



Game Information



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Detroit Tigers at San Francisco Giants

Monday, June 16, 2008
AT&T Park, San Francisco, CA
Game Time - 10:15 p.m. EDT

TIGERS AT A GLANCE

Record: 32-37 / Streak: W6

Game #70 / Road #34

Home: 20-16 / Road: 12-21

Tonight's Scheduled Starters

RHP Justin Verlander vs. RHP Tim Lincecum
(3-9, 4.65) (8-1, 1.99)

TV/Radio

FSN/AM 1270 & 97.1 FM

TIGERS VS. GIANTS

2008 Record: 0-0

2008 at Home: 0-0

2008 at San Francisco: 0-0

All-Time Record: 2-4

All-Time at Home: 2-1

All-Time at Comerica Park: 2-1

All-Time at San Francisco: 0-3

2008 Game Log

Date	Site	Result	Winner/Loser/Save
6/16	SF		
6/17	SF		
6/18	SF		

STREAKS

Last five games: 5-0

Last 10 games: 8-2

Last 15 games: 9-6

Last 20 games: 11-9

RECENT RESULTS: The Tigers won their sixth straight game yesterday afternoon, completing a three-game sweep of the Los Angeles Dodgers at Comerica Park with a 5-4 win. Nate Robertson (5-6) blanked the Dodgers on four hits over six innings of work to earn the victory. Todd Jones picked up his 12th save of the season. Marcus Thames and Brandon Inge both homered for the Tigers, while Carlos Guillen finished with three hits and an RBI. The Tigers begin a six-game road trip this evening with the first game of a three-game series at San Francisco. Following an off day on Thursday, the club concludes the the trip with a three-game series at San Diego beginning on Friday night.

RODNEY REINSTATED FROM DISABLED LIST: The Tigers today recalled the injury rehab assignment of righthanded pitcher Fernando Rodney from Triple A Toledo and reinstated him from the disabled list. Additionally, the contract of righthanded pitcher Aquilino Lopez was optioned to Toledo following yesterday's game versus the Los Angeles Dodgers.

INTERLEAGUE HAPPENINGS: Tonight's contest against the Giants is Detroit's seventh game of interleague play in 2008. Since interleague play was started in 1997, the Tigers have compiled a 104-95 record. The Tigers are 45-30 in interleague games at Comerica Park. The Tigers are 4-2 during interleague action in 2008. Since the start of the 2006 season, Detroit has compiled a 33-9 record during interleague action.

INTERLEAGUE LEADERS: Four Tigers players are among the top 16 active major league players in batting average during interleague play: Magglio Ordonez is second with a .344 batting average (185x538), Placido Polanco is 13th with a .318 batting average (156x491), Edgar Renteria is 14th with a .317 batting average (209x660) and Ivan Rodriguez is 16th with a .315 batting average (218x691).

IT STARTS WITH PITCHING: Over the club's last 20 games, Detroit's starting pitching has combined to post a 3.27 ERA (129.1IP/47ER). During the 20-game stretch, Tigers starters have posted 13 quality starts and limited opponents to a .231 batting average (109x471).

LIMITING THE WALKS: The Tigers issued one walk yesterday versus the Dodgers, marking the fifth straight game the club has limited the opposition to one walk-or-fewer. It the longest such streak by club pitchers since the 1992 Tigers held opponents to one walk-or-fewer in five straight games August 24-29.

CABRERA, RENTERIA ENJOY SUCCESS AT AT&T PARK: Miguel Cabrera and Edgar Renteria both have hit well during their careers at AT&T Park. In 16 games at the park, Cabrera is batting .339 (20x59) with three doubles, six home runs and 16 RBI. Renteria is hitting .365 (31x85) in 20 games during his career at AT&T Park, collecting six doubles, three home runs and 13 RBI.

POLANCO'S PRODUCTION: Placido Polanco is batting .355 (65x183) with 28 runs scored, 14 doubles, two home runs and 18 RBI over his last 44 games dating to April 25. Polanco is second in the American League with 65 hits during the stretch, while he is third with a .355 batting average and tied for fourth with 14 doubles.

RENERIA CLOSING IN ON 2,000 HITS: After collecting two hits yesterday versus the Dodgers, Edgar Renteria enters tonight's game one hit shy of 2,000 in his major league career. He would become the first native of Colombia to reach the 2,000-hit plateau.

MARCUS MASHES LONGBALLS: Marcus Thames belted a solo home run yesterday versus the Dodgers and the Tigers improved to 9-0 this season when he homered. He is fourth among all American League players with at least 1,000 plate appearances since the start of the 2004 season with a home run once every 14.06 at-bats (998AB/71HR). During his Tigers career, the club has posted a 48-18 record when Thames hits a home run.

SHEFFIELD SET TO BEGIN INJURY REHAB ASSIGNMENT: Outfielder Gary Sheffield is scheduled to begin an injury rehab assignment with Single A Lakeland this evening. He has been sidelined since May 27 with a left oblique strain.

REHAB RUNDOWN: Righthanded pitcher Joel Zumaya is currently pitching as part of an injury rehab assignment, while outfielder Clete Thomas began his injury rehab assignment on Friday:

- Zumaya was assigned to Single A Lakeland on June 3 and he appeared in two games with the Flying Tigers. He fanned two batters in three scoreless innings of relief with Lakeland, before having his rehab assignment transferred to Triple A Toledo on June 8. He has appeared in three games with Toledo, allowing two runs (one earned) in three innings.
- Thomas has collected one hit in 10 at-bats during his first three games with Triple A Toledo.

INJURY UPDATE: RHP **Jeremy Bonderman** (thoracic outlet compression syndrome, 15-day DL on June 7), INF **Ramon Santiago** (separated left shoulder, 15-day DL on June 5), OF **Gary Sheffield** (left oblique strain, 15-day DL on May 27), OF **Clete Thomas** (sprained right ankle, 15-day DL on June 4), C **Vance Wilson** (right elbow surgery recovery, 15-day DL on March 30), RHP **Joel Zumaya** (right shoulder surgery recovery, 15-day DL on March 30).

TIGERS UPCOMING GAME DETAILS

DATE	OPPONENT	GAME TIME	TIGERS PROBABLE PITCHER	OPPONENTS PROBABLE PITCHER	TV/RADIO
Tuesday	at San Francisco	10:15 p.m.	LHP Kenny Rogers (4-4, 4.63)	LHP Jonathan Sanchez (6-3, 4.26)	FSN/1270 & 97.1
Wednesday	at San Francisco	3:45 p.m.	RHP Armando Galarraga (6-2, 3.31)	LHP Barry Zito (2-10, 5.88)	FSN/1270 & 97.1

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TIGERS AT A GLANCE IN 2008

vs. AL East: 8-8

vs. AL Central: 10-19

vs. AL West: 10-8

vs. NL: 4-2

Tigers score first: 17-9

Opponents score first: 15-28

Scoring five-or-more runs: 30-3

Scoring four-or-less runs: 2-34

Extra-innings: 0-3

One-run games: 6-10

Tigers get quality start: 18-11

Tigers starter works 6+ innings: 21-22

Lead after 6th/7th/8th inning: 26-5/26-2/29-0

Trail after 6th/7th/8th inning: 4-27/3-31/1-32

Tied after 6th/7th/8th inning: 2-5/3-4/2-5

Tigers out hit opponent: 29-6

Opponent out hits Tigers: 3-30

Tigers and opponent have equal hits: 0-1

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TONIGHT'S TIGERS STARTER - JUSTIN VERLANDER

'08 Season (Detroit): 3-9, 4.65 ERA, 14 G, 14 GS, 1 CG, 0 SHO, 0 SV, 91.0 IP, 83 H, 52 R, 47 ER, 35 BB, 55 SO.

'07 Season (Detroit): 18-6, 3.66 ERA, 32 G, 32 GS, 1 CG, 1 SHO, 0 SV, 201.2 IP, 181 H, 88 R, 82 ER, 67 BB, 183 SO.

JUSTIN'S CASE: In his third full season at the major league level, Verlander will make his 15th start of the season this evening against the San Francisco Giants.

SOLID IN HIS LAST SIX: Verlander has compiled a 2.57 ERA (42.0IP/12ER) over his last six starts, despite posting a 2-3 record. He has limited opponents to a .211 batting average (32x152) during the stretch. Verlander has recorded a quality start in five of the six outings.

INTERLEAGUE ACTION: Verlander is making his eighth start during interleague play this evening against the Giants. He is 7-0 with a 1.99 ERA (49.2IP/11ER) in his previous seven starts. Since the start of the 2006 season, Verlander is second among all major league pitchers with seven wins during interleague play, while he is fourth with a 1.99 ERA.

LOOKING FOR A ROAD WIN: Verlander enters his start tonight at San Francisco looking for his first victory on the road since September 1, 2007 at Oakland. In seven starts on the road since then, he is 0-6 with a 6.09 ERA (44.1IP/30ER).

AT THE PLATE: Verlander is hitless in five at-bats at the plate during interleague action. He has collected two sacrifice bunts and struck out three times during his career.

SHORT ON SUPPORT: In his 14 starts this season, Verlander has received 3.26 runs per nine innings of support, second-lowest in the American League. Over his first two full major league seasons (2006-07), Verlander was tops among all major league pitchers with 7.08 runs per nine innings of support.

ROUGH ON THE RIGHTIES: Verlander has limited righthanded batters to a .220 batting average (42x191) through his first 14 starts this season. During his career, righthanded hitters are batting .240 (224x935) with Verlander on the mound.

RECORD AT AT&T PARK: Verlander is making his first career start during the regular season at AT&T Park this evening. He did pitch an inning for the American League during Major League Baseball's All-Star Game at AT&T Park in 2007.

MORE PITCHES: Verlander enters his start tonight tops among all American League pitchers with 108.1 pitches per game. In his first two seasons (2006-07), he averaged 102.0 pitches per game, 11th-most in the league.

PICKED OFF: Since the start of the 2006 season, Verlander has picked off 11 baserunners. He is second in the American League during this stretch, trailing Chicago's Mark Buehrle with 17.

QUALITY OUTINGS: Verlander has posted a quality start in 45 of his 78 starts at the major league level during his career. He has worked six-or-more innings in 56 of his starts during his career.

OPENING DAY NOD: Verlander made the first Opening Day start of his major league career on March 31 against the Royals. He became the third different Tigers pitcher to start Opening Day during Jim Leyland's tenure as manager. Kenny Rogers started in 2006, while Jeremy Bonderman started in 2007.

NO-NO: Verlander fired the first no-hitter in Comerica Park history on June 12, 2007 versus Milwaukee, the sixth no-hitter in Tigers history. It was the first no-hitter by a Tigers pitcher since Jack Morris on April 7, 1984 against the Chicago White Sox at Comiskey Park. Verlander became the first Tigers pitcher to toss a no-hitter in Detroit since Virgil Trucks on May 15, 1952 versus Washington at Briggs Stadium.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTES: Verlander was selected by the Tigers in the first round (second overall) of the June 2004 draft. He was selected to the American League's all-star squad for the first time in 2007. Verlander was named the American League Rookie of the Year in 2006.

VERLANDER'S GAME HIGHS:

LAST CG: June 11, 2008 vs. Chicago White Sox.

LAST SHUTOUT: June 12, 2007 vs. Milwaukee.

STRIKEOUT HIGH - 2008: 8 - June 6, 2008 vs. Cleveland.

STRIKEOUT HIGH - CAREER: 12 - June 12, 2007 vs. Milwaukee.

WALK HIGH - 2008: 4 (five times) - last, June 6, 2008 vs. Cleveland.

WALK HIGH - CAREER: 7 - August 16, 2006 at Boston.

LOW-HIT GAME - 2008 (CG): 4 - June 11, 2008 vs. Chicago White Sox.

LOW-HIT GAME - CAREER (CG): 0 - June 12, 2007 vs. Milwaukee.

VERLANDER VS. GIANTS:

LIFETIME: Is making his first career start versus the Giants.

BATTER-PITCHER MATCH-UPS:

VERLANDER vs. GIANTS - CAREER (AVG-AB-H-HR): Rowand .500 2-1-0.

LINCECUM vs. TIGERS - CAREER (AVG-AB-H-HR): Has yet to face a Tigers batter.

2008 GAME-BY-GAME RUNDOWN

SEASON (DETROIT)

DATE	OPP.	RESULT	S/R	DEC.	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	BB	SO	PC
3/31	KC	L, 5-4 (11)	S	ND	6.00	6.0	4	4	4	1	6	97
4/6	CWS	L, 13-2	S	L-1	6.17	5.2	7	9	4	3	4	109
4/12	@CWS	L, 7-0	S	L-2	6.52	7.2	4	6	6	4	3	115
4/17	@CLE	L, 11-1	S	L-3	7.03	5.0	7	5	5	4	1	104
4/22	TEX	W, 10-2	S	W-1	5.93	6.0	6	1	1	2	3	110
4/27	LAA	L, 6-2	S	L-4	6.50	5.2	7	6	6	4	3	102
5/3	@MIN	L, 4-1	S	L-5	6.28	7.0	7	4	4	2	5	117
5/8	BOS	L, 5-1	S	L-6	6.43	6.0	9	5	5	1	5	107
5/14	@KC	L, 2-0	S	L-7	6.05	6.0	6	2	2	3	3	101
5/20	SEA	W, 12-8	S	W-2	5.61	6.0	4	1	1	1	7	104
5/25	MIN	L, 6-1	S	ND	5.16	7.0	5	1	1	4	3	120
5/31	@SEA	L, 5-0	S	L-8	5.16	7.0	8	4	4	2	1	112
6/6	CLE	L, 4-2	S	L-9	5.05	7.0	5	3	3	4	8	115
6/11	CWS	W, 5-1	S	W-3	4.65	9.0	4	1	1	0	3	101
TOTALS (3-11 record)14 starts					3-9, 4.65	91.0	83	52	47	35	55	1514

TRACKING THE TIGERS

(Series numbers are for three games versus Los Angeles June 13-15; Homestand numbers are for 10 games June 6-15)

TIGERS
OPPONENTS
SERIES: .362 (38x105)
SERIES: .245 (26x106)

HOMESTAND: .304 (102x335)
HOMESTAND: .234 (77x329)

CABRERA
SERIES: .417 (5x12) **CURRENT STREAK:** 6 (.435, 10x23)
HOMESTAND: .359 (14x39) **LONG STREAK:** 10 (.297, 11x37, 4/22-5/2)

- **Last Game:** 6/15 vs. LAD; 2x4, RBI, SO at 1B.
- Hit safely in nine of his last 10 games, batting .359 (14x39).
- Has collected 10 extra-base hits (seven doubles, three home runs) and 18 RBI in his last 24 games.
- Belted his second career walk-off home run Thursday vs. CWS -- first walk-off home run since his ML debut on 6/20/03 vs. TB.
- Seventh in the American League with a .321 batting average (51x159) during night games -- has posted a .223 batting average (21x94) during day games.
- Is 86 hits shy of 1,000 and one double shy of 200 in his career.
- Signed a seven-year contract extension on 3/25, keeping him in a Tigers uniform through the 2015 season.

CLEVEN
SERIES: .286 (2x7) **CURRENT STREAK:** 1 (.500, 2x4)
HOMESTAND: .217 (5x23) **LONG STREAK:** 2 (.429, 3x7, 6/9-10)

- **Last Game:** 6/15 vs. LAD; 2x4, R at CF/LF.
- Had his contract recalled from Triple A Toledo prior to the game on 6/6 vs. CLE -- hit .324 (69x213) with 14 doubles, five triples, 14 home runs and 55 RBI in 58 games with the Mud Hens.
- Was tied for the International League lead at the time of his promotion with 55 RBI, while he was third with 32 extra-base hits, tied for third with 69 hits, fourth with a .620 slugging percentage, fifth with a .324 batting average and 13 home runs and tied for fifth with five triples.
- Batted .424 (28x66) with seven doubles, two triples, four home runs and 44 RBI with runners in scoring position with Toledo.

GRANDERSON
SERIES: .444 (4x9) **CURRENT STREAK:** 5 (.368, 7x19)
HOMESTAND: .276 (8x29) **LONG STREAK:** 5 (.368, 7x19, 6/10-15)

- **Last Game:** 6/15 vs. LAD; 1x1 at CF (def replacement in 7th).
- Hitting .320 (8x25) over his last eight games -- team is 7-1 during that stretch.
- Has eight extra-base hits in his last 35 games with an at-bat, including six in his last 22 games.
- Tigers are 82-33 in his 115 multi-hit games since the start of the 2006 season -- club is 11-2 in his 13 multi-hit games in 2008.
- Tigers are 14-5 in 2008 when he scores at least one run.
- Belted his second lead-off home run of the season on 5/4 @MIN (other, 4/24 vs. TEX) -- has belted 15 career lead-off home runs and ranks third on the club's all-time lead-off home run list.

GUILLEN
SERIES: .308 (4x13) **CURRENT STREAK:** 1 (.600, 3x5)
HOMESTAND: .351 (13x37) **LONG STREAK:** 9 twice (last, .353, 12x34, 5/30-6/8)

- **Last Game:** 6/15 vs. LAD; 3x5, 2B, RBI, SO at 3B.
- Hit safely in 24 of his last 29 games, batting .315 (34x108) with eight doubles, a triple, three home runs and 17 RBI.
- Seventh in the AL with a .358 batting average (44x123) at home -- batting .243 (26x107) on the road.
- Belted his 100th career home run on 6/7 vs. CLE, a two-run shot off Aaron Laffey in the fourth inning.

HOLLIMON
SERIES: .000 (0x3) **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 (.000, 0x4)
HOMESTAND: .000 (0x4) **LONG STREAK:** 0

- **Last Game:** 6/13 vs. LAD; 0x3, RBI, SF at SS.
- Had his contract purchased from Triple A Toledo prior to the game on 6/6 vs. CLE -- made his major league debut on 6/9 vs. CLE.
- Batted .251 (45x179) with 11 doubles, three triples, 12 home runs and 21 RBI in 43 games for the Mud Hens.

INGE
SERIES: .143 (1x7) **CURRENT STREAK:** 1 (.250, 1x4)
HOMESTAND: .222 (4x18) **LONG STREAK:** 4 3 times (last, .364, 4x11, 5/30-6/7)

- **Last Game:** 6/15 vs. LAD; 1x4, R, HR, RBI, 2 SO at C.
- Hitting .254 (18x71) with five home runs at home, compared to .185 (12x65) with no home runs on the road.
- Has connected for 53 home runs during his career at Comerica Park -- most by any player in the history of the ballpark.
- Played five positions during his major league career: catcher (333), third base (569), left field (10), center field (30) and right field (2).
- Is nine home runs shy of 100 in his major league career.

LARISH
SERIES: .250 (2x8) **CURRENT STREAK:** 1 (.500, 2x4)
HOMESTAND: .222 (4x18) **LONG STREAK:** 2 (.333, 2x6, 6/6-10)

- **Last Game:** 6/14 vs. LAD; 2x4, R, 2B, RBI, BB at DH.
- Belted his first major league home run on 6/6 vs. CLE, a solo shot off Paul Byrd in the seventh inning.
- Made his major league debut on 5/30 @SEA -- collected his first major league hit in the fifth inning, an infield single off R.A. Dickey.
- Had his contract purchased from Triple A Toledo prior to the game on 5/28 @LAA -- hit .277 (53x191) with 10 doubles, 16 home runs and 43 RBI in 53 games for the Mud Hens.

ORDONEZ
SERIES: .364 (4x11) **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 (.000, 0x3)
HOMESTAND: .263 (10x38) **LONG STREAK:** 8 (.265, 9x34, 4/3-11)

- **Last Game:** 6/15 vs. LAD; 0x3, BB at RF.
- Seventh in the AL with a .310 batting average, while he is eighth with 80 hits, tied for eighth with 23 multi-hit games and tied for 10th with 42 RBI.
- Batting .324 (61x188) with 12 doubles, eight home runs and 35 RBI over his last 50 games.
- Tigers are 11-0 this season when he drives in multiple runs.

POLANCO
SERIES: .333 (3x9) **CURRENT STREAK:** 7 (.516, 16x31)
HOMESTAND: .400 (16x40) **LONG STREAK:** 7 twice (last, .516, 16x31, 6/8-15)

- **Last Game:** 6/15 vs. LAD; 2x4, R, RBI, BB, 2 GIDP at 2B.
- Has collected multiple hits in six of his last seven games -- Tigers are 14-7 during his 21 multi-hit games in 2008.
- Batting .355 (65x183) with 14 doubles, a triple, two home runs and 18 RBI over his last 44 games.
- Committed first error at second base since 7/1/06 @PIT on 4/8 @BOS, snapping a stretch of 186 errorless games and 911 total errorless chances -- both MLB records for a second baseman.

RABURN
SERIES: .500 (3x6) **CURRENT STREAK:** 0 (.000, 0x3)
HOMESTAND: .308 (4x13) **LONG STREAK:** 2 twice (last, .667, 4x6, 6/12-13)

- **Last Game:** 6/15 vs. LAD; 0x3, 2 SO at LF.
- Batting .167 (5x30) with 10 strikeouts over his last 12 games.
- Recalled from Triple A Toledo prior to the game on 4/13 @CWS -- hit .316 (6x19) with two doubles, two home runs and six RBI in six games for the Mud Hens.

RENERIA
SERIES: .500 (4x8) **CURRENT STREAK:** 4 (.438, 7x16)
HOMESTAND: .324 (11x34) **LONG STREAK:** 8 (.400, 12x30, 4/11-18)

- **Last Game:** 6/15 vs. LAD; 2x4, R, BB at SS.
- Hitting .355 (11x31) over his last eight games.
- Belted his sixth career grand slam off Rafael Betancourt on 6/7 vs. CLE -- marked his second grand slam of the season (4/16 @CLE).
- Matched a career high with five RBI on 5/20 vs. SEA -- seventh career game with five RBI and first since 4/16/08 @CLE.
- Is one hit shy of 2,000 and 25 doubles shy of 400 in his career.

RODRIGUEZ
SERIES: .750 (3x4) **CURRENT STREAK:** 4 (.500, 7x14)
HOMESTAND: .412 (7x17) **LONG STREAK:** 5 twice (last, .333, 7x21, 5/18-24)

- **Last Game:** 6/14 vs. LAD; 3x4, R, RBI, SO, SB at C.
- Has collected seven hits in his last 14 at-bats (.500) after hitting .097 (3x31) in his previous 10 games.
- Collected the 2,500th hit of his major league career on 4/9 @BOS, a single in the eighth inning off of Julian Tavarez.

THAMES
SERIES: .375 (3x8) **CURRENT STREAK:** 3 (.375, 3x8)
HOMESTAND: .240 (6x25) **LONG STREAK:** 7 (.400, 8x20, 4/24-5/9)

- **Last Game:** 6/15 vs. LAD; 1x3, R, HR, RBI, BB at LF.
- The Tigers are 9-0 when he hits a home run in 2008.
- Has homered in each of his last three games -- matches the longest such streak of his career (7/24-26/04).
- Batting .275 (14x51) with four doubles, eight home runs and 19 RBI in 16 games dating back to 5/21.
- Belted a home run once every 14.06 at-bats (998AB/71HR) in 333 games with the Tigers since 2004.

TIGERS MISCELLANEOUS

	HOME RUNS				LAST HR	2H	MULTI-HIT GAMES				TOTAL	MULTI-RBI GAMES				TOTAL
	1R	2R	3R	GS			3H	4H	5H	6H		2BI	3BI	4BI	5BI	
Cabrera	3	6	1		6/14/08 vs. LAD	11	3	1			15	7	2		1	10
Cleven					8/16/06 @BOS	2					2					
Granderson	7	1			6/8/08 vs. CLE	12	1				13	2	1			3
Guillen	5	1			6/7/08 vs. CLE	11	6				17	3	1		1	5
Hollimon					No ML HRs											
Inge	4	1	1		6/15/08 vs. LAD	6					6	4	1			5
Larish	1				6/6/08 vs. CLE	1					1					
Ordonez	6	3	1		6/13/08 vs. LAD	17	6				23	9		1		11*
Polanco	2				4/30/08 @NYY (2)	15	2	3	1		21	4	1			5
Raburn	1				4/24/08 vs. TEX	1	1				2	1				1
Renteria	2	1		2	6/7/08 vs. CLE	12	4	2			18	1	1	1	2	5
Rodriguez	1				4/14/08 vs. MIN	9	5	1			15	5	1			6
Thames	3	5	1	1	6/15/08 vs. LAD	4					4	4	1	2		7

*6 RBI on 5/24 vs. MIN

2008 DETROIT TIGERS HIGHS AND LOWS

(* - ties club record; # - sets club record; + - current streak)

GENERAL (Nine inning games unless otherwise noted)

Longest winning streak - overall6 (6/10-15+)
 Longest winning streak - home.....6 (6/10-15+)
 Longest winning streak - road4 (4/21-5/1)
 Most consecutive losses - overall7 (3/31-4/8)
 Most consecutive losses - home.....6 (3/31-4/6)
 Most consecutive losses - road7 (5/2-16)
 Longest game, time (nine inn.).....3:55 (5/7 vs. BOS)
 Longest game, time (extra inn.).....3:52 (5/26 @LAA, 12 inn.)
 Longest game, innings12 (5/26 @LAA)
 Shortest game, time2:04 (6/12 vs. CWS)
 Best homestand, percentage 1.000 (2-0, 4/14-15)
 Worst homestand, percentage000 (0-6, 3/31-4/6)
 Best road trip, percentage......500 twice (last, 3-3, 4/29-5/4)
 Worst road trip, percentage......167 (1-5, 5/13-18)
 Most runners left on base, game13 (4/16 @CLE)
 Most errors, game3 three times (last, 6/14 vs. LAD)
 Most DP turned, game4 (4/9 @BOS)
 Most DP turned, opponent.....5 (4/6 vs. CWS)
 Largest margin of victory.....16 (5/24 vs. MIN)
 Largest margin of defeat.....11 twice (last, 4/13 @CWS)
 Biggest comeback to win.....5 twice (last, 4/23 vs. TEX)
 Biggest lead lost in a loss.....6 (5/4 @MIN)
 Highest attendance, home.....44,934 (3/31 vs. KC, 11 inn.)
 Highest attendance, road50,993 (5/1 @NYY)

TEAM BATTING

Most runs, game.....19 twice (last, 5/24 vs. MIN)
 Most runs, game - both clubs.....25 (4/23 vs. TEX)
 Most runs, inning.....11 (4/23 vs. TEX, 6th)
 Most hits, game.....18 (5/7 vs. BOS)
 Most hits, inning8 twice (last, 5/30 @SEA, 1st)
 Most consecutive hits, inning.....6 (5/21 vs. SEA, 3rd)
 Fewest hits, nine-inning game2 twice (last, 5/31 @SEA)
 Most extra-base hits, game8 four times (last, 5/22 vs. SEA)
 Most singles, game16 (5/7 vs. BOS)
 Most doubles, game.....7 (4/18 @TOR)
 Most triples, game2 three times (last, 6/14 vs. LAD)
 Most homers, game5 (4/24 vs. TEX)
 Most homers, inning3 (4/22 vs. TEX, 3rd)
 Most homers - both clubs.....6 (4/24 vs. TEX)
 Most consecutive games, homer6 twice (last, 5/20-25)
 Most consec. games, no homer5 (5/5-9)
 Most walks, game12 (6/3 @OAK, 11 inn.)
 Most strikeouts, game.....12 twice (last, 6/11 vs. CWS)
 Fewest strikeouts, game.....1 (4/14 vs. MIN)
 Most stolen bases, game.....2 five times (last, 6/13 vs. LAD)
 Most caught stealing, game.....1 eight times (last, 6/10 vs. CWS)

TEAM PITCHING

Fewest runs, game0 (6/13 vs. LAD)
 Most runs, game13 (4/6 vs. CWS)
 Most runs, inning.....6 four times (last, 6/4 @OAK, 7th)
 Fewest hits, game3 five times (last, 6/13 vs. LAD)
 Most hits, game16 (5/2 @MIN)
 Most hits, inning.....6 (5/2 @MIN, 7th)
 Fewest walks, game0 (6/11 vs. CWS)
 Most walks, game.....10 (6/3 @OAK, 11 inn.)
 Most strikeouts, game.....10 four times (last, 4/24 vs. TEX)
 Most home runs, game3 twice (last, 5/7 vs. BOS)
 Most hit by pitch, game3 (4/17 @CLE)
 Most wild pitches, game3 (5/9 vs. NYY)
 Longest scoreless streak17.0 (6/12-14)

INDIVIDUAL BATTING

Most at-bats, game.....6 nine times (last, two players, 6/3 @OAK, 11 inn.)
 Most runs, game4 twice (last, two players, 5/24 vs. MIN)
 Most hits, game5 (Polanco, 5/7 vs. BOS)
 Most consecutive hits.....6 (Renteria, 5/18-21)
 Most doubles, game2 seven times (last, Ordonez, 5/15 @KC)
 Most triples, game.....1 13 times (last, two players, 6/14 vs. LAD)
 Most homers, game.....2 four times (last, Thames, 5/28 @LAA)
 Most total bases, game.....10 (Ordonez, 5/24 vs. MIN)
 Most RBI, game6 (Ordonez, 5/24 vs. MIN)
 Most walks, game.....4 (Sheffield, 3/31 vs. KC, 11 inn.)
 Most strikeouts, game.....4 three times (last, Joyce, 5/27 @LAA)
 Most stolen bases, game.....1 25 times (last, Rodriguez, 6/14 vs. LAD)
 Most hit by pitch, game1 20 times (last, Guillen, 6/13 vs. LAD)
 Longest batting streak10 (Cabrera, 4/22-5/2)

INDIVIDUAL PITCHING

Longest winning streak3 twice (last, Galarraga, 5/28-6/13+)
 Longest losing streak.....4 (Verlander, 4/27-5/14)
 Most innings pitched, starter.....9.0 (Verlander, 6/11 vs. CWS)
 Most innings pitched, reliever.....4.0 (Lopez, 4/11 @CWS)
 Fewest innings pitched, starter0.0 (Willis, 4/11 @CWS)
 Fewest hits, complete game.....4 (Verlander, 6/11 vs. CWS)
 Fewest runs, complete game.....1 (Verlander, 6/11 vs. CWS)
 Most runs, game9 (Verlander, 4/6 vs. CWS)
 Most walks, game.....7 twice (last, Bonderman, 4/24 vs. TEX)
 Most strikeouts, game (starter) ...8 (Verlander, 6/6 vs. CLE)
 Most strikeouts, game (relief).....4 (Lopez, 4/11 @CWS)
 Most home runs, game.....2 (Bonderman, 4/3 vs. KC)
 Most hit by pitch, game2 four times (last, Rogers, 6/7 vs. CLE)
 Most wild pitches, game2 (Jones, 5/9 vs. NYY)
 Most consec. scoreless innings11.2 (Miner, 5/18-6/7)

TIGERS MISCELLANEOUS

STARTING LINEUP BY POSITION

	CA	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH
Cabrera		50		14					4
Clevlen						2	3	1	
Granderson							40		
Guillen		18		38		2			4
Hollimon					1				
Inge	15			16			11		
Jones						22			1
Joyce						11		1	2
Larish									10
Ordonez								62	7
Polanco			57						
Raburn			6	1		2	3	3	
Renteria					63				
Rodriguez	54								
Santiago			6		5				
Sheffield						6			32
Thames		1				22		2	6
Thomas						2	12		
Pitchers									

STARTING LINEUP BY BATTING ORDER

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Cabrera			1		64	3			
Clevlen							1	3	2
Granderson	38								2
Guillen		1	28		2	31			
Hollimon		1							
Inge	1						2	12	27
Jones		1				10	1	6	5
Joyce		3				2	9		
Larish					1	7	2		
Ordonez				69					
Polanco		56	1						
Raburn	1						1	4	9
Renteria	8	1	1			2	39	12	
Rodriguez	8	4				3	8	21	10
Santiago		1						1	9
Sheffield				31		7			
Thames		1	7		2	4	6	9	2
Thomas	13							1	
Pitchers									3

TIGERS RECORD WHEN STARTING...

Cabrera	32-36	Ordonez	32-37
Clevlen	5-1	Polanco	27-30
Granderson	18-22	Raburn	9-6
Guillen	29-33	Renteria	29-34
Hollimon	1-0	Rodriguez	24-30
Inge	20-22	Santiago	4-7
Jones	9-14	Sheffield	15-23
Joyce	5-9	Thames	17-14
Larish	6-4	Thomas	5-9

TIGERS RECORD WHEN STARTING...

Bonderman	6-6	Rogers	7-7
Bonine	1-0	Verlander	3-11
Galarraga	8-2	Willis	1-3
Robertson	6-8		

TIGERS MISCELLANEOUS

OFFENSE BY POSITION	C	1B	2B	3B	SS	LF	CF	RF	DH	P	PH
HOME RUNS	4	8	3	9	5	15	7	8	10	0	0
RBI	29	31	30	40	36	41	34	37	27	0	3

OFFENSE BY BATTING ORDER	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
HOME RUNS	7	4	6	10	10	9	9	7	7
RBI	39	31	29	42	43	27	39	28	37

RUNS BY INN.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10+	TOTAL
TIGERS	31	34	45	48	48	46	33	33	10	0	328
OPPONENT	28	48	21	37	40	45	52	35	28	3	337

ERRORLESS STREAKS						CATCHER PROFILE			
Player	Streak	Last Error	Player	Streak	Last Error	Catcher	SB	CS	CS%
Cabrera	1	6/14/08 vs. LAD	Ordonez	10	6/1/08 @SEA	Inge	5	1	16.7
Clevlen	50	No ML Errors	Polanco	6	6/8/08 vs. CLE	Rodriguez	21	12	36.4
Granderson	24	5/20/08 vs. SEA	Raburn	2	6/12/08 vs. CWS	Totals	26	13	33.3
Guillen	16	5/26/08 @LAA	Renteria	15	5/30/08 @SEA				
Hollimon	2	No ML Errors	Rodriguez	0	6/14/08 vs. LAD				
Inge	57	9/22/07 vs. KC	Thames	36	9/21/07 vs. KC				
Larish	1	No ML Errors							

MILESTONE MONITOR

PLAYER	MILESTONE	PLAYER	MILESTONE
Miguel Cabrera	86 hits shy of 1,000 1 double shy of 200	Kenny Rogers	2 wins shy of tying Wilbur Cooper for 20th place among lefthanded pitchers on the all-time list (216)
Curtis Granderson	18 doubles shy of 100	Gary Sheffield	17 home runs shy of 500
Brandon Inge	9 home runs shy of 100		10 home runs shy of tying Lou Gehrig, Fred McGriff for 25th place on the all-time list (493)
Todd Jones	36 appearances shy of 1,000 1 save shy of tying Robb Nen for 15th place on the all-time list (314)		3 RBI shy of tying Andre Dawson for 32nd place on the all-time list (1,591)
Edgar Renteria	1 hit shy of 2,000 25 doubles shy of 400		47 extra-base hits shy of 1,000 6 total bases shy of 4,500
Ivan Rodriguez	11 home runs shy of 300		

LAST TIME IT HAPPENED IN A GAME

FOR THE TIGERS	AGAINST THE TIGERS
HITTING <i>Five-or-more hits:</i> Placido Polanco (5) - 5/7/08 vs. BOS <i>Six-or-more hits:</i> Carlos Pena (6) - 5/27/04 @KC <i>Five-or-more RBI:</i> Magglio Ordonez (6) - 5/24/08 vs. MIN <i>Six-or-more RBI:</i> Magglio Ordonez (6) - 5/24/08 vs. MIN <i>Seven-or-more RBI:</i> Ryan Raburn (7) - 7/25/07 @CWS <i>Back-to-back home runs:</i> Marcus Thames/Brandon Inge - 6/15/08 vs. LAD (Park) <i>Switch-hit home run:</i> Carlos Guillen - 9/12/06 vs. TEX (Padilla/Mahay) <i>Grand slam:</i> Edgar Renteria - 6/7/08 vs. CLE (Betancourt) <i>Inside-the-park home run:</i> Curtis Granderson - 8/26/07 vs. NYY (Hughes) <i>Lead-off home run:</i> Curtis Granderson - 5/4/08 @MIN (Bonser) <i>Back-to-back home runs to lead off game:</i> Omar Infante/Bobby Higginson - 9/28/04 @CWS (Contreras) <i>Pinch-hit home run:</i> Marcus Thames - 9/29/07 @CWS (Logan) <i>Pinch-hit grand slam:</i> Mickey Tettleton - 8/11/91 vs. NYY (Guetterman) <i>Three consecutive home runs:</i> Robert Fick/Juan Encarnacion/Shane Halter - 6/24/01 vs. MIN (Milton) <i>Hitting for the cycle:</i> Carlos Guillen - 8/1/06 @TB	HITTING <i>Back-to-back home runs:</i> David Ortiz/Manny Ramirez - 5/6/08 (Robertson/Dolsi) <i>Grand slam:</i> Jason Kubel - 5/25/08 vs. MIN (Cruceta) <i>Inside-the-park home run:</i> Casey Blake - 7/25/06 @CLE (Grilli) <i>Lead-off home run:</i> Nick Swisher - 4/6/08 vs. CWS (Verlander) <i>Pinch-hit home run:</i> Ben Francisco - 7/3/07 vs. CLE (Durbin) <i>Pinch-hit grand slam:</i> Carmen Castillo - 4/11/89 vs. MIN (Hernandez) <i>Three consecutive home runs:</i> Tony Graffanino/Angel Berroa/Doug Mientkiewicz - 5/25/06 @KC (Maroth) <i>Hitting for the cycle:</i> Gary Matthews Jr. - 9/13/06 vs. TEX PITCHING <i>No-hitter:</i> Randy Johnson - 6/2/90 @SEA <i>One-hitter:</i> Joe Kennedy - 5/2/03 vs. TB <i>Ten-or-more strikeouts:</i> Fausto Carmona (10) - 8/15/07 @CLE <i>Fifteen-or-more strikeouts:</i> David Cone (16) - 6/23/97 vs. NYY MISCELLANEOUS <i>Steal of home:</i> Kenji Johjima - 5/31/08 @SEA <i>Triple play:</i> Joe Crede-Tadahito Iguchi - 9/18/06 @CWS

TIGERS DAY-BY-DAY

DATE	OPP.	RESULT	REC.	POS.	+/-	WINNER	LOSER	ATTEN.	DATE	OPP.	RESULT	REC.	POS.	+/-	WINNER	LOSER	ATTEN.	
MARCH (0-1)									JULY, cont.									
3/31	KC	L, 5-4 (11)	0-1	t-4th	-1.0	Nunez	Bautista	*44,934	7/11	MIN								
APRIL (13-14)									7/12	MIN								
4/1	OFF DAY								7/13	MIN								
4/2	KC	L, 4-0	0-2	t-4th	-2.0	Bannister	Rogers	32,348	7/14	ALL-STAR BREAK								
4/3	KC	L, 4-1	0-3	5th	-3.0	Greinke	Bonderman	32,735	7/15	ALL-STAR GAME IN NEW YORK								
4/4	CWS	L, 8-5	0-4	5th	-3.0	Logan	Grilli	34,569	7/16	ALL-STAR BREAK								
4/5	CWS	L, 5-3	0-5	5th	-3.0	Floyd	Miner	*42,381	7/17	@BAL								
4/6	CWS	L, 13-2	0-6	5th	-4.0	Buehrle	Verlander	35,230	7/18	@BAL								
4/7	OFF DAY			5th	-4.5				7/19	@BAL								
4/8	@BOS	L, 5-0	0-7	5th	-5.0	Matsuzaka	Rogers	36,567	7/20	@BAL								
4/9	@BOS	W, 7-2	1-7	5th	-5.0	Bonderman	Lester	37,190	7/21	@KC								
4/10	@BOS	L, 12-6	1-8	5th	-5.0	Wakefield	Robertson	37,612	7/22	@KC								
4/11	@CWS	W, 5-2	2-8	5th	-4.0	Lopez	Contreras	26,094	7/23	@KC								
4/12	@CWS	L, 7-0	2-9	5th	-4.5	Floyd	Verlander	29,649	7/24	OFF DAY								
4/13	@CWS	L, 11-0	2-10	5th	-5.5	Vazquez	Rogers	26,294	7/25	CWS								
4/14	MIN	W, 11-9	3-10	5th	-5.0	Beltran	Neshek	32,002	7/26	CWS								
4/15	MIN	W, 6-5	4-10	5th	-4.5	Rapada	Crain	30,901	7/27	CWS								
4/16	@CLE	W, 13-2	5-10	t-4th	-4.5	Galarraga	Sabathia	17,644	7/28	@CLE								
4/17	@CLE	L, 11-1	5-11	5th	-4.5	Carmona	Verlander	21,547	7/29	@CLE								
4/18	@TOR	W, 8-4	6-11	5th	-4.5	Rogers	Accardo	24,294	7/30	@CLE								
4/19	@TOR	L, 3-2	6-12	5th	-4.5	McGowan	Bonderman	31,052	7/31	@CLE								
4/20	@TOR	L, 5-3	6-13	5th	-5.5	Burnett	Robertson	30,139	AUGUST (0-0)									
4/21	@TOR	W, 5-1	7-13	5th	-5.0	Galarraga	Marcum	25,287	8/1	@TB								
4/22	TEX	W, 10-2	8-13	5th	-4.0	Verlander	Padilla	33,629	8/2	@TB								
4/23	TEX	W, 19-6	9-13	4th	-3.0	Rapada	Francisco	34,245	8/3	@TB								
4/24	TEX	W, 8-2	10-13	4th	-3.0	Miner	Jennings	39,058	8/4	OFF DAY								
4/25	LAA	L, 4-3	10-14	5th	-3.5	Santana	Robertson	40,380	8/5	@CWS								
4/26	LAA	W, 6-4	11-14	5th	-3.0	Lopez	O'Day	*42,068	8/6	@CWS								
4/27	LAA	L, 6-2	11-15	5th	-4.0	Weaver	Verlander	36,347	8/7	@CWS								
4/28	OFF DAY			5th	-4.0				8/8	OAK								
4/29	@NYY	W, 6-4	12-15	t-4th	-3.0	Rogers	Hughes	49,194	8/9	OAK								
4/30	@NYY	W, 6-2	13-15	t-3rd	-2.0	Bonderman	Pettitte	49,513	8/10	OAK								
MAY (10-17)									8/11	TOR								
5/1	@NYY	W, 8-4	14-15	t-2nd	-1.5	Robertson	Albaladejo	50,993	8/12	TOR								
5/2	@MIN	L, 11-1	14-16	4th	-1.5	Hernandez	Galarraga	33,628	8/13	TOR								
5/3	@MIN	L, 4-1	14-17	4th	-2.0	Bass	Verlander	28,985	8/14	TOR								
5/4	@MIN	L, 7-6	14-18	5th	-3.0	Guerrier	Miner	29,821	8/15	BAL								
5/5	BOS	L, 6-3	14-19	5th	-3.5	Matsuzaka	Bonderman	39,478	8/16	BAL								
5/6	BOS	L, 5-0	14-20	5th	-3.5	Wakefield	Robertson	38,564	8/17	BAL								
5/7	BOS	W, 10-9	15-20	5th	-3.5	Jones	Papelbon	38,062	8/18	@TEX								
5/8	BOS	L, 5-1	15-21	5th	-3.5	Beckett	Verlander	38,952	8/19	@TEX								
5/9	NYY	W, 6-5	16-21	4th	-3.5	Rogers	Igawa	*44,062	8/19	@TEX								
5/10	NYY	L, 5-2	16-22	4th	-3.5	Rasner	Bonderman	*44,580	8/20	@TEX								
5/11	NYY	postponed		5th	-4.0				8/21	OFF DAY								
5/12	OFF DAY			5th	-4.5				8/22	@KC								
5/13	@KC	L, 3-2	16-23	5th	-4.5	Nunez	Cruceta	11,703	8/23	@KC								
5/14	@KC	L, 2-0	16-24	5th	-5.0	Hochevar	Verlander	14,053	8/24	@KC								
5/15	@KC	L, 8-4	16-25	5th	-6.0	Meche	Rogers	34,734	8/25	CLE								
5/16	@ARI	L, 4-3	16-26	5th	-6.0	Haren	Miner	33,531	8/26	CLE								
5/17	@ARI	W, 3-2	17-26	5th	-5.5	Galarraga	Scherzer	48,804	8/27	CLE								
5/18	@ARI	L, 4-0	17-27	5th	-6.5	Johnson	Robertson	38,793	8/28	OFF DAY								
5/19	OFF DAY			5th	-6.5				8/29	KC								
5/20	SEA	W, 12-8	18-27	5th	-6.5	Verlander	Silva	39,463	8/30	KC								
5/21	SEA	W, 9-4	19-27	5th	-6.5	Rogers	Washburn	36,495	8/31	KC								
5/22	SEA	W, 9-2	20-27	5th	-6.5	Bonderman	Batista	40,166	SEPTEMBER (0-0)									
5/23	MIN	L, 9-4	20-28	5th	-6.5	Slowey	Galarraga	40,732	9/1	NYY								
5/24	MIN	W, 19-3	21-28	t-4th	-5.5	Robertson	Bonser	*41,137	9/2	LAA								
5/25	MIN	L, 6-1	21-29	t-4th	-6.5	Perkins	Cruceta	*42,413	9/3	LAA								
5/26	@LAA	L, 1-0 (12)	21-30	t-4th	-7.5	Arredondo	Dolsi	41,031	9/4	LAA								
5/27	@LAA	L, 3-2	21-31	t-4th	-7.5	SANTANA	Lopez	36,569	9/5	@MIN								
5/28	@LAA	W, 6-2	22-31	4th	-7.5	Galarraga	Saunders	42,191	9/6	@MIN								
5/29	OFF DAY			4th	-8.0				9/7	@MIN								
5/30	@SEA	W, 7-4	23-31	4th	-7.0	Robertson	Silva	34,019	9/8	OAK								
5/31	@SEA	L, 5-0	23-32	4th	-7.0	Hernandez	Verlander	33,441	9/9	OAK								
JUNE (9-5)									9/10	OAK								
6/1	@SEA	W, 7-5	24-32	4th	-6.0	Miner	Putz	38,610	9/11	OFF DAY								
6/2	@OAK	L, 3-2	24-33	4th	-6.5	Street	Cruceta	11,772	9/12	@CWS								
6/3	@OAK	L, 5-4 (11)	24-34	4th	-7.5	Gaudin	Seay	10,871	9/13	@CWS								
6/4	@OAK	L, 10-2	24-35	4th	-8.5	Duchscherer	Robertson	19,258	9/14	@CWS								
6/5	OFF DAY			4th	-9.0				9/15	@TEX								
6/6	CLE	L, 4-2	24-36	4th	-10.0	Byrd	Verlander	40,990	9/16	@TEX								
6/7	CLE	W, 8-4	25-36	4th	-10.0	Miner	Kobayashi	*42,193	9/17	@TEX								
6/8	CLE	W, 5-2	26-36	4th	-10.0	Galarraga	Sowers	39,941	9/18	OFF DAY								
6/9	CLE	L, 8-2	26-37	4th	-11.0	Lee	Willis	38,440	9/19	@CLE								
6/10	CWS	W, 6-4	27-37	4th	-10.0	Robertson	Contreras	38,295	9/20	@CLE								
6/11	CWS	W, 5-1	28-37	4th	-9.0	VERLANDER	Vazquez	38,693	9/21	@CLE								
6/12	CWS	W, 2-1	29-37	4th	-8.0	Jones	Dotel	40,297	9/22	KC								
6/13	LAD	W, 5-0	30-37	4th	-8.0	Galarraga	Lowe	40,430	9/23	KC								
6/14	LAD	W, 12-7	31-37	4th	-7.0	Bonine	Penny	*42,348	9/24	KC								
6/15	LAD	W, 5-4	32-37	4th	-6.0	Robertson	Park	*41,189	9/25	TB								
6/16	@SF								9/26	TB								
6/17	@SF								9/27	TB								
6/18	@SF								9/28	TB								
6/19	OFF DAY								* - Denotes a sellout at Comerica Park									
6/20	@SD								TIGERS DAY-BY-DAY RECORDS									
6/21	@SD								Monday	2-5	Friday	5-6						
6/22	@SD								Tuesday	5-5	Saturday	5-6						
6/23	OFF DAY								Wednesday	8-3	Sunday	3-7						
6/24	STL								Thursday	4-5								
6/25	STL																	