

# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

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## OAKLAND ATHLETICS (5-6) VS. KANSAS CITY ROYALS (8-2)

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 2015 – KAUFFMAN STADIUM – 6:10 P.M. CDT RHP JESSE HAHN (0-1, 3.09) VS. RHP YORDANO VENTURA (2-0, 2.31) CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)

ABOUT THE A'S: Have lost consecutive games on the road trip after winning two in a row to open the trip...have yet to win or lose more than two games in a row this season... have now out-scored the opposition 42-1 in their five wins and have been out-scored 38-18 in their six losses...are 5-6 for the season and tied with Texas for second place in the American League West...trail Los Angeles by a half-game...have held at least a share of first eight of the first 12 days of the season...

MLB BEST LAST FOUR YE			15)
	w	L	PCT
Washington	285	212	.573
Oakland	283	214	.569
St. Louis	281	214	.568
Detroit	280	216	.565
Baltimore	279	217	.563
Los Angeles (NL)	279	217	.563
Atlanta	276	220	.556

every team in the West has held at least a share of first this year...this is the A's 48th season in Oakland where they have won 16 AL West titles, two AL Wild Cards, six AL pennants and four World Championships... only the New York Yankees (18) and Atlanta Braves (17) have more division titles than the A's...since the A's moved to Oakland in 1968, only the Yankees (11) and Cardinals (8) have more league championships and only the Yankees have more world championships (7)...have appeared in the postseason in each of the last three years and eight of the last 15... only the Yankees (12), Cardinals (11) and Braves (9) have made more postseason appearances over that span...have a 3907-3576 (.522) record over the previous 47 seasons in Oakland...only four teams have won more games over that span (New York Yankees, Boston, Los Angeles Dodgers, St. Louis)...this is the Athletics franchise 115th season in the American League...since 1901, the A's have 16 AL West titles plus 15 AL pennants and nine World Championships...only the Yankees (27) and Cardinals (11) have won more World Championships.

PITCHING: The A's have a 2.88 ERA (32 er in 100.0 ip), which ranks second in the American League...A's starting pitchers have allowed one earned run or fewer in seven of the first 11 games and have a 2.84 ERA (21 er in 66.2 ip), which ranks second in the AL...opponents are hitting .211 (51 for 242) against A's starters, which is third in the AL...the A's recorded their fourth shutout Tuesday night in their ninth game...according to the Elias Sports Bureau, since 1910, the A's are the first AL team with four shutouts in their first nine games...the four shutouts are tied for the most in the majors (Detroit)...three of the four shutouts have been by eight or more runs (4-0, 8-0, 10-0, 12-0)...last year, the A's had three shutouts of eight or more runs the entire season.

**OFFENSE:** The A's reached double figures in hits in six of their first eight games but have been held to single digits in each of the last three...are batting .288 (114 for 396), which ranks third in the American League and fourth in the majors...lead the AL in doubles (27) and triples (5) but are tied for the fourth fewest home runs (9)...have recorded at least one stolen base in each of the past three games after going eight games without a steal to start the season...A's pinch hitters are 1-for-6 with two walks.

**DEFENSIVE DOINGS:** The A's have committed nine errors on the season, which is tied for third most in the American League...made at least one error in six of the first seven games but have not committed an error in four games since then...have turned 12 double plays, which is second most in the AI

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 2-2 on their 10-game road trip to Houston (2-1), Kansas City (0-1) and Los Angeles-AL (four games)...went 3-4 on their season-opening seven-game homestand against Texas (2-2) and Seattle (1-2)...last year, the A's compiled a 48-33 (.593) record at home compared to 40-41 (.494) on the road...tied for the third best home record in the American League and had the eighth best road record...posted a winning record at home for the fifth consecutive season but had a losing record on the road for the first time since 2011.

**THE DISABLED LIST:** The A's have seven players on the disabled list (Crisp, Doolittle, Freiman, Griffin, Nolin, Parker, Thompson)...began the season with eight players on the DL as Josh Reddick was reinstated Sunday...the eight players are the most on the DL to start the season for the A's since Opening Day rosters are first available in 1992...the previous high was seven last year...Griffin and Thompson are on the 60-day DL... the A's used the DL 18 times last year after using it 13 times in 2013... began the season with seven players on the DL, used it just six times from

Opening Day through July 27, and then added five players over a 28-day span from July 28 through August 24...have not had fewer than two players on the DL since the end of the 2006 season when they had just one.

WITH BEANE AS THE GENERAL MANAGER: The A's have compiled a 1489-1274 (.539) record since Billy Beane took over as General Manager following the 1997 season...that is the sixth best record in the majors over that span...the A's have reached the playoffs eight times in those 17 seasons, which is fifth most behind the Yankees (14), Braves (11), Cardinals (11) and Red Sox (9).

ROSTER NOTES: Of the 25 players on the A's Opening Day roster, only three played for Oakland prior to 2013...Eric Sogard is the longest tenured Athletic as he made his A's debut Sept. 14, 2010...two players made their Oakland debut in 2012 (Chavez, Scribner)...the A's made a total of nine trades this off-season involving 27 players...the average age on the A's Opening Day roster was 27.92 years...R.J. Alvarez was the youngest (23 years, 301 days) and Ben Zobrist was the oldest (33 years, 314 days) until Cody Ross joined the club on April 8 (34 years, 103 days on Opening Day)...had five rookies on the Opening Day roster after having none last year...however, two of those players have been optioned (Burns, Ladendorf), leaving the A's with three rookies currently (Alvarez, Canha, Graveman)...used just two rookies the entire season last year.

**CONTRACT STATUS:** The A's have three players under contract beyond the 2015 season...Coco Crisp is signed through 2016 with a vesting option for 2017, Billy Butler is signed through 2017 and Sean Doolittle is signed through 2018 with club options for 2019 and 2020.

**DURING THE SPRING:** The A's went 22-11-2 (.657) during the spring, which was the second best record in the majors to Kansas City (20-10-1, .661)...the 22 wins tied the Oakland Spring Training record set in 2001... had the fourth best winning percentage...finished with a winning record for the fourth consecutive spring...went 14-1 in their first season at the newly renovated Hohokam Stadium and drew 110,059 fans...that was the A's second best Arizona total to the record of 110,543 in 2005...were also 8-7-2 on the road, 0-2 at Las Vegas and 0-1 in Oakland...the A's led the majors in runs (199), doubles (90) and sacrifice flies (18)...ranked second among Cactus League teams in slugging (.461), on-base percentage (.343) and walks (112), third in triples (14) and tied for third in home runs (33)...the 90 doubles were second most by an A's team during the spring since at least 1991 (first year spring stats are available)...the pitching staff ranked second in the CL in ERA (3.60) and strikeouts (262).

A's vs. ROYALS: The A's lost the regular season series last year, 2-5... lost two of three in Oakland and were 1-3 in Kansas City...also lost the American League Wild Card game at Kansas City on Sept. 30, 9-8 in 12 innings...are 28-21 in regular season games against the Royals since the start of the 2009 season and have won four of the six season series since then...all-time, the A's are 307-255 against the Royals...that breaks down to 169-111 in Oakland and 138-144 in Kansas City.

## TODAY'S TIDBITS

Billy Butler is the first player in Oakland history to begin his A's career with an 11-game hitting streak and the only American Leaguer with an 11-game streak...the A's bullpen has just one save opportunity this season, which is tied for the fewest in the Majors (Milwaukee)...only the A's and Miami have yet to record a save in 2015...Ike Davis is riding a seven-game hitting streak, which is his longest since a seven-game streak from July 19-25, 2012, with New York-NL...his career-best streak is 11 games (April 17-29, 2011)...Stephen Vogt recorded his first career multiple home run game last night, hitting two solo shots of Jeremy Guthrie.

## THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1970** Don Mincher homers twice and drives in all five Oakland runs, but the A's lose 11-5 to Minnesota...in **1981** Brian Kingman tosses a sixhit shutout in the A's 8-0 win over Seattle as the A's improve to 10-0...in **2003** Barry Zito tosses a six-hit shutout to defeat Texas, 9-0.

## PITCHING PROBABLES

Sun., April 19 at Kansas City LHP Scott Kazmir (2-0, 0.69) vs. LHP Danny Duffy (1-0, 6.35)

Mon., April 20 at Los Angeles RHP Kendall Graveman (1-1, 7.27) vs. RHP Matt Shoemaker (2-0, 4.38)

Tue., April 21 at Los Angeles LHP Drew Pomeranz (1-1, 3.00) vs. LHP Hector Santiago (1-1, 2.92)

Wed., April 22 at Los Angeles RHP Sonny Gray (1-0, 2.11) vs. RHP Jered Weaver (0-2, 6.61)

Thu., April 23 at Los Angeles RHP Jesse Hahn (pitching today) vs. LHP C.J. Wilson (today)

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## TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Jesse Hahn (0-1, 3.09 ERA)

**FOR OPENERS:** Is scheduled to make his third start as an Athletic...was acquired from San Diego Dec. 18, 2014 with pitcher R.J. Alvarez for catcher Derek Norris, minor league pitcher Seth Streich and international bonus slot 117...made his Major League debut with the Padres last year and went 7-4 with a 3.07 ERA in 14 games, including 12 starts.

**FIRST START:** He was the losing pitcher in the A's 3-1 loss to Texas April 7 in Oakland...yielded a career-high tying seven hits...allowed base runners in each of his first five innings, including the third when he allowed a RBI single to Fielder...allowed two mor runs in the fourth when Fielder had another RBI single and Andrus scored on a Gentry error...retired the side in order in his final inning, the sixth, and left after six innings trailing 3-1.

LAST START: He had a no decision in the A's 8-7, 10-inning loss to Seattle last Sunday in Oakland...retired each of the first 13 batters before Seager reached on a Semien error...Seager was erased on a double play and Graveman took a no-hitter and a 3-0 lead into the sixth inning...allowed a leadoff double to Morrison and the Mariners ended up scoring four times, although only one run was earned...Miller had a sacrifice fly, two more runs scored on a Josh Reddick error and Seager had a RBI single...the A's tied the game in the bottom of the ninth before losing in the 10th.

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Date	Opponent Texas Seattle	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	Н	R	ER	ВВ	SO	HR	#PIT
April 7	Texas	1-3	L	4.50	6.0	7	3	3	0	3	0	91
April 12	Seattle	1-3 7-8 (10)	-	3.09	5.2	3	4	1	2	2	0	87

HAHN vs. KANSAS CITY: Is making his first career appearance and start.

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Has no match-ups	3										

**SPRING TRAINING RECAP:** Went 1-2 with a 3.06 ERA in five games, four starts...also started in a minor league game April 1...allowed just run one in 10.1 innings over his final two starts (0.87 ERA) after logging a 6.14 ERA over his first three appearances...opponents batted .265 (18-for-68).

	HAHN'S 20	15 SP	RING	3 TRA	ININ	3 AP	PEA	RAN	CES		
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	Н	R	ER	ВВ	so	HR
*March 4	at San Francisco	9-2		18.00	1.0	3	2	2	1	1	0
March 9	at Texas	1-4	L	6.75	3.0	3	1	1	1	2	1
March 14	Chicago (NL) at L	V 1-3	L	6.14	3.1	5	2	2	0	3	1
March 21	Cincinnati	8-1	W	3.65	5.0	4	0	0	2	2	0
March 27	Texas	7-6		3.06	5.1	3	1	1	1	3	0
	games, 4 starts) relief appearance		1-2	3.06	17.2	18	6	6	5	11	2

**2014 RECAP:** Made his Major League debut with San Diego and went 7-4 with a 3.07 ERA in 14 games, including 12 starts, over four stints with the Padres...surrendered just four home runs in 73.1 innings, an average of 0.49 per nine innings...went 7-2 with a 2.01 ERA over his first nine starts, 0-2 with a 5.95 ERA over his final five games, including three starts

**ROOKIE LEADERS:** Tied for third among National League rookies in wins, ranked sixth in strikeouts (70), tied for ninth in games started and 10th in innings pitched (73.1).

**OPPONENTS BATTING:** Allowed a .214 opponents batting average, which included a .200 (25-for-125) mark against right-handed hitters compared to .227 (32-for-141) against left-handers...did not yield a home run to any of the 153 right-handers he faced and had a .256 opponents slugging percentage against righties...all four of the home runs he allowed came with runners on base...opponents hit .211 with runners in scoring position, including .185 with RISP and two outs.

**STARTING AND RELIEVING:** Was 7-3 with a 2.96 ERA and .199 opponents batting average in his 12 starting assignments, 0-1 with a 5.40 ERA in two relief appearances...inherited three runners in his two relief appearances and allowed all three to score...first batters faced were 0-for-1 with a walk

**THIS AND THAT:** Compiled a 4-0 record and a 2.56 ERA in five starts on four days rest compared to 3-3 with a 3.28 ERA in seven starts on five days rest or more...had a 2.14 ERA over the first five innings of a game, 6.75 from the sixth inning on...the Padres were 9-3 (.750) in his starting assignments..

**MORE WITH SAN DIEGO:** Was recalled from Double-A San Antonio for the first time June 3 and made his ML debut that evening against Pittsburgh (3.2 ip, 6 h, 4 r, 4 er, 2 bb, 3 so, 2 hr)...was the losing pitcher in a 4-1 decision and was optioned back to San Antonio the following day... recalled for the second time June 14 and went 5-1 with a 1.46 ERA in six

starts before being optioned to Triple-A El Paso on July 11...singled in the fourth inning off Zack Wheeler June 14 at New York (NL) for his first Major League hit...went 2-for-22 (.091) with a RBI as a hitter...struck out a career-high nine batters in 5.0 innings June 30 against Cincinnati, including a stretch of seven consecutive outs recorded via strikeout...became the first Padres pitcher since Jake Peavy on Aug. 27, 2007 to record seven consecutive outs via strikeout and the first Padres rookie to accomplish this feat since at least 1974...was 4-1 with a 1.95 ERA and .190 opponents batting average in five starts in June...the wins tied for the most in a single month by a Padres rookie pitcher (eighth time, first since Kevin Walker in August of 2000)...the opponents average was second lowest of any qualifying rookie pitcher in any month in Padres history, behind only the .188 mark put up by Eric Nolte in August of 1987...his ERA was 10th lowest by a rookie pitcher in any month in franchise history (min 25.0 IP) and the lowest since Justin Germano posted a 1.08 ERA in May 2007...recorded 36 strikeouts through his first five career games (June 3-30), the most by any Padres pitcher to start a career...according to Stats Inc., his 36 strikeouts tied for eighth most by a NL pitcher through his first five career games since the start of the 1914 season, behind only Stephen Strasburg's 48 in 2010, Kerry Wood's 45 in 1998, Mark Prior's 43 in 2002, Jose DeLeon's 43 in 1983, Hideo Nomo's 40 in 1995, Gary Nolan's 39 in 1967 and Burt Hooton's 38 in 1971-72...then went 3-1 with a 2.08 ERA in four starts in July... allowed a .172 batting average and .230 slugging percentage, which were the lowest in franchise history during the month of July...was recalled the third time July 25 and went 2-1 with a 3.99 ERA in five starts before being optioned to San Antonio Aug. 19...won at Atlanta July 25, giving him four wins in his first four starts on the road...that was the longest such careeropening streak in Padres history...picked up his seventh win of the season in his ninth start on July 30 against St. Louis...his seven wins through nine career appearances were the most in Padres franchise history and tied for the third most by a Major League pitcher since the 1914 season, behind only Boston's Boo Ferriss in 1945 and Chicago-AL's John Whitehead in 1935, both of which had eight wins through nine career starts...allowed a sixth inning home run to Kennys Vargas Aug. 5 at Minnesota, snapping a 55.0-inning homerless streak dating back to June 14...it was the fourth longest homerless streak by a rookie in Padres history, trailing Dave Freisleben in 1974 (66.0 ip), Rick Sawyer in 1976 (60.2 ip) and Frank Seminara in 1992 (60.0 ip)...recalled for the final time Aug. 30 and remained with the club for the remainder of the season as a reliever...appeared in just two games (5.40 ERA) and did not pitch after Sept. 6.

SAN ANTONIO: Spent the balance of the season pitching for Double-A San Antonio where he was 2-1 with a 1.91 ERA in 13 games, including 10 starts...yielded just one home run in 42.1 innings...allowed a .221 opponents batting average, including .169 (13-for-77) against right-handed hitters compared to .273 (21-for-77) against left-handers...surrendered just one extra base hit, a double, to righties for a .182 slugging percentage... opponents hit .194 with runners on base...allowed a .289 average to batters leading off an inning...compiled a 4.50 ERA in the first inning, a 1.11 ERA from the second inning on...tossed fewer than five innings in eight of his 10 starts...went 1-0 and did not allow a run over his first three appearances, all in relief (7.2 ip)...his final 10 outings came as a starter...was 2-1 with a 2.20 ERA in 10 games, seven starts, when San Diego called for the first time June 3...pitched just once during each of his final three minor league stints...had a no decision June 9 at Corpus Christi (5.2 ip, 5 h, 2 r, 1 er, 3 bb, 5 so)...was optioned to El Paso July 11 but did not pitch before being transferred to San Antonio for a July 21 start against Corpus Christi (2.0 ip, 1 bb, 2 so)...was sent back to El Paso July 22 and he was recalled by the Padres July 25...made his final minor league start Aug. 26 against Midland (2.0 ip, 3 so).

CAREER: Made the jump from Double-A to the majors in 2014...had not pitched above Single-A before starting the 2014 season at Double-A San Antonio...is 6-4 with a 2.26 ERA (41 er in 163.1 ip) and .215 (131-for-608) opponents batting average in 47 games, 44 starts, in three seasons in the minors...has allowed just two home runs in 163.1 innings...was originally drafted by Tampa Bay in the sixth round of the 2010 draft but missed his first two professional seasons after undergoing "Tommy John" surgery... was traded to the Padres in a seven-player deal prior to the 2014 season and was dealt to the A's in a four-player trade following the season.

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	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2015	0	1	3.09	2	11.2	4
2014	7	4	3.07	14	73.1	25
Career	7	5	3.07	16	85.0	29
Home	0	1	3.09	2	11.2	4
Road	0	0	_	0	0.0	0
Day	0	0	1.59	1	5.2	1
Night	0	1	4.50	1	6.0	3
Pre-ASB	0	1	3.09	2	11.2	4
Post-ASB	0	0	_	0	0.0	0
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vs. LHH			.276		29	8
vs. RHH			.133		15	2

HAHN BY THE NUMBERS

HAHN'S	CAREER HIGHS
Low Hit CG:	None
IP: 7.0 (thre	e times), last: 7/30/14 vs. STL
Fewest IP, GS:	3.2, 6/3/14 vs. PIT
H:	7 (twice), last: 4/7/15 vs. TEX
R:	5, 8/6/14 at STL
ER:	5, 8/6/14 at STL
BB:	4 (twice), last: 8/5/14 at MIN
SO:	9, 6/30/14 vs. CIN
HR:	2, 6/3/14 vs. PIT
Pitches:	101, 7/6/14 vs. SF
Win Streak:	4, 6/14/14-6/30/14
Loss Streak:	3, 8/5/14 to present
Scoreless Streak	c:10.0 (twice), 7/11/14-7/25/14
Complete Games	s: None
Shutouts:	None

## TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

LHP Scott Kazmir (2-0, 0.69 ERA): Is scheduled to make his third start... is 2-0 with a 0.69 ERA over his first two starts this year and is now 6-0 with a 1.75 ERA in eight starts in April over the last two seasons...was the winning pitcher in his last start, an 8-1 A's win at Houston on Monday (6.0 ip, 3 h, 1 r, 1 er, 3 bb, 8 so)...is the only Athletics pitcher on an Opening Day roster since at least 1914 to strike out eight or more batters in each of his first two starts of the season...is 4-7 with a 5.11 ERA (91.2 ip, 105 h, 54 r, 52 er, 35 bb, 75 so, 5 hr) in 17 career starts against Kansas City...has now lost each of his last four starts against the Royals...went 2-0 with a 1.00 ERA in four spring training starts...opponents hit .161 (10-for-62)...won a career-high and team-leading 15 games in his 10th Major League season, his first with the A's...was named an American League All-Star for the third time in his career (2006, 2008)...went 15-9 with a 3.55 ERA in 32 starts.

## **ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS**

#### TEAM

0-3, 2.97 ERA (11 er in 33.1 p) Saves/Opportunities: 0-for-1 (0.0%)

- 11 of 13 runs allowed this year have come via the home run (five solo homers, two three-run homers)...Fernando Abad and Jesse Chavez are the lone A's relievers to have not given up a home run this season.
- The seven home runs allowed by A's relievers are the most in the Majors.
- Have not converted a save this season after converting 31-of-52 (59.6%) save opportunities in 2014...are the only American League team without a save this season and are tied for the fewest save chances in the Majors (Milwaukee)...the A's 31 saves in 2014 were the fewest by an A's team in a non-strike season since 1982 (22).
- Walked just 122 batters last season, which was the fewest in the majors...averaged 2.35 walks per nine innings, which was the lowest mark by an A's bullpen since at least 1914 (2.49 in 1944)...it was the third lowest mark by an AL bullpen since 1914 (2.11 by KC in 1984, 2.28 by CWS in 1915) and the lowest by a Major League bullpen since 1994 (Montreal, 2.29)
- Struck out 397 and had the best strikeout-to-walk ratio in the majors (3.25)...it was also the best mark by an A's bullpen since at least 1914.
- Had the lowest opponents on-base percentage in the AL (.279) and the second lowest slugging percentage (.330) and batting average (.223).

## **56 LHP FERNANDO ABAD**

Last Outing: 4/14 at Houston (ND, 0.1 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so) Saves/Opportunities: 0-0

Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/0 First Hitters: 1-5

- Is on his fourth career Opening Day roster (2011-12 with Houston, 2014 with Oakland).
- Four of his first five outings this year have been scoreless.
- Was 1-0 with a 3.12 ERA in nine appearances during the spring...opponents hit .188.
- Has faced the Royals four times in his career...all four outings have been scoreless (2.1 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 3 so).
- Did not allow a run in April last year (10.1 ip, 2 h, 2 bb, 11 so).
- Appeared in his 200th career game last Friday vs. Seattle.

Last Year: Posted a 1.57 ERA and allowed just 13.2% (5-of-38) of inherited runners to score in a career-high 69 appearances in his first full season in the majors... ranked third among AL relievers in pct. of inherited runners scored and fifth in ERA.

## 37 RHP R.J. ALVAREZ

Last Outing: 4/15 at Houston (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 3 so)

Saves/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 1-5

- Is on his first career Opening Day roster.
- Has allowed two home runs this season after not giving up a homer in 10 appearances last season.
- Compiled a 3.38 ERA in 10 spring outings...held the opposition to a .195 batting average...struck out 13 in 10.2 innings (10.97 per nine innings)...did not allow a home run.
- Has never faced the Royals in his career.
- Was acquired from San Diego with Jesse Hahn for Derek Norris, Seth Streich and international bonus slot 117, Dec. 18, 2014

Last Year: Combined to go 0-1 with seven saves and a 1.25 ERA in 38 appearances with Arkansas and San Antonio...then had a 1.13 ERA and .115 opponents average in 10 relief appearances in his ML debut with San Diego in September.

## 30 RHP JESSE CHAVEZ

**Last Outing:** 4/13 at Houston (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)

Saves/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0 First Hitters: 1-3

- Is the only A's reliever who has not allowed a run this season.
- Is on his fourth career Opening Day roster (2009 with Pittsburgh, 2010 with Atlanta, 2014 with Oakland).
- Went 3-0 with a 3.27 ERA in six games, five starts, this spring...tied for second in the Cactus League in wins...did not allow a home run in 22.0 innings...is now 8-1 with a 2.68 ERA (15 er in 50.1 ip) in 13 games, 10 starts, over the last two springs.
- Went 2-0 with a 1.89 ERA in six April starts last year...has a 2.59 (19 er in 66.0 ip) career ERA in April, which is his best for any month of the season.
- Has a save in four career scoreless appearances against Kansas City (7.0 ip, 4 h, 3 bb, 4 so)...is his lone career save in 203 relief appearances (July 7, 2013 at Kansas City)...pitched for the Royals in parts of the 2010 and 2011 seasons, going 2-3 with a 6.95 ERA in 27 relief appearances.

Last Year: Began the season in the starting rotation but was moved to the bullpen following the acquisition of Jon Lester at the trading deadline...combined for an 8-8 record and a 3.45 ERA in 32 games, 21 starts.

### 36 RHP TYLER CLIPPARD

Last Outing: 4/14 at Houston (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)

Saves/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 0-4

- Allowed a 10th-inning solo home run to Nelson Cruz Sunday that broke a 7-7 tie...allowed just five home runs in 2014.
- Is on his sixth consecutive Opening Day roster (spent the previous five with Washington)...pitched in each of the last four openers for the Nationals (3.2 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 3 so).
- Was 1-1 with a 5.19 ERA in nine spring appearances...did not allow a run in seven of those outings.
- Has faced Kansas City three times in his career (3.0 ip, 1 h, 1 so).
- Has pitched in 375 games since 2010, which are the most in the majors.
- Was acquired from the Washington Nationals Jan. 14, 2015 for infielder Yunel Escobar.

Last Year: Was named to his second National League All-Star team...went 7-4 with a save and a 2.18 ERA in 75 relief appearances...it was his fifth consecutive season with 70 or more games pitched...tied for fourth in the NL in games pitched.

## **62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE**

**Last Outing:** 9/26/14 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)

Saves/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 0-0

 Did not pitch during the spring and was placed on the 15-day disabled list April 4 with a strained left rotator cuff.

Last Year: Took over as the A's closer in May in just his third professional season as a pitcher and saved a team-leading 22 games...set an Athletics record for saves by a left-hander...walked just eight batters in 62.2 innings and struck out 89.

### 39 LHP ERIC O'FLAHERTY

Last Outing: 4/17 at Kansas City (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)

Saves/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 5/0 First Hitters: 0-5

- Tossed 1.2 innings Tuesday, his most since May 13, 2012 at St. Louis (with Atlanta) when he also tossed 1.2 innings.
- Three runs allowed Sunday were his most since allowing three runs on May 2, 2012 vs. Philadelphia (with Atlanta).
- Is on his seventh Opening Day roster (2008 with Seattle, 2009-13 with Atlanta).
- Was 1-0 with a 2.45 ERA in seven games this spring.
- Has a win in nine career games against Kansas City (7.1 ip, 12 h, 3 r, 3 er, 3 bb, 4 so, 3.68 ERA).
- Has not allowed a home run to a left-handed hitter since Aug. 14, 2011 against Chicago-NL (Carlos Pena).

Last Year: Was 1-0 with a save, a 2.25 ERA and .205 opponents batting average in 21 games with the A's in his comeback from May 21, 2013 Tommy John surgery... struck out 15 and walked just four for a strikeout-to-walk ratio of 3.75.

## **61 RHP DAN OTERO**

**Last Outing:** 4/17 at Kansas City (L, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 0 bb, 0 so)

Saves/Opportunities: 0-1 Inherited Runners/Scored: 2/2 First Hitters: 3-5

- Home run allowed to Nelson Cruz on Saturday was just the fifth of his career...has a career ratio of 0.32 hr/9 ip (5 hr in 142.0 ip), which is the fourth best among active relievers with a minimum of 100 ip.
- Is on his third career Opening Day roster (2012 with San Francisco, 2014 with Oakland).
- Compiled a 4.15 ERA in seven spring outings.
- Has a loss in four career games against the Royals (6.0 ip, 7 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 so, 3.00 ERA).
- Has walked the first batter he has faced in a game just twice in 121 career appearances.

Last Year: Spent nearly the entire season with the A's and compiled an 8-2 record and a 2.28 ERA in 72 appearances...had a three-day stay with Sacramento but did not pitch...tied for the team lead and tied for 10th in the AL in games pitched.

## **58 RHP EVAN SCRIBNER**

Last Outing: 4/15 at Houston (ND, 2.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 3 so)

Saves/Opportunities: 0-0 Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0 First Hitters: 1-4

- Tossed a career-high 3.2 innings last Thursday (previous: 3.0 ip, 5 times).
- Is on his third consecutive Opening Day roster (all with Oakland)...last Monday was his first career Opening Day appearance.
- Logged a 2.51 ERA in nine spring appearances...struck out 19 batters in 14.1 innings (11.93 per nine innings)...tossed more than one inning in five of his nine outings.
- Has faced Kansas City once in his career (1.0 ip, 2 so).

Last Year: Spent most of the season with Triple-A Sacramento where he was 4-1 with 16 saves and a 3.06 ERA in 40 relief appearances...also went 1-0 with a 4.63 ERA in 13 games over four stints with Oakland.

## **ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES**

#### 16 BILLY BUTLER

Current Streak: 11 games (15 for 42) Kansas City Series: 1-4 Road Trip: 4-16, 3 r, 2b hr, 4 rbi, 3 so, gidp

- His 11-game hitting streak is the longest in Oakland history to begin his A's career...Alfredo Griffin had a nine-game streak from April 9-17, 1985.
- Is the only Athletic to hit safely in each of the first 11 games and is the only American Leaguer with an 11-game hitting streak...has already bested his longest hit streak of 2014 (10 games, June 10-20) and his career-high is 14 games (September 30, 2007-April 14, 2008).
- Has started 11 consecutive games at designated hitter...the last time an A's DH started more than 10 consecutive games was April 6-20, 2011, when Matsui started 14 straight.
- Went 1-for-4 in an Opening Day start at designated hitter last Monday against Texas...became the A's 10th different Opening Day designated hitter in the last 11 years...it was his eighth consecutive Opening Day start (seven at designated hitter, one at first base).
- Is on his eighth Opening Day roster, his first with the A's.
- Batted .271 with five home runs, 15 RBI and nine walks in 22 games this spring...tied for fifth in the Cactus League in RBI.
- Signed a three-year contract as a free agent, Nov. 19, 2014.

Last Year: Batted .271 with nine home runs and 66 RBI in 151 games in his eighth and final season with Kansas City...the batting average was a career-low as was his .323 on-base percentage and .379 slugging percentage.

## 20 MARK CANHA

Current Streak: 0 for 4 Kansas City Series: 0-4, so Road Trip: 3-16, r, 2b, rbi, bb, 5 so

- Had his career-opening six-game hitting streak snapped Tuesday night at Houston.
- Second among AL rookies in hits (12) and total bases (18)...tied for second in runs (7), RBI (7) and multiple-hit games (3).
- Hit his first Major League home run Friday night in the second inning off Walker.
- Went 3-for-5 with two doubles and four RBI in his Major League debut last Wednesday night against Texas...the RBI were second most by an Athletic in his debut since the RBI became an official stat in 1920 (5, Ben Grieve on Sept. 3, 1997 vs. San Francisco)...became the third Oakland Athletic with three hits in his debut (Grieve in 1997, Mike Rouse on June 9, 2006 vs New York-AL) and the third with two or more doubles (Grieve 3 in 1997, Carlos Gonzalez 2 on May 30, 2008 vs. Texas)
- Since the RBI became an official stat in 1920, he is one of three Major Leaguers with at least three hits, two doubles and four RBI in their debuts...joins Grieve and the Phillies Ted Kazanski, who did it on June 25, 1953 against the Cubs.
- Had a three-run double off Ross Detwiler in the third inning last Wednesday night for his first hit.
- Batted .297 with six home runs and 13 RBI in 29 spring games...tied for third in the Cactus League in home runs and total bases (47) and tied for fifth in doubles (7)...went 16-for-40 (.400) with five doubles, four home runs and 11 RBI over his last 16 games after hitting .176 over his first 13 contests...appeared in 13 games in left field, eight at first base and eight in right field.
- Was acquired from Colorado for Austin House and cash after the Rockies selected him in the Rule 5 draft from Miami, Dec. 11, 2014.

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Triple-A New Orleans in the Miami farm system where he batted a career-high .303 with 20 home runs and 82 RBI in 127 games...added 57 walks for a career-high .384 on-base percentage.

## 4 COCO CRISP

Current Streak: 0 for 0

 Was placed on the 15-day disabled list April 4 after undergoing surgery on his right elbow April 3.

Last Year: Batted .246 in 126 games but added a career-high 66 walks for a .336 on-base percentage...stole 19 bases, his 12th consecutive season with 10 or more steals...is one of four in MLB with 10 or more steals in each of the previous 12 seasons.

## 17 IKE DAVIS

Current Streak: 7 games (11 for 25) Kansas City Series: 2-4, 2 r, hr, rbi Road Trip: 6-15, 2 r, 2b, hr, 2 rbi, bb, so

- His current seven-game hitting streak is his longest since a seven-game streak from July 19-25, 2012, with New York-NL...his career-best streak is 11 games, from April 17-29, 2011.
- Hit his first home run as an Athletic last night, a solo homer of Guthrie.
- Had four RBI last Friday night, his sixth career game of four or more RBI.
- Made his fifth consecutive Opening Day start at first base last Monday night against Texas and went 0-for-3 with two walks...is now 0-for-17 with a RBI, four walks and seven strikeouts in those contests.
- Is on his fifth Opening Day roster.

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- Batted .362 with one home run and four RBI in 17 games during the spring.
- Was acquired from Pittsburgh with international bonus slot 86 for international bonus slot 27, Nov. 23, 2014.

Last Year: Batted a combined .233 with 11 home runs and 51 RBI in 143 games with New York (NL) and Pittsburgh... added 63 walks for a .344 on-base percentage...hit .247 against right-handed pitching, .094 against left-handers.

#### 23 SAM FULD

Current Streak: 0 for 5 Kansas City Series: 0-4, so Road Trip: 4-16, 3 r, 2 2b, bb, 3 so

- Recorded two doubles Tuesday and now has five multiple hit games this season, which is first on the A's...tied for fourth in the AL in that category.
- Tripled in each of his first two games this season...is the only player in Oakland history to triple in each of his first two games in a season and he has done it twice...his three triples this season are second in the Majors...his career high for triples in a season is five (2011, Tampa Bay).
- Made his second career Opening Day start last Monday night against Texas and went 2-for-4 with a triple...it was the sixth Opening Day triple in Oakland history, the second in the last 32 years (Scott Brosius, 1997).
- Is in his eighth Major League season and is on an Opening Day roster for the fourth time (2011 and 2013 with Tampa Bay, 2014 with Oakland).
- Batted .254 with 22 games during the spring.

Last Year: Began the season with the A's, was claimed off waivers by Minnesota in mid-April and then returned to Oakland at the trading deadline...combined to hit .239 with four home runs, 36 RBI and 21 stolen bases in 113 games overall.

## **3 CRAIG GENTRY**

Current Streak: 0 for 14 Seattle Series: 0-3 Last Homestand: 0-14, r, 2 bb, hbp, 4 so

- Has started the season 0-for-14, which is the longest hitless streak of his career (previous: 13, twice, last: Aug. 26-Sept. 2, 2014).
- Matched his career-high with three strikeouts last Monday against Texas (sixth time) in his first career Opening Day start.
- Has not homered since Aug. 21, 2013 against Houston and has a career-high 117-game homerless streak....has an 84-game homerless streak as an outfielder with Oakland, which is the second longest homerless streak by an A's outfielder over the last 23 years (99, Ryan Sweeney, 2010-11).
- Is in his seventh season in the majors but is on an Opening Day roster for just the third time (Texas, 2012-13).
- Batted .233 in 22 spring games...stole four bases, which tied for eighth in the CL.

Last Year: Batted .254 with no home runs, 12 RBI and 20 stolen bases in 94 games in his first season with the A's...led the A's in steals despite missing 32 games over two stints on the DL plus the final 2½ weeks of the season following a concussion.

## **15 BRETT LAWRIE**

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 7) Kansas City Series: 1-3, rbi, so, sh Road Trip: 3-14, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, 5 so, hbp, sb, gidp

- Has reached base safely in 10 of the first 11 games.
- Hit his first home run as an Athletic Monday night at Houston, a solo shot off Feldman.
- Drove in his first run of the season last Saturday...had six home runs and 20 RBI in 25 games last April...has 11 home runs and 41 RBI in his career in April, his best marks for any month of the season.
- Matched his career high with three hits last Wednesday against Texas (18th time).
- Made his third career Opening Day start at third base Monday night and hit safely for the first time...is now 1-for-14 on Opening Day.
- Is on his third Opening Day roster.
- Hit .245 with four home runs and 11 RBI in 19 games this spring...went 10-for-29 (.345) with four home runs and 11 RBI over his final 11 games.
- Was acquired from Toronto with Kendall Graveman, Sean Nolin and Franklin Barreto for Josh Donaldson, Nov. 28, 2014.

Last Year: Batted .247 with 12 home runs and 38 RBI in just 70 games in a season shortened by a broken finger and a strained oblique...the home runs were a career high but his batting average was a career low as was his .301 on-base percentage.

## 19 JOSH PHEGLEY

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 3) Seattle Series: 2-3, rbi Last Homestand: 4-9, r, rbi, so

- Has two hits in each of his two starts (4-for-8, .500)...also popped out as a pinch hitter Thursday.
- Is on an Opening Day roster for the first time in his career.
- Hit .218 in 20 games this spring but nine of his 12 hits were for extra bases (seven doubles, two home runs)...tied for fifth in the Cactus League in doubles.
- Was acquired from the Chicago White Sox with Chris Bassitt, Rangel Ravelo and Marcus Semien for Jeff Samardzija and Michael Ynoa, Dec. 9, 2014.

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Triple-A Charlotte before being promoted to Chicago (AL) Sept. 2...hit .216 with 3 HR and 7 RBI in 11 games with the White Sox...batted .274 with 23 HR and 75 RBI in 107 games with Charlotte.

### 22 JOSH REDDICK

Current Streak: 0 for 7 Kansas City Series: 0-3, bb, so Road Trip: 2-11, rbi, bb, 2 so

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list Sunday...was placed on the DL April 4 retroactive to March 27 with a strained right oblique.
- Went 1-for-7 (.143) with a walk, RBI and two strikeouts in two games, both in right field, on a rehab assignment with Single-A Stockton at Inland Empire on Thursday and Friday.
- Played in one Spring Training game before the injury and went 3-for-3 with two runs and two RBI March 4 at San Francisco

Last Year: Batted .264 with 12 home runs and 54 RBI in 109 games in a season shortened due to two stints on the DL...the games were his fewest in his three seasons with Oakland but his average and .316 on-base percentage were his best.

#### 7 CODY ROSS

Current Streak: 0 for 1 Seattle Series: 1-4, r, bb, 2 so Last Homestand: 2-9, 2 r, 2 rbi, bb, 3 so

- Went 1-for-5 with two RBI in his A's debut last Wednesday against Texas after being signed as a free agent earlier in the day...was released by
- Struck out Sunday in his first plate appearance as a pinch hitter this season...was fourth in the Majors with a .348 batting average as a pinch hitter last season (10 for 28, 2 2b).
- Is in his 12th season with his eighth team (Detroit, 2003; Los Angeles-NL, 2005-06; Cincinnati, 2006; Florida, 2006-10; San Francisco, 2010-11; Boston, 2012; and Arizona, 2013-14).
- Batted .256 with six RBI in 16 games with Arizona this spring.

Last Year: Batted .252 with two home runs and 15 RBI in just 83 games with Arizona last year due to a pair of stints on the disabled list... ranked fourth in the majors with a .357 batting average as a pinch hitter and hit .337 over his final 47 games.

#### 10 MARCUS SEMIEN

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 6) Kansas City Series: 1-3, 2b, bb Road Trip: 4-14, r, 2b, hr, 2 rbi, bb, 3 so

- Has hit safely and driven in a run in seven of his first 11 games.
- Has started all 11 games at shortstop and has four multiple-hit games.
- Made his second straight Opening Day start last Monday against Texas and is now 1-for-8 with a RBI in two openers...started at shortstop last Monday night after starting at second base with the White Sox last year.
- Is on his second Opening Day roster.
- Batted .288 with three home runs and 11 RBI in 24 games this spring... tied for third in the Cactus League in runs (14).
- Was acquired from the Chicago White Sox with Chris Bassitt, Josh Phegley and Rangel Ravelo for Jeff Samardzija and Michael Ynoa, Dec.

Last Year: Batted .234 with six home runs and 28 RBI in 64 games over two stints with Chicago (AL)...hit .271 against left-handed pitching, .212 against righties also batted .267 with 15 home runs and 52 RBI in 83 games with Triple-A Charlotte

### 28 ERIC SOGARD

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 5) Houston Series: 1-4, so Last Homestand: 4-16, 3 r, 2 rbi, 2 bb, 3 so, sh, gidp

- Had a pinch-hit, game-tying single off Fernando Rodney Sunday with two outs in the ninth inning...was his first career pinch-hit RBI in 21 plate
- Has made each of his five starts this year and 238 of his 252 career starts against right-handed pitching.
- Made his fourth consecutive Opening Day start last Monday night against Texas and went 2-for-4...is now 2-for-11 (.182) with two walks in his four openers (one at third base, the last three at second base).
- Has a 128-game homerless streak as a second baseman, which is an Oakland record for a second baseman...it is the longest by an Athletics second baseman since John Donaldson had a 148-game streak from Aug. 26, 1966 to June 10, 1968
- Is in his sixth season with the A's and is on the Opening Day roster for the fourth consecutive season.
- Hit .355 in 22 games this spring...tied for fifth in the Cactus League in doubles (7)...finished the spring with an 11-game hitting streak

Last Year: Spent the entire year with the A's for the second consecutive season and batted .223 with a home run and 22 RBI in 117 games...made 88 of his 92 starts against right-handed pitching (80 at second base, 12 at shortstop).

### 21 STEPHEN VOGT

Current Streak: 1 game (3 for 4) Kansas City Series: 3-4, 2 r, 2b, 2 hr, 2 rbi Road Trip: 5-15, 2 r, 2b, 2 hr, 3 rbi, 3 so, hbp, 2 gidp

- Recorded his first career multi-home run game last night with two solo homers off Guthrie...both home runs tied the game.
- Had his seven-game hitting streak snapped Wednesday at Houston... went 9-for-26 (.346) during the streak.
- Hit his fourth career triple Sunday vs. Seattle.
  Has reached base safely nine of 10 games played this season.
- Has made each of his nine starts this year and 109 of his 116 career starts with the A's against right-handed pitchers.
- Went 2-for-4 with a double, homer and three RBI last Monday night against Texas in his first career Opening Day start.
- Is on an Opening Day roster for the second time in his career (Tampa Bay, 2012)
- Hit .250 with two home runs and five RBI in 15 games this spring...went 9-for-23 (.391) over his final eight games.

Last Year: Began the season at Triple-A Sacramento but was promoted to Oakland June 1 and spent the remainder of the season with the A's...batted .279 with nine home runs and 35 RBI in 84 games with Oakland.

## **18 BEN ZOBRIST**

Current Streak: 0 for 7 Kansas City Series: 0-4 Road Trip: 3-11, 3 r, 2b, 2 rbi, sf, bb, so

- Tied for first in the American League with five doubles.
- Has an RBI in four of his last six games.
- Did not play Wednesday for the first time this season...has made four starts in left field, four at second base and two in right field.
- Homered in the first inning last Monday night against Texas to become the 13th player in Oakland history to homer in his first at bat with the A's (last: Adam Dunn, 2014)...it was his third career Opening Day homer.
- Is now 9-for-27 (.333) with six runs, two doubles, a triple, three home runs, six RBI and three walks in his seven Opening Day starts (four at second base, one in right field, one in left field, one at shortstop).
- Is on his eighth Opening Day roster (2007, 2009-14 with Tampa Bay).
- His Opening Day error snapped a 98-game errorless streak in the outfield dating back to Aug. 14, 2012.
- Batted .345 with 15 RBI in 21 games this spring...tied for fifth in the CL in RBI and doubles (7)...appeared in 10 games at second base, seven in right field, four in left field and one at shortstop.
- Was acquired from Tampa Bay with Yunel Escobar for John Jaso, Daniel Robertson, Boog Powell and cash, Jan. 10, 2015.

Last Year: Was named the Rays' MVP by the Tampa Bay Chapter of the BBWAA after batting .272 with 10 home runs and 52 RBI in 146 games...added 75 walks for a .354 on-base percentage...tied for seventh in the American League in walks.

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## 2015 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

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6/2 6/3	54 55	at DET at DET	4:08 4:08	CSNCA										9/5 9/6	136 137	SEA SEA	6:05 1:05	CSNCA CSNCA	Fireworks Breast Cancer Awareness Day
6/4 6/5	56 57	at DET at BOS	10:08 4:10	CSNCA										9/7 9/8	138 139	HOU	1:05 7:05	CSNCA CSNCA	,
6/6 6/7	58 59	at BOS at BOS	1:05 10:35	CSNCA CSNCA										9/9 9/10	140	HOU OFF DAY	7:05	CSNCA	
6/8 6/9	60	OFF DAY TEX		CSNCA										9/11 9/12	141 142	at TEX at TEX	5:05 5:05	CSNCA CSNCA	
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6/12 6/13	63 64	at LAA at LAA	7:05 7:05	CSNCA CSNCA										9/15 9/16	145 146	at CWS at CWS	5:10 5:10	CSNCA CSNCA	
6/14 6/15	65 66	at LAA at SD	12:35 7:10	CSNCA CSNCA										9/17 9/18	147 148		11:10 5:10	CSNCA	
6/16 6/17	67 68	at SD SD	12:40 7:05	CSNCA										9/19 9/20	149 150	at HOU at HOU	4:10	CSNCA CSNCA	
6/18 6/19	69 70	SD LAA	12:35 6:35	CSNCA	Fireworks									9/21 9/22	151	OFF DAY		CSNCA	Team Photo (10,000 fans)
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7/2	82	SEA	7:05	CSNCA															

## HIGHS AND LOWS

CLUB	
Longest Winning Streak	2, April 13 to 14
Longest Winning Streak, Home	
Longest Winning Streak, Road	
Longest Losing Streak	2 (twice), last: April 15 to present
Longest Losing Streak, Home	2, April 11 to 12
Longest Losing Streak, Road	
Most Runs, Game, A's	
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	10, April 9 vs. Texas
Most Runs, Inning, A's	6, April 10 vs. Seattle (4th)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	4, April 12 vs. Seattle (6th)
Largest Margin, Victory	12, April 10 vs. Seattle (12-0)
Largest Margin, Loss	
Most Hits, Game, A's	
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	
Most Hits, Inning, A's	, , ,
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	37: 1
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	
Most Doubles, Game, A's	
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	
Most Triples, Game, A's	
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	' '
Most Strikeouts, A's Pitchers	· •
Most Strikeouts, Opponents Pitchers	
Most Walks, A's Pitchers	, ,,
Most Walks, Opponents Pitchers	
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's Pitchers	· •
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents Pitchers	
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	
Fewest Left on Base, Game	
Most Errors, Game	
Largest Comeback in Win	
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	3, April 12 vs. Seattle

INDIVIDUAL	
Grand Slams	None
Pinch Hit Home Runs	None
Lead Off Home Runs	None
Inside-The-Park Home Runs	None
Game Ending Home Runs	None
Back-to-Back Home RunsI. Day	vis and S. Vogt (4th inning), April 17 at Kansas City
Longest Hitting Streak	11, Billy Butler, April 6 to present
Most Runs, Game	3, Mark Canha, April 10 vs. Seattle
Most Hits, Game3 (eight	times), last: Stephen Vogt, April 17 at Kansas City
Most Doubles, Game	2 (five times), last: Sam Fuld, April 14 at Houston
Most Triples, Game	1 (five times), last: Sam Fuld, April 15 at Houston
Most Home Runs, Game	
Most Runs Batted In, Game	4, Mark Canha, April 8 vs. Texas
	4, Ike Davis, April 10 vs. Seattle
Most Walks, Game	2 (twice), last: Stephen Vogt, April 11 vs. Seattle
	4, Brett Lawrie, April 7 vs. Texas
Most Stolen Bases, Game 1 (four times)	last: Reddick and Semien, April 17 at Kansas City
Longest Winning Streak	1 (five times)
Longest Losing Streak	1 (six times)
Most Strikeouts, Game	
Most Walks, Game	4, Kendall Graveman, April 14 at Houston
	8.0, Sonny Gray, April 6 vs. Texas
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	3.2, Evan Scribner, April 9 vs. Texas
	None
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	10.0 (two times), last: Scott Kazmir, April 8 to 13
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	13, Jesse Hahn, April 12
GENERAL	
	11, April 11 vs. Seattle
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	3:39, April 11 vs. Seattle (11)
	15,025, April 7 vs. Texas
	39,228, April 17 at Kansas City
•	18,935, April 14 at Houston
•	None
Postponement, Rain, Road	None

MULTIF	PLE	HIT	GA	ME	S	MULT	IPLE	R	Bl	GA	M	ES	<b>GAME TY</b>	ING/GO-A	HEAD	RBI
PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT	PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT	PLAYER	GT	GA	тот
Butler	2	1	0	0	3	Butler	0	1	0	0	0	1	Butler	0	0	0
Canha	1	2	0	0	3	Canha	1	0	1	0	0	2	Canha	0	1	1
Davis	2	1	0	0	3	Davis	0	0	1	0	0	1	Davis	0	0	0
Fuld	4	1	0	0	5	Fuld	1	0	0	0	0	1	Fuld	0	0	0
Gentry	0	0	0	0	0	Gentry	0	0	0	0	0	0	Gentry	0	0	0
Ladendorf	0	0	0	0	0	Ladendorf	1	0	0	0	0	1	Ladendorf	0	1	1
Lawrie	1	1	0	0	2	Lawrie	0	0	0	0	0	0	Lawrie	1	0	1
Phegley	2	0	0	0	2	Phegley	0	0	0	0	0	0	Phegley	1	0	1
Reddick	2	0	0	0	2	Reddick	0	0	0	0	0	0	Reddick	0	0	0
Ross	0	0	0	0	0	Ross	1	0	0	0	0	1	Ross	0	0	0
Semien	4	0	0	0	4	Semien	1	0	0	0	0	1	Semien	0	1	1
Sogard	1	0	0	0	1	Sogard	0	0	0	0	0	0	Sogard	1	0	1
Vogt	2	1	0	0	3	Vogt	1	1	0	0	0	2	Vogt	2	0	2
Zobrist	3	1	0	0	4	Zobrist	1	0	0	0	0	1	Zobrist	0	3	3

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Player	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		С		1B		2B		3B		SS		LF		CF		RF		DH	
Butler	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	Player	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Canha	-	7	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	Butler	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	11
Davis	-	-	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	Canha	-	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fuld	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Davis	-	-	9	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gentry	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	Fuld	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	9	-	-	-	-
Ladendorf	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	Gentry	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	2	2	2	-	-
Lawrie	-	-	-	-	-	6	5	-	-	Ladendorf	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Phegley	-	_	-	_	-	-	2	-	-	Lawrie	-	-	-	-	-	_	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Reddick	-	_	1	_	-	-	-	4	-	Phegley	2	2	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ross	-	1	-	_	1	-	-	-	-	Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	-	-
Semien	-	_	-	_	-	-	-	5	6	Ross	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-
Sogard	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	Semien	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	11	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vogt	-	1	-	_	-	5	3	-	-	Sogard	-	-	-	-	6	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Zobrist	-	-	10	_	_	-	_	_	-	Vogt	9	9	-	-	-	_	_	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	-
										Zobrist	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	5	4	-	-	2	2	-	-

## **HOME RUN BREAKDOWN**

	2015 H	OME R	UNS			LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN			
Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	<b>GP Since</b>
Butler	0	0	1	0	1	April 13, 2015	at Houston	Feldman	3
Canha	0	1	0	0	1	April 10, 2015	Seattle	Walker	6
Crisp	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 27, 2014	at Houston	Chapman	25
Davis	1	0	0	0	1	April 17, 2015	at Kansas City	Guthrie	0
Fuld	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 14, 2014	at Seattle	Young	20
Gentry	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 21, 2013	Houston	Bedard	117
Lawrie	1	0	0	0	1	April 13, 2015	at Houston	Feldman	3
Phegley	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 27, 2014	Kansas City	Collins	4
Reddick	0	0	0	0	0	Sept. 26, 2014	at Texas	Tepesch	7
Ross	0	0	0	0	0	July 13, 2014	at San Francisco	Bumgarner	22
Semien	1	0	0	0	1	April 13, 2015	at Houston	Feldman	3
Sogard	0	0	0	0	0	Aug. 6, 2014	Tampa Bay	Hellickson	44
Vogt	2	0	1	0	3	April 17, 2015	at Kansas City	Guthrie	0
Zobrist	0	1	0	0	1	April 6, 2015	Texas	Gallardo	9
Team	5	2	2	0	9	•			

## **MILESTONES**

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Butler	Doubles	279	21 for 300
Chavez	Innings Pitched	383.1	116.2 for 500
Clippard	Innings Pitched	495.0	5 for 500
Crisp	Games	1420	80 for 1500
	Games as OF (w/OAK	540	58 for 598 (ties Long for 10th in Oakland history)
	Hits	1447	53 for 1500
	Doubles	275	25 for 300
	Triples (w/OAK)	22	1 for 23 (ties Lansford, Jackson and North for 5th in Oakland history)
	Steals	297	3 for 300
	Steals (w/OAK)	160	12 for 172 (ties Baker for 9th in Athletics history)
Davis	Hits	454	46 for 500
	Home Runs	78	22 for 100
Doolittle	Games	175	25 for 200
	Saves	25	19 for 44 (ties Koch and Foulke for 9th in Athletics history)
Fuld	Games	488	12 for 500
Gentry	Games	423	77 for 500
	At Bats	915	85 for 1000
	Stolen Bases	76	24 for 100
Gray	Innings Pitched	298.1	201.2 for 500
Kazmir	Wins	93	7 for 100
	Innings Pitched	1383.1	116.2 for 1500
Lawrie	Games	355	145 for 500
	Hits	355	145 for 500
O'Flaherty	Games	398	2 for 400
Reddick	Hits	428	72 for 500
	Doubles	90	10 for 100
Ross	Hits	904	96 for 1000
Scribner	Games	75	25 for 100

## A'S AT A GLANCE

Season High1-	0/2-1/3-2/5-4 (April 6/8/10/14)
Season Low	
April	
May	
June	0-0
July	
August	0-0
September	0-0
Home Series	
Road Series	
Series Sweeps	0-0
First Game of Series	3-1
Last Game of Series	0-3
A's Score First	5-2
Opponent Scores First	0-4
Leading After 7th	5-1
Leading After 8th	5-0
Tied After 7th	
Tied After 8th	0-1
Trailing After 7th	0-4
Trailing After 8th	0-5
Commit No Errors	3-2
Commit 1 or More Errors	2-4
More HR Than Opp	3-1
Fewer HR Than Opp	0-4
Same Total HR of Opp	
Starter Pitches 7 or More	3-1
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	
When Scoring 4 or More	5-3
When Scoring Less Than 4	0-3
Last At Bat	0-3
Replay Challenges	
Different Lineups	8

## WALK-OFF WINS (0)

None

## DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Crisp	Right elbow surgery	April 4-present (eligible April	19) 11	Nolin	Bilateral core surgery	April 4-present (eligible April 1	9) 11
Doolittle	Strained left rotator cuff	April 4-present (eligible April	19) 11	Parker	Tommy John surgery	April 4-present (eligible April 1	9) 11
Freiman	Strained lumbar muscle	April 4-present (eligible April	19) 11	Reddick	Strained right oblique	March 27-April 11	6
Griffin	Tommy John surgery	Feb. 27-present (eligible Ma	y 26) 11	Thompson	Strained right shoulder	Feb. 26-present (eligible May	26) 11

The A's have used the disabled list eight times this season...used the DL 18 times in 2014

## **TRANSACTIONS**

Feb. 26	Chad Smith claimed off waivers from Detroit;		Nuñez optioned to Midland		Parker (Tommy John surgery recovery) placed
	Taylor Thompson placed on the 60-day dis-	March 24	Ryan Cook optioned to Nashville		on the 15-day disabled list
	abled list (right shoulder strain)	March 29	Chris Bassitt and Alex Hassan optioned to	April 8	Free agent Cody Ross agrees to terms; Billy
Feb. 27	Alex Hassan claimed off waivers from Bal-		Nashville		Burns optioned to Nashville; Alex Hassan des-
	timore; A.J. Griffin placed on the 60-day dis-	April 4	Josh Reddick placed on the 15-day disabled		ignated for assignment
	abled list (Tommy John surgery recovery)		list retroactive to March 27 (strained right	April 9	Alex Hassan claimed off waivers by Texas;
March 15	Eury De La Rosa, Arnold Leon and Chad		oblique); Coco Crisp (right elbow surgery),		Josh Reddick assigned to Stockton on a rehab
	Smith optioned to Nashville; Raul Alcantara		Sean Doolittle (strained left rotator cuff), Nate		assignment
	optioned to Midland		Freiman (strained lumbar muscle), Sean Nolin	April 12	Josh Reddick reinstated from the disabled list;
March 16	Rangel Ravelo optioned to Nashville, Renato		(bilateral core surgery recovery) and Jarrod		Tyler Ladendorf optioned to Nashville