## MINNESDTA TWINS [60-38] vs. NEW YORK YANKEES [64-34]

LHP Martín Pérez (8-3, 4.10) vs. LHP CC Sabathia (5-4, 4.06)
GAME 99
HOME GAME 50

| UPCOMNG PROBABLE PITCHERS \& BROADCAST SCHEDULE |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Date | Opponent | Probable Pitchers | Time | Television | Radio / Spanish Radio |
| 7/23 | vs. New York-AL | RHP Kyle Gibson (9-4, 4.02) vs. RHP Domingo Germán (12-2, 3.38) | 7:10 pm (CT) | Fox Sports North | TIBN-WCCO / twinsbeisbol.com |
| 7/24 | vs. New York-AL | RHP Jake Odorizzi (11-4, 3.06) vs. LHP J.A. Happ (8-5, 4.86) | 7:10 pm (CT) | Fox Sports North / | ESPN TIBN-WCCO / None |
| 7/25 | at Chicago-AL | RHP José Berríos ( $8-5,2.96$ ) vs. RHP Lucas Giolito (11-4, 3.12) | 7:10 pm (CT) | Fox Sports North | TIBN-WCCO / None |
| 7/26 | at Chicago-AL | RHP Michael Pineda ( $6-5,4.41$ ) vs. RHP Dylan Cease (1-2, 6.19) | 7:10 pm (CT) | Fox Sports North | TIBN-WCCO / None |
| 7/27 | at Chicago-AL | LHP Martín Pérez (8-3, 4.10) vs. RHP Iván Nova (4-9, 5.86) | 6:10 pm (CT) | Fox Sports North | TIBN-WCCO / None |
| 7/28 | at Chicago-AL | RHP Kyle Gibson (9-4, 4.02) vs. RHP Dylan Covey (1-5, 5.83) | 1:10 pm (CT) | Fox Sports North | TIBN-WCCO / twinsbeisbol.com |


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| Record: |
| Home Record:...........................30-19 |
| Road Record:...........................30-19 |
| Record in series:.......................18-9-5 |
| Series Openers:..........................20-12 |
| Series Finales:..........................16-16 |
| Rubber Games:............................4-6 |
| Sweeps/Swept: ............................7/1 |
| March/April:..............................17-10 |
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| June: ......................................15-12 |
| July:.........................................7-8 |
| August: |
| September/October |
| Day Games:.... |
| Night Games: ..........................37-22 |
| vs. American League East:.............17-9 |
| vs. American League Central:.......21-12 |
| vs. American League West:...........19-11 |
| vs. National League:.......................3-6 |
| Games vs. LL Starter:...................12-11 |
| Games vs. RH Starter:..................48-27 |
| Twins score first: ......................47-16 |
| Opponent scores first:................. 13-22 |
| Come-from-behind wins: .................. 21 |
| Leading after 7/8 inn.:............ 49-3/53-1 |
| Trailing after 7/8 inn.: .............6-31/3-33 |
| Tied after 7/8 inn.:.................... 5-4/4-4 |
| Extra-innings:.............................4-3 |
| 1-run games:..............................15-9 |
| Twins out-hit opp.:.......................49-8 |
| Opp. out-hit Twins: .........................8-27 |
| Twins/Opp. have = hits:..................3-3 |
| Run Differential:...........+111 (549-458) |
| Twins get Quality Start: ...............35-11 |
| Twins starter goes 6+ IP:............38-15 |
| Most games over .500:...25, 2x, last 7/14 |
| Most games under . 500 :....... |
| Longest win-streak: ...............6, 5/20-26 |
| Longest losing-streak:...............3, 7/14-17 |
| When Twins score 4+:................. 55-16 |
| When Twins score 3-:.....................5-22 |
| Twins get 10+ hits:... |
| Days in First Place ........................ 105 |
| Days in Second Place |
| Days in Third Place |
| Days in Fourth Place |
| Days in Fifth Place |
| Walk-Off W/L: .............................. $2 / 0$ |
| Shutouts W/L: ...............................6-2 |
|  |
| Target Field Sellouts ('19/All-Time):... 7/168 |

THE TWINS: The Twins have gone 2-4 through six games on their nine-game homestand, going $0-2$ vs. The Mets and 2-2 vs. the A'...they will continue the homestand tonight with the firs above . 500 ...all those opponents have a combined winning percentage of 507

KEPLER GETS STRAIGHT A'S: The Twins beat the Athletics yesterday afternoon by a score of 7-6, splitting the series at 2-2...Max Kepler recorded his second walk-off hit this season, singling in the bottom of the ninth inning....Michael Pineda was the starter but did not factor 13 hits three from Kepler tuis Arraez and Ehire Adrianza Kepler hit his 24th hense recorded 13 hits, three from Kepler, Luis Arraez and Ehire Adrianza...Kepler hit his 24 th home run and Adrianza fell a home run short of the cycle...the gamed was played in 4:02, the fitth Twins
game this season played in at least four hours...below are the fewest games to 60 wins in game this season played
club history (since 1961):

1969.........................................................60-38 ..........................

TWINS AND YANKEES: The Twins and Yankees are playing the fourth of six games this season...their last series came May 3-5 at Yankee Stadium as the Twins won the second of three games...Twins have gone just 3-10 in their last 13 vs. New York and 7-21 in their last 28...Twins won their last series at Target Field, taking two of three September 10-12, 2018.
$\Phi$ Jonathan Schoop has reached safelly in his last nine games vs. the Yankees, hitting . 351 (13-for-37) with six doubles and a walk during the streak.
玉 Miguel Sanó has 14 career hits vs. the Yankees, two doubles, six home runs, 12 RBI, 11 runs scored and six walks...he has a $.3750 \mathrm{BP}, .694$ SLG and a 1.0690 PS in those 13 career games...his slugging \% is his best vs. any AL team and his OPS is second best (1.078 vs. TEX).
$\Phi$ Twins are looking to beat CC Sabathia for the first time since July 14, 2013 at Yankee Twins are looking to beat CC Sabathia for the first time since July
Stadium... 5 in their last five of his starts (Sabathia 3-0 since).
$\Phi$ Twins have a 654 (17-9) winning percentage against the AL East this season, highest
in club history...6-0 vs. BAL, 1-2 vs. NYY, $4-3$ vs. TOR, $5-2$ vs. TB, $1-2$ vs. BOS.
BOMBA SQUAD VS. BRONX BOMBERS: Side by side comparisons of the Twins and Yankees offense:
TWINS (AL RANK)
$.612,60-38(3 \mathrm{rd})$
$941(2 \mathrm{nd})$
$549(3 \mathrm{rd})$
$182(1 \mathrm{st})$
.271 (2nd)
$.495(1 \mathrm{st})$
$.832(1 \mathrm{st})$
$.362(1 \mathrm{st})$
$+111(2 \mathrm{nd})$
OVERALL WIN \%
HITS
RUNS
HOME RUNS
AVERAGE
SLUGGING \%
OPS
WOBA
RUN DIFFERENTIAL

YaNKEES (AL RANK)
$.653,64-34(1 \mathrm{st})$
$885(6 \mathrm{th})$
558 (2nd)
558 (2nd)
165 (3rd)
265 (4th)
$.265(3$ (rd)
$.865(4 t h)$
$.35(4)$
.805 (4th)
.353 (4th)
+138 (1st)

STREAKS

| STREAKS |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Current Streak |  |  | 1 win |
| Last 5 games. |  |  | 2-3 |
| Last 10 games. |  |  | 4-6 |
| Last 15 games. |  |  | 7-8 |
| Last 20 games. |  |  | .9-11 |
| TWINS V5. YANKEES |  |  |  |
| 2019 Record:...................................1-2 |  |  |  |
| Current Streak:................................ 1 loss 2019 at Home: |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| 2019 at New York-AL:......................-2 |  |  |  |
| All-Time Record:........................260-368 |  |  |  |
| All-Time at Home: ........................143-175 |  |  |  |
| All-Time at New York-AL:.............117-193 |  |  |  |
| 2019 Game Logs: |  |  |  |
| Date | Site | Score | Winner/Loser/Save |
| 5/3 | NYY | 3-6 | Holder/Gibson/Chapman |
| 5/4 | NYY | 7-4 | Odorizi/Happ |
|  | NYY | 1-4 | Germán/Pineda/Chapman |
|  |  |  |  |
|  | MIN |  |  |
|  | MIN |  |  |

## CURRENT HDMESTAND [ $2-4]$

## Batting average

Runs Per Game
Home Runs
RISP...
Errors
Team ERA
Starters W-L
Starters ERA
Relievers W-L-S
Relievers ERA
Saves/Opps

DIALING LONG DISTANCE: The Twins 182 home runs are the most in baseball, ahead of Los Angeles-NL (173) and Milwaukee (169). they have homered in 80 of 98 games, going 52-28 in those games... 182 homers already are ninth-most in club history, next being 185 homers in 1962...they need 43 home runs to match their all-time record of 225 , set in 1963...they are on pace to hit 300 home runs which would pass the Major League Baseball record of 267, set by the Yankees last season.
$\Phi$ The Twins enter tonight having recorded at least one extra-base in 52 straight games, dating back to May $20 \ldots$ marks the 14 th longest XBH hit-streak in club history...the club record is 98 straight from June 9-September 29, 2009...for the season, the Twins rank first in baseball in extra-base hits with 400, ahead of Boston (370) and Colorado (370).

ROSTER MOVES: The Twins have recalled left-handed pitcher Lewis Thorpe and have selected the contract of right-handed pitcher Cody Stashak from Triple-A Rochester...Thorpe, 23, made one start for the Twins this season on June 30 at Chicago-AL, allowing two runs on five hits in 5.0 innings pitched with two walks and seven strikeouts...Stashak, 25 , appeared in 12 games ( 2 starts) for the Red Wings this season, going 5-0,1.61 ERA (22.1 IP, 4 ER), four walks, 31 strikeouts and one home run allowed...prior to joining the Red Wings in mid-June, Stashak pitched in 19 games at Double-A Pensacola, going 2-3, 4.76 ERA ( 28.1 IP , 15 ER ), five walks and 40 strikeouts...to make room on the 25-man roster, the Twins have placed first baseman C.J. Cron on the 10-day Injured List with right thumb inflammation
 and have optioned right-handed pitcher Zack Littell to 18 riple-A Rochester...Cron, who previously missed five games in early july with
the same injury, hit. 263 ( 84 -for- 320 ) with 20 doubles, 18 home runs, 55 RBl and an 814 OPS in 83 games this season...in 14 games the same injury, hit . 263 (84-tor- 220 with 20 doubles, 18 home runs, 55 RBI and an 814 ops in 83
for the Twins this season, Littell went 2-0, 4.91 ERA ( $18.1 \mathrm{IP}, 10 \mathrm{ER}$ ), six walks and 17 strikeouts.

BETTER WITH AGE: Nelson Cruz hit his 19th home run on Saturday...one more homer and he will become the 43rd player in baseball history ( 72 nd occurrence) w/ 20 -plus in age 38 -or-greater season (turned 39 July 1)...Twins have had three such seasons: Dave Winfield history (72nd occurrence) w/ 0 -plus in age 38 -or-greater season (turned 39 July 1 ) ...Twins have had three such seasons: Dave Winfield
(21 HR at age 41 in 1993), Jim Thome (25 at 39 in 2010 ) \& Torii Hunter (22 at 39 in 15 )...last in MLB was 2016 (40-year-old David Ortiz (21 HR at age 41 in 1993), Jim Thome ( 25 at 39 in 2010 ) \& Torii H
hit 40 for BOS; 39 -year-old Carlos Beltrán w/ 29 for NYY \& TEX).
If
If her reaches 20 , he'd be the only player to reach 20 -plus in each season since 2009 ( 11 -straight)...he'd become the 72 nd player with 11 different 20-homer seasons...he would become the 34 th player to hit 20 -plus in 11 -plus consecutive seasons.
$\Phi$ Since June 5, Nelson Cruz and Max Kepler are both tied for sixth in the AL in home runs (12)
SANÓ STORMING: Miguel Sanó is hitting. 316 (18-for-57) with four doubles, one triple, five home runs, 11 RBI, 13 runs scored, 11 walks, a 426 on-base percentage and a 1.111 OPS....since June 28 , he has raised his batting average 39 ' points ('. '195 to .234 ) and his on-base percentage 50 points (. 278 to .328 ).
FANS ON TARGET: Twins rank sixth in the AL in total attendance, having drawn 1,296,842 this season, trailing New York (2,174,093), Los Angeles ( $1,868,163$ ), Boston ( $1,766,667$ ), Houston ( $1,730,832$ ) and Texas ( $1,409,726$ )...they now have drawn $30,000+$ in 15 of their last 19 home games...the Twins have sold out 168 regular season games at Target Field since 2010 ...they sold out 81 in 2010, 57 in 2011 eight in 2012, six in 2013, none in 2014, six in 2015, one in 2016, one in 2017, one in 2018, and seven in 2019.

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## MARTÍN PÉREZ

Height: $6-0$ Weight: 200 B/: UL Age: 28 (44/991 in Guanarar, VZ) 2019: 8-3, 4.10 ERA CAREER: 51-52, 4.57 ERA

- He is making his 17 th start and 20th appearance of the season.
- He is making his 145 th career start and 161 st career appearance.


NEW YORK, NEW YORK: In his last start he limited the visiting New York Mets to two runs (one earned) over 6.0 innings...the bullpen surrendered 12 runs over the final three innings to blow the lead.... held the Mets hitless through 2.1 innings before Amed Rosario recorded the first run against Pérez in the third inning with a solo home run...Pérez would yield another run in the fourth as a leadoff error by third baseman Miguel Sanó would come around to score on a Todd Frazier double play....stranded men in scoring position in both the fifth and sixth innings, and left having thrown just 83 pitches, 60 for strikes, a 72.3 strike percentage, his highest of any outing this season.

SWEET, SOFT CONTACT: Pérez has created a lot of weak contact, as referenced by the 84.9 MPH average exit velocity against him this season, second-lowest in baseball to only Kenta Maeda (84.6), with a minimum of 250 batted balls...he also owns an average distance on balls in play of 147 feet, tied for fourth-best in the American League.

QUALITY QUARTET: Pérez has won eight games this season (seven as a starter)...Pérez, Jake Odorizzi (11), Kyle Gibson (9) and José Berríos (8) are the first quartet of Twins to reach eight wins in a season since 2015 (Gibson, Phil Hughes, Trevor May and Tommy Milone)...
if Pérez can strike out one batter today, the five members of the rotation (including Michael Pineda) each will have 90 strikeouts or more through 99 team games, making them the first five-man starting rotation in Twins history to record 90 -plus strikeouts apiece through less than 100 games of any Twins season ever.
OVER THE WALL, A MAN GETS ONLY WHAT HE EARNS: Pérez has surrendered just eight home runs this season in 101.0 innings of work, giving him a 0.71 HR/9 IP rate, which ranks third in all of baseball behind only Washington's Max Scherzer ( $0.63,9$ HR in 129.1 IP) and Atlanta's Mike Soroka ( $0.44,5$ HR in 102.1 IP)....he also ranks tied for 10th in baseball (6th in the AL) with 28 extra-base hits allowed, (min. 15 starts).

THE REPERTOIRE: Below is a breakdown of his pitches in 2019 (Courtesy-Baseball Savant): PITCH NUMBER (vs. RHB-LHB)/AVG MPH

PERCENTAGE

| Cutter. | . 539 pitches (430-109)/88.3 | 32.2 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sinker.................................. 407 pitches (297-110/94.1 ....................................... 24.3 |  |  |
| Changeup............................... 342 pitches (324-18)/85.4. |  |  |
|  |  |  |

Changeup.
342 pitches (324-18)/85.
20.4

Four-Seamer
5 pitches (201-94)/94.
17.6

BOMBAS MEET BOMBERS: Pérez is making his fifth career start against the New York Yankees, first since August 12, 2018 at Yankee Stadium (with Texas)...in that outing, he was dealt the loss after allowing seven runs on 11 hits in just 5.0 innings pitched, and he matched up against tonight's starter CC Sabathia, who threw 6.0 innings of one-run ball with seven strikeouts. - His last win against the Yankees came back on Sept. 8, 2017 in Arlington in what was an 11-5 Rangers win...Pérez allowed five runs (two earned) over 5.2 innings pitched that night. - Tonight will be the third matchup between Pérez and Sabathia, joining the aforementioned game in 2018 as well as April 27, 2016 (Pérez won, 3-2 Texas victory, both starters threw QS). - Sabathia has been pitching in the majors since 2001, and Pérez since 2012...since Pérez's debut, Sabathia has made 198 starts, Pérez has made 144, third-most and eighth-most among AL left-handers.

HOME COOKIN': Pérez is set to make his fourth consecutive start at Target Field, and sixth in his last seven starts....has fared much better at home this season, pitching to a 4-2 record with a 3.49 ERA ( $59.1 \mathrm{IP}, 23 \mathrm{ER}$ ) and an opponents' slash line of . $237 / .295 / .339$ in 10 games ( 9 starts) in Minneapolis, while he owns a 4.97 ERA (41.2 IP, 23 ER) in nine games (7 starts) on the road this year.

TROUBLE WITH MEN ON: Martín has seen a lot of success in 2019 when working out of the wind-up, as he boasts an opponents' batting average of . 197 ( 45 -for-229) with an OPS of .548 when the bases are clear...however, once he allows someone to reach base, Pérez struggles to a .316 average ( 50 -for-158) with an .870 OPS when pitching out of the stretch... with runners in scoring position, the lefty hasn't found much success either, as opponents are hitting . 315 (28-for-89) with nine XBH and 39 RBI with RISP, including . 354 (17-for-48) and 22 RBI with RISP and two outs.
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CG's: -- CG's: 3, last: 4/23/14 at OAK

SHO's:
CG Low Hit:
Innings: $8.0,5 / 1 \mathrm{vs}$. HOU
SO's: 9, 5/6 at TOR
Walks: 4, 3x, last: 5/23 at LAA
Hits: 7, 2 x , last: $7 / 5 \mathrm{vs}$. TEX
Home Runs: 2, $2 x$, last: $5 / 12$ vs. DET
Win-Streak: 5, 3/31-5/6
Loss-Streak: 2, 5/30-6/27

CG's: 3 , last: 4/23/14 at OAK
SHO's: 2 , last: $4 / 23 / 14$ at OAK CG Low-Hit: 3, 2x, last: 4/23/14 at OAK Innings: 9.0, $3 x$, last: 4//23/14 at OAK SO's: 9, 5/6/19 at TOR Walks: $5,3 x$, last: $9 / 28 / 18$ at SEA Hits: $11,8 / 12 / 18$ at NYY Home Runs: $3,4 x$, last: $4 / 29 / 18$ at TOR Win-Streak: 7, 8/9/17-9/8/17 Loss-Streak: 4, 4x, last: 7/19/17-8/4/17

## CAREER NOTES

- Battled through injury in 2018 after breaking his non-throwing arm in the offseason after being
charged by his pet bull.
- According to Inside Edge, opponents had a groundball rate of 67.3 percent (37/55) against

Pérez's changeup in 2018, the highest in Major League Baseball with at least 80.0 IP.

- Made three starts at three different stops on rehab assignment last season, Single-A Hickory, Double-A

Frisco and Triple-A Round Rock, going 2-0, 0.52 ERA (17.1 IP, 1 ER).

- Led the Rangers in wins (13-career high), starts (32) and innings (185.0) in 2017, while setting a career-best in strikeouts (115).
- His career-high 198.2 IP in 2016 were the sixth-most by a Texas pitcher age 25-or-younger and the most since José Guzmán in 1988.
- Went $10-6$ with a 3.62 ERA ( 50 ER in 124.1 IP) in 2013, ranking tied for first among American

League rookies in wins, second in ERA and third in both starts (20) and quality starts (11).

- Was named Rangers Nolan Ryan Minor League Pitcher of the Year after combining to go 6-8,
2.90 ERA ( 37 ER in 114.2 IP) with 119 strikeouts in 27 games ( 19 starts) across two levels.
- Entered 2008 as the youngest player in the Northwest League and was rated by Baseball Ameri-
ca as the second-best prospect in the NWL, fifth-best in the Rangers' organization.

| 2019 MISC. NUMBERS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | W | L | ERA | G/GS | IP | ER |  | AVG | H | AB | HR | BB | SO |
| Home: | 4 | 2 | 3.49 | 10/9 | 59.1 | 23 | Vs. Left: | . 233 | 20 | 86 | 0 | 6 | 21 |
| Road: | 4 | 1 | 4.97 | 9/7 | 41.2 | 23 | Vs. Right: | . 249 | 75 | 301 | 8 | 35 | 68 |
| Day: | 2 | 2 | 4.05 | 6/5 | 33.1 | 15 | TOTALS: | . 245 | 95 | 387 | 8 | 41 | 89 |
| Night: | 6 | 1 | 4.12 | 13/11 | 67.2 | 31 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Grass: | 7 | 2 | 3.94 | 17/14 | 91.1 | 40 | None On: | . 197 | 45 | 229 | 3 | 24 | 51 |
| Turf: | 1 | 1 | 5.59 | $2 / 2$ | 9.2 | 6 | Runners On | n: 316 | 50 | 158 | 5 | 17 | 38 |


| 6.D-PLUS IPIOUALITY STARTS |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| YEAR | STARTS | 6+ IP | QS | YEAR | STARTS | 6+ IP | QS |
| 2012 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 2016 | 33 | 25 | 19 |
| 2013 | 20 | 13 | 11 | 2017 | 32 | 18 | 16 |
| 2014 | 8 | 4 | 3 | 2018 | 15 | 5 | 4 |
| 2015 | 14 | 9 | 9 | 2019 | 16 | 10 | 7 |
|  |  |  |  | TOTALS | 144 | 86 | 71 |

2019 MORE MISCELLANEOUS NUMBER5

| BASE RUNNERS |  |  |  |  |
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| PÉREZ: | $\frac{131}{}$ | 1 | 1 | $6-8$ |

## IO19 RUNSIHITS PER INNING | INNING: | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| RUNS/HITS: $6 / 14$ | $6 / 9$ | $15 / 22$ | $4 / 13$ | $8 / 13$ | $3 / 11$ | $9 / 9$ | $3 / 4$ | -1 |  |

## PÉREZ VG. NEW YORK-AL

2018 vs. New York-AL (1 start): 0-1, 12.60 ERA ( $5.0 \mathrm{IP}, 7 \mathrm{ER}$ ), 0 BB, 2 SO
2018 vs. New York-AL at Home:
2018 vs. New York-AL on Road (1 start): $0-1,12.60$ ERA ( $5.0 \mathrm{IP}, 7$ ER), 0 BB, 2 SO
Career vs. New York-AL (4 starts): 2-2, 9.68 ERA (17.2 IP, 19 ER), 3 BB, 10 SO
Career vs. New York-AL at Home (3 starts): 2-1, 8.53 ERA (12.2 IP, 12 ER), 3 BB, 8 SO
Career vs. New York-AL on Road (1 start): 0-1, 12.60 ERA ( $5.0 \mathrm{IP}, 7 \mathrm{FR}$ ), $0 \mathrm{BB}, 2 \mathrm{SO}$

| BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UP5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Pérez vs. the Yankees |  |  |  |  |  |  | Sabathia vs. the Twins |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR | BB | SO | PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR | BB | SO |
| Encarnación | . 273 | 11 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 2 | Schoop | . 250 | 32 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 5 |
| Gardner | . 200 | 10 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 | Cruz | . 233 | 30 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 11 |
| Gregorius | . 333 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 1 | Sanó | . 250 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| LeMahieu | . 286 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | Kepler | . 286 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Hicks | . 667 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Gonzalez | . 500 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Judge | . 333 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Castro | . 200 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Torres | . 000 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Rosario | . 000 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Voit | . 333 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Polanco | . 667 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Romine | 1.000 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Adrianza | . 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Sánchez | 1.000 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | Garver | . 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

## TWINS STARTERG IN 2019



## TOMORROW'S STARTER - KYLE GIBSON RHP [SEASON: 9-4, ५.O2 ERA ; [AREER: 63-65, प.42 ERA]

Gibson will take the mound tomorrow night against the Yankees...Gibby is coming off his ninth win of the year on Thursday as he pitched 7.0 innings of three-run ball in a 6 - 3 win over the Oakland A's....is 1-6 against the Yankees with a 6.50 ERA (45.2 IP, 33 ER), with his only win coming on July 14,2013 at Yankee Stadium, and he hasn't won a start against them in seven outings...faced them in New York on May 3, allowing five runs (two earned) on seven hits and two walks over 5.0 innings of work (Twins lost $6-3$ )...is $5-2$ with a 3.86 ERA (46.2 IP, 20 ER ) against the AL East this season, but 2-1 with a $5.47 \mathrm{ERA}(24.2 \mathrm{IP}, 15 \mathrm{ER}$ ) in five home starts vs. the AL East.

TEAM BULLPEN NDTEG
Twins 'pen is 18 -14-28 with a 4.36 ERA ( 330.0 IP, 160 ER) with 47 holds, 126 walks \& 347 strikeouts this season ( 98 games)....llowing a .255 opp. batting avg. (327-for-1284),
क In three games vs. NYY, Twins 'pen has a 4.50 ERA ( $8.0 \mathrm{IP}, 4 \mathrm{ER}$ ) with three walks \& eight strikeouts....allowing a .214 opp. batting avg. ( 6 -for-28), Twins are $1-2$ in those three games this season $\Phi$ In three games vs. NYY, Twins 'pen has a 4.50 ERA (8.0) P, 4 ER) with three walks \& eight strikeouts... allowing a. 214 opp. batting avg. (6-For-28), Twins are $1-2$ in those three games this seal
$\Phi$ Have allowed 17 earned runs in 31.0 innings since the All-Star break ( 4.94 ERA)...last year, Twins relievers pitched to a $4.15 \mathrm{ERA}(273.1 \mathrm{IP}, 126 \mathrm{ER}$ ) and a 242 BAA in the second half. $\Phi$ Have allowed 17 earned runs in 31.0 innings since the All-Star break (4.94 ERA)...last year, Twins relievers pitched to a $4.15 \mathrm{ERA}(273.1 \mathrm{IP}, 126 \mathrm{ER}$ ) and a 2.242 BAA in the second half.
$\Phi$ Twins 'pen has gone $2-3-3$ with a $2.70 \mathrm{ERA}(56.2 \mathrm{IP}, 17 \mathrm{ER}$ ) with eight holds, 17 walks \& 59 strikeouts in 13 games vs. AL East teams at home this season vs. $1-0-4$ with a $5.59 \mathrm{ERA}(38.2 \mathrm{IP}$,
Twins 'pen has gone $2-3-3$ with a 2.70 ERA ( 56.2 IP, 17 ER) with eight holds, 17 walks \& 59 strikeouts in 13
24 ER) with seven holds, 10 walks \& 36 strikeouts in 13 games vs. AL East teams on the road this season.
$\Phi$ Twins 'pen is T-2nd with fewest innings as a unit ( 330.0 IP) in the American League...also ranks 6 th in MLB in save percentage ( $73.7 \%, 28$-for- 38 ).
$\Phi$ Most saves of more than three outs among Twins relievers since 2000: Taylor Rogers, 2019 (8), Bob Wells, 2000 (3), Brandon Kintzler, 2017 (3), Brandon Kintzler, 2016 (3), Glen Perkins, 2015 Most saves of more than three outs among Twins relievers since 2000: Taylor Roges
(3), Joe Nathan, 2007 (3), Eddie Guardado, 2001 (3) \& LaTroy Hawkins, 2000 (3).

## TYLER DUFFEY - RHP <br> Height: 6-3 Weight: 222 B/T: R/R <br> Wraight: 222 B/R Age: 28 (12/27/90 in Houston, TX) Drafted: 5th round, 2012 Draft

क Career 1-0 with one save \& a 5.40 ERA (15.0 IP, 9 ER) with one walk \& 15 strikeouts, ( 0.93 WHIP) in seven games vs. NYY.
$\Phi$ Is 1-1 with three holds \& a 3.69 ERA ( 31.2 IP, 13 ER) with seven walks \& 38 strikeouts over 29 relief appearances this season. $\Phi$ Career 19-19-1 with a 5.28 ERA ( 318.2 IP, 187 ER) with 81 walks \& 291 strikeouts over 140 games ( 37 starts), all with the Twins. क 0-1 with a 3.60 ERA ( 15.0 IP, 6 ER) with fivr BB \& 24 K at home vs. 1-0 with a 3.78 ERA (16.2 IP, 7 ER) with two BB \& 14 K on the road in ' 19 $\Phi$ Relies on five pitches: four seamer ( $51.8 \%$ ), slider ( $34.0 \%$ ), curve ( $10.9 \%$ ), sinker ( $2.6 \%$ ) \& changeup ( $0.7 \%$ ).
$\Phi$ Recalled from Triple-A Rochester May 13 for third time this season (also $5 / 11$ as 26 th man for doubleheader vs. DET) and 4/16-23.

## RYNE HARPER - RHP

Height: 6-3 Weight: $215 \quad B / T:$ R/R Age: 30 ( $3 / 27 / 89$ in Nashville, TN) Acquired: Signed as minor league free agent, 1/31/18 Homestand: 0-1-0, 10.80 ( 1.2 IP, 2 ER), $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs 0AK: $0-1-0,10.80$ ( 1.2 IP, 2ER), $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs. Left 233 vs. Right 228玉 Among Twins relievers, is 3rd in strikeouts (41), 4th in holds (8), \& 2nd in innings pitched (40.1 IP) this season.
$\boldsymbol{\Phi}$ Has neved faced the New York Yankees...3.29 ERA (13.2 IP, 5 ER) with two walks \& 13 strikeouts against AL East teams this season. $\boldsymbol{T}$ Is 3-2-1 with a 3.12 ERA (40.1 IP, 14 ER), eight walks and 41 strikeouts over 43 games (team leader)...his 3.12 ERA ranks as the second-bes this season among Twins relievers (behind Rogers with 1.97 ERA).
\$ 2.92 pre-ASG ERA...became the fifth Twins rookie to post a sub-3.00 ERA before the All-Star break (min. 30 games), joining José Mijares (1.88 in 2009), Doug Corbett (2.15 in 1980), Jesse Crain (2.43 in 2005) and Len Whitehouse (2.55 in 1983).


## TAYLOR ROGERS - LHP

Height: 6-3 Weight: 170
B/: L/L
Age: 28 (12/17/90 in Denver, C0)
Drafted: 11th round, 2012 Draft
\#55 Homestand: 0-1-1, 6.00 (3.0 IP, 2 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series vs 0AK: 0-1-1, 6.00 ( 3.0 IP, 2ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left 229 vs. Right 220
क Career 1-0 with one hold \& a 0.71 ERA (12.2 IP, ER) with five walks \& nine strikeouts vs. NYY...took just his second loss of 2019 on $7 / 20$ as he blew the save opportunity, allowing two runs on two hits in the ninth inning...first loss since May 27 vs. Milwaukee.
Earned his 14th save with 2.0 innings of two-hit ball Thursday night...now with six saves of 2.0 innings or more...becoming the first Minnesota reliever with five-or-more such saves in a single season since Rick Aguilera saved six 2.0+ IP games in 1990.
$\Phi$ Leads Twins in saves, going 14-for-18...has converted 10 of last 12 save opps... 14 saves ranks T-8th in the AL. $\Phi$ Among Twins relievers - ranks T-3rd in wins (2), 3rd in games (37), 1st in innings pitched (45.2 IP) \& 1st in strikeouts (57) this season.
\$ Is $0-2$ with six saves, eight holds and a 1.96 ERA ( $23.0 \mathrm{IP}, 5 \mathrm{ER}$ ) with three walks \& 31 strikeouts at home vs. 2-0 with eight saves, one hold and a 1.99 ERA (22.2 IP, 5 ER) with four walks \& 26 strikeouts on the road this season.

## CDIV STIEANK - RTP

\# 61
Height: 6-2 Weight: 169 B/T: R/R Age: 25 (6/4/1994 in Somers Point, NJ) Drafted: 13th Round, 2015 Draft
Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 ( 0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series vs OAK: 0-0-0, 0.00 ( 0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left . 000 vs. Right. 000
$\boldsymbol{F}$ Had contract selected from Triple-A Rochester today and is looking to make his ML debut tonight against the New York Yankees.
क Has appeared in 12 games (2 starts) for the Red Wings this season, going 5-0 with a 1.61 ERA (22.1 IP, 4 ER), four walks, 31 strikeouts and F Has appeared in 12 games (2 starts) for the Red IIngs this season, going $5-0$ with a 1.61 ERA (22.1 IP, 4 ER), four walks,
one home run allowed...posted a 1.17 ERA ( 15.1 IP, 2 ER) with . 175 BAA, 4 BB \& 20 K's in final 9 games for Red Wings.
one home run allowed....posted a 1.17 ERA (15.1 IP, 2 ER) with . 175 BAA, 4 BB \& 20 K's in final 9 games for Red Wings.
क Prior to joining the Red Wings in mid-June, he pitched in 19 games at Double-A Pensacola, going 2-3, 4.76 ERA ( 28.1 IP, 15 ER), 5 BB \& 40 K's.
$\Phi$ Prior to joining the Red Wings in mid-June, he pitched in 19 games at Double-A Pensacola, going 2-3, 4.76 ERA (28)

## KOHL STEWART - RHP

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Homestand: 1-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), $2 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series vs OAK: 1-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), $2 \mathrm{~K}, 1 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ vs. Left. $190 \quad$ vs. Right 261
ד Only one career game vs. NYY, as a reliever on September 11 of last year...earned the win after 3.1 innings of three-run ball in a 10-5 win. क Recalled last Thursday for the fifth time this season...is 2-1 with an 3.93 ERA (18.1 IP, 8ER) with six walks \& six strikeouts in five games T In three games at Target Field this season, is 2-0 (one start) a 3.24 ERA (8.1 IP, 3 ER ) with three walks \& four strikeouts.
क Has appeared in three games as a reliever this season, ( $6.1 \mathrm{IP}, 2 \mathrm{H}, 3 \mathrm{SO}$ ).
$\Phi$ In 14 games ( 13 starts) with Rochester this season, has gone $5-5$ with a 6.28 ERA ( 61.2 IP, 43 ER) with 33 walks \& 58 strikeouts.
$\Phi$ Relies on five pitches: sinker (50.6\%), slider (29.9\%), curve ( $10.3 \%$ ), four seamer ( $7.4 \%$ ) \& changeup ( $1.8 \%$ ) this season.
LEWIS THDRPE - LHP
Height: $6-1$ Weight: $218 \quad$ B/: $:$ RL Age: 23 (11/23//55 in Melbourne, AU) Acquired: Signeld as minor leaglue free ageant, 7/1212
Homestand: $0-0-0,0,00(0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ Series vs. $0 \mathrm{AA}: 0-0-0,0,0.00$ ( $0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{OER}$ ), $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs. Left. 000 vs. Right. 333
$\Phi$ Recalled from Triple-A Rochester today for the second time this season...made one start for the Twins this season on June 30 at Chicago-AL, allowing two runs on five hits in 5.0 innings pitched with two walks and seven strikeouts....has never faced the Yankees.
$\Phi$ Has appeared in 17 games ( 16 starts) this season for the Red Wings, going $5-4$ with a 5.02 ERA ( 84.1 IP, 47 ER), 25 walks and 102 strikeouts. \$ Seven previous Australians have played for the Twins: James Beresford (2016), Liam Hendriks (2013), Luke Hughes (2012), Justin Huber 2009), Glenn Williams (2005), Grant Balfour (2004) and Brad Thomas (2004).

क 2018 Jim Rantz Award winner as Twins minor league Pitcher of the Year was recalled from Triple-A Rochester, marking his first time on the 25-man roster...originally signed in July of 2012 as 16 -year-old out of Melbourne, Australia.

* Name Twins minor league pitcher in 2018 after going 8-7 with a 3.54 ERA (129.2 IP, 51 ER) and 157 strikeouts in a combined 26 games (25 starts) between Double-A Charlotte and Rochester.

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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | TEAM BULLPEN USAGE |  |  |
| Player name | 1st Batter Avg | BB/9 | K/9 | Saves/0pps | Holds | IRS\% | WHIP | HR | Last game | 2 games ago | 3 games ago |
| Tyler Duffey | . 214 | 1.99 | 10.80 | 0/0 | 3 | 0.0\% (0/7) | 1.20 | 7 | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.2 IP (14) | 1.0 IP (12) |
| Ryne Harper | . 268 | 1.79 | 9.15 | 1/2 | 10 | 43.3\% (13/30) | 1.07 | 5 | 0.2 IP (14) | 0.0 IP (0) | 1.0 IP (29) |
| Trevor May | . 156 | 4.82 | 10.61 | 1/3 | 8 | 6.7\% (1/15) | 1.37 | 4 | 1.2 IP (49) | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Blake Parker | . 226 | 3.75 | 8.25 | 10/11 | 9 | 11.1\% (1/9) | 1.28 | 7 | 0.0 IP (0) | 1.0 IP (12) | 1.0 IP (12) |
| Taylor Rogers | . 176 | 1.38 | 11.23 | 14/18 | 6 | 33.3\% (4/12) | 0.99 | 4 | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | 1.0 IP (15) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Cody Stashak | . 000 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0/0 | 0 | 0.0\% (0/0) | 0.00 | 0 | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Kohl Stewart | . 000 | 2.95 | 2.95 | 0/0 | 0 | 0.0 \% (0/0) | 1.20 | 3 | 1.0 IP (18) | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.0 IP (0) |
| Lewis Thorpe | . 000 | 3.60 | 12.60 | 0/0 | 0 | 0.0 \% (0/0) | 1.40 | 1 | $0.0 \mathrm{IP}(0)$ | 0.0 IP (0) | 0.0 IP (0) |

## EHIRE ADRIANZA - TNF

## Height: 6-1

 2019 Average: . 288 Weight: $195 \quad \mathrm{~B} / \mathrm{T}: \mathrm{S} / \mathrm{R} \quad$ Age: 29 (8/21/89 in Guarenas, VZ)Homestand: $\quad 3-8,3 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{RBI}$ Streak: $1 \mathrm{~g}, 3-5,3 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{RBI}$ Series vs OAK: $3-8,3 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{RBI}$
Home Runs:
4 (3 1 -run, 13 -run)
Career . 226 (7-for-31) w/ 3 R, 2 2B, HR \& 2 RBI in 12 games vs. NYY.
Since May 11 is slashing $.381 / .465 / .571$ w/ 8 XBH \& 15 RBI in 33 games... $3-f o r-5$ with 2B and 9th-inning, game-tying 3B yesterday vs. OAK (off Hendricks).
Is hitting . 276 (27-for-98) vs. RHP and . 324 (11-for-34) vs. LHP this season
Hitting .367 (18-for-49) at home ( 24 games) vs. . 241 (20-for-83) on the road ( 29 games). In 53 G in field ( 36 starts) - at 3 B ( 18 games), SS (17), 2B (7), 1B (7), LF (1), RF (2) \& P (1)
Career games played: 156 at SS, 73 at 2B, 66 at $3 B, 23$ in LF, 22 at $1 \mathrm{~B}, 2$ in RF and 1 as $P$.
LUIS ARRAEZ - INF
Height: 5-10 Weight: 177 B/T: L/R Age: 22 (4/9/97 in San Felipe, VZ) \# 2019 Average: 381 $\qquad$ Series vs OAK: $5-13,2 \mathrm{~B}$

Has gone 43-for-113 (.381) to begin career, matching Hall-of-Famer Rod Carew in 1967 for the 3rd-most hits by a Twin in their 1st 35 ML games (HOFer Kirby Puckett had 48 in 1984 \& Kennys Vargas had 45 in 2014).
Has reached base safely in 30 of 35 ML games (hit in 27; 2 games didn't have PA), w/ 18 R, 14 BB ( 8 SO), 7 2B, 2 HR, 7 RBI, .496 SLG \& .945 OPS.
Had career-high 12-game hitting streak snapped Sat. vs. OAK...went 3-for-5 yesterday vs. A's, his 10th multi-hit effort (5th w/ 3+ hits).

- Splits: . 360 (18-for-50) home/. 397 (25-for-63) road; . 367 (11-for-30) vs. LHP/. 386 (32-for-83) vs. RHP; . 353 ( 6 -for-17) w/RISP.
Has already made starts at four different positions: 2B (12), 3B (7), SS (2) and LF (6).
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Career . 213 (49-for-207) w/ 8 R, 3 RBI, 313 SLG \& . 585 OPS in 24 games vs. NYY. Is T-8th among AL catchers w/ 10 HR at position...also T-8th in 2B (8) and 12th in RBI (23) Has 747 career games as a catcher ( 708 starts) - total of 6217.1 innings behind home plate. has played a total of 795 games (any position), 5 shy of 800 in his career.
Hitting . 222 ( 16 -for-72) w/ .7820 PS at home vs. . 286 (22-for-77) w/ . 907 OPS on the road. Has started 46 games at catcher this season - 388.0 innings total (. 997 fielding percentage).
Is 10 -for-24 (.417) w/ 2 2B, 2 HR \& 1.214 OPS in last 8, after a 2 -for- 30 stretch (6/13-28).


Hit safely in all 3 career games vs. NYY ( $4-$ for- 12 w/ 2B \& 2 RBI), all last Sept. at Target Field. Has played in 34 ML games this season ( 22 starts)... 31 games in field: 23 in RF, 6 in LF \& 5 in CF. Went 2 -for-3 w/ a double, HR \& three RBI on 7/13 at CLE, first multi-RBI game since 9/29/2018 vs. Chicago-AL....marked his 6th career game with multiple extra-base hits (last 9/1/18). Recalled $7 / 7$ for 3 rd time this season from Triple-A Rochester...is 16 -for- 81 over his first three stints with the Twins, but batted .353 (12-for-34) with 5 runs and 7 RBI for ROC since June 29.

## NELSON CRUZ - DH

Height: 6-2 Weight: 230 B/T: R/R Age: 39 (7/1/80 in Las Matas de Santa Cruz, DR) $\begin{array}{ll}2019 \text { Average: }: 270 \\ \text { Homestand: } & 5-23,2 \mathrm{HR}\end{array}$ Streak: 5g, 5-19, 2 Series vs OAK: 4-15, HR

Homered in back-to-back games at Yankee Stadium May 3 \& 4 (off Britton/Barrett)...career .228 (72-for-316) w/ 41 R, 16 2B, 16 HR, 36 RBI \& .752 OPS in 88 games vs. NYY. Career 379 HR ( 105 vs. LHP \& 274 vs. RHP) over parts of 15 MLB seasons...now tied with Tony Perez \& Orlando Cepeda for 72nd in MLB history....next is Albert Belle (381 HR).
Ranks 2nd in majors w/ 94.1 MPH avg. exit velocity (trailing only NYY's Aaron Judge at 98.1 MPH)...ranks 5 th w/ $53.0 \%$ of his batted balls being hard hit ( 95 MPH+).
Among Twins - Ranks 3rd in HR (19), 4th in RBI (49), 2nd in walks (34) \& 3rd in OPS (.907). With next HR, would become 43rd player in MLB history (72nd occurence) w/ 20+ in age 38-or greater season (turned 39 July 1)...Twins have had 3 such seasons: Dave Winfield ( 21 HR at age 41 in 1993), Jim Thome ( 25 at 39 in 2010) \& Torii Hunter (22 at 39 in '15)...last in MLB was 2016 (40-year-old David Ortiz hit 40 for BOS; 39-year-old Carlos Beltran w/ 29 for NYY \& TEX). Next HR would make him 34th player in MLB history with 11-consecutive 20-HR seasons (only player in MLB w/ 10-straight 2009-18)...would become 72 nd player in MLB history w/ 1 different 20+HR seasons
Slashing. $270 / .372 / .574 \mathrm{w} / 12 \mathrm{HR}$ and 27 RBI in 36 games since being reinstated from 10-day IL on June...missed 18 games w/ a left wrist strain.
Recorded his 6,000th career at-bat 7/14 at CLE, becoming 484th player to do so (KC's Alex Gordon did so on the same day).


Went 3-for-5 W/ 2-run HR (off Happ) in 7-3 win 5/4 at Yankee Stadium (3-for-9 overall in series)...career . 318 (7-for-22) w/ 2B, HR, 3 RBI \& 818 OPS in 8 games vs. NYY
Ranks 2nd in AL w/ 17 HR as a catcher (T-4th MLB)...is 6th in RBI (38) and T-10th in 2B (7). s slashing .357/.471/.804 vs. LHP, going 20-for-56 w/ 2 2B, 3B, 7 HR, 15 RBI \& 10 BB...is also hitting . 375 (15-for-40) w/ RISP, including 19 RBI and 1.132 OPS.
Is 12 -for-36 (.333) w/ 5 HR, 7 RBI \& 1.192 OPS in his last 10 games (hitting safely in 8). Despite missing 16 games with a high left ankle sprain, his 13 home runs were the third most ever by a Twins catcher before the All-Star break, trailing Earl Battey's 17 in 1963 and Joe Mauer's 15 in 2009....additionally, his .609 slugging percentage was the second-best, behind Mauer's 622 also in 2009.
 $\begin{array}{lll}\text { 2019 Average: } .260 & \text { Streak: } 1 \mathrm{~g}, 1-3 & \text { Series vs OAK: 3-15, HR, } 2 \text { RBI } \\ \text { Homestand: } & 6-24, \mathrm{HR}, 2 \mathrm{RBI} & \\ \text { Home Runs: } & 11(71 \text {-run, } 42 \text {-rum })\end{array}$

- Went 5-for-13 w/ RBI in 3 games at Yankee Stadium May 3-5...career 250 (26-for-104) W/ 14 R, 32 2B, 4 HR, 16 RBI \& . 679 OPS in 32 games vs. NYY (3-for- 6 w/ HR vs. Sabathia). Recorded 6th OF assist yesterday (T-8th AL) in just his 34th game in OF (28th start)....only Twin to record $6+0$ Of assists in fewer than 50 games was Mickey Hatcher (7 in
Has hit safely in 22 of his last 34 games (10 multi-hit games), batting . 291 ( 37 -for-127) w/ 7 2B, 6 HR, 16 RBI \& . 824 OPS.
Has played 1B (10), 2B (2), SS (1), 3B (37), LF (17), RF (20) and DH (2) this year, becoming the fourth player in Twins history to play at least one game at each position in a season, joining


## $\begin{aligned} & \text { MAX KEPLER - IF } \\ & \text { Height: 6-4 } \\ & \text { Weight: } 220 \quad \text { B/T: L/L Age: } 26 \text { (2/10/93 in Berlin, Germany) }\end{aligned}$ 2019 Average: . $264 \quad$ Streak: 2g, 5-10, HR, 2B, 4 RBI Series vs OAK: $6-18$, HR, 2B, 4 RBI Homestand: 25, HR, 2 2B, $\begin{array}{ll}\text { Home Runs: } & 24 \text { (18 1-run, } 42 \text {-run, } 23 \text {-run) }\end{array}$

Career 253 (10-for-79) w/ 8 2B, 3 HR, 8 RBI \& 782 OPS in 23 games vs. NYY (1-for-10 in '19). Has both Twins walk-off hits this year, both RBI singles ( $6 / 18 \mathrm{vs}$. BOS in 17th and yesterday vs. OAK)...finished yesterday 3 -for-6 w/ 2B, HR \& 4 RBI.
His 23 HR as leadoff hitter leads AL...ranks 3rd in RBI (53) \& SLG (.559), 4th in OPS (.890), T-5th in 2B (19), 9th in hits (78).
Is T-5th in AL w/ 24 HR overall \& T-9th w/ 64 RBI....among Twins, ranks 1st in HR \& RBI (matching Rosario), 2nd in hits (93), 4th in SLG (.526) and 6th in OPS (.859).
Became the 1st player ever to hit a HR in five straight at-bats vs. a pitcher (Trevor Bauer) in a single season - 3 HR ( $6 / 6$ ) \& 2 HR ( $7 / 13$ )...became the 2nd Twin to hit 5 in same season, joining Michael Cuddyer, who hit five off White Sox lefty John Danks in 2009.
21 home runs pre-ASG were tied for the most by any Twins outfielder in history (Allison, $2 x$,

## JJRGE PJLANCD - 55

Height: 5-11 Weight: $200 \quad$ B/T: R/R Age: 26 (7/5/93 in San Pedro de Macorís, DR) 2019 Average: 305 Streak: $4 \mathrm{~g}, 4-16,3$ 2B, RBI Series vs OAK: $3-12,2$ 2B, RBI

Career . 220 (9-for-41) W/ 2 2B, 3 RBI \& . 524 OPS in 11 games vs. NYY (0-or-12 in 19) AL ranks: 5th in hits (119), 5th in 2B (27), T-5th in 3B (5), 6th in AVG (.305), T-6th in total bases (195), 16th in OBP (.363), 20th in OPS (.863) and 26th in SLG (.500)...also owns teamleading 33 multi-hit games this season ( $\mathrm{t}-5$ th).
Started at shortstop for the American League in the 2019 MLB All-Star Game, going 1-for-2 with an RBI.
Polanco's pre-ASG ranks among Twins' shortstops in history: 111 hits (2nd), 312 AVG (2nd), 13 HR (3rd), .514 SLG (3rd)...his full-season WAR is 4.2, already 4th highest in Twins SS history. Had a 37-game on-base streak earlier this season...the four Twins with longer streaks Paul Molitor (38) from August 13-Sept. 22, 1996, Harmon Killebrew (40) from May 20-June 26, 1967, Bob Allison (42) from July 16-August 29, 1961 and Joe Mauer (43) from August

## EDIIE RDSARID - IF

## Height: 6-1 Weight: $180 \quad$ B/: L/R Age: 27 (9/28/91 in Guayama, PR)


Career 206 ( 13 -for-63) w/ 5 2B, 4 RBI \& . 492 OPS in 16 games vs. NYY (did deliver HR in 1st career postseason AB, in 2017 Wild Card Game)...2-for-9 w/ RBI in 2019.
Is 5-for-18 (.278) w/ HR \& 4 RBI in 6 games since being activated from 10-day IL on July 16 missed 13 games w/ a left ankle sprain).
Hit a pinch-hit, three-run HR in the 7th inning on 7/19 vs. OAK (off Petit). marking his third areer pinch-hit hon ri.i was her peason for the Twins. oined Kepler (21) as second Twins duo all-time w/ 20+ HR pre-ASG, joining Harmon Killebrew

## MIEJIEL SANI - TINF


Career . 286 ( 14 -for-49) w/ 2 2B, 6 HR, 12 RBI \& 1.069 OPS in 13 games vs. NYY, hitting safely in 10...missed May 3-5 series in Yankee Stadium (did not make season debut until May 16 after missing 1st 41 games with right heel laceration).
Has reached base safely in 16 of last 17 games w/ PA, hitting . 316 ( 18 -for- 57 ) w/ 4 2B, 3B,
5 HR, 11 RBI, 11 BB ( 19 SO) \& 11110 PS run includes career-long 11 -game hitting streak HR, $11 \mathrm{RB}, 11 \mathrm{BB}$ (19 SO) \& 1.111 OPS...run includes career-long 11-game hitting streak June 28-July 14 (. 368,14 -for- 38 w/ 8 XBH) and 15-game on-base streak June 28 -July 20. Has seven home runs and 13 RBI (. 994 OPS) over his last 24 games...stands at 98 career HR. 26 of his 41 hits this season (49 games) have gone for extra bases ( 11 2B, 3B, 14 HR ), as he ranks 2nd on Twins w/ . 549 SLG \& 4th w/ . 877 OPS.
Ranks 2nd in MLB with $55.4 \%$ of his batted balls being hard hit ( $95 \mathrm{MPH}+$ ), trailing only NYY's Aaron Judge (62.5\%).
Hitting. 195 (16-for-82) W/3 HR, 4 RBI \& 711 OPS in 23 games at home vs. . 269 (25-for-93)

## JDNATHAN 5[HUDP - \&B

Height: 6-1 Weight: 225 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (10/16/91 in Willemstad, Curacao)
 Career . 226 (62-for-274) w/ 20 2B, 11 HR, 38 RBI \& . 678 OPS in 74 games vs. NYY (2-for-6 w/ RBI in '19)...is 8 -for-32 (.250) w/ 3 2B \& HR vs. Sabathia.
Leads AL 2nd basemen with 15 HR \& 19 2B at position...ranks 2nd in SLG (.483) \& OPS (.796), 3rd in RBI (40) \& AVG (.265).
Hitting . 308 ( 8 -for-26) w/ 6 R, 3 2B, 2 HR, 7 RBI \& 1.021 OPS in 7 games since All-Star break.
All 77 of his games in the field ( 76 starts) this sason All 77 of his games in the field ( 76 starts) this season have come at 2B (. 973 Field Pct).


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| Most Runs, Inning (Team)............................. 7, 4th inning, 5/16 at SEA |
| Most Hits, Game (Team)..............................................20, 7/5 vs. TEX |
| Most Hits, Inning (Team)...............................8, 2nd inning, 7/5 vs. TEX |
| Most Home Runs, Game (Team) .............................. 8, 2x, last: 5/23 at LAA |
| Most Strikeouts, Batters (Team) .................................. 22, 6/27 vs. TB |
| Longest Hitting Streak (Individual) ....................14, Polanco, 5/27-6/13 |
| Consecutive Hits (Individual) ... 5, 3x: Cron 5/23 at LAA, Polanco 2x, last: 5/8 at TOR |
| Consecutive Hitless At-Bats (Individual) ............... 28, Rosario, 4/26-5/4 |
| Most Runs Allowed (Team).............................14, 2x, last 7/17 vs. NYM |
| Most Runs Allowed, Inning (Team) ....6, 3x, last: 8th inning, 7/17 vs. NYM |
| Most Hits Allowed (Team) ...........................................18, 5/15 vs. LAA |
| Most Hits Allowed, Inning (Team)..........6, 2x, last: 4th inning, 5/30 at TB |
| Pitchers Used (Team)................................................ 10, 6/27 vs. TB |
| Cons. Batters Retired (Team)..................................... 23, 5/10 vs. DET |
| Scoreless Innings Streak (Team/Pitchers)...25, (5th inn. 5/5-4th inn. 5/8) |
| Most Runs, Starter................................6, 7x, last: Odorizzi, 7/2 at OAK |
| Most Home Runs, Starter ................................. 4, Smeltzer, 6/4 at CLE |
| Most Walks, Starter....................................... 5, Gibson, 6/19 vs. BOS |
| Most Strikeouts, Starter........................11, 2x, last: Gibson, 5/8 at TOR |
| Most Strikeouts, Pitchers (Team) .....................17, 2x, last: 6/27 vs. TB |
| Most Walks, Pitchers (Team)......................... 10, 2x, last: 6/19 vs. BOS |
| Most Cons. Scoreless Innings (Individual).........22.1, Odorizzi, 4/29-5/15 |
| Most Cons. Batters Retired (Individual)........... 20, 0dorizzi, 5/10 vs. DET |
| Longest Game, Innings .............................................. 18, 6/27 vs. TB |
| Longest Game, Time (9 Inn.).....................................4:08, 4/9 at NYM |
| Longest Game, Time (X Inn.)....................... 5:45, 6/18 vs. BOS (17 inn.) |
| Fastest Game, Time .............................................. 2:18, $3 / 28$ vs. CLE |
| Largest Margin, Victory .............................................14, 5/18 at SEA |
| Largest Margin, Loss .......................................11, 2x, last: 5/30 at TB |
| Largest Home Attendance ................................. $39,913,5 / 26$ vs. CWS |
| Home Sellouts.....................................................7, last: 7/5 vs. TEX |
| Different Lineups Used............................................................... 87 |



##  <br> REHAB UPDATE: NA

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| $\begin{aligned} & \text { DATE } \\ & 4 / 15 . \end{aligned}$ | PLAYER/MGR/CH .Rocco Baldelli | UMPIRE <br> .Mike Estabrook.. | REASON <br> Arguing Possible HBP . | CAREER First |


| STARTS BY BATTING ORDER |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | MOST USED LINEUP [7X] |  |
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|  | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | Player | Pos. |
| Ehire Adrianza | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 15 | 15 | 3 | Kepler | RF |
| Luis Arraez | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 12 | 3 | 3 | 2 | Polanco | SS |
| Willians Astudillo | 1 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 8 | 3 | 3 | Rosario | Lif |
| Tyler Austin | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1. | Cron | 18 |
| Byron Buxton | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 67 | Gonzalez Schioop | $3 B$ <br> $2 B$ <br> 8 |
| Jason Castro | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 34 | 6 | Castro | C |
| Jake Cave | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 3 | 9 | 2 | Buxton | CF |
| C.J. Cron | 0 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 55 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 |  |  |
| Nelson Cruz | 0 | 0 | 67 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |  |
| Mitch Garver | 10 | 6 | 4 | 5 | 7 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 0 |  |  |
| Marwin Gonzalez | 0 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 13 | 39 | 1 | 0 | 0 | Buxton... Gonalez. | $\begin{array}{r} \ldots . . . . . \\ \ldots \\ \ldots . . . \\ \hline \end{array}$ |
| Max Kepler | 70 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 2 | 1 | 0 | Rosario... | $\cdots$ |
| Jorge Polanco | 15 | 75 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Kepler..... | $\ldots$ |
| Eddie Rosario | 0 | 0 | 5 | 72 | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 0 | Adrianza. | $\cdots$ |
| Miguel Sano | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 10 | 6 | 21. | 5 | 1 | Astudillo. Cave $\qquad$ | $\ldots$ |
| Jonathan Schoop | 0 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 7 | 32 | 22 | 7 |  |  |
| LaMonte Wade Jr | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | TOTALS ..... | $\ldots$ |


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| C | 1B | 2B | SS | 3B | LF | CF | RF | DH |
| 0 | 4 | 7 | 12 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 12 | 2 | 7 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 13 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 71 | 0 | 0 |
| 46 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
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| 0 | 77 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 67 |
| 39 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 0 | 9 | 2 | 1 | 32 | 12 | 0 | 16 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 24 | 61 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 83 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 73 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 0 | 0 | 76 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
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## LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

## FOR THE TWINS

## HITTING:

Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, 4/5/19 at PHI (11 all-time)
Grand Slam: B. Buxton, 5/18/19 at SEA (1 as a team in 2019)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: B. Buxton, 8/18/17 vs. ARI (2 as a team in 2017, 54 all-time)
Pinch-Hit Home Run: E. Rosario, 7/18/19 vs. OAK (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: C. Cron, $5 / 23 / 19$ at LAA (3 in 2019)
Six-Hit Game: K. Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)
Two Hits, One Inning: J. Field, 2nd inning, 9/29/18 vs. CWS (2 as a team in 2018)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: M. Cuddyer, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time)
Two-Home Run Game: J. Castro, 7/2/19 at OAK (17 as a team in 2019)
Three-Home Run Game: M. Kepler, 6/7/19 at CLE (1 as a team in 2019, 10 all-time) Back-to-Back Home Runs: J. Schoop/J. Castro, 6/11/19 vs. SEA (7 as a team in 2019) Three Consecutive Home Runs: N. Cruz/E. Rosario/C. Cron, 4/26/19 vs. BAL (1 in 2019) Three Home Runs, One Inning: M. Sanó/J. Schoop/M. Kepler (7th), 5/23/19 at LAA (4 in 2019) Four Home Runs, One Inning: S. Mack/K. Puckett/K. Hrbek/H. Bush, 5/2/92 at NYY Walk-Off Home Run: W. Astudillo, $9 / 9 / 18$ vs. KC (4 as a team in 2018) Leadoff Home Run: M. Garver, 7/20/19 vs. OAK (5 as a team in 2019) Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: E. Núñez/B. 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: F. 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: B. Radke (10.0 innings), 9/21/97 vs. MIL
$10+$ Strikeouts: 10, J. Berríos, 6/17/19 vs. BOS (3 as a team in 2019)
Complete Game Shutout: J. Berríos, $4 / 1 / 18$ at BAL (1 as a team in 2018)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Mays/C. Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR/vs. MIL
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 5/6-7/19 at TOR (2 games, 8-0 and 3-0)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: Z. Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning)
MISCELLANEOUS:
Triple Play: M. Sanó/B. Dozier/J. Mauer, 6/1/17 at LAA (J. Marte hitting)
Position Player Pitching: E. Adrianza, $7 / 17 / 19$ vs. NYM (1 as a team in 2019)
Three or more Steals, One Game: E. Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: Thomas, $8 / 2 / 13$ vs. HOU
Pure Steal of Home: R. Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE

## HITTING: <br> AGAINST THE TWINS

Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time)
Grand Slam: M. Semien, 7/4/19 at OAK (2 allowed as team in 2019) Inside-the-Park Home Run: A. Mondesi, 4/2/19 at KC (44 allowed all-time)
Pinch-Hit Home Run: D. Smith, 7/17/19 vs. NYM (2 allowed in 2019)
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: J. Profar, 6th inning, 9/2/18 at TEX ( 6 allowed in 2018)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, $5 / 17 / 96$ vs. MIL
Two-Home Run Game: M. Semien, 7/4/19 at OAK (7 allowed in 2019)
Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR
Back-to-Back Home Runs: M. Canha/R. Laureano, 7/20/19 vs. OAK (5 allowed in 2019) Three Consecutive Home Runs: A. Jones/V. Castilla/J. Franco, 6/11/02 vs. ATL Three Home Runs, One Inning: R. Chirinos/N. Mazara/J. Profar, 9/2/18 at TEX Four Home Runs, One Inning: C. Everett/T. O'Leary/J. Varitek/M. Burkhart, 7/3/00 vs. BOS Walk-off Home Run: K. Davis, 9/21/18 at OAK (10 allowed in 2018)
Leadoff Home Run: M. Semien, 7/19/19 vs. OAK (1 allowed in 2019)
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: Jer. Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time)
One-Hitter: C. Kluber, 8/14/15 vs. CLE (23 all-time)
Two-Hitter: R. Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time)
10+ Innings Pitched: A. Fernández (10.0 innings), 10/1/95 at CHW
$10+$ Strikeouts: 11, I. Bauer, $7 / 13 / 19$ at CLE (2 times in 2019)
Complete Game Shutout: J. Arrieta, 6/21/15 vs. CHC (2 times in 2015)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Williams/Jer. 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, 6/3/10 vs. SEA (8th inning)
MISCELLANEOUS:
Triple Play: J. Donaldson/A. Rosales/C. Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK (T. Plouffe hitting) Position Player Pitching: C. Davis, 4/20/19 at BAL (1 in 2019)
Three or more Steals, One Game: W. 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
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: E. Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)

## 2019 TARGET FIELD WEATHER UELAYS AND POSTPDNEMENTS



