



GAME NOTES

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'69 '70 '87 '91

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AMERICAN LEAGUE CHAMPIONS
'65 '87 '91

WORLD CHAMPIONS
'87 '91

MINNESOTA TWINS (69-42) vs. ATLANTA BRAVES (66-47)

MONDAY, AUGUST 5, 2019 - 7:10 PM (CT) - TV: FOX SPORTS NORTH / RADIO: TIBN-WCCO

RHP Jake Odorizzi (12-5, 3.37) vs. RHP Mike Soroka (10-2, 2.37)

GAME 112

HOME GAME 56

UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Probable Pitchers	Time	Television	Radio / Spanish Radio
8/6	vs. Atlanta	RHP José Berríos (10-5, 2.80) vs. RHP Mike Foltynewicz (2-5, 6.37)	7:10 pm (CT)	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO / twinsbeisbol.com
8/7	vs. Atlanta	LHP Martín Pérez (8-4, 4.58) vs. LHP Max Fried (12-4, 4.07)	12:10 pm (CT)	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO / None

SEASON AT A GLANCE

Record:	69-42
Home Record:	34-21
Road Record:	35-21
Record in series:	21-10-5
Series Openers:	24-12
Series Finals:	19-18
Rubber Games:	4-7
Sweeps/Swept:	8/1
March/April:	17-10
May:	21-8
June:	15-12
July:	13-11
August:	3-1
September/October:	
Day Games:	25-17
Night Games:	44-25
vs. American League East:	18-11
vs. American League Central:	27-13
vs. American League West:	19-11
vs. National League:	5-7
Games vs. LH Starter:	14-12
Games vs. RH Starter:	55-30
Twins score first:	55-18
Opponent scores first:	14-24
Come-from-behind wins:	22
Leading after 7/8 inn.:	58-5/62-3
Trailing after 7/8 inn.:	6-33/3-35
Tied after 7/8 inn.:	5-4/4-4
Extra-innings:	4-5
1-run games:	16-10
Twins out-hit opp.:	55-8
Opp. out-hit Twins:	11-31
Twins/Opp. have = hits:	3-3
Run Differential:	+141 (642-500)
Twins get Quality Start:	41-13
Twins starter goes 6+ IP:	44-17
Most games over .500:	27, 8/5
Most games under .500:	
Longest win-streak:	6, 5/20-26
Longest losing-streak:	3, 7/14-17
When Twins score 4+:	62-19
When Twins score 3-:	7-23
Twins get 10+ hits:	43-8
Days in First Place:	119
Days in Second Place:	5
Days in Third Place:	4
Days in Fourth Place:	4
Days in Fifth Place:	
Walk-Off W/L:	2/1
Shutouts W/L:	8-2
CG's:	
Target Field Sellouts ('19/All-Time):	8/169

THE TWINS: The Twins have gone 3-0 on their current homestand, sweeping the Royals over the weekend...tonight the Twins will continue their season-long 10-game homestand with the first of three vs. Atlanta...after this series, the Twins will host division rival Cleveland for four games from Thursday-Sunday...each of the Twins next 13 games are against teams above .500 and have a combined record of 246-202 (.549).

TWINS SHUTOUT AND SWEEP ROYALS: The Twins beat the Royals yesterday afternoon by a score of 3-0, their eighth sweep and eighth shutout of an opponent this season...Devin Smeltzer earned his first major league victory with 6.0 shutout innings, two hits, one walk and four strikeouts...the offense recorded six hits, two from both Luis Arraez and Eddie Rosario...Jason Castro hit his 11th home run of the season.

THIS IS MY BOOM STICK: Nelson Cruz has hit 30 home runs, tied for fifth most in baseball...14 of those home runs have been hit since the All-Star break, the most in baseball...he is on pace to hit 43 home runs and record 105 RBI...Atlanta (5 games), Philadelphia (5 games) and San Francisco (12 games) are the only three teams in baseball in which Cruz has never homered against...below is where Cruz ranks on baseball's all-time home run list:

PLAYER	HR	PLAYER	HR
56) Duke Snider.....	407	60) Joe Carter.....	396
57) Andres Galarraga.....	399	61) Jim Edmonds.....	393
Al Kaline.....	399	62) Nelson Cruz.....	390
59) Dale Murphy.....	398	Graig Nettles.....	390

SOUND THE BOMBA HORN: The Twins 217 home runs are the most in baseball, 27 more than second-place Los Angeles-NL (190)...they need just four home runs to match their all-time record of 225, set in 1963...they need 50 home runs to match the Major League Baseball all-time record of 267 set last season by New York-AL...Twins are currently on pace to hit 316...below are the Twins all-time single-season home run totals and total multi-homer game ranks:

YEAR	HR/GAME	AB/HR	HOME RUNS
1) 1963.....	1.40	24.58	225
2) 1964.....	1.36	25.38	221
3) 2019.....	1.95	18.11	217

KINGS OF THEIR HILL: How Twins starting pitching numbers compare at home vs. on the road:

	ERA	WHIP	OPS	K/9.0	BB/9.0	HR/9.0	BAA
HOME	3.54	1.13	.676	8.4	2.12	1.17	.237
ROAD	4.02	1.28	.731	8.2	2.82	1.34	.251

INTERLEAGUE PLAY: The Twins have gone 5-7 in Interleague Play this season, going 1-2 at Philadelphia, 1-3 vs. New York, 1-1 vs. Milwaukee and 2-1 at Miami...they have an all-time IL record of 216-198, the eighth most wins all-time, trailing New York-AL (247), Boston (246), Los Angeles-AL (235), Oakland (226), Texas (224), Chicago-AL (218) and Detroit (217).

☞ Miguel Sanó has reached safely in each of his last 21 starts in IL Play, hitting .288 (23-for-80) with eight doubles, four home runs, 12 RBI, 12 walks, a .387 on-base percentage and a .925 OPS in that span.

☞ Eddie Rosario is hitting .321 (52-for-162) with 13 doubles, 11 home runs and 27 RBI in his last 40 games vs. NL opponents.

☞ Jorge Polanco is hitting .327 (48-for-147) with an .882 OPS in 42 career games vs. NL teams.

☞ C.J. Cron is hitting .306 (56-for-183) with 13 doubles, 11 home runs, 36 RBI and a .920 OPS in 67 career IL games.

TWINS-BRAVES: Twins and Braves are playing each other in the regular season for the 17th time in their history...Twins are 7-9 all-time against the Braves in the regular season, going 5-4 at Metrodome, 2-3 at Turner Field and 0-2 at Target Field...they last played in 2016, getting swept in two games July 26-27 and sweeping in two at Turner Field August 16-17.

☞ Reliever Ryne Harper was drafted by the Braves in the 37th round of the 2011 First-Year Player Draft out of Austin Peay State University...he spent five seasons in the Atlanta minor league system, from 2011-15, getting as high as Double-A Mississippi.

INSIDE THE LAST 10: The Twins have gone 10-5 in their last 15 games...during that span, they have out-scored opponents 66-33 and out-hit opponents 88-75...pitchers have posted a 2.97 ERA (91.0 IP, 30 ER) with a .220 opponent batting average in those 10; starters have gone 7-1, 2.45 ERA (62.1 IP, 17 ER) and relievers have posted a .215 opponent batting average.

CAUTION, HIGH WATER: The Twins are currently at their high-water mark of 27 games over .500, their highest since October 2, 2010 when they were 94-67...the last time they were 28 games over .500 was through their game on September 29, 2010 when they were 93-65.

EXTRA! EXTRA! The Twins enter tonight having recorded at least one extra-base hit in 65 straight games, dating back to May 20...it is the eighth longest XBH-streak in club history...one extra-base hit tonight would tie their seventh longest streak, done September 16, 1984-June 7, 1985...the club record is 98 straight from June 9-September 29, 2009.

MAD MAX: Max Kepler has hit seven home runs in his last 14 games...28 of his 30 home runs have come from the leadoff spot, the most in baseball, three players in baseball reached 30 homers from the leadoff spot last season: Francisco Lindor (37), Mookie Betts (32) and Matt Carpenter (30)...the club record for homers at the leadoff spot is 34, done by Brian Dozier in 2017 (Kepler already second).

ON THIS DAY IN TWINS HISTORY: In 2001, Kirby Puckett and Dave Winfield, along with Bill Mazeroski and Hilton Smith, were inducted into the National Baseball Hall of Fame...Puckett is the Twins all-time leader in hits (2,304), runs (1,071), second in doubles (414), and third in RBI (1,085)...Winfield dons a San Diego cap in his HOF plaque but the St. Paul native recorded his 3,000th hit in a Twins uniform on September 16, 1993 at the Metrodome.

CANCER AWARENESS NIGHT: Supporters purchasing this special theme night ticket package will receive a Twins Cancer Awareness hat (1 per person), with colors corresponding to the colors associated with the most prevalent cancers in Twins Territory. A portion of each ticket purchased through this special package will be donated back to local nonprofit organizations to support cancer research and awareness.

STREAKS

Current Streak.....	3 wins
Last 5 games.....	4-1
Last 10 games.....	8-2
Last 15 games.....	10-5
Last 20 games.....	11-9

TWINS VS. BRAVES

2016 Record.....	2-2
Current Streak.....	2 wins
2016 at Home.....	0-2
2016 at Atlanta.....	2-0
All-Time Record.....	7-9
All-Time at Home.....	5-6
All-Time at Atlanta.....	2-3

2016 Game Logs:

Date	Site	Score	Winner/Loser/Save
7/26	MIN	0-2	Harrell/Santana/Johnson
7/27	MIN	7-9	Foltynewicz/Duffey/Johnson
8/16	ATL	4-2	Santana/De La Cruz/Kintzler
8/17	ATL	10-3	Gibson/O'Flaherty

CURRENT HOMESTAND [3-0]

Batting average.....	.296
Runs Per Game.....	8.33
Home Runs.....	7
RISP.....	.550
Errors.....	3
Team ERA..... 3.67	
Starters W-L.....	2-0
Starters ERA.....	3.72
Relievers W-L-S.....	3-0-2
Relievers ERA.....	3.86
Saves/Opps.....	2/3

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

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
8/1	RHP Poppen optioned to AAA
7/31	RHP Dyson acquired via trade with SF for OF Davis, RHP Berroa & RHP Teng
	RHP Diplan acquired via trade with MIL for cash considerations
7/30	RHP Torres elected free agency
7/29	RHP Parker elected free agency
7/27	RHP Romo acquired via trade with MIA in exchange for 1B Lewin Diaz
	RHP Torres designated for rel. or assgn.
7/25	OF Buxton reinstated from 10-day IL
	RHP Poppen recalled from AAA
	LHP Smeltzer optioned to AAA
	OF Cave optioned to AAA

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UPCOMING MILESTONES

PLAYER	CURRENT NO.	MILESTONE WITHIN REACH
Nelson Cruz.....	390 home runs.....	Needs 1 to pass Graig Nettles and move into 62nd on MLB all-time list.
	591 walks.....	Needs 10 to become 57th MLB player to reach 400 homers.
Jorge Polanco.....	94 doubles.....	Needs 9 to reach 600 for career.
Eddie Rosario.....	97 home runs.....	Needs 6 to reach 100 for career.

JAKE ODORIZZI

#12

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

2019: 12-5, 3.73 ERA CAREER: 59-53, 3.93 ERA

- He is making his 22nd start and appearance of the season.
• He is making his 180th career start and 183rd career appearance.

2019 MAJOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY

Table with columns: Date, Opp., Dec., IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO, Left/Final, Notables, Pitches/K (Pct). Rows include 3/30 vs. CLE ND, 4/5 at PHI L1, 4/10 at NYM L2, etc., up to 7/30 at MIA W12.

DANDY DOZEN: Odorizzi has set a career high with 12 wins (12-5 in 21 starts), surpassing his 11 victories for Tampa Bay in 2014 (11-13 in 31 starts)...

BACK ON TRACK?: Jake earned his 12th win in his last start, a 2-1 victory July 30 at Miami... worked 5.2 innings, allowing one run on four hits with a walk and five strikeouts...

THE TWO JAKES: While his effort in Miami resulted in a win, Odorizzi still finished July just 2-2 with a 7.43 ERA (23.0 IP, 19 ER) in five starts... in fact, Odo's season can be broken into two distinct sections...

FIRST 14 STARTS

10-2
11-3
2.24
76.1
19
53
24
85
3.54
10.02
6
11
6.25
1.01
.196/.265/.280

RECORD
TWINS RECORD
ERA
INNINGS PITCHED
EARNED RUNS
HITS
WALKS
STRIKEOUTS
SO/BB RATIO
STRIKEOUTS PER 9.0 IP
HOME RUNS ALLOWED
EXTRA-BASE HITS
HITS ALLOWED PER 9.0 IP
WHIP
OPPONENTS' SLASH LINE

LAST SEVEN STARTS

2-3
3-4
7.24
32.1
26
39
13
28
2.15
7.79
8
21
10.86
1.61
.300/.366/.600

IF YOU'RE RIGHT, YOU'RE WRONG: Odorizzi has been the toughest pitcher in the American League against right-handed hitters, yielding a league-low .174 batting average (38-for-219)...

HOME SWEET HOME?: The Twins lost both of Odorizzi's starts during their most recent home-stand (7/19 vs. Oakland and 7/24 vs. New York-AL), as he went 0-1 and surrendered 12 runs on 16 hits in 9.0 innings (12.00 ERA)...

Even with those two outings, Odo is still 6-1 with a 3.81 ERA (56.2 IP, 24 ER) in 10 home starts this season (the Twins are 7-3)...his home ERA has jumped 1.54 points (from 2.27) over his last two Target Field starts.

MORE INTERLEAGUE SUCCESS: With his July 30 win at Miami, Odorizzi improved to 10-6 with a 3.47 ERA (140.0 IP, 54 ER) in 26 career starts against the National League...

EVERY FOUR YEARS, THE BRAVES: Odorizzi will face Atlanta for the first time since making a pair of starts against them in a Tampa Bay uniform during the 2015 season, pitching to a 6.00 ERA (12.0 IP, 8 ER) in those games...

TIME FOR THE HEATER: Odorizzi has added velocity to his fastball (career-high 92.9 average MPH) and is throwing it at a career-best 57.2 percent rate (besting his 2018 mark of 54.1%)...used his four-seamer 60.6% of the time through his first 14 starts (10-2, 2.24 ERA)...

Table with columns: PITCH, NUMBER (vs. RHB-LHB)/AVG MPH, PERCENTAGE. Rows include Four Seamer, Cutter, Split Finger, Curve.

TOMORROW'S STARTER - JOSÉ BERRÍOS (SEASON: 10-5, 2.80 ERA // CAREER: 39-31, 4.03 ERA)

Berrios will take the mound tomorrow evening for the second of this three-game series vs. Atlanta...enters his 23rd start of the season ranked third in the AL with a 2.80 ERA (141.2 IP, 44 ER) and tied for fourth with 16 quality starts...

2019 HIGHS

CG's: --
SHO's: --
CG Low Hit: --
Innings: 7.0, 2x, last: 5/10 vs. DET
SO's: 11, 3/30 vs. CLE
Walks: 4, 2x, last: 5/4 at NYY
Hits: 10, 7/24 vs. NYY
Home Runs: 2, 5x, last: 7/24 vs. NYY
Win-Streak: 10, 4/17 - 6/15
Loss-Streak: 2, 2x, last: 6/20-7/2

CAREER HIGHS

CG's: --
SHO's: --
CG Low Hit: --
Innings: 8.0, 2x, last: 7/22/16 at OAK
SO's: 11, 2x, last: 3/30/19 vs. CLE
Walks: 5, 5x, last: 9/26/18 vs. DET
Hits: 11, 8/25/14 at BAL
Home Runs: 4, 8/25/14 at BAL
Win-Streak: 10, 4/17/19 - 6/15/19
Loss-Streak: 4, 6/18/17-3/18

CAREER NOTES

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

2019 MISC. NUMBERS

Table with columns: W, L, ERA, G/GS, IP, ER, AVG, H, AB, HR, BB, SO. Rows include Home, Road, Day, Night, Grass, Turf, Vs. Left, Vs. Right, TOTALS, None On, Runners On.

6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS

Table with columns: YEAR, STARTS, 6+ IP, QS. Rows include 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, TOTALS.

MORE MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS

Table with columns: BASE RUNNERS, PICK-OFFS, SB-ATT, GIDP. Row includes ODORIZZI: 119, 2, 1-3, 6.

2019 RUNS/HITS PER INNING

Table with columns: INNING, RUNS/HITS. Rows include 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9.

ODORIZZI VS. NATIONAL LEAGUE

2019 vs. NL (3 games, 3 starts): 1-2, 6.55 ERA (11.0 IP, 8 ER), 8 BB, 9 SO
2019 vs. NL at Home (0 games, 0 starts): --
2019 vs. NL on Road (3 games, 3 starts): 1-2, 6.55 ERA (11.0 IP, 8 ER), 8 BB, 9 SO
Career vs. NL (26 games, 26 starts): 10-6, 3.47 ERA (140.0 IP, 54 ER), 50 BB, 145 SO
Career vs. NL at Home (12 games, 12 starts): 4-2, 3.31 ERA (73.1 IP, 27 ER), 15 BB, 73 SO
Career vs. NL on Road (14 games, 14 starts): 6-4, 3.65 ERA (66.2 IP, 27 ER), 35 BB, 72 SO

BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS

Table with columns: Odorizzi vs. the Braves, Soroka vs. the Twins. Rows include McCann, Donaldson, Duvall, Freeman, Flowers, Joyce.

TWINS STARTERS IN 2019

Table with columns: Pitcher, Last Start (IP-H-R-ER-BB-K-HR), Dec., Starts, QS, Team Rec., Run Supp., RS, AVG. Rows include Berríos, Gibson, Odorizzi, Pérez, Pineda, Smeltzer, Stewart, Thorpe.

10-SPOT: Any discussion of Odorizzi's 2019 season must include his brilliant two-month stretch between April 17 and June 15...Jake went 10-0 with a 1.52 ERA (65.0 IP, 11 ER) in 11 starts in that stretch (twins were a perfect 11-0), with 15 walks, 70 strikeouts and a .209/.261/.289 opponents' slash line...

CONSISTENCY IS KEY: Odorizzi, who has made at least 28 starts in five-straight seasons (including a trio of 30-start campaigns), is third in the American League with 173 starts and fifth with a .235 opponents' batting average since 2014.

- Only Rick Porcello (180) and Justin Verlander (177) have made more starts than Odorizzi over the past 5+ seasons.
• Chris Sale (.215), Verlander (.219), Corey Kluber (.223) and Marco Estrada (.234) are the four with lower BAAs.

TEAM BULLPEN NOTES

- Twins 'pen is 20-16-32 with a 4.43 ERA (373.2 IP, 184 ER), 56 holds, 136 walks & 392 strikeouts this season (111 games)...allowing a .257 opp. batting avg. (374-for-1457).
- Relievers are 1-2-1 with a 6.99 ERA (37.1 IP, 29 ER), 8 holds, 27 walks, 37 strikeouts and a .289 batting average against (44-for-152) in 10 games vs. NL-East teams this season.
- Twins 'pen has struggled since the All-Star break, going 4-6-6 with a 4.94 ERA (74.2 IP, 41 ER) that is 7th-highest in MLB (behind Colorado - 6.75 ERA, Atlanta - 6.36 ERA, Washington - 6.19 ERA, Milwaukee - 5.42 ERA, Cincinnati - 5.40 ERA & Detroit - 4.96 ERA)...have 8 blown saves in the second half, most in the American League & is T-1st in baseball.
- For the season, Twins 'pen still ranks 5th in the AL and T-8th in the majors in save percentage (69.9%, 32-for-46), while the 14 blown saves are 6th-fewest in the AL...Twins have 2nd-fewest relief innings pitched in the AL (373.2 IP) behind Cleveland (347.1 IP).
- 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 (3), Joe Nathan, 2007 (3), Eddie Guardado, 2001 (3) & LaTroy Hawkins, 2000 (3).

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

Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series vs KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .229 vs. Right .197

- One career appearance vs. ATL (start) on 7/27/16, allowed 5 ER over 1.1 IP (made 55 pitches)...2.1 IP vs. NL-East teams this season (2 BB & 5 K).
- Recorded his 7th hold of the season yesterday, threw a scoreless inning with two strikeouts...2 ER & 3 holds in last 4.0 IP (5 relief appearances).
- Is 1-1 with 7 holds, a 3.38 ERA (37.1 IP, 14 ER), 11 walks and 48 strikeouts over 35 relief appearances this season, while holding opponents to a .212/.277/.377 slash line (31-for-146).
- 1-0 with a 3.15 ERA (20.0 IP, 7 ER) with 4 BB & 20 SO on the road vs. 0-1 with a 3.63 ERA (17.1 IP, 7 ER) with 7 BB & 29 SO at home in '19.
- Relies on 5 pitches: four seamer (51.2%), slider (35.3%), curve (10.6%), sinker (2.3%) & changeup (0.6%).

RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
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
7/28 at CWS	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/23 vs. NYY	H4	0.1	0	1	1	0	1	1
7/22 vs. NYY	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	1
7/20 vs. OAK	H3	0.2	0	1	1	0	0	1
7/19 vs. OAK	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	1
7/14 at CLE	ND	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

Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.1 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series vs KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.1 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .231 vs. Right .214

- Has never pitched vs. ATL...only 3.1 IP in four games vs. NL-East teams this season, allowing a .167 (2-for-12) opp. batting avg. (5 games).
- Is 3-2-1 with a 2.91 ERA (43.1 IP, 14 ER), eight walks and 42 strikeouts over a team-high 48 games...among qualifying Twins relievers, is 2nd in ERA (2.91), 4th in strikeouts (42), T-1st in holds (9) & 2nd in innings pitched (43.1 IP).
- Was drafted by the Braves in the 37th round of the 2011 First-Year Player Draft out of Austin Peay State University...he spent five seasons in the Atlanta minor league system, from 2011-15, getting as high as Double-A Mississippi.
- 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).
- Throws his curveball 58.6 percent of the time...also relies on a four seamer (38.4%), changeup (2.9%) and cutter (0.1%).

RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/3 vs. KC	ND	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/1 at MIA	ND	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/28 at CWS	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/23 vs. NYY	BS2	1.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/22 vs. NYY	H9	0.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/21 vs. OAK	H8	0.2	1	0	0	0	0	0
7/19 vs. OAK	L2	1.0	3	2	2	0	0	1
7/13 at CLE	H7	0.2	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/12 at CLE	H6	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
7/7 vs. TEX	ND	1.2	0	0	0	0	0	4
7/5 vs. TEX	ND	1.0	2	1	1	1	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

Homestand: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series vs KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .259 vs. Right .302

- 4th stint w/ MIN this season...optioned by MIN 7/21 and appeared in 3 G for Rochester, last on Wed. (2.0 IP vs. S/W-B).
- Has never pitched vs. ATL...1.0 IP with one strikeout in one Interleague game this season.
- Had his ML scoreless inning streak snapped at 11.2 innings on 7/20 vs. OAK as Mark Canha and Ramón Laureano hit back-to-back home runs against him in the seventh inning (1st blown save of the season).
- 12 of his 14 appearances with Twins this season have been scoreless, as he is 2-0 with a 4.91 ERA (18.1 IP, 10 ER), 6 walks and 17 strikeouts.
- Has appeared in 16 games (7 starts) with Triple-A Rochester this season, going 3-3, 3.90 ERA (57.2 IP, 25 ER), 22 walks and 62 strikeouts.

RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
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
7/12 at CLE	W2	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	1
7/7 vs. TEX	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	2
7/4 at OAK	ND	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	1
7/3 at OAK	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	1	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

Homestand: 1-0-0, 0.00 (0.1 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series vs KC: 1-0-0, 0.00 (0.1 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .215 vs. Right .221

- One career appearance vs. ATL (relief) on 7/27/16, allowed one hit over 1.1 IP (made 26 pitches).
- Is 0-1 with a 5.40 ERA (5.0 IP, 3 ER) with one walk & four strikeouts vs. NL-East teams this season (all relief appearances).
- Recorded his fourth win of the season last Friday night after throwing exactly one pitch...becomes the ninth Twin (10th occurrence) to earn the win in a game in which he threw exactly one pitch, first since Ryan Pressly on May 28, 2016 at Seattle....has allowed 8 runs (6 earned) on 2 home runs in his last 5 outings, after going 2-0-1 with a 1.65 ERA (16.1 IP, 3 ER) in 17 games back to 5/21.
- Is 4-3 with one save and nine holds, a 3.96 ERA (38.2 IP, 17 ER) with 20 walks & 45 strikeouts, while holding opponents to a .218 batting average (32-for-147) this year...32 of 43 appearances this season have been scoreless.
- Relies on 4 pitches: four seamer (59.4%), curve (17.9%), slider (13.4%), changeup (9.1%) and sinker (0.3%).

RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
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	3	3	2	0	3	3
7/17 vs. NYM	BS11.0	3	3	3	1	0	1	0
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
6/29 at CWS	ND	1.0	1	1	0	0	0	2
6/27 vs. TB	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	1	2
6/26 vs. TB	W3	1.0	1	1	1	1	0	0

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

Homestand: 0-0-1, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB Series vs KC: 0-0-1, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB vs. Left .224 vs. Right .222

- Two career relief appearances vs. ATL (both in 2016), 13.50 ERA (2.0 IP, 3 ER) with two walks & two strikeouts...scoreless 4.1 IP vs. NL-East in '19'.
- Pitched in all 3 games in last series at MIA, with 6 SO over 2.2 scoreless innings (1 H, 1 BB)...earned save in opener, finished last Wednesday's game and was tagged w/ tough blown save on 8/1 (inherited bases loaded, no-out jam w/ 4-2 lead...yielded tying single, then struck out side).
- Is 2-2 with 17 saves, 9 holds, & a team-best 2.10 ERA (51.1 IP, 12 ER) with 9 walks (2 IBB) & 65 strikeouts in 43 games this season...among Twins relievers, ranks T-3rd in wins (2), T-2nd in games (43), 1st in innings pitched (51.1 IP) & 1st in strikeouts (65).
- Leads Twins in saves, going 17-for-23...17 saves ranks T-7th in the AL...also ranks 4th among AL relievers (6th ML) with a 7.22 strikeout-to-walk ratio.
- Has six saves of 2.0 innings or more...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.
- Relies on 4 pitches: sinker (48.8%), slider (46.9%), curve (4.2%) and four seamer (0.1%).

RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
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 at 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. NYY	BS5	1.0	2	2	2	1	1	1
7/22 vs. NYY	S15	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	1
7/20 vs. OAKBS4/L2	1.0	3	2	2	0	0	1	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
7/12 at CLE	S13	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	3
7/6 vs. TEX	S12	2.1	0	0	0	0	0	5
7/3 at OAK	S11	1.0	2	0	0	0	0	2
6/27 vs. TB	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2

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

Homestand: 0-0-1, 0.00 (2.1 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB Series vs KC: 0-0-1, 0.00 (2.1 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB vs. Left .000 vs. Right .077

- Acquired on 7/27 from Marlins along with Chris Vallimont and a player to be named later, in exchange for first baseman Lewin Diaz.
- Career 1-2-5 w/ four holds & a 6.33 ERA (21.1 IP, 15 ER) with eight walks & 18 strikeouts in 26 games vs. ATL...also 1-0-1 with a 6.00 ERA (6.0 IP, 4 ER) with two walks & four strikeouts in six games vs. ATL this season.
- Earned his 18th save of the season, 1st with the Twins last Friday night, as he threw 1.1 innings, striking out two.
- Before joining the Twins, appeared in 38 games for the Marlins this season, going 2-0 with a 3.58 ERA (37.2 IP, 15 ER), 13 walks and 33 strikeouts.
- Has not allowed an earned run since 6/20...has pitched 14.2 innings over 15 outings since (1 unearned run), going 1-0 with 5 saves (in 5 opportunities), 3 holds and an opponents' batting average of .185 (10-for-54)...has 15 strikeouts in that span, without a walk (1 hit batter).
- On the season, has held right-handed hitters to 16 hits in 88 at-bats (.182/.223/.341 slash line).
- Has played parts of 12 seasons in the major leagues with San Francisco, Los Angeles-NL, Tampa Bay and Miami, going 40-31 with a 2.89 ERA (604.2 IP, 194 ER), 127 saves, 141 walks and 669 strikeouts in 685 games.
- Throws his slider 59.4% of the time, along with a sinker (15.5%), changeup (14.8%) and four seamer (10.3%).

RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
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
7/18 vs. SD	W2	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
7/17 vs. SD	ND	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	2
7/14 vs. NYM	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	0
7/7 at ATL	ND	0.2	1	0	0	0	0	1
7/6 at ATL	S16	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1
6/29 vs. PHI	S15	1.0	0	0	0	0	0	1
6/28 vs. PHI	ND	1.0	1	0	0	0	0	1

CODY STASHAK - RHP #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 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series vs KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .444 vs. Right .250

- Had contract selected from Triple-A Rochester on 7/22 & made his ML debut on 7/23 with 2.0 scoreless innings vs. NYY (4 H, 3 SO).
- Has never pitched vs. ATL...suffered 1st ML loss on 8/1 at MIA, allowing leadoff, walk-off HR in 12th to Harold Ramirez...did pitch scoreless 11th.
- 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 one home run allowed...posted a 1.17 ERA (15.1 IP, 2 ER) with .175 BAA, 4 BB & 20 K's in his final 9 games for the Red Wings.
- 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.
- Is the 8th Twin to make ML debut in 2019 (Harper, Arraez, Smeltzer, Eades, Wade Jr., Poppen, Thorpe).

RECENT APPEARANCES

DATE	DEC	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO
8/3 vs. KC	ND	2.0	1	0	0	0	0	2
8/1 at MIA	L1	1.0	1	1	1	1	0	0
7/27 at CWS	ND	1.0	2	1	1	0	0	0
7/23 vs. NYY	ND	2.0	4	0	0	0	0	3

2019 BULLPEN INFO

Player name	1st Batter Avg	BB/9	K/9	Saves/Opps	Holds	IRS%	WHIP	HR	TEAM BULLPEN USAGE		
									Last game	2 games ago	3 games ago
Tyler Duffey	.182	2.65	11.57	0/0	7	0.0% (0/11)	1.13	7	1.0 IP (11)	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)
Ryne Harper	.261	1.66	8.72	1/3	11	41.7% (15/36)	1.02	5	0.0 IP (0)	0.1 IP (4)	0.0 IP (0)
Zack Littell	.167	2.95	8.35	0/1	0	33.3% (1/3)	1.42	3	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)
Trevor May	.147	4.66	10.47	1/3	8	6.3% (1/16)	1.34	4	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)	0.1 IP (1)
Taylor Rogers	.175	1.58	11.40	17/23	6	40.0% (6/15)	1.01	5	1.0 IP (19)	0.0 IP (0)	0.0 IP (0)
Sergio Romo	.250	0.00	8.31	1/1	2	0.0% (0/1)	0.23	0	1.0 IP (6)	0.0 IP (0)	1.1 IP (25)
Cody Stashak	.500	0.00	7.50	0/0	0	0.0% (0/0)	1.33	1	0.0 IP (0)	2.0 IP (18)	0.0 IP (0)

**EHIRE ADRIANZA - INF #13**

Height: 6-1 Weight: 195 B/T: S/R Age: 29 (8/21/89 in Guarenas, VZ)

2019 Average: .264 Streak: 0-15, RBI Series vs KC: 0-6, RBI Home Runs: 4 (3 1-run, 1 3-run)

- Since joining Twins in 2017, is just 15-for-84 (.179) in 34 Interleague games (3-for-19 in '19).
- Is 0-for-15 since 4th-inning 2B 7/23 vs. NYY...prior to recent slump, had slashed .397/.473/.609 in 31 games between 5/11 and 7/22 (31-for-78 w/ 3 2B, 2 3B, 3 HR & 15 RBI).
- Is hitting .252 (28-for-111) vs. RHP and .297 (11-for-37) vs. LHP this season (2 HR vs. each).
- Hitting .332 (19-for-59) at home (28 games) vs. .225 (20-for-89) on the road (33 games).
- In 59 G in field (40 starts) - at 3B (19 games), SS (19), 1B (13), 2B (7), RF (3), LF (1) & P (1).

LUIS ARRAEZ - INF #2

Height: 5-10 Weight: 177 B/T: L/R Age: 22 (4/9/97 in San Felipe, VZ)

2019 Average: .353 Streak: 2g, 4-7 Series vs KC: 4-10, RBI Home Runs: 2 (2 1-run)

- Is 3-for-16 (.188) w/ RBI & 2 BB in 5 Interleague games this season.
- Has reached base safely in 40 of 46 ML games (hit in 35; 2 games didn't have PA), w/ 29 R, 20 BB, 13 SO, 8 2B, 2 HR, 9 RBI, 4.42 SLG & .869 OPS...has 14 multi-hit games (5 with 3+).
- Has gone 55-for-156 (.353)...was second-fastest twin ever to 50 hits (42 games), trailing only Kirby Puckett (36 games).
- Splits: .366 (26-for-71) at home... .341 (29-for-85) on road; .318 (14-for-44) vs. LHP... .366 (41-for-112) vs. RHP; .304 (7-for-23) w/RISP.
- Has already made starts at four different positions: 2B (18), 3B (11), SS (2) and LF (7).
- Had a 12-game hitting streak 7/2-19, matching TB's Brandon Lowe for longest by an American League rookie this season...also had a 10-gamer 5/27 - 6/28.

JASON CASTRO - C #15

Height: 6-3 Weight: 215 B/T: L/R Age: 31 (6/18/87 in Castro Valley, CA)

2019 Average: .253 Streak: 3g, 3-11, HR, 2 RBI Series vs KC: 2-6, HR, 2 RBI Home Runs: 11 (8 1-run, 3 2-run)

- Career .239 (166-for-696) w/ 17 HR vs. NL pitching; .232 (74-for-312) w/ 9 HR in 94 IL games.
- Hit 11th HR yesterday as catcher yesterday, 8th in AL...also T-8th in 2B (8) and 12th in RBI (26).
- Is 3-for-17 over his last 5 games, after hitting .429 (12-for-28) in his previous 9 games.
- Has 753 career games as a catcher (714 starts) - total of 6273.1 innings behind home plate...has played a total of 801 games (any position).
- Hitting .244 (20-for-82) w/ .827 OPS at home vs. .261 (23-for-88) w/ .834 OPS on the road.
- Has started 52 games as catcher this season - 444.0 innings total (.998 fielding percentage).

JAKE CAVE - OF #6D

Height: 6-0 Weight: 200 B/T: L/L Age: 26 (12/4/92 in Hampton, VA)

2019 Average: .198 Streak: 1g, 1-3 Series vs KC: 1-3 Home Runs: 2 (2 1-run)

- Career .243 (9-for-37) w/ 2 HR & 7 RBI in 14 Interleague games (2-for-8 in '19/1).
- Recalled from Triple-A Rochester on Saturday for 5th stint with Twins this season...went 1-for-3 yesterday and is 17-for-86 (.198) w/ 3 2B, 2 HR, 9 RBI & 10 BB in 37 ML games (24 starts).
- Has played in 34 games in field: 24 in RF, 7 in CF & 6 in LF.
- 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).

C.J. CRON - 1B #24

Height: 6-4 Weight: 235 B/T: R/R Age: 29 (1/5/90 in Fullerton, CA)

2019 Average: .266 Streak: 0-3 Series vs KC: 3-7, HR, 2 RBI Home Runs: 19 (12 1-run, 5 2-run, 2 3-run)

- Career .306 (56-for-183) w/ 11 HR, 36 RBI & .920 OPS in 67 IL games (6-for-30 w/ HR in '19).
- Is hitting .352 (32-for-91) w/ 1.086 OPS vs. LHP this year, compared to .263/.772 prior to '19.
- Reinstated from 10-day Injured List on Saturday after missing previous 12 games w/ right thumb inflammation (2 rehab games w/ GCL Twins)...3-for-7 w/ HR & 2 RBI in 2 games since.
- Has played in 85 games for the Twins this season, hitting .266 (87-for-327) w/ 20 2B, 19 HR, 57 RBI, 23 walks and an .831 OPS.

NELSON CRUZ - DH #23

Height: 6-2 Weight: 230 B/T: R/R Age: 39 (7/1/80 in Las Matas de Santa Cruz, DR)

2019 Average: .292 Streak: 0-3 Series vs KC: 6-11, 4 HR, 2 2B, 10 RBI Home Runs: 30 (18 1-run, 12 2-run)

- Career .280 (170-for-607) w/ 46 HR, 128 RBI & .918 OPS in 170 IL games (1-for-10 w/HR in '19)...ATL (5 games), PHI (5) and SF (12) are only 3 MLB teams he has not homered against.
- Has 30 HR, most ever in single season by a Twins designated hitter (Chili Davis had 29 in 1991).
- Since All-Star break, leads majors with 14 HR, 26 RBI, .933 SLG & 1.372 OPS...is 25-for-75 (.333) in 21 games...in his last 15 G, is batting .383 (1.555 OPS, 23-for-60) w/ 13 HR, 25 RBI.
- AL ranks overall: T-2nd in HR (30), 2nd in SLG (.646) & OPS (1.031), and 10th in RBI (72)...T-1st in majors w/ 5 multi-HR games.
- 1st Twin in history to have multiple 3-HR games in the same season (7/25 vs. CWS and 8/3 vs. KC) and 1st in MLB history w/ multiple after turning 39...became 3rd player ever with multiple 3-HR game within 10 days (DeCinces, 8/3 & 8, 1982 & Mize, 7/13 & 20, 1938).
- Back-to-back 5 RBI games 8/2 & 3 vs. KC...now 4 such games this season, matching Jason Kubel (2009) for most in Twins history.
- Now has 390 career HR, tied with Graig Nettles for 62nd on the all-time home run list...is now three away from Jim Edmonds (393) for 61st.
- Hitting .295 w/ 12 HR & 1.193 OPS vs. LHP (83 PA) & .291 w/ 18 HR & .976 OPS vs. RHP (152 PA).

MITCH GARVER - C #18

Height: 6-1 Weight: 220 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (1/15/91 in Albuquerque, NM)

2019 Average: .277 Streak: 0-6 Series vs KC: 0-4 Home Runs: 20 (12 1-run, 6 2-run, 2 3-run)

- Career .349 (22-for-63) w/ 7 HR, 11 RBI & 1.086 OPS in 22 IL games (11-for-26 w/ 5 HR, 7 RBI & 1.444 OPS in 8 games this season).
- Leads majors with 20 home runs as a catcher...is just the 3rd Twins catcher to hit 20-plus homers in a season, joining Joe Mauer (23, 2009) and Earl Battey (26, 1963).
- Is tied for T-2nd in RBI (44) and is 3rd in runs scored (45) among AL catchers (numbers at position)...also T-8th in hits (56) & 5th in walks (24).
- Is slashing .328/.446/.746 vs. LHP, going 22-for-67 w/ 2 2B, 3B, 8 HR, 17 RBI & 13 BB...is also hitting .381 (16-for-42) w/ RISP, with 4 HR, 23 RBI and 1.199 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: .248 Streak: 1g, 1-4 Series vs KC: 1-8 Home Runs: 12 (7 1-run, 5 2-run)

- Career .259 (82-for-316) w/ 14 2B 4 HR & 29 RBI in 107 IL games (8-for-34 w/ 2B in '19).
- Has 6 OF assists (T-9th AL) in just 41 games in OF (34 starts)...only Twin to record 6+ OF assists in fewer than 50 games was Mickey Hatcher (7 in 1982 & 6 in '86).
- Batting .283 (26-for-92) w/ 4 2B, 4 HR, 8 RBI & .769 OPS vs. LHP this season...just .234 (55-for-235) w/ 10 2B, 8 HR, 27 RBI & .696 OPS vs. RHP.
- AVG stood at season-high .263 after 7/18...since, is 8-for-49 (.163) w/ 2B, 2 HR & 4 RBI.
- Has played 1B (15), 2B (2), SS (1), 3B (37), LF (18), RF (26) 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 Trevor Plouffe (2012), Denny Hocking (5 seasons from 1997-2003) & Jeff Reboulet (1994 & '96).
- Only player in MLB history to play in 20+ games at 1B, 2B, SS and LF in a single year (did in both 2017 and 2018) while playing for HOU.

MAX KEPLER - OF #26

Height: 6-4 Weight: 220 B/T: L/L Age: 26 (2/10/93 in Berlin, Germany)

2019 Average: .266 Streak: 0-4 Series vs KC: 3-10, 2 2B, 2 RBI Home Runs: 30 (21 1-run, 6 2-run, 3 3-run)

- Is 16-for-50 w 5 HR, 11 RBI & 1.078 OPS in 12 IL games this season...in 65 career games, owns .239/.430/.731 slash line (55-for-230, w/ 17 2B, 9 HR & 30 RBI).
- Hit 30th HR in 108th team game, 6th-fastest twin ever (Harmon Killebrew owns 5 fastest).
- Is hitting .316 (18-for-57) w/ 16 R, 5 2B, 7 HR, 16 RBI, 10 BB & 1.198 OPS in his last 15 games.
- 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.
- His 28 HR as leadoff hitter are 1st in baseball...among AL leadoff hitters, also ranks 2nd in RBI (63), 2nd in SLG (.583), 4th in OPS (.927), T-4th in 2B (23) & 8th in hits (89).
- Ranks T-2nd in AL in HR (30), 4th in total bases (226), T-5th in RBI (76), 6th in SLG (.551), 12th in OPS (.894) & T-12th in 2B (27).
- Is hitting .305 (25-for-82) w/ RISP and .341 (15-for-44) w/ RISP & 2 outs.
- Has both Twins walk-off hits this year, both RBI singles (6/18 vs. BOS in 17th and 7/20 vs. OAK).

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: .299 Streak: 3g, 4-13, HR, 2B, 3 RBI Series vs KC: 3-9, HR, 2B, 3 RBI Home Runs: 17 (9 1-run, 7 2-run, 1 3-run)

- Career .327 (48-for-147) w/ 11 2B, 3 3B, 3 HR, 18 RBI & .882 OPS in 42 Interleague games...is 14-for-48 (.292) w/ .888 OPS in '19...hit for cycle 4/5 at PHI (5-for-5).
- AL ranks: T-5th in hits (132), T-6th in 2B (30), T-7th in 3B (5), 6th in total bases (223) & 8th in AVG (.299)...also owns team-leading 37 multi-hit games (T-5th in AL), including 10 w/ 3+ hits.
- Leads Twins with 105 games played (received rare off day yesterday).
- Hitting .284/.359/.466/.825 at Target Field this season (51 games)...also hitting .307 (27-for-88) w/ RISP...is 12-for-37 (.324) w/ 1.013 OPS w/ RISP & 2 outs.
- 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.

EDDIE ROSARIO - OF #20

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

2019 Average: .286 Streak: 5g, 8-20, HR, 2B, 6 RBISeries vs KC: 4-8, 3 RBI Home Runs: 23 (12 1-run, 6 2-run, 5 3-run)

- Career .293 (91-for-311) w/ 15 HR, 49 RBI & .859 OPS in 82 IL games (13-for-47 w/ 4 HR, 11 RBI & .860 OPS this season).
- Has hit safely in 5 straight games and drove in a run in 4 consecutive, going 8-for-20 (.400) w/ 2B, 1 HR, 6 RBI & .964 OPS since 7/30.
- Is 20-for-66 (.303) w/ 2 2B, 3 HR & 14 RBI in 17 games (hitting safely in 13) since being activated from 10-day IL on 7/16 (missed 13 games w/ a left ankle sprain).
- Is T-9th in AL with 74 RBI...hitting .337 (35-for-104) w/ 8 HR & .952 OPS w/ RISP.
- Hit a pinch-hit, three-run HR in the 7th inning on 7/19 vs. OAK (off Petitt), marking his 3rd career pinch-hit home run...it was the 1st pinch-hit home run of the season for the Twins.
- Joined Kepler (21) as 2nd Twins duo all-time w/ 20+ HR pre-ASG, joining Harmon Killebrew (30) and Bob Allison (21) in 1964.

MIGUEL SANDO - INF #22

Height: 6-4 Weight: 272 B/T: R/R Age: 26 (5/11/93 in S.Pedro de Macoris, DR)

2019 Average: .238 Streak: 0-8 Series vs KC: 1-12, RBI Home Runs: 18 (8 1-run, 8 2-run, 2 3-run)

- Career .269 (39-for-145) w/ 7 HR, 21 RBI & .841 OPS in 38 IL games (4-for-22 w/ 2 HR & 8 RBI in '19).
- Is just 2-for-19 (.105) w/ RBI in his last 5 games...in previous 26 games (6/28 - 7/30), hit .326 (28-for-86) w/ 5 2B, 3B, 9 HR, 23 RBI, 15 BB & 1.147 OPS.
- Had a career-long 11-game hitting streak 6/28-7/14 (.368, 14-for-38 w/8 XBH).
- 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).
- 32 of his 53 hits this season (62 games) have gone for extra bases (13 2B, 3B, 18 HR).
- Hitting .179 (19-for-106) w/ 5 HR, 11 RBI & .681 OPS in 29 games at home vs. .295 (33-for-112) with 13 HR, 28 RBI & 1.074 OPS in 32 games on the road this season.
- Hasn't rolled into a double play in 88 games w/ AB (since 8/1/18)...ranks as the 13th longest streak without a GDP in Twins history...longest: 140 games by Rob Wilfong from 1978-79.

JONATHAN SCHOOP - 2B #16

Height: 6-1 Weight: 225 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (10/16/91 in Willemstad, Curacao)

2019 Average: .254 Streak: 1g, 1-4 Series vs KC: 1-4 Home Runs: 16 (5 1-run, 7 2-run, 4 3-run)

- Is 10-for-34 (.294) w/ 3 HR, 7 RBI & .973 OPS in 11 IL games this season (career .239 w/ 21 HR).
- Ranks 3rd in AL w/ 16 HR as second baseman...is also 2nd in 2B (19), 2nd in hits (84), 2nd in SLG (.469), 2nd in OPS (.774), 3rd in AVG (.261) and T-4th in RBI (43).
- 14 pre-ASG HR tied for 4th among Twins 2Bs: T-4th with Brian Dozier (2016), shy of Dozier's '14, '15 & '18.
- All 84 of his games in the field (83 starts) this season have come at 2B (.963 fielding pct.).

TWINS HOME RUN DATA

MULTI-HOMER GAMES (23x) • Garver, 4/9 at NYM • Schoop, 4/9 at NYM • Rosario, 4/18 vs. TOR • Cruz, 4/20-G1 at BAL • Garver, 4/20-G2 at BAL • Rosario, 4/20-G1 at BAL • Schoop, 4/20-G2 at BAL • Cruz, 4/26 vs. BAL	• Kepler, 4/27 vs. BAL	• Castro, 7/2 at OAK	• Rosario/Astudillo, 4/20 at BAL	INSIDE-THE-PARK (0x) • None RUNNERS ON • Solo - 125 • 2-run - 68 • 3-run - 23 • Grand Slam - 1	LEADOFF (6x) • Kepler, 4/7 at PHI • Kepler, 4/28 vs. BAL • Kepler, 6/6 at CLE • Kepler, 7/13 at CLE • Garver, 7/20 vs. OAK • Kepler, 8/1 at MIA GRAND SLAM (1x) • Buxton, 5/18 at SEA
	• Schoop, 5/18 at SEA	• Kepler, 7/13 at CLE	• Cruz/Rosario/Cron, 4/26 vs. BAL		
	• Cron, 5/18 at SEA	• Garver, 7/22 vs. NYY	• Castro/Kepler, 4/27 vs. BAL		
	• Sanó, 5/23 at LAA	• Sanó, 7/25 vs. NYY	• Sanó/Schoop, 5/23 at LAA		
• Schoop, 5/23 at LAA	• Cruz, 7/25 at CWS (3 HR)	• Cruz, 8/3 vs. KC (3 HR)	• Schoop/Castro, 6/11 vs. SEA		
• Kepler, 6/6 at CLE (3 HR)	• Cruz, 8/3 vs. KC (3 HR)	BACK-TO-BACK (10x) • Kepler/Astudillo, 4/6 at PHI • Rosario/Garver, 4/9 at NYM	• Polanco/Cruz, 7/22 vs. NYY		
• Sanó, 6/28 at CWS			• Polanco/Cruz, 7/23 vs. NY		
• Kepler, 6/29 at CWS			• Polanco/Cruz, 8/3 vs. KC		
• Cruz, 6/29 at CWS			WALK-OFF (0x) • None		

HITTERS INFO

Player	Multi-Hit	Multi-RBI	Season Hit-Strk	Season High Hits	LAST HOME RUN			LAST GRAND SLAM			VS. CURRENT OPPONENT 2019					VS. CURRENT OPPONENT CAREER					
					Date	Opp.	On	Pitcher	Date	Opp.	#	Avg	H	AB	HR	RBI	Avg	H	AB	HR	RBI
Ehire Adrianza	12	5	4, 5/25-6/1	3, 7/21	5/25/19	vs. CWS	2	Herrera	6/12/18	at DET	1	.000	0	0	0	0	.357	5	14	0	0
Luis Arraez	14	0	12, 7/2-7/19	4, 6/23	7/05/19	vs. TEX	0	Sampson			0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
Jason Castro	10	7	5, 5/24-6/1	3, 7/2	8/04/19	vs. KC	0	Keller	8/03/15	at TEX	3	.000	0	0	0	0	.160	4	25	0	0
Jake Cave	3	1	3, 4/10-4/16	4, 7/30	7/13/19	at CLE	0	Bauer	8/05/18	vs. KC	1	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
C.J. Cron	21	15	7, 6/15-6/22	5, 5/23	8/03/19	vs. KC	0	Duffy	5/21/17	at NYM	2	.000	0	0	0	0	.467	7	15	1	1
Nelson Cruz	23	20	10, 7/17-7/26	4, 6/29	8/03/19	vs. KC	1	Lopez	7/23/16	at TOR	9	.000	0	0	0	0	.316	6	19	0	3
Mitch Garver	16	13	6, 6/6-6/15	4, 4/9	7/31/19	at MIA	2	Alcantara			0	.000	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0
Marwin Gonzalez	21	10	11, 5/7-5/21	4, 6/7	7/24/19	vs. NYY	1	Happ	8/24/18	at LAA	2	.000	0	0	0	0	.316	12	38	0	5
Max Kepler	31	19	10, 5/16-5/28	4, 6/16	8/01/19	at MIA	0	Yamamoto	8/26/17	at TOR	2	.000	0	0	0	0	.182	2	11	0	1
Jorge Polanco	37	14	14, 5/27-6/13	5, 5/8	8/03/19	vs. KC	2	Duffy			0	.000	0	0	0	0	.455	5	11	0	0
Eddie Rosario	29	24	8, 7/18-7/26	4, 6/25	7/31/19	at MIA	1	Alcantara	4/20/18	at TB	3	.000	0	0	0	0	.250	4	16	0	2
Miguel Sano	18	11	11, 6/28-7/14	4, 5/2	7/28/19	at CWS	2	Covey			0	.000	0	0	0	0	.111	1	9	0	2
Jonathan Schoop	22	10	8, 6/29-7/13	3, 7/5	7/28/19	at CWS	1	Osich	9/09/18	vs. SF	3	.000	0	0	0	0	.179	5	28	1	3



MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS

Table with 2 columns: Statistic and Value. Includes categories like Most Runs, Game (Team), Most Hits, Inning (Team), etc.

SCORE BY INNING

Table with 11 columns: Opponent, 1-9, XTRA, TOTAL. Rows for TWINS and their opponents.

INJURED LIST

Table with 6 columns: Player, Injury, Date On, Retro, Date Off, Games Missed. Lists injured players and their status.

EJECTIONS

Table with 5 columns: Date, Player/Mgr/CH, Umpire, Reason, Career. Lists ejection incidents.

STARTS BY POSITION

Table with 10 columns: Position (C, 1B, 2B, SS, 3B, LF, CF, RF, DH) and 19 rows of player statistics.

STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

Table with 10 columns: Batting Order (1-9) and 19 rows of player statistics.

MOST USED LINEUP [7X]

Table with 2 columns: Player, Pos. Lists the most common lineup combinations.

OUTFIELD ASSISTS

Table with 2 columns: Player, Assists. Lists outfielders and their assist counts.

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).

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).

MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: L. Arraez/J. Schoop/M. Sanó, 7/22 vs. NYY - E. Encarnación hitting (13 all-time). Position Player Pitching: E. Adrianza, 7/17/19 vs. NYM (1 in 2019).

AGAINST THE TWINS

HITTING: Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time). Grand Slam: B. Anderson, 7/31/19 at MIA (3 allowed as team in 2019).

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).

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).

2019 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS

Table with 5 columns: Date, Delayed/PPD, Notes, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019. Lists weather-related game delays.



Main table with columns: Date, Opp., Score, W/L, Rcd., Pos., GA/GB, Daily Att, Total Hm Att, Home Date, Winner/Loser/Save. Includes sections for MARCH/APRIL (17-10), MAY (21-8), JUNE (15-12), and JULY (13-11).

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