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MINNESOTA TWINS (14-17) AT ST. LOUIS CARDINALS (20-13)

TUESDAY, MAY 8, 2018 - 12:15 PM (CT) - TV: FOX SPORTS NORTH RADIO: TIBN-WCCO

RHP Jake Odorizzi (2-2, 4.10) vs. RHP Carlos Martinez (3-1, 1.40)

GAME 32

ROAD GAME 18

UPCOMING PROBABLE PITCHERS & BROADCAST SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Probable Pitchers	Time	Television	Radio / Spanish Radio
5/9	OFF DAY				
5/10	at Los Angeles-AL	RHP José Berríos (3-3, 3.98) vs. TBA	9:07 pm	Fox Sports 1	TIBN-WCCO / None
5/11	at Los Angeles-AL	RHP Lance Lynn (1-3, 7.28) vs. TBA	9:07 pm	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO / None
5/12	at Los Angeles-AL	RHP Kyle Gibson (1-1, 3.49) vs. TBA	8:07 pm	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO / None
5/13	at Los Angeles-AL	RHP Fernando Romero (2-0, 0.00) vs. TBA	3:07 pm	Fox Sports North	TIBN-WCCO / La Raza

Games can be heard via the Twins website at twinsbaseball.com. All game times are listed as Central.

SEASON AT A GLANCE

Record:	14-17
Home Record:	7-7
Road Record:	7-10
Record in series:	5-4-3
Series Openers:	3-9
Series Finales:	7-5
Rubber Games:	2-1
Sweeps/Swept:	0/2
March/April:	9-15
May:	5-2
June:	
July:	
August:	
September/October:	
Day Games:	6-6
Night Games:	8-11
vs. American League East:	3-10
vs. American League Central:	5-2
vs. American League West:	3-2
vs. National League:	3-3
Games vs. LH Starter:	3-3
Games vs. RH Starter:	11-14
Twins score first:	7-7
Opponent scores first:	7-10
Come-from-behind wins:	6
Leading after 7/8 inn.:	12-1/13-1
Trailing after 7/8 inn.:	0-14/0-13
Tied after 7/8 inn.:	2-2/1-3
Extra-innings:	1-3
1-run games:	2-5
Twins out-hit opp.:	10-3
Opp. out-hit Twins:	2-12
Twins/Opp. have = hits:	2-2
Run Differential:	-22 (136-158)
Twins get Quality Start:	9-2
Twins starter goes 6+ IP:	10-4
Most games over .500:	3, 2x, last 4/20
Most games under .500:	7, 2x, last 5/4
Longest win-streak:	4, 5/4-8
Longest losing-streak:	8, 4/20-27
When Twins score 4+:	12-9
When Twins score 3-:	2-8
Twins get 10+ hits:	4-3
Days in First Place:	18, last 4/20
Days in Second Place:	10
Days in Third Place:	12
Days in Fourth Place:	
Days in Fifth Place:	
Walk-Off W/L:	2-5
Shutouts W/L:	4-1
CG's:	1, Berríos, 4/1 at BAL
Target Field Sellouts (*18/All-Time):	1/161

THE TWINS: The Twins have gone 4-1 through five games on their 10-game, 11-day roadtrip winning each of the last four...today they will play the second of two in St. Louis...following today's game, the Twins will travel to Anaheim for an off-day tomorrow followed by four against the Angels from Thursday to Sunday...they are seeking their longest winning streak this season, their last streak longer than four games coming September 21-26 (5 games).

ROMERO DOES IT AGAIN: The Twins beat the Cardinals last night by a score of 6-0...Fernando Romero (2-0) was the starter and winner, pitching 6.0 shutout innings with three hits allowed, three walks and nine strikeouts...Trevor Hildenberger and Matt Magill combined for 3.0 scoreless innings of relief...the offense recorded 11 hits, five being doubles, two from Eddie Rosario.

IL PLAY, FOR THE RECORD: The Twins have gone 3-3 in Interleague Play this season, going 1-1 at Pittsburgh, 1-2 vs. Cincinnati and 1-0 vs. St. Louis...they have won 13 of their last 16 vs. the NL, dating back to August 2...the Twins play the NL Central this season, with 14 games remaining: St. Louis (3 games home and away), Milwaukee (6 games home and away), Chicago (3 games away), and Pittsburgh (2 home games)...the Twins are 206-182 all-time in Interleague Play, eighth most wins in MLB since IL began in 1997...they are 92-103 all-time in road IL games and 114-79 at home.

☞ Eddie Rosario is hitting .338 (26-for-77) with 10 doubles, seven home runs and 18 RBI in his last 19 games vs. NL opponents.

☞ Brian Dozier is hitting .316 (18-for-57) with seven home runs, 12 RBI, 14 runs scored and a .435 on-base percentage in his last 14 games vs. the NL...he has eight homers vs. the NL since the start of last season, tied for second most in baseball with José Abreu and Charlie Blackmon, and trailing Mike Trout (9).

NATIONAL TREASURE: Joe Mauer is hitting .320 (272-for-851) with 57 doubles, five triples, 21 home runs, 114 RBI, 137 runs scored, 118 walks and a .402 on-base percentage in 232 games against the National League...below are his ranks among actives in IL Play (min. 500 PA's):

AVG	WALKS	DOUBLES	OBP
Pedroia - .333	Pujols - 125	Beltre - 84	Votto - .413
Altuve - .331	Mauer - 118	Cabrera - 64	Trout - .408
Trout - .328	Votto - 111	Canó - 61	Mauer - .402
Mauer - .320	Cabrera - 107	Pujols - 60	Choo - .397
Cabrera - .318	Batista - 107	Mauer - 57	Pedroia - .396

THE GATEWAY CITY: The Twins and Cardinals are playing for the 24th time during the regular season in their history today...they have gone 11-12 all-time, going 2-7 at old Busch Stadium (1997, '99 & '01), 3-3 at new Busch Stadium (2009 & '15), 4-2 at the Metrodome (1998 & '00) and 2-0 at Target Field (2015)...these two teams will meet again for a two-game series at Target Field May 15-16.

☞ Paul Molitor was drafted by St. Louis in the 28th round of the 1974 First-Year Player Draft out of Cretin High School in St. Paul but elected to attend the University of Minnesota.

☞ Zach Duke pitched two seasons for the Cardinals from 2016-17, going 1-2, 2.81 ERA (41.2 IP, 13 ER) in 55 games.

☞ Lance Lynn was drafted by the Cardinals in the first round (39th overall) of the 2008 First-Year Player Draft...he pitched in 183 games (161 starts) for the Cards from 2011-17, going 72-47, 3.38 ERA (977.2 IP, 367 ER), including an All-Star appearance in 2012 en route to 18 wins.

☞ Today's starter Jake Odorizzi grew up a Cardinals fan...he lived in Highland, Illinois, about 30 miles east of St. Louis.

WE'RE GOING STREAKING: The Twins have won a season-long four straight games...during the streak, the Twins have out-scored opponents 25-11 and out-hit them 38-29...Twins pitchers have posted a 2.75 ERA (36.0 IP, 11 ER) with eight walks and 40 strikeouts...it marks their longest streak since winning five straight from September 21-26, 2017.

RED HOT ROSIE: Eddie Rosario has hit safely in eight straight and in 10 of his last 11 games...Rosario is batting .396 (19-for-48) with seven doubles, five home runs and 15 RBI in his last 11 games...Rosario has a 1.262 OPS in that span, fifth best in the majors and second best in the American League, trailing only Mike Trout (1.510).

ON THIS DAY IN TWINS HISTORY: In 1984, Twins rookie Kirby Puckett hit four singles in his first major league game, helping Minnesota beat the Angels, 5-0...he was the ninth player in history to collect four hits in his first 9-inning game...the Twins ended up winning that game 5-0 over the Angels, getting homers from former Twins hitting coach Tom Brunansky and current FS North analyst Tim Laudner.

UPCOMING MILESTONES

PLAYER/MANAGER	CURRENT NO.	MILESTONE WITHIN REACH
Paul Molitor	241 managerial wins	Needs 9 wins to reach 250 for career
Brian Dozier	156 home runs	Needs 7 to tie Tom Brunansky (163) for 9th on Twins all-time list
	92 stolen bases	Needs 1 to pass Larry Hisle (92) and move into 9th on Twins all-time list
		Needs 8 to reach 100 for career
Joe Mauer	138 home runs	Needs 3 to tie Michael Cuddyer (141) for 11th on Twins all-time list
	408 doubles	Needs 6 to tie Kirby Puckett (414) for 1st on Twins all-time list
	1,761 games	Needs 22 to tie Kirby Puckett (1,783) for 2nd on Twins all-time list
	971 runs scored	Needs 29 to reach 1,000 for career
	883 RBI	Needs 17 to reach 900 for career
	2,954 times on base	Needs 118 to tie Harmon Killebrew (3,072) for 1st on Twins all-time list
	575 extra-base hits	Needs 22 to tie Tony Oliva (597) for 4th on Twins all-time list

STREAKS

Current Streak	4 wins
Last 5 games	4-1
Last 10 games	6-4
Last 15 games	6-9
Last 20 games	7-13

TWINS VS. ST. LOUIS

2018 Record:	1-0
Current Streak:	1 win
2018 at Home:	
2018 at St. Louis:	1-0
All-Time Record:	11-12
All-Time at Home:	6-2
All-Time at St. Louis:	5-10

2018 Game Logs:

Date	Site	Score	Winner/Loser/Save
5/7	STL	6-0	Romero/Gant
5/8	STL		
5/15	MIN		
5/16	MIN		

CURRENT ROADTRIP (4-1)

Batting average	.263
Runs Per Game	6.00
Home Runs	7
RISP	.349
Errors	4
Team ERA	3.02
Starters W-L	3-0
Starters ERA	3.77
Relievers W-L-S	1-1-2
Relievers ERA	1.84
Saves/Opps	2/3

RECENT TRANSACTIONS

5/5	C Castro placed on 10-day DL
	C Wilson contract selected
	RHP Santana transferred to 60-day DL
5/2	RHP Romero recalled from AAA
5/1	RHP Curtiss optioned to AAA
	IF Sanó placed on 10-day DL
	IF Petit contract selected
	LHP Enns des. for release or assign.
	RHP Kinley returned to MIA (Rule 5)
4/30	RHP Hale cleared outright waivers, rejected assignment, becoming free agent
	RHP Curtiss recalled from AAA
4/29	RHP Duffey optioned to AAA
4/28	RHP Magill contract selected from AAA
4/27	RHP Hale des. for release or assign.
	RHP Bard returned from LAA (Rule 5)

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JAKE ODORIZZI

#12

Height: 6-2 Weight: 190 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (3/27/90 in Highland, IL)

2018: 2-2, 4.10 ERA CAREER: 42-40, 3.84 ERA

- He is making his eighth start of the season.
- He is making his 134th career start and 137th career appearance.

2018 MAJOR LEAGUE DAY-BY-DAY

Date	Opp.	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	Left/Final	Notables	Pitches/K
3/29	at BAL	ND	6.0	2	0	0	0	2	7	0-0/2-3	First career Opening Day start	93/57
4/4	at PIT	ND	4.1	5	3	3	1	3	2	2-3/7-3	Twins score 4 in the 6th after his exit	87/48
4/10	vs HOU	W1	6.0	5	1	1	0	5	4	3-1/4-1	Recorded first win with the Twins	99/61
4/17	vs CLE	L1	5.0	6	4	4	3	1	6	0-4/1-6	Allowed three home runs	97/58
4/23	at NYY	L2	4.2	5	5	5	2	3	5	1-5/1-14	Season high 106 pitches	106/59
4/28	vs CIN	W2	6.0	5	1	1	1	2	3	3-1/3-1	Tied for longest start of season	91/60
APRIL TOTALS 2-2 32.0 28 14 14 7 16 27 3.94 ERA												
5/03	at CWS	ND	5.1	6	5	3	1	2	8	5-5/5-6	Season-high 8 strikeouts	106/65
MAY TOTALS 0-0 5.1 6 5 3 1 2 8 5.06 ERA												
			RECORD	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	SO	ERA	
2018 MLB TOTALS			2-2	37.1	34	19	17	8	18	35	4.10	
CAREER TOTALS			42-40	742.2	662	340	317	109	250	678	3.84	

LAST START: Odorizzi faced the White Sox in his last start on May 3, went 5.1 innings allowing five runs (three earned) on six hits, surrendered one home run, walked two, and struckout a season-high eight batters...Odorizzi did not factor in the decision however, the Twins lost on a walk-off solo-home run by Trayce Thompson off Addison Reed...his eight strikeouts were the most since September 23, 2017 when he struck out nine at Baltimore...this marks the 20th start of his career recording eight-or-more strikeouts.

AGAINST ST. LOUIS: This will be Odorizzi's fourth career start against the Cardinals...across his previous three starts he is 1-1 with a 3.24 ERA (16.2 IP, 6 ER), 17 strikeouts, eight walks and four home runs...his last start came at St. Louis on August 25, 2017 where he did not factor in the decision after 3.2 innings, allowed three runs on three hits, struck out four and walked four...at Busch Stadium he is 1-0 with a 4.82 ERA across two starts.

ON THE FIRST PITCH: Through his first seven starts this season, Odorizzi has allowed a .500 (9-for-18) average on the first pitch against a batter...on the 0-0 count, four of the seven hits have been home runs and two have been doubles...of pitchers who have faced at least 10 batters he ranks tied-fifth highest in the AL and tied-eighth in MLB on an 0-0 count.

- On the contrary, when Odorizzi gets two strikes on a batter he is holding hitters to a .179 (14-for-78) average.

INTERLEAGUE ODO: Across 19 career Interleague starts, Odorizzi is 7-3 with a 3.34 ERA (107.2 IP, 40 ER)...he has allowed 15 home runs, walked 32 and struck out 105...he has had two Interleague starts this season, going 1-0, winning against Cincinnati on April 28 and not factoring in the decision at Pittsburgh on April 4...against the NL Central Odorizzi is 4-1 in eight starts with a 2.68 ERA (47.0 IP, 14 ER) with 40 strikeouts...in his eight starts he has had five starts where he allowed two-or-fewer runs and has had two eight-plus strikeout games.

PROBLEMS WITH THE LONG BALL: Last season Odorizzi gave up 30 homers in 143.1 IP...in his 28 starts he had only five outings where he did not give up at least one home run...his 1.88 HR/9.0 IP ranked fourth highest in the AL and sixth in MLB...of the 30 HR, 15 were solo shots, eight were two-run shot five three-run homers, and two grand-slams...had five multi-homer games, four of which were at home (Tropicana Field)...he was slightly better on the road than at home last season, giving up 11 homers on the road as compared to 19 at home.

- Has surrendered eight home runs this season, tied for eighth most in the AL.

STILL NEED HELP: In Odorizzi's seven starts in 2018, the Twins offense has supplied 14 total runs, good for a run support average of 3.38 run per game...his run support average is lowest on the team among starters with at-least three starts.

A BRIGHT START: Odorizzi pitched in his first career Opening Day start and first career start for the Twins...he went 6.0 innings and allowed just two hits, while not allowing a run and striking out seven...only five other times in his career has he notched seven or more strikeouts while not allowing a run in 6.0-plus innings, the first since April 8, 2015 vs. Baltimore...he became the eighth different pitcher to start Opening Day for the Twins in the last 12 seasons.

2017 RECAP:

- In his fourth full professional season, Odorizzi started 28 games and tossed 143.1 innings...with a 10-8 record, this marked his third season of a .500 or better record
- His 7.97 K/9.0 IP ranked T-2nd best in his career (other, 2015 and best, 2014 with 9.32).
- On September 23, Odorizzi recorded nine strikeouts, a season high, while allowing just one run on three hits in 6.0 innings
- Odorizzi held right-handed batters to a .228 average and lefties to a .210 average against

FLY AWAY: In 2017 Odorizzi ranked fourth among all major league pitchers in Fly Ball Percentage (min. 140.0 IP) with a rate of 47.3%...he trailed Ariel Miranda of Seattle (52.2%), Marco Estrada of Toronto (50.3%), and Ian Kennedy of Kansas City (47.7%)...since 2014 Odorizzi has ranked in the top-10 in fly ball percentage every season: 2014 (2nd, 48.7%), 2015 (10th, 40.6%), and 2016 (9th, 44.4%).

HARD TO HIT IN 2017: Odorizzi started 12 games in 2017 where he allowed three-or-fewer hits, including a span of five games from September 5-29 where he allowed three-or-fewer hits in each game...this streak ties for the longest of any starter in baseball, last season...since the start of 2016, he has made 19 starts allowing three-or-fewer hits, most in the AL over that span.

2018 HIGHS

CG's: --
SHO's: --
CG Low Hit: --
Innings: 6.0, 3x, last 4/28 vs. CIN
SO's: 8, 5/3 at CWS
Walks: 5, 4/10 vs. HOU
Hits: 6, 4/17 vs. CLE
Home Runs: 3, 4/17 vs. CLE
Win-Streak: 1, 2x, last, 4/28-present
Loss-Streak: 2, 4/17-4/23

CAREER HIGHS

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

CAREER NOTES

- Selected by Milwaukee in the first round (32nd overall) of 2008 First-Year Player Draft, traded to Kansas City in 2010, then in 2012 traded to Tampa Bay where he remained until his trade to Minnesota on February 17, 2018.
- 2017 marked his fourth straight year of at least 28 starts.
- On May 29, 2016 vs. New York-AL, retired his first 16 batters-faced, tied for the 3rd-longest perfect game bid in Rays history.
- Established career-highs in 2016 for starts (33) and innings pitched (187.2).
- In 2016 allowed 2 ER or fewer in 13 of his no-decisions, a mark reached by only one other pitcher since 1913.
- Earned his first major league win in his season debut on April 4, 2014 vs. Texas.

2018 MISC. NUMBERS

	W	L	ERA	G/GS	IP	ER	AVG	H	AB	HR	BB	SO
Home:	2	1	3.18	3/3	17.0	6	Vs. Left: .242	16	66	6	7	13
Road:	0	1	4.87	4/4	20.1	11	Vs. Right: .240	18	75	2	11	22
Day:	1	0	0.75	2/2	12.0	1	TOTALS: .241	34	141	8	18	35
Night:	1	2	5.68	5/5	25.1	16	None On: .307	23	75	5	13	15
Grass:	2	1	3.62	6/6	32.1	13	Runners On: .167	11	66	3	5	20
Turf:	0	1	7.20	1/1	5.0	4						

6.0-PLUS IP/QUALITY STARTS

YEAR	STARTS	6+ IP	QS	YEAR	STARTS	6+ IP	QS
2012	2	0	0	2016	33	18	17
2013	4	0	0	2017	28	13	11
2014	31	14	14	2018	7	3	3
2015	28	21	17	TOTALS	133	69	62

MORE MISCELLANEOUS NUMBERS

	BASE RUNNERS	PICK-OFFS	SB-ATT	GIDP
ODORIZZI:	52	1	3/3	2

2018 RUNS/HITS PER INNING

INNING:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
RUNS/HITS:	5/6	3/5	1/3	3/7	4/8	3/4	0/1	-/-	-/-

ODORIZZI VS. CHICAGO-AL

2017 vs. St. Louis (1 Start): 1-0, 7.86 ERA (3.2 IP, 3 ER), 4 BB, 4 SO
2017 vs. St. Louis at Home:
2017 vs. St. Louis at St. Louis (1 Start): 1-0, 7.86 ERA (3.2 IP, 3 ER), 4 BB, 4 SO
Career vs. St. Louis (3 starts): 1-1, 3.24 ERA (16.2 IP, 6 ER), 8 BB, 17 SO
Career vs. St. Louis at Home (1 start): 0-1, 1.23 ERA (7.1 IP, 1 ER), 1 BB, 5 SO
Career vs. St. Louis at St. Louis (2 starts): 1-0, 4.82 ERA (9.1 IP, 5 ER), 7 BB, 12 SO

BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS

Odorizzi vs. the Cardinals						Martinez vs. the Twins							
PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO	PLAYER	AVG	AB	H	HR	BB	SO
Ozuna	.400	10	4	1	2	5	Buxton	.000	3	0	0	0	2
Carpenter	.286	7	2	1	1	1	Castro	.000	3	0	0	0	2
Wong	.143	7	1	1	1	2	Mauer	.333	3	1	0	0	1
Molina	.000	4	0	0	0	2	Rosario	.333	3	1	0	0	0
Fowler	.000	3	0	0	1	1	Dozier	.000	2	0	0	1	0
DeJong	.500	2	1	0	0	0							
Gyorko	.000	2	0	0	0	0							
Wacha	.000	1	0	0	0	1							
Wainwright	.000	1	0	0	0	1							

TWINS STARTERS IN 2018

Pitcher	Last Start (IP-H-R-ER-BB-K-HR)	Dec.	Starts	QS	Team Rec.	Run Supp.	RS AVG
Odorizzi	5/3 at CWS (5.1-6-5-3-2-8-1)	ND	7	3	3-4	14	3.38
Gibson	5/6 at CWS (6.2-4-3-3-2-8-0)	ND	7	3	4-3	23	5.35
Berrios	5/4 at CWS (6.0-6-4-4-2-2-2)	W3	7	2	4-3	18	3.98
Lynn	5/5 at CWS (6.0-8-2-2-0-7-0)	W1	6	1	1-5	16	4.85
Hughes	4/27 vs. CIN (3.2-5-4-4-2-3-1)	ND	2	0	0-2	9	11.57
Romero	5/7 at STL (6.0-3-0-0-3-9-0)	W2	2	1	2-0	6	4.63

THURSDAY'S STARTER - JOSÉ BERRÍOS [SEASON- 3-3, 3.98 ERA ; CAREER- 20-18, 4.89 ERA]

Berrios is making his second career start against Los Angeles-AL...only career start came June 4, 2017 at Los Angeles, earned the win after allowing two runs on six hits and two walks with four strikeouts over 6.0 innings...this will be Berrios second start against an AL West opponent in 2018 and ninth of his career...last start against an AL West opponent came April 7, Berrios' second start of 2018...allowed five runs on six hits over 4.2 innings after retiring the first nine batters of the game and suffered his first loss of the season.



TEAM BULLPEN NOTES

- In their first 20 games, the Twins bullpen had a 6.50 ERA (80.1 IP, 58 ER) with an opponent average of .302...since 4/28 (10 games) the 'pen has a 3.00 ERA (36.0 IP, 12 ER) and .216 opp. avg.
In fact, their last 6 games (Twins record: 5-1), the bullpen has a 1.50 ERA (18.0 IP, 3 ER)...all three runs came via solo home runs, the other 8 hits allowed were singles.

ZACH DUKE - LHP

Height: 6-2 Weight: 210 B/T: L/L Age: 35 (4/19/83 in Clifton, TX) Obtained: Signed as free agent, 12/28/17
Roadtrip 1-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series at STL 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .133 vs. Right .273

- In 20 career relief outings vs. the Cardinals has a 3.78 ERA (16.2 IP, 7 ER) with 1 HR, 7 BB, 16 K and an opponent average of .250.
Over last 11 appearances has not allowed an earned run (1 unearned), allowing 8 hits and 5 walks while striking out 10 (6.0 IP).

RECENT APPEARANCES

Table with columns: DATE, DEC, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Rows include appearances against CWS, TOR, CIN, NYY, TB, CLE, HOU, SEA.

TREVOR HILDENBERGER - RHP

Height: 6-3 Weight: 220 B/T: R/R Age: 27 (12/15/90 in Mountain View, CA) Drafted: 22nd round, 2014 Draft
Roadtrip 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series at STL 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.0 IP, 0 ER), 1 K, 0 BB vs. Left .048 vs. Right .333

- Led Twins with a 60.5 GB % in 2017...in first 11 appearances had a GB% of 37.8...in last 4 appearances has a 70.0 GB%.
In last 17 road appearances, since 8/25/17, has allowed 8 hits in 17.2 IP (3 ER, 1.53 ERA) with 4 BB, 12 K.

RECENT APPEARANCES

Table with columns: DATE, DEC, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Rows include appearances against STL, CWS, TOR, CIN, NYY, TB, CLE, HOU.

PHIL HUGHES - RHP

Height: 6-5 Weight: 238 B/T: R/R Age: 31 (6/24/86 in Mountain View, CA) Obtained: Signed as free agent, 12/5/13
Roadtrip 0-0-0, 9.00 (1.0 IP, 1 ER), 1 K, 0 BB Series at STL 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .188 vs. Right .444

- Moved to bullpen upon recall of starter Fernando Romero...made five relief appearances last season...lifetime record of 6-2, 2.74 ERA (69.0 IP, 21 ER) with 20 walks and 83 strikeouts in 59 career relief appearances, mostly with Yankees from 2009-10.
In 22 career relief appearances of 1.1 IP or more has a 2.41 ERA (37.1 IP, 10 ER) with opponents hitting .218...each of his last nine relief appearances have been at least 1.0 inning, with five of his last nine being at least 1.1 inning.

RECENT APPEARANCES

Table with columns: DATE, DEC, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Rows include appearances against CWS, TB, CIN.

MATT MAGILL - RHP

Height: 6-3 Weight: 210 B/T: R/R Age: 28 (11/10/89 in Simi Valley, CA) Obtained: Minor league free agent, 1/25/18
Roadtrip 0-0-0, 2.25 (4.0 IP, 1 ER), 5 K, 0 BB Series at STL 0-0-0, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB vs. Left .167 vs. Right .267

- Contract selected prior to 4/28 game (Hale DFA'd)...made Twins debut 4/29 with 2.1 IP (3 hits, BB, 2 K).
Began season with Triple-A Rochester and tossed 8.2 scoreless innings with five hits allowed (.161 AVG), two walks and 13 strikeouts in five appearances...went 2-for-2 in save opportunities with the Red Wings.

RECENT APPEARANCES

Table with columns: DATE, DEC, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Rows include appearances against STL, CWS, TOR, CIN.

RYAN PRESSLY - RHP

Height: 6-2 Weight: 210 B/T: R/R Age: 29 (12/15/88 in Dallas, TX) Obtained: via Rule 5 Draft from Boston, 12/6/12
Roadtrip 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.1 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 1 BB Series at STL 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .304 vs. Right .186

- In last 14 outings vs. NL opponents has a 1.56 ERA (17.1 IP, 3 ER) with 2 walks and 19 K, since 4/22/16...allowed just 3 HR in 40.0 IP vs. NL.
24 K in 17.2 IP this season (12.23 K/9.0 IP).
Snapped career-long 13.0 scoreless IP streak 4/27, longest by a Twins reliever in 2018...over scoreless streak allowed just eight hits.

RECENT APPEARANCES

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ADDISON REED - RHP

Height: 6-4 Weight: 230 B/T: L/R Age: 29 (12/27/88 in Montclair, CA) Obtained: Signed as free agent, 1/15/17
Roadtrip 0-1-0, 5.40 (1.2 IP, 1 ER), 3 K, 0 BB Series at STL 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .167 vs. Right .238

- Has an active 8.2 scoreless inning streak vs. the Cardinals dating back to 8/27/15...in 14 career appearances vs. STL is 3-for-3 in save opps with a 1.32 ERA (13.2 IP, 2 ER)...Cardinals batters are 9-for-50 (.180) all-time vs. Reed.
Began 2017 with the Mets and worked primarily in the closer role after an injury to Jeury Familia...converted 19 of 21 save opps for Mets.

RECENT APPEARANCES

Table with columns: DATE, DEC, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Rows include appearances against CWS, TOR, CIN, NYY, TB, CLE, HOU.

FERNANDO RODNEY - RHP

Height: 5-11 Weight: 235 B/T: R/R Age: 41 (3/18/1977) in Samana, DR Obtained: Signed as free agent, 12/15/17
Roadtrip 0-0-2, 0.00 (2.0 IP, 0 ER), 2 K, 0 BB Series at STL 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .111 vs. Right .367

- Has a 2.29 ERA (19.2 IP, 5 ER) in 19 career appearances against the Cardinals...2-for-5 in save opps with 4 holds vs. STL.
Perfect 3.0 innings over his last three appearances (2 saves, 3 strikeouts)...pitched first perfect inning of 2018 5/2 vs. TOR...had allowed at least one base runner in first 10 appearances of 2018.

RECENT APPEARANCES

Table with columns: DATE, DEC, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Rows include appearances against CWS, TOR, CIN, NYY, TB, CLE, HOU, PIT.

TAYLOR ROGERS - LHP

Height: 6-3 Weight: 170 B/T: L/L Age: 27 (12/17/90 in Littleton, CO) Drafted: 11th round, 2012 Draft
Roadtrip 0-0-0, 0.00 (1.2 IP, 0 ER), 3 K, 0 BB Series at STL 0-0-0, 0.00 (0.0 IP, 0 ER), 0 K, 0 BB vs. Left .348 vs. Right .320

- Held left-handed hitters to a .173 batting average and righties to a .287 average in 2017...lefties are 6-for-last-13 vs. Rogers in 2018.
Twins went 48-21 in his 69 appearances last season.

RECENT APPEARANCES

Table with columns: DATE, DEC, IP, H, R, ER, HR, BB, SO. Rows include appearances against CWS, CIN, CIN, NYY, TB, CIN, SEA, TB.

BULLPEN INFO

Table with columns: Player name, 1st Batter Avg, BB/9, K/9, Saves/Opps, Holds, IRS%, WHIP, HR, Last game, 2 games ago, 3 games ago. Rows include Zach Duke, Trevor Hildenberger, Phil Hughes, Matt Magill, Ryan Pressly, Addison Reed, Fernando Rodney, Taylor Rogers.

MISC. HIGHS AND LOWS

Most Runs, Game (Team)	9, 2x, last 4/27 vs. CIN
Most Runs, Inning (Team)	8, (4th inning), 4/11 vs. HOU
Most Hits, Game (Team)	14, 4/27 vs. CIN
Most Hits, Inning (Team)	5, 3x, last (1st inning) 4/27 vs. CIN
Most Strikeouts, Batters (Team)	15, 4/18 vs. CLE (PR)
Longest Hitting Streak (Individual)	17, Dozier, 3/29-4/21
Consecutive Hits (Individual)	5, Grossman, 4/26-27 vs. CIN
Consecutive Hitless At-Bats (Individual)	15, Dozier, 4/30-5/3
Most Runs Allowed (Team)	15, 4/27 vs. CIN
Most Runs Allowed, Inning (Team)	6, 2x, last (5th inning) 4/27 vs. CIN
Most Hits Allowed (Team)	20, 4/27 vs. CIN
Most Hits Allowed, Inning (Team)	6 (5th inning), 4/27 vs. CIN
Pitchers Used (Team)	8, 4/18 vs. CLE (PR)
Cons. Batters Retired (Team)	17, 4/1 at BAL
Scoreless Innings Streak (Team)	13, 4/12 (1st inn) to 4/18 (4th inn)
Most Runs, Starter	6, 2x, last Lynn, 4/30 vs. TOR
Most Home Runs, Starter	3, Odorizzi, 4/17 vs. CLE (PR)
Most Walks, Starter	6, Lynn, 4/2 at BAL
Most Strikeouts, Starter	11, Berríos, 4/12 vs. CWS
Most Strikeouts, Pitchers (Team)	14, 5/3 at CHI
Most Walks, Pitchers (Team)	11, 4/2 at PIT
Most Cons. Scoreless Innings (Individual)	15, Berríos 4/12-24
Most Cons. Batters Retired (Individual)	17, Berríos 4/1 at BAL
Longest Game, Innings	16, 4/18 vs. CLE (PR)
Longest Game, Time (9 Inn.)	4:00, 4/27 vs. CIN
Longest Game, Time (X Inn.)	5:13, 4/18 vs. CLE (PR)
Fastest Game, Time	2:35, 4/1 at BAL
Largest Margin, Victory	7, 4/1 at BAL (7-0)
Largest Margin, Loss	13, 4/23 vs. NYY (1-14)
Largest Home Attendance	39,214, 4/5 vs. SEA
Home Sellouts	1, 4/5 vs. SEA
Lineups Used	23 in 31 games

SCORE BY INNING

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	XTRA	TOTAL
OPPONENT	21	7	15	16	24	11	22	18	18	6	158
TWINS	23	6	21	21	7	21	13	14	8	2	136

DISABLED LIST

PLAYER	INJURY	DATE ON	RETRO	DATE OFF	GAMES MISSED
Michael Pineda*	Torn Right Ulnar Collateral Ligament	2/18			31
Trevor May*	Torn Right Ulnar Collateral Ligament	2/19			31
Phil Hughes	Thoracic Outlet Syndrome	3/29		4/22	15
Ervin Santana*	3rd Finger MCP Joint	3/29			31
Byron Buxton	Migraine Symptoms	4/18		4/15	20
Miguel Sanó	Left Hamstring Strain	5/1		4/28	10

BOLD indicates currently on DL *60-day DL

REHAB UPDATE: Ervin Santana is currently on a throwing program, he was transferred to 60-day DL 5/5. Trevor May pitching in extended spring training. Byron Buxton has a hairline fracture in his left big toe after fouling ball off foot in rehab game April 22, rehabbing on the road with the team. Michael Pineda and Miguel Sanó are back rehabbing at Target Field.

EJECTIONS

DATE	PLAYER/MGR/CH	UMPIRE	REASON	CAREER
None				

STARTS BY POSITION

	C	1B	2B	SS	3B	LF	CF	RF	DH
Ehire Adrianza	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0
Jason Castro	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brian Dozier	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eduardo Escobar	0	0	0	14	14	0	0	0	0
Mitch Garver	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Robbie Grossman	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	15	2
Max Kepler	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	16	0
Ryan LaMarre	0	0	0	0	0	2	6	0	0
Joe Mauer	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Logan Morrison	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	17
Gregorio Petit	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Eddie Rosario	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	0

STARTS BY BATTING ORDER

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Ehire Adrianza	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	9	3
Byron Buxton	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	6	0
Jason Castro	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	15
Brian Dozier	26	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eduardo Escobar	0	0	0	12	4	12	0	0	0
Mitch Garver	0	0	0	0	1	4	1	2	2
Robbie Grossman	1	0	1	2	1	7	1	5	0
Max Kepler	0	1	7	0	5	5	10	2	0
Ryan LaMarre	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	6
Joe Mauer	4	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Logan Morrison	0	0	0	2	11	2	11	0	0
Gregorio Petit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1
Eddie Rosario	0	1	4	15	8	0	0	0	0

MOST USED LINEUP [4X]

Player	Pos.
Dozier	2B
Mauer	1B
Sanó	3B
Rosario	LF
Morrison	DH
Escobar	SS
Kepler	RF
Buxton	CF
Castro	C

OUTFIELD ASSISTS

Robbie Grossman	1
Eddie Rosario	1

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED
FOR THE TWINS
HITTING:

Hit for the Cycle: Cuddyer, 5/22/09 vs. MIL (10 all-time)
Grand Slam: Rosario, 4/20/18 at TB (1 as a team in 2018)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: Buxton, 8/18/17 vs. ARI (2 as a team in 2017, 54 all-time)
Pinch-Hit Home Run: Vargas, 5/19/17 vs. KC (2 as a team in 2017)
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: M. LeCroy, 9th inning, 5/19/04 at TOR (15 all-time)
Five-Hit Game: Rosario, 7/2/17 at KC (2 in 2017)
Six-Hit Game: Puckett, 5/23/91 vs. TEX (2 all-time, both Puckett)
Two Hits, One Inning: Rosario/Buxton, 2nd inning, 9/17/17 vs. TOR (5 as a team in 2017)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: Cuddyer, 8/23/09 at KC (1 all-time)
Two-Home Run Game: Escobar, 5/4/2018 at CWS (2 as a team in 2018)
Three-Home Run Game: Buxton, 8/27/17 at TOR (8 all-time)
Back-to-Back Home Runs: Escobar/Morrison, 5/4/18 at CWS (1 as a team in 2018)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: Dozier/Plouffe/Kepler, 6/26/16 at NYY
Three Home Runs, One Inning: Dozier/Escobar/Morrison, 5/4/18 at CWS (1 in 2018)
Four Home Runs, One Inning: Mack/Puckett/Hrbek/Bush, 5/2/92 at NYY
Walk-off Home Run: Kepler, 9th inning, 4/11 vs. HOU (1 as a team in 2018)
Leadoff Home Run: Dozier, 4/31/18 at BAL (1 as a team in 2018)
Consecutive Home Runs to Lead Off Game: Nunez/Dozier, 5/25/16 vs. KC
Last Pitcher to Hit Home Run: Jim Kaat, 6/11/72 at CLE

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

No-Hitter: Liriano, 5/3/11 at CWS (6 all-time)
One-Hitter: E. Santana, 4/15/17 vs. CWS (14 all-time)
Two-Hitter: E. Santana, 5/24/17 at BAL (43 all-time)
10+ Innings Pitched: Radke (10.0 innings), 9/21/97 vs. MIL
10+ Strikeouts: 10, Gibson, 4/26/17 at NYY (2 as a team in 2018)
Complete Game Shutout: Berríos, 4/1/18 at BAL (1 as a team in 2018)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: Mays/Silva, 5/19-20/05 vs. TOR/vs. MIL
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 6/2/13 vs. SEA - 6/4/13 at KC (2 games, 10-0 and 3-0)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: Duke, 3/29/18 at BAL (7th inning)

MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: Sanó/Dozier/Mauer, 6/1/17 at LAA (J. Marte hitting)
Position Player Pitching: LaMarre, last 4/23/18 at NYY (1 as a team in 2018)
Three or more Steals, One Game: Adrianza (3), 6/21/17 vs. CWS (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: Thomas, 8/2/13 vs. HOU
Pure Steal of Home: Becker, 9/27/97 at CLE
Home Run in First ML At-Bat: Rosario, 5/6/15 vs. OAK (1st PA, 1st pitch)

AGAINST THE TWINS
HITTING:

Hit for the Cycle: Beltre, 8/24/12 at TEX (5 allowed all-time)
Grand Slam: Gregorius, 4/23/18 at NYY (2 allowed as team in 2018)
Inside-the-Park Home Run: J. McCann, 4/29/15 vs. DET (42 allowed all-time)
Pinch-Hit Home Run: V. Martinez, 9/22/16 vs. DET
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam: J. Sands, 8/8/15 at CLE
Five-Hit Game: D. Pedroia, 7/21/16 at BOS
Six-Hit Game: J. Segura, 5/28/13 at MIL (3 allowed all-time)
Two Hits, One Inning: Peraza/Votto, 5th inning, 4/27/18 vs. CIN (1 allowed in 2018)
Two Home Runs, One Inning: Nilsson, 5/17/96 vs. MIL
Two-Home Run Game: Peraza, 4/27/18 vs. CIN (3 allowed in 2018)
Three-Home Run Game: J. Donaldson, 8/28/16 at TOR
Back-to-Back Home Runs: A. Judge/G. Sanchez, 9/20/17 at NYY (8 allowed in 2017)
Three Consecutive Home Runs: Jones/Castilla/Franco, 6/11/02 vs. ATL
Three Home Runs, One Inning: Martinez/Infante/Jackson, 9/24/13 vs. DET
Four Home Runs, One Inning: Everett/O'Leary/Varitek/Burkhart, 7/3/00 vs. BOS
Walk-off Home Run: Thompson, 5/3/18 at CHI (4 allowed in 2018)
Leadoff Home Run: S. Smith, 7/7/17 vs. BAL (2 allowed in 2017)
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: Scott Karl, 6/11/99 at MIL

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

No-Hitter: Weaver, 5/2/12 at LAA (5 all-time)
One-Hitter: Kluber, 8/14/15 vs. CLE (23 all-time)
Two-Hitter: Halladay, 5/29/05 at TOR (49 all-time)
10+ Innings Pitched: Fernandez (10.0 innings), 10/1/95 at CHC
10+ Strikeouts: 14, C. Carrasco, 9/28/17, at CLE (8 times in 2017)
Complete Game Shutout: Arrieta, 6/21/15 vs. CHC (2 times in 2015)
Back-to-Back Complete Game Victories: Williams/Weaver, 5/1-2/12 at LAA
Back-to-Back Shutouts: 4/6/13 - 4/8/2015 (2 games, 0-4 and 0-11)
Four Strikeouts in an Inning: F. Hernandez, 6/30/10 vs. SEA (8th inning)

MISCELLANEOUS:

Triple Play: Donaldson/Rosales/Carter, 8/21/12 at OAK (Plouffe hitting)
Position Player Pitching: A. Romine, 9/30/17 vs. DET (3 in 2017)
Three or more Steals, One Game: Merrifield (3), 7/2/17 at KC (1 in 2017)
Steal of Home: C. Maybin, 7/6/17 vs. LAA
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

2018 TARGET FIELD WEATHER DELAYS AND POSTPONEMENTS

DATE	DELAYED/PPD	NOTES
April 8 vs. Seattle	Postponed	Game scheduled for 1:10 but called in the morning due to low temperatures and snow in the forecast.
April 13 vs. Chicago-AL	Postponed	Game postponed prior to start due to inclement weather, rescheduled for June 5 at 3:10 pm as part of a straight doubleheader.
April 14 vs. Chicago-AL	Postponed	Game postponed prior to start due to inclement weather, rescheduled for September 28 at 1:10 pm as part of a split doubleheader.
April 15 vs. Chicago-AL	Postponed	Game postponed prior to start due to inclement weather, rescheduled for mutual off day August 20 at 6:10 pm.

** Target Field has experienced 37 delayed games, 23 postponed games, 1 suspended game and 1 rain shortened game in the park's history (since 2010). Longest delay: 4:50. **

