 for 217) with 40 runs scored over the last six games (6.7 runs per game) after hitting .237 with 61 runs scored over the previous 17 contests (3.6 runs per game)...**lead the majors** in runs scored (515) and walks (383), have the third fewest strikeouts (715), are tied for fourth in home runs (109), sixth in on-base percentage (.329), seventh in slugging percentage (.405) and eighth in extra base hits (304).

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers have allowed one earned run or fewer in 12 of the last 19 games and are 11-5 with a 2.21 ERA (30 er in 122.0 ip) over that span...have a 3.14 ERA (218 er in 624.0 ip) for the season, which is tied with Los Angeles-NL for the lowest in the majors...have the fewest losses in the majors (25) and the third most wins (45)...are tied for third in the American League in complete games (3).

PITCHING: The A's have compiled a 2.34 ERA (45 in 173.0 ip) over the last 19 games...**lead the majors** in opponents slugging percentage (.348), rank second in batting average (.232) and on-base percentage (.292) and third in ERA (3.09)...have issued the third fewest walks in the American League (276) and have the fourth most shutouts (9).

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: A's outfielders have 28 assists, which is tied with Arizona for the most in the majors and three more than the A's season total from last year...the A's have committed 11 errors in the last 13 games, which has led to six unearned runs...have 69 errors for the season, which is tied for fourth most in the American League, but they have led to just 27 unearned runs, which is fourth fewest.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 1-1 on this six-game road trip to Texas (1-1) and Houston (three games)...went 2-3 on the last road trip to San Francisco (1-1) and Seattle (1-2)...that snapped a streak of 11 consecutive road trips with a .500 record or better, which matched the second longest such streak in Oakland history...it was the first time the A's finished a trip with a losing record since going 2-5 at Texas and

Seattle June 17-23, 2013...have lost seven of the last 10 road games but are 30-22 (.577) for the season, which is the third best road record in the American League...went 4-2 on the last homestand against Baltimore (2-1) and Houston (2-1)...have won 10 of the last 12 home games, 28 of the last 36 and are 34-17 (.667) for the season...that is the best home record in the majors.

CLOSE CALLS: The A's are 10-6 (.667) in extra inning games...lead the majors in extra inning games and are tied for the lead in wins...are tied for the second best record in the American League...are 17-11 in games decided in the last at bat...are tied with Miami for the ML lead in last at bat wins and rank fourth in games decided in the last at bat...have 10 wins when trailing after seven innings, which is the most in the majors and tied for second most in Oakland history (12 in 1969)...have seven walk-off wins...have won 10 of their last 14 games decided by two runs or fewer after starting the season 12-17...are 42-18 in games decided by three runs or more.

IN THE PINCH: A's pinch hitters are 3 for their last 26 (.115)...are 21 for 86 (.244) for the season and the pinch hits are one more than the season total from last year...lead the American League in walks (16), doubles (5) and extra base hits (8), are tied for the lead in hits and plate appearances (104), rank second in RBI (15), tied for second in home runs (3), fourth in on-base percentage (.365) and fifth in slugging percentage (.407).

ON THE BASES: The A's are 59 for 71 (83.1%) in stolen base attempts, which is the second best percentage in the majors (Washington, 84.4%)...the Athletics record is 80.7% in 2008...opponents have been successful in 56 of their 68 (82.4%) attempts, which is fourth highest in the majors...the Oakland record is 81.3% in 2005.

THIS AND THAT: The A's have not used a rookie this year, which is the longest season-opening streak by a Major League team since the 1971 Baltimore Orioles went the first 152 games (source: Elias)...11 of the A's next 14 games and 31 of their final 59 are against teams currently under .500...the A's had six players named to the AL All-Star team and one named to the National League All-Star team...had six players appear in the game, matching the most in Athletics history (1973 and 1975).

AT THE BREAK: The A's were 59-36 (.621) at the All-Star Break...the wins are the most in Athletics history before the All-Star Break and the winning percentage is fourth best...the pitching staff compiled a 3.09 ERA, which is the lowest by an American League team since the Angels had a 2.89 ERA in 1989...it was the lowest by an A's team since 1981 (2.81)...outscored the opposition 466-321 and the run differential of 145 was the best in Athletics history, seventh best in AL history and 14th best in Major League history...it was the best by any team since Seattle in 2001 (149).

A's vs. RANGERS: The A's lead the season series, 6-5...are 2-4 in Oakland and 4-1 in Texas...have won each of the previous two season series after losing five of the previous six...are 27-22 over the last three years...are 319-329 all-time against the Texas Rangers...that breaks down to 169-155 in Oakland and 150-174 in Texas...including 83-85 at Globe Life Park...have an all-time record of 416-411 against the Rangers/Senators.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Sean Doolittle has 15 saves, which is three short of the Athletics record for saves by a left-handed pitcher (17, Embree in 2007)...**Brandon Moss** extended his hitting streak to 10 games last night, which is an ongoing career-high...is 10 for 41 (.244) with four home runs and eight RBI during the hitting streak...**Stephen Vogt** is batting .358, which is the best mark in the majors among batters with 100 or more plate appearances.

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **2008** Brad Ziegler tosses 2.0 scoreless innings to extend his career opening scoreless streak to a Major League record 27.0 innings, breaking the previous mark of 25 set by George McQuillan of the 1907 Philadelphia Phillies...the streak would reach 39.0 innings before he allowed his first run.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Mon., July 28 at Houston	RHP Jesse Chavez (8-6, 3.14) vs. TBD	5:10	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Tue., July 29 at Houston	RHP Jeff Samardzija (2-1, 2.70) vs. RHP Scott Feldman (4-8, 4.60)	5:10	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Wed., July 30 at Houston	RHP Jason Hammel (0-3, 7.11) vs. LHP Dallas Keuchel (9-7, 3.11)	11:10	95.7 FM The Game

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AMERICAN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS...1902 • 1905 • 1910 • 1911 • 1913 • 1914 • 1929 • 1930 • 1931 • 1972 • 1973 • 1974 • 1988 • 1989 • 1990

TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Scott Kazmir (11-3, 2.32 ERA)

AMONG THE LEADERS: Ranks third in the American League in ERA (2.32), fourth in opponents batting average (.209) and on-base percentage (.261), fifth in slugging percentage (.317) and tied for fifth in wins (11) and winning percentage (.786)...also has the third highest run support (6.01), ranks eighth in fewest pitched per game (94.9) and tied for eighth in complete games (1).

LAST FOUR STARTS: Has allowed one earned run or fewer in each of his last four starts and is 2-0 with a 1.03 ERA (3 er in 26.1 ip) and .181 (17 for 94) opponents batting average over that span.

ONE RUN OR FEWER: Has allowed one run or fewer in 11 of his 20 starts this year and 19 of his last 38 starts dating back to June 21, 2013...is 18-8 with a 2.65 ERA (67 er in 227.1 ip) and .223 (189 for 848) opponents batting average over that stretch...has walked 52 (2.06 per nine innings) and struck out 221 in 227.1 innings (8.75 per nine innings) for a strikeout to walk ratio of 4.25...has yielded just 17 home runs (0.67 per nine innings).

MAJOR LEAGUE ERA LEADERS SINCE JUNE 21, 2013 (min. 190.0 ip)

1.79	Clayton Kershaw, LAD
2.39	Zack Greinke, LAD
2.53	Felix Hernandez, SEA
2.65	Scott Kazmir, CLE/OAK
2.65	Chris Sale, CWS
2.66	Sonny Gray, OAK

OPPONENTS BATTING: Has allowed a .122 (10 for 82) batting average with runners in scoring position, including .053 (2 for 38) with RISP and two outs...among pitchers that qualify for the ERA title, the marks with RISP and RISP and two outs are the lowest in the majors...has allowed a .132 (32 for 242) batting average with two strikes, which ranks third in the American League among pitchers that qualify for the ERA title...has yielded a .201 (70 for 349) batting average against right-handed hitters, which is fifth lowest in the AL...has surrendered nine of his 10 home runs this year and 25 of his 29 over the last two years to righties...has allowed five home runs over his last six starts (36.1 ip) after surrendering five over his first 14 starts (88.0 ip)...walked Guzman to lead off the second inning in his last start, the only time this year he has walked a batter to lead off an inning...has a .233 (38 for 163) opponents batting average the first time through the lineup, .203 (32 for 158) the second time and .188 (25 for 133) after that.

INNING BY INNING: Has allowed 23 of his 35 runs over the first three innings of a game...has a 3.24 ERA (21 er in 58.1 ip) in innings one through three and a 1.50 ERA (11 er in 66.0 ip) from the fourth inning on...has not allowed a run after the sixth inning (13.2 ip).

11-GAME WINNER: Had 11 wins at the All-Star Break, which are his most ever at the break (10 in 2006)...is one of two A's pitchers over the last 10 years to win 11 or more before the break (Colón, 12 in 2013)...joins Mark Mulder (12 in 2003 and 2004) and Barry Zito (11 in 2002) as the only A's left-handers over the last 39 years to win at least 10 games before the break...has reached double figures in wins for the seventh time in his career and is two wins short of his career high of 13 in 2007.

HOME AND AWAY: Is 5-0 with a 1.05 ERA (5 er in 43.0 ip) over his last six starts in Oakland...is 6-1 with a 1.54 ERA (11 er in 64.1 ip) in nine starts at home overall compared to 5-2 with a 3.15 ERA (21 er in 60.0 ip) in 10 starts on the road...has the lowest home ERA in the American League and the second lowest in the majors...has walked eight batters in 64.1 innings at home and 20 in 60.0 innings on the road.

NIGHT AND DAY: Is 5-0 with a 0.93 ERA (5 er in 48.1 ip) in seven starts during the day compared to 6-3 with a 3.20 ERA (27 er in 76.0 ip) in 13 starts at night...has the lowest day ERA in the majors...has allowed just one home run in 48.1 innings during the day...is now 10-2 with a 2.18 ERA (25 er in 103.1 ip) in 17 starts during the day over the last two years and 11-10 with a 3.92 ERA (78 er in 179.0 ip) in 32 starts at night.

DAYS REST: Is scheduled to start on four days rest today...is 8-1 with a 2.84 ERA (18 er in 57.0 ip) in nine starts on four days rest compared to 3-2 with a 1.87 ERA (14 er in 67.1 ip) in 11 starts on five days rest or more.

THIS AND THAT: The A's are 15-5 (.750) in his starting assignments...has walked two batters or fewer in 16 of his 20 starts and has tossed six or more innings 16 times...has not allowed a run five times...was named to his third American League All-Star team and entered the game to start the sixth inning (0.2 ip, 1 h, 1 so)...has not allowed a run in three career All-Star Game appearances (3.0 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 2 so), including a win in 2008.

2014 HIGHLIGHTS: Tossed 7.1 shutout innings in a 6-1 win over Cleveland in the day game **April 2**...is the only Athletics pitcher since at least 1914 to toss at least seven shutout innings and not walk a

batter in his A's debut...extended his season-opening winning streak to four games **April 29** at Texas, marking the first time in his career he started a season 4-0...went 4-0 with a 2.11 ERA and .206 opponents batting average in six starts in April...it was the fifth time he won four or more games in a month in his career, the first time in April...had the fifth highest April strikeout total in Oakland history (35)...was charged with his first loss of the season **May 5** against Seattle, snapping a career-high tying six-game winning streak over an eight-start stretch dating back to Sept. 29, 2013 (1.75 ERA, .207 opponents batting average)...tossed just 1.1 innings at Cleveland **May 17**, which was the shortest outing of his career...was ejected by home plate umpire Jerry Layne after walking Aguilar with one out in the second...tossed his second career complete game, a six-hitter in a 3-1 win over Detroit **May 28** in Oakland...his other complete game was a two-hit shutout against Boston on July 3, 2006...went 161 starts between complete games, which is the seventh longest streak of consecutive starts without a complete game in Major League history...struck out 10 batters **June 3** at New York (AL), his 22nd career 10-strikeout game...had his four-game winning streak snapped in the A's 10-1 loss at New York (NL) on **June 24** (1.27 ERA, .184 opponents batting average).

LAST START: He had a no decision in the A's 3-2 loss to Houston in 12 innings last Tuesday in Oakland...allowed just two runs, one earned, in seven innings and both came in the third inning...a Donaldson error on an Altuve single put runners on second and third with no outs...Carter followed one out later with a two-run single to make the score 2-0...that snapped a 15.0-inning scoreless streak...the A's scored single runs in the third and sixth to tie the game...retired 10 of the final 11 batters he faced

KAZMIR'S 2014 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 2	Cleveland (D)	6-1	W	0.00	7.1	3	0	0	0	5	0	94
April 7	at Minnesota	8-3	W	2.03	6.0	6	3	3	4	5	0	101
April 13	at Seattle	3-0	--	1.40	6.0	2	0	0	0	9	0	82
April 19	Houston	4-3	--	1.65	8.0	6	3	2	0	5	1	106
April 24	at Houston	10-1	W	1.62	6.0	5	1	1	2	7	0	93
April 29	at Texas	9-3	W	2.11	5.0	7	3	3	1	4	0	95
April Totals (6 games, 6 starts)		4-0		2.11	38.1	29	10	9	7	35	1	
May 5	Seattle	2-4	L	2.64	6.0	8	4	4	2	3	1	99
May 11	Washington	9-1	W	2.28	7.0	4	0	0	0	4	0	88
May 17	at Cleveland	6-2	--	2.39	1.1	1	1	1	3	1	0	41
May 23	at Toronto	2-3	L	2.56	7.0	5	3	3	1	2	1	97
May 28	Detroit	3-1	W	2.36	9.0	6	1	1	0	8	1	103
May Totals (5 games, 5 starts)		2-2		2.67	30.1	24	9	9	6	18	3	
June 3	at New York (AL)	5-2 (10)	--	2.40	6.1	6	2	2	2	10	1	109
June 8	at Baltimore	11-1	W	2.20	7.0	4	0	0	2	7	0	96
June 14	New York (AL)	5-1	W	2.05	6.0	3	1	0	3	2	0	98
June 19	Boston	4-2	W	2.08	7.0	4	2	2	0	8	1	111
June 24	at New York (NL)	1-10	L	2.66	3.0	8	7	7	1	4	3	62
June 30	at Detroit	4-5	--	2.61	5.1	4	1	1	3	7	1	99
June Totals (6 games, 6 starts)		3-1		3.12	34.2	29	13	12	11	38	6	
July 5	Toronto	5-1	W	2.53	7.0	3	1	1	2	2	0	113
July 10	San Francisco	6-1	W	2.38	7.0	3	0	0	1	9	0	103
July 22	Houston	2-3 (12)	--	2.32	7.0	7	2	1	1	6	0	107

KAZMIR vs. TEXAS: Is 7-4 with a 3.22 ERA (89.1 ip, 83 h, 39 r, 32 er, 25 bb, 90 so, 7 hr) in 15 career starts...is 4-3 with a 3.31 ERA (20 er in 54.1 ip) in nine starts in Texas and 3-1 with a 3.09 ERA (12 er in 35.0 ip) in six starts in his home ballparks...was the winning pitcher in his only start this year, a 9-3 A's win at Texas April 29...had a 4-0 lead when he allowed his first run in the bottom of the fourth on a RBI double by Rios...the A's then scored five times in the fifth to make the score 9-1...he allowed two runs in the bottom of the fifth on an Andrus RBI groundout and a Fielder RBI single.

CAREER STARTS										CAREER MATCHUPS					
DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO		AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
8/3/05	A	--	6.0	7	3	2	2	6	Andrus	.348	23	8	0	1	3
8/20/05	H	W	6.0	4	1	1	2	10	Beltre	.207	29	6	1	3	11
8/22/06	H	--	6.0	4	3	1	1	8	Chirinos	.000	2	0	0	0	1
5/17/07	H	--	4.0	3	3	1	6	9	Choice	.500	2	1	0	0	1
5/26/08	H	W	7.0	3	1	1	0	10	Choo	.357	14	5	1	4	1
6/6/08	A	W	8.0	6	2	2	0	6	Fielder	.111	9	1	0	0	1
8/17/08	A	W	6.0	4	2	2	4	7	Gimenez	.000	1	0	0	1	1
7/3/09	A	L	5.0	5	3	1	1	6	Kouzmanoff	.300	10	3	0	1	1
8/21/09	H	W	7.1	5	3	3	2	4	Martin	.500	2	1	0	0	0
9/18/09	A	W	6.0	6	0	0	0	5	Moreland	.000	2	0	0	0	0
5/17/10	A	L	7.0	9	4	4	1	4	Pena	.286	7	2	0	4	3
6/30/10	H	L	4.2	6	5	5	1	4	Profar	.333	3	1	0	0	0
9/30/10	A	--	5.1	6	2	2	2	2	Rios	.217	46	10	1	2	11
6/10/13	A	L	6.0	8	4	4	2	5	Rosales	.556	9	5	0	0	1
4/29/14	A	W	5.0	7	3	3	1	4	Soto	.250	4	1	0	0	1
									Wilson	.143	7	1	0	0	1

KAZMIR BY THE NUMBERS						
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2014	11	3	2.32	20	124.1	32
2013	10	9	4.04	29	158.0	71
Career	87	73	3.98	229	1304.1	577
Home	6	1	1.54	9	64.1	11
Road	5	2	3.15	11	60.0	21
Day	5	0	0.93	7	48.1	5
Night	6	3	3.20	13	76.0	27
Pre-ASB	11	3	2.38	19	117.1	31
Post-ASB	0	0	1.29	1	7.0	1
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			.238	105	25	
vs. RHH			.201	349	70	

KAZMIR'S CAREER HIGHS	
Low Hit CG:	2, 7/3/06 vs. BOS
IP:	9.0 (twice), last: 5/28/14 vs. DET
Fewest IP, GS:	1.1, 5/17/14 at CLE
H:	12, 4/9/06 at TOR
R:	13, 7/10/10 at OAK
ER:	13, 7/10/10 at OAK
BB:	6 (six times), last: 9/3/10 at OAK
SO:	13, 8/25/07 at OAK
HR:	4 (twice), last: 9/25/08 at DET
Pitches:	121, 7/18/05 at BOS
Win Streak:	6 (twice), last: 9/21/13 to 4/29/14
Loss Streak:	6, 9/19/04 to 5/7/05
Scoreless Streak:	18.0, 5/16/06 to 5/26/06
Complete Games:	2, last: 5/28/14 vs. DET
Shutouts:	1, 7/3/06 vs. BOS

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER
RHP Jesse Chavez (8-6, 3.14 ERA): Is 4-5 with a 3.68 ERA and .283 opponents batting average over his last 11 starts after going 4-1 with a 2.54 ERA and .216 opponents average over his first nine starts...is averaging 8.06 strikeouts per nine innings over his last 10 starts after averaging 9.05 over his first nine starts...won his eighth game of the season in his last start, which is three more than his previous career high (5 in 2010) and one short of his career win total entering the season (9 wins in 191 appearances)...has allowed just one home run in his last eight starts (46.1 ip) and has surrendered 10 for the season...eight of those have been solo shots...ranks 10 th in the American League in opponents slugging percentage (.356)...was the winning pitcher in his last start, a 9-7 A's win over Houston last Wednesday in Oakland (5.2 ip, 4 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 7 so)...is 2-0 with a 2.23 ERA in 18 career appearances, including three starts, against Houston...including 2-0 with a 3.78 ERA (16.2 ip, 16 h, 8 r, 7 er, 7 bb, 18 so, 1 hr) in three starts this year.

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

TEAM

19-14, 3.01 ERA (106 er in 319.1 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 23-for-36 (63.9%)

- The A's bullpen has not allowed a run in three straight games (5.2 ip) after posting a 4.45 ERA over its previous nine games (14 er in 28.1 ip).
- Is tied for second in the American League in wins (19) and is third in ERA (2.99)...ranks first in opponents on-base percentage (.282) and second in batting average (.226) and slugging percentage (.324).
- Has issued the fewest walks (85) among AL bullpens (second: Boston, 95)...**has issued just 15 walks over its last 33 games and 107.1 innings** (since June 16)...has allowed 1.26 walks per nine innings during span, the lowest rate among ML bullpens (second: Minnesota, 1.72).
- Relievers are 4 for 4 in save chances in July after converting just 3 of 7 opportunities from June 21-30...over the season, their 63.9% save percentage is tied for third lowest in the AL.

56 LHP FERNANDO ABAD

Last Outing: 7/22 vs. Houston (L, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 17/0
First Hitters: 8-43, 3 bb, hbp

- Run allowed Tuesday broke a nine-game scoreless streak...was just his fourth run allowed since May 18 (27 games, 22.1 ip, 1.61 ERA)...all four runs have come via solo home runs.
- Is tied for 12th in the AL in games pitched (47).
- Is ninth among AL relievers in opponents batting average (.175) and WHIP (0.87).
- Has stranded all 17 inherited runners...are the most inherited runners stranded in the AL without allowing one to score.
- Has allowed six extra-base hits this season (2 2b, 4 hr).
- Has appeared in five games against Texas this season (2 r in 4.0 ip)...has no decisions in 10 career games against the Rangers (7.0 ip, 5 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 6 so, 2.57 ERA).

Last Year: Began the season at Triple-A Syracuse and was 1-0 with a 1.06 ERA in 17 relief appearances...was promoted to Washington May 21 and went 0-3 with a 3.35 ERA in a career-high 39 relief appearances.

48 RHP RYAN COOK

Last Outing: 7/25 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 14/6
First Hitters: 9-30, 3 bb

- Has thrown 13-straight scoreless outings (13.0 ip, 6 h, 3 bb, 8 so)...are his most consecutive games without allowing a run since a 14-game stretch from Sept. 7, 2012 to Oct. 3, 2012 (15.0 ip).
- Has appeared in 21 games since coming off the DL June 3 (6 er in 20.1 ip, 2.66 ERA).
- Had a 0.96 ERA (1 er in 9.1 ip) in nine games in April, a 5.93 ERA in May and June combined (9 er in 13.2 ip) and has not allowed a run in July (9.2 ip).
- Righties are 11 for 72 (.153) with 25 strikeouts against him this season...lefties are 12 for 45 (.267) with five strikeouts.
- Has faced the Rangers five times this season (2 er in 6.2 ip)...in his career, is 2-0 with a save in 22 games against Texas (21.2 ip, 20 h, 6 r, 6 er, 5 bb, 13 so, 2.49 ERA).

Last Year: Was 6-4 with two saves and a 2.54 ERA in a team-leading 71 relief appearances...allowed just two home runs in 67.1 innings, an average of 0.27 per nine innings, which was fourth lowest among AL relievers.

62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE

Last Outing: 7/26 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 15-18
Inherited Runners/Scored: 11/1
First Hitters: 6-45, sf

- Earned a four-out save July 13 at Seattle...was his first save of more than three outs this season and the third of his career (last, Sept. 13, 2013 at Texas).
- Strikeout-to-walk ratio of 17.00 is the highest among all Major League relievers (second: Uehara, 10.00).
- From April 29-June 27, had a 24-outing, 26.1-inning scoreless streak...is the second longest streak in the majors this season (Kershaw, 41.0)...allowed just six hits over streak, struck out 42 batters and allowed just one walk...is the fourth longest streak in Oakland history as a reliever.
- Is first among American League relievers in opponents on-base percentage (.178) and WHIP (0.65)...is second in the AL in strikeouts (68) and sixth in opponents batting average (.160).
- Has thrown 513 of 690 pitches for strikes (74.3%), which is the **highest strike percentage in the majors** (min. 100 pitches).
- Has a loss and a save in five games against Texas this year (1 er in 4.2 ip)...is 0-2 with two saves in 19 career games against the Rangers (20.1 ip, 16 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 25 so, 0.89 ERA).
- In his career, has allowed 6 of 65 (9.2%) inherited runners to score, the lowest percentage among active relievers (min. 50 IR).

Last Year: Went 5-5 with two saves and a 3.13 ERA in 70 games...allowed just 2-of-32 (6.3%) inherited runners to score, which was the lowest mark in the majors...issued 13 walks in 69.0 innings (1.70 per nine innings).

MOST SAVES, ATHLETICS LEFT-HANDER (season)

17	Alan Embree, 2007
15	Sean Doolittle, 2014
12	Brian Fuentes, 2011
12	Rick Honeycutt, 1989
11	Darold Knowles, 1972

44 RHP LUKE GREGERSON

Last Outing: 7/26 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 3-9
Inherited Runners/Scored: 21/8
First Hitters: 9-46, 3 bb

- Has not allowed a run since June 25 at New York-NL, a span of 10 outings (9.2 ip, 8 h, 3 bb, 5 so)...22 of his last 24 outings have been scoreless (3 er in 25.1 ip, 1.07 ERA during stretch).
- Is tied for third in the AL with 16 holds.
- Has allowed 8 of 21 (38.1%) inherited runners to score, which is the eighth highest percentage in the AL...however, has stranded nine of his last 10 runners (since May 25).
- Is tied for fourth in the AL in games pitched (49)...his 412 games pitched since 2009 are the most in the majors over that span.
- Is 0-1 in five games against Texas this year (3 er in 5.1 ip)...is 0-1 in seven career games against the Rangers (7.1 ip, 7 h, 3 r, 3 er, 0 bb, 4 so, 3.68 ERA).

Last Year: Went 6-8 with four saves and a 2.71 ERA in a team-leading 73 games in his fifth and final season with San Diego...topped 70 games for the fourth time in the last five years.

39 LHP ERIC O'FLAHERTY

Last Outing: 7/25 at Texas (ND, 1.1 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/0
First Hitters: 1-6

- His win July 18 vs. Baltimore was his first since April 16, 2013 vs. Kansas City...**has not been charged with a loss since Aug. 14, 2011, a span of 109 appearances** (8-0 during stretch).
- Was reinstated off the 60-day disabled list July 3 (Tommy John surgery) and has pitched in six games since then (6.2 ip, 6 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 so).
- Since 2011, lefties are 32 for 189 (.169) against him...righties are 92 for 375 (.245) during same span...however, four of his six hits allowed this season have come against left-handers.
- Friday was his first game against Texas this season...has 10 career appearances against the Rangers (9.2 ip, 13 h, 7 r, 7 er, 2 bb, 7 so, 6.52 ERA).
- Pitched in eight games during his minor league rehab assignment...his complete 2014 statistics with Sacramento and Stockton:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	0	1	4.32	7	1	0	0	0	8.1	6	4	4	3	5
Stockton (A+)	1	0	0.00	1	0	0	0	0	1.0	0	0	0	0	3

Last Year: Went 3-0 with a 2.50 ERA in 19 games with Atlanta...allowed just 12 hits in 18.0 innings pitches and lefties went 3 for 21 against him (.143)...was signed as a free agent to a two-year contract with the A's on Jan. 22, 2014.

61 RHP DAN OTERO

Last Outing: 7/26 at Texas (ND, 0.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-4
Inherited Runners/Scored: 34/14
First Hitters: 9-45, hbp, sf

- **Is tied for the Major League lead in wins among relievers** (7) and is third in innings pitched (60.0).
- Has a 1.88 ERA (10 er in 48.0 ip) this season when pitching on two days rest or fewer and a 4.50 ERA (6 er in 12.0 ip) when pitching on three days rest or more...38 of his 47 games this season have been with two days of rest or fewer.
- Has thrown just 13.6 pitches per inning this season, which is the **fourth lowest rate among qualifying relievers in the majors**.
- Recorded his first career save June 19 vs. Boston in his 78th appearance...is now 1 for 5 in save opportunities in his career.
- Has allowed two home runs in his career (in 111.1 ip)...**is first among active relievers with a 0.16 HR/9 ip ratio** (min. 100.0 ip).
- Has allowed 14 of 34 inherited runners to score this season (41.2%)...is the fifth highest percentage in the American League...34 total inherited runners are tied for fifth most in the AL.
- Has faced Texas four times this season (2 er in 3.1 ip)...has no decisions in nine games all-time against the Rangers (9.2 ip, 15 h, 7 r, 5 er, 2 bb, 5 so, 4.66 ERA).

Last Year: Began the year at Triple-A Sacramento where he went 1-0 with 15 saves and a 0.99 ERA in 23 appearances...was promoted to Oakland June 14 and finished the season with the A's, going 2-0 with a 1.38 ERA in 33 games.

58 RHP EVAN SCRIBNER

Last Outing: 7/24 vs. Houston (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/0
First Hitters: 0-3

- Was recalled Thursday for his third stint with the A's this season...began the season with the A's and appeared in two games (0 r in 1.1 ip) before being optioned to Triple-A Sacramento on April 7...was recalled on June 17 but did not appear in a game before being optioned to Sacramento on June 20.
- Thursday was his first Major League appearance since April 5 vs. Seattle.
- Has not faced the Rangers this season...is 2-0 in seven career games against Texas (9.2 ip, 6 h, 0 r, 0 er, 4 bb, 8 so).
- Had the fourth most saves in the Pacific Coast League at the time of his promotion...his complete 2014 statistics with Sacramento:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	4	1	3.35	31	0	0	0	14	37.2	35	14	14	7	57

Last Year: Spent most of the season with Triple-A Sacramento where he went 3-1 with a 2.22 ERA in 31 games...also appeared in 18 games over five stints with the A's...went 0-0 with a 4.39 ERA and a .243 opponents batting average.

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

52 YOENIS CÉSPEDES

Current Streak: 7 games (10 for 29)
Texas Series: 2-8, r, hr, 2 rbi, 2 so, sb
Last Homestand: 8-21, 6 r, 2 2b, 2 hr, 5 rbi, bb, 2 so
Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Has homered three times in his past three games...that includes his fifth career two-homer game Wednesday night against Houston, which snapped a career-high tying 25-game homerless streak...it was his second two-homer game of the season (June 4 at NYY).
- Matched his career high with five RBI Wednesday (third time, all this year) after driving in just one run over his previous 19 games.
- Is batting .345 (10 for 29) during his seven-game hitting streak but is hitting .176 (13 for 74) in July.
- Has 12 outfield assists, which is **tied for the most in the majors by an outfielder**...since 2000, only one A's outfielder has more assists (Reddick, 15 in 2012)...now has 31 career assists, which ranks third in the majors since 2012.
- The A's are 61-33 with him in the starting lineup, 3-6 when he doesn't start...in his three seasons, the A's are 226-129 (.637) with him in the starting lineup, 28-44 (.389) without.
- Is 10 for 32 (.313) with nine runs scored and nine RBI in 10 games against Texas.
- Was named to his first AL All-Star team...also won the Home Run Derby for the second consecutive season, joining Ken Griffey, Jr. (1998-99) as the only players to win back-to-back derbies.

Last Year: Batted .240 with 26 home runs and 80 RBI in 135 games in his second season in the majors...the home runs were a career high but his batting average dropped 52 points from his .292 in 2012.

4 COCO CRISP

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Texas Series: 0-4
Last Homestand: 3-23, 4 r, rbi, 5 bb, 5 so, sf
Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 8 for 45 (.178) with 10 walks over his last 13 games but is batting .308 (44 for 143) with 29 runs scored and 25 walks over his last 40 contests.
- Has a .372 on-base percentage, which ranks 10th in the American League and is 27 points above his career high (.345 in 2005)...is also tied for 10th in the AL in walks (47).
- Is 13 for 34 (.382) with seven runs, six RBI and five walks in eight games against Texas this season...has 50 career RBI against the Rangers, his most against any team.
- Went 0 for 6 in a start at designated hitter Tuesday night and is 1 for 17 (.059) in four games as a DH.

Last Year: Hit a career-high 22 home runs and stole 21 bases to become the 10th player in Athletics history with 20 HR and 20 SB in a season...also had career highs in runs (93) and walks (61)...batted .261 in 131 games.

20 JOSH DONALDSON

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)
Texas Series: 1-7, r, hr, rbi, bb, so, gidp
Last Homestand: 8-22, 7 r, 2 2b, hr, 7 rbi, 4 bb, hbp, 5 so, sf, sb
Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 13 for 44 (.295) with 10 RBI and 10 runs scored over his last 12 games...however, is batting .187 (29 for 155) with five home runs and 23 RBI over his last 40 games (since June 7) after hitting .280 with 17 home runs and 50 RBI over his first 60 contests.
- Is third in the AL in runs (69), tied for fourth in go-ahead RBI (19), tied for fifth in RBI (73) and seventh in homers (22).
- Had his 14-game hitting streak against Texas dating back to Sept. 3, 2013 snapped Friday night...the streak was one short of the Oakland record for longest hitting streak against the Texas franchise (including Senators)...Geronimo Berroa had a 15-game streak from May 7, 1995-July 12, 1996.
- Has committed an error in three of his last six games and now has 18 for the season, which is an on-going career high and the most by an A's third baseman since Eric Chavez had 18 in 2000...ranks second among all Major League fielders in errors (Alvarez, PIT 22)...leads ML third basemen in total chances (337) and double plays (28).
- His 22 home runs are two short of his career high from last year...13 of those have come with runners on base (nine two-run, four three-run), 11 have put the A's ahead and four have come in the ninth inning.
- Was named to his first AL All-Star team and was the starting third baseman...became the fifth Athletic to start at third base in an All-Star Game...also participated in the home run derby.

Last Year: Batted .301 with 24 home runs and 93 RBI in 158 games...ranked sixth in the American League in on-base percentage (.384), tied for seventh in walks (76), ninth in slugging percentage (.499) and 10th in RBI.

35 NATE FREIMAN

Current Streak: 0 for 6
Texas Series: 0-1
Last Homestand: 1-6, r, so
Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 2 for 14 (.143) with one RBI over his last eight games after going 5 for 19 (.263) with a home run and five RBI over his first six contests.
- Is 6 for 19 (.316) in his career against Texas.
- Has not committed an error and has a 59-game errorless streak dating back to his last error on May 9, 2013...the errorless streak is eighth longest in Oakland history by a first baseman.

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento June 29 for his first stint with the A's this season and has started eight of the A's 23 games since then at first base.
- Was leading the Pacific Coast League and tied for fourth in all of minor league baseball with 69 RBI at the time of his promotion...his complete 2014 stats with the River Cats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.277	76	296	45	82	20	1	14	69	37	69	0	0	.493	.361

Last Year: Was claimed off waivers by the A's from the Astros on March 23 after being selected by Houston in the Rule 5 Draft Dec. 6, 2012...spent all of 2013 with the A's, hitting .274 with four home runs and 24 RBI in 80 games.

3 CRAIG GENTRY

Current Streak: 0 for 3
Texas Series: 0-1
Last Homestand: 3-11, 2 r, 3 rbi, 2 sb
Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is batting .316 (31 for 98) at home compared to .221 (21 for 95) on the road.
- Has four RBI in his last seven games after driving in six runs over his first 72 contests.
- Had his second two-steal game of the season Tuesday night (June 22 vs. Boston) and the eighth multiple-steal game of his career...is now 18 for 19 (94.7%) in stolen base attempts...ranks third in the American League in stolen base percentage and tied for ninth in steals...is 74 for 85 (87.1%) in his career.
- Has seven outfield assists, which is tied for sixth in the AL and matches his career high (2012, 2013).
- Spent the first five years of his career with the Rangers and has a .297 (97 for 327) career batting average at Globe Life Park.
- Has a career-high tying 100-game homerless streak (also May 1, 2012-May 3, 2013)...his last home run was on Aug. 21, 2013 against Houston.
- Is 2 for 14 (.143) as a pinch hitter...is batting .281 (45 for 160) in his starting assignments (31 in center field, nine in right field, eight in left field).

Last Year: Batted .280 with two home runs and 22 RBI in 106 games with Texas...had career highs in runs (39), triples (4), home runs, walks (29), on-base percentage (.373), stolen bases (24) and extra base hits (18).

5 JOHN JASO

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 7)
Texas Series: 2-7, r, hr, 2 rbi, so
Last Homestand: 7-17, 2 r, 2 2b, 3b, 5 rbi, 3 bb, 3 so, sf
Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 17 for 45 (.378) with four doubles, two triples and 10 RBI over his last 14 games...is hitting .326 (29 for 89) over his last 26 contests.
- Has made 64 starts, all against right-handed pitching...is batting .297 (68 for 229) with all eight of his home runs and 32 of his 35 RBI against righties...is 3 for 21 (.143) against lefties...has made each of his 119 starts in two seasons with the A's against righties.
- Is batting .329 (46 for 140) in 46 games as a catcher and .202 (20 for 99) in 28 games at designated hitter.
- Is 11 for 28 (.393) against Texas this year and has a 10-game hitting streak against the Rangers dating back to June 20 of last year (12 for 31, .387).
- Is 6 for 13 (.462) with two doubles, two home runs, three RBI and three walks as a pinch hitter...leads American League pinch hitters in extra base hits (4), is tied for the lead in doubles and home runs, tied for second in hits and tied for third in walks...since 2010, he leads AL pinch hitters in hits (17) and walks (17).
- Has three triples, which is one short of the Oakland record for a catcher (Mike Heath, 4 in 1982 and 1985).
- Has hit safely in each of his last 14 games when batting leadoff (21 for 52, .404), which dates back to May 9...it is the longest hitting streak by an A's leadoff hitter since Shannon Stewart had a 14-game streak from June 25-July 12, 2007.
- Has tossed out 3 of 28 (10.7%) attempted base stealers.

Last Year: Batted .271 with three home runs and 21 RBI in 70 games in a season that ended July 25 after suffering a concussion...added 38 walks for a .387 on-base percentage, which was fifth best in the AL (min. 200 PA).

8 JED LOWRIE

Current Streak: 4 games (6 for 16)
Texas Series: 1-4, 2b
Last Homestand: 7-23, 2 r, 2b, hr, 5 rbi, bb, 3 so, sh, sf, gidp
Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is batting .371 (23 for 62) with nine runs scored, six doubles, nine RBI and eight multiple hit games over his last 16 games.
- Is tied for seventh in the American League in sacrifice flies (6) and tied for ninth in doubles (26).
- Batted .298 over his first 23 games, .180 over a 51-game stretch from April 26 to June 25 and is hitting .326 (30 for 92) with 11 multiple hit games in 22 games since then.

Last Year: Batted .290 with 45 doubles, 15 home runs and 75 RBI in 154 games...set an Athletics record for doubles by a switch hitter and an Oakland record for hits by a switch-hitter (175)...ranked second in the AL in doubles.

37 BRANDON MOSS

Current Streak: 10 games (10 for 41)

Texas Series: 2-8, 2 so

Last Homestand: 6-25, 5 r, 2 hr, 5 rbi, 2 bb, 1bb, 8 so, hbp

Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Extended his hitting streak to 10 games last night, which is an ongoing career-high (previous: 8, Sept. 20-27, 2012 and June 21-30, 2014)... is 10 for 41 (.244) with four home runs and eight RBI during the hitting streak.
- Hit his third grand slam of the season and his career on Thursday...is the sixth player in Oakland history and the 10th in Athletics history with at least three grand slams in a season...the record is four by Jason Giambi in 2000...leads the majors in grand slams and is tied for the lead in RBI with the bases loaded (17)
- Is batting .283 (28 for 99) with five doubles, six home runs, 16 RBI and 16 runs scored over his last 25 games.
- Ranks sixth in the American League in home runs (23), seventh in RBI (71), eighth in slugging percentage (.520) and tied for ninth in extra base hits (42)...is also tied for fifth in hit by pitches (7).
- Has hit 13 of his 23 home runs with runners on base (seven two-run, three three-run, three grand slams)...19 have come off right-handers and 17 have come at night.
- Has started games at four different positions (42 at first base, 25 in right field, 16 in left field, seven at designated hitter).
- Was named to his first AL All-Star team.

Last Year: Led the A's with 30 home runs and finished second with 87 RBI despite spending most of the season in a platoon...ranked sixth in the AL in slugging percentage (.522) and tied for eighth in home runs.

36 DEREK NORRIS

Current Streak: 0 for 4

Texas Series: 0-4, so

Last Homestand: 6-15, 4 r, hr, 2 rbi, bb, 2 so, gidp

Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is batting .313 (26 for 83) with 12 walks (.400 on-base percentage) over his last 29 games dating back to June 6.
- Has a .398 on-base percentage for the season, which is second best in the American League among players with 200 or more plate appearances (Bautista, TOR .417).
- Is hitting .360 (31 for 86) against left-handed pitchers compared to .254 (33 for 130) against right-handers...ranks second in the majors in RBI off left-handers (24)...has hit five of his nine home runs this year and 16 of 25 in his career off lefties.
- Is batting .379 (25 for 66) with runners in scoring position.
- Has the second lowest catchers ERA in the majors (3.06) but has the lowest caught stealing percentage (4 of 35, 11.4%).
- Is 11 for 27 (.407) with five doubles, a home run and nine RBI in nine games against Texas this year...is a .316 (31 for 98) career hitter against Texas with four home runs and 21 RBI in 31 games...the home runs and RBI are his most against any team...has a .351 (20 for 57) career average at Globe Life Park.
- Has a career high 39 RBI and has matched his best in home runs (9) and walks (37)...his 64 hits are one short of his best from last year.
- Is 4 for 12 (.333) with a double, home run, five RBI and three walks as a pinch hitter...is tied for the lead among AL pinch hitters in RBI, tied for second in extra base hits (2) and tied for third in home runs and walks...has four career pinch hit home runs, which is one short of the Oakland record of five.
- Is hitting .306 (91 for 297) in 109 games since the 2013 All-Star Break after batting .204 over the first 126 games of his career.
- Was named to his first AL All-Star team...went 1 for 2 and scored the winning run while catching four innings.

Last Year: Hit .246 in 98 games with the A's, which was a 45-point improvement over his rookie season average of .201 in 2012...added nine home runs and 30 RBI...walked 37 times for a .345 on-base percentage.

1 NICK PUNTO

Current Streak: 0 for 5

Texas Series: 0-4

Last Homestand: 1-8, r, bb, 2 so, gidp

Career vs. Mikolas: 0-1 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 6 for 58 (.103) over his last 21 games.
- Is hitting .150 (17 for 113) at night compared to .305 (18 for 59) during the day.
- Is 0 for 21 in seven games against Texas this year and 0 for his last 26 overall...his last hit against the Rangers was on May 30, 2010.
- Has appeared in 41 games at second base (31 starts), 15 at shortstop (10 starts), two at third base and one in right field.
- Is 0 for 12 with a walk as a pinch hitter this year and is a .177 (17 for 96) career hitter in the pinch.

Last Year: Spent the entire season with Los Angeles (NL) and hit .255 with two home runs and 21 RBI in 116 games...the games played were his most since 2009...batted .309 against left-handed pitching, .228 against right-handers.

16 JOSH REDDICK

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)

Texas Series: 1-6, r, hr, rbi

Last Homestand: 4-10, 4 r, 3 2b, rbi, bb, 2 so, sf

Career vs. Tepesch: 0-2 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list Tuesday...is 5 for 16 (.313) with five runs scored, three doubles, one home run and two RBI in five games since his return, including four starts (all in right field).

- Is batting .274 (37 for 135) against right-handed pitching compared to .150 (9 for 60) against left-handers.
- Is tied for 10th in the American League in triples (4).
- Is hitting .277 (33 for 119) at night compared to .171 (13 for 76) during the day.
- Went 9 for 21 (.429) with six runs, two doubles, three home runs, eight RBI, one walk and six strikeouts on a five-game rehab assignment with Single-A Stockton from July 14-21 (four in right field, one at designated hitter).
- Was placed on the DL June 29 with a right knee strain...it was his second stint on the DL this season...was out from June 1-23 with a hyperextended right knee...appeared in four games between injuries (5 for 11, .455).

Last Year: Batted .226 with 12 home runs and 56 RBI in 114 games in a season interrupted by two stints on the disabled list with a sprained right wrist...the home runs were 20 fewer than his 32 from 2012.

28 ERIC SOGARD

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 5)

Texas Series: 2-5, 2 r, 2b, so

Last Homestand: 4-11, 4 r, rbi, 2 bb, sb

Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 6 for 16 (.375) with six runs and two walks over his last five games after going 4 for 35 (.114) over his previous 22 contests from June 3 to July 12.
- His double last night snapped a 29-game streak in which he did not record an extra base hit.
- Has made 51 of his 53 starts against right-handed pitching...is batting .219 (33 for 151) against righties, .095 (2 for 21) against lefties.
- Is batting .253 (20 for 79) at home compared to .161 (15 for 93) on the road.
- Has committed two errors in his past five games...his error a week ago today snapped his errorless streak at a career high 62 games...it was his first error since Sept. 28, 2013...the errorless streak was fourth longest in Oakland history by a second baseman.
- Has a career-high 104-game homerless streak...his last home run was July 21, 2013 at Los Angeles (AL).

Last Year: Batted .266 with two home runs and 35 RBI in 130 games in his first full Major League season...made 104 of his 110 starts against right-handed pitchers...hit .274 against right-handers, .230 against left-handers.

21 STEPHEN VOGT

Current Streak: 4 games (6 for 18)

Texas Series: 3-8, 2b, so

Last Homestand: 7-20, r, 2 2b, 4 rbi, bb

Career vs. Mikolas: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is batting .392 (29 for 74) over his last 21 games after hitting .317 over his first 21 contests.
- Is hitting .376 (44 for 117) against right-handed pitching compared to .250 (5 for 20) against left-handers.
- Is batting .413 (33 for 80) at night, .281 (16 for 57) during the day.
- Is 7 for 19 (.368) with three RBI in five games against Texas this year and 10 for 28 (.357) in his career.
- Has started 34 games at five different positions (13 in right field, 10 at first base, eight at catcher, two at designated hitter, one in left field).
- Has tossed out both of his attempted base stealers.
- Is 2 for 5 (.400) with a double and two RBI as a pinch hitter...was 0 for 12 as a pinch hitter entering the season.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento June 1 after hitting .364 with three home runs and 19 RBI in 21 games with the River Cats.

Last Year: Spent most of the season at Triple-A Sacramento where he was named to the Pacific Coast League Postseason All-Star Team at catcher...also had two stints with the A's and batted .252 with 4 HR and 16 RBI in 47 games.

MAJOR LEAGUE BATTING LEADERS (min. 100 PA)

.358	Vogt, OAK
.340	Altuve, HOU
.340	Tulowitzki, COL
.332	Dickerson, COL
.331	Cano, SEA

A's vs. TEXAS

2014	CAREER					2014	CAREER				
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	
.313	32	10	2	9	Céspedes	.288	163	47	10	28	
.382	34	13	1	6	Crisp	.277	365	101	8	50	
.273	44	12	1	6	Donaldson	.278	158	44	5	21	
.000	1	0	0	0	Freiman	.316	19	6	0	1	
.263	19	5	0	0	Gentry	.263	19	5	0	0	
.393	28	11	1	4	Jaso	.291	110	32	5	18	
.194	36	7	0	0	Lowrie	.258	194	50	3	19	
.219	32	7	2	4	Moss	.283	127	36	9	22	
.407	27	11	1	9	Norris	.316	98	31	4	21	
.000	21	0	0	1	Punto	.274	146	40	1	13	
.280	25	7	1	5	Reddick	.245	143	35	7	19	
.294	17	5	0	4	Sogard	.239	71	17	1	10	
.368	19	7	0	3	Vogt	.357	28	10	0	3	
.304	46	14	0	5	others						
.286	381	109	9	56	TOTALS						

2014 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

GA/ LEADER											GA/ LEADER																
DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GB	AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	ATT.	DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GB	AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	ATT.
3/31	1	CLE	L	0-2	0-1	t3	-1	SEA	½ Allen	Johnson	Axford	36,067*	36,067	7/3	85	TOR	W	4-1	52-33	1	+3½ OAK	3½ Gray	DICKEY	Doolittle	32,913	924,464	
4/1	CLE	PPD, Rain				4	-1½	SEA	½					7/4	86	TOR	W	1-0 (12)	53-33	1	+3½ OAK	3½ Otero	Jenkins		22,322	946,786	
4/2	2	CLE (D)	W	6-1	1-1				Kazmir	Kluber		15,134	51,201	7/5	87	TOR	W	5-1	54-33	1	+3½ OAK	3½ Kazmir	Buehrle		20,236	967,022	
	3	CLE (N)	L	4-6	1-2	4	-2	SEA	½ Allen	Johnson	Axford	12,198	63,399	7/6	88	TOR	W	4-2	55-33	1	+3½ OAK	3½ Samardzija	Hutchison	Doolittle	22,897	989,919	
4/3	4	SEA	W	3-2 (12)	2-2	4	-1	SEA	½ Pomeranz	Noesi		11,236	74,635	7/7	89	SF	W	5-0	56-33	1	+3½ OAK	3½ Chavez	Vogelsong		36,067*	1,025,986	
4/4	SEA	PPD, Wet Field				t2	-1	SEA	1					7/8	90	SF	W	6-1	57-33	1	+4½ OAK	4½ Gray	Bumgarner		36,067*	1,062,053	
4/5	5	SEA	L	1-3	2-3	t2	-2	SEA	2 Hernandez	Straily	Rodney	30,290	104,925	7/9	91	at SF	L	2-5	57-34	1	+3½ OAK	3½ Cain	Hammel	Casilla	41,427	1,330,408	
4/6	6	SEA	W	6-3	3-3	t2	-1	SEA	1 Gray	Ramirez	Johnson	32,852	137,777	7/10	92	at SF	W	6-1	58-34	1	+3½ OAK	3½ Kazmir	Hudson		41,069	1,371,477	
														7/11	93	at SEA	L	2-3	58-35	1	+2½ OAK	2½ Hernandez	SAMARDZIJA	Rodney	32,971	1,404,448	
4/7	7	at MIN	W	8-3	4-3	2	-½	SEA	½ Kazmir	Correia		35,837	35,837	7/12	94	at SEA	L	2-6	58-36	1	+1½ OAK	1½ Iwakuma	Chavez		39,204	1,443,652	
4/8	OFF DAY					2	-1	SEA	1					7/13	95	at SEA	W	4-1	59-36	1	+1½ OAK	1½ Gray	Young		25,944	1,469,596	
4/9	8	at MIN	W	7-4 (11)	5-3	t1	--	OAK/SEA	-- Otero	Burton		22,973	58,810	7/14-17	ALL-STAR BREAK						1	+1½ OAK	1½				
4/10	9	at MIN	W	6-1	6-3	1	+½	OAK	½ Straily	Pelfrey		20,650	79,460	7/18	96	BAL	W	5-4	60-36	1	+1½ OAK	1½ O'Flaherty	Britton		27,232	1,089,285	
4/11	10	at SEA	L	4-6	6-4	2	-½	SEA	½ Hernandez	Milone	Rodney	38,968	118,428	7/19	97	BAL	L	4-8	60-37	1	+1½ OAK	1½ Chen	Hammel	Britton	36,067*	1,125,352	
4/12	11	at SEA	W	3-1	7-4	1	+½	OAK	½ Gray	Ramirez	Gregerson	22,061	140,489	7/20	98	BAL	W	10-2	61-37	1	+1½ OAK	1½ Gray	Gausman		30,124	1,155,476	
4/13	12	at SEA	W	3-0	8-4	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Otero	Furbush	Doolittle	22,628	163,117	7/21	OFF DAY						1	+2	OAK	2			
4/14	13	at LAA	W	3-2	9-4	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Johnson	Frieri	Gregerson	37,120	200,237	7/22	99	HOU	L	2-3 (12)	61-38	1	+2	OAK	2 Downs	Abad	Qualls	22,908	1,178,384
4/15	14	at LAA	W	10-9 (11)	10-4	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Johnson	Herrera		34,887	235,124	7/23	100	HOU	W	9-7	62-38	1	+2	OAK	2 Chavez	Peacock	Doolittle	28,310	1,206,694
4/16	15	at LAA	L	4-5 (12)	10-5	1	+2	OAK	2 Smith	Pomeranz		37,344	272,468	7/24	101	HOU	W	13-1	63-38	1	+3	OAK	3 Samardzija	Feldman		22,759	1,229,453
4/17	OFF DAY					1	+1½	OAK	1½					7/25	102	at TEX	L	1-4	63-39	1	+2	OAK	2 Williams	Hammel	Feliz	35,582	1,505,178
4/18	16	HOU	W	11-3	11-5	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Gray	Cosart		18,234	156,011	7/26	103	at TEX	W	5-1	64-39	1	+2	OAK	2 Gray	Tepesch		34,651	1,539,829
4/19	17	HOU	W	4-3	12-5	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Otero	Qualls	Gregerson	33,166	189,177														
4/20	18	HOU	W	4-1	13-5	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Chavez	Peacock	Soria	16,382	205,559														
4/21	19	TEX	L	3-4	13-6	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Cotts	Doolittle	Soria	13,297	218,856														
4/22	20	TEX	L	4-5	13-7	1	+½	OAK	½ Ogando	Gregerson	Soria	15,744	234,600														
4/23	21	TEX	L	0-3	13-8	2	-½	TEX	½ PEREZ	Gray		18,340	252,940														
4/24	22	at HOU	W	10-1	14-8	t1	--	OAK/TEX	-- Kazmir	Oberholzer		19,987	292,455														
4/25	23	at HOU	W	12-5	15-8	1	+1	OAK	1 Gregerson	Fields		17,708	310,163														
4/26	24	at HOU	L	6-7	15-9	t1	--	OAK/TEX	-- Williams	Doolittle	Valdes	17,850	328,013														
4/27	25	at HOU	L	1-5	15-10	t1	--	OAK/TEX	-- McHugh	Milone		18,935	346,948														
4/28	26	at TEX	W	4-0	16-10	1	+1	OAK	1 GRAY	Darvish		28,548	375,496														
4/29	27	at TEX	W	9-3	17-10	1	+2	OAK	2 Kazmir	Perez		30,221	405,717														
4/30	28	at TEX	W	12-1	18-10	1	+3	OAK	3 Chavez	Ross		32,979	438,696														
5/1	OFF DAY					1	+3	OAK	3																		
5/2	29	at BOS	L	1-7	18-11	1	+2	OAK	2 Buchholz	Straily		34,850	473,546														
5/3	30	at BOS	L	3-6	18-12	1	+2	OAK	2 Lester	Milone	Uehara	37,042	510,588														
5/4	31	at BOS	W	3-2 (10)	19-12	1	+2	OAK	2 Johnson	Capuano		35,649	546,237														
5/5	32	SEA	L	2-4	19-13	1	+2	OAK	2 Young	Kazmir	Rodney	11,019	263,959														
5/6	33	SEA	L	3-8	19-14	1	+2	OAK	2 Elias	Chavez		12,106	276,065														
5/7	34	SEA (1)	L	4-6 (10)	19-15				Medina	Cook	Rodney																
	35	SEA (2)	W	2-0	20-15	1	+2	OAK	2 Pomeranz	Ramirez	Johnson	17,337	293,402														
5/8	OFF DAY					1	+1½	OAK	1½																		
5/9	36	WSH	W	8-0	21-15	1	+2	OAK	2 Milone	Fister		20,159	313,561														
5/10	37	WSH	W	4-3 (10)	22-15	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Doolittle	Storen		36,067*	349,628														
5/11	38	WSH	W	9-1	23-15	1	+3	OAK	3 Kazmir	Gonzalez		28,205	377,833														
5/12	39	CWS	W	5-4	24-15	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Chavez	Danks	Doolittle	10,120	387,953														
5/13	40	CWS	W	11-0	25-15	1	+4	OAK	4 Pomeranz	Carroll		13,826	401,779														
5/14	41	CWS	L	2-4	25-16	1	+3	OAK	3 Belisario	Abad	Lindstrom	18,035	419,814														
5/15	OFF DAY					1	+2½	OAK	2½																		
5/16	42	at CLE	W	11-1	26-16	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Gray	McAllister		21,389	567,626														
5/17	43	at CLE	W	6-2	27-16	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Otero	Tomlin		18,358	585,984														
5/18	44	at CLE	W	13-3	28-16	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Chavez	Masterson		14,872	600,856														
5/19	OFF DAY					1	+4	OAK	4																		
5/20	45	at TB	W	3-0	29-16	1	+4	OAK	4 Pomeranz	Odorizzi	Doolittle	11,369	612,225														
5/21	46	at TB	W	3-2	30-16	1	+4	OAK	4 Milone	Bedard	Doolittle	10,555	622,780														
5/22	47	at TB	L	2-5 (11)	30-17	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Lueke	Otero		11,257	634,037														
5/23	48	at TOR	L	2-3	30-18	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Hendriks	Kazmir	Janssen	21,007	655,044														
5/24	49	at TOR	L	2-5	30-19	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Dickey	Chavez	Cecil	29,372	684,416														
5/25	50	at TOR	L	1-3	30-20	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Happ	Pomeranz	Janssen	45,277	729,693														
5/26	51	DET	W	10-0	31-20	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Milone	Smyly		35,067*	454,881														
5/27	52	DET	L	5-6	31-21	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Albuquerque	Abad	Nathan	21,549	476,430														
5/28	53	DET	W	3-1	32-21	1	+2½	OAK	2½ KAZMIR	Nathan		15,590	492,020														
5/29	54	DET	L	4-5	32-22	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Porcello	Chavez	Nathan	21,860	513,880														
5/30	55	LAA	W	9-5	33-22	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Pomeranz	Richards		23,384	537,264														

HIGHS AND LOWS

CLUB

Longest Winning Streak.....	6, May 7 to 13
.....	6, July 3 to 8
Longest Winning Streak, Home.....	7, July 3 to 18
Longest Winning Streak, Road.....	6, May 4 to 21
Longest Losing Streak.....	4, May 22 to 25
Longest Losing Streak, Home.....	6, April 21 to May 7
Longest Losing Streak, Road.....	4, May 22 to 25
Most Runs, Game, A's.....	13, May 18 at Cleveland
.....	13, July 24 vs. Houston
Most Runs, Game, Opponents.....	14, June 16 vs. Texas
Most Runs, Inning, A's.....	8, May 16 at Cleveland (2 nd)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents.....	6, June 16 vs. Texas (4 th)
.....	6, July 2 at Detroit (6 th)
Largest Margin, Victory.....	12, July 24 vs. Houston (13-1)
Largest Margin, Loss.....	9, June 24 at New York (NL) (1-10)
Most Hits, Game, A's.....	17, April 30 at Texas
.....	17, May 13 vs. Chicago (AL)
Most Hits, Game, Opponents.....	16, June 16 vs. Texas
Most Hits, Inning, A's.....	6, April 25 at Houston (9 th)
.....	6, April 30 at Texas (3 rd)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents.....	6, June 27 at Miami (6 th)
.....	6, July 23 vs. Houston (8 th)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's.....	5, May 26 vs. Detroit
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents.....	4, June 16 vs. Texas
.....	4, June 24 at New York (NL)
Most Doubles, Game, A's.....	7, May 18 at Cleveland
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents.....	4, April 19 vs. Houston
.....	4, April 25 at Houston
.....	4, June 11 at Los Angeles (AL)
Most Triples, Game, A's.....	2, April 3 vs. Seattle
.....	2, June 27 at Miami
Most Triples, Game, Opponents.....	1 (six times), last: July 25 at Texas
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's.....	3, April 21 vs. Texas
.....	3, July 7 vs. San Francisco
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents.....	3 (five times), last: June 30 at Detroit
Most Strikeouts, A's Pitchers.....	13, June 3 at New York (AL)
Most Strikeouts, Opponents Pitchers.....	16, May 3 at Boston
Most Walks, A's Pitchers.....	7 (five times), last: June 10 at Los Angeles (AL)
Most Walks, Opponents Pitchers.....	11, June 8 at Baltimore
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's Pitchers.....	3 (eight times), last: July 20 vs. Baltimore
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents Pitchers.....	1, May 21 at Tampa Bay
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game.....	14, April 19 vs. Houston
.....	14, May 29 vs. Detroit
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game.....	12, May 7 vs. Seattle (G#1) (10)
.....	12, June 28 at Miami (14)
Fewest Left on Base, Game.....	2 (three times), last: July 26 at Texas
Most Errors, Game.....	3 (four times), last: July 20 vs. Baltimore
Largest Comeback in Win.....	4, June 4 at New York (AL)
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss.....	3, April 16 at Los Angeles (AL)

INDIVIDUAL

Grand Slams.....	Josh Reddick, May 16 at Cleveland (Zach McAllister)
.....	Derek Norris, May 26 vs. Detroit (Phil Coke)
.....	Brandon Moss, May 30 vs. Los Angeles-AL (Garrett Richards)
.....	Brandon Moss, June 8 at Baltimore (Ubaldo Jimenez)

.....	Brandon Moss, July 24 vs. Houston (Anthony Bass)
Pinch Hit Home Runs.....	John Jaso, April 14 at Los Angeles-AL (Ernesto Frieri)
.....	Derek Norris, June 17 vs. Texas (Shawn Tolleson)
.....	John Jaso, June 22 vs. Boston (Koji Uehara)
Lead Off Home Runs.....	John Jaso, May 14 vs. Chicago-AL (Andre Rienzo)
.....	Coco Crisp, July 2 at Detroit (Justin Verlander)
Inside-The-Park Home Runs.....	None
Game Ending Home Runs.....	Coco Crisp, April 3 vs. Seattle (Hector Noesi)
.....	Josh Donaldson, May 28 vs. Detroit (Joe Nathan)
.....	Josh Donaldson, July 18 vs. Baltimore (Zach Britton)
Back-to-Back Home Runs.....	Brandon Moss and Yoenis Céspedes, May 9 vs. Washington
.....	Josh Donaldson and Yoenis Céspedes, May 26 vs. Detroit
.....	John Jaso and Yoenis Céspedes, July 26 at Texas
Longest Hitting Streak.....	15, Yoenis Céspedes, June 15 to July 2
Most Runs, Game.....	4, Josh Donaldson and Brandon Moss, May 18 at Cleveland
Most Hits, Game.....	4, Alberto Callaspo, June 16 vs. Texas
.....	4, Brandon Moss, July 2 at Detroit
Most Doubles, Game.....	2 (12 times), last: Josh Reddick, July 24 vs. Houston
Most Triples, Game.....	1 (20 times), last: John Jaso, July 20 vs. Baltimore
Most Home Runs, Game.....	2, Josh Donaldson, April 24 at Houston
.....	2, Derek Norris, May 11 vs. Washington
.....	2, Brandon Moss, May 13 vs. Chicago (AL)
.....	2, Josh Reddick, May 16 at Cleveland
.....	2, Josh Donaldson, May 30 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
.....	2, Brandon Moss, June 3 at New York (AL)
.....	2, Yoenis Céspedes, June 4 at New York (AL)
.....	2, Yoenis Céspedes, July 23 vs. Houston
Most Runs Batted In, Game.....	6, Derek Norris, May 11 vs. Washington
.....	6, Josh Reddick, May 16 at Cleveland
Most Walks, Game.....	3 (10 times), last: Coco Crisp, July 23 vs. Houston
Most Strikeouts, Game.....	4 (four times), last: Yoenis Céspedes, July 10 at San Francisco
Most Stolen Bases, Game.....	2 (four times), last: Craig Gentry, July 22 vs. Houston
Longest Winning Streak.....	6, Tommy Milone, May 9 to present
Longest Losing Streak.....	3, Tommy Milone, April 11 to May 3
Most Strikeouts, Game.....	10, Scott Kazmir, June 3 at New York (AL)
Most Walks, Game.....	4 (11 times), last: Sonny Gray, July 26 at Texas
Most Innings, Game, Starter.....	9.0, Sonny Gray, April 28 at Texas
.....	9.0, Scott Kazmir, May 28 vs. Detroit
Most Innings, Game, Reliever.....	3.2, Dan Otero, May 17 at Cleveland
Low Hit Complete Game.....	2, Sonny Gray, April 28 at Texas
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings.....	26.1, Sean Doolittle, April 29 to June 27
Most Consecutive Batters Retired.....	24, Sean Doolittle, June 10 to 28

GENERAL

Longest Game, Innings.....	14, June 10 at Los Angeles (AL)
.....	14, June 28 at Miami
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings.....	4:06, April 25 at Houston
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings.....	4:47, June 28 at Miami (14)
Shortest Game, Time.....	2:13, July 1 at Detroit
Largest Crowd, Home.....	36,067 (nine times), last: July 19 vs. Baltimore
Smallest Crowd, Home.....	10,120, May 12 vs. Chicago (AL)
Largest Crowd, Road.....	45,277, May 25 at Toronto
Smallest Crowd, Road.....	10,555, May 21 at Tampa Bay
Postponement, Rain, Home.....	April 1 vs. Cleveland
.....	April 4 vs. Seattle
Postponement, Rain, Road.....	None

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	Tot
Barton	2	0	0	0	2
Blanks	2	0	0	0	2
Callaspo	11	4	1	0	16
Céspedes	20	5	0	0	25
Crisp	12	5	0	0	17
Donaldson	16	7	0	0	23
Freiman	0	0	0	0	0
Fuld	2	0	0	0	2
Gentry	12	1	0	0	13
Jaso	14	4	0	0	18
Lowrie	21	4	0	0	25
Moss	19	3	1	0	23
Norris	15	4	0	0	19
Parrino	1	0	0	0	1
Punto	8	1	0	0	9
Reddick	9	4	0	0	13
Sogard	7	2	0	0	9
Vogt	11	3	0	0	14

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	Tot
Barton	1	0	0	0	0	1
Blanks	1	0	0	0	0	1
Callaspo	5	1	0	0	0	6
Céspedes	8	2	1	3	0	14
Crisp	4	1	0	0	0	5
Donaldson	8	8	2	0	0	18
Freiman	0	1	0	0	0	1
Fuld	1	0	0	0	0	1
Gentry	1	0	0	0	0	1
Jaso	7	0	1	0	0	8
Lowrie	4	2	0	0	0	6
Moss	8	6	3	1	0	18
Norris	1	3	1	1	1	7
Parrino	0	0	0	0	0	0
Punto	3	1	0	0	0	4
Reddick	3	2	0	0	1	6
Sogard	2	1	0	0	0	3
Vogt	3	2	0	0	0	5

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	Tot
Barton	2	1	3
Blanks	0	0	0
Callaspo	5	4	9
Céspedes	5	11	16
Crisp	2	9	11
Donaldson	8	20	28
Freiman	1	1	2
Fuld	0	1	1
Gentry	2	1	3
Jaso	6	13	19
Lowrie	3	7	10
Moss	5	14	19
Norris	1	4	5
Parrino	0	0	0
Punto	1	2	3
Reddick	2	4	6
Sogard	1	1	2
Vogt	1	4	5

STARTS IN THE BATTING ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Barton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	4
Blanks	-	1	-	-	-	1	4	4	3
Callaspo	-	5	-	-	4	27	16	21	3
Céspedes	-	-	33	21	40	-	-	-	-
Crisp	69	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Donaldson	-	8	59	11	19	1	-	-	-
Freiman	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	3	-
Fuld	5	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Gentry	15	6	-	-	-	-	6	7	14
Jaso	14	35	-	-	-	8	5	2	-
Lowrie	-	39	10	-	8	27	9	1	-
Moss	-	-	1	70	2	8	5	4	-
Norris	-	3	-	1	27	1	21	4	-
Parrino	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1
Punto	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	16	20
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	11	25	17	2
Sogard	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	47	-
Vogt	-	5	-	-	2	17	5	4	1

GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C		1B		2B		3B		SS		LF		CF		RF		DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Barton	-	-	30	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blanks	-	-	17	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1
Callaspo	-	-	20	16	20	18	16	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30
Céspedes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	79	76	7	2	-	-	-	16
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	73	65	-	-	-	4
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	93	90	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8
Freiman	-	-	12	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Fuld	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	5	5	1	1	-	-
Gentry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	8	43	31	25	9	-	-
Jaso	46	39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28
Lowrie	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	91	90	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
Moss	-	-	50	42	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	16	-	-	30	25	7	7
Norris	73	56	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Parrino	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	-	1	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Punto	-	-	-	-	41	31	2	-	15	10	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58	55	-
Sogard	-	-	-	-	65	52	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vogt	15	8	12	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	16	13	2	2

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2014 HOME RUNS					LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN			
	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since
Blanks	2	0	0	0	2	May 31, 2014	Los Angeles (AL)	Skaggs	12
Callaspo	0	2	1	0	3	April 24, 2014	at Houston	Oberholtzer	64
Céspedes	12	2	3	0	17	July 26, 2014	at Texas	Tepesch	--
Crisp	5	1	1	0	7	July 2, 2014	Detroit	Verlander	12
Donaldson	9	9	4	0	22	July 26, 2014	at Texas	Adcock	--
Freiman	0	0	1	0	1	June 29, 2014	at Miami	Heaney	11
Gentry	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 21, 2013	Houston	Bedard	100
Jaso	5	3	0	0	8	July 26, 2014	at Texas	Tepesch	--
Lowrie	5	0	0	0	5	July 23, 2014	Houston	Peacock	2
Moss	10	7	3	3	23	July 24, 2014	Houston	Bass	2
Norris	3	0	5	1	9	July 18, 2014	Baltimore	Tillman	4
Punto	1	1	0	0	2	July 14, 2014	at Seattle	Beimel	4
Reddick	1	3	0	1	5	July 26, 2014	at Texas	Adcock	--
Sogard	0	0	0	0	0	July 21, 2013	at Los Angeles (AL)	Williams	104
Vogt	3	1	0	0	4	July 11, 2014	at Seattle	Hernandez	10
others	0	1	0	0	1				
Team	56	30	18	5	109				

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Callaspo	Games	952	48 for 1000
Cook	Games	187	13 for 200
Crisp	Triples (w/OAK)	20	1 for 21 (ties Monday and Page for 10 th in Oakland history)
	Steals	294	6 for 300
	Steals (w/OAK)	157	15 for 172 (ties Baker for 9 th in Athletics history)
Jaso	Games	462	38 for 500
Moss	Hits	445	55 for 500
	Doubles	96	4 for 100
	Home Runs	89	11 for 100
O'Flaherty	Games	379	21 for 400
Otero	Games	92	8 for 100
Reddick	Games	472	28 for 500
	Doubles	79	21 for 100
Samardzija	Games Started	87	13 for 100

A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	63-38/64-39 (July 24/July 26)
Season Low	0-1/1-2/2-3 (March 31/April 2/April 5)
April	18-9
May	16-12
June	17-9
July	13-8
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	12-3-1
Road Series	9-5-3
Series Sweeps	9-3
First Game of Series	19-15
Last Game of Series	22-11
A's Score First	43-10
Opponent Scores First	21-29
Leading After 7 th	48-5
Leading After 8 th	51-4
Tied After 7 th	6-6
Tied After 8 th	8-4
Trailing After 7 th	10-28
Trailing After 8 th	5-31
Commit No Errors	30-21
Commit 1 or More Errors	34-18
More HR Than Opp.	33-3
Fewer HR Than Opp.	7-21
Same Total HR of Opp.	24-15
Starter Pitches 7 or More	26-7
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	38-32
When Scoring 4 or More	53-12
When Scoring Less Than 4	11-27
Last At Bat	17-11
Replay Challenges	12-7
Different Lineups	89

WALK-OFF WINS (7)

Coco Crisp, April 3 vs. Seattle (home run)
 Josh Reddick, April 19 vs. Houston (single)
 John Jaso, May 10 vs. Washington (double)
 Josh Donaldson, May 28 vs. Detroit (home run)
 Coco Crisp, June 21 vs. Boston (single)
 Nick Punto, July 4 vs. Toronto (double and error)
 Josh Donaldson, July 18 vs. Baltimore (home run)

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Blanks	Left calf strain	June 23-present (eligible July 8)	27	O'Flaherty	Tommy John surgery	Feb. 17-July 1	84
Callaspo	Right hamstring strain	July 12-present (eligible July 27)	10	Parker	Tommy John surgery	March 20-present	103
Cook	Right shoulder tendinitis	March 21-April 6	6	Pomeranz	Fractured right hand	June 17-July 12	24
Cook	Right forearm strain	May 8-June 2	22	Reddick	Hyperextended right knee	June 1-23	20
Elmore	Strained left quad	March 28-June 15	69	Reddick	Strained right knee	June 29-July 21	18
Gentry	Lower back strain	March 21-April 11	10	Rodriguez	Tommy John surgery	March 21-April 28	26
Griffin	Flexor muscle strain	March 21-present	103				

The A's have used the disabled list 13 times this season...used the DL 13 times in 2013.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

May 7	Arnold Leon recalled from Sacramento (26 th man for doubleheader); Arnold Leon optioned to Sacramento following the game	June 8	Jake Elmore sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	July 7	Brad Mills designated for assignment; Kenny Wilson claimed off waivers from Toronto and optioned to Sacramento; Nick Buss designated for assignment; Tommy Milone optioned to Sacramento
May 9	Fernando Rodriguez and Joe Savery recalled from Sacramento; Dan Straily optioned to Sacramento; Ryan Cook placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to May 8 (strained right forearm)	June 9	Kent Matthes outrighted to Midland	July 11	Jeff Francis and cash considerations traded to the New York Yankees for a player to be named later
May 15	Kyle Blanks acquired from San Diego for minor leaguer Jake Goebbert and a player to be named later; Daric Barton designated for assignment	June 11	Eric O'Flaherty transferred to Sacramento on rehab	July 12	Alberto Callaspo placed on the 15-day disabled list (right hamstring strain); Andy Parrino recalled from Sacramento; Drew Pomeranz sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
May 17	Daric Barton cleared waivers and outrighted to Sacramento	June 13	Alberto Callaspo placed on the paternity list; Andy Parrino recalled from Sacramento	July 13	Drew Pomeranz reinstated from the disabled list and optioned to Sacramento
May 18	Jeff Francis claimed off waivers from Cincinnati; Joe Savery optioned to Sacramento; Jake Elmore transferred to the 60-day disabled list	June 16	Alberto Callaspo reinstated from the paternity list; Andy Parrino optioned to Sacramento; Marcus Walden outrighted to Midland; Jake Elmore reinstated from the disabled list and optioned to Sacramento	July 14	Josh Reddick sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
May 28	Minor leaguer Ronald Herrera sent to San Diego as the player to be named later in the May 15 trade	June 17	Drew Pomeranz placed on the 15-day disabled list (fractured right hand); Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento	July 17	Brad Mills claimed off waivers by Toronto
May 31	Ryan Cook sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	June 18	Josh Reddick sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	July 20	Andy Parrino optioned to Sacramento (following game)
June 1	Stephen Vogt recalled from Sacramento; Fernando Rodriguez optioned to Sacramento	June 20	Brad Mills selected from Sacramento; Evan Scribner optioned to Sacramento; Justin Marks claimed off waivers by Texas	July 22	Josh Reddick reinstated from the disabled list
June 3	Ryan Cook reinstated from the 15-day disabled list; Josh Reddick placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 1 (hyperextended right knee)	June 24	Josh Reddick reinstated from the disabled list; Kyle Blanks placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to June 23 (left calf strain)	July 24	Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento, Jim Johnson designated for assignment
June 6	Justin Marks acquired from Kansas City for cash considerations and optioned to Sacramento; Kent Matthes designated for assignment; Eric O'Flaherty sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	June 29	Josh Reddick placed on the 15-day disabled list (right knee strain); Nate Freiman recalled from Sacramento	July 25	Deck McGuire acquired from the Toronto Blue Jays for cash considerations and optioned to Sacramento
		July 3	Eric O'Flaherty reinstated from the disabled list; Jeff Francis designated for assignment	July 26	Alberto Callaspo sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment
		July 5	Jeff Samardzija and Jason Hammel acquired from the Chicago Cubs for Dan		

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