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OAKLAND ATHLETICS (29-16) VS. TEXAS RANGERS (16-30)

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2020 — GLOBE LIFE FIELD — 1:05 CDT

RHP FRANKIE MONTAS (3-3, 5.73) VS. RHP LANCE LYNN (5-2, 2.52)

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ABOUT THE A'S: Split the doubleheader yesterday and are now 7-4 since resuming play Sept. 4 following a positive test for Covid-19...did not play from Aug. 30 to Sept. 3 (four games)...are a season-high tying 13 games over .500 at 29-16 (.644), which is tied for the second best record in the American League and tied for third best in the majors...are in sole possession of first place in the AL West for the 41st consecutive day and are 6½ games ahead of second place Houston...that is ½ game short of the season high of seven on Sept. 11...have not led by more than seven games since Sept. 24, 2013 when they led by 7½ games...are 23-10 (.697) in intradivision play (the second tiebreaker after head-to-head play), which is the best mark in the majors...have held at least a share of first place for 49 of 51 days this year (41 days in first, eight days tied for first, one day tied for second and one day in third).

MLB BEST RECORDS, LAST THREE YEARS			
	W	L	PCT
Houston	233	137	.630
Los Angeles (NL)	230	141	.620
New York (AL)	228	142	.616
Oakland	223	146	.604
Tampa Bay	216	154	.584

MAGIC NUMBERS: The A's magic number to clinch a playoff spot is seven...the magic number to clinch the division is eight (A's won the season series with Houston 7-3 and would win the tiebreaker).

SCHEDULE NOTES: Today, the A's begin a stretch where they are scheduled to play four games in three different cities in three different time zones over a three-day span that will cover roughly 57-58 hours...have a doubleheader in Seattle tomorrow and play in Denver against the Rockies on Tuesday...the doubleheader tomorrow will conclude a seven-day stretch where the A's played three doubleheaders and 10 games in three different cities...the 10 games in seven days would be the A's most over a seven-day span since June 16-22, 1966 (also 10 games)...are scheduled to play five doubleheaders this year, which would be their most in a season since 1986...the game on Wednesday in Colorado concludes a stretch where the A's are scheduled to play 16 games over 13 days, which would be their most games over a 13-day stretch since July 18-30, 1975 (also 16 in 13)...following that game, the A's are scheduled to have two days off over their next five days...are in a season-ending stretch that began on Sept. 4 where they are scheduled to play 26 games over the final 24 days, which would be their most games over a 24-day stretch since July 21-Aug. 13, 1978 when they had 27 games in 24 days.

OFFENSE: The A's are batting .243 (82-for-337) with 53 runs scored (4.8 per game) in 11 games since resuming play on Sept. 4...are hitting .228 for the season, which is seventh lowest in the majors...have hit under .232 just once in franchise history (.223 in 1908)...however, rank third in the majors in walks (188) and tied for third in hit by pitches (30)...have a .327 on-base percentage, which is .099 points higher than the team batting average...the largest difference in Oakland history is .096 points in 1999...have the third best stolen base percentage in the majors (18-of-21, 85.7%) and are tied for seventh in triples (8)...have the eighth most strikeouts (413)...have the third lowest batting average by designated hitters (.173) and pinch hitters (.105) and the fifth lowest batting average with runners in scoring position (.234).

WITH THE BASES LOADED: The A's have four grand slams, which is second most in the majors to the Padres (7) and matches the A's season total from each of the previous two seasons...are 13-for-40 (.325) with two doubles, a triple, six walks and 46 RBI with the bases loaded...rank fourth in slugging with the bases loaded (.725), tied for fourth in extra base hits (7) and walks (6) and fifth in RBI.

PITCHING: The A's have compiled a 3.21 ERA (62 er in 174.0 ip) over the last 21 games and now have a 3.56 ERA for the season, which is third lowest in the majors...also rank fourth in opponents on-base percentage (.300), fifth in OPS (.683), sixth in slugging (.382) and 10th in batting average (.239)...have the second fewest hit batters (12), are tied for the second fewest walks (124) and have allowed the third fewest home runs (47)...have the seventh fewest strikeouts (368).

STARTING PITCHING: A's starting pitchers are 6-2 with a 3.88 ERA (23 er in 53.1 ip) over the last 10 games...have tossed a season-high 7.0 innings three times over that span...have 225.1 innings pitched, which is 10th most in the majors...that is an average of 5.01 innings per start and the fewest innings per start in Oakland history is 5.09 in 2018.

DEFENSIVE DOINGS: The A's have a five-game errorless streak and have made just one error over the last nine games...have 20 for the season, which is fourth fewest in the majors...are one of three teams without an error by

their outfielders (Diamondbacks, Brewers) and one of two without an error by their first basemen (Astros)...have four errors by their pitchers, two by their catchers and a combined 14 from their second basemen, third basemen and shortstops...have turned just 26 double plays, which is the fewest in the majors.

HOME AND AWAY: The A's are 2-1 on this eight-game, six-day, three-city road trip to Texas (2-1), Seattle (two games) and Colorado (two games)...went 2-3 on the last road trip to Texas (2-1) and Houston (0-2) and are 11-9 (.550) on the road...went 5-3 on the last homestand against San Diego (1-2) and Houston (4-1) and are 18-7 (.720) in Oakland...have a 4.52 ERA (83 er in 165.1 ip) on the road compared to 2.85 in Oakland...have yielded 29 home runs in 165.1 innings on the road (1.58 per nine innings) compared to 18 in 227.0 innings in the Coliseum (0.71 per nine innings)...are averaging 5.65 runs per game on the road (113 r in 20 g) compared to 4.16 in Oakland.

LEFT AND RIGHT: The A's are 9-0 in games in which the opponent starts a left-handed pitcher compared to 20-16 when they start a right-hander...are one of two teams without a loss to a left-handed starter (White Sox, 13-0)...the nine games against lefties are tied for fifth fewest in the majors...faced Allard in game two yesterday after facing a right-handed starter in each of the previous 12 games...have faced just two lefties over the last 18 games (also Allard on Aug. 26) and four over the last 30...went 12-for-37 (.324) against left-handers in the doubleheader yesterday after going 4-for-48 (.083) against southpaws over the previous 16 contests.

CLOSE CALLS: The A's lead the majors in walk-off wins (5), are tied for the lead in extra inning wins (5), tied for second in last at bat wins (8) and rank fifth in comeback wins (14)...are 5-0 in extra inning games and now have a six-game winning streak in extra innings dating back to Sept. 18, 2019...that is the A's longest extra inning win streak since June 17-Sept. 22, 2006 when they also won six straight...also lead the majors in wins when trailing after six innings (6), are tied for the lead in wins when trailing after eight (2), five (8) and four innings (10) and tied for third in wins when trailing after seven innings (3).

A's vs. RANGERS: The A's have clinched their fourth consecutive season series victory as they are 7-2 entering the final meeting today...the only other time the A's won four consecutive series from the Texas Rangers was from 2002-05...with a win today, would finish with their best winning percentage against the Texas Rangers (15-4, .789 in 2003)...it would be their best against the Rangers/Senators since 1970 (10-2, .833)...are 4-2 in Arlington this year and 3-0 in Oakland...have won 14 of the last 17 games and are 29-9 over the last 38 contests...have won eight of the last 10 games and 14 of the last 19 in Texas...have won seven of the last eight and 25 of the last 31 in Oakland...are 44-22 (.667) against the Rangers over the last four years...are 385-375 all-time against the Texas Rangers...that breaks down to 203-176 in Oakland and 182-199 in Texas...went 111-109 at Globe Life Park, which was the second best record by a visiting American League team (Yankees, 57-48, .543)...have an all-time record of 482-457 against the Rangers/Senators franchise.

TODAY'S TIDBITS

Jake Diekman has not allowed a run in his 16 appearances (16.0 ip) and now has a career-high 19.2-inning scoreless streak...his 16.0 innings pitched are the most in the majors among pitchers with no runs allowed...**Liam Hendriks** has converted each of his last 12 save opportunities, which is the longest such streak of his career...is tied for the Major League lead in saves (12) and leads relievers in the West divisions in strikeouts (30)...**Tommy La Stella** has not struck out in his last 42 plate appearances...is averaging 21.13 plate appearances per strikeout for the season...that is the best mark in the majors by nearly 10 plate appearances (Arenado, COL 11.44)...**Matt Olson** is tied for sixth in the majors in RBI (38), tied for eighth in walks (29) and tied for ninth in home runs (13)

THIS DATE IN ATHLETICS HISTORY

In **1953** Bob Trice becomes the first African-American to appear in a major league game for the Athletics...in **1970** Bert Campaneris singles in the first game of a double-header at Kansas City for the 1000th hit of his major league career...in **1971** Rick Monday's 11th inning RBI single scores Catfish Hunter to give the A's a 2-1 win at Kansas City...Hunter pitches 10 innings, allowing a run on four hits, to become Oakland's second 20-game winner...in **2010** Bobby Cramer defeats the Kansas City Royals 5-3 in his Major League debut at the age of 30 to become the oldest pitcher in Athletics history to start and win in his debut.

PITCHING PROBABLES

Mon., Sept. 14 at Seattle

LHP Jesús Luzardo or LHP Mike Minor vs. LHP Marco Gonzales (5-2, 3.02)
LHP Jesús Luzardo or LHP Mike Minor vs. TBA

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TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Frankie Montas (3-3, 5.73 ERA)

FOR STARTERS: Is scheduled to make his ninth start of the season, his seventh in a day game...is 1-2 with a 12.27 ERA (20 er in 14.2 ip) and .368 (25-for-68) opponents batting average in four starts since missing his scheduled start on Aug. 14 at San Francisco with upper back tightness...has tossed five innings or fewer in all four starts...was 2-1 with a 1.57 ERA and .175 opponents batting average over his first four starts...allowed no home runs over his first four starts (23.0 ip) and has five over his last four (14.2 ip).

OPPONENTS BATTING: Has allowed a .182 (14-for-77) batting average and .529 OPS against right-handed hitters compared to .352 (25-for-71) with a 1.032 OPS against left-handers...has a .305 (18-for-59) opponents batting average the first time through the lineup, .274 (17-for-62) the second time and .148 (4-for-27) after that...opponents are hitting .215 (17-for-79) with the bases empty, .319 (22-for-69) with four of his five home runs with runners on...has allowed a .139 (11-for-79) average with two strikes and opponents are hitting .167 in that situation in his career...has not allowed a hit to the opponents number eight hitter (0-for-12).

THE AMERICAN LEAGUE WEST AND THE REST: Is 3-1 with a 3.77 ERA (13 er in 31.0 ip) in six starts against American League West teams compared to 0-2 with a 14.85 ERA (11 er in 6.2 ip) in two starts against the NL West...the one loss to the AL West came on Aug. 29 at Houston and it snapped a seven-game winning streak against American League West competition...it was his first loss against a divisional foe since April 5, 2019 at Houston...is now 10-4 with a 3.83 ERA (52 er in 122.1 ip) in 31 games against the AL West in his career, compared to 8-8 with a 4.52 ERA (62 er in 123.1 ip) in 36 career games against non AL West teams...is 2-3 with a 6.75 ERA (24 er in 32.0 ip) in nine career interleague appearances, including six starts.

RUN SUPPORT: Has received two runs of support or fewer in six of his eight starts...received 10 of his 23 runs of support this year in one start on Aug. 3 at Seattle...over the last two years, he has received two runs of support or fewer in 13 of his 24 starts and seven runs or more seven times...in his career, he is 12-1 in 15 starts when three runs of support or more.

HOME AND AWAY: Is 2-1 with a 3.16 ERA (9 er in 25.2 ip) and .237 (23-for-97) opponents batting average in five starts at home compared to 1-2 with a 11.25 ERA (15 er in 12.0 ip) and .314 (16-for-51) opponents average in three starts on the road...has allowed two home runs in 25.2 innings in Oakland, three in 12.0 innings on the road.

THIS AND THAT: Has a 7.54 ERA (19 er in 22.2 ip) over the first three innings of a game, 2.40 (4 er in 15.0 ip) from the fourth inning on...opponents are hitting .295 (28-for-95) with four of his five home runs and 14 of his 19 walks over the first three innings, .208 (11-for-53) after that...is 2-1 with a 2.66 ERA (7 er in 23.2 ip) in four starts on four days rest compared to 1-2 with a 10.93 ERA (17 er in 14.0 ip) in four starts on five days rest or more...was named American League Player of the Week for the week of Aug. 3-9 after going 2-0 with a 0.64 ERA in two starts...struck out 14, walked four and allowed six hits in 14.0 innings...it was his first career Player of the Week honor...is 17-9 with a 3.35 ERA (74 er in 198.2 ip) in 37 games, 35 starts, over the last three years after going 1-3 with a 6.32 ERA in 30 games, two starts, over his first two seasons...the A's are 5-3 (.625) in his starting assignments this year and 24-11 (.686) in his career.

2020 START-BY-START: He had a no decision in the A's 7-3, 10-inning win over Los Angeles (AL) on Opening Day, **July 24** in Oakland...it was his first career Opening Day start and he became the A's 13th different Opening Day starting pitcher over the last 15 years (Zito, Haren, Blanton, Braden, Sheets, Cahill, McCarthy, Anderson, Gray twice, Hill, Graveman twice, Fiers)...was just the second foreign-born Opening Day starting pitcher in Oakland history (Ariel Prieto, April 2, 1997)...scattered two hits, a walk and hit a batter over the first three innings before allowing his only run in the fourth inning on a Goodwin RBI single...was the losing pitcher in the A's 5-1 loss to Colorado **July 29** in Oakland...it was his first loss since April 29, 2019 at Boston and it snapped a five-game winning streak dating back to May 17, 2019...allowed a RBI single to Wolters in the second inning and a sacrifice fly to Hampson in the fourth...was the winning pitcher in the A's 11-1 victory at Seattle on **Aug. 3**...allowed a RBI double to Seager in the third inning but that would be the only run he would allow in seven innings of work...won his second consecutive start in the A's 3-1 win over Houston **Aug. 8** in Oakland...tossed 7.0 scoreless innings and allowed just two hits, his fewest hits allowed in a start of more than four innings in his career...retired the first four batters, allowed a double to Gurriel in the fourth, retired the next eight batters, allowed a single to Gurriel in the fifth and then retired the final nine batters...was the losing pitcher in the A's 10-1 loss at Arizona on **Aug. 18**...allowed a career-high nine runs on six hits and four walks in 1.2 innings...it was the shortest start of his career...allowed five runs in the first inning, including a three-run home run by Ahmed, and four more in the second... had a no decision in the A's 5-4, 10-inning win over Los Angeles (AL) **Aug. 23** in Oakland...allowed a three-run home run to Ohtani in the third and a RBI single to Goodwin in the fifth...left trailing 4-2

but Oakland scored twice in the sixth to get him off the hook...lost his second consecutive decision in the A's 6-3 loss in the second game of the **Aug. 29** doubleheader at Houston...the two-game losing streak matched his career high and it marked the first time he has lost back-to-back decisions since July 29-Aug. 30, 2018...allowed a bases loaded triple to Tucker in the first inning and a two-run home run to Springer in the second.

LAST START: He was the winning pitcher in the A's 4-2 win over Houston in the first game of a doubleheader last Tuesday in Oakland when the A's were the visiting team...shut out the Astros on four hits and a walk over the first four innings and had a 2-0 lead when he allowed a two-run home run to Brantley in the bottom of the fifth...Oakland came back with two in the top of the sixth and he was relieved by Diekman to start the bottom of the sixth with the A's leading 4-2.

MONTAS' 2020 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
July 24	Los Angeles (AL)	7-3 (10)	-	2.25	4.0	3	1	1	3	5	0	81
July 29	Colorado	1-5	L	3.00	5.0	5	2	2	2	3	0	77
July Totals (2 games, 2 starts)				0-1	3.00	9.0	8	3	3	5	8	0
Aug. 3	at Seattle	11-1	W	2.25	7.0	4	1	1	4	9	0	99
Aug. 8	Houston	3-1	W	1.57	7.0	2	0	0	0	5	0	86
Aug. 18	at Arizona	1-10	L	3.83	1.2	6	9	9	4	1	2	56
Aug. 23	Los Angeles (AL)	5-4 (10)	-	5.22	4.2	7	4	4	3	5	1	96
Aug. 29	at Houston (G#2)	3-6 (7)	L	6.06	3.1	6	5	5	2	5	1	76
August Totals (5 games, 5 starts)				2-2	7.23	23.2	25	19	19	13	25	4
Sept. 8	Houston (G#1)	4-2 (7)	W	5.73	5.0	6	2	2	1	4	1	79

MONTAS vs. TEXAS: Is 2-0 with a 3.43 ERA (21.0 ip, 25 h, 10 r, 8 er, 8 bb, 24 so, 2 hr) in six career appearances, including three starts...is 1-0 with a 2.74 ERA (3 er in 7.2 ip) in two games in Oakland and was 1-0 with a 3.38 ERA (5 er in 13.1 ip) in four games at Globe Life Park...is 2-0 with a 4.32 ERA (8 er in 16.2 ip) in his three starts...was 2-0 with a 3.86 ERA (11.2 ip, 16 h, 6 r, 5 er, 3 bb, 16 so) in two starts last year...the first win came in an 11-5 A's win in Oakland on April 23...allowed a RBI double to Mazara in the first and a RBI single to Cabrera in the second...the score was tied at 2-2 when the A's scored six times in the fourth inning...allowed another run in the sixth on a Forsythe sacrifice fly and was relieved by Petit after 5.2 innings with the A's leading 10-3...also picked up the victory in the A's 9-8 win at Texas on June 9...struck out a career-high tying 10 batters...blacked the Rangers on three hits over the first three innings and had an 8-0 lead when he allowed a two-run single to Odor in the fourth...also allowed a solo home run to Cabrera in the sixth and left after six innings with an 8-3 lead.

STARTS VS. TEXAS

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
7/24/18	A	-	5.0	5	4	3	2	3
4/23/19	H	W	5.2	9	3	3	2	6
6/9/19	A	W	6.0	7	3	2	1	10

MONTAS' CAREER MATCHUPS VS. TEXAS

Player	Bat	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Elvis Andrus	R	10	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	1	.200	.182	.200
Willie Calhoun	L	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	2.000
Shin-Soo Choo	L	8	2	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	.250	.400	.250
Joey Gallo	L	6	2	0	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	.333	.500	.333
Ronald Guzman	L	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.250	.400	.500
Isiah Kiner-Falefa	R	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	.000	.200	.000
Jordan Lyles	R	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Jeff Mathis	R	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	.500
Rougned Odor	L	8	4	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	.500	.500	.750
Danny Santana	S	7	4	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	.571	.571	1.000

2019 RECAP: Went 9-2 with a 2.63 ERA in 16 starts in a season shortened due to an 80-game suspension for violating Major League Baseball's Joint Drug Prevention and Treatment Program...his ERA was a career low as was his opponents batting average (.230), on-base percentage (.282) and OPS (.646)...had career highs in wins, starts, strikeouts (103) and innings (96.0)...averaged 2.16 walks per nine innings, which was the lowest mark of his career...his strikeout-to-walk ratio of 4.48 was a career high...surrendered eight home runs (0.75 per nine innings)...his 2.63 ERA was third lowest in the American League among pitchers with at least 90 innings...using the same minimum, he ranked fourth in fewest home runs per nine innings, fifth in opponents OPS, sixth in slugging percentage (.364), ninth in on-base percentage and 10th in strikeout-to-walk ratio...averaged 9.66 strikeouts per nine innings, which was second highest in Oakland history (Gio Gonzalez, 9.94 in 2009) and third highest in Athletics history (Wes Stock, 9.77 in 1964) among pitchers with 90 or more innings...his 4.48 strikeout-to-walk ratio was fourth highest in Oakland history...had a .229 opponents batting average and .647 OPS against right-handed hitters compared to .231 with a .645 OPS against left-handers.

MONTAS BY THE NUMBERS						
	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2020	3	3	5.73	8	37.2	24
2019	9	2	2.63	16	96.0	28
Career	18	12	4.14	67	245.2	113
Home	2	1	3.16	5	25.2	9
Road	1	2	11.25	3	12.0	15
Day	2	3	7.43	6	26.2	22
Night	1	0	1.64	2	11.0	2
July/August	2	3	6.06	7	32.2	22
September	1	0	3.60	1	5.0	2
			AVG.	AB	H	
vs. LHH			.352	71	25	
vs. RHH			.182	77	14	

MONTAS' CAREER HIGHS	
Low Hit CG:	None
IP:	8.2, 5/17/19 at DET
Fewest IP, GS:	1.2, 8/18/20 at ARI
H:	11, 6/14/18 vs. HOU
R:	9, 8/18/20 at ARI
ER:	9, 8/18/20 at ARI
BB:	5, 5/28/19 vs. LAA
SO:	10 (twice), last: 6/9/19 at TEX
HR:	2 (four times), last: 8/18/20 at ARI
Pitches:	109, 5/17/19 at DET
Win Streak:	5, 5/17/19 to 6/15/19
Loss Streak:	2 (3 times), last: 8/18/20-8/29/20
Scoreless Streak:	15.0, 6/1/18 to 6/8/18
Complete Games:	None
Shutouts:	None

TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHERS

LHP Jesús Luzardo (2-2, 3.97 ERA): Is 1-2 with a 4.82 ERA and .270 opponents batting average over his last five starts after going 1-0 with a 2.60 ERA and .217 opponents batting average over his first four games...had a no decision in his last start, a 3-2 A's win over Houston last Wednesday in Oakland (7.0 ip, 4 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 7 so)...is 0-0 with a save and a 0.00 ERA in two career appearances against the Mariners, both in relief last year at Seattle.

LHP Mike Minor (0-5, 6.35 ERA): Was acquired from Texas on Aug. 31 and is 0-0 with a 12.46 ERA in two games, one start, with Oakland after going 0-5 with a 5.60 ERA in seven starts for the Rangers...had a no decision in his last start, a 5-4 A's loss to Houston in the second game of the doubleheader last Tuesday in Oakland (3.1 ip, 3 h, 4 r, 4 er, 2 bb, 4 so)...is 4-5 with a 4.55 ERA in 14 career appearances against Seattle, including 0-1 with a 3.60 ERA in two starts this year.

ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

TEAM

11-3, 2.05 ERA (38 er in 167.0 ip)
Saves/Opportunities: 15-for-17 (88.2%)

- The A's bullpen has allowed just three runs over the last eight games (2 er in 19.2 ip, 0.92 ERA) and now has a 2.05 ERA for the season...that is the lowest mark in the majors by more than half a run (Dodgers, 2.77)...the lowest ERA's by a bullpen since 1920 are 1.75 by the Cardinals in 1942, 2.14 by the White Sox in 1967, 2.16 by the Dodgers in 1968 and 2.25 by the Pirates in 1972...the lowest by the A's is 2.35 in 1990.
- Has the lowest opponents OPS (.576), batting average (.201), slugging percentage (.312) and on-base percentage (.264) in the majors.
- Has converted 15-of-17 (88.2%) save opportunities...ranks second in the majors in save percentage and tied for third in saves.
- Has the fewest losses in the majors (3) and ranks second in fewest walks (53) and fewest home runs (15).
- First batters faced are 23-for-130 (.177) with 10 walks, four doubles and three home runs...has the lowest opponents OPS (.511) and on-base percentage (.234) against first batters in the majors, the third lowest batting average and the fourth lowest slugging percentage (.277).

35 LHP JAKE DIEKMAN

Last Outing: 9/10 vs. Houston (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 3/1 First Hitters: 1-11, 4 bb, sh

- Has not allowed a run in his 16 appearances (16.0 ip) and now has a career-high 19.2-inning scoreless streak dating back to Sept. 16 of last year (previous: 14.2, May 11-June 18, 2016)...last allowed a run on Sept. 14, 2019 at Texas...his 16.0 innings pitched this year are the most in the majors among pitchers with no runs allowed...the only pitchers in Major League history to have more innings in a season without allowing a run are Tyler Olson (20.0 ip, CLE 2017) and Karl Spooner (18.0 ip, BRO in 1954).
- Opponents are 6-for-52 (.115) with no extra base hits but he has issued 11 walks...has the second lowest opponents slugging percentage in the majors among relievers (.115) and is tied for the seventh lowest batting average.
- Has allowed a .167 (4-for-24) average with the bases empty, .071 (2-for-28) with runners on.
- Has not surrendered a home run since June 21, 2019 against Minnesota (Sano), a streak of 55 games, 46.0 innings and 205 batter faced without allowing a home run.
- Has faced the Rangers once this year on Aug. 26 (1.0 ip, 1 bb, 2 so)...has an 8.53 ERA (6.1 ip, 7 h, 6 r, 6 er, 7 bb, 11 so) in seven career appearances against Texas.

Last Year: Began the season with Kansas City and was 0-6 with a 4.75 ERA in 48 relief appearances when he was traded to Oakland on July 27...went 1-1 with a 4.43 ERA in 28 games with the A's and had a 4.65 ERA in a career-high 76 relief appearances overall.

16 RHP LIAM HENDRIKS

Last Outing: 9/10 vs. Houston (S, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 12-13
Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0 First Hitters: 3-20

- Has converted each of his last 12 save opportunities, which is the longest such streak of his career (previous: 8, June 22-July 20, 2019 and Aug. 1-29, 2019)...also has three wins over that 19-game stretch and has not allowed a run 17 times (19.1 ip, 9 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 28 so, 0.93 ERA).
- Is tied for the Major League lead with 12 saves (Hand, CLE)...is tied for fifth among relievers in wins (3), has the sixth lowest opponents on-base percentage (.189) and is tied for eighth in strikeouts (30)...his strikeouts are the most among relievers in the West divisions.
- Has not allowed a run in six games (6.0 ip) on the road and opponents are 1-for-19 (.053) with a walk...has a 1.88 ERA and .196 opponents batting average in 14 games in the Coliseum.
- Has allowed a .122 (5-for-41) batting average and a .286 OPS against right-handed hitters compared to .207 (6-for-29) with a .603 OPS against left-handers.
- Opponents are hitting .069 (2-for-29) with runners on base, .220 (9-for-41) with the bases empty
- Has two saves and a win in three appearances against Texas (3.0 ip, 1 h, 4 so).

Last Year: Began the season as a set-up man and occasional opener but took over the closer role after Treinen went on the IL retroactive to June 21...saved a ML-leading 25 games over that span after tallying just one save over his first 279 career appearances.

38 LHP T.J. MCFARLAND

Last Outing: 9/11 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 3 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 4/1 First Hitters: 2-18, bb

- Has allowed four runs in his last four games (3.2 ip, 9.82 ERA) after allowing just one over his first 15 contests (0.68 ERA).
- Struck out three batters Friday night after fanning six in 16.0 innings over his first 18 games...has six strikeouts in 4.2 innings against Texas, three in 12.1 innings against everyone else.
- Opponents are 2-for-25 (.080) with runners on base, including 0-for-11 with runners in scoring position.
- Has a 4.05 ERA (3 er in 6.2 ip) in eight road games, a 1.74 ERA (2 er in 10.1 ip) in 11 home games.
- Has a 1.38 ERA (2 er in 13.0 ip) in 14 games against the American League West, a 6.75 ERA (3 er in 4.0 ip) in five interleague appearances.
- Has a win in five outings against Texas (4.2 ip, 5 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 6 so).

Last Year: Had no decisions, no save opportunities and a 4.82 ERA in a career-high 51 relief appearances with Arizona...since the save became a stat in 1969, he is one of three pitchers to appear in 50 or more games with no wins, losses or save opportunities.

36 RHP YUSMEIRO PETIT

Last Outing: 9/12 at Texas G#2 (ND, 1.0 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-0
Inherited Runners/Scored: 14/5 First Hitters: 5-19 (bb, sf)

- Has not allowed a run in 10 of his last 11 games (1 er in 9.2 ip, 0.93 ERA) but has allowed 4-of-8 (50.0%) inherited runners to score over that span.
- Is tied for fourth among pitchers in the West divisions in games pitched (21)...has 235 games pitched over the last four years, which are second most in the majors (Chafin, ARI 236)...his 281.0 innings pitched as a reliever over that span are the most.
- Has allowed a .091 (2-for-22) batting average and .258 OPS against left-handed hitters compared to .340 (16-for-47) with all three of his home runs an a .947 OPS against right-handers.
- Has a 6.75 ERA (3 er in 4.0 ip) in five outings on no days rest, a 0.66 ERA (1 er in 13.2 ip) in his other 16 appearances.
- Has faced Texas four times this year (4.1 ip, 7 h, 1 r, 1 er, 1 bb, 5 so)...has a 2.04 ERA (8 er in 35.1 ip) in 30 career appearances against Texas.
- Allowed a home run to Tatis a week ago today to snap his eight-game, 7.0-inning scoreless streak...has allowed four runs this year, three of which have scored on home runs.

Last Year: Pitched in an American League-leading 80 games and was 5-3 with a 2.71 ERA and .194 opponents batting average...had a career high in games and career lows in ERA, opponents batting average and on-base percentage (.218).

48 RHP JOAKIM SORIA

Last Outing: 9/11 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 2 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 2-2
Inherited Runners/Scored: 1/0 First Hitters: 3-17, bb

- Has allowed five runs over his last nine games (9.0 ip, 10 h, 5 r, 5 er, 2 bb, 8 so, 5.00 ERA) after allowing no earned runs over his first nine contests (9.2 ip).
- Has allowed a .143 (3-for-21) batting average against left-handed hitters compared to .265 (13-for-49) against right-handers.
- Opponents are hitting .138 (4-for-29) with runners on base, .293 (12-for-41) with the bases empty.
- Has a 0.61 ERA (1 er in 14.1 ip) in 14 games against the American League West, a 9.00 ERA (4 er in 4.0 ip) in four games in interleague play.
- Has a save and has not allowed a run in four games against Texas (4.2 ip, 1 h, 8 so)...however, has a 6.28 ERA (20 er in 28.2 ip) in 28 career appearances against the Rangers.
- Has a 386-game errorless streak dating back to his last miscue on May 27, 2014 at Minnesota.

Last Year: Signed a two-year contract with the A's following the 2018 season and was 2-4 with a save, five blown saves and a 4.30 ERA in 71 games in his 12th season in the majors...struck out a career-high 79 batters and matched his high in innings (69.0).

62 RHP LOU TRIVINO

Last Outing: 9/12 at Texas G#2 (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 0 so)
Saves/Opportunities: 0-1
Inherited Runners/Scored: 7/3 First Hitters: 3-13, bb

- Has not allowed a run in his last 10 appearances (12.2 ip, 6 h, 4 bb, 13 so) and now has a 13.2 inning scoreless streak...his career high is 15.1 innings (June 25-July 21, 2018).
- Has a .118 (4-for-34) opponents batting average and no extra base hits allowed against right-handed hitters compared to .233 (7-for-30) with two doubles and a homer against left-handers (.400 slugging percentage).
- Has a 1.46 ERA (2 er in 12.1 ip) in 10 games against the American League West, a 5.06 ERA (3 er in 5.1 ip) in four interleague outings.
- Has not allowed a run in seven day games (8.2 ip).
- Faced the Rangers twice this year (3.0 ip, 1 h, 3 so).
- Retired the side on three pitches in the ninth inning last Monday night against Houston to become the first A's pitcher to face at least three batters in an inning and toss just three pitches since Bobby Cramer on Sept. 24, 2010 vs. Texas in the sixth inning.

Last Year: Was 4-6 with a 5.25 ERA and .265 opponents batting average in 61 relief appearances in his second season in the majors after going 8-3 with a 2.92 ERA and .201 opponents average in 69 games as a rookie in 2018.

70 RHP JORDAN WEEMS**Last Outing:** 9/12 at Texas G#1 (ND, 3.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 5 so)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0 **First Hitters:** 1-5

- Was recalled from the A's alternate site Aug. 24 for his second stint with the A's this year and has pitched three times since his return (5.0 ip, 1 h, 7 so).
- Allowed two runs in his first inning in the majors on July 28 against Colorado but has not allowed a run in 9.0 innings since then.
- Right-handed hitters are 2-for-18 (.111), left-handers are 4-for-16 (.250).
- Has faced the Rangers twice and has retired all 12 batters that he has faced (4.0 ip, 6 so).
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and compiled a 3.60 ERA in two relief appearances in his Major League debut before going on the 10-day injured list Aug. 4 retroactive to Aug. 1 with a strained right latissimus dorsi...was reinstated from the IL and optioned to the alternate site Aug. 14.
- Was signed by the A's as a free agent to a minor league contract on Dec. 10, 2019 after spending the first nine seasons of his professional career in the Boston Red Sox farm system...compiled a 13-8 record, 15 saves and a 3.87 ERA in 127 career appearances, including two starts, in the minors...struck out 208 in 200.0 innings (9.36 per nine innings).

Last Year: *Spent most of the season at Double-A Portland but also pitched in eight games during a one-month stint with Triple-A Pawtucket...combined to go 0-3 with eight saves and a 4.37 ERA in 41 games, including one start, overall.*

57 RHP J.B. WENDELKEN**Last Outing:** 9/11 at Texas (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 2 bb, 1 so)**Saves/Opportunities:** 0-0**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 19/6 **First Hitters:** 1-14, 2 bb

- Had his scoreless streak snapped at 11.0 innings Tuesday night against Houston when he allowed an unearned run in the seventh inning of the second game of the doubleheader...has three career scoreless streaks of 10 or more innings and all have ended on an unearned run.
- Has not allowed an earned run over his last 10 games (13.0 ip) and opponents are 8-for-47 (.170) with four walks and 15 strikeouts over that span.
- Has not allowed an earned run in nine games in Oakland (12.1 ip) or five outings in day games (6.2 ip).
- Has inherited 19 runners, which is tied for third most in the majors.
- Opponents are 1-for-17 with runners in scoring position and two outs.
- Friday night was his first outing against the Rangers this year...has a 1.93 ERA (9.1 ip, 4 h, 2 r, 2 er, 3 bb, 6 so) in seven career appearances against the Rangers.

Last Year: *Was 3-1 with a 3.58 ERA and .178 opponents batting average in 27 relief appearances over four stints with Oakland...the 27 games were a career high as he had just 21 appearances over his previous two seasons in the majors.*

ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

15 SETH BROWN

Current Streak: 0 for 4
Texas Series: 0-0
Road Trip: 0-0

- Was recalled from the A's alternate site yesterday for his third stint with Oakland this year and played two innings at first base in the second game yesterday without an at bat.
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and went 0-for-3 in three games, including one start at designated hitter, before he was optioned Aug. 6 when rosters were reduced from 30 to 28.
- Was recalled Aug. 25 when Chad Pinder went on the paternity list and struck out as a pinch hitter in the second game of the doubleheader on Aug. 29 at Houston before he was optioned Aug. 31 when Pinder returned.
- Has a career-high 0-for-23 streak dating back to Sept. 17 of last year.

Last Year: Made his Triple-A and Major League debut...was batting .297 with 37 home runs and 104 RBI in 112 games with Las Vegas when he was selected by Oakland Aug. 26...went on to hit .293 with no home runs and 13 RBI in 26 games with the A's.

20 MARK CANHA

Current Streak: 0 for 8
Texas Series: 0-8, rbi, 2 bb, 4 so, hbp, sf
Last Homestand: 4-23, 3 r, 2 2b, 5 bb, 4 so, 2 hbp, sb

- Is 4-for-31 (.129) with seven walks and three hit by pitches (1 sf, .333 on-base percentage) in 11 games since the A's resumed play Sept. 4.
- Was hit by a pitch for the ninth time last night, which is tied for second most in the majors (Hiura, MIL 10)...now has 52 hit by pitches in his career, which is tied with McGwire for seventh most in Oakland history (Lansford is sixth with 53).
- Has a .386 on-base percentage, which ranks seventh among players in the West divisions...has a .394 on-base percentage over the last two years, which is eighth best in the majors.
- Has started each of the last seven games in the outfield (six in right field, one in left field) after making 10 of his previous 11 starts at designated hitter...has started games at four different positions (18 at designated hitter, 11 in right field, 10 in left field, five in center field)...is batting .279 (24-for-86) in 26 games as an outfielder, .179 (10-for-56) in 18 games as the DH.
- Is hitting .308 (8-for-26) against left-handed pitchers compared to .222 (26-for-117) with all three of his home runs against right-handers
- Is hitting .333 (14-for-42) with a .974 OPS in the seventh inning or later, .198 (20-for-101) with a .673 OPS over innings one through six.
- Had his career-high fourth sacrifice fly of the season Friday night, which is tied for third most in the majors
- Stole his fourth base of the season Thursday, which are his most since stealing seven as a rookie in 2015.

Last Year: Started games at five different positions and batted a career-high .273 with a career-high 26 home runs and 58 RBI in 126 games...also had career highs in runs (80), walks (67), extra base hits (45), OPS (.913), on-base pct. (.396) and slugging (.517).

2 KHRIS DAVIS

Current Streak: 0 for 1
Texas Series: 1-6, r, rbi, 3 bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 2-6, r, 2b, hr 2 rbi, 3 so

- Matched his career high with three walks in game two of the doubleheader yesterday (fourth time, last: May 3, 2019 at Pittsburgh).
- Is 3-for-12 (.250) with a double, home run three RBI and three walks over his last four games after going 3-for-25 (.120) with a double and two RBI over his previous 10 contests.
- Is batting .238 (5-for-21) against left-handed pitchers, .143 (7-for-49) against right-handers.
- Started nine of the A's first 15 games at designated hitter but just 10 of the last 30.
- Is 3-for-12 (.250) with three RBI in five games against Texas...is a .271 (77-for-284) career hitter against the Rangers with 32 home runs and 80 RBI in 79 games...31 of those home runs have come with the A's, which ties Mark McGwire for the most in Athletics history against Rangers/Senators franchise...hit .310 with 19 home runs and 42 RBI in 36 career games at Globe Life Park (.680 slug, 1.041 OPS)...the only visiting player to hit more home runs in Globe Life Park was Jason Giambi (20).

Last Year: Was off to a strong start as he batted .247 with 12 HR and 29 RBI over his first 43 games before going on the IL retroactive to May 22 with a left hip/oblique contusion...was reinstated June 1 and hit .207 with 11 HR and 44 RBI over his final 90 games.

OAKLAND A'S MOST HOME RUNS, DESIGNATED HITTER

1. Dave Kingman	98
2. Khris Davis	95
3. Jack Cust	60
4. Geronimo Berroa	46
5. Frank Thomas	44

ATHLETICS CAREER BESTS VS. RANGERS/SENATORS

HOME RUNS	
31 Khris Davis	
31 Mark McGwire	
29 Reggie Jackson	
27 Eric Chavez	
22 Jason Giambi	

RUNS BATTED IN	
90 Eric Chavez	
84 Sal Bando	
80 Miguel Tejada	
79 Khris Davis	
78 Reggie Jackson	

8 ROBBIE GROSSMAN

Current Streak: 0 for 3
Texas Series: 2-7, 2 r, hr, rbi, bb, 2 so
Last Homestand: 6-30, 2 r, rbi, 2 2b, bb, 5 so, sb

- Is batting .222 (18-for-81) over his last 24 games but 12 of the 18 hits are for extra bases (seven doubles, two triples, three home runs)...also has 13 walks and a hit by pitch for a .337 on-base percentage.
- Is tied for sixth among players in the West divisions in triples (2) and hit by pitches (5) and tied for seventh in doubles (11).
- Has made each of his 35 starts against right-handed pitchers...last year, made 95 of his 103 starts against righties.
- Has not committed an error in 35 games in the outfield and now has a 219-game errorless streak dating back to his last miscue on June 13, 2018 at Detroit...that is the second longest active errorless streak by an outfielder (Naquin, CLE 269)...his 164-game errorless streak with Oakland is fifth longest in Athletics history by an outfielder.

Last Year: Played in a career-high 138 games in his first season as an Athletic and batted .240 with six home runs and 38 RBI...added 59 walks for a .334 on-base percentage...also had a career high in triples (3) and matched his best in stolen bases (9).

37 JONAH HEIM

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 3)
Texas Series: 2-3, rbi
Last Homestand: 2-9, 2 r, 2 rbi, bb

- Was recalled from the A's alternate site Aug. 24 and is 5-for-17 (.294) with two walks and three RBI in six starts at catcher.
- Made his Major League debut with a start at catcher Aug. 25 at Texas and singled off Kyle Gibson in the seventh inning for his first ML hit.
- Was originally drafted by Baltimore in the fourth round in 2013 and was dealt to Tampa Bay on Aug. 1, 2016...was acquired by Oakland Dec. 19, 2017 as the player to be named later in the Dec. 11, 2017 trade in which the A's sent Joey Wendle to the Rays...is a .250 career hitter with 36 home runs and 236 RBI in 517 games in seven seasons as a minor leaguer.

Last Year: Combined with Double-A Midland and Triple-A Las Vegas to hit a career-high .310 with a career-high tying nine home runs and 53 RBI in 85 games...also had career highs in on-base percentage (.385), slugging percentage (.477) and OPS (.863).

5 TONY KEMP

Current Streak: 0 for 4
Texas Series: 0-1
Last Homestand: 2-6, 2b, 2 rbi, bb, so, hbp, sf, cs

- Is 7-for-25 (.280) with three RBI over his last 16 games after batting .239 with no RBI over his first 21 contests.
- Has made 25 starts, all at second base in games started by a right-handed pitcher.
- Is 6-for-15 (.400) with four runs scored in seven games against Texas.
- Is batting .304 (7-for-23) in the seventh inning or later.
- Had a RBI double in the second inning last Monday for his first hit with runners in scoring position this year...is 1-for-14 with RISP.

Last Year: Began the season with Houston and was traded to Chicago (NL) July 31...combined for a .212 average with a career-high eight home runs and 29 RBI in a career-high 110 games overall...also had career highs in triples (4) and hit by pitches (6).

3 TOMMY LA STELLA

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 5)
Texas Series: 4-11, 4 r, 3 rbi, 2 bb, sf
Last Homestand: 9-32, 5 r, 4 2b, 3 rbi, 3 bb, so

- Is 13-for-39 (.333) over his last 10 games after going 0-for-7 over his first two contests with the A's...has started eight games at second base, two at third base and two at designated hitter.
- Has not struck out in his last 42 plate appearances and has fanned just once in 52 plate appearances with the A's...is averaging 21.13 plate appearances per strikeout for the season...that is the best mark in the majors by more than 10 plate appearances (Arenado, COL 11.44).
- Had his fourth career two-double game Wednesday night and is tied for fifth among players in the West divisions in doubles (12).
- Is hitting .295 (33-for-112) with all four of his home runs against right-handed pitchers compared to .212 (7-for-33) against left-handers.
- Has 10 doubles, four home runs and 21 RBI over his last 31 games after tallying two doubles and no RBI over his first nine contests.
- Is 7-for-20 (.350) with a double, a home run and five RBI in six games against Texas.
- Has started 38 games at four different positions (22 at second base, 10 at first base, four at designated hitter, two at third base).
- Was acquired from Los Angeles (AL) Aug. 28 in exchange for Franklin Barreto...hit .273 with a .371 on-base percentage in 28 games with the Angels.

Last Year: Was named to his first All-Star team...hit .295 with 16 home runs and 44 RBI in 80 games with Los Angeles (AL)...missed 72 games after fracturing his tibia on July 2...had career highs in batting, slugging (.486), runs (49), hits (86), home runs and RBI.

22 RAMON LAUREANO

Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)

Texas Series: 1-10, 2 r, rbi, 2 bb, 3 so

Last Homestand: 6-30, 4 r, 2b, hr, 5 rbi, 3 bb, 5 so, hbp, sf, 2 gidp

- Is batting .182 (14-for-77) with two home runs and seven RBI in 22 games since being reinstated from the suspended list Aug. 18...served a four-game suspension from Aug. 14-17 for his actions in the A's game against the Astros on Aug. 9.
- Was hit by a pitch for the ninth time Monday, which is tied for second most in the majors (Hiura, MIL 10).
- Is batting .239 (27-for-113) against the American League West, .138 (4-for-29) against the National League West.
- Is hitting .281 (18-for-64) during the day, .167 (13-for-78) at night.
- Has not committed an error and his 109 total chances are third most in the majors among outfielders with no errors.
- Is 3-for-30 (.100) with seven walks in nine games against Texas this year but is a .278 (30-for-108) career hitter against the Rangers with eight home runs and 23 RBI...the home runs and RBI are his most against any team.
- Is 9-for-21 (.429) with four multiple hit games, three doubles and a home run in the A's three doubleheaders this year.
- Had the walk-off RBI single last Wednesday against Houston...it was his third career walk-off RBI and all have been singles.

Last Year: Batted .288 with 24 home runs and 67 RBI in 123 games in a season interrupted by a five-week stay on the injured list with a right lower leg stress reaction...tied for third among American League outfielders with 10 assists.

39 VIMAEEL MACHIN

Current Streak: 0 for 4

Texas Series: 2-10, 4 r, 2b, 2 bb, gidp

Last Homestand: 6-24, r, 5 bb, 4 so

- Has started 11 of the A's last 12 games (five at shortstop, five at third base, one at designated hitter) and is 9-for-35 (.257) with six walks over that span...went 2-for-19 (.105) over his first nine contests.
- Has made 16 starts at four different positions (six at third base, five at shortstop, four at designated hitter, one at second base)...has also appeared in one game at first base.
- Has made 14 of his 16 starts in games started by a right-handed pitcher.
- Is batting .241 (7-for-29) during the day, .160 (4-for-25) at night.
- Went 3-for-3 in the second game of the doubleheader Tuesday against Houston for his first career multiple-hit game.

Last Year: Combined for a .295 average, seven home runs, 65 RBI and 69 walks in 129 games with Double-A Tennessee and Triple-A Iowa...had career highs in on-base pct. (.390), OPS (.802), hits (132), doubles (27), triples (2), extra base hits (36) and walks.

12 SEAN MURPHY

Current Streak: 2 games (4 for 8)

Texas Series: 4-8, 3 r, hr, 3 rbi, bb, 2 so

Last Homestand: 4-12, 4 r, 2 hr, 4 rbi, 5 bb, 3 so

- Is 8-for-20 (.400) with seven runs, three home runs, seven RBI, six walks and a 1.388 OPS in seven games since play resumed on Sept. 4.
- Is batting .269 (18-for-67) with all five of his home runs and 16 of his 18 walks against right-handed pitchers (.940 OPS) compared to .182 (4-for-22) against left-handers (.432 OPS).
- Has homered three times in his last six games and now has five home runs for the season, which is tied for fifth among Major League rookies...ranks third among rookies in walks (18).
- Is tied for second among Major League catchers in games (34), tied for fifth in games started (30) and tied for eighth in assists (12)...has tossed out 5-of-17 (29.4%) attempted base stealers, which is sixth best.

Last Year: Played in just 41 minor league games due to two stints on the injured list with a strained left knee and combined for a .293 average with 11 HR and 31 RBI...was selected by Oakland on Sept. 1 and hit .245 with 4 HR and 8 RBI in 20 games.

28 MATT OLSON

Current Streak: 6 games (7 for 21)

Texas Series: 4-11, r, 2b, hr, 7 rbi, bb, 3 so

Last Homestand: 8-26, 3 r, 3b, 2 hr, 9 rbi, 6 bb, 7 so

- Is batting .324 (12-for-37) with three home runs, 16 RBI and seven walks in 11 games since the A's resumed play Sept. 4...is tied for third in the majors in RBI in September...hit .169 over his first 34 contests.
- Is tied for sixth in the majors in RBI (38), tied for eighth in walks (29) and tied for ninth in home runs (13).
- Has homered three times in his last five games.
- Each of his last two home runs have put the A's ahead and he leads the majors with seven go-ahead home runs this year...is tied for second with 10 go-ahead RBI (Seager, SEA 15).
- Each of his last five home runs have come with runners on base and he is tied for third in the majors in home runs with runners on (8).
- Has 33 hits, 17 of which are for extra bases (three doubles, one triple, 13 home runs).
- Is 10-for-32 (.313) with five home runs, 13 RBI and six walks in eight games against Texas.
- Is the only Athletic to play in all 44 games.
- His 353 total chances are second most in the majors among first basemen with no errors (Gurriel, HOU 367)...ranks second in defensive runs saved (5).
- Hit his second grand slam of the season Friday night (Opening Day walk-off against Los Angeles-AL) and the third of his career (Sept. 26, 2018 at Seattle)...added a RBI single in the second inning for a career-high tying five RBI (third time, last: June 28, 2019 at Los Angeles-AL).
- Hit his 100th career home run in the second game of the doubleheader Tuesday night against Houston, a three-run shot off De Jong in the third

inning...it came in his 399th game and he became the 11th player in Major League history to hit 100 home runs before his 400th career game (Joe DiMaggio, Joey Gallo, Bob Horner, Ryan Howard, Aaron Judge, Ralph Kiner, Chuck Klein, Eddie Mathews, Mark McGwire, Gary Sanchez)...is the second Athletic (McGwire did it 393 games)...became the 19th player in Oakland history and the 28th in Athletics history with 100 career home runs...now has 102 home runs in 403 games, which are tied for eighth most in ML history by a player over his first 403 games.

Last Year: Missed 34 games while on the injured list early in the season but still hit 36 home runs and drove in 91 runs while batting .267 in 127 games...also won his second consecutive Rawlings Gold Glove for American League first basemen.

18 CHAD PINDER

Current Streak: 0 for 1

Texas Series: 0-1, so

Last Homestand: 4-12, 2 r, 2 2b, rbi, so

- Is 4-for-13 (.308) in six games since being reinstated from the paternity list Aug. 31...was placed on the PL Aug. 25.
- Is hitting .300 (9-for-30) against right-handed pitchers, .130 (3-for-23) against left-handers...has both of his home runs off lefties.
- Is batting .286 (6-for-21) on the road, .188 (6-for-32) in Oakland.
- Is hitting .353 (6-for-17) in the seventh inning or later.
- Has started 12 games (his last two at third base, his previous 10 at second base)...started at least one game at seven different positions in each of the previous two seasons.

Last Year: Spent the entire season on the active roster for the first time in his career and batted .240 with 13 home runs and 47 RBI in 124 games...started at least one game at seven different positions for the second consecutive season.

25 STEPHEN PISCOTTY

Current Streak: 2 games (3 for 9)

Texas Series: 1-5

Last Homestand: 4-14, 3 r, 2 rbi, 5 so, sb

- Went 1-for-5 in a start in right field in the second game of the doubleheader yesterday...it was his first start since last Monday due to left wrist soreness (pinch ran Wednesday).
- Is batting .288 (23-for-80) with 21 RBI over his last 22 games.
- Is batting .389 (14-for-36) with runners in scoring position...is 8-for-14 (.571) with RISP and two outs.
- Is 8-for-27 (.296) with two home runs and 10 RBI in seven games against Texas...is a .323 (43-for-133) career hitter against the Rangers with nine home runs and 26 RBI in 35 games...the home runs are his most against any team and the RBI are second to his 33 against the Angels.
- Is 3-for-4 (.750) with a double, two home runs and 11 RBI with the bases loaded...is tied for most home runs and extra base hits with the bases loaded in the majors and is tied for fifth in RBI.
- Leads the majors in RBI in the ninth inning (8) and is tied for second in home runs (2).
- Has not committed an error in 34 games in the outfield and now has a 182-game errorless streak...that is third longest in Athletics history by an outfielder...his last error came on July 24, 2018 at Texas.

Last Year: Was limited to 93 games due to two stints on the injured list and batted .249 with 13 home runs and 44 RBI...was out from June 30 to Aug. 2 with a sprained right knee and Aug. 25 to Sept. 25 with a sprained right ankle.

LONGEST ERRORLESS STREAKS, ATHLETICS OUTFIELDERS

209	Ryan Sweeney, Aug. 17, 2009-Sept. 14, 2011
187	Al Simmons, June 27, 1928-August 5, 1929
182	Stephen Piscotty, July 25, 2018-present
165	Jermaine Dye, Sept. 25, 2002-August 6, 2004
164	Robbie Grossman, March 21, 2019-present

10 MARCUS SEMIEN

Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 5)

Texas Series: 4-13, 4 r, 2b, hr, 4 rbi, bb, 4 so

Last Homestand: 0-10, 3 bb, 3 so

- Has started six of the A's last seven games after missing the previous five games with soreness in his left side...is 4-for-23 (.174) with four walks, a home run and four RBI since his return.
- Is batting .273 (27-for-99) against a pitcher the first time he sees him in a game, .141 (9-for-64) after that.
- Is hitting .275 (22-for-80) on the road, .169 (14-for-83) in Oakland.
- Is 7-for-37 (.189) with runners in scoring position.
- Was scratched from the starting lineup for the second game of the doubleheader Aug. 29 at Houston to snap his consecutive games played streak at 276...the streak was fourth longest in Oakland history...started each of those games, which was the second longest streak of consecutive games started in Oakland history (347, Alfredo Griffin, April 9, 1985-April 30, 1987)...it was the first game he missed since June 27, 2018...it also snapped a streak of 166 consecutive games batting leadoff from April 28, 2019-Aug. 29, 2020...the consecutive starts batting first was the second longest such streak in Athletics history (177, Topsy Hartsel from May 17, 1906-June 20, 1907).

Last Year: Finished in the top five in Oakland history in eight different categories...scored 123 runs, which tied the Oakland record set by Reggie Jackson in 1969...also tied the record for games played (162)...finished third in AL Most Valuable Player voting.

A'S HITTING VS. TEXAS

2020						CAREER				
AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI	PLAYER	AVG.	AB	H	HR	RBI
#DIV/0!	0	0	0	0	Brown	.214	14	3	0	2
.138	29	4	0	4	Canha	.242	223	54	10	29
.250	12	3	0	3	Davis	.271	284	77	32	80
.095	21	2	1	3	Grossman	.258	209	54	5	21
.500	6	3	0	1	Heim	.500	6	3	0	1
.400	15	6	0	0	Kemp	.294	85	25	2	11
.350	20	7	1	5	La Stella	.215	65	14	2	8
.100	30	3	1	2	Laureano	.278	108	30	8	23
.154	13	2	0	0	Machín	.154	13	2	0	0
.238	21	5	1	4	Murphy	.294	34	10	1	5
.313	32	10	5	13	Olson	.253	182	46	12	35
.000	4	0	0	0	Pinder	.289	121	35	6	15
.296	27	8	2	10	Piscotty	.323	133	43	9	26
.316	38	12	2	6	Semien	.293	406	119	16	64
.080	25	2	2	3	others					
.225	284	64	14	52	TOTALS					

A'S CAREER HITTING VS. LYNN

PLAYER	BAT	AB	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SH	SF	HBP	GIDP	AVG	OBP	SLG
Seth Brown	L	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Mark Canha	R	12	6	2	0	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	.500	.571	.667
Matt Chapman	R	14	2	0	0	2	2	4	8	0	0	0	0	.143	.333	.571
Khris Davis	R	29	4	1	0	0	3	1	16	0	0	0	0	.138	.167	.172
Mike Fiers	R	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Robbie Grossman	S	16	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	.188	.188	.188
Tony Kemp	L	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.200	.200	.200
Tommy La Stella	L	18	3	1	0	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	.167	.167	.389
Ramon Laureano	R	8	1	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	2	0	.125	.273	.125
Mike Minor	R	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	.333	.333	.333
Sean Murphy	R	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	1	.000	.167	.000
Matt Olson	L	12	3	1	0	0	2	3	5	0	0	0	1	.250	.400	.333
Chad Pinder	R	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000	.000	.000
Stephen Piscotty	R	9	5	0	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	.556	.600	1.111
Marcus Semien	R	17	7	2	0	1	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	.412	.444	.706

HIGHS AND LOWS

CLUB

Longest Winning Streak.....	9, August 1 to 9
Longest Winning Streak, Home.....	9, August 4 to 21
Longest Winning Streak, Road.....	4, August 12 to 16
Longest Losing Streak.....	3, August 29 to September 4
.....	3, July 28 to 31
Longest Losing Streak, Home.....	2, July 28 to 29
Longest Losing Streak, Road.....	3, August 17 to 24
Most Runs, Game, A's.....	15, August 16 at San Francisco
Most Runs, Game, Opponents.....	10, August 18 at Arizona
.....	10, August 10 at Los Angeles-AL
Most Runs, Inning, A's.....	9, August 16 at San Francisco(5th)
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents.....	5, September 12 at Texas (1st)
.....	5, August 18 at Arizona (1st)
.....	5, August 11 at Los Angeles-AL (4th)
Largest Margin, Victory.....	12, August 16 at San Francisco (15-3)
Largest Margin, Loss.....	9, August 18 at Arizona (1-10)
Most Hits, Game, A's.....	17, August 16 at San Francisco
Most Hits, Game, Opponents.....	14, August 10 at Los Angeles-AL
Most Hits, Inning, A's.....	8, August 16 at San Francisco (5th)
.....	8, August 3 at Seattle (5th)
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents.....	6, August 11 at Los Angeles-AL (4th)
Most Home Runs, Game, A's.....	4, August 15 at San Francisco
.....	4, August 5 vs. Texas
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents.....	4, August 11 at Los Angeles-AL
.....	4, August 10 at Los Angeles-AL
Most Doubles, Game, A's.....	4, August 21 vs. Los Angeles-AL
.....	4, August 16 at San Francisco
.....	4, August 12 at Los Angeles-AL
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents.....	4, July 28 vs. Colorado
Most Triples, Game, A's.....	2, August 16 at San Francisco
Most Triples, Game, Opponents.....	1, August 29 at Houston G#2
.....	1, August 15 at San Francisco
.....	1, August 6 vs. Texas
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's.....	2, July 25 vs. Los Angeles-AL
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents.....	2 (six times), last: September 6 vs. San Diego
Most Strikeouts, A's Pitchers.....	13, September 5 vs. San Diego
.....	13, August 5 vs. Texas
Most Strikeouts, Opponents Pitchers.....	15, August 7 vs. Houston
.....	15, August 1 at Seattle
Most Walks, A's Pitchers.....	7, August 23 vs. Los Angeles-AL
Most Walks, Opponents Pitchers.....	11, August 3 at Seattle
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's Pitchers.....	2, September 10 vs. Houston
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents Pitchers.....	3, August 26 at Texas
.....	3, July 31 at Seattle
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game.....	13, August 3 at Seattle
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game.....	18, August 7 vs. Houston (13)
Fewest Left on Base, Game.....	3 (four times), last: September 12 at Texas, G#1 (7)
Fewest Left on Base, Nine Inning Game.....	3, July 26 vs. Los Angeles-AL
Most Errors, Game.....	3, August 22 vs. Los Angeles-AL
Largest Comeback in Win.....	5, August 14 at San Francisco
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss.....	5, August 10 vs. Los Angeles-AL

INDIVIDUAL

Grand Slams.....	Matt Olson, July 24 vs. Los Angeles-AL (Hoby Milner)
.....	Stephen Piscotty, August 4 vs. Texas (Jesse Chavez)
.....	Stephen Piscotty, August 14 at San Francisco (Trevor Gott)
.....	Matt Olson, September 11 at Texas (Luis Garcia)
Pinch Hit Home Runs.....	Chad Pinder, August 16 at San Francisco (Wandy Peralta)
Lead Off Home Runs.....	Ramón Laureano, August 29 at Houston (G#2) (Zack Greinke)
.....	Marcus Semien, August 21 vs. Los Angeles-AL (Andrew Heaney)
.....	Marcus Semien, August 8 vs. Houston (Framber Valdez)
Inside-The-Park Home Runs.....	None
Game Ending Home Runs.....	Matt Olson, July 24 vs. Los Angeles-AL (Hoby Milner)
.....	Stephen Piscotty, August 4 vs. Texas (Jesse Chavez)
Back-to-Back Home Runs.....	Matt Olson and Matt Chapman, August 9 vs. Houston (3rd)
Longest Hitting Streak.....	8, Marcus Semien, August 11 to 19
Most Runs, Game.....	3 (four times), last: Tony Kemp, August 25 at Texas
Most Hits, Game.....	3 (10 times), last: Vimal Machin, September 8 vs. Houston
Most Doubles, Game.....	2, Tommy La Stella, September 9 vs. Houston
.....	2, Matt Chapman, August 12 at Los Angeles-AL
Most Triples, Game.....	1 (eight times), last: Matt Olson, September 5 vs. San Diego
Most Home Runs, Game.....	2, Matt Chapman, August 20 vs. Arizona
.....	2, Matt Chapman, August 10 at Los Angeles-AL
.....	2, Matt Olson, August 5 vs. Texas
Most Runs Batted In, Game.....	6, Matt Chapman, August 10 at Los Angeles-AL
Most Walks, Game.....	3 (six times), last: Khris Davis, September 12 at Texas
Most Strikeouts, Game.....	5, Matt Chapman, September 5 vs. San Diego
Most Stolen Bases, Game.....	2, Robbie Grossman, July 25 vs. Los Angeles-AL
Longest Winning Streak.....	4, Sean Manaea, August 20 to present
Longest Losing Streak.....	2 (four streaks tied)
Most Strikeouts, Game.....	9, Frankie Montas, August 3 at Seattle
Most Walks, Game.....	4, Frankie Montas, August 18 at Arizona
.....	4, Frankie Montas, August 3 at Seattle
Most Innings, Game, Starter.....	7.0 (six times), last: Sean Manaea, September 10 vs. Houston
Most Innings, Game, Reliever.....	4.0, Daniel Mengden, August 18 at Arizona
Low Hit Complete Game.....	None
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings.....	16.0, Jake Diekman, July 24 to present
Most Consecutive Batters Retired.....	17, Burch Smith, July 31 to August 9

GENERAL

Longest Game, Innings.....	13, August 7 vs. Houston
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings.....	3:41, August 11 at Los Angeles-AL
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings.....	4:13, August 7 vs. Houston (13)
Shortest Game, Time.....	1:58, September 12 at Texas G#1 (7 inn.)
Shortest Game, Time, Nine Innings.....	2:18, September 10 vs. Houston
Postponement, Home.....	None
Postponement, Road.....	August 27 at Texas (Protest)
.....	August 28 at Houston (Protest)
.....	August 30 at Houston (Covid19)
.....	September 1-3 at Seattle (Covid19)

MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Allen	1	0	0	0	1
Canha	7	1	0	0	8
Chapman	9	2	0	0	11
Davis	4	0	0	0	4
Grossman	7	0	0	0	7
Heim	2	0	0	0	2
Kemp	2	1	0	0	3
Laureano	8	0	0	0	8
La Stella	5	0	0	0	5
Machin	0	1	0	0	1
Murphy	3	0	0	0	3
Olson	6	2	0	0	8
Pinder	1	1	0	0	2
Piscotty	11	0	0	0	11
Semien	6	2	0	0	8

MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6+	TOT
Allen	1	0	0	0	0	1
Canha	6	1	0	0	0	7
Chapman	3	1	0	0	1	5
Davis	3	0	0	0	0	3
Grossman	2	0	0	0	0	2
Heim	1	0	0	0	0	1
Laureano	4	1	0	0	0	5
La Stella	2	0	0	0	0	2
Murphy	1	1	0	0	0	2
Olson	5	3	1	1	0	10
Pinder	3	0	0	0	0	3
Piscotty	0	2	2	1	0	5
Semien	4	0	1	0	0	5

GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Allen	2	1	3
Canha	2	4	6
Chapman	1	6	7
Davis	0	1	1
Grossman	1	4	5
Kemp	0	2	2
Laureano	4	6	10
La Stella	1	0	1
Murphy	1	0	1
Olson	4	10	14
Pinder	1	1	2
Piscotty	3	2	5
Semien	0	4	4

STARTS IN THE BATTING ORDER

Player	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Allen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	8
Barreto	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Brown	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Canha	-	-	3	11	23	5	2	-	-
Chapman	-	1	19	15	1	-	-	-	-
Davis	-	-	-	1	1	6	11	-	-
Grossman	-	2	-	-	6	24	3	-	-
Heim	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	4	-
Kemp	-	5	-	-	-	-	1	11	8
La Stella	8	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Laureano	3	28	7	-	-	-	3	-	-
Machin	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	7	4
Murphy	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	8	21
Olson	-	-	13	18	13	1	-	-	-
Pinder	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	7	-
Piscotty	-	-	3	-	1	4	19	7	-
Semien	34	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

GAMES BY POSITION

Player	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Allen	14	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barreto	-	-	4	1	-	3	-	-	-	1
Brown	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Canha	-	-	2	-	-	-	10	10	6	5
Chapman	-	-	-	-	36	35	1	1	-	-
Davis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22
Grossman	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	35	2	-
Heim	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kemp	-	-	34	26	-	-	1	-	-	-
La Stella	-	-	9	8	3	2	-	-	-	2
Laureano	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40	40	-
Machin	-	-	1	2	1	9	6	6	5	-
Murphy	34	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Olson	-	-	45	45	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pinder	-	-	-	14	10	6	2	-	2	-
Piscotty	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Semien	-	-	-	-	-	39	39	-	-	34

HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

Player	2020 HOME RUNS				Tot.	Date	LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN			GP Since
	Solo	2R	3R	GS			Opponent	Pitcher		
Brown	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	29	
Canha	1	1	1	0	3	August 19, 2020	Arizona	Kelly	19	
Chapman	8	2	0	0	10	August 29, 2020	at Houston (G#2)	Greinke	3	
Davis	2	0	0	0	2	September 8, 2020	Houston	Greinke	3	
Grossman	4	1	0	0	5	September 11, 2020	at Texas	Lyles	1	
Heim	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	6	
Kemp	0	0	0	0	0	September 21, 2019	St. Louis	Gallegos	32	
La Stella	0	0	0	0	0	August 25, 2020	at Houston	Javier	13	
Laureano	3	1	1	0	5	September 5, 2020	San Diego	Patino	9	
Machin	0	0	0	0	0	—	—	—	19	
Murphy	5	0	0	0	5	September 11, 2020	at Texas	Lyles	1	
Olson	5	4	2	2	13	September 11, 2020	at Texas	Garcia	2	
Pinder	0	2	0	0	2	August 16, 2020	at San Francisco	Peralta	9	
Piscotty	2	0	1	2	5	August 24, 2020	at Texas	Lynn	9	
Semien	2	3	1	0	6	September 12, 2020	at Texas	King	—	
Team	32	15	6	4	57					

MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs
Canha	Games	489	11 for 500
Davis	Runs	493	7 for 500
	Home Runs w/OAK	158	9 for 167 (ties R.Henderson for 7th in Oakland history)
	Home Runs as DH w/OAK	95	3 for 98 (ties Kingman for 1st in Athletics history)
	HR at Coliseum	77	5 for 82 (ties R.Henderson for 8th in Coliseum history)
Diekman	Strikeouts	488	12 for 500
Fiers	Games Started	195	5 for 200
	Strikeouts	983	17 for 1000
Hendriks	Saves w/OAK	38	6 for 44 (ties Foulke and Koch for 10th in Oakland history)
Manaea	Games	95	5 for 100
	Games Started	94	6 for 100
Olson	Games at 1B	381	6 for 387 (ties Bochte for 5th in Oakland history)
Semien	Triples w/OAK	20	2 for 22 (ties Bando and Ellis for 9th in Oakland history)

A'S AT A GLANCE

Season High.....	28-15/29-16 (September 11/12)
Season Low.....	3-4 (July 31)
July.....	3-4
August.....	19-8
September.....	7-4
Home Series.....	6-2-0
Road Series.....	3-3-0
Series Sweeps.....	4-2
First Game of Series.....	8-7
Last Game of Series.....	10-4
A's Score First.....	17-5
Opponent Scores First.....	12-11
Leading After 7th.....	21-0
Leading After 8th.....	21-0
Tied After 7th.....	5-1
Tied After 8th.....	5-1
Trailing After 7th.....	3-15
Trailing After 8th.....	2-11
Commit No Errors.....	20-10
Commit 1 or More Errors.....	9-6
More HR Than Opp.....	19-4
Fewer HR Than Opp.....	4-8
Same Total HR of Opp.....	6-4
Starter Pitches 7 or More.....	6-0
Starter Pitches Less Than 7.....	23-16
When Scoring 4 or More.....	21-2
When Scoring Less Than 4.....	8-14
Last At Bat.....	8-3
Replay Challenges.....	3-8
Different Lineups.....	34

WALK-OFF WINS (5)

Matt Olson, July 24 vs. Los Angeles-AL (grand slam)
 Stephen Piscotty, August 4 vs. Texas (grand slam)
 Marcus Semien, August 7 vs. Houston (single)
 Mark Canha, August 23 vs. Los Angeles-AL (sacrifice fly)
 Ramón Laureano, September 9 vs. Houston (single)

INJURED LIST

Current	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Chapman	Strained right hip	September 12-present	2	Mengden	Right elbow surgery	Feb. 15-July 22	0
Mengden	Positive Covid-19 test	September 3-present	11	Weems	Strained right latissimus dorsi	August 1-13	12
Puk	Strained left shoulder	July 20-present	45				
Smith	Strained right forearm	August 16-present	24				

The A's have used the injured list six times this season...used it 17 times last year.

TRANSACTIONS

Feb. 15	Burch Smith acquired from the San Francisco Giants for cash considerations; Daniel Mengden placed on the 60-day injured list (right elbow surgery)	July 27	Daniel Gossett released	Aug. 26	Burch Smith transferred to the 45-day injured list.
March 5	Daniel Gossett, Grant Holmes and James Kaprielian optioned to Las Vegas	Aug. 4	Jordan Weems placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to Aug. 1 (strained right latissimus dorsi); James Kaprielian recalled from alternate site	Aug. 28	Tommy La Stella acquired from the Los Angeles Angels for Franklin Barreto
March 6	Daulton Jefferies optioned to Las Vegas	Aug. 6	Seth Brown and James Kaprielian optioned to alternate site	Aug. 29	Austin Allen recalled from alternate site as 29th man for doubleheader
March 7	Luis Barrera, Paul Blackburn and Skye Bolt optioned to Las Vegas	Aug. 14	Ramon Laureano placed on the suspended list; Jordan Weems reinstated from the 10-day injured list and optioned to alternate site	Aug. 31	Mike Minor and cash acquired from the Texas Rangers for two players to be named later and international slot money; Chad Pinder reinstated from paternity list; Seth Brown optioned to alternate site
March 8	Dustin Fowler and Sheldon Neuse optioned to Las Vegas	Aug. 16	Burch Smith placed on the 10-day injured list (strained right forearm); James Kaprielian recalled from alternate site	Sept. 3	Daniel Mengden placed on the Covid-19 related injured list
June 30	Jorge Mateo traded to the San Diego Padres for a player to be named later	Aug. 19	Paul Blackburn recalled from alternate site; James Kaprielian optioned to alternate site	Sept. 8	James Kaprielian recalled from alternate site as 29th man for doubleheader
July 19	Justin Weems selected from the A's alternate training site	Aug. 24	Jonah Heim and Jordan Weems recalled from alternate site; Austin Allen and Paul Blackburn optioned to alternate site	Sept. 12	Matt Chapman placed on the 10-day injured list (strained right hip); Seth Brown recalled from alternate site; Daulton Jefferies recalled from alternate site as 29th man for doubleheader
July 23	Daniel Mengden reinstated from the injured list; A.J. Puk placed on the 10-day injured list retroactive to July 20 (strained left shoulder); Jonah Heim optioned to the A's alternate training site; Daniel Gossett designated for assignment	Aug. 25	Chad Pinder placed on the paternity list; Seth Brown recalled from alternate site		

2020 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/ LEADER				CUM. ATT.	CUM. ATT.
							GB	AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER		
7/24	1	LAA	W	7-3 (10)	1-0	t1	-	OAK/HOU/TEX-	Smith	Robles		
7/25	2	LAA	L	1-4	1-1	t2	-1	HOU	1 Bundy	Manaea	Robles	
7/26	3	LAA	W	6-4	2-1	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Petit	Ohtani	Hendriks	
7/27	4	LAA	W	3-0	3-1	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Smith	Canning	Soria	
7/28	5	COL	L	3-8	3-2	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Senzatela	Mengden		
7/29	6	COL	L	1-5	3-3	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Marquez	Montas		
(6 dates)												
7/30	OFF DAY					t1	-	OAK/HOU-				
7/31	7	at SEA	L	3-5	3-4	3	-1	HOU	½ Walker	Manaea	Williams	
8/1	8	at SEA	W	3-2 (10)	4-4	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Soria	Altavilla	Hendriks	
8/2	9	at SEA	W	3-2	5-4	t1	-	OAK/HOU-	Bassitt	Graveman	Hendriks	
8/3	10	at SEA	W	11-1	6-4	1	+½	OAK	½ Montas	Sheffield		
(4 dates)												
8/4	11	TEX	W	5-1	7-4	1	+½	OAK	½ Hendriks	Volquez		
8/5	12	TEX	W	6-4	8-4	1	+1½	OAK	1½ McFarland	Gibaut		
8/6	13	TEX	W	6-4	9-4	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Fiers	Minor	Hendriks	
8/7	14	HOU	W	3-2 (13)	10-4	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Wendelken	Sneed		
8/8	15	HOU	W	3-1	11-4	1	+4½	OAK	4½ Montas	Valdez	Hendriks	
8/9	16	HOU	W	7-2	12-4	1	+5	OAK	5 Luzardo	Javier	Smith	
(12 dates)												
8/10	17	at LAA	L	9-10	12-5	1	+4½	OAK	4½ Peña	Petit	Buttrey	
8/11	18	at LAA	L	0-6	12-6	1	+4	OAK	4 Bundy	Fiers		
8/12	19	at LAA	W	8-4	13-6	1	+4	OAK	4 Bassitt	Canning		
8/13	OFF DAY					1	+4	OAK	4			
8/14	20	at SF	W	8-7 (10)	14-6	1	+4	OAK	4 Soria	Garcia	Hendriks	
8/15	21	at SF	W	7-6	15-6	1	+4	OAK	4 McFarland	Gott	Hendriks	
8/16	22	at SF	W	15-3	16-6	1	+4½	OAK	4½ Fiers	Webb		
8/17	23	at ARI	L	3-4	16-7	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Crichton	Soria		
8/18	24	at ARI	L	1-10	16-8	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Weaver	Montas		
(12 dates)												
8/19	25	ARI	W	4-1	17-8	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Luzardo	Kelly	Hendriks	
8/20	26	ARI	W	5-1	18-8	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Manaea	Young		
8/21	27	LAA	W	5-3	19-8	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Fiers	Heaney	Hendriks	
8/22	28	LAA	L	3-4	19-9	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Andriese	Bassitt	Buttrey	
8/23	29	LAA	W	5-4 (10)	20-9	1	+4½	OAK	4½ Hendriks	Buttrey		
(17 dates)												
8/24	30	at TEX	L	2-3	20-10	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Lynn	Luzardo	Montero	
8/25	31	at TEX	W	10-3	21-10	1	+4	OAK	4 Manaea	Gibson		
8/26	32	at TEX	W	3-1	22-10	1	+4½	OAK	4½ Fiers	Allard	Hendriks	
8/27	at TEX PPD, Protest					1	+4½	OAK	4½			
8/28	at HOU PPD, Protest					1	+4½	OAK	4½			
8/29	33	at HOU (1)	L	2-4 (7)	22-11				McCullers	Bassitt	Pressly	
	34	at HOU (2)	L	3-6 (7)	22-12	1	+2½	OAK	2½ Greinke	Montas	Pressly	
8/30	at HOU PPD, Covid19					1	+2½	OAK	2½			
8/31	OFF DAY					1	+2½	OAK	2½			
9/1	at SEA PPD, Covid19					1	+3	OAK	3			
9/2	at SEA PPD, Covid19					1	+2½	OAK	2½			
9/3	at SEA PPD, Covid19					1	+2	OAK	2			

DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GA/ LEADER				CUM. ATT.	CUM. ATT.
							GB	AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER		
9/4	35	SD	L	0-7	22-13	1	+2	OAK	2 Davies	Luzardo		
9/5	36	SD	W	8-4	23-13	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Manaea	Paddack		
9/6	37	SD	L	3-5	23-14	1	+3½	OAK	3½ Richards	Fiers	Rosenthal	
9/7	38	HOU	W	6-0	24-14	1	+4½	OAK	4½ Bassitt	Javier		
9/8	39	*HOU (1)	W	4-2 (7)	25-14				Montas	Greinke	Hendriks	
	40	HOU (2)	L	4-5 (7)	25-15	1	+4½	OAK	4½ Paredes	Wendelken	Pressly	
9/9	41	HOU	W	3-2	26-15	1	+5½	OAK	5½ Hendriks	Pressly		
9/10	42	HOU	W	3-1	27-15	1	+6½	OAK	6½ Manaea	Urquidy	Hendriks	
(24 dates)												
9/11	43	at TEX	W	10-6	28-15	1	+7	OAK	7 Fiers	Garcia	Montero	
9/12	44	at TEX (1)	L	2-5 (7)	28-16				Benjamin	Jefferies		
	45	at TEX (2)	W	10-1 (7)	29-16	1	+6½	OAK	6½ Bassitt	Allard		

* indicates sellout.
 * indicates Oakland is visiting team.
 CAPS indicates complete game.

DATE	G	OPP	TIME	TV
9/13	46	at TEX	11:35	NBCSCA
9/14	47	at SEA	2:10	NBCSCA
	48	at SEA		NBCSCA/FS1
9/15	49	at COL	5:40	NBCSCA/FS1
9/16	50	at COL	12:10	NBCSCA
9/17	OFF DAY			
9/18	51	SF	6:40	NBCSCA
9/19	52	SF	1:10	NBCSCA/MLBN
9/20	53	SF	1:10	NBCSCA/ESPN
9/21	OFF DAY			
9/22	54	at LAD	6:40	NBCSCA
9/23	55	at LAD	6:40	NBCSCA
9/24	56	at LAD	6:40	NBCSCA
9/25	57	SEA	6:40	NBCSCA
9/26	58	*SEA	1:10	NBCSCA
	59	SEA		NBCSCA
9/27	60	SEA	12:10	NBCSCA

ALTERNATE SITE ROSTER

The A's are using Excite Ballpark in San Jose, Calif. as their alternate site for the 2020 season. All practices and baseball-related activities by the A's in San Jose are closed to the public and media, consistent with MLB guidance to ensure the health and safety of the players.

NO PITCHERS (12)

	Tyler Baum
58	^Paul Blackburn
64	Ben Bracewell
75	Wandisson Charles
74	Parker Dunshee
67	^Grant Holmes
76	Brian Howard
66	^Daulton Jefferies
56	^James Kaprielian
60	Lucas Luetge
65	Miguel Romero
68	Jaime Schultz

NO CATCHERS (4)

30	^Austin Allen
	Kyle McCann
63	Carlos Pérez
	Tyler Soderstrom

NO INFELDERS (6)

61	Nick Allen
19	Eric Campbell
66	Logan Davidson
21	^Sheldon Neuse
45	Nate Orf
	Robert Puason

NO OUTFELDERS (6)

79	^Luis Barrera
49	^Skye Bolt
	Brayan Buelvas
78	Greg Deichmann
11	^Dustin Fowler
72	Buddy Reed

B	T	HT	WT	BORN	BIRTHPLACE	RESIDENCE
R	R	6-2	195	1-14-98	Orlando, FL	Ocoee, FL
R	R	6-1	196	12-4-93	Antioch, CA	Scottsdale, AZ
R	R	6-0	200	9-19-90	Birmingham, AL	Chelsea, AL
R	R	6-4	263	9-7-96	Bani, DR	Peravia, DR
R	R	6-0	215	2-12-95	Zionsville, IN	Zionsville, IN
L	R	6-0	226	3-22-96	Conway, SC	Conway, SC
R	R	6-9	213	4-25-95	St. Louis, MO	St. Louis, MO
L	R	6-0	182	8-2-95	Merced, CA	Atwater, CA
R	R	6-3	225	3-2-94	Laguna Hills, CA	Tustin, CA
L	L	6-4	205	3-24-87	Brenham, TX	Bellville, TX
R	R	6-0	202	4-23-94	Manuel Tames, Cuba	Miami, FL
R	R	5-10	205	6-20-91	Albany, NY	Livingston, TX
L	R	6-2	219	1-16-94	St. Louis, MO	Orlando, FL
L	R	6-2	210	12-2-97	Suwanee, GA	Miramar, FL
R	R	6-0	210	10-27-90	Valencia, Venezuela	Valencia, Venezuela
L	R	6-2	200	11-24-01	Turlock, CA	Turlock, CA
R	R	5-8	166	10-8-98	San Diego, CA	San Diego, CA
R	R	6-3	215	4-9-87	Norwich, CT	Colchester, CT
S	R	6-3	185	12-26-97	Charlotte, NC	Seneca, SC
R	R	6-0	232	12-10-94	Fort Worth, TX	Fort Worth, TX
R	R	5-8	181	2-1-90	St. Charles, MO	St. Charles, MO
S	R	6-3	165	9-11-02	Guaymate, La Romana, DR	Villa Verde, La Romana, DR
L	L	6-0	195	11-15-95	Tamboril, DR	Tamboril, DR
S	R	6-2	180	1-15-94	Atlanta, GA	Ormond Beach, FL
R	R	5-11	155	6-8-02	Montería, Colombia	Montería, Colombia
L	R	6-2	205	5-31-95	Metairie, LA	Metairie, LA
L	L	6-0	198	12-29-94	Caldwell, GA	Dublin, GA
S	R	6-4	218	4-27-95	Bronx, NY	Tampa, FL

^ indicates players on 40-man roster.

In season player pool changes: July 27, added RHP Ben Bracewell. Aug. 7, traded Mark Payton to the Cincinnati Reds for a player to be named later or cash.

Taxi Squads:

July 31-Aug. 3: LHP Lucas Luetge, C Jonah Heim, IF Nate Orf
 Aug. 10-12: RHP Paul Blackburn, RHP James Kaprielian, C Jonah Heim, IF Sheldon Neuse, OF Seth Brown
 Aug. 17-18: RHP Paul Blackburn, C Jonah Heim, OF Seth Brown
 Aug. 24-Sept. 3: RHP Paul Blackburn, RHP James Kaprielian, C Austin Allen (on active roster Aug. 29), OF Seth Brown (on active roster, Aug. 25-30)
 Sept. 11-16: RHP Paul Blackburn, RHP Daulton Jefferies (on active roster Sept. 12), RHP James Kaprielian, C Austin Allen, OF Seth Brown (on active roster, Sept. 12-)