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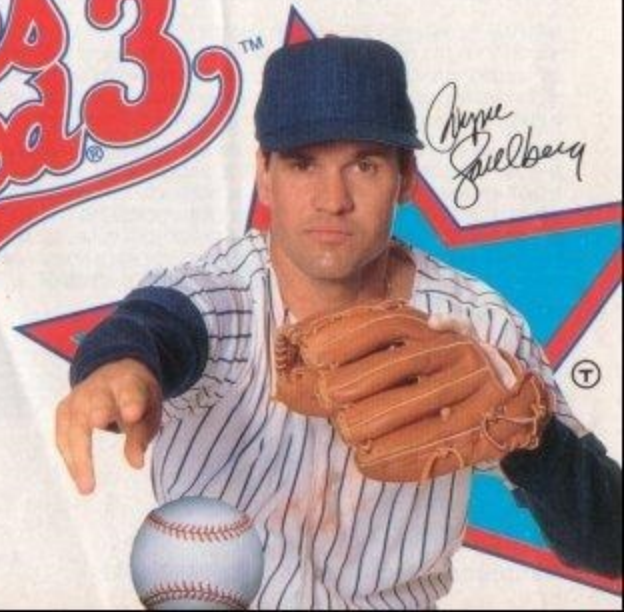
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INTRODUCTION

Playball — like you've never played it before! *Ryne Sandberg Plays Bases Loaded 3* not only offers you the great graphics, sound, and gameplay you've come to expect of Jaleco's *Bases Loaded* series of games, but also adds the most demanding baseball challenge possible — to play the perfect game!

Sure, we've also changed the fielding perspective to a centerfield camera point of view to make fielding more realistic. And we've made fielders much larger than they have been in any other *Bases Loaded* games. We've also added an EDIT team so that you can alter the statistics of the players. And yes, we've added the choice of three ballparks, each with unique characteristics. And of course you can make diving stops and leaping grabs, throw curves and changeups, make lineup changes, bunt, steal bases, and everything else you expect from a great baseball game. But the biggest difference in *Bases Loaded 3* is the challenge it makes to you — can you play the perfect game?

With *Bases Loaded 3*, winning the game is only part of the challenge of a one-player game against the computer. You won't beat *Bases Loaded 3* unless you play a perfect game against the toughest team we can throw at you. And in two-player head-to-head games, expect nothing less than exhilaration! If you're anything like those of us at Jaleco who have played the game together, you'll



scream at your player for making a bad throw, you'll taunt your opponent with biting sarcasm when his baserunner gets caught off third base, and you'll laugh together when your opponent scores seven runs in the bottom of the ninth to tie the game 15-15. We're pretty sure you're going to have a good time with this game — **because we sure do!**

And how does Ryne Sandberg fit into all of this? It's pretty simple. We can't think of a more perfect player to help us get across to you the idea that we think we have the perfect game (well, near-perfect anyway). Ryne Sandberg is as close to perfect as any player in baseball. Take fielding, for example. Sandberg has won eight Gold Glove awards. He shares the all-time record for the highest fielding percentage among second basemen. He holds the all-time record for most consecutive errorless games among second basemen. Or take hitting. Sandberg led the National League in homeruns in 1990 with 40. His career batting average is closing in on .290 and climbing. Or take baserunning. Sandberg has averaged about 30 stolen bases per season for his career. Your game will have to be as good as Ryne Sandberg's game in order for you to beat our game. And besides, Ryne Sandberg really does play video games, and he really does love *Bases Loaded 3*.

Jaleco and Ryne Sandberg want to know — can you play the perfect game?



OBJECT OF THE GAME

READ THIS OR YOU'LL STRIKE OUT!

Just score more runs than the other team, right? Only partly right! You not only have to beat the other team, you also must play the perfect game in doing so in order to beat *Bases Loaded 3*. The 130 game seasons you might be familiar with from *Bases Loaded* and *Bases Loaded II* are gone, because we figured you were ready for a brand new challenge in *Bases Loaded 3*—the ultimate challenge.

In one-player games, your play is rated in 13 categories. Every time you mess up, the computer's rating system deducts a certain number of points from your starting total of 100 points. There are five levels of difficulty. Based on your rating, you can work your way up from playing a Level 1 team in the first game to playing higher level teams. You can even jump straight from playing a Level 1 team to playing a Level 5 team if you're good enough. Your ultimate goal is to defeat a Level 5 team *and* to get a perfect 100 rating! Any time you lose a game, regardless of the level of your opponent, you'll be dropped back to Level 1. See the section entitled *The Rating System* for more details.

Note: There is a "slaughter" rule in *Bases Loaded 3*. When a team is ahead by nine runs or more in the bottom of any inning, the game is stopped at that point and the team with the big lead gets the win without having to finish the game.

GETTING STARTED



1. Place the *Bases Loaded 3* cartridge (label side up) into your NES and turn on the unit. The title screen appears.
2. Choose a one-player game (1P), a two-player game (2P), a game you want to watch rather than play (WATCH), or EDIT (to change the statistics of the players on the EDIT team) by pressing left or right on the Control Pad to position the little guy on the screen next to the choice you wish to make. If you don't make a selection within 10 seconds or so, the game goes into demo mode. To get back to the title screen from demo mode, press START (or the A button).
3. Press START (or the A button).
4. Next, you are given the option to have music during the game or to turn the music off. Note that the sound effects will be audible during a game regardless of your choice. Press left or right on the Control Pad to position the character on the screen next to the choice you wish to make. Then press START (or the A button).
5. A screen appears that explains that your goal is not only to outscore the opponent, but also to get a perfect rating of 100 against a Level 5 team. To skip this screen, press the A button.

WATCHING GAMES

If you're really laid back, you can pick two teams and just watch 'em play by selecting WATCH from the title screen and then following the directions for choosing teams, stadiums, and lineups.

THE EDIT TEAM

Select EDIT from the title screen, then choose MUSIC on or off. The EDIT screen will appear. To change the stats of a player on the EDIT team, first press up or down on the Control Pad to position the red selection arrow next to the player whose stats you wish to edit and press the A button. The player's stats will appear in the upper left-hand portion of the screen. To change a player's name, press right on the Control Pad while the selection arrow is aligned with the player's name. Now press up or down to cycle through the letters of the alphabet until the letter you want appears. Press right again to move to the next letter and repeat the process. When you've finished changing letters, press left until the selection arrow moves back to the left of the player's name.

To change the batting average, press down to move the selection arrow next to "AV." Now press right. Next, press up to lower the player's batting average or press down to raise the batting average. When you're done, press left. Press down to move on to homeruns and repeat the process. Do the same for "RUN"

(player's speed) and "BOX" (the side of the plate the player hits from). When you're finished changing a player's stats, press the A button. Then select the next player whose stats you wish to alter and repeat the entire process. Nine hitters for you to choose from are shown at one time. Keep pressing down to cycle through the rest of the players. To reach the pitchers, get to the bottom of the list of hitters and press down. For pitchers, you can change the pitcher's name, earned run average, stamina, speed, and throwing arm.

For batters, the maximum average is .496. The maximum for homeruns and speed is 60. For pitchers, the lowest possible ERA is 0.07. The maximum for stamina and speed is 99. Go ahead, build yourself a team of .496 hitters capable of Ruthian homerun statistics and incredible speed and 100 mile an hour pitchers that never tire.

When you're ready to leave the EDIT screen, press START.

CHOOSING TEAMS

Press left, right, up, or down on the Control Pad to highlight the team you want to use ("1P" appears under the highlighted team). Then press the A button to select that team. Next, choose the computer team (in a one-player game) or have Player 2 select a team (in a two-player game)



in the same manner described above. In a two-player game, it's possible for both players to select the same team.

There are 13 teams to choose from, including the EDIT team. The top row of teams makes up the Eastern Division and the bottom row of teams makes up the Western Division. Western Division teams use a designated hitter, whereas Eastern Division teams do not. If you choose an Eastern Division team and your opponent uses a Western Division team, you will be at a slight disadvantage because your opponent will have a designated hitter in the lineup and you will not. See the section entitled *Team Rosters* for more details about each team.

Note that if you want to alter the EDIT team's player statistics, you must choose EDIT from the title screen and make the alterations *before* you select EDIT from the TEAM SELECT screen.

CHOOSING A STADIUM

You can choose to play in any of three stadiums. Press left or right on the Control Pad to highlight the stadium you want. Then press the A button.

Aside from the fact that the stadiums each have a different appearance, the primary difference between the stadiums has to do with the number of homeruns hit. In general, the



closer the walls are to home plate, the more homeruns there are likely to be in that stadium.

Here are the dimensions of the three stadiums:

DISTANCE FROM HOME PLATE TO OUTFIELD WALL

STADIUM	LEFT FIELD	CENTER FIELD	RIGHT FIELD
CHICAGO	355 ft.	400 ft.	353 ft.
LOS ANGELES	318 ft.	408 ft.	314 ft.
NEW YORK	330 ft.	400 ft.	330 ft.

CHANGING YOUR LINEUP

After you select a stadium, the STARTING ORDER SELECT screen appears. The current starting lineup appears on the left side of the screen. Players available on the bench appear on the right side of the screen. There are some awfully good players on the bench, so we advise you to





make substitutions freely rather than simply accepting the default lineup presented to you.

The batting average and number of homeruns are given for each position player in addition to their orientation in the batter's box (left or right as indicated by "L" or "R"). For pitchers, earned run average and stamina rating are given in addition to "L" or "R" to indicate whether they are left- or right-handed. The higher the stamina rating, the more pitches a pitcher can throw without tiring. You probably want to use a pitcher with a stamina rating in the high 30's or in the 40's as your starter.

You can see the statistics for players in the starting lineup one player at a time. Press up or down on the Control Pad to move the red selection arrow from player to player. The statistics for the player whose name is next to the arrow appear in the lower left-hand portion of the screen.

To change your lineup, press up or down on the Control Pad to position the red selection arrow next to the player you wish to remove from the lineup or change in the batting order. Press the A button.

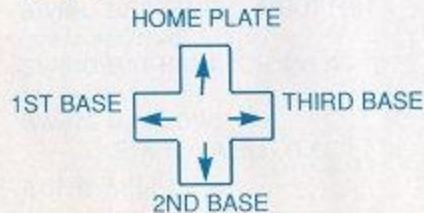
A second selection arrow appears. Press up or down on the Control Pad to align this selection arrow with the new player from the bench (from the right side of the screen) that you want to put in the lineup, or with the player already in the batting



order (from the left side of the screen) that you want to swap lineup spots with the first player you chose. Press the A button. The two players you select will swap positions on the screen. Note that you can cancel the selection process by pressing the B button before you select the new player you want to bring into a spot in the batting order.

When you have finished making changes, press up or down on the Control Pad (or press the B button) to position the red selection arrow next to "READY" and press the A button. Next, the computer's (or Player 2's in a two-player game) STARTING ORDER SELECT screen appears. Repeat the lineup selection process for the or Player 2.

A WORD ABOUT BASES AS THEY CORRESPOND TO THE CONTROL PAD



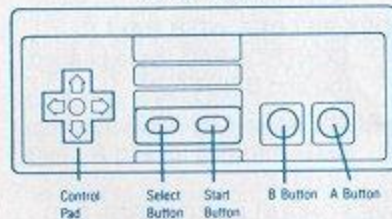
When using the Control Pad in conjunction with throwing or running the bases, keep in mind that up represents home plate, left represents first base, down represents second base, and right represents third base. Bases on

the Control Pad are set up in the same way as your on-screen point-of-view. You view the game from behind the fielders, so home plate is toward the top of the screen, first base toward the left, second base toward the bottom, and third base toward the right.

We call this to your attention because most baseball videogames are set up from the perspective of the batter, with home plate at the bottom, first base to the right, and so on. We changed the perspective, so we changed the controls accordingly. After you've played a few games, we're confident that it'll make perfect sense and you'll press the correct direction instinctively. Meanwhile, we hope you don't get frustrated!

CONTROLLER FUNCTIONS DURING A GAME

THE CONTROLLER



BATTING

SWING BAT LEVEL: A BUTTON

(press and hold)

SWING BAT HIGH: UP and A
BUTTON

SWING BAT LOW:
DOWN and A BUTTON

BUNT: SELECT

CANCEL BUNT: SELECT or A
BUTTON

MOVE BATTER IN BATTER'S BOX:
LEFT & RIGHT on
CONTROL PAD

BASERUNNING

ADVANCE BASERUNNER:
CONTROL PAD (base headed
for) and B BUTTON

RETURN TO BASE: CONTROL PAD
(base returning to) and A
BUTTON

STOP BASERUNNER: Press and hold
A & B BUTTONS simultaneously

STEAL BASE: CONTROL PAD
(base headed for) and B
BUTTON

PITCHING

SELECT LOCATION: CONTROL PAD (location pitch should go) press and hold while starting windup

START WINDUP: A BUTTON

INCREASE DEGREE OF LOCATION: Tap A BUTTON during windup (the more taps, the greater the degree)

INCREASE SPEED OF PITCH: UP during windup (the longer you press, the faster the pitch)

ATTEMPT PICKOFF: B BUTTON followed by throw to base

FIELDING & THROWING

MOVE FIELDER TOWARD BALL:

CONTROL PAD (direction headed for)

CATCH BALL: Use CONTROL PAD to run fielder into path of ball

MOVE FIELDER WITH BALL: CONTROL PAD (base headed for) and B BUTTON

THROW BALL: CONTROL PAD (base throwing to) and A BUTTON

DIVE FOR BALL: CONTROL PAD (direction to dive) and B BUTTON

LEAP FOR BALL: B BUTTON

MAKING SUBSTITUTIONS

CALL TIME: START

BRING UP ROSTER: A BUTTON while time is called.

ON-SCREEN DISPLAYS

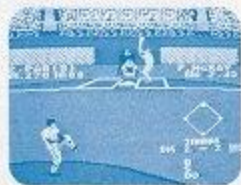
The batter's position in the batting order, name, batting average, and number of homeruns are displayed in the upper left-hand portion of the screen. The pitcher's name and ERA are shown in the upper right-hand portion of the screen. Note that when a pitcher's ERA is shown as dashes, he is tired and should be removed from the game. Rating points are deducted if you have a tired pitcher in the game.

The inset of the diamond on the lower, middle portion of the screen shows the position of baserunners, with homeplate represented at the top of the diamond, first base toward the left, second base toward the bottom, and third base toward the right. Below the inset, the inning, score, ball-strike count, and number of outs are displayed.

BATTING

MOVING THE BATTER IN THE BATTER'S BOX

You can move the batter closer to the plate or farther away from it by pressing left or right on the Control Pad.





SWINGING THE BAT

To swing level, press and hold the **A** button as the pitch approaches the plate. Timing is everything. Keep in mind that when you press the **A** button, you start the batter's swing, but the bat won't be in a position to hit the ball until a split second later because, just as in real baseball, it takes a little time to bring the bat from its starting position to a position where it strikes the ball. When those of us at Jaleco first started to play *Bases Loaded 3*, we found it helpful to start the swing a little bit earlier than our instincts told us to allow time for the bat to come around.

You also can swing high or swing low. Press and hold up on the Control Pad and press the **A** button to swing high. Press and hold down on the Control Pad and press the **A** button to swing low.

BUNTING

To bunt, press SELECT as the pitch is delivered. To cancel the bunt (to take the pitch, for example), press SELECT again (or the **A** button).

BASERUNNING & STEALING BASES

ADVANCING BASES

When a ball is hit, the batter automatically runs to first. However, once he reaches first base, he's under your control. To advance to the next base, press and hold the direction on the Control Pad that corresponds to the next base (base headed

for) and press the **B** Button. While it only takes one well-timed press of the **B** button to advance the runner while holding down the proper direction on the Control Pad, we've found that if you repeatedly press the **B** button while a baserunner approaches and rounds a base, you'll run less risk of your baserunner not getting the message and stopping. When you have more than one baserunner on base, you'll have to get each of them moving individually, so start your lead runner and then start any trailing runners.

RETURNING TO BASES

To send a baserunner back to a base, press and hold the direction on the Control Pad that corresponds to the base your baserunner is returning to and press the **A** button.

Any runner you have on base when a ball is hit automatically takes off for the next base. Be careful to send runners back to a base when the situation warrants it. For example, if you have a man on second with fewer than two outs and your batter hits a routine flyball, your baserunner is going to head for third unless you stop him by sending him back to second. You'll have to get pretty quick at sending a runner back to a base or you'll find your runners getting doubled up on line drives caught by infielders.

To tag up on a flyball, you must first get your runner back to the base, then send



him on his way after the ball is caught by following the instructions given in the section entitled *Advancing Bases*. You can stop a runner dead in his tracks by pressing the **A** button and the **B** button simultaneously. The runner will remain stopped as long as you keep holding down both buttons.

STEALING BASES

To steal a base, press and hold the direction on the Control Pad that corresponds to the base you wish to steal and press the **B** button. To attempt a double steal, you'll have to start each baserunner separately. Start with the lead baserunner, then make the trailing baserunner take off.

PITCHING

Pitching can be as simple as pressing the **A** button — except the opposing team is going to start clobbering you if that's all you do. Pitching effectively involves several steps:

1. Select the location of the pitch by pressing the appropriate direction on the Control Pad (including diagonals). For example, to throw a pitch high and outside to a right-handed batter, press the up-left diagonal. A low pitch requires that you press down. For an inside pitch (to a right-handed batter), press right, and so on.
2. While still holding down the desired location on the Control Pad, press the **A** button to start the windup.

3. Next, you can increase the degree of the location you chose by tapping the **A** button. The more times you tap, the more you'll increase the degree. In other words, if your location is high and outside and you tap the **A** button three or four times, the pitch will be well out of the strike zone high and away. If you don't tap the **A** button at all, the pitch will be a little up and a little out but probably still in the strike zone. Practice this method and you'll be "painting the corners" in no time.
4. You can increase the speed of the pitch by pressing up on the Control Pad after you've started the windup. The longer you hold "up" down, the faster the pitch will be. For a blazing fastball right down the middle, just press the **A** button to start the windup and then press and hold "up" on the Control Pad for the ball's entire flight.

To attempt a pickoff, press the **B** button (the screen will switch to the fielding perspective) and then quickly press and hold the direction on the Control Pad that corresponds to the appropriate base and press the **A** button.

FIELDING AND THROWING

CATCHING A BALL

As soon as a ball is hit, a high, centerfield-based fielding perspective appears. To catch a ball, use the Control Pad to run your fielder into the path of the ball. You don't press any buttons to catch the ball unless you want to dive or leap. Just get in the ball's way and you'll catch it. Down moves a fielder back, up moves him

forward, and obviously left moves him to the left and right moves him to the right. To make a fielder who has the ball run (in rundowns, for example), press and hold the direction on the Control Pad that corresponds to the base you want the fielder to run toward and press the **B** button. To dive for a ball, press and hold the direction on the Control Pad that you want the fielder to dive and press the **B** button. To leap for a ball, simply press the **B** button and don't mess with the Control Pad (or the fielder will dive instead of leap).

THROWING THE BALL

Press and hold the direction on the Control Pad that corresponds to the base you want to throw to and press the **A** button to throw the ball. Here's the trick, though: you've got to be real quick getting rid of the ball after you catch it or your throw will be extremely lame. In order to throw with a lot of zip, catching and throwing have to occur in bang-bang fashion. Until you get up to speed on this, you're going to have plenty of time to get steamed at your third baseman while his throws take a fortnight to reach first base.

MAKING SUBSTITUTIONS

To bring in a pinch hitter or a relief pitcher, press **START** to call time. Then press the **A** button to bring up the **MEMBER CHANGE** screen. Make substitutions the


same way you make changes in your starting lineup as described in the section entitled *Changing Your Lineup*. Note that in a two-player game, only Player 1 (Controller 1) can call time. Hopefully, he'll do so if he's asked by Player 2.

THE RATING SYSTEM

The rating system, which is used only in a one-player game against the computer, is all important in *Bases Loaded 3*. During a game, your play is rated in 13 categories, and every time you make an error, strikeout, throw to an unmanned base, get picked off, etc., points are deducted from your starting score of 100. You'll know when you've lost rating points during a game, because you'll hear a short series of beeps.

If you lose a game, you won't get a rating and your next game will be against a Level 1 team, regardless of the level you just lost at. If you win a game, two rating screens are presented to you. The first rings up your total rating. After the rating appears, press up or down on the Control Pad to align the cursor with **SEE RATING SCREEN** and press the **A** button to bring up the second rating screen. This screen shows you the specific rating categories so you can see where you lost (or gained) points.





When you're finished looking at this screen, press the A button. Then press up or down on the Control Pad to align the cursor next to NEXT GAME to continue in the quest for your ultimate goal — to defeat a Level 5 team with a perfect rating of 100. Here's how the rating corresponds to the five levels:

<u>RATING</u>	<u>LEVEL</u>	
90 or higher	5	If you score 90 or better in a Level 1 game, you'll move all the way to Level 5 for your next game. If you score in the 70's in a victory over a Level 5 team, you'll be dropped to Level 3 for your next game. Higher level teams are a lot tougher to beat than lower level teams. At higher levels, the computer team is more aggressive on the basepaths. They don't blow
80 or higher	4	
70 or higher	3	
60 or higher	2	

the rundowns the way they do in Level 1. The fielders get to the gaps much more quickly so hits are harder to come by. They throw the ball instantly after catching it (unlike Level 1 in which the fielders are a bit thick-headed about where to throw). The pitchers are tougher. Our experience tells us that you'll have a lot of high scoring games at Level 1 with lots of hitting. By contrast, Level 5 games generally are low-scoring affairs.

You'll need to know what areas of your game are being watched, so here's a list of the 13 rating categories and their point values:

	<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>POINT VALUE</u>
1.	Making an error	-3
2.	Delaying a throw (when you don't get your throws off quickly)	-3
3.	Allowing an inside-the-park homerun	-3
4.	Throwing to an unmanned base	-3
5.	Forcing in a run with a base on balls	-3
6.	Leaving a tired pitcher in the game	-3
7.	Allowing more than three runs in an inning	-3
8.	Throwing a wild pitch that allows a baserunner to advance	-3
9.	Striking out	-3
10.	Getting caught stealing	-3
11.	Getting picked off (or doubled off a base)	-3
12.	Making a great play	+2
13.	Bonus	+1



TEAM ROSTERS

A list of all of the players and their statistics follows. *Bases Loaded 3* does not keep track of statistics generated as you play games. The statistics given in the following charts are meant only as a guideline to help you get a general idea of what to expect from each player. If you keep track of statistics from games you play, you may discover that players perform either better or worse than their statistics indicate in the following charts. A lot depends on your skill as a player.

Also note that Eastern Division teams do not use a designated hitter (DH) to bat for the pitcher, while Western Division teams use the designated hitter. If an Eastern Division team faces a Western Division team, the Eastern Division team plays with no DH while the Western Division team uses the DH. If your team plays in the Eastern Division, you can overcome this minor handicap by pinch hitting for your pitchers whenever it's their turn to bat. It's a good idea to change pitchers frequently anyway, because if they pitch while they're tired, points will be deducted from your rating in a one-player game.

EASTERN DIVISION (NO DH)

TEAM B — BOSTON

STARTERS	AVG.	HR	BENCH	AVG.	HR	PITCHERS	ERA	ST
1. WALSH L	.307	03	MADDEN R	.234	02	LAMZ R	1.70	40
2. PETERS R	.252	05	RUBIN R	.225	00	BROOKS R	3.25	30
3. SCHURZ L	.296	04	RICE L	.261	12	HINTON L	2.96	25
4. YEAGER R	.270	28	TORRES R	.261	01	CLARK R	2.87	28
5. LELAND L	.387	18	ZALES R	.316	28	HARPER R	2.25	38
6. DECKER L	.307	11	NAEBE R	.287	10	McKAY R	2.43	36
7. VINEI L	.270	13	SEITZ R	.296	12	KELLER R	2.25	23
8. STUART R	.261	05	BORGE R	.352	30			
9. LEFTLY (P) R	1.43	12	COSBY L	.334	55			

TEAM N — NEW YORK

STARTERS	AVG.	HR	BENCH	AVG.	HR	PITCHERS	ERA	ST
1. HARLOW L	.270	00	VOLPE R	.243	04	ABELL R	2.87	26
2. TUZIL L	.325	01	YORK L	.287	01	KASPER L	2.52	44
3. FETZER R	.270	12	YOUNG R	.307	16	DECINA R	1.61	22
4. LLOYD L	.307	20	ZOLLER R	.307	22	FLECK R	3.25	40
5. SEDDON L	.307	12	CORBIN L	.252	05	ZAPPA R	3.87	28
6. GRAFF L	.261	08	KANEKO L	.270	11	MARTIN R	4.25	36
7. MALEK R	.252	06	HARRIS L	.352	09	SABO R	1.07	46
8. KATZ R	.261	04	SUTTON R	.296	28			
9. ROGERS (P) L	1.34	42	MARATI R	.316	40			

TEAM P — PHILADELPHIA

STARTERS			AVG.	HR	BENCH			AVG.	HR	PITCHERS			ERA	ST
1. QUADE	R	.270	05	RAFFIN	R	.225	01	GOMEZ	R	4.43	38			
2. McLEAN	R	.270	26	HAMM	R	.270	07	FIELDS	R	3.43	32			
3. BAXTER	L	.267	04	WOLFE	R	.270	08	KRAUS	R	5.43	30			
4. O'NEAL	R	.343	40	JORDAN	L	.243	00	LITTLE	L	3.96	28			
5. RANKIN	R	.307	25	BLANCO	R	.252	02	MIGEE	R	2.43	26			
6. SQUIRE	R	.267	26	PERONE	L	.252	01	LUIS	L	2.61	24			
7. KUZEL	L	.307	24	DIAZ	L	.234	14	GORSKI	R	1.25	36			
8. WHITE	R	.234	02	GRECO	L	.361	27							
9. WALTON (P)	R	2.70	40	KOSNER	R	.334	25							

TEAM CL — CLEVELAND

STARTERS			AVG.	HR	BENCH			AVG.	HR	PITCHERS			ERA	ST
1. KEYSER	L	.307	04	HERTER	R	.252	06	LOCKE	R	3.67	26			
2. LAVIN	R	.261	02	KAPPEI	R	.243	00	BAILEY	R	4.25	34			
3. ORTIS	R	.287	28	BOWMAN	R	.296	01	PEREZ	R	4.16	38			
4. FERROZ	R	.261	43	HANLON	R	.207	01	MUSSER	L	3.96	28			
5. DONLEY	L	.287	08	WEISKE	L	.334	00	KACEL	L	4.96	20			
6. ALDINI	L	.261	11	BREWER	R	.261	21	CARTER	L	4.43	32			
7. STRAUS	R	.243	16	WATSON	R	.307	04	JAFFE	L	1.52	40			
8. ADLIN	R	.261	00	HART	R	.307	45							
9. TALBOT (P)	R	3.07	36	TWEED	L	.316	40							

TEAM A — ATLANTA

STARTERS			AVG.	HR	BENCH			AVG.	HR	PITCHERS			ERA	ST
1. WAHLEN	L	.261	05	LEWIS	L	.296	08	ALBAN	L	3.96	30			
2. BAKER	L	.261	02	PAGE	R	.252	01	RILEY	R	4.70	28			
3. HANDEL	L	.270	04	GRAHAM	R	.252	04	FORD	L	1.52	34			
4. WEEKS	R	.270	17	KAYE	L	.270	06	DONATO	R	2.43	36			
5. TATE	L	.307	33	SOLGER	R	.307	01	HORI	R	4.61	26			
6. DOPKE	R	.261	34	CORTEZ	R	.307	01	BALCH	R	4.70	38			
7. CAMPOS	R	.261	05	TYLER	R	.261	04	HARRIS	R	1.16	32			
8. DOYLE	R	.270	02	MILLER	R	.307	41							
9. SPINKS (P)	R	2.25	40											

TEAM DC — WASHINGTON D.C.

STARTERS			AVG.	HR	BENCH			AVG.	HR	PITCHERS			ERA	ST
1. CARNEY	L	.261	02	BERMAN	R	.234	05	CARVSO	R	3.87	34			
2. DRELL	L	.243	02	AGNEW	R	.296	01	SHIELD	R	3.87	32			
3. MARTZ	L	.307	07	LABANT	R	.270	01	ALBERT	L	4.34	28			
4. BADELL	R	.307	27	PATTON	R	.287	03	RAPPE	R	3.52	42			
5. PARTON	R	.334	16	PAPPAS	R	.261	06	LATTIN	L	3.70	36			
6. KELLY	R	.287	03	VANER	L	.261	02	HASSEL	R	3.43	26			
7. HERZON	L	.252	01	HEINZE	L	.261	01	CHEZ	R	1.96	40			
8. KANZER	R	.270	03	SIMON	R	.296	28							
9. McLEAN (P)	R	4.43	38	LEVINE	R	.267	16							

WESTERN DIVISION (USES DH)**TEAM DA — DALLAS**

STARTERS	AVG.	HR	BENCH	AVG.	HR	PITCHERS	ERA	ST
1. PATLEN L	.307	07	GLAZER R	.334	00	HILL L	2.07	38
2. PARIS R	.270	08	LEE R	.216	02	VICTOR R	3.43	34
3. FLYNN L	.287	49	TIMMER R	.252	07	BASKIN R	4.43	26
4. DUARTE L	.287	30	FOWLER L	.234	01	HAPP R	3.07	22
5. OSWALD R	.261	07	RICCI R	.261	00	WHELAN L	2.96	36
6. NORRIS R	.287	20	GIBSON R	.234	10	RACKE R	3.43	30
7. BURNET R	.307	05	CLOUD R	.287	18	TURNER L	1.70	42
8. MERRIL R	.252	06	TRUMP R	.307	40			
9. EVERS R	.261	02						
(P. OWENS R)	1.43	40						

TEAM S — SAN FRANCISCO

STARTERS	AVG.	HR	BENCH	AVG.	HR	PITCHERS	ERA	ST
1. LUCAS L	.307	17	SPRANG R	.261	03	STERN R	4.43	34
2. KELLER L	.234	05	FERERA R	.252	02	ORMAN R	4.16	36
3. PORTE R	.325	40	YAFFE R	.270	00	RAFAEL R	2.87	28
4. DOBSON L	.307	33	WENDER R	.243	02	VALDE R	3.34	37
5. GILAMN R	.270	20	BATES R	.287	02	CATLOW R	4.07	30
6. GIBCO L	.296	30	MUSCI R	.307	05	PADDEN L	3.52	32
7. OSTREY R	.252	08	VANDA L	.361	22	BAXTER R	1.07	40
8. WATT R	.234	05	DOWELL R	.307	42			
9. MILLS R	.243	05						
(P MURPHY L)	3.52	38						

TEAM H — HOUSTON

STARTERS	AVG.	HR	BENCH	AVG.	HR	PITCHERS	ERA	ST
1. DALTON R	.307	03	REUTER L	.225	01	ROBINS R	3.52	33
2. TROJAN L	.261	02	HATA R	.234	02	WEBER R	3.34	38
3. COOK R	.307	31	WEIMAN R	.252	03	LEVITT R	3.87	30
4. LANGIS R	.287	35	HUGHES L	.234	00	WAXMAN R	3.70	22
5. ERNST L	.252	32	McLEOD L	.261	00	PEARCE R	3.87	35
6. RUSCH R	.270	16	PARSON L	.234	01	PARKES L	4.52	37
7. SAVINO L	.316	03	CHANG R	.352	30	TILMON R	2.07	36
8. KUHN R	.270	09	BRODIE R	.296	26			
9. PIERRE R	.316	08						
P BURNS R)	3.43	40						

TEAM L — LOS ANGELES

STARTERS	AVG.	HR	BENCH	AVG.	HR	PITCHERS	ERA	ST
1. KILEY R	.270	02	JOSEPH R	.234	00	CRUZ L	4.52	36
2. NELSON L	.234	15	VILLA R	.252	03	KIRBY R	3.43	26
3. FLORES L	.252	33	BIRK R	.270	03	WELLES R	3.87	32
4. PROKOP R	.270	34	RAGEN L	.287	01	EVANS R	3.43	34
5. ORITZ R	.261	26	GALVEZ L	.252	01	PACE R	4.43	33
6. BELLO L	.307	13	PERRY R	.225	00	CASATI R	1.07	40
7. RUSELL R	.252	13	QUINN R	.307	50	ALLEN R	5.07	37
8. MORRIS R	.243	01	RAPPE R	.361	10			
9. FISHER R	.252	04						
(P SERTA R)	3.25	38						

TEAM CH — CHICAGO

STARTERS			AVG.	HR	BENCH			AVG.	HR	PITCHERS			ERA	ST
1. BENDER	L	.307	02	LONDON	R	.225	00	BISKIS	R	5.43	38			
2. OSMOND	L	.316	01	HOWARD	R	.252	01	FERRIS	R	3.70	29			
3. SAHARA	R	.287	18	SHAW	L	.243	05	DUNLOP	L	3.07	36			
4. WESTIN	R	.316	34	KLEIN	L	.252	06	PACKER	R	3.87	28			
5. OAKES	R	.261	18	FAYE	R	.243	04	CORTEZ	L	2.96	23			
6. MACKIE	R	.234	09	TYSON	R	.234	01	WEISS	R	4.43	34			
7. KABOT	R	.270	14	TANNER	L	.307	36	RACHEL	R	2.07	40			
8. OAKTON	R	.243	11	BURTON	L	.387	26							
9. MORTON	R	.243	07											
(P RAINEY	R)	3.07	39											

TEAM DE — DETROIT

STARTERS			AVG.	HR	BENCH			AVG.	HR	PITCHERS			ERA	ST
1. GARCIA	L	.287	02	ADAMS	R	.243	02	KAINE	R	3.87	37			
2. VALLE	L	.270	02	KAISER	R	.234	00	BLESS	R	4.43	36			
3. UTTER	L	.307	17	GORDON	R	.296	11	HUNTER	R	3.16	38			
4. REITER	R	.307	39	HUDSON	L	.287	01	UDELL	R	4.70	32			
5. COLLIN	R	.261	10	SMITH	R	.225	00	SPEARS	R	3.07	24			
6. LINDY	L	.287	12	BANOS	R	.243	00	DUNLOW	L	5.70	30			
7. JONES	R	.243	07	WEAVER	R	.334	30	BARRY	L	0.70	48			
8. LORENS	R	.252	01	MILES	R	.316	40							
9. ADLER	L	.261	12											
(P TYLER	R)	2.43	40											

TEAM E — EDIT

STARTERS			AVG.	HR	BENCH			AVG.	HR	PITCHERS			ERA	ST
1. SAVINO	R	.270	02	CANTER	L	.216	13	ROSS	R	2.87	40			
2. BATHAM	R	.261	04	FALBO	R	.325	01	WATSON	R	3.25	30			
3. BRUNO	L	.361	19	LYNCH	L	.297	16	BRAUN	L	3.61	30			
4. PARSON	L	.316	27	PARKS	R	.261	09	WINTER	L	3.87	20			
5. VARNEY	R	.334	18	BELL	R	.243	10	HELLER	R	2.07	20			
6. KELLY	R	.261	06	HENLEY	L	.343	00	RIVERS	R	1.34	20			
7. LONTZ	R	.252	03	MENG	R	.216	18	AUSTIN	R	0.96	20			
8. MURRAY	R	.225	02	KEMP	R	.270	04							
9. FARGO (P)	L	4.25	40											

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