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Minnesota Twins (52-64) at Oakland Athletics (72-45)

Sunday, August 10, 2014 + O.co Coliseum

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| Minnesota | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 10 | 0 | 8 |
| Oakland | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 1 | 7 |
| | W - | – Hug | ghes (1 | 2-8) L — Gregerson (2-2) | | | | (2-2) | | S | — No | ne | |

OAKLAND NOTES

 The Oakland Athletics had a 12-game winning streak against the Twins snapped...was the longest winning streak in Athletics history against the Twins/ Senators...went 6-4 on the 10-game homestand against Kansas City (1-2), Tampa Bay (2-1) and Minnesota (3-1).

• Jason Hammel has allowed one earned run in 12 innings (0.75 ERA) over his last two starts...was 0-4 with a 9.53 ERA in his previous four starts with the Athletics...allowed his eighth first-inning home run.

· Fernando Abad has stranded all 21 of his inherited runners, the most among Major League relievers that have not allowed an inherited runner to score.

Josh Donaldson (1 for 4, 2 so) has a 17-game hitting streak against Minnesota dating back to August 20, 2012, which is the second longest in Oakland
history against the Twins (19, Terrance Long)...is batting .424 (28 for 66) with ten doubles, two home runs and 13 RBI during the streak...has hit safely in each
of his seven games against the Twins this season.

• Brandon Moss (0 for 3, 2 so) went 2 for 28 (.071) over the homestand and is 4 for 44 (.090) over his last 12 games.

- Eric Sogard (1 for 3, so) is batting .326 (14 for 43) with 13 runs scored, 11 walks, five RBI and four multiple hit games in 16 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .186 with 18 runs, 14 walks and seven multiple hit games in 63 games before the break.
- Stephen Vogt (1 for 4, so, rbi) is 9 for 26 (.346) with three home runs and nine RBI in eight career games against Minnesota.

| Pitching Lines | IP | н | R | ER | BB | so | HR | Pitches/Strikes |
|-------------------------|--------|-----|-----|-----|----------|----|---------|-----------------|
| Jason Hammel | 6.2 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 92/51 |
| Fernando Abad | 0.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4/3 |
| Luke Gregerson (L, 2-2) | 1.0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 25/15 |
| Jesse Chavez | 1.0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 42/25 |
| Home Runs | Inning | Coι | unt | RBI | Location | | Pitcher | |

None

MINNESOTA NOTES

- The **Minnesota Twins** snapped a 12-game losing streak against the Athletics...the last time the Twins lost 12-plus straight to a single opponent came May 10, 2002-April 21, 2003 against the Yankees...are 1-3 on this seven-game road trip to Oakland (1-3) and Houston (three games).
- Phil Hughes is 2-2 with a 2.32 ERA (7 er in 27.1 ip) all-time at O.Co...went 7.0 innings...this increase his total to 148.2 innings, surpassing his 2013 season total (143.2).
- Trevor Plouffe received x-rays on his left foot, which came back negative...is listed day-to-day.
- Kurt Suzuki (2 for 5, r, 2b, 2 rbi) is batting .350 (27 for 77) with runners in scoring position this season.
- Josh Willingham (1 for 4, r, hr, 2 rbi, bb) is 21 for 61 (.339) with eight home runs and 19 RBI against Oakland in his career.

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|-----------------------|--------|-----|----|-----|----------|--------------|---------|-----------------|
| Phil Hughes (W, 12-8) | 7.0 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 94/66 |
| Casey Fien | 1.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 17/13 |
| Glen Perkins | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 8/6 |
| Home Runs | Inning | Cou | nt | RBI | Location | | Pitcher | |
| Brian Dozier (20) | 1 | 0-0 |) | 1 | LF | | Hammel | |
| Josh Willingham (12) | 8 | 2-1 | | 3 | LF | LF Gregerson | | |

| Time of Game 2:49 First Pitch 1:08 pm Temperature 65 degrees Today's Attendance 25,598 | Overall Record. 72-45 Streak Lost 1 Homestand 6-4 Last 5 3-2 Last 10. 6-4 | Home/Road |
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| Attendance Total 20,590 Average (60 games) 24,558 | Series Record | A's Starter goes 7 or more/Less than 7 28-8 / 44-37 A's/Opponents score first |
| Win/Lose in Last AB18-11 Extra Innings11-6 | vs. AL West | Tied After 7th/8th inning |