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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (86-73) VS. TEXAS RANGERS (66-93)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2014 – GLOBE LIFE PARK – 7:05 P.M. CDT
LHP SCOTT KAZMIR (14-9, 3.63) VS. RHP NICK TEPESCH (5-10, 4.14)
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ABOUT THE A'S: Have lost three straight and seven of the last 10 games...are 14-29 (.326) dating back to August 10 when they had a four-game lead in the West, an 11-game lead in the Wild Card and were a season-high 28 games over .500...that is the second worst record in the majors over that span (Arizona, 12-30)...are 8-19 (.296) dating back to August 28 (first game of the four-game series at Los Angeles), which is the worst record in the majors...are 27-37 (.422) since the All-Star Break, which is tied with Boston for second worst in the AL (Minnesota, 24-41)...are in sole possession of the second Wild Card, one game behind the first Wild Card (Kansas City) and two games ahead of the third place team (Seattle)...are in second place in the AL West for the 31st consecutive day and 37th time in the last 39 days...trail the Angels by 12 games...have 119 days alone in first place in the West, eight days tied for first, 40 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)...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.

MLB BEST RECORDS SINCE 2012

	W	L	PCT
Washington	277	205	.575
Oakland	276	207	.571
Baltimore	273	210	.565
St. Louis	273	210	.565
Detroit	270	213	.559

MAGIC NUMBERS: The A's have a magic number of two to clinch a Wild Card spot...have a magic number of five to clinch home field for the Wild Card game and Kansas City has a magic number of two for home field (Kansas City owns the tiebreaker)...have lost the season series to Detroit (2-5), Kansas City (2-5) and Seattle (9-10)...were officially eliminated in the American League West September 17 in game 151.

OFFENSE: The A's have been shut out five times in the last 26 games last night and are batting .213 (184 for 865) with 78 runs scored (3.00 per game) over that span...were shut out just six times over the first 133 contests...lead the majors in walks (580) and have the second fewest strikeouts (1087)...are tied for the AL lead in triples (32), have the second lowest batting average (.244) and are tied for third in runs (715).

PITCHING: The A's lead the majors with a .291 opponents on-base percentage...that is the **lowest by a Major League team since 1988** (NYM, .291) and the lowest by an AL team since 1972 (BAL, .282 and OAK, .284)...have compiled a 2.78 ERA (44 er in 142.1 ip) over the last 16 games...now have a 3.24 ERA for the season, which is second lowest in the American League (Seattle, 3.23) and third lowest in the majors...the last time the A's finished the season with an ERA under 3.48 was in 1990 (3.18)...also rank second in the AL in opponents batting average (.233) and slugging percentage (.357) and have the third fewest walks (406)...walked 428 last year, which was second fewest in Oakland history in a non-strike season (415 in 1976)...have set an **Athletics record** with 1223 strikeouts, breaking the previous mark of 1183 set last year.

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers are 4-8 with a 2.66 ERA (41 er in 138.2 ip) over the last 21 games...have a 3.39 ERA for the season, which is the lowest in the American League and fourth lowest in the majors...the last time A's starters had an ERA under 3.47 was in 1989 (3.34)...are tied for second in the AL in complete games (6) and rank third in innings pitched (973.0).

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have committed 110 errors, which is second most in the American League (Cleveland, 114)...A's outfielders have 35 assists, which is tied with Minnesota for second in the AL (Boston, 37).

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 0-1 on their final road trip of the season to Texas...went 3-4 on the last road trip to Chicago (1-3) and Seattle (2-1) and have lost 17 of their last 23 road games...are 38-40 (.487) on the road for the season...went 3-6 on their final homestand of the season against Texas (0-3), Philadelphia (2-1) and Los Angeles-AL (1-2)...have posted on a losing record on back-to-back homestands after 11 consecutive homestands with a winning record...lost 10 of their last 14 home games...went 48-33 (.595) at home for the season, which is the third best home record in the American League...this is the A's fifth consecutive season with a winning record at home.

ON THE BASES: The A's have been successful in 83 of 101 (82.2%) attempts, which is the highest percentage in the majors...the Oakland

record is 80.7% set in 2008...opponents have been successful in 98 of 124 (79.0%) attempts, which is the fourth highest percentage in the majors...the Oakland record is 81.3% in 2005.

IN THE PINCH: A's pinch hitters are 12 for their last 87 (.138) after going 19 for their first 64 (.297)...**lead the American League** in doubles (8) and walks (24), rank second in hits (31), extra base hits (11) and plate appearances (180), tied for second in home runs (3) and third in RBI (22)...the eight doubles match the most by an Oakland team in the designated hitter era (1983, 1999)...the Oakland record is nine in 1972...the 24 walks and 11 extra base hits are second most in the DH era (26 walks in 1997, 12 extra base hits in 1978).

EXTRA INNING GAMES AND OTHER CLOSE CALLS: The A's are 13-8 (.619) in extra inning games...the wins and games (21) are both one short of the Oakland record...had 14 wins in 1988 and 22 games in 1969 and 1976...are tied for the Major League lead in extra inning games and tied for second in wins...have 10 walk-off wins, which is tied for second in the American League...are 24-18 in games decided in the last at bat, which are tied for the second most last at bat wins in Oakland history (26 in 2004)...are tied with Miami for the most last at bat wins in the majors and rank third in last at bat games...lead the majors in wins when trailing after seven innings (13) and eight innings (8), are tied for the lead in losses when leading after eight innings (7) and tied for second in losses when leading after seven innings (9)...the wins when trailing after seven innings are an Oakland record (previous: 12 in 1969) and the wins when trailing after eight innings are second most in Oakland history (10 in 1971)...the losses when leading after eight innings match the second most in Oakland history (9 in 1980).

ONE AND TWO-RUN GAMES: The A's are 31-40 (.437) in games decided by two runs or fewer, which is the third worst record in the American League...are 21-27 (.438) in one-run games...the one-run losses are the A's most since 1987 when they also had 27...have not lost more than 27 one-run games since 1986 (29)...are 55-33 (.625) in games decided by three runs or more, which is second best in the AL (Los Angeles, 54-30, .643).

THIS AND THAT: The A's lead the majors with a run differential of +150 (Los Angeles-AL, +148)...have used just two rookies (Anderson, Burns) and neither was a pitcher...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, the A's are the first team to go an entire season without using a rookie pitcher since Toronto in 1981...the A's have used just 25 replay challenges, which is the fewest in the majors...have an average time of game of 3 hours and 5 minutes, which is second longest in Oakland history, but fourth quickest in the American League this year.

A's vs. RANGERS: The A's trail the season series 9-7 with three games remaining...went 2-7 in Oakland and are 5-2 in Texas...the seven losses at home are the most in Oakland history against the Rangers (previous: six, seven times)...have won each of the previous two season series after losing five of the previous six...are 28-26 over the last three years...are 320-333 all-time against the Texas Rangers...have an all-time record of 417-415 against the Rangers/Senators.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

The A's have an attendance of 2,003,628 at home, which marks the first time Oakland has drawn 2,000,000 since 2005 (2,109,118)...**Josh Donaldson** has 42 double plays, which is one short of the Oakland record for a third baseman (Eric Chavez, 2006)...**Adam Dunn** has 462 home runs, which is tied with Jose Canseco for 35th in Major League history.

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1971** Vida Blue strikes out four Milwaukee Brewers in his final start of the season to bring his season total to 301...he joins Rube Waddell, who struck out 302 batters in 1903 and 349 the following season, as the only two Athletic pitchers to fan 300 in a single season...in **1974** Catfish Hunter tosses a seven-hitter to defeat the Minnesota Twins, 2-1...it is his 25th win, which establishes an Oakland record, and is also his fourth straight 20-win season...in **2002** the A's clinch their second AL West title in the last three years and win their 100th game of the season with a 5-3, 10 inning win at Seattle...Miguel Tejada collects his 200th hit of the season in that game to become the first Oakland player to reach the 200 plateau.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Sat., Sept. 27 at Texas RHP Jeff Samardzija (5-5, 2.92) vs. LHP Derek Holland (2-0, 1.31) 5:05 CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Sun., Sept. 28 at Texas RHP Sonny Gray (13-10, 3.21) vs. RHP Nick Martinez (5-11, 4.61) 12:05 CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game

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TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Scott Kazmir (14-9, 3.63 ERA)

FOUR-GAME LOSING STREAK: Is 0-4 with an 8.58 ERA (27 er in 28.1 ip) and .322 (39 for 121) opponents batting average over his last six starts...has walked 14 batters in 28.1 innings (4.45 per nine innings)...the losing streak matches the A's season high and is his only losing streak of the season...it is his longest losing streak since August 13-September 14, 2010 when he dropped five in a row.

SINCE JUNE 24: Was 9-2 with a 2.08 ERA and .203 opponents batting average over his first 15 starts entering play on June 24 and was leading the American League in ERA...allowed seven runs in 3.0 innings that day at New York (NL) and is 5-7 with a 5.30 ERA (52 er in 88.1 ip) and .280 (97 for 346) opponents batting average over his last 16 starts...his ERA since June 24 is third highest in the AL.

AMONG THE LEADERS: Is tied for sixth in the American League in complete games (20), has the seventh highest run support (5.50) and is tied for 10th in opponents grounded into double plays (19).

WITH RUNNERS IN SCORING POSITION: Has allowed a .198 (26 for 131) batting average with runners in scoring position, including .085 (5 for 59) with RISP and two outs...the mark with RISP and two outs is second lowest by a Major League pitcher with 162 or more innings pitched since 1974, which is the earliest year complete data is available...his average with RISP is fifth lowest in the American League this year among pitchers that qualify for the ERA title.

LOWEST OPPONENTS BATTING AVERAGE WITH RISP AND TWO OUTS (since 1974, min. 162.0 ip)

.082	Jack Morris, DET (1987)
.085	Scott Kazmir, OAK (2014)
.097	Joe Magrane, STL (1988)
.100	Dan Warthen, MON (1975)
.101	Clayton Kershaw, LAD (2012)
.101	Matt Cain, SF (2009)

BEFORE AND AFTER THE BREAK: Is 3-6 with a 5.86 ERA (43 er in 66.0 ip) and .300 (79 for 253) opponents batting average in 12 starts since the All-Star Break after going 11-3 with a 2.38 ERA and .206 opponents average in 19 starts before the break...his post-break ERA is second highest in the majors (Danks, CWS 6.31) and the losses are tied for fifth in the American League.

AGAINST THE WEST: Is 3-4 with a 5.12 ERA (33 er in 58.0 ip) in 11 starts against American League West competition compared to 11-5 with a 2.94 ERA (41 er in 125.1 ip) in 20 starts against everyone else.

DAYS REST: Is scheduled to start on four days rest today...is 10-5 with a 4.30 ERA (46 er in 96.1 ip) in 16 starts on four days rest compared to 4-4 with a 2.90 ERA (28 er in 87.0 ip) in 15 starts on five days rest or more.

NIGHT AND DAY: Is 5-3 with a 2.99 ERA (25 er in 75.1 ip) in 12 starts during the day compared to 9-6 with a 4.08 ERA (49 er in 108.0 ip) in 19 starts at night...has allowed just two home runs in 75.1 innings during the day...is now 10-5 with a 3.11 ERA (45 er in 130.1 ip) in 22 starts during the day over the last two years, 14-13 with a 4.27 ERA (100 er in 211.0 ip) in 38 starts at night.

OPPONENTS BATTING: Has allowed a .142 (51 for 360) batting average with two strikes, which ranks fifth in the American League among pitchers that qualify for the ERA title...has surrendered 14 of his 16 home runs this year and 30 of his 35 over the last two years to righties...has held the number eight hitter in the order to a .129 (9 for 70) batting average, which is second lowest in the majors.

CAREER NOTES: Has career highs in wins (14) and complete games (2)...this is his seventh season with 10 or more wins...had just one complete game in 208 career starts entering the season...has nine losses and has reached double figures in losses once in his career (15 in 2010)...is scheduled to make his 32nd start today, which are his most in seven years (34 in 2007 with Tampa Bay)...has 183.1 innings pitched, which is the third highest total of his career and his most since tossing a career-high 206.2 in 2007...his .296 opponents on-base percentage and .360 slugging percentage are currently career-lows (.305 OBP in 2006, .374 SLG in 2005)...his 2.45 walks per nine innings are also a career low (2.68 in 2013).

THIS AND THAT: The A's are 20-11 (.645) in his starting assignments...has walked two batters or fewer in 24 of his 31 starts and has tossed six or more innings 22 times...has four starts of three innings or fewer, which are second most by an A's starter over the last 14 years (5, Lenny DiNardo in 2007)...has two starts of 1.1 innings or fewer, which match the most by an A's pitcher over the last 20 years (last: Jimmy Haynes in 1999)...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.

LAST START: He had a no decision in the A's 8-6, 10-inning win over Philadelphia last Sunday in Oakland...allowed 11 hits in 5.1 innings, which were his most in a game since July 10, 2010 at Oakland (also 11)...allowed a RBI double to Byrd in the first but the A's came back with three in the bottom of the first...allowed a two-run double to Byrd in the third but the A's scored once in the bottom of the inning to take a 4-3 lead...allowed a RBI double to Ruiz in the fourth but the A's scored twice in the fifth to take a 6-4 lead...allowed a RBI triple to Galvis and a RBI single to Revere in the sixth and left after 5.1 innings with the scored tied 6-6.

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	8	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
July 27	at Texas	9-3	W	2.37	5.0	7	2	2	2	2	1	94
July Totals (4 games, 4 starts)		3-0		1.38	26.0	20	5	4	6	25	1	
Aug. 3	Kansas City	2-4	L	2.53	6.0	10	4	4	1	2	0	99
Aug. 8	Minnesota	6-5	W	2.73	6.2	5	5	5	1	4	0	85
Aug. 13	at Kansas City	0-3	L	2.78	7.0	7	3	3	1	3	1	98
Aug. 19	New York (NL)	6-2	W	2.73	6.0	4	1	1	3	6	1	105
Aug. 24	Los Angeles (AL)	4-9	L	3.08	3.0	10	7	7	2	1	1	61
Aug. 31	at Los Angeles (AL)	1-8	L	3.39	1.1	2	6	6	4	0	0	57
August Totals (6 games, 6 starts)		2-4		7.80	30.0	38	26	26	12	16	3	
Sept. 6	Houston	4-3	--	3.42	6.1	3	3	3	5	8	0	92
Sept. 11	at Chicago (AL)	0-1	L	3.32	8.0	4	1	1	1	7	1	113
Sept. 16	Texas	3-6	L	3.44	4.1	9	6	4	1	3	1	82
Sept. 21	Philadelphia	8-6 (10)	--	3.63	5.1	11	6	6	1	9	0	99

KAZMIR vs. TEXAS: Is 8-5 with a 3.47 ERA (98.2 ip, 99 h, 47 r, 38 er, 28 bb, 95 so, 9 hr) in 17 career starts...is 5-3 with a 3.34 ERA (22 er in 59.1 ip) in 10 starts in Texas and 3-2 with a 3.66 ERA (16 er in 39.1 ip) in seven starts in his home ballparks...is 2-1 with a 5.65 ERA (14.1 ip, 23 h, 11 r, 9 er, 4 bb, 9 so, 2 hr) in three starts this year...the first win came in a 9-3 victory 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...also picked up the win in another 9-3 victory at Texas July 27...the A's scored five times in the second inning and he allowed two runs in the bottom of the second on a two-run home run by Rosales...then took the loss in a 6-3 decision in Oakland on September 16...allowed a two-run home run to Smolinski and a RBI single to Robertson in the fourth...the A's came back with two in the bottom of the fourth, but he was charged with three runs, one earned, in the fifth.

DATE	H/A	CAREER STARTS										CAREER MATCHUPS									
		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	.310	29	9	0	1	3						
8/20/05	H	W	6.0	4	1	1	2	10	Arencibia	.000	3	0	0	0	2						
8/22/06	H	--	6.0	4	3	1	1	8	Beltre	.265	34	9	1	4	11						
5/17/07	H	--	4.0	3	3	1	6	9	Chirinos	.200	5	1	0	0	1						
5/26/08	H	W	7.0	3	1	1	0	10	Choice	.500	2	1	0	0	1						
6/6/08	A	W	8.0	6	2	2	0	6	Choo	.375	16	6	1	5	1						
8/17/08	A	W	6.0	4	2	2	4	7	Felder	.111	9	1	0	0	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	.286	7	2	0	0	1						
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	Odor	.500	2	1	0	0	1						
6/30/10	H	L	4.2	6	5	5	1	4	Pena	.286	7	2	0	4	3						
9/30/10	A	--	5.1	6	2	2	2	2	Profar	.333	3	1	0	0	0						
6/10/13	A	L	6.0	8	4	4	2	5	Rios	.224	49	11	1	2	11						
4/29/14	A	W	5.0	7	3	3	1	4	Robertson	.667	3	2	0	1	0						
7/27/14	A	W	5.0	7	2	2	2	2	Rosales	.500	14	7	1	0	1						
9/16/14	H	L	4.1	9	6	4	1	3	Rua	.333	3	1	0	0	0						
									Smolinski	.500	2	1	1	0	1						
									Wilson	.143	7	1	0	0	1						

KAZMIR BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2014	14	9	3.63	31	183.1	74
2013	10	9	4.04	29	158.0	71
Career	90	79	4.09	240	1363.1	619
Home	8	4	3.62	16	102.0	41
Road	6	5	3.65	15	81.1	33
Day	5	3	2.99	12	75.1	25
Night	9	6	4.08	19	108.0	49
Pre-ASB	11	3	2.38	19	117.1	31
Post-ASB	3	6	5.86	12	66.0	43
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			.276	170	47	
vs. RHH			.230	521	120	

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 (twice), last: 8/31/14 at LAA
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 Jeff Samardzija (5-5, 2.92 ERA): Is 2-2 despite a 1.40 ERA over his last six starts dating back to August 25...has struck out 47 and walked just three while allowing three home runs...his ERA since August 25 is eighth lowest in the American League...has a streak of 23.0 consecutive innings without allowing an earned run...has struck out 90 and walked just 12 in 104.2 innings with the A's...his strikeout-to-walk ratio of 7.50 is the highest in Athletics history and sixth in AL history among pitchers with 100 or more innings pitched...his average of 1.03 walks per nine innings is second lowest in Athletics history among pitchers with 100 or more innings...is scheduled to make his 33rd start of the season, which matches his career high from last year...with 212.2 innings, needs 1.1 more for a new career high...was the winning pitcher in his last start, an 8-4 A's win over Los Angeles (AL) on Monday in Oakland (7.0 ip, 5 h, 1 r, 3 so)...had a no decision in his only career appearance a start in the A's 6-1 loss in Oakland earlier this month on September 17 (8.0 ip, 4 h, 10 so).

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

TEAM

26-23, 2.93 ERA (151 er in 464.1 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 31-for-52 (59.6%)

- The A's bullpen has allowed 15 runs in 24.0 innings (5.63 ERA) over its last nine games after allowing three runs in 14.2 innings over its previous six games (1 er, 0.61 ERA).
- Has converted 31-of-52 (59.6%) save chances, which is the second lowest percentage in the AL...has the second fewest saves...is 3-for-10 (30.0%) in save chances since August 24.
- Leads the AL in opponents on-base percentage (.280) and is second in batting average (.223), slugging percentage (.331) and ERA (2.93)...is tied for the fourth fewest home runs allowed (41).
- Has issued 122 walks, which is **the fewest in the majors**...is averaging 2.36 walks per nine innings, which is the lowest rate in the majors and would be the lowest in franchise history since at least 1914 (1944, 2.49)...would also be the third best mark by any team since 1936.
- Has issued 20 first batter walks, which are the fewest in the AL, and has the third lowest on-base percentage (.269).

56 LHP FERNANDO ABAD

Last Outing: 9/23 vs. Los Angeles-AL (ND, 0.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-2
Inherited Runners/Score: 38/5
First Hitters: 11-62, 3 bb, 2 hbp, sf

- Had his 18-game, 14.0-inning scoreless streak snapped Saturday...however, has allowed just two runs over his last 31 contests (25.2 ip, 0.70 ERA).
- Has a 1.59 ERA for the season, which ranks fifth among American League relievers.
- Started the season by stranding each of his first 26 inherited runners...has allowed 5-of-38 (13.2%) to score for the season, which is the third lowest percentage in the AL.
- Ranks sixth in the AL in opponents slugging percentage (.251), seventh in WHIP (0.85) and ninth in batting average (.173).
- First batters faced are 11 for 62 (.177) with 23 strikeouts...is tied for seventh in the AL in first batter strikeouts.
- Has not allowed a run in seven of his eight appearances against Texas this season (2 er in 5.2 ip, 3.18 ERA).
- Has allowed just five runs since May 18 (47 games, 38.2 ip, 1.16 ERA), four of which came 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: 9/17 vs. Texas (ND, 0.1 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Score: 7/4
First Hitters: 5-10, bb

- Is 0-1 with a 3.54 ERA in 11 appearances since moving to the bullpen August 2 (20.1 ip, 20 h, 10 r, 8 er, 8 bb, 17 so, 2 hr)...began the season in the starting rotation and was 8-7 with a 3.44 ERA in 21 starts.
- Has a 4.12 ERA (36 er in 78.2 ip) in 17 games on the road, a 2.67 ERA (20 er in 67.1 ip) in 15 appearances at home.
- Is 1-0 with a 1.23 ERA (1 er in 7.1 ip) in two games, one start, against the Rangers...however, has a 5.32 ERA (14 er in 23.2 ip) in 11 career appearances.
- Has 146.0 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: 9/23 vs. Los Angeles-AL (ND, 0.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-3
Inherited Runners/Score: 29/12
First Hitters: 13-49, 4 bb, sh

- Has allowed nine runs in 10.1 innings (7.84 ERA) over his last 13 games and has two losses and two blown saves over that span...that follows a 21-game, 20.0-inning scoreless streak from June 27 to August 12.
- Righties are 15 for 109 (.138) with 37 strikeouts against him...lefties are 17 for 65 (.262) with 13 strikeouts.
- Has faced the Rangers eight times this year (9.1 ip, 7 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 8 so, 1 hr, 1.93 ERA)...is 2-0 with a save, three blown saves and a 2.22 ERA (6 er in 24.1 ip) in 25 career games.
- Has a 1.89 ERA (8 er in 38.0 ip) and .156 (20 for 128) opponents batting average in 38 games at night, an 8.25 ERA (11 er in 12.0 ip) and .261 (12 for 46) opponents average in 16 day games.

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: 9/24 vs. Los Angeles-AL (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 22-26
Inherited Runners/Score: 12/2
First Hitters: 9-58, bb, sf

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list September 12 and is 1-1 with two saves, a blown save and 7.11 ERA (5 er in 6.1 ip) since his return...was placed on the disabled list Aug. 24 with a strained right intercostal.
- Tossed a season-high tying two innings Sunday (fourth time, last: June 10 at Los Angeles-AL).
- Has 88 strikeouts in 61.2 innings and has walked just eight for a strikeout-to-walk ratio of 11.00...leads Major League relievers in strikeout-to-walk ratio and is third in walks per nine innings (1.17).
- Ranks first among AL relievers in opponents on-base percentage (.196) and WHIP (0.73), seventh in batting average (.167) and eighth in strikeouts (88).
- Has two losses, a save and blown save in six games against Texas (5.0 ip, 6 h, 6 r, 6 er, 3 bb, 7 so, 1 hr, 10.80 ERA)...has a 3.05 ERA (7 er in 20.2 ip) in 20 games in his career.
- 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: 9/25 at Texas (L, 1.1 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 3-11
Inherited Runners/Score: 23/10
First Hitters: 18-68, 4 bb

- Allowed a walk-off home run to Beltre last night...had not allowed an earned run over his previous 12 games and 12.0 innings.
- Is one of four Major League pitchers with 60 or more games pitched in each of the last six seasons (Papelbon, Thornton, Ziegler)...his 435 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 seventh in the AL in holds (22).
- Has two losses in six games against the Rangers this year (6.2 ip, 6 h, 4 r, 4 er, 1 so, 1 hr, 5.40 ERA).
- Has not allowed a run in 40 of his last 46 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: 9/20 vs. Philadelphia (ND, 0.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-2
Inherited Runners/Score: 5/0
First Hitters: 2-19, bb, sh

- Has allowed three runs, all via solo home runs, over his last six games and 5.2 innings (4.76 ERA)...allowed two runs and no home runs in his first 15 games and 14.1 innings this season (1.26 ERA).
- Has not allowed a run in 18 of his 22 games since he was reinstated from the 60-day DL July 3 (Tommy John surgery).
- Opponents are 1 for 15 with runners in scoring position, including 0 for 8 with RISP and two outs.
- Has not allowed a run in three games against Texas (3.2 ip, 2 h, 2 so)...however, has a 5.25 ERA (7 er in 12.0 ip) in 12 appearances in his career.
- Has a career-high eight-game winning streak and has not lost since Aug. 14, 2011, a span of 124 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: 9/25 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 1-4
Inherited Runners/Score: 54/19
First Hitters: 14-64, bb, hbp, sh, 2 sf

- Has allowed four runs in 4.0 innings (9.00 ERA) over his last five outings to snap a 13-game, 15.1-inning scoreless streak from August 12 to September 14.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento on August 24 for his second stint with the A's...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 wins (8) and innings pitched (85.1)...has allowed the most hits (80), is fourth in inherited runners (54) and tied for sixth in grounded into double plays (10).
- Has allowed four home runs in 136.2 innings pitched in his career...his 0.26 home runs per nine innings is the third lowest rate among all active relievers (min. 100 ip).
- Has a 9.82 ERA (4 er in 3.2 ip) in five appearances against the Rangers...has a 6.30 ERA (7 er in 10.0 ip) in 10 games in his career.
- Has recorded 157 ground balls, which is the most among Major League relievers (Britton, BAL 145)

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: 9/20 (GS) vs. Philadelphia (ND, 5.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 6 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 three Major League games, two starts, since June 16 (13.1 ip, 5 h, 1 r, 0 er, 3 bb, 16 so).
- Is 4-3 with a 2.58 ERA (15 er in 52.1 ip) in 10 starts and 1-1 with a 1.62 ERA (3 er in 16.2 ip) in 10 relief appearances.
- Is 0-1 with a 13.50 ERA (7 er in 4.2 ip) in two games, one start, against the Rangers this year, his first career appearances against Texas.
- Made eight appearances, 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: 9/16 vs. Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 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 and has appeared in one game since his return...went 1-0 with a 1.13 ERA in six games during his first stint from May 9-31.
- Left-handers are 1 for 11 (.091) with two walks and three strikeouts...right-handers are 3 for 20 (.150) with one knockout.

- Has a loss in six appearances in his career against Texas (6.2 ip, 5 h, 7 r, 7 er, 3 bb, 4 so, 1 hr, 9.45 ERA).
- 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 (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: 9/22 vs. Los Angeles-AL (ND, 1.0 ip, 3 h, 3 r, 3 er, 0 bb, 2 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Score: 2/0
First Hitters: 2-13

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento August 28 for his fourth stint with the A's and has a 7.11 ERA in seven appearances since then (6.1 ip, 8 h, 5 r, 5 er, 8 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 not allowed a run in eight of his nine career appearances against the Rangers (11.2 ip, 8 h, 1 r, 1 er, 4 bb, 10 so, 1 hr, 0.77 ERA).
- 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 and .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 1
Los Angeles Series: DNP
Last Homestand: 0-1, gidp
Career vs. Tepsch: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 and made his A's debut September 18 when he grounded out as a pinch hitter in the ninth inning.
- Was acquired from Cincinnati August 24 in a minor league trade in exchange for international money.
- 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)
Los Angeles Series: 0-0, sb
Last Homestand: 0-0, r, sb
Career vs. Tepsch: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Has appeared in 11 games (eight as a pinch runner, two as a pinch hitter, one in center field).
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 for his second stint with the A's this year and is 1 for 1 with three runs and three stolen bases in eight games since his return (seven as a pinch runner, one as a pinch hitter).
- 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 11
Los Angeles Series: 0-1
Last Homestand: 0-7, so
Career vs. Tepsch: 1-5 (.200), 0 hr, 1 bb, 0 so

- Is 4 for 47 (.085) with a double and no RBI over his last 20 games.
- Is 3 for 10 (.300) with three RBI and five walks in the pinch...is tied for second among American League pinch hitters in walks and tied for sixth in times on base (8).
- Is 12 for 38 (.316) with four RBI in 11 games against Texas this season.
- Is batting .270 (48 for 178) at home compared to .188 (42 for 223) on the road.

- Has started 41 games at second base, 34 at designated hitter, 17 at first base and 16 at third base...is the third player in Oakland history to start at least 15 games at four different positions (Angel Mangual, 1974; Don Baylor in 1976)...has made 23 of his last 28 starts at second base (since August 3).
- Was on the DL from July 12 to 26 with a right hamstring strain.

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 overall.

4 COCO CRISP

Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 6)
Texas Series: 2-2, 3 bb, cs
Last Homestand: 6-35, 2 r, 2 rbi, 3 bb, 4 so
Career vs. Tepsch: 1-11 (.091), 0 hr, 0 bb, 1 so

- Recorded a season-high tying three walks last night (fifth time)...now has 65 walks on the season, which is an ongoing career-high (previous: 61 in 2013).
- Is batting .250 (20 for 80) in 20 games since missing five games from August 30 to September 3 with a strained neck...missed eight games with a strained neck from July 27-August 3.
- Is hitting .204 (40 for 196) since the All-Star Break after batting .291 before the break.
- Has a 410-at bat streak without a grounded into double play, which is an Oakland record (previous: 390 by Reggie Jackson from August 27, 1974 to July 5, 1975) and the second longest streak in Athletics history (440 by Bert Campaneris from June 2, 1965 to April 26, 1966)...has just one GIDP in 450 at bats this year, which is the best ratio in the American League...since the GIDP became an official AL stat in 1940, the best mark by an Athletic is one per 220.5 at bats by Tony Phillips in 1986 (min. 502 PA).
- 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...is one of four Major Leaguers to steal 10 or more bases in each of the last 12 seasons (Reyes, Rollins, Suzuki)...has 297 career stolen bases.
- Has 108 games as an outfielder, which is tied for the most in Athletics history among outfielders with no assists (Jim Landis in 1965).
- Is 2 for 7 (.286) 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 16 (.375) with seven walks (.565 on-base percentage) in the pinch.
- Has a streak of 473 consecutive games without being hit by a pitch, which is the longest by an Athletic since Whitey Whitt had a 504-game streak from August 25, 1916-October 1, 1921)...was last hit by a pitch May 9, 2011 at Texas (by C.J. Wilson).

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: 0 for 8
Texas Series: 1-3, 1bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 7-33, 4 r, 3 2b, hr, 2 rbi, 6 bb, 3 so
Career vs. Tapesch: 4-11 (.364), 0 hr, 1 bb, 1 so

- Is batting .209 (19 for 91) in September after hitting .313 in August.
- Ranks sixth in the American League in walks (76), eighth in runs (90) and tied for ninth in home runs (28)...the walks are a career high (previous: 70, 2013).
- Has a career-high 97 RBI...the last Athletic to drive in 100 runs is Frank Thomas, who had 114 in 2006.
- Has hit 14 of his career-high 28 home runs with runners on base (10 two-run, four three-run)...12 have put the A's ahead.
- Hit a walk-off home run in the bottom of the 10th inning Sunday...it was his third walk-off home run of the season, which is the most in the majors and tied for the most in a single season in Athletics history (Jackson, 1971; Kingman, 1986; Stairs, 1999).
- 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 nearly half of his career home runs (30 of 62) against lefties.
- Leads Major League third basemen in double plays (42) and total chances (471) but ranks second in errors (23)...the double plays are one short of the Oakland record for a third baseman (43, Eric Chavez in 2006) and four short of the Athletics record (46, Sammy Hale in 1927)...the errors are tied for third most in Oakland history by a third baseman (Wayne Gross, 27 in 1977; Sal Bando, 24 in 1969; Bando 23 in 1974)...the total chances are the most by an A's third baseman since Eric Chavez had 482 in 2003.
- Has homered just three times in his last 39 games (since August 13) after hitting 25 home runs over his first 116 contests.

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 9
Texas Series: 0-3, bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 4-20, 4 r, rbi, 3 bb, 7 so, 2 hbp
Career vs. Tapesch: 0-8 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is batting .218 (12 for 55) with two home runs and eight RBI in 22 games, including 14 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.
- Ranks ninth in the American League in walks (71) but is sixth in strikeouts (153).
- Is batting .230 (83 for 361) with 20 of his 22 home runs and 56 of his 62 RBI against right-handed pitching compared to .158 (9 for 57) against left-handers.
- Of his 22 home runs, 11 have given his team the lead, including both with the A's
- Is 2 for 7 (.286) with a walk and RBI in eight pinch hitting appearances with the A's.
- Has 1998 career games played, which are the most among active players and 14th most in Major League history among 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	37. Tim Lincecum	1330	1. Reggie Jackson	2597
33. David Ortiz	466	38. Manny Ramirez	1329	2. Jim Thome	2548
34. Dave Winfield	465	39. Tony Phillips	1319	3. Adam Dunn	2373
35. Adam Dunn	462	40. Adam Dunn	1317	4. Sammy Sosa	2306
Jose Canseco	462	Mark McGwire	1317	5. Alex Rodriguez	2075

35 NATE FREIMAN

Current Streak: 0 for 2
Los Angeles Series: 0-2, r, rbi, bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 2-8, r, rbi, bb, 3 so
Career vs. Tapesch: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Was recalled from Single-A Beloit September 2 for his third stint with the A's and is 6 for 32 (.188) with a home run and three RBI in 13 games, including nine starts at first base, since his return.
- Is batting .176 (12 for 68) against American League teams, .389 (7 for 18) with four of his five home runs against National League competition.
- Has hit each of his five home runs this year and all nine in his career against left-handed pitchers...four of his home runs this year have come on the road.
- Of his 19 hits with the A's, 10 are for extra bases (five doubles, five home runs).
- 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.
- 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	22	1	15	74	40	73	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: 2 games (2 for 8)
Texas Series: 0-0
Last Homestand: 5-32, 2b, 3b, r, 3 rbi, 4 bb, 1bb, 6 so, sb
Career vs. Tapesch: 1-6 (.167), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is batting .178 (13 for 73) in 21 games in September.
- Has 21 stolen bases, which is a new career high...has been successful in 21 of 25 (84.0%) stolen base attempts, which is tied for the ninth best percentage in the American League.
- Is hitting .314 (27 for 86) in 30 games batting ninth, .217 (57 for 263) in all other spots in the order.
- Is batting .213 (33 for 155) in 51 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)
Los Angeles Series: DNP
Last Homestand: DNP
Career vs. Tapesch: 1-2 (.500), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Left the September 9 game at Chicago (AL) in the fifth inning 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...was placed on the DL July 28 with a broken right hand.

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 2
Texas Series: 0-1
Last Homestand: 1-10, r, 2 bb, 4 so
Career vs. Tapesch: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is batting .226 (14 for 62) with one double and five RBI in 31 games since he was acquired from Boston July 31 with Jon Lester and cash for Yoenis Cespedes and a 2015 Competitive Balance pick.
- Is 5 for 25 (.200) with two home runs, seven RBI and seven walks as a pinch hitter...leads American League pinch hitters in walks and is tied for the lead in RBI...ranks second in strikeouts (10), times on base (12) and plate appearances (34) and tied for second in home runs...is 11 for 46 (.239) with 14 walks (2 hbp, 2 sf, .422 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 .272 (46 for 169) with four of his six home runs and 24 of his 37 RBI against left-handed pitching compared to .167 (17 for 102) against right-handers.
- Has hit five of his six home runs with runners on base.
- Has not homered since July 18 against Kansas City and has a career-high 39-game homerless streak.

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: 2 games (3 for 8)
Texas Series: 1-4
Last Homestand: 7-29, r, 3b, 3 bb, 4 so, hbp, 3 gidp
Career vs. Tepeesch: 2-9 (.222), 0 hr, 1 bb, 0 so

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list September 1 and has started each of the A's 23 games since then at shortstop (23 for 83, .277).
- Is 9 for 45 (.200) over his last 13 games after hitting safely in his previous eight contests (12 for 30, .400).
- Is batting .289 (55 for 190) over his last 52 games after hitting .217 over his first 81 contests.
- All six of his home runs have come with the bases empty...in Oakland history, the only player with more home runs in a season, all of which were solo, is Jeremy Giambi (8 in 2002).
- Was placed on the DL August 15 retroactive to August 14 with a fractured right index finger.

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: 0 for 2
Texas Series: 0-2, r, bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 3-16, 4 r, 2b, hr, 2 rbi, 5 bb, 4 so, gidp
Career vs. Tepeesch: 4-10 (.400), 1 hr, 2 bb, 0 so

- Is batting .159 (7 for 44) in September after hitting .169 in August.
- Is batting .176 (30 for 170) with four home runs and 15 RBI in 55 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .268 with 21 home runs and 66 RBI in 89 games before the break.
- Is seventh in the AL with a career-high 151 strikeouts...also is tied for sixth in hit by pitches (10) and is eighth in at bats per grounded into double play (98.2).
- Is batting .197 (45 for 228) at home, which is the second lowest home batting average in the majors (Bruce, CIN .190)...only three players in Oakland history have hit under .200 at home in a season (McGwire, .185 in 1991; Ellis, .189 in 2008; Armas, .199 in 1982).
- Has hit 13 of his 25 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.
- Has two home runs in his last 49 games (since July 25) after homering 23 times over his first 95 contests.
- Has started games at four different positions (53 at first base, 40 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: 3 games (3 for 6)
Los Angeles Series: 3-6, 2 r, rbi, 2 bb, so
Last Homestand: 7-20, 4 r, 3 rbi, 4 bb, bb, 3 so, gidp
Career vs. Tepeesch: 3-5 (.600), 0 hr, 1 bb, 0 so

- Has started 30 of the A's past 33 games (21 at catcher, nine at designated hitter) dating back to August 22...is 25 for 102 (.245) over that span.
- Was batting .303 at the conclusion of play on August 2 but is hitting .227 (34 for 150) in 45 games since then.
- Is hitting .315 (47 for 149) against left-handed pitchers compared to .246 (57 for 232) against right-handers...has hit five of his 10 home runs this year and 16 of 26 in his career off lefties.
- Is batting .330 (35 for 106) with runners in scoring position.
- Has a career-high 39-game homerless streak and has not homered since August 9 against Minnesota
- Seven of his career-high 10 home runs this year and 10 of his 26 career home runs have come with at least two men on base.
- Has tossed out 8 of 67 (11.9%) 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 lowest catchers ERA in the AL and fourth lowest in the majors (3.16)...that is the lowest by an A's catcher since Terry Steinbach had a 2.88 ERA in 1989.
- Is 4 for 15 (.267) with a double, home run, five RBI and three walks as a pinch hitter...is tied for third 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
Los Angeles Series: DNP
Last Homestand: 0-2
Career vs. Tepeesch: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 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 11 starts (10 at shortstop, 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...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: 1 game (1 for 4)
Los Angeles Series: 1-8, r, 3b, rbi, 3 so
Last Homestand: 3-13, 2 r, 2 3b, rbi, bb, 4 so
Career vs. Tepeesch: 0-2 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list September 9 and is 3 for 16 (.188) in eight games, including four starts at second base, since his return.
- Has two triples in his past three games, his first triples since July 25, 2011 against Houston.
- Is 0 for 13 with a walk as a pinch hitter this year...the 13 at bats are third most in Oakland history by a pinch hitter with no hits (17, Jim Holt in 1974; 14, Angel Mangual in 1973)...is now 0 for his last 19 in the pinch and has a .175 (17 for 97) career average.
- Is batting .238 (24 for 101) against left-handed pitching, .170 (16 for 94) against right-handers.
- Is hitting .300 (21 for 70) during the day compared to .152 (19 for 125) at night.
- Has a .261 (24 for 92) average with runners on base, .155 (16 for 103) with the bases empty.
- Has appeared in 51 games at second base (38 starts), 17 at shortstop (10 starts), two at third base and one in right field.
- Was placed on the DL August 3 with a strained right hamstring.

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: 0 for 6
Texas Series: 0-5, so
Last Homestand: 9-16, r, 2 2b, 3b, 4 rbi, so, 2 sf
Career vs. Tepeesch: 1-6 (.167), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Is 9 for 21 (.409) with two doubles, one triple and four RBI over his past seven games.
- Is batting .312 (54 for 173) in Oakland compared to .197 (35 for 178) on the road.
- Is batting .272 (70 for 257) with all 11 of his home runs against right-handed pitching compared to .202 (19 for 94) against left-handers...is slugging .498 against righties, .234 against lefties.
- Is batting .308 (12 for 39) with five runs scored, two triples, one home run and seven RBI in 12 games against Texas.
- 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: 2 games (3 for 7)
Texas Series: 1-4
Last Homestand: 3-18, rbi, bb, 4 so
Career vs. Tepeesch: 1-5 (.200), 0 hr, 0 bb, 1 so

- Is hitting .154 (4 for 26) over his last 10 games.
- Is batting .266 (34 for 128) with 19 runs scored, 13 RBI and 16 walks in 51 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .186 with 18 runs, nine RBI and 14 walks in 63 games before the break.
- Has made 85 of his 89 starts against right-handed pitchers...is batting .228 (56 for 246) against righties, .184 (7 for 38) against lefties...has made 189 of his 199 starts over the last two years against righties.
- Leads the majors with 29 walks while batting ninth in the order and has a career-high 30 overall.
- Has 10 errors in his last 51 games (five at shortstop, five at second base) after making no errors over his first 63 contests.
- Hit his only home run of the season August 6 against Tampa Bay while playing shortstop...has a 119-game homerless streak in games as a second baseman, which is the longest such streak in Oakland history and the longest by an Athletic since John Donaldson had a 148-game streak from August 26, 1966 to June 10, 1968...last homered as a second baseman July 21, 2013.

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: 1 game (1 for 3)
Texas Series: 1-3, 2b, rbi
Last Homestand: 3-13, 2 r, 2 2b, 5 rbi, 3 bb, 2 so, 2 gidp
Career vs. Tepeesch: 0-0 (---), 0 hr, 0 bb, 0 so

- Was acquired from the Texas Rangers August 24 for cash considerations and is 7 for 35 (.200) with four doubles, eight RBI and six walks in 12 starts at catcher since joining the A's.
- Has tossed out 6 of 18 (33.3%) attempted base stealers, including 6 of 13 (46.2%) 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: 0 for 10
Texas Series: 0-4
Last Homestand: 1-19, r, 2 rbi, 3 bb, 1bb, 5 so
Career vs. Tepeesch: 0-4 (.000), 0 hr, 0 bb, 1 so

- Is 1 for 23 with two RBI and three walks in eight games, including five starts at first base, after missing 11 games from September 4 to 16 with a sprained left ankle.
- Is batting .181 (21 for 116) over his last 38 games after hitting .361 over his first 44 contests.
- Has made 59 of his 65 starts against right-handed pitching...is hitting .291 (66 for 227) with eight of his nine home runs against right-handed pitching, .216 (8 for 37) against left-handers.
- Is 9 for 28 (.321) in eight games against Texas this year and 12 for 37 (.324) in his career.
- 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 (38 at first base, 13 in right field, eight at catcher, five at designated hitter, one in left field).
- Is 3 for 28 (.107) in September after batting .212 in August...hit .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. TEXAS

2014					CAREER					
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.000	1	0	0	0	Anderson	.000	1	0	0	0
#####	0	0	0	0	Burns	####	0	0	0	0
.316	38	12	0	4	Callaspo	.260	311	81	3	23
.333	48	16	1	6	Crisp	.274	379	104	8	50
.286	63	18	1	6	Donaldson	.282	177	50	5	21
.156	32	5	0	0	Dunn	.258	132	34	13	21
.000	5	0	0	0	Freiman	.261	23	6	0	1
.190	21	4	0	3	Fuld	.250	48	12	0	4
.217	23	5	0	0	Gentry	.217	23	5	0	0
.150	20	3	0	3	Gomes	.260	131	34	4	15
.182	55	10	0	0	Lowrie	.249	213	53	3	19
.190	42	8	3	5	Moss	.270	137	37	10	23
.382	34	13	1	10	Norris	.314	105	33	4	22
#####	0	0	0	0	Parrino	.000	1	0	0	0
.000	22	0	0	1	Punto	.272	147	40	1	13
.308	39	12	1	7	Reddick	.255	157	40	7	21
.226	31	7	0	5	Sogard	.224	85	19	1	11
.333	6	2	0	1	Soto	.143	14	2	0	1
.321	28	9	0	4	Vogt	.324	37	12	0	4
.329	82	27	3	19	others					
.263	547	144	10	71	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	Doolittle	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					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	SAMARDZIJIA	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												
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												
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	Quals	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	Tepeesch		34,651	1,539,829	
4/19	17	HOU	W	4-3	12-5	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Otero	Quals		33,166	189,177	7/27	104	at TEX	W	9-3	65-39	1	+2 OAK	2 Kazmir	Mikolas		38,915	1,578,744	
4/20	18	HOU	W	4-1	13-5	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Chavez	Peacock	Gregerson	26,382	205,559	7/28	105	at HOU	L	3-7	65-40	1	+1½ OAK	1½ Oberholzer	Chavez		18,259	1,597,003	
4/21	19	TEX	L	3-4	13-6	1	+1½	OAK	1½ Cotts	Doolittle	Soria	13,297	218,856	7/29	106	at HOU	W	7-4	66-40	1	+2½ OAK	2½ Striboner	Quals	Doolittle	16,940	1,613,943	
4/22	20	TEX	L	4-5	13-7	1	+½	OAK	½ Ogando	Gregerson	Soria	15,744	234,600	7/30	107	at HOU	L	1-8	66-41	1	+2½ OAK	2½ KEUCHEL	Hammel		17,637	1,631,580	
4/23	21	TEX	L	0-3	13-8	2	-½	TEX	½ PEREZ	Gray		18,340	252,940	7/31	OFF DAY												
														8/1	108	KC	L	0-1	66-42	1	+1 OAK	1 Guthrie	Gray	Holland	35,067*	1,264,520	
4/24	22	at HOU	W	10-1	14-8	t1	--	OAK/TEX	-- Kazmir	Oberholzer		19,987	292,455	8/2	109	KC	W	8-3	67-42	1	+2 OAK	2 Lester	Vargas		30,097	1,294,617	
4/25	23	at HOU	W	12-5	15-8	1	+1	OAK	1 Gregerson	Fields	Valdes	17,708	310,163	8/3	110	KC	L	2-4	67-43	1	+1 OAK	1 Shields	Kazmir	Holland	22,612	1,317,229	
4/26	24	at HOU	L	6-7	15-9	t1	--	OAK/TEX	-- Williams	Doolittle	Valdes	17,850	328,013	8/4	111	TB	W	3-2 (10)	68-43	1	+1 OAK	1 Cook	Balfour		18,479	1,335,708	
4/27	25	at HOU	L	1-5	15-10	t1	--	OAK/TEX	-- McHugh	Milone		18,935	346,948	8/5	112	TB	W	3-0	69-43	1	+2 OAK	2 Hammel	Smyly	Doolittle	16,335	1,352,043	
4/28	26	at TEX	W	4-0	16-10	1	+1	OAK	1 GRAY	Darvish		28,548	375,496	8/6	113	TB	L	3-7	69-44	1	+2 OAK	2 Hellickson	Gray		21,513	1,373,556	
4/29	27	at TEX	W	9-3	17-10	1	+2	OAK	2 Kazmir	Perez		30,221	405,717	8/7	114	MIN	W	3-0	70-44	1	+3 OAK	3 LESTER	Pino		22,108	1,395,664	
4/30	28	at TEX	W	12-1	18-10	1	+3	OAK	3 Chavez	Ross		32,979	438,696	8/8	115	MIN	W	6-5	71-44	1	+4 OAK	4 Kazmir	Gibson	Doolittle	20,196	1,415,860	
5/1	OFF DAY					1	+3	OAK	3					8/9	116	MIN	W	9-4	72-44	1	+4 OAK	4 Samardzija	May		32,074	1,447,934	
5/2	29	at BOS	L	1-7	18-11	1	+2	OAK	2 Buchholz	Straily		34,850	473,546	8/10	117	MIN	L	1-6	72-45	1	+4 OAK	4 Hughes	Gregerson		25,598	1,473,532	
5/3	30	at BOS	L	3-6	18-12	1	+2	OAK	2 Lester	Milone	Uehara	37,042	510,588	8/11	118	at KC	L	2-3	72-46	1	+3½ OAK	3½ Herrera	Gray	Holland	21,479	1,653,059	
5/4	31	at BOS	W	3-2 (10)	19-12	1	+3	OAK	2 Johnson	Capuano		35,649	546,237	8/12	119	at KC	W	11-3	73-46	1	+3½ OAK	3½ Lester	Guthrie		27,161	1,680,220	
														8/13	120	at KC	L	0-3	73-47	1	+2½ OAK	2½ WARGAS	Kazmir		21,099	1,701,319	
5/5	32	SEA	L	2-4	19-13	1	+2	OAK	2 Young	Kazmir	Rodney	11,019	263,959	8/14	121	at KC	L	3-7	73-48	1	+2 OAK	2 CROW	Samardzija	Holland	20,569	1,721,888	
5/6	33	SEA	L	3-8	19-14	1	+2	OAK	2 Chavez	Chavez		12,106	276,065	8/15	122	at ATL	L	2-7	73-49	1	+1 OAK	1 Wood	Hammel		30,606	1,752,494	
5/7	34	SEA (1)	L	4-6 (10)	19-15				Medina	Cook	Rodney	17,337	293,402	8/16	123	at ATL	L	3-4	73-50	t1	--	OAK/LAA	-- Teheran	Gray	Kimbrel	40,760	1,793,254
	35	SEA (2)	W	2-0	20-15	1	+2	OAK	2 Pomeranz	Ramirez	Johnson	17,337	293,402	8/17	124	at ATL	L	3-4	73-51	t1	--	OAK/LAA	-- Minor	Lester	Kimbrel	25,461	1,818,715
5/8	OFF DAY					1	+1½	OAK	1½					8/18	OFF DAY												
5/9	36	WSH	W	8-0	21-15	1	+2	OAK	2 Milone	Fister		20,159	313,561	8/19	125	NYM	W	6-2	74-51	2	-½	LAA	½ Kazmir	Gee		23,498	1,497,030
5/10	37	WSH	W	4-3 (10)	22-15	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Doolittle	Storen		36,067*	349,628	8/20	126	NYM	L	5-8	74-52	2	-1½	LAA	1½ Wheeler	Samardzija	Familia	20,312	1,517,342
5/11	38	WSH	W	9-1	23-15	1	+3	OAK	3 Kazmir	Gonzalez		28,205	377,833	8/21	OFF DAY												
5/12	39	CWS	W	5-4	24-15	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Chavez	Danks	Doolittle	10,120	387,953	8/22	127	LAA	W	5-3	75-52	2	-1	LAA	1 Gray	Grilli	Doolittle	33,810	1,551,152
5/13	40	CWS	W	11-0	25-15	1	+4	OAK	4 Pomeranz	Carroll		13,826	401,779	8/23	128	LAA	W	2-1	76-52	t1	--	OAK/LAA	-- Gregerson	Smith	Doolittle	36,067*	1,587,219
5/14	41	CWS	L	2-4	25-16	1	+3	OAK	3 Belisario	Abad	Lindstrom	18,035	419,814	8/24	129	LAA	L	4-9	76-53	2	-1	LAA	1 Weaver	Kazmir		36,067*	1,623,286
														8/25	130	at HOU	W	8-2	77-53	t1	--	OAK/LAA	-- Samardzija	Feldman		14,094	1,832,809
5/15	OFF DAY					1	+2½	OAK	2½					8/26	131	at HOU	L	2-4	77-54	2	-1	LAA	1 Fields	Gregerson	Quals	17,345	1,850,154
5/16	42	at CLE	W	11-1	26-16	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Gray	McAllister		21,389	567,626	8/27	132	at HOU	W	5-4	78-54	2	-1	LAA	1 Otero	Quals	O'Flaherty	14,791	1,864,945
5/17	43	at CLE	W	6-2	27-16	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Otero	Tomlin		18,358	585,984	8/28	133	at LAA	L	3-4 (10)	78-55	2	-2	LAA	2 Salas	Cook		41,056	1,906,001
5/18	44	at CLE	W	13-3	28-16	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Chavez	Masterson		14,872	600,856	8/29	134	at LAA	L	0-4	78-56	2	-3	LAA	3 Weaver	Lester		41,177	1,947,178
5/19	OFF DAY					1	+4	OAK	4					8/30	135	at LAA	L	0-2	78-57	2	-4	LAA	4 Herrera	SAMARDZIJIA	Street	44,018	1,991,196
5/20	45	at TB	W	3-0	29-16	1	+4	OAK	4 Pomeranz	Odorizzi	Doolittle	11,369	612,225	8/31	136	at LAA	L	1-8	78-58	2	-5	LAA	5 Shoemaker	Kazmir		44,205	2,035,401
5/21	46	at TB	W	3-2	30-16	1	+4	OAK	4 Milone</																		

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	5, August 13 to 17
Longest Losing Streak, Home	6, April 21 to May 7
Longest Losing Streak, Road	5, August 13 to 17
.....	5, August 28 to September 8
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)
.....	8, August 2 vs. Kansas City (5 th)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	6 (five times), last: September 17 vs. Texas (9 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	20, August 12 at Kansas City
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	16, June 16 vs. Texas
Most Hits, Inning, A's	7, August 2 vs. Kansas City (5 th)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	6 (four times), last: September 17 vs. Texas
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	5, May 26 vs. Detroit
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	4 (four times), last: Aug. 15 at Atlanta
Most Doubles, Game, A's	7, May 18 at Cleveland
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	6, August 9 vs. Minnesota
Most Triples, Game, A's	2 (three times), last: August 8 vs. Minnesota
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	1 (11 times), last: September 21 vs. Philadelphia
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	3, April 21 vs. Texas
.....	3, July 7 vs. San Francisco
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	4, September 14 vs. Seattle
Most Strikeouts, A's Pitchers	15, June 28 at Miami
Most Strikeouts, Opponents Pitchers	16, May 3 at Boston
Most Walks, A's Pitchers	7 (seven times), last: Sept. 7 vs. Houston
Most Walks, Opponents Pitchers	11, June 8 at Baltimore
.....	11, August 9 vs. Minnesota
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's Pitchers	2, April 28 at Texas
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	18, August 4 vs. Tampa Bay (10)
Fewest Left on Base, Game	1, August 3 vs. Kansas City
Most Errors, Game	3 (five times), last: September 24 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
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)
.....	Coco Crisp, August 22 vs. Los Angeles-AL (Hector Santiago)
Inside-The-Park Home Runs	None
Game Ending Home Runs	Coco Crisp, April 3 vs. Seattle (Hector Noesj)
.....	Josh Donaldson, May 28 vs. Detroit (Joe Nathan)
.....	Josh Donaldson, July 18 vs. Baltimore (Zach Britton)
.....	Josh Donaldson, September 21 vs. Philadelphia (Miguel Gonzalez)
Back-to-Back Home Runs	Brandon Moss and Yoenis Cespedes, May 9 vs. Washington
.....	Josh Donaldson and Yoenis Cespedes, May 26 vs. Detroit
.....	John Jaso and Yoenis Cespedes, July 26 at Texas
.....	Josh Reddick and Jed Lowrie, September 8, 2014 at Chicago (AL)
Longest Hitting Streak	15, Yoenis Cespedes, June 15 to July 2
Most Runs, Game	4, Josh Donaldson and Brandon Moss, May 18 at Cleveland
Most Hits, Game	5, Josh Donaldson, September 9 at Chicago (AL)
Most Doubles, Game	2 (15 times), last: Josh Donaldson, September 16 vs. Texas
Most Triples, Game	1 (32 times), last: Nick Punto, September 24 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Most Home Runs, Game	2 (11 times), last: Nate Freiman, August 17 at Atlanta
Most Runs Batted In, Game	6, Derek Norris, May 11 vs. Washington
.....	6, Josh Reddick, May 16 at Cleveland
Most Walks, Game	4, Eric Sogard, August 9 vs. Minnesota
Most Strikeouts, Game	4 (six times), last: Eric Sogard, September 21 vs. Philadelphia
Most Stolen Bases, Game	2 (seven times), last: Coco Crisp, September 6 vs. Houston
Longest Winning Streak	6, Tommy Milone, May 9 to June 29
.....	6, Sonny Gray, June 18 to July 26
Longest Losing Streak	4, Jason Hammel, July 9 to 30
.....	4, Sonny Gray, August 1 to 16
.....	4, Scott Kazmir, August 24 to present
Most Strikeouts, Game	12, Sonny Gray, September 23 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Most Walks, Game	5, Scott Kazmir, September 6 vs. Houston
Most Innings, Game, Starter	9.0, Sonny Gray, April 28 at Texas
.....	9.0, Scott Kazmir, May 28 vs. Detroit
.....	9.0, Jon Lester, August 7 vs. Minnesota
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	4.0, Jesse Chavez, August 31 at Los Angeles (AL)
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	2:06, August 13 at Kansas City
Largest Crowd, Home	36,067 (12 times), last: September 1 vs. Seattle
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	16	5	1	0	22
Céspedes	21	6	0	0	27
Crisp	21	6	0	0	27
Donaldson	21	11	0	1	33
Dunn	1	0	0	0	1
Freiman	2	0	0	0	2
Fuld	6	2	0	0	8
Gentry	12	2	0	0	14
Gomes	3	0	0	0	3
Jaso	16	4	0	0	20
Lowrie	27	6	0	0	33
Moss	21	3	2	0	26
Norris	24	5	0	0	29
Parrino	2	0	0	0	2
Punto	8	1	0	0	9
Reddick	18	8	0	0	26
Sogard	11	3	0	0	14
Soto	0	0	0	0	0
Vogt	16	4	0	0	20

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	8	1	0	0	0	9
Céspedes	9	2	1	3	0	15
Crisp	4	3	0	0	0	7
Donaldson	11	9	4	0	0	24
Dunn	1	0	0	0	0	1
Freiman	3	1	0	0	0	4
Fuld	5	0	0	0	0	5
Gentry	2	0	0	0	0	2
Gomes	1	0	0	0	0	1
Jaso	7	1	1	0	0	9
Lowrie	4	2	0	0	0	6
Moss	10	6	3	1	0	20
Norris	2	3	1	2	1	9
Parrino	0	0	0	0	0	0
Punto	3	1	0	0	0	4
Reddick	10	2	0	0	1	13
Sogard	4	1	0	0	0	5
Soto	2	1	0	0	0	3
Vogt	7	2	0	0	0	9

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	Tot
Barton	2	1	3
Blanks	0	0	0
Callaspo	8	5	13
Céspedes	7	12	19
Crisp	3	13	16
Donaldson	11	22	33
Dunn	1	3	4
Freiman	2	4	6
Fuld	1	7	8
Gentry	2	1	3
Gomes	0	2	2
Jaso	6	13	19
Lowrie	4	10	14
Moss	6	18	24
Norris	4	9	13
Parrino	0	0	0
Punto	1	2	3
Reddick	5	5	10
Sogard	2	2	4
Soto	0	3	3
Vogt	2	5	7

STARTS IN THE BATTING ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Barton	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	4
Blanks	-	1	-	-	-	1	4	4	3
Burns	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Callaspo	-	6	-	-	4	31	29	30	8
Céspedes	-	-	37	21	40	-	-	-	-
Crisp	110	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Donaldson	-	8	109	13	21	1	-	-	-
Dunn	-	-	-	13	-	1	-	-	-
Freiman	-	-	-	-	2	10	8	4	-
Fuld	15	19	-	-	-	-	2	6	3
Gentry	16	13	-	-	-	-	6	7	16
Gomes	-	3	-	9	6	-	-	-	-
Jaso	16	46	-	-	-	8	6	3	-
Lowrie	1	43	10	-	11	41	20	3	-
Moss	-	1	1	88	16	11	7	5	-
Norris	-	3	-	11	47	7	24	10	-
Parrino	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	8	-
Punto	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	17	26
Reddick	-	5	-	-	4	24	38	24	2
Sogard	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	78	-
Soto	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	10	-
Vogt	-	10	2	4	8	24	9	7	1

GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G
Barton	-	-	30	15	-	-	-	-	-
Blanks	-	-	17	12	-	-	-	-	1
Burns	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Callaspo	-	-	22	17	46	41	19	16	-
Céspedes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	34
Donaldson	-	-	-	-	-	-	108	98	-
Dunn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
Freiman	-	-	32	24	-	-	-	-	16
Fuld	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14
Gentry	-	-	-	-	-	-	24	14	2
Gomes	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	14	21
Jaso	54	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	13
Lowrie	-	-	-	-	-	127	126	-	10
Moss	-	-	66	53	-	-	-	54	40
Norris	113	92	-	-	-	-	-	-	34
Parrino	-	-	-	-	4	3	1	14	11
Punto	-	-	-	-	51	38	2	17	10
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Sogard	-	-	-	-	99	77	-	14	12
Soto	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vogt	15	8	45	38	-	-	-	1	1

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	--	--	--	30
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	17
Crisp	7	1	1	0	9	Aug. 27, 2014	at Houston	Chapman	22
Donaldson	14	10	4	0	28	Sept. 21, 2014	Philadelphia	Gonzalez	4
Dunn	12	7	3	0	22	Sept. 3, 2014	Seattle	Hernandez	18
Freiman	2	2	1	0	5	Sept. 7, 2014	Houston	Keuchel	9
Fuld	2	2	0	0	4	Sept. 14, 2014	at Seattle	Young	9
Gentry	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 21, 2013	Houston	Bedard	113
Gomes	1	3	1	1	6	July 18, 2014	Kansas City	Downs	39
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	15
Moss	12	7	3	3	25	Sept. 16, 2014	Texas	Tepesch	6
Norris	3	0	6	1	10	Aug. 9, 2014	Minnesota	Deduno	39
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	13
Reddick	4	6	0	1	11	Sept. 8, 2014	at Chicago (AL)	Noesi	12
Sogard	1	0	0	0	1	Aug. 6, 2014	Tampa Bay	Hellickson	34
Soto	0	1	0	0	1	Aug. 14, 2014	Tampa Bay	Odorizzi	15
Vogt	5	4	0	0	9	Aug. 22, 2014	Los Angeles (AL)	Bedrosian	18
others	12	2	3	0	17				
Team	78	42	19	5	144				

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	8-15
Home Series	16-8-2
Road Series	12-10-3
Series Sweeps	9-6
First Game of Series	27-25
Last Game of Series	26-25
A's Score First	56-18
Opponent Scores First	30-55
Leading After 7 th	63-9
Leading After 8 th	67-7
Tied After 7 th	10-10
Tied After 8 th	11-6
Trailing After 7 th	13-54
Trailing After 8 th	8-60
Commit No Errors	42-32
Commit 1 or More Errors	44-41
More HR Than Opp.	39-7
Fewer HR Than Opp.	12-41
Same Total HR of Opp.	35-25
Starter Pitches 7 or More	36-21
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	50-52
When Scoring 4 or More	69-17
When Scoring Less Than 4	17-56
Last At Bat	24-17
Replay Challenges	13-12
Different Lineups	141

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Callaspo	Games	994	6 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	1998	2 for 2000
Moss	Hits	467	33 for 500
	Home Runs	91	9 for 100
O'Flaherty	Games	394	6 for 400
Reddick	Doubles	89	11 for 100
Samardzija	Games Started	98	2 for 100

WALK-OFF WINS (10)

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)
 Josh Donaldson, September 21 vs. Philadelphia (home run)

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Blanks	Left calf strain	June 23-present	83	Jaso	Concussion	Aug. 24-present	31
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 2	84
Cook	Right forearm strain	May 8-June 2	22	Parker	Tommy John surgery	March 20-present	159
Doolittle	Strained right intercostal	August 24-September 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-September 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	159	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 Cespedes 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	Jed 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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