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**NEW YORK METS (56-34)**  
FIRST PLACE, NL EAST, 2.0 GA

**CHICAGO CUBS (34-55)**  
FOURTH PLACE, NL CENTRAL, 15.0 GB

Saturday, July 16, 2022 • 2:20 P.M. ET/8:05 P.M. ET

Wrigley Field • Chicago, IL

**G1: RHP Taijuan Walker (7-2, 2.63) vs. RHP Marcus Stroman (2-5, 4.91)**

**G2: RHP Max Scherzer (6-1, 2.15) vs. LHP Drew Smyly (2-5, 4.43)**

**WPIX (G1) • SNY (G2) • WCBS 880 AM • ESPN 1050**



**METSCELLANEOUS:** The Mets were rained out yesterday...The team opened their final series before the All-Star break with an 8-0 victory over the Cubs...The Mets have won back-to-back games and three of their last four contests...The Mets are 45-10 when scoring first this season...New York is 20-5-3 in 28 series this year...The Mets are in a stretch of 17 games in 17 days (9-5) to finish out the first-half...The Mets finish the first half of the season with a seven game road trip (3-1) to Atlanta (2-1) and Chicago-NL (1-0)...Following the All-Star break, the Mets return to Citi Field for a six-day, five-game homestand against the Padres (three games) and Yankees (two games).

**LET'S PLAY TWO:** New York is set to play its sixth doubleheader of the season today...The team's five doubleheaders so far are tied for third in the majors...It will be the club's 19th double dip since 2021, more than any other team in the majors...The Mets have earned at least a split in all 19 of their twinbills over the last two years...Elias notes the team's streak of 19 consecutive doubleheaders without being swept is the longest in Mets history...New York has swept three of their last six doubleheaders, including two DH sweeps this season...The last time the Mets were swept in a doubleheader was September 26, 2020 at Washington.

**DOUBLE MINT GUM:** The Mets are slated to play a doubleheader against the Cubs for the first time since April 22, 2000 at Shea Stadium...The Mets won both games...The last time the Mets played a twinbill in Chicago was on July 24, 1988...The Mets won both games as well...The Mets have swept the last three doubleheaders at Wrigley Field including their twinbill on June 13, 1990 and on August 6, 1986.

**THE FUTURE IS BRIGHT:** Tonight, catcher Francisco Álvarez and infielder Mark Vientos will participate in the SiriusXM All-Star Futures Game at Dodger Stadium at 7 p.m. ET...Álvarez, 20, is ranked as the top prospect in the Mets system and the No. 2 prospect in baseball according to MLB Pipeline...Vientos, 22, ranks fifth in the organization.

**THE FRIENDLY CONFINES:** Francisco Lindor is a .350 (14-40) career hitter with seven runs, four doubles, two home runs, seven RBI and eight walks in 10 regular season games at Wrigley Field...Brandon Nimmo has hit .346 (9-26) with two runs, two doubles, a home run, three RBI, with a walk and a .909 OPS in seven career games at Wrigley...J.D. Davis has hit .412 (7-17) at the ballpark with three runs, two doubles, a home run, three RBI and three walks in seven games...Travis Jankowski is .348 (8-23) with seven runs with three RBI and five walks in 10 games three...Starling Marte has played 64 career games at Wrigley, hitting .270/.323/.463 with 12 doubles, four triples, 10 home runs, 16 walks and 34 RBI.

**HOT IN JULY:** New York's 2.54 team ERA this month is the third-best mark in the majors, trailing only Seattle (2.34) and Atlanta (2.40)...The club's is tied for the lead in the majors with 155 strikeouts in July...Mets starters have gone 7-3 with 2.55 ERA (23 earned runs/81.1 innings) with 18 walks and 100 strikeouts in 14 games in July...Their 2.55 ERA places them third...Their 100 strikeouts in July are the most in the NL and second-most in MLB.

**1010 WINS:** Carlos Carrasco recorded his 10th win of the season last night, tied for fourth in the majors...He is the first Mets pitcher to reach double-digit wins before the All-Star break since R.A. Dickey won a dozen games in the first half in 2012...Carrasco has reached double-digit victories for the fifth time in his career (also, 2015-2018)...He has gotten to 10 wins before the All-Star break three times before (2015, 2017, 2018).

**BLANK STREET COFFEE:** The Mets tossed their 13th shutout of the season on Thursday...That is the most in the major leagues...The 2021 Mets recorded eight shutouts all season...The last time the team recorded more than 13 shutouts was in 2018 when they tossed a total of 15...New York has not had 13 shutout wins before the break since 2010...Since 2000, only two teams have had more shutouts in the first half: the 2014 Cardinals (17) and 2014 Rangers (14)...The 2010 Mets also had 13 pre-break shutout wins...On the other side, the Mets have been blanked just five times this season.

**WALKER THIS WAY:** Over his last six starts, Taijuan Walker has gone 4-0 with a 1.85 ERA (eight earned runs/39.0 innings) with eight walks and 43 strikeouts...That is the fourth lowest ERA in the majors in that span...He lowered his ERA from 3.28 to 2.63 in that span as well...Overall, he is 7-2 with a 2.63 ERA (25 earned runs/85.2 innings) with 23 walks and 68 strikeouts...His 2.63 ERA in the first half is the lowest of his career...It is slightly better than his 2.66 mark (28 earned runs/94.2 innings) in 2021...He is 4-0 with a 0.98 ERA (five earned runs/46.0 innings) in seven starts in the daytime this year...His 0.98 ERA in the sunshine is fifth in the majors and the second-best mark in the Senior Circuit.

**DROVE TO CHICAGO, ALL THINGS KNOW:** The Mets have homered in nine straight games at Wrigley Field...The team has homered 16 times in the streak that started on August 29, 2018...That is tied for the second-longest streak in franchise history...The team has recorded nine consecutive games with a home run at the ballpark three other times...Their most recent streak is nine games (17 home runs) from June 12, 1990-May 28, 1991...The longest streak in Mets history is 10 games from August 5, 1986-August 13, 1987.

**LAKE SHORE FIVE:** According to *Sportradar*, the Mets have five players with 80+ hits this year: Pete Alonso (89), Starling Marte (89), Brandon Nimmo (86), Francisco Lindor (85) and Jeff McNeil (83)...Toronto is the only other team in the majors with five players with 80 or more hits...Five MLB teams have not a single player with 80 or more knocks.

**GIMME A BREAK:** The Mets have won 56 games before the All-Star break this season, despite the first slate of games being rescheduled due to the lockout...That is the second-most wins before the break in franchise history...Only the 1986 Mets (59-25) won more games before the break...The last time the Mets won 50 or more games before the break was in 2006 (53-36)...The Mets are looking to head into the break in first place for the second straight season...This would mark just the second time in franchise history that the Mets head into the break in first place in back-to-back seasons (also, 2006-2007).

**CUBS-METS NOTES:** The Mets have gone 5-19 against the Cubs in Chicago during the regular season since 2014.

2022:	1-0	2021:	3-4	History:	366-387-2
@NY:	0-0	@NY:	3-1	@NY:	197-179-1
@CHC:	1-0	@CHC:	0-3	@CHC:	174-208-1

**DAY MAN:** New York is 24-14 in day games this season...The team's .632 winning percentage in the sunlight is the third-best in the majors and the best in the National League...The Mets have posted a 3.08 ERA with 95 walks and 367 strikeouts in the daytime...Their 3.08 ERA in the daytime is third in the majors and first in the NL.

**GLASS HALF FULL:** Mets pitchers have struck out 856 batters this season...That is a franchise record for most strikeouts in the first half of a season...The previous record with 837 through 94 games in 2018...The Mets rank third in the majors with 856 strikeouts this season...On the other side of the ball, the Mets have struck out 683 times in the Senior Circuit...The Mets have struck out 15 or more batters in a game six times this year, which is tied for the second-most in the majors...The team has struck out 10 or more in a game 47 times this year, the most in the majors.

**ALONSO ON ADDISON STREET:** Pete Alonso has homered six times in eight career games at Wrigley Field...That is tied with Gary Gaetti for the most home runs through eight career games at Wrigley Field...He is a .270 (8-29) hitter with eight runs, a double, 10 RBI, five walks with a .400 OBP and a .931 SLG in eight career games at the ballpark...In his career, he has hit 75 home runs on the road...That is seventh on the Mets all-time list...Dave Kingman is next with 81.

### METS FIRST HALF RBI-HR RECORDS

Rank	Player	Year	RBI	Games	Rank	Player	Year	HR	Games
1st	Pete Alonso	2022	74	88	1st	Pete Alonso	2019	30	89
	David Wright	2006	74	87		Dave Kingman	1976	30	86
3rd	Mike Piazza	2000	72	74	3rd	Carlos Beltran	2006	25	78
4th	David Wright	2008	70	94	4th	Pete Alonso	2022	24	88
5th	Dave Kingman	1976	69	86		Mike Piazza	2000	24	74
6th	Pete Alonso	2019	68	89	5th	Jay Bruce	2017	23	81
	Carlos Beltran	2006	68	78		Todd Hundley	1996	23	83

**WHERE THERE'S A WILL, THERE'S A SAVE:** Trevor Williams recorded a 3.0-inning save on Thursday, the first save of his professional career...He has thrown 10.0 consecutive scoreless innings, allowing just five hits with 11 strikeouts and zero walks in that span.

**FEEL THE ILLINOISE:** Colin Holderman grew up in Bourbonnais, IL, roughly 60 miles from Wrigley Field...He recorded four wins in his first 13 major league appearances...That is the third-most wins by a Mets reliever in his first 13 major league games...Only Drew Gagnon (five in 2018) and Roger McDowell (five in 1985) had more...Overall the rookie is 4-0 with a 2.25 ERA (four earned runs/16.0 innings) with seven walks and 17 strikeouts...Opponents are batting .204 against him...Righties are 6-31 (.194) against him.

**EIGHT IS GREAT:** Lindor is on an eight-game hitting streak, batting .278 (10-36) with four runs, a double, one triple, three home runs, eight RBI and an .908 OPS in that span...It ties his longest hitting streak since joining the Mets...Lindor also had an eight-game streak from May 27-June 6, 2021...In 14 games this month, Lindor is batting .259/.317/.517 with seven runs, a double, one triple, four home runs, four walks and nine RBI...He has posted a 3.3 fWAR this year which places him 10th in the National League.

**LINSANE IN THE MEMBRANE:** Francisco Lindor has recorded 65 RBI in 89 games this year...Lindor recorded a total of 63 RBI in 2021...Francisco Lindor set a franchise record with the most RBI by a shortstop before the All-Star break...José Reyes was the previous record holder, collecting 43 RBI before the 2008 Midsummer Classic...He's broken his own record for most RBI before the break (62) when playing with Cleveland in 2018.

**DOMINATING DÍAZ:** Edwin Díaz, the reigning NL Reliever of the Month, has posted a 1-0 record with nine saves, a 0.51 ERA (one earned run/17.2 innings) with 10 hits, three walks and 39 strikeouts over his last 18 appearances since May 27...He has recorded 19 saves this season, tied for the fourth in the majors...He leads the major leagues among relievers with 73 strikeouts...His 18.08 strikeouts per nine innings is the best in the majors...No other reliever has a K/9 rate over 16.00...He has struck out 73 of the 142 batters he faced, good for 51.4%...He is 2-1 with 19 saves, a 1.73 ERA (seven earned runs/35.1 innings), allowing 25 hits and 12 walks...The Mets are 33-4 when Díaz appears in a game this year.

**CONNECT FOUR:** New York is 48-5 when scoring at least four runs in a game...The team's 47 wins when scoring at least four runs is third in the majors...Their .906 winning percentage when scoring four or more runs is the best in the majors...The Mets have won 16 consecutive games in which they've scored at least four runs, and are 26-1 since May 27 when scoring at least four times...The 2021 Mets went 62-19 when scoring four or more.

**ON THE RECORD:** New York has won 56 games this season, the second-most in the National League...Their .622 winning percentage is fourth in the majors and is the second-best in the NL...The team has posted a 56-34 record through the team's first 90 games...Only the 1986 (62-28) team posted a better record through the first 90 games of the season...The Mets are a season-high 22 games above .500...The last time the Mets were 22 games over .500 was on September 27, 2015, when team was 89-67, their high-water mark for that season...The last time the team was 23 or more games over .500 was at the end of the 2006 season (97-65).

at Chicago  
Sun. July 17

LHP David Peterson (5-2, 3.48) vs. RHP Adrian Sampson (0-1, 3.33)

2:20 p.m. ET (SNY, WCBS 880 AM, ESPN 1050)

## UPCOMING OPPONENTS & PITCHING



# TAIJUAN WALKER RHP #99

## 2022 STATS: 7-2, 2.63 ERA

Height/Weight: 6-4/253 Bats/Throws: S/R  
 Born: Shreveport, LA Age: 29 (August 13, 1992)  
 Resides: Paradise Valley, AZ Signed Through: 2022

2022 GAME LOG (15 GS/8 QS) METS RECORD: 8-7

Date	Opp.	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	K	NP	ERA
4/11	@PHI	ND, 4-5	2.0	0	0	0	0	0	4	30	0.00
4/30	PHI	ND, 1-4	5.0	2	0	0	0	2	1	73	0.00
5/5	@PHI	ND, 8-7	4.0	9	7	6	2	2	2	80	4.91
5/12	@WAS	W, 4-1	7.0	3	0	0	0	1	1	85	3.00
5/17 (2)	STL	ND, 3-4	5.0	7	3	3	0	2	4	94	3.52
5/22	@COL	W, 2-0	7.0	5	0	0	0	2	6	97	2.70
5/28	PHI	W, 8-2	5.0	6	2	2	0	3	1	88	2.83
6/2	@LAD	L, 2-0	5.2	7	2	2	0	1	2	94	2.88
6/7	@SD	L, 7-0	6.0	5	4	4	1	2	4	103	3.28
6/12	@LAA	W, 4-1	6.0	6	1	1	0	1	10	97	3.08
6/18	MIA	W, 3-2	6.2	2	1	1	0	1	9	97	2.88
6/24	@MIA	W, 5-3	6.0	8	3	3	0	2	5	99	3.03
6/29	HOU	ND, 0-2	7.1	4	0	0	0	2	3	93	2.72
7/4	@CIN	W, 7-4	6.0	4	3	3	1	1	9	97	2.86
7/10	vs. MIA	ND, 0-2	7.0	3	0	0	0	1	7	99	2.63

### WALKER'S PITCH ARSENAL

Pitch Type	Usage Rate	vs. LHB	vs. RHB	Avg. Velocity
Four-Seam Fastball	30%	28%	31%	93.9 mph
Split Finger	29%	31%	26%	88.8 mph
Slider	18%	9%	24%	85.0 mph
Sinker	10%	7%	11%	93.0 mph
Curveball	8%	12%	5%	74.9 mph
Cutter	6%	13%	2%	88.9 mph

### WALKER NEWS & NOTES

**LAST TIME OUT:** Tossed 7.0 scoreless innings against the Marlins on July 10 at Citi Field...Allowed three hits, issued one walk and struck out seven batters...Was his seventh career start of at least 7.0 innings and three or fewer hits allowed.

**NO FLY ZONE:** Walker has allowed just four home runs in 85.2 innings this season, good for a 0.42 HR/9 ratio...That ranks fifth in the majors and third in the NL among pitchers with at least 70.0 innings...Walker allowed a three-run home run to Brandon Drury in third inning on July 4, ending a season-high streak of 32.2 innings, spanning five starts...In five starts from May 12-June 2, Walker had not yielded a long ball, totaling 29.2 innings...The streak ended after he allowed a leadoff home run to Jurickson Profar on June 7.

**FLYING THROUGH 15:** Through 15 starts this season, Walker is 7-2 with a 2.63 ERA (25 earned runs/85.2 innings)...His seven wins are the most in Walker's career through his first 15 starts...His 2.44 ERA (23 earned runs/85.0 innings) in 2021 was his best total through his first 15 starts of the season...He is the only pitcher to allow six or fewer home runs through their first 15 starts in each of the last two seasons.

**QUALITY EATS:** Walker has tossed a quality start in each of his last six starts, tied for the longest streak of his career...During that span, Walker is 4-1 with a 2.40 ERA (12 earned runs/45.0 innings) with 47 strikeouts and 10 walks... It is tied with Marcus Stroman (5/21/21 - 6/17/21) for the third longest quality start streak by a Mets pitcher since 2019...From May 29, 2015 - July 1, 2015, Walker threw a career-best seven straight quality starts.

**VS. CHICAGO-NL:** In three career starts against the Cubs, Walker is 1-2 with a 4.60 ERA (eight earned runs/15.2 innings)...In his lone career start at Wrigley Field, Walker suffered the loss on April 20, 2021 after allowing two earned runs over 3.2 innings...During that start, Walker issued a career-high six walks...On June 15, 2021, Walker struck out a career-high 12 batters against the Cubs at Citi Field.

**SPLIT-FINGER SUCCESS:** In 15 starts this season, Walker has used his splitter 28 percent of the time and has held opposing hitters a .164 (19-116) batting average in at-bats ending in the pitch...35 of Walker's 68 strikeouts this season have come via the splitter.

**SHINE BRIGHT IN THE DAYLIGHT:** In seven day game starts this season, Walker is 4-0 with a 0.98 ERA (five earned runs/46.0 innings)...Walker's day game ERA ranks number one in the majors among pitchers with at least five daytime starts...Walker also ranks in the top ten in opponent's OPS, WHIP, and wins during the day (Min five day starts).

**ROAD IMPROVEMENT:** In nine road starts this season, Walker is 5-2 with a 3.44 ERA (19 earned runs/49.2 innings)...His five road wins are tied for fourth in the majors...Last season, Walker went 3-7 with a 5.82 ERA (44 earned runs/68.0 innings) in 14 road starts.

**LIMITING LEFTIES:** Since 2021, Walker has held left-handed batters to .201 (73-363) average, the seventh-best mark among right-handed pitchers in that span (min. 300 LHB faced)...Since his debut year, 2013, Walker has limited left-handed batters to a .230 (340-1480) average, 12th-best among right-handed arms during that span (min. 1,500 LHB faced).

### TOMORROW'S STARTER: RHP MAX SCHERZER (6-1, 2.15)

**LAST TIME OUT:** Earned his sixth win of the season after allowing one run on three hits in 7.0 innings of work against the Braves at Truist Park...Passed CC Sabathia to move into 17th place on the all-time strikeout list.

**STRIKEOUTS ARE SEXY:** Scherzer's 33.2 percent strikeout rate is highest ever by a Met in his first 10 starts for the team...Only Dwight Gooden (32.4 percent) had Pedro Martinez (31.7 percent) are the only other Mets to fan at least 30 percent of his batters faced in their first 10 starts with the club.

	W-L	ERA	G	GS	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	K
2021	7-11	4.47	30	29	159.0	133	84	79	26	55	146
2022	7-2	2.63	15	15	85.2	71	26	25	4	23	68
Career	49-47	3.83	153	149	826.1	745	400	352	111	262	742

WALKER VS. LHB					WALKER VS. RHB				
YEAR	AVG	AB	H	HR	YEAR	AVG	AB	H	HR
2022	.221	113	25	2	2022	.228	202	46	2
Career	.230	1480	340	59	Career	.246	1644	405	51

### WALKER VS. CHICAGO - NL

Last Win: 6/24 @ MIA Last Loss: 8/3/21 @ MIA  
 Career Record vs. CHC (3 starts): 1-2, 4.60 ERA (8 ER/15.2 IP)  
 Career vs. CHC at Home (2 starts): 1-1, 4.50 ERA (6 ER/12.0 IP)  
 Career vs. CHC on Road (1 start): 0-1, 4.91 ERA (2 ER/3.2 IP)

Cubs Batters vs. Walker			
AVG	HR BB SO	AVG	HR BB SO
Contreras .200 (1-5)	0 1 1	Ortega .000 (0-2)	0 0 1
Gomes .273 (3-11)	0 0 2	Simmons 1.000 (2-2)	0 1 0
Happ .250 (1-4)	0 2 3	Wisdom .500 (1-2)	0 0 1
Heyward .143 (1-7)	0 0 0		

### WALKER'S SEASON + CAREER HIGHS

2022 Season	Career
4 (6/12 - present)	Win Streak 5 (6/15-7/1/15)
10 (6/12 @ LAA)	Strikeouts 12 (6/15/21 vs. CHC)
1 (10 K, 6/12 @ LAA)	10+ K Games 10 (last, 10 K, 6/12/22 @ LAA)
11.0 IP (6/11-6/18)	Scoreless Streak 13.0 IP (6/25-7/7/15)
--	Low Hits, CG 1 (7/31/15 SEA @ MIN)
9 (5/5 @ PHI)	High Hits, Game 10 (2x, last 6/20/21 @ WAS)
2 (5/5 @ PHI)	High HR, Game 3 (10x, last 9/11/21 vs. NYY)
7 (5/5 @ PHI)	High Runs, Game 9 (4/10/15 SEA @ OAK)
3 (5/28 vs. PHI)	High Walks, Game 6 (2x, last, 4/20/21 @ CHC)
7.1 (6/29 vs. HOU)	IP, Game 9.0 (2x, last, 9/13/16 SEA @ LAA)
0	Complete Games 3 (last, 9/13/16 SEA @ LAA)
0	Shutouts 1 (9/13/16 SEA @ LAA)

### SCHERZER VS. CHICAGO - NL

Last Win: 5/19/21 @ CHC Last Loss: 5/17/19 vs. CHC  
 Career Record vs. CHC (10 starts): 5-2, 2.81 ERA (20 ER/64.0 IP)  
 Career vs. CHC at Home (4 starts): 3-1, 2.57 ERA (8 ER/28.0 IP)  
 Career vs. CHC on Road (6 starts): 2-1, 3.00 ERA (12 ER/36.0 IP)

**LAST START VS. CHICAGO-NL:** Earned the win at Wrigley Field after allowing two runs over 5.0 innings...Struck out eight batters and issued four walks.

### NEW YORK METS PITCHING BREAKDOWN

	W-L-S	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	K	AVG
STARTERS	40-22	3.79	487.1	435	212	205	60	135	496	.238
RELIEVERS	16-12-25	3.53	313.1	228	135	123	41	118	360	.225
TOTALS	56-34-25	3.69	800.2	697	347	328	101	253	856	.233

	W-L-S	ERA	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	K	AVG
HOME	28-15-11	3.31	392.0	320	151	144	39	130	416	.222
ROAD	28-18-14	4.05	408.2	377	196	184	62	123	440	.243
TOTALS	56-34-25	3.69	800.2	697	347	328	101	253	856	.233



# MAX SCHERZER RHP

## 2022 STATS: 6-1, 2.15 ERA

# #21

**Height/Weight:** 6-3/216  
**Born:** St. Louis, MO  
**Resides:** Jupiter, FL

**Bats/Throws:** R/R  
**Age:** 37 (July 27, 1984)  
**Signed Through:** 2024

### 2022 GAME LOG (10 GS/7 QS)

METS RECORD: 7-3

Date	Opp.	Dec.	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	K	NP	ERA
4/8	@WAS	W, 7-3	6.0	3	3	3	1	1	6	80	4.50
4/13	@PHI	W, 9-6	5.0	5	1	1	0	3	7	96	3.27
4/19	SF	W, 3-1	7.0	1	1	1	0	3	10	102	2.50
4/25	@STL	ND, 5-2	7.0	2	0	0	0	1	10	101	1.80
5/1	PHI	W, 10-6	6.0	5	4	4	3	1	9	94	2.61
5/8	@PHI	L, 3-2	6.0	10	3	3	1	0	7	101	2.92
5/13	SEA	ND, 1-2	7.0	3	1	1	0	2	6	98	2.66
5/18	STL	W, 11-4	5.2	7	2	1	0	0	4	87	2.54
7/5	@CIN	ND, 0-1	6.0	2	0	0	0	0	11	79	2.26
7/11	@ATL	W, 4-1	7.0	3	1	1	1	0	9	93	2.15

Rehab Assignment with Binghamton (AA)

6/21	REA	ND	3.1	3	2	2	1	1	6	65	5.40
6/29	@HFD	ND	4.2	4	3	2	0	1	8	80	4.50

### SCHERZER'S PITCH ARSENAL

Pitch Type	Usage Rate	vs. LHB	vs. RHB	Avg. Velocity
Four-Seam Fastball	45%	46%	44%	93.8 mph
Slider	20%	0%	41%	85.2 mph
Changeup	14%	18%	10%	84.1 mph
Cutter	11%	22%	1%	89.2 mph
Curveball	9%	14%	5%	75.8 mph

### SCHERZER NEWS & NOTES

**LAST TIME OUT:** Earned the win after he tossed 7.0 innings of one-run ball, allowing just three hits with nine walks and no strikeouts on July 11 in Atlanta...Ran his a season-high scoreless streak to 15.2 innings before allowing a solo homer in the seventh inning.

**MAX K'S, MIN WALKS:** Since returning from the IL, Scherzer has racked up 20 strikeouts in 13.0 innings without walking a batter...He has not issued a walk in any of his last three starts and has walked just two batters in his last five starts (31.2 innings), producing 37 strikeouts in that span...This season, he has 79 strikeouts to just 11 walks, a ratio of 7.18 K/BB that ranks third in MLB (min. 60.0 innings).

**VS. CHICAGO-NL:** Scherzer is 5-2 in 10 career starts against the Cubs with a 2.81 ERA... He has allowed three runs or fewer in nine of the 10 outings...The lone exception came in 2016, when the soon-to-be World Champions tagged him for seven runs on seven hits, including a career-high-tying four home runs, in 5.0 innings at Wrigley Field... Scherzer has also made one postseason start at Wrigley Field, taking a no-hitter into the seventh inning in Game 3 of the 2017 NLDS.

**DIG DEEP:** Over the last two seasons, opponents are slashing .168/.232/.264 against Scherzer with runners in scoring position...That .496 OPS is the second-best mark in the majors (min. 125 batters faced with RISP) behind Shohei Ohtani's .369 OPS against...Scherzer has allowed no extra-base hits with runner(s) in scoring position this season...Clayton Kershaw is the only other starting pitcher who has faced 25 or more batters in RISP situations without yielding a single extra-base hit.

**FOUR MORE:** Scherzer has 196 career wins, five away from joining an exclusive club of active pitchers with 200+ victories...Justin Verlander (237) and Zack Greinke (222) are the only active hurlers who have won more than 200 games in their career...He is 196-98 in his career...If he wins four of his next five decisions, he will reach 200 career wins before losing 100 games...Elias says there are only five pitchers in the modern era whose 200th career win came before their 100th loss: Pedro Martinez (200-84), Juan Marichal (200-97), Whitey Ford (200-79), Lefty Grove (200-83) and Grover Cleveland Alexander (200-96).

**THE 7.0 LINE:** Scherzer has thrown 7.0 innings four times in 10 starts this season... Each time Scherzer has thrown 7.0 innings this season, he has finished his outing with three hits or fewer allowed...Despite missing seven weeks on the Injured List, those four outings of 7.0+ innings while allowing three or fewer hits are still tied for the most in the NL and tied for second-most in the majors...Scherzer's 56 such outings are the ninth-most all-time...Justin Verlander (58) ranks eighth and Pedro Martinez (59) ranks seventh.

**CLIMBING THE LEADERBOARD:** Scherzer entered the 2022 season as the active leader in strikeouts...He has since been passed by Justin Verlander, who has moved up to 16th on the all-time list...In his last two starts, Scherzer passed John Smoltz (3,084 strikeouts) and CC Sabathia (3,093 strikeouts) and currently ranks 17th on MLB's all-time strikeout list...Scherzer is still within striking distance of several pitchers above him this season...He trails Verlander by 12 strikeouts, is 17 behind Curt Schilling, 18 behind Bob Gibson and 55 behind Pedro Martinez...See below for a chart of the No. 10-19 strikeout pitchers of all-time:

### MOST STRIKEOUTS, ALL-TIME (NO. 10-19)

Rank	Player	Strikeouts	Rank	Player	Strikeouts
10.	Greg Maddux	3,371	15.	Curt Schilling	3,116
11.	Phil Niekro	3,342	16.	Justin Verlander	3,111
12.	Fergie Jenkins	3,192	17.	<b>Max Scherzer</b>	<b>3,099</b>
13.	Pedro Martinez	3,154	18.	CC Sabathia	3,093
14.	Bob Gibson	3,117	19.	John Smoltz	3,084

**STRIKEOUTS ARE SEXY:** Scherzer's 33.2 percent strikeout rate is the highest ever by a Met in his first 10 starts for the team...Dwight Gooden (32.4 percent) and Pedro Martinez (31.7 percent) are the only other Mets to fan at least 30 percent of his batters faced in their first 10 starts with the club...Scherzer recorded 79 punchouts in his first 10 starts, making him the only pitcher ever to whiff 75+ batters in his first 10 outings with three different franchises...He had 85 strikeouts in his first 10 starts with both the Nationals and Dodgers...Thanks to MLB's Sarah Langs.

### TOMORROW'S STARTER: LHP DAVID PETERSON (5-2, 3.48)

**LAST TIME OUT:** Took the loss at Atlanta on July 12...Allowed two runs on two hits with three walks and nine strikeouts in 5.1 innings at Truist Park...Threw a season-high 105 pitches.

**SWING AND A MISS:** Has a 13.5 K/9 rate in his last five starts, fanning 41 batters in 27.1 innings...Peterson has generated at least 12 swings and misses in five straight starts, causing 85 whiffs total in that span...Before this stretch, he had four starts total in his career in which he made opposing hitters swing and miss a dozen or more times...He has racked up at least seven strikeouts in five straight starts after never doing so in consecutive outings in his career previously.

	W-L	ERA	G	GS	IP	H	R	ER	HR	BB	K
2021	15-4	2.46	30	30	179.1	119	53	49	23	36	236
2022	6-1	2.15	10	10	62.2	41	16	15	6	11	79
<b>Career</b>	<b>196-98</b>	<b>3.13</b>	<b>417</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>2599.1</b>	<b>2113</b>	<b>975</b>	<b>905</b>	<b>293</b>	<b>688</b>	<b>3099</b>

### SCHERZER VS. LHB

### SCHERZER VS. RHB

YEAR	AVG	AB	H	HR	YEAR	AVG	AB	H	HR
2022	.180	100	18	5	2022	.190	121	23	1
<b>Career</b>	<b>.241</b>	<b>5056</b>	<b>1221</b>	<b>165</b>	<b>Career</b>	<b>.196</b>	<b>4550</b>	<b>892</b>	<b>128</b>

### SCHERZER VS. CHICAGO-NL

**Last Win:** 5/19/21 @ CHC **Last Loss:** 5/17/19 vs. CHC  
**Career Record vs. CHC (10 starts):** 5-2, 2.81 ERA (20 ER/64.0 IP)  
**Career vs. CHC at Home (4 starts):** 3-1, 2.57 ERA (8 ER/28.0 IP)  
**Career vs. CHC on Road (6 starts):** 2-1, 3.00 ERA (12 ER/36.0 IP)

### Cubs Batters vs. Scherzer

	AVG	HR	BB	SO	AVG	HR	BB	SO	
Bote	.250 (1-4)	0	0	1	Higgins	.000 (0-1)	0	0	1
Contreras	.200 (2-10)	0	2	4	Hoerner	.500 (1-2)	0	0	1
Gomes	.429 (3-7)	0	0	2	Ortega	.500 (3-6)	0	0	1
Happ	.111 (1-9)	0	0	6					

### SCHERZER'S SEASON + CAREER HIGHS

2022 Season	Career
15 (6/4/21-5/1/22)	15 (6/4/21-5/1/22)
11 (7/5 @ CIN)	20 (5/11/16, WAS vs. DET)
3 (last, 11 K, 7/5 @ CIN)	105 (last, 10 K, 4/19/22 vs. SF)
15.2 IP (5/18-7/11)	24.0 IP (6/14/15-6/26/15)
--	0 (2x, last, 10/3/15 @ NYM)
10 (5/8 @ PHI)	12 (2x, last, 5/21/14, DET @ CLE)
3 (5/1 vs. PHI)	4 (3x, last, 4/6/21, WAS vs. ATL)
4 (5/1 vs. PHI)	10 (2x, last, 6/17/14, DET vs. KC)
3 (2x, last, 4/19 vs. SF)	7 (4/29/12, DET @ NYY)
7.0 (4x, last, 7/11 @ ATL)	9.0 (10x, last, 5/2/21, WAS vs. MIA)
0	12 (last, 5/2/21, WAS vs. MIA)
0	5 (last, 4/9/18, WAS vs. ATL)

### PETERSON vs. CHICAGO-NL

**Last Win:** 6/14/22 vs. CHC **Last Loss:** 4/21/21 @ CHC  
**Career Record vs. CHC (2 starts):** 1-1, 2.89 ERA (3 ER/9.1 IP)  
**Career vs. CHC at Home (1 start):** 1-0, 0.00 ERA (0 ER/6.0 IP)  
**Career vs. CHC on Road (1 start):** 0-1, 8.10 ERA (3 ER/3.1 IP)

**LAST START VS. CUBS:** Defeated the Cubs after he threw 6.0 shutout innings and allowed just one hit on June 14 at Citi Field last season.

**#20 Pete Alonso | INF | .268, 24 HR, 74 RBI, 2 SB Road Trip: .176 (3-17), 2B, HR, 4 RBI, 3 R, BB, 8 K, HBP****Last Game:** 1-4, HR, 2 RBI, 2 R, HBP  
**Streak:** 2g (.222, 2-9), HR, 2 RBI, 2 R**Career vs. CHC:** .189 (10-53), 7 HR  
**RISP:** .282 (24-85), 4 2B, 10 HR, 53 RBI**Home:** .248 (37-149), 9 HR  
**Road:** .284 (52-183), 15 HR**vs. LHP:** .210 (17-81), 6 HR  
**vs. RHP:** .287 (72-251), 18 HR

- Is one RBI shy of breaking David Wright's franchise record for first-half RBI...Has five RBI in his last six games since he ended a career-high 10-game RBI drought and an 11-game home run dry spell with a solo shot on July 9 vs. Miami.
- Has 24 home runs, tied for the fourth-most in Mets history before the All-Star break.
- Has a 1.331 OPS with 10 RBI and eight runs scored in eight games at Wrigley Field...Six of his eight hits at the Friendly Confines have left the yard.
- Tied for the major league lead with 15 road home runs...Ranks seventh in Mets history with 75 career road homers...Dave Kingman (81) is next on the list.
- Drove in the go-ahead/game-winning run on July 11 at Atlanta...Has 12 game-winning RBI this season, most in MLB...Is tied for second with 17 go-ahead RBI.
- Is tied for fifth in the majors and ranks third in the NL with 24 homers...Leads the majors with 74 RBI...Ranks tied for 18th in the NL with 50 runs.
- Ranks 13th in MLB and sixth in the NL with a .527 SLG...Is ninth in the NL with a .871 OPS.
- Owns the MLB lead in games with at least four RBI (seven) and is third in games with multiple RBI (19) this season...He is the sixth player ever with at least seven 4-RBI games within his team's first 66 games.
- Has a 1.081 OPS with runners in scoring position, going 24-85 (.282/.398/.682) with four doubles, 10 homers, 53 RBI and 19 walks...Was hitting .361 (22-61) with runners in scoring position through June 17...Since then, has gone 2-24 (.083) with two doubles and five RBI.
- Ranks eighth in Mets history with 130 homers...Up next on the Mets all-time HR list: Michael Conforto (132) and Carlos Beltran (149).
- Bashed a pair of solo shots on June 25 at Miami, his third multi-homer game of the year, tied with four players for second-most in the NL

**#19 Mark Canha | OF | .273, 7 HR, 31 RBI, 0 SB Road Trip: .273 (3-11), HR, RBI, R, 2 BB, 6 K****Last Game:** DNP  
**Streak:** 4g (.286, 4-14), HR, RBI, R**Career vs. CHC:** .167 (2-12), 0 HR  
**RISP:** .281 (18-64), 2 2B, 23 RBI**Home:** .271 (29-107), 3 HR  
**Road:** .274 (40-146), 4 HR**vs. LHP:** .239 (22-92), 3 HR  
**vs. RHP:** .292 (47-161), 4 HR

- Ranks 11th in the NL with a .371 OBP...Has a .475 OBP in his last 10 games and has reached base multiple times in six of his nine starts during that span.
- Is seventh in the majors in pitches seen per plate appearance, with his PAs lasting 4.26 pitches on average...Since 2018, he has seen an average of 4.24 pitches per PA, the sixth-most in the majors.
- Batting .281 (18-64) with a .373 OBP with runners in scoring position.
- Hit a go-ahead solo shot on June 24 at Miami...Smashed a game-tying, two-run homer on June 16 vs. Milwaukee to help the Mets to a comeback victory.

**#28 J.D. Davis | INF/OF | .240, 3 HR, 19 RBI, 1 SB Road Trip: .000 (0-5), K****Last Game:** DNP  
**Streak:** 0 for last 10**Career vs. CHC:** .367 (11-30), 4 HR  
**RISP:** .289 (11-38), 3 2B, 3B, HR, 17 RBI**Home:** .208 (16-77), 1 HR  
**Road:** .267 (24-90), 2 HR**vs. LHP:** .214 (18-84), 1 HR  
**vs. RHP:** .265 (22-83), 2 HR

- Is 7-17 (.412) with a .500 OBP and .706 SLG in seven career games at Wrigley Field.
- Went 3-4 with a double, his first career grand slam and a career-high five RBI in the Mets' 10-0 win over Miami on July 7.
- Was hitting .188/.296/.290 at the end of play on May 22...Since then, has slashed .276/.351/.398 in 33 games.
- Leads the NL and is third in the majors with a 60.0% hard-hit rate...Ranks seventh in the majors in average exit velocity (93.5 mph).
- Is batting .267 (24-90) away from home compared to a .208 (16-77) mark at Citi Field...Hitting .289 (11-38) with RISP.

**#10 Eduardo Escobar | INF | .220, 10 HR, 39 RBI, 0 SB Road Trip: .294 (5-17), 2B, HR, 2 RBI, 2 R, BB, 4 K****Last Game:** 2-5, RBI, 2 R, K  
**Streak:** 5g (.286, 6-21), 2B, HR, 2 RBI, 3 R**Career vs. CHC:** .263 (31-118), 5 HR  
**RISP:** .202 (18-89), 5 2B, 3B, 2 HR, 29 RBI**Home:** .197 (29-147), 6 HR  
**Road:** .240 (41-171), 4 HR**vs. LHP:** .253 (25-99), 4 HR  
**vs. RHP:** .205 (45-219), 6 HR

- Has eight home runs and 25 RBI in his last 37 games after going deep twice and driving in 14 runs in his first 46 games.
- Homered in three-straight games from July 1-3, one shy of his career-high streak (four games, April 8-11, 2021)...Had an RBI in four straight games, July 1-4.
- Hit for the cycle on June 6 at San Diego, driving in six runs...Was the first Mets cycle in 10 years (Scott Hairston, April 27, 2012 at Colorado).
- Lined a walk-off double on May 29 vs. Philadelphia...Was his fifth career walk-off RBI.

**#13 Luis Guillorme | INF | .302, 2 HR, 10 RBI, 1 SB Road Trip: .286 (4-14), 2 2B, HR, 3 RBI, R, 3 BB, 2 K****Last Game:** 0-4, BB  
**Streak:** 0 for last 4**Career vs. CHC:** .139 (5-36), 0 HR  
**RISP:** .216 (11-51), 2 2B, 8 RBI**Home:** .352 (32-91), 1 HR  
**Road:** .255 (25-98), 1 HR**vs. LHP:** .228 (13-57), 0 HR  
**vs. RHP:** .333 (44-132), 2 HR

- Ranks seventh in the majors with a .322 (57-177) average and 10th in MLB with a .394 OBP since April 19 (min. 200 PA).
- Bashed his second home run of the season (career-high) on July 11 at Atlanta.
- Hitting .357/.455/.571 in his last eight starts after going hitless in his previous six starts...Hitting .293 (53-181) with a .373 OBP in 53 starts this season.
- Has set career-high marks in at-bats, runs, RBI, hits, doubles, home runs and extra-base hits this season.
- Slashing .257/.325/.321 (.646 OPS) in 33 games since June 1 after entering the month with a .365/.443/.459 line in 33 games (.902 OPS).
- Reached base safely in 17 consecutive games from April 19-May 22 after starting the year 0-12.

**#16 Travis Jankowski | OF | .176, 0 HR, 2 RBI, 2 SB Road Trip: .000 (0-8), 2 BB, HBP****Last Game:** 0-0 (Def. Replacement)  
**Streak:** 0 for last 23**Career vs. CHC:** .271 (13-48), 1 HR  
**RISP:** .000 (0-6), 2 RBI**Home:** .200 (6-30), 0 HR  
**Road:** .143 (3-21), 0 HR**vs. LHP:** .188 (3-16), 0 HR  
**vs. RHP:** .171 (6-35), 0 HR

- Returned from the IL (fractured left hand) on July 11...Had been on the shelf since May 27...Went 5-15 (.333) with a home run, one RBI, six walks and two steals in five rehab games for Syracuse (AAA).
- The Mets are 13-3 when he is in the starting lineup...New York is 29-8 when he appears in a game.
- Signed with the Mets as a minor league free agent on March 17 and made the Opening Day roster.

**#12 Francisco Lindor | INF | .244, 16 HR, 65 RBI, 9 SB Road Trip: .333 (6-18), 2B, 3B, HR, 5 RBI, 2 R, BB, 2 K****Last Game:** 1-4, 2B, RBI, BB, K  
**Streak:** 8g (.278, 10-36), 2B, 3B, 3 HR, 8 RBI, 4 R**Career vs. CHC:** .264 (19-72), 3 HR  
**RISP:** .286 (28-98), 3 2B, 3 3B, 3 HR, 45 RBI**Home:** .259 (41-158), 8 HR  
**Road:** .232 (44-190), 8 HR**vs. LHP:** .245 (25-102), 5 HR  
**vs. RHP:** .244 (60-246), 11 HR

- Has hit .350/.458/.600 in 10 regular season games at Wrigley Field, collecting multiple hits in five of the 10 games...Went 5-12 (.417) in three games here during the 2016 World Series.
- Leads MLB with 20 go-ahead RBI this season...Is tied for 16th in the NL with 52 runs...Is tied for sixth in MLB and ranks tied for fourth in the NL with 65 RBI.
- Has surpassed his season production from 2021 in RBI...Has 16 home runs and 65 RBI through 89 games this season...Last year, had 11 home runs and 36 RBI in 87 first-half games and finished the year with 20 home runs and 63 RBI in 125 games.
- Had three straight multi-hit games for the first time this season from June 22-25...The Mets are 16-4 when he has multiple hits in a game this year.
- Became the first shortstop since Alex Rodriguez (2000) to reach 50 RBI in 66 games or fewer when he crossed that threshold on June 18.
- Has 45 RBI and 34 runs scored in his last 54 games...Had a 10-game RBI streak from May 22-June 1 and had 20 RBI overall in that span...It was the longest streak in the majors this season and tied for the second-longest in Mets history...The only Met with a longer RBI streak is Mike Piazza (15 games).

**#6 Starling Marte | OF | .293, 9 HR, 41 RBI, 10 SB Road Trip: .400 (2-5), RBI, R, 2 K****Last Game:** 2-5, RBI, R, 2 K  
**Streak:** 1g (.400, 2-5), RBI, R**Career vs. CHC:** .282 (124-439), 13 HR  
**RISP:** .262 (17-65), 2 2B, HR, 24 RBI**Home:** .329 (46-140), 6 HR  
**Road:** .262 (43-164), 3 HR**vs. LHP:** .337 (31-92), 4 HR  
**vs. RHP:** .274 (58-212), 5 HR

- Went 2-5 on July 14 at Chicago-NL, appearing in a game for the first time since leaving the game on July 9 with left groin tightness.
- Slashing .382/.433/.582 over his last 14 games, going 21-55 with five doubles, two home runs, five RBI, five runs and four walks.
- Is 18th in the NL with 51 runs scored...Ranks 12th in the NL in batting average...Is eighth in the NL with 27 multi-hit games...Ranks 14th in the majors with a .337 (31-92) average vs. LHP...His .329 (46-140) home average is 10th in MLB.
- Had an eight-game hitting streak from July 1-8, hitting .394 (13-33) with three multi-hit games over that span.
- Slashing .320/.363/.516 with 26 extra-base hits in 55 games since May 1 after posting a .224/.290/.318 slashline with four extra-base hits in April.
- Homered in the first inning on July 2 and again on July 3 vs. Texas...Is hitting .359/.397/.609 in the first inning.
- Is hitting .306 (45-147) with runners on base...Batting .280 (44-157) with the bases empty.

**#4 Patrick Mazeika | C | .182, 1 HR, 6 RBI, 0 SB Road Trip: .286 (2-7), 2B, 2 RBI, R, 2 K**

**Last Game:** 1-4, 2B, 2 RBI, R, K **Career vs. CHC:** .250 (1-4), 0 HR **Home:** .150 (3-20), 1 HR **vs. LHP:** .286 (2-7), 0 HR  
**Streak:** 2g (.286, 2-7), 2B, 2 RBI, R **RISP:** .231 (3-13), 3 2B, 5 RBI **Road:** .200 (7-35), 0 HR **vs. RHP:** .167 (8-48), 1 HR

- Hit a two-run double in the Mets' 8-0 win at Wrigley Field on July 14...Has five extra-base hits and six RBI in 15 starts...Recalled on July 10.
- Smashed a go-ahead homer in the seventh inning on May 14 vs. Seattle in his first appearance of the year...Was his fourth career go-ahead RBI (all have come in seventh inning or later)...Was recalled from Triple-A Syracuse on May 13.
- Has appeared in 28 games for Syracuse (AAA) this season, posting a .266/.384/.340 slashline...Is 25-94 with a double, two homers and eight RBI.
- Made his major league debut with the Mets last year...Played 37 games for New York...Went 15-79 (.190/.253/.266) with three doubles, a home run, six RBI and six runs scored...Had two walk-off RBI.

**#1 Jeff McNeil | INF/OF | .310, 4 HR, 35 RBI, 2 SB Road Trip: .250 (1-4), BB, K**

**Last Game:** 1-4, BB, K **Career vs. CHC:** .240 (12-50), 2 HR **Home:** .288 (40-139), 1 HR **vs. LHP:** .288 (23-80), 0 HR  
**Streak:** 1g (.250, 1-4) **RISP:** .356 (26-73), 6 2B, 3B, HR, 30 RBI **Road:** .333 (43-129), 3 HR **vs. RHP:** .319 (60-188), 4 HR

- Activated from the Paternity List on July 14...Went 1-4 with a walk in his return.
- Ranks ninth in the majors and third in the NL in average and is ninth in the NL in OBP (.372)...Is seventh in the majors with a .333 (43-129) road average and seventh in MLB with a .319 (60-188) average vs. RHP...Ranks 12th in MLB with a .361 (26-72) average with RISP.
- Hitting .377 (20-53) with an .936 OPS when putting the first pitch of an at-bat in play...20 of his 41 career home runs have come on the first pitch.
- Is one of the toughest players to strike out in the majors...Ranks fifth in the NL in strikeout rate (7.40 PA/K).

**#3 Tomás Nido | C | .211, 0 HR, 15 RBI, 0 SB Road Trip: .125 (1-8), R, BB, K**

**Last Game:** DNP **Career vs. CHC:** .286 (4-14), 1 HR **Home:** .192 (14-73), 0 HR **vs. LHP:** .212 (14-66), 0 HR  
**Streak:** 1g (.333, 1-3), R **RISP:** .326 (14-43), 3 2B, 15 RBI **Road:** .227 (20-88), 0 HR **vs. RHP:** .211 (20-95), 0 HR

- Made his major league debut here at Wrigley Field on September 13, 2017...Collected his first big league hit the next day at Chicago-NL.
- Hit a game-tying double in the 10th inning vs. Miami on July 9 and scored the game-winning run later in that frame.
- Batting .326 (14-43) with runners in scoring position...Is 9-for-his-last-25 in those situations.
- Had a career-high four hits on June 1 vs. Washington...Drove in three runs...Was the first Mets catcher with a four-hit game since 2019 (Wilson Ramos).

**#9 Brandon Nimmo | OF | .275, 9 HR, 33 RBI, 0 SB Road Trip: .400 (6-15), 2 2B, HR, RBI, 7 R, 4 BB, 5 K**

**Last Game:** 3-4, 2B, HR, RBI, 2 R, BB **Career vs. CHC:** .309 (17-55), 4 HR **Home:** .226 (31-137), 1 HR **vs. LHP:** .259 (29-112), 2 HR  
**Streak:** 2g (.556, 5-9), 2B, HR, RBI, 4 R **RISP:** .271 (13-48), 4 2B, 2 3B, 2 HR, 24 RBI **Road:** .313 (55-176), 8 HR **vs. RHP:** .284 (57-201), 7 HR

- Leads the team and ranks tied for ninth in the NL with 56 runs scored, surpassing his output in that category from the 2021 season.
- Ranks 14th in the NL with a .361 OBP
- Has four homers, nine RBI and 13 runs scored in his last 11 games...Hitting .311/.415/.644 in that span.
- Reached on an error to lead the Mets to a walk-off, extra-innings win on July 9 vs. Miami.
- Homered at Citi Field on July 8 vs. Miami for the first time since September 18, 2021...Snapped a streak of nine straight home runs on the road.
- Crushed a three-run homer in the 10th inning and scored three runs on July 6 at Cincinnati, helping New York to an 8-3 extra-inning win.
- Tied for the major league lead and tops the NL with five triples.
- Had an 11-game hitting streak, the longest of his career, from May 3-15...Had another 10-game hitting streak from May 17-27...Reached base in 26 straight games from April 11-May 15.

**#2 Dominic Smith | INF/OF | .200, 0 HR, 17 RBI, 0 SB Road Trip: .091 (1-11), R, 2 BB, 4 K**

**Last Game:** 1-4, R, BB, K **Career vs. CHC:** .273 (12-44), 4 HR **Home:** .250 (14-56), 0 HR **vs. LHP:** .188 (3-16), 0 HR  
**Streak:** 1g (.250, 1-4), R **RISP:** .286 (10-35), 4 2B, 16 RBI **Road:** .162 (12-74), 0 HR **vs. RHP:** .204 (23-113), 0 HR

- Drove in the game-winning run on July 6 at Cincinnati with a double in the 10th inning.
- Since returning from Triple-A Syracuse, has gone 10-44 (.227) with six doubles and three RBI in 18 games.
- Batting .286 (10-35) with runners in scoring position...Hitting .250 (14-56) at home compared to a .162 (12-74) average on the road.
- Tied a career-high (second time) with four hits on May 1 vs. Philadelphia...Drove in a season-high three runs.
- Beat out a go-ahead, two-run infield single with two outs in the ninth inning at St. Louis on April 25 as the Mets rallied for five runs in the final frame.
- Hitting .266/.347/.438 with five doubles, two home runs and 10 RBI in 15 games with Triple-A Syracuse.

**Instant Replay Reviews**

Mets	Opponents
Mets Challenges.....27	Opponent Challenges.....29
# of plays overturned.....22	# of plays overturned.....18
# of plays that stood.....3	# of plays that stood.....9
# of plays confirmed.....2	# of plays confirmed.....2

**Total number of plays reviewed by teams via instant replay: 56**  
**Crew chief reviews: 7**  
**Buck Showalter's All-Time Challenge Record: 103-72**

**Mets vs. Cubs RHP Marcus Stroman**

Alonso	--	Marte	.167 (1-6)
Canha	.333 (1-3)	Mazeika	--
Davis	--	McNeil	--
Escobar	.267 (4-15), 2 2B, BB, K	Nido	--
Guillorme	--	Nimmo	1.000 (1-1), 2 BB
Jankowski	.286 (2-7), 2B, 2 K	Smith	.000 (0-2)
Lindor	.300 (6-20), 2B, BB, 3 K		

**Mets vs. Cubs LHP Drew Smyly**

Alonso	.429 (3-7), 2B, HR, BB, K	Marte	.333 (4-12), 2 2B, 2 K
Canha	.143 (1-7), BB, 3 K	Mazeika	--
Davis	.200 (1-5), 2 K	McNeil	.000 (0-3), BB, K
Escobar	.500 (5-10), 3 HR, 2 BB, 2 K	Nido	.000 (0-3), K
Guillorme	.500 (1-2), K	Nimmo	.500 (2-4), 2B, BB
Jankowski	.000 (0-4)	Smith	1.000 (2-2)
Lindor	.300 (3-10), 2B, BB, K		









# MISCELLANEOUS STATS

## HITTING

Two Home Runs, Game, Player	Pete Alonso, June 25, 2022 at Miami (off Trevor Rogers and Jimmy Yacabonis)
Three Home Runs, Game, Player	Francisco Lindor, September 12, 2021 vs. New York-AL (off Chad Green, Wandy Peralta, Clarke Schmidt)
Hit for the Cycle	Eduardo Escobar, June 6, 2022 at San Diego
Inside-the-Park Home Run	Brandon Nimmo, June 18, 2018 at Colorado (off Tyler Anderson)
Leadoff Home Run	Jonathan Villar, September 2, 2021 vs. Miami (off Sandy Alcantara)
Walk-off Home Run	Pete Alonso, May 19, 2022 vs. St. Louis (off Giovanny Gallegos)
Pinch-Hit Home Run	Michael Conforto, August 28, 2021 vs. Washington (off Mason Thompson)
Grand Slam	Pete Alonso, June 17, 2022 vs. Miami (off Tommy Nance)
Pinch-Hit Grand Slam	Kelly Johnson, August 27, 2016 vs. Philadelphia (off Michael Mariot)
Pinch-Hit Walk-off Home Run	Amed Rosario, August 28, 2020 (Game 2) at New York-AL (off Aroldis Chapman)
Walk-off Grand Slam	José Bautista, July 6, 2018 vs. Tampa Bay (off Chaz Roe)
Four Home Runs, Team	June 4, 2022, 9-4 win at Los Angeles-NL (Pete Alonso (2), Francisco Lindor and Eduardo Escobar)
Five Home Runs, Team	May 29, 2021 vs. Atlanta (Won 13-2, James McCann, Jonathan Villar, Brandon Drury, Billy McKinney, Francisco Lindor)
Six Home Runs, Team	June 9, 2021 at Baltimore (Won 14-1, Kevin Pillar-2, Billy McKinney-2, Pete Alonso, Mason Williams)
Seven Home Runs, Team	July 19, 2021 at Cincinnati (Won 15-11; Michael Conforto-2, Pete Alonso, Jeff McNeil, Dominic Smith, James McCann, Kevin Pillar)
Eight Home Runs, Team	August 24, 2015 at Philadelphia (Won 16-7, Wilmer Flores-2, David Wright, Travis d'Arnaud, Michael Cuddyer, Juan Lagares, Daniel Murphy, Yoenis Céspedes)
Back-to-Back Home Runs	Jeff McNeil and Mark Canha, May 23, 2022 at San Francisco (off Mauricio Llovera, 8th inning)
Back-to-Back-to-Back Home Runs	Michael Conforto, Jonathan Villar and James McCann, August 7, 2021 at Philadelphia (off Mauricio Llovera, 9th inning)
Three Home Runs in an Inning	Michael Conforto, Jonathan Villar and James McCann, August 7, 2021 at Philadelphia (off Mauricio Llovera, 9th inning)

## PITCHING

Complete Game, Nine-Inning	Jacob deGrom, April 23, 2021 vs. Washington (Won, 6-0)
Complete-Game Shutout	Jacob deGrom, April 23, 2021 vs. Washington (Won, 6-0)
No-Hitter	Johan Santana, June 1, 2012, vs. St. Louis (Won, 8-0)
Combined No-Hitter	Taylor Megill, Drew Smith, Joely Rodriguez, Seth Lugo & Edwin Diaz, April 29, 2022 vs. Philadelphia (Won, 3-0)
Opponent, No-Hitter	Max Scherzer, October 3, 2015 (Game 2) vs. Washington
One-Hitter, Complete Game-8.0 or more innings	Jacob deGrom, July 17, 2016 at Philadelphia (Won, 5-0)
Two-Hitter, Complete Game	Jacob deGrom, April 23, 2021 vs. Washington (Won, 6-0)
Back-to-Back Shutouts, Individual	Johan Santana, May 26, 2012 vs. San Diego (9-0) & June 1, 2012 vs. St. Louis (8-0)
Back-to-Back Shutouts, Team	May 31, 2022 vs. Washington (10-0) & June 1, 2022 vs. Washington (5-0)
Three Straight Shutouts, Team	May 25, 2010 vs. Philadelphia (8-0), May 26, 2010 vs. Philadelphia (5-0) & May 27, 2010 vs. Philadelphia (3-0)
10+ Strikeouts, Individual	Max Scherzer, July 5, 2022, at Cincinnati, 11 in 6.0 innings (Lost, 1-0)
15+ Strikeouts, Individual	Jacob deGrom, April 23, 2021, vs. Washington, 15 in 9.0 innings (Won, 6-0)

## MISCELLANEOUS

Last 1-0 Victory	July 26, 2021 vs. Atlanta (Game 2)
Last 1-0 Loss	July 5, 2022 at Cincinnati
Triple Play	August 24, 2014 at Los Angeles-NL, 6th inning, 3B Eric Campbell, 2B Daniel Murphy, 1B Lucas Duda, C Travis d'Arnaud, Batter-Matt Kemp
Opponent Triple Play	June 10, 2010 vs. San Diego (Game 2), 3B Chase Headley to 2B Lance Zawadzki to 1B Adrián González, Batter-Ruben Tejada
Position Player Pitching	Brandon Drury and Kevin Pillar, August 15, 2021 vs. Los Angeles-NL (Lost, 14-4)
Pitcher, Pinch Hitting	David Peterson and Jerad Eickhoff, June 22, 2021 vs. Atlanta (Strikeout and single)
Opponent Steal of Home	Jon Berti, August 26, 2020 vs. Miami (Game 2)
Steal of Home	Kevin Pillar, April 6, 2021 at Philadelphia

## NEW YORK METS RECENT TRANSACTIONS

- **7/14** - Activated **INF/OF Jeff McNeil** from the Paternity List...Designated **OF Ender Inciarte** for assignment.
- **7/11** - Placed **INF/OF Jeff McNeil** on the Paternity List...Reinstated **OF Travis Jankowski** from the IL.
- **7/10** - Placed **C James McCann** on the 10-Day IL with a left oblique strain...Recalled **C Patrick Mazeika** from Triple-A Syracuse...Claimed **LHP Sam Clay** off of waivers and optioned to Triple-A Syracuse...Designated **RHP Jake Reed** for assignment.
- **7/9** - Released **LHP Chasen Shreve**.
- **7/8** - Reinstated **RHP Chris Bassitt** from the IL...Optioned **RHP Jake Reed** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **7/7** - Recalled **RHP Jake Reed** from Triple-A Syracuse...Optioned **RHP Adonis Medina** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **7/6** - Reinstated **LHP David Peterson** from the Paternity List...Optioned **RHP R.J. Alvarez** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **7/5** - Reinstated **RHP Max Scherzer** from the Injured List...Designated **LHP Chasen Shreve** for assignment.
- **7/3** - Placed **LHP David Peterson** on the Paternity List...Recalled **RHP Colin Holderman** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **7/1** - Selected the contract of **RHP R.J. Alvarez**...Placed **RHP Chris Bassitt** on the IL...Outrighted **LHP Locke St. John** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **6/28** - Selected **OF Ender Inciarte** from Triple-A Syracuse...Optioned **OF Nick Plummer** to Triple-A Syracuse...Designated **LHP Locke St. John** for assignment.
- **6/27** - Reinstated **RHP Colin Holderman** from the Injured List and optioned him to Triple-A Syracuse...Transferred **RHP Tylor Megill** to the 60-Day Injured List...Claimed **INF Kramer Robertson** off waivers from Atlanta.
- **6/24** - Reinstated **C James McCann** from the 10-Day IL...Optioned **C Patrick Mazeika** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **6/23** - Reinstated **RHP Seth Lugo** from the Paternity List...Optioned **RHP Yoan López** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **6/20** - Recalled **INF Dominic Smith** from Triple-A Syracuse...Placed **Seth Lugo** on the Paternity List.
- **6/17** - Placed **RHP Tylor Megill** on the 15-Day IL...Recalled **RHP Adonis Medina** has been recalled from Triple-A Syracuse...Selected **RHP Tommy Hunter** from Triple-A Syracuse...Optioned **RHP Jake Reed** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **6/15** - Recalled **RHP Yoan López** from Triple-A Syracuse...Optioned **OF Khalil Lee** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **6/11** - Placed **RHP Colin Holderman** on the 15-Day Injured List, retroactive to June 8, with right shoulder impingement...Recalled **RHP Jake Reed** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **6/10** - Reinstated **RHP Tylor Megill** from the 15-Day IL...Optioned **RHP Stephen Nogosek** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **6/8** - Recalled **OF Khalil Lee** from Triple-A Syracuse...Optioned **RHP Adonis Medina** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/31** - Recalled **RHP Adonis Medina** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/30** - Optioned **INF Dominic Smith** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/29** - Acquired **INF/OF JT Riddle** from Cincinnati in exchange for cash considerations...Riddle was assigned to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/28** - Recalled **OF Nick Plummer** from Triple-A Syracuse...Optioned **RHP Yoan López** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/27** - Recalled **RHP Yoan López** from Triple-A Syracuse...Placed **OF Travis Jankowski** on the 10-day IL on May 27, retroactive to May 26, with a left 4th metacarpal fracture...Recalled **RHP Steve Nogosek** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/25** - Recalled **LHP Thomas Szapucki** from Triple-A Syracuse...Optioned **RHP Stephen Nogosek** to Triple-A Syracuse...Optioned **LHP Thomas Szapucki** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/23** - Recalled **LHP David Peterson** from Triple-A Syracuse...Optioned **RHP Jake Reed** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/21** - Added **RHP Adonis Medina** from Triple-A Syracuse to serve as the team's 27th man...Placed **RHP Max Scherzer** on the 15-Day Injured List, retroactive to May 19, with an oblique strain...Recalled **RHP Jake Reed** from Triple-A Syracuse...Activated **OF Starling Marte** from the bereavement list...Optioned **INF Gosuke Katoh** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/17** - Optioned **RHP Jake Reed** to Triple-A Syracuse...Recalled **INF Gosuke Katoh** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/16** - Placed **OF Starling Marte** on the bereavement list...Recalled **RHP Stephen Nogosek** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/15** - Placed **RHP Tylor Megill** on the 15-day IL, retroactive to May 12, with right biceps inflammation...Selected **RHP Colin Holderman** from Triple-A Syracuse...Transferred **RHP Trevor May** to the 60-Day IL.
- **5/13** - Placed **C James McCann** on the 10-Day IL, retroactive to May 11, with a fracture of the left hamate...Recalled **C Patrick Mazeika** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/12** - Optioned **RHP Stephen Nogosek** to Triple-A Syracuse...Recalled **RHP Jake Reed** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/10** - Claimed **LHP Locke St. John** of waivers from the Chicago Cubs and optioned him to Triple-A Syracuse...Transferred **RHP Jacob deGrom** to the 60-Day IL.
- **5/8** - Selected **RHP Stephen Nogosek** from Triple-A Syracuse...Released **INF Robinson Canó**.
- **5/7** - Optioned **RHP Adonis Medina** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/3** - Added **LHP David Peterson** from Triple-A Syracuse to serve as the team's 27th man...Placed **RHP Trevor May** on the 15-Day IL with right triceps inflammation...Recalled **RHP Adonis Medina** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **5/2** - Designated **INF Robinson Canó** for assignment.
- **5/1** - Placed **RHP Sean Reid-Foley** on the 60-Day IL with a partially torn right UCL...Recalled **RHP Yoan López** from Triple-A Syracuse...Optioned **RHP Yoan López** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **4/30** - Activated **RHP Taijuan Walker** from the IL...Optioned **RHP Yoan López** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **4/24** - Optioned **RHP Adonis Medina** to Triple-A Syracuse...Recalled **RHP Yoan López** from Triple-A Syracuse...INF Matt Reynolds was claimed off of waivers by Cincinnati.
- **4/23** - Recalled **RHP Adonis Medina** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **4/22** - Optioned **LHP David Peterson** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **4/20** - Reinstated **OF Mark Canha** from the IL...Reinstated **RHP Jake Reed** from the 10-day IL and optioned him to Triple-A Syracuse...Designated **INF Matt Reynolds** for Assignment.
- **4/19** - Reinstated **OF Brandon Nimmo** from the IL...Optioned **OF Nick Plummer** to Triple-A Syracuse...Added **RHP Yoan López** as the team's 29th man for the doubleheader.
- **4/15** - Placed **OF Brandon Nimmo** and **OF Mark Canha** on the injured list...Recalled **OF Nick Plummer** from Triple-A Syracuse...Selected **INF Matt Reynolds** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **4/12** - Placed **RHP Taijuan Walker** on the 10-Day IL with Right Shoulder Bursitis...Activated **RHP Edwin Diaz** from the bereavement list.
- **4/11** - Outrighted **RHP Yennsy Díaz** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **4/10** - Outrighted **RHP Jordan Yamamoto** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **4/9** - Placed **RHP Edwin Diaz** on the Breavement List...Recalled **LHP David Peterson** from Triple-A Syracuse.
- **4/8** - Outrighted **INF/OF Travis Blankenhorn** to Triple-A Syracuse.
- **4/7** - Placed **RHP Jacob deGrom** on the 10-Day IL with a stress reaction on his right scapula... Placed **LHP Joey Lucchesi** on the 60-Day IL recovering from "Tommy John" surgery...Placed **RHP Jake Reed** on the 10-Day IL with a left oblique strain...Optioned **LHP David Peterson** to Triple-A Syracuse...Acquired **RHP Adonis Medina** from the Pittsburgh Pirates in exchange for cash and optioned him to Triple-A Syracuse...Designated **RHP Yennsy Díaz** for assignment.
- **4/6** - Selected the contracts of **LHP Chasen Shreve** and **OF Travis Jankowski**... Designated **INF/OF Travis Blankenhorn** and **RHP Jordan Yamamoto** for assignment.