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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (82-66) VS. SEATTLE MARINERS (80-67)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2014 – SAFECO FIELD – 1:10 P.M. PDT
LHP JON LESTER (14-10, 2.52) VS. RHP CHRIS YOUNG (12-7, 3.35)
CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)

ABOUT THE A'S: Despite last night's win, have lost five of the last seven games, 12 of the last 16 and 14 of the last 20...are in second place in the American League West for the 19th consecutive day and 25th time in the last 27 days...trail the Angels by a season-high tying 11 games...that is the A's largest deficit in the West since July 2, 2012 when they were in third place and 11½ games back of first place Texas...have the first Wild Card, ½ game ahead of Kansas City for the second Wild Card and 1½ games ahead of Seattle...the A's largest lead in the West was six games as late as June 21 and the largest lead in the Wild Card was 11½ games on July 18...have 119 days alone in first place in the West, eight days tied for first, 28 days in second, three days tied for second, one day tied for third and three days in fourth...had 112 straight days with at least a share of first from April 24 to August 17 (including 106 consecutive days alone from April 28 to August 15).

MLB BEST RECORDS SINCE 2012

	W	L	PCT
Oakland	272	200	.576
Washington	268	203	.569
St. Louis	267	206	.564
Baltimore	266	206	.564
Atlanta	265	207	.561

CLOSE CALLS: The A's won yesterday in 10 innings, 3-2...since August 26, 14 of 18 games have been decided by two runs or fewer (5-13 overall, 3-11 in games decided by two runs or fewer)...had seven-straight one-run losses from Sept. 2-11 which **matched the longest such streak in A's history** dating back to 1901 (also June 10-29, 2012)...are 29-37 in games decided by two runs or fewer compared to 53-29 in games decided by three runs or more...have 13 wins when trailing after seven innings and eight wins when trailing after eight innings, both of which are the **most in the majors**...the 13 wins when trailing after seven innings are a new Oakland record (previous: 12 in 1969)...the eight wins when trailing after eight innings are second most in Oakland history (10 in 1971)...however, have six losses when leading after eight innings, which are tied for the most in the majors (Chicago-AL, Houston)...are 23-16 in games decided in the last at bat and the wins are tied for the most in the majors (Los Angeles-AL and Miami, 23)...are 12-8 (.600) in extra-inning games...have the second most extra-inning wins in the American League and are tied for the most extra-inning games...are tied for the fourth best record.

AUGUST 10: The A's were 72-44 entering play on August 10 and had a four-game lead in the American League West and an 11-game lead over the third place team in the Wild Card...have gone 10-22 (.313) since then, which is the second worst record in the majors over that span (Arizona, 9-22)...have lost 15 games in the West and 9½ games in the Wild Card over that span...have been outscored 124-109 and are batting .225 (241 for 1069) while averaging 3.4 runs per game...have a 3.62 ERA (112 er in 278.2) and have committed 25 errors.

OFFENSE: The A's are batting .214 (117 for 546) with 47 runs scored over the past 16 games (2.9 runs per game)...have scored four runs or fewer 13 times over that span...**lead the majors** with 532 walks and have 1019 strikeouts, which is second fewest (Kansas City, 882)...rank third in the AL in runs (681), tied for third in triples (27) and have the fourth lowest batting average (.246).

PITCHING: The A's have the lowest opponents on-base percentage in the majors (.291), rank second in opponents batting average (.231) and third in opponents slugging percentage (.355)...rank second in the American League in ERA (3.25) and have allowed the third fewest walks (387).

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers are 11-21 with a 4.14 ERA (127 er in 276.1 ip) over the last 44 games (since July 28) after going 46-25 with a 3.15 ERA over the first 104 contests...rank second in the American League in ERA (3.45) and third in innings pitched (905.1)...are tied for second in complete games (6).

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have committed 100 errors, which is second most in the American League (Cleveland, 110)...A's outfielders have 34 assists, which is second most in the AL (Boston, 35) and third most in the majors (Arizona, 41).

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 2-4 on this seven-game road trip to Chicago (1-3) and Seattle (1-1)...snapped their season-high tying five-game road losing streak Tuesday...went 2-5 on the last road trip to Houston (2-1) and Los Angeles-AL (0-4) and have lost 16 of the last 21 road games...went 18-6 over the first 24 road games but are 19-33 since then...are 37-39 (.487) on the road for the season...went 2-4 on

their last homestand against Seattle (1-2) and Houston (1-2)...was their first losing homestand since August 13-21, 2013 when they went 4-5...that snapped a streak of 11 consecutive homestands without a losing record, which tied the third longest such streak in Oakland history...the only longer streaks are a 20-homestand streak from May 21, 2002-April 11, 2004 and 12-homestand streak from May 24, 1976-April 24, 1977...are 45-27 (.625) at home for the season, which is the second best home record in the majors (Los Angeles-AL, 49-24, .671)...have clinched a winning record at home for the fifth consecutive season...went 6-9 over the first 15 home games but are 39-18 since then.

ON THE BASES: The A's have been successful in 81 of 98 (82.7%) stolen base attempts, which is the highest percentage in the American League and second highest in the majors (Washington, 83.9%)...the Athletics record is 80.7% in 2008...opponents have been successful in 86 of their 104 (82.7%) attempts, which is the highest mark in the majors...the Oakland record is 81.3% in 2005.

IN THE PINCH: A's pinch hitters are went 2 for 4 Friday but are just 10 for their last 65 (.154)...**lead the American League** in doubles (8), walks (23) and sacrifice flies (3), rank second in RBI (22) and extra base hits (11), tied for second in home runs (3) and are third in hits (29) and plate appearances (156)...the eight doubles match the most by an Oakland team in the designated hitter era (1983, 1999)...the Oakland record is nine in 1972...have the second most extra base hits (11) in the DH era (12 in 1978)...have the most RBI (22) since 1999 (22) and the most hits (29) since 2000 (29).

FIRST HALF/LAST HALF: The A's went 51-30 through the halfway point of the schedule (June 29) but are 31-36 since then...had a run differential of +135 over the first 81 games and are +23 since then...batted .254 while averaging 5.2 runs per game and 4.1 walks per game over the first 81 games...are hitting .236 (532 for 2256) while averaging 3.9 runs per game (263 runs) and 3.0 walks per game (201 walks) since then...the pitching staff had a 3.16 ERA over the first 81 games compared to 3.36 (221 er in 592.0 ip) since then.

THIS AND THAT: The A's have outscored the opposition by 158 runs, which is the second most in the majors (Los Angeles-AL, 162)...the active roster stands at 34 players...44 players have appeared in a game, which matches their total from last year...only one rookie has appeared in a game (Burns) and he has played in just seven games...went 12-17 in August, snapping their streak of 14 consecutive months with a winning record...that is the second longest streak in A's history (15, July 1928-Sept. 1930)...August marked the first time the A's finished a month with a losing record since May, 2012 (11-16).

A's vs. MARINERS: The A's trail in the season series, 10-8...are 4-6 in Oakland and 4-4 in Seattle...are hitting .212 (126 for 595) with 56 runs scored (3.1 per game) but have a 2.87 ERA (52 er in 163.0 ip)...over the previous eight seasons, the A's have won the season series in even numbered years (2008, 2008, 2010, 2012) and the Mariners have won in odd numbered years (2007, 2009, 2011, 2013)...all-time, the A's are 320-245 (.566) against Seattle, which is the second best mark by any team against the Mariners to Boston's .575 mark (min. 20 games)...are 176-107 in Oakland, 143-137 in Seattle and 1-1 in Tokyo.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Alberto Callaspo has reached base in five-straight games despite going 1 for 6 in those games...has three pinch-hit walks in his last five games and is tied for second in the AL with five pinch walks...is 3 for 6 with three RBI and five walks in the pinch (.727 on-base percentage).

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1929** the A's clinch the American League pennant with a 5-0 win over the Chicago White Sox...in **1990** Dave Stewart tosses a five-hitter in the A's 9-1 victory over Minnesota to win his 20th for the fourth consecutive season...he would go on to win 22 games and combined with Bob Welch to record 49 of the A's 103 victories...in **1995** Mark McGwire hits his 269th career home run off Kansas City's Mark Gubicza, breaking Reggie Jackson's Oakland career record for home runs...in **1996** Mark McGwire homers in the first inning of both games of a double header at Cleveland, his 49th and 50th of the season, breaking the Oakland record of 49 which he previously held.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Tue., Sept. 16 vs. Texas	TBA vs. RHP Nick Tepesch (4-10, 4.47)	7:05	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Wed., Sept. 17 vs. Texas	TBA vs. LHP Derek Holland (1-0, 0.86)	7:05	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Thu., Sept. 18 vs. Texas	TBA vs. RHP Nick Martinez (3-11, 4.93)	12:35	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game

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ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

TEAM

25-20, 2.83 ERA (136 er in 432.2 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 30-for-50 (60.0%)

- The A's bullpen has allowed seven runs with a 3.29 ERA in its past six games (5 er in 13.2 ip) after a five-game, 10.2-inning scoreless streak...has been charged with three blown saves and three losses over the six games after recording two losses in its previous 23 games (August 11-September 6).
- Has converted 30-of-50 (60.0%) save chances, which is second lowest in the AL...has the third fewest saves...prior to last night's save, went 1 of 7 in save chances from August 24-September 11, which coincided with Doolittle's DL stint.
- Leads AL bullpens in opponents on-base percentage (.277) and ranks second in batting average (.218), slugging percentage (.323) and ERA (2.83)...tied for the third fewest home runs (37).
- Has issued nine walks over its last seven games (16.1 ip)...had issued seven walks over the previous 13 games and 33.1 ip...has issued 118 walks, which is the fewest in the AL and second fewest in the majors...is averaging 2.45 walks per nine innings, which is the second lowest rate in the majors and would be the lowest in franchise history since at least 1914 (1944, 2.49).
- First batters faced are hitting .213 (79 for 371), which is third lowest in the AL...have 19 first batter walks, which are the fewest, and have the third lowest on-base percentage (.256)...have 11 first batter home runs, which is tied for fourth most.

56 LHP FERNANDO ABAD

Last Outing: 9/12 at Seattle (ND, 0.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-2
Inherited Runners/Scored: 34/3
First Hitters: 9-58, 3 bb, hbp, sf

- Has not allowed a run over his last 16 games (13.1 ip, 5 h, 4 bb, 14 so) and has yielded just one run over his last 26 contests (22.2 ip, 0.40 ERA)...has a 1.51 ERA for the season, which ranks fifth among American League relievers...has the seventh longest active scoreless innings streak in the AL.
- Started the season by stranding each of his first 26 inherited runners...has allowed 3-of-34 (8.8%) to score for the season, which is the lowest percentage in the AL.
- Ranks fifth in the AL in opponents slugging percentage (.239) at WHIP (0.82) and sixth in batting average (.161) and on-base percentage (.235).
- First batters faced are 9 for 58 (.155) with 23 strikeouts...is sixth in the AL in first batter strikeouts.
- Has faced Seattle six times this year (6.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 4 so, 1.50 ERA)...the appearances are the first of his career against the Mariners.
- Has allowed just four runs since May 18 (42 games, 35.2 ip, 1.01 ERA), all via solo home runs.

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 39 relief appearances.

60 RHP JESSE CHAVEZ

Last Outing: 9/8 at Chicago-AL (L, 0.1 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/3
First Hitters: 4-9, bb

- Is 0-1 with a 3.15 ERA in 10 appearances since moving to the bullpen August 2 (20.0 ip, 18 h, 9 r, 7 er, 8 bb, 16 so, 2 hr)...began the season in the starting rotation and went 8-7 with a 3.44 ERA in 21 starts.
- Has two losses in three games, all starts, against the Mariners this season (17.1 ip, 22 h, 9 r, 8 er, 6 bb, 13 so, 1 hr, 4.15 ERA)...had not allowed a run in 11.0 innings in eight career appearances, all in relief, prior to this season.
- Has a 4.12 ERA (36 er in 78.2 ip) in 17 games on the road, a 2.55 ERA (19 er in 67.0 ip) in 14 appearances at home.
- Has 145.2 innings pitched this season...prior to this year, his career high was 67.1 (2009 with Pittsburgh).

Last Year: Pitched in five games (all starts) with Triple-A Sacramento and spent the duration of the season with Oakland...went 2-4 with a 3.92 ERA in 35 games (57.1 ip) with the A's, all in relief...held opponents to a .230 average.

48 RHP RYAN COOK

Last Outing: 9/7 vs. Houston (L, 0.1 ip, 0 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-3
Inherited Runners/Scored: 26/10
First Hitters: 12-45, 4 bb, sh

- Has allowed nine runs over his last nine games and has two losses and two blown saves over that stretch (7.1 ip, 6 h, 9 r, 9 er, 5 bb, 9 so, 11.05 ERA)...that follows a 20.0-inning scoreless streak from June 27-August 12, during which opponents hit .108.
- Righties are 14 for 101 (.139) with 35 strikeouts against him...lefties are 16 for 63 (.254) with 12 strikeouts.
- Has a loss in four games against the Mariners this season (4.1 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 3 so, 4.15 ERA)...is 0-2 with two saves and a 2.57 ERA (6 er in 21.0 ip) in 22 career games against Seattle.
- Has a 2.02 ERA (8 er in 35.2 ip) and .157 (19 for 121) opponents batting average in 36 games at night, an 8.74 ERA (11 er in 11.1 ip) and .256 (11 for 43) opponents average in 14 day games.
- Made the 200th appearance of his career on August 27 at Houston.

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: 9/13 at Seattle (S, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 21-24
Inherited Runners/Scored: 12/2
First Hitters: 9-54, sf

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list Friday...was placed on the disabled list Aug. 24 with a strained right intercostal.
- Has not allowed a run in his past 14 games and 14.0 innings, which is the sixth longest active scoreless streak in the AL.
- Has struck out 81 batters in 56.1 innings and has walked just five for a strikeout-to-walk ratio of 16.20...**would be fourth-best single-season SO/BB ratio in MLB history**...leads Major League relievers in strikeout-to-walk ratio and fewest walks per nine innings (0.80).
- Ranks first among AL relievers in opponents on-base percentage (.188) and WHIP (0.69), seventh in batting average (.168) and ninth in strikeouts (81).
- Is 3 for 3 in save opportunities against Seattle and has not allowed a run in eight games (10.1 ip, 3 h, 12 so)...is 1-1 with three saves, a blown save and 1.75 ERA (5 er in 25.2 ip) in 23 career games.
- Holds the Oakland record for saves by a left-handed pitcher.

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).

44 RHP LUKE GREGERSON

Last Outing: 9/13 at Seattle (W, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 3-11
Inherited Runners/Scored: 23/10
First Hitters: 14-62, 4 bb

- Has not allowed an earned run in seven-straight games (2 r in 7.0 ip)...however, is 3-3 with a 3.97 ERA over his last 12 games (11.1 ip, 10 h, 8 r, 5 er, 3 bb, 10 so, 2 hr).
- Is one of four Major League pitchers with 60+ games pitched in each of the last six seasons (Papelbon, Thornton, Ziegler)...his 429 games pitched since 2009 are the most in the majors.
- Has eight blown saves, which is tied for the most in the majors...is tied for sixth in the AL in holds (21).
- Is 1-0 and has not allowed a run in eight games against Seattle this year (7.0 ip, 6 h, 2 bb, 6 so)...is 2-1 with a save, blown save and 0.54 ERA (1 er in 16.2 ip) in 17 career appearances.
- Has not allowed a run in 35 of his last 40 outings.

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: 9/12 at Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-2
Inherited Runners/Scored: 5/0
First Hitters: 2-17, bb, sh

- Has allowed three runs on three solo home runs over his last four games (4.0 ip)...allowed two runs and no home runs in his first 15 games and 14.1 ip this season.
- Recorded his first career save August 27 at Houston, but allowed a solo home run that snapped his 11.1-inning scoreless streak.
- Has not allowed a run in 15 of his 19 games since he was reinstated from the 60-day DL July 3 (Tommy John surgery).
- Opponents are 1 for 14 with runners in scoring position, including 0 for 8 with RISP and two outs.
- Has faced Seattle twice this year (1 er in 2.0 ip)...has three career appearances (4.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 3 so, 1 hbp).
- Has a career-high eight-game winning streak and has not lost since Aug. 14, 2011, a span of 122 appearances.

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: 9/12 at Seattle (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-4
Inherited Runners/Scored: 50/19
First Hitters: 12-58, bb, hbp, sh, 2 sf

- Has a 14.1-inning scoreless streak over his last 12 games (since August 12)...is the fifth longest active streak in the AL.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento on August 24 for his second stint with the A's and has pitched eight times since his return (9.1 ip, 6 h, 5 bb, 7 so)...was on the A's Opening Day roster before he was optioned to Sacramento August 21...did not appear in a game with the River Cats.
- Ranks second among AL relievers in innings (80.1) and is tied for the most wins (8)...has the most hits allowed (73), third in inherited runners (50) and tied for sixth in opponents grounded into double plays (10).
- Has allowed 0.21 home runs per nine innings in 131.2 career innings pitched, which is the lowest rate among all active relievers (min. 100 ip).
- Has a win in five appearances against the Mariners (5.1 ip, 4 h)...is 1-0 with a 0.77 ERA (1 er in 11.2 ip) in 11 career games.
- Has recorded 149 ground balls, which is the most among Major League relievers (second: Britton, BAL 1139)...his 3.47 ground ball to fly ball ratio is third highest among AL relievers.

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.

13 LHP DREW POMERANZ

Last Outing: 9/2 vs. Seattle (ND, 3.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 3 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Score: 3/0
First Hitters: 0-9, bb

- Was recalled from Single-A Beloit September 2 for his third stint with the A's...began the year in the A's bullpen before making his first start on May 7...made eight starts before breaking his right hand on June 16 and was placed on the DL the next day.
- Has not allowed an earned run in two Major League games since June 16 (8.1 ip, 4 h, 1 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 10 so).
- Is 4-3 with a 2.85 ERA in nine starts (47.1 ip) and 1-1 with a 1.62 ERA in 10 relief appearances (16.2 ip).
- Is 2-0 with a 0.82 ERA (11.0 ip, 5 h, 1 r, 1 er, 9 so, 1 hr) in five games, one start, against the Mariners this year...the appearances against Seattle are the first of his career.
- Pitched in eight games (all starts) with Sacramento this season...his complete stats with the River Cats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	3	1	3.69	8	8	0	0	0	46.1	45	19	19	17	54

Last Year: Was 0-4 with a 6.23 ERA in eight games, including four starts, over two stints with Colorado...also went 8-1 with a 4.20 ERA in 15 starts with Triple-A Colorado.

33 RHP FERNANDO RODRIGUEZ

Last Outing: 8/30 (AAA) vs. Reno (W, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 3 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Score: 4/1
First Hitters: 2-6

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 for his second stint with the A's...went 1-0 with a 1.13 ERA in six games during his first stint from May 9-31 (8.0 ip, 4 h, 1 r, 1 er, 2 bb, 4 so).
- Left-handers are 1 for 11 (.091) with two walks and three strikeouts...right-handers are 3 for 17 (.176) with one strikeout.

- Has not faced the Mariners in his career.
- Led the River Cats in ERA at the time of his promotion and was holding left-handers to a .189 batting average (14 for 74)...righties were hitting .271 against him (26 for 96)...his complete stats with Sacramento:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	3	0	1.97	38	0	0	0	0	45.2	40	12	10	16	53

Last Year: Missed the entire 2013 season recovering from Tommy John surgery...went 2-10 with a 5.37 ERA in 71 games with Houston in 2012.

58 RHP EVAN SCRIBNER

Last Outing: 9/12 at Seattle (ND, 0.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Score: 2/0
First Hitters: 1-10

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento August 28 for his fourth stint with the A's this year and has made four appearances since then (3.1 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 so)...has nine stints with Oakland over the last two years.
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and appeared in two games (1.1 ip) before he was optioned to Sacramento April 7...did not pitch during his second stint from June 17 to 19 and had four appearances during his third stint from July 24 to August 1 (4.0 ip, 3 h, 1 r, 1 er, 3 so).
- Has faced Seattle two times this season (1.1 ip)...has a 1.50 ERA (1 er in 6.0 ip) in six games in his career.
- Was tied for fourth in the Pacific Coast League in saves at the time of his promotion (16)...allowed a .223 batting average, including .218 (22 for 101) against right-handed hitters compared to .230 (17 for 54) against left-handers...his complete stats with Sacramento:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	4	1	3.06	40	0	0	0	16	47.0	39	16	16	9	72

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...had no decisions, a 4.39 ERA and .243 opponents average.

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

45 BRYAN ANDERSON

Current Streak: 0 for 0
Seattle Series: DNP
Road Trip: DNP
Career vs. Young: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 and will be making his A's debut...was acquired from Cincinnati August 24 in a minor league trade in exchange for international money.
- Has played 35 games in the majors with St. Louis (2010, 2012) and Chicago-AL (2013).
- Began the season at Double-A Pensacola and was promoted to Triple-A Louisville May 5 before going to Sacramento following the trade...combined for a .320 batting average, 10 home runs, 47 RBI and a .397 on-base percentage in 78 games...appeared in 65 games at catcher and seven at first base...his complete stats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Pensacola (AA)	.343	21	70	11	24	2	2	5	19	11	14	0	1	.643	.427
Louisville (AAA)	.302	52	162	20	49	12	1	5	24	19	29	0	1	.481	.380
Sacramento (AAA)	.381	5	21	4	8	3	1	0	4	1	7	0	0	.619	.417

Last Year: Spent the entire regular season at Triple-A Charlotte where he batted .224 with 7 HR and 26 RBI in 64 games...also went 1-for-18 (.056) with a double and two RBI in 10 September games with Chicago (AL)

19 BILLY BURNS

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 1)
Seattle Series: 1-1, sb
Road Trip: 1-1, 2 sb, r
Career vs. Young: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Recorded his first Major League hit Friday.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 for his second stint with the A's this year and has made one pinch-hitting and four pinch-running appearances since his return.
- Made his Major League debut during his first stint from July 28 to 30 and went 0 for 5 in three games, including a start in center field.
- Was successful in 54 of 60 (90.0%) stolen base attempts with Sacramento and Double-A Midland and tied for fourth in all of minor league baseball in stolen bases...combined for a .237 batting average in 119 games...his complete minor league stats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Midland (AA)	.250	91	364	57	91	20	3	1	23	44	65	51	5	.330	.333
Sacramento (AAA)	.193	28	109	17	21	2	0	0	5	9	19	3	1	.211	.254

Last Year: Was named the Washington Nationals Minor League Player of the Year after batting .315 with 96 runs in 121 games with Single-A Potomac and Double-A Harrisburg...ranked third in all the minors in steals (74).

7 ALBERTO CALLASPO

Current Streak: 0 for 4
Seattle Series: 0-0, 2 bb
Road Trip: 1-6, 2b, 3 bb
Career vs. Young: 0-4 (.000), 0 hr, 1 bb, 0 so

- Is 4 for 40 (.100) over his last 15 games.
- Has pinch-hit walks in three of last five games and has reached base in five straight games (T-2nd in AL with five pinch walks).
- Has started 41 games at second base, 34 at designated hitter, 16 at first base and 16 at third base...is the first Athletic to start at least 15 games at four different positions since Don Baylor in 1976...has made 23 of his last 27 starts at second base (since August 3).

Last Year: Was acquired by the A's from the Angels one day before the trading deadline and batted .270 with five home runs and 22 RBI in 50 games with Oakland...combined for a .258 batting average in 136 games over games.

4 COCO CRISP

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)
Seattle Series: 1-8, r, 2 bb, 2 so
Road Trip: 4-25, 3 r, 4 bb, 3 so
Career vs. Young: 2-12 (.167), 0 hr, 0 bb, 3 so

- Is 10 for 39 (.256) with three stolen bases in nine starts (eight in center field, one at DH) after missing five games with a strained neck...missed eight games with a strained neck from July 27-August 3.
- Has 19 stolen bases and needs one more for his fifth 20-steal season as an Athletic...in Oakland history, only Rickey Henderson (14) and Bert Campaneris (9) have more...has 297 career stolen bases.
- Is hitting .194 (30 for 155) since the All-Star Break after batting .291 before the break.
- Has grounded into just one double play in 409 at bats, which is the best ratio in the American League...the best mark in Oakland history is one per 220.5 at bats by Tony Phillips in 1986.
- Is 2 for 6 (.333) with four walks as a pinch hitter...is tied for fourth among AL pinch hitters in walks...in five seasons with the A's, he is 6 for 15 (.400) with seven walks (.591 obp) in the pinch.

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: 2 games (2 for 8)
Seattle Series: 2-8, r, hr, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 2 so
Road Trip: 8-27, 3 r, 2 2b, hr, 6 rbi, 2 bb, 7 so, gidp
Career vs. Young: 1-10 (.100), 0 hr, 0 bb, 1 so

- Is 11 for 51 (.216) over his past 12 games after going 12 for 24 over his previous seven games.
- His home run last night was just his second in his last 28 games (since August 13) after hitting 25 home runs over his first 116 contests.
- Recorded a career-high and A's season-high five hits Tuesday.
- Struck out four times Monday for the second time in his career (also June 7, 2014 at Baltimore).
- Is tied for seventh in the AL in runs (86), eighth in walks (69), tied for eighth in RBI (95), and tied for ninth in home runs (27).
- Has 14 home runs off left-handed pitching, which is the most by a Major Leaguer over the last two years...it is the most by an Athletic since Mark McGwire also had 14 in 1995...the last time the A's had a player hit more than 14 home runs off a lefty was in 1987 when Mark McGwire (16) and Jose Canseco (15) did it...has hit half of his career home runs (30 of 60) against lefties.
- Has hit 13 of his career-high 27 home runs with runners on base (nine two-run, four three-run)...11 have put the A's ahead.
- Leads Major League third baseman in double plays (41) and total chances (443) but ranks second in errors (22)...the double plays are second most in Oakland history by a third baseman (43, Eric Chavez in 2006) and third most in Athletics history (46, Sammy Hale in 1927)...the errors are tied for fourth most in Oakland history by a third baseman (Wayne Gross, 27 in 1977; Sal Bando, 24 in 1969; Bando 23 in 1974; Bando 22 in 1973)...the total chances are the most by an A's third baseman since Eric Chavez had 482 in 2003.

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.

10 ADAM DUNN

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Seattle Series: 0-4, so
Road Trip: 2-12, rbi, 2 bb, 5 so
Career vs. Young: 1-3 (.333), 1 hr, 0 bb, 3 so

- Is 7 for 28 (.250) with two home runs and six RBI in 11 games, including seven starts at designated hitter, since he was acquired from the Chicago White Sox on August 31 with cash considerations for minor league pitcher Nolan Sanburn.
- Is ninth in the American League in walks (67) but is tied for sixth in strikeouts (143).
- Is batting .233 (78 for 335) with 20 of his 22 home runs and 54 of his 60 RBI against right-handed pitching compared to .161 (9 for 56) against left-handers...is tied for eighth in the AL in home runs off righties.
- Had his career-high tying streak of eight consecutive games with an RBI end last Saturday (also May 11-19, 2008).
- Is the third player in Oakland history to hit safely and drive in a run in each of his first four games with the A's...Dick Allen (six games, 1977) and David Justice (four games, 2002) are the other two.
- Has 1987 career games played, which are the most among active players who have not played in the postseason.

Last Year: Batted .219 with 34 home runs and 86 RBI in 149 games with Chicago (AL)...ranked third in the American League in strikeouts (189), tied for fourth in home runs and tied for seventh in walks (76).

ALL-TIME LEADERS

HOME RUNS	WALKS	STRIKEOUTS
32. Chipper Jones 468	38. Manny Ramirez 1329	1. Reggie Jackson 2597
33. Dave Winfield 465	39. Tony Phillips 1319	2. Jim Thome 2548
34. David Ortiz 463	40. Mark McGwire 1317	3. Adam Dunn 2363
35. Adam Dunn 462	41. Adam Dunn 1313	4. Sammy Sosa 2306
Jose Canseco 462	42. Ken Griffey, Jr. 1312	5. Alex Rodriguez 2075

35 NATE FREIMAN

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3)
Seattle Series: 1-3, r, so
Road Trip: 2-14, 2 r, 4 so, gidp
Career vs. Young: 0-0 (--), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Was recalled from Single-A Beloit September 2 for his third stint with the A's this year and is 4 for 24 (.167) with a home run and two RBI in eight games, including six starts at first base, since his return.
- Went 7 for 33 (.212) with a home run and six RBI in 14 games during his first stint from June 29 to July 26 and 6 for 21 (.286) with three home runs and six RBI in eight games during his second stay from August 3 to 26.
- All five of his home runs and 12 of his 14 RBI this year have come against left-handed pitchers...his home run last Sunday was his first this season at home.
- Ranked fifth in the Pacific Coast League with 74 RBI at the time of his August 3 promotion to Oakland...his complete 2014 statistics:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.284	80	310	48	88	21	15	74	40	73	0	0	0	.506	.371
Beloit (A)	.444	2	9	2	4	2	0	1	2	0	4	0	0	1.000	.444

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.

23 SAM FULD

Current Streak: 0 for 4
Seattle Series: 1-7, r, rbi, bb, 2 so
Road Trip: 5-23, 3 r, 2b, 4 rbi, 3 bb, 4 so
Career vs. Young: 3-5 (.600), 1 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is batting .188 (15 for 80) over his last 28 games.
- Is batting .194 (14 for 72) when hitting in the leadoff spot compared to .260 (63 for 242) in all other spots in the order
- Is 2 for 8 (.250) as a pinch hitter...the two hits are both doubles (both with the A's), which is tied for second in the American League.
- Is batting .217 (26 for 120) in 40 games since he was acquired from Minnesota July 31 for Tommy Milone...this is his second stint with the A's this year...was on the Opening Day roster and hit .200 in seven games before he was designated for assignment April 12...was claimed off waivers by Minnesota April 20 and hit .274 with one home run and 17 RBI in 53 games with the Twins.

Last Year: Spent the entire season with Tampa Bay, batting .199 with two home runs and 17 RBI in 118 games...made just 48 starts and his 70 appearances as a sub were the most by an American Leaguer since 2008.

3 CRAIG GENTRY

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 2)
Chicago Series: 1-3, bb
Last Homestand: 3-12, r, 2b, 2 rbi, 2 bb, so, sh, cs
Career vs. Young: 1-4 (.250), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Left the game in the fifth inning Tuesday with a concussion and has not played since then.
- Is 6 for 34 (.176) in 13 games, including nine starts (four in right field, three in center field, two in left field) since he was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list August 22.
- Is 20 for 22 (90.9%) in stolen base attempts...the percentage ranks fourth in the majors...14 of his 20 steals have come off left-handed pitching, which is tied with Altuve (HOU) for the most in the majors...is 76 for 88 (86.4%) in his career...has 20 steals for the second consecutive season (had a career-high 24 last year).

ATHLETICS BEST SINGLE SEASON STOLEN BASE PERCENTAGE (min. 20 attempts)

95.2%	Javier, 1988
91.4%	Crisp, 2010
90.9%	Gentry, 2014
90.7%	Crisp, 2012
90.5%	Howser, 1962

- Is tied for ninth among AL outfielders with a career-high eight assists.
- Is batting .308 (36 for 117) at home, .193 (22 for 114) on the road.
- Has a 113-game homerless streak, which is an on-going career high...his last home run was Aug. 21, 2013 against Houston...has an 80-game homerless streak as an outfielder with Oakland, which is the second longest homerless streak by an A's outfielder over the last 22 years (99, Ryan Sweeney).
- Is 2 for 15 (.133) as a pinch hitter and .263 (51 for 194) in his starting assignments (35 in center, 12 in right, 10 in left).
- Was placed on the DL July 28 with a broken right hand...went 0 for 7 with a RBI on a two-game rehab assignment with Sacramento.

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).

15 JONNY GOMES

Current Streak: 0 for 1
Seattle Series: 1-4, 2 so
Road Trip: 3-10, r, 2b, 4 so
Career vs. Young: 0-4 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 13 for 51 (.255) with one double and five RBI in 24 games since he was acquired from Boston July 31 with Jon Lester and cash for Yoenis Céspedes and a 2015 Competitive Balance pick.
- Is 5 for 20 (.250) with two home runs, seven RBI and seven walks as a pinch hitter...leads American League pinch hitters in RBI and walks, is tied for second in home runs and ranks third in plate appearances (28)...is 11 for 41 (.268) with 14 walks (2 hbp, 1 sf, .458 on-base percentage), six home runs and 14 RBI in the pinch over the last two years...the home runs are the most in the majors and the walks rank second...the RBI are the most in the AL.
- Is batting .281 (45 for 160) with four of his six home runs and 24 of his 37 RBI against left-handed pitching compared to .170 (17 for 100) against right-handers.
- Has hit five of his six home runs with runners on base.

Last Year: Batted .247 with 13 home runs and 52 RBI in 116 games in his first season with Boston...tied for the Major League lead with four pinch home runs...hit .346 with runners in scoring position.

8 JED LOWRIE

Current Streak: 0 for 8
Seattle Series: 0-8, rbi, bb, 5 so
Road Trip: 5-23, 2 r, hr, 3 rbi, 2 bb, 6 so
Career vs. Young: 3-7 (.429), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Had his eight-game hitting streak snapped Friday...went 12 for 30 (.400) over the streak.
- His home run Monday was his first since July 23 vs. Houston, snapping a 21-game homerless streak...all six of his home runs this year have come with nobody on base.
- Recorded a season-high tying three hits last Sunday (six times).
- Had the game-winning RBI with a ninth-inning walk last night...had the walk-off RBI single in the ninth inning last Saturday, his third career walk-off RBI...it was his first as an Athletic.
- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list September 1 and has started each of the A's 12 games since then at shortstop (14 for 46, .304).
- Is batting .301 (46 for 153) over his last 41 games after hitting .217 over his first 81 contests.
- Has just three walks in his last 22 games since (July 30).
- Was placed on the DL August 15 retroactive to August 14 with a fractured right index finger...went 2 for 9 (.222) with a strikeout and run scored on a two-game rehab assignment with Triple-A Sacramento from August 30-31.

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: 2 games (2 for 5)
Seattle Series: 2-5, bb, 2 so
Road Trip: 2-12, bb, 5 so
Career vs. Young: 3-9 (.333), 2 hr, 2 bb, 2 so

- Is 7 for 59 (.119) with 13 walks and 26 strikeouts over his last 22 games...pinch-hit single Friday snapped a 0 for 13 drought.
- Has not homered since July 24 and his 39-game homerless streak is his longest as an Athletic.
- Has a career-high 144 strikeouts (previous: 140 in 2013)...is fifth in the American League in strikeouts and tied for sixth in hit by pitches (9)...is seventh in at bats per grounded into double play (117.3).
- Has hit 13 of his 23 home runs with runners on base (seven two-run, three three-run, three grand slams)...the three grand slams are tied for the most in the majors.
- Is 3 for 23 (.130) as a pinch hitter over the last two seasons and two of the three hits are doubles.
- Has started games at four different positions (51 at first base, 35 in left field, 27 in right field, nine at designated hitter).

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: 1 game (1 for 4)
Seattle Series: 1-7, bb, 3 so
Road Trip: 7-24, r, 3b, rbi, bb, 7 so, gidp
Career vs. Young: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 13 for 46 (.283) over his last 12 games after going 9 for 61 (.148) over his previous 18 contests.
- Recorded a season-high tying three hits Tuesday (fifth time).
- His triple Monday night was the second of his career and first since September 26, 2012 at Texas.
- Is hitting .310 (44 for 142) against left-handed pitchers compared to .245 (53 for 216) against right-handers...has hit five of his 10 home runs this year and 16 of 26 in his career off lefties.
- Is batting .327 (32 for 98) with runners in scoring position.
- Seven of his career-high 10 home runs and 10 of his 26 career home runs have come with at least two men on base.
- Has tossed out 6 of 56 (10.7%) attempted base stealers, which is the lowest percentage in the majors...the lowest mark in Oakland history is 13.2% by Kurt Suzuki in 2010.
- Has the third lowest catchers ERA in the American League (3.18).
- Is 4 for 15 (.267) with a double, home run, five RBI and three walks as a pinch hitter...is tied for second among AL pinch hitters in RBI.

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.

12 ANDY PARRINO

Current Streak: 0 for 2
Chicago Series: 0-2
Last Homestand: 1-3, r, so
Career vs. Young: 1-1 (1.000), 0 hr, 1 bb, 0 so

- Was recalled from Sacramento August 15 for his third stint with the A's this season and is 4 for 34 (.118) in 16 games, including 10 starts at shortstop and one at second base, since his return.
- Went 1 for 6 (.167) in two games during his first stint from June 13 to 15 and 2 for 6 (.333) in three games during his second stint from July 12 to 20.
- Was with the A's this spring before he was claimed off waivers by Texas March 3...was reclaimed by the A's April 21...batted .274 with seven home runs and 57 RBI in 103 games between Round Rock and Sacramento...his complete 2014 minor league statistics:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.286	90	374	57	107	19	2	7	52	44	97	7	0	.404	.363
Round Rock (AAA)	.189	13	53	4	10	3	0	0	5	3	12	0	0	.245	.271

Last Year: Had two stints with Oakland and went 4 for 34 (.118) with two doubles and one RBI in 14 games...spent the balance of the season with Sacramento, where he hit .210 with four home runs and 36 RBI in 108 games.

1 NICK PUNTO

Current Streak: 0 for 3
Seattle Series: 0-3
Road Trip: 0-3
Career vs. Young: 4-10 (.400), 0 hr, 1 bb, 3 so

- Was reinstated from the disabled list Tuesday and has appeared in two games, including one start at second base, since his return.
- Is 8 for 68 (.118) over his last 27 games after going 29 for 114 (.254) over his first 39 games this season.
- Is 14 for 86 (.163) against right-handed pitchers and 23 for 96 (.240) against left-handed pitchers.
- Is 18 for 119 (.151) at night and 19 for 77 (.302) during the day.
- Has appeared in 46 games (35 starts) at second base, 15 games (10 starts) at shortstop, two games at third base, and one game each in right field and designated hitter.

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-handers and .228 against right-handers.

16 JOSH REDDICK

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 5)
Seattle Series: 1-7, 2b, r, 3 so
Road Trip: 2-18, 3 r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, bb, 3 so
Career vs. Young: 1-3 (.333), 0 hr, 1 bb, 0 so

- His double last night snapped a 0 for 14 skid.
- Is 12 for 65 (.185) with three doubles and three home runs over his last 21 games...was 27 for 83 (.325) with 13 extra-base hits in his first 23 games after being reinstated from the DL on July 22.
- Is batting .272 (65 for 239) with all 11 of his home runs against right-handed pitching compared to .170 (15 for 88) against left-handers...is slugging .502 against righties, .193 against lefties.
- Was on the disabled list from June 29 to July 21 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: 1 game (3 for 4)
Seattle Series: 3-4, rbi
Road Trip: 4-10, r, 2 rbi, so
Career vs. Young: 0-4 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is batting .294 (30 for 102) with 19 runs scored, 15 walks and 12 RBI in 41 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .186 with 18 runs, 14 walks and nine RBI in 63 games before the break.
- Has made 78 of his 81 starts against right-handed pitchers...is batting .237 (53 for 224) against righties, .176 (6 for 34) against lefties.
- Is batting .278 (32 for 115) at home, .189 (27 for 143) on the road.
- Has nine errors in his last 41 games (five at shortstop, four at second base) after making no errors over his first 63 contests.
- Leads the majors with 28 walks while batting ninth in the order and has a career-high 29 overall.

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.

17 GEOVANY SOTO

Current Streak: 0 for 13
Seattle Series: 0-1
Road Trip: 0-4, 3 so gidp
Career vs. Young: 3-6 (.500), 1 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Left Friday's game with back spasms.
- Was acquired from the Texas Rangers August 24 for cash considerations and is 3 for 19 (.158) with three walks and two RBI in seven starts at catcher since joining the A's.
- Committed a throwing error in the second inning Thursday...the error snapped a 15-game errorless streak as a catcher this year and a 60-game streak behind the plate dating back to last year.
- Has tossed out 2 of 11 (18.2%) attempted base stealers, including 2 of 6 (33.3%) with the A's.
- Spent most of the season on the Rangers disabled list...began the year on the 60-day DL with torn lateral meniscus cartilage in his right knee...was reinstated July 18 and went 4 for 11 (.364) in three games before returning to the DL July 22 with a strained right groin...was reinstated August 8 and went 5 for 27 (.185) with a home run and two RBI in his final seven games with Texas.

Last Year: Batted .245 with nine home runs and 22 RBI in 54 games with Texas, including a .324 average after the All-Star break...the games played were his fewest since appearing in 18 games with the Cubs in 2007.

21 STEPHEN VOGT

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 2)
Chicago Series: DNP
Last Homestand: 2-5, r, 2 bb, so
Career vs. Young: 0-3 (.000), 0 hr, 1 bb, 0 so

- Left the game September 3 in the seventh inning with a sprained left ankle and has not played since then.
- Is batting .213 (20 for 94) over his last 30 games after hitting .361 over his first 44 contests.
- Is hitting .316 (66 for 209) with eight of his nine home runs against right-handed pitching, .219 (7 for 32) against left-handers.
- Has hit seven of his nine home runs this year and 10 of 13 in his career with two strikes.
- Has started games at five different positions (33 at first base, 13 in right field, eight at catcher, five at designated hitter, one in left field).
- Batted .212 in August after hitting .357 in July and .343 in June.
- 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.

A's vs. SEATTLE

2014	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI	CAREER	AVG	AB	H	HR	RBI
#####	0	0	0	0	0	PLAYER	####	0	0	0	0
1.000	1	1	0	0	0	Anderson	1.000	1	1	0	0
.125	24	3	0	0	0	Burns	.261	245	64	5	33
.278	36	10	1	1	1	Callaspo	.273	428	117	9	35
.151	73	11	3	8	8	Crisp	.161	174	28	8	21
.231	26	6	2	4	4	Donaldson	.220	127	28	9	21
.143	7	1	0	0	0	Dunn	.217	23	5	1	3
.231	39	9	1	5	5	Freiman	.217	69	15	1	5
.233	30	7	0	3	3	Fuld	.248	109	27	1	12
.125	8	1	0	0	0	Gentry	.172	99	17	3	11
.233	60	14	1	6	6	Gomes	.288	184	53	6	24
.237	59	14	4	12	12	Lowrie	.220	164	36	12	30
.194	31	6	0	0	0	Moss	.174	86	15	2	5
.667	3	2	0	0	0	Norris	.600	5	3	0	1
.217	23	5	1	3	3	Parrino	.204	147	30	2	12
.146	41	6	0	0	0	Punto	.221	199	44	6	19
.282	39	11	0	2	2	Reddick	.282	110	31	1	6
.143	7	1	0	2	2	Sogard	.186	43	8	1	8
.313	16	5	1	1	1	Soto	.207	29	6	1	1
.250	96	24	5	13	13	Vogt					
						others					

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2014 HOME RUNS				Tot.	LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN			
	Solo	2R	3R	GS		Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since
Anderson	0	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	29
Blanks	2	0	0	0	2	May 31, 2014	Los Angeles (AL)	Skaggs	11
Burns	0	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	3
Callaspo	0	3	1	0	4	Aug. 24, 2014	Los Angeles (AL)	Weaver	14
Crisp	7	1	1	0	9	Aug. 27, 2014	at Houston	Chapman	10
Donaldson	14	9	4	0	27	Sept. 13, 2014	at Seattle	Hernandez	0
Dunn	12	7	3	0	22	Sept. 3, 2014	Seattle	Hernandez	7
Freiman	2	2	1	0	5	Sept. 7, 2014	Houston	Keuchel	5
Fuld	1	2	0	0	3	Aug. 27, 2014	at Houston	Qualls	15
Gentry	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 21, 2013	Houston	Bedard	113
Gomes	1	3	1	1	6	July 18, 2014	Kansas City	Downs	30
Jaso	6	3	0	0	9	Aug. 16, 2014	at Atlanta	Walden	4
Lowrie	6	0	0	0	6	Sept. 8, 2014	at Chicago (AL)	Noesi	4
Moss	10	7	3	3	23	July 24, 2014	Houston	Bass	38
Norris	3	0	6	1	10	Aug. 9, 2014	Minnesota	Deduno	29
Parrino	1	0	0	0	1	Aug. 24, 2014	Los Angeles (AL)	Parrino	6
Punto	1	1	0	0	2	July 14, 2014	at Seattle	Beimel	8
Reddick	4	6	0	1	11	Sept. 8, 2014	at Chicago (AL)	Noesi	3
Sogard	1	0	0	0	1	Aug. 6, 2014	Tampa Bay	Hellickson	23
Soto	0	1	0	0	1	Aug. 14, 2014	Tampa Bay	Odorizzi	10
Vogt	5	4	0	0	9	Aug. 22, 2014	Los Angeles (AL)	Bedrosian	11
others	12	2	3	0	17				
Team	74	51	19	5	140				

A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	72-44 (August 9)
Season Low	0-1/1-2/2-3 (March 31/April 2/April 5)
April	18-9
May	16-12
June	17-9
July	15-10
August	12-17
September	4-8
Home Series	15-6-2
Road Series	11-10-3
Series Sweeps	9-5
First Game of Series	25-23
Last Game of Series	24-23
A's Score First	54-16
Opponent Scores First	28-50
Leading After 7 th	60-8
Leading After 8 th	64-6
Tied After 7 th	9-9
Tied After 8 th	11-5
Trailing After 7 th	13-49
Trailing After 8 th	8-55
Commit No Errors	40-30
Commit 1 or More Errors	42-36
More HR Than Opp.	37-7
Fewer HR Than Opp.	10-37
Same Total HR of Opp.	35-22
Starter Pitches 7 or More	34-18
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	48-48
When Scoring 4 or More	66-16
When Scoring Less Than 4	16-50
Last At Bat	23-16
Replay Challenges	13-11
Different Lineups	133

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Callaspo	Games	989	11 for 1000
Crisp	Triples (w/OAK)	22	1 for 23 (ties Lansford, Jackson and North for 5 th in Oakland history)
	Steals	297	3 for 300
	Steals (w/OAK)	160	12 for 172 (ties Baker for 9 th in Athletics history)
Dunn	Games	1987	13 for 2000
Jaso	Games	480	20 for 500
Moss	Hits	463	37 for 500
	Home Runs	89	11 for 100
O'Flaherty	Games	392	8 for 400
Reddick	Doubles	87	13 for 100
Samardzija	Games Started	96	4 for 100

WALK-OFF WINS (9)

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)
 Derek Norris, August 4 vs. Tampa Bay (single)
 Jed Lowrie, September 6 vs. Houston (single)

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Blanks	Left calf strain	June 23-present	72	Jaso	Concussion	Aug. 24-present (eligible Aug. 31)	20
Callaspo	Right hamstring strain	July 12-26	10	Lowrie	Fractured right index finger	Aug. 14-31	16
Cook	Right shoulder tendinitis	March 21-April 6	6	O'Flaherty	Tommy John surgery	Feb. 17-July 1	84
Cook	Right forearm strain	May 8-June 2	22	Parker	Tommy John surgery	March 20-present	148
Doolittle	Strained right intercostal	August 24-Sept. 11	18	Pomeranz	Fractured right hand	June 17-July 12	24
Elmore	Strained left quad	March 28-June 15	69	Punto	Strained right hamstring	August 3-Sept. 8	34
Gentry	Lower back strain	March 21-April 11	10	Reddick	Hyperextended right knee	June 1-23	20
Gentry	Broken right hand	July 28-August 21	22	Reddick	Strained right knee	June 29-July 21	18
Griffin	Flexor muscle strain	March 21-present	148	Rodriguez	Tommy John surgery	March 21-April 28	26

The A's have used the disabled list 18 times this season...used the DL 13 times in 2013.

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

July 5	Jeff Samardzija and Jason Hammel acquired from the Chicago Cubs for Dan Straily and minor leaguers Addison Russell, Billy McKinney and a player to be named later or cash; Nick Buss designated for assignment; Tommy Milone optioned to Sacramento	July 26	Alberto Callaspo sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	Aug. 21	Dan Otero optioned to Sacramento; Kyle Blanks returned from rehab assignment
July 7	Brad Mills designated for assignment; Kenny Wilson claimed off waivers from Toronto and optioned to Sacramento; Nick Buss outrighted to Sacramento	July 27	Alberto Callaspo reinstated from the disabled list; Nate Freiman optioned to Sacramento	Aug. 22	Craig Gentry reinstated from the disabled list
July 11	Jeff Francis and cash considerations traded to the New York Yankees for a player to be named later	July 28	Craig Gentry placed on the 15-day disabled list (broken right hand); Billy Burns selected from Midland; Kenny Wilson designated for assignment	Aug. 24	Geovany Soto acquired from Texas for cash considerations; Kyle Blanks transferred to the 60-day disabled list; Sean Doolittle placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained right intercostal); Dan Otero recalled from Sacramento
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	July 31	Jon Lester, Jonny Gomes and cash considerations acquired from Boston for Yoenis Céspedes and a 2015 Competitive Balance Pick; Sam Fuld acquired from Minnesota for Tommy Milone; Jake Elmore designated for assignment; Billy Burns optioned to Sacramento; Kenny Wilson outrighted to Midland	Aug. 25	John Jaso placed on the 7-day disabled list retroactive to Aug. 24 (concussion)
July 13	Drew Pomeranz reinstated from the disabled list and optioned to Sacramento	Aug. 1	Jim Johnson released; Evan Scribner designated for assignment	Aug. 27	Drew Pomeranz recalled from Sacramento; Nate Freiman optioned to Beloit
July 14	Josh Reddick sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	Aug. 2	Evan Scribner optioned to Sacramento; Jake Elmore claimed off waivers by Cincinnati	Aug. 28	Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento; Drew Pomeranz optioned to Beloit
July 17	Brad Mills claimed off waivers by Toronto	Aug. 3	Nick Punto placed on the 15-day disabled list (right hamstring strain); Nate Freiman recalled from Sacramento	Aug. 30	Jed Lowrie sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
July 20	Andy Parrino optioned to Sacramento (following game)	Aug. 9	Kyle Blanks sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	Aug. 31	Adam Dunn acquired from the Chicago White Sox with cash considerations for minor league pitcher Nolan Sanburn; Deck McGuire outrighted to Sacramento
July 22	Josh Reddick reinstated from the disabled list	Aug. 15	Jed Lowrie placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to Aug. 14 (fractured right index finger); Andy Parrino recalled from Sacramento	Sept. 1	McCoy Lowrie reinstated from the disabled list; Billy Burns and Fernando Rodriguez recalled from Sacramento; Bryan Anderson selected from Sacramento; Joe Savery designated for assignment
July 24	Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento, Jim Johnson designated for assignment	Aug. 18	Craig Gentry sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	Sept. 2	Nate Freiman and Drew Pomeranz recalled from Beloit
July 25	Deck McGuire acquired from the Toronto Blue Jays for cash considerations and optioned to Sacramento			Sept. 4	Joe Savery outrighted to Sacramento
				Sept. 9	Nick Punto reinstated from the disabled list
				Sept. 12	Sean Doolittle reinstated from the disabled list

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