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Draft Board Decoder

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* Players are color-coded by their value by round in a 12-team draft. 1st round is gold, 2nd round silver, 3rd round bronze, 4th round orange, 5th round light blue and 6th round green.

* The "EXP" column shows how players ranked on an "Experts Draft Board" compilation of other leading industry sources. The "UQB" column shows how each player performed on our standard deviation from the mean statistic in 2022 (stat details on Page 2). If a league is considered stronger than the other one at this position, it will have its initials listed (capital letters means much stronger, lower case means not so much).

* Relevant 2022 statistical categories are listed, along with rankings for each, the number of games played and rankings in the aforementioned "UQB" category (UQB numbers in bold indicate that the player was higher than the statistical mean in every one of the measured categories). \$\$ provides the dollar value for a mixed-value auction, while \$ provides the dollar value for a single-league auction.

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Top 72 Regardless of Position

1	Shohei Ohtani	37	Sandy Alcantara
2	Aaron Judge	38	Wander Franco
3	Ronald Acuna	39	Xander Bogaerts
4	Julio Rodriguez	40	Dansby Swanson
5	Juan Soto	41	Alex Bregman
6	Jose Ramirez	42	Gerrit Cole
7	Kyle Tucker	43	Brandon Woodruff
8	Yordan Alvarez	44	Shane Bieber
9	Vladimir Guerrero	45	Carlos Correa
10	Pete Alonso	46	J.T. Realmuto
11	Trea Turner	47	Spencer Strider
12	Jose Altuve	48	Jacob deGrom
13	Mookie Betts	49	Dalton Varsho
14	Mike Trout	50	Randy Arozarena
15	Freddie Freeman	51	Zack Wheeler
16	Corey Seager	52	Edwin Diaz
17	Jazz Chisholm	53	Julio Urias
18	Fernando Tatis	54	Will Smith
19	Paul Goldschmidt	55	Cedric Mullins
20	Manny Machado	56	Emmanuel Clase
21	Ozzie Albies	57	Carlos Rodon
22	Michael Harris	58	George Springer
23	Bobby Witt	59	Adley Rutschman
24	Matt Olson	60	Ryan Pressly
25	Kyle Schwarber	61	Dylan Cease
26	Marcus Semien	62	Adolis Garcia
27	Tommy Edman	63	Salvador Perez
28	Rafael Devers	64	Devin Williams
29	Justin Verlander	65	Anthony Rizzo
30	Aaron Nola	66	Eloy Jimenez
31	Max Scherzer	67	Alejandro Kirk
32	Francisco Lindor	68	Josh Hader
33	Austin Riley	69	Christian Walker
34	Bo Bichette	70	Luis Robert
35	Corbin Burnes	71	Gunnar Henderson
36	Nolan Arenado	72	Matt Chapman



Evaluating Production Across a Spectrum: Lessons of our Proprietary Ultimate Quantitative Baseline Stat

Our "UQB" category (Ultimate Quantitative Baseline) on our draft board calculates the standard deviation from the mean in all relevant hockey categories. In simple English, imagine a spectrum going across from left to right, with negative numbers on the left side, a "zero" in the middle and positive numbers on the right.

We utilize this statistic for football, hockey, basketball, hoops and NASCAR as well as baseball. For baseball, we use all of the standard fantasy categories listed on the draft board to factor in for this statistical compilation. A player's performance in each category is plotted on one of these spectrums, with the most valuable players putting up most of their numbers on the most of their numbers on the positive side. Then, we add up the totals of every category, positive and negative. By using this tool, we can identify not merely how they performed, but how valuable their performances were in each category. Truly, this statistic serves as the ultimate baseline for the previous season's production.

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ev	Starting Pitchers	\$\$	\$	Exp	UQB	Rk	INNS	W	Rk	KO	Rk	ERA	Rk	WHIP	Rk
1	Shohei Ohtani	42	42	5	491	8	166	15	8T	219	6	2.33	16	1.01	23T
2	Justin Verlander	31	31	6T	719	4	175	18	2	185	20	1.75	5	0.83	3
3	Aaron Nola	30	30	10T	260	37	205	11	40T	235	4	3.25		0.96	15T
4	Max Scherzer	30	30	9	441	12	145.1	11	40T	173	29	2.29	15	0.91	6T
5	Corbin Burnes	29	29	1	303	27	202	12	27T	243	2	2.94	34	0.97	17
6	Sandy Alcantara	28	28	3	356	21	228.2	14	15T	207	8	2.28	12T	0.98	18
7	Gerrit Cole	27	27	2	276	32	200.2	13	20T	257	1	3.5		1.02	25T
8	Brandon Woodruff	27	27	4	318	26	153.1	13	20T	190	18T	3.05	40	1.07	36T
9	Shane Bieber	27	27	8	372	18	166.1	12	27T	194	14T	2.54	20T	0.93	9
10	Spencer Strider	25	25	17	398	15	131.2	11	40T	202	11	2.67	24	1	20T
11	Jacob deGrom	23	23	6T	652	5	64.1	5		102		3.08	41T	0.75	1
12	Zack Wheeler	23	23	10T	284	29	153	12	27T	163	37T	2.82	25T	1.04	29T
13	Julio Urias	22	22	14	500	7	175	17	3T	166	35	2.16	7	0.96	15T
14	Carlos Rodon	22	22	13	360	20	178	14	15T	237	3	2.88	28T	1.03	27T
15	Dylan Cease 1X	21	21	12	402	13	184	14	15T	227	5	2.2	9	1.11	
16	Kevin Gausman	18	18	19	217		174.2	12	27T	205	9T	3.35		1.24	
17	Cristian Javier	18	18	27	335	23	148.2	11	40T	194	14T	2.54	20T	0.95	12T
18	Shane Bieber	18	18	15	245	40	200	13	20T	198	12	2.88	28T	1.04	29T
19	Alek Manoah	18	18	16	394	16	196.2	16	5T	180	22	2.24	10	0.99	19
20	<u>Luis Castillo 2X</u>	18	18	18	232		150.1	8		167	33T	2.99	36	1.08	39T
21	Joe Musgrove	15	15	24T	226		181	10		184	21	2.93	33	1.08	39T
22	Robbie Ray	15	15	23	193		189	12	27T	212	7	3.71		1.19	
23	Zac Gallen	15	15	20	350	22	184	12	27T	192	17	2.54	20T	0.91	6T
24	Yu Darvish	15	15	21	297	28	194.2	16	5T	197	13	3.1	43T	0.95	12T
25	Tyler Glasnow	15	15	28	NA		6.2	0		10		1.35	1	0.9	5
26	Framber Valdez	15	15	24T	273	34	201.1	17	3T	194	14T	2.82	25T	1.16	
27	Max Fried	15	15	22	325	25	185.1	14	15T	170	31	2.48	19	1.01	23T
28	Blake Snell	15	15	35	271	35	128	8		171	30	3.38		1.2	
29	Triston McKenzie	15	15	26	269	36	191.1	11	40T	190	18T	2.96	35	0.95	12T
30	Clayton Kershaw	15	15	36	486	9	126.1	12	27T	137		2.28	12T	0.94	10T
31	Nestor Cortes	15	15	32T	376	17	158.1	12	27T	163	37T	2.44	17	0.92	8
32	<u>Kyle Wright 3X</u>	15	15	29	464	11	180.1	21	1	174	26T	3.19		1.16	
33	George Kirby	12	12	38T	184		130	8		133		3.39		1.21	
34	Logan Webb	12	12	30	237	44	192.1	15	8T	163	37T	2.9	31	1.16	
35	Luis Severino	12	12	38T	222		102	7		112		3.18		1	20T
36	Logan Gilbert	12	12	31	196		185.2	13	20T	174	26T	3.2		1.18	
37	Lance Lynn	12	12	32T	178		121.2	8		124		3.99		1.13	
38	Chris Bassitt	12	12	34	220		181.2	15	8T	167	33T	3.42		1.15	
39	<u>Freddy Peralta 4X</u>	12	12	43T	204		78	4		86		3.58		1.04	29T
40	Jesus Luzardo	10	10		201		100.1	4		120		3.32		1.04	29T
41	Hunter Greene	10	10	37	169		125.2	5		164	36	4.44		1.21	
42	Lucas Giolito	10	10	40	42		161.2	11	40T	177	23T	4.9		1.44	
43	Tony Gonsolin	10	10	41	750	1T	130.1	16	5T	119		2.14	6	0.87	4
44	Nick Lodolo	10	10	42	185		103.1	4		131		3.66		1.25	
45	Joe Ryan	10	10		253	38	147	13	20T	151		3.55		1.1	44T
46	Jeffrey Springs	10	10		242	42T	135.1	9		144		2.46	18	1.07	36T
47	Lance McCullers	10	10		366	19	47.2	4		50		2.27	11	1.24	
48	<u>Luis Garcia 5X</u>	10	10		282	30	157.1	15	8T	157	41T	3.72		1.13	
49	Tyler Anderson	10	10		327	24	178.2	15	8T	138		2.57	23	1	20T
50	Michael Kopech	10	10		182		119.1	5		105		3.54		1.19	
51	Brady Singer	10	10		193		153.1	10		150		3.23		1.14	
52	Drew Rasmussen	10	10		235		146	11		125		2.84	27	1.04	29T

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ev	Starting Pitchers	\$\$	\$	Exp	UQB	Rk	INNS	W	Rk	KO	Rk	ERA	Rk	WHIP	Rk
53	Charlie Morton	10	10	43T	172		172	9		205	9T	4.34		1.23	
54	Jordan Montgomery	10	10		174		178.1	9		158	40	3.48		1.09	41T
55	Chris Sale	10	10	45	NA		5.2	6		5		3.18		1.06	35
56	Pablo Lopez	10	10		170		180	10		174	26T	3.75		1.17	
57	Kodai Senga	10	10		NA		NA	NA		NA		NA		NA	
58	Edward Cabrera	10	10		274	33	71.2	6		75		3.01	37	1.07	36T
59	Merrill Kelly	10	10		183		200.1	13	20T	177	23T	3.37		1.14	
60	Andrew Heaney	10	10		401	14	72.2	4		110		3.1	43T	1.09	41T
61	<u>Sonny Gray 6X</u>	10	10		207		119.2	8		117		3.08	41T	1.13	
62	Michael Wacha	8	8		236	45	127.1	11	40T	104		3.32		1.12	
63	Tarik Skubal	8	8		180		117.2	7		117		3.52		1.16	
64	Ross Stripling	8	8		243	41	134.1	10		111		3.02	38	1.02	25T
65	Johnny Cueto	8	8		121		158.1	8		102		3.35		1.23	
66	Miles Mikolas	8	8		195		202.1	12	27T	153	45	3.29		1.03	27T
67	<u>Patrick Sandoval 7X</u>	8	8		159		148.2	6		151		2.91	32	1.34	
68	Corey Kluber	5	5		141		164	10		139		4.33		1.21	
69	Marcus Stroman	5	5		143		138.2	6		119		3.5		1.15	
70	Dustin May	5	5		132		30	2		29		4.5		1.17	
71	Jon Gray	5	5		177		127.1	7		134		3.96		1.13	
72	Tyler Mahle	4	4		132		120.2	6		126		4.4		1.22	
73	Jose Berrios	4	4		0		172	12	27T	149		5.23		1.42	
74	Mike Clevinger	3	3		135		114.1	7		91		4.33		1.2	
75	Martin Perez	3	3		211		196.1	12	27T	169	32	2.89	30	1.26	
76	Joey Wentz	3	3		208		32.2	2		27		3.03	39	1.1	44T
77	Carlos Carrasco	3	3		278	31	152	15	8T	152		3.97		1.33	
78	Jameson Taillon	3	3		197		177.1	14	15T	151		3.91		1.13	
79	Taijuan Walker	3	3		190		157.1	12	27T	132		3.49		1.19	
80	David Peterson	3	3		199		105.2	7		126		3.83		1.33	
81	<u>Kyle Freeland 8X</u>	3	3		59		174.2	9		131		4.53		1.41	

2023 Don't Be That Guy

^ Don't Be That Guy who sleeps on (or holds unhealthy grudges against) last year's falloffs. Bargain shopping in the middle & late rounds can bring you a championship. So don't hate on Jose Berrios!

^ Don't Be That Guy who enters the draft or auction with ironclad gimmicks. Rotisserie category "punting"! Only \$1 apiece for all pitchers on the roster! All younger or all "proven" talent! The fact is that inflexible doctrines lead to failure, while nimble, think-on-your-feet reactive ability brings great success. Choose the latter approach and thank us when you're hoisting your trophy at the end of the year.

^ Don't Be That Guy who doesn't fully understand the nuances of your league's scoring system. Be fully prepared! Your choice of this draft guide is, frankly, an awesome start!

\$1 Catchers	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
Austin Barnes		271	12	179	31		8		26		2		0.212	
Austin Nola		171		347	40	18T	4		40		2		0.251	13T
Elias Diaz		105		351	29		9		51	13	0		0.228	
Eric Haase		237	16	323	41	15T	14	15T	44	17T	0		0.254	9T
Francisco Mejia		176		289	32		6		31		0		0.242	19
Gary Sanchez		103		419	42	14	16	11T	61	9	2		0.205	
Jorge Alfaro		186		256	25		7		40		1		0.246	17
Kyle Higashioka		217	20	229	27		10		31		0		0.227	
Martin Maldonado		14		344	40	18T	15	13T	45	15T	0		0.186	
Mitch Garver		162		188	23		10		24		1		0.207	
Nick Fortes		398	4	217	41	15T	9		24		5	4T	0.23	
Travis d'Arnaud	13T	308	8	396	61	7	18	8T	60	10	0		0.268	6
Yan Gomes		119		277	23		8		31		2		0.235	20T

2023 Sleepers

C: Danny Jansen
1B: Triston Casas, Brandon Drury, Carlos Santana, Spencer Torkelson
2B: Brandon Drury, Brandon Lowe
SS: Wander Franco
3B: Brandon Drury, Gunnar Henderson, Anthony Rendon
OF: Seiya Suzuki
SP: Lance McCullers, Brady Singer
CL: none

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ev	Relief Pitchers	\$\$	\$	Exp	UQB	Rk	INNS	S	Rk	KO	Rk	ERA	Rk	WHIP	Rk
1	Spencer Strider	25	25	2T	214		131.2	0		202	1	2.67		1	
2	Edwin Diaz	23	23	1	750	1T	62	32	8	118	2	1.31	7	0.84	9
3	Emmanuel Clase	22	22	2T	709	4	72.2	42	1	77		1.36	9	0.73	3
4	Ryan Pressly	21	21	9	604	5	48.1	33	7	65		2.98		0.89	10T
5	Devin Williams	21	21	6T	398	14	60.2	15		96	3T	1.93	17	1.01	
6	Josh Hader	20	20	4	335	17	50	36	4T	81		5.22		1.28	
7	Ryan Helsley	20	20	8	596	6	64.2	19	19T	94	5T	1.25	6	0.74	4
8	Jordan Romano	20	20	6T	440	11	64	36	4T	73		2.11		1.02	
9	Raisel Iglesias	20	20	10	240		62	17		78		2.47		0.97	
10	Kenley Jansen	19	19	14	487	10	64	41	2	85	12T	3.38		1.05	
11	<u>Felix Bautista 1X</u>	18	18	11	283		65.2	15		88	10T	2.19		0.93	16
12	Daniel Bard	13	13	17	493	9	60.1	34	6	69		1.79	14	0.99	
13	Paul Sewald	12	12	15	322	20	64	20	15T	72		2.67		0.77	7
14	Camilo Doval	11	11	12	256		67.2	27	11	80		2.53		1.24	
15	<u>Scott Barlow 2X</u>	10	10	13	261		74.1	24	12	77		2.18		1	
16	Liam Hendriks	7	7	5	563	7	57.2	37	3	85	12T	2.81		1.04	
17	Evan Phillips	7	7		502	8	63	2		77		1.14	4	0.76	5T
18	Jhoan Duran	7	7	18	290		67.2	8		89	9	1.86	16	0.98	
19	Alexis Diaz	7	7		297		63.2	10		83	17T	1.84	15	0.96	20
20	David Bednar	7	7	16	276		51.2	19	19T	69		2.61		1.12	
21	<u>Clay Holmes 3X</u>	7	7	19	225		63.2	20	15T	65		2.54		1.02	

Suggested League Guidelines

Unless you are a first-time participant, you have either played rotisserie baseball (a game in which players accrue points based on their performance in different categories) or fantasy baseball (a game in which different achievements earn various amounts of points). Here are our recommended formats for each (keeping in mind that for each format, if you have less than 10 owners, you should utilize a single-league format — and regardless of anything else, use a \$100 Free Agent Acquisition Budget, or FAAB, to allow for distribution of players):

^ Rotisserie baseball: We urge you to use the standard 5X5 setup, in which BA, HR, SB, Runs and RBI are used for hitters and Wins, Saves, WHIP, ERA and Ks are used for pitchers (4X4 leagues drop Runs and Ks). For example, if you are in a 12-team league, the team scoring highest in each category earns 12 points, on down to the lowest team earning 1 point. Rotisserie baseball is traditionally associated more with the auction format, which works well here. Each player is given \$260 of figurative money to purchase 23 players (2C, 1 1B, 1 2B, 1 SS, 1 3B, 5 OF, 1 CI, 1 MI, 1 Utility, 7 SP, 2 RP), with a 5-round standard serpentine draft afterwards to fill out a taxi squad.

^ Rotisserie/fantasy hybrid: This is probably our favorite form of competition, because it combines the traditional roto style with head-to-head play. Each week, you play against an opponent, competing in roto categories, with the winner of the most categories taking the victory (a tiebreaking category is established as a backup). Either an auction or the standard serpentine draft format works here.

^ Fantasy baseball: These categories should be used, with the number of points awarded for each in parentheses: Single (1), Double (2), Triple (3), HR (4), Hitter K (- 1), Run (1), RBI (1), SB (1), Win (10), Save (5), IP-ER (1), K (1). For this format, a standard serpentine draft is preferred.

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NL	First Basemen	\$\$	\$	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk	2023
1	Vladimir Guerrero	38	42	1T	256	12	638	90	4	32	6T	97	6	8	3T	0.274	14	Overvalued
2	Pete Alonso	38	38	3	449	4	597	95	3	40	1	131	1	5	8T	0.271	15T	Players
3	Freddie Freeman	37	37	1T	750	1T	612	117	1	21	14	100	5	13	1	0.325	1	C: Yasmani
4	Paul Goldschmidt	35	35	4	750	1T	561	106	2	35	3T	115	2	7	5	0.317	3	Grandal
5	Matt Olson 1X	33	33	5	231	19T	616	86	8	34	5	103	3	0		0.24		1B: Brandon
6	Anthony Rizzo	21	25	10	284	11	465	77	14	32	6T	75	16T	6	6T	0.224		Drury
7	Christian Walker	21	21	9	251	14	583	84	10	36	2	94	7	2		0.242		2B: Jonathan
8	Jose Abreu	20	20	6	366	6	601	85	9	15		75	16T	0		0.304	5	India, Ketel
9	Ty France	19	19	13	239	18	551	65		20	15T	84	11	0		0.276	13	Marte, Jorge
10	Rhys Hoskins	18	18	7	215		589	81	11	30	8	79	12T	2		0.246		Polanco
11	Luis Arraez	18	18	17	432	5	547	88	5T	8		49		4		0.316	4	SS: Oneil Cruz,
12	Nate Lowe	17	17	8	364	7	593	74	15T	27	11	76	14T	2		0.302	6	Ezequiel Tovar
13	CJ Cron	17	17	11	245	16	575	79	12	29	9	102	4	0		0.257		3B: Jon Berti, DJ
14	Josh Bell	16	16	12	217		552	78	13	17		71	19T	0		0.266	20	LeMahieu, Jose
15	Vinnie Pasquantino	14	14	14T	248	15	258	25		10		26		1		0.295	9	Miranda, Max
16	Andrew Vaughn	13	13	16	220		510	60	20	17		76	14T	0		0.271	15T	Muncy, Josh
17	Rowdy Tellez	13	13	14T	193		529	67	19	35	3T	89	8	2		0.219		Rojas
18	Joey Meneses	13	13		580	3	222	33		13		34		1		0.324	2	OF: Nick
19	Jose Miranda	13	13	18T	186		444	45		15		66		1		0.268	18T	Castellanos,
20	Jake Cronenworth	13	13	18T	210		587	88	5T	17		88	9	3		0.238		Steven Kwan
21	Carlos Santana	12	12		41		431	52		19	18T	60		0		0.202		SP: Charlie
22	Triston Casas	11	11		198		76	11		5		12		1		0.197		Morton, Chris
23	Spencer Torkelson	10	10		0		360	38		8		28		0		0.203		Sale
24	Josh Naylor 2X	10	10		211		449	47		20	15T	79	12T	6	6T	0.256		CL: David Bednar
25	BRANDON DRURY	5	5	20	306	9	518	87	9	28	10	87	10	2		0.263		2023
26	Brandon Belt	4	4		13		254	25		8		23		1		0.213		Undervalued
27	Seth Brown	4	4		244	17	500	55		25	12	73	18	11	2	0.23		Players
28	Christian Bethancourt	4	4		192		318	39		11		34		5	8T	0.252		C: Francisco
29	DJ LEMAHIEU	3	3		204		467	74	15T	12		46		4		0.261		Alvarez, Christian
30	WILMER FLORES	3	3		173		525	72	17	19	18T	71	19T	0		0.229		Vazquez
31	ISAAC PAREDES 1X	3	3		96		331	48		20	15T	45		0		0.205		1B: Luis Arraez,
\$1 First Basemen				Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk	
Bobby Dalbec					105		317	40		12		39		3		0.214		Ty France,
Cavan Biggio					58		257	43		6		24		2		0.202		Anthony Rizzo
Christian Arroyo					253	13	280	32		6		36		5	8T	0.286	11	2B: Thairo
Darin Ruf					86		334	52		11		45		2		0.204		Estrada, Brandon
David Villar					200		156	21		9		24		0		0.231		Lowe
Donovan Solano					61		278	22		4		24		0		0.284	12	SS: Tommy
Eric Hosmer					150		380	38		8		44		0		0.268	18T	Edman, Thairo
Franchy Cordero					149		242	36		8		29		4		0.219		Estrada, Nico
Frank Schwindel					72		271	23		8		36		0		0.229		Hoerner, Corey
Gavin Sheets					127		377	34		15		53		0		0.241		Seager
Harold Castro					103		420	37		7		47		0		0.271	15T	3B: none
Harold Ramirez					304	10	403	46		6		58		3		0.3	7	OF: Kris Bryant,
HUNTER DOZIER					114		462	51		12		41		4		0.236		Matt Carpenter,
Jared Walsh					46		423	41		15		44		2		0.215		Jake McCarthy,
JD Davis					203		318	46		12		35		1		0.248		MJ Melendez,
Jesus Aguilar					75		464	39		16		51		1		0.235		Luis Robert, Kyle
Joey Votto					4		322	31		11		41		0		0.205		Schwarber
Juan Ypez					179		253	27		12		30		0		0.253		SP: Cristian
Keston Hiura					213		234	34		14		32		5	8T	0.227		Javier, Clayton
LaMonte Wade					66		217	29		8		26		1		0.207		Kershaw, Jesus

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1	J.T. Realmuto	25	25	1	400	3	504	75	2	22	5T	84	2	21	1	0.276	4
2	Dalton Varsho	23	23	2T	289	9	531	79	1	27	1T	74	4	16	2	0.235	20T
3	Will Smith	22	22	2T	277	11	508	68	4	24	3	87	1	1		0.26	8
4	Adley Rutschman	21	21	4T	328	7	398	70	3	13	17	42	20	4	6T	0.254	9T
5	Salvador Perez	21	21	4T	249	14	445	48	12	23	4	76	3	0		0.254	9T
6	Alejandro Kirk	21	21	6	338	6	470	59	8	14	15T	63	6T	0		0.285	2
7	William Contreras	20	20	10	365	5	334	51	10T	20	7	45	15T	2		0.278	3
8	Sean Murphy	18	18	8	226	17	537	67	5	18	8T	66	5	1		0.249	15
9	MJ Melendez	17	17	11	188		460	57	9	18	8T	62	8	2		0.217	
10	Willson Contreras 1X	16	16	7	280	10	416	65	6	22	5T	55	11	4	6T	0.243	18
11	Danny Jansen	11	11	13T	443	2	215	34		15	13T	44	17T	1		0.261	7
12	Tyler Stephenson	10	10	9	729	1	166	24		6		35		1		0.319	1
13	Joey Bart	10	10		149		261	34		11	18T	25		2		0.215	
14	Cal Raleigh 2X	10	10	12	256	13	370	46	13	27	1T	63	6T	1		0.211	
15	Jonah Heim	5	5	16	208		406	51	10T	16	11T	48	14	2		0.227	
16	Christian Vazquez	5	5		246	15	398	41	15T	9		52	12	1		0.274	5
17	Francisco Alvarez	5	5	20	NA		12	3		1		1		0		0.286	NA
18	Keibert Ruiz	4	4	17	76		394	33		7		36		6	3	0.251	13T
19	Christian Bethancourt	4	4		225	18	318	39		11	18T	34		5	4T	0.252	12
20	Yasmani Grandal	3	3	15	122		327	15		5		27		1		0.202	
21	Logan O'Hoppe	3	3	18	NA		14	1		0		2		0		0.286	NA
22	Carson Kelly	3	3	19	134		317	40	18T	7		35		2		0.211	
23	Jose Trevino 3X	3	3		224	19	335	39		11	18T	43	19	2		0.248	16
	Designated Hitters	\$\$	\$	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
1	Shohei Ohtani	42	42	1	383	3	586	90	1	34	1	95	1	11	1T	0.273	3
2	Bryce Harper	8	8	2	515	2	370	63	3	18	2T	65	2	11	1T	0.286	1
3	JD Martinez	3	3	3	309		533	76	2	16	4	62	4	0		0.274	2

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ev	Second Basemen	\$\$	\$	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
1	Jose Altuve	38	38	1	569	4	527	103	1	28	1T	57		18	9	0.3	3
2	Jazz Chisholm	36	36	3T	618	2	213	39		14	19T	45		12	14T	0.254	
3	Ozzie Albies	34	34	3T	218		247	36		8		35		3		0.247	
4	Marcus Semien	32	32	2	246	16T	657	101	2	26	3	83	4	25	3	0.248	
5	Tommy Edman 1X	32	32	5	310	10	577	95	3	13		57	15	32	2	0.265	
6	Luis Arraez	18	21	8T	457	6	547	88	4T	8		49		4		0.316	2
7	Andres Gimenez	17	17	10	364	8	491	66	17T	17	9T	69	8T	20	6T	0.297	4
8	Nico Hoerner	16	16	NA	280	12	481	60		10		55	18T	20	6T	0.281	10T
9	Trevor Story	16	16	8T	305	11	357	53		16	13T	66	10	13	12T	0.238	
10	Max Muncy	15	15	13	25		464	69	15	21	5	69	8T	2		0.196	
11	Brandon Lowe	14	14	16	126		235	31		8		25		1		0.221	
12	Jake Cronenworth	13	13	14	210		587	88	4T	17	9T	88	1	3		0.238	
13	Jeff McNeil	13	13	15	546	5	533	73	8T	9		62	12T	4		0.327	1
14	Jorge Polanco	12	12	6T	206		375	54		16	13T	56	16T	3		0.235	
15	Gleyber Torres	12	12	12	229		526	73	8T	24	4	76	5	10	19T	0.257	
16	Thairo Estrada 2X	12	12		244	18	488	71	13	14	19T	62	12T	21	5	0.26	
17	BRANDON DRURY	5	5	18	329	9	518	87	6	28	1T	87	2	2		0.263	
18	Kolten Wong	4	4		237	20	430	65	20T	15	18	47		17	10	0.251	
19	Brendan Rodgers	4	4	20	172		527	72	10T	13		63	11	0		0.266	
20	Jonathan India	4	4	17	196		386	48		10		41		3		0.249	
21	Ketel Marte	4	4	11	183		492	68	16	12		52		5		0.24	
22	DJ LEMAHIEU	3	3	19	220		467	74	7	12		46		4		0.261	
23	WILMER FLORES	3	3		157		525	72	10T	19	8	71	7	0		0.229	
24	ISAAC PAREDES	3	3		102		331	48		20	6T	45		0		0.205	
25	Josh Rojas	3	3		279	13	443	66	17T	9		56	16T	23	4	0.269	
26	Jean Segura	3	3		246	16T	354	45		10		33		13	12T	0.277	13
27	Jon Berti	3	3		579	3	358	47		4		28		41	1	0.24	
28	Whit Merrifield	3	3		208		504	70	14	11		58	14	16	11	0.25	
29	Gavin Lux	3	3		238	19	421	66	17T	6		42		7		0.276	14T
30	LUIS URIAS 3X	3	3		183		406	54		16	13T	47		1		0.239	

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2023 Legitimate Breakthroughs/Reclamation Cases

C: Adley Rutschman
1B: Josh Naylor
2B: Nico Hoerner
SS: Bobby Witt
3B: none
OF: Michael Harris, Julio Rodriguez
SP: Sandy Alcantara
CL: Felix Bautista

2023 AL & NL Scarcity

NOTE: Each league has players that are worth more in single-league formats than in the mixed-league kind. This occurs when the other league is deeper in upper-echelon talent.

AL

1B: Vladimir Guerrero, Anthony Rizzo
2B: Luis Arraez
SS: Tim Anderson, Javier Baez, Bo Bichette, Carlos Correa, Wander Franco, Jeremy Pena, Amed Rosario, Corey Seager, Bobby Witt

NL

SS: Fernando Tatis
3B: Nolan Arenado, Alec Bohm, Manny Machado, Max Muncy, Austin Riley, Bobby Witt
OF: Ronald Acuna, Michael Harris, Kyle Schwarber, Juan Soto, Fernando Tatis

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2023 Prospect Rankings

1 Corbin Carroll (OF, Arizona)
2 Gunnar Henderson (SS/3B, Baltimore)
3 Miguel Vargas (3B/OF, LA Dodgers)
4 Ezequiel Tovar (SS, Colorado)
5 Anthony Volpe (SS, NY Yankees)
6 Francisco Alvarez (C, NY Mets)
7 Triston Casas (1B, Boston)
8 Josh Jung (3B, Texas)
9 Cade Cavalli (RHP, Washington)
10 Elly De La Cruz (SS/3B, Cincinnati)

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Long-Term Keeper Prospect Rankings

	Player	Position(s)	Team
1	Gunnar Henderson	SS/3B	Baltimore
2	Francisco Alvarez	C	NY Mets
3	Corbin Carroll	OF	Arizona
4	Grayson Rodriguez	RHP	Baltimore
5	Jackson Chourio	OF	Milwaukee
6	Anthony Volpe	SS	NY Yankees
7	Elly De La Cruz	SS/3B	Cincinnati
8	Eury Perez	RHP	Miami
9	Gabriel Moreno	C	Toronto
10	Marcelo Mayer	SS	Boston
11	Marco Luciano	SS	San Francisco
12	Jackson Holliday	SS	Baltimore
13	Druw Jones	OF	Arizona
14	Daniel Espino	RHP	Cleveland
15	Diego Cartaya	C	LA Dodgers
16	Noelvi Marte	SS	Cincinnati
17	Jordan Lawlar	SS	Arizona
18	Andrew Painter	RHP	Philadelphia
19	Kyle Harrison	LHP	San Francisco
20	James Wood	OF	Washington
21	Ezequiel Tovar	SS	Colorado
22	Zac Veen	OF	Colorado
23	Termarr Johnson	2B/SS	Pittsburgh
24	Bobby Miller	RHP	LA Dodgers
25	Curtis Mead	2B/3B/OF	Tampa Bay
26	Pete Crow-Armstrong	OF	Chi Cubs
27	Brooks Lee	SS	Minnesota
28	Triston Casas	1B	Boston
29	Brett Baty	3B/OF	NY Mets
30	Josh Jung	3B	Texas
31	Henry Davis	C	Pittsburgh
32	Robert Hassell III	OF	Washington
33	Ricky Tiedemann	LHP	Toronto
34	Jasson Dominguez	OF	NY Yankees
35	Tyler Soderstrom	C/1B	Oakland
36	Brennan Davis	OF	Chi Cubs
37	Mick Abel	RHP	Philadelphia
38	George Valera	OF	Cleveland
39	Jack Leiter	RHP	Texas
40	DL Hall	LHP	Baltimore
41	Miguel Vargas	3B/OF	LA Dodgers
42	Elijah Green	OF	Washington
43	Cade Cavalli	RHP	Washington
44	Jackson Merrill	SS	San Diego
45	Colton Cowser	OF	Baltimore
46	Kevin Parada	C	NY Mets
47	Gavin Williams	RHP	Cleveland
48	Edwin Arroyo	SS	Cincinnati
49	Brandon Pfaadt	RHP	Arizona
50	Evan Carter	OF	Texas
51	Max Meyer	RHP	Miami
52	Oswald Peraza	SS	NY Yankees
53	Endy Rodriguez	C	Pittsburgh
54	Masyn Winn	SS	St. Louis
55	Jackson Jobe	RHP	Detroit
56	Colson Montgomery	SS	Chi White Sox
57	Michael Busch	2B/OF	LA Dodgers
58	Bo Naylor	C	Cleveland
59	Hunter Brown	RHP	Houston
60	Quinn Priester	RHP	Pittsburgh

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Christian Arroyo	2B	SS	3B	OF
Jon Berti	2B	SS	3B	OF
Johan Camargo	SS	3B		
Harold Castro	1B	2B	SS	3B
Kody Clemens	1B	3B		
Ernie Clement	2B	3B	OF	
Charlie Culberson	2B	3B	OF	
Aledmys Diaz	2B	SS	3B	OF
Santiago Espinal	2B	SS	3B	
Marwin Gonzalez	1B	SS	3B	OF
Phil Gosselin	2B	3B		
Eric Haase	C	OF		
Garrett Hampson	2B	SS	OF	
Cesar Hernandez	2B	OF		
Enrique Hernandez	2B	SS	OF	
Keston Hiura	1B	2B		
Ryan Kreydler	SS	3B		
Nick Maton	2B	OF		
Zach McKinstry	2B	SS	3B	
Ryan McMahon	2B	3B		
Dylan Moore	2B	SS	OF	
Colin Moran	1B	3B		
Christopher Morel	2B	SS	3B	OF
Sheldon Neuse	1B	2B	3B	
Ryan O'Hearn	1B	OF		
Jermaine Palacios	2B	SS		
Jace Peterson	3B	OF		
Matt Reynolds	1B	2B	SS	3B
Miguel Rojas	1B	SS		
Gavin Sheets	1B	OF		
Kevin Smith	SS	3B		
Pavin Smith	1B	OF		
Matt Thaiss	C	1B		
Alan Trejo	2B	SS		
David Villar	1B	3B		
Tyler Wade	2B	SS	3B	OF
Donovan Walton	2B	SS		
Luke Williams	2B	3B	OF	
Patrick Wisdom	1B	3B	OF	

15 Games

Christian Arroyo	2B	OF		
Jon Berti	2B	SS	OF	
David Bote	2B	3B		
Harold Castro	1B	SS	3B	
Rodolfo Castro	2B	SS	3B	
Willi Castro	2B	SS	OF	
Yu Chang	2B	SS		
Michael Chavis	1B	2B		
Ernie Clement	2B	3B		
JD Davis	1B	3B		
Aledmys Diaz	2B	SS	OF	
Yandy Diaz	1B	3B		
Brendan Donovan	1B	2B	3B	OF
Mauricio Dubon	2B	SS	OF	
Matt Duffy	1B	2B	3B	
Thairo Estrada	2B	SS	OF	
Leury Garcia	2B	SS	OF	
Andres Gimenez	2B	SS		
Nick Gordon	2B	SS	OF	
Luis Guilorme	2B	SS	3B	
Cooper Hummel	C	OF		
Alex Kirilloff	1B	OF		
Elehuris Montero	1B	3B		
Christopher Morel	2B	3B	OF	
Luis Renigifo	2B	3B		
Matt Reynolds	2B	SS	OF	
Marcus Semien	2B	SS		
Andrelton Simmons	2B	SS		
Donovan Solano	1B	3B		
Ildemaro Vargas	SS	3B		
Terrin Vavra	2B	OF		
Stephen Vogt	C	1B		
Tyler Wade	2B	SS		
Patrick Wisdom	1B	3B		

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Hanser Alberto	2B	3B		
Sergio Alcantara	2B	SS	3B	
Nick Allen	2B	SS		
Brian Anderson	3B	OF		
Luis Arraez	1B	2B		
Jon Berti	2B	3B		
Christian Bethancourt	C	1B		
Cavan Biggio	1B	2B		
Jonah Bride	2B	3B		
Seth Brown	1B	OF		
Vidal Brujan	2B	OF		
Diego Castillo	2B	SS	OF	
Harold Castro	1B	3B		
Rodolfo Castro	2B	3B		
Franchy Cordero	1B	OF		
Jake Cronenworth	1B	2B		
Bobby Dalbec	1B	3B		
Aledmys Diaz	2B	OF		
Brendan Donovan	2B	3B	OF	
Hunter Dozier	1B	3B	OF	
Brandon Drury	1B	2B	3B	
Mauricio Dubon	SS	OF		
Matt Duffy	1B	3B		
Tommy Edman	2B	SS		
Thairo Estrada	2B	SS		
Kyle Farmer	SS	3B		
David Fletcher	2B	SS		
Wilmer Flores	1B	2B	3B	
Adam Frazier	2B	OF		
Leury Garcia	2B	OF		
Luis Garcia	2B	SS		
Marwin Gonzalez	SS	OF		
Nick Gordon	2B	OF		
Luis Guilorme	2B	3B		
Garrett Hampson	SS	OF		
Josh Harrison	2B	3B		
PJ Higgins	C	1B		
Connor Joe	1B	OF		
Tony Kemp	2B	OF		
Ha-Seong Kim	SS	3B		
DJ LeMahieu	1B	2B	3B	
Nicky Lopez	2B	SS	3B	
Gavin Lux	2B	OF		
Trey Mancini	1B	OF		
Tucupita Marciano	2B	OF		
Zach McKinstry	2B	3B		
Jeff McNeil	2B	OF		
MJ Melendez	C	OF		
Joey Meneses	1B	OF		
Whit Merrifield	2B	OF		
Brad Miller	3B	OF		

20 Games

Owen Miller	1B	2B		
Jose Miranda	1B	3B		
Dylan Moore	SS	OF		
Christopher Morel	2B	OF		
Mike Moustakas	1B	3B		
Max Muncy	2B	3B		
Wil Myers	1B	OF		
Sheldon Neuse	2B	3B		
Kevin Newman	2B	3B		
Isaac Paredes	1B	2B	3B	
Harold Ramirez	1B	OF		
Luis Renigifo	2B	3B		
Matt Reynolds	2B	SS		
Josh Rojas	2B	3B		
Darin Ruf	1B	OF		
Josh Smith	3B	OF		
Edmundo Sosa	SS	3B		
Bryson Stott	2B	SS		
Chris Taylor	2B	OF		
Abraham Toro	2B	3B		
Luis Urias	2B	SS	3B	
Ramon Urias	2B	3B		
Josh VanMeter	1B	2B		
Dalton Varsho	C	OF		
Andrew Vaughn	1B	OF		
Jonathan Villar	2B	3B		
LaMonte Wade Jr	1B	OF		
Tyler Walls	2B	SS	3B	
Joey Wendle	2B	SS	3B	
Luke Williams	3B	OF		
Bobby Witt	SS	3B		

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NL	Shortstops	\$\$	\$	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
1	Trea Turner	38	38	1	394	4	652	101	1	21	9	100	2	27	4	0.297	3T
2	Corey Seager	36	40	6	265	17	593	91	5T	33	1	83	6	3		0.244	
3	Fernando Tatis	36	41	2	NA		NA	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
4	Bobby Witt	34	38	4T	264	18	591	82	10	20	10	80	7	30	3	0.254	
5	Tommy Edman	32	32	10	309	11	577	95	4	13		57		32	2	0.265	20
6	Francisco Lindor	30	30	4T	317	9	630	98	3	26	3	107	1	16	14	0.27	17
7	Bo Bichette	29	33	3	321	8	652	91	5T	24	5T	93	5	13	15T	0.29	8
8	Wander Franco	28	32	8	254	20	314	46		6		33		8		0.277	13T
9	Xander Bogaerts	27	27	7	411	3	557	84	8	15	18	73	10	8		0.307	1
10	Dansby Swanson	27	27	9	300	13	640	99	2	25	4	96	4	18	10T	0.277	13T
11	Carlos Correa 1X	26	30	13	289	14	522	70	15	22	7T	64	15T	0		0.291	6T
12	Tim Anderson	17	20	11T	336	7	332	50		6		25		13	15T	0.301	2
13	Willy Adames	17	17	14	304	12	563	83	9	31	2	98	3	8		0.238	
14	Nico Hoerner	16	16	18	284	15	481	60		10		55		20	8T	0.281	12
15	Amed Rosario	14	17	15	267	16	637	86	7	11		71	11	18	10T	0.283	11
16	Oneil Cruz	13	13	11T	259	19	331	45		17	11T	54		10		0.233	
17	Thairo Estrada	12	12		251		488	71	14	14	19T	62	19	21	6T	0.26	
18	Jeremy Pena	11	14	17	239		521	72	12T	22	7T	63	17T	11		0.253	
19	Javier Baez 2X	11	14	16	188		555	64	19	17	11T	67	13	9		0.238	
20	Vaughn Grissom	5	5		382	5	141	24		5		18		5		0.291	6T
21	JP Crawford	5	5	20	119		518	57		6		42		3		0.243	
22	Miguel Rojas	5	5		0		471	34		6		36		9		0.236	
23	Oswald Peraza	4	4		NA		49	8		1		2		2		0.306	
24	Ezequiel Tovar	4	4	19	NA		33	2		1		2		0		0.212	
25	Adalberto Mondesi	4	4		NA		50	3		0		3		5		0.14	
26	LUIS URIAS 3X	3	3		191		406	54		16	16T	47		1		0.239	
AL	Outfielders	\$\$	\$	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
52	Max Kepler	4	4		149		388	54		9		43		3		0.227	
53	Jurickson Profar	4	4		181		575	82	16	15		58		5		0.243	
54	Seth Brown	3	3		164		500	55		25	16T	73	20T	11	33T	0.23	
55	Whit Merrifield	3	3		198		504	70	34T	11		58		16	18T	0.25	
56	Gavin Lux	3	3		228		421	66	38T	6		42		7		0.276	29
57	Jorge Soler 6X	3	3		60		270	32		13		34		0		0.207	

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AL	Outfielders	\$\$	\$	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
1	Aaron Judge	41	41	1	750	1T	570	133	1	62	1	131	1	16	18T	0.31	3
2	Ronald Acuna	41	46	2	310	31	467	71	30T	15		50		29	4	0.266	
3	Julio Rodriguez	40	40	3T	389	19	511	84	15	28	10T	75	17	25	5T	0.284	21T
4	Juan Soto	40	45	3T	295	34T	524	93	7	27	12T	62	37T	6		0.242	
5	Kyle Tucker	39	39	6	363	23	544	71	30T	30	8	107	2	25	5T	0.257	
6	Yordan Alvarez	39	39	7	750	1T	470	95	6	37	4	97	4	1		0.306	5T
7	Mookie Betts	38	38	3T	493	12	572	117	2	35	5	82	9	12	27T	0.269	36T
8	Mike Trout	38	38	9	672	6	438	85	14	40	3	80	10	1		0.283	23T
9	Fernando Tatis	36	41	8	NA		NA	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
10	Jazz Chisholm	36	36	3T	589	8	213	39		14		45		12	27T	0.254	
11	Michael Harris	34	39	10	506	11	414	75	21T	19	25T	64	31T	20	11	0.297	12
12	Kyle Schwarber 1X	33	38	11T	350	24T	577	100	4	46	2	94	5	10		0.218	
13	Dalton Varsho	23	23	21	218		531	79	17	27	12T	74	18T	16	18T	0.235	
14	Randy Arozarena	23	23	11T	275		586	72	27T	20	23T	89	6T	32	3	0.263	
15	Cedric Mullins	22	22	13	259		608	89	8T	16		64	31T	34	2	0.258	
16	George Springer	21	21	14	309	32	513	89	8T	25	16T	76	15T	14	22T	0.267	38T
17	Adolis Garcia	21	21	20	265		605	88	12	27	12T	101	3	25	5T	0.25	
18	Eloy Jimenez	21	21	18	405	17	292	40		16		54		0		0.294	14
19	Luis Robert 2X	21	21	15	295	34T	380	54		12		56		11	33T	0.284	21T
20	Kris Bryant	20	20	27	434	16	160	28		5		14		0		0.306	5T
21	Bryan Reynolds	20	20	16T	219		542	74	23	27	12T	62	37T	7		0.262	
22	Starling Marte	20	20	16T	372	22	466	76	20	16		63	34T	18	14T	0.292	15
23	Teoscar Hernandez	19	19	19	249		499	71	30T	25	16T	77	14	6		0.267	38T
24	Christian Yelich	18	18	23T	248		575	99	5	14		57		19	12T	0.252	
25	MJ Melendez	17	17		117		460	57		18	30T	62	37T	2		0.217	
26	Byron Buxton	16	16	25T	394	18	340	61		28	10T	51		6		0.224	
27	Anthony Santander	16	16	25T	232		574	78	18T	33	6	89	6T	0		0.24	
28	Tyler O'Neill	16	16	30	289	37	334	56		14		58		14	22T	0.228	
29	Alex Verdugo	16	16	29	234		593	75	21T	11		74	18T	1		0.28	28
30	Jake McCarthy	16	16	35	438	15	321	53		8		43		23	8	0.283	23T
31	Steven Kwan	16	16	23T	329	28	563	89	8T	6		52		19	12T	0.298	11
32	Giancarlo Stanton	16	16	34	296	33	398	53		31	7	78	12T	0		0.211	
33	Matt Carpenter 3X	16	16		750	1T	128	28		15		37		0		0.305	7
34	Jeff McNeil	13	13	28	568	9	533	73	24T	9		62	37T	4		0.327	1
35	Corbin Carroll	13	13	31T	212		104	13		4		14		2		0.26	
36	Andrew Vaughn	13	13	38T	205		510	60		17	32T	76	15T	0		0.271	34T
37	Seiya Suzuki	13	13	31T	213		397	54		14		46		9		0.262	
38	Hunter Renfroe	13	13	36T	243		474	62		29	9	72	22T	1		0.255	
39	Joey Meneses	13	13		608	7	222	33		13		34		1		0.324	2
40	Joc Pederson	13	13		349	26	380	57		23	20T	70	26	3		0.274	30T
41	Brandon Nimmo	12	12	36T	295	34T	580	102	3	16		64	31T	3		0.274	30T
42	Taylor Ward	12	12	38T	275		495	73	24T	23	20T	65	30	5		0.281	26T
43	Masataka Yoshida	12	12		NA		NA	NA		NA		NA		NA		NA	
44	Marcell Ozuna 4X	11	11		151		470	56		23	20T	56		2		0.226	
45	Oscar Gonzalez	8	8		287	39	362	39		11		43		1		0.296	13
46	Cody Bellinger	8	8		107		504	70	34T	19	25T	68	28	14	22T	0.21	
47	Ian Happ	8	8		223		573	72	27T	17	32T	72	22T	9		0.271	34T
48	Austin Hays 5X	8	8		173		535	66	38T	16		60		2		0.251	
49	Mitch Haniger	5	5		206		224	31		11		34		0		0.245	
50	Nick Castellanos	5	5	31T	162		524	56		13		62	37T	7		0.263	
51	Joel Gallo	5	5		0		350	48		19	25T	47		3		0.16	

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	1ST TIER	Pwr	OBP	OPS+	FIP	ERA+	Pytha	SRS	Run	Total
1	LA Dodgers	1	1	3	4	1	1	1	1	13
2	NY Yankees	2	4	3	6	4	2	2	2	25
3	Houston	3	7	7	1	2	3	3	3	29
4	Atlanta	4	10	6	2	3	4	4	4	37
5	NY Mets	5	2	5	5	7	5	5	5	39
	2ND TIER	Pwr	OBP	OPS+	FIP	ERA+	Pytha	SRS	Run	Total
6	St. Louis	6	5	2	14	12	6	7	6	58
7	Toronto	7	3	1	12	18	7	6	7	61
	3RD TIER	Pwr	OBP	OPS+	FIP	ERA+	Pytha	SRS	Run	Total
8T	Seattle	8	16	10	13	11	8	8	8	82
8T	Cleveland	9	13	13	9	5	10	12	11	82
8T	Philadelphia	12	12	8	7	12	11	10	10	82
11	Tampa Bay	10	20	13	8	6	9	8	9	83
	4TH TIER	Pwr	OBP	OPS+	FIP	ERA+	Pytha	SRS	Run	Total
12	San Diego	11	9	12	11	19	12	11	12	97
13	San Francisco	14	15	17	3	8	14	13	14	98
14	Milwaukee	13	14	10	16	12	13	13	13	104
	5TH TIER	Pwr	OBP	OPS+	FIP	ERA+	Pytha	SRS	Run	Total
15	Minnesota	16	8	9	18	20	15	16	14	116
	6TH TIER	Pwr	OBP	OPS+	FIP	ERA+	Pytha	SRS	Run	Total
16	Chicago White Sox	17	17	19	10	15	17	21	17	133
17	Baltimore	15	23	19	19	17	16	13	16	138
18	Boston	18	6	13	21	25	21	17	21	142
19	LA Angels	19	26	24	17	8	20	17	20	151
20	Texas	21	25	18	20	21	18	19	17	159
21T	Arizona	20	22	21	24	23	19	19	17	165
21T	Miami	23	27	26	14	8	23	22	22	165
23	Chicago Cubs	22	19	21	25	15	22	23	22	169
	7TH TIER	Pwr	OBP	OPS+	FIP	ERA+	Pytha	SRS	Run	Total
24	Colorado	24	11	25	26	26	25	24	27	188
	8TH TIER	Pwr	OBP	OPS+	FIP	ERA+	Pytha	SRS	Run	Total
25T	Cincinnati	25	24	27	29	23	24	24	24	200
25T	Kansas City	26	21	23	27	28	26	24	25	200
27	Detroit	27	29	27	22	21	27	24	25	202
28	Washington	30	18	16	30	30	29	29	29	211
	9TH TIER	Pwr	OBP	OPS+	FIP	ERA+	Pytha	SRS	Run	Total
29	Pittsburgh	29	28	27	23	27	30	30	30	224
30	Oakland	28	30	30	28	29	28	28	28	229

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Lourdes Gurriel		231	19T	453	52		5		52		3		0.291	10
Luke Voit		144		500	55		22	13	69		1		0.226	
Michael Chavis		120		401	39		14		49		1		0.229	
Mike Brosseau		199		141	15		6		23		2		0.255	
Pavin Smith		94		245	24		9		33		1		0.22	
Trey Mancini		166		519	56		18	20	63		0		0.239	
Wil Myers		185		261	29		7		41		2		0.261	
Yuli Gurriel		86		545	53		8		53		8	3T	0.242	

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	Ken	Tim	Jason	Mike V	Nate	Russ
1	Shohei Ohtani	Julio Rodriguez	Aaron Judge	Pete Alonso	Juan Soto	Ronald Acuna
2	Corey Seager	Corbin Burnes	Max Scherzer	Fernando Tatis	Ozzie Albies	Freddie Freeman
3	Nolan Arenado	Bobby Witt	Francisco Lindor	Austin Riley	Spencer Strider	Shane McClellan
4	Julio Urias	Brandon Woodruff	J.T. Realmuto	Wander Franco	Sandy Alcantara	Jacob deGrom
5	Emmanuel Clase	Dalton Varsho	Edwin Diaz	Carlos Rodon	Alex Bregman	Adolis Garcia
6	Triston McKenzie	Christian Walker	George Springer	Luis Robert	Cristian Javier	Dansby Swanson
7	Steven Kwan	Joe Musgrove	Clayton Kershaw	Alek Manoah	Zac Gallen	Luis Castillo
8	Andres Gimenez	Logan Webb	Matt Chapman	Tony Gonsolin	Raisel Iglesias	Ryan Helsley
9	Jose Abreu	Jordan Romano	Kyle Wright	William Contreras	MJ Melendez	Sean Murphy
10	Lance Lynn	Alec Bohm	Jeff McNeil	Jeffrey Springs	Ty France	Chris Bassitt
11	Christian Yelich	Giancarlo Stanton	Charlie Morton	Lance McCullers	Kris Bryant	Nico Hoerner
12	Andrew Heaney	Gleyber Torres	Logan Gilbert	Brady Singer	Drew Rasmussen	Anthony Rendon
13	Jonah Heim	Nick Lodolo	CJ Cron	Camilo Doval	Javier Baez	Michael Kopech
14	Jhoan Duran	Evan Phillips	Edward Cabrera	Thairo Estrada	Clay Holmes	Andrew Vaughn
15	Oscar Gonzalez	Masataka Yoshida	Alexis Diaz	David Bednar	Eugenio Suarez	Merrill Kelly
16	Brandon Nimmo	Ross Stripling	Nick Castellanos	Joey Meneses	Joc Pederson	Tyler O'Neill
17	Johnny Cueto	Carlos Santana	Tyler Stephenson	Logan O'Hoppe	Francisco Alvarez	Christian Vazquez
18	Jose Trevino	Carson Kelly	Justin Turner	Joey Gallo	Marcell Ozuna	Jake Cronenworth
19	Jose Miranda	Brendan Rodgers	Jean Segura	Jonathan India	Jorge Polanco	Triston Casas
20	BRANDON DRURY	Alex Verdugo	Yoan Moncada	Kolten Wong	Jose Berrios	Giovanny Gallegos
	Jake	Jeff	Ron	Samm	Mike P	Rick
1	Jose Ramirez	Trea Turner	Yordan Alvarez	Mookie Betts	Kyle Tucker	Vladimir Guerrero
2	Justin Verlander	Paul Goldschmidt	Manny Machado	Jazz Chisholm	Mike Trout	Jose Altuve
3	Kyle Schwarber	Aaron Nola	Gerrit Cole	Xander Bogaerts	Michael Harris	Tommy Edman
4	Carlos Correa	Marcus Semien	Matt Olson	Adley Rutschman	Bo Bichette	Rafael Devers
5	Anthony Rizzo	Randy Arozarena	Zack Wheeler	Eloy Jimenez	Alejandro Kirk	Cedric Mullins
6	Shane Bieber	Will Smith	Salvador Perez	Yu Darvish	Gunnar Henderson	Dylan Cease
7	Nestor Cortes	Blake Snell	Kevin Gausman	Jesus Luzardo	Max Fried	Robbie Ray
8	Kenley Jansen	Devin Williams	Ryan Pressly	Teoscar Hernandez	Framber Valdez	Tyler Glasnow
9	Bryan Reynolds	Freddy Peralta	Starling Marte	Rhys Hoskins	Hunter Greene	Willson Contreras
10	Luis Severino	Oneil Cruz	Amed Rosario	Ke'Bryan Hayes	Lucas Giolito	George Kirby
11	Josh Hader	Chris Sale	Jordan Montgomery	Kodai Senga	Felix Bautista	Byron Buxton
12	Sonny Gray	Matt Carpenter	Tyler Anderson	Tarik Skubal	Josh Bell	Daniel Bard
13	Danny Jansen	Joe Ryan	Brandon Lowe	Taijuan Walker	Luis Garcia	Anthony Santander
14	Max Muncy	Scott Barlow	Paul Sewald	Jameson Taillon	Luis Arraez	Pablo Lopez
15	Seiya Suzuki	Ryan McMahon	Hunter Renfro	Ezequiel Tovar	Patrick Sandoval	Tim Anderson
16	Dustin May	Tommy Pham	Trevor Story	Yasmani Grandal	Jeremy Pena	Willy Adames
17	Cody Bellinger	Michael Wacha	Christian Bethancourt	Liam Hendriks	Nate Lowe	Cal Raleigh
18	DJ LEMAHIEU	Keibert Ruiz	Josh Naylor	Rowdy Tellez	Christian Vazquez	Vinnie Pasquantino
19	Spencer Torkelson	Taylor Ward	Corbin Carroll	Jurickson Profar	Austin Hays	Miles Mikolas
20	Travis d'Arnaud	Seranthony Dominguez	Marcus Stroman	Adbert Alzolay	James Karinchak	Peter Fairbanks

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2023 Mock Draft Analysis

ROUND 1: Samm aside, the first round was pretty chalky and even her pick was close to FDH-endorsed value.
 ROUND 2: Jake took the first SP about as late as you're doing to see in one of our drafts. Albies is a steal if fully healthy.
 ROUND 3: Pitching dominated the middle of the round, with infielders on either side of those picks.
 ROUND 4: Rick picked an entire infield with his first four picks! But Mike P, Samm and Mike V also took four hitters.
 ROUND 5: Top of the round: there go the closers! In a pretty tight draft, Arozarena was very good value for Jeff.
 ROUND 6: Swanson provided Russ with maybe the best value of the draft so far. Rick and Samm finally took SP!
 ROUND 7: Mike P became the last team to go SP. No hurry! 11 of the 12 picks were SP and many could d be great values.
 ROUND 8: Jason, Jeff and Ron all got absolutely amazing values.
 ROUND 9: A Peralta reversion to 2021 production would be worth its weight in gold to Jeff.
 ROUND 10: The left side of the Pittsburgh goes within three picks this round!
 ROUND 11: Jake gets the best value in the draft with Hader! Lots of buy-low here w/Sale, Bryant, Stanton & Yelich.
 ROUND 12: Rendon is one heck of a buy-low candidate for Russ.
 ROUNDS 13-20: Many many reclamation projects here: Baez, Santana, India, Moncada, Lowe, Suzuki, Torkelson, Bellinger and Berrios.

\$ 1 Second Basemen	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
Abraham Toro-Hernandez		0		324	36		10		35		2		0.185	
Adam Frazier		91		541	61		3		42		11	17T	0.238	
Aledmys Diaz		184		305	35		12		38		1		0.243	
BRENDAN DONOVAN		270	14	391	64		5		45		2		0.281	10T
Bryson Stott		183		427	58		10		49		12	14T	0.234	
Cavan Biggio		68		257	43		6		24		2		0.202	
Chris Taylor		112		402	45		10		43		10	19T	0.221	
Christopher Morel		200		379	55		16	13T	47		10	19T	0.235	
Danny Mendick		724	1	97	22		3		15		1		0.289	7
David Villar		219		156	21		9		24		0		0.231	
DIEGO CASTILLO		23		262	28		11		29		1		0.206	
Donovan Solano		65		278	22		4		24		0		0.284	9
Ildemaro Vargas		112		209	19		4		23		3		0.263	
JOEY WENDLE		19		347	27		3		32		12	14T	0.259	
Jonathan Villar		56		202	25		3		18		7		0.208	
Josh Harrison		134		386	50		7		27		2		0.257	
Kevin Newman		140		288	31		2		24		8		0.274	17
Luis Garcia		87		360	29		7		45		3		0.275	16
Luis Guillorme		77		297	33		2		17		1		0.273	18
Luis Rengifo		123		489	45		17	9T	52		6		0.264	
Michael Chavis		92		401	39		14	19T	49		1		0.229	
Mike Brosseau		211		141	15		6		23		2		0.255	

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	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
Nick Gordon		200		405	45		9		50		6		0.272	19
Nick Senzel		89		373	45		5		25		8		0.231	
Nolan Gorman		189		283	44		14	19T	35		1		0.226	
Orlando Arcia		199		209	25		9		30		0		0.244	
Oswaldo Cabrera		210		154	21		6		19		3		0.247	
Ramon Urias		201		403	50		16	13T	51		1		0.248	
Rodolfo Castro		125		253	25		11		27		5		0.233	
Roughned Odor		55		426	49		13		53	20	6		0.207	
Tony Kemp		144		497	61		7		46		11	17T	0.235	
Vaughn Grissom		379	7	141	24		5		18		5		0.291	6
Willi Castro		167		365	47		8		31		9		0.241	

\$1 Shortstops

	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
Andrew Velazquez		0		322	37		9		28		17	13	0.196	
Brandon Crawford		155		407	50		9		52		1		0.231	
Bryson Stott		198		427	58		10		49		12	18T	0.234	
Chad Pinder		144		361	38		12		42		2		0.235	
Danny Mendick		725	1	97	22		3		15		1		0.289	9
DIEGO CASTILLO		20		262	28		11		29		1		0.206	
Dylan Moore		665	2	205	41		6		24		21	6T	0.224	
Elvis Andrus		235		535	66	16T	17	11T	58		18	10T	0.249	
Garrett Hampson		102		199	29		2		15		12	18T	0.211	
Geraldo Perdomo		0		431	58		5		40		9		0.195	
Gio Urshela		252		501	61		13		64	15T	1		0.285	10
Ha-seong Kim		202		517	58		11		59	20	12	18T	0.252	
Isiah Kiner-Falefa		212		483	66	16T	4		48		22	5	0.261	
JOEY WENDLE		37		347	27		3		32		12	18T	0.259	
Jorge Mateo		247		494	63	20	13		50		35	1	0.221	
Jose Iglesias		229		439	48		3		47		2		0.292	5
Kyle Farmer		199		526	58		14	19T	78	8	4		0.255	
Luis Garcia		96		360	29		7		45		3		0.275	15
Luis Guillorme		86		297	33		2		17		1		0.273	16
Luis Rengifo		136		489	45		17	11T	52		6		0.264	
Santiago Espinal		199		449	51		7		51		6		0.267	18
Taylor Walls		0		407	53		8		33		10		0.172	
Willi Castro		185		365	47		8		31		9		0.241	

\$1 Third Basemen

	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
Abraham Toro-Hernandez		0		324	36		10		35		2		0.185	
Bobby Dalbec		145		317	40		12		39		3		0.214	
BRENDAN DONOVAN		329	12	391	64	19	5		45		2		0.281	7
Brett Baty			NA	38	4		2		5		0		0.184	
Brian Anderson		133		338	43		8		28		1		0.222	
Chad Pinter		182		361	38		12		42		2		0.235	
Charles Leblanc		178		156	18		4		11		4		0.263	20T
David Villar		252		156	21		9		24		0		0.231	
Donovan Solano		138		278	22		4		24		0		0.284	6
Eduardo Escobar		226		495	58		20	12T	69	15T	0		0.24	
Emmanuel Rivera		206		330	46		12		40		1		0.233	
Evan Longoria		265	19	266	31		14		42		0		0.244	
Gio Urshela		297	15	501	61	20T	13		64	20	1		0.285	5

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Harold Castro		158		420	37		7		47		0		0.271	14	
Ha-seong Kim		208		517	58		11		59		12	6T	0.252		
HUNTER DOZIER		171		462	51		12		41		4		0.236		
Jake Burger		246		168	20		8		26		0		0.25		
JD Davis		226		318	46		12		35		1		0.248		
Jeimer Candelario		137		429	49		13		50		0		0.217		
JOEY WENDLE		80		347	27		3		32		12	6T	0.259		
Jonathan Villar		94		202	25		3		18		7	14T	0.208		
Josh Donaldson		170		478	59		15	20T	62		2		0.222		
Josh Harrison		155		386	50		7		27		2		0.257		
Josh Jung		132		98	9		5		14		2		0.204		
Juan Yopez		205		253	27		12		30		0		0.253		
Kevin Newman		186		288	31		2		24		8	12T	0.274	11	
Kyle Farmer		221		526	58		14		78	11	4		0.255		
Luis Guillorme		120		297	33		2		17		1		0.273	12T	
Luis Rengifo		173		489	45		17	17	52		6		0.264	18T	
Luke Williams		380	7T	127	21		1		6		11	8T	0.236		
Maikel Franco		89		371	31		9		39		1		0.229		
Michael Chavis		146		401	39		14		49		1		0.229		
Nathan Eaton		611	2	106	16		1		12		11	8T	0.264	18T	
Ramon Urias		215		403	50		16	18T	51		1		0.248		
Rodolfo Castro		172		253	25		11		27		5		0.233		
Santiago Espinal		221		449	51		7		51		6		0.267	17	
Taylor Walls		0		407	53		8		33		10	10	0.172		
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Adam Duvall		95		287	39		12		36		0		0.212		
Adam Engel		100		245	32		2		17		12	27T	0.225		
Adam Frazier		66		541	61		3		42		11	32T	0.238		
AJ Pollock		179		489	61		14		56		3		0.245		
Akil Baddoo		0		201	30		2		9		9		0.204		
Aledmys Diaz		166		305	35		12		38		1		0.243		
Alex Call		216		114	18		5		13		3		0.237		
Andrew Benintendi		338	26	461	54		5		51		8		0.304	8	
Andrew McCutchen		195		515	66	38T	17	32T	69	27	8		0.237		
Aristides Aquino		0		259	24		10		30		2		0.197		
Austin Slater		312	29	277	49		7		34		12	27T	0.264		
Brandon Marsh		175		424	49		11		52		10	40T	0.245		
BRENDAN DONOVAN		261		391	64		5		45		2		0.281	26T	
Brian Anderson		100		338	43		8		28		1		0.222		
Bryan De La Cruz		177		329	38		13		43		4		0.252		
Bubba Thompson		375	20	170	18		1		9		18	14T	0.265		
Chad Pinder		131		361	38		12		42		2		0.235		
Charlie Blackmon		188		530	60		16		78	12T	4		0.264		
Chas McCormick		200		359	47		14		44		4		0.245		
Chris Taylor		108		402	45		10		43		10	40T	0.221		
Christian Arroyo		253		280	32		6		36		5		0.286	19T	
Christopher Morel		196		379	55		16		47		10	40T	0.235		
Corey Dickerson		123		281	28		6		36		0		0.267	38T	
Danny Mendick		706	4	97	22		3		15		1		0.289	17	
Darin Ruf		79		334	52		11		45		2		0.204		
David Peralta		72		439	39		12		59		1		0.251		
DIEGO CASTILLO		23		262	28		11		29		1		0.206		
Dylan Carlson		156		432	56		8		42		5		0.236		

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al	Third Basemen	\$\$	\$	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
1	Jose Ramirez	40	40	1	491	4	601	90	3T	29	5	126	1	20	4T	0.28	8T
2	Manny Machado	35	38	2T	575	3	578	100	1	32	2	102	3	9	11	0.298	1
3	Bobby Witt	34	38	4T	291	16	591	82	8	20	12T	80	10	30	2	0.254	
4	Rafael Devers	32	32	2T	429	6	555	84	6	27	7T	88	6	3		0.295	3
5	Austin Riley	30	33	4T	342	11	615	90	3T	38	1	93	4T	2		0.273	12T
6	Nolan Arenado	28	31	4T	455	5	557	73	12	30	4	103	2	5		0.293	4
7	Alex Bregman 1X	27	27	7	357	10	548	93	2	23	10	93	4T	1		0.259	
8	Gunnar Henderson	21	21	8	164		116	12		4		18		1		0.259	
9	Matt Chapman	21	21	11	253		538	83	7	27	7T	76	12	2		0.229	
10	Anthony Rendon	19	19	13	142		166	15		5		24		2		0.229	
11	Alec Bohm	17	19	14	275	17	586	79	9	13		72	13	2		0.28	8T
12	Eugenio Suarez	16	16	12	274	18	543	76	10	31	3	87	7T	0		0.236	
13	Max Muncy 2X	15	17	9	85		464	69	15	21	11	69	15T	2		0.196	
14	Ke'Bryan Hayes	5	5	17	180		505	55		7		41		20	4T	0.244	
15	Ryan McMahon	5	5	18T	224		529	67	16T	20	12T	67	17	7	14T	0.246	
16	Yandy Diaz	5	5	15	380	7T	473	71	14	9		57		3		0.296	2
17	BRANDON DRURY	4	4	16	380	7T	518	87	5	28	6	87	7T	2		0.263	20T
18	Yoan Moncada	4	4		104		397	41		12		51		2		0.212	
19	Justin Turner	4	4		325	14	468	61	20T	13		81	9	3		0.278	10
20	Jose Miranda	3	3	10	219		444	45		15	20T	66	18T	1		0.268	16
21	DJ LEMAHIEU	3	3	18T	263	20	467	74	11	12		46		4		0.261	
22	WILMER FLORES	3	3		193		525	72	13	19	16	71	14	0		0.229	
23	ISAAC PAREDES	3	3		157		331	48		20	12T	45		0		0.205	
24	Josh Rojas	3	3	20T	327	13	443	66	18	9		56		23	3	0.269	15
25	Jon Berti	3	3	20T	634	1	358	47		4		28		41	1	0.24	
26	LUIS URIAS 3X	3	3		223		406	54		16	18T	47		1		0.239	
\$1 Outfielders				Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
Dylan Moore					681	5	205	41		6		24		21	9T	0.224	
Edward Olivares					267		161	24		4		15		2		0.286	19T
Eli White					470	12	105	16		3		10		12	27T	0.2	
Franchy Cordero					151		242	36		8		29		4		0.219	
Franmil Reyes					64		438	43		14		47		2		0.222	
Garrett Cooper					70		414	37		9		50		0		0.261	
Garrett Hampson					102		199	29		2		15		12	27T	0.211	
Gavin Sheets					85		377	34		15		53		0		0.241	
Harold Ramirez					318	28	403	46		6		58		3		0.3	10
Harrison Bader					243		292	38		5		30		17	17	0.25	
HUNTER DOZIER					118		462	51		12		41		4		0.236	
Jack Suwinski					94		326	45		19	25T	38		4		0.203	
Jake Fraley					244		216	33		12		28		4		0.259	

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^ Obviously, the story of the year is the outlawing of the shift, at least in its most extreme manifestations. We have built this adjustment into the values of the players that we feel will benefit the most, such as Joey Gallo.

^ 2021 saw a tiny, almost imperceptible drop in strikeouts per game (17.35 to 17.36). But 2022 shockingly saw a big fall, down lower than the 2018 level at 16.80. Considering that strikeouts have been on a straight line upward since 2005 when they were at 12.61, this reversal is significant. In a related development, strikeouts were scarcer even for aces: in 2021, the top 20 pitchers on our board (and 35 of the top 37) averaged more than a strikeout per inning. The numbers this year are still significant, if a bit less so: 11 of the top 13, 21 of the top 25 and 35 of the top 47 averaged more than a strikeout per inning. It's time to stop being jaded by power arms.

^ Speaking of 2018, stolen bases rebounded to the level that we saw that year, 1.02 per game. Combined with home runs falling to 2.15 per game, the lowest level since 2014, notwithstanding Aaron Judge, we're finally moving back towards the post-steroid days of the late 2000s and early 2010s when chasing power over speed was the way to go. And that's even before the bases get "embiggened" this year to pump up the stolen base total further!

^ In terms of the positions of most scarcity, catcher is a skosh deeper this year and pretty good overall (even if the second tier evaporates quickly). Second base has a small top tier and also a much tighter second tier than a year ago, so prepare accordingly. And the top tier for shortstop is deep, but the second tier is not freakishly so this year.

^ Position eligibility is something that we focus on more than many of our peers and the Joe Maddon-ization of the game continues to trickle down to fantasy. The plethora of two-position, three-position and even four-position players is now remarkable. Every position that you save with a pick like that frees you up to go "best player available" in the late rounds when value will accrue at certain positions.

\$1 Outfielders	Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
Jesse Winker		95		456	51		14		53		0		0.219	
Jesus Sanchez		100		313	38		13		36		1		0.214	
Jo Adell		1		268	22		8		27		4		0.224	
Jordan Luplow		0		205	26		11		28		5		0.176	
Jorge Mateo		263		494	63		13		50		35	1	0.221	
Jose Siri		175		301	53		7		24		14	22T	0.213	
Juan Ypez		147		253	27		12		30		0		0.253	
Kevin Kiermaier		169		206	28		7		22		6		0.228	
Kole Calhoun		0		388	36		12		49		3		0.196	
Kyle Garlick		214		150	23		9		18		0		0.233	
LaMonte Wade		76		217	29		8		26		1		0.207	
Lane Thomas		189		498	62		17	32T	52		8		0.241	
Lars Nootbaar		284	40	290	53		14		40		4		0.228	
Leody Tavares		184		314	39		5		34		11	33T	0.261	
Lourdes Gurriel		248		453	52		5		52		3		0.291	16
Luis Gonzalez		113		311	31		4		36		10		0.254	
Luis Rengifo		108		489	45		17	32T	52		6		0.264	
Luke Williams		280		127	21		1		6		11	33T	0.236	
Manuel Margot		169		336	36		4		47		7		0.274	30T
Mark Canha		221		462	71	30T	13		61		3		0.266	
Michael Brantley		244		243	28		5		26		1		0.288	18
Michael Taylor		160		414	49		9		43		4		0.254	
Mike Yastremski		127		485	73	24T	17	32T	57		5		0.214	
Myles Straw		8		535	72	27T	0		32		21	9T	0.221	
Nathan Eaton		522	10	106	16		1		12		11	33T	0.264	
Nick Gordon		191		405	45		9		50		6		0.272	33

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AL EAST
X-Tampa Bay 94-68
Y-New York Yankees 93-69
Y-Toronto 92-70
Baltimore 80-82
Boston 79-83
AL CENTRAL
X-Cleveland 83-79
Chicago White Sox 82-80
Minnesota 81-81
Kansas City 68-94
Detroit 66-96
AL WEST
X-Houston 95-67
Y-Seattle 85-77
Texas 83-79
Los Angeles Angels 82-80
Oakland 58-104
NL EAST
X-Atlanta 97-65
Y-New York Mets 90-72
Y-Philadelphia 86-76
Miami 72-90
Washington 57-105
NL CENTRAL
X-St. Louis 93-69
Milwaukee 85-77
Chicago Cubs 77-85
Cincinnati 69-93
Pittsburgh 68-94
NL WEST
X-Los Angeles Dodgers 100-62
Y-San Diego 91-71
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Cleveland over Seattle in 3
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DIVISIONAL SERIES
Tampa Bay over Cleveland in 4
Houston over New York Yankees in 4
Los Angeles Dodgers over New York Mets in 7
Atlanta over St. Louis in 5
CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES
Houston over Tampa Bay in 6
Atlanta over Los Angeles Dodgers in 6
WORLD SERIES
Atlanta over Houston in 7
AL ROOKIE OF THE YEAR: Gunnar Henderson
AL MOST VALUABLE PLAYER: Shohei Ohtani
AL CY YOUNG AWARD WINNER: Shane Bieber
AL MANAGER OF THE YEAR: Kevin Cash
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1 Los Angeles Dodgers
2 Atlanta
3 Houston
4 Tampa Bay
5 New York Yankees
6 Toronto
7 New York Mets
8 San Diego
9 St. Louis
SECOND TIER
10 Philadelphia
11 Cleveland
12 Seattle
13 Arizona
14 Milwaukee
15 Chicago White Sox
16 Texas
17 Minnesota
18 Baltimore
19 Boston
20 San Francisco
THIRD TIER
21 Los Angeles Angels
22 Chicago Cubs
23 Miami
FOURTH TIER
24 Kansas City
25 Detroit
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27 Pittsburgh
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28 Oakland
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SECOND TIER
2 Arizona
THIRD TIER
3 Cincinnati
4T LA Dodgers
4T Washington
6 NY Mets
7 San Francisco
8 NY Yankees
9 Cleveland
10 Boston
11 Toronto
12 Colorado
13 Pittsburgh
14 Philadelphia
15 Texas
16 Miami
17 Chicago Cubs
18 Milwaukee
FOURTH TIER
19 Tampa Bay
20 Minnesota
21 Oakland
22 San Diego
23 St. Louis
24 Detroit
25 Chicago White Sox
26 Houston
27T Kansas City
27T LA Angels
27T Seattle
27T Atlanta

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We at FantasyDrafthelp.com have been tracing offensive trends in baseball since we opened shop in 2006 and even longer than that, as part of the Drafthelp.com mothership previously. But the 2006 season stands out in particular when it comes to our track record, because FDH Director of Research Nate Noy indicated that there would be consequences statistically in terms of the new amphetamine testing. Of course, "greenies" had been a well-established part of the game for several decades and Nate predicated that less-alert players (keeping in mind that even hyper-cafeinated drinks would not come close to matching the effects of speed) would be far less likely to be able to keep up with the high heat. As the chart to the right indicates, he was absolutely right, with KO/Gm rising from 12.61 in 2005 to 17.35 in 2021, a monstrous jump in just 16 seasons! Beyond that correct prediction, however, we wanted to keep digging in light of the crash of offense in baseball by 2014. How much, exactly, had batting fallen off since the steroid era? And what had been the ebbs and flows of the game going even further back? We created an FDH offensive metric (the first column of the chart) by adding totaling up the spreads of the bolded categories (HR/Gm, Runs/Gm, BA, ERA and WHIP) going back to "The Year of the Pitcher" (and the year before baseball split into divisions for the first time ever), 1968. As such, we found that 2014 was the 49th-highest season for offense in this era – but the bounceback was coming. Call it the juiced ball effect, Statcast or whatever you want, but, paced primarily by an explosion in taters, by 2019 offense had incrementally moved back to the 18th-highest total. Clearly, baseball has had a few distinct eras in terms of offensive production since 1968: 1968-72 (a strong pitching era, with 1970 as an outlier), 1973-92 (a moderate offensive era with 1976, 1981 and 1987 as outliers), 1993-2000 (the first half of the steroid era, which built to a crescendo), 2001-09 (the second half of the steroid era, with offense receding slightly in the reverse of the previous period), 2010-14 (much less offense than the steroid era, similar to 1973-92 aside from 2014 being a pitching-dominated slight outlier) and the 2015-21 rebound of homer-dominated offense (which has not sent scores soaring to the steroid era levels purely because of the explosion of strikeouts). 2022 had more of the feel of the 201-14 years. Will this turnaround last? We think that offense will actually bounce back with the most extreme forms of the shift now banned, but HR may not follow.

Tracing Offense In Baseball – From Before The Steroid Era Until Now

	Rk	HR	Rk	Runs	Rk	SB	BA	Rk	KO	ERA	Rk	WHIP	Rk	HR/SB
2022	40	2.15	13	8.57	35	1.02	0.243	54	16.80	3.96	30	1.27	47	2.10
2021	27	2.45	4	9.06	22	0.91	0.244	52	17.35	4.26	21	1.30	48	2.69
2020	21	2.57	2	9.29	15	0.98	0.245	51	17.36	4.44	9	1.33	36	2.62
2019	18	2.79	1	9.66	7	0.94	0.252	46	17.23	4.49	5	1.33	36	2.97
2018	29	2.3	7	8.90	25	1.02	0.248	49	16.95	4.14	24	1.30	48	2.26
2017	20	2.51	3	9.29	15	1.04	0.255	36	16.5	4.35	15	1.34	31	2.41
2016	24	2.31	6	8.96	23	1.05	0.255	36	16.06	4.18	22	1.33	36	2.20
2015	41	2.02	24	8.50	40	1.03	0.254	41	15.41	3.97	29	1.30	48	1.96
2014	49	1.72	34	8.13	50	1.14	0.251	47	15.41	3.74	42	1.28	53	1.51
2013	43	1.92	27	8.34	43	1.11	0.253	45	15.11	3.86	36	1.30	48	1.73
2012	34	2.03	23	8.65	30	1.33	0.255	36	14.99	4.01	26	1.31	45	1.53
2011	38	1.87	29	8.56	37	1.35	0.255	36	14.19	3.94	32	1.32	40	1.39
2010	26	1.9	28	8.77	28	1.22	0.257	29	14.12	4.07	25	1.35	25	1.56
2009	15	2.07	18	9.23	18	1.22	0.262	20	13.82	4.31	17	1.39	11	1.70
2008	14	2.01	26	9.29	15	1.15	0.264	14	13.53	4.32	15	1.39	11	1.74
2007	7	2.04	22	9.60	9	1.20	0.268	6	13.25	4.46	7	1.41	6	1.70
2006	4	2.22	11	9.71	5	1.14	0.269	5	13.03	4.52	4	1.41	6	1.95
2005	16	2.06	20	9.19	21	1.06	0.264	14	12.61	4.28	18	1.37	18	1.96
2004	6	2.24	10	9.62	8	1.07	0.266	9	13.1	4.46	7	1.4	9	2.11
2003	12	2.14	14	9.46	14	1.06	0.264	14	12.68	4.39	13	1.38	15	2.02
2002	16	2.08	16	9.22	19	1.13	0.261	21	12.92	4.27	20	1.38	15	1.84
2001	11	2.25	9	9.55	11	1.28	0.264	14	13.33	4.41	12	1.38	15	1.76
2000	1	2.34	5	10.30	1	1.20	0.27	2	12.9	4.76	1	1.47	1	1.95
1999	2	2.27	8	10.20	2	1.41	0.271	1	12.81	4.7	2	1.46	2	1.62
1998	9	2.08	16	9.59	10	1.35	0.266	9	13.12	4.42	11	1.4	9	1.54
1997	10	2.05	21	9.53	12	1.46	0.267	7	13.2	4.38	14	1.41	6	1.40
1996	3	2.19	12	10.10	3	1.43	0.27	2	12.92	4.6	3	1.44	3	1.53
1995	8	2.02	24	9.70	6	1.46	0.267	7	12.61	4.45	9	1.42	5	1.39
1994	5	2.07	17	9.87	4	1.42	0.27	2	12.38	4.5	6	1.43	4	1.46
1993	18	1.78	31	9.20	20	1.44	0.265	11	11.6	4.18	22	1.39	11	1.24
1992	46	1.44	48	8.23	47	1.55	0.256	33	11.18	3.74	42	1.33	36	0.93
1991	35	1.61	37	8.61	33	1.48	0.256	33	11.58	3.91	33	1.34	31	1.08
1990	35	1.58	41	8.51	38	1.56	0.258	25	11.33	3.85	38	1.35	25	1.01
1989	47	1.46	47	8.26	39	1.48	0.254	41	11.23	3.7	46	1.32	40	0.99
1988	48	1.51	44	8.25	45	1.57	0.254	41	11.09	3.72	45	1.31	45	0.96
1987	13	2.12	15	9.44	14	1.70	0.263	19	11.92	4.28	18	1.39	11	1.24
1986	25	1.81	30	8.81	27	1.57	0.258	25	11.73	3.96	30	1.36	21	1.15
1985	32	1.71	35	8.65	28	1.47	0.257	29	10.66	3.89	34	1.34	31	1.16
1984	37	1.55	43	8.51	38	1.44	0.26	24	10.68	3.81	41	1.35	25	1.08
1983	30	1.57	42	8.63	32	1.58	0.261	21	10.31	3.86	36	1.35	25	0.99
1982	30	1.6	38	8.60	34	1.51	0.261	21	10.08	3.85	38	1.35	25	1.06
1981	51	1.28	53	8.01	51	1.45	0.256	33	9.516	3.58	51	1.32	40	0.88
1980	28	1.47	45	8.57	35	1.56	0.265	11	9.597	3.83	40	1.36	21	0.94
1979	23	1.63	36	8.89	26	1.42	0.265	11	9.513	3.99	27	1.37	18	1.15
1978	44	1.4	49	8.19	48	1.43	0.258	25	9.524	3.68	48	1.34	31	0.98
1977	22	1.73	33	8.93	24	1.43	0.264	14	10.31	3.99	27	1.37	18	1.21
1976	52	1.15	55	7.97	52	1.57	0.255	36	9.642	3.51	52	1.32	40	0.73
1975	42	1.39	50	8.38	42	1.30	0.258	25	9.918	3.7	46	1.36	21	1.07
1974	45	1.36	51	8.25	45	1.23	0.257	29	10.03	3.62	49	1.34	31	1.11
1973	39	1.6	38	8.42	41	1.05	0.257	29	10.47	3.74	42	1.35	25	1.53
1972	54	1.36	51	7.37	54	0.97	0.244	52	11.14	3.26	54	1.26	54	1.40
1971	53	1.47	45	7.75	53	0.91	0.249	48	10.78	3.46	53	1.30	48	1.62
1970	33	1.76	32	8.68	29	0.98	0.254	41	11.51	3.88	35	1.36	21	1.80
1969	50	1.6	38	8.15	49	0.95	0.248	49	11.56	3.61	50	1.32	40	1.69
1968	55	1.23	54	6.86	55	0.94	0.237	55	11.82	2.98	55	1.19	55	1.32
AVE		1.87		8.85		1.30	0.258173		12.62556	4.04		1.35		1.54

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2012-2022 FDH Best Player In Baseball Lists

NOTE: Since 2012, The FDH Lounge has been compiling an annual list of the best players in baseball, not in a fantasy sense, but in terms of all-around game. The list goes 30-deep, with an average of one player per team in MLB. The players listed just below each year's rankings fell off the list from the previous year. Numbers in parentheses indicate where players were ranked the previous year.

2012

TOP TIER

- 1 Josh Hamilton
- 2 Matt Kemp
- 3 Justin Verlander
- 4 Joey Votto
- 5 Clayton Kershaw
- 6 Ryan Braun
- 7 Jered Weaver
- 8 Carlos Gonzalez
- 9 Matt Cain
- 10 Andrew McCutchen
- 11 Miguel Cabrera
- 12 Stephen Strasburg
- 13 Craig Kimbrel

SECOND TIER

- 14 Albert Pujols
- 15 Troy Tulowitzki
- 16 Chris Sale
- 17 Johnny Cueto
- 18 Prince Fielder
- 19 RA Dickey
- 20 Adrian Beltre
- 21 Carlos Beltran
- 22 Cole Hamels
- 23 Cliff Lee
- 24 Gio Gonzalez
- 25 Jose Bautista
- 26 Paul Konerko
- 27 Robinson Cano
- 28 Roy Halladay
- 29 Adrian Gonzalez
- 30 Mike Trout

2013

TOP TIER

- 1 Miguel Cabrera (11)
- 2 Clayton Kershaw (5)
- 3 Justin Verlander (3)
- 4 Ryan Braun (6)
- 5 Mike Trout (30)
- 6 Bryce Harper (NA)
- 7 Joey Votto (4)
- 8 Felix Hernandez (NA)
- 9 Mariano Rivera (NA)
- 10 Prince Fielder (18)
- 11 Robinson Cano (27)
- 12 Andrew McCutchen (10)
- 13 Craig Kimbrel (13)

SECOND TIER

- 14 Carlos Gonzalez (8)
- 15 Justin Upton (NA)
- 16 Stephen Strasburg (12)
- 17 Buster Posey (NA)
- 18 David Price (NA)
- 19 Matt Harvey (NA)
- 20 Cliff Lee (23)
- 21 Johnny Cueto (17)
- 22 Jered Weaver (7)
- 23 Evan Longoria (NA)
- 24 Matt Cain (9)
- 25 Cole Hamels (22)
- 26 Yu Darvish (NA)
- 27 Matt Kemp (2)
- 28 Albert Pujols (14)
- 29 Adam Wainwright (NA)
- 30 Josh Hamilton (1)

- Troy Tulowitzki (15)
Chris Sale (16)
RA Dickey (19)
Adrian Beltre (20)
Carlos Beltran (21)
Gio Gonzalez (24)
Jose Bautista (25)
Paul Konerko (26)
Roy Halladay (28)
Adrian Gonzalez (29)

2014

TOP TIER

- 1 Clayton Kershaw (2)
 - 2 Mike Trout (5)
 - 3 Miguel Cabrera (1)
- #### SECOND TIER
- 4 Felix Hernandez (8)
 - 5 Chris Sale (NA)
 - 6 Johnny Cueto (21)
 - 7 Giancarlo Stanton (NA)
 - 8 Craig Kimbrel (13)
 - 9 Jose Abreu (NA)
 - 10 Koji Uehara (NA)
 - 11 Andrew McCutchen (12)
 - 12 Adam Wainwright (29)

THIRD TIER

- 13 Troy Tulowitzki (NA)
- 14 Paul Goldschmidt (NA)
- 15 Yu Darvish (26)
- 16 Yasiel Puig (NA)
- 17 Sean Doolittle (NA)
- 18 David Price (18)
- 19 Zack Greinke (NA)
- 20 Corey Kluber (NA)
- 21 Adrian Beltre (NA)
- 22 Cole Hamels (25)
- 23 Jon Lester (NA)
- 24 Buster Posey (17)
- 25 Ryan Braun (4)
- 26 Carlos Gomez (NA)
- 27 Adam Jones (NA)
- 28 Robinson Cano (11)
- 29 Greg Holland (NA)
- 30 Jose Altuve (NA)

- Justin Verlander (3)
Bryce Harper (6)
Joey Votto (7)
Mariano Rivera (9)
Prince Fielder (10)
Carlos Gonzalez (14)
Justin Upton (15)
Stephen Strasburg (16)
Matt Harvey (19)
Cliff Lee (20)
Jared Weaver (22)
Evan Longoria (23)
Matt Cain (24)
Matt Kemp (27)
Albert Pujols (28)
Josh Hamilton (30)

2015

TOP TIER

- 1 Mike Trout (2)
- 2 Clayton Kershaw (1)
- 3 Paul Goldschmidt (14)
- 4 Bryce Harper (NA)
- 5 Miguel Cabrera (3)
- 6 Andrew McCutchen (11)
- 7 Josh Donaldson (NA)
- 8 Max Scherzer (NA)
- 9 Zack Greinke (19)
- 10 Jacob deGrom (NA)
- 11 Manny Machado (NA)
- 12 Johnny Cueto (6)
- 13 Nelson Cruz (NA)
- 14 Jake Arrieta (NA)
- 15 Chris Archer (NA)
- 16 Sonny Gray (NA)
- 17 Dallas Keuchel (NA)
- 18 Anthony Rizzo (NA)

SECOND TIER

- 19 Chris Sale (5)
- 20 Giancarlo Stanton (7)
- 21 Felix Hernandez (4)
- 22 Madison Bumgarner (NA)
- 23 Corey Kluber (20)
- 24 Buster Posey (24)
- 25 Matt Harvey (NA)
- 26 Jose Altuve (30)
- 27 JD Martinez (NA)
- 28 Dellin Betances (NA)
- 29 Wade Davis (NA)
- 30 TIE: Jose Abreu (9) and Craig Kimbrel (8)

- Koji Uehara (10)
Adam Wainwright (12)
Troy Tulowitzki (13)
Yu Darvish (15)
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2016

TOP TIER

1 Clayton Kershaw (2)
2 Mike Trout (1)
3 Paul Goldschmidt (3)
4 Mookie Betts (NA)
5 Kris Bryant (NA)
6 Bryce Harper (4)
7 Max Scherzer (8)
8 Miguel Cabrera (5)
9 Josh Donaldson (7)
10 Nolan Arenado (NA)
11 Manny Machado (11)
Jose Fernandez (NA)***
12 Jose Altuve (26)
13 Anthony Rizzo (18)
SECOND TIER
14 Madison Bumgarner (22)
15 Nelson Cruz (13)
16 Corey Kluber (23)
17 Freddie Freeman (NA)
18 Johnny Cueto (12)
19 Joey Votto (NA)
20 Robinson Cano (NA)
21 Carlos Correa (NA)
22 Chris Sale (19)
23 Francisco Lindor (NA)
24 Corey Seager (NA)
25 Charlie Blackmon (NA)
26 Daniel Murphy (NA)
27 Buster Posey (24)
28 Zach Britton (NA)
29 Jean Segura (NA)
30 Jonathan Villar (NA)

Zack Greinke (9)
Jacob deGrom (10)
Jake Arrieta (14)
Chris Archer (15)
Sonny Gray (16)
Dallas Keuchel (17)
Giancarlo Stanton (20)
Felix Hernandez (21)
Andrew McCutchen (6)
Matt Harvey (25)
JD Martinez (27)
Dellin Betances (28)
Wade Davis (29)
Craig Kimbrel (30)
Jose Abreu (30)

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*** This is the spot where we would have slotted Jose Fernandez.

2017

TOP TIER

1 Mike Trout (1)
2 Clayton Kershaw (2)
3 Jose Altuve (12)
4 Giancarlo Stanton (NA)
5 Paul Goldschmidt (5)
6 Max Scherzer (7)
7 Kris Bryant (5)
8 Bryce Harper (6)
9 Aaron Judge (NA)
10 Charlie Blackmon (25)
11 Corey Kluber (16)
12 Nolan Arenado (10)
13 Chris Sale (22)
14 Jose Ramirez (NA)
15 Mookie Betts (4)
16 Freddie Freeman (17)
17 Joey Votto (19)
18 Francisco Lindor (23)
19 Manny Machado (11)
20 Anthony Rizzo (13)
21 JD Martinez (NA)
22 Kenley Jansen (NA)
SECOND TIER
23 Carlos Correa (21)
24 Noah Syndergaard (NA)
25 Stephen Strasburg (NA)
26 Corey Seager (24)
27 Josh Donaldson (9)
28 George Springer (NA)
29 Carlos Carrasco (NA)
30 Craig Kimbrel (NA)

Miguel Cabrera (8)
Madison Bumgarner (14)
Nelson Cruz (15)
Johnny Cueto (18)
Robinson Cano (20)
Daniel Murphy (26)
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TOP TIER

1 Mike Trout (1)
2 Mookie Betts (15)
3 Max Scherzer (6)
4 Jacob deGrom (NA)
5 Christian Yelich (NA)
6 Francisco Lindor (18)
7 JD Martinez (21)
8 Blake Snell (NA)
9 Chris Sale (13)
10 Nolan Arenado (12)
11 Justin Verlander (NA)
12 Clayton Kershaw (2)
13 Jose Ramirez (14)
14 Aaron Nola (NA)
15 Ronald Acuna Jr (NA)
16 Javier Baez (NA)
17 Paul Goldschmidt (5)
18 Gerrit Cole (NA)
19 Corey Kluber (11)
20 Manny Machado (19)
21 Alex Bregman (NA)
22 Trevor Bauer (NA)
23 Freddie Freeman (16)
24 Bryce Harper (8)
25 Jose Altuve (3)
26 Noah Syndergaard (24)
27 Trevor Story (NA)
28 Kris Bryant (7)
29 Matt Carpenter (NA)
30 Charlie Blackmon (10)
Giancarlo Stanton (4)
Aaron Judge (9)
Joey Votto (17)
Anthony Rizzo (20)
Kenley Jansen (22)
Carlos Correa (23)
Stephen Strasburg (25)
Corey Seager (26)
Josh Donaldson (27)
George Springer (28)
Carlos Carrasco (29)
Craig Kimbrel (30)

2019

TOP TIER

1 Mike Trout (1)
2 Ronald Acuna Jr (15)
3 Christian Yelich (5)
4 Francisco Lindor (4)
5 Gerrit Cole (18)
6 Alex Bregman (21)
7 Cody Bellinger (NA)
8 Mookie Betts (2)
9 Juan Soto (NA)
SECOND TIER
10 Justin Verlander (11)
11 Nolan Arenado (10)
12 Anthony Rendon (NA)
13 Jacob deGrom (4)
14 Max Scherzer (3)
15 Pete Alonso (NA)
16 Jack Flaherty (NA)
17 Jose Altuve (25)
18 Eugenio Suarez (NA)
19 Gleyber Torres (NA)
THIRD TIER
20 Stephen Strasburg (NA)
21 Clayton Kershaw (12)
22 Ketel Marte (NA)
23 Hyun-Jin Ryu (NA)
24 Xander Bogaerts (NA)
25 Mike Clevinger (NA)
26 Freddie Freeman (23)
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30 Shane Bieber (NA)

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Manny Machado (20)
Trevor Bauer (22)
Bryce Harper (24)
Noah Syndergaard (26)
Trevor Story (27)
Kris Bryant (28)
Matt Carpenter (29)
Charlie Blackmon (30)

2020

TOP TIER

1 Mike Trout (1)
2 Mookie Betts (8)
3 Freddie Freeman (26)
4 Juan Soto (9)
5 Gerrit Cole (5)
6 Marcell Ozuna (NA)
7 Jacob deGrom (13)
8 Ronald Acuna Jr (2)
9 Shane Bieber (30)
10 Trevor Bauer (NA)
11 Yu Darvish (NA)
12 Francisco Lindor (4)
SECOND TIER
13 Corey Seager (NA)
14 Manny Machado (NA)
15 Jose Abreu (NA)
16 Trea Turner (NA)
17 Fernando Tatis (NA)
18 Keston Hiura (NA)
19 Jose Ramirez (NA)
20 Pete Alonso (15)
21 Nolan Arenado (11)
22 Cody Bellinger (7)
23 Christian Yelich (3)
24 Clayton Kershaw (NA)
25 Xander Bogaerts (24)
26 Anthony Rendon (12)
27 Ozzie Albies (NA)
28 Kenta Maeda (NA)
29 Trevor Story (NA)
30 DJ LeMahieu (NA)

Alex Bregman (6)
Justin Verlander (10)
Max Scherzer (14)
Jack Flaherty (16)
Jose Altuve (17)
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2022

TOP TIER
 1 Shohei Ohtani (NA)
 2 Fernando Tatis (17)
 3 Vladimir Guerrero (NA)
 4 Mike Trout (1)
 5 Ronald Acuna, Jr (8)
 6 Jacob deGrom (7)
 7 Max Scherzer (NA)
 8 Trea Turner (16)
 9 Bo Bichette (NA)
 10 Juan Soto (4)
 SECOND TIER
 11 Jose Ramirez (19)
 12 Ozzie Albies (27)
 13 Carlos Rodon (NA)
 14 Bryce Harper (NA)
 15 Freddie Freeman (3)
 16 Marcus Semien (NA)
 17 Corbin Burnes (NA)
 18 Gerritt Cole (5)
 19 Salvador Perez (NA)
 20 Austin Riley (NA)
 21 Walker Buehler (NA)
 22 Aaron Judge (NA)
 23 Robbie Ray (NA)
 24 Brandon Woodruff (NA)
 25 Rafael Devers (NA)
 26 Paul Goldschmidt (NA)
 27 Freddy Peralta (NA)
 28 Cedric Mullins (NA)
 29 Nick Castellanos (NA)
 30 Teoscar Hernandez (NA)

Mookie Betts (2)
 Marcell Ozuna (6)
 Shane Bieber (9)
 Trevor Bauer (10)
 Yu Darvis (11)
 Francisco Lindor (12)
 Corey Seager (13)
 Manny Machado (14)
 Jose Abreu (15)
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 Kenta Maeda (28)
 Trevor Story (29)
 DJ LeMahieu (30)

2023

1 Shohei Ohtani (1)
 2 Aaron Judge (22)
 3 Yordan Alvarez (NA)
 4 Jose Ramirez (11)
 5 Julio Rodriguez (NA)
 6 Justin Verlander (NA)
 7 Mike Trout (4)
 8 Ronald Acuna, Jr (5)
 9 Shane McClellanahan (NA)
 10 Trea Turner (8)
 11 Juan Soto (10)
 12 Manny Machado (NA)
 13 Jose Altuve (NA)
 14 Vladimir Guerrero (3)
 15 Fernando Tatis (2)
 16 Mookie Betts (NA)
 17 Carlos Rodon (13)
 18 Paul Goldschmidt (26)
 19 Sandy Alcantara (NA)
 20 Austin Riley (20)
 21 Zac Gallen (NA)
 22 Nolan Arenado (NA)
 23 Dylan Cease (NA)
 24 Freddie Freeman (15)
 25 Jacob deGrom (6)
 26 Pete Alonso (NA)
 27 Corbin Burnes (17)
 28 JT Realmuto (NA)
 29 Edwin Diaz (NA)
 30 Emmanuel Clase (NA)

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Tony Kemp
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Wil Myers
 Willi Castro
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 Braxton Garrett
 Bryce Elder
 Cal Quantrill
 Chris Archer

Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
	72		373	45		5		25		8		0.231	
	185		185	23		5		21		6		0.238	
	178		209	25		9		30		0		0.244	
	201		154	21		6		19		3		0.247	
	172		411	47		7		52		8		0.265	
	101		346	49		13		34		11	33T	0.211	
	191		506	60		19	25T	73	20T	4		0.259	
	447	14	153	25		6		21		1		0.307	4
	379	20	176	29		5		23		13	26	0.256	
	212		225	33		8		25		7		0.24	
	214		554	89	8T	17	32T	63	34T	8		0.236	
	130		497	61		7		46		11	33T	0.235	
	350	24T	219	36		13		41		4		0.256	
	0		451	58		17	32T	53		7		0.184	
	146		519	56		18	30T	63	34T	0		0.239	
	193		310	47		11		46		4		0.229	
	187		373	49		17	32T	51		3		0.233	
	112		366	42		6		33		15	21	0.224	
	186		261	29		7		41		2		0.261	
	166		365	47		8		31		9		0.241	
	146		305	30		9		41		2		0.269	36T
	288	38	372	56		2		34		0		0.301	9
Exp	UQB	Rk	AB	R	Rk	HR	Rk	RBI	Rk	SB	Rk	AVG	Rk
4	278	5	386	47	5	18	2T	59	5	0		0.238	
	299	4	136	19		9		16		0		0.25	
	182		414	37		9		50		0		0.261	4
	0		56	6		3		5		0		0.143	
	636	1	81	13		6		20		3	4	0.247	
	5		397	25		5		43		1		0.254	5
5	229		448	50	4	10	5	64	3	4	3	0.234	
Exp	UQB	Rk	INNS	W	Rk	KO	Rk	ERA	Rk	WHIP	Rk		Rk
	63		97	5		98		4.92		1.19			
	147		191.2	11	40T	143		3.71		1.28			
	2		102.2	6		69		4.73		1.46			
	114		104.1	4		73		3.1	43T	1.23			
	147		149.2	7		151		3.73		1.3			
	39		130.2	8		131		5.1		1.24			
	750	1T	11	2		3		1.64	4	1.09		41T	
	112		69.1	4		48		4.28		1.27			
	0		124.2	5		95		5.56		1.37			
	147		56	2		51		3.21		1.05		34	
	57		81.2	3		54		4.19		1.2			
	0		139.2	6		102		5.09		1.5			
	104		88	3		90		3.58		1.25			
	130		54	2		47		3.17		1.24			
	177		186.1	15	8T	128		3.38		1.21			
	0		102.2	2		84		4.56		1.31			

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\$1 Starting Pitchers

	Exp	UQB	Rk	INNS	W	Rk	KO	Rk	ERA	Rk	WHIP	Rk
Chris Flexen		125		137.2	8		95		3.73		1.33	
Cody Morris		247	39	23.2	1		23		2.28	12T	1.39	
Cole Irvin		126		181	9		128		3.98		1.16	
Dakota Hudson		0		139.2	8		78		4.45		1.45	
Dane Dunning		0		153.1	4		137		4.46		1.43	
Dean Kremer		154		125.1	8		87		3.23		1.25	
Domingo German		57		72.1	2		58		3.61		1.16	
Drew Smyly		175		106.1	7		91		3.47		1.19	
Drey Jameson		750	1T	24.1	3		24		1.48	3	1.11	
Dylan Bundy		29		140	8		94		4.89		1.28	
Eduardo Rodriguez		134		91	5		72		4.05		1.33	
Eric Lauer		180		158.2	11	40T	157	41T	3.69		1.22	
Frankie Montas	5	5		144.1	5		142		4.05		1.25	
German Marquez		11		181.2	9		150		5		1.37	
Glenn Otto		76		135.2	7		107		4.64		1.33	
Graham Ashcraft		0		105	5		71		4.89		1.42	
Hayden Wesneski		471	10	33	3		33		2.18	8	0.94	10T
Ian Anderson		41		111.2	10		97		5		1.51	
Jake Odorizzi		113		106.1	6		86		4.4		1.33	
James Kaprielian		57		134	5		98		4.23		1.34	
Javier Assad		122		37.2	2		30		3.11		1.46	
Johan Oviedo		191		56	4		54		3.21		1.29	
Jordan Lyles		99		179	12	27T	144		4.42		1.39	
Jose Suarez		178		109	8		103		3.96		1.25	
Jose Urquidy		189		164.1	13	20T	134		3.94		1.17	
Josh Winder		66		67	4		47		4.7		1.3	
Josiah Gray		15		148.2	7		154	44	5.03		1.36	
JP Sears		192		70	6		51		3.86		1.29	
JT Brubaker		0		144	3		147		4.69		1.47	
Ken Waldichuk		67		34.2	2		33		4.93		1.21	
Konnor Pilkington		0		58	1		50		3.88		1.47	
Kutter Crawford		0		77.1	3		77		5.47		1.42	
Kyle Bradish		0		117.2	4		111		4.89		1.4	
Kyle Gibson		28		167.2	10		144		5.05		1.34	
Kyle Hendricks		50		84.1	4		66		4.8		1.29	
Louis Varland		111		26	1		21		3.81		1.23	
MacKenzie Gore		68		70	4		72		4.5		1.47	
Madison Bumgarner		0		158.2	7		112		4.88		1.44	
Marco Gonzalez		64		183	10		103		4.13		1.33	
Matt Manning		77		63	2		48		3.43		1.17	
Mitch Keller		47		159	5		138		3.91		1.4	
Nathan Eovaldi		165		109.1	6		103		3.87		1.23	
Nick Pivetta		92		179.2	10		175	25	4.56		1.38	
Noah Syndergaard		152		134.2	10		95		3.94		1.25	
Paul Blackburn		137		111.1	7		89		4.28		1.26	
Reid Detmers		167		129	7		122		3.77		1.21	
Rich Hill		141		124.1	8		109		4.27		1.3	
Roansy Contreras		160		95	5		86		3.79		1.27	
Ryan Pepiot		188		36.1	3		42		3.47		1.46	
Ryne Nelson		639	6	18.1	1		16		1.47	2	0.82	2
Sean Manaea		44		158	8		156	43	4.96		1.3	
Spenser Watkins		0		105.1	5		63		4.7		1.41	

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	Exp	UQB	Rk	INNS	W	Rk	KO	Rk	ERA	Rk	WHIP	Rk
Steven Matz		187		48	5		54		5.25		1.25	
Trevor Rogers		0		107	4		106		5.47		1.5	
Taylor Megill		90		47.1	4		51		5.13		1.25	
Wade Miley		168		37	2		28		3.16		1.22	
Yusei Kikuchi		0		100.2	6		124		5.18		1.5	
Zach Davies		0		134.1	2		102		4.09		1.3	
Zach Eflin		123		75.2	3		65		4.04		1.12	
Zach Plesac		0		131.2	3		100		4.31		1.32	
Zack Greinke		0		137	4		73		3.68		1.34	

\$1 Relief Pitchers

	Exp	UQB	Rk	INNS	S	Rk	KO	Rk	ERA	Rk	WHIP	Rk
Adam Cimber		118		70.2	4		58		2.8		1.12	
Adam Ottavino		239		65.2	3		79		2.06		0.97	
Adbert Alzolay		283		13.1	0		19		3.38		0.82	8
Adrian Morejon		0		34	0		28		4.24		1.18	
AJ Minter		287		70	5		94	5T	2.06		0.91	13T
AJ Puk		160		66.1	4		76		3.12		1.15	
Alex Lange		116		63.1	0		82	19T	3.69		1.25	
Alex Vesia		267		54.1	1		79		2.15		1.12	
Andre Pallante		0		108	0		73		3.17		1.42	
Andres Munoz		300		65	4		96	3T	2.49		0.89	10T
Andrew Bellatti		172		54.1	2		78		3.31		1.33	
Andrew Chafin		162		57.1	3		67		2.83		1.17	
Anthony Bass		291		70.1	0		73		1.54	11	1.01	
Aroldis Chapman		0		36.1	9		43		4.46		1.43	
Brad Boxberger		141		64	1		68		2.95		1.23	
Brandon Hughes		169		57.2	8		68		3.12		1.09	
Brent Suter		42		66.2	0		53		3.78		1.2	
Brock Burke		217		82.1	0		90	7T	1.97	20	1.06	
Brooks Raley		192		53.2	6		61		2.68		0.97	
Brusdar Graterol		142		49.2	4		43		3.26		0.99	
Bryan Abreu		294		60.1	2		88	10T	1.94	18	1.18	
Bryan Baker		121		69.2	1		76		3.49		1.23	
Caleb Thielbar		166		59.1	1		80		3.49		1.16	
Carl Edwards		125		62	2		56		2.76		1.23	
Carlos Estevez		121		57	2		54		3.47		1.18	
Chase De Jong		115		71.2	1		59		2.64		1.14	
Chris Martin		200		56	2		74		3.05		0.98	
Chris Stratton		0		63.1	2		60		4.26		1.53	
Cionel Perez		300		57.2	1		55		1.41	10	1.16	
Clarke Schmidt		140		57.2	2		56		3.12		1.2	
Colin Poche		89		58.2	7		64		3.99		1.16	
Collin McHugh		186		69.1	0		75		2.6		0.94	17
Corey Knebel		101		44.2	12		41		3.42		1.37	
Craig Kimbrel		157		60	22	14	72		3.75		1.32	
Dany Jimenez		185		34.1	11		34		3.41		1.19	
David Robertson		244		63.2	20	15T	81		2.4		1.16	
Diego Castillo		123		54.1	7		53		3.64		1.14	
Dillon Peters		0		39.1	0		26		4.58		1.32	
Dillon Tate		131		73.2	5		60		3.05		0.99	
Domingo Acevedo		133		67.2	4		58		3.33		0.99	
Dylan Coleman		136		68	0		71		2.78		1.24	
Dylan Floro		145		53.2	10		48		3.02		1.17	
Dylan Lee		212		50.2	0		59		2.13		0.99	

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Elijah Morgan		184		66.2	0		72		3.38		0.89	10T
Emilio Pagan		0		63	9		84	14T	4.43		1.37	
Enyel De Los Santos		157		53.1	1		61		3.04		1.07	
Erasmus Ramirez		62		86.1	0		61		2.92		1.08	
Erich Uelmen		0		27	1		21		4.67		1.37	
Erik Swanson		333	19	53.2	3		70		1.68	13	0.91	13T
Garrett Whitlock		153		78.1	6		82	19T	3.45		1.02	
Giovanny Gallegos		199		59	14		73		3.05		1.02	
Gregory Soto		250		60.1	30	10	60		3.28		1.38	
Griffin Jax		145		72.1	1		78		3.36		1.05	
Hector Neris		135		65.1	3		79		3.72		1.01	
Hunter Brown		437	12	20.1	0		22		0.89	2	1.08	
Jaime Barria		63		79.1	0		54		2.61		1.03	
Jalen Beeks		158		61	2		70		2.8		1.16	
James Karinchak		345	16	39	3		62		2.08		1.1	
Jason Adam		416	13	63.1	8		75		1.56	12	0.76	5T
Jesse Chavez		70		69.1	0		74		3.76		1.31	
Jimmy Herget		199		69	9		63		2.48		0.91	13T
Jimmy Lambert		78		47	0		45		3.25		1.36	
Joe Barlow		124		35	13		28		3.86		1.14	
Joe Jimenez		177		56.2	2		77		3.49		1.09	
Joe Mantioly		155		60	2		61		2.85		1.08	
John Brebbia		58		68	0		54		3.18		1.31	
John Schreiber		221		65	8		74		2.21		0.98	
Jorge Lopez		215		71	23	13	72		2.54		1.18	
Jose Alvarado		275		51	2		81		3.18		1.22	
Jose Leclerc		169		47.2	7		54		2.83		1.13	
JP Feyereisen		750	1T	24.1	1		25		0	1	0.49	1
Keegan Akin		137		81.2	2		77		3.2		1.09	
Kendall Graveman		85		65	6		66		3.19		1.4	
Kyle Finnegan		144		66.2	11		70		3.51		1.14	
Lucas Luetge		90		57.1	2		60		2.67		1.4	
Luis Garcia		139		61	3		68		3.39		1.21	
Manny Banuelos		0		41	1		42		4.39		1.29	
Mark Leiter		83		67.2	3		73		3.99		1.14	
Mark Melancon		0		56	18		35		4.66		1.5	
Matt Brash		0		50.2	0		62		4.44		1.56	
Matt Bush		161		59.2	3		74		3.47		1.02	
Matt Moore		226		74	5		83	17T	1.95	19	1.18	
Matt Strahm		102		44.2	4		52		3.83		1.23	
Matt Wisler		146		44	1		35		2.25		1	
Matthew Boyd		334	18	13.1	0		13		1.35	8	0.97	
Michael Fulmer		78		63.2	3		61		3.39		1.37	
Michael King		216		51	1		66		2.29		1	
Mychal Givens		109		61.1	2		71		3.38		1.32	
Nabil Crismatt		136		67.1	0		65		2.94		1.17	
Nick Sandlin		163		44	0		41		2.25		1.16	
Penn Murfee		175		69.1	0		76		2.99		0.95	18T
Peter Fairbanks	20	750	1T	24	8		38		1.12	3	0.67	2
Rafael Montero		204		68.1	14		73		2.37		1.02	
Reynaldo Lopez		167		65.1	0		63		2.75		0.95	18T
Robert Suarez		209		47.2	1		61		2.27		1.05	

The 21st Century Media Alliance

What initially began as a small coalition of like-minded growing New Media and creative organizations has flourished into a well-rounded creative juggernaut that transcends the notion of traditional labeling. The 21st Century Media Alliance is an umbrella of cooperative companies and professionals that is pursuing many synergistic opportunities and projects. Possessed of varying yet often complementary skill sets, Alliance members are bound by their core principles of inventiveness, communication, pragmatism and dedication to their efforts and those of the larger group. In a great many creative areas, if you're looking to have a job performed the right way, chances are that you need look no further than The 21st Century Media Alliance.

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Exp	UQB	Rk	INNS	S	Rk	KO	Rk	ERA	Rk	WHIP	Rk
Ron Marinaccio	223		44	0		56		2.05		1.05	
Ryan Tepera	91		57.1	6		47		3.61		1.08	
Ryan Yarbrough	0		80	0		61		4.5		1.38	
Ryne Stanek	362	15	54.2	1		62		1.15	5	1.23	
Sam Hentges	201		62	1		72		2.32		0.97	
Sam Long	50		42.1	1		33		3.61		1.25	
Scott Effross	177		56.2	4		62		2.54		1.06	
Seranthony Dominguez	173		51	9		61		3		1.14	
Seth Lugo	126		65	3		69		3.6		1.17	
Steven Okert	156		51.1	0		63		2.98		1.17	
Steven Wilson	150		53	1		53		3.06		1.06	
Tanner Houck	143		60	8		56		3.15		1.18	
Tanner Scott	0		62.2	20	15T	90	7T	4.31		1.61	
Taylor Rogers	105		64.1	31	9	84	14T	4.76		1.18	
Tim Mayza	135		48.2	2		44		3.14		1.11	
Trevor Stephan	181		63.2	3		82	19T	2.69		1.18	
Trevor Williams	121		89.2	1		84	14T	3.21		1.23	
Tyler Danish	0		40.1	0		32		5.13		1.29	
Vince Velasquez	0		75.1	0		69		4.78		1.23	
Wandy Peralta	130		56.1	4		47		2.72		1.05	
Wil Crowe	0		76	4		68		4.38		1.39	
Wily Peralta	0		38.1	0		32		2.58		1.51	
Yimi Garcia	143		61	1		58		3.1		1.05	
Zach Jackson	188		48	3		67		3		1.27	
Zack Thompson	168		34.2	1		27		2.08		0.98	

World Baseball Classic Preview/ League Guidelines/ Fantasy Draft Board

- Shohei Ohtani
- Mike Trout
- Juan Soto
- Ronald Acuna
- Julio Rodriguez
- Kyle Tucker
- Vladimir Guerrero
- Pete Alonso
- Trea Turner
- Jose Altuve
- Mookie Betts
- Paul Goldschmidt
- Manny Machado
- Bobby Witt
- Kyle Schwarber
- Rafael Devers
- Francisco Lindor
- Nolan Arenado
- Sandy Alcantara
- Wander Franco
- J.T. Realmuto
- Edwin Diaz
- Will Smith
- Cedric Mullins
- Ryan Pressly
- Salvador Perez
- Devin Williams
- Eloy Jimenez
- Luis Robert
- Starling Marte
- Teoscar Hernandez
- Cristian Javier
- Yu Darvish
- Framber Valdez
- Clayton Kershaw
- Logan Webb
- Lance Lynn
- Luis Arraez
- Andres Gimenez
- Trevor Story
- Tim Anderson
- Luis Garcia
- Brady Singer
- Daniel Bard
- Felix Bautista
- Camilo Doval
- Seiya Suzuki
- Masataka Yoshida
- Javier Baez
- Yoan Moncada
- Merrill Kelly
- Miles Mikolas
- Marcus Stroman
- Jose Berrios
- Kyle Freeland

The fifth edition of the World Baseball Classic will be taking place from March 8-21 with probably the most star-studded field yet. Fox and all of its associated entities (FS1, FS2, Fox Deportes, Tubi and the Fox Sports app) have the American broadcasting rights. Logistics are as follows:

^ Pool A will play in Taiching, Taiwan, with the home team being joined by the Netherlands, Cuba, Italy and Panama.

^ Pool B – and the quarterfinals – will play in Tokyo, with the home team being joined by South Korea, Australia, China and the Czech Republic.

^ Pool C will play in Phoenix, with the home team being joined by Mexico, Colombia, Canada and Great Britain.

^ Pool D – and the quarterfinals, semifinals and championship – will be played in Miami, with Puerto Rico, Venezuela, the Dominican Republic, Israel and the Netherlands.

The Pacific Rim quarterfinals will match the winner of Pool A and the semifinalist in Pool B as well as the semifinalist in Pool A and the winner of Pool B. The Miami quarterfinals will match the winner of Pool C and the semifinalist in Pool D as well as the semifinalist in Pool C and the winner in Pool D. Here's our projections for this tournament:

QUARTERFINALS:

South Korea over Netherlands
Japan over Taiwan
Venezuela over Mexico
United States over Puerto Rico

SEMIFINALS

Venezuela over South Korea
United States over Japan

FINALS

United States over Venezuela

Sportsology

Baseball, football, hoops, hockey, pro wrestling, music, it matters not: nobody, but nobody, brings it stronger!

NOTE: Here's our recommended scoring. These categories should be used, with the number of points awarded for each in parentheses: Single (1), Double (2), Triple (3), HR (4), Hitter K (- 1), Run (1), RBI (1), SB (1), Win (10), Save (5), IP- ER (1), K (1). For this format, a standard serpentine draft is preferred.

- Alexis Diaz
- Willson Contreras
- Adam Wainwright
- Johnny Cueto
- Jose Miranda
- Seth Lugo
- Ketel Marte
- Jhoan Duran
- David Bednar
- Reynaldo Lopez
- Yordan Alvarez
- Freddie Freeman
- Jazz Chisholm
- Tommy Edman
- Xander Bogaerts
- Randy Arozarena
- Julio Urias
- Jose Abreu
- Tyler O'Neill
- Vinnie Pasquantino
- Jordan Romano
- Kenley Jansen
- Joc Pederson
- Ranger Suarez
- Yoenis Cespedes

One Sentence To Sum Up Each MLB Team

AL EAST

Tampa Bay: The best-managed undercapitalized team in sports still needs more power, but shouldn't be hobbled by injuries like in 2022.

New York Yankees: Judge and Rizzo are back and joined by Rodon, which is great, but the lineup is aging and the left side of the infield is poop.

Toronto: We'll see if the offseason tweaks can transform this team from a talented squad that tanks in October to one that can actually finish.

Baltimore: After a long bottoming-out, the team that could rule the 2nd half of the 2020s is emerging, but the farm & pitching won't stop a retrench this year.

Boston: The abandonment of the "Yankees Jr." identity over the past few years is fatal without wild spending to cover up a so-so farm system.

AL CENTRAL

Cleveland: More power could establish this team as a legitimate World Series candidate, but alas, this team is still owned by the Dolans, so, oh well.

Chicago White Sox: The biggest underachievers of '22 must confront the question of whether the slide of key players like Moncada & Giolito can be reversed.

Minnesota: Trading the batting champ for a middling pitching upgrade is indicative of why so many cheap teams in both Central Divisions are self-limiting.

Kansas City: Most teams this bad would at least have a hope or a plan or a farm system, but hey, the local fans can say "at least there's the Chiefs!"

Detroit: They looked to be on the verge of a leap a year ago, but instead the leap was straight into the Detroit River and they're not swimming out this season.

AL WEST

Houston: No Verlander, but no vulnerability for the best-balanced team in the game and a real threat to become the first repeat champions since 1999-2000.

Seattle: A very good emerging core can keep this squad in contention for years, but the presence of top-flight pitching is what will make-or-break title hopes.

Texas: The checkbook will buy a good-sized glow-up, but the degree of progress may depend on whether the '22 jumps of SP Perez & 1B Lowe are for real.

Los Angeles Angels: Just like the Rams and Lakers, this LA team maintains a stars-and-scrubs dynamic, criminally wasting the primes of Ohtani and Trout.

Oakland: This franchise is back at the point, where they end up every couple of years, when anything good that happens will be completely by accident.

NL EAST

Atlanta: They stubbed their toe in October after running down the Mets, but they shouldn't have any weaknesses & should be poised for another autumn run.

New York Mets: 3rd base won't be known as the Corrao Peninsula after all, but the lineup should still be able to help the rotation enough to hang in the East.

Philadelphia: Adding Turner while losing Harper a good chunk of the year probably represents status quo, 3rd in the East with a chance to win the pennant.

Miami: The Marlins have an excellent rotation, but little-to-no semblance of a plan when it comes to the rest of the lineup, which is fatal in this division.

Washington: At least the fans got a championship in 2019 after years of underachieving, because now they're saddled with manure for years to come.

NL CENTRAL

St. Louis: The game's most consistent metronome, they'll be in the playoffs because of their crappy division, but OF depth & SP power will hold them back.

Milwaukee: The top end of the rotation keeps them at the fringe of October, but there are lineup holes, requiring Yelich to make a rebound he may not have.

Chicago Cubs: The most overpriced commodity this side of crypto a year ago, the rebuild is underway, but not to a serious degree this year or probably next.

Cincinnati: The rotation screams "help" and the lineup screams "mismatched parts," but other than that, they're doing just fine!

THE TOP 75 PLAYERS IN PRO BASKETBALL HISTORY

The NBA's 75th Anniversary has prompted a wave of Best-Of lists, but few with the substance to reinforce the selections. Authors Rick Morris, Ben Chew and Russ Cohen came together to create a list of the top 75 pro basketball players ever, with evidence to justify the placement of each -- as well as biographical details, comparisons of various legends, little-known-but-interesting tidbits, what-if scenarios and much more. Additionally, the book includes our year-by-year ranking of the top players in pro basketball and rosters for hypothetical "Olympic Dream Teams" had they existed prior to 1992. This is a book that is crafted for sports fans who are interested in learning more about the rich history of pro basketball.

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