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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (59-79) VS. LOS ANGELES ANGELS (62-76)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2016 — OAKLAND ALAMEDA COLISEUM — 12:35 P.M. PDT
RHP JHAREL COTTON (ML DEBUT) VS. RHP ALEX MEYER (0-1, 12.27)
MLB NETWORK — A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)

ABOUT THE A'S: The A's have lost six of the last eight games and are 12-24 (.333) over the last 36 contests...are 20 games under .500, which is one short of the season high...are 59-79 (.428), which is the third worst record in the American League and tied for fifth worst in Oakland history after 138 games...were also 59-79 last year (won game 139)...with a loss today, the A's will have their worst record after 139 games since 1997 (54-85)...are 23½ games behind first place Texas in the AL West, which is one game short of the season high (24½ on Sept. 3)...have been in fourth place or worse in the AL West every day since June 3...have spent one day in sole possession of first place, five days tied for first, four days in second, four days tied for second, 15 days in third, eight days tied for third, 60 days in fourth, 17 days tied for fourth and 38 days in fifth.

TRAGIC NUMBER: The A's have a tragic number of one for elimination in the American League West and eight in the Wild Card...can be officially eliminated from the West today in game 139 with a loss or a Texas win...have been eliminated from the West prior to game 140 twice in Oakland history...were eliminated in game 135 in 1979 (Aug. 30) and game 136 in 1977 (Sept. 6).

ROSTER NOTES: The A's recalled Jharel Cotton from Nashville today and now have 31 players on the active roster...Cotton will be the 49th player to appear in game for the A's this year, the 27th pitcher...the pitchers used tie the 1915 Philadelphia A's and 1955 Kansas City A's for second most in Athletics history to the record of 30 set last year...Cotton will be the 12th rookie of the 27 pitchers, tying the Oakland record for rookie pitchers in a season (2009, 2012, 2015)...he will be the ninth of those rookies to make his Major League debut this year...Cotton will bring the A's overall rookie total to 17, including 14 ML debuts...he will be the 14th different pitcher to start a game for the A's, which is the most in the American League and tied for third most in the majors...it is tied for second most in Oakland history (1977 and 2009) and is two short of the record (16 in 1983)...including today's move, the A's have made a total of 174 player moves in 157 days dating back to Opening Day.

OFFENSE: The A's have collected four hits or fewer in each of their last three wins and have seven such wins for the season...that is tied with San Francisco for the most in the majors and it is second most in Oakland history (8 in 1971)...are batting .182 (63-for-346) with 30 runs scored over the last 11 games (2.73 runs per game)...have scored 539 runs for the season, which is the fewest in the American League and third fewest in the majors...are averaging 3.91 runs per game and have not averaged fewer than 3.98 runs per game since 1979 (3.54)...have a .301 on-base percentage, which is the lowest in the AL and third lowest in the majors...the Oakland record for lowest on-base percentage is .302 in 1979...have 352 walks, which is second fewest in the AL and third fewest in the majors...are on pace for 413 walks, which would break the Athletics record for fewest walks in a 162-game season (421 in 1966)...have gone 18 consecutive games without a stolen base, which is the longest streak by an A's team since a 22-game streak from Sept. 14, 2005-April 6, 2006...have 44 stolen bases for the season, which is tied for third fewest in the AL...have the lowest slugging percentage (.393) and have been hit by the fewest pitches (32) in the AL...rank second in lowest batting average (.245) and fewest strikeouts (964), third in fewest extra base hits (384) and tied for third in fewest home runs (143).

PITCHING: The A's have compiled a 6.60 ERA (33 er in 45.0 ip) and .316 (59-for-187) opponents batting average over the first five games of the homestand...now have a 4.58 ERA for the season, which is second highest in the American League...have not finished the year with an ERA above 4.28 since 2000 (4.58)...have the third highest opponents batting average in the AL (.265).

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers are 0-2 with a 6.63 ERA (14 er in 19.0 ip) over the last five games...are 8-14 with a 3.88 ERA (69 er in 160.0 ip) over the last 29 games and have issued just 29 walks (1.63 per nine innings)...are 36-60 with a 4.96 ERA (411 er in 745.1 ip) for the season...have the fewest innings pitched in the AL (Angels, 746.2) and rank second in highest ERA, most losses and fewest wins...have tossed fewer than five innings 42 times, which is the most in the majors, the most by an American League team since 2008 (Baltimore 44, Texas 42) and the most by an A's team since 1997 (52).

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 2-3 on this nine-game homestand against Boston (1-2), Los Angeles-AL (1-1) and Seattle (three games)...went 2-1 on the last homestand against Cleveland and are 32-39 (.451) at home, which is the second worst home record in the American League...went 2-4 on the last road trip to St. Louis (2-1) and Houston (0-3) and have lost 14 of their last 18 road games...are 27-40 (.403) on the road...are batting .238 (555-for-2332) at home compared to .252 (591-for-2343) on the road.

CLOSE CALLS: The A's won for the ninth time this year last night when trailing after seven innings, which is tied with Kansas City and Texas for the most in the American League...improved to 15-13 in games decided in the last at bat...are now 22-21 (.500) in one-run games and rank fourth in the AL in one-run decisions (43)...went 19-35 (.352) in one-run games last year, which was the second worst record in the majors...the A's 1-0 win over Boston on Sunday was their seventh walk-off win of the season, which is tied for fourth in the AL...have eight walk-off losses (all against AL West competition), which is third most in the AL...are tied for third in walk-off games (15)

SCORING MARGIN: The A's have been outscored by 24 runs over the first five games of the homestand (39-15)...have a season run differential of -121, which is second worst in the American League (Minnesota, -140)...the last time the A's were outscored by more than 44 runs in a season was in 1997 (-182)...are 16-35 (.314) in games decided by four runs or more compared to 43-44 (.494) in games decided by three runs or fewer...the 16 wins by four runs or more are second fewest in the majors (Atlanta, 15) and the winning percentage is the worst in the AL and third worst in the majors.

THIS AND THAT: The A's played their fastest game of the season last night (2:14) and are averaging 2 hours and 56 minutes per game, which is the fastest in the majors...are one of just three teams averaging under three hours per game (Kansas City and Toronto, 2:58)...have committed 11 errors in the last eight games and now have 87 errors for the season, which is tied for second most in the American League...A's pinch hitters are 3 for their last 34 (.088)...rank second in the AL in hits (20), RBI (13) and plate appearances (108) but have the fewest walks (3).

THE DISABLED LIST: The A's have used the disabled list an Oakland-record 27 times and those players have combined to miss an Oakland-record 1503 games (55.7 games per stint)...currently have 13 players on the DL (Alvarez, Bassitt, Canha, Doubront, Fuld, Gray, Ladendorf, Lambo, Lowrie, Parker, Phegley, Rodriguez, Sogard), including 11 on the 60-day DL (all but Gray and Ladendorf)...have had at least 11 players on the DL every day since July 4 (including a season-high 16 from Aug. 22-28)...prior to this year, had not had more than 11 players on the DL at once...have had at least six players on the DL all year.

A's vs. ANGELS: The A's are 6-9 against the Angels and need to win each of the remaining four games to avoid losing the season series for the third consecutive year...are 4-3 in Anaheim and 2-6 in Oakland...have lost eight of the last 10 games in Oakland...are 23-30 against the Angels over the last three years...since moving to Oakland in 1968, the A's are 420-351 against the Angels...that includes 217-167 in Oakland and 203-184 in Anaheim...all-time, the A's are 469-428 against the Angels.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Khris Davis has hit 22 of his home runs as a left fielder, which are the most by an A's left fielder since Ben Grieve had 27 in 2000...**Ryon Healy** is batting .358 (29-for-81) over his last 22 games after hitting .222 over his first 26 contests...**Ryan Madson** has not allowed a run in his last 11 games (12.2 ip) and is a perfect 6-for-6 in save opportunities over that span...**Marcus Semien** leads American League shortstops and ranks third in the majors with 23 home runs.

THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1984** the A's tie a club record by using 22 players in a game but lose 13-2 at Cleveland...only Mike Davis, who started the game in right and moved to center, played the entire game...in **2005** the A's scored five times in the bottom of the ninth to defeat Seattle 8-7, marking the first time in Oakland history the A's have come back from a four-run deficit entering the final bat and won...Nick Swisher walks with the bases loaded to force in the winning run.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Fri., Sept. 9 vs. Seattle	RHP Daniel Mengden (1-6, 6.66) vs. RHP Hisashi Iwakuma (14-11, 4.01)	7:05	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Sat., Sept. 10 vs. Seattle	RHP Kendall Graveman (10-9, 3.81) vs. RHP Felix Hernandez (10-5, 3.75)	1:05	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game
Sun., Sept. 11 vs. Seattle	TBA vs. LHP James Paxton (4-6, 4.03)	1:05	CSNCA/95.7 FM The Game

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

TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Jharel Cotton (Major League Debut)

FOR STARTERS: Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville today and will be making his Major League debut...will become the 49th pitcher in Oakland history to start in his ML debut, the fifth this year (Manaea, Mengden, Overton, Alcantara)...is the seventh pitcher to make his first ML start for the A's this year (Neal and Triggs)...this marks the second time in Oakland history the A's had five pitchers start in their ML debut in one season...the other time was in 1978 (Controy, Johnson, Minetto, Morgan, Wirth)...the last complete game was by Mike Morgan June 11, 1978 against Baltimore and the only shutout is by Mike Norris April 10, 1975 against Chicago...the 48 pitchers to start in their debut have combined for a 14-16 record and a 3.88 ERA.

OAKLAND PITCHERS WHO HAVE STARTED IN THEIR ML DEBUT

Date	Pitcher	Opponent	Dec	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
9/5/16	Alcantara	Los Angeles (AL)	L	3.0	5	5	5	1	0
6/25/16	Overton	at Los Angeles (AL)	W	5.2	7	3	3	2	3
6/11/16	Mengden	at Cincinnati	L	5.2	6	2	2	4	5
4/29/16	Manaea	Houston	-	5.0	4	4	4	4	3
8/3/12	Straily	Toronto	-	6.0	5	1	1	1	5
6/24/12	Griffin	San Francisco	-	6.0	3	2	2	1	4
6/10/11	Godfrey	at Chicago (AL)	-	4.1	9	5	5	2	2
9/13/10	Cramer	at Kansas City	W	5.1	4	1	1	1	4
6/2/09	Mazzaro	at Chicago (AL)	W	6.1	3	0	0	4	1
4/10/09	Anderson	Seattle	L	6.0	7	5	5	2	2
4/7/09	Cahill	at Los Angeles (AL)	-	5.0	5	3	2	5	1
8/6/08	Gonzalez	at Toronto	L	6.0	4	4	4	2	4
4/9/08	Smith	at Toronto	-	6.0	2	3	2	5	5
4/24/07	Braden	at Baltimore	W	6.0	3	1	1	1	6
7/30/06	Komine	Toronto	-	6.0	4	1	1	4	1
7/17/06	Windsor	at Baltimore	-	5.0	5	3	1	3	3
7/21/03	Harden	at Kansas City	-	7.0	4	1	1	2	4
5/25/02	Harang	Tampa Bay	W	7.0	3	0	0	3	10
7/22/00	Zito	Anaheim	W	5.0	2	1	1	6	6
7/17/00	MJones	at Colorado (Day)	-	2.1	5	4	4	3	1
4/18/00	Mulder	at Cleveland	W	6.0	5	4	4	3	6
6/8/99	Hudson	at San Diego	-	5.0	7	3	3	4	11
5/10/98	Stein	Chicago (AL)	L	7.0	3	4	0	2	8
6/28/97	Rigby	Texas	L	8.0	7	2	2	1	2
6/11/96	Adams	at Cleveland	-	6.0	7	4	4	2	2
5/26/96	Chouinard	at Baltimore	L	5.0	8	5	5	3	1
7/18/95	Wojciechowski	at Milwaukee	L	5.0	8	3	3	3	2
7/8/95	Johns	Toronto (G#2)	-	3.0	3	2	2	1	2
8/17/93	Karsay	Milwaukee	W	6.1	6	2	2	1	3
9/11/91	Van Poppel	Chicago (AL)	-	4.2	7	5	5	2	6
4/13/91	Dressendorfer	Seattle	W	5.2	4	2	2	2	4
4/11/91	Slusarski	Minnesota	W	7.0	5	0	0	3	2
9/17/86	Rodriguez	Texas	L	7.2	7	4	4	3	1
7/12/83	Heimuller	at Baltimore	L	7.1	5	3	3	4	2
6/24/83	CYoung	at Texas	L	4.1	4	5	5	3	2
4/10/83	Krueger	at California	W	7.0	9	4	3	4	1
9/11/82	Codioli	Chicago (AL)	L	8.0	4	2	2	2	2
6/28/79	Kingman	at Kansas City	-	5.2	4	4	4	3	3
7/4/78	Minetto	at Seattle	-	3.1	3	2	2	0	2
6/23/78	Conroy	at Kansas City	-	3.1	2	2	1	5	0
6/11/78	*Morgan	Baltimore	L	9.0	10	3	2	5	0
4/10/78	Johnson	Seattle	W	6.0	2	0	0	4	2
4/9/78	Wirth	at California	L	3.1	4	3	1	4	1
9/25/75	CMitchell	Chicago (AL)	L	3.2	6	5	5	2	2
4/10/75	*Norris	Chicago (AL)	W	9.0	3	0	0	3	3
7/29/73	Abbott	Texas	-	3.0	4	2	2	2	1
5/29/72	Hamilton	at Texas	W	6.1	4	1	1	5	2
7/20/69	Blue	at California	L	5.1	6	5	4	1	1
Totals (48 starts, 3.88 ERA)			14-16	269.2	237	130	116	133	144

*indicates only two pitchers with complete games

COTTON vs. LOS ANGELES: Is making his first career appearance and start.

COTTON'S CAREER MATCHUPS VS. LOS ANGELES															
Player	Bat	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Has no match-ups															

MINORS: Began the season at Triple-A Oklahoma City in the Los Angeles Dodgers organization and went 8-5 with a 4.90 ERA in 22 games, including 16 starts...was one of three players traded to the A's on Aug. 1 in exchange for Rich Hill and Josh Reddick...was assigned to Triple-A Nashville where he went 3-1 with a 2.82 ERA in six starts...combined with both clubs for an 11-6 record and a 4.31 ERA in 28 games, 22 starts...led the Pacific Coast League, ranked second in Triple-A and tied for 12th in all of minor league baseball with a career-high 155 strikeouts...also led the PCL in opponents batting average (.214), tied for the league lead in shutouts (2), tied for second in complete games (2) and tied for 10th in wins (11)...surrendered 20 home runs, which tied for fourth most...was 10-4 with a 3.94 ERA in his 22 starts compared to 1-2 with a 9.00 ERA in his six relief appearances.

COTTON BY THE NUMBERS						
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2016	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
2015	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Career	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Home	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Road	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Day	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Night	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Pre-ASB	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
Post-ASB	0	0	—	0	0.0	0
	AVG.	AB	H			
vs. LHH	—	0	0			
vs. RHH	—	0	0			

COTTON'S CAREER HIGHS	
Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	—
Fewest IP, GS:	—
H:	—
R:	—
ER:	—
BB:	—
SO:	—
HR:	—
Pitches:	—
Win Streak:	None
Loss Streak:	None
Scoreless Streak:	—
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

OPPONENTS BATTING: Allowed a .214 opponents batting average, including .192 (38-for-198) against left-handed hitters compared to .229 (70-for-306) against right-handers...yielded 16 of his 20 home runs to righties...13 were solo shots...allowed a .198 batting average and .239 on-base percentage to batters leading off an inning...opponents hit .310 with runners in scoring position with Oklahoma City, .208 with Nashville.

ALMOST PERFECT: Came within one out of a perfect game for Nashville on Aug. 9 in a 3-0 win at Round Rock...retired each of the first 26 batters he faced before allowing a two-out triple to Doug Bernier...then struck out Drew Robinson for his 12th strikeout of the game...it was his second complete game and shutout of the season...was named PCL Pitcher of the Week for the second time (also May 23-29).

LAST MINOR LEAGUE START: He had a no decision in Nashville's 6-5 win over Iowa last Thursday...tossed 5.2 innings and did not allow a run...retired each of the first nine batters before John Andreoli singled to start the fourth...also allowed a hit and two walks in the fifth and three more hits in the sixth...was aided by a double play in the sixth and was relieved by Bobby Wahl with two outs in the sixth and the scored tied 0-0...Wahl got the final out of the inning and the Sounds ended up winning on a walk-off RBI triple by Franklin Barreto in the ninth.

COTTON'S 2016 MINOR LEAGUE APPEARANCES												
Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
with Oklahoma City												
April 8	at Nashville	1-2 (11)	-	1.59	5.2	5	1	1	0	5	0	86
April 13	at Memphis	1-8	L	7.45	4.0	7	7	7	3	6	2	91
April 19	Memphis	4-0 (6)	W	4.91	5.0	2	0	0	1	6	0	72
April 24	at Iowa	13-5	W	5.49	5.0	5	4	4	3	6	1	92
*April 29	at Omaha	5-3 (12)	-	5.40	2.0	3	1	1	0	2	1	35
April Totals (5 games, 4 starts)	2-1	5.40	21.2	22	13	13	7	25	4			
*May 2	New Orleans	2-3 (10)	L	5.56	1.0	1	1	1	0	2	1	17
*May 5	New Orleans	9-2	-	5.32	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	0	14
*May 7	at Colorado Springs	4-3	W	5.11	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0	15
*May 11	at Round Rock	9-5	-	5.20	3.0	3	2	2	0	3	1	43
*May 15	Las Vegas	7-9	L	6.67	2.0	5	6	6	3	3	1	56
May 23	at Fresno	7-8	-	5.97	5.0	1	1	1	1	10	1	68
May 29	at Sacramento	4-1	W	5.45	5.0	3	1	1	2	5	0	84
May Totals (7 games, 2 starts)	2-2	5.50	18.0	14	11	11	6	26	4			
June 3	Iowa	5-7	-	5.32	6.0	2	3	3	2	5	1	86
June 9	Nashville (G#1)	5-3 (7)	W	5.15	5.0	5	2	2	2	7	1	87
June 14	Omaha	6-3	W	4.68	7.0	3	3	1	2	7	0	100
June 20	at New Orleans	1-4	L	4.81	6.0	5	4	4	3	8	1	101
June 26	Iowa	5-6 (8)	-	4.98	5.0	5	5	4	3	4	1	90
June Totals (5 games, 5 starts)	2-1	4.34	29.0	20	17	14	12	31	4			
July 1	at Nashville	9-6	W	4.58	6.0	2	2	0	1	9	0	99
July 7	Omaha	7-13	-	4.74	5.0	4	4	4	2	6	0	76
July 17	at Reno	2-6	L	4.85	5.2	5	5	4	3	9	1	102
July 23	New Orleans	4-3	W	4.78	7.0	7	3	3	1	7	2	100
July 28	at Memphis (G#2)	5-6 (7)	-	4.90	5.0	6	4	4	0	6	2	76
July Totals (5 games, 5 starts)	2-1	4.71	28.2	24	18	15	7	37	5			
OKLAHOMA CITY (22 G, 16 GS)	8-5	4.90	97.1	80	59	53	32	119	17			
with Nashville												
Aug. 4	at Colorado Springs	5-4	W	1.50	6.0	6	1	1	1	5	1	95
Aug. 9	at Round Rock	3-0	W	0.60	9.0	1	0	0	0	12	0	108
Aug. 15	Reno	2-3	L	1.74	5.2	4	3	3	2	4	1	91
Aug. 21	at Omaha	13-7	-	3.51	5.0	7	6	6	1	5	1	90
Aug. 26	at Memphis	2-1	W	3.31	7.0	5	2	2	0	4	0	97
August Totals (5 games, 5 starts)	3-1	3.31	32.2	23	12	12	4	30	3			
Sept. 1	Iowa	6-5	-	2.82	5.2	5	0	0	3	6	0	78
NASHVILLE (6 G, 6 GS)	3-1	2.82	38.1	28	12	12	7	36	3			
MINOR TOTALS (28 G, 22 GS)	11-6	4.31	135.2	108	71	65	39	155	20			

*indicates relief appearance

CAREER HIGHLIGHTS: Was selected by the Los Angeles Dodgers in the 20th round of the 2012 draft and went 23-24 with a 3.77 ERA in 94 games, 59 starts, over his five seasons in the Los Angeles organization...was traded to the A's with Frankie Montas and Grant Holmes for Rich Hill and Josh Reddick on Aug. 1, 2016...is 26-25 with a 3.68 ERA (183 er in 447.0 ip) in 100 games, 65 starts, overall...has averaged better than a strikeout per inning during the course of his career with 499 strikeouts in 447.0 innings (10.05 per nine innings)...was rated as the Dodgers ninth best prospect by *Baseball America* prior to the 2016 season...ranked second in the California League with 138 strikeouts in 2014.

VIRGIN ISLANDS: Will become the fourth pitcher in Major League history born in the Virgin Islands...will immediately move into a tie for second place on the games pitched list for natives of the Virgin Islands, joining Elie Hendriks (1978 Orioles) and Akeel Morris (2015 Mets), who both made one relief appearance...the leader is Al McBean, who went 67-50 with a 3.13 ERA in 409 games, including 76 starts, with Pittsburgh (1961-68, 70), San Diego (1969) and Los Angeles (1969-70)...is the 14th player born in the Virgin Islands in ML history, the third Athletic (Jose Morales, 1973; Jerry Browne, 1992-93).

FRIDAY'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER
RHP Daniel Mengden (1-6, 6.66 ERA): Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville last Saturday for his second stint with the A's this year and took the loss in a start that day against Boston, an 11-2 decision (2.2 ip, 8 h, 7 r, 7 er, 2 bb, 2 so)...is now 1-6 with a 6.66 ERA in 10 starts overall...his ERA is fifth highest in the American League among pitchers with 50 or more innings pitched...using the same minimum, his average of 4.91 walks per nine innings is third highest...is one of eight AL rookies to start 10 or more games...is 0-5 with a 7.53 ERA in six starts at home...his five-game career-opening home losing streak is tied for the longest in Oakland history with Steve Ontiveros (1985-86) and Dallas Braden (2007)...has never faced the Mariners in his career...combined for a 10-2 record, a 1.46 ERA and .197 opponents batting average in 17 games, all starts, with Double-A Midland and Nashville...tied for second in the A's farm system in wins.

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

TEAM

23-19, 3.98 ERA (210 er in 475.1 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 37-for-55 (67.3%)

- The A's bullpen has allowed 31 runs over its last eight games (26 er in 32.2 ip, 7.16 ERA) after yielding just two runs over its previous eight games (0.77 ERA).
- Has allowed 58-of-219 (26.5%) inherited runners to score, which is the second best percentage in the American League (Cleveland, 26.0%).
- Ranks second in the AL in innings pitched (475.1), fourth in strikeouts (452) and fifth in opponents slugging percentage (.388)...ranks third in most blown saves (18), tied for third in most walks (166), fourth in most wild pitches (29) and fifth in lowest save percentage (67.3%).
- First batters faced are 90-for-388 (.232) with 30 walks (.284 on-base percentage)...leads the AL in first batter slugging percentage (.322), ranks third in on-base percentage and fourth in batting average.

61 RHP JOHN AXFORD

Last Outing: 9/6 vs. Los Angeles (W, 2.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 2-8
Inherited Runners/Scored: 15/8
First Hitters: 15-56, 3 bb

- Has not allowed an earned run in 13 of his last 15 games for a 2.93 ERA (5 er in 15.1 ip)...however, has a 6.07 ERA (20 er in 29.2 ip) over his last 33 games (since June 15) after logging a 2.70 ERA over his first 26 contests.
- Is tied for third among American League relievers in most walks (27), tied for fourth in most blown saves (6) and tied for ninth in highest ERA (4.47).
- Has allowed 11 of his 29 runs (4.0 ip, 24.75 ERA) over innings three through six...has a 2.92 ERA (17 er in 52.1 ip) from the seventh inning on.
- Has a .340 (17-for-50) opponents batting average with runners in scoring position, including .423 (11-for-26) with RISP and two outs.
- Has two blown saves and a 5.14 ERA (4 er in 7.0 ip) in seven games against the Angels.

Last Year: Was 4-5 with a 4.20 ERA and a team-leading 25 saves in 60 relief appearances with Colorado...had a 2.70 ERA and .216 opponents average on the road, a 5.59 ERA and .298 opponents average at Coors Field.

57 LHP DANIEL COULOMBE

Last Outing: 9/3 vs. Boston (ND, 1.0 ip, 3 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 3 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 11/3
First Hitters: 4-24, bb

- Has a 9.82 ERA (12 er in 11.0 ip) over his last eight games (since Aug. 11)...compiled a 3.33 ERA over his first 18 games.
- Has not allowed a run in three games and 1.2 innings in his career against Los Angeles.
- Allowed a career-high tying four runs Friday (also Aug. 11, 2016 at Baltimore).
- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville July 19 for his fifth stint with the A's this year and has a 5.85 ERA (13 er in 20.0 ip) in 13 games since then.
- Was with Oakland for the first time for a one-day stint on May 10...pitched twice during his second stint from May 22-25...logged a 4.50 ERA in seven outings during his third stint from June 4-21...appeared in three games during his fourth stint from June 30-July 3.
- Had no decisions and a 1.08 ERA in 20 relief appearances for Nashville...his opponents had a .200 batting average and he did not allow a home run in 25.0 innings.

Last Year: Had no decisions and a 5.63 ERA in 14 relief appearances with the Dodgers and A's...spent the balance of the season at Triple-A Oklahoma City in the Dodgers farm system where he went 3-1 with a save and a 3.27 ERA in 38 games.

62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE

Last Outing: 9/5 vs. Los Angeles (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 4-5
Inherited Runners/Scored: 14/4
First Hitters: 9-32, 4 bb

- Was reinstated from the disabled list Friday and has pitched once since his return (1.0 ip, 1 h, 2 so).
- Made six rehab appearances with Triple-A Nashville beginning Aug. 15 and compiled a 1.50 ERA and .182 opponents batting average.
- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list June 30 retroactive to June 26 with a strained left shoulder and missed 59 games.
- Has a .219 opponents batting average, including .149 (7-for-47) against left-handed hitters and .269 (18-for-67) against right-handers.
- Has a 1.23 ERA (2 er in 14.2 ip) in 17 games on the road, a 4.24 ERA (8 er in 17.0 ip) in 19 games at home.
- Logged a 6.75 ERA over his first six games, a 1.33 ERA over a 24-game stretch from April 16-June 12 and a 5.40 ERA over his last five contests before he was placed on the DL.
- Is 0-1 with a 7.71 ERA (4 er in 4.2 ip) and has converted 1-of-2 save opportunities in five games against the Angels...compiled a 2.61 ERA and converted 4-of-5 (80.0%) save opportunities in 20 games in his career against Los Angeles entering 2016.

Last Year: Missed 121 games due to two stints on the disabled list (strained left rotator cuff, strained left shoulder)...went 1-0 with four saves, a blown save and a 3.95 ERA in 12 relief appearances with the A's.

66 RHP RYAN DULL

Last Outing: 9/4 vs. Boston (ND, 1.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 2 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 2-4
Inherited Runners/Scored: 50/7
First Hitters: 7-57, 2 bb

- Has a 3.65 ERA (5 er in 12.1 ip) and .298 (14-for-47) opponents batting average in 13 games since the start of August...compiled a 2.01 ERA and .148 opponents average in 48 games over the first four months this year.
- Has allowed 7 of his last 14 (50.0%) inherited runners to score after stranding each of his first 36 inherited runners, which was the longest streak by any pitcher in the expansion era.
- Has allowed 7-of-50 (14.0%) inherited runners to score for the season, which is best percentage by a rookie in Oakland history and the third best percentage in the American League...the inherited runners rank second in the majors (Rzepczynski, OAK-WAS 55).
- Has appeared in 61 games, which leads AL rookies, ranks sixth among rookies in Oakland history and tied for seventh among all AL pitchers.
- Ranks third among AL relievers in opponents on-base percentage (.217), sixth in innings (66.0), seventh in batting average (.178) and ninth walks per nine innings (1.64)...is tied for sixth in most wild pitches (6).
- Opponents are 5-for-64 (.078) with runners in scoring position, including 3-for-36 (.083) with RISP and two outs.
- Is 1-2 with a save and a 2.57 ERA (2 er in 7.0 ip) in eight games against the Angels.

Last Year: Was named the A's Organizational Pitcher of the Year after going 3-2 with 12 saves and a 0.74 ERA in 47 games with Midland and Nashville...made his ML debut in September and went 1-2 with a save and a 4.24 ERA in 13 games.

MOST GAMES PITCHED, OAKLAND A'S ROOKIES

71	Ryan Cook, 2012
71	Aaron Small, 1997
68	Andrew Bailey, 2009
67	Huston Street, 2005
64	Bob Lacey, 1977
61	Ryan Dull, 2016

LOWEST PERCENTAGE OF INHERITED RUNNERS SCORED, OAKLAND ROOKIE

14.0%	Ryan Dull, 2016
15.2%	Steve Ontiveros, 1985
16.1%	Santiago Casilla, 2007
16.7%	Jay Marshall, 2007
20.0%	Greg Cadaret, 1987 (since 1974)

31 RHP LIAM HENDRIKS

Last Outing: 9/5 vs. Los Angeles (ND, 2.0 ip, 3 h, 2 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 31/5
First Hitters: 10-41, bb

- Has allowed five runs over his last two games (3 er in 3.0 ip, 9.00 ERA) after yielding a total of five runs in his previous 21 contests (1.48 ERA).
- Has allowed 5-of-31 (16.1%) inherited runners to score, which is the fourth best percentage in the American League.
- Opponents are batting .284...that includes .229 (19-for-83) against left-handed hitters, .318 (42-for-132) against right-handers.
- Has a 1.87 ERA (7 er in 33.2 ip) in 25 games at night, an 8.10 ERA (18 er in 20.0 ip) in 17 games during the day.
- Has a 2.41 ERA (10 er in 37.1 ip) in 31 games since he was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list on June 19...logged an 8.27 ERA in 11 games before he was placed on the DL with a strained right triceps.
- Is 0-1 with a 3.38 ERA (4 er in 10.2 ip) in eight games against Los Angeles.

Last Year: Pitched exclusively in relief for the first time in his career and was 5-0 with a 2.92 ERA in 58 games with Toronto...had career highs in games and strikeouts (71) and career lows in ERA and opponents batting average (.240).

44 RHP RYAN MADSON

Last Outing: 9/6 vs. Los Angeles (S, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 28-34
Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/0
First Hitters: 12-52, 4 bb

- Has not allowed a run over his last 11 games and 12.2 innings since the start of August and is a perfect 6-for-6 in save opportunities...his ERA increased in each of the first four months this year as he had a 1.42 ERA in April, 3.72 ERA in May, 4.22 ERA in June and 6.55 ERA in July.
- Ranks seventh among American League relievers in saves (28)...however, is tied for fourth in most blown saves (6).
- Has a 5.19 ERA (15 er in 26.0 ip) in 26 games against AL West teams, a 1.17 ERA (4 er in 30.2 ip) in 30 games against all other opponents.
- Has a 1.29 ERA (3 er in 21.0 ip) in 21 games during the day and 1.78 ERA (6 er in 30.1 ip) in 30 games at home.
- Compiled a 1.02 ERA and was a perfect 11-for-11 in save opportunities over his first 18 games but has a 3.92 ERA (17 er in 39.0 ip) and converted 17-of-23 (73.9%) save opportunities over his last 38 games (since May 17).
- Is 2-0 with a 3.38 ERA (3 er in 8.0 ip) and has converted 2-of-3 save opportunities in seven games against the Angels.

Last Year: Returned to the majors for the first time since 2011 and was 1-2 with three saves and a career-low 2.13 ERA in 68 appearances with Kansas City...also had career lows in opponents batting (.205) and on-base percentage (.254).

56 RHP CHRIS SMITH**Last Outing:** 9/3 vs. Boston (ND, 4.0 ip, 2 h, 1 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 5 so)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 2/1**First Hitters:** 0-5, 2 bb

- Was selected from Triple-A Nashville Aug. 7 and has a 4.11 ERA (7 er in 15.1 ip) in eight games since then.
- Matched his career-highs Saturday with 4.0 innings pitched (also June 21, 2008 against St. Louis) and five strikeouts (third time, last: Aug. 29 at Houston).
- Faced the Angels for the only time in his career June 14, 2010 (1.0 ip, 1 h, 2 so).
- This is his first stint in the majors since 2010 when he logged a 5.40 ERA in three relief appearances with Milwaukee.
- Pitched in the Mariners farm system in 2011, was out of baseball in 2012 and had stints with independent teams in Wichita (2013) and Sugar Land (2014) before signing a minor league deal with San Diego in 2014.
- Was 1-5 with a 5.21 ERA over his first seven starts with Nashville through May 9, but is 5-3 with a 3.40 ERA in 15 starts since then...his complete 2016 minor league stats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Nashville (AAA)	6	8	3.93	22	22	0	0	0	130.2	120	64	57	45	121

Last Year: *Spent most of the year at Triple-A El Paso where he went 5-7 with a 3.60 ERA in 22 starts...also had no decisions and a 0.90 ERA in two starts for Double-A San Antonio...had minor league career highs in strikeouts (132) and walks (44).*

64 RHP J.B. WENDELKEN**Last Outing:** 9/2 vs. Boston (ND, 2.0 ip, 4 h, 5 r, 4 er, 4 bb, 2 so, 1 bb)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 5/5**First Hitters:** 2-6

- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville Aug. 24 for his fourth stint with the A's this year and has a 7.20 ERA (4 er in 5.0 ip) in three games since then.
- Has not faced Los Angeles in his career.
- Made his Major League debut with two appearances during his first stay from May 8-9, did not pitch during his second stay from June 3-4 and tossed 3.0 scoreless innings in his only outing during his third stint (July 26-Aug. 1) on July 31 at Cleveland.
- Logged a 1.93 ERA in six relief appearances with Nashville following his last option on Aug. 2...has 65 strikeouts in 46.0 innings overall, an average of 12.72 per nine innings...his complete 2016 minor league stats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Nashville (AAA)	1	4	4.11	39	0	0	0	5	46.0	48	25	21	26	65

Last Year: *Began the season at Double-A Birmingham and was 6-2 with five saves and a 2.72 ERA in 27 games when he was promoted to Triple-A Charlotte July 25...had no decisions and a 4.50 ERA in 12 games with the Knights.*

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

30 ARISMENDY ALCANTARA

Current Streak: 0 for 3
Los Angeles Series: 0-0, r
Homestand: 0-0, r

- Was recalled from Single-A Stockton yesterday for his fourth stint with the A's this year...pinch ran and scored the game tying run last night in the eighth inning.
- Went 2-for-8 (.250) with two stolen bases in three games during his first stint from June 21 to 28, 1-for-5 (.200) in two games during his second stay from July 20 to 23 and 0-for-2 in two pinch hitting appearances during his third stint from Aug. 22-27.
- Has made three starts at second base and one at shortstop...has also appeared in one game in right field.
- Was acquired from the Chicago Cubs on June 9 for Chris Coghlan and was assigned to Nashville.
- Was optioned to Single-A Stockton Aug. 29 and went 8-for-26 (.308) with a home run and eight RBI in six games with the Ports...appeared in 59 games at second base, 16 in center field, 13 at shortstop and 10 in left field...his complete 2016 minor league stats:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Iowa (AAA)	.263	54	198	32	52	9	5	5	21	15	61	21	0	.434	.313
Nashville (AAA)	.290	48	200	28	58	10	5	6	27	14	57	11	6	.480	.336
Stockton (A)	.308	6	26	4	8	3	1	1	8	1	9	0	0	.615	.333
MINORS	.278	108	424	64	118	22	11	12	56	30	127	32	6	.467	.325

Last Year: Began the season with Chicago (NL) and hit .077 with a RBI in 11 games before he was optioned to Triple-A Iowa April 20.... batted .231 with 12 HR, 36 RBI and 16 steals in 120 games with Iowa...led the PCL in triples (10).

17 YONDER ALONSO

Current Streak: 0 for 4
Los Angeles Series: 0-4, 2 r, 2 bb
Homestand: 1-7, 2 r, rbi, 2 bb

- Is 8-for-57 (.140) over his last 19 games.
- Is batting .203 (38-for-187) at home, .280 (61-for-218) on the road.
- Has made 100 of his 113 starts against right-handed pitchers...is batting .254 (89-for-351) with six of his seven home runs against righties, .185 (10-for-54) against lefties.
- Has six home runs and 27 RBI over his last 58 games after tallying one home run and 18 RBI over his first 74 contests.
- Six of his seven home runs this year and 19 of his 39 career home runs have come with runners on base...all seven of his home runs this year have come at night.
- His 132 games played are second most in his seven year career (155 in 2012).

Last Year: Batted .282 with five home runs and 31 RBI in 103 games in a season shortened by two stints on the disabled list...the batting average was his best in his four seasons with San Diego, as was his .361 on-base percentage and .742 OPS.

16 BILLY BUTLER

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 3)
Los Angeles Series: 1-4, bb, so
Homestand: 1-9, rbi, 2 bb, 2 so, sf, gidp

- Snapped a 0-for-17 streak with his eighth inning single last night.
- Was reinstated from the seven-day concussion disabled list Aug. 29 and is 1-for-11 (.091) with two walks in six games since his return...was placed on the DL Aug. 22.
- Is hitting .324 (23-for-71) with two home runs in 25 games since the All-Star Break after batting .253 with two home runs in 60 games before the break.
- Is batting .327 (18-for-55) with runners in scoring position.
- Is 6-for-24 (.250) with five RBI as a pinch hitter...is tied for the American League lead in pinch hits (Lee and Smith, SEA), ranks second in RBI (Lee, SEA 7) and third in plate appearances (24)...his six pinch hits match the most by an Athletic over the last 13 years...his 24 plate appearances are second most over the last 12 years (Garcia-parra, 28 in 2009).
- Has 498 career walks and needs two more for 500 career.
- Improved his batting average each of the first four months as he hit .219 in April, .222 in May, .294 in June and .348 in July...then batted .316 in August.
- Has four home runs and 31 RBI in 85 games played...his career lows in those categories came in his rookie season of 2007 when he had eight home runs and 52 RBI in 92 games played.

Last Year: Batted .251 with 15 home runs and 65 RBI in 151 games in his first season with the A's...the batting average was 20 points below his previous career low of .271 in 2014...his .323 on-base percentage matched his career low from 2014.

2 KHRIS DAVIS

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Los Angeles Series: 1-7, 2 r, hr, rbi, 2 bb, 4 so
Homestand: 2-16, 2 r, 2b, hr, rbi, 3 bb, 7 so

- Is 6-for-37 (.162) with 16 strikeouts over his last 11 games.
- Committed his third error in his last four games last night and now has four errors for the season...that is tied for second most among American League left fielders and matches the A's most by an A's left fielder over the last 23 years.
- Is tied for fourth in the AL in home runs (35)...is also tied for eighth in strikeouts (143), tied for ninth in grounded into double plays (17) and tied for 10th in hit by pitches (8).
- His 35 home runs are the most by an Athletic since 2006 when Frank Thomas had 39 and Nick Swisher had 35...Thomas is the only other A's right-handed hitter to hit 30 home runs over the last 14 years.
- Has 16 home runs and 31 RBI in 48 games since the All-Star Break after tallying 19 home runs and 55 RBI in 81 games before the break...the home runs since the break rank third in the majors.
- Is batting .292 (14-for-48) with five home runs and eight RBI in 13 games against Los Angeles...the five home runs match the most by an Athletic against the Angels over the last 24 years (eight times).
- Is hitting .274 (86-for-314) with 26 of his 35 home runs at night compared to .210 (35-for-167) during the day...is tied for the Major League lead in night home runs and tied for seventh in RBI (66)...has the most night home runs by an Athletic since Jason Giambi also had 26 in 2000.
- Has hit 22 of his home runs as a left fielder, which are the most among AL left fielders and third most in the majors...they are the most by an A's left fielder since Ben Grieve had 27 in 2000.
- Has hit 19 home runs at home, which are the most by an Athletic in the Coliseum since Jack Cust had 20 in 2008.
- Has career highs in home runs (35), RBI (86), runs scored (72) and strikeouts (143) and has matched his best in triples (2)...his 121 hits are one short of his career high (122 in 2014).

Last Year: Batted .247 with 27 home runs and 66 RBI in 121 games with Milwaukee...had career highs in walks (44) and stolen bases (6) and matched his best in triples (2)...led the Brewers and tied for 10th in the National League in home runs.

39 BRETT EIBNER

Current Streak: 0 for 7
Boston Series: 0-7, bb, 3 so
Last Road Trip: 2-10, rbi, bb, 4 so, sf

- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville August 5 and is 7-for-47 (.149) in 24 games, including 13 starts (11 in right field, two in left field).
- Is batting .116 (8-for-69) in 31 games since the All-Star Break after batting .304 in 19 contests before the break.
- Has made 34 starts overall (20 in right field, 11 in left field, three at designated hitter).
- Made his Major League debut with Kansas City earlier this year and hit .231 with three home runs and 10 RBI in 26 games over two stints...was traded to the A's on July 30 for Billy Burns but reported to Nashville.
- Combined to hit .289 with 12 home runs and 34 RBI in 54 games with Triple-A Omaha and Nashville...including .308 in four games with the Sounds...appeared in 37 games in center field, 12 in right field and three in left field.

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Triple-A Omaha where he batted .303 with 19 home runs and 81 RBI in 103 games...ranked ninth in the Pacific Coast League in RBI, slugging percentage (.514) and OPS (.878)...hit .348 with RISP.

48 RYON HEALY

Current Streak: 2 games (4 for 8)
Los Angeles Series: 4-8, 2b, 2 rbi
Homestand: 6-18, 2b, 2 rbi, so

- Has back-to-back multiple hit games (4-for-8, .500) and is now batting .358 (29-for-81) over his last 22 games after hitting .222 over his first 26 contests.
- Is hitting .382 (21-for-55) in the seventh inning or later.
- Is 7-for-19 (.368) with three doubles, a home run and five RBI in five games against Los Angeles.
- Went 0-for-3 on Saturday against Boston to snap his reaching base streak at an A's season high 18 games...went 25-for-67 (.373) with four walks during the streak.
- Was selected from Triple-A Nashville July 15 (first day after the All-Star Break) and has started 48 of the A's 49 games since then at third base.
- Has made both his Major League and Triple-A debut this year...hit .338 at Double-A Midland and was promoted to Nashville May 17...batted .318 with the Sounds and combined to hit .326 with 14 home runs and 64 RBI in 85 games...was tied for fifth in all of minor league baseball in extra base hits (46) at the time of his promotion.

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Midland in his Double-A debut and was named to the Texas League Postseason All-Star Team after hitting .302 with 10 home runs and 62 RBI in 124 games.

63 BRUCE MAXWELL

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 6)
Los Angeles Series: 1-3, 2b, 2 rbi, 2 bb
Homestand: 2-7, 2b, 3 rbi, 2 bb, 2 so

- Is 4-for-15 (.267) with six RBI over his last six games after going 2-for-23 (.087) with no RBI over his first nine contests.
- Is 5-for-26 (.192) with all six of his RBI against right-handed pitching, 1-for-12 (.083) against lefties.
- Three of his six career hits are doubles.
- Was selected from Triple-A Nashville July 23 and has appeared in 15 of the A's 41 games since then, including 12 starts at catcher.
- Opponents have been successful in each of their six stolen base attempts off him...tossed out 30-of-77 (39.0%) at Nashville.
- Batted .321 with a career-high 10 home runs and 41 RBI in 60 games with Nashville...added 24 walks for a .393 on-base percentage and slugged .539...made all 60 of his appearances at catcher...had not played above Double-A prior to this year.

Last Year: Spent the entire season at Double-A Midland where he batted .243 with two home runs and 48 RBI in 96 games...led Texas League catchers with a .997 fielding percentage and tossed out 19-of-86 (22.1%) attempted base stealers.

29 MATT MCBRIDE

Current Streak: 0 for 1
Boston Series: 0-1, so
Homestand: 0-1, so

- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville last Friday for his fourth stint with the A's this year and is 0-for-2 in two games since his return...pinch hit Saturday last night after playing both catcher and first base Friday.
- Is 7-for-25 (.280) against left-handed pitchers, 2-for-16 (.125) against right-handers.
- Has appeared in 13 games at catcher (11 starts) and opponents have been successful in all seven of their stolen base attempts off him...has also made one appearance in right field and one at first base.
- Was originally selected by Oakland April 27 but did not appear in a game before being optioned on April 29...returned May 13 and went 4-for-18 (.222) in eight games before he was optioned back to Nashville May 27...recalled a third time July 3 and went 5-for-21 (.238) in seven starts at catcher before he was optioned July 26.
- Hit .296 in 26 games with the Sounds following his July 26 option from Oakland...appeared in 46 games at catcher, 12 in right field, nine in left field and one at first base...his complete 2016 statistics with Nashville:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Nashville (AAA)	.267	70	247	33	66	20	1	7	30	26	49	0	1	.441	.339

Last Year: Spent most of the season at Triple-A Albuquerque and batted .328 with 12 home runs and 49 RBI in 78 games...was promoted to Colorado Aug. 12 and hit .167 with no RBI in 20 games before he was outrighted to Albuquerque Sept. 7.

12 MAX MUNCY

Current Streak: 0 for 15
Boston Series: 0-2, so
Last Road Trip: 0-11, r, rbi, 2 bb, 3 so, gidp

- Is 0 for his last 15, which is the longest hitless streak of his career.
- Has made each of his last 18 starts at second base and is 7-for-57 (.123) in 22 games total over that span (dating back to Aug. 4).
- Has made each of his 32 starts this year and all 58 in his career against right-handed pitchers...is 0-for-3 against left-handed pitchers this year and 0-for-4 with a walk in his career.
- Has made 19 starts at second base, 11 in right field and one at third base...has also appeared in one game in left field...had never played second base or outfield in the majors prior to this year.
- Struck out as a pinch hitter last Friday night and is 0-for-5 with three strikeouts in the pinch.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville July 25 for his third stint with the A's this year and is 9-for-65 (.138) in 26 games, including 20 starts (19 at second base, one in right field), since his return.
- Hit .251 with eight home runs and 26 RBI in 64 games with the Sounds...also walked 35 times for a .360 on-base percentage...appeared in 28 games in left field, 13 at third base, eight in right field, three at first base and three at second base.

Last Year: Made both his Triple-A and Major League debut in his fourth professional season...batted .206 with 3 HR and 9 RBI in 45 games over four stints with Oakland and .274 with 4 HR and 35 RBI in 60 games with Nashville.

18 CHAD PINDER

Current Streak: 0 for 5
Los Angeles Series: 0-2
Homestand: 1-9, 2b

- Was selected from Triple-A Nashville August 19 and has started eight games since then (five at second base, three at shortstop).
- Is 4-for-20 (.200) over his last seven games after going 1-for-11 (.091) over the first three.
- Was selected by the A's in the Competitive Balance Round B of the 2013 First-Year Player Draft and is a .280 career hitter with 45 home runs and 200 RBI in 360 minor league games over four professional seasons.
- Had spent the entire season at Nashville where he was making his Triple-A debut...was leading the Sounds in runs scored (72) at the time of his promotion...appeared in 98 games at shortstop and four at second base...his complete 2016 statistics with Nashville:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Nashville (AAA)	.258	107	426	72	110	23	3	14	51	25	108	5	1	.425	.310

Last Year: Was named Texas League Player of the Year and A's Organizational Player of the Year...spent the entire season at Double-A Midland, hitting .317 with 15 home runs and 86 RBI in 117 games.

10 MARCUS SEMIEN

Current Streak: 0 for 3
Los Angeles Series: 2-7, r, 2 2b, bb, so
Homestand: 3-17, r, 2 2b, bb, 5 so

- Is 9-for-41 (.220) with five doubles in 11 games since he was reinstated from the paternity list Aug. 26...was placed on the PL August 24 and missed three games for the birth of his son, Isaiah...those are the only three games he has missed all season.
- Nine of his last 15 hits are doubles.
- Leads American League shortstops and ranks third in the majors with 23 home runs...is tied for fourth in the AL with 10 home runs against left-handed pitching...leads the majors with nine home runs batting ninth, which ties the Athletics franchise record (Hernandez, 2000).
- Has a season-high 24-game homerless streak.
- Has five home runs and 10 RBI in 15 games against Los Angeles...the five home runs match the most by an Athletic against the Angels over the last 24 years (eight times)...has seven home runs in his career against the Angels, which match his most against any team (Seattle)
- Has started 12 games batting leadoff, including six of the last seven...is 9-for-47 (.191) with two walks hitting first...has started games at every spot in the order this year except clean-up.
- Ranks ninth in the AL in at bats per grounded into double play (79.7).
- Has committed 10 errors in his last 47 games after making eight in his first 88 contests...has 18 errors for the season, which are the most among Major League shortstops.
- Has career highs in home runs (23), RBI (56) and walks (43)...his 22 doubles are one short of his high (23 in 2015).

MOST HOME RUNS, ATHLETICS SHORTSTOP

34	Miguel Tejada, 2002
31	Miguel Tejada, 2001
30	Miguel Tejada, 2000
27	Miguel Tejada, 2003
23	Marcus Semien, 2016
23	Eddie Joost, 1949

Last Year: Batted .257 with 15 home runs and 45 RBI in a team-leading 155 games in his first full season in the majors...committed a Major League leading and Oakland record 35 errors...tied for second among AL shortstops in home runs.

5 JAKE SMOLINSKI

Current Streak: 0 for 4
Los Angeles Series: 1-8, 2 so, sh
Homestand: 3-18, 2 r, 2b, hbp, 2 so, sh

- Is hitting .189 (23-for-122) over his last 35 games after batting .333 over his first 45 contests.
- Made his fourth start batting leadoff last night and is 2-for-16 (.128) with two walks in those games.
- Is hitting .314 (27-for-86) with five of his seven home runs against left-handed pitchers compared to .224 (33-for-147) against right-handers...has hit 11 of his 16 career home runs off lefties.
- Is batting .295 (39-for-132) at home compared to .208 (21-for-101) on the road.
- Has started 43 of the A's 49 games since the All-Star Break (41 in center field, two in right field).
- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville May 20 for his first stint with the A's this year...hit .248 with three home runs and 15 RBI in 39 games with the Sounds.

Last Year: Split the season between Triple-A and the majors for both Texas and Oakland...combined to hit .374 with nine home runs and 31 RBI in 37 games between Round Rock and Nashville...appeared in 76 combined Major League games.

26 DANNY VALENCIA

Current Streak: 0 for 4
Los Angeles Series: 3-8, 2 r, 2b, hr, 2 rbi, bb, 2 so
Homestand: 4-15, 4 r, 2b, hr, 2 rbi, 4 bb, 3 so

- Is 7-for-34 (.206) with two three-hit games over his last 11 games but is batting .319 (22-for-69) with nine multiple hit games over his last 20 contests.
- Ranks seventh in the American League in batting against left-handed pitching (.339) and tied for ninth in batting during the day (.322)...is third in batting on the road (.326).
- Is hitting .352 (19-for-54) against Los Angeles.
- Has started games at four positions since the All-Star Break (21 in right field, 12 at first base, four at designated hitter, one at third base)...made all 66 of his starts on defense before the break at third base.
- Is hitting .409 (18-for-44) in 15 games as a first baseman, .311 (79-for-254) in 68 games as a third baseman and .232 (19-for-82) in 21 games as a right fielder.
- Has hit 12 of his 16 home runs on the road.
- Has 16 home runs in 111 games, both of which are the second best totals of his career (18 home runs in 2015, 154 games in 2011).

Last Year: Began the season with Toronto and was claimed off waivers by Oakland Aug. 3...hit .284 with 11 HR and 37 RBI in 47 games with the A's...combined for a .290 average, a career-high 18 HR and 66 RBI in 105 games overall.

21 STEPHEN VOGT

Current Streak: 0 for 11
Los Angeles Series: 0-8, bb, ibb, so
Homestand: 2-17, r, 2b, rbi, bb, ibb, 3 so

- Is batting .190 (24-for-126) over his last 36 games.
- Has hit 10 of his 11 home runs off right-handed pitchers...10 have been solo shots.
- Has six home runs and 26 RBI in his career against Los Angeles, which are his best marks against any team.
- Ranks eighth in the American League in at bats per grounded into double play (80.6).
- Is hitting .185 (15-for-81) with runners in scoring position, which is fourth lowest in the AL.
- Has seven errors, which is an on-going career high and tied for second most among American League catchers (Navarro, CWS 8).
- Has tossed out 5 of the last 12 (41.7%) attempted base stealers and 11-of-53 (20.8%) for the season.
- Has a career-high 25 doubles.
- Was named to his second consecutive AL All-Star team but did not play in the game.

Last Year: Was named to his first AL All-Star team...hit .261 with 18 HR and 71 RBI...hit .308 with 13 HR and 53 RBI over his first 70 games, .214 with 5 HR and 18 RBI over his final 66 contests...led the A's in walks (56) and on-base pct. (.341).

52 JOEY WENDLE

Current Streak: 2 games (2 for 6)
Los Angeles Series: 2-6, r, 3 rbi, so
Homestand: 3-10, r, 3 rbi, so

- Was recalled from Triple-A Nashville a week ago today and has appeared in five games since then, including four starts at second base.
- Had a pinch hit single in the eighth inning Friday night off Boston's Joe Kelly for his first Major League hit.
- Was acquired by the A's from Cleveland on Dec. 8, 2014 in exchange for Brandon Moss.
- Hit safely in each of his final nine games with the Sounds, going 21-for-43 (.488) with seven doubles, eight RBI and seven multiple hit games... was batting .340 in August and had a .335 average since the All-Star Break after hitting .250 before the break.
- Was tied for fifth in the Pacific Coast League in triples (9) and extra base hits (52), ranked sixth in runs (81), tied for sixth in hits (137) and seventh in doubles (31) at the time of his promotion...appeared exclusively at second base on defense where he was leading PCL second basemen with a .986 fielding percentage in 122 games...was 9-for-17 (.529) with two home runs with the bases loaded...his complete 2016 statistics with Nashville follow:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Nashville (AAA)	.279	125	491	81	137	31	9	12	61	26	112	14	4	.452	.324

Last Year: Was named to the PCL Postseason All-Star Team after batting .289 with 42 doubles, eight triples, 10 home runs and 57 RBI in 137 games with Triple-A Nashville...led the PCL and ranked fourth in minor league baseball with 167 hits.

A'S HITTING VS. LOS ANGELES

2016	CAREER									
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
.250	8	2	0	0	Alcantara	.250	8	2	0	0
.280	50	14	1	5	Alonso	.295	61	18	1	7
.259	27	7	0	0	Butler	.277	311	86	14	48
.292	48	14	5	8	Davis	.250	60	15	5	8
.000	7	0	0	0	Eibner	.000	7	0	0	0
.368	19	7	1	5	Healy	.368	19	7	1	5
.200	5	1	0	2	Maxwell	.200	5	1	0	2
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	McBride	#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0
.231	26	6	1	2	Muncy	.222	36	8	2	4
.000	2	0	0	0	Pinder	.000	2	0	0	0
.269	52	14	5	10	Semien	.274	124	34	7	13
.192	26	5	0	0	Smolinski	.203	79	16	1	11
.352	54	19	3	7	Valencia	.284	183	52	6	24
.191	47	9	1	4	Vogt	.235	162	38	6	26
.333	6	2	0	3	Wendle	.333	6	2	0	3
.218	142	31	2	14	others					
.256	512	131	19	60	TOTALS					

A'S CAREER HITTING VS. MEYER

PLAYER	BAT	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Has no match-ups																

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2016 HOME RUNS				Tot.	LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN			
	Solo	2R	3R	GS		Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since
Alcantara	0	0	0	0	0	September 20, 2014	Los Angeles (NL)	Howell	24
Alonso	1	5	1	0	7	August 26, 2016	at St. Louis	Weaver	8
Butler	3	1	0	0	4	July 30, 2016	at Cleveland	Tomlin	16
Davis	21	8	5	1	35	September 5, 2016	Los Angeles (AL)	Achter	1
Eibner	5	0	0	0	5	August 14, 2016	Seattle	Storen	13
Healy	4	1	1	0	6	August 15, 2016	at Texas	Perez	19
Ladendorf	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	32
Maxwell	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	14
McBride	0	0	0	0	0	August 30, 2014	at Arizona	Nuño	49
Muncy	2	0	0	0	2	August 11, 2016	Baltimore	Ondrusek	16
Pinder	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	10
Semien	17	4	2	0	23	August 7, 2016	Chicago (NL)	Hendricks	24
Smolinski	2	3	2	0	7	August 17, 2016	at Texas	Darvish	16
Valencia	9	6	1	0	16	September 5, 2016	Los Angeles (AL)	Weaver	1
Vogt	10	0	1	0	11	August 28, 2016	at St. Louis	Garcia	8
Wendle	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	5
others	20	6	3	1	30				
Team	91	34	16	2	143				

A'S AT A GLANCE

Season High	10-7 (April 22)
Season Low	57-78/58-79 (Sept. 3/Sept. 5)
April	13-12
May	11-17
June	11-15
July	12-14
August	10-18
September	2-3
Home Series	10-10-2
Road Series	7-14-1
Series Sweeps	5-11
First Game of Series	22-23
Last Game of Series	15-29
A's Score First	40-37
Opponent Scores First	19-42
Leading After 7th	44-6
Leading After 8th	49-4
Tied After 7th	6-3
Tied After 8th	7-4
Trailing After 7th	9-70
Trailing After 8th	3-71
Commit No Errors	34-44
Commit 1 or More Errors	25-35
More HR Than Opp	32-12
Fewer HR Than Opp	8-43
Same Total HR of Opp	19-24
Starter Pitches 7 or More	17-6
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	42-73
When Scoring 4 or More	39-23
When Scoring Less Than 4	20-56
Last At Bat	15-13
Replay Challenges	19-10
Different Lineups	121

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Butler	Hits	1469	31 for 1500
	Walks	498	2 for 500
Davis	Doubles	83	17 for 100
	Home Runs	95	5 for 100
Doolittle	Saves	33	11 for 44 (ties Koch and Foulke for 9th in Athletics history)
Gray	Wins	38	12 for 50
	Games	96	4 for 100
	Games Started	94	6 for 100

WALK-OFF WINS (7)

Yonder Alonso, April 29 vs. Houston (home run)
 Khris Davis, May 17 vs. Texas (grand slam)
 Billy Burns, June 17 vs. Los Angeles-AL (single)
 Josh Reddick, July 19 vs. Houston (single)
 Coco Crisp, July 22 vs. Tampa Bay (single)
 Ryon Healy, July 23 vs. Tampa Bay (home run)
 Khris Davis, September 4 vs. Boston (double/E7, no RBI)

DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Alvarez, H.	Right shoulder surgery	March 25-present (eligible May 27)	138	Ladendorf	Left wrist sprain	August 17-present (eligible September 1)	18
Alvarez, R.J.	Right elbow surgery	March 25-June 11	61	Lambo	Testicular cancer surgery	July 4-present	56
Bassitt	Strained right elbow	April 29-present	115	Lowrie	Right shin contusion	May 10-May 24	14
Butler	Concussion	August 22-28	6	Lowrie	Bunion on his left foot	August 4-present	31
Canha	Back strain	May 9-present	106	Manaea	Left pronator strain	June 14-28	14
Doolittle	Strained left shoulder	June 26-September 1	59	Parker	Fractured right medial epicondyle	March 13-present	138
Doubront	Sprained left elbow	April 4-present	138	Phegley	Strained right knee	May 10-May 26	15
Fuld	Strained left shoulder	March 25-present	138	Phegley	Strained right knee	July 2-present (eligible August 31)	58
Gray	Strained right trapezius	May 21-June 4	13	Reddick	Fractured left thumb	May 20-June 27	34
Gray	Strained right forearm	August 7-present (eligible August 22)	28	Rodriguez	Strained right shoulder	July 4-present (eligible September 3)	56
Hahn	Strained right shoulder	August 5-September 1	25	Sogard	Cervical strain	March 28-present (eligible May 27)	138
Hendriks	Right triceps strain	May 8-June 18	37	Triggs	Left shin contusion	July 18-August 1	13
Hill	Left groin strain	May 30-July 1	29	Valencia	Strained left hamstring	April 21-May 5	14
Hill	Left middle finger blister	July 20-31	11				

The A's have used the disabled list an Oakland record 27 times this season...used the DL 23 times in 2015

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

July 3	Josh Phegley placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 2 (strained right knee); Matt McBride recalled from Nashville				
July 4	Andrew Triggs recalled from Nashville; Patrick Schuster selected from Nashville; Daniel Coulombe optioned to Nashville; Fernando Rodriguez placed on the 15-day disabled list (right shoulder strain); Andrew Lambo recalled from Nashville and placed on the 60-day disabled list (cancer surgery)	July 30	Dillon Overton recalled from Nashville; Rich Hill placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 20 (left middle finger blister); Billy Burns traded to the Kansas City Royals for Brett Eibner	Aug. 1	Rich Hill and Josh Reddick traded to the Los Angeles Dodgers for Jharel Cotton, Frankie Montas and minor leaguer Grant Holmes
July 15	Ryon Healy selected from Nashville; Billy Burns optioned to Nashville; Nick Tepesch designated for assignment	Aug. 2	Tyler Ladendorf recalled from Nashville; Andrew Triggs reinstated from the disabled list; J.B. Wendelken optioned to Nashville	Aug. 4	Jesse Hahn recalled from Nashville; Andrew Triggs optioned to Nashville
July 18	Nick Tepesch claimed off waivers by Kansas City	Aug. 5	Brett Eibner and Andrew Triggs recalled from Nashville; Jed Lowrie placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to August 4 (bunion on his left foot); Jesse Hahn placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained right shoulder)	Aug. 6	Patrick Schuster recalled from Nashville; Dillon Overton optioned to Nashville
July 19	Daniel Coulombe and Dillon Overton recalled from Nashville; Tyler Ladendorf optioned to Nashville; Andrew Triggs placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to July 18 (left shin contusion)	Aug. 7	Chris Smith selected from Nashville; Sonny Gray placed on the 15-day disabled list (strained right forearm); Josh Phegley transferred to the 60-day DL	Aug. 10	Ross Detwiler selected from Nashville; Patrick Schuster designated for assignment
July 20	Arismendy Alcantara recalled from Nashville; Dillon Overton optioned to Nashville	Aug. 12	Patrick Schuster claimed off waivers by Philadelphia	Aug. 15	Sean Doolittle sent to Nashville on a rehab assignment
July 21	Zach Neal recalled from Nashville; Patrick Schuster optioned to Nashville				
July 23	Bruce Maxwell selected from Nashville; Stephen Vogt placed on family medical leave list; Fernando Rodriguez transferred to the 60-day disabled list				
July 24	Jesse Hahn recalled from Nashville; Arismendy Alcantara optioned to Nashville				
July 25	Max Muncy recalled from Nashville; Jesse Hahn optioned to Nashville				
July 26	Stephen Vogt reinstated from the family medical leave list; J.B. Wendelken recalled from Nashville				
Aug. 16	Jesse Hahn sent to Nashville on a rehab assignment				
Aug. 17	Chad Pinder selected from Nashville; Tyler Ladendorf placed on the 15-day disabled list (sprained left wrist); Jed Lowrie transferred to the 60-day DL				
Aug. 22	Billy Butler placed on the 7-day concussion disabled list; Arismendy Alcantara recalled from Nashville				
Aug. 24	Marcus Semien placed on paternity list; J.B. Wendelken recalled from Nashville				
Aug. 25	Marc Rzepczynski and cash traded to Washington for minor leaguer Max Schrock				
Aug. 26	Marcus Semien reinstated from the paternity list				
Aug. 27	Henderson Alvarez sent to AZL A's on a rehab assignment				
Aug. 29	Billy Butler reinstated from the 7-day concussion disabled list; Arismendy Alcantara optioned to Stockton				
Aug. 30	Henderson Alvarez transferred to Stockton on a rehab assignment				
Aug. 31	Coco Crisp and cash traded to Cleveland for minor leaguer Colt Hynes; Joey Wendle recalled from Nashville				
Sept. 2	Sean Doolittle and Jesse Hahn reinstated from the disabled list; Jesse Hahn optioned to Nashville; Matt McBride recalled from Nashville				
Sept. 3	Daniel Mengden recalled from Nashville				
Sept. 5	Raul Alcantara recalled from Nashville; Donn Roach claimed off waivers from Detroit and optioned to Nashville				
Sept. 6	Arismendy Alcantara recalled from Stockton				
Sept. 7	Jharel Cotton recalled from Nashville				

2016 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/GB	LEADER AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	CUM. ATT.
4/4	1	CWS	L	3-4	0-1	t3	-1	TEX	1/2 Sale	Hill	Robertson	35,067*	35,067
4/5	2	CWS	L	4-5	0-2	t4	-1 1/2	HOU	1/2 Jones	Doolittle	Robertson	10,478	45,545
4/6	3	CWS	W	2-1	1-2	t3	-1	SEA	1/2 Gray	Rodon	Madson	16,468	62,013
4/7	4	CWS	L	1-6	1-3	t4	-1 1/2	SEA	1 Latos	Graveman		12,577	74,590
(4 dates)													
4/8	5	at SEA	W	3-2	2-3	t2	-1/2	SEA	1/2 Doolittle	Cishek	Madson	47,065	47,065
4/9	6	at SEA	W	6-1	3-3	t1	-	OAK/TEX	- Hill	Karns		36,424	83,489
4/10	7	at SEA	W	2-1 (10)	4-3	1	+1	OAK	1 Axford	Vincent	Doolittle	30,834	114,323
(3 dates)													
4/11	8	LAA	L	1-4	4-4	t1	-	OAK/TEX	- Tropeano	Gray	Street	13,371	87,961
4/12	9	LAA	L	4-5	4-5	3	-1	TEX	1/2 Morin	Doolittle	Street	13,492	101,453
4/13	10	LAA	L	1-5	4-6	3	-1 1/2	LAA	1/2 Shoemaker	Surkamp		11,216	112,669
4/14	OFF DAY					3	-1 1/2	LAA/TEX	-				
4/15	11	KC	L	2-4	4-7	t4	-1 1/2	LAA/TEX	- Volquez	Hill	Davis	19,451	132,120
4/16	12	KC	W	5-3	5-7	4	-1 1/2	TEX	1 Gray	Young	Madson	25,564	157,684
4/17	13	KC	W	3-2	6-7	2	-1	TEX	1 Axford	Soria	Madson	29,668	187,352
(10 dates)													
4/18	OFF DAY					t2	-1	TEX	1				
4/19	14	at NYY	W	3-2 (11)	7-7	2	-1	TEX	1 Rodriguez	Barbato	Madson	31,952	146,275
4/20	15	at NYY	W	5-2	8-7	2	-1	TEX	1 Graveman	Evoldite	Doolittle	37,396	183,671
4/21	16	at NYY	W	7-3	9-7	2	-1	TEX	1 Hill	Shreve	Madson	33,818	217,489
4/22	17	at TOR	W	8-5	10-7	t1	-	OAK/TEX	-- Gray	Sanchez	Madson	34,251	251,740
4/23	18	at TOR	L	3-9	10-8	t1	-	OAK/TEX	-- Happ	Bassitt		46,334	298,074
4/24	19	at TOR	L	3-6	10-9	t1	-	OAK/TEX	-- Hutchison	Surkamp	Osuna	46,300	344,374
4/25	20	at DET	L	3-7	10-10	t2	-1/2	SEA	1/2 Zimmerman	Graveman		21,671	366,045
4/26	21	at DET	W	5-1	11-10	t2	-1/2	SEA	1/2 Hill	Pelfrey		22,256	388,301
4/27	22	at DET	L	4-9	11-11	t3	-1	TEX	-1/2 Verlander	Gray		22,636	410,937
4/28	23	at DET	L	3-7	11-12	4	-1 1/2	TEX	1/2 Sanchez	Bassitt	Rodriguez	26,200	437,137
(13 dates)													
4/29	24	HOU	W	7-4	12-12	3	-1 1/2	TEX	1/2 Madson	Sipp		20,159	207,511
4/30	25	HOU	W	2-0	13-12	3	-1 1/2	TEX	1/2 Hahn	Devenski	Madson	23,084	230,595
5/1	26	HOU	L	1-2	13-13	3	-1 1/2	TEX	1/2 Fister	Hill	Gregerson	24,135	254,730
5/2	27	SEA	L	3-4	13-14	3	-2 1/2	TEX	1/2 Karns	Graveman	Cishek	10,535	265,265
5/3	28	SEA	L	2-8	13-15	3	-3	SEA	1/2 Iwakuma	Gray		12,584	277,849
5/4	29	SEA	L	8-9	13-16	4	-4	SEA	1 1/2 Montgomery	Axford	Cishek	16,238	294,087
(16 dates)													
5/5	OFF DAY					4	-4 1/2	SEA	2 1/2				
5/6	at BAL	PPD, Rain				t3	-4	SEA	1 1/2				
5/7	30	at BAL (D)	W	8-4	14-16				Hill	Wright		15,110	452,247
	31	at BAL (N)	L	2-5	14-17	3	-4 1/2	SEA	1 1/2 Jimenez	Hahn	Britton	29,862	482,109
5/8	32	at BAL	L	3-11	14-18	3	-4 1/2	SEA	1 1/2 Tillman	Graveman		43,690	525,799
5/9	33	at BOS	L	7-14	14-19	t3	-5 1/2	SEA	1 1/2 Buchholz	Gray		35,227	561,026
5/10	34	at BOS	L	5-13	14-20	t3	-6 1/2	SEA	1 1/2 O'Sullivan	Manaea		32,167	593,193
5/11	35	at BOS	L	3-13	14-21	t3	-7 1/2	SEA	1 1/2 Porcello	Surkamp		33,283	626,476
5/12	OFF DAY					3	-7 1/2	SEA	1 1/2				
5/13	36	at TB	W	6-3	15-21	3	-6 1/2	SEA	1 1/2 Hill	Odorizzi	Madson	14,604	641,080
5/14	37	at TB	L	0-6	15-22	4	-6 1/2	SEA	1/2 ANDRIESE	Graveman		28,158	669,238
5/15	38	at TB	W	7-6	16-22	4	-6	TEX	1/2 Axford	Geltz	Madson	19,545	688,783
(22 dates)													
5/16	39	TEX	W	3-1	17-22	4	-5	TEX/SEA	- Manaea	Holland	Madson	10,068	304,155
5/17	40	TEX	W	8-5	18-22	3	-5	SEA	1 Madson	Tolleson		12,718	316,873
5/18	41	TEX	W	8-1	19-22	3	-4	SEA	1 Hill	Perez		14,323	331,196
5/19	42	NYN	L	1-4	19-23	4	-5	SEA	1 1/2 Nova	Graveman	Chapman	17,456	348,652
5/20	43	NYN	L	3-8	19-24	4	-6	SEA	1 1/2 Sabathia	Gray		28,235	376,887
5/21	44	NYN	L	1-5	19-25	4	-7	SEA	1 1/2 Tanaka	Manaea		26,356	403,243
5/22	45	NYN	L	4-5	19-26	4	-8	SEA	1 1/2 Pineda	Hahn	Chapman	25,237	428,480
(23 dates)													
5/23	46	at SEA	W	5-0	20-26	4	-7	SEA	1 1/2 Hill	Walker		16,370	705,153
5/24	47	at SEA	L	5-6	20-27	4	-8	SEA	1 1/2 Montgomery	Madson		17,471	722,624
5/25	48	at SEA	L	3-13	20-28	4	-9	SEA	1 1/2 Iwakuma	Neal		19,227	741,851
(25 dates)													
5/26	OFF DAY					t4	-9	SEA	1 1/2				
5/27	49	DET	L	1-4	20-29	t4	-9	SEA	1 1/2 Fulmer	Manaea		22,498	450,978
5/28	50	DET	W	12-3	21-29	t4	-8	SEA	1 1/2 Hahn	Saupold		24,154	475,132
5/29	51	DET	W	4-2	22-29	t4	-7 1/2	TEX	1/2 Hill	Pelfrey	Doolittle	20,522	495,654
5/30	52	MIN	W	3-2	23-29	t4	-7 1/2	TEX	1/2 Graveman	Santana	Madson	17,248	512,902
5/31	53	MIN	W	7-4	24-29	t4	-7 1/2	TEX	1/2 Dull	Duffey	Axford	12,767	525,669
6/1	54	MIN	W	5-1	25-29	t3	-6 1/2	TEX	1/2 Manaea	Dean		11,345	537,014
(29 dates)													
6/2	OFF DAY					3	-6 1/2	TEX/SEA	-				
6/3	55	at HOU	L	2-12	25-30	5	-7 1/2	TEX	1 Fister	Hahn		26,458	768,309
6/4	56	at HOU	L	5-6 (12)	25-31	5	-8 1/2	TEX	2 Feldman	Madson		37,223	805,532
6/5	57	at HOU	L	2-5	25-32	5	-9 1/2	TEX	3 McCullers	Dull	Harris	30,817	836,349
6/6	OFF DAY					5	-10	TEX	4				
6/7	58	at MIL	L	4-5	25-33	5	-11	TEX	4 Davies	Manaea	Jeffress	19,283	855,632
6/8	59	at MIL	L	0-4	25-34	5	-11	TEX	3 Anderson	Hahn		18,188	873,820
6/9	OFF DAY					5	-11 1/2	TEX	4				
6/10	60	at CIN	L	1-2	25-35	5	-11 1/2	TEX	3 Wood	Gray	Cingrani	21,520	895,340
6/11	61	at CIN	L	1-2	25-36	5	-12 1/2	TEX	4 Straily	Mengden	Ohlendorf	32,034	927,374
6/12	62	at CIN	W	6-1	26-36	5	-12 1/2	TEX	5 Rodriguez	Lamb		24,880	952,254
(33 dates)													
6/13	63	TEX	W	14-5	27-36	4	-11 1/2	TEX	4 1/2 Coulombe	Ramos	Neal	13,453	550,467
6/14	64	TEX	L	6-10	27-37	5	-12 1/2	TEX	5 1/2 Perez	Surkamp		13,101	563,568
6/15	65	TEX	L	5-7	27-38	5	-13 1/2	TEX	6 1/2 Martinez	Axford	Dyson	10,115	573,683
6/16	66	TEX	L	1-5	27-39	5	-14 1/2	TEX	6 1/2 LEWIS	Mengden		14,236	587,919
6/17	67	LAA	W	3-2	28-39	5	-14 1/2	TEX	6 1/2 Madson	Salas		24,591	612,510
6/18	68	LAA	L	1-7	28-40	5	-15 1/2	TEX	7 1/2 Lincecum	Dull		25,078	637,588
6/19	69	LAA	L	0-2	28-41	5	-16 1/2	TEX	8 1/2 WEAVER	Surkamp		22,846	660,434
6/20	OFF DAY					5	-17	TEX	9 1/2				
6/21	70	MIL	W	5-3	29-41	5	-16	TEX	9 1/2 Doolittle	Smith	Madson	14,810	675,244
6/22	71	MIL	L	2-4	29-42	5	-17	TEX	10 Guerra	Mengden	Thornburg	13,586	688,830
(38 dates)													
6/23	72	at LAA	W	5-4	30-42	5	-16 1/2	TEX	10 Graveman	Lincecum	Doolittle	36,412	988,666
6/24	73	at LAA	W	7-4	31-42	4	-15 1/2	TEX	9 Dull	Salas	Madson	41,356	1,030,022
6/25	74	at LAA	W	7-3	32-42	4	-15 1/2	TEX	9 Overton	Chacin		40,643	1,070,665
6/26	75	at LAA	L	6-7	32-43	4	-16 1/2	TEX	10 Street	Hendriks		36,715	1,107,380
6/27	76	at SF	W	8-3	33-43	4	-16 1/2	TEX	10 Mengden	Samardzija		41,442	1,148,822
6/28	77	at SF	W	13-11	34-43	4	-16 1/2	TEX	10 Neal	Lopez	Madson	41,730	1,190,552
(39 dates)													
6/29	78	SF	W	7-1	35-43	4	-15 1/2	TEX	9 Manaea	Peavy		32,810	721,640
6/30	79	SF	L	6-12	35-44	4	-15 1/2	TEX	8 1/2 Bumgarner	Overton		36,067*	757,707
7/1	80	PIT	L	3-7	35-45	4	-16 1/2	TEX	8 1/2 Locke	Gray		15,710	773,417
7/2	81	PIT	L	2-4 (10)	35-46	4	-16 1/2	TEX	8 1/2 Nicasio	Coulombe	Melancon	28,846	802,263
7/3	82	PIT	L	3-6	35-47	4	-16 1/2	TEX	8 1/2 Liriano	Mengden	Melancon	21,831	824,094
(43 dates)													

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/GB	LEADER AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	CUM. ATT.
7/4	83	at MIN	W	3-1	36-47	4	-15 1/2	TEX	7 1/2 Graveman	Nolasco	Madson	23,100	1,213,652
7/5	84	at MIN	L	4-11	36-48	4	-16 1/2	TEX	7 1/2 Milone	Manaea		16,938	1,230,590
7/6	85	at MIN	L	0-4	36-49	4	-16 1/2	TEX	6 1/2 SANTANA	Gray		27,657	1,258,247
7/7	86	at HOU	W	3-1	37-49	4	-15 1/2	TEX	6 1/2 Hill	Fister	Madson	20,933	1,279,180
7/8	87	at HOU	L	9-10	37-50	t4	-16 1/2	TEX	6 1/2 Feliz	Madson		31,438	1,310,618
7/9	88	at HOU	W	3-2	38-50	4	-15 1/2	TEX	6 1/2 Graveman	McCullers	Dull	35,312	1,345,930
7/10	89	at HOU	L	1-2 (10)	38-51	4	-15 1/2	TEX	5 1/2 Harris	Hendriks		28,119	1,374,049
(46 dates)													
7/11-14	ALL-STAR BREAK					4	-15 1/2	TEX	5 1/2				
7/15	90	TOR	W	8-7	39-51	4	-14 1/2	TEX	4 1/2 Dull	Cecil	Madson	19,192	843,286
7/16	91	TOR	W	5-4	40-51	4	-13 1/2	TEX	4 1/2 Gray	Dickey	Madson	27,510	870,796
7/17	92	TOR	L	3-5	40-52	t4	-14 1/2	TEX	4 1/2 Grilli	Axford	Osuna	21,626	892,422