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## MINNESOTA TWINS (75-48) AT TEXAS RANGERS (60-63)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 18, 2019 - 2:05 PM (CT) - TV: FOX SPORTS NORTH / RADIO: TIBN-WCCO

LHP Martín Pérez (8-5, 4.57) vs. RHP Lance Lynn (14-8, 3.54)

GAME 124

ROAD GAME 62

### UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Probable Pitchers	Time	Television	Radio / Spanish Radio
8/19	vs. Chicago-AL	RHP Kyle Gibson (11-5, 4.28) vs. RHP Iván Nova (8-9, 4.51)	7:10 pm (CT)	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO
8/20	vs. Chicago-AL	RHP Michael Pineda (8-5, 4.20) vs. RHP Reynaldo López (7-10, 5.29)	7:10 pm (CT)	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO / twinsbeisbol.com
8/21	vs. Chicago-AL	RHP Jake Odorizzi (13-5, 3.50) vs. RHP Lucas Giolito (13-6, 3.41)	12:10 pm (CT)	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO

### SEASON AT A GLANCE

Record:	75-48
Home Record:	36-26
Road Record:	39-22
Record in series:	22-12-6
Series Openers:	27-13
Series Finals:	19-21
Rubber Games:	4-8
Sweeps/Swept:	8/1
March/April:	17-10
May:	21-8
June:	15-12
July:	13-11
August:	9-7
September/October:	
Day Games:	25-20
Night Games:	50-28
vs. American League East:	18-11
vs. American League Central:	28-16
vs. American League West:	22-11
vs. National League:	7-10
Games vs. LH Starter:	15-14
Games vs. RH Starter:	60-34
Twins score first:	61-19
Opponent scores first:	14-29
Come-from-behind wins:	24
Leading after 7/8 inn.:	63-6/67-3
Trailing after 7/8 inn.:	6-38/3-41
Tied after 7/8 inn.:	6-4/5-4
Extra-innings:	4-6
1-run games:	17-11
Twins out-hit opp.:	58-9
Opp. out-hit Twins:	12-35
Twins/Opp. have = hits:	5-4
Run Differential:	+141 (716-575)
Twins get Quality Start:	43-14
Twins starter goes 6+ IP:	46-19
Most games over .500:	28, 8/6
Most games under .500:	
Longest win-streak:	6, 5/20-26
Longest losing-streak:	4, 8/6-9
When Twins score 4+:	68-23
When Twins score 3-:	7-25
Twins get 10+ hits:	46-10
Days in First Place:	131
Days in Second Place:	6
Days in Third Place:	4
Days in Fourth Place:	
Days in Fifth Place:	
Walk-Off W/L:	3/1
Shutouts W/L:	8-2
Complete Games:	
Target Field Sellouts ('19/All-Time):	9/170

**THE TWINS:** The Twins have gone 4-1 through five games on their six-game roadtrip, splitting a two-game series in Milwaukee, followed by three straight wins over the Rangers here in Arlington...after today's series finale at Globe Life Park, the Twins will return home for a six-game homestand against the White Sox (Monday-Wednesday) and Tigers (Friday-Sunday)...the Twins have secured their ninth .500-or-better roadtrip in 10 tries this season and, at 39-22 (.639), have the best road winning percentage in baseball...the Twins have gained three games in the standings over the last five days, going from 0.5-game behind to 2.5 games ahead of Cleveland in the AL Central.

**HOT AUGUST NIGHT FOR TWINS OFFENSE:** The Twins won their third straight over the Rangers last night, scoring six times in the first inning and collecting double-digit runs for the second time this series in a 12-7 victory...José Berríos started but was knocked out in the fifth, allowing seven runs (three earned) in 4.1 innings...the bullpen held Texas scoreless for the second straight night, with Tyler Duffey (0.2 IP) earning his second consecutive win...the offense pounded out 18 hits, most since July 5 (20 vs. TEX), including three each from Miguel Sanó, Jorge Polanco, Marwin Gonzalez and Jake Cave (matching a career high)...C.J. Cron (20) and Sanó (23) both homered.

**BRINGING LONGBALLS TO LONE STAR STATE:** The Twins 240 home runs are the most in club history and most in baseball, 14 more than second-place New York-AL (226)...they need 27 home runs to match the MLB all-time record of 267 set last season by New York-AL...Twins are currently on pace to hit 314 with 40 games remaining...the Twins have a MLB-high six players with 20-plus homers, matching the 1964 club for most in Minnesota history.

1964	2019	1986			
Harmon Killebrew.....	49	Max Kepler.....	33	Gary Gaetti.....	34
Bob Allison.....	32	Nelson Cruz.....	32	Kirby Puckett.....	31
Tony Oliva.....	32	Eddie Rosario.....	27	Kent Hrbek.....	29
Jimmie Hall.....	25	Mitch Garver.....	23	Tom Brunansky.....	23
Don Mincher.....	23	Miguel Sanó.....	23	Roy Smalley.....	20
Zoilo Versalles.....	20	C.J. Cron.....	20		

**NOTE:** Jorge Polanco has 17 home runs, Jonathan Schoop has 17 and Marwin Gonzalez has 14...Gonzalez's 15th home run would tie a major league record for most players on a team with 15-plus (9), joining the 2017 Texas Rangers, 2012 New York Yankees, 2005 Cleveland Indians and 2005 Texas Rangers.

**EXTRA! EXTRA!** The Twins have recorded an extra-base hit in 77 straight games, fourth longest streak in club history (since 1961), third longest for a single-season:

DATES	2B	3B	HR	XBH	STREAK
June 9-September 29, 2009.....	167	26	100	293	98
May 10-August 15, 2001.....	191	20	87	298	89
September 17, 2016-June 21, 2017.....	137	9	104	250	83
May 20-present.....	151	8	153	312	77

*Italics indicates streak over multiple seasons.*

**TWINS AND TEXAS:** Today marks the seventh and final against the Rangers this season...at 5-1, the Twins have won the season series for the third time in the last four years...Twins have out-scored the Rangers 52-30 this season...in the six games, the Twins have gone 78-for-236 (.331) with 18 doubles, two triples, 12 home runs, 17 walks and a .961 OPS.

- ☞ Miguel Sanó is hitting .349 (30-for-86) with four doubles, one triple, seven home runs, 18 RBI, 15 walks and a 1.109 OPS in 23 career games vs. Texas.
- ☞ Jonathan Schoop's game-winning homer Friday night extended his hitting streak vs. Texas to 13 games (tied for longest in his career against any single team, going 21-for-51 (.412) with five doubles, five homers, 20 RBI and a 1.269 OPS in that span).
- ☞ Eddie Rosario is hitting .327 (32-for-98) with seven doubles, four home runs, 15 RBI and 17 runs scored in 24 games vs. Texas...his 32 hits are his most vs. any non-AL Central opponent.

**BROOM CLOSET:** The Twins are seeking their ninth sweep of an opponent this season...their previous eight sweeps came: three games May 24-26 vs. CWS, three games May 20-22 at LAA, three games May 6-8 at TOR, three games April 26-28 vs. BAL, three games at BAL April 20-21, two games April 13-14 vs. DET, two games April 2-3 at KC and three games August 2-4 vs. KC...Twins recorded seven sweeps all of last season...Twins are 8-8 this season when attempting to secure a sweep, going 1-6 in their last seven attempts.

- ☞ The Twins are looking for their first-ever four-game sweep of the Rangers, home or road.
- ☞ The Twins are attempting to complete their first four-game sweep since ending the 2018 season by defeating the White Sox in four straight at Target Field (Sept. 28-30) and their first on the road since September 21-24, 2017 at Detroit.

**SO LONG, GLOBE LIFE PARK:** The Twins today will play their final game ever at Globe Life Park, which is closing after the season...since the ballpark opened in 1994, the Twins have gone 56-65 at the facility, including wins in 10 of their last 14 games.

- ☞ Nelson Cruz called Globe Life Park home from 2006-13, helping the Rangers to three straight playoff appearances and back-to-back World Series trips...the 2011 ALCS MVP is a career .296 hitter (467-for-1580) here, with 101 home runs in 438 games.
- ☞ C.J. Cron has 27 career RBI in this park, his personal most for any ballpark he has never called his home park (LAA, TB, MIN).
- ☞ Eddie Rosario has hit safely in 11 of 13 career games at Texas, hitting .352 (19-for-54) in this ballpark.

**LIVING THE WEST LIFE:** The Twins are 23-11 against AL West teams this year, their most wins against that division since 2010 (24-12)...the Twins have hit .285 (339-for-1188) as a team vs. AL West pitching, with 65 home runs and an .870 OPS...they have out-scored their opponents 218-167, while going 4-3 vs. Houston, 5-1 vs. Los Angeles-AL, 3-4 vs. Oakland, 5-2 vs. Seattle and 5-1 vs. Texas.

**MARWIN GOING GONZO:** Marwin Gonzalez has 10 hits in 14 at-bats in this series, posting three-or-more hits in three straight games for the first time in his career...he is the first Twin to accomplish the feat since Danny Valencia did so in four consecutive games from July 24-27, 2010...Margo now has six multi-hit efforts in his last seven games, going 16-for-29 (.552) with three doubles, two home runs, nine RBI and a 1.414 OPS...the damage has come from both sides of the plate, as he is 6-for-11 with one double and one homer hitting right-handed and 10-for-19 with a double and homer hitting left.

**TWINS ML WEEKLYS:** Twins minor league Player and Pitcher of the Week honors have been announced and Single-A Cedar Rapids outfielder Gilberto Celestino and Single-A Ft. Myers right-handed pitcher Dakota Chalmers have been named...in five games for the kernels, Celestino hit .579 (11-for-19) with three doubles, two home runs, five RBI and a 1.689 OPS...the 20-year-old was acquired by the Twins in July 2018 as part of the Ryan Pressly trade with Houston...Chalmers made the start on Tuesday vs. St. Lucie, surrendering one unearned run in 6.0 innings with three hits allowed, one walk and nine strikeouts...the 22-year-old was acquired by the Twins from Oakland in exchange for Fernando Rodney last August.

### STREAKS

Current Streak.....	3 wins
Last 5 games.....	4-1
Last 10 games.....	5-5
Last 15 games.....	9-6
Last 20 games.....	12-8

### TWINS VS. RANGERS

2019 Record:.....	5-1
Current Streak:.....	3 wins
2019 at Home:.....	2-1
2019 at Texas:.....	3-0
All-Time Record:.....	275-274
All-Time at Home:.....	148-123
All-Time at Texas:.....	127-151

### 2019 Game Logs:

Date	Site	Score	Winner/Loser/Save
7/5	MIN	15-6	Pérez/Sampson
7/6	MIN	7-4	Pineda/Chavez/Rogers
7/7	MIN	1-4	Kelley/Mejia
8/15	TEX	13-6	Pineda/Payano/Smeltzer
8/16	TEX	4-3	Duffey/Minor/Romo
8/17	TEX	12-7	Duffey/Jurado
8/18	TEX		2:05 pm (CT)

### CURRENT ROADTRIP [4-1]

Batting average.....	.304
Runs Per Game.....	8.20
Home Runs.....	12
RISP.....	.346
Errors.....	5
Team ERA.....	4.09
Starters W-L.....	1-0
Starters ERA.....	4.50
Relievers W-L-S.....	3-1-3
Relievers ERA.....	3.41
Saves/Opps.....	3/4

### RECENT TRANSACTIONS

8/16	LHP Thorpe recalled from AAA
	LHP Smeltzer optioned to AAA
8/15	RHP Pineda reinstated from 10-day IL
	RHP Dobnak optioned to AAA
8/13	RHP Dyson reinstated from 10-day IL
	RHP Stashak optioned to AAA
8/10	OF Miller acquired via trade with SEA in exchange for cash
8/9	DH Cruz placed on 10-day IL
	RHP Stashak recalled from AAA
8/8	RHP Stewart optioned to AAA
	RHP Dobnak contract selected from AAA
8/7	RHP Stashak optioned to AAA
	RHP Stewart recalled from AAA
8/4	RHP Dyson placed on 10-day IL
	LHP Smeltzer recalled from AAA
8/3	OF Buxton placed on 10-day IL
	RHP Pineda placed on 10-day IL
	OF Cave recalled from AAA
	1B Cron returned from rehab assn. and reinstated from 10-day IL
	RHP Littell recalled from AAA
	LHP Thorpe optioned to AAA

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### UPCOMING MILESTONES

PLAYER	CURRENT NO.	MILESTONE WITHIN REACH
Marwin Gonzalez.....	896 games.....	Needs 4 to reach 900 for career.
Jorge Polanco.....	96 doubles.....	Needs 4 to reach 100 for career.
Eddie Rosario.....	27 home runs in 2019.....	Needs 1 to set single-season career-high (27 in 2017).

# MARTÍN PÉREZ

# #33

Height: 6-0      Weight: 200      B/T: L/L      Age: 28 (4/4/91 in Guanare, VZ)

2019: 8-5, 4.57 ERA      CAREER: 51-54, 4.62 ERA

- He is making his 22nd start and 25th appearance of the season.
- He is making his 150th career start and 166th career appearance.

## 2019 MAJOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY (ITALICS INDICATES RELIEF)

Date	Opp.	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Left/Final	Notes	Pitches/Strikes
3/31	vs. CLE	W1	3.2	5	3	3	0	3	6	8-3/9-3	Made his Twins debut	82/50 (61.0%)
4/5	at PHI	ND	2.2	3	2	1	0	4	2	4-7/4-10	Entered in third inning	72/44 (61.1%)
4/10	at NYM	ND	2.0	3	3	3	0	2	4	1-8/6-9	Fewest walk total of 2019	44/29 (65.9%)
4/15	vs. TOR	ND	6.0	7	1	1	0	2	5	3-1/3-5	No-decision; 'pen yielded 4 runs	86/57 (66.3%)
4/20-2	at BAL	W2	6.0	6	4	4	2	1	2	13-4/16-7	First win as a starter with Twins	96/67 (69.8%)
4/26	vs. BAL	W3	6.0	6	1	1	0	0	4	6-1/6-1	First start allowing zero walks	96/64 (66.7%)
<b>MAR/APR TOTALS 3-0</b>			<b>26.1</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>23</b>			<b>4.44 ERA</b>
5/1	vs. HOU	W4	8.0	4	0	0	0	2	7	6-0/6-2	Second time since 2015 w/ 8.0+ IP	100/66 (66.0%)
5/6	at TOR	W5	7.0	2	0	0	0	2	9	7-0/8-0	Back-to-back scoreless starts	102/66 (64.7%)
5/12	vs. DET	L1	5.0	4	3	3	2	2	7	0-3/3-5	First loss of the season	93/59 (63.4%)
5/17	at SEA	W6	6.2	5	1	1	0	4	7	6-1/7-1	Fourth straight start w/ 7+ SO	103/64 (62.1%)
5/23	at LAA	W7	5.0	6	2	2	1	4	3	8-2/16-7	Fourth win in May	88/51 (58.0%)
5/30	at TB	L2	2.2	6	6	6	0	2	3	0-6/3-14	Shortest start of season	63/40 (63.5%)
<b>MAY TOTALS 4-2</b>			<b>34.1</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>36</b>			<b>3.15 ERA</b>
6/5	at CLE	ND	4.2	6	5	2	0	2	1	6-5/7-9	First no-decision since 4/15	92/56 (60.9%)
6/11	vs. SEA	ND	5.0	6	4	4	1	3	7	3-4/6-5	Seven-plus strikeouts for 5th time	95/59 (62.1%)
6/16	vs. KC	L3	6.2	6	5	4	0	1	7	2-4/8-6	Threw a season high 105 pitches	105/72 (68.6%)
6/21	at KC	ND	5.0	5	6	4	1	3	2	3-6/8-7	5th consecutive start w/ 4+ runs	79/48 (60.8%)
6/27	vs. TB	ND	7.0	3	2	2	0	1	6	2-0/2-5	Longest outing since May 6	102/67 (65.7%)
<b>JUNE TOTALS 0-1</b>			<b>28.1</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>23</b>			<b>5.08 ERA</b>
7/5	vs. TEX	W8	6.0	7	4	4	0	2	3	9-4/15-6	6.0 scoreless IP before 7th inn.	94/59 (62.8%)
7/17	vs. NYM	ND	6.0	5	2	1	1	4	4	3-2/4-14	Bullpen allowed 12 runs in 3.0 IP	83/60 (72.3%)
7/22	vs. NYY	ND	4.0	7	5	5	3	4	4	7-5/8-6	3 HR allowed, season-high	79/50 (63.3%)
7/27	at CWS	L4	6.0	7	3	3	1	1	4	1-3/1-5	8th QS of season	100/64 (64.0%)
<b>JULY TOTALS 1-1</b>			<b>22.0</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>14</b>			<b>5.32 ERA</b>
8/2	vs. KC	ND	5.0	7	5	5	3	0	3	6-5/11-9	Season-low for pitches as starter	68/41 (60.3%)
8/7	vs. ATL	L5	6.0	11	7	6	3	2	6	3-7/7-11	Tied season-high for HR allowed	102/67 (65.7%)
8/13	at MIL	ND	6.0	6	1	0	0	4	3	3-1/7-5	Fewest runs allowed since May 6	88/54 (61.4%)
<b>AUG. TOTALS 0-1</b>			<b>17.0</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>12</b>			<b>5.82 ERA</b>
			<b>RECORD</b>	<b>IP</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>ER</b>	<b>HR</b>	<b>BB</b>	<b>SO</b>	<b>ERA</b>	
<b>2019 TOTALS</b>			<b>8-5</b>	<b>128.0</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>109</b>	<b>4.57</b>	
<b>MLB CAREER TOTALS</b>			<b>51-54</b>	<b>889.1</b>	<b>989</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>322</b>	<b>579</b>	<b>4.62</b>	
<b>AS STARTER IN 2019</b>			<b>7-5</b>	<b>119.2</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>4.36</b>	

**BOUNCE BACK GAME:** Pérez did not factor into the decision in his last start on August 13, an eventual 7-5, Twins comeback win at Milwaukee, despite tossing 6.0 innings with just one run (not earned) on six hits with four walks and three strikeouts...marked his third start this season without allowing an earned run and his first since May 6, a span of 16 starts...Hernán Pérez singled in the fourth and reached third in the next at-bat on a fielding error from shortstop Jorge Polanco...he then scored on a on a fielder's choice for the only run of the outing...Pérez then pitched a perfect fifth inning and a one-hit sixth before exiting.

- ☞ Lasted 6.0+ innings for the 10th time this season and marks the fifth time in his last seven starts he has done so.
- ☞ The six hits allowed are the fewest since July 17 vs. New York-NL, a span of four starts...in those previous four, he allowed eight home runs after having allowed just seven total over his first 18 appearances (15 starts).

**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 .237 (69-for-291) with an OPS of .708 when the bases are clear...however, once he allows someone to reach base, Pérez struggles to a .305 average (64-for-210) with an .829 OPS when pitching out of the stretch...with runners in scoring position, the lefty hasn't found much success either, as opponents are hitting .264 (32-for-121) with nine XBH and 46 RBI with RISP, including .295 (18-for-61) with 23 RBI with RISP and two outs.

**THE OTHER SIDE OF THE BATTERY:** Over his 24 games, Pérez has thrown to each of the three catchers this season: Astudillo (4 games), Castro (8 games) and Garver (12 games)...below is a breakdown how the left-hander has fared, depending on who's calling his pitches:

CATCHER	GAMES	ERA	IP/ER	HITS/AB	BAA	XBH (HR)
Astudillo	4	3.98	20.1/9	20/80	.250	9 (3)
Castro	8	6.05	38.2/26	41/154	.266	10 (5)
Garver	12	3.91	69.0/30	72/267	.270	23 (10)

**TEXAS FOREVER:** Pérez is making his second career start against his former Texas Rangers club today, his first as a visitor at Globe Life Park...in his last start on July 5 at Target Field, Pérez was the winner after throwing 6.0 innings of four-run on ball with seven hits, two walks and three strikeouts...he signed with Texas as an undrafted free agent 12 years ago (July 2, 2007) and made his Major League debut on June 27, 2012 at the age of 21...over seven seasons he compiled a 43-49 record with the Rangers, including a 4.58 ERA and 544 strikeouts in 761.1 IP.

- ☞ His 128 starts rank fourth all-time among Texas left-handers, while his 761.1 IP rank fifth, his 43 wins are tied for fifth with Jon Matlack and his 426 strikeouts rank seventh.
- ☞ In 75 career games (68 starts) here at Globe Life Park in a Rangers uniform, he went 27-20 with a 4.34 ERA (406.2 IP, 196 ER).
- ☞ Led 2017 Rangers' staff in wins (career-high 13), starts (32), and innings (185.0)...also established a career-high in strikeouts (115), second on club (Darvish-148).
- ☞ In 2013, he finished sixth in the American League Rookie of the Year Award voting after compiling a 10-6 record and 3.62 ERA.
- ☞ In 2009, named Rangers Nolan Ryan Minor League Pitcher of the Year after combining to go 6-8, 2.90 ERA (114.2 IP, 37 ER) with one save and 119 strikeouts in 27 games (19 starts).

**STATCAST FUN:** Pérez has seen many positive changes in his performance on the mound this year compared to his 2018 season...his four-seamer has seen a 1.5 MPH increase as referenced by his 92.8 average velocity from last year, to a 94.3 average this year...his whiff percentage on his changeup has increased 3.6%, going from 30.2% last year, to 33.8% this year.

**THE REPERTOIRE:** Below is a breakdown of his pitches in 2019 (Courtesy-Baseball Savant):

PITCH	NUMBER (vs. RHB-LHB)/AVG MPH	PERCENTAGE
Cutter	663 pitches (538-124)/88.4	31.3
Sinker	527 pitches (393-134)/94.0	25.0
Changeup	21.3	
Four-Seamer	365 pitches (253-102)/94.3	17.3
Curveball	109 pitches (71-38)/79.2	5.2

**ON THE ROAD AGAIN:** Pérez is making back-to-back road starts for the first time since May 30 (at TB) and June 5 (at CLE)...he has posted a line of 4-2, 4.36 ERA (53.2 IP, 26 ER) with 29 walks and 40 strikeouts in 11 games (9 starts) away from Target Field, while he is 4-2 with a 4.72 ERA (74.1 IP, 39 ER) in 13 games (12 starts) at home.

## 2019 HIGHS

CG's: --  
SHO's: --  
CG Low Hit: --  
Innings: 8.0, 5/1 vs. HOU  
SO's: 9, 5/6 at TOR  
Walks: 4, 4x, last: 7/22 vs. NYY  
Hits: 11, 8/7 vs. ATL  
Home Runs: 3, 3x, last: 8/7 vs. ATL  
Win-Streak: 5, 3/31-5/6  
Loss-Streak: 2, 2x, last: 7/27-present

## CAREER HIGHS

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, 3x, last: 4/23/14 at OAK  
SO's: 9, 5/6/19 at TOR  
Walks: 5, 3x, last: 9/28/18 at SEA  
Hits: 11, 2x, last: 8/7/19 vs. ATL  
Home Runs: 3, 7x, last: 8/7/19 vs. ATL  
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 America as the second-best prospect in the NWL, fifth-best in the Rangers' organization.

## 2019 MISC. NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G/GS	IP	ER	AVG	H	AB	HR	BB	SO	
Home:	4	3	4.72	13/12	74.1	39	.243	26	107	1	6	24	
Road:	4	2	4.36	11/9	53.2	26	.272	107	394	17	46	85	
Day:	2	3	4.81	7/6	39.1	21	TOTALS:	.265	133	501	18	52	109
Night:	6	2	4.47	17/15	88.2	44	None On:	.237	69	291	12	29	63
Grass:	7	4	4.49	22/19	118.1	59	Runners On:	.305	64	210	6	23	46
Turf:	1	1	5.59	2/2	9.2	6							

## 6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS

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	21	13	9
				TOTALS	149	89	73

## 2019 MORE MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS

	BASE RUNNERS	PICK-OFFS	SB-ATT	GIDP
PÉREZ:	160	1	8-10	9

## 2019 RUNS/HITS PER INNING

INNING:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
RUNS/HITS:	10/23	7/12	21/32	8/20	13/19	4/14	9/9	3/4	-/-

## PÉREZ VS. TEXAS

2019 vs. Texas (1 game, 1 start): 1-0, 6.00 ERA (6.0 IP, 4 ER), 2 BB, 3 SO  
2019 vs. Texas at Home (1 game, 1 start): 1-0, 6.00 ERA (6.0 IP, 4 ER), 2 BB, 3 SO  
2019 vs. Texas on Road: --  
Career vs. Texas (1 game, 1 start): 1-0, 6.00 ERA (6.0 IP, 4 ER), 2 BB, 3 SO  
Career vs. Texas at Home (1 game, 1 start): 1-0, 6.00 ERA (6.0 IP, 4 ER), 2 BB, 3 SO  
Career vs. Texas on Road: --

## BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS

Pérez vs. the Rangers						Lynn vs. the Twins							
PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO	PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Forsythe	.273	11	3	1	0	1	Schoop	.125	8	1	0	0	1
Choo	.000	6	0	0	1	1	Castro	.167	6	1	0	1	2
Andrus	.333	3	1	0	0	0	Adrianza	.333	3	1	0	0	0
DeShields	.333	3	1	0	0	0	Cron	.000	3	0	0	0	2
Odor	.667	3	2	0	0	0	Gonzalez	.500	2	1	0	1	0
Pence	.000	3	0	0	0	0							
Santana	.000	2	0	0	0	1							

## TWINS STARTERS IN 2019

Pitcher	Last Start (IP-H-R-ER-BB-K-HR)	Dec.	Starts	QS	Team Rec.	Run Supp.	RS	AVG
Berrios	8/17 at TEX (4.1-7-7-3-3-6-2)	ND	25	17	15-10	104	5.94	
Gibson	8/14 at MIL (5.0-8-3-3-3-3-0)	ND	24	9	15-9	104	7.13	
Odorizzi	8/16 at TEX (5.2-5-3-3-2-5-0)	ND	24	7	17-7	89	6.36	
<b>Pérez</b>	<b>8/13 at MIL (6.0-6-1-0-4-3-0)</b>	<b>ND</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>12-9</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>7.45</b>	
Pineda	8/15 at TEX (5.0-6-3-3-1-6-1)	W8	22	11	13-9	86	6.34	
Smeltzer	8/9 vs. CLE (4.1-7-6-6-3-4-0)	L2	4	2	2-2	3	1.19	
Stewart	5/11 vs. DET-G2 (6.0-6-3-3-2-2-1)	W1	2	1	1-1	9	6.75	
Thorpe	6/30 at CWS (5.0-5-2-2-2-7-1)	L1						



**TEAM BULLPEN NOTES**

- Twins 'pen is 24-18-36 with a 4.44 ERA (417.2 IP, 206 ER), 65 holds, 147 walks & 431 strikeouts this season (123 games)...allowing a .261 opp. batting avg. (426-for-1632).
- Relievers are 8-5-10 with 14 holds and a 5.18 ERA (114.2 IP, 66 ER) with 18 home runs allowed to AL-West teams, including 2-1-3 with a 3.86 ERA in six games vs. TEX this season.
- For the season, Twins 'pen ranks 7th in the AL and 10th in the majors in save percentage (67.9%, 36-for-53), while the 17 blown saves are T-7th-fewest in the AL...Twins have 3rd-fewest relief innings pitched in the AL (417.1 IP) behind Cleveland (391.0 IP) & Chicag-AL (416.2 IP).
- Since the All-Star break, Twins 'pen has gone 8-8-10 with a 4.78 ERA (118.2 IP, 63 ER), that is the 11th-highest bullpen ERA in MLB (behind Atlanta, Colorado, Baltimore, Washington, Miami, Cincinnati, Texas, Milwaukee, Los Angeles-AL & Detroit)...Twins bullpen also has 11 blown saves in the second half, most in the AL & baseball.

**TYLER DUFFEY - RHP**

**#21**

Height: 6-3 Weight: 222 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (12/27/90 in Houston, TX) Drafted: 5th round, 2012 Draft  
 Roadtrip: 3-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 1 BB Series at TEX: 2-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .216 vs. Right .212

- Has allowed two earned runs over his last 15 games (12.0 IP) with 17 strikeouts and an opponents' batting average of .105 (4-for-38).
- Four appearances this season vs. TEX (2.1 IP, 4H, 4 ER, 2 HR, 3 SO) earned consecutive wins vs. TEX this series (8/16-17), three times during roadtrip, also career 4-0, 7.04 ERA (15.1 IP, 12 ER) with four walks & 14 strikeouts in eight games...recorded career-high nine strikeouts vs. Rangers on 7/7/16.
- Is now 4-1 with seven holds, a 3.07 ERA (41.0 IP, 14 ER), 13 walks and 52 strikeouts over 41 relief appearances this season, while holding opponents to a .214/.280/.365 slash line (34-for-159).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/17 at TEX	W4	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	1
8/16 at TEX	W3	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	1
8/13 at MIL	W2	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	1
8/11 vs. CLE	ND	0.2	0	0	0	0	1	0
8/9 vs. CLE	ND	0.2	1	0	0	0	0	1
8/5 vs. ATL	BS1	0.1	1	0	0	0	0	0
8/4 vs. KC	H7	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
8/1 at MIA	H6	1.0	0	0	0	0	2	3
7/30 at MIA	H5	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	2

**SAM DYSON - RHP**

**#49**

Height: 6-1 Weight: 221 B/T: R/R Age: 29 (5/7/88 in Tampa, FL) Acquired: via trade with SF, 7/31/19  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (3.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 1 BB Series at TEX: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 1 BB vs. Left .143 vs. Right .636

- Was activated off the Injured List on 8/13 after missing nine games with right biceps tendinitis...earned two holds since coming off the IL (now 19).
- 1.0 scoreless IP, 1 H, 1 BB on 8/16 vs. TEX...is career 1-1, 3.38 ERA (2.2 IP, 3 ER) with three walks & three strikeouts in three games vs. TEX...also played for TEX between 2015-17, appeared in 121 games, going 6-9 with 40 saves in 118.1 IP, 82 ER, 39 walks & 92 strikeouts in that span.
- Acquired from San Francisco on 7/31 for outfielder Jaylin Davis and right-handed pitchers Prelander Berroa and Kai-Wei Teng.
- 2nd appearance as a twin came August 2 vs. KC (0.2 IP, 3 ER)...failed to record an out in Twins debut on 8/1 at MIA, allowing a walk, single, double, walk and 3 runs...marked 1st appearance with 2 BB since 9/4/18 and just 7th outing of 2019 with multiple runs allowed (in 54 games).
- Posted a 4-1-2 record in a team-high 49 games with the Giants, including a 2.47 ERA (51.0 IP, 14 ER) with 47 strikeouts to just 7 walks...was unscored upon in 15 of his last 17 appearances with SF, allowing three runs in 17.0 innings (1.59 ERA).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/16 at TEX	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0
8/14 at MIL	H19	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	2
8/13 at MIL	H18	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
8/2 vs. KC	ND	0.2	4	3	3	0	0	1
8/1 at MIA	ND	0.0	2	3	3	0	2	0
-----Traded to MIN from SF-----								
7/28 at SD	H17	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0
7/26 at SD	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/22 vs. CHC	S2	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0
7/21 vs. NYM	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/19 vs. NYM	W4	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
7/16 at COL	H16	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1

**RYNE HARPER - RHP**

**#19**

Height: 6-3 Weight: 215 B/T: R/R Age: 30 (3/27/89 in Nashville, TN) Acquired: Signed as minor league free agent, 1/31/18  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 27.00 (1.0 IP, 3 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series at TEX: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .258 vs. Right .233

- Has a 2.45 ERA (3.2 IP, ER) with four strikeouts in three games vs. TEX this season with an opp. batting avg. of .308 (4-for-13) in those games.
- Is now 3-2-1 with a 3.47 ERA (46.2 IP, 18 ER), eight walks and 43 strikeouts over a team-high 53 games...among qualifying twins relievers, is 1st in games (53), 3rd in ERA (3.47), 4th in strikeouts (43), T-1st in holds (11) & 2nd in innings pitched (46.2 IP).
- Owns a 4.76 ERA (11.1 IP, 6 ER) over his last 15 outings, including four earned runs over his last 11...earned 11th hold last night vs. TEX.
- Throws his curveball 58.8% of the time...also throws a four seamer (38.4%), changeup (2.7%) and cutter (0.1%).
- With a 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).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/17 at TEX	H11	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	0
8/13 at MIL	BS3	0.0	3	4	3	1	0	0
8/11 vs. CLE	ND	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/8 vs. CLE	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0
8/5 vs. ATL	H10	0.2	2	2	1	0	0	1
8/3 vs. KC	ND	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/1 at MIA	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/28 at CWS	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/23 vs. NYM	BS2	0.1	1	0	0	0	0	0
7/22 vs. NYM	H9	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0

**ZACK LITTELL - RHP**

**#52**

Height: 6-4 Weight: 220 B/T: R/R Age: 24 (10/5/95 in Burlington, NC) Acquired: via trade with NYY, 7/3/17  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.1 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series at TEX: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left .256 vs. Right .269

- This is his 4th stint w/ MIN this season...1.35 ERA (13.1 IP, 2 ER) in 10 games at home this season and 6.75 ERA (10.2 IP, 8 ER) in 8 road games.
- Two scoreless appearance vs. TEX this season (2.0 IP, H, BB, 3 SO)...owns a 4.50 ERA (4.0 IP, 2 ER) with one walk & four strikeouts in one game at Globe Life Park last season (9/2/18) as primary pitcher (Gabriel Moya was the opener).
- 16 of his 18 appearances with Twins this season have been scoreless, is 2-0 with a 3.75 ERA (24.0 IP, 10 ER), seven walks and 21 strikeouts.
- Has allowed 10 ER over 24.0 IP, including a 4.1 IP outing with 8 ER on May 30 at Tampa Bay...remove that appearance, and Littell has pitched to a 0.98 ERA (18.2 IP, 2 ER) with 13 hits as a reliever this season, including four scoreless outings of more than 1.0 IP.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/17 at TEX	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
8/14 at MIL	ND	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/8 vs. CLE	ND	2.2	1	0	0	0	1	1
8/6 vs. ATL	ND	1.2	2	0	0	0	0	2
7/21 vs. OAK	ND	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/20 vs. OAK	BS1	0.2	2	2	2	2	0	2
7/19 vs. OAK	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
7/16 vs. NYM	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/14 at CLE	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0

**TREVOR MAY - RHP**

**#65**

Height: 6-5 Weight: 240 B/T: R/R Age: 29 (9/23/89 in Longview, WA) Acquired: Trade with PHI, 12/6/12  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (3.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 1 BB Series at TEX: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left .194 vs. Right .205

- Has four scoreless innings pitched (2 H, 4 SO) vs. TEX this season (7/7 & 17)...career 0.00 ERA (7.1 IP, 0 ER) with zero walks & 11 strikeouts in five games vs. TEX (all relief appearances)...recorded his 11th hold of the season against TEX last night.
- Is 5-3-1 with 11 holds, a 3.50 ERA (46.1 IP, 18 ER) with 23 walks & 54 strikeouts, while holding opponents to a .199 batting average (34-for-171) this season...36 of 48 appearances this season have been scoreless.
- Is 3-2-1 with five holds and a 5.25 ERA (24.0 IP, 14 ER) with 11 walks & 29 strikeouts at home vs. 2-1 with six holds and a 1.61 ERA (22.1 IP, 4 ER) with 12 walks & 25 strikeouts on the road this season.
- Relies on 5 pitches: four seamer (60.7%), curve (15.7%), slider (13.5%), changeup (9.9%) and sinker (0.2%).
- Induced an inning-ending double play on 8/5, 2nd of the season, first since April...12th of his career, fifth as a reliever.
- The pitch he threw to induce the double play on 8/5 was clocked at 99.8 MPH, according to Statcast, the fastest pitch of his career...only three Twins pitches since data is available (2008) have been faster (all 100.0-plus by Juan Morillo to Akinori Iwamura in April, 2009).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/17 at TEX	H11	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
8/14 at MIL	H10	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	2
8/11 vs. CLE	ND	1.2	0	0	0	0	0	2
8/8 vs. CLE	ND	1.0	1	1	1	1	1	2
8/5 vs. ATL	W5	2.0	1	0	0	0	1	2
8/2 vs. KC	W4	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/27 at CWS	ND	1.0	1	1	0	0	0	1
7/21 vs. OAK	BS2	1.2	2	3	2	0	3	3
7/17 vs. NYM3/BS11.0	3	3	3	1	0	1	0	1
7/14 at CLE	L2	1.0	1	1	1	1	0	2
7/12 at CLE	ND	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	2
7/7 vs. TEX	ND	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	3
7/4 at OAK	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	3

**TAYLOR ROGERS - LHP**

**#55**

Height: 6-3 Weight: 170 B/T: L/L Age: 28 (12/17/90 in Denver, CO) Drafted: 11th round, 2012 Draft  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series at TEX: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .264 vs. Right .226

- Two appearances vs. TEX this season (7/6) earned the save & Friday night earned his 10th hold...is career 0-1-1, in three holds and a 2.84 ERA (12.2 IP, 4 ER) with one walk & 21 strikeouts in 11 games vs. TEX...opp. batting avg. of .196 (9-for-46) in those 11 games.
- Is 2-3 with 18 saves, 10 holds, & a team-best 2.63 ERA (54.2 IP, 16 ER) with 10 walks (2 IBB) & 70 strikeouts in 46 games this season...among Twins relievers, ranks T-4th in wins (2), 3rd in games (46), 1st in innings pitched (54.2 IP) & 1st in strikeouts (70).
- When pitching on back-to-back days: 0-2-2 with a 7.82 ERA (12.2 IP, 11 ER)...at least one day of rest: 2-1-16 with a 41.0 IP, 5 ER (1.10 ERA).
- Recorded his seventh save of the season that necessitated six outs (2.0 + innings) 8/10 vs. CLE, first since 7/18 vs. Oakland...is 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...the last Twin to have at least seven 2.0-inning saves in a single season was Jeff Reardon (also 7) back in 1987.
- Leads Twins in saves (18)...with 18 saves ranks 7th in the AL...also ranks T-3rd among AL relievers (T-5th ML) with a 7.00 strikeout-to-walk ratio.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/16 at TEX	H10	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	2
8/11 vs. CLE	L3	0.1	3	4	4	1	1	1
8/10 vs. CLE	S18	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	2
8/4 vs. KC	S17	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/1 at MIA	BS6	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	3
8/1 vs. MIA	ND	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	2
7/30 at MIA	S16	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/23 vs. NYM	BS5	1.0	2	2	2	1	1	1
7/22 vs. NYM	S15	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	1
7/20 vs. OAKBS4/L2.1.0	3	2	2	0	0	1	0	1
7/18 vs. OAK	S14	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	1
7/13 at CLE	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1

**SERGIO ROMO - RHP**

**#54**

Height: 5-10 Weight: 180 B/T: R/R Age: 36 (3/4/1983 in Brawley, CA) Acquired: Trade with MIA, 7/27/19  
 Roadtrip: 0-1-2, 6.75 (2.2 IP, 2 ER), 1 K, 1 BB Series at TEX: 0-0-1, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 1 BB vs. Left .091 vs. Right .200

- Acquired on 7/27 from Marlins along with Chris Vallimont and a player to be named later, in exchange for first baseman Lewin Diaz.
- On the season, has held right-handed hitters to 19 hits in 95 at-bats (.200/.245/.389 slash line)...career 2-0 with two saves and one hold in 5.0 IP with three walks and four strikeouts in six games with a 1.00 WHIP vs. TEX.
- Made his 8th appearance as a twin on 8/16 (20th save, 1H, 1 BB) vs. TEX, 4th since 8/4 vs. the Royals (1.0 scoreless inning with one strikeout).
- The 8/10 HR to Puig was the first home run he's allowed since 6/9 (Acuña Jr.)...has allowed 3 ER over last 4.0 IP (last four appearances).
- Has played parts of 12 seasons in the major leagues with San Francisco, Los Angeles-NL, Tampa Bay and Miami, going 40-32 with a 2.91 ERA (608.2 IP, 197 ER), 129 saves, 142 walks and 672 strikeouts in 689 games.
- Throws his slider 56.8% of the time, along with a sinker (15.9%), changeup (16.2%) and four seamer (11.1%).

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/16 at TEX	S20	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	0
8/14 at MIL	L2/BS2.0.2	2	3	2	1	0	1	0
8/13 at MIL	S19	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/10 vs. CLE	H5	1.1	1	1	1	1	0	2
8/4 vs. KC	H4	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
8/2 vs. KC	S18	1.1	1	0	0	0	0	2
8/1 at MIA	H3	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/30 at MIA	H2	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
-----Traded to MIN from MIA-----								
7/24 at CWS	S17	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	1
7/22 at CWS	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1

**LEWIS THORPE - LHP**

**#43**

Height: 6-1 Weight: 218 B/T: R/L Age: 23 (11/23/95 in Melbourne, AU) Acquired: Signed as minor league free agent, 7/12/12  
 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series at TEX: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .333 vs. Right .324

- Recalled from AAA Rochester yesterday for 3rd time this season...last 2 appearances w/ ROCH: 3.0 IP 8/13 at INDY (42 pitches) & 6.0 IP 8/7 vs. GWIN.
- 1st ML win on 7/22 vs. NYY, working 2.2 innings in relief (4 H, 1 ER, 2 SO)...looking to make first career appearance vs. an AL West opponent.
- Appeared in 19 games (18 starts) this season for the Red Wings, going 5-4 with a 4.63 ERA (93.1 IP, 48 ER), 25 walks and 113 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).
- 2018 Jim Rantz Award winner as Twins minor league Pitcher of the Year.

**RECENT APPEARANCES**

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
7/26 at CWS	ND	2.0	2	0	0	0	0	0
7/22 vs. NYM	W1	2.2	4	1	1	0	0	2
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**EHIRE ADRIANZA – INF #13**

**Height: 6-1 Weight: 195 B/T: S/R Age: 29 (8/21/89 in Guarenas, VZ)**  
**2019 Average:** .293 **Strike:** 1g, 2-4, 2B **Series at TEX:** 2-5, 2B  
**Roadtrip:** 4-7, 3B, 2 2B, RBI **Home Runs:** 4 (3 1-run, 1 3-run)

- Career .143 (4-for-28) with 1 R, 2B and 2 RBI in 10 games vs. TEX...batting .388 (19-for-49) with 9 runs, 6 XBH, 10 RBI and a 1.059 OPS against the AL West this season.
- Snapped a 5-game hitting streak on 8/15 (7-for-9 w/ 1 2B & 1 3B)...2-for-4 with 2B on 8/16.
- Is hitting .285 (35-for-123) vs. RHP and .317 (13-for-41) vs. LHP this season (2 HR vs. each).
- In 65 G in field (44 starts) - at SS (21 games), 3B (20), 1B (16), 2B (7), RF (3), LF (1) & P (1).
- Career games played: 160 at SS, 73 at 2B, 68 at 3B, 31 at 1B, 23 in LF, 3 in RF and 1 as P.

**LUIS ARRAEZ – INF #2**

**Height: 5-10 Weight: 177 B/T: L/R Age: 22 (4/9/97 in San Felipe, VZ)**  
**2019 Average:** .349 **Strike:** 3g, 5-14, HR, 2B, 4 RBI **Series at TEX:** 5-14, HR, 2B, 4 RBI  
**Roadtrip:** 6-18, HR, 2B, 5 RBI **Home Runs:** 3 (2 1-run, 1 2-run)

- Has hit 2 of his 3 HR vs. TEX, while going 9-for-25 (.321) w/ 2 2B, 5 RBI & .929 OPS in 6 games... was 3B shy of cycle here on 8/15 (3-for-5 w/ 3 RBI, including 2-run HR off Payano).
- Has reached base safely in 48 of 57 ML games (hit in 33; 2 games didn't have PA), w/ 35 R, 23 BB, 15 SO, 10 2B, 1 3B, 3 HR, 20 RBI, .456 SLG & .873 OPS...has 18 multi-hit games (6 with 3+).
- Hitting .405 (15-for-37) with .923 OPS in "close and late" situations...is 13-for-34 (.382) with RISP and 8-for-19 (.421) with RISP and 2 outs.
- Slashing .304/.418/.304 vs. LHP and .367/.416/.518 vs. RHP...hitting .340 on the road in '19.
- Has started 49 of 56 ML games...has already made starts at four different defensive positions: 2B (26), 3B (11), SS (2) and LF (7), with 3 more starts at DH.

**JASON CASTRO – C #15**

**Height: 6-3 Weight: 215 B/T: L/R Age: 32 (6/18/87 in Castro Valley, CA)**  
**2019 Average:** .245 **Strike:** 0-6 **Series at TEX:** 0-4  
**Roadtrip:** 0-4 **Home Runs:** 12 (9 1-run, 3 2-run)

- Career .241 (51-for-212) w/ 9 HR in 64 games vs. TEX. 2-for-7 w/ 2B & 3 RBI this season.
- Tied for 8th in AL w/ 12 HR as catcher...also T-10th in 2B (8) and T-13th in RBI (27).
- Hitting .250 (23-for-92) on the road this year, 11 points higher than at home (.239, 22-for-92).
- Has 757 career games as a catcher (718 starts) - total of 6309.1 innings behind home plate... has played a total of 805 games (any position).

**JAKE CAVE – OF #60**

**Height: 6-0 Weight: 200 B/T: L/L Age: 26 (12/4/92 in Hampton, VA)**  
**2019 Average:** .252 **Strike:** 5g, 10-18, 3 2B, 2 RBI **Series at TEX:** 5-8, 2B, RBI  
**Roadtrip:** 5-8, 2B, RBI **Home Runs:** 2 (2 1-run, 1 2-run)

- Career .526 (10-for-19) vs. TEX in six games...matched a career best with 3 hits last night (5x, last 7/13/18).
- Recalled from Triple-A Rochester on 8/3 for 5th stint with Twins this season...is slashing .458/.500/.583 since recall, going 11-for-24 w/ 3 2B, 2 RBI & a 1.083 OPS (hitting safely in 6 of 7 games with AB).
- Has played in 40 games in field (29 starts): 27 in RF, 10 in CF & 6 in LF.

**C.J. CRON – IB #24**

**Height: 6-4 Weight: 235 B/T: R/R Age: 29 (1/5/90 in Fullerton, CA)**  
**2019 Average:** .257 **Strike:** 1g, 2-4, HR, 2 RBI **Series at TEX:** 3-13, HR, 4 RBI  
**Roadtrip:** 3-18, HR, 4 RBI **Home Runs:** 20 (12 1-run, 6 2-run, 2 3-run)

- Reached the 20-HR mark for the 2nd straight season last night...has 27 RBI in 33 career games at Globe Life Park (career-high 6 on 7/4/15)...made ML debut vs. TEX (5/3/14)...is a career .297 hitter (74-for-249) w/ 27 XBH, 51 RBI & .831 OPS vs. Rangers.
- Reinstated from 10-day IL on 8/3, hitting 11-for-48 w/ HR, 7 RBI & .669 OPS in 13 games since.
- Has played in 96 games for the Twins this season, hitting .258 (95-for-368) w/ 20 2B, 20 HR, 63 RBI, 25 walks and a .795 OPS.
- Owns a .993 OPS w/ RISP, going 27-for-84 (.321) w/ 9 2B, 5 HR & 44 RBI.
- Is slashing .327/.384/.634 vs. LHP, going 33-for-101 w/ 7 2B, 8 HR, 24 RBI & a 1.018 OPS.

**MITCH GARVER – C #18**

**Height: 6-1 Weight: 220 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (1/15/91 in Albuquerque, NM)**  
**2019 Average:** .264 **Strike:** 4g, 4-19, 2 HR, 5 RBI **Series at TEX:** 2-9, 2 RBI  
**Roadtrip:** 4-19, 2 HR, 5 RBI **Home Runs:** 23 (13 1-run, 8 2-run, 2 3-run)

- Lifetime .400 (12-for-30) with 3 2B, HR, 7 RBI and 1.038 OPS vs. TEX (9 games).
- Hit his 2nd leadoff HR of the season last Wednesday at MIL (off Gio Gonzalez)...becomes the 4th catcher in baseball history w/ multiple leadoff HR in a single season, joining Paul Lo Duca (4 in 2001), Buck Ewing (3 in 1883) and John Jaso (2 in 2010).
- Leads majors with 23 HR as a catcher...tied Joe Mauer (2009) for the second-most homers by a Twins catcher in a single season, trailing only Earl Battey (26 in 1963)...they are the only three Twins catchers to reach 20 homers in a season.
- Is 2nd in RBI (50) and 2nd in runs scored (49) among AL catchers...also 6th in hits (63).
- Is slashing .305/.408/.695 vs. LHP, going 25-for-82 w/ 3 2B, 3B, 9 HR, 18 RBI & 13 BB (batting .244 vs. RHP)...is also hitting .327 (17-for-52) w/ RISP, with 4 HR, 25 RBI and 1.024 OPS.

**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:** .270 **Strike:** 3g, 10-14, 2 2B, 4 RBI **Series at TEX:** 10-14, 2 2B, 4 RBI  
**Roadtrip:** 12-22, HR, 2 2B, 7 RBI **Home Runs:** 14 (8 1-run, 5 2-run, 1 3-run)

- Matched his career-high (5th time, 2nd as Twin) w/ 4 hits on 8/15 (4-for-5 w/ 2B & 2 RBI)... also 3-for-5 last night with a 2B & 2 R...is now 14-for-25 w/ 3 2B, HR, 7 RBI & a 1.377 OPS in 6 games vs. TEX this season.
- Has hit safely in 9 of his last 10 games (6 multi-hit efforts in his last 8), going 17-for-33 (.515) w/ 3 2B, 2 HR, 9 RBI & a 1.303 OPS.
- Has posted 3+ hits in 3 consecutive games for the 1st time in his career. 1st Twins batter with such a streak since Danny Valencia had 3+ hits in 4 straight, 7/24-27/10...has gone 10-for-14 with 8 singles and 2 doubles over 1st 3 contests of this 4-game set.
- Recorded his team-leading 7th outfield assist on 8/7 which ranks T-14th in all of baseball (T-8th AL)...has done so over 50 games (43 starts) in the outfield.

**MAX KEPLER – OF #26**

**Height: 6-4 Weight: 220 B/T: L/L Age: 26 (2/10/93 in Berlin, Germany)**  
**2019 Average:** .257 **Strike:** 2g, 3-9, HR, 3 RBI **Series at TEX:** 3-14, HR, 3 RBI  
**Roadtrip:** 3-19, HR, 3 RBI **Home Runs:** 33 (23 1-run, 7 2-run, 3 3-run)

- Career .213 (19-for-89) w/ 6 HR & 22 RBI in 24 games vs. TEX (6-for-28 this season).
- Set single-season, Major League record for the most HR by a European born player on 8/16 (Bobby Thomson from Scotland, hit 32 for NY Giants in 1951).
- Owns an .869 OPS vs. LHP this year, 3rd-best among AL left-handed batters...25 of his 33 homers this season have come off righties (.873 OPS, 6th-best among AL LHB).
- His 30 HR as leadoff hitter are 1st in baseball...among AL leadoff hitters, also ranks 3rd in RBI (66), 3rd in SLG (.556), 4th in runs (74), 4th in OPS (.892), T-5th in 2B (23) & 8th in hits (96).
- Overall AL ranks: 3rd in HR (33), T-8th in RBI (81), T-9th in runs (83), T-12th in total bases (243), T-17th in 2B (27), 18th in SLG (.533) & 21st in OPS (.869).
- T-4th in AL w/ 12 HR since All-Star break.
- Hit 5th leadoff HR of season (& career) 8/1 at MIA...5 this season rank T-3rd in AL & T-5th in Twins history...already ranked T-7th in Twins history for career leadoff HR.
- Hit 30th HR in 108th team game, 6th-fastest Twin ever (Harmon Killebrew owns 5 fastest).

**JORGE POLANCO – SS #11**

**Height: 5-11 Weight: 200 B/T: R/R Age: 26 (7/5/93 in San Pedro de Macoris, DR)**  
**2019 Average:** .293 **Strike:** 1g, 3-5, 2B **Series at TEX:** 5-15, 2B, RBI  
**Roadtrip:** 7-23, 2B, 3 RBI **Home Runs:** 17 (9 1-run, 7 2-run, 1 3-run)

- Recorded his 1st big league hit here on June 27, 2014 off Joaquin Soria and is a career .262 hitter (11-for-42) at Globe Life Park...is 9-for-29 (.310) w/ HR & 3 RBI this season vs. TEX.
- Has established career highs in: runs (75), hits (144), 2B (32), 3B (5), HR (17) & BB (47).
- AL ranks: 24th in wOBA (.372), 6th in hits (144), T-8th in 2B (31), T-9th in 3B (5), 14th in AVG (.293) & T-16th in total bases (237)...owns team-leading 41 multi-hit games (T-7th in AL), including 11 w/ 3+ hits.
- Hitting .320 (32-for-100) & .891 OPS w/ RISP...is 13-for-42 (.310) & .943 OPS w/ RISP & 2 outs.
- Started at SS for the AL 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 4.7, currently 4th highest in Twins SS history.
- Combined with Nelson Cruz on 7/22-23 to hit back-to-back HR on consecutive days, becoming the 3rd Twins duo in history to accomplish the feat, and 1st since 5/8-9/2009 (Mauer, Morneau).
- Hit for cycle 4/5 at PHI (11th in Twins history); recorded 5 hits in the game...recorded 5 hits again 5/8 at TOR (3B short of cycle).
- 1 of 5 players in club history w/ 2+ 5-hit games in a season (Mauer - 2010, Span - 2009, Puckett - 1990, and Oliva - 1965)...1 of 5 SS's in baseball since 1998 with 2 5-hit games in a season: Jeter ('11), J. Peralta ('08), Garciparra ('03), DiSarcina ('98).

**EDDIE ROSARIO – OF #20**

**Height: 6-1 Weight: 180 B/T: L/R Age: 27 (9/28/91 in Guayama, PR)**  
**2019 Average:** .281 **Strike:** 0-6, RBI **Series at TEX:** 1-10, HR, 2 RBI  
**Roadtrip:** 4-18, 2 HR, 2B, 3 RBI **Home Runs:** 27 (16 1-run, 6 2-run, 5 3-run)

- Tied his career high on 8/15 with his 27th HR in his 102nd game, matching 2017 total (151 games)...also has career-high 80 RBI (surpassing 78 in 2017).
- Is T-8th in the AL with those 81 RBI and T-12th for HR (27)...hitting .330 (37-for-112) w/ 8 HR & .928 OPS w/ RISP, and .314 (16-for-51) w/RISP & 2 outs.
- Career .327 (32-for-98) with 11 XBH, 16 R, 14 RBI and a .864 OPS vs. TEX, including a .352 (19-for-54) here in Arlington, with 7 XBH and a .935 OPS in 12 games.
- Has 5 XBH over his last 6 games...is slashing .292/.310/.585 with 9 XBH (4 2B, 5 HR), 17 R, 13 RBI and a .894 OPS since July 31.
- Is 32-for-115 (.278) w/ 5 2B, 7 HR & 21 RBI in 28 games (hitting safely in 22) since being activated from 10-day IL on 7/16 (missed 13 games w/ a left ankle sprain).
- Is hitting .277/.311/.482 vs. LHP this season w/ 13 XBH... .283/.306/.537 w/ 22 HR off RHP.
- Joined Kepler (21) as 2nd Twins3 duo all-time w/ 20+ HR pre-ASG, joining Harmon Killebrew (30) and Bob Allison (21) in 1964.

**MIGUEL SANO – INF #22**

**Height: 6-4 Weight: 272 B/T: R/R Age: 26 (5/11/93 in S.Pedro de Macoris, DR)**  
**2019 Average:** .242 **Strike:** 1g, 3-6, HR, 2 RBI **Series at TEX:** 4-12, 2 HR, 3 RBI  
**Roadtrip:** 6-20, 3 HR, 4 RBI **Home Runs:** 23 (10 1-run, 8 2-run, 3 3-run)

- Lifetime vs. TEX, batting .349/.447/.663 (30-for-86) with 12 XBH (7 HR) and 18 RBI...hitting .340 (17-for-50) with a 1.021 OPS over 12 games here in Arlington.
- 38 of his 64 hits this season (74 games) have gone for extra bases (14 2B, 1 3B, 23 HR)... (265 AB)...has homered in 3 of his last 4 games.
- Ranks 2nd in MLB with 56.9% hard-hit rate (95 MPH+ exit velocity), trailing only NYY's Aaron Judge (57.0%)...is 4th in majors with 93.8 MPH avg. exit velocity (since 1961).
- Has a 1.017 OPS in 43 games since 6/28...is 41-for-147 (.279) w/ 33 R, 7 2B, 1 3B, 14 HR, 35 RBI and 26 BB over stretch.
- Rolled into his first double play of the season last Tuesday...snapped a streak of 97 games without a DP, dating back to August 1, 2018...was 9th-longest streak by any Twin in history.
- Delivered pinch-hit, walk-off HR w/ 2 outs in 9th on 8/5, 443-foot blast that was 109.4 MPH off bat...was 9th pinch-hit, walk-off HR in Twins history (since 1961).
- Collected his 3rd multi-HR game of season on 7/23 (6th career), with his 2nd being 100th of his career...is the fastest Twin to ever reach 100 HR (432 games).
- Hitting .292 (40-for-137) with 16 HR, 32 RBI & 1.076 OPS in 38 games on the road this season.

**JONATHAN SCHOOP – 2B #16**

**Height: 6-1 Weight: 225 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (10/16/91 in Willemstad, Curacao)**  
**2019 Average:** .253 **Strike:** 2g, 2-7, HR, 2B, 2 RBI **Series at TEX:** 1-3, HR, 2 RBI  
**Roadtrip:** 2-8, HR, 2B, 2 RBI **Home Runs:** 17 (5 1-run, 8 2-run, 4 3-run)

- Is 6-for-15 w/ 2 2B, 2 HR & 7 RBI this season vs. TEX...career .278 hitter here (15-for-54) w/ 5 HR...is a .311 lifetime hitter against the Rangers (.900 OPS, 14 XBH, 24 RB).
- Hitting .323 (30-for-93) against the AL West this season, w/ 17 XBH (8 HR) and 24 RBI.
- Ranks 3rd in AL w/ 17 HR as second baseman...is also 2nd in 2B (20), 4th in hits (88), 2nd in SLG (.470), 2nd in OPS (.773), 3rd in AVG (.260) and 4th in RBI (45).
- 14 pre-ASG HR tied for 4th among Twins 2B's with Brian Dozier (2016)...has played only 18 games since All-Star break, slashing .211/.246/.357 (12-for-57 w/ 2 2B, 2 HR & 5 RBI).
- All 91 of his games in the field (89 starts) this season have come at 2B (.964 fielding pct.).
- Delivered 4th multi-HR game of season 5/23 at LAA, already a single-season record for a Twins second baseman and tied for the 3rd-most at the position since 1908.

**TWINS HOME RUN DATA**

MULTI-HOMER GAMES (24x)		BACK-TO-BACK (10x)		INSIDE-THE-PARK (0x)		LEADOFF (7x)	
• Garver, 4/9 at NYM	• Schoop, 5/18 at SEA	• Garver, 7/22 vs. NYY	• Cruz/Rosario/Cron, 4/26 vs. BAL	• None	• Kepler, 4/7 at PHI	• Kepler, 4/7 at PHI	• Kepler, 4/7 at PHI
• Schoop, 4/9 at NYM	• Cron, 5/18 at SEA	• Sano, 7/23 vs. NYY	• Castro/Kepler, 4/27 vs. BAL	• Runners on	• Kepler, 4/28 vs. BAL	• Kepler, 4/28 vs. BAL	• Kepler, 4/28 vs. BAL
• Rosario, 4/18 vs. TOR	• Sano, 5/23 at LAA	• Cruz, 7/25 at CWS (3 HR)	• Sano/Schoop, 5/23 at LAA	• Solo - 134	• Kepler, 6/6 at CLE	• Kepler, 6/6 at CLE	• Kepler, 6/6 at CLE
• Cruz, 4/20-G1 at BAL	• Schoop, 5/23 at LAA	• Cruz, 8/3 vs. KC (3 HR)	• Schoop/Castro, 6/11 vs. SEA	• 2-run - 76	• Kepler, 7/13 at CLE	• Kepler, 7/13 at CLE	• Kepler, 7/13 at CLE
• Garver, 4/20-G2 at BAL	• Kepler, 6/6 at CLE (3 HR)	• Cruz, 8/6 vs. ATL	• Polanco/Cruz, 7/22 vs. NYY	• 3-run - 26	• Kepler, 7/20 vs. OAK	• Kepler, 7/20 vs. OAK	• Kepler, 7/20 vs. OAK
• Rosario, 4/20-G1 at BAL	• Sano, 6/28 at CWS		• Polanco/Cruz, 7/23 vs. NYY	• Grand Slam - 1	• Kepler, 8/1 at MIL	• Kepler, 8/1 at MIL	• Kepler, 8/1 at MIL
• Schoop, 4/20-G2 at BAL	• Kepler, 6/29 at CWS		• Polanco/Cruz, 8/3 vs. KC		• Garver, 8/14 at MIL	• Garver, 8/14 at MIL	• Garver, 8/14 at MIL
• Cruz, 4/26 vs. BAL	• Cruz, 6/29 at CWS						
• Kepler, 4/27 vs. BAL	• Castro, 7/2 at OAK						
	• Kepler 7/13 at CLE						

**HITTERS INFO**

Player	Multi-Hit	Multi-RBI	Season Hit-Stroke	Season High Hits	LAST HOME RUN			LAST GRAND SLAM			VS. CURRENT OPPONENT 2019					VS. CURRENT OPPONENT CAREER					
					Date	Opp.	On	Date	Opp.	Career #	Avg	H	AB	HR	RBI	Avg	H	AB	HR	RBI	
Ehire Adrianza	15	5	5, 8/7-8/14	3, 7/21	5/25/19	vs. CWS	2	Herrera	6/12/18	at DET	1	.400	2	5	0	0	.143	4	28	0	2
Luis Arraez	18	3	12, 7/2-7/19	4, 6/23	8/15/19	at TEX	1	Payano			0	.321	9	28	2	5	.321	9	28	2	5
Jason Castro	10	7	5, 5/24-6/1	3, 7/2	8/09/19	vs. CLE	0	Bieber	8/03/15	at TEX	3	.286	2	7	0	3	.241	51	212	9	26
Jake Cave	7	1	3, 8/9-8/17	3, 8/17	7/13/19	at CLE	0	Bauer	8/05/18	vs. KC	1	.625	5	8	0	1	.526	10	19	3	5
C.J. Cron	24	17	7, 6/15-6/22	5, 5/23	8/17/19	at TEX	1	Jurado	5/21/17	at NYM	2	.278	5	18	1	6	.297	74	249	9	51
Mitch Garver	16	16	6, 6/6-6/15	4, 4/9	8/14/19	at MIL	0	Gonzalez			0	.333	6	18	1	3	.400	12	30	1	7
Marwin Gonzalez	27	13	11, 5/7-5/21	4, 8/15	8/13/19	at MIL	2	Hader	8/24/18	at LAA	2	.560	14	25	1	7	.274	81	296	8	44
Max Kepler	32	20	10, 5/16-5/28	4, 6/16	8/16/19	at TEX	1	Minor	8/26/17	at TOR	2	.214	6	28	1	5	.213	19	89	6	22
Jorge Polanco	41	15	14, 5/27-6/13	5, 5/8	8/03/19	vs. KC	2	Duffy			0	.310	9	29	1	3	.277	18	65	1	9
Eddie Rosario	33	24	8, 7/30-8/7	4, 6/25	8/15/19	at TEX	0	Guerrieri	4/20/18	at TB	3	.100	1	10	1	2	.327	32	98	4	15
Miguel Sano	20	14	11, 6/28-7/14	4, 5/2	8/17/19	at TEX	1	Sampson			0	.364	8	22	2	3	.349	30	86	7	18
Jonathan Schoop	22	11	8, 6/29-7/13	3, 7/5	8/16/19	at TEX	1	Minor	9/09/18	vs. SF	3	.400	6	15	2	7	.311	37	119	7	24

**MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS**

Most Runs, Game (Team).....	18, 5/18 at SEA
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, 3x, last: 7/23 vs. NYY
Most Runs Allowed, Inning (Team).....	6, 4x, last: 6th inning, 8/6 vs. ATL
Most Hits Allowed (Team).....	20, 7/23 vs. NYY
Most Hits Allowed, Inning (Team).....	6, 4x, last: 5th inning, 8/9 vs. CLE
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.....	9, 2x, last: Berríos, 8/6 vs. ATL
Most Home Runs, Starter.....	4, Smeltzer, 6/4 at CLE
Most Walks, Starter.....	6, Gibson, 8/9 vs. CLE
Most Strikeouts, Starter.....	11, 3x, last: Berríos, 7/31 at MIA
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, Odorizzi, 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.....	40,127, 7/24 vs. NYY
Home Sellouts.....	8, last: 7/24 vs. NYY
Different Lineups Used.....	109

**SCORE BY INNING**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	XTRA	TOTAL
<b>OPPONENT</b>	46	53	64	55	79	51	79	88	43	17	575
<b>TWINS</b>	74	90	100	98	83	60	78	84	43	6	716

**INJURED LIST**

PLAYER	INJURY	DATE ON	RETRO	DATE OFF	GAMES MISSED
Matt Magill.....	Right Shoulder Tendinitis	3/27		4/26	23
Gabriel Moya.....	Left Shoulder Tendinitis	3/27		4/24	22
Miguel Sanó.....	Right Heel Laceration	3/27		5/15	42
Williams Astudillo.....	Left Hamstring Strain	4/28		5/12	15
*Adalberto Mejia.....	Right Calf Strain	5/2	5/1	7/2	56
Mitch Garver.....	High Left Ankle Sprain	5/15		6/2	16
Nelson Cruz.....	Left Wrist Strain	5/17	5/14	6/3	15
Michael Pineda.....	Right Knee Tendinitis	5/28		6/6	8
Byron Buxton.....	Right Wrist Contusion	6/18	6/15	6/29	13
Ehire Adrianza.....	Abdominal Issues	6/18	6/17	6/28	10
Marwin Gonzalez.....	Right Hamstring Strain	6/19		6/29	9
Williams Astudillo.....	Left Oblique Strain	6/27			43
Eddie Rosario.....	Left Ankle Sprain	6/28	6/27	7/16	13
Jake Odorizzi.....	Right Middle Finger Blister	7/3		7/13	6
C.J. Cron.....	Right Thumb Inflammation	7/6		7/16	5
LaMonte Wade Jr.....	Right Thumb Dislocation	7/7			35
Byron Buxton.....	Concussion-like Symptoms	7/16	7/14	7/25	10
C.J. Cron.....	Right Thumb Inflammation	7/22	7/21	8/3	12
Byron Buxton.....	Left Shoulder Subluxation	8/3	8/2		15
Michael Pineda.....	Right Triceps Strain	8/3	8/2	8/15	12
Sam Dyson.....	Right Biceps Tendinitis	8/4	8/3	8/13	9
Nelson Cruz.....	Left Wrist Strain	8/9			8

BOLD indicates currently on IL \*60-day IL REHAB UPDATE: n/a

**EJECTIONS**

DATE	PLAYER/MGR/CH	UMPIRE	REASON	CAREER
4/15 vs. TOR	Rocco Baldelli	Mike Estabrook	Arguing Possible HBP	First
7/23 vs. NYY	Rocco Baldelli	Ramon De Jesus	Arguing Balls and Strikes	Second
7/23 vs. NYY	James Rowson	Ramon De Jesus	Arguing Balls and Strikes	Second

**STARTS BY POSITION**

	C	1B	2B	SS	3B	LF	CF	RF	DH
Ehire Adrianza	0	9	7	15	11	0	0	2	0
Luis Arraez	0	0	26	2	11	8	0	0	3
Williams Astudillo	13	4	1	0	8	1	0	3	2
Tyler Austin	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	0	0	78	0	0
Jason Castro	56	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jake Cave	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	19	0
C.J. Cron	0	89	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Nelson Cruz	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	81
Mitch Garver	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Marwin Gonzalez	0	13	2	1	34	13	0	30	2
Max Kepler	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	68	2
Jorge Polanco	0	0	0	105	0	0	0	0	11
Eddie Rosario	0	0	0	0	0	95	1	0	3
Miguel Sanó	0	7	0	0	59	0	0	0	2
Jonathan Schoop	0	0	87	0	0	0	0	0	2
LaMonte Wade Jr	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0

**STARTS BY BATTING ORDER**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ehire Adrianza	0	0	0	0	0	4	17	16	7
Luis Arraez	2	3	0	5	3	25	5	3	4
Williams Astudillo	1	2	5	1	6	3	8	3	3
Tyler Austin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	71
Jason Castro	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	42	7
Jake Cave	0	0	0	0	1	7	3	10	8
C.J. Cron	0	4	5	8	57	6	9	2	1
Nelson Cruz	0	0	81	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mitch Garver	16	7	6	5	13	1	7	1	0
Marwin Gonzalez	0	6	7	8	15	47	8	4	0
Max Kepler	89	1	0	0	1	13	4	1	0
Jorge Polanco	15	94	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eddie Rosario	0	0	5	94	0	0	0	0	0
Miguel Sanó	0	2	4	2	24	6	24	5	1
Jonathan Schoop	0	4	3	0	3	7	34	29	9
LaMonte Wade Jr	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1

**MOST USED LINEUP [7X]**

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

**OUTFIELD ASSISTS**

Gonzalez	7
Rosario	6
Buxton	5
Kepler	4
Cave	2
Adrianza	1
Astudillo	1
Arraez	1
TOTALS	27

**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:** M. Sanó, 8/5/19 vs. ATL (2 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:** N. Cruz, 8/6/19 vs. ATL (20 as a team in 2019-excludes 3 HR games)  
**Three-Home Run Game:** N. Cruz, 8/3/19 vs. KC (3 as a team in 2019, 12 all-time)  
**Back-to-Back Home Runs:** J. Polanco/N. Cruz, 8/3/19 vs. KC (10 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:** C. Cron/J. Polanco/N. Cruz (2nd), 8/3/19 vs. KC (5 in 2019)  
**Four Home Runs, One Inning:** S. Mack/K. Puckett/K. Hrbek/H. Bush, 5/2/92 at NYY  
**Walk-Off Home Run:** M. Sanó, 8/5/19 vs. ATL (1 as a team in 2019)  
**Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run:** M. Sanó, 8/5/19 vs. ATL (10 all-time)  
**Leadoff Home Run:** M. Garver, 8/14/19 at MIL (7 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:** 11, J. Berríos, 7/31/19 at MIA (5 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/J. Schoop/C.J. Cron, 8/7 vs. ATL - T. Flowers hitting (14 all-time)  
**Position Player Pitching:** E. Adrianza, 7/17/19 vs. NYM (1 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  
**Home Run in First ML At-Bat:** E. Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)

**AGAINST THE TWINS**

**HITTING:**  
**Hit for the Cycle:** A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time)  
**Grand Slam:** C. Santana, 8/11/19 vs. CLE (4 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. Gregorius, 7/23/19 vs. NYY  
**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:** O. Albies, 8/7/19 vs. ATL (9 allowed in 2019)  
**Three-Home Run Game:** J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR  
**Back-to-Back Home Runs:** O. Albies/F. Freeman, 8/7/19 vs. ATL (6 allowed in 2019)  
**Three Consecutive Home Runs:** A. Jones/V. Castellanos/ 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:** H. Ramirez, 8/1/19 at MIA (1 allowed in 2019)  
**Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run:** C. Santana, 9/23/11 at CLE (12 all-time)  
**Leadoff Home Run:** R. Acuña Jr., 8/6/19 vs. ATL (2 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, S. Bieber, 8/9/19 vs. CLE (4 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 (8 all-time)  
**Position Player Pitching:** A. Reed, 7/28/19 at CWS (2 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

**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.
6/27 vs. TB	DELAYED	Game delayed 57 minutes due to rain showers all day, first pitch was scheduled for 12:10 p.m. start. First pitch was 1:07 p.m.
7/5 vs. TEX	DELAYED	Game delayed 1:12 minutes due to rain showers, first pitch was scheduled for 7:10 p.m. start. First pitch was 8:22 p.m.
7/17 vs. NYM	DELAYED	Game delayed 32 minutes due to inclement weather, first pitch was scheduled for 12:10 p.m. start. First pitch was 12:47 p.m.
8/3 vs. KC	DELAYED	Game delayed 1:22 minutes due to inclement weather/Hall of Fame celebration, first pitch was scheduled for 6:38 p.m. start. First pitch was 8:00 p.m.
8/10 vs. CLE	DELAYED	Game delayed 1:51 minutes due to rain showers, first pitch was scheduled for 6:10 p.m. start, First pitch was 8:01 p.m.

2010: 1 PPD / 1 DEL    2012: 1 PPD / 4 DEL    2014: 3 PPD / 6 DEL    2016: 3 PPD / 11 DEL    2018: 4 PPD / 5 DEL  
2011: 3 PPD / 3 DEL    2013: 3 PPD / 4 DEL    2015: 1 PPD / 3 DEL    2017: 4 PPD / 7 DEL    2019: 1 PPD / 6 DEL

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



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HOME GAMES ROAD GAMES

All game times are listed as Central

\* - Denotes Sellout (9 in 2019) ^ - Denotes Extra-Innings (Twins are 4-6 in extra-innings)

# - PPD game from 4/12 vs. DET ## - PPD game from 4/19 at BAL # - PPD game from 5/22 at LAA

2019 WALK-OFF VICTORIES [3]

Table listing 3 walk-off victories with columns for Date, Score, and Notes. Victories include 6/18 vs. BOS, 7/21 vs. OAK, and 8/5 vs. ATL.

2019 PLAYERS ON ROSTER [46]

Table listing 46 players on the roster, categorized by Pitchers (30) and Position Players (16). Lists names and positions for each player.