



# OAKLAND ATHLETICS

## Game Information

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### A's AT A GLANCE

Season High	87-61 (Sept. 14)
Season Low	0-2/20-22 (April 2/May 15)
April	16-12
May	16-12
June	16-11
July	15-10
August	14-13
September	10-3
Home Series	15-8-1
Road Series	13-9-2
Series Sweeps	10-3
First Game of Series	31-17
Last Game of Series	28-19
A's Score First	58-24
Opponent Scores First	29-37
Leading After 7 <sup>th</sup>	69-5
Leading After 8 <sup>th</sup>	73-2
Tied After 7 <sup>th</sup>	13-7
Tied After 8 <sup>th</sup>	9-5
Trailing After 7 <sup>th</sup>	4-49
Trailing After 8 <sup>th</sup>	3-54
Commit No Errors	54-29
Commit 1 or More Errors	33-32
More HR Than Opp.	56-6
Fewer HR Than Opp.	11-35
Same Total HR of Opp.	20-20
Starter Pitches 7 or More	39-16
Starter Pitches Less Than 7	48-45
When Scoring 4 or More	68-14
When Scoring Less Than 4	19-47
Last At Bat	17-11
Different Lineups	128

OAKLAND ATHLETICS (87-61) VS. TEXAS RANGERS (81-66)  
**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2013 – RANGERS BALLPARK – 2:05 P.M. CDT**  
**RHP JARROD PARKER (11-6, 3.55) VS. LHP MARTIN PEREZ (9-4, 3.60)**  
**CSNCA – A'S RADIO NETWORK (95.7 FM THE GAME)**

### ABOUT THE A's

**ABOUT THE A'S:** Have won four straight, seven of the past eight, 12 of the last 15 and 15 of the last 19 to improve to a season-high 26 games over .500 at 87-61...have the second best record in the American League (Boston, 91-59) and third best record in the majors...have a 5½ game lead in the AL West over Texas, which is the A's largest lead since July 29 when they had a six game lead, and the A's magic number for clinching the West is 10...have a seven game lead over the third place team in the Wild Card race and their magic number for clinching a playoff berth is eight...have clinched a winning record for the second consecutive season, marking the first time the A's have put together back-to-back winning seasons since 1999-2006 when they had eight straight...are 31-22 since the All-Star Break after going 56-39 before the break...went 20-22 over the first 42 games this year and trailed Texas by 7½ games on May 16...then went a Major League best 43-21 from May 17 to July 29 to gain 13½ games in the standings and take a six-game lead in the AL West...compiled a 12-15 record from July 30 to August 29 to lose nine games in the standings and fall three back of Texas...are 12-3 since August 30 and have picked up 8½ games on the Rangers...for the season, have spent 66 days in sole possession of first, 11 days tied for first, 78 days in second, four days tied for second, one day in third, two days tied for fourth and one day in fifth...are 228-181 (.557) since Bob Melvin took over as manager June 9, 2011, which is the seventh best record in the majors over that span.

**PITCHING:** The A's recorded their 11<sup>th</sup> shutout of the season yesterday, which is tied for third most in the American League...now have a 2.66 ERA (37 er in 125.0 ip) and .237 (112 for 473) opponents batting average over the past 14 games (since August 31)...have a 3.59 ERA for the season, which ranks second in the AL...have the lowest opponents on-base percentage (.300) and second lowest batting average (.244) and slugging percentage (.382)...the last time the A's finished the season with an on-base percentage under .302 was in 1972 (.284)...have allowed just 393 walks for the season, which is the **fewest in the American League**...Dan Straily became the A's fifth 10-game winner on Friday, which is **tied for the most in the majors** (Detroit) and the **most in Oakland history** (fifth time, also: 1968, 1971, 2004, 2005).

**STARTING PITCHING:** A's starting pitchers are 17-5 with a 2.73 ERA (56 er in 184.2 ip) and .233 (160 for 687) opponents batting average over the last 30 games (since August 14)...are now 65-44 with a 3.71 ERA (371 er in 900.1 ip) for the season...**lead the American League** in complete game shutouts (4), rank second in wins, ERA and complete games (6) and third in innings pitched.

**OFFENSE:** The A's are batting .283 (338 for 1194) with 52 home runs over the last 35 games (since August 9)...**lead the majors** in home runs, slugging percentage (.488) and extra base hits (132) over that span, are tied for second in runs (189), rank third in doubles (71), tied for third in triples (9) and fifth in batting...are **tied for the American League lead** and tied for second in the majors with 66 home runs since the All-Star Break (Washington, 67)...for the season, rank second in the AL in doubles (275), third in walks (522) and extra base hits (464) and fourth in triples (25)...A's outfielders have combined for a .234 (401 for 1716) batting average, which is second lowest in the majors (Minnesota, .231)...the lowest mark by A's outfielders since at least 1916 is .228 in 1979...however, have 69 home runs, which is the **most in the majors**, and 232 RBI, which ranks second...the A's recorded 18 runs and 22 hits on Wednesday...the runs were the A's most in a game since August 31, 2012, a 20-2 win vs. Boston...the hits were the most since July 20, 2009 when they also had 22 in a 14-13 win against Minnesota...tied Oakland records for doubles (8) and extra-base hits (11) in a game...scored 10 runs in the fourth inning, which tied the Oakland record for most runs in a single inning (sixth time, last: June 18, 2000 at Kansas City).

**THE WEST AND THE REST:** The A's are 9-3 on this season-ending stretch where they will play 19 of their final 26 games against American League West competition (the exceptions are seven games with Minnesota)...started the season by going 13-3 against AL West teams compared to 5-15 against everyone else through May 9...are 26-24 against the West since May 10 while going 43-19 against the rest of baseball.

**HOME AND AWAY:** The A's are 4-1 on this six-game road trip to Minnesota (2-1) and Texas (2-0)...are 40-34 (.541) on the road, which is the third best road record in the American League...return home following the game today for a seven-game homestand against Los Angeles (three games) and Minnesota (four games) beginning tomorrow, their final homestand of the regular season...are 47-27 (.635) in Oakland, which is the second best home record in the AL (Boston, 49-25)...have clinched a winning record at home for the fourth straight season.

**DEFENSIVE DOINGS:** The A's rank last in the majors with 1273 assists and are on pace for 1393, which would tie the Major League record for fewest assists in a non-strike season (San Francisco in 2008)...have just 106 double plays, which is also the fewest in the majors...the Oakland record for fewest double plays in a non-strike season is 115 in 1980.

**ROSTER NOTES:** The A's have 34 players on the active roster...have used 44 players this year, marking the first time the A's have used fewer than 48 players in a season since 2006 (40)...have used 18 pitchers, which is the fewest since 2004 (17)...the 18 pitchers are tied for the fewest in the majors this year (Kansas City)...have used just seven starting pitchers, which is their fewest since employing six in 2004...in the majors, only Detroit has used fewer starters this year (6)...used the disabled list four times over a 33-day stretch from July 25-August 26 after a 77-day streak without placing a player on the DL...the 77-day streak is the second longest by an A's team since 1990 (94, May 28-Aug. 30, 2005)...have used the DL 13 times for the season, which is the fewest since 2005 (8).

**THIS AND THAT:** The A's are 29-19 (.604) in one-run games...**lead the American League** in one run wins and have the third best record...A's pinch hitters are batting .134 (17 for 127), which is the lowest mark in the AL...the lowest mark in Oakland history is .141 in 1994...lead the AL in pinch strikeouts (38) and rank second in plate appearances (146), home runs (4) and walks (16)...the plate appearances are the A's most since 2000 (162)...went 14-13 in August to extend their streak of consecutive months with a winning record to nine dating back to last June...that is the fourth longest such streak in Oakland history and the longest since a 10-month streak from June, 2002 to September, 2003...it matches the longest active streak in the majors (Atlanta).

### A's vs. RANGERS

The season series is tied at nine games each with today's season finale remaining...the A's need to win today to avoid losing the season series for the sixth time over the last eight seasons...are 4-5 in Oakland this year and 5-4 in Texas...are 71-80 (.470) against the Rangers since 2006...are 312-324 all-time against the Texas Rangers...that breaks down to 167-151 in Oakland and 145-173 in Texas...have an all-time record of 409-406 against the Rangers/Senators.

### MLB BEST RECORDS, LAST TWO YEARS

	W	L	PCT
Atlanta	183	127	.590
<b>Oakland</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>.584</b>
Cincinnati	181	130	.582
Washington	176	134	.568
<b>Texas</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>.563</b>

### TODAY'S TIDBITS

**Yoenis Céspedes** is 19 for 51 (.373) with eight runs, two doubles, one triple, three home runs, 13 RBI and eight multiple hit games in 13 games in September.

**Josh Donaldson** extended his hitting streak to 10 games yesterday, which is an ongoing career-high...is batting .447 (17 for 38) with 11 runs, six doubles, three home runs and 10 RBI during the streak.

**Brandon Moss** is batting .338 (24 for 71) with 17 runs, nine home runs and 23 RBI over his last 24 games (since August 19)...the home runs are tied for second most in the majors over that span and the RBI rank third.

### THIS DATE IN A'S HISTORY

In **1971** the A's score twice in the eighth inning to defeat Chicago 3-2 in the first game of a doubleheader, clinching their first American League West title...in **1990** Dennis Eckersley becomes Oakland's all-time saves leader when he saves his 137<sup>th</sup> game as an Athletic, breaking Rollie Fingers record of 136.

### PITCHING PROBABLES

Mon., Sept. 16 vs. LAA	RHP Sonny Gray (3-3, 2.63)	vs. LHP C.J. Wilson (16-6, 3.44)	7:05 CSNCA
Tue., Sept. 17 vs. LAA	RHP A.J. Griffin (14-9, 3.81)	vs. RHP Garrett Richards (7-6, 3.91)	7:05 CSNCA
Wed., Sept. 18 vs. LAA	RHP Dan Straily (10-7, 4.11)	vs. LHP Jason Vargas (8-7, 4.20)	12:35 CSNCA

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# TODAY'S STARTING PITCHER: Jarrod Parker (11-6, 3.55 ERA)

## PARKER BY THE NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2013	11	6	3.55	29	182.1	72
2012	13	8	3.47	29	181.1	70
Career	24	14	3.46	59	369.1	142
Home	6	3	3.87	16	100.0	43
Road	5	3	3.17	13	82.1	29
Day	4	2	3.92	11	66.2	29
Night	7	4	3.35	18	115.2	43
Pre-ASB	6	6	3.95	19	114.0	50
Post-ASB	5	0	2.90	10	68.1	22
	AVG.	AB	H			
vs. LHH		260	381			99
vs. RHH		205	290			60

## RUN SUPPORT

Parker		Runs Scored	Times
0			3
1			5
2			6
3			5
4			4
5			2
6			1
7			0
8			0
9			2
10			0
14			1
Run Support Avg.		4.74	

## PARKER vs. TEXAS

	W	L	ERA	G	IP	ER
2013	3	1	3.12	4	26.0	9
2012	3	0	2.70	3	20.0	6
Career	6	1	2.93	7	46.0	15

### Parker's Starts vs. Texas

DATE	H/A	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
6/4/12	H	W	8.0	1	0	0	3	6
9/26/12	A	W	6.0	5	3	3	3	8
10/1/12	H	W	6.0	6	3	3	2	6
5/22/13	A	L	7.0	6	3	3	1	5
6/18/13	A	W	7.0	3	2	2	2	4
8/3/13	H	W	6.0	6	2	2	2	6
9/4/13	H	W	6.0	5	2	2	0	4

### Texas Career Batting vs. Parker

	AVG.	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Adduci	.500	2	1	0	0	0
Andrus	.300	10	3	0	4	3
Baker	.333	3	1	0	0	0
Beltre	.190	21	4	1	0	5
Berkman	.000	6	0	0	0	1
Cruz	.000	17	0	0	1	6
Gentry	.400	5	2	0	0	0
Harris	.000	3	0	0	0	1
Kinsler	.133	15	2	1	3	4
Martin	.400	10	4	0	1	3
Moreland	.200	10	2	0	0	4
Murphy	.176	17	3	1	1	1
Pierzynski	.167	12	2	0	0	1
Profar	.333	6	2	0	0	0
Rios	.333	9	3	0	0	3
Soto	.000	3	0	0	0	2

## PARKER'S CAREER HIGHS

Low Hit CG:	8, 8/19/13 vs. SEA
IP:	9.0, 8/19/13 vs. SEA
Fewest IP, GS:	2.0, 5/18/12 at SF
H:	9 (four times), last: 4/14/13 vs. DET
R:	8, 4/14/13 vs. DET
ER:	8, 4/14/13 vs. DET
BB:	7, 7/28/13 vs. LAA
SO:	9, 6/27/12 at SEA
HR:	4, 5/6/13 at CLE
Win Streak:	9, 5/28/13 to present
Loss Streak:	4, 4/2/13 to 4/25/13
Scoreless Streak:	18.0, 5/23/12 to 6/4/12
Complete Games:	1, 8/19/13 vs. SEA
Shutouts:	None

**FOR STARTERS:** Is scheduled to make his career-high 30<sup>th</sup> start of the season...the A's are 16-13 (.552) in his starting assignments this year and 33-25 (.569) in his career...has tossed six or more innings in 22 of his 29 starts, allowed two runs or fewer 16 times and walked two batters or fewer 19 times.

**NINE-GAME WINNING STREAK:** Is 9-0 with a 2.61 ERA (37 er in 127.2 ip) and .209 (96 for 459) opponents batting average over his last 19 starts...the winning streak is a career high (previous: 4, Sept. 10-Oct. 1, 2012), an A's season high and is tied for third longest in the majors this year...it is the longest by an A's pitcher since Dan Haren won 10 straight from April 18-July 1, 2007...there have been seven winning streaks of 10 or more games in Oakland history...went 2-6 with a 5.76 ERA and .294 opponents batting average over his first 10 starts.

**19-START UNBEATEN STREAK:** His current nine-game winning streak includes 10 no decisions and his 19-start unbeaten streak is the longest in Oakland history and the longest by an A's pitcher since Lefty Grove had a 21-start streak without a loss from April 22-August 19, 1931 (had 10 relief appearances during the streak, including one loss)...has left the game with a lead four times during the streak, only to have the bullpen blow the save (July 6 and 23, August 30, September 10).

**AMONG THE LEADERS:** Ranks eighth in the American League with a .236 opponents batting average and 10<sup>th</sup> with a .373 opponents slugging percentage...is fourth with a .194 (27 for 139) average with runners in scoring position and fifth with a .205 (60 for 292) mark against right-handed hitters...the opponents cleanup hitter is batting .171 (14 for 82), which is second lowest...is fifth in fewest pitches per inning (15.1) and ninth in pitches per game (94.7).

**THE LONG BALL:** Has allowed 21 home runs, which is an on-going career-high...yielded just 11 home runs in 181.1 innings last year...15 of the 21 home runs he has allowed this year have come on the road, which is tied for fifth in the AL...15 have been solo shots.

**DAYS REST:** Is scheduled to pitch on four days rest today...is 8-3 with a 4.03 ERA (41 er in 91.2 ip) in 14 starts on four days rest compared to 3-3 with a 3.08 ERA (31 er in 90.2 ip) in 15 starts on five days rest or more.

**RUN SUPPORT:** Has received two runs of support or fewer in 11 of the 18 games in which he took the loss or had a no decision...is 3-6 with two runs of support or fewer and 8-0 with three runs or more...is now 19-0 in 29 career starts with run support of three or more...is 23-2 with run support of two or more.

**THE FIRST INNING:** Has allowed 17 runs in the first inning for a 5.46 ERA (29.0 ip)...has a 3.22 ERA (55 er in 153.1 ip) from the second inning on...opponents are batting .291 (34 for 117) with six home runs in the first inning compared to .225 (125 for 556) with 15 home runs from the second inning on.

**DEFENSIVE DOINGS:** Has committed four errors in his last 11 starts after going errorless over his first 17 starts this year...his four errors are the most in the American League and tied for second most in the majors among pitchers.

**IN AUGUST:** Went 4-0 with a 2.23 ERA in six starts in the month of August...it marks the first four-win month of his career...tied for second in the American League in wins in August and ranked fourth in ERA.

**THIS AND THAT:** Had a streak of 16 consecutive starts with six hits or fewer and three innings or more from May 11 to August 9...that was the second longest such streak by an A's pitcher since at least 1916 (20, Trevor Cahill, May 5-Aug. 14, 2010)...allowed a .192 opponents batting average...had a streak of six consecutive no decisions from June 23 to July 28, which matched the longest by an Athletics starter since at least 1916 (fourth time, last: Carlos Reyes June 10-July 17, 1994)...had a 3.50 ERA and .191 opponents batting average during the streak...the A's lost five of the six games...tossed his first career complete game August 19 against Seattle, in the 55<sup>th</sup> start of his career...it was his 54<sup>th</sup> start as an Athletic and the 53 consecutive starts without a complete game is the fourth longest streak in Oakland history...it was part of a three-game streak from August 14-24 where he tossed eight innings or more and allowed one run or fewer, matching the longest such streak by an A's pitcher over the last 33 years.

**LAST START:** He had a no decision in the A's 4-3 loss at Minnesota on Tuesday...allowed a solo home run to Willingham in the second inning but the A's scored twice in the fifth and once in the sixth to take a 3-1 lead...allowed a leadoff home run to Arcia in the bottom of the sixth to make the score 3-2 and was relieved by Doolittle to start the seventh...Cook allowed a two-run home run to Willingham in the eighth for the blown save and loss.

**PARKER vs. TEXAS:** Is 6-1 with a 2.93 ERA (46.0 ip, 32 h, 15 r, 15 er, 13 bb, 39 so, 5 hr) in seven career starts...the six wins are his most against any team...is 4-0 with a 2.42 ERA (7 er in 26.0 ip) in four starts in Oakland and 2-1 with a 3.60 ERA (8 er in 20.0 ip) in three starts in Texas...is 3-1 with a 3.12 ERA (26.0 ip, 20 h, 9 r, 9 er, 5 bb, 19 so, 3 hr) in four starts this year...the loss came in a 3-1 decision at Texas May 22...allowed three runs in the first inning on a two-run home run by Murphy and a solo home run by Beltre...the A's were held to a run on four hits by Wolf and the Rangers bullpen...then picked up the win in the A's 6-2 victory at Texas June 18...had a 3-0 lead when he allowed two runs in the third inning on a two-run single by Pierzynski...was also the winning pitcher in the A's 4-2 decision in Oakland August 3...the A's scored three times in the first and he allowed single runs in the third and fifth innings on a Beltre RBI single and a Kinsler solo home run...his third win came in a 11-4 victory in Oakland September 4...had a 3-0 lead when he allowed a RBI double to Martin and a RBI single to Gentry in the third inning.

## PARKER'S 2013 STARTS

Date	Opponent	Score	Dec	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	HR	#PIT
April 2	SEA	1-7	L	7.20	5.0	5	4	4	3	1	1	95
April 9	at LAA	9-5	--	6.48	3.1	9	2	2	3	1	0	74
April 14	DET	1-10	L	10.50	3.1	9	8	8	2	2	1	76
April 20	at TB	0-1	L	7.50	6.1	6	1	1	2	5	1	91
April 25	BAL	2-10	L	8.10	5.1	8	6	6	3	5	1	98
April 30	LAA	10-6	W	7.36	6.0	6	4	3	3	4	0	96
April Totals (6 G, 6 GS)		1-4		7.36	29.1	43	25	24	16	18	4	
May 6	at CLE	1-5	L	7.34	5.0	7	4	4	2	7	4	93
May 11	at SEA	4-3	W	6.86	6.1	3	3	3	4	5	1	85
May 17	KC	2-1	--	6.04	7.0	4	1	1	2	5	0	98
May 22	at TEX	1-3	L	5.76	7.0	6	3	3	1	5	2	96
May 28	SF	6-3	W	5.40	7.0	5	2	2	1	4	0	94
May Totals (5 G, 5 GS)		2-2		3.62	32.1	25	13	13	10	26	7	
June 2	CWS	2-0	W	4.90	6.1	2	0	0	2	7	0	105
June 7	at CWS	4-3	W	4.68	7.0	5	3	2	2	4	1	92
June 13	NYG	3-2 (18)	--	4.45	8.0	5	2	2	2	2	1	108
June 18	at TEX	6-2	W	4.30	7.0	3	2	2	2	4	0	91
June 23	at SEA	3-6 (10)	--	4.27	7.0	5	3	3	1	6	2	108
June 29	STL	1-7	--	4.11	3.2	2	0	0	0	3	0	48
June Totals (6 G, 6 GS)		3-0		2.08	39.0	22	10	9	9	26	4	
July 6	at KC	3-4	--	4.04	6.1	5	3	2	3	4	1	101
July 12	BOS	2-4	--	3.95	7.0	3	2	2	0	3	0	93
July 23	at HOU	4-5	--	3.79	7.0	5	2	1	2	4	0	93
July 28	LAA	10-6	--	4.07	5.0	5	6	6	7	3	0	95
July Totals (4 G, 4 GS)		0-0		3.91	25.1	18	13	11	12	14	1	
Aug. 3	TEX	4-2	W	4.02	6.0	6	2	2	2	6	1	107
Aug. 9	at TOR	14-6	W	4.04	6.0	6	3	3	1	6	0	99
Aug. 14	HOU	1-2 (11)	--	3.87	8.1	8	1	1	1	6	1	97
Aug. 19	SEA	2-1	W	3.71	9.0	8	1	1	0	8	0	100
Aug. 24	at BAL	2-1	W	3.58	8.0	5	1	1	3	5	1	117
Aug. 30	TB	4-3	--	3.59	7.0	6	3	3	3	3	0	108
August Totals (6 G, 6 GS)		4-0		2.23	44.1	39	11	11	10	34	3	
Sept. 4	TEX	11-4	W	3.57	6.0	5	2	2	0	4	0	87
Sept. 10	at MIN	3-4	--	3.55	6.0	7	2	2	3	4	2	101

## MAJOR LEAGUE ERA LEADERS SINCE MAY 17 (min. 109.0 ip)

1.75	Fernandez, MIA
2.06	Colon, OAK
2.16	Kershaw, LAD
2.56	Teheran, ATL
2.60	Parker, OAK

## TOMORROW'S PROBABLE STARTING PITCHER

**RHP Sonny Gray (3-3, 2.63 ERA):** Is scheduled to make the 10<sup>th</sup> appearance and eighth start of the season and his career...was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento August 10 for his second stint with the A's this year...is 3-3 with a 2.86 ERA (14 er in 44.0 ip) in seven starts since his return...is 1-1 with a 1.44 ERA (4 er in 25.0 ip) in four games against American League West competition compared to 2-2 with a 3.91 ERA (10 er in 23.0 ip) in five games against everyone else...has faced the Angels once in his career, a relief appearance in his second career outing earlier this year July 19 at Los Angeles (AL)...entered the game in the sixth inning with the A's trailing 4-0 and pitched 2.0 scoreless innings.

## ATHLETICS BULLPEN BRIEFS

**22-17, 3.333 ERA (426.1 ip, 391 h, 170 r, 158 er, 140 bb, 378 so, 37 hr) Save/Save Opportunities: 46/64 (71.9%)**

The A's bullpen has a 5.35 ERA (43 er in 72.1 ip) and .293 (87 for 297) opponents batting average over its past 25 games (since August 17)...now has a 3.33 ERA for the season, which is fourth lowest in the American League...has allowed the second fewest walks in the AL (140) and has the third fewest strikeouts (378)...is tied for the fourth fewest home runs allowed (37)...ranks fourth in opponents on-base percentage (.303) and slugging percentage (.362)...first batters faced are 80 for 366 (.219) with 26 walks and two hit by pitches (3 sf, .272 on-base percentage)...has the second lowest on-base percentage and slugging percentage (.342) in the AL and third lowest batting average.

**49 LHP BRETT ANDERSON Save/Opportunities: 3-3 Last Outing: 9/13 at Texas (ND, 0.0 ip, 0 h, 2 r, 2 er, 2 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 2-1 (0 bb)**

- Was reinstated from the 60-day disabled list August 28 and has appeared in five games in relief since then (10.1 ip, 13 h, 8 r, 8 er, 5 bb, 10 so, 1 hr, 6.97 ERA).
- Has recorded three three-inning saves...is the second A's pitcher since 1992 with three three-inning saves in one season (Doug Jones, 1999).
- Has a save in three relief appearances against Texas (4.1 ip, 5 h, 4 r, 4 er, 3 bb, 6 so, 1 hr, 8.31 ERA).
- Was placed on the 15-day DL May 1 with a sprained right ankle...was diagnosed with a navicular stress fracture of his right foot May 17 and was transferred to the 60-day DL June 14.
- Made three rehab starts with Double-A Midland (May 12), Triple-A Sacramento (August 17) and Single-A Stockton and was a combined 0-2 with a 12.54 ERA...the complete statistics from his rehab assignment:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Midland (AA)	0	1	14.73	1	1	0	0	0	3.2	6	6	6	4	3
Sacramento (AAA)	0	0	7.71	1	1	0	0	0	2.1	3	2	2	3	2
Stockton (A)	0	1	13.50	1	1	0	0	0	3.1	5	5	5	2	6

- Completed his rehab from "Tommy John" surgery in late August of last year and went 4-2 with a 2.57 ERA in six starts before his regular season ended when he strained his right oblique Sept. 19...returned to start and win Game 3 of the ALDS against Detroit in Oakland.

**50 RHP GRANT BALFOUR Save/Opportunities: 38-40 Last Outing: 9/14 at Texas (S, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 1 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 6/5 First Hitters: 12-54 (6 bb)**

- Has allowed seven runs over his past eight games (6 er in 7.2 ip, 7.04 ERA) but is 6 for 7 (85.7%) in save opportunities over that span.
- Ranks third in the American League in save percentage (95.0%) and is fifth in saves (38)...his 38 saves are the most by an A's pitcher since 2003 when Keith Foulke recorded 43.
- Now has 64 career saves with the A's, which ranks seventh in Oakland history...is 11 away from tying Jason Isringhausen and Andrew Bailey (75) for fifth place.
- Has a 1.57 ERA (6 er in 34.1 ip) in 34 games in Oakland compared to 3.86 (10 er in 23.1 ip) in 26 games on the road.
- Is a perfect 4 for 4 in save opportunities in six outings against the Rangers this season (6.0 ip, 2 h, 2 bb, 7 so).
- Had two stints as the A's closer in 2012 and saved a team-leading 24 games in a team-high 75 appearances while posting a 2.53 ERA...was charged with just two blown saves and his save percentage of 92.3 ranked fourth in the American League...was 10<sup>th</sup> in saves.

**13 LHP JERRY BLEVINS Save/Opportunities: 0-4 Last Outing: 9/13 at Texas (ND, 0.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 38/13 First Hitters: 15-51 (7 bb, 2 sf, 1 hbp)**

- Has allowed five runs over his past eight appearances (8.1 ip, 5.40 ERA) after a nine-game, 8.1-inning streak in which he did not allow an earned run.
- Is tied for eighth among AL relievers in wins (5)...the five wins match his career high (also 2012).
- His opponents have a .223 batting average...that includes .193 (21 for 109) against right-handers compared to .261 (23 for 88) against lefties.
- Made the 274<sup>th</sup> appearance of his career on Tuesday, passing Vida Blue for eighth place in Oakland history (now has 275)...is six away from tying Gene Nelson and Billy Taylor for sixth place (281).
- Has not allowed a run in nine games against Texas this year (7.0 ip, 3 h, 2 bb, 3 so).
- Completed his sixth season in an Oakland uniform last year, but it was just his second full season (2010)...was 5-1 with a save, a 2.48 ERA and a .201 opponents batting average in 63 relief appearances...the ERA and opponents batting average were the lowest marks of his career.

**60 RHP JESSE CHAVEZ Save/Opportunities: 1-1 Last Outing: 9/13 at Texas (ND, 0.2 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 0 bb, 2 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 23/6 First Hitters: 7-28 (1 bb)**

- His last appearance Friday was his first since September 3...has appeared in just two of the A's past 21 games (since August 24).
- Has allowed 14 runs in his past 10 appearances (17.0 ip, 7.41 ERA) after not yielding a run in his previous five games and 7.2 innings.
- Has tossed more than one inning in 18 of his 29 appearances, including 10 outings of two innings or more.
- Has a 3.24 ERA (9 er in 25.0 ip) in 16 games on the road compared to 5.54 (16 er in 26.0 ip) in 13 games in Oakland.
- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento May 10 for his second stint with the A's and has a 4.24 ERA (22 er in 46.2 ip) in 26 games since then...had a 6.23 ERA in three relief appearances during his first stint from April 20-28.
- Has a loss in five games against Texas this season (8.2 ip, 10 h, 7 r, 7 er, 2 bb, 8 so, 3 hr, 7.27 ERA).
- Compiled an 18.90 ERA and .474 opponents batting average in four September appearances with Oakland last year after logging an 8.44 ERA in nine games with Toronto...was 1-1 with a 9.85 ERA overall...also combined for a 8-5 record and a 3.77 ERA in 21 Triple-A appearances.

**48 RHP RYAN COOK Save/Opportunities: 2-9 Last Outing: 9/13 at Texas (ND, 0.0 ip, 2 h, 2 r, 2 er, 1 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 29/15 First Hitters: 10-60 (4 bb)**

- Has allowed three runs over his past two appearances (0.1 ip, 3 h, 3 r, 3 er, 2 bb, 1 hr)...yielded a total of five runs, three earned, in his previous 29 games for a 0.95 ERA.
- Is tied for second among American League relievers in wins (6).
- First batters faced are 10 for 60 (.167) with four walks (.219 on-base percentage), two doubles and one home run (.250 slugging percentage)...is eighth in the AL in batting average against first batters.
- His opponents have a .234 batting average, including .194 (27 for 139) against right-handers and .290 (29 for 100) against left-handers.
- Has faced the Rangers eight times this season (6.0 ip, 8 h, 4 r, 4 er, 1 bb, 2 so, 6.00 ERA).
- Was the A's lone representative to the American League All-Star team last year as a 25-year-old rookie...went 6-2 with 14 saves, a 2.09 ERA and .166 opponents batting average in 71 appearances...tied the Oakland rookie record for games pitched and had the third best save total.

**62 LHP SEAN DOOLITTLE Save/Opportunities: 2-7 Last Outing: 9/13 at Texas (ND, 1.1 ip, 2 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 3 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 28/2 First Hitters: 11-61 (4 bb)**

- Has recorded the save in two of his past three outings, his first saves of the season...both were four-out saves, the first of his career.
- Has allowed just 2 of his 28 (7.1%) inherited runners to score, which is the best percentage in the American League.
- Is tied for seventh among AL relievers in losses (5).
- First batters are 11 for 61 (.180) with two doubles (.213 slugging percentage)...the slugging percentage ranks eighth in the AL.
- Has a save in six outings against Texas this season (6.0 ip, 8 h, 1 r, 1 er, 10 so, 1.50 ERA).
- Made his Major League debut with the A's last year after just 17 professional appearances as a pitcher...was 2-1 with a save and a 3.04 ERA in 44 appearances with Oakland...struck out 60 batters in just 47.1 innings, an average of 11.41 per nine innings.

**65 LHP PEDRO FIGUEROA Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/11 at Minnesota (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so) Inherited Runners/Scored: 0/0 First Hitters: 1-2 (0 bb)**

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 for his first stint with the A's this season and has appeared in two games since then.
- Has not allowed a run in three games in his career against Texas (2.0 ip, 2 h, 2 bb, 1 so).
- Spent the entire season at Sacramento before joining the A's in September...allowed a .252 opponents batting average, including .216 against left-handed hitters and .192 with runners in scoring position...his complete statistics with the River Cats:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	3	4	4.10	46	1	0	0	2	59.1	57	29	27	33	49

- Made his Major League debut with the A's last season...had five stints with the club in his first full professional season since June, 2010 "Tommy John" surgery...posted a 3.32 ERA in 19 relief appearances with Oakland and was 0-2 with a 2.62 ERA in 32 appearances with Sacramento.

**57 LHP TOMMY MILONE** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/11 at Minnesota (ND, 1.0 ip, 1 h, 1 r, 1 er, 0 bb, 2 so)  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 0/0 **First Hitters:** 0-1 (0 bb)

- His relief appearance on Wednesday was the first of his career...made each of the first 60 appearances in his career as a starter.
- Was recalled from Single-A Stockton September 3 for his third stint with the A's this season and has pitched once since then.
- Is 0-2 with a 12.00 ERA in two starts against Texas this year (9.0 ip, 17 h, 12 r, 12 er, 1 bb, 3 so, 3 hr).
- Was recalled from Sacramento August 18 for his second stint this year and went 1-0 with a 2.79 ERA in two starts before he was optioned to Stockton August 28...was on the Opening Day roster and went 9-9 with a 4.39 ERA in 22 starts before he was optioned August 3.
- Allowed a .348 batting average in two starts with the River Cats, including .000 (0 for 5) against left-handers and .390 (16 for 41) against righties...his complete statistics with Sacramento:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	0	0	1.74	2	2	0	0	0	10.1	16	5	2	1	15

- Was one of four players acquired from Washington in the Gio Gonzalez trade on Dec. 23, 2011 and went 13-10 with a 3.74 ERA in a team-leading 31 starts...also led the A's in innings pitched (190.0), had the only complete game and tied for the team lead in wins.

**47 RHP PAT NESHEK** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/11 at Minnesota (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 1 bb, 0 so)  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 24/7 **First Hitters:** 8-40 (1 bb, 1 sf)

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento September 3 for his second stint with the A's this season and has pitched once since then.
- His opponents have a .260 batting average, including .225 (23 for 102) against right-handers and .327 (17 for 52) against left-handers.
- Has a 1.37 ERA (3 er in 19.2 ip) in 19 appearances at home compared to 5.68 (12 er in 19.0 ip) in 23 games on the road.
- Has not allowed a run in five appearances against the Rangers this season (5.0 ip, 1 h, 1 bb, 2 so).
- Was on the A's Opening Day roster and was 2-1 with a 3.58 ERA in 41 relief appearances when he was designated for assignment August 26...was outrighted to Sacramento August 28.
- His opponents had a .250 batting average in two relief appearances with the River Cats...his complete statistics with Sacramento:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	0	0	0.00	2	0	0	0	0	2.0	2	2	0	0	2

- Was acquired from the Baltimore Orioles last year on Aug. 3 for cash considerations after going 3-2 with 11 saves and a 2.66 ERA in 35 appearances at Triple-A Norfolk...then went 2-1 with a 1.37 ERA and .147 opponents batting average in 24 appearances with the A's.

**61 RHP DAN OTERO** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/13 at Texas (ND, 0.2 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 16/6 **First Hitters:** 7-26 (0 bb)

- Has allowed a run in two of his past three games (2 er in 2.1 ip, 7.71 ERA) after an 11-game, 12.2-inning scoreless streak...however, has yielded just three runs over his past 23 outings (30.0 ip, 0.90 ERA) after allowing three runs in his first four games (3 er in 3.2 ip, 7.36 ERA).
- Has a 1.09 ERA (3 er in 24.2 ip) in 19 games in Oakland and 1.42 ERA (2 er in 12.2 ip) in 12 games during the day.
- Has faced the Rangers four times this year (5.1 ip, 9 h, 4 r, 3 er, 1 bb, 3 so, 5.06 ERA).
- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento June 14 after going 1-0 with a 0.99 ERA in 23 appearances with the River Cats...converted each of his 15 save opportunities...did not allow a home run in 27.1 innings...opponents hit .147, which was the lowest among PCL relievers.
- Spent most of the 2012 season at Triple-A Fresno in the Giants organization, going 5-5 with three saves and a 2.90 ERA in 48 relief appearances...also made 12 appearances with San Francisco, logging a 5.84 ERA in his Major League debut.

**58 RHP EVAN SCRIBNER** Save/Opportunities: 0-0 Last Outing: 9/11 at Minnesota (ND, 1.0 ip, 0 h, 0 r, 0 er, 0 bb, 1 so)  
**Inherited Runners/Scored:** 9/3 **First Hitters:** 3-15 (0 bb)

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento on September 3 for his fifth stint with the A's this season and has pitched twice since then.
- Has not allowed a run in seven career games against Texas (9.2 ip, 6 h, 4 bb, 8 so).
- Was on the Opening Day roster and compiled a 4.26 ERA in eight games before he was optioned to Sacramento April 20...returned April 30 for his second stint and posted a 7.50 ERA in four outings before he was optioned May 10...was recalled August 3, appeared in one game on August 4 and was optioned August 9...was recalled August 26 and did not appear in a game before being optioned August 29.
- His opponents had a .192 batting average with the River Cats, including .164 (12 for 73) against left-handed hitters and .213 (20 for 94) against righties...allowed just two home runs in 44.2 innings...his complete statistics with Sacramento:

	W	L	ERA	G	GS	CG	SHO	SV	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO
Sacramento (AAA)	3	1	2.22	31	0	0	0	1	44.2	32	12	11	9	58

- Split the 2012 season between Oakland and Triple-A Sacramento...was 2-0 with a save, a 2.55 ERA and .221 opponents batting average in 30 relief appearances over three stints with the A's...posted a 3-0 record, eight saves and a 3.03 ERA in 26 games with the River Cats.

## ATHLETICS BATTING NOTES

**10 DARIC BARTON** Career vs. Perez (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 6 games (8 for 17)  
**Texas Series:** 1-4, so **Road Trip:** 6-15, r, 2 rbi, so, sf

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento August 26 for his second stint with the A's this year and has started 13 of the A's 18 games at first base since then...is 16 for 47 (.340) with a home run and nine RBI in 17 games overall since his return.
- Is 7 for 14 (.500) with runners in scoring position and 2 for 5 (.400) with RISP and two outs.
- Recorded his first three-hit game on Wednesday since May 5, 2012 at Tampa Bay.
- Was originally selected May 8 and went 3 for 21 (.143) in eight games, including six starts at first base, before he was designated for assignment May 18 and outrighted to Sacramento May 21.
- Led the Pacific Coast League in walks (87) and ranked second in on-base percentage (.423)...had a .434 average with runners in scoring position...was batting .360 in 20 games in August...appeared in 80 games at first base, 29 at third base (including each of his last 14), two at designated hitter and one at second base...his complete 2013 statistics with Sacramento:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.297	110	391	77	116	29	1	7	69	87	57	1	2	.430	.423

- Split the 2012 season between Oakland and Sacramento...was batting .198 in 37 games when he was optioned to Sacramento June 2...hit .255 with 8 HR and 35 RBI in 74 games with the River Cats...returned to Oakland in September and batted .204 in 46 games overall with the A's.

**18 ALBERTO CALLASPO** Career vs. Perez (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO) Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 4)  
**Texas Series:** 1-4, r, bb **Road Trip:** 2-12, 2 r, hr, 2 rbi, bb, 2 so

- Is batting .287 (29 for 101) with 12 RBI over his last 32 games (since August 7) after hitting .085 with three RBI in his first 17 games after the All-Star Break.
- Is hitting .362 (17 for 47) on the road since joining the A's compared to .185 (12 for 65) in Oakland.
- Has struck out just 38 times and his average of 12.2 plate appearances per strikeout is the best mark in the American League.
- Is 0 for 7 with a RBI as a pinch hitter.
- Has committed 13 errors as a third baseman, which is tied for third most in the AL (Gillaspie, CWS 16)...has 15 errors overall, which is fifth most among all AL fielders.
- Was acquired from Los Angeles (AL) July 30 for minor league infielder Grant Green and has appeared in 37 of the A's 40 games since reporting to Oakland the next day...has made 31 starts (21 at second base, seven at designated hitter, three at third base).
- Batted .252 with five home runs and 36 RBI in 86 games with the Angels...started 83 games (82 at third base, one at designated hitter).
- Completed his second full season with the Angels last year, batting .252 with 10 home runs and 53 RBI...the 10 home runs were the second highest total of his career (11 in 2009)...agreed to a two-year contract through the 2014 season, January 17, 2013.

<b>52 YOENIS CÉSPEDES</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (.444, 4-9, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 0 for 7</b>
<b>Texas Series: 1-8, r, hr, 3 rbi, 1bb, 3 so</b>	<b>Road Trip: 6-19, 3 r, 2 2b, 3b, hr, 9 rbi, 1bb, 5 so, hbp, gidp</b>	

- Is 19 for 51 (.373) with eight runs, two doubles, one triple, three home runs, 13 RBI and eight multiple hit games in 13 games in September after hitting .216 in August, which was the lowest single month average of his career.
- Had his streak of seven consecutive games with an RBI snapped yesterday, which was the longest streak of his career...had 12 RBI total over that span.
- Is tied for fifth among American League outfielders in assists (10) and tied for eighth in errors (4).
- Is hitting .223 (65 for 291) at night, which is third lowest in the AL.
- Has hit 23 home runs in each of his first two seasons...is just the second player in Athletics history to hit 20 home runs in each of his first two seasons in the majors...Bob Johnson of the Philadelphia A's hit 21 home runs in 1933 and 34 in 1934.
- The A's are 78-46 (.629) with him in the starting lineup, 9-15 (.375) when he doesn't start...in his two seasons, the A's are 159-91 (.636) with him in the lineup, 21-37 (.362) without...the A's are 16-4 (.800) in games in which he homers this year and 32-11 (.744) in his career.
- Batted a team-leading .292 with 23 home runs and 82 RBI in 129 games in his first year in the United States last year as a 26-year-old rookie from Cuba...also led the A's in on-base percentage (.356) and slugging (.505)...the batting average was second best by an Oakland rookie.

<b>35 MICHAEL CHOICE</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 2)</b>
<b>Minnesota Series: 1-2, 2b, so</b>		<b>Last Homestand: 1-7, r, bb, 2 so</b>

- Was selected from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 and is 2 for 9 (.222) in four games since then.
- Singled in the fifth inning off Martin Perez September 3 against Texas for his first Major League hit.
- Made his ML debut September 2 in a start at designated hitter and went 0 for 2.
- Was the A's first round pick (10<sup>th</sup> selection overall) in the 2010 First-Year Player Draft...is the second A's pick from that draft to reach the majors (A.J. Griffin)...has a .290 batting average, 61 home runs and 255 RBI in 371 games in four seasons as a professional.
- Tied for second in the Pacific Coast League in RBI, ranked fourth in hits, tied for fourth in runs and tied for fifth in walks...appeared in 55 games in left field, 52 in center field and 10 in right field...his complete statistics with Sacramento this year:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.302	132	510	90	154	29	1	14	89	69	115	1	2	.445	.390

- Spent the entire 2012 season at Double-A Midland, batting .287 with 10 HR and 58 RBI in 91 games in a season cut short due to a broken thumb...the batting average was the best of his career...was rated as the A's second best prospect by *Baseball America* following the season.

<b>4 COCO CRISP</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (.300, 3-10, 0 HR, 0 BB, 3 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 0 for 7</b>
<b>Texas Series: 1-8, r, rbi, bb, 2 so, cs, sf</b>	<b>Road Trip: 4-21, 5 r, hr, 3 rbi, bb, 2 so, 2 sb, cs, sf</b>	

- Is batting .289 (26 for 90) with 24 runs, four doubles, one triple, nine home runs and 17 RBI over his last 22 games (since August 21)...has scored a run in 17 of those games, hit safely in 17 and has an extra base hit in 13.
- His nine home runs since August 21 are second most in the majors (Zimmerman, WAS 10).
- All 19 of his home runs have come when batting first, which is the most in the American League, second most in the majors (Choo, CIN 21) and third most in Oakland history...16 have been solo shots, 13 have come on the road and 12 have given the A's the lead...23 of his 46 home runs as an Athletic have put Oakland ahead.
- Is batting .271 (35 for 129) in 33 games since the start of August...hit .301 over his first 50 games but then batted .175 over a 36-game stretch from June 16 to July 31.
- Has not committed an error in 98 games in the outfield and his 287 total chances are second most in the AL among outfielders with no errors...now has a 126-game errorless streak dating back to Aug. 23, 2012, which is tied with Johnny Damon for fifth longest in Oakland history by an outfielder...his career high is 153 with Boston (July 21, 2006-Aug. 7, 2007)...his last error came on Aug. 22, 2012 against Minnesota.
- In addition to his career high in home runs, he also has a career high in walks (53).
- Has led off the game with a home run five times this season, which is tied for the fourth highest single season total in Athletics history behind Rickey Henderson (7, 1993), Eddie Joost (6, 1948) and Bert Campaneris (6, 1970)...now has 11 in his career as an Athletic, which is second most in Oakland history (Henderson, 43) and fourth in Athletics history (Joost, 19; Campaneris, 13)...has 13 lead off home runs in his career.
- Has six stolen bases in his last 73 games after stealing 13 bases in his first 46 contests...has been successful in 139 of 160 (86.9) stolen base attempts in his four seasons with the A's, which is the best percentage in Athletics history...the 139 stolen bases are sixth most in Oakland history (Jackson is 5<sup>th</sup>, 144).
- Batted .259 with 11 home runs, 46 RBI and a team-leading 39 stolen bases in 120 games last year...it was his third career 30-steal season...ranked third in the American League in batting with RISP (.367), fourth in stolen bases and fifth in stolen base percentage (90.7%).

MOST HOME RUNS BATTING FIRST, OAKLAND HISTORY		
28	Rickey Henderson	1990
22	Bert Campaneris	1970
19	Coco Crisp	2013
18	Rickey Henderson	1991
17	two players tied	

<b>20 JOSH DONALDSON</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (.400, 2-5, 0 HR, 1 BB, 1 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 10 games (17 for 38)</b>
<b>Texas Series: 3-6, 3 r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, 3 bb, so, sb</b>	<b>Road Trip: 7-16, 7 r, 2b, 5 rbi, 5 bb, 3 so, sb, hbp</b>	

- Extended his hitting streak to 10 games yesterday, which is an ongoing career-high...is batting .447 (17 for 38) with 11 runs, six doubles, three home runs and 10 RBI during the streak.
- Is now batting .381 (24 for 63) with 15 runs, nine doubles, one triple, three home runs, 12 RBI and eight multiple hit games over his last 17 games...has batted second in the order in 16 of the 17 games over that stretch.
- Ranks sixth in the American League in multiple hit games (51) and eighth in game winning RBI (13).
- Ranks third in the AL with a .342 (55 for 161) batting average against left-handers, fifth with a .320 (85 for 266) average on the road and sixth with a .331 (55 for 166) average in the seventh inning or later.
- Is 7 for 10 (.700) with a double, home run and 15 RBI with the bases loaded this year and 11 for 20 (.550) in his career.
- Was moved to third base following the injury to Scott Sizemore at the start of Spring Training last year and made the A's Opening Day roster...hit .241 in 75 games over three stints with the A's, including .290 with eight home runs and 26 RBI in 47 games during his final stint.

<b>7 NATE FREIMAN</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 1 game (1 for 2)</b>
<b>Texas Series: 1-2, so</b>		<b>Road Trip: 1-4, 2 so, gidp</b>

- Is 12 for 33 (.364) over his last 17 games and is now batting .308 (48 for 156) since May 1 after hitting .148 in April.
- Has made 46 of his 48 starts against left-handed pitchers...is batting .317 (45 for 142) against lefties compared to .171 (7 for 41) against righties...has all 13 of his extra base hits, 22 of 24 RBI and 10 of his 13 walks against lefties.
- Is batting .340 (35 for 103) in Oakland compared to .213 (17 for 80) on the road.
- Is batting .289 (13 for 45) with runners in scoring position.
- Has five walks in his last 16 games after a 33-game streak without a walk, which was the longest by an Athletic in 21 years.
- Batted .298 with 24 home runs and 105 RBI in 137 games with Double-A San Antonio last year...was a Texas League Postseason All-Star after leading the league in hits (154) and RBI while ranking second in extra base hits (56), third in home runs and fourth in doubles (31).

<b>5 JOHN JASO</b>	<b>Current Streak: 1 game (2 for 3)</b>
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- Was placed on the 7-day disabled list July 25 with a concussion...was transferred to the 15-day DL August 8.
- Is 9 for 40 (.225) over his last 16 games but has 13 walks over that span for a .415 on-base percentage.
- Batted .276 with 10 home runs and 50 RBI in 108 games in his lone season with Seattle last year...added 56 walks for a .394 on-base percentage...had career-highs in batting, on-base percentage, slugging percentage (.456), doubles (19), home runs and RBI.

<b>8 JED LOWRIE</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (.000, 0-2, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 0 for 5</b>
<b>Texas Series: 1-7, 2 bb, 2 so</b>		<b>Road Trip: 5-20, 3 r, 2b, hr, 5 rbi, 2 bb, 4 so</b>

- Is 32 for 104 (.308) with 17 runs, 12 doubles, two triples, three home runs, 18 RBI and 11 multiple hit games over his last 26 games.
- Ranks second in the majors with 20 doubles since the All-Star Break and has 43 for the season, which ranks second in the American League and third in the majors...it is an Athletics record for a switch-hitter...is the fifth player (ninth time) in Oakland history with 40 doubles in a season.
- Has a .293 (123 for 420) batting average in his 109 games as a shortstop, which is the second best batting average among AL shortstops (Peralta, DET .305).
- Is tied for third in the AL in games of three or more hits (16) and tied for eighth in games of four or more hits (3)...the 16 three-hit games are tied for the fifth highest single season total in Oakland history.
- Has made five starts batting leadoff and is 10 for 21 (.476) with five runs, two doubles, a triple, home run and three walks in those games...is 15 for 34 (.441) with three doubles, a triple, home run, three RBI and three walks in eight career starts batting first.
- Has committed 15 errors as a shortstop, which is third most among AL shortstops...also has two errors as a second baseman and his 17 errors overall are tied for second most among all AL fielders (Ramirez, CWS 21).
- Has struck out in each of his three appearances as a pinch hitter this year.
- Has career highs in games, at bats, runs, hits, doubles, RBI, walks, extra base hits and strikeouts...is batting .286 and the best mark of his career is .287 in 2010.
- Batted .244 with 16 home runs and 42 RBI in 97 games in his lone season with Houston last year...the home runs ranked third among National League shortstops...led the Astros in walks (43)...had a career high in home runs...had two stints on the disabled list.

OAKLAND A's SINGLE SEASON DOUBLE LEADERS		
47	Jason Giambi	2001
43	Eric Chavez	2001
43	Jed Lowrie	2013
42	Miguel Tejada	2003
41	two players tied	

<b>37 BRANDON MOSS</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (1.000, 1-1, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 3 games (5 for 12)</b>
<b>Texas Series: 2-7, r, 2b, hr, 2 rbi, 2 so</b>		<b>Road Trip: 5-15, 4 r, 3 2b, hr, 4 rbi, 1 bb, 5 so, hbp, cs</b>

- Is batting .338 (24 for 71) with 17 runs, nine home runs and 23 RBI over his last 24 games (since August 19)... the home runs are tied for second most in the majors over that span and the RBI rank third.
- Ranks fourth in the American League in home runs with two outs (13), is tied for fifth in home runs with two strikes (10), is sixth in home runs off right-handers (23), tied for sixth in home runs since the All-Star Break (11) and tied for eighth in home runs with runners on base (12).
- Of his last 28 hits, 18 are for extra bases (eight doubles, 10 home runs).
- Is batting .304 (45 for 148) with 38 strikeouts in 48 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .228 with 93 strikeouts in 87 games before the break.
- Has made 12 of his last 14 starts in right field after making each of his 59 previous starts at first base...has started 20 games in right field for the season (made eight straight starts from May 8-17)...has made 73 of his last 76 starts against right-handed pitching.
- Is 1 for 15 (.067) with a double, two walks and six strikeouts as a pinch hitter...is tied for fifth in the AL in pinch strikeouts.
- Has career highs in at bats, runs, hits, home runs, RBI, walks, strikeouts, stolen bases and extra base hits.
- Batted .291 with 21 home runs and 52 RBI in just 84 games with the A's last year after joining the club in June...the home runs were a career-high and tied for third most in American League history by a player with fewer than 90 games played.

<b>36 DEREK NORRIS</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (.333, 1-3, 0 HR, 0 BB, 1 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 2 games (5 for 8)</b>
<b>Texas Series: 3-4, r, sb</b>		<b>Road Trip: 5-9, 2 r, 2b, so, sb</b>

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list September 5 and is 6 for 15 (.400) with five strikeouts in five games, including four starts (two at catcher, two at designated hitter), since his return...the starts at DH are his first at a position other than catcher this year.
- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list August 23 retroactive to August 21 with a fractured left big toe...it was his first career stint on the DL...went 6 for 14 (.429) with three runs, two home runs and four RBI on a three-game rehab assignment with Triple-A Sacramento from August 31 to September 2...started two games at catcher and one at designated hitter
- Is hitting .357 (25 for 70) with five of his eight home runs since July 1...hit .283 in April and combined for a .163 average in May and June.
- Is batting .313 (42 for 134) with all eight of his home runs against left-handed pitching compared to .152 (16 for 105) against right-handers...is slugging .567 against lefties compared to .181 against righties...last year, he hit five of his seven home runs off righties.
- Has hit six of his eight home runs at home...four have given the A's the lead, as have seven of the 15 in his career.
- Has thrown out 7 of 40 (17.5%) attempted base stealers.
- Split the 2012 season between Triple-A Sacramento and Oakland...batted .271 with nine home runs and 38 RBI in 58 games with the River Cats and .201 with seven home runs and 34 RBI in 60 games in his Major League debut with the A's.

<b>12 ANDY PARRINO</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 0 for 3</b>
<b>Minnesota Series: 0-2, r, so</b>		<b>Last Homestand: 0-1</b>

- Was recalled from Triple-A Sacramento September 1 for his second stint with the A's this year and is 0 for 3 in two games since then.
- Went 3 for 24 (.125) with a double in nine games during his first stint from April 10 to 24...made six starts (four at second base, one at shortstop, one at third base).
- Hit a career-low .210 in 108 games with Sacramento...appeared in 85 games at shortstop, 18 at third base and five at second base...batted .119 (7 for 59) over his final 19 games...his complete statistics with Sacramento this year:

	AVG	G	AB	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	SO	SB	CS	SLG	OBP
Sacramento (AAA)	.210	108	367	43	77	16	3	4	36	43	102	3	1	.302	.300

- Split the 2012 season between San Diego and Triple-A Tucson, batting .207 in 55 games with the Padres and .328 in 65 games with Tucson...added a home run and six RBI with San Diego in his second season in the majors.

<b>16 JOSH REDDICK</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (.333, 2-6, 0 HR, 0 BB, 2 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 0 for 3</b>
<b>Texas Series: 0-3, 2 so</b>		<b>Road Trip: 2-7, r, 2b, hr, 3 rbi, 2 bb, 3 so, sf</b>

- Was reinstated from the 15-day disabled list Tuesday and is 2 for 7 (.286) with a run, double, home run, three RBI, two walks and three strikeouts in three games, including two starts in right field, since then.
- Is 16 for 60 (.267) with 12 runs scored, six home runs and 12 RBI over his last 18 games...had just five home runs over his first 82 games.
- Is hitting .216 (72 for 334) as an outfielder, which is the second lowest mark in the majors (Upton, ATL .194)...the lowest batting average in Oakland history by an outfielder is .228 by Matt Stairs in 2000.
- Has been successful in each of his nine stolen base attempts and is 20 for 21 (95.2%) in two seasons with the A's.
- Was placed on the 15-day disabled list August 26 with a sprained right wrist...it was his second career stint on the disabled list as he was out earlier this year from May 7 to 30 with a sprained right wrist.
- Batted .242 with 32 home runs and 85 RBI in 156 games in his first season with the A's last year...tied for 10<sup>th</sup> in the American League in home runs...became the eighth Athletic to win a Rawlings Gold Glove Award, the fourth outfielder...ranked third among AL outfielders with 15 assists.

<b>15 SETH SMITH</b>	<b>Career vs. Perez (---, 0-0, 0 HR, 0 BB, 0 SO)</b>	<b>Current Streak: 0 for 1</b>
<b>Texas Series: 0-1</b>		<b>Road Trip: 2-5, 2 r, 2b, rbi, 2 bb</b>

- Recorded two hits on Wednesday, his first multiple hit game since August 9 at Toronto.
- Is batting .160 (13 for 81) with six RBI in 33 games since the All-Star Break after hitting .267 with 32 RBI in 77 games before the break.
- Has made 93 starts at three different positions (45 at designated hitter, 40 in left field, eight in right field)...has hit seven of his eight home runs as the DH.
- Is 2 for 10 (.200) with three walks, a hit by pitch and a home run as a pinch hitter...is tied for seventh in the American League in pinch walks...now has a .311 (52 for 167) career average as a pinch hitter with six home runs and 40 RBI...since 2007, he has the second best batting average and slugging percentage (.551) and third best on-base percentage (.410) among major league pinch hitters with 100 or more plate appearances...has the most triples (5), is second in RBI, tied for fourth in doubles (12), fifth in walks (29) and tied for eighth in home runs.
- Batted .240 with 14 home runs and 52 RBI in 125 games in his first season with the A's last year...the batting average was a career-low, but he walked a career-high 50 times for a .333 on-base percentage...made 92 of his 101 starts in games started by a right-handed pitcher.



# 2013 OAKLAND ATHLETICS SCHEDULE AND RESULTS

GA/ LEADER											CUM.					GA/ LEADER											CUM.				
DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GB	AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	ATT.	DATE	G	OPP	W-L	SCORE	REC	POS	GB	AND LEAD	WINNER	LOSER	SAVE	ATT.	ATT.				
3/31		OFF DAY				t2	-½	HOU	½					6/24		OFF DAY				2	-1	TEX	1								
4/1	1	SEA	L	0-2	0-1	t4	-1	HOU/LAA/SEA	1	Hernandez	Anderson	Wilhelmsen	36,067*	36,067	6/25	79	CIN	W	7-3	45-34	t1	--	OAK/TEX	--	Neshek	Arroyo	17,506	764,934			
4/2	2	SEA	L	1-7	0-2	5	-2	SEA	½	Iwakuma	Parker		15,315	51,382	6/26	80	CIN	W	5-0	46-34	t1	--	OAK/TEX	1	GRIFFIN	Bailey	25,658	790,592			
4/3	3	SEA	W	6-2	1-2	t4	-1	SEA/TEX	½	Milone	Saunders		15,162	66,544	6/27		OFF DAY			2	-½	TEX	½								
4/4	4	SEA	W	8-2	2-2	t2	-½	TEX	½	Griffin	Maurer		12,134	78,678	6/28	81	STL	W	6-1	47-34	2	-½	TEX	½	Colón	Miller	24,208	814,800			
4/5	5	at HOU	W	8-3	3-2	t2	-½	TEX	½	Straily	Peacock		18,197	18,197	6/29	82	STL	L	1-7	47-35	2	-½	TEX	½	WAINWRIGHT	Chavez	35,067*	849,867			
4/6	6	at HOU	W	6-3	4-2	1	+½	OAK	½	Colón	Norris	Balfour	18,685	36,882	6/30	83	STL	W	7-5	48-35	2	-½	TEX	½	Milone	Westbrook	Balfour	20,673	870,540		
4/7	7	at HOU	W	9-3	5-2	1	+½	OAK	½	Anderson	Harrell		16,914	53,796	7/1		OFF DAY			2	-½	TEX	½								
4/8		OFF DAY				t1	--	OAK/TEX	--						7/2	84	CHC	W	8-7	49-35	1	+½	OAK	½	Otero	Russell	Balfour	17,273	887,813		
4/9	8	at LAA	W	9-5	6-2	t1	--	OAK/TEX	--	Cook	Jepsen		44,014	97,810	7/3	85	CHC	L	1-3	49-36	1	+½	OAK	½	Garza	Colón	Gregg	35,067*	922,880		
4/10	9	at LAA	W	11-5	7-2	1	+1	OAK	1	Milone	Blanton		36,011	133,821	7/4	86	CHC	W	1-0	50-36	1	+½	OAK	½	Straily	Guerrier	Balfour	26,967	949,847		
4/11	10	at LAA	W	8-1	8-2	1	+1	OAK	1	Griffin	Vargas		43,533	177,354	7/5	87	at KC	W	6-3	51-36	1	+½	OAK	½	Milone	Davis	Balfour	35,518	1,238,436		
4/12	11	DET	W	4-3 (12)	9-2	1	+2	OAK	2	Resop	Villarreal		21,377	100,055	7/6	88	at KC	L	3-4	51-37	1	+½	OAK	½	Crow	Cook	Holland	16,606	1,255,042		
4/13	12	DET	L	3-7	9-3	1	+1	OAK	1	Verlander	Anderson		35,067*	135,122	7/7	89	at KC	W	10-4	52-37	1	+½	OAK	½	Griffin	Mendoza	Chavez	17,804	1,272,846		
4/14	13	DET	L	1-10	9-4	1	+1	OAK	1	Sanchez	Parker		20,755	155,877	7/8	90	at PIT	W	2-1	53-37	1	+½	OAK	½	Colón	Locke	Balfour	23,743	1,296,589		
4/15	14	HOU	W	11-2	10-1	1	+1½	OAK	1½	Milone	Bedard		10,689	166,566	7/9	91	at PIT	W	2-1	54-37	1	+½	OAK	½	Straily	Cole	Balfour	24,560	1,321,149		
4/16	15	HOU	W	4-3	11-4	1	+1½	OAK	1½	Doolittle	Cruz	Balfour	11,038	177,604	7/10	92	at PIT	L	0-5	54-38	1	+½	OAK	½	Liriano	Milone		23,474	1,344,623		
4/17	16	HOU	W	7-5	12-4	1	+2	OAK	2	Colón	Norris	Balfour	15,488	193,992	7/11		OFF DAY			1	+1	OAK	1								
4/18		OFF DAY				1	+2½	OAK	2½						7/12	93	BOS	L	2-4	54-39	1	+1	OAK	1	Lackey	Doolittle	Uehara	27,084	976,931		
4/19	17	at TB	L	3-8	12-5	1	+1½	OAK	1½	Cobb	Anderson		15,115	192,469	7/13	94	BOS	W	3-0	55-39	1	+1	OAK	1	Griffin	Lester	Balfour	36,067*	1,012,998		
4/20	18	at TB	L	0-1	12-6	1	+½	OAK	½	Hellickson	Parker	Rodney	25,611	218,080	7/14	95	BOS	W	3-2 (11)	56-39	1	+2	OAK	2	Cook	Thornton		31,417	1,044,415		
4/21	19	at TB	L	1-8	12-7	2	-½	TEX	½	Hernandez	Milone		25,954	244,034	7/15-18		ALL-STAR BREAK			1	+2	OAK	2								
4/22	20	at BOS	L	6-9	12-8	2	-1½	TEX	1½	Doubtont	Griffin	Bailey	28,926	272,960	7/19	96	at LAA	L	1-4	56-40	1	+2	OAK	2	Weaver	Griffin	Frieri	43,515	1,388,138		
4/23	21	at BOS	W	13-4 (7)	13-8	2	-½	TEX	½	COLÓN	Aceves		29,006	301,966	7/20	97	at LAA	L	0-2	56-41	1	+2	OAK	2	Wilson	Straily	Frieri	43,572	1,431,710		
4/24	22	at BOS	L	5-6	13-9	2	-1½	TEX	1½	Lester	Anderson	Bailey	29,274	331,240	7/21	98	at LAA	W	6-0	57-41	1	+3	OAK	3	COLON	Williams		37,441	1,469,151		
4/25	23	BAL	L	2-10	13-10	2	-2½	TEX	2½	Hammel	Parker		11,220	204,312	7/22	99	at HOU	W	4-3	58-41	1	+3	OAK	3	Cook	Wright	Balfour	16,381	1,485,532		
4/26	24	BAL	L	0-3	13-11	2	-3½	TEX	3½	Chen	Milone	Johnson	16,944	221,256	7/23	100	at HOU	L	4-5	58-42	1	+3	OAK	3	Fields	Balfour	32,249	1,517,781			
4/27	25	BAL	L	3-7	13-12	2	-3½	TEX	3½	Tillman	Griffin	Johnson	31,292	252,548	7/24	101	at HOU	W	4-3	59-42	1	+3	OAK	3	Griffin	Blackley	Cook	24,831	1,542,612		
4/28	26	BAL	W	9-8 (10)	14-12	2	-2½	TEX	2½	Blevins	Strop		27,475	280,023	7/25	102	LAA	L	3-8	59-43	1	+3	OAK	3	Wilson	Straily		20,468	1,064,883		
4/29	27	LAA	W	10-8 (19)	15-12	2	-2	TEX	2	Blevins	Enright		11,668	291,691	7/26	103	LAA	W	6-4	60-43	1	+4	OAK	4	Colón	Williams	Balfour	27,429	1,092,312		
4/30	28	LAA	W	10-6	16-12	2	-2	TEX	2	Parker	Richards		14,764	306,455	7/27	104	LAA	W	3-1	61-43	1	+5	OAK	5	Milone	Downs	Balfour	32,333	1,124,645		
5/1	29	LAA	L	4-5	16-13	2	-2	TEX	2	Wilson	Milone	Frieri	17,139	323,594	7/28	105	LAA	W	10-6	62-43	1	+6	OAK	6	Chavez	Guierrez		25,877	1,150,522		
5/2		OFF DAY				2	-1½	TEX	1½						7/29	106	TOR	W	9-4	63-43	1	+6	OAK	6	Griffin	Rogers		13,309	1,163,831		
5/3	30	at NYY	W	2-0	17-13	2	-1½	TEX	1½	Griffin	Sabathia	Balfour	38,090	369,330	7/30	107	TOR	L	0-5	63-44	1	+5	OAK	5	Buehrle	Straily		17,479	1,181,310		
5/4	31	at NYY	L	2-4	17-14	2	-2½	TEX	2½	Hughes	Colón		41,349	410,679	7/31	108	TOR	L	2-5 (10)	63-45	1	+4	OAK	4	Janssen	Chavez	Cecil	23,638	1,204,948		
5/5	32	at NYY	W	5-4	18-14	2	-2½	TEX	2½	Doolittle	Logan	Balfour	38,134	448,813	8/1		OFF DAY			1	+3½	OAK	3½								
5/6	33	at CLE	L	3-7	18-15	2	-2½	TEX	2½	Jimenez	Parker		9,514	458,327	8/2	109	TEX	L	3-8	63-46	1	+2½	OAK	2½	Frasor	Milone		35,067*	1,240,015		
5/7	34	at CLE	L	0-1	18-16	2	-2½	TEX	2½	McAllister	Milone	Perez	9,474	467,801	8/3	110	TEX	W	4-2	64-46	1	+3½	OAK	3½	Parker	GARZA	Balfour	28,304	1,268,319		
5/8	35	at CLE	L	3-4	18-17	2	-3½	TEX	3½	Masterson	Griffin	Perez	11,125	478,926	8/4	111	TEX	L	0-4	64-47	1	+2½	OAK	2½	Holland	Griffin		23,263	1,291,582		
5/9	36	at CLE	L	2-9	18-18	2	-4	TEX	4	Kazmir	Colón		12,477	491,403	8/5		OFF DAY			1	+2	OAK	2								
5/10	37	at SEA	L	3-6	18-19	2	-5	TEX	5	Iwakuma	Straily	Wilhelmsen	25,549	516,952	8/6	112	at CIN	L	1-3	64-48	1	+1	OAK	1	Latos	Straily	Chapman	34,640	1,577,252		
5/11	38	at SEA	W	4-3	19-19	2	-5	TEX	5	Parker	Maurer	Balfour	30,099	547,051	8/7	113	at CIN	L	5-6	64-49	t1	--	OAK/TEX	--	Bailey	Colón	Chapman	29,746	1,606,998		
5/12	39	at SEA	L	1-6	19-20	2	-6	TEX	6	Saunders	Milone		27,603	574,654	8/8		OFF DAY			t1	--	OAK/TEX	--								
5/13	40	TEX	W	5-1	20-20	2	-5	TEX	5	Griffin	Grimm		11,030	334,624	8/9	114	at TOR	W	14-6	65-49	t1	--	OAK/TEX	--	Parker	Rogers		31,862	1,638,860		
5/14	41	TEX	L	5-6 (10)	20-21	2	-6	TEX	6	Scheppers	Resop	Nathan	12,969	347,593	8/10	115	at TOR	L	4-5	65-50	2	-1	TEX	1	Buehrle	Gray	Janssen	39,634	1,678,944		
5/15	42	TEX	L	2-6	20-22	t2	-7	TEX	7	Ogando	Straily		20,414	368,007	8/11	116	at TOR	W	6-4	66-50	2	-1	TEX	1	Cook	Oliver	Balfour	45,312	1,723,806		
5/16		OFF DAY				3	-7½	TEX	7½						8/12	117	at TOR	W	5-1	67-50	2	-1	TEX	1	Cook	Janssen		36,111	1,759,917		
5/17	43	KC	W	2-1	21-22	2	-6½	TEX	6½	Doolittle	SHIELDS	Balfour	14,602	382,609	8/13	118	HOU	L	4-5	67-51	2	-1	TEX	1							

## HIGHS AND LOWS

### TEAM BATTING

Most Runs, Game, A's	18, September 11 at Minnesota
Most Runs, Game, Opponents	10, April 14 vs. Detroit, April 25 vs. Baltimore and August 25 at Baltimore
Most Runs, Inning, A's	10, September 11 at Minnesota (4 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Runs, Inning, Opponents	6, August 23 at Baltimore (4 <sup>th</sup> ) and September 13 at Texas (8 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Hits, Game, A's	22, September 11 at Minnesota
Most Hits, Game, Opponents	15, April 25 vs. Baltimore, April 28 vs. Baltimore and April 29 vs. Los Angeles
Most Hits, Inning, A's	10, September 11 at Minnesota (4 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Hits, Inning, Opponents	6, June 19 at Texas (6 <sup>th</sup> ) and July 2 vs. Chicago-NL (4 <sup>th</sup> )
Most Home Runs, Game, A's	5, August 9 at Toronto
Most Home Runs, Game, Opponents	4, May 6 at Cleveland and May 25 at Houston
Most Doubles, Game, A's	8, September 11 at Minnesota
Most Doubles, Game, Opponents	5 (four times), last: August 13 vs. Houston
Most Triples, Game, A's	3, April 16 vs. Houston
Most Triples, Game, Opponents	2, April 9 at Los Angeles and July 3 vs. Chicago (NL)
Most Stolen Bases, Game, A's	4, April 16 vs. Houston
Most Stolen Bases, Game, Opponents	4, July 6 at Kansas City

### TEAM PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, A's	18, April 29 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Most Strikeouts, Opponents	17, April 12 vs. Detroit and April 29 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Most Walks, A's	11, August 11 at Toronto
Most Walks, Opponents	9, June 12 vs. New York (AL)
Fewest Hits Allowed, A's	2, June 26 vs. Cincinnati and July 4 vs. Chicago (NL)
Fewest Hits Allowed, Opponents	3 (10 times), last: August 17 vs. Cleveland

### TEAM MISCELLANEOUS

Longest Winning Streak	9, April 3 to 12
Longest Losing Streak	5, May 6 to May 10
Longest Game, Innings	19, April 29 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Longest Game, Time, Nine Innings	4:09, September 13 at Texas
Longest Game, Time, Extra Innings	6:32, April 29 vs. Los Angeles
Shortest Game, Time	2:06, August 27 at Detroit (6 inn.); 2:14, May 31 vs. Chicago (AL)
Largest Margin, Victory	15, September 11 at Minnesota (18-3)
Largest Margin, Loss	9, April 14 vs. Detroit (1-10)
Most Left on Base, Nine Inning Game	15, May 20 at Texas
Most Left on Base, Extra Inning Game	18, June 1 at Chicago (AL) (10)
Fewest Left on Base, Game	1, April 4 vs. Seattle and June 21 at Seattle
Most Errors, Game	3, April 26 vs. Baltimore, July 6 at Kansas City and July 22 at Houston
Largest Comeback in Win	5, April 28 vs. Baltimore, April 29 vs. Los Angeles (AL) and July 28 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Largest Lead Surrendered in Loss	5, August 29 at Detroit

### INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most Runs, Game	3 (15 times), last: Brandon Moss, September 11 at Minnesota
Most Hits, Game	4 (12 times), last: Brandon Moss, August 28 at Detroit
Most Doubles, Game	2 (24 times), last: Yoenis Céspedes and Brandon Moss, September 11 at Minnesota
Most Triples, Game	1 (25 times), last: Yoenis Céspedes and Chris Young, September 12 at Minnesota
Most Home Runs, Game	3, Josh Reddick, August 9 at Toronto
Most Runs Batted In, Game	6, Brandon Moss, August 28 at Detroit
Most Walks, Game	4, Seth Smith, June 12 vs. New York (AL)
Most Strikeouts, Game	4 (nine times), last: Josh Reddick, July 14 vs. Boston
Most Stolen Bases, Game	2 (four times), last: Eric Sogard, June 12 vs. New York (AL)
Longest Hitting Streak	14, Eric Sogard, July 23 to August 9

### INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Most Strikeouts, Game	11, Dan Straily, April 5 at Houston
Most Walks, Game	7, Jarrod Parker, July 28 vs. Los Angeles (AL)
Most Innings, Game, Starter	9.0 (four times), last: Jarrod Parker, August 19 vs. Seattle
Most Innings, Game, Reliever	5.2, Jesse Chavez, June 13 vs. New York (AL)
Low Hit Complete Game	2, A.J. Griffin, June 26 vs. Cincinnati
Most Consecutive Scoreless Innings	18.0, Bartolo Colón, May 20 to June 5
Most Consecutive Batters Retired	18, Bartolo Colón, June 21 to 28

## MULTIPLE HIT GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	TOT
Barton	3	1	0	0	4
Callaspo	6	3	0	0	9
Céspedes	26	5	0	0	31
Crisp	18	8	2	0	28
Donaldson	42	6	3	0	51
Freiman	8	2	1	0	11
Jaso	12	3	0	0	15
Lowrie	27	13	3	0	43
Montz	1	0	0	0	1
Moss	18	7	1	0	26
Norris	12	2	0	0	14
Reddick	13	1	1	0	15
Rosales	4	1	0	0	5
Smith	15	6	1	0	22
Sogard	16	3	0	0	19
Suzuki	2	1	0	0	3
Vogt	5	1	0	0	6
Young	10	4	0	0	14

## MULTIPLE RBI GAMES

PLAYER	2	3	4	5	6	TOT
Barton	4	0	0	0	0	4
Callaspo	3	0	0	0	0	3
Céspedes	11	4	3	0	0	18
Crisp	8	2	1	0	0	11
Donaldson	18	5	1	0	0	24
Freiman	0	3	1	0	0	4
Jaso	2	1	0	0	0	3
Lowrie	6	4	3	0	0	13
Moss	13	4	1	1	1	20
Norris	3	1	1	0	0	5
Reddick	6	3	2	1	0	12
Rosales	1	0	0	0	0	1
Smith	6	4	0	0	0	10
Sogard	5	1	0	0	0	6
Suzuki	0	1	0	0	0	1
Vogt	1	1	0	0	0	2
Young	4	3	1	0	0	8

## GAME TYING/GO-AHEAD RBI

PLAYER	GT	GA	TOT
Barton	0	1	1
Callaspo	1	4	5
Céspedes	6	17	23
Crisp	5	15	20
Donaldson	7	21	28
Freiman	1	3	4
Jaso	2	4	6
Lowrie	7	17	24
Montz	1	1	2
Moss	4	18	22
Norris	3	9	12
Reddick	4	8	12
Rosales	1	3	4
Smith	3	4	7
Sogard	4	6	10
Suzuki	1	1	2
Vogt	1	0	1
Young	4	8	12

## STARTS IN THE ORDER

PLAYER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Barton	-	-	-	-	-	3	11	4	1
Callaspo	3	-	-	-	3	12	8	4	1
Céspedes	-	-	35	67	21	1	-	-	-
Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2
Crisp	115	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Donaldson	-	16	25	23	29	38	8	7	-
Freiman	-	-	-	-	26	8	6	6	2
Green	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2
Jaso	14	28	-	-	2	7	4	-	-
Lowrie	5	46	59	21	6	1	1	-	-
Montz	-	-	-	-	2	2	1	2	1
Moss	-	-	1	34	48	10	7	6	-
Norris	-	7	-	-	4	10	13	27	6
Parrino	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Peterson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Reddick	-	2	14	-	3	17	48	10	-
Rosales	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	7	21
Sizemore	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
Smith	-	24	12	3	2	19	17	15	1
Sogard	-	8	-	-	-	-	1	26	67
Suzuki	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5
Taylor	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5
Vogt	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	17	15
Wells	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Young	6	16	2	-	2	20	22	7	-

## GAMES BY POSITION

PLAYER	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	
	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS	G	GS
Barton	-	-	25	19	-	-	-	-	-	-
Callaspo	-	-	-	22	21	5	3	-	-	-
Céspedes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	93	90	18
Choice	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2
Crisp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	98	95	-
Donaldson	-	-	1	-	-	143	143	1	-	-
Freiman	-	-	58	41	-	-	-	-	-	-
Green	-	-	-	5	5	-	-	-	-	-
Jaso	48	42	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	17
Lowrie	-	-	-	24	23	-	109	105	-	-
Montz	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Moss	-	109	86	-	-	2	-	4	1	2
Norris	82	65	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Parrino	-	-	-	5	4	2	1	4	1	-
Peterson	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Reddick	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	99	94
Rosales	-	-	-	13	-	2	1	36	33	1
Sizemore	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
Smith	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	40	-
Sogard	-	-	-	105	93	-	11	9	-	-
Suzuki	11	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taylor	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	-
Vogt	36	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Weeks	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wells	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-

## HOME RUN BREAKDOWN

REGULAR SEASON HOME RUNS					LAST REGULAR SEASON HOME RUN				
Player	Solo	2R	3R	GS	Tot.	Date	Opponent	Pitcher	GP Since
Barton	1	1	0	0	2	Sept. 4, 2013	Texas	Darvish	7
Callaspo	3	3	1	0	7	Sept. 10, 2013	at Minnesota	Hendriks	2
Céspedes	13	9	1	0	23	Sept. 13, 2013	at Texas	Holland	1
Choice	0	0	0	0	0	--	--	--	4
Crisp	16	3	0	0	19	Sept. 11, 2013	at Minnesota	Pelfrey	3
Donaldson	11	8	2	1	22	Sept. 13, 2013	at Texas	Holland	1
Freiman	2	1	1	0	4	Aug. 20, 2013	Seattle	Saunders	13
Jaso	2	0	1	0	3	July 24, 2013	at Houston	Norris	--
Lowrie	7	4	1	0	12	Sept. 11, 2013	at Minnesota	De Vries	3
Moss	15	10	2	0	27	Sept. 13, 2013	at Texas	Wolf	1
Norris	4	2	2	0	8	Aug. 6, 2013	at Cincinnati	Chapman	11
Parrino	0	0	0	0	0	April 8, 2012	Los Angeles (NL)	Harang	60
Reddick	5	5	1	0	11	Sept. 12, 2013	at Minnesota	Duensing	1
Smith	5	2	1	0	8	Sept. 8, 2013	Houston	Harrell	2
Sogard	0	2	0	0	2	July 21, 2013	at Los Angeles	Williams	37
Suzuki	1	1	2	0	4	Aug. 30, 2013	Tampa Bay	Price	4
Vogt	2	2	0	0	4	Sept. 11, 2013	at Minnesota	Pressly	1
Weeks	0	0	0	0	0	April 13, 2012	at Seattle	Furbush	111
Young	7	0	4	0	11	Aug. 18, 2013	Cleveland	Kazmir	12
others	6	0	0	0	6				
<b>Team</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>164</b>				

### Lead Off Home Runs (7)

Coco Crisp, April 5 at Houston (Brad Peacock)  
 Adam Rosales, May 3 at New York (CC Sabathia)  
 Coco Crisp, June 3 at Milwaukee (Marco Estrada)  
 Coco Crisp, June 11 vs. New York (CC Sabathia)  
 Chris Young, Aug. 12 at Toronto (J.A. Happ)  
 Coco Crisp, Aug. 21 vs. Seattle (Hisashi Iwakuma)  
 Coco Crisp, Sept. 1 vs. Tampa Bay (Jamey Wright)

### Back-To-Back Home Runs (5)

Lowrie and Young, April 3 vs. Seattle  
 Céspedes and Moss, May 13 vs. Texas  
 Donaldson and Moss, May 25 at Houston  
 Donaldson and Smith, June 16 vs. Seattle  
 Lowrie and Céspedes, August 9 at Toronto

### Inside-The-Park Home Runs (0)

None

### Walk-Off Wins (7)

Josh Donaldson, April 12 vs. Detroit (home run)  
 Coco Crisp, April 28 vs. Baltimore (sacrifice/error 5)  
 Brandon Moss, April 29 vs. Los Angeles (home run)  
 Josh Reddick, June 1 vs. Chicago (walk)  
 Nate Freiman, June 13 vs. New York (single)  
 Josh Donaldson, July 14 vs. Boston (single)  
 Brandon Moss, August 19 vs. Seattle (home run)

### Grand Slams (1)

Josh Donaldson, June 7 at Chicago (Chris Sale)

### Pinch Hit Home Runs (4)

John Jaso, April 9 at Los Angeles (Kevin Jepsen)  
 Seth Smith, May 24 at Houston (Paul Clemens)  
 Derek Norris, July 27 at Los Angeles (Scott Downs)  
 Derek Norris, August 6 at Cincinnati (Aroldis Chapman)

## MILESTONES

Player	Category	No.	Needs	Player	Category	No.	Needs
Balfour	Saves (w/OAK)	64	11 for 75 (ties Bailey and Istringhausen for 5 <sup>th</sup> in Athletics history)	Crisp	Triples (w/OAK)	19	2 for 21 (ties Monday and Page for 10 <sup>th</sup> in Oakland history)
Barton	Doubles	91	9 for 100		Steals (w/OAK)	139	5 for 144 (ties Jackson for 5 <sup>th</sup> in Oakland history)
Blevins	Games	275	6 for 281 (ties Nelson and Taylor for 6 <sup>th</sup> Oakland history)	Lowrie	Games	495	5 for 500
Chavez	Games	185	15 for 200	Young	Runs	494	6 for 500

## DISABLED LIST

Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed	Player	Injury	Dates	Games Missed
Anderson	Sprained right ankle	May 1-August 27	103	Reddick	Sprained right wrist	May 7-30	22
Céspedes	Strained muscle, left hand	April 13-27	14	Reddick	Sprained right wrist	August 26-Sept. 9	14
Colón	Strained left groin	August 14-28	14	Rodriguez	Sprained right elbow	March 23-present	148
Crisp	Strained left hamstring	April 30-May 14	14	Rosales	Strained left intercostal	March 26-April 24	22
Jaso	Concussion	July 25-present	47	Sizemore	Sprained left knee	April 10-present	140
Nakajima	Strained left hamstring	March 27-May 22	48	Young	Strained left quad	April 30-May 17	16
Norris	Fractured left big toe	August 21-Sept. 4	14				

*The A's have used the disabled list 13 times this season...used the disabled list 21 times in 2012.*

## RECENT TRANSACTIONS

May 10	Jesse Chavez recalled from Sacramento; Evan Scribner optioned to Sacramento; Brett Anderson sent to Midland on a rehab assignment	July 30	Alberto Callaspo acquired from the Los Angeles Angels for minor league infielder Grant Green
May 14	Michael Taylor optioned to Sacramento	July 31	Adam Rosales designated for assignment
May 15	Coco Crisp reinstated from the disabled list	August 2	Adam Rosales claimed off waivers by the Texas Rangers
May 16	Chris Young sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment	August 3	Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento; Tommy Milone optioned to Sacramento
May 17	Hideki Okajima selected from Sacramento; Chris Resop designated for assignment	August 8	Adam Rosales claimed off waivers from the Texas Rangers; John Jaso transferred to 15-day DL
May 18	Chris Young reinstated from the disabled list; Daric Barton designated for assignment	August 9	Evan Scribner optioned to Sacramento
May 20	Chris Resop outrighted to Sacramento	August 10	Sonny Gray recalled from Sacramento; Adam Rosales designated for assignment
May 21	Daric Barton outrighted to Sacramento	August 12	Adam Rosales claimed off waivers by the Texas Rangers
May 23	Hiro Nakajima reinstated from the disabled list and optioned to Sacramento	August 16	Hiro Nakajima outrighted to Sacramento
May 27	Josh Reddick sent to Stockton on a rehab assignment	August 17	Brett Anderson sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
May 28	Josh Reddick transferred to Sacramento on rehab	August 18	Bartolo Colón placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to August 14 (strained left groin); Tommy Milone recalled from Sacramento
May 31	Josh Reddick reinstated from the disabled list; Luke Montz optioned to Sacramento	August 22	Brett Anderson transferred to Stockton on rehab
June 9	Vinnie Catricala acquired from the Seattle Mariners for a PTBNL or cash and optioned to Midland	August 23	Kurt Suzuki and cash considerations acquired from the Washington Nationals for Dakota Bacus; Derek Norris placed on the 15-day disabled list retroactive to August 21 (fractured left big toe)
June 14	Dan Otero selected from Sacramento; Hideki Okajima optioned to Sacramento; Brett Anderson transferred to the 60-day DL	August 26	Josh Reddick placed on the 15-day disabled list (sprained right wrist); Pat Neshek designated for assignment; Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento; Daric Barton selected from Sacramento
June 23	Dan Straily optioned to Sacramento	August 28	Brett Anderson reinstated from the disabled list; Tommy Milone optioned to Stockton; Pat Neshek outrighted to Sacramento
June 25	Stephen Vogt recalled from Sacramento	August 29	Bartolo Colón reinstated from the disabled list; Evan Scribner optioned to Sacramento
July 4	Dan Straily recalled from Sacramento; Stephen Vogt optioned to Sacramento	August 31	Derek Norris sent to Sacramento on a rehab assignment
July 8	Grant Green recalled from Sacramento; Adam Rosales designated for assignment	Sept. 1	Pedro Figueroa, Andy Parrino and Jemile Weeks recalled from Sacramento; Michael Choice selected from Sacramento; Luke Montz designated for assignment
July 10	Sonny Gray selected from Sacramento; Dan Straily optioned to Sacramento	Sept. 3	Tommy Milone recalled from Stockton; Evan Scribner recalled from Sacramento; Pat Neshek selected from Sacramento; Hideki Okajima designated for assignment; Luke Montz released
July 12	Adam Rosales outrighted to Sacramento	Sept. 5	Derek Norris reinstated from the disabled list
July 19	Sonny Gray optioned to Sacramento	Sept. 7	Hideki Okajima outrighted to Sacramento
July 20	Dan Straily recalled from Sacramento	Sept. 10	Josh Reddick reinstated from the disabled list
July 23	Grant Green optioned to Sacramento		
July 24	Adam Rosales selected from Sacramento; Vinnie Catricala designated for assignment		
July 25	John Jaso placed on 7-day disabled list (concussion); Stephen Vogt recalled from Sacramento; Vinnie Catricala outrighted to Midland		

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