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## MINNESOTA TWINS (16-9) vs. HOUSTON ASTROS (17-11)

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 2019 - 6:40 (CT) - TV: FS NORTH RADIO: TIBN-WCCO

GAME 26

RHP Jake Odorizzi (2-2, 4.37) vs. RHP Justin Verlander (4-0, 2.61)

HOME GAME 13

### UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Probable Pitchers	Time	Television	Radio / Spanish Radio
4/30	vs. Houston	RHP Michael Pineda (2-1, 5.63) vs. RHP Gerrit Cole (1-4, 4.71)	6:40 pm (CT)	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO / twinsbeisbol.com
5/1	vs. Houston	LHP Martín Pérez (3-0, 4.44) vs. RHP Collin McHugh (3-2, 4.78)	7:10 pm (CT)	ESPN	TIBN-WCCO / None
5/2	vs. Houston	RHP José Berríos (4-1, 2.97) vs. RHP Brad Peacock (2-1, 3.67)	12:10 pm (CT)	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO / None

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### SEASON AT A GLANCE

Record:	16-9
Home Record:	8-4
Road Record:	8-5
Record in series:	5-3-1
Series Openers:	7-2
Series Finals:	5-4
Rubber Games:	1-2
Sweeps/Swept:	4/0
March/April:	16-9
May:	
June:	
July:	
August:	
September/October:	
Day Games:	10-4
Night Games:	6-5
vs. American League East:	7-3
vs. American League Central:	6-1
vs. American League West:	1-2
vs. National League:	2-3
Games vs. LH Starter:	0-1
Games vs. RH Starter:	16-8
Twins score first:	12-4
Opponent scores first:	4-5
Come-from-behind wins:	4
Leading after 7/8 inn.:	14-1/14-0
Trailing after 7/8 inn.:	1-8/1-9
Tied after 7/8 inn.:	1-0/1-0
Extra-innings:	1-0
1-run games:	5-3
Twins out-hit opp.:	12-2
Opp. out-hit Twins:	2-6
Twins/Opp. have = hits:	1-1
Run Differential:	+29 (140-113)
Twins get Quality Start:	9-3
Twins starter goes 6+ IP:	9-4
Most games over .500:	7, 4/29
Most games under .500:	
Longest win-streak:	4, 4/20-22
Longest losing-streak:	2, 2x, last 4/23-25
When Twins score 4+:	15-5
When Twins score 3-:	1-4
Twins get 10+ hits:	8-1
Days in First Place:	21
Days in Second Place:	5
Days in Third Place:	4
Days in Fourth Place:	4
Days in Fifth Place:	
Walk-Off W/L:	
Shutouts W/L:	1-0
CG's:	
Target Field Sellouts ('19/All-Time):	1/162

**THE TWINS:** The Twins have gone 3-0 on their current seven-game homestand, sweeping the Orioles over the weekend...tonight they will begin a four-game series with the Astros through Thursday...the Twins have won seven of their last nine games overall.

**TWINS SWEEP O'S:** The Twins beat the Orioles yesterday afternoon by a score of 4-1, sweeping the Orioles, their fourth sweep this season...Kyle Gibson (2-0) was the starter and winner, allowing one run on three hits in 7.0 innings pitched with no walks and six strikeouts...Blake Parker earned his team-leading fifth save with a scoreless ninth...the offense recorded six hits, two from Max Kepler who homered and doubled.

**MARCH/APRIL:** With two April games remaining, below is how the March/April hitting and pitching numbers compare over the last five seasons:

	AVG	R	H	2B	3B	HR	RBI	BB	K	OBP	SLG
2015	.243	86	182	34	2	12	81	58	177	.301	.342
2016	.239	80	198	44	4	21	77	79	220	.309	.378
2017	.242	101	186	39	2	20	98	102	179	.331	.375
2018	.240	98	203	56	2	26	92	92	225	.316	.403
2019	.266	140**	227	55	4	49*	132	74	183	.333	.513^

	W	L	S	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	K	ERA
2015	10	12	7	194.0	202	100	94	24	60	116	4.36
2016	7	17	2	215.1	219	110	95	27	75	192	3.97
2017	12	11	8	204.0	184	97	89	26	69	153	3.93
2018	9	15	3	217.2	224	134	128	36	106	220	5.29
2019	16#	9	9	221.0	210	113	106	29	82	209	4.32

\* - Club record, passing their 2002 and 1986 total of 29.  
\*\* - Second most in club history, trailing their 1996 total of 175.  
^ - Best in club history, ahead of their 2004 percentage of .467.  
# - Tied for second most in club history with their 2002 total...club record is 18 wins in 2001.

**SLUGGING THROUGH THE LINEUP:** Where each spot (as a team) in the lineup ranks in MLB in slugging percentage and OPS:

SPOT (leader - games)	TEAM SLUGGING % (RANK)	TEAM OPS (RANK)
1 (Kepler - 20)	.581 (2nd)	.909 (3rd)
2 (Polanco - 20)	.637 (2nd)	1.018 (4th)
3 (Cruz - 19)	.500 (9th)	.848 (10th)
4 (Rosario - 21)	.560 (8th)	.856 (15th)
5 (Cron - 18)	.606 (2nd)	.933 (2nd)
6 (Gonzalez - 15)	.247 (30th)	.522 (30th)
7 (Schoop - 14)	.616 (1st)	1.051 (2nd)
8 (Castro - 8)	.333 (T-19th)	.632 (21st)
9 (Buxton - 17)	.483 (2nd)	.784 (3rd)

**TWINS-ASTROS:** The Twins and Astros are playing the fourth of seven games this season...their last meeting came last week in Houston winning game one and losing games two and three...the Twins are 28-32 all-time against the Astros, including a record of 17-23 since Houston joined the American League in 2013...they have won just four times in their last 18 meetings with the Astros.

☞ Jorge Polanco is hitting .344 (21-for-61) with a .359 OBP vs. Houston, hitting safely in 13 of 15 career games...he has homered in three of his last five games vs. Houston.

☞ Jonathan Schoop is hitting .366 (34-for-93) with eight doubles, five home runs, 15 RBI and a .985 OPS in 23 career games vs. the Astros...the .366 average is his highest vs. any AL opponent.

**YARD WORK:** The Twins have hit 49 home runs so far through 25 games, the most in club history through their first 25...they hit their 49th home run last season on May 30 at Kansas City, an Ehire Adrianza solo home run off Burch Smith in the club's 51st game...the Twins are on pace to hit 317 home runs, the club record is 225, set in 1963...the MLB record is 267, done by New York-AL last season...the Twins rank tied for third in baseball in home runs, despite playing in the fewest games...they lead baseball in at-bats-per-home run (17.39).  
☞ They have 31 solo homers, 11 two-run homers, and seven three-run homers.  
☞ They have hit 27 home runs in their last nine games.

**MINNESOTA:** The Twins enter today with the second best winning percentage in baseball at .640, trailing only Tampa Bay (.667, 18-9)...their 16 wins through the first 25 games is their best start through 25 since going 16-9 in 2010...just six other Twins teams have won 16-plus in their first 25 (18 in 2001, 17 in 1969, 17 in 1979, 71 in 1972, 17 in 1965, and 17 in 1970).

**ON THIS DAY IN TWINS HISTORY:** In 1968, John Roseboro became the eighth Twin to ever record five hits in a game, hitting three singles, a double and a home run at Boston...on this day in 1986, Billy Beane also had a five-hit game (19th in club history), hitting four singles and a home run at New York-AL...on this day in 1969, Harmon Killebrew hit the seventh of his Twins all-time leading 10 grand slams vs. Kansas City, off Roger Nelson.

**INTERNATIONAL MAN OF VICTORY:** Triple-A Rochester left-handed pitcher Lewis Thorpe has been named the International League Pitcher of the Week...Thorpe made one start during the period ending April 28, tossing a career-high 8.0 innings while matching a career-best with 12 strikeouts on April 23 vs. Scranton/Wilkes-Barre...he also struck out 12 batters in his previous start on April 17 vs. Syracuse...the 23-year-old retired 18 straight batters after a two-out homer by Gosuke Katoh in the first inning...Thorpe is the first Rochester pitcher to be named International League Pitcher of the Week since Stephen Gonsalves on May 7, 2018.

### STREAKS

Current Streak	3 wins
Last 5 games	3-2
Last 10 games	7-3
Last 15 games	10-5
Last 20 games	12-8

### TWINS VS. HOUSTON

2019 Record:	1-2
Current Streak:	2 losses
2019 at Home:	
2019 at Houston:	1-2
All-Time Record:	28-32
All-Time at Home:	13-15
All-Time at Houston:	15-17

### 2019 Game Logs:

Date	Site	Score	Winner/Loser/Save
4/22	HOU	9-5	Odorizzi/Peacock
4/23	HOU	4-10	Rondón/Hildenberger
4/24	HOU	1-7	Verlander/Stewart
4/29	MIN		
4/30	MIN		
5/1	MIN		
5/2	MIN		

### CURRENT HOMESTAND [3-0]

Batting average	.265
Runs Per Game	6.33
Home Runs	12
RISP	.107
Errors	1
Team ERA	1.33
Starters W-L	3-0
Starters ERA	1.89
Relievers W-L-S	0-0-1
Relievers ERA	0.64
Saves/Oppts	1/1

### RECENT TRANSACTIONS

4/28	C Astudillo placed on IL OF Cave recalled from AAA
4/26	RHP Magill returned from rehab, reinstated from IL
4/24	RHP Romero recalled from AAA RHP Stewart recalled from AAA RHP Duffey optioned to AAA OF Cave optioned to AAA LHP Moya returned from rehab, reinstated and optioned to AAA RHP Stewart optioned to AAA
4/20	RHP Romero recalled as DH 26th man
4/16	RHP Duffey recalled from AAA LHP Vasquez optioned to AAA
4/10	LHP Vasquez recalled from AAA RHP De Jong optioned to AAA
4/8	IF Austin traded to SF in exchange for OF Ziegler
4/6	RHP De Jong contract selected IF Austin designated for assignment

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### UPCOMING MILESTONES

PLAYER	CURRENT NO.	MILESTONE WITHIN REACH
Ehire Adrianza	196 hits	Needs 4 to reach 200 for career
Nelson Cruz	365 home runs	Needs 1 to tie Lance Berkman (366) for 82nd on baseball's all-time list
C.J. Cron	94 home runs	Needs 6 to reach 100 for career
	99 doubles	Needs 1 to reach 100 for career
Marwin Gonzalez	299 RBI	Needs 1 to reach 300 for career

# JAKE ODORIZZI

# #12

**Height:** 6-2    **Weight:** 190    **B/T:** R/R    **Age:** 29 (3/27/90 in Breese, IL)

**2019:** 2-2, 4.37 ERA    **CAREER:** 49-50, 3.96 ERA

- He is making his sixth start and appearance of the season.
- He is making his 164th career start and 167th career appearance.

## 2019 MAJOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY

Date	Opp.	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Left/Final	Notables	Pitches/K
3/30	vs CLE	ND	6.0	1	1	1	1	2	11	1-1/1-2	Matched career-high with 11 strikeouts	92/57
4/5	at PHI	L1	0.2	2	5	4	0	3	1	0-2/4-10	Shortest outing of career	36/18
4/10	at NYM	L2	4.2	1	3	3	0	4	3	1-0/6-9	No-hitter into 5th before Mets scored 6	71/41
4/17	vs TOR	W1	5.2	6	1	1	0	1	6	4-1/4-1	Allowed run in 1st, blanked Jays after that	101/64
4/22	at HOU	W2	5.2	8	2	2	1	0	2	7-2/9-5	First appearance without issuing a walk	100/63
<b>MAR/APR TOTALS</b> 2-2    22.2    18    12    11    2    10    23    4.37 ERA												
<b>RECORD</b> 2-2    22.2    18    12    11    2    10    23    4.37												
<b>2019 TOTALS</b> 2-2    22.2    18    12    11    2    10    23    4.37												
<b>CAREER TOTALS</b> 49-50    892.1    797    422    393    123    312    828    3.96												

**BACK-TO-BACK WINS:** Odorizzi picked up his second win of the season in his last start, his second in a row, tossing 5.2 innings of two-run ball in a 9-5 victory April 22 over these Astros...held Houston scoreless through 3.0 innings before a two-out single from Josh Reddick plated their first run...cruised through the fifth inning before allowing a leadoff homer to Michael Brantley in the sixth...was pulled after surrendering a single to Josh Reddick and a walk to Tyler White, as Trevor May stranded both runners, getting Robinson Chirinos to fly out to leftfield, ending the inning...threw 100 pitches in back-to-back games for the first time this season and didn't issue a walk for the first time since August 3, 2018 at Kansas City (13 starts).

**SPECIAL K:** With his career-high-tying, 11-strikeout performance March 30 vs. Cleveland, Odorizzi teamed with José Berríos (10 Ks on Opening Day against the Indians) to become just the second pair of pitchers in baseball history (since 1893 - when the mound was placed at its current distance to home plate) to start a team's season with consecutive double-digit strikeout totals...the only others to ever do it were Hall of Famer Randy Johnson, along with Curt Schilling, for the 2001 Arizona Diamondbacks.

**AGAINST THE ASTROS:** Odorizzi has gone 4-1, 2.29 ERA (35.1 IP, 9 ER) in six career appearances (all starts)...went 1-1, 5.06 ERA (10.2 IP, 6 ER) in two starts last season.

- Earned his first win in a Twins uniform April 10, 2018 vs. the Astros, allowing a run in 6.0 innings of a 4-1 victory at Target Field.

**HOMEBODY:** In two Target Field starts, he is 1-0, 1.54 ERA (11.2 IP, 2 ER), has walked three and struck out 17, while twice pitching into the sixth inning...by contrast, he has worked a total of 11.0 innings in three road starts, going 1-2, 7.36 ERA (9 ER) with seven walks and six strikeouts.

- In his Twins career (since 2018), Odorizzi is 6-4, 4.29 ERA (92.1 IP, 44 ER) with 33 walks and 98 strikeouts in 18 home starts (Minnesota is 11-7 in those games)...in 19 road starts, he is 3-8, 4.66 ERA (94.2 IP, 49 ER) with 47 walks and 87 strikeouts (the Twins are 6-13).
- For his career (Tampa Bay and Minnesota), Odorizzi is 27-25, 3.57 ERA (476.2 IP, 189 ER) at home and 22-25, 4.42 ERA (415.2 IP, 204 ER) on the road.

**DON'T LEAVE ME HANGING:** Odorizzi is tied for the American League lead with 16 no-decisions since Opening Day 2018 (in 37 starts), matching the White Sox' Reynaldo López...only Arizona's Robbie Ray (20) and Washington's Patrick Corbin (18) have more in baseball during that span.

**CONSISTENCY IS KEY:** Odorizzi, who has made at least 28 starts in five-straight seasons (including a trio of 30-start campaigns), is fourth in the American League with 157 starts since 2014 (teammate Kyle Gibson is tied for fifth with 154)...he is also sixth in that span with a .235 opponents batting average.

- Only Corey Kluber (166), Rick Porcello (163) and tonight's opposing starter Justin Verlander (159) have made more starts than Odorizzi over the last 5+ seasons.
- Chris Sale (.215), Kluber (.222), Verlander (.225), Carlos Carrasco (.233) and Marco Estrada (.234) are the five with lower opponent averages in that same span.

**PITCH ARSENAL:** Odorizzi has opened 2019 by throwing his four-seam fastball at a greater rate than at any point in his career (58.6 percent)...his full-season high is 54.1 percent, which came in 2018 with the Twins...between 2014-18 with Tampa Bay, his fastball usage ranged from a high of 49.4 percent (2017) to a low of 31.1 (2016)...below is the breakdown of his 2019 pitches according to Baseball Savant:

PITCH	NUMBER/AVG MPH	PERCENTAGE
Four-seamer	232 pitches/92.0	58.6
Curveball	71 pitches/75.0	17.9
Split-finger	52 pitches/85.0	13.1
Cutter	41 pitches/83.1	10.4

**Ks FOR GOOD:** Odorizzi will donate \$50 per strikeout in 2019 to the Animal Humane Society (\$750 to date)...every year, Animal Humane Society cares for more than 23,000 animals in need and aids thousands more through programs that help people nurture and protect their pets...they take in every animal surrendered, regardless of its health, age, breed, or behavior and provide extensive medical treatment, behavior programs, compassionate care, and new homes for these cats, dogs and critters.

### 2018 RECAP:

- Twins 2018 Opening Day starter finished with 32 starts, matching Kyle Gibson (32) and José Berríos for the club lead...ranked third on the staff for innings pitched (164.1) and strikeouts (162).
- Finished with a strikeout-per-9.0 innings pitched ratio of 8.87, the second highest of career (9.32 - 2014).

**FLY AWAY:** In 2018 Odorizzi had the lowest ground ball percentage among qualifying pitchers with a rate of 28.7%...since 2012 Odorizzi has the second lowest ground ball percentage in baseball, trailing only Oakland's Marco Estrada (32.1)...so far in 2019, he owns a 27.3 percentage, third lowest behind Estrada (21.7%) and Baltimore's David Hess (23.2%) (minimum of 22.0 innings pitched).

## TOMORROW'S STARTER - MICHAEL PINEDA, RHP [SEASON: 2-1, 5.63 ERA ; CAREER: 42-42, 4.10 ERA]

Pineda makes his sixth start and appearance of the season in tomorrow's game...is 2-1, 5.63 ERA (24.0 IP, 15 ER) through the first five outings of his comeback season...is coming off back-to-back rough starts, allowing six runs on seven hits (two home runs) in just 3.2 innings of a 7-4 loss to Toronto on April 18 and four runs on eight hits in 5.1 innings of a 10-4 loss against these Astros last Tuesday...Twins had won his first three starts, while he was 2-0, 3.00 ERA (15.0 IP, 5 ER)...completed his comeback from 2017 "Tommy John" surgery with 4.0-shutout innings in his Twins debut March 31 vs. Cleveland, returning to a big league mound for the first time in 633 days...turned in his first quality start in 652 days April 13 against Detroit, allowing three runs over 6.0 innings of a 4-3 victory...is 3-3, 4.66 ERA (48.1 IP, 25 ER) in eight career starts against Houston, but has struggled to a 1-2 record with a 6.55 ERA (22.0 IP, 16 ER) in four outings at "home".

## 2019 HIGHS

**CG's:** --  
**SHO's:** --  
**CG Low Hit:** --  
**Innings:** 6.0, 3/30 vs. CLE  
**SO's:** 11, 3/30 vs. CLE  
**Walks:** 4, 4/10 at NYM  
**Hits:** 8, 4/22 at HOU  
**Home Runs:** 1, 2x, last: 4/22 at HOU  
**Win-Streak:** 2, 4/17 - present  
**Loss-Streak:** 2, 4/5 - 4/10

## CAREER HIGHS

**CG's:** --  
**SHO's:** --  
**CG Low Hit:** --  
**Innings:** 8.0, 2x, last 7/22/16 at OAK  
**SO's:** 11, 2x, last 3/30/19 vs. CLE  
**Walks:** 5, 5x, last 9/26/18 vs. DET  
**Hits:** 11, 8/25/14 at BAL  
**Home Runs:** 4, 8/25/14 at BAL  
**Win-Streak:** 6, 7/17/16-8/25/16  
**Loss-Streak:** 4, 6/6/18-7/3/18

## CAREER NOTES

- Finished 2018 with 32 starts, his fifth-straight season with at least 28 starts; along with Kyle Gibson (32) and José Berríos (32), they became the first trio of Twins with 30-plus starts in the same season since 2007 (Johan Santana - 33, Carlos Silva - 33, and Boof Bonser - 30).
- Was Twins Opening Day starter March 29, 2018 at Baltimore, pitching 6.0 shutout innings with two hits allowed, two walks and seven strikeouts...first Opening Day start of career.
- Selected by Milwaukee in the first round (32nd overall) of 2008 First-Year Player Draft, traded to Kansas City in 2010, then in 2012 traded to Tampa Bay where he remained until his trade to Minnesota on February 17, 2018.
- On May 29, 2016 vs. New York-AL, retired his first 16 batters faced, tied for third-longest perfect game bid in Rays history.
- Established career-highs in 2016 for starts (33) and innings pitched (187.2).
- Earned his first major league win on April 4, 2014 vs. Texas.

## 2019 MISC. NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G/GS	IP	ER		AVG	H	AB	HR	BB	SO	
<b>Home:</b>	1	0	1.54	2/2	11.2	2		<b>Vs. Left:</b>	.227	10	44	1	4	17
<b>Road:</b>	1	2	7.36	3/3	11.0	9		<b>Vs. Right:</b>	.211	8	38	1	6	6
<b>Day:</b>	0	0	1.50	1/1	6.0	1		<b>TOTALS:</b>	.220	18	82	2	10	23
<b>Night:</b>	2	2	5.40	4/4	16.2	10		<b>None On:</b>	.240	12	50	2	5	17
<b>Grass:</b>	2	2	4.37	5/5	22.2	11		<b>Runners On:</b>	.188	6	32	0	5	6
<b>Turf:</b>	0	0	---	0/0	0.0	0								

## 6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS

YEAR	STARTS	6+ IP	QS	YEAR	STARTS	6+ IP	QS
2012	2	0	0	2016	33	18	17
2013	4	0	0	2017	28	13	11
2014	31	14	14	2018	32	10	10
2015	28	21	17	2019	5	1	1
				<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>70</b>

## MORE MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS

	BASE RUNNERS	PICK-OFFS	SB-ATT	GIDP
<b>ODORIZZI:</b>	26	0	0-1	0

## 2019 RUNS/HITS PER INNING

INNING:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
<b>RUNS/HITS:</b>	6/5	0/3	0/0	2/5	3/2	1/3	-/-	-/-	-/-

## ODORIZZI VS. HOUSTON

**2019 vs. Houston (1 game, 1 start):** 1-0, 3.18 ERA (5.2 IP, 2 ER), 0 BB, 2 SO  
**2019 vs. Houston at Home (1 game, 1 start):** - - -  
**2019 vs. Houston on Road (1 game, 1 start):** 1-0, 3.18 ERA (5.2 IP, 2 ER), 0 BB, 2 SO  
**Career vs. Houston (6 games, 6 starts):** 4-1, 2.29 ERA (35.1 IP, 9 ER), 15 BB, 34 SO  
**Career vs. Houston at Home (3 games, 3 starts):** 3-0, 0.47 ERA (19.0 IP, 1 ER), 10 BB, 19 SO  
**Career vs. Houston on Road (3 games, 3 starts):** 1-1, 4.41 ERA (16.1 IP, 8 ER), 5 BB, 15 SO

## BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS

Odorizzi vs. the Astros							Verlander vs. the Twins						
PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO	PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Brantley	.308	26	8	2	1	3	Cruz	.250	48	12	1	1	7
Altuve	.375	16	6	0	2	1	Cron	.172	29	5	1	0	8
Reddick	.267	15	4	0	3	3	Castro	.053	19	1	0	1	9
Correa	.091	11	1	0	1	3	Schoop	.211	19	4	3	0	5
Springer	.100	10	1	0	2	3	Rosario	.176	17	3	0	0	3
Bregman	.333	6	2	1	3	1	Kepler	.063	16	1	0	3	7
Gurriel	.167	6	1	0	0	0	Gonzalez	.091	11	1	1	0	1
White	.400	5	2	0	0	1	Buxton	.200	10	2	1	0	5
Chirinos	.250	4	1	1	1	0	Polanco	.222	9	2	1	2	2
Marisnick	.500	2	1	0	0	1	Adrianza	.167	6	1	0	0	4
							Cave	.000	3	0	0	0	3

## TWINS STARTERS IN 2019

Pitcher	Last Start (IP-H-R-ER-BB-K-HR)	Dec.	Starts	QS	Team Rec.	Run Supp.	RS	AVG
Berríos	4/27 vs. BAL (6.0-7-2-2-0-8-0)	W4	6	5	5-1	20	4.58	
<b>Odorizzi</b>	<b>4/22 at HOU (5.2-8-2-2-0-2-1)</b>	<b>W2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2-3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>5.16</b>	
Gibson	4/28 vs. BAL (7.0-3-1-1-0-6-1)	W2	5	2	4-1	18	5.86	
Pineda	4/23 at HOU (5.2-8-4-4-2-4-0)	ND	5	1	3-2	16	6.00	
Pérez	4/26 vs. BAL (6.0-6-1-1-0-4-0)	W3	3	2	2-1	33	11.28	
Stewart	4/24 at HOU (6.0-8-5-5-3-1-2)	L1	1	0	0-1	1	1.50	

**TEAM BULLPEN NOTES**

- Twins relievers have combined for four wins this season, tied for 21st most in baseball...they've walked 45, for 17th most in the majors...Twins are 9-for-10, in save opps' this season, tied for 17th most in baseball (Parker 5-for-5, Rogers 3-for-3, Hildenberger 1-for-1 & Mejia 0-for-1)...opp. batting average of .252 (81-for-322) in 25 games (83.1 IP)...4.43 ERA 17th highest in MLB.
- The Twins bullpen went 1-1, 3.32 ERA (23.0 IP, 9 ER) with 1 HR, 9 BB, 17 K and a .250 BAA in six games vs. Houston last season...the Twins bullpen is 0-1 w/ a 7.88 ERA (8.0 IP, 7 ER) w/ six walks and five strikeouts in three games vs. Houston this season...in three games at Target Field vs. HOU last season, the Twins bullpen went 1-1 w/ a 3.09 ERA (11.2 IP, 4 ER) w/ nine strikeouts.

**RYNE HARPER - RHP**
**#19**
**Height: 6-3 Weight: 215 B/T: R/R Age: 30 (3/27/1989 in Nashville, TN) Acquired: Signed as minor league free agent, 1/31/18**
**Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series vs BAL: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left .176 vs. Right .182**

- 2 career G (1.2 IP) vs. HOU... .176 (3-for-17) vs. LHB & .182 (4-for-22) vs. RHB this season...has pitched 7.0 innings at Target Field this season, allowing only three hits, two walks with six strikeouts...on 4/18 became the fifth different Minnesota reliever (eighth instance) since 2017 to throw 3.0+ innings & allow one or less hits (Magill-3, Gonsalves-2, Mejia & Duffey-1)...has thrown 176 pitches this season (10 games).
- Made 4 appearances at Double-A Chattanooga; split first month w/ the Lookouts and Triple-A Rochester in 2018... a 2.34 ERA (34.2 IP, 9 ER) with 4 saves in 20 games from early May-late July at Chattanooga, before being promoted back to Rochester, where he finished the season named Southern League Midseason All-Star with Lookouts.
- With his appearance March 31, he became the sixth-oldest player (second-oldest pitcher) to make his major league debut for the Twins (since 1961) at 30 years and four days old...only INF Minnie Mendoza (debuted on 4/9/1970, 36.144 years old), C Hank Izkierdo (8/9/1967, 36.142), C Chris Heintz (9/10/2005, 31.035), INF Randy Ruiz (8/1/2008, 30.287) and RHP Yohan Pino (6/19/2014, 30.174) were older.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
4/26 vs. BAL	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
4/23 at HOU	ND	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0
4/22 at HOU	ND	1.0	2	3	3	1	1	0
4/18 vs. TOR	ND	3.1	1	0	0	0	0	2
4/16 vs. TOR	ND	0.2	2	0	0	0	0	0
4/15 vs. TOR	H1	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
4/9 at NYM	ND	0.2	1	0	0	0	0	0
4/7 at PHI	ND	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
4/5 at PHI	ND	1.1	1	0	0	0	0	2
3/31 vs. CLE	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	1

**TREVOR HILDENBERGER - RHP**
**#39**
**Height: 6-3 Weight: 220 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (12/15/1990 in Mountain View, CA) Drafted: 22nd Round, 2014 Draft**
**Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series vs BAL: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left .200 vs. Right .300**

- Career 0-1 w/ 6.75 ERA (5.2 IP, 4 ER) with one strikeout in five games vs. HOU...2-1 w/ 1.93 ERA (9.1 IP, 2 ER), four walks, 11 strikeouts & 1.39 WHIP in 13 games this season...only two ER allowed this season came over 0.2 IP against the Astros (4/23)... .200 (3-for-15) vs. LHB & .300 (6-for-20) vs. RHB so far this year through 13 games...career .333 (1-for-3) vs. HOU LHB & .316 (6-for-19) vs. HOU RHB.
- Earned 1st save of the season on 4/14 vs. DET...two wins this season - one against KC (4/2) & one against NYM (4/9).
- 6.89 ERA (32.2 IP, 25 ER) w/ .281 BAA in 33 road games in 2018...4.24 ERA (40.1 IP, 19 ER) w/ .248 BAA in 40 home games in 2018.
- Held left-handed hitters to a .255 average and right-handed hitters to a .269 average last season.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
4/28 vs. BAL	H5	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
4/23 at HOU	L1	0.2	1	2	2	0	2	0
4/21 at BAL	H4	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	1
4/20 at BAL	H3	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	0
4/16 vs. TOR	ND	0.1	1	0	0	0	0	0
4/14 vs. DET	S1	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	2
4/13 vs. DET	H2	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
4/10 at NYM	ND	0.1	1	0	0	0	1	1

**MATT MAGILL - RHP**
**#68**
**Height: 6-3 Weight: 210 B/T: R/R Age: 29 (11/10/89 in Simi Valley, CA) Acquired: Signed as minor league free agent, 1/25/18**
**Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.2 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 2 BB Series vs BAL: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.2 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 2 BB vs. Left .000 vs. Right .500**

- Career 1G vs HOU...reinstated from the 10-day IL (4/26) after suffering right shoulder tendinitis and threw 0.2 IP w/ 2 BB & one strikeout.
- Made five appearances (one start) with Triple-A Rochester this season as part of his rehab assignment, going 0-1-1 with a 1.69 ERA (5.1 IP, 1 ER), striking out eight and walking just one batter...he threw 26 pitches on April 22 and just seven on April 24, his last outing with the Red Wings.
- Went 3-3 last year with a 3.81 ERA (56.2 IP, 24 ER) in 40 relief appearances...earned his first ML win with a perfect 8th inning on 5/11 at LAA...is 3-5 over his career with a 4.77 ERA (88.2 IP, 47 ER) with 56 BB and 83 SO between the Dodgers (2013), Reds (2016) and Twins (2018).
- Originally drafted by Dodgers in 31st round in 2008...spent 2008-14 in Dodgers org, 2015-16 in Reds org, and 2017 in Padres org.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
4/26 vs. BAL	ND	0.2	1	0	0	0	2	1

**TREVOR MAY - RHP**
**#65**
**Height: 6-5 Weight: 240 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (9/23/1989 in Longview, WA) Acquired: Trade With PHI, 12/6/2012**
**Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.1 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series vs BAL: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.1 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .263 vs. Right .190**

- Has 15.00 ERA (6.0 IP, 10 ER) in 7 career G (1 start) w/ 6 K's vs. HOU...was opener 9/4/18 at HOU (4 ER in 1.0 IP)...allowed GS to Lowrie (9/6/15 at HOU).
- 11 of 13 appearances this season have been scoreless...allowed 2 runs in back-to-back outings 4/14 vs. DET and 4/16 vs. TOR...4 holds in 2019.
- Only 30 batted balls vs. 201 pitches thrown this season...80.2 exit velocity percentage, third lowest in baseball (min. 25 batted balls).
- Third longest tenured twin, appearing in first game w/ MIN 8/9/14 at Oakland in a start...Kyle Gibson is the leader, first appearing on 6/29/13.
- Spent the first half of 2018 on the 60-day IL recovering from "Tommy John" surgery he had in March 2017, before making 2018 debut 7/31 vs. Cleveland, his first major league appearance in 688 days...also held left-handed hitters to a .195 average and right-handers to a .241 average in 2018.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
4/27 vs. BAL	H4	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
4/26 vs. BAL	H3	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
4/22 at HOU	ND	0.1	0	0	0	0	1	0
4/21 at BAL	H2	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	2
4/18 vs. TOR	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
4/16 vs. TOR	L1	0.2	1	2	2	0	2	1
4/14 vs. DET	H1	0.1	2	2	2	0	1	1
4/10 at NYM	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	2
4/9 at NYM	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
4/7 at PHI	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0

**ADALBERTO MEJIA - LHP**
**#49**
**Height: 6-3 Weight: 195 B/T: R/L Age: 25 (6/20/1993 in Bonao, DR) Obtained: Trade With SF, 7/28/2016**
**Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series vs BAL: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left .200 vs. Right .267**

- Two career appearances vs. HOU, w/ 1.0 IP one walk & one strikeout (both this season)...0-1 w/ 6.55 ERA (11.0 IP, 8 ER) w/ 6 BB & 10 K's this season...two strikeouts on 3/30, reaching 100th of his career...27.7 % of opposing batters have swung at the 1st pitch against Mejia this year.
- Opp. avg of .200 vs LHB and .267 vs. RHB this season in 10 games played...relies on five pitches - slider, four-seamer, changeup, sinker & curve...has thrown 217 pitches so far in those 10 games...allowed a HR in the top of the eighth inning on 4/15 vs. TOR - 2.0 IP w/ 4 hits, 4 ER & 2 strikeouts, his first & only loss so far in 2019.
- Career 37 games is 6-8 with 4.31 ERA (133.2 IP, 64 ER) w/ 60 BB and 108 K's...over eight minor league seasons, appeared in 23 games in relief and made 114 starts...placed on 10-day injured list with a left wrist strain August 9 and missed the rest of 2018.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
4/27 vs. BAL	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
4/23 at HOU	ND	0.0	1	0	0	0	0	0
4/22 at HOU	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	1
4/17 vs. TOR	H2	1.1	1	0	0	0	0	0
4/15 vs. TOR/L/BS1	2.0	4	4	4	4	1	0	2
4/9 at NYM	ND	0.2	1	1	1	1	1	1
4/6 at PHI	H1	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0
4/5 at PHI	ND	1.0	2	3	3	0	2	0
4/3 at KC	ND	2.1	0	0	0	0	1	3

**BLAKE PARKER - RHP**
**#38**
**Height: 6-3 Weight: 225 B/T: R/R Age: 33 (6/19/1985 in Fayetteville, AR) Acquired: Signed as free agent, 1/14/2019**
**Homestand: 0-0-1, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series vs BAL: 0-0-1, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .125 vs. Right .105**

- Has made 14 career appearances vs. HOU, w/ 11.2 IP, with three walks, 9 strikeouts and a 1.29 WHIP...career 45.7 GB% vs. Houston.
- Earned his fifth save 4/28, is now 5-for-5 in save opportunities this season...has pitched in ten games and has not allowed an earned run since March 30, and has only allowed three hits with five walks & eight strikeouts this year.
- RHB are 2-for-19, LHB are 1-for-8 this season...last season, held righties to .231 BAA w/ .293 OBP and lefties to a .269 BAA w/ .326 OBP.
- Led the Angels staff in saves (14) and ranked fourth in games (67), while ranking second in relief strikeouts (70) in 2018.
- Posted a 4.15 ERA (30.1 IP, 14 ER) w/ .296 BAA in 32 games on road, and a 2.50 ERA (36.0 IP, 10 ER) w/ .203 BAA in 35 home games last season.
- Converted to pitcher in 2007 after starting professional career as position player in Chicago-NL organization...was primarily a corner infielder, mostly first base...Twins are fifth different organization: CHC (2007-15), SEA (2016), NYY (2016) and LAA (2017-18).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
4/28 vs. BAL	S5	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
4/22 at HOU	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0
4/17 vs. TOR	S4	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
4/14 vs. DET	H2	0.1	1	0	0	0	2	1
4/13 vs. DET	S3	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	2
4/9 at NYM	H1	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0
4/6 at PHI	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
4/3 at KC	S2	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
4/2 at KC	S1	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	1
3/30 vs. CLE	L1	1.0	1	1	1	0	1	0

**TAYLOR ROGERS - LHP**
**#55**
**Height: 6-3 Weight: 170 B/T: L/L Age: 28 (12/17/1990 in Denver, CO) Drafted: 11th Round, 2012 Draft**
**Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB Series vs BAL: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB vs. Left .417 vs. Right .268**

- Is 0-1 w/ two holds and a 7.36 ERA (3.2 IP, 3 ER) with 1 strikeout in five career games vs. HOU...career 1.64 WHIP vs. HOU.
- 206 strikeouts in 198.0 career innings pitched (209 G)...ranked 9th in AL in games played (72 games) in 2018...his third career save on Opening Day, closing out a 2-0 victory by striking out three of the four batters faced in relief of starter José Berrios.
- Earned fourth hold of the season against Toronto 4/17...only three walks in 10 games this season (11.2 IP) w/ 15 strikeouts.
- Leads AL relievers in games since 2017 (152)...leads Twins in games since 2016 (209).
- Snapped scoreless inning streak at 28.2 on 4/2 at KC...the streak tied with Johnny Klippstein (1965-66) for third longest in club history, trailing J.C. Romero (36.0 in 2004) and Joe Nathan (29.0 in 2004).
- Drafted in 11th round of 2012 Draft; 1 of 9 on current roster to have been w/ org. since '12 (Gibson, Duffey, Buxton, Rosario, Polanco, Kepler, May, Berrios).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
4/27 vs. BAL	H5	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	3
4/21 at BAL	S3	1.0	2	1	1	0	1	1
4/20 at BAL	S2	2.0	3	1	1	0	0	5
4/17 vs. TOR	H4	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	2
4/14 vs. DET	H3	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	2
4/13 vs. DET	H2	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
4/7 at PHI	ND	0.2	1	0	0	0	1	0
4/6 at PHI	H1	1.0	2	0	0	0	1	0
4/2 at KC	ND	1.2	3	1	1	1	0	1
3/30 vs. CLE	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0
3/28 vs. CLE	S1	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	3

**FERNANDO ROMERO - RHP**
**#77**
**Height: 6-0 Weight: 220 B/T: R/R Age: 24 (12/24/1994 in San Juan De La Maguana, DR) Acquired: Signed as free agent, 11/14/2011**
**Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 1 BB Series vs BAL: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 1 BB vs. Left .667 vs. Right .200**

- Began 2019 in Triple-A Rochester, 4.32 ERA (8.1 IP, 4 ER) w/ two walks and 11 strikeouts in four games as a reliever...career 1G vs. HOU, with a 9.00 (2.0 IP, 2 ER) w/ a HR and 2 strikeouts...made 2019 debut 4/20 on 2nd game of DH against BAL...relies on four pitches - fastball/sinker/slider/changeup...402.1 IP in 89 minor league career games (67 starts)...in 2018, went 3-3 w/ a 4.69 ERA (55.2 IP, 29 ER) w/ 19 BB & 45 K in 11 games pitched (all starts)...major league debut May 2, 2018 vs. Toronto, pitching 5.2-scoreless innings...also started ML career with a 15.2-inning scoreless streak, second longest streak to start a career in club history since '74, trailing Andrew Albers (17.1 IP) in 2013.
- Romero combined to go 8-9, 4.00 ERA (144.4 IP, 65 ER) with 51 BB's and 114 K's in 27 games (24 starts) between Rochester and Minnesota in 18'.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
4/26 vs. BAL	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	2
4/24 at HOU	ND	2.0	2	2	2	1	0	2
4/20 at BAL	ND	2.0	4	3	3	1	0	0

**2019 BULLPEN INFO**

Player name	1st Batter Avg	BB/9	K/9	Saves/Opps	Holds	IRS%	WHIP	HR	TEAM BULLPEN USAGE		
									Last game	2 games ago	3 games ago
Ryne Harper	.300	2.45	6.55	0/0	1	55.6% (5/9)	0.91	1	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)	1.0 IP (15)
Trevor Hildenberger	.167	3.86	10.61	1/1	5	26.3% (5/19)	1.39	0	1.0 IP (13)	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)
Matt Magill	.000	27.00	13.50	0/0	0	0.0% (0/0)	4.50	0	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)	0.2 IP (26)
Trevor May	.091	4.22	8.44	0/0	4	0.0% (0/5)	1.31	0	0.0 IP (0)	1.0 IP (11)	0.1 IP (5)
Adalberto Mejia	.300	4.91	8.18	0/1	2	28.6% (2/7)	1.45	2	0.0 IP (0)	1.0 IP (17)	0.0 IP (0)
Blake Parker	.100	5.40	8.64	5/5	2	0.0% (0/1)	0.96	0	1.0 IP (13)	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)
Taylor Rogers	.500										



# HITTERS

**EHIRE ADRIANZA – INF #13**  
**Height: 6-1 Weight: 195 B/T: S/R Age: 29 (8/21/89 in Guarenas, VZ)**  
 2019 Average: .161 Streak: 2g, 3-7 Series vs BAL: 0-0 Home Runs: 0-0  
 • Career .286 (8-for-28) w/ 2 R, 2B, HR, 2 RBI, 3 BB & .783 OPS in 11 games vs. HOU.  
 • 4 hits away from 200 for career (132 1B, 48 2B, 4 3B, 11 HR)...10 RBI away from 100.  
 • 5 total hits on the season, two coming 4/21 at BAL, all 5 hits vs. RHP.  
 • Career games played: 141 at SS, 69 at 2B, 54 at 3B, 22 in LF, 16 at 1B.  
 • Led Twins infielders in games played in the field in 2018 with 112...also set career-highs in total games (114), at-bats (335), runs (42), hits (84), doubles (23), home runs (6), RBI (39) and walks (24) in 2018.

**BYRON BUXTON – OF #25**  
**Height: 6-2 Weight: 190 B/T: R/R Age: 25 (12/19/93 in Baxley, GA)**  
 2019 Average: .270 Streak: 1g, 1-3, HR Series vs BAL: 1-7, HR Home Runs: 1 (1-1-run)  
 • Tied for 2nd in MLB with 12 2Bs in just 23 games...has 14 extra-base hits (1 3B) in 80 PAs this season, after having 4 (all doubles) in 28 games (94 PAs) in 2018.  
 • Hitting .227 (10-for-44) w/ 4 2B in 14 career games vs. HOU...4 game hitting streak vs. HOU.  
 • Career .207 (6-for-29) w/ one R, one RBI, three walks & nine strikeouts vs. HOU at Target Field.  
 • Has been clocked with sprint speed this season of 30.2 feet per second (2nd in MLB)...ranks second on the Twins with an average 92.7 MPH exit velocity on his batted balls.  
 • Was caught stealing 4/22 at HOU, snapping club-record streak of 33 consecutive stolen bases (previous caught stealing was 5/23/17 at BAL)...since 2002, only 3 players had longer stretches of consecutive stolen bases (Ichiro Suzuki - 45, Jimmy Rollins - 39, and Coco Crisp - 35).  
 • In 2017, won Rawlings Gold Glove and AL Platinum Glove Award for his superior defensive play.

**JAKE CAVE – OF #60**  
**Height: 6-0 Weight: 200 B/T: L/L Age: 26 (12/4/92 in Hampton, VA)**  
 2019 Average: .233 Streak: 2g, 2-9, RBI Series vs BAL: 0-0 Home Runs: 0-0  
 • Recalled yesterday, has appeared in 12 games...replaced Astudillo on the 25-man roster.  
 • Is 7-for-30 (.233) w/ 3 RBI, 4 BB & .590 OPS this season...has .292 BABIP (.354 career).  
 • Has appeared in 12 games, 8 as starter (8 in RF and 3 in LF, 1 PH)...career 1-for-9 vs. HOU.  
 • In 2018, ranked tied for 1st among AL rookies Post-All-Star Break in games (65), 5th in homers (10) (5th most in among AL rookies) and RBI (33), and 8th in hits (51).  
 • Given Bill Boni Award for Twins Most Outstanding Rookie, voted upon by Twin Cities Chapter of the BBWAA, fifth most in among AL rookies.

**JASON CASTRO – C #15**  
**Height: 6-3 Weight: 215 B/T: L/R Age: 31 (6/18/87 in Castro Valley, CA)**  
 2019 Average: .214 Streak: 1g, 1-3, HR, 2 RBI Series vs BAL: 1-3, HR, 2 RBI Home Runs: 1-3, HR, 2 RBI  
 • Hitting .231 (6-for-26) with 2 2B, 2 HR, 3 RBI, 4 BB and a .333 OBP in 9 career games vs. HOU... hit first HR of the season on 4/22 at HOU, 2nd-inning solo shot (off Brad Peacock) that left his bat at 104.9 MPH...(played for HOU from 2010-16).  
 • Has reached base nine times in his last 5 games -19 plate appearances (4 hits and 5 walks).  
 • Began his career with HOU, ranks first in slugging (.396), second in home runs (59), third in games caught (572) and fourth in hits (442) among Astros catchers.  
 • Leads Twins in starts at catcher with 11 (Garver - 10, Astudillo - 4).  
 • 710 career games as C (673 starts)...Twins Opening Day catcher for second consecutive season.

**C.J. CRON – 1B #24**  
**Height: 6-4 Weight: 235 B/T: R/R Age: 29 (1/5/90 in Fullerton, CA)**  
 2019 Average: .244 Streak: 0-2 Series vs BAL: 3-9, 2 HR, 3 RBI Home Runs: 3-9, 2 HR, 3 RBI  
 • Career .186 (40-for-215) w/ 12 2B, 7 HR & 25 RBI in 61 games against HOU...1-for-13 w/ 2B and two RBI in 3 games vs. Houston this season.  
 • Hitting .245 (12-for-49) w/ 2B, 5 HR, 13 RBI & .886 OPS in last 14 games...4th in the team for RBI, behind Rosario (24), Kepler (16) & Cruz (15)...is one 2B short of 100th career...six short of 100 career homers.  
 • 16 of 35 HRs last 2 seasons have given his team the lead (14 of 30 in w/ TB, 2 of 5 w/ MIN).  
 • Claimed off waivers from TB Nov. 26, 2018 after setting career-highs with 140 games, 127 hits, 28 2B, 30 HR and 74 RBI w/TB.  
 • His father, Chris, played with CAL (1991) and CWS (1992)...his brother, Kevin, is a minor league infielder in Arizona's system...cousins with 2001 World Series champion catcher Chad Moeller.

**NELSON CRUZ – DH #23**  
**Height: 6-2 Weight: 230 B/T: R/R Age: 38 (7/1/80 in Las Matas de Santa Cruz, DR)**  
 2019 Average: .297 Streak: 0-4 Series vs BAL: 5-13, 2 HR, 2B Home Runs: 5-13, 2 HR, 2B  
 • Hitting .260 (115-for-442) w/ 11 2B, 25 HR, 69 RBI and a .782 OPS in 117 career games vs. HOU...hitting .184 (7-for-38) with HR and 3 RBI in his last 10 vs. Astros...career .250 (12-for-48) vs. Justin Verlander...29th career multi-homer game (4/26) at Target Field with 3 hits.  
 • Hitting career .323 (51-for-158) w/ 13 2B, 13 HR, 32 RBI & 1.020 OPS in 42 games at Target Field.  
 • Leads Twins with average 95.7 MPH exit velocity & hard hit balls 52.8% this season.  
 • Hitting .368 (7-for-19) with 8 RBI with runners in scoring position.  
 • Has hit the most home runs in baseball since 2014 (208)...has hit 365 career HRs (98 vs. LHP) & (267 vs. RHP) over parts of 15 MLB seasons...he is the only player to hit 20-or-more home runs in each of last 10 seasons...in 2018 with SEA, finished eighth in the AL in home runs (37), ninth in RBI (97), 11th in slugging percentage (.509) and 14th in OPS (.850).  
 • Hit by a pitch 14 times in 2018, the 4th-most in the AL (3 behind teammate C.J. Cron)...already has three HBP this year.  
 • In 2018, earned his sixth career All-Star selection, his fifth in the last six seasons (also: 2009, 2013, 2014, 2015 and 2017)...drew a walk in his only plate appearance at the All-Star Game in D.C.

**MITCH GARVER – C #18**  
**Height: 6-1 Weight: 220 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (1/15/91 in Albuquerque, NM)**  
 2019 Average: .372 Streak: 0-3 Series vs BAL: 1-6 Home Runs: 1-6  
 • Hitting .267 (4-for-15) with four runs & two walks in 5 career games vs. HOU...hit .273 (3-for-11) w/ three runs, two walks last season vs. HOU...1-for-3 at Target Field vs. HOU last season.  
 • In just 13 games at catcher, is tied 2nd in AL among catchers w/ 5 HR, while tied 4th w/ 4 2B & is 7th with 10 RBI.  
 • Has 2 multi-homer games this season: 4/9 at NYM (both off deGrom) and 4/20 at BAL.  
 • On April 15 vs. Toronto, became the first catcher to start and bat leadoff to since Burt Wynegar did so on August 23, 1980 vs. Detroit, and just the third catcher to do so in Twins history (Wynegar, 48 times from 1977-1980 and John Roseboro, seven times in 1968).  
 • In 2018, ranked 7th in the AL in catcher ERA (4.60)...ranked tied for 6th among AL rookies in 2B (19), 9th in games (103) and walks (29), 10th in hits (81)...led all MLB rookie catchers in walks, 2nd in games, hits, 2B, runs, RBI, and 3rd in HR.  
 • Wins 9th round pick in 2013 draft...2017 Twins Minor League Player of the Year.

**MARWIN GONZALEZ – INF/OF #9**  
**Height: 6-1 Weight: 205 B/T: S/R Age: 30 (3/14/1989 in Puerto Ordaz, VZ)**  
 2019 Average: .173 Streak: 2g, 2-6, HR, 3 RBI Series vs BAL: 2-10, HR, 3 RBI Home Runs: 2 (2 1-run)  
 • Went 0-for-11 vs. HOU last week (3 G series) at Minute Maid...career 1-for-11 vs. Justin Verlander w/ HR...hitting career .301 (28-for-93) at Target Field.  
 • All 20 of his starts this season have come at 3B...played 7 seasons with HOU joining the Twins.  
 • Is 0-for-9 vs. LHP and 13-for-66 (.197) vs. RHP this season.  
 • Delivered 2-run 2B in 7th inning on Opening Day, driving in both runs in Twins 2-0 victory...marked Twins debut after 7 seasons with HOU...signed as free agent, 2/25/19.  
 • Set career-highs last season w/ HOU in PA's (552), AB's (489) & BB (53)...made starts in LF (65 games), and at SS (29), 1B (21), 2B (19) and 3B (2).  
 • Became only player in MLB history to play in 20+ games at first base, second base, shortstop and leftfield in a single year, which he did in both 2017 and 2018 while playing for HOU.

**MAX KEPLER – OF #26**  
**Height: 6-4 Weight: 220 B/T: L/L Age: 26 (2/10/93 in Berlin, Germany)**  
 2019 Average: .274 Streak: 3g, 6-12, 4 HR, 2B, 6 RBI Series vs BAL: 6-12, 4 HR, 2B, 6 RBI Home Runs: 6-12, 4 HR, 2B, 6 RBI  
 • Has reached safely in 7 of last 10 career games vs. HOU...now hitting .274 (23-for-84) with 4 2B, 7 HR, 16 RBI, 9 BB and .928 OPS in 21 games this year...has homered in 3 straight games.  
 • Hitting .299 (20-for-67) vs. right-handed pitching and .176 (3-for-17) vs. left-handed pitching.  
 • Has led off in 20 of Twins 25 games...is 1 of 3 Twins to ever hit 2+ leadoff home runs in Mar/Apr.  
 • In 2018 led club w/ 71 walks and was second with 80 runs (both career-highs)...led Twins with 156 games played...2018 recipient of Jim Kaat Award for Twins Best Defensive Player.  
 • Signed five-year contract extension 2/14 (along w/ Jorge Polanco) w/ a one-year club option.  
 • Signed in July of '09 from Berlin, Germany...enters 2019 1 of 43 German-born MLB players ever.

**JORGE POLANCO – SS #11**  
**Height: 5-11 Weight: 200 B/T: R/R Age: 25 (7/5/93 in San Pedro de Macoris, DR)**  
 2019 Average: .337 Streak: 2g, 2-9, 2B Series vs BAL: 2-13, 2B Home Runs: 2-13, 2B  
 • Hitting .344 (21-for-61) w/ 2B, 3 HR & 8 RBI in 15 career games vs. HOU...5-for-13 last series vs. HOU...ranks 6th in AL in OPS (1.022), 4th in SLG (.632), tied 7th in average (.337)... 2-for-9 vs. Justin Verlander w/ HR (came on 4/24), RBI & two walks, (.222 average).  
 • Collected 8th multi-hit game of season on 4/22, tied 1st in the team in that category (Cruz).  
 • Has reached base safely in 20 of his 23 starts, collecting a hit in 17...hitting .235 (4-for-17) w/ 2B vs. LHP and .359 (28-for-78) w/ 6 2B, 3 3B, 5 HR, 10 RBI & 1.119 OPS vs. RHP.  
 • Hit for his first cycle on 4/5 at PHI (11th cycle in Twins history).  
 • Signed five-year contract extension 2/14 (along w/ Max Kepler) with a two-year club option.  
 • Hit .310 (52-for-168) in Twins' 2018 wins, .261 (35-for-134) in losses...Twins went 38-35 with Polanco in the lineup and 37-49 without...played 76 of the final 82 Twins games at SS.  
 • Signed 1 day after 16th b-day in 2009...childhood friends w/ Miguel Sanó, grew up in same town.

**EDDIE ROSARIO – OF #20**  
**Height: 6-1 Weight: 180 B/T: L/R Age: 27 (9/28/91 in Guayama, PR)**  
 2019 Average: .255 Streak: 0-7 Series vs BAL: 1-11, HR Home Runs: 1-11, HR  
 • Hitting .238 (19-for-80) w/ 5 2B, 2 HR & 15 RBI in 23 career games vs. HOU...went 1-for-8 vs. HOU last season w/ a run, triple & three RBI...career 3-for-17 vs. Justin Verlander w/ 2B.  
 • Went 3-for-12 in 3-game series in HOU last week...0-for-11 to start the season - since has hit .287 (25-for-87) w/ 11 HR, 24 RBI and a 1.057 OPS...since that date ranks for 1st in the AL in HR and RBI, tied for second in runs and 6th in OPS.  
 • 4/24 at HOU hit 10th homer, fewest games in club history (since 1961) to reach 10 homers: Rosario (2012), Kirby Puckett (23G - 1986), Bob Allison (28G - 1964)...in fact, Rosario is the first Twin to have 10 homers before May 1: Torii Hunter with nine in 2001 was previous high.  
 • Named Calvin R. Griffith Award for Most Valuable Twin in 2018.  
 • Led Twins in at-bats (559), runs (87), hits (161), home runs (22), RBI (77), multi-hit games (48), and second in doubles (37) in 2018.

**JONATHAN SCHOOP – 2B #16**  
**Height: 6-1 Weight: 225 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (10/16/91 in Willemstad, Curacao)**  
 2019 Average: .265 Streak: 1g, 1-4 Series vs BAL: 2-12 Home Runs: 2-12  
 • Career .366 (34-for-93) w/ 17 R, 8 2B, 5 HR, 15 RBI & .985 OPS in 23 games vs. Houston.  
 • Career .211 (4-for-19) w/ 2B, 3 HR, 5 RBI vs. Justin Verlander.  
 • Schoop's double off Miley 4/23 at HOU registered EV at 114.3, highest on club in 2019.  
 • All 4 HR this season have come as part of multi-HR games (9th & 10th of career)...went deep twice 4/9 at NYM and 4/20 @ BAL (Gm 2).  
 • Hit 21 home runs as a second baseman in 2018 (w/ BAL & MIL), tied for 4th most in baseball.  
 • 1 of 12 players from Willemstad, Curacao, & 1 of 5 current: Simmons, Albies, Jansen, & Profar.

### TWINS HOME RUN DATA

<b>MULTI-HOMER GAMES (9x)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Garver, 4/9 at NYM</li> <li>Schoop, 4/9 at NYM</li> <li>Rosario, 4/18 vs. TOR</li> <li>Cruz, 4/20 at BAL</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Garver, 4/20 at BAL</li> <li>Rosario, 4/20 at BAL</li> <li>Schoop, 4/20 at BAL</li> <li>Cruz, 4/26 vs. BAL</li> <li>Kepler, 4/27 vs. BAL</li> </ul>	<b>BACK-TO-BACK (5x)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kepler/Astudillo, 4/6 at PHI</li> <li>Rosario/Garver, 4/9 at NYM</li> <li>Rosario/Astudillo, 4/20 at BAL</li> <li>Cruz/Rosario/Cron, 4/26 vs BAL</li> <li>Castro/Kepler, 4/27 vs BAL</li> </ul>	<b>WALK-OFF (0x)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None</li> </ul>	<b>RUNNERS ON</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Solo - 31</li> <li>2-run - 11</li> <li>3-run - 7</li> </ul>	<b>LEADOFF (2x)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kepler, 4/7 at PHI</li> <li>Kepler, 4/28 vs. BAL</li> </ul>
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### HITTERS INFO

Player	Multi-Hit	Multi-RBI	Season Hit-Strk	Season High Hits	LAST HOME RUN			LAST GRAND SLAM			VS. CURRENT OPPONENT 2019					VS. CURRENT OPPONENT CAREER					
					Date	Opp.	On	Pitcher	Date	Opp.	#	Avg	H	AB	HR	RBI	Avg	H	AB	HR	RBI
Ehire Adrianza	1	0	2, 4/21-4/24	2, 4/21	8/30/18	at CLE	1	Clevinger	6/12/18	at DET	1	.333	1	3	0	0	.286	8	28	1	2
Byron Buxton	4	2	6, 4/18-4/23	2, 4/20	4/28/19	vs. BAL	0	Bundy	9/04/16	vs. CWS	1	.286	2	7	0	0	.227	10	44	0	1
Jason Castro	0	1	3, 4/17-4/22	1, 4/27	4/27/19	vs. BAL	1	Yacabonis	8/03/15	at TEX	3	.200	1	5	1	1	.231	6	26	2	3
Jake Cave	0	0	4, 4/10-4/20	1, 4/26	9/30/18	vs. CWS	0	Covey	8/05/18	vs. KC	1	.000	0	0	0	0	.111	1	9	0	0
C.J. Cron	5	4	5, 4/17-4/22	2, 4/27	4/27/19	vs. BAL	1	Fry	5/21/17	at NYM	2	.077	1	13	0	2	.186	40	215	7	25
Nelson Cruz	8	5	2, 4/26-4/27	4, 4/20	4/26/19	vs. BAL	0	Ynoa	7/23/16	at TOR	9	.167	2	12	0	1	.260	115	442	25	69
Mitch Garver	5	3	3, 4/20-4/26	4, 4/9	4/20/19	at BAL	0	Kline			0	.250	1	4	0	0	.267	4	15	0	0
Marwin Gonzalez	4	2	3, 4/14-4/17	2, 4/20	4/27/19	vs. BAL	0	Yacabonis	8/24/18	at LAA	2	.000	0	11	0	0	.000	0	11	0	0
Max Kepler	7	3	10, 3/31-4/14	2, 4/28	4/28/19	vs. BAL	0	Bundy	8/26/17	at TOR	2	.200	2	10	0	2	.250	17	68	2	9
Jorge Polanco	8	2	6, 3/30-4/6	5, 4/5	4/24/19	at HOU	0	Verlander			0	.385	5	13	2	5	.344	21	61	3	8
Eddie Rosario	7	9	6, 4/2-4/9	3, 4/20	4/26/19	vs. BAL	0	Cobb	4/20/18	at TB	3	.250	3	12	1	3	.237	19	80	2	15
Jonathan Schoop	7	2	7, 4/18-4/26	3, 4/20	4/20/19	at BAL	0	Davis	9/09/18	vs. SF	3	.375	3	8	0	0	.366	34	93	5	15

**MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS**

Most Runs, Game (Team)	16, 4/20 at BAL (G2)
Most Runs, Inning (Team)	6, 3rd inning, 4/20 at BAL (G2)
Most Hits, Game (Team)	19, 4/20 at BAL (G2)
Most Hits, Inning (Team)	6, 3rd inning, 4/20 at BAL (G2)
Most Strikeouts, Batters (Team)	12, 4/28 vs. BAL
Longest Hitting Streak (Individual)	10, Kepler, 3/31-4/15
Consecutive Hits (Individual)	5, Polanco, 4/5
Consecutive Hitless At-Bats (Individual)	19, Gonzalez, 4/20 G2-4/27
Consecutive Scoreless Innings (Batters)	9, 4/7-9 at PHI & NYM
Most Runs Allowed (Team)	10, 2x, last 4/23 at HOU
Most Runs Allowed, Inning (Team)	6, 5th inning, 4/10 at NYM
Most Hits Allowed (Team)	13, 4/20 at BAL
Most Hits Allowed, Inning (Team)	5, 2x, 4th inning, 4/18 vs. TOR
Pitchers Used (Team)	7, 4/9 at NYM
Cons. Batters Retired (Team)	12, 3/28 vs. CLE
Scoreless Innings Streak (Team/Pitchers)	12, 3/28-30
Most Runs, Starter	6, 2x, Pineda, 4/18 vs. TOR
Most Home Runs, Starter	3, Berríos, 4/20 at BAL
Most Walks, Starter	4, Odorizzi, 4/10 at NYM
Most Strikeouts, Starter	11, Odorizzi, 3/30 vs. CLE
Most Strikeouts, Pitchers (Team)	14, 4/27 vs. BAL
Most Walks, Pitchers (Team)	10, 4/10 at NYM
Most Cons. Scoreless Innings (Individual)	7.2, Berríos, 3/28 vs. CLE
Most Cons. Batters Retired (Individual)	12, Berríos, 3/28 vs. CLE
Longest Game, Innings	10, 4/2 at KC
Longest Game, Time (9 Inn.)	4:08, 4/9 at NYM
Longest Game, Time (X Inn.)	3:32, 4/2 at KC
Fastest Game, Time	2:18, 3/28 vs. CLE
Largest Margin, Victory	9, 4/20 at BAL
Largest Margin, Loss	6, 3x, last 4/24 at HOU
Largest Home Attendance	39,519
Home Sellouts	1, 3/28 vs. CLE
Different Lineups Used	19

**SCORE BY INNING**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	XTRA	TOTAL
<b>OPPONENT</b>	9	4	13	15	16	14	15	21	6	0	113
<b>TWINS</b>	19	11	30	16	12	14	6	19	12	1	140

**INJURED LIST**

PLAYER	INJURY	DATE ON	RETRO	DATE OFF	GAMES MISSED
Matt Magill	Right Shoulder Tendinitis	3/27		4/26	22
Gabriel Moya	Left Shoulder Tendinitis	3/27		4/24	21
Addison Reed	Left Thumb Sprain	3/27			25
Miguel Sanó	Right Heal Laceration	3/27			25
Willians Astudillo	Left Hamstring Strain	4/28			1

**BOLD** indicates currently on IL \*60-day IL

**REHAB UPDATE:** Miguel Sanó is expected to play for Single-A Ft. Myers tomorrow, Wednesday and Thursday.

**EJECTIONS**

DATE	PLAYER/MGR/CH	UMPIRE	REASON	CAREER
4/15	Rocco Baldelli	Mike Estabrook	Arguing Possible HBP	First

**STARTS BY POSITION**

	C	1B	2B	SS	3B	LF	CF	RF	DH
Ehire Adrianza	0	0	3	2	2	0	0	0	0
Willians Astudillo	4	3	0	0	3	0	0	2	0
Tyler Austin	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	0	0
Jason Castro	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jake Cave	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	6	0
C.J. Cron	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nelson Cruz	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Mitch Garver	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marwin Gonzalez	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0
Max Kepler	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	17	0
Jorge Polanco	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	0
Eddie Rosario	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	1
Jonathan Schoop	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	0

**STARTS BY BATTING ORDER**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ehire Adrianza	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	0
Willians Astudillo	0	2	2	1	2	1	3	1	0
Tyler Austin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	17
Jason Castro	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	2
Jake Cave	0	0	0	0	1	6	1	0	0
C.J. Cron	0	1	0	2	18	0	0	0	0
Nelson Cruz	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mitch Garver	3	0	0	0	1	1	4	1	0
Marwin Gonzalez	0	2	0	1	2	15	0	0	0
Max Kepler	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Jorge Polanco	2	20	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eddie Rosario	0	0	3	21	0	0	0	0	0
Jonathan Schoop	0	0	0	0	1	1	14	6	0

**MOST USED LINEUP (SX)**

Player	Pos.
Kepler	RF
Polanco	SS
Cruz	DH
Rosario	LF
Cron	1B
Gonzalez	3B
Schoop	2B
Castro	C
Buxton	CF

**OUTFIELD ASSISTS**

Eddie Rosario	4
Byron Buxton	2
Jake Cave	1
Total	7

**LAST TIME IT HAPPENED**
**FOR THE TWINS**
**HITTING:**

**Hit for the Cycle:** Polanco, 4/5/19 at PHI (11 all-time)  
**Grand Slam:** Mauer, 9/11/18 vs. NYY (6 as a team in 2018)  
**Inside-the-Park Home Run:** Buxton, 8/18/17 vs. ARI (2 as a team in 2017, 54 all-time)  
**Pinch-Hit Home Run:** Rosario, 4/6/19 at PHI (1 as a team in 2019)  
**Pinch-Hit Grand Slam:** M. LeCroy, 9th inning, 5/19/04 at TOR (15 all-time)  
**Five-Hit Game:** Polanco, 4/5/19 at PHI (1 in 2019)  
**Six-Hit Game:** Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)  
**Two Hits, One Inning:** Field, 2nd inning, 9/29/18 vs. CWS (2 as a team in 2018)  
**Two Home Runs, One Inning:** Cuddyer, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time)  
**Two-Home Run Game:** Kepler, 4/27/19 vs. BAL (9 as a team in 2019)  
**Three-Home Run Game:** Rosario, 6/3/18 vs. CLE (9 all-time)  
**Back-to-Back Home Runs:** Castro/Kepler, 4/27/19 vs. BAL (5 as a team in 2019)  
**Three Consecutive Home Runs:** Cruz/Rosario/Cron, 4/26/19 vs. BAL (1 in 2019)  
**Three Home Runs, One Inning:** Gonzalez/Castro/Kepler (8th), 4/27/19 vs. BAL (2 in 2019)  
**Four Home Runs, One Inning:** Mack/Puckett/Hrbek/Bush, 5/2/92 at NYY  
**Walk-Off Home Run:** Astudillo, 9/9/18 vs. KC (4 as a team in 2018)  
**Leadoff Home Run:** Kepler, 4/28/19 vs. BAL (2 as a team in 2019)  
**Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game:** Núñez/Dozier, 5/25/16 vs. KC  
**Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run:** Last actual pitcher Jim Kaat, 6/11/72 at CLE; Chris Gimenez catcher pitching in relief, 9/3/18 at TEX

**PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):**

**No-Hitter:** Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS (6 all-time)  
**One-Hitter:** E. Santana, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time)  
**Two-Hitter:** E. Santana, 5/24/17 at BAL (43 all-time)  
**10+ Innings Pitched:** Radke (10.0 innings), 9/21/97 vs. MIL  
**10+ Strikeouts:** 12, Berríos, 6/24 vs. TEX (2 as a team in 2018)  
**Complete Game Shutout:** Berríos, 4/1/18 at BAL (1 as a team in 2018)  
**Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories:** Mays/Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR vs. MIL  
**Back-to-Back Shutouts:** 6/2/13 vs. SEA - 6/4/13 at KC (2 games, 10-0 and 3-0)  
**Four Strikeouts in an Inning:** Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning)

**MISCELLANEOUS:**

**Triple Play:** Sanó/Dozier/Mauer, 6/1/17 at LAA (J. Marte hitting)  
**Position Player Pitching:** Gimenez, 9/2/18 at TEX (4 as a team in 2018)  
**Three or more Steals, One Game:** Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017)  
**Steal of Home:** Thomas, 8/2/13 vs. HOU  
**Pure Steal of Home:** Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE  
**Home Run in First ML At-Bat:** Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)

**AGAINST THE TWINS**
**HITTING:**

**Hit for the Cycle:** Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time)  
**Grand Slam:** Perez, 9/14/18 at KC (4 allowed as team in 2018)  
**Inside-the-Park Home Run:** A. Mondesi, 4/2/19 at KC (44 allowed all-time)  
**Pinch-Hit Home Run:** V. Martinez, 9/22/16 vs. DET  
**Pinch-Hit Grand Slam:** J. Sands, 8/8/15 at CLE  
**Five-Hit Game:** D. Pedroia, 7/21/16 at BOS  
**Six-Hit Game:** J. Segura, 5/28/13 at MIL (3 allowed all-time)  
**Two Hits, One Inning:** Profar, 6th inning, 9/2/18 at TEX (3 allowed in 2018)  
**Two Home Runs, One Inning:** Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL  
**Two-Home Run Game:** Alonso, 4/9/19 at NYM (1 allowed in 2019)  
**Three-Home Run Game:** J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR  
**Back-to-Back Home Runs:** Perez/Bonifacio, 9/13/18 at KC (4 allowed in 2018)  
**Three Consecutive Home Runs:** Jones/Castilla/Franco, 6/11/02 vs. ATL  
**Three Home Runs, One Inning:** Martinez/Infante/Jackson, 9/24/13 vs. DET  
**Four Home Runs, One Inning:** Everett/O'Leary/Varitek/Burkhart, 7/3/00 vs. BOS  
**Walk-off Home Run:** K. Davis, 9/21/18 at OAK (10 allowed in 2018)  
**Leadoff Home Run:** Lindor, 6/16/18 at CLE (1 allowed in 2018)  
**Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game:** S. Smith/M. Machado, 7/7/17 vs. BAL (1 in '17)  
**Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run:** Jon Lester, 7/1/18 at CHC

**PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):**

**No-Hitter:** Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time)  
**One-Hitter:** Kluber, 8/14/15 vs. CLE (23 all-time)  
**Two-Hitter:** Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time)  
**10+ Innings Pitched:** Fernández (10.0 innings), 10/1/95 at CHC  
**10+ Strikeouts:** 11, Carrasco 8/28/18 at CLE (3 times in 2018)  
**Complete Game Shutout:** Arrieta, 6/21/15 vs. CHC (2 times in 2015)  
**Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories:** Williams/Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA  
**Back-to-Back Shutouts:** 4/6/15 - 4/8/2015 vs. DET (2 games, 0-4 and 0-11)  
**Four Strikeouts in an Inning:** F. Hernández, 6/30/10 vs. SEA (8th inning)

**MISCELLANEOUS:**

**Triple Play:** Donaldson/Rosales/Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK (Plouffe hitting)  
**Position Player Pitching:** C. Davis, 4/20/19 at BAL (1 in 2019)  
**Three or more Steals, One Game:** Merrifield (3), 7/2/17 at KC (1 in 2017)  
**Steal of Home:** R. Davis, 8/1/18 vs. CLE  
**Pure Steal of Home:** S. Green, 5/26/00 vs. TEX  
**Home Run in First ML At-Bat:** C. Richard, 7/17/00 vs. STL

**2019 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS**

DATE	DELAYED/PPD	NOTES
4/12 vs. DET	POSTPONED	Game called on previous day's afternoon due to blizzard like conditions/sleet/rain. Game scheduled to be made up as part of split DH on May 11.
4/17 vs. TOR	DELAYED	Game delayed 54 minutes due to rain showers all day, first pitch was scheduled for 6:40 p.m. start. First pitch was 7:34 p.m.
2010: 1 PPD / 1 DEL	2014: 3 PPD / 6 DEL	2018: 4 PPD / 5 DEL
2011: 3 PPD / 3 DEL	2015: 1 PPD / 3 DEL	2019: 1 PPD / 2 DEL
2012: 1 PPD / 4 DEL	2016: 3 PPD / 11 DEL	
2013: 3 PPD / 4 DEL	2017: 4 PPD / 7 DEL	

\*\* Target Field has experienced 46 delayed games, 24 postponed games, 1 suspended game and 1 rain shortened game in the park's history (since 2010). Longest delay: 4:50. \*\*



Table with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Rows include MARCH/APRIL (16-9) and MAY (0-0).

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Table with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Rows include JULY (0-0) and AUGUST (0-0).

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All game times are listed as Central
\* - Denotes Sellout (1 in 2019) ^ - Denotes Extra-Innings (Twins are 1-0 in extra-innings)
# - PPD game from 4/12 vs. DET ## - PPD game from 4/19 at BAL

Legend for HOME GAMES (blue box) and ROAD GAMES (white box).

Table titled '2019 WALK-OFF VICTORIES [0]' with columns: DATE, SCORE, NOTES.

Section titled '2019 PLAYERS ON ROSTER [29 + 3 IL]' listing Pitchers (16 + 1 IL) and Position Players (13 + 2 IL) with their names and positions.