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## KANSAS CITY ROYALS (11–16) vs. MINNESOTA TWINS (18–10)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2020 - 1:05 P.M. (CT) - TV: FOX SPORTS NORTH / RADIO: TIBN, WCCO, THE WOLF / TWINSBEISBOL.COM

GAME 29

## LHP Kris Bubic (0-3, 5.12) vs. RHP Matt Wisler (0-1, 1.50)

### RNAN GAME 14

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Date Opponent	Probable F			Time	Television	Radio / Spanish Rad
3/24 at Cleveland 3/25 at Cleveland	LHP Rich H	ill (1-1, 4.70) vs. RHP S		6:10 p.m. (CT) 6:10 p.m. (CT)	Fox Sports North Fox Sports North	TIBN, WCCO, The Wolf / No TIBN, WCCO, The Wolf / No
/26 at Cleveland	RHP José B	Serríos (2-3, 4.75) vs. RI	IP Adam Plutko (1-2, 6.88)	6:10 p.m. (CT)	Fox Sports North	TIBN, WCCO, The Wolf / No
SEASON AT A G		THE TWINS: After com	pleting their seven-game hon	nestand with a record of 5-	2 (3-1 vs. Kansas City	STREAKS
nder Baldelli (since '19)		City the last two nigh	e, the Twins began their 10- isthey will wrap the series ee at Progressive Field from wins are 12-3 at home and irrently 46.7% through their	today and travel to Clevel	and after the game	Current Streak1
ome Record: oad Record:		the Twins will play the from August 27-30	ee at Progressive Field from	Monday-Wednesday, then 6-7 on the road this seaso	go to Detroit for four	Last 5 games
ecord in series:		The Twins are ci	irrently 46.7% through their	2020 schedule, playing 2	8 of their 60 games.	Last 10 games
ries Openers:		TWINS EVEN IT OUT A	T KAIIFFMAN. The Twins heat	t the Rovals last night at l	(auffman Stadium by	Last 15 games
ries Finales: Ibber Games:		a score of 7-2Randy	T KAUFFMAN: The Twins bear Dobnak (5-1) was the starte Danny Coulombe made his Tv its, highlighted by homers fr ed a five-game losing streak (019, four games shy of thei charged with an E2 catcher s in five games, after comm nes overall are still the fewe ach have eight	er and winner, allowing two	runs on eight hits in	Last 20 games1
/eeps/Swept:		5.0 innings pitchedl	Janny Coulombe made his ly its, highlighted by homers fr	wins debut, pitching 2.0 si om Eddie Rosario and Mig	coreless inningsthe uel Sanó	TWINS VS. ROYALS
lv:	5-2		ed a five-game losing streak	at Kauffman Stadium wit	h their first win since	I WING VS. RUTALS
gust: ptember/October:	13-8	The Twins were	charged with an F2 catcher	interference in the fourth	and sixth, their third	<b>2020 Record:</b> <b>Current Streak:</b> 1
v Games:	5-4	and fourth error	s in five games, after comm	itting just two errors in th	eir first 23their six	2020 at Home:
ght Games:		St. Louis, who e	ach have eight.	est in the majors, two iew	er than Houston and	
American League Cent National League Centra	ral:9-/ al: 9-3		ach have eight. ndered 37 home runs in 28	games this season, incl	uding 14 home runs	All-Time Record:
mes vs. LH Starter:	3-5		games vs. Kansas City.			All-Time at Home:
mes vs. RH Starter:		TWINS AND ROYALS: T	he Twins are 4-5 against KC ng three of four games last	this season, getting swep	t in three August 7-9	All-Time at Kansas City:196-
ins score first: ponent scores first:	15-5 3-5	two at KC this weeker	ing timee of four games last	weekenu at larget rielu a	ing splitting the hist	2020 Game Logs:
me-from-behind wins: .	2	Cluis Arraez is hi	d. tting .357 (20-for-56) with si ng safely in 12 of 15.	ix walks and a .419 OBP in	15 career games vs.	Date Site Score Winner/Loser/S
ading after 7/8 inn.:						8/7 KC 2-3 Holland/Wisler/Rosen
iling after 7/8 inn.: d after 7/8 inn.:	U-//U-8 1_1/1_0	KING CRUZ, ROYALTY:	Nelson Cruz is hitting .400 ( percentage, a 1.040 sluggin ason, homering at least onc s hitting .379 (33-for-87) wi es vs. KCin that span, his : head of Gleyber Torres' 13 vs. te runs since joining the Twin oler's 32Max Kepler is thir	10-tor-25) with one doubl	e, tive home runs, six	8/8 KC 6-9 Zuber/Thorpe/Rosen
ra-innings:	1-0	vs. the Royals this se	ason, homering at least onc	e in four of those (homere	d twice 8/17)since	8/9 KC 2-4 Singer/Berríos/Ba 8/14 MIN **Postponed to 8/1
un games:	2-2	the start of 2019, he in 1,409 OPS in 24 game	s hitting .3/9 (33-tor-8/) wi	ith seven doubles, 14 hom	e runs, 34 RBI and a	8/15 MIN 4-2 Duffey/Speier/Rog
ns out-hit opp.: p. out-hit Twins:	13-2 3-8	any single opponent, a	head of Gleyber Torres' 1 <u>3</u> vs.	the Orioles and Mike Trout	's 12 vs. the Rangers.	** MIN 2-4 Duffy/Berríos/Rosen
ins/Opp. have = hits:	2-0	The of Cruz's 50 hon	te runs since joining the Twin	s last season, he has 33 ag d with 23, then Miguel Sar	gainst the AL Central,	8/16 MIN 4-2 Dobnak/Singer/R
n Differential:	+39 (135-96)					8/17 MIN 4-1 Smeltzer/B
ins get Quality Start: ins starter goes 6+ IP:	6-1 6-1	I NELLYVILLE: Nelson Cr	uz has nine home runs on the in baseball in that spanhe n	season and has now hit 50 s ow has /10 career homers	since joining the Twins	8/21 KC 2-7 Duffy/Odd
st games over .500:	8, 2x, last 8/22	moving into sole posse	ssion of 55th place on baseba	ll's all-time list:		8/22 KC 7-2 Dobnak/Si 8/23 KC 1:05 pm
st games under .500:		PLAYER	HOME RUNS	PLAYER	HOME RUNS	· · · · ·
igest win-streak: igest losing-streak:	6, /-31-8/5	47) Juan Gonzalez	434	52) Edwin Encarnación 53) Darrell Evans		CURRENT ROADTRIP (1-1)
ien Twins score 4+:		49) Cal Ripken Jr		54) Alfonso Soriano	412	Batting average
ien Twins score 3-:	3-7	50) Mike Piazza		55) Nelson Cruz		Runs Per Game
ins get 10+ hits: ys in First Place		51) Billy Williams		56) Mark Teixeira		Home Runs RISP
ys in Second Place		YESTERDAY ROSTER /	<b>MOVE:</b> The Twins announced thest contusion), right-hande List and have transferred right os tendinitis) while recalling ided pitcher Danny Coulombe, as made three starts for the Iks and nine strikeoutsLitt s on 6.1 innings pitchedthe ched the contract of left-hang	yesterday_that they have	plạced right-haṇded	Errors
vs in Third Place		pitcher Jake Odorizzi (d	hest contusion), right-hande List and have transferred riv	ed pitcher Zack Littell (right oht-handed nitcher Homei	elbow inflammation) Railey to the 45-day	
ys in Fourth Place ys in Fifth Place		Injured List (right bice	ps tendinitis) while recalling	right-handed pitcher Sean	Poppen and selecting	Team ERA
lk-Off W/L:		inning Friday night, h	ided pitcher Danny Coulombe. as made three starts for the	Udorizzi, who was hit by a Twins this season, going (	)-1 with an 8,10 FRA	Starters W-L
utouts W/L:		(10.0 IP, 9 ER), two wa	lks and nine strikeoutsLitte	ell made six appearances f	or the Twins, allowing	Starters ERA
mplete Games		Poppen and have sele	cted the contract of left-hand	ded pitcher Danny Coulom	DePoppen appeared	Relievers W-L-S
GONE IN G	0	in two games for the	wins this season, allowing o	ne run on four hits in 3.0 i	nningsadditionally,	Relievers ERA Saves/Opps
IN/WAS FRANCHISE REC		to the 45-day Injured	ListBailev made one start	for the Twins in late July.	allowing two runs on	Saves/opps
RST 60 GAMES OF A SEAS		four hits in 5.0 inning	cted the contract of left-hand wins this season, allowing o 0-man roster, the Twins have ListBailey made one start s pitched against the St. Lou	iis Cardinals.	5	THROUGH GAMES OF THIS DATE IN
TS	e Manush, 1934	RISP AND REWARD. T	he Twins went 3-for-9 with i	runners in scoring positio	a last night and lead	RECORD GAMES BACK/AH
DME RUNS22, Harmor B163, Kirb		the majors with a .3	)7 (54-for-176) batting ave	rage in scoring situations	s on the seasonthe	77-51 (.602)+2.5 over Cleve
H37, Eduard	o Escobar, 2018	third best in Twins/Se	nators history, behind the 19	130 Senators (.334) and 19	)36 Senators ( 308) a	77-51 (.602)+2.5 over Cleve Ilso marks the highest single-season m
I <b>NS</b> 55, Co	esar Tovar, 1970	the majors since the	2013 St. Louis Cardinals (.33	30).	ing auge '!!	
IUBLES		the second high	is the majors (min. 20 AB) w est single-season mark in Tw	ini a .524 (11-tor-21) Dati ins/Senators history (min	20 AB), behind Walter	Johnson in 1925 (.571) and tied with Ch
OLEN BASES		go-AL's Thad Bo	sley (1979), Boston's Phil Gag	liano (1971) and Boston's	Phil Todt (1924) for the	e 12th-highest single-season mark all-t
		one-or-fewer hit	ning starr neid the Koyals to s in scoring situations so far	Twins' .219 (35-for-160)	opponent AVG with RI	iso marks the highest single-season m ers in scoring positionhis AVG is curre Johnson in 1925 (.571) and tied with Ch > 12th-highest single-season mark all-t is season they've held opposing hitter SP this year is second best in the AL, be P with RISP is third in MLB (Cleveland - second lowest in MLB among teams wit
NS 14, Walte	er Johnson, 1913	Cleveland (.206	) and fourth best in the majo	rs (min. 20 G played)Twi	ns' .287 opponent OBP	with RISP is third in MLB (Cleveland -
RIKEOUTS 129, Walte ARTS		least 20 games	;-NL256)Iwins have als played (Cleveland – 44).	u allowed just 51 total ba	se runners with RISP, s	second lowest in MLB among teams wit
MES	Marshall, 1979	ů.		and a final of the	-then are: 00.07 !	turne Tribe have 07 life
VES 21, Gle		finales, out-scoring of	<b>CLASI:</b> The TWINS are 7-2 in poonents 57-20, however, b	oth of the Twins' finale lo	, after going 26-27 las sses so far have come	st yearTwins have a +37 run differen on the road, at Pittsburgh on August
RECENT TRANSA	CTIONS	here on August 9 (Twi	is are 2-2 in road finales)a	dditionally, Twins are 3-0	in rubber games this s	season, with both wins (July 26 at Chica of three.
2 RHP <b>Odorizzi</b> placed						
RHP Littell placed on		PITCHING TO (SOFT)	CONTACT: Minnesota's pitchi	ing corps has been amon	g the best so far this :	season at inducing soft contact, leadin
RHP <b>Poppen</b> recalled		American League and	ranking second in the major wins also lead the AL (3rd i	rs with an average exit vel n MLB) with just 33.9% o	ocity of just 87.0 mph f batted balls being "	, second to Cincinnati's 86.8 mph, acco 'bard hit" (exit velocity at or above 95.1
LHP Coulombe contr		behind Los Angeles-N	L_(31.9%) and Cincinnati (	33.3)%)additionally, the	Twins' 18.1 Soft cont	second to Cincinnati's 86.8 mph, accc hard hit" (exit velocity at or above 95 tact% (Fangraphs) is second in MLB o ng average on balls in play (BABIP), hư of the best at keeping runners off the t 45) and St. Louis (10.13).
RHP <b>Bailey</b> transferr		New York-AL (19.9%)	Iwins also lead the AL and	I rank second in the majo	rs (min. 20 G) in batti ng staff has been one	ng average on balls in play (BABIP), ho
0 C Garver placed on 1	-	averaging just 10.53	base runners-per-9.0 IP, thir	d best in MLB (min. 20 G)	, behind Cleveland (9.4	45) and St. Louis (10.13).
OF <b>Buxton</b> placed on						
OF Wade Jr. recalled		and Pitcher of the We	ekwith no minor league se	ason in 2020, the Twins w	ill name a St. Paul Pla	season the Twins name a minor league l ayer Pool Player and Pitcher of the Week
C Jeffers contract se		Sundaythis week ca	cher Ryan Jeffers and right-	handed pitcher Juan Minay	a are the player and p	itcherJeffers posted a perfect 1.000 fie ra practice with his dog, the aptly-name mound side, Minaya struck out 17 batt ng his first spot on this road trip's Taxi S
LHP <b>Thorpe</b> optioned	to training site	[Berra]Jeffers had h	is contract selected on Augus	st 20 and made his MLB de	ebut that nighton the	e mound side, Minaya struck out 17 batte
RHP Littell recalled		14 pitches in his bullp	en sessions at CHS Field, far	nning ghost batters and re	al ones alike and earni	ng his first spot on this road trip's Taxi S
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t the latest Twins Gan		PLAYER	CURRENT NO.	MILESTONE	WITHIN REACH	
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CURRENT NO. MILESTONE WITHIN REACH Needs 6 to reach 700 for career. Needs 2 to tie Alfonso Soriano (412) for 54th on MLB's all-time list. Alex Avila .694 hits. Nelson Cruz ... Max Kepler..... .410 home runs .. .98 home runs .... .123 home runs ... Needs 2 to reach 100 for career. Needs 9 to tie Jacque Jones (132) for 13th on Twins all-time list. Miguel Sanó.. 95 doubles Needs 5 to reach 100 for career

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### BULLPEN

TEAM BULLPEN NOTES	
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'Pen has 5.19 ERA (52.0 IP, 30 ER), .249 BAA (51-for-205) and .816 opponent OPS in 13 road games (Twins are 6-7 on the road)...conversely, 'pen has a 1.83 ERA (64.0 IP, 13 ER), .217 BAA (49-for-226) and .612 opponent OPS in 15 home games this season (Twins are 12-3 at home)...'pen suffered its second blown save of the season on 8/18 vs. MIL (prev. 8/6 at PIT)...also suffered late eighth inning defeat 8/11 at MIL. Pen is T-37 di nAL and T-6th in the majors with least walks with 37 & 5th in strikeouts in MLB with 129...is 5th in AL in strikeouts – 'pen recorded 0 K in a game for 1st time this season Thursday night. Overall, 'pen is 6-4, 3.34 ERA (116.0 IP, 45 ER) with 37 BB, 129 K and 9 SV (11 OPP) in first 28 games of the season...'pen is 3rd in AL and 9th in MLB in KV9.0 IP (10.01)...'pen is 2nd in AL and MLB in K/BB (3.49), T-4th in the AL/MLB in saves, 4th in AL/5th in MLB in ERA...'pen has stranded 17 of 20 inherited runners, good for a 15.0 IR scored percentage, 1st in AL and 2nd in MLB, behind Washington (12.5%). æ ф ф JORGE ALCALA - RHP #66 **RECENT APPEARANCES** Acquired: Trade with HOU B/T: R/R Age: 25 (7/28/95 in Bajos De Haina, DR) DATE S 7/27/18 Height: 6-3 Weight: 205 8/21 at KC 8/18 vs. MIL 0-0-0, 0.00 (3.0 IP, 0 ER), 6 K, 1 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (3.0 IP. 0ER), 6 K, 1 BB vs. Right .115 vs. Left .333 Roadtrip: Logged career-high innings (3.0) and strikeouts (6) Friday night...Earned first career win and had 2.0 scoreless IP on 8/18 extra-inning victory...0 ER in 5 of 6 outings this season (12.0 IP, 2 ER)...recalled from Taxi Squad prior to game 8/1 (Littell - IL)...owns 7.2 scoreless IP in 4 career G against KC (5 H, 3 BB, 10 K).
 Originally signed by HOU as intl. free agent 12/3/14...traded to MIN along w/ OF Celestino for RHP Pressly on 7/27/18...MLB debut 9/21/19 vs. KC w/ 0.2 IP. 8/15 vs. KC(2) ND 2.0 8/8 at KC ND 2.0 8/5 at PIT ND 10 <u> TYLER CLIPPARD - RHP</u> RECENT APPEARANCES #36 Age: 35 (2/14/85 in Lexington, KY) B/T: R/R Acquired: Signed as free ag DATE DEC 3/23 at KC Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .158 vs. Right .238 NE Has 9 scoreless outings in his first 11 Twins appearances, with 1.54 ERA (11.2 IP, 2 ER), 2 BB, 11 K and has stranded all four of his inherited runners this season. Pitched scoreless 7th last night after Twins three-run inning...is 1-1-1 w/ 0.79 ERA (22.2 IP, 2 ER) in 22 career G vs. KC, including 3.2 scoreless IP across 4 G this year. Has been the Opener in two outings: 8/2 vs. CLE (2.0 scoreless IP) and 8/11 at MIL (1.0 IP, 1 H, 1 ER, HR, 2 K)...has been Opener 6 times in career (all last 3 seasons). 2020 marked first 0D roster since 2018 (TOR)...signed 1-year contract with MIN 12/20/19...made MIN debut on 7/24, pitching a scoreless 6th (1 BB, 1 K) and earned a hold while becoming the 25th pitcher in MLB history to play for 10 franchises...has also pitched for NYY (2007, 2016-17), WAS (2008-14), OAK (2015), NYM (2015), ARI (2016), CWS (2017), HOU (2017), TOR (2018) & CLE (2019)...currently ranks 3rd among MLB actives in games (761) and 2nd in holds (219). 8/17 vs. KC H5 ¢ 8/16 vs. KC H4 0.2 0 0 0 0 8/11 at MIL ₽ ₽ ₽ ND 1.0 Л 8/9 at KC 8/6 at PIT *8/2 vs. CLE* 0.2 ND 1.0 2.0 H3 *ND* 0 0 1 **RECENT APPEARANCES** DANNY COULOMBE - LHP #53 DATE 8/22 at KC B/T: L/I Age: 30 (10/26/89 in St. Louis, MO) SO Acquired: Signed as ml free agent, **DEC IP** ND 2.0 **R ER** 0 0 **HR** 0 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 2 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0ER), 2 K, 2 BB vs. Left .333 vs. Right .000 Made Twins debut last night with scoreless 8th and 9th innings...had contract selected prior to yesterday's game when Littell and Odorizzi went on the IL. Has seven career appearances against Kansas City, including four at Kauffman Stadium...never allowed a run against Royals in 9.1 IP, and has struck out 10, walked four and held KC hitters to .067 (2-for-30) opponent batting average...signed as minor league FA this offseason, spent 2019 with New York-AL and Milwaukee orgs. TYLER DUFFEY - RHP **RECENT APPEARANCES** #21 DATE Age: 29 (12/27/90 in Houston, TX) DEC IP R ER BB SO Weight: 220 B/T: R/R Height: 6-3 Drafted: 5th round, 2012 Draft 8/23 at KC 8/20 vs. MIL H7 8/17 vs. KC H6 8/15 vs. KC(1) W1 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .174 vs. Right .067 Earned MLB-leading eigth hold last night with a scoreless 6th, stranding two inherited runners...36 of last 38 G have been scoreless, since 7/28/19...0.76 ERA (34.5 IP, 3 ER) in span, with 56 K vs. 5 BB (11.20 K/BB and 14.13 K/9.0)...opponents are .146/.191/.228 in that span, going 18-for-123 with 6 XBH (4 2B, 2 HR).
 Is one of five pitchers this season w/ at least 10.0 IP and no BB...RHB are 1-for-15 (.067, 4 K) & LHB are 4-for-24 (.174, 10 K).
 Earned win in Game 1 on 8/15 vs. KC w/ perfect 5th in relief (1 K)...4-2 w/ 6.03 ERA (34.1 IP, 23 ER, .248 BAA (33-for-133), 7 BB, 36 K in 16 career G (3 GS) vs. KC...
 Posted career-long 24.1 scoreless IP streak 7/28-9/28, longest for a Twin in '19...during streak, recorded 42 K and 11 BB...2nd-longest streak in baseball in 2019, behind only Los Angeles-NL's Hyun-Jin Ryu's 32.0 IP streak from 5/1-25. 1.0 8/11 at MIL 8/10 at MIL 1.0 0 ND H5 1.0 0 0 8/5 at PIT H4 1.0 0 2 0 0 8/2 vs CLF H3 ٥ ٥ ٥ ٥ TREVOR MAY - RHP **RECENT APPEARANCES** #65 B/T: R/R Age: 30 (9/23/89 in Longview, WA) Acquired: Trade with PHI, 12/6/12 Weight: 240 DATE DEC IP ER BB SO R 8/21 at KC NΓ Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB 8/17 vs. KC 8/16 vs. KC 8/11 at MIL 8/10 at MIL vs. Left .105 vs. Right .278 ND Worked a perfect 8th inning in Friday night's loss...8 of 10 appearances have been scoreless...K-ed 2 in 1.0 IP on Monday and has a 12.60 K/9.0 IP (14 K, 20.0 IP).
Career 4.-4-1, 3.13 ERA (37,1 IP, 13 ER), 38 K in 25 G (3 GS) vs. KC...owns career 1.69 ERA (21.1 IP, 4 ER) in 22 relief G...20 scoreless IP in 2020, w/ 3 K, 167 BAA (1-for-6).
On 8/4 secured the twins' win and his 1st save since 9/19/19 vs. KC...2nd-longest tenured Twin (Polanco - debut 6/26/14), making debut 8/9/14.
Led the club in holds (17) in '19...allowed just 3 of 22 inherited runners to score (13.6%), the lowest IR scored percent by a Twins reliever since '06.
Tied for 4th in AL in BAA (.184) last season...has limited opponents to .180/.266/.314 slash line since start of '19 (50-for-265, 28 BB, 3 HBP, 7 2B & 10 HR). 8/4 vs. PIT S1 0.2 0 0 0 3 8/2 vs. CLE H2 10 SEAN POPPEN - RHP #71 **RECENT APPEARANCES** SO B/T: R/R Age: 26 (03/05/1994 in Virginia Beach, VA) Drafted: 19th round, 2016 Draft DATE BB Weight: 205 DEC IP R ER Height: 6-3 8/7 at KC ND 0 0 1.0 0 1 0 2 1 4 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .250 vs. Right .400 8/8 at KC ND 2.0 Recalled yesterday after Littell and Odorizzi were placed on Injured List...has two outings this season, both at Kansas City...set career high w/ 4 K's in 2.0 IP on 8/8 at KC...made 2020 debut 8/7, pitching a scoreless eighth at KC and stranding 2 runners in scoring position in a Twins loss.
 Two outings this year are his only career matchups against the Royals...combined for a 3.00 ERA (3.0 IP, 1 ER), two walks and five strikeouts all-time vs. Kansas City...
 Made MLB debut last season 6/19 vs. BOS (4.0 IP, 5 H, 3 ER, 2 K), becoming 2nd Harvard product to play for Twins (1st pitcher). <u>TAYLOR ROGER</u>S - LHP **RECENT APPEARANCES** #55 Weight: 190 B/T: L/L Age: 29 (12/17/90 in Denver, CO) Drafted: 11th round, 2012 Draft DATE DEC IP Height: 6-3 8/18 vs. MIL BS2 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .333 vs. Right .303 8/16 vs. KC Η1 1.0 0 8/15 vs. KC(1) S5 Career 1-3-7 w/ 3.05 ERA (38.1 IP, 13 ER), 10 BB, 34 K and .237 BAA (33-for-139) in 41 G vs. KC...1 SV, 2.0 IP, 3 H, 2 K in 2 G this season.
 Charged with blown save on 8/18 vs. MIL, allowing first run at Target Field in seven games this season...has a 1.29 home ERA (7.0 IP, 1 ER), w/ 1 BB, 8 K, .231 BAA (6-for-26) & a .528 opponent OPS...on road, is 0-2-1 (2 OPP) w/ 15.43 ERA (2.1 IP, 4 ER), .462 BAA (6-for-13) & 1.385 opponent OPS.
 T-6th in AL and T-8th in MLB w/ 5 saves...took loss 8/11 at MIL, allowing 2 runs in 4-4 tie...took loss 8/6 at PIT, allowing 2 ER on 3 H in 0.1 IP as Pirates rallied for 6-5 victory...marked 1st blown save since 8/1/19 at MIA (17-for-17 in SVO between). 1.0 0 0 8/11 at MIL L2 1.0 0 8/10 at MIL 8/6 at PIT 8/3 vs. PIT 51 1.0 0 BS1/L1 0.1 W1 1.0 **RECENT APPEARANCES** SERGIO ROMO - RHP #54 Weight: 185 BB B/T: R/R Age: 37 (3/4/1983 in Brawley, CA) Acquired: Trade with MIA, 7/27/19 DATE DEC IP FR SO 
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 8/20 vs. MIL
 H6

 8/16 vs. KC
 S3

 8/15 vs. KC(1) H5
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 Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .067 vs. Right .133 700th career K 8/15 (G1), fanning Soler...T-2nd in AL and 3rd in MLB w/ 6 holds...scoreless in 7 of 9 outings...opponents are 3-for-30 (.100) w/ 1 HR, 1 BB & 12 K.
 2.0 perfect IP in 2 G vs. KC so far this season w/ 1 SV and 5 K...15 career G, going 1-0-4 w/ 0 R in 13.1 IP (3 BB, 15 K), 133 BAA (6-for-45), .188 OBP & .365 OPS.
 Has thrown his slider 71.6% of the time so far in 2020...has allowed an average exit velocity of just 82.9 MPH (was 84.9 MPH in 2019).
 12th MLB season...currently ranks 4th among actives in holds (184), 5th in games (717) and T-14th in saves (132)...1 of 4 active pitchers with at least 100 career saves and 100 career holds, alongside David Robertson (137 SV/147 HLD), Fernando Rodney (327 SV/114 HLD) and Joakim Soria (223 SV/103 HLD). 1.0 8/2 vs. CLE S2 1.0 7/31 vs. CLE DEVIN SMELTZER - LHP Height: 6-3 Weight: 195 #31 **RECENT APPEARANCES** Age: 24 (9/7/1995 in Voorhees, NJ) B/T: R/L Acquired: Trade with LAD, 7/31/18 DATE SC DEC IP 8/17 vs. KC W2 ND 2.2 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .444 vs. Right .250 Roadtrip: 8/7 at KC 4.1 8/2 vs. CLE Earned W Monday night, pitching 2.2 scoreless IP in relief of Opener Wisler...cancer survivor (bladder), diagnosed when nine years old and went full remission in 2012.
 Recorded 1st scoreless outing of season Monday night, allowing 1 H in 2.2 IP (1 BB, 3 K)...2 G/1 GS vs. KC this season, going 1-0 w/ 2.57 ERA (7.0 IP, 2 ER), 2 BB, 5 K.
 Is 2-0 w/ 1.29 ERA (14.0 IP, 2 ER) in 4 G/2 GS in career vs. KC, w/ .149 BAA (7-for-47)...11 career G (6 GS) vs. AL Central, owning 5.23 ERA (41.1 IP, 24 ER). W1 2.2 2.0 2 6 1 1 1 2 5 7/25 at CWS ND 5 5 2 1 **RECENT APPEARANCES** #72 Age: 33 (01/31/1987 in Northfield, MN) Acquired: Signed as free agent, 11/29/19 DATE DEC IP SO 8/21 at KC 8/19 vs. MIL 8/18 vs. MIL 8/12 at MIL 8/12 at MIL Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.2 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.2 IP, 0ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left .222 vs. Right .250 Pitched 0.2 scoreless IP Friday night at KC...since allowing two ER in 2020 debut, last five outings are scoreless...0-2 w/ 6.39 ERA (12.2 IP, 9 ER) in 15 career G vs. Royals. Made first MLB appearance since 4/30/15 with MIN on 8/4 vs. PIT (2.1 IP and 54 pitches were career highs)...4th-longest appearance hiatus in Twins history, trailing Bert Blyleven (9 years, 64 days), Carlos Pulido (9 years, 22 days) and Craig Breslow (7 years, 322 days)...native of Northfield, MN. ND 1.0 ND ND 0.1 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 8/7 at KC MATT WISLER - RHP Height: 6-3 Weight: 215 RECENT APPEARANCES Age: 27 (9/12/92 in Bryan, OH) B/T: R/R Acquired: Claimed off Waivers from SEA, 10/29/19 DATE DEC ND ND *8/17 vs. KC* 8/11 at MIL Roadtrip: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB Series at KC: 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .000 vs. Right .214 2.0 Pitched 2.0 scoreless IP as Opener Monday night vs. KC, w/ 0 H, 1 BB, 3 K...has pitched 5.1 hitless IP across 3 G at home this season, w/ 2 BB, 1 HB, 6 K...owns 2.70 ERA (6.2 IP, 2 ER) in 4 G on the road so far...4 career G (2 GS) vs. Royals, w/ 2.25 ERA (12.0 IP, 3 ER), 1 HR, 2 BB, 12 K, .222 BAA (10-for-45).
 Entered in 5th inning on 8/7 at KC, pitched 1.2 IP in a 2-2 tie, but allowed HR to Ryan McBroom in the 6th and took the loss...1-2, 4.04 ERA (35.2 IP, 16 ER) in 14 G (7 GS) vs. AL Central, including 0-1, 1.23 ERA (7.1 IP, 1 ER) in 5 G (1 GS) this season.
 Made 2nd career OD in 2020 (2019 w/ SD)...MIN is 5th org (ATL, SD, SEA, CIN)...split 2019 w/ SD and SEA, going 3-4, 5.61 ERA (51.1 IP, 32 ER) in 44 appearances (8 start) 8/7 at KC 11 1.2 8/3 vs. PIT ND 2.0 8/2 vs. CLF ND 1.1 0 0 7/26 at CWS ND ND 7/25 at CWS 1.0 0 1 2 (8 starts) **2020 BULLPEN INFO** TEAM BULLPEN USAGE 1st Batter Avg WHIF HR Last game Player name BB/9 K/9 Saves/Opps Holds IRS% 2 games ago 3 games ago Jorge Alcala 3.00 11.25 0 50.0% (1/2) 1.00 0.0 IP (0) 3.0 IP (41) 0.0 IP (0) Tyler Clippard 429 1 54 8 4 9 0/0 Δ 0.0% (0/4) 0.86 10 IP (15) 0 0 IP (0) 0 0 IP (0) 1 **Danny Coulombe** 0.0% (0/0) 0.0 IP (0) .000 9.00 9.00 0/00 1.50 0 2.0 IP (32) 0.0 IP (0) 1.0 IP (17) Tyler Duffey .000 0.00 11.45 0/0 0.0% (0/2) 0.45 0.0 IP (0) 1.0 IP (12) 5 0.0 IP (0) 0.0 IP (0) Trevor May 400 1.80 12.60 1/23 0.0% (0/3) 0.90 2 1.0 IP (8) Sean Poppen .500 6.00 15.00 0/0 0 0.0% (0/0) 2.00 0 0.0 IP (0) 0.0 IP (0) 0.0 IP (0)

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EHIRE ADRIANZA - INF (PRDNDUNCED AY-RAY AH-DREE-AHN-ZAH)#13Height: 195B/T: S/RAge: 30 (8/21/89 in Guarenas, VZ)2020 Average: .186Streak: 0-6, RBISeries at KC: 0-3, RBIModeltrip: 0-3, RBISeries at KC: 0-3, RBIHome Runs:• Is 0-for-13 in 5 G vs. KC this seasoncareer .207 (17-for-82) w/ 13 R, 2 2B, HR & 13 RBI vs. KC.Served as PR last nighthitting .214 (3-for-14) as RHB and .172 (5-for-29) as LHB this season.• Career .186 (8-for-43) w/ 5 R, 2 2B, HR, 6 RBI & 3 BB in 14 G vs. KC at Kauffman Stadium.• Made first Twins' position player pitching app. of season on 8/19, tossing the ninth (1 H, 1 HR).• Made defensive appearances at seven different positions in 2019: P (1 game, 0 starts), 1B (20 games, 12 starts), 2B (7 games, 7 starts), 3B (24 games, 14 starts), SS (24 games, 16 starts), LF (1 games, 0 starts) and RF (6 games, 5 starts)12 starts (1 2B/3 SS/8 3B) in 2020.LUIS ARRAEZ - INF#2	Jeffers, continued         league debut as a starter since Pinto.         • Currently ranked as the sixth-best prospect in the Twins' organization, per MLB.com.         • Split 2019 b/w Single-AFt. Myers (79 G) & Double-A Pensacola (24 G), hitting .264 (97-for-368) w/ career high 14 HR, 49 RBInamed 2019 Florida State League Midseason All-Star during season and catcher on Twins' 2019 MiLB.com organization All-Star team.         MAX KEPLER - DF       #26         Height: 6-4       Weight: 225         B/T. L/L       Age: 27 (2/10/93 in Berlin, Germany)         2020 Average: .226       Streak: 1g, 1-3, 28         Roadtrip:       1-7, 28         Home Runs:       6 (4 1-run, 1 2-run, 1 3-run)         • Is hitting .233 (7-for-30) w/ 3 R, 2 2B, 2 HR, 5 RBI & an .861 OPS in 9 G vs. KC this season.         • Leads Twins in walks w/ 15recorded 17th career leadoff XBH last night.         • Reached safely in 19 of 26 games via hit or walkthose 26: .447 0BP / 1.104 0PS /.657 SLG.
Height: 5-10Weight: 175B/T: L/RAge: 23 (4/9/97 in San Felipe, VZ)2020 Average: 275Streak: 5g, 8-18, 2B, RBISeries at KC: 1-4Roadtrip:1-4Home Runs:• Hitting 12-for-36 (.333) in last 10 since 8/5also has hit in each of last 5 G vs. KC (7-for-17).• Has reached base safely in 16 of 19 games this season (via BB or H)in a 5 G hit streak, tying season high & his 3rd of 4+ G this yearbatting .444 (8-for-18) during current streak.• Hitting .34 AVG in 2019, was 5th-highest by a 22-year-old in the past 100 years (min. 300 PA), behind Ted Williams (.406, 1941), Freddie Lindstrom (.358, 1928), Stan Musial (.357, 1943) and Joe DiMaggio (.346, 1937).ALEX AVILA - C#116Height: 5-11Weight: 210B/T: L/RAge: 33 (1/29/87 in Hialeah, FL)	<ul> <li>Career .237 (224-for-946) w/ 143 R, 57 2B, 44 HR, 122 RBI, 107 BB &amp; a .765 OPS in 267 G vs. AL Central opponents.</li> <li>Has 8 career leadoff homers, 2 this season (7/24 at CWS &amp; 7/31 vs. CLE)5th on Twins all-time list: Brian Dozier - 28, Jacque Jones - 20, Chuck Knoblauch - 14 &amp; Dan Gladden - 12.</li> <li>Eighth career 3+ RBI game out of the leadoff spot on 8/5, which is the ninth most such games in Twins historyone more 3+ RBI game out of the leadoff spot would tie him with Chuck Knoblauch and Dan Gladden (9 each) for seventh most in Twins history.</li> <li>JORGE POLANCO - SS #11</li> <li>Height: 5-11 Weight: 208 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (7/5/93 in San Pedro De Macoris, DR)</li> <li>2020 Average: 288 Streak: 2g, 3-9, 2B, 2 RBI Series at KC: 1-4 Home Runs: 2 (11-run, 12-run)</li> <li>* Is hitting .320 (8-for-25) w/ 2 R, 3 RBI, HBP &amp; a .666 OPS in 8 G vs. KC this season.</li> </ul>
2020 Average: .188       Streak: 0-7       Series at KC: 0-2 Home Runs: 1(11-run)         • Reached safely in 10 of 13 G this season188 AVG / .409 OBP / .22 OPS 6R / 6 H / 10 BB.         • Career .242 (72-for-297) w/ 44 R, 14 2B, 14 HR, 40 RBI & a .798 OPS in 106 G vs. KC.         • Has played in 13 G (11 starts) this season, all as C (96.1 lnn.) - Twins are 10-3 in those 13 Gonly player in MLB this year w/ sub200 AVG and OBP of at least .400 (min. 30 AB).         • Hit 1st HR as Twin on 7/31 (solo shot)played his 1,000th career game on 8/6, became 7th active catcher to reach that mark892 career games caught, 9th among actives.         • Signed a one-year contract with Minnesota on 12/10/19 after 2 seasons with ARI.         JAKE CAVE - OF       #60 Height: 6-0         Height: 6-0       Weight: 200         B/T.L/L       Age: 27 (12/4/92 in Hampton, VA)         2020 Average: .178       Streak: 3g, 4-13         Reries at KC: 2-9 Home Runs:       Series at KC: 2-9	<ul> <li>Went 2-for-3 vs. Kris Bubic on 8/17 at Target Fieldbatting .333 (9-for-27) vs. LHP this year.</li> <li>Second career walk-off plate appearance Tuesday night in 12th inning vs. MIL (fielder's choice).</li> <li>T-1st on Twins in games (27), 2nd in hits (30) &amp; 3rd in AVG (.288).</li> <li>Batted leadoff on 8/17 for the 1st time this season and first time since July 16, 2019 vs. New York-NLoccupied the top spot in the batting order 15 times last season and 25 times total in his careerhad his team-leading 10th multi-hit game of the season that night, becoming the first Twins batter with at least 10 multi-hit games within the first 23 games since Justin Morneau in 2009 (11 G)ranks T-4th in AL and T-6th in MLB in multi-hit G (11) this season.</li> <li>EDDIE ROSARIO – OF #20</li> <li>Height: 6-1 Weight: 180 B/T.L/R Age: 28 (9/28/91 in Guayama, PR)</li> <li>2020 Average: 230 Streak: 1g, 2-4, HR, 3 RBI Series at KC: 2-8, HR, 3 RBI Roadtrip: 2-8, HR, 3 RBI</li> <li>Career .260 (86-for-331) w/ 39 R, 13 2B, 8 HR, 40 RBI &amp; 17 BB in 86 G vs. KCis hitting</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Career .228 (21-for-92) w/16 R, 3 2B, 3B, 4 HR, 12 RBI &amp; a .724 OPS in 32 G vs. KCcareer 11-for-53 (.208) w/ 3 HR &amp; 5 RBI in 18 G at Kauffmanon season-high 3 G hit streak (4-for-13).</li> <li>Has played in 14 G this season, has started in 12 G (all as OF - 8 at CF/ 3 at LF/ 1 at RF).</li> <li>Recorded his first outfield assist of the season on 8/3, was the ninth outfield assist of his career and his second from leftfieldit was the Twins' second of six outfield assists as a team this seasonTwins are T-2nd in MLB in OF assists (Pittsburgh, also 6, and Boston, 7).</li> <li>Hit second career grand slam in MIN's 3rd game, 7/26 at CWS off Reynaldo López.</li> <li>NELSON CRUZ - DH #23</li> <li>Height: 6-2 Weight: 230 B/T: R/R Age: 40 (7/1/80 in Las Matas De Santa Cruz, DR)</li> <li>2020 Average: .333 Streak: 3g, 3-10, HR, 2 RBI Series at KC: 1-3 Home Runs: 9 (5 1-run, 2 2-run, 2 3-run)</li> <li>Hitting. 400 (10-for-25) with one double, five home runs, six RBI, a .464 on-base percentage, a size of the series of the seri</li></ul>	<ul> <li>.409 (9-for-22) with runners in scoring position this season, after hitting .340 (53-for-156) w/ .908 OPS with runners in scoring position in 2019.</li> <li>Has drawn 10 walks, T-4th most on team (Kepler - 15)drew 22 walks in 2019has reached via hit or walk in 20 of 27 G this season6 multi-hit G are T-4th most on Twins.</li> <li>4th career GS 8/10 at MILwere only 4 runs of G, 3rd time in MIN history for all 4 R coming from a GS in a victory: Gary Gaetti in 1988, Bobby Darwin in 1973.</li> <li>Hit 31st career 1st-pitch HR last night, T-3rd most in AL since 2015his 113 career HR passed Roy Smalley for 15th in Twins historynext is Sanó w/ 123, then Jacque Jones w/ 132.</li> <li>Recorded his 3rd outfield assist of the season and 51st of his career Tuesday night51 outfield assists are second most in baseball since 2015, trailing only Starling Marte (61) his 51 outfield assists are ninth on Twins all-time list, now 3 behind Jacque Jones (54).</li> <li>MIGUEL SANÚ - INF #22 Height: 6-4 Weight: 272 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (5/11/93 in S.Pedro De Macorís, DR)</li> </ul>
<ol> <li>1.040 slugging percentage and a 1.504 OPS in eight games vs. the Royals this season, homering at least once in four of thosesince the start of 2019, he is hitting .3/9 (33-for-87) with seven doubles, 14 home runs, 34 RBI and a 1.409 OPS in 24 games vs. KCin that span, his 14 home runs are the most in baseball against any single opponent, ahead of Gleyber Torres' 13 vs. the Orioles and Mike Trout's 12 vs. the Rangershomered off Kris Bubic on 8/17 at Target Field.</li> <li>Of his 50 home runs since joining the Twins last season, 33 have come against the AL Central, ahead of Jorge Soler's 32Max Kepler and Miguel Sanó are T-3rd with 23 apiece.</li> <li>Leads AL in RC (29), T-2nd in GW RBI (4), T-3rd in RBI (25), 3rd in OPS (1.074), 3rd in BA (.333), T-4th in BABIP (.383), 5th in TB (63), T-6th in H (32), 7th in OBP (.418), T-7th in XBH (13).</li> <li>His 9 HR this season are tied with Barry Bonds (2007) for the most home runs by a player 40-years-old-or-older through the first 28 games of a season.</li> <li>Batting .435 (10-for-23) w/ 4 HR vs. LHP &amp; batting .301 (22-for-73) w/ 5 HR vs. RHP this season.</li> <li>Hit his ninth home run of the season Friday night (410th of his career), passing Mark Teixeira (409) for 55th placenext up is Alfonso Soriano (412 - 54th).</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>2020 Average: .215 Streak: 6g, 9-22, HR, 6 2B, Series at KC: 3-7, HR, 2B, 3 RBI Home Runs: 5 (4 1-run, 1 3-run)</li> <li>Went 2-for-5 w/ HR last night, extending his extra-base hit streak to 6 G, matching his career-long streak from March 31-April 7, 2018XBH streak is longest active in MLBdid not double last night, ending that career-long run at 5 G.</li> <li>His 458-foot HR last night was the 5th-longest HR of his careerhis 23.7 barrels/BBE% is 2nd in MLB (Baseball Savant).</li> <li>Hitting .444 (8-for-18) w/ 5 2B, 3 R, 1 HR, 4 RBI &amp; 1.413 OPS in last 5 G13 of his 17 hits this season have gone for extra bases (8 2B, 5 HR).</li> <li>Also hitting .355 (11-for-31) w/ 7 R, 6 2B, 2 HR, 5 RBI, 487 OBP &amp; 1.229 OPS in last 10 G.</li> <li>ML debut at KC 7/2/2015career .261 (63-for-241) w/ 39 R, 11 2B, 17 HR &amp; 57 RBI in 68 G vs. KC.</li> <li>Played his 500th career game 8/11 at MIL (509 G)123 career HR, 114th on Twins all-time list, next is Jacque Jones (132).</li> </ul>
MARWIN GONZALEZ - INF/OF         #9           Height: 6-1         Weight: 205         B/T: S/R         Age: 31 (3/14/1989 in Puerto Ordaz, VZ)           2020 Average: .238         Streak: 0-6, RBI         Series at KC: 1-7, RBI           Roadtrip:         1-7, RBI         Home Runs: 3 (3 1-run)           • Career .312 (24-for-77) w/ 11 R, 5 2B, 2 HR, 8 RBI, 6 BB & a .824 OPS in 20 G at Kauffman Stadiumhitting .200 (6-for-30) w/ 4 R, HR, 3 RBI, HBP, 4 BB in 9 G vs. KC this season.           • Career 0-for-1, BB vs. Kris Bubichitting .310 vs. LHP & .200 vs. RHP this season.           • Sth on team in AVG (.238), T-2nd in multi-H G (7), 5th in H (20) and 7th in OBP (.313).           • Reached in 17 of 24 games this season (H or BB), posting an OPS of .670.           • 13 GS at 3B, 4 at 1B, 4 at 2B & 3 in RFsplits 3B w/ Adrianza since Donaldson injury (7/31 - calf).           • Hitting .310 (9-for-29) as RHB, .200 (11-for-55) as LHB3 HR in 2020 as LHB.           • Hit .300 (36-for-120) as RHB and .249 (76-for-305) as LHB in '1910 of 15 in HR in 2019 came as LHBals hit .298 (28-for-94) with runners in scoring position and .360 (18-for-50) with a .976 OPS with runners in scoring position and two outs in 2019.	ILDEMARO VARGAS - INF       [PRONDUNCED ILL-DUH-MAH-ROW]       #4         Height: 6-0       Weight: 180       B/T: S/R       Age: 29 (7/16/91 in Caripito, VZ)         2020 Average:       .250       Streak: 3g, 5-11, 38, 28, 2 RBI       Series at KC:       2-4         Roadtrip:       2-4       Home Runs:       -       Home Runs:         • Recorded 2nd multi-hit G as a Twin on last night vs. KCis 5-for-12 (.417) w/ 3 R, 28, 3B, 2 RBI & a 1.051 OPS in 6 G with the Twinshit the Twins' first triple of the season on 8/20 before joining the Twins, he hit .150 (3-for-20) in eight G for the Diamondbacks this year.       • Acquired 8/11 via trade with Arizona in exchange for cash considerationsdesignated by AZ 8/6.         • Plays all 4 infield positions: 60 career G at 28, 21 at 38, 5 at SS and 5 at 18.       • MIN marks third org., the others being STL (208-14) and ARI (2015-20)debut 6/29/17 with AZ.         LAMONTE WADE, JR OF [PRONDUNCED LAH-MONT]       #30         Height: 6-1       Weight: 205       B/TL/L       Age: 25 (1/1/94 in Baltimore, MD)
#39         Height: 6-4       Weight: 235       B/T: R/R       Age: 23 (6/3/97 in Raleigh, NC)         2020 Average: 286       Streak: 0-5       Series at KC: 0-4         Modultip: 0-4       Home Runs:         Contract selected by the Twins on 8/20 (Garver - IL)recorded his first major league hit and RBI on debut, started at catcherstarted 2nd game at C Friday night and went 0-for-3 is the 1st Twin with an RBI-hit in his 1st career at-bat since Eddie Rosario homered on May 6, 2015 vs. Oaklandbecame the first Twin with multiple hits in his debut since Josmil Pinto on September 1, 2013 at Texasalso became the first Minnesota catcher to make his major         TWINS HOM         MULTI-HOMER GAMES (6x)       • Buxton, 8/12 at MIL       WALK-OFF (0x)	RUNNERS ON   LEADOFF (2x)   GRAND SLAM (2x)
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Most Hits, Game (Team)
Most Hits, Inning (Team)
Most Strikeouts, Batters (Team)
Longest Hitting Streak (Individual) 7, Cruz, 7/31-8/6
Consecutive Hits (Individual)4, Cruz, 7/26 at CWS
Consecutive Hitless At-Bats (Individual) 18, Arraez, 7/30-8/5
Consecutive Scoreless Innings (Batters) 13, 7/29-30
Most Runs Allowed (Team)10, 7/25 at CWS
Most Runs Allowed, Inning (Team)6, 4th inn, 8/8 at KC
Most Hits Allowed (Team)14, 7/25 at CWS
Most Hits Allowed, Inning (Team) 6, 4th inn, 8/8 at KC
Pitchers Used (Team)
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Scoreless Innings Streak (Team/Pitchers)15, 7th inn 7/31-3rd inn 8/2
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Most Strikeouts, Starter
Most Strikeouts, Pitchers (Team)
Most Walks, Pitchers (Team)7, 8/19 vs. MIL
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### **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, 8/19 vs. MIL (1 in 2020) Three or more Steals, One Game: E. Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017) Steal of Home: C. Thomas, 8/3/13 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)

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### AGAINST THE TWINS

HITTING: Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time) Grand Slam: R. Rodríguez, 8/23/19 vs. DET (5 allowed as team in 2019) Inside-the-Park Home Run: A. Mondesi, 4/2/19 at KC (44 allowed all-time) 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, 5/28/15 at MLL (3 allowed all-time) Two Hits, One Inning: V. Reyes, 3rd inning, 8/31/19 at DET (1 allowed in 2019) Two-Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL Two-Home Run Game: M. Piña, 8/11/20 (3 allowed in 2020) Three-Home Run Game: M. Piña, 8/11/20 (3 allowed in 2020) Two-Home Run Game: M. Piña, 8/11/20 (3 allowed in 2020) Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR Back-to-Back Home Runs: J. Soler/S. Perez, 8/8/20 at KC (2 allowed in 2020) Three Consecutive Home Runs: A. Jones/V. Castilla/J. Franco, 6/11/02 vs. ATL Three Home Runs, One Inning: N. Lopez/J. Soler/S. Perez, 8/8/20 at KC (2 in 2020) 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: A. García, 8/11/20 at MIL (2 allowed in 2020) 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: 13, S. Bieber, 7/30/20 vs. CLE (1 time in 2020) Complete Game Shutout: L. Giolito, 8/21/19 vs. CWS (1 time in 2019) Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Williams/Jer. Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA Back-to-Back Shutouts: 4/6 - 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. Danaldson/A. Rosales/C. Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK - T. Plouffe hitting (8 all-time) Position Player Pitching: J. Gyorko, 8/12/20 at MIL (1 in 2020) 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

2020 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS						
<b>DATE</b> 8/14 vs. KC 8/20 vs. MIL	Postponed	NOTES Game scheduled for 7:10 was rescheduled due to oncoming thunderstorms/tornados; made up as part of a traditional doubleheader the next day, 8/15. Game scheduled for 6:10 was delayed due to light rain prior to game time; first pitch was thrown at 6:21 – officially 11-minute delay.				
2010: 1 PPD / 1 DEL 2011: 3 PPD / 3 DEL 2012: 1 PPD / 4 DEL 2013: 3 PPD / 4 DEL	2014: 3 PPD / 6 DE 2015: 1 PPD / 3 DE 2016: 3 PPD / 11 D 2017: 4 PPD / 7 DE	L 2019: 1 PPD / 7 DEL EL 2020: 1 PPD / 1 DEL				
** Target Field	I has experienced 52	delayed games, 25 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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Date Opponent	Score	W/L	Record	Position	Games Ahead/Games Back	Winner/Loser/Save
JULY (5-2)		36 (54-for-229)		2-3, 3.34 ERA (62.0 IP, 23 ER)	1.0	N /0: 11
24at CWS 25at CWS	10-5 3-10	WL	1-0 1-1	T-1st T-1st	+1.0	May/Giolito Keuchel/Dobnak
26at CWS 27OFF DAY	14-2	W	2-1	T-1st T-1st	+0.0 +0.0	Maeda/López
28STL 29STL	6-3 3-0	W W	3-1 4-1	2nd 1st	-0.5 +0.5	Bailey/Martínez/Romo Hill/Ponce de Leon/Rogers
30CLE	0-2	L	4-2	2nd	-0.5	Bieber/Berríos/Karinchak
31CLE AUGUST (13-7)	4-1 Batting: .24	W 13 (166-for-683)	5-2 Pitching: 13	1st 8-8-6, 3.41 ERA (182.1 IP, 69 ER)	+0.5	Dobnak/Clevinger/Rogers
1CLE 2CLE	3-0 4-1	W W	6-2 7-2	1st 1st	+1.0 +2.0	Maeda/Carrasco/Rogers Smeltzer/Civale/Romo
3PIT	5-4	W	8-2	1st	+2.0	Rogers/Burdi
4PIT 5at PIT	7-3 5-2	W	9-2 10-2	1st 1st	+2.0 +3.0	Berríos/Musgrove/May Dobnak/Williams
6at PIT 7at KC	5-6 2-3	L	10-3 10-4	1st 1st	+2.5 +2.0	Howard/Rogers Holland/Wisler/Rosenthal
8at KC 9at KC	6-9 2-4	L	10-5	1st	+1.5 +0.5	Zuber/Thorpe/Rosenthal
10at MIL	4-2	W	10-6 11-6	1st 1st	+0.5	Singer/Berríos/Barlow Dobnak/Houser/Rogers
11at MIL 12at MIL	4-6 12-2	L	11-7 12-7	1st 1st	+0.5 +1.5	Williams/Rogers/Hader Maeda/Lauer
13OFF DAY 15KC##	4-2	W	13-7	1st 1st	+1.5 +1.5	Duffey/Speier/Rogers
КС	2-4	L	13-8	1st	+1.0	Duffy/Berríos/Rosenthal
16КС 17КС	4-2 4-1	W W	14-8 15-8	1st 1st	+1.0 +1.5	Dobnak/Singer/Romo Smeltzer/Bubic
18MIL 19MIL	^4-3 3-9	W	16-8 16-9	1st 1st	+1.5 +0.5	Alcala/Phelps Anderson/Hill
20MIL	7-1	W	17-9	1st	+0.5	Berríos/Woodruff
21at KC 22at KC	2-7 7-2	L W	17-10 18-10	1st 1st	+0.5 +0.5	Duffy/Odorizzi Dobnak/Singer
23at KC 24at CLE	1:05 P.M. F: 6:10 P.M.	SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com FSN/TIBN				
25at CLE 26at CLE		SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com FSN/TIBN				
27at DET	6:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN				
28at DET 29at DET	6:10 P.M. 5:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN FSN/TIBN				
30at DET 31CWS	12:10 P.M. F: 7:10 P.M.	SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com FSN/TIBN				
SEPTEMBER (0-0)	Batting: .00	)0 (0-for-0)	Pitching: 0-	0-0, 0.00 ERA (0.0 IP, 0 ER)		
1CWS 2CWS	7:10 P.M. F: 7:10 P.M.	SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com FSN/TIBN				
3OFF DAY 4DET	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN				
5DET 6DET	6:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com				
7DET	1:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN				
8at STL at STL#	2:15 PM. F:	SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com				
9OFF DAY 10OFF DAY						
11CLE 12CLE	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN FOX/TIBN				
13CLE		SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com				
14at CWS 15at CWS	7:10 P.M. 7:10 P.M. F	FSN/TIBN SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com				
16at CWS 17at CWS	7:10 P.M. 1:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN FSN/TIBN				
18at CHC	7:15 P.M.	FSN/TIBN				
19at CHC 20at CHC	7:15 P.M. 1:20 P.M. F	FSN/TIBN SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com				
21OFF DAY 22DET	6:40 P.M. F	SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com				
23DET 24OFF DAY	6:40 P.M.	FSN/TIBN				
25CIN	7:10 P.M.	FSN/TIBN				
26CIN 27CIN	6:10 P.M. 2:10 P.M. F:	FSN/TIBN SN/TIBN/twinsbeisbol.com				
All game times are listed as Center ^ - Denotes Extra-Innings (Twins are		# - Sent 9 at STI m	oved to DH on Sent 8 at S	TL to create at Sept. off-day for Ca	ardinals	HOME GAMES ROAD GAMES
Denotes Extra minings (minis are	r o mokra minigo,	## - PPD game from	8/14 vs. KC			
DATE SCORE	NOTES			-OFF VICTORIES [2]		
8/3 vs. PIT 5-4 8/18 vs. MIL 4-3				n one out in the bottom of the nin ement at second base) with one	nth inning. 2 out in the bottom of the twelfth inning.	
			TWINS S	TARTERS IN 2020		
Pitcher	Loot Chart /		Dec.		QS Team Rec.	Run Supp. RS AVG
			6	6	15-1	
Wisler	8/17 vs. KC	(2.0-0-0-1-3-0)	0	1	0	0
Smeltzer	8/7 at KC (4	1.1-4-2-2-1-2-0)	0		00-1	
						0
			2020	PLAYERS (38)		
	Pitchers	<u>s: (21)</u>			Position Players: (1	1)
Alcala, Jorge rhp Bailey, Homer rhp *	Gearrin, Cory Hill, Rich Jhp <sup>*</sup>	rhp Roger	s, Taylor lhp* , Sergio rhp*	Adrianza, Ehire inf* Arraez, Luis inf*	Donaldson, Josh if* Garver, Mitch c*	Rosario, Eddie of* Sanó, Miguel inf*
Berríos, José rhp*	Littell, Zack r	hp* Smelt	zer, Devin İhp*	Avila, Álex c*	Gonzalez, Marwin inf/of*	Vargas, Ildemaro inf
Clippard, Tyler rhp* Coulombe, Danny Ihp	Maeda, Kenta May, Trevor rh	p* Thielb	ak, Cody rhp* oar, Caleb Ihp	Buxton, Byron of* Cave, Jake of*	Jeffers, Ryan c Kepler, Max of*	Wade Jr., LaMonte of* Whitefield, Aaron of*
Dobnak, Randy rhp* Duffey, Tyler rhp*	Odorizzi, Jake Poppen, Sean	rhp Thorp	e, Lewis Thp* r, Matt Thp*	Cruz, Nelson dh*	Polanco, Jorge inf*	,
		p 11131C	, 1			* - on Opening Day roster
				XI SQUAD (2)		
#64 WILLIANS ASTUE	UILLU - C Hei day Injured List and b	ight: 5-9 Weight as yet to appear in the m		R/R Age: 28 (10/1)	4/1991 in Barcelona, VZ) Acquir games from 2018-19 made Twins O	red: Signed as ml free agent, 11/25/17 pening Day roster in 2019, 1st career OD
					s, alongside Bill Killefer (356 PA, 9 K)	
#49 JUAN MINAYA -		ight: 6-4 Weight				uired: Signed as ml free agent, 1/23/20
		tabing 22 games in the	majore and 24 for Trip	la A Charletta avalusivaly a	ut of the bullness in the big leagues i	n 2019 held a 3 93 FRA (27 2 IP 56 FR)
<b>₽</b> Spent 2019 in the Chica	go-AL organization, pil league free agent lanu	ary 23, 2020 MIN is the	ird organization orig	inally signed w/ Houston as	undrafted free agent Sent 3 2008	pent 2008-16 w/ HOU, 2016-18 w/ CWS.