## MINNESDTA TWINS [62-60] at HOUSTON ASTROS [80-Ч5]

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Record in road series:
Series Openers:
Series Finales:
Rubber Games:
Sweeps/Swept:
April:
May:....
June:.
July: :...
August:
September/October:
Day Games:
Night Games:
vs. American League East:
vs. American League Central:
vs. American League West:...
vs. National League:
Games vs. LH Starter:
Games vs. RH Starter:
Twins score first:.
Opponent scores first:
Come-from-behind wins:
Leading after 7/8 inn.:
53-7753-3
Trailing after $7 / 8$ inn.: 4-46/4-49
Tied after $7 / 8$ inn.:
Extra-innings:
1-run games:
Twins out-hit opp.
Opp. out-hit Twins:
Twins/Opp. have = hits:
Run Differential:
Twins get Quality Start:
Twins starter goes $6+\mathrm{IP}$
Most games over 500 :
Most games under .500
Longest win-streak: Longest losing-streak: When Twins score 4+.
wen wins score 3
Wins get $10+$ hits
Days in Second Plac
Days in Second Place
Days in Fourth Place
Days in Fourth Place
Walk-Off W/L:
Shutouts W/L:
Complete Games:
Attendance High:
Attendance Total:


Attendance Average:
Target Field Sellouts - 2022/All-Time:............2,591
RECENT TRANSACTIONS
8/24 RHP Sands placed on 15-day IL LHP Smeltzer recalled from AAA
8/23 OF Buxton placed on 10-day IL
RHP Sanchez contract selected from AAA
C Hamilton recalled from AAA
LHP Smeltzer optioned to AAA
OF/1B Kirilloff transferred to 60-day II
8/20 RHP Mahle placed on 15-day IL
LHP Smeltzer recalled from AAA
8/17 RHP Jewell claimed off waivers from
CLE, optioned to AAA
8/8 RHP Duffey released
8/6 OF Kepler reinstated from 10-day IL
OF Contreras optioned to AAA
8/5 RHP Sands recalled from AAA RHP Duffey designated for release or assignment
RHP Sanchez cleared waivers, assigned to AAA
RHP Cotton cleared waivers, assigned to AAA
C Godoy claimed off waivers by PIT RHP Smith released

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HE TWINS: After completing their seven-game, eight-day homestand with a record of 4-3 3-0 vs. Kansas City and 1-3 vS. Texas), the Iwins began their short three-game roadtrip with play the three-game and season series finale in Houston...after tonight's game, they will travel ands this wapois and bego a six-game homestand with Rex Monday-Wednesday the wins have gone 35-28 at home and 27-32 on the road.
droping fiver क Twins are looking to avoid being swept for
were swept in Houston was in three games from September 3-5, 2018. the last time they
TWINS CAN'T HANG IN HOUSTON AGAIN: The Twins lost to the Astros last night at Minute Maid Park by a score of 5-3...Dylan Bundy (7-6) was the starter and loser, allowing two runs on four hits two oing for extra bases, doubles by Luis Arraez and Jorge Polanco Minnesot went 0 -for-6 with runners in scoring position and left six men on base.

SPACEBALLS: The Twins and Astros are playing each other today for the sixth and final time in 2022...the Twins are 35-41 all-time against the Astros in the regular season, including a record of 24-32 since Houston joined the American League in 2013
$\Phi$ Twins have lost five-straight to the Astros, their longest losing streak to Houston since dropping seven-straight from August 9, 2016-July 14, 2017.
$\Phi$ Twins are looking to avoid being swept in the season series by the Astros for the first time $\boldsymbol{\Phi}$ Jorge Polanco is hitting . 322 (37-for-115) with seven doubles, two triples, six home runs, 19 RBI and a . 952 OPS in 30 career regular season games vs. Houston...in 14 career games at Minute Maid Park, he is hitting. 281 (16-for-51) with five home runs, 12 RBl and a . 919 OPS...he homered twice here on August 8, 2021, off Lance McCullers Jr. and Phil Maton. क Gio Urshela has hit safely in 11 of his last 12 games against the Astros, hitting . 318 (14-for-44) with a . 388 on-base percentage and a .797 OPS in that span.
( Luis Arraez has reached safely in all seven career games against the Astros, hitting . 444
(8-for-18) with four walks, .545 on-base percentage and a 1.101 OPS in those games.
KINGS OF THE HILL: Twins pitchers have posted a 3.48 ERA ( 189.0 IP, 73 ER) with 53 walks, 199 strikeouts and a . 243 (171-for-705) opponent batting average in' 21 games this month.. in August, starters have gone 5-6, 3.11 ERA (104.1 IP, 36 ER) with 31 walks, 106 strikeouts and a 208 (79-for-379) opponent batting average, while relievers have posted 3.93 ERA pitching categories this month:

| pitching categories this month: |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| ERA | WHIP | BB | K's | K/9.0 IP | OBP |
| TB -2.51 | TB -0.99 | CLE -41 | SEA -205 | SEA -9.71 | TB -.260 |
| CLE -2.83 | CLE -1.03 | TB -44 | HOU -201 | MIN -9.48 | CLE -.268 |
| HOU -3.18 | NYY -1.15 | BAL -50 | CLE -201 | CLE -9.47 | NYY -.296 |
| LAA -3.30 | MIN -1.19 | MIN -53 | MIN -199 | HOU -9.28 | MIN -.301 |
| MIN -3.48 | HOU -1.19 | TOR -57 | TB -194 | TB -9.19 | HOU -.301 |

POWER OUTAGE: The Twins won four-straight games from August 15-19, but have lost a season-long five straight since August 20...during their current five-game losing streak, they are hitting . 167 (27-for-162) with 44 strikeouts, no home runs, a . 147 (5-for-34) RISP average and nine runs scored (1.8 runs-per-game).
$\Phi$ The Twins have not homered in five-straight games, marking their longest streak in a
single season since September 21-25, 2014 (also 5)...the last time they went homerless
in six-plus consecutive games was August 23-28, 2014 ( 6 games)...the Twins' last two
home runs came back-to-back from Luis Arraez and Jose Miranda on Friday, August 19
vs. Texas, off Martín Pérez.
LUEY - CERTIFIED HITTER: Since August 6, Luis Arraez is hitting . 344 (21-for-61) with seven doubles, SIX RBB, SIX walks, two strikeouts a . 403 on-base percentage and a. 911 OPS in 15 games. .he enters today leading the AL in batting average at .i25, 4 points anead of Jose and Freddie Freeman (.326).

GARLICK IS ON THE SHELF: Outfielder Kyle Garlick played in his first game on rehab assignment ast night for Triple-A St. Paul at lowa, going 1-for-4 with two strikeouts...Garlick has been on the 10 -day IL since August 4 with a right ribcage contusion.

TWINS ON A STICK: The Twins yesterday announced details for their presence at the 2022 Minnesota State Fair, with interactive games, giveaways and special appearances all part of the team's daily lineup...the Minnesota Twins Experience is located on the south end of Cooper Street at Judson Avenue, next to the International Bazaar, and is open from 9:00 am-9:00 pm daily, throughout the Fair's duration (August 25-September 5)...below are some of the many ways fans can eng age with the Twins at the Great Minnesota Get-T̈̈gether, which kicks off today. \$ T.C. Bear: Twins mascot T.C. will visit the Minnesota Twins Experience daily from 12:00 to 12:45 p.m. for photographs, fun and memories!
F Royce Lewis and Ryan Jeffers: Twins players Royce Lewis and Ryan Jeffers will visit the Experience on Saturday, August 27 from I Tony Olima: Hall of Famer Tony Oliva will make special appearances from 10:30-11:30 am on Friday, August 26; Thursday, September
$\Phi$ Wiffle Ball: Each day, tans of all ages can take batting practice or compete in a special Home Run Derby at the Minnesota Twins Experience wiffle ball' field, complete with a replica Target Field outfield wall and videoboard. $\Phi$ "Instagrammable" Moments: The giant "T-W-I-N-S" lettering from Target Field's Gate 34 area will be set up at the Experience throughout the duration of the State Fair, providing a unique photo opportunity and "instagrammable" moment for Twins fans. $\Phi$ Daily giveaways: Twice-daily giveaways, at $10: 00$ am and 4:00 pm, for the first 400 fans to visit the Experience during those hours Merchanuise and tickis: tans can shop for their favorite Twins clothing and merchandise, and play "Twins Plinko" tor a chance
$\Phi$ Farm Babies: Come interact with the nemewest faces on the farm. as farm babies from the CHS Miracle of Birth Center will visit the


## STARTING PITAHER

## CHRIS ARCHER

Weight： $195 \quad$ B／：R／R B／：R／R Age： 33 （9／26／1988 in Raleigh，NC）
2022：2－6，4．02 ERA CAREER：63－87，3．88 ERA
© Making his 22nd start of the season，matching Dylan Bundy for the team lead and his most since making 23 for Pittsburgh in 2019．．．is his 237th career start and 240th career appearance． F Will make his second start／appearance of the season and 10th of his career against Houston．．． took the loss in the May 11 suspended game at Target Field（ $3.0 \mathrm{IP}, 5 \mathrm{H}, 5 \mathrm{R} / 4 \mathrm{ER}, 3 \mathrm{BB}, 2 \mathrm{~K}$ ）and is 5－3，2．67 ERA（57．1 IP， 17 ER ）career vs．the Astros．
क Signed with the Twins as a free agent on March 27．．．two－time American League All－Star（2015 and＇17）previously pitched for Tampa Bay（2012－18）and Pittsburgh（2018－20）．


LAST TIME OUT：Matched his season high（5th time）with 5.0 innings pitched in his last start on August 20 vs．Texas，allowing just one run on three hits，with one walk and five strikeouts，but did 1－1；marked the seventh time this season he recorded the final out of an inning and ended his outing with the Twins either tied or ahead，only for Minnesota to lose．．．lone Rangers run off Archer came via a two－out，RBI－double in the first inning by Adolis García
$\Phi$ Has allowed two－or－fewer earned runs in each of his
in four of those efforts．
TWO STARTS AGO：Was handed his sixth loss of the season in a 4－2 setback to the Angels on August 14 in Anaheim．．．allowed three runs（all earned）on four hits in 4.0 innings，with one walk and five
$\Phi$ Threw a season－high 69.2 percent of his pitches for strikes（45－0f－65）and walked only one；how－
ever，that two－out free pass in the third inning set up Luis Rengifo＇s game－tying，two－run double．
UNLUCKY SEVEN：The Twins have dropped seven－straight Archer starts，matching his career worst sittetch of consecutive team losses when he takes the through July 15， 2016 with Tampa Bay）
$\Phi$ Minnesota＇s last win in an Archer start came in his last personal victory，June 25 vs．Colorado
\＄The Twins went 7－7 in Archer＇s first 1＇4 starts，while he was 2－3， 3.14 ERA（57．1 IP， 20 ER）．
STAR－CROSSED：Archer will make his second start and appearance of the season against Houston， and the 10th of his career．．．took the loss in the Astros＇ $11-3$ win at Target Field in a game that began $5-1$ Astros when play was halted，as Archer gave up crooked numbers in the second and third innings and was charged with five runs（4 earned）on five hits（ 1 HR ，solo blast by Jose Altuve），with three walks and two strikeouts in his 3.0 frames．
$\Phi$ Is 5－3， 2.67 ERA（ 57.1 IP， 17 ER）in nine career starts vs．Houston，his fourth－lowest career
ERA against any single opponent（min． 4 GS），behind his marks against Washington（1．89， 4
GS），0akland（2．53， 4 GS）and Seattle（2．64， 8 GS）．
$\Phi$ Has won his last three starts here at Minute Maid Park（last coming on August 1,2017 with
Tampa Bay）and is 3－1，2．90 ERA（ 31.0 IP， 10 ER）in five career stars at this ballpark．
ROAD STORY：Archer is $0-3$ ，7．20 ERA（ 15.0 IP， 12 ER）in his last four road starts，after posting a
2．49 ERA（ $25.1 \mathrm{IP}, 7 \mathrm{ER}$ ）in his first six efforts away from Target Field．．．is $0-3,4.24$ ERA（ $40.1 \mathrm{IP}, 19$ ER）in his 10 road starts overall this season．

Is looking for his first road win since September 25， 2018 at Chicago－NL（with Pittsburgh）．．．
is $0-9,5.58$ ERA（108．0 IP， 67 ER）in 24 road games（ 23 starts）since（his
EVEN／ODD：Archer＇s 2022 season has rotated between solid and poor months．．．he is a combined 2－2，2．67 ERA（ 60.2 IP， 18 ER）with a 178 opponent batting average（ 38 －for－213）in 14 ＂even＂ month starts（April，June and August）this season．．．by contrast，he is $0-4,7.09$ ERA（26．2 IP， 21
 August starts．

CREATURE OF THE NIGHT：Archer has fared much better under the lights this season，going 2－1， 2．70 ERA（46．2 IP， 14 ER）with a ． 195 opponent batting average（ 33 －for－169）in 11 night starts．．．by contrast，has scuffled to an $0-5$ mark with a 5.53 ERA（ $40.2 \mathrm{IP}, 25 \mathrm{ER}$ ）and a .229 opponent batting

SOFT CONTACT：Among American League pitchers with at least 85.0 innings pitched this season， Archer ranks sixth in opponent batting average on balls in play（．246）ninth in hits allowed per 9.0 innings（7．01）and ninth in opponent batting average（． 211 ， 68 －for－-22 ）－all of which would be also stand as a career－best mark over a full season．
WALKS WILL HAUNT：Archer is also walking a career－worst 4.33 batters－per－9．0 innings（ 87.1 IP， 42 BB ），which is the sixth－highest mark in the majors this season（min． 85.0 IP ）．．．however，has walked © 28.6 percent of Archer＇s walks（12－0f－42）have come around to score，accounting for 27.9
percent of the runs he has allowed（ 43 total）．
TROUBLE GETTING OFF THE FIELD： 39.5 percent（17－of－43）of the runs Archer has allowed this
season have come after he recorded the first two outs of an inning；nine of those have come after there were two out and nobody on．

Opposing batters have a 248 average（ 28 －for－113）and a .729 OPS（ $102 \mathrm{BB}, 1 \mathrm{HR}$ and 20 BB ）off
Archer with two outs．．．coilectively，MLB players are hitting 237 with a 704 OPS with two
THE ARSENAL：Archer has relied on four pitches during his inaugural Twins season，per Baseball Savant．．． below is the website＇s tracking of tis 2022 campaign：
PITCH（AVG．MPH）
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Changeup（87．0）．．．．1）
urveball（81．9）．．．．．．14．6\％（220 pitches， $12 / 208$ ）．．．．．． 140 （ 7 －for－50）， $42 \mathrm{~B}, 5 \mathrm{HR}, 12 \mathrm{KR}$
$\Phi$ Opponents are a combined 38 －for－232（．164）with 16 doubles，four homers and 64 strikeouts
against Archer＇s slider，changeup and curveball．

## 202 HISHS

CG＇s：
CG Low Hit：
Innings：5．0， 5 x ，last： $8 / 20 \mathrm{vs}$ ．TEX
SO＇s： $8,8 / 2$ vs．DET
Walks： $6,2 x$ ，last： $7 / 27$ at MIL
Hits：7，5／28 vs．KC
Home Runs：2，2x，last：6／19 at ARI
Win－Streak： $1,2 x$ ，last： $6 / 25$ vs．COL
Loss－Streak：3，7／17－present

## CAREER NOTES

－Twins are his fifth organization，following time with Cleveland（2006－08），Chicago－NL （2009－10），Tampa Bay（2011－18 and 2021）and Pittsburgh（2018－20）．
－Has recorded double－digit strikeout totals 30 times in career．．．also boasts three seasons with at least 200.0 innings pitched and 200－plus strikeouts $(212.0 \mathrm{IP}$ and 252 K in
anding half of the 2018 season and all 2017 ）
－Despite spending haff of the 2018 season and all of the 2019 campaign in the National League，before missing 2020，he still ranks fifth in the American League with 1207 same stretch by averaging 9.53 strikeouts per 9 a infth in the Junior Circuit over the
Same stretch by averaging 9.53 strikeouts per 9.0 innings pitched（ 1140.1 IP ）．
formed on June 2， 2020 by Dr．Robert Thompson at Washington University in St per－
－Twice named to the American League All－Star Team（2015 and 2017）
－Pitched for Team USA in 2017 World Baseball Classic，starting and tossing 4.0 perfect innings with three strikeouts in an eventual 3－2，10－inning walk－off win over Columbia to open Pool Play．．．Team USA would go on to win the 2017 WBC．
－Led Major League Baseball and tied the Tampa Bay record with 34 starts in 2017.
－Posted a Rays－record 252 strikeouts in 2015，second in the AL behind the White Sox＇ Chris Sale（274）and fourth in the majors．．．finished the season 12－13，becoming the seventh pitcher in the modern era（since 1900 ）to record 250 strikeouts without posting a winning record．．．four of the previous six
Steve Carlton，Phil Niekro and Ed Walsh．
－Finished fifth in 2015 AL Cy Young Award voting after leading the big leagues and tyin Tampa＇s club mark with 34 starts．．．also ranked sixth in the AL with a 3．23 ERA．
－Finished third in 2013 AL Rookie of the Year balloting．．．．named AL Pitcher of the Month and AL Rookie of the Month for July 2013
－Ranked by Baseball America as the No． 2 prospect in the Rays＇system following the 2012 season．．．was tabbed by the same organization as the top propsect in the Chicago NL organization following the 2010 campaign．
－Originally selected by Cleveland in the fifth round of the 2006 First－Year Player Draft part of multi－player trades to Chicago－NL in December of 2008，to Tampa Bay in January of 2011 and to Pittsburgh at the 2018 Trade Deadline．

## 202e MISC．NUMBERS

|  | W | L | ERA | G／GS | IP | ER |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Home： | 2 | 3 | 3.83 | $11 / 11$ | 77.0 | 20 |
| Road： | 0 | 3 | 4.24 | 10110 | 00.1 | 19 |
| Day： | 0 | 5 | 5.53 | $10 / 10$ | 40.2 | 25 |
| Night： | 2 | 1 | 2.70 | $11 / 11$ | 46.2 | 14 |
| Grass： | 2 | 5 | 4.08 | $19 / 19$ | 9.1 | 36 |
| Turf： | 0 | 1 | 3.38 | 212 | 8.0 | 3 |


|  | AVG | H | AB | HR | BB | s0 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Vs．Left： | ． 182 | 25 | 137 | 3 | 23 | 40 |
| S．Right： | ． 232 | 43 | 185 | 6 | 19 | 36 |
| Totals： | ． 211 | 68 | 322 | 9 | 42 | 76 |
| None On： | 199 | 41 | 206 | 8 | 20 | 51 |

## 6．0－PLUS IPIDUALITY STARTS

| YEAR | STARTS | 6＋IP | QS |  | YEAR | STARTS | $6+$ IP |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | ---: |
| 2012 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2018 | 27 | 14 | 12 |
| 2013 | 23 | 13 | 12 | 2019 | 23 | 10 | 7 |
| 2014 | 32 | 23 | 20 | 2020 | - | -- | - |
| 2015 | 34 | 24 | 19 | 2021 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| 2016 | 33 | 25 | 19 | 2022 | 21 | 0 | 0 |
| 2017 | 34 | 25 | 20 | TOTALS | 236 | 136 | 111 |

## MORE 202己 MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS

ARCHER：

## 20民己 RUNSIHITS PER INNING

| INNING： | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| RUNS／HITS： $7 / 17$ | $8 / 13$ | $10 / 17$ | $10 / 13$ | $8 / 8$ | -1 | -1 | -1 | -1 |  |

## ARCHER VS．HOUSTON

2022 vs．Houston（ 1 start）： $0-1,12.00 \mathrm{ERA}(3.0 \mathrm{IP}, 4 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， $3 \mathrm{BB}, 2 \mathrm{~K}$
2022 vs．Houston at Home（ 1 start）：0－1， 12.00 ERA（ 3.0 IP， 4 ER）， 3 BB， 2 K
2022 vs．Houston on Road（0 starts）：
Career vs．Houston（9 starts）：5－3，2．67 ERA（57．1 IP， 17 ER）， 14 BB， 59 K
Career vs．Houston at Home（ 4 starts）：2－2， 2.39 ERA（ 26.1 IP， 7 ER）， 5 BB， 26 K
Career vs．Houston on Road（ 5 starts）：3－1，2．90 ERA（ $31.0 \mathrm{IP}, 10$ ER）， 9 BB， 33 K

## BATTER－PITCHER MATCH－UPS

| Archer vs．the Astros |  |  |  |  |  |  | Garcia vs．the Twins（RS \＆PS） |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR | BB | SO | PLAYER | AVG | AB | H | HR | BB | SO |
| Altuve | ． 261 | 23 | 6 | 2 | 1 | 5 | Polanco | ． 375 | 8 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| Castro | ． 136 | 22 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 10 | Kepler | ． 000 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Mancini | ． 263 | 19 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 7 | Gordon | ． 500 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Vázquez | ． 211 | 19 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 7 | Jeffers | ． 250 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Brantley | ． 100 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 | Kirilloff | ． 250 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Gurriel | ． 250 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | Larnach | ． 250 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Bregman | ． 200 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | Sanó | ． 250 |  | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Goodrum | ． 200 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | Buxton | ． 000 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Maldonado | ． 000 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | Arraez | ． 500 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Alvarez | ． 500 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Cave | ． 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Díaz | ． 500 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Lewis | ． 500 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Peña | 1.000 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Miranda | ． 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Tucker | ． 000 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | Paddack | ． 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Sánchez | ． 000 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Urshela | ． 000 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |

TAKE YOUR TIME：Archer has an average pitch tempo of 20.2 seconds between pitches with the bases empty（per Baseball Savant），slowest among Twins starters and 2.1 seconds longer than league average（18．1）．．．averages 24.1 seconds between pitches with runners on base，
ninth ammo the 16 qualified Twins pitchers and slightly worse than league average（23．4）．

ARCHERY：Has held left－handed batters to a 182 average（ 25 －for－ 137 ），sixth best among American League right－handed pitchers（min． 100 at－bats by a LHH）．

## TOMORROW＇s STARTER－RHP JIE RYAN［EDe己 SEA50N：9－6， 3.86 ERA I／CAREER：II－7， 3.90 ERA］

Rookie right－hander Joe Ryan is scheduled to start tomorrow night＇s series and homestand opener against San Francisco at Target Field．．．will make his second attempt to become the Twins＇first 10－game winner since 2019．．．only 13 pitchers（ 11 starters）in Twins history（since 1961）have won 10 games as a rookie；Scott Diamond（12－9 in 2012）was the last．．．．was a hard－luck loser in his last start August 21 vs．Texas at target Field，allowing just two runs on two hits in 6.1 innings（Texas plated 5 off the Twins bullpen，while holding Minnesota to just four hits，in a $7-0$ victory）．．．．
make his first career start and appearance against the Giants club he grew up rooting for in his native Marin County，CA．．．is 1－2， 8.55 ERA（20．0 IP，19 ER）in four Interleague starts this season．
\＄Has a combined 4.56 ERA（ $23.2 \mathrm{IP}, 12 \mathrm{ER}$ ）with nine walks \＆ 21 strikeouts vs．HOU this season（ 5 games）．．．combined for 3.0 IP last night，allowed three hits，three ER with two walks and one strikeout．．．entering today ranks 1st in the AL \＆2nd in MLB with 509 K＇s，trailing the Cubs（565）．．．ranks 4th in MLB in IP（490．1），3rd in holds（84）\＆T－10th in wins（26）．．．ranks 30th with lowest save \％（51．1）．

## 历 Is 9－13－8，4．34 ERA（220．0 IP， 106 ER）w／ 72 BB \＆ 227 S0 in 59 road games this season．．．overall 26－26－23， 3.89 ERA（490．1 IP， 212 ER）with 84 holds， 183 walks \＆ 509 strikeouts in 122 games．

Roadtrip：$\quad 0-0-0,0.00(0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at HOU：0－0－0， $0.00(0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ vs．Left． 195 vs．Right． 224
$\Phi$ No career appearances against Houston．．．has recorded two holds in 3.0 scoreless innings in his last three games．．．recorded 16th hold on 8／19．．．only one ER in last 13 outings．．．．owns a 2.01 ERA w／ 70 strikeouts \＆ 12 walks in 53.2 IP this season．
$\Phi$ 1st among Twins＇relievers in strikeouts（70）\＆enters today ranked 4th in the AL in K＇s．．．also ranks T－7th in MLB．
$\Phi$ Has thrown 789 pitches this season，only 124 of those have been batted balls \＆only 6 barrels．．． $33.0 \mathrm{~K} \%$（top $5 \%$ of league）\＆ $5.7 \mathrm{BB} \%$ ．
历 Ranks 1st in baseball with 297 pitches thrown over $100 \mathrm{mph} . .4$－seam FB avgs 100.6 mph （1st in MLB）．．．splitter avgs 96.1 mph （1st in MLB）
$\Phi$ Statcast arsenal：4－seam（404 pitches／50．6\％；curveball（229 pitches／28．7\％），split finger（ 135 pitches $/ 16.9 \%$ ），cutter（ 31 pitches $/ 3.9 \%$ ）．

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| $8 / 19$ vs．TEX | H16 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 17$ vs．KC | ND | 1.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| $8 / 15$ vs．KC | H15 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| $8 / 13$ at LAA | H14 | 1.0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| $8 / 12$ at LAA | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| $8 / 6$ vs．TOR | H13 | 0.2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 5 \mathrm{vs}$ ．TOR | H12 | 1.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 3$ vs．DET |  | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |

## MILHAEL FULMER－RHP

Height：6－3 Weight： 224 Age： 29 （3／15／93 in Oklahoma City．OK）
0 BB
Series at HOU． $0-0-0.27 .00(1.01$ Acquired：Trade with DET，8／2／22 Series at HOU：0－0－0， 27.00 （ 1.0 IP，3ER）， 0 K， 0 BB vs．Left 353 vs．Right 250 IP， 18 ER）with seven walks \＆eight strikeouts vs．HOU（RS）．．．one blown save this season at HOU on $5 / 7 \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{DET}$（L， $1.0 \mathrm{IP}, 3 \mathrm{H}, 2$ R／ER 3 BB）
क Has held RHB to a 160 （17－for－106）BA and LHB to a 311 （23－for－74）BA three XBH to RHB this season allowed HR to C Taylor on $8 / 10$ at LAD and T．Mancini last night at HOU．．．his 21 holds so far this season rank T－2nd most in the AL and T－5th most in baseball．
$\Phi$ Made his Twins debut $8 / 3$ vs．DET．．．acquired from Tigers on 8／2．．． 1.0 scoreless IP，allowing 1 hit \＆striking out one batter，recording 19th hold of the season vs．former club．．．acquired in exchange for minor league right－handed pitcher Sawyer Gipson－Long．
$\Phi$ Statcast arsenal in 2022：slider（ 512 pitches／64．6\％），4－seam（111 pitches／14．0\％），sinker（ 104 pitches $/ 13.1 \%$ ），changeup（ 44 pitches $/ 5.6 \%$ ）． curveball（21 pitches／2．7\％）．

## GRIFFIN JAX－RHP

Height：6－2 Weight： 196 Age： 27 （11／22／94 in Phoenix，AZ）Acquired：3rd RD， 2016 MLB Draft
Roadtrip：$\quad 0-0-0,0.00(0.0$ IP， 0 ER）， $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at HOU：0－0－0， 0.00 （ $0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{OR}$ ）， $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ vs．Left .213 vs．Right 221
${ }^{\text {T }}$ Tossed scoreless 1.0 with two strikeouts on 8／22．．．has yet to face HOU this season．．．has one career start at HOU on August 5， 2021 （W， 5.1 IP， $3 \mathrm{H}, 1 \mathrm{R} / \mathrm{ER}, 1 \mathrm{BB}, 0 \mathrm{~K}$ ）．．．has never faced HOU in relief．
$\Phi$ T－10th in AL in relief K＇s（64）．．．among Twins relievers，ranks 1st in IP（56．1），T－2nd in strikeouts（64），T－3rd in holds（14）\＆T－2nd in games（47）．
Ф Appeared on $8 / 10$ at LAD，tossed 1.0 inning，allowed 3 ER on two hits，（3－run HR to Gallo）one walk \＆one strikeout．．．last ER＇s allowed．
$\Phi$ Began career as starter，converted to reliever in 2022．．．is 6－3－1，4．43ERA（ $69.1 \mathrm{IP}, 34 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， 75 K as reliever／／3－5， 6.10 ERA（ $69.1 \mathrm{IP}, 47 \mathrm{ER}$ ）， 54 K as starter．
$\Phi$ Statcast arsenal in 2022：slider（414 pitches／45．7\％），4－seam（319 pitches $/ 35.2 \%$ ），changeup（123 pitches $/ 13.6 \%$ ），curveball（49 Statcast arse）
pitches／5．4\％）

## JORBE LÍPEZ－RHP

## Neight 205




| Roadtrip：$\quad 0-0-0,0.00(0.0 ~ I P, ~$ | $0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at HOU： $0-0-0,0.00$（ $0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{OER}$ ）， $0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left 357 vs．Right 214 |
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| Has yet to face HOU this season．．．is a career 0－2－0， $8.31 \mathrm{ERA}(8.2 \mathrm{IP}, 8 \mathrm{ER}$ ）w／five walks \＆eight strikeouts in two games（both starts）vs．HOU |  | （RS）．．last appearance was a scoreless inning on 8／20．．．recorded 22nd save on 8／19．．．enters today 6th in the AL in SV＇s（22）\＆ranks 11th in baseball in saves．．．ranks T－9th（Griffin Jax）among relievers in MLB in IP（56．1）．

$\Phi$ Since joining the Twins，has gone 0－0－3，two blown saves， 3.38 ERA（ 8.0 IP， 3 ER）with four walks \＆six strikeouts in 8 appearances．
$\Phi$ Earned the SV in Twins debut on $8 / 3$ after being acquired from the the Orioles on $8 / 2 \ldots$ needed just seven pitches to complete a scoreless 9 th fewest pitches thrown by Twins reliever to earn a SV since Alex Colomé threw five in a save on 9／24／21 vs．TOR
Ф Statcast arsenal in 2022：sinker（450 pitches／50．0\％），curveball（174 pitches／19．3\％），changeup（ 136 pitches $/ 15.1 \%$ ），slider（ 95 pitches $/ 10.6 \%$ ）， 4 －seam（45 pitches $/ 5.0 \%$ ）．

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| 8／24 at HOU | ND 1.0 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 22$ vs．TEX | ND 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 17$ vs．KC | ND 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| $8 / 16$ vs．KC | ND 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 8／14 at LAA | ND 1.0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 8／12 at LAA | H21 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 8／10 at LAD | L5 1.0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 6$ vs．TOR | H2O 0.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| $8 / 5$ vs．TOR | W4 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  | 1 | 3 |
| $8 / 3$ vs．DET | H19 1.0 | 1 | 0 |  | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 1$ at MIN | ND 0.1 | ， | 2 | 2 | － | 0 | 1 |

## TREVOR MEGILL－RHP

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| 8／22 vs．TEX | ND 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 8／20 vs．TEX | ND 0.2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 8／17 v．KC | ND 1.2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 8／15 vs．Kc | H14 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 8／13 at LAA | H13 0.2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 8／10 at LAD | ND 1.0 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 |  |
| $8 / 6 \mathrm{vs}$ ．Tor | H12 0.1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| $8 / 5 \mathrm{vs}$ ．Tor | H11 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 8／2 vs．DET | L3／B440．1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 |  |

## EMILID PAGAN－RHP

Height：6－2 Weight： 209 Age： 30 （5／7／1991 in Simpsonville，SC）Acquired：via trade with Padres，4／7／22 Roadtrip： $0-0-0,0.00$（1．0 IP， 0 ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at HOU：0－0－0， 0.00 （1．0 IP，0ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left 220 vs．Right． 306
क Appeared Tuesday night，tossed 1.0 scoreless inning with one strikeout．．．career 0－1－3，5．92 ERA（ $24.1 \mathrm{IP}, 16 \mathrm{ER}$ ）with four walks \＆ 24 strikeouts in 18 games（RS）vs．HOU．．．appeared on $8 / 17$ ，tossed 2.0 scoreless innings，earned his 4th win of the season．．．currently ranks 7th among AL relievers in K9．0 IP at 12.17 \＆his rate of 2.09 HR／9．0 IP currently ranks the 3rd highest in the AL so far this season．
$\Phi$ Was 1－2，2．45 ERA（ $22.0 \mathrm{IP}, 6 \mathrm{ER}$ ），nine saves and a ． 183 （ $15-$ for－82）opponent batting average in his first 22 appearances．．．is $3-4,7.46$ ERA （25．1 IP， 21 ER ）and a ． 333 （ 36 －for－108）opponent batting average in his last 25 outings（beginning 6／21）．
－Has thrown 865 pitches this season only 128 of those have been batted balls \＆only 15 barrels 305 strike \％\＆ 86 BB\％so far this season．


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| $8 / 20$ vs．TEX | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 19$ vs．TEX | S22 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| $8 / 15$ vs．KC | S21 | 1.0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 8／13 at LAA | BS6 | 1.0 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 8／12 at LAA | ND | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 6 \mathrm{vs}$ ．TOR | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| $8 / 5$ vs．TOR | BS5 | 1.0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 3$ vs．DET | S20 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $7 / 27$ vs．TB | L6 | 1.0 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| 7／26 vs．TB | S19 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $7 / 23$ vs．NYY | S18 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |


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| $8 / 23$ at HOU | ND | 1.0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 21$ vs．TEX | ND | 0.2 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 19$ vs．TEX | H3 | 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| $8 / 17$ vs．KC | ND | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| $8 / 14$ at LAA | ND | 2.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| $8 / 9$ at LAD | ND | 1.1 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| $8 / 6$ vs．TOR | W3 | 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| $8 / 4 \mathrm{vs}$ ．TOR | ND | 1.1 | 4 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 |

## DEVIN SMELTZER－LHP

Height：6－3 Weight： 204
Age： 26 （9／7／95 in Voorhees，NJ）
Acnuired via trade with LAD 7／21／18
Roadtrip：$\quad 0-0-0,0.00$（2．0 IP， 0 ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 2 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at HOU： $0-0-0,0.00$（2．0 IP，0ER）， $1 \mathrm{~K}, 2 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left． 319 vs．Right． 237
$\Phi$ Appeared last night，tossed final 2.0 scoreless innings with two walks and one strikeout．．．he was optioned Tuesday \＆recalled yesterday from Triple－A St．Paul（Sands－IL）．．．．he was also recalled on 8／20（Mahle－IL）．．．this is his 4th stint with MIN this season．．．has gone 4－2 with a 3.86 ERA （ 67.2 IP， 29 ER）， 19 walks and 39 strikeouts in 14 games（ 12 starts）．．．his 1 st 12 appearances this season were starts；last 2 have come in relief． $\Phi$ Went 3－0，2．38 ERA in 1st six starts，1－2， 5.35 in last eight games．．．． 319 （ 15 －for－47）vs．LHB vs．． 237 （49－for－207）vs．RHB．
\＄Statcast arsenal so far：4－seam（427 pitches／39．6\％），changeup（280 pitches／26．0\％），curveball（259 pitches／24．0\％），slider（ 101 pitches／9．4\％）， sinker（11 pitches／1．0\％），
CALEE THIELBAR－LHP
\＃56
Height：6－0 Weight： 214 Age： 35 （1／31／1987 in Northfield，MN）Acquired：Signed as ml FA，11／29／19 Roadtrip：$\quad 0-0-0,0.00(0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB} \quad$ Series at HOU： $0-0-0,0.00(0.0 \mathrm{IP}, 0 \mathrm{ER}), 0 \mathrm{~K}, 0 \mathrm{BB}$ vs．Left ． 217 vs．Right 234 ฐ Career 2－0，2．00 ERA（9．0 IP，2 ER）with one hold，four walks \＆six strikeouts in nine games（RS）vs．HOU．．．has appeared in two games， 2.0 IP， 0 R with one walk \＆one strikeout vs．HOU this season．．．tossed 1.0 scoreless on $8 / 22$ ．．．also appeared $8 / 20$ ，took his 2nd loss of the season，tossed 0.1 ， allowed one ER，his first ER allowed since $7 / 1 \mathrm{vs}$ ．BAL．．．recorded four－straight holds（8／13－19）， 3.2 scoreless innings with eight strikeouts in that span क Has made a team－leading 50 relief appearances for the Twins this season，going 2－2－1，a 4.06 ERA（44．1 IP， 20 ER）， 16 walks \＆ 59 strikeouts．
$\Phi$ Has not allowed ER in 20 of his last 23 appearances since June 22，posting a 1.29 ERA（ $21.0 \mathrm{IP}, 3 \mathrm{ER}$ ）with 4 walks \＆ 29 strikeouts in that span．玉 35 of his last 43 outings have been scoreless，going 2－2－1，2．54 ERA（ 39.0 IP， 11 ER）， 11 walks， 14 holds \＆ 54 strikeouts．
Ф Has thrown 740 pitches this season，only 109 of those have been batted balls \＆only eight barrels．．． $32.1 \mathrm{~K} \mathrm{\%}$ \＆ $8.7 \mathrm{BB} \%$ so far this season．

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| 8／23 at Hou | ND 1.0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 8／21 vs．TEX | ND 2.0 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 3 |
| 8177 vs．KC | W4 2.0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 8／14 at LAA | ND 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| $8 / 13$ a LLAA | $L^{16} 1.0$ | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |
| 8／9 at LLA | ND 1.2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| 877 vs ．Tor | ND 0.2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 8／4 vs．ToR | L5／BS7 1.0 | 4 | ， | 2 | 1 | 0 |  |
| 8／2 vs．DET | H7 1.0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |


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| 8／24 at HOU | ND | 2.0 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 |  |
| 8／20 us TEX |  |  | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| 7／15 vs．CWS | ND | 3.0 | 5 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| $7 / 9$ at TEX |  | 3.1 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| $7 / 3$ vs．Bal |  | 6.0 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 |  |
| 6／28 at CLE |  | 6.0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 7 |
| $6 / 23$ vs．CLE | w4 | 6.0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |  |
| $6 / 17$ at ARI |  |  | 9 | 7 | 6 | 2 | 2 |  |

RECENT APPEARANCES DATE DEC $8 / 22$ vs．TEX ND
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$8 / 19$ vs．TEX
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## LUIS ARRAEZ - IFIIF [PRONOUNCED AH-RISE] Height: 5-10 2022 Average: : 325 Roadtrip: $1-6,2 \mathrm{~B}$ Weight: $190 \quad$ B/T: L/R Streak: 1g, 1-3, 2B ge: 25 (4/9/97 in San Felipe, zz ) Series at HOU: $\quad 1-6,2 \mathrm{~B}$

 Home Runs: $\quad 7$ (51-run, 13 -run, 1 GS© Snapped 0 -for- $15 \mathrm{w} / 9$ th-inning 2B last night....his 7 HR this season are career high \& 3 more than his prior best ( 4 in 2019)...hitting . 344 (21-for-61), 7 2B, HR, 6 RBl in last 15 G since $8 / 6$. Enters 1st in AL \& 3rd in MLB in AVG (.325)...also 3rd in AL/6th in MLB in OBP (.391)...1st in MLB in PA/K (13.23)...also 2nd in MLB w/ 15 G w/3+H...T-8th in MLB w/ 39 multi-H. G Career 1 -for-2, 2B, BB vs. Garcia in RS... 3 -for- 9,2 2B, 3 BB, 2 R in 3 games vs. HOU this season...career . 444 ( 8 -for-18), 2 2B, RBI, 4 BB, .545 OBP, 1.101 OPS in 7 RS games vs. HOU. $\Phi$ Games by position in 2022:53 G/48 GS at 1B, $37 \mathrm{G} / 29 \mathrm{GS}$ at $2 \mathrm{~B}, 7 \mathrm{G} / 4 \mathrm{GS}$ at $3 \mathrm{~B}, 20 \mathrm{G} / 17 \mathrm{GS}$ at DH. $\Phi$ Recorded 400th career H on $8 / 16$ in 348th career $G$, fastest Venezuelan-born player in MLB history to reach $400 \mathrm{H}, 1$ game ahead of Miguel Cabrera ( 349 G ).
Named AL All-Star for 1st time in career; entered game at 1B in the bottom of 4th and hit a TIM BECKHAM - IF
Height: 6-0 Weight: $214 \quad B / T \cdot R / R$
2022 Average: 080

## Streak: 0-14

 Age: 32 (1/27/90 in Griffin, GA)$\Phi 0$-for-3 in LF last night \& is 0 -for-his-last-14...walkoff RBI fielder's choice in 10th inning 8/5; 2nd career walkoff PA \& 1st career go-ahead RBI in 10th-or-later...7/31 at SD was 1 st MLB game since $8 / 4 / 19$ w/ SEA \& recorded 1st MLB hit since $7 / 31 / 19$...contract selected $7 / 30$ from AAA (Sanó - IL)...3rd No. 1 to play for Twins in 2022 (Correa \& Lewis)...never faced Garcia...career . 292 (26-for-89), $52 \mathrm{BB}, 3$ 3B, 2 HR, 9 RBI in 25 RS games vs. HOU.
Hit . 406 ( 54 -for-133) w/ 6 2B, 34 HR, 16 BB, .587 SLG \& 1.067 OPS in 35 G w/ A- Fort Myers and AAA St. Paul... def. positions at AAA: 4 G at $1 \mathrm{~B}, 10 \mathrm{G}$ at $2 \mathrm{~B}, 9 \mathrm{G}$ at $3 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{G}$ at $\mathrm{SS}, 7 \mathrm{G}$ as DH. Signed with Twins as minor league free agent on $2 / 1$ \& was non-roster invite to spring training.... went 4-for-9 (.444) with 2B, AR \& 2 RBI in 6 Grapefruit League games before left quad strain.
$\begin{array}{lll}\text { JAKE CAVE - DF } & & \text { \#8 } \\ \text { Height: 6-0 Weight: } 198 \text { B/T: L/L } 29 \text { (12/4/1992 in Hampton, VA) }\end{array}$ 2022 Average: : 154 $\qquad$ Series at HOU: $0-5, \mathrm{RB}$
Home Runs:
$1(11-$-run $)$
Ф RBI FC as PH last night but is 0 -for-his-last- 20 ; last hit was 3 B on $8 / 6$ vs. TOR... 0 -for- 3 on $8 / 14$ at LAA....reached safely in 6 of 10 G since having contract selected on $8 / 2$ (Kirilloff - IL....2-for-3, $2 \mathrm{~B} 8 / 2$ in 1st MLB G since 10/2/21...hit . 273 ( 88 -for-322), $202 \mathrm{~B}, 73 \mathrm{~B}$,
Career 0 -for-2 vs. Garcia in RS just 3-for-23 3B, BB, RBI, R in 10 RS games vs. HOU
Since 5/18, hit . 304 ( 68 -for-224), 14 HR, . 603 SLG, . 990 OPS in 56 G for St. Paul...also had -game on-base streak from $5 / 3-7 / 8$, 3rd-longest such streak in minors this season.

## GILBERTD CELESTINO - DF

Height: 6-0 Weight: 205 B/T: R/R Age: 23 (2/13/1999 in Santo Domingo, DR) 2022 Average: 256 Streak: 1g, 1-3 Series at HOU:
Home Runs:
© 1-for-3 last night, starting in CF; 2nd on MIN w/ 35 GS in CF this season...-for-4 BB 2 , solo HR $8 / 16$ vs. KC; 2nd HR of season, 1st career HR at Target Field...2-R HR 8/12. 1st HR of season...both HR this season have come in his last 12 games...reinstated from Paternity List $8 / 4$ after birth of son, Gilberto Jhose...recalled $7 / 29$ from AAA (Urshela - Paternity List). - Has 12 infield hits this season, T-1st on MIN w/ Correa and Urshela.
$\Phi$ Never faced Garcia...is 4-for-12, 2B, BB, R in 5 games vs. HOU this season...career . 278 ( 5 -for-18), 2 2B, BB, R in 7 games against HOU...originally signed by HOU as undrafted free agent 7/2/15; acquired by MIN w/ RHP Jorge Alcala on 7/28/18 in exchange for RHP Ryan Pressly. CARLOS CDRREA - 55
Height: 6-4 Weight: 215 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (9/22/94 in Santa Isabel, PR) 2022 Average:
Roadtrip:
$1-7$, RBI

Streak: 0-4, RBI
Series at HOU: $1-7$, RBI
$\Phi 0$-for-3, RBI last night...helped turn 3-6 triple play in 4th inning Monday, 1 st 3-6 triple play in MIN history...reached safely in 18 of 21 games this month, w/ . 382 OBP...2-for-2, HR, 2 RBI, 3 BB , SF $8 / 13$ at LAA; 43 rd career G w/ $4+$ TOB (career high is 5) \& tied single-game career high w/ 3 BB...10th HR of season 7/8 at TEX, has $10+$ HR in 7 of 8 MLB seasons (except 2020, 5 HR)...2nd on MIN this season w/ 25 multi-hit G \& 3rd w/ 14 HR...hit . 342 (27-for-79) in 21 G in June; is just 33 -for-152, $32 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 5 \mathrm{HR}, 12 \mathrm{RBI}(.217$ ) in 42 G since $7 / 1$.
$\Phi$ Has . 417 OBP in last 11 games, since $8 / 13$ (11-for-37, 3B, HR, 3 RBI, 9 BB in span).
$\Phi$ Never faced Garcia...facing HOU for 1st time this series (was on IL during series in May)...selected by HOU 1st overall in 2012 draft \& spent 1st 7 seasons of career w/ HOU, including being named AL ROY in 2015 \& WS in 2017 ...hitting . 244 (19-for-78), 3 2B, 3B, 3 HR, 8 RBI, 10 BB, 9 R in 20 games vs. AL West this season.
$\Phi$ Hit in 6 of last 7 road games, since $8 / 9$; .320 ( 8 -for-25), HR, 3 RBI, 4 BB, 2 R in span.

## NICK GORDON - IFIDF

Height: 6-0 Weight: 178 B/T: L/R
2022 Average: .275 $\qquad$ 3/:: L/R

Age: 26 (10/24/95 in Avon Park, FL)
Home Runs: 5 (31-run, 12 -run, 13 BB as PH in 9th last night....hit . 333 (7-for-21), $32 \mathrm{~B}, 4$ RBI in 6 games on homestand...8/5-8/6, had multi-H G in consecutive G for 3rd time in career... $3-$ for- $5,2 \mathrm{Z}, \mathrm{HR}, 3$ RBI, 2 R $8 / 5$; scored winning run in 10th...had 2B in 4-straigh
Hit safely in 14 of last 22 G, hitting . 344 (22-for-64), 9 2B, HR, 11 RBI, 7 R, .389 OBP in span
$\Phi$ Never faced...is 3 -for-15, 2 SB, R, BB in 6 games vs. HOU.
$\Phi$ Never faced...is 3-for-15, $2 \mathrm{SB}, \mathrm{R}, \mathrm{BB}$ in 6 games vs. HOU .
$\Phi$ Def. positions in $2022: 14 \mathrm{G} / 6 \mathrm{GS}$ at SS, $5 \mathrm{G} / 1 \mathrm{GS}$ at $2 \mathrm{~B}, 50 \mathrm{G} / 39 \mathrm{GS}$ in LF, $37 \mathrm{G} / 31 \mathrm{GS}$ in CF,

| CALEB HAMILTON - [ |  |  | \# 00 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Height: 6-0 | Weight: 210 | B/T: R/R | Age: 27 (2/5/95 in Kirkland, WA) |
| 2022 Average: . 000 Roadtrip: 0-0 |  |  | Series at HOU: 0-0 Home Runs: |

क Recalled Tuesday from AAA (Buxton - IL)...2nd stint w/ MIN this season (also, 7/15-8/3)...0-for-5 in 4 games at C so far (7/17, 7/27, 7/31).
repl. at C; grounded out in 1st career AB ...is 1st player in MIN history to wear uniform \#90. क Hit . 252 ( 40 -for-159), $82 \mathrm{~B}, 10 \mathrm{HR}, 35 \mathrm{RBI}, 35 \mathrm{BB}, .387$ 0BP, .491 SLG, .8780 PS in 49 games

## MAX KEPLER - DF

MAK KLPLER - IF

Height: $6-4 \quad$ Weight: 224 B/T: L/L Age: 29 (2/10/93 in Berlin, Germany $)$ 2022 Average: . 228 Age: 29 (2/10/93 in Derinn, Germant: | $\begin{array}{l}\text { 2022 Average: } \\ \text { Roadtrip: }\end{array}{ }_{2-7,2 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{RBI}}^{228} \quad$ Streak: $0-3$ | $\begin{array}{l}\text { Series at HOU: 2-7, 2B, RBI } \\ \text { Home Runs: } \\ 9(51-\text { run, } 32 \text {-run, } 1 \mathrm{GS}\end{array}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | क 0-for-3, BB last night...went 7-for-26, 22B, 2 RBI in 7 G on homestand...SB $8 / 17$ vs. KC; 3rd SB of season, 1st since $5 / 21 \ldots$...snapped 0 -for-29 w/ 3-for-4, 2B, RBI night 8/15; 1st multi-H G since $7 / 14$ \& 1st $3-H$ G since $7 / 8$...reinstated from 10 -day IL pregame $8 / 6$; missed 9 G w right fitth toe fracture...fouled ball off toot on $7 / 24$ at DET, resulting in injury

$\Phi$ Career 0-for-5, BB vs. Garcia in RS...just 3-for-17, $22 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{R}, \mathrm{RBI}, 2 \mathrm{BB}$ in 5 G vs. HOU this season 22 multi-H G this season are 1-4th on NIN...also T-3rd on in history, 1961 , had 4th caree

## SANDY LEÓN - [

$\begin{array}{llll}\text { Height: } 5-10 & \text { Weight: } 235 & \text { B/T: S/R } & \text { \#39 } \\ \text { Streak: } 0-12, \text { RBI } & \text { Ag (3/13/89 in Maracaibo, VZ) }\end{array}$ 2022 Average:
Roadtrip:
$0-2$ Series at HOU: 0-2
Home Runs:
क 0 -for-2, BB, R last night \& is 0 -for-his-last-13...1-for-3, 2B $8 / 14$ at LAA; 3 of 4 H w/ MIN have been 2B...1st career RBI sac bunt $8 / 6$ vs. TOR... 2 -for- $3,2 \mathrm{~B}, 2$ RBI $8 / 3$ in MIN debut...contract selected $8 / 3$ from AAA St. Paul...acquired $8 / 2$ from CLE in exchange for MiLB RHP Ian Hamilton spent most of season in AAA w/ CIN (Louisville) \& CLE (Columbus), hitting . 226 (19-for-84), $32 \mathrm{~B}, 2 \mathrm{HR}, 11$ RBI in 30 G . $\Phi$ Never faced Garcia...career . 195 (8-for-41), 4 BB, 5 R in 14 games vs. HOU in the RS... is just 1-for-14, 2B, 3 BB in 6 games vs. AL West this season
Was NRI w/ CLE in 2022 ST...released on $3 / 31$ \& signed w/ CIN on 4/16...purchased by CLE from CIN on $6 / 28$ \& appeared in 8 G for Guardians, going 2-for-15, 6 BB.

## $\begin{array}{lll}\text { JISE MIRANDA - IF } & & \text { \#64 } \\ \begin{array}{lll}\text { Height: } 6-2 & \text { Weight: } 222 & \text { B/T: R/R }\end{array} \text { Age: } 24 \text { (6/29/1998 in La Vega, PR) }\end{array}$ 2022 Average: .276 <br> $\qquad$ Series at HOU: $1-8, \mathrm{RBI}$ Home Runs: 13 ( 71 -ru

क 0 -for-4 last night... 54 RBI are 2nd on MIN this season, behind Polanco (55)... 19 of 54 RBI this season have come w/ 2 outs; 2nd on MIN in 2-out RBI, behind Urshela (23)
Has 10 multi-H games in his last 27 \& 6 in his last $16 \ldots$...hitting 324 (44-for-136), 42B, 7 HR, 30 RBI, 7 BB, 19 R, .378 OBP, . 886 OPS in his last 36 games, since 7/6.
$\Phi$ Has 34 RBI since 7/1, ranks 8th in MLB and 4th in AL in RBI in that span.
$\Phi$ Enters 6th among MLB rookies (min. 150 AB) in SLG (.458), 8th in OPS (.780) and 6th in AVG (.276)...also 3rd in RBI (54), 5th in multi-H games (23) and T-6th in HR (13).

Career 0-for-2 vs. Garcia....is 2-for-21, RBI in 5 games vs. HOU this season/in his career.
क Hitting . 316 ( 77 -for-244), 13 2B, 12 HR, 51 RBI, 29 R, 12 BB, .360 OBP, .877 OPS in his last 71 games, since $5 / 20$, after going 5 -for- 53 (.094) in his first 14.
© Named AL Rookie of the Month for July; 1st MINN player to win since M. Sanó in August 2015 hit . 353 ( 24 -for-68), 22 2B, 5 HR, 19 RBI, 13 R, 1.008 OPS in 20 G in July...AVG ranked 3rd in
AL (min. 65 AB ) and OPS ranked 6 th.

## JORGE PDLANCD - IF <br> $\begin{array}{llll}\text { Height: 5-11 Weight: } 213 \text { B/T: S/R Age: } 29 \text { (7/5/93 in San Pedro De Macorís, DR) } \\ \text { 2022 Average: } 237 & \text { Streak: } 2 \mathrm{R} 2-7,2 \mathrm{~B} & \end{array}$ <br> 2022 Average: 237 Roadtrip: $2-7,2 \mathrm{~B}$ <br> Streak: 2g, 2-7, 2B <br> Series at HOU: 2-7,2B

-for-3, 2B, BB last night...1-for-4, BB, 3-R HR 8/10 at LAD; 8 of 15 HR this season have come $\mathrm{w} /$ runners on ...8/6-8/7, had b2b multi-H G for 2nd time this season ( $6 / 10-11$ )...leads MIN w/ career-high 62 BB this season (7th in AL/T-12th in MLB).
Career 3-for-8, $2 \mathrm{~B}, \mathrm{HR}, 2$ RBI...5-for-17, 3 2B, 2 RBI, 3 BB in 5 games vs. HOU this season....
career . 322 (37-for-115), 7 2B, 2 3B, $6 \mathrm{HR}, 19$ RBI, $11 \mathrm{BB}, 17 \mathrm{R}, .952$ OPS in 30 regular season games vs. HOU.
क Batting 297 ( 54 -for-182), 11 2B, 8 HR, 48 RBI, 26 BB, .489 SLG w/ runners on and 276 (27-for-98), 62 2B, 3 HR, 36 RBI, 15 BB, 429 SLG w/ RISP this season.

## GARY 5ANCHEZ - C <br> 

$\Phi$ Grounded out as PH in 9th last night...is 7-for-25 (.280), HR, 2 RBI, $3 \mathrm{R}, 4 \mathrm{BB}$ in last 9 G...1-for-3, HR, BB, 2 R 8/10 at LAD, 1st HR since 7/9...has 11 HR this season \& $10+$ HR in 7 of 8 MLB seasons (played in 2 G in 2015).... $\mathrm{HR} 6 / 18$ traveled 456 tt , his longest of the season and the 3rd longest by a MIN hitter...2B on $6 / 13$ had EV of 114.7 mph per Statcast, hardest-hit ball by MIN this season... 30 of 66 H this season have been XBH ( 19 2B, 11 HR). $\Phi$ Career 0 -for-2 v.s Garcia in RS...is 0 -for-10, HBP, BB in 4 games vS. HOU this season.
17 of his 42 RBI this season have come w/ 2 outs - 3rd on MIN in 2-out RBI (Urshela - 23, Miranda - 19). $\Phi$ Enters 15th in MLB w/ 9.1 barrels-per-PA \%, per Baseball Savant.

## $\Phi$ Has caught stealing \% of 25.0 ( 8 -for-32) in $63 \mathrm{G} / 57 \mathrm{GS}$ at catcher this season. <br> CID URSHELA - IF $\quad$ B/T: R/R \#eight: 222 \#15 

1-for-4, R last night...his 3 3B this season are new career high...4-for-5, 2 RBI, R $8 / 16$ vs. KC; matched single-game career high in $H$ for 4th time...3-for-4, 2B, HR, RBI, 2 R 8/12; 4th $G$ this season w/ 2 XBH ( 28 th of career) \& came 3B shy of the cycle...T-1st on MIN w/ 12 infield hits w/ Correa \& Celestino...has 10 G w/ 3+ H this season, 2nd on MIN...his 33 XBH are 2nd on MIN \& is 7th w/ 21 multi-H games...batting . 311 (23-for-74), 3 2B, 5 HR, 25 RBI in high leverage situations this season (BBREF).
Career 0-for-1, BB vS. Garcia in RS...just 3-for-15, BB, R in 4 games vs. HOU this season...
hitting 318 (14-for-44), 2B. HR, 3 RBI, 5 BB, 3 R in last 12 games vs. HOU since $6 / 21 / 19$. hitting . 318 (14-for-44), 2B, HR, 3 RBI, 5 BB, 3 R in last 12 games vs. HOU, since 6/21/19. Averaging 3.55 pitches/PA this season, 8 th fewest among qualified MLB hitters
$\Phi$ Hitting .338 (22-for-65), $52 \mathrm{~B}, 3 \mathrm{~B}, 4 \mathrm{HR}, 13 \mathrm{RBI}, 3 \mathrm{BB}, 13 \mathrm{R}$ in last 18 road games, since 6/27. from Paternity List $8 / 1$ vs. DET; I st career walk-off HR \& 4th career walk-off hit/PA...reinstated from Paternity List $8 / 1$ after birth of daughter, Gianna.

| TWIN5 HDME RUN DATA |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| MULTI-HOMER GAMES (11x) <br> - Buxton (4/10 vs. SEA) <br> - Buxton (4/24 vs. CWS) <br> - Kepler (4/27 vs. DET) <br> - Garlick (4/30 at TB) <br> - Garlick ( $6 / 3$ at TOR) <br> - Miranda ( $6 / 3$ at TOR) <br> - Buxton (6/9 vs. NYY) <br> - Buxton ( $6 / 10 \mathrm{vs}$. TB) <br> - Kirilloff (7/5 at CWS) |  | MULTI-HOMER GAMES (11x) <br> - Polanco (7/6 at CWS) <br> - Correa ( $6 / 22$ vs. CLE) <br> BACK-TO-BACK (4x) <br> - Gordon/Larnach (5/29 vs. KC) <br> - Kirilloff/Urshela (6/29 at CLE) <br> - Polanco/Kirilloff (7/5 at CWS) <br> - Arraez/Miranda (8/19 vs. TEX) |  |  | BACK-TO-BACK-TO-BACK (1x) <br> - Arraez/Buxton/Correa (6/9 vs. NYY) <br> WALK-OFF (4x) <br> - Buxton (4/24 vs. CWS) <br> - Buxton (7/1 vs. BAL) <br> - Miranda (7/13 vs. MIL) <br> - Urshela ( $8 / 1 \mathrm{vs}$. DET) |  |  | INSIDE-THE-PARK ( $0 x$ ) <br> - None <br> RUNNERS ON <br> - Solo-79 <br> - 2 -run - 46 <br> - 3 -run - 15 <br> -GS - 4 |  |  |  | GRAND SLAM (4x) <br> - Sánchez (4/10 vs. SEA) <br> - Lewis ( $5 / 13$ vs. CLE) <br> - Kepler (5/23 vs. DET) <br> - $\operatorname{Arraez}$ ( $6 / 11$ vs. TB) |  |  |  |  | LEADOFF (6x) <br> - Buxton (4/10 vs. SEA) <br> - Buxton ( $5 / 13$ vs. CLE) <br> - Arraez (6/9 vs. NYY) <br> - Buxton ( $6 / 17$ at ARI) <br> - Arraez (7/16 vs. CWS) <br> - Buxton (7/26 at MIL) |  |  |  |  |
| HITTERS INFD |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | LAST HOME RUN |  |  |  | LAST GRAND SLAM |  |  | VS. CURRENT OPPONENT 2022 |  |  |  |  | VS. CURRENT OPPONENT CAREER |  |  |  |  |
| Player | $\begin{gathered} \text { Multi- } \\ \text { Hit } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Multi- } \\ \text { RBI } \end{gathered}$ | Season HitStreak | Season High Hits | Date | Opp. | On | Pitcher | Date | Opp. | Career \# | Avg | H | AB | HR | RBI | Avg | H | AB | HR |  |
| Luis Arraez | 39 | 8 | 11,5/21-5/31 | 4, 7/6 | 8/19/22 | vs. TEX | 0 | Perez | 6/11/22 | vs. TB | + | . 333 |  | 9 | 0 | 0 | . 444 | 8 | 18 | 0 |  |
| Tim Beckham |  |  |  | 1,8/5 | 7/25/19 | vs. DET | 3 | VerHagen | 7/25/19 | vs. DET | 2 | . 000 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | . 292 | 26 | 89 | 2 | 9 |
| Jake Cave | 1 |  | 5, 8/2-8/6 | 2, 8/2 | 8/04/22 | vs. TOR | 0 | Bass | 7/26/20 | at CWS | 2 | . 000 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | . 130 | 3 | 23 | 0 | 1 |
| Gilberto Celestino | 10 | 2 | 7, 5/14-5/22 | 3, 6/5 | 8/16/22 | vs. KC | 0 | Greinke |  |  | 0 | . 333 | 4 | 12 | 0 | 0 | . 278 | 5 | 18 | 0 | 0 |
| Carlos Correa | 25 | 10 | 8, 8/9-8/17 | 3, 6/23 | 8/13/22 | at LAA | 0 | Detmers | 7/27/19 | at STL | 1 | . 143 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 | . 143 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 1 |
| Nick Gordon | 17 | 5 | 9, 6/27-7/8 | 3, $8 / 5$ | 8/05/22 | vs. TOR | 2 | Berrios |  |  | 0 | . 333 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 | . 200 | 3 | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Caleb Hamilton |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | . 000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Max Kepler | 22 | 9 | 4, 4/23-4/27 | 3, 8/15 | 7/05/22 | at CWS | 0 | Kopech | 5/23/22 | vs. DET | 3 | . 176 | 3 | 17 | 0 | 1 | . 239 | 27 | 113 | 2 | 13 |
| Sandy León | 1 | 1 | 3,,7/6-8/5 | 2,8/3 | 9/22/21 | vs. WSH | 0 | Harper |  |  |  | . 000 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | . 195 | 8 | 41 | 0 | 0 |
| Jose Miranda | 23 | 15 | 7, 6/27-7/2 | 3, 8/16 | 8/19/22 | vs. TEX | 0 | Perez |  |  | 0 | . 095 | 2 | 21 | 0 | 1 | . 095 | 2 | 21 | 0 | 1 |
| Jorge Polanco | 22 | 15 | 9, 4/30-5/8 | 4, 6/7 | 8/10/22 | at LAD | 2 | Pepiot |  |  | 0 | . 294 | 5 | 17 |  | 2 | . 322 | 37 | 115 | 6 | 19 |
| Gary Sánchez | 15 | 11 | 5, 5/16-5/21 | 3, 6/27 | 8/10/22 | at LAD | 0 | Pepiot | 4/10/22 | vs. SEA | 4 | . 000 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | . 216 | 19 | 88 | 4 | 15 |
| Gio Urshela | 21 | 11 | 7,6/1-6/9 | 4, 8/16 | 8/12/22 | at LAA | 0 | Mayers | 8/01/20 | vs. BOS | 1 | . 200 | 3 | 15 | 0 | 0 | . 246 | 15 | 61 | 1 | 3 |



## LAST TIME IT HAPPENED

## FITTING: FOR THE TWINS Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, $4 / 5 / 19$ at PHI (11 all-time) <br> Hit for the Cycle: J. Polanco, $4 / 5 / 19$ at PHI ( 11 all-time) Grand Slam: L. Arraez $6 / 11 / 22$ vs. TB (4 as a team in 2022)

Grand Slam: L. Arraez 6/11/22 VS. TB (4 as a team in 2022)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: B. Buxton, 9/15/20 at CWS (1 as a team in 2020, 55 all-time)
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCroy, 9th inning, 5/19/04 at TOR (15 all-time)
Five-Hit Game: B. Buxton, 4/27/21 at CLE (I' in 2021)
Six-Hit Game: K. Puckett, $5 / 23 / 91$ vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)
Iwo Hits, One Inning: R. Lewis, 5th inning, $5 / 13 / 22$ vs. DET ( 1 as a team in 2022)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: M. Cuddyer, $8 / 23 / 09$ at KC (1 all-time)
Two-Home Run Game: J Polanco, 7/6/22 at CWS (9 as team in 2022)
Three-Home Run Game: M. Sanó, 5/18/21 vs. CWS (1 as a team in 2021, 13 all-time
Back-to-Back Home Runs: L. Arraez/J. Miranda, $8 / 19$ vs. TEX (4 as team in 2022)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: L. Arraez/B. Buxton/C. Correa, 6/9/22 vs. NYY (1 in 2022)
Three Home Runs, One Inning: L. Arraez/B. Buxton/C. Correa $6 / 9 / 22$ vs. NYY (1 in 2022)
Four Home Runs, One Inning: M. Sanó/ R. Jeffers/M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/28/21 vs. DET (1 in 2021)
Walk-Off Home Run: G. Urshela, $8 / 1 / 22$ vs. DET (4 as a team in 2022)
Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: M. Sanó, $8 / 5 / 19$ vs. ATL ( 10 all-time)
Leadoff Home Run: B. Buxton, 7/27/22 at MIL (6 as a team in 2022)
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: M. Kepler/B. Rooker, 7/25/21 vs. LAA (2 as team in 2021) Three Consecutive Home Runs to Start Game: L. Arraez/B. Buxton/C. Correa, $6 / 9 / 22$ vs. NYY Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Last actual pitcher Jim Kaat, 6/11/72 at CLE; Chris Gimene catcher pitching in relief, $9 / 3 / 18$ at TEX

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

No-Hitter: F. Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS (6 all-time)
One-Hitter: E. Santana, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time)
Two-Hitter: E. Santana,
$10+$ Innings Pitched: Badke ( 10.0 innings), $9 / 21 / 97$ vs. MIL
$10+$ Strikeouts: 10, S. Gray ( 6.0 innings), 8/16 vs. KC (2 as team in 2022)
10+ Strikeouts: 10 , S. Gray ( 6.0 inningS), $8 / 16$ vS. KC (2 as team in 2022)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: J. Mays/C. Silva, $5 / 19-20 / 05$ vs. TOR/vs. MIL
Back-to-Back Shutouts: $8 / 16 / 22$ \& $8 / 17 / 22$ vs. KC (2 games, $9-0$ and 4-0)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: Z. Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning) (4 times since 1961

## MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: J. Miranda/C. Correa, 8/22/22 vs. TEX - N. Lowe hitting (17 all-time) Position Player Pitching: N. Gordon, 7/29/22 at SD (3 in 2022)
Three or more Steals, One Game: E. Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: C. Thomas, $8 / 3 / 13 \mathrm{vs}$. HOU
Pure Steal of Home: R. Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: E. Rosario, $5 / 6 / 15 \mathrm{vs}$. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)

## HITTING:

Hit for the Cycle: A. Beltré, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time)
Grand Slam: L. Robert, $7 / 14 / 22$ vs. CWS (2 allowed as team in 2022
Inside-the-Park Home Run: R. Arozarena, 6/10/22 vs. TB (46 allowed all-time)
Pinch-Hit Home Run: R. Grossman, 7/26/21 vs. DET (3 allowed in 2021)
Five-Hit Game. D. Gregorius $7 / 23 / 8$ vs NYY
Six-Hit Game: J. Segura, 5/28/13 at MIL (3 allowed all-time)
Two Hits, One Inning: W. Merrifield, 1st inning, 6/4/21 at KC (2 allowed in 2021)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: D. Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL
Two-Home Run Game: R. Tellez, 7/27/22 at MIL (8 allowed in 2022)
Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR (26 allowed since 1961)
Back-to-Back Home Runs: Y. Moncada/A. Vaughn, 7/17/22 vs. CWS (5 allowed in 2022)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: C. Bellinger/G. Lux/A. Barnes, 4/13/22 vs. LAD
Three Home Runs, One Inning: Y. Moncada/A. Vaughn/J. Harrison, 7/17/22 vs. CWS (2 in 2022)
Four Home Runs, One Inning: C. Everett/T. O'Leary/J. Varitek/M. Burkhart, 7/3/00 vs. BOS Walk-off Home Run: T. Ward, $8 / 13 / 22$ at LAA (3 allowed in 2022)
Pinch-Hit Walk-0ff Home Run: C. Santana, 9/23/11 at CLE (12 a
Pinch-Hit, Walk-Off Home Run: C. Santana, $9 / 23 / 11$ at CLE (12 all-time)
Leadoff Home Run: J. Altuve, $8 / 24 / 22$ at HOU (4 allowed in 2022)
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: . Smith/M. Machado,
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PITCHING (complete games only for low-hit games):
No-Hitter: Jer. Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time)
One-Hitter: C. Kershaw/A. Vesia/J. Bruihl, 4/13/22 vs. LAD (24 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: 10, J. Verlander ( 6.0 innings), 8/23/22 at HOU ( 5 times in 2022)
Complete Game Shutout: S. Manaea, 4/20/21 (G1, 7.0 IP) at OAK (1 time in 2021); last
9.0 -inning complete game shutout, Lucas 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 Complete Game Victories: J. Williams/Jer. Weaver, $5 / 1-2 / 12$ at LAA
Back-to-Back Shutouts: $5 / 31 / 22$ (G2) \& $6 / 1 / 22$ at DET (2 games, $4-0$ and $5-0$ )
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: F. Hernández, $6 / 3 / 10 \mathrm{vs}$. SEA (8th inning)

## miscellaneous:

Triple Play: J. Donaldson/A. Rosales/C. Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK - T. Plouffe hitting (8 all-time)
Position Player Pitching: K. Clemens, 7/24/22 at DET (5 in 2022)
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
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: C. Richard, 7/17/00 vs. STL


