

#### SPARKS QUICK FACTS

Location	Los Angeles, Calif.
Founded	1997
EVP/General Manager	Penny Toler
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	(Wittenberg '80)
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#### MAY

Wed 27 @ Chicago	W, 76-67*
Thu 28 @ Connecticut	W, 64-57*

#### JUNE

Sat 6 @ Seattle	L, 86-61 <sup>^</sup>
Sun 14 vs Seattle	L, 60-54^
Tue 16 vs Minnesota	L, 67-52^
Sun 21 vs Connecticut	L, 76-68^
Tue 23 @ Washington	L, 84-80#
Fri 26 @ Connecticut	L, 80-76(OT)
Sun 28 @ New York	L, 79-70^

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JULI	
Thu 2 vs San Antonio	W, 86-81 <sup>^</sup>
Fri 3 vs Tulsa	W, 98-95^
Sun 5 vs Phoenix	L, 94-91(OT) <sup>^</sup>
Wed 8 @ San Antonio	L, 70-63 <sup>^</sup>
Sat 11 @ Tulsa	L, 82-67
Wed 15 @ Seattle	L, 68-61
Thu 16 vs Atlanta	L, 76-72^
Tue 21 vs Phoenix	W, 70-65#
Wed 22 vs New York	L, 59-53 <sup>^</sup>
Wed 29 @ Minnesota	L, 82-76^
Fri 31 @ Chicago	W, 88-77%

#### AUGUST

Sun 2 @ San Antonio	W, 80-78^
Tue 4 vs Minnesota	W, 83-61#
Thu 6 vs Tulsa	W, 84-57 <sup>^</sup>
Sun 9 @ Minnesota	L, 72-64 <sup>^</sup>
Tue 11 vs Seattle	L, 85-77^
Sun 16 vs Chicago	W, 76-64 <sup>^</sup>
Tue 18 vs Indiana	L, 79-68^
Fri 21 @ Phoenix	W, 78-68 <sup>^</sup>
Sun 23 @ San Antonio	W, 90-59
Wed 26 @ Indiana	W, 81-79%
Fri 28 @ Tulsa	L, 76-66 <sup>^</sup>
Sun 30 vs San Antonio	W, 60-52 <sup>^</sup>

#### SEPTEMBER

Thu 3 vs Washington	7:30 p.m./
Sun 6 vs Tulsa	2:00 p.m./
Wed 9 @ Atlanta	4:00 p.m./
Fri 11 @ Phoenix	7:00 p.m./

Note: All times Pacific Standard Time

- Preseason
- Televised on TWCSN
- # Televised on ESPN 2
- % Televised on NBATV

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## Los Angeles Sparks (12-18) vs Washington Mystics (16-13)

# Regular Season Game #31 EquiTrust Home Game #16

# Los Angeles

# EquiTrust

# Head-to-Head

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DateTh	ursday, September 3
Time	7:30 p.m PT
Venue	STAPLES Center
TV	TWCSN
All-Time Series	22-12
Home Series	11-5
Road Series	11-7
Current Streak	Lost 3

#### Washington Mystics (16-13)



#### PROBABLE STARTERS

#### **ANA DABOVIC** 23

PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN
8.1	1.4	1.5	0.8	0.1	21.0

AUG 30 vs SAN: Set a career-high six assists to go along with three points in 33 minutes played for fifth career start

NOTES: Among WNBA rookies, leads the league in three-point percentage (.333), ranks second in free-throw percentage (.853) and is third among rookie league leaders in points per game through 20 games played. Has scored 10+ points in first four starts this season

## CANDACE PARKER

PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN	
17.9	10.1	6.4	2.1	1.9	34.0	

AUG 30 vs SAN: Recorded 11th double-double of 10 points and 11 rebounds in 33 minutes played

NOTES: Named WNBA Western Conference Player of the Week for games played through August 17-23. Only WNBA player this season averaging a double-double (17.9 ppg, 10.1 rpg) in 14 games played. Has recorded 11 double-doubles. Set a franchise record eight steals - vs Indiana, 8/18. Second Sparks player to score 30+ points this season - at Chicago, 7/31. Leads the team in points, rebounds, assists, steals and

#### JANTEL LAVENDER

PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN
15.0	8.5	1.8	0.4	1.3	34.3

AUG 30 vs SAN: Led all scorers with a season-high 24 points and pulled in nine rebounds in 36 minutes played

NOTES: Named to her first WNBA All-Star team as an injury replacement player for the Boost Mobile All-Star 2015. Leads the WNBA for most double-doubles (12) this season through 30 games played. Fourth among league leaders in rebounds per game and fourth in field goal percentage (.523). Has an active streak of 136 consecutive games played dating back to 9/3/11 - 2nd in franchise history for most consecutive

#### 20 KRISTI TOLIVER

PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN
13.7	2.5	4.0	0.8	0.0	32.1

AUG 30 vs SAN: 17th double-digit scoring performance with 15 points (5-9 FG, 3-6 3FG, 2-2 FT) and added five assists in 36 minutes played

**NOTES:** Ranks fifth in the WNBA in assists per game, fifth in 3-point field goal percentage (.400) and fourth in free-throw percentage (.900) through 24 games played. Set Sparks franchise record for most points (43) in a game (7/3). Leads the team in three-point percentage, second in free-throw percentage and assists, and fourth in points per game

## TEMEKA JOHNSON

ı	PTS	REB	AST	STL	BLK	MIN
	5.2	2.5	3.7	0.7	0.0	21.7

AUG 30 vs SAN: Grabbed four rebounds and handed out one assists in 22 minutes played in 11th start

NOTES: Ranks fourth among league leaders in assists per turnover ratio (2.49, 112 assists-to-45 turnovers) and sixth in assists per game through 30 games played. Ranks eighth all-time in the WNBA in total career assists (1,372). First Sparks player in franchise history to record a double-double (points-assists) in consecutive games (6/21 vs CON, 6/23 at WAS). Reached 2500th career point on July 2 versus San Antonio

Erin Phillips: right knee injury (out)

Nneka Ogwumike: concussion-like s Marianna Tolo: left knee injury (out) n-like symptoms (day-to-day)

RECORDS			
	RECORD	<u>HOME</u>	ROAD
<u>Overall</u>	12-18 (.400)	7-8 (.467)	5-10 (.333)
Western	9-11 (.450)	6-4 (.600)	3-7 (.300)
<u>Eastern</u>	3-7 (.300)	1-4 (.200)	2-3 (.400)
<u>Streaks</u>	Won 1	Won 1	Lost 1

## Farhiya Abdi: FAR-ee-uh AHB-D

Alana Beard: Ah-LAY-nah Ana Dabovic: On-A DOB o VHICH Temeka Johnson: teh-MEE-kah Jantel Lavender: JANN-tell

Nneka Ogwumike: NEH-kuh Oh-gwoo-MIH-kay Marianna Tolo: MARE-E-Ah-Na Toe - Low

JAN. 5: Named Brian Agler Sparks Head Coach. JAN. 28: Waived guard Armintie Herrington. FEB. 9: Signed center Marianna Tolo, forward Nikki Greene. FEB. 10: Waived guard Lindsey Harding. FEB. 12: Signed guard Erin Phillips. FEB. 18: Signed guard Ana Dabovic. FEB. 19: Signed guard Elina Babkina. FEB. 23: Signed center Jennifer Hamson. FEB. 26: Re-Signed guard/froward Alana Beard. MARCH 18: Re-Signed forward/center Jantel Lavender. MARCH 24: Signed guard Temeka Johnson. APRIL 1: Signed forward Jennifer Lacy. APRIL 29: Signed forward Cierra Burdick, guard Andrea Hoover, forward Tyonna Outland. APRIL 30: Signed forward Annalise Pickrel. MAY 23: Waived Elina Babkina, Tyonna Outland. JUNE 2: Signed guard Blake Dietrick, guard Angel Goodrich. JUNE 4: Waived Cierra Burdick, Blake Dietrick, Nikki Greene, Angel Goodrich, Annalise Pickrel. JUNE 20: Signed guard Courtney Clements. JUNE 23: Signed guard Jasmine Lister. JUNE 23: Waived Courtney Clements. JULY 6: Waived Jennifer Lacy. JULY 17: Waived Jasmine Lister. JULY 21: Signed guard Crystal Bradford JULY 22: Waived Andrea Hoover.

#### 2015 LOS ANGELES SPARKS ROSTER

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Birthdate	College/From	Exp.	Hometown
13	Farhiya Abdi	F	6-2	180	05/31/92	Sweden	2	Brannkyrka, Sweden
0	Alana Beard	G/F	6-1	160	05/14/82	Duke	11	Shreveport, LA
15	Crystal Bradford	G	6-0	160	11/01/93	CMU	R	Detroit, MI
23	Ana Dabovic	G	6-0	157	08/18/89	Serbia	R	Cetinje, Montenegro
5	Jennifer Hamson	С	6-7	210	01/23/92	BYU	R	Lindon, UT
2	Temeka Johnson	G	5-3	142	09/06/82	Louisiana State	10	New Orleans, LA
42	Jantel Lavender	F/C	6-4	185	11/12/88	Ohio State	4	Cleveland, OH
30	Nneka Ogwumike	F	6-2	174	07/02/90	Stanford	3	Cypress, TX
3	Candace Parker	F/C	6-4	175	04/19/86	Tennessee	7	Naperville, IL
31	Erin Phillips	G	5-8	165	05/19/85	Australia	7	Melbourne, Australia
20	Kristi Toliver	G	5-7	130	01/27/87	Maryland	6	Harrisonburg, VA
14	Marianna Tolo	С	6-5	190	07/02/89	Australia	R	Mackay, Australia

Head Coach: Assistant Coaches: Brian Agler (Wittenburg '80) Amber Stocks (Cincinnati '99)

Curt Miller (Baldwin-Wallace College '90)

**Athletic Trainer:** Courtney Watson

### LAST GAME RECAP: AUGUST 30, 2015 vs SAN ANTONIO STARS

FINAL
SAN ANTONIO 52
LOS ANGELES 60

STAPLES Center Los Angeles, CA

 SCORE
 1
 2
 3
 4
 FINAL

 SAN
 19
 8
 9
 16
 52

 LAS
 22
 12
 13
 13
 60

#### 2015 vs San Antonio (4-1)

Date	Site	Results
July 2	vs SAN	W, 86-61
July 8	@ SAN	L, 70-63
Aug 2	@ SAN	W, 80-78
Aug 23	@ SAN	W, 90-59
Aug 30	vs SAN	W. 60-52

#### HIGHLIGHTS

- Largest Lead: Los Angeles: 11 San Antonio: --
- Los Angeles defeated San Antonio, 60-52, to end the season-series with a 4-1 advantage.
- Los Angeles set a franchise attendance record with 19,076 at STAPLES Center. The previous record was 18,977 set on July 21, 2004.
- The Sparks held the Stars to an opponent season-low 52 points. Los Angeles now holds a 6-2 record at home when allowing fewer than 70 points scored by its opponents
- The Sparks led through all four quarters of the game, only its second time this season
- · Los Angeles held San Antonio to a Sparks' opponent season-low, eight points in the second quarter
- With the win, the Sparks improved its home record against western conference opponents to 6-4 for the season.
- The Sparks denied the Stars seven times, compared to the Stars' one blocked shot in the game
- Despite the loss, the Stars only turned the ball over 11 times compared to the Sparks 14. San Antonio also outrebounded Los Angeles 45-33
- Forward Jantel Lavender led all scorers with a season-high 24 points to go along with nine rebounds. It was her seventh game scoring 20 points or more through 30 games played
- Forward Candace Parker recorded her eighth consecutive double-double of the season, 11th overall
  through 14 games played. Parker is one of only two players this season (the other, forward Jantel Lavender) to record 10 or more double-doubles
- Center Jayne Appel recorded a season-high 13 rebounds. Appel also tied her season-high five offensive rebounds
- Forward Alex Montgomery tallied a season-high rebounds with seven boards.
- Guard Jia Perkins notched a team-high 15 points, and a season-high seven rebounds. Stars forward Sophia Young-Malcolm rounded out the Stars double figures scorers with 11 points

INDIVIDUAL GAME PERFORMANCE			
SAN ANTONIO	HIGHS	LOS ANGELES	
Perkins - 15	Points	Lavender - 24	
Appel - 13	Rebounds	Parker - 11	
Robinson - 5	Assists	Dabovic - 6	
Montgomery - 1	Blocks	Parker - 3	
Malcolm, Perkins - 30	Minutes	Lavender, Toliver - 36	

KEY FACTORS				
SAN ANTONIO	TOTALS	LOS ANGELES		
12	Pts Off Turnovers	9		
24	Pts In The Paint	22		
6	2nd Chance Pts	3		
6	Fast Break Pts	3		
16	Bench	8		

TEAM GAME PERFORMANCE			
SAN ANTONIO	TOTALS	LOS ANGELES	
52	Points	60	
45 (13)	Rebounds (OREB)	33 (3)	
13	Assists	17	
4	Steals	5	
1	Blocks	7	
11	Turnovers	14	
29.3% (22-75 FG)	Field Goal Pct.	37.3% (22-59 FG)	
18.2% (2-11 3FG)	3FG Pct.	22.7% (5-22 3FG)	
85.7% (6-7 FT)	Free Throw Pct.	91.7% (11-12 FT)	
33.3%   26.2%	1 <sup>st</sup>   2 <sup>nd</sup> Half FG Pct.	40.0%   34.5%	
20.0%   16.7%	1st   2nd Half 3FG Pct.	41.7%   0.0%	
100.0%   66.7%	1 <sup>st</sup>   2 <sup>nd</sup> Half FT Pct.	100.0%   85.7%	

# TONIGHT'S OPPONENT: WASHINGTON MYSTICS



#### **ALL-TIME SERIES CAPSULE**

All-Time Results
Overall: 22-12
Home: 11-5
Road: 11-7

Current Streaks
Overall: Lost 3
Home: Lost 1
Road: Lost 2

Last Win: @ WAS (8/4/13), 75-57 Last Loss: @ WAS (6/23/15), 84-80

 2015 vs Washington (0-1)

 Date
 Site
 Time/Results
 Date
 Site
 Results

 June 23
 @ WAS
 L, 84-80
 June 1
 @ WAS
 L, 92-84 (30T)

 Sept 3
 vs WAS
 7:30 p.m. PT
 July 17
 vs WAS
 L, 79-75



#### **SERIES NOTES:**

- Washington heads into the final game of the season-series with a 1-0 lead after defeating Los Angeles on June 23, 84-80. The win extended the Mystics win streak
  against the Sparks to three consecutive games, dating back to last season when the Mystics swept the 2014 series against the Sparks 2-0
- Guard Alana Beard and forward Candace Parker will take the floor against the Mystics on September 3 for the first time this season. Through two games played last season against Washington, Beard averaged 4.5 ppg, 2.0 ppg, 1.0 apg while Parker led the team in points (25.0 ppg), rebounds (9.5 rpg) and assists (6.0 apg)
- In the all-time series between Washington and Los Angeles, the Mystics have only swept the Sparks once in a given season (2014). From 1998 to 2014 (17 season-series), Washington and Los Angeles has split a season-series eight times
- The most points Los Angeles has scored against Washington was 101 points on June 18, 2012 at STAPLES Center. The Sparks also won the game by a 31-point
  margin of victory, the largest winning margin against the Mystics in the two teams' all-time series history
- · Guard Temeka Johnson recorded one of only three Sparks double-doubles in points-and-assists, this season, on June 23 at Washington (17 points, 10 assists)
- Four Sparks players scored in double-digits against Washington on June 23 (Lavender 18, Johnson 17, Ogwumike 11, Abdi 10)
- In the loss on June 23 against the Mystics, the Sparks shot 50 percent from the field. Last season against the Mystics, the Sparks shot 37.7 percent through two games

#### LAST MEETING: JUNE 23, 2015 @ WASHINGTON MYSTICS

# FINAL LOS ANGELES 80 WASHINGTON 84

Verizon Center Washington, DC

SCORE	1	2	3	4	FINAL
LAS	21	16	24	19	80
WAS	22	17	25	20	84

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Washington Mystics led at the end of all four quarters
  - Sparks held the Mystics to zero second-chance points while converting seven
- Forward Nneka Ogwumike returns to the lineup after missing four games due to ankle sprain. In season debut, records 11 points, six rebounds and five assists in a game-high 36 minutes.
- Temeka Johnson earned second straight start of the season and tallied second consecutive points-assists double-double with a season-high 17 points and tied season-high 10 assists First Sparks player to record a double-double in points-and-assists in consecutive games
- Jantel Lavender poured in team-high, season-high 18 points and nine rebounds. Have scored in double-figures in all five games
- Mystics' Tierra Ruffin-Pratt with a career-high in scoring and Emma Meesseman tied team-high of 20 points each.
   Ruffin-Pratt shot 7-12 FG and grabbed five rebounds. Meesseman shot 9-12 FG and picked up three rebounds, two assists and two steals

#### **TONIGHT'S OPPONENT BREAKDOWN: WASHINGTON MYSTICS**

LAST GAME INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCES: JUNE 23, 2015			
WASHINGTON	HIGHS	LOS ANGELES	
Meesseman, Pratt - 20	Points	Lavender - 18	
Dolson - 7	Rebounds	Lavender - 9	
Lawson - 8	Assists	Johnson - 10	
4 Tied - 2	Steals	4 Tied - 1	
Meesseman, Dolson - 2	Blocks	Lavender - 3	
Meesseman, Latta - 32	Minutes	Ogwumike - 36	

2015 TEAM STATISTICS				
WASHINGTON	PER GAME	LOS ANGELES		
72.9	Points	73.1		
41.7%	FG Pct.	45.0%		
33.8%	3FG Pct.	29.9%		
78.8%	FT Pct.	83.2%		
32.5	Rebounds	32.4		
17.6	Assists	18.3		
6.5	Steals	5.6		
5.2	Blocks	4.3		

LAST GAME KEY FACTORS: JUNE 23, 2015			
WASHINGTON	TOTALS	LOS ANGELES	
84	Points	80	
24 (5)	Rebs (OREB)	37 (11)	
17	Assists	20	
46.6% (27-58 FG)	Field Goal Pct.	50.0% (34 - 68 FG)	
42.9% (6-14 3FG)	3FG Pct.	40.0% (6-15 3FG)	
72.7% (24-33 FT)	Free Throw Pct.	85.7% (6-7 FT)	
30	Pts In The Paint	44	
0	Second Chance Pts	11	
18	Pts Off Turnovers	12	
15	Fast Break Pts	7	

2015 TEAM LEADERS			
WASHINGTON	PER GAME	LOS ANGELES	
Latta - 12.9	Points	Parker - 17.9	
Meesseman - 6.3	Rebounds	Parker - 10.1	
Lawson - 3.6	Assists	Parker - 6.4	
Meesseman - 27.7	Minutes	Ogwumike - 34.9	

#### **NEXT OPPONENT: SEPTEMBER 6, 2015 vs TULSA SHOCK**

#### **ALL-TIME SERIES CAPSULE**

All-Time Results
Overall: 30-18
Home: 18-5
Road: 12-13

Current Streaks
Overall: Lost 1
Home: Won 2
Road: Lost 2

**Last Win:** vs TUL (8/6/15), 84-57 **Last Loss:** @ TUL (8/28/15), 76-66

2015 vs Tulsa (2-2)

Date	Site	Time/Result
July 3	vs TUL	W, 98-95
July 11	@ TUL	L, 82-67
Aug 6	vs TUL	W, 84-57
Aug 28	@ TUL	L, 76-66
Sept 6	vs TUL	2:00 p.m. PT

Los Angeles plays its last home game of the regular season against the visiting Tulsa Shock on Sunday, September 6. It is the final meeting between the two teams this season with the series split 2-2 after a Sparks loss on August 28 at Tulsa. Los Angeles had capped its four-game road trip at Tulsa without rookie center Marianna Tolo - first game missed since injuring her knee. In the 76-66 loss, forward Candace Parker poured in 24 points to go along with 11 rebounds for her 10th double-double of the season in 13 games played - one of only two players (the other forward Jantel Lavender) to record at least 10 double-doubles this season. The Sparks only played eight players at Tulsa, unable to outmatch the opponent's reserves, 19 Shock bench points to five bench points by the Sparks.

#### SPARK PLUGS

#### **UP & DOWN THE COURT**

Forward/center Jantel Lavender ranks in the top ten among league leaders in points (7th), rebounds (5th), blocked shots (8th) and field goal percentage (4th). Lavender's performance is a rare feat this season as she is one of only two players in the league that ranks in the top ten in each of these categories - the other being Phoenix center Brittney Griner. In the 30 games played, Lavender is averaging career-bests in each of these categories (points, rebounds, blocked shots, field goal percentage).

#### **EFFECTIVE AND TRUE**

Guard Kristi Toliver ranks 13th in the league in field goal percentage (.473). However, this statitistic does not credit the purity of her shooting. By the numbers. Toliver also ranks in the top ten in 2-point field goal percentage (4th), 3-point field goals made (6th), 3-point field goal percentage (7th) and free-throw percentage (7th). Toliver's ability to shoot the long ball consistently and accurately ranks her first in the league in effective field goal percentage (.561) - measurement that considers the 3-point shot more valuable in the game than 2-point field goals. Taking all aspects of shooting into consideration, Toliver ranks second among league leaders in true shooting percentage (.614) - measures efficiency at shooting the ball overall. If Toliver was not with the Sparks, her 110.8 offensive rating (9th in the WNBA) would surely be missed.

#### A MONTH FOR THE SPARKS

As a team, the Sparks went 8-4 in the month of August. In those 12 games, the team shot a season-best 47.1 percent from the field to lead the league in field goal percentage for games played in August. Los Angeles averaged 75.6 points per game while holding its opponents to 69.2 points per game (+6.4 point differential). The team also doubled its wins earned compared to the first two months of the season when Los Angeles went 4-14. Since 2010, the Sparks are 36-20 for games played in the month of August.

Individually, Sparks forward Candace Parker had a month of her own as she won WNBA Western Conference Player of the Week (for games played through August 17-23) and averaged a double-double with 17.3 points and 10.5 rebounds - only player in the month of August to average a double-double - on top of 6.3 assists, 2.3 steals and 2.0 blocked shots through 12 games played. In addition to Parker's accolades, guard Ana Dabovic had a breakout month ranking second in the league among rookies in points (9.8 ppg) while earning her first career start on August 18 - her 23rd birthday. Dabovic set a career-high of 18 points in the wins against San Antonio (August 23) and Indiana (August 26). She also started in the last four games of the month having averaged 12.5 points in 31.8 minutes played per game.

#### THE MAGIC NUMBER

The Sparks are one of only two remaining teams in the western conference vying to get into the postseason. With four games remaining, Los Angeles (12-18) holds the "magic number" three - any combination of Sparks wins or Storm losses that total the number three. Seattle sits at a 9-20 record with five games remaining on its schedule. The most games the Storm can win is 14, however if the Sparks end with 15 wins for the season then the Sparks cement its spot into the playoffs. The Sparks four games left include two at home against Washington and Tulsa with its final two on the road at Atlanta and Phoenix.

#### LAST 4 GAMES OF THE SEASON

OPPONENTS (DATE)	RECORD	SERIES RECORD
Washington Mystics (Sept 3)	16-13	0-1 (WAS lead)
Tulsa Shock (Sept 6)	15-14	2-2
Atlanda Dream (Sept 9)	12-18	0-1 (ATL lead)
Phoenix Mercury (Sept 11)	18-13	2-1 (LAS lead)

#### **IN HOT PURSUIT**

With postseason looming closer, both Los Angeles and Seattle are head-to-head competing for a fourth place playoff berth. The Sparks (12-18) have four games remaining and the Storm (9-20) have five, with the chance that both teams can still end with the same record. If that occurs, then there will be a tie for fourth with the season-series outcome as the deciding factor. This season, the Storm swept the Sparks, 4-0, only the Storm's third time in series history. Due to Seattle's win in the series, it would then proceed past Los Angeles into the last playoff spot.

#### TWO MORE IN LA

This will be the second straight year the Sparks will not be finishing the season at STAPLES Center. Los Angeles has four games remaining in the regular season, the first two at home and the final two on the road. From 1997 to 2014, there has been 11 seasons in which Los Angeles has finished the regular season on the road. In those 11 seasons, the Sparks are 18-4 in its last two home games of the year (when not finishing at home). The other seven seasons in which the Sparks finished the year at home, the team has gone 11-3 in its last two home games of the season. Last year, the Sparks ended the regular season at Phoenix, but won its last two games at STAPLES Center.

#### ALL-TIME RECORD (LAST 2 HOME GAMES)

FINISHED THE SEASON RECORD (Last 2 home games)

(at home) 11-3 (on the road)\* 18-4

\*will finish this season on the road

#### THE FINAL STRETCH

Los Angeles (12-18) has four games remaining in the regular season, urging to continue its play into the postseason. In each of the last five seasons, the Sparks have won at least three of its final five games. Since 2010, Los Angeles is 16-9 when it comes down to the last five of the season. In 2003, the Sparks went 5-0 down the final stretch, finishing the season with a 24-10 record.

#### RESULTS OF LAST FIVE GAMES PLAYED

Year	Record (Total)	Place (West. Conf.)
2015	1-0 (12-18)*	TBD
2014	3-2 (16-18)	4TH
2013	3-2 (24-10)	2ND
2012	4-1 (24-10)	2ND
2011	3-2 (15-19)	5TH
2010	3-2 (13-21)	4TH
2003	5-0 (24-10)	1ST

<sup>\*</sup>four games remaining

#### TOO CLOSE FOR COMFORT

This season, Los Angeles has had 21 games decided by 10 points or less with a 7-14 record (-2.7 point differential). When games had been decided by 11 points or more, the Sparks went on to win five of nine (+4.1 point differential). Last season, Los Angeles played in 21 games and went 9-12 in games decided by 10 points or less. In the 13 games decided by 11 points or more, the Sparks went 7-6.

#### **SCOREBOARD**

Through 30 games of the season, four Sparks players are averaging points in double-figures (Parker - 17.9 ppg, Ogwumike - 16.1 ppg, Lavender - 15.0 ppg, Toliver - 13.7 ppg). The Sparks hold a 5-3 record when all four are playing in the game. In addition, the Sparks are 3-1 when all four score 10 points or more. Since Ogwumike's concussion evaluation, the team has held a 4-2 record. However, only twice has Parker, Lavender and Toliver all scored 10 points or more in the six contests without Ogwumike. Last season, Parker, Ogwumike, Lavender and Toliver all averaged 11.8 points or more.

#### SPARKS NATION

On August 30, the Los Angeles Sparks set a new franchise record of 19,076 announced attendance - three seats shy of a sellout capacity crowd. It broke the previous record of 18,997 fans by 79 tickets. The now second-most attendance was set on July 21, 2004 against the Washington Mystics also at STAPLES Center. To date, the Sparks have yet had a capacity sellout game held at the Forum (former arena) or STAPLES Center in franchise history.

#### **LEADING ROLE**

The Sparks win on August 30 was only the second time this season that Los Angeles has lead throughout the entire game. The first performance of this caliber was against the Shock on August 6 when the Sparks led the way in all four quarters, held the Shock to a previous Sparks' opponent-low 57 points and finished with a 31-point win. In the game against San Antonio on August 30, the Sparks did not allow a Stars' lead in all 40 minutes and set a new opponent scoring low of 52 points. These dominant performances in August gave the Sparks a 2-0 record when holding the lead for the entirety of the game.

#### NOT ON FULL THROTTLE

With 30 Sparks games completed, Los Angeles has yet to have all 12 players suited up come game-time. There has been at least one player listed as injured throughout the entire season while guards Ana Dabovic (10 missed games) and Kristi Toliver (6 missed games) were out due to national team commitments. Forward Candace Parker also missed a portion of the season (16 games) to rest from year-round basketball play. In total, five players (Abdi, Beard, Ogwumike, Phillips, Tolo) make up a total of 55 missed games this season for the Sparks – almost double the number of games the team has played to date. The most the Sparks have had available for a game has been 11 players, and that was on August 6 vs. Tulsa. Guard Erin Phillips was out with a knee injury. The least amount of Sparks players dressed and available for game-time was 8, on four separate occasions early on in the season (6/16 vs Minnesota, 6/21 vs Connecticut, 6/26 at Connecticut, 6/28 at New York).

#### **ROLLIN ON DUBS**

Forwards Jantel Lavender and Candace Parker are rocking the WNBA's double-double scene, as both are the only players in the league with at least 10 double-doubles, to date. Lavender leads the league with the most double-doubles (12) through 30 games played with Candace Parker a close second with 11. Through 14 games played, Parker is the only player in the WNBA averaging double-double numbers (17.9 ppg, 10.1 rpg). In addition, Parker has recorded seven straight double-doubles, 11 overall – becoming the fastest to reach 10 this season through 14 games played. Lavender earned her 10th of the season through 17 games played. Last season, Parker notched only six double-doubles, almost doubling that amount this year with five games still to go. This year, Lavender already tripled what she tallied last season - 4 double-doubles through 34 games played.

#### **DO THE MATH**

Forwards Candace Parker and Jantel Lavender have been scoring from all cylinders as of late, giving the Sparks a much needed push. In the Sparks last 14 games, Parker and/or Lavender have scored at least 12 points in each game giving Los Angeles a 9-5 record. When both Parker and Lavender each score 12+ points in a game, the Sparks have went on to win 6 of eight games. When either score 12+ points, Los Angeles is only 3-3.

#### **DYNAMIC DUO (LAST 14 GAMES)**

RECORDED 12+ POINTS	RECORD
Parker & Lavender	6-2
Parker (only)	1-2
Lavender (only)	2-1

#### SHOOTER'S TOUCH

The Sparks roster boasts four players who currently are shooting over 50 percent from the field (Hamson, Lavender, Ogwumike, Beard). Of those four, both Lavender and Ogwumike qualify and rank in the top ten among league leaders in field goal percentage. Lavender sits in fourth place looking to set a single-season career-best with 52.2 percent shooting. Ogwumike is half way behind her, ranking eighth, shooting 50.4 percent from the field. Their shooting also ranks them in the top ten among league scoring leaders with Ogwumike seventh (16.1 ppg) and Lavender at ninth (15.0 ppg).

#### APPLE TURNOVERS NEVER TASTED SO GOOD

Through 30 games played, Los Angeles has averaged 13.2 turnovers. However, in its four three games, the Sparks averaged only 9.3 turnovers. In the month of June, the Sparks did not once have less than 10 turnovers in a game, having started 0-7 for the season. Overall, Los Angeles has committed less than 10 turnovers in a game, six times. The team is 5-1 when turning the ball over less than 10 times.

#### HEY-HO, EIGHT-OH

The Sparks are 8-2 when scoring 80 points or more in a game. In the month of August, Los Angeles scored 80+ points on five occasions, all games won. In its last four wins, the Sparks averaged 80.4 points. When the team scored 79 points or less, the Sparks went 4-16 for the season.

#### IRON WOMAN

Jantel Lavender holds a 136 consecutive games played streak, second on the all-time list in Sparks history. Prior to Lavender's 136 straight, DeLisha Milton-Jones held the the first and second spot in the Sparks record books for most consecutive games played. In her five seasons in the WNBA, Lavender has only missed one game, during her rookie season, due to injury. Lavender's active streak dates back to September 3, 2011 at Phoenix.

# MOST CONSECUTIVE GAMES PLAYED, CAREER (FRANCHISE HISTORY) PLAYER GP DATE 1. DeLisha Milton-Jones 154 (06/10/99 - 08/02/03) 2. Jantel Lavender 136 (09/03/11 - current) 3. DeLisha Milton-Jones 132 (06/19/09 - 09/20/12) 4. Nikki Teasley 119 (05/25/02 - 07/19/05)

#### **LEADING THE PACK**

Through 30 games played, Los Angeles is leading the league in field goal percentage (.450) after starting the season hovering at the bottom of the list. The last time the Sparks led the WNBA in field goal percentage was 2013, as Los Angeles was shooting 47.5 percent from the field while averaging the league's second-best scoring output of 81.9 points per game. Since 2011, the Sparks have finished in the top five every season among WNBA teams in field goal percentage.

#### **BIGS CAN SHOOT TOO**

Forward/center Jantel Lavender is currently fifth among league leaders in field goal percentage, shooting 52.2 percent from the field through 30 games this season. In all five of Lavender's seasons, she has averaged at least 50 percent shooting, with her 52.2 field goal percentage shy from a season-best set last year. In her career, Lavender is averaging 51.7 percent from the field, on pace to hold the second-best shooting performance for a career in Sparks history.

#### SHE GETS OUR MVP VOTE

Since Parker's return, the Sparks have gone 9-5 dating back to July 29 at Minnesota when Parker made her season debut. In the 14 games since her return, Los Angeles has outscored its opponents 76.5 to 70.6, holding them to only 38.9 percent shooting - the lowest opponent shooting average through the last 14 games by any team. Parker's presence on both ends of the floor is evident as she is averaging 17.9 points, 10.1 rebounds, 6.4 assists, 2.1 steals and 1.9 blocks through 14 games played averaging career-high marks in points, rebounds, assists and steals. If her 14 games were recognized in the league rankings, Parker would virtually lead the league in rebounds and assists while ranking in the top five among league leaders in points (4th), steals (2nd) and blocked shots (5th) per game.

#### COMPETE, AND YOU DON'T GET BEAT

Through 30 games played this season, Los Angeles holds a 12-18 record. In those 12 wins, six have came from WNBA teams with a winning percentage below .500. The other six were earned against teams .500 or above this season. These six wins include victories against the eastern conference number two seed Indiana Fever (17-10, .630), western conference number one seed Minnesota Lynx (19-9, .679) and the second seed Phoenix Mercury (16-11, .593).

TEAMS	W	L	GAME NOTABLES
.500 or >	6	11	+22, W vs Minnesota (8/4/15)
.500 <	6	7	+31, W @ San Antonio (8/23/15)

#### JUST NEEDED AN OIL CHANGE

In the Sparks first seven road games this season, Los Angeles went 0-7. In its last eight games away, the Sparks carry a 5-3 record. Last season Los Angeles began 3-4 in its first seven road games, but finished strong by winning six of the last 10 away.

#### WHERE THE ROAD LEADS

Los Angeles has gone 2-9 in its first 11 road games this season. The last time the Sparks started 2-9 on the road was in 2009. Later that season, Los Angeles finished with a 5-1 away record, captured third place in the western conference and advanced all the way to the conference finals. Since then, in the Sparks first 11 road games from 2010 to this season, the team has won only 24 of the 66 played.

#### FIRST 11 ROAD GAMES OF A SEASON

YEAR	ROAD RECORD	CONF. STANDING (end of season)
2015	2-9	TBD
2014	6-5	4TH PLACE
2013	6-5	2ND PLACE
2012	6-5	2ND PLACE
2011	3-8	5TH PLACE
2010	1-10	4TH PLACE
2009	2-9	3RD PLACE

#### **FIGHTING FOR A SPOT**

The Sparks have two road games and two home games remaining in the season with two games against eastern conference opponents and three versus the west. If the playoffs started today, the Sparks would have a ticket in. So far, Los Angeles is two games and a half ahead of fifth place Seattle.

WESTERN CONFERENCE	E STANDING	G, 2015 (x	<ul> <li>clinched pl</li> </ul>	<u>ayoff berth)</u>
TEAM	$\mathbf{W}$	L	PCT	GB
<ol> <li>Minnesota Lynx - x</li> </ol>	20	10	.667	
2. Phoenix Mercury- x	18	13	.581	2.5
3. Tulsa Shock - x	15	14	.517	4.5
4. Los Angeles Sparks	12	18	.400	8
5. Seattle Storm	9	20	.310	10.5

#### **POST ALL-STAR, ALL-STARS**

Since the All-Star break the Sparks have vaulted to the top of the standings in a few categories. In the first half of the season, the Sparks were 11th in points per game (70.1 ppg). Through 14 games played in the second half of the season, Los Angeles ranks sixth in the league in scoring (76.5 ppg). The Sparks field goal percentage also jumped in shooting percentage, 42.5 percent (5th in the league) before the break, to 47.7 percent (league leader) post all-star. In result, the team improved in converting shots - sitting ninth in the WNBA (26.4 fgm per game), to second, in field goals made per game (30.2) through the last 14 games played.

LOS ANGELES 2015 STATISTICS					
	RECORD	PPG (RANK)	FG% (RANK)	FGM (RANK)	
Pre All-Star (16 games)	3-13	70.1 (11TH)	42.5% (5TH)	26.4 (9TH)	
Post All-Star (14 games)	9-5	76.5 (6TH)	47.7% (1ST)	30.2 (2ND)	

#### TEAMWORK MAKES THE DREAM WORK

Through 30 games played, the Sparks lead the WNBA in assists, averaging 18.3 per game. In the last 15 games, the Sparks have averaged more assists than its opponent, averaging 19.7 assists to its opponent's 13.7 assists per game. Los Angeles has also recorded at least 20 assists, 11 times this season, winning six of those contests. On the road, Los Angeles is second-best among the WNBA in sharing the ball, averaging 18.0 assists through 15 games. The Sparks dished out a season-high 28 assists in the win over the Stars on August 23. The 28 hand-outs came from seven different Sparks players.

#### LA ENERGY

Overall this season, the Sparks are 12-18 with a 7-8 mark at home and a 5-10 road record. Seven wins for the Sparks have come playing on the team's home court at STAPLES Center. The difference, in addition to the home crowd, is defense at home – Los Angeles is allowing opponents to score only 71.4 ppg. On the road, the team's scoring is slightly more, averaging 73.4 ppg, but defensively allowing 76.0 ppg. Across the board, the Sparks hold the upper-hand in defense and assists per game while making fewer turnovers when at home compared to on the road.

<b>HOME</b>	vs ROAD PER	FORMA	NCE (PER	GAME)
HOME:	(7-8)			
PTS	OPP PTS	FG%	RERS	A STS

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72.8	71.4	44.8	32.2	18.6	12.7
ROAD:	(5-10)				
PTS	OPP PTS	FG%	REBS	ASTS	TOs
73.4	76.0	45.1	32.6	18.0	13.9

#### SHOOTING FROM THE STRIPE

Los Angeles ranks second in the WNBA in free-throw percentage (.832, 372-447 FT). Through 30 games played, the Sparks are on pace to set a franchise regular season record in free-throw percentage. The record that stands was set in 2010 when the team shot 82.2 percent from the charity stripe, 503-of-612 free-throws, through 34 games played.

#### HIGHEST FREE-THROW PERCENTAGE, SEASON

YEAR	FT %	MADE-ATT (FT)
2015 (in progress)	.832	372-447
2010	.822	503-612
2014	.798	457-573

#### **CAN I GET ANOTHER DOUBLE-DOUBLE**

Sparks forward/center Jantel Lavender has tallied 12 double-doubles over 30 games this season, leading all players in the WNBA for most double-doubles (pts-rebs) in 2015. Forward Candace Parker trails right insecond in the league with 11 in only 14 games played.

MOST DOUBLE-DOUBLES (PTS-REBS) IN WNBA, 2015	#
1. Jantel Lavender (LAS)	12
2. Candace Parker (LAS)	11
Elena Delle Donne (CHI)	9
Tina Charles (NYL)	9

#### **LEAGUE LEADERS**

With the second half of the season underway, the Sparks have at least one player that ranks in the top ten among WNBA leaders in six league categories, including: scoring, rebounds, assists, three-point percentage, free-throw percentage and minutes played.

#### WNBA 2015 LEAGUE LEADERS

SCORING	GP	PPG	RANK
Nneka Ogwumike	20	16.1	6TH
REBOUNDS	GP	RPG	RANK
Jantel Lavender	30	8.5	4TH
Nneka Ogwumike	20	7.4	8TH
ASSISTS	GP	APG	RANK
Kristi Toliver	24	4.0	5TH
Temeka Johnson	30	3.8	6TH
3FG PERCENT.	GP	3FG%	RANK
Kristi Toliver	24	40.0	5TH
FT PERCENT.	GP	FT%	RANK
Kristi Toliver	24	90.0	5TH
MIN. PLAYED	GP	MPG	RANK
Nneka Ogwumike	20	34.9	1ST
Jantel Lavender	30	34.3	3RD

Veteran Sparks guard/forward Alana Beard began the 2015 season eclipsing 4,000 total career points on a jump shot against Seattle (6/6). The 11-year pro out of Duke enters her 12th WNBA season ranked 25rd among league scoring leaders with 4083 points through 303 games played. As she continues to climb the scoring charts, she will need 211 points to surpass Penny Taylor to move into the top 20 of all-time.

#### WNBA ALL-TIME SCORING LEADERS

RANK	PLAYER	G	PTS
20	Penny Taylor	330	4294
21	Vickie Johnson	410	4243
22	Yolanda Griffith	311	4238
23	Sophia Young-Mal.	294	4229*
24	Angel McCoughtry	214	4158*
25	Alana Beard	303	4083*

<sup>\*</sup>WNBA active player

#### FOR THE WIN!

Rookie guard Ana Dabovic made the game-winning shot with 6.1 seconds left in the fourth quarter to propel Los Angeles to a 81-79 victory over Indiana on August 26. The win extended the Sparks win streak to three straight while it snapped the Fever's six-game win streak. Dabovic's step-back jumper was the first game-winner recorded for the Sparks this season.

#### **DOUBLING UP IN THE PAINT**

Candace Parker and Jantel Lavender's earned double-doubles in the same game for the second time this season in the win at Phoenix (8/21) Last time the two recorded this feat was against Minnesota (8/4) marking the fourth time this season two Sparks players recorded a double-double in the same game. Earlier in the season was of Jantel Lavender and Nneka Ogwumike at Tulsa (7/11) marking the third time this season two Sparks players earned a double-double in the same game. Lavender and Ogwumike recorded double-doubles together in two consecutive games (7/8, 7/11). The first time the Sparks had two players tally a double-double in the same game this season was at Connecticut (6/21) with Lavender scoring 17 points and grabbing 10 rebounds with Temeka Johnson notching 15 points and handing out 10 assists.

	TWO OR MORE	PLAYERS '	W/ A DOUBLE	E-DOUBLE,	<b>GAME</b>
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@ PHOENIX (8/21)	PTS	REBS	MINUTES
Candace Parker	26	10	37
Jantel Lavender	15	11	39
vs MINNESOTA (8/4)	PTS	REBS	MINUTES
Candace Parker	18	13	31
Jantel Lavender	14	13	35
@ TULSA (7/11)	PTS	REBS	MINUTES
Nneka Ogwumike	22	13	36
Jantel Lavender	14	11	32
@ SAN ANTONIO (7/8)	PTS	REBS	MINUTES
Jantel Lavender	19	10	36
Nneka Ogwumike	16	13	34
@ CONNECTICUT (6/21)	PTS	REBS	MINUTES
Temeka Johnson	15	10 (asts)	31
Jantel Lavender	17	10	39

#### WESTERN CONFERENCE PLAYER OF THE WEEK (TEN)

On August 24, 2015, the WNBA named Sparks forward Candace Parker the WNBA Western Conference Player of the Week for games played through August 17 through August 23. This is Parker's first one of the year and 14th career Western Conference Player of the Week award in her eight WNBA seasons. For the week, Parker led the league in scoring (23.7 ppg), rebounding (10.7 rpg), and steals (3.3 spg). She also shared the WNBA lead in assists (6.0 apg, along with Chicago's Courtney Vandersloot) and ranked sixth among Western Conference players in field goal percentage (.509, 28-of-55). Parker began the week with game-highs of 25 points, eight steals, six assists and three blocks, as well as 10 rebounds in a 79-68 home loss in the first meeting against the Indiana Fever this season on Aug. 18. Three days later she led all scorers with 26 points in a 78-68 victory over the Phoenix Mercury in which she also contributed 10 boards, three assists, two steals and a block. Parker closed out the week with a near triple-double in a 90-59 road win over the San Antonio Stars on Aug. 23, as she logged 20 points, 12 rebounds, and nine assists. In all three contests, Parker recorded a double-double.

2015 WI	2015 WNBA PLAYERS OF THE WEEK (MOST RECENT)										
WEEK ENDING	EAST PLAYER	TEAM	WEST PLAYER	TEAM							
August 03, 2015	Tina Charles	NYL	Maya Moore	MIN							
August 10, 2015	Elena Delle Donne	CHI	Brittney Griner	PHO							
August 17, 2015	Epiphanny Prince	NYL	Maya Moore	MIN							
August 24, 2015	Elena Delle Donne	СНІ	Candace Parker	LAS							

#### IT'S A BLOCK PARTY

Los Angeles denied 14 San Antonio shots en route to a Sparks, 90-59, win on August 23. Los Angeles' 14 blocked shots ranked second-most in franchise history for most blocks in a game - one shy of the Sparks franchise record: 15 vs Sacramento on August 28, 2008. In the win at San Antonio on August 23, five Sparks players recorded at least one blocked shot with forward/center Jantel Lavender leading the defensive end with a career-high five blocks. Rookie center Jennifer Hamson came off the bench and also set a career-high four blocked shots.

#### 30-FOR-30

Los Angeles built up a 37-point lead in the second half at San Antonio on August 23 to and finish the game with a 31-point victory. The 37-point lead is the largest lead the Sparks have held this season. The 31-point difference, in favor of the Sparks, also set a new season-high for the largest margin of victory for the Sparks in 2015. It was the first 30-point win this season, and only seventh win in Sparks history by a margin of 30 points or more.

#### HANDS IN THE COOKIE JAR

Forward Candace Parker dominated on the defensive end against Indiana on August 18, as she set a new franchise record eight steals. The pre-vious Sparks player to hold the record (7) was Armintie Herrington, set at Washington on June 1, 2014. Parker's eight steals are the most in a game by any WNBA player this season. She was two shy of tying the WNBA record (10) held by former Sacramento guard Ticha Penicheiro against San Antonio on July 10, 2003.

#### A STAT SHEET STUFFER

On Tuesday versus Indiana (August 18), forward Candace Parker finished the game with 25 points, 10 rebounds, six assists and eight steals. The last WNBA player to record at least 25 points, 10 rebounds, five assists and five steals in a game was also Parker, on June 1, 2014 (32 points, 12 rebounds, six assists, six steals). Other than herself, only one other WNBA player has tallied at least 25-10-5-5 in a game, former Phoenix forward Brandy Reed (32 points, 13 rebounds, six assists, seven steals) on June 22, 2000. To put Parker's performance into greater perspective, the last time a NBA player recorded at least 25 points, 10 rebounds, six assists and eight steals in a game was Toronto Raptor's Doug Christie (29 points, 15 rebounds, seven assists, eight steals) on April 2, 1997 - 18 years ago.

#### WESTERN CONFERENCE PLAYER OF THE WEEK (FOUR)

On July 6, 2015, the WNBA named Sparks forward Nneka Ogwumike the WNBA Western Conference Player of the Week for games played June 29 through July 5. This is Ogwumike's fourth career Western Conference Player of the Week award in her four WNBA seasons. For the week, she ranked second in the Western Conference in scoring (24.0 ppg), while pacing the West in rebounding (12.3 rpg) and tying for second in steals (1.67 spg). Ogwumike opened the week with 27 points, eight rebounds, two assists, and two steals in an 86-81 win over San Antonio (7/2). She then contributed consecutive double-doubles with 19 points, 10 rebounds, and two steals in a 98-95 win over Tulsa (7/3), 26 points, a season-high 19 rebounds, one steal and one blocked shot in an overtime loss against Phoenix (7/5).

2015 WNBA PLAYERS OF THE WEEK										
WEEK ENDING	EAST PLAYER	TEAM	WEST PLAYER	TEAM						
June 14, 2015	Elena Delle Donne	СНІ	DeWanna Bonner	РНО						
June 21, 2015	Elena Delle Donne	СНІ	Skylar Diggins	TUL						
June 28, 2015	Elena Delle Donne	СНІ	Lindsay Whalen	MIN						
July 6, 2015	Tamika Catchings	IND	Nneka Ogwumike	LAS						

#### **DUB NATION**

In the home wins over Minnesota on August 4 and Tulsa on August 6, Los Angeles defeated the two teams by 20 points or more, respectively. In both occasions, Los angeles set marks for its largest margin of victories - +22 vs Minnesota, +27 vs Tulsa. The Sparks are one of three teams this season (Chicago, Indiana) to have won back-to-back games by a margin of 20 or more. In franchise history, Los Angeles has won back-to-back games by 20 points or more six times, most recently on June 15, 2013 vs San Antonio (84-48) and June 21, 2013 vs Minnesota (87-59).

#### PAINTING THE TOWN PURPLE AND GOLD

In addition to the 20+ point back-to-back home wins, Los Angeles scored a total of 104 points in the paint in the two home games played (50 points vs Minnesota, 8/4; 54 points vs Tulsa, 8/6). Los Angeles outscored its opponents in the paint on both occasions coming away with a victory. The last time a team scored at least fifty points in the paint in back-to-back games and won them both, each by a margin of at least 20 points, was in the WNBA's first season, when the Sparks did it twice - (June 25, 1997 vs Charlotte; June 27, 1997 vs Sacramento) and (July 27, 1997 at Sacramento; July 30, 1997 vs Utah).

#### DOWN, BUT NOT OUT

The win at San Antonio (8/2) was the largest comeback for the Sparks this season. San Antonio led by as many as 13 during the game, with Los Angeles turning it around at the end to win by two points - 80-78. The previous mark for this season was also set against San Antonio (7/2), as Los Angeles came back from a 12-point deficit to earn its first win of the season. This is only the third time this season that the Sparks have overcome a deficit of 10 or more points.

#### A NIGHT TO REMEMBER

Sparks guard Kristi Toliver gave Sparks fans a night to remember on July 3rd, as Toliver set the franchise record for most points in a game with 43, surpassing Sparks legend Lisa Leslie's 41 points set against San Antonio (6/25/06). By scoring 40+ points, Toliver also became one of only three players in team history to score 40 points or more in a game. As she accomplished a franchise record, Toliver as well reached a career feat of 2300 total points during the game. Through 191 games played in her career, Toliver has scored a total of 2335 points. Toliver's career night came against a physical Tulsa Shock who entered STA-PLES Center with an 8-3 winning record. Toliver's 43 points was also a career-high, surpassing her previous career-high of 30 which was set earlier this season at New York (6/28). In addition, Toliver recorded a career-high in most made three-pointers in a single game (7), tying a franchise record held by former Sparks player Mwadi Mabika (6/18/06). Her 43 points (7-12 3FG) was coupled with a season-high nine assists, giving opportunities to her teammates down the stretch and ultimately edging out the Tulsa Shock in a 98-95 victory at STAPLES Center. This was Toliver's second home game back since her return from international competition.

#### MOST POINTS, GAME (FRANCHISE HISTORY)

PLAYER	PTS	GAME
Kristi Toliver	43	vs TUL, 7/3/15
Lisa Leslie	41	vs SAN, 6/25/06
Candace Parker	40	vs HOU, 7/9/08 (OT)
DeLisha Milton-Jones	38	at PHO, 7/17/08

#### **IN THE NUMBERS**

Kristi Toliver's 19 points in the third quarter against Tulsa Shock (7/3) was the second most points scored in any given quarter in the past three seasons. Only three other players have scored 19 points or more in a single quarter, most recent was Atlanta's Shoni Schimmel, 20 points in 2nd quarter against Phoenix (8/13/14). The six-of-seven made three-pointers by the Sparks in the second half alone were from Toliver, shooting 85.7% from deep. This is Toliver's second career 30+ point performance, all done this season, ranking her third all-time in franchise history for most games with 30 or more points - tied with teammate Nneka Ogwumke (2). Toliver's 43 points is just the 19th time in WNBA history that a player has scored 40 points or more in a single game in the regular season. Toliver and Chicago Sky's Elena Delle Donne are the only players in the WNBA this season that have recorded a 40+ point game.

#### WIN, WIN, WIN NO MATTER WHAT

The Los Angeles Sparks began the season 0-7, its worst start in franchise history. Much of the trouble came from a depleted bench due to injury and player absence. The Sparks ended its losing streak with an 86-81 win against San Antonio (7/2) with three Sparks players scoring in double-figures and two of them with 20+ points. Los Angeles shot 50.0% from the field, went 21-of-23 from the free-throw line and tied its lowest turnover performance of the season with 10. The Sparks outmatched the Stars in the paint scoring 50 points down low to the San Antonio's 42, including 12 second chance points to six. Overall, the Sparks were trailing the Stars through three quarters, but were able to close out its opponent for the first time this season setting then-season team-highs in points in the fourth quarter (26), second half (48) and overall game (86) to give coach Agler his first win with the Sparks.

#### BACK-TO-BACK FRANCHISE RECORD

In the games against Connecticut (6/21) and at Washington (6/23), Sparks guard Temeka Jonhson recorded two consecutive point-assist double-doubles. Johnson is the first player in franchise history to record a double-double in points and assists in two consecutive games\*. The only Sparks player ever to near a back-to-back 10-point and 10-assist performance is current Sparks EVP/GM Penny Toler. During her 1998 Sparks season, Toler recorded an 11-point and 14-assist game against former WNBA team Utah Starzz (8/14/98), and in the following game recorded 15 points and nine assists against former WNBA team Detroit Shock (8/16/98).

# SPARKS: BACK-TO-BACK GAMES w/ 9+ PTS & 9+ ASTS Temeka Johnson (15 pts & 10 asts, 6/21 vs CON) | (17 pts & 10 asts, 6/23 at WAS)\* Penny Toler (11 pts & 14 asts, 8/14/98 vs UTA) | (15 pts & 9 asts, 8/16/98 vs DET)

Nikki Teasley (10 pts & 9 asts, 7/15/03 vs PHO (2OT)) | (16 pts & 9 asts, 7/18/03 vs HOU)

#### (UN)LUCKY NUMBER 7

In the loss at New York (6/28) Los Angeles tied its franchise record for most consecutive losses in a single season (7). The last time the Sparks lost seven straight was in 2007, spanning from June 29 - July 17. The 0-7 start is the worst start in franchise history for Los Angeles, the previous winless record to start the season was 0-3 in 2010.

#### <u>OT IN CT</u>

The Sparks went into its first overtime game of the season at Connecticut (6/23) losing 80-76 (OT), its second consecutive game decided by five points or less. The last time Los Angeles faced Connecticut in overtime was on June 13, 2008 at STAPLES Center when the Sparks won 98-93 (OT). Including this overtime loss, the Sparks own a 30-19 winning record in games played in overtime. The Sparks finished the 2015 season-series 0-2 against Connecticut, its first winless series against the Sun since the 2011 season. The last time the Sparks lost on the road to the Sun was on 6/28/11, 79-76.

#### AUSSIE DUO

The Sparks tipped-off the 2015 season at KeyArena, with the country of Australia cheering on Australian natives and Sparks guard Erin Phillips and rookie center Marianna Tolo. The last time two Australians started as teammates in the regular season was Phoenix Mercury's Belinda Snell and Penny Taylor on June 30, 2007 against Houston. What's remarkable about this stat is that Phillips and fellow Aussie, Penny Taylor, both played for the WNBA Champion Phoenix Mercury last season. Despite Phillips ten starts and Taylor's 24, the two NEVER started one game together. In addition to Saturday night's contest, the Storm debuted an Australian duo in Jenny O'Hea and Abby Bishop for the first time to go up against Phillips and Tolofour Australians to start in the same WNBA game. For the Sparks, the Aussie duo can repeat history once again as the last time Australians started together in the postseason was Detroit's Carla Boyd and Sandy Brondello on August 24, 1999 against Charlotte.

#### **EQUITRUST THE SPARKS**

On May 21, the Sparks announced EquiTrust as the marquee sponsor for the 2015 season. Under the agreement, the EquiTrust logo will appear on all Sparks home and road jerseys, throughout STAPLES Center on Sparks home game days, on the step and repeat backdrop, across all social and digital platforms and as the driving force behind the new charitable leadership youth program, Driven2Hoop.

With its announcement, the Sparks are now the eighth team in the WNBA to have a marquee partnership.

## **RECORD BY MONTH/DAY**

June July August September

0-7 4-7 8-4 0-0

**Mon. Tues. Wed. Thurs. Fri.** 0-0 2-4 1-4 2-1 3-2

**Sat. Sun.** 0-2 4-5

#### **SPARKS ACTIVE STREAKS**

OVERALL

Last Win: 8/30 vs SAN, 60-52 Longest Overall Won: 12 Lost: 18

Last Loss: 8/28 at TUL, 76-66

HOME

Last Win: 8/30 vs SAN, 60-52 Longest Overall Won: 7 Lost: 8

Last Loss: 8/18 vs IND, 79-68

ROAD

Last Win: 8/26 at IND, 81-79 Lo

Last Loss: 8/28 at TUL, 76-66

Longest Overall Won: 5 Lost: 10

	WIN/LOSS MARGINS																						
GAME	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
+/-	-25	-6	-15	-8	-4	-4	-9	+5	+3	-3	-7	-15	-7	-5	+5	-6	-6	+11	+2	+22	+27	-8	-8
GAME	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34												
+/-	+12	-11	+10	+31	+2	-10	+8																

LARGEST MARGIN OF VICTORY31, @ San Antonio, 8/23LARGEST MARGIN OF DEFEAT25, @ Seattle, 6/6LARGEST LEAD37, @ San Antonio, 8/23LARGEST BLOWN LEAD16, vs Seattle, 8/11LARGEST DEFICIT25, @ Seattle, 6/6LARGEST COMEBACK13, @ San Antonio, 8/2

	SPARKS HEAD-TO-HEAD CHART 2015											
	ATL	СНІ	CON	IND	MIN	NYL	PHO	SAN	SEA	TUL	WAS	
WON		2		1	1		2	4		2		
LOST	1		2	1	3	2	1	1	4	2	1	

		Regu	lar Season S	tarters   Tota	l: 12		
Game #	Guard	Guard	Center	Forward	Forward	Record	Winning %
1	Phillips, E	Beard, A	Lavender, J	Tolo, M	Abdi, F	0-1	.000
2	Phillips, E	Beard, A	Lavender, J	Tolo, M	Lacy, J	0-1	.000
3	Phillips, E	Abdi, F	Lavender, J	Tolo, M	Lacy, J	0-1	.000
4	Johnson, T	Abdi, F	Lavender, J	Tolo, M	Lacy, J	0-1	.000
5	Johnson, T	Abdi, F	Lavender, J	Tolo, M	Ogwumike, N	0-1	.000
6	Johnson, T	Hoover, A	Lavender, J	Tolo, M	Ogwumike, N	0-1	.000
7	Johnson, T	Toliver, K	Lavender, J	Ogwumike, N	Lacy, J	0-1	.000
8-9, 12-13	Johnson, T	Toliver, K	Lavender, J	Ogwumike, N	Phillips, E	2-2	.500
10-11, 14-16	Phillips, E	Toliver, K	Tolo, M	Lavender, J	Ogwumike, N	1-4	.200
17-22, 24	Toliver, K	Beard, A	Lavender, J	Parker, C	Ogwumike, N	5-2	.714
23	Toliver, K	Johnson, T	Lavender, J	Parker, C	Ogwumike, N	0-1	.000
25	Toliver, K	Dabovic, A	Lavender, J	Parker, C	Beard, A	0-1	.000
26	Toliver, K	Beard, A	Tolo, M	Parker, C	Lavender, J	1-0	1.000
27-28	Toliver, K	Dabovic, A	Tolo, M	Parker, C	Lavender, J	2-0	1.000
29-30	Johnson, T	Toliver, K	Lavender, J	Parker, C	Dabovic, A	1-1	.500

	GAMES MISSED   Total: 55										
Player	Reason	Games Missed (Record)	Date								
Nneka Ogwumike	Ankle Injury (Left) / Concussion-like symptoms	10 (4-6)	6/6-21, 8/18-30								
Alana Beard	Foot Injury (Left) / Quadricep Injury (Right)	15 (3-12)	6/16-7/22, 8/11								
Erin Phillips	Knee Injury (Right)	17 (9-8)	6/21-28, 7/29-8/30								
Farhiya Abdi	Knee Injury (Left)	11 (3-8)	6/26-7/22								
Marianna Tolo	Knee Injury (Left)	2 (1-1)	8/28-30								

Sparks red	cord whe	n		Sparks record when				
	HOME	ROAD	OVERALL		HOME	ROAD	OVERALL	
Lead to start the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q	4-7	3-4	7-11	Record more assists than opp.	6-5	4-5	10-10	
Trail to start the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q	3-0	2-6	5-6	Record fewer assists than opp.	1-3	1-5	2-8	
Tied to start the 2 <sup>nd</sup> Q	0-1	0-0	0-1	Record same assists than opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Lead at the half	5-6	2-3	7-9	Commit more TO than opp.	4-6	1-8	5-14	
Trail at the half	0-1	2-7	2-8	Commit fewer TO than opp.	3-1	3-0	6-1	
Tied at the half	2-1	1-0	3-1	Commit same TO as opp.	0-0	1-3	1-3	
Lead to start the 4 <sup>th</sup> Q	6-3	3-0	9-3	Outrebound opponent	3-3	4-4	7-7	
Trail to start the 4 <sup>th</sup> Q	1-4	2-10	3-14	Outrebounded by opponent	4-5	1-6	5-11	
Tied to start the 4 <sup>th</sup> Q	0-1	0-0	0-1	Same rebounds as opponent	0-0	0-0	0-0	
In overtime	0-1	0-1	0-2	Score fewer than 70 points	1-5	0-6	1-11	
Shoot higher FG% than opp.	6-3	4-5	10-8	Score 70-79 points	2-2	1-3	3-5	
Shoot lower FG% than opp.	1-5	1-5	2-10	Score 80-89 points	3-0	3-1	6-1	
Shoot same FG% as opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0	Score 90-99 points	1-1	1-0	2-1	
Shoot better than 50.0 FG%	3-0	2-2	5-2	Score 100+ points	0-0	0-0	0-0	
	3-0		5-2 6-8	Allow fewer than 70 points	5-2	2-2	7-4	
Shoot between 40.0-49.9 FG%		3-3		Allow 70-79 points	0-3	3-4	3-7	
Shoot lower than 40.0 FG%	1-3	0-5	1-8	Allow 80-89 points	1-1	0-5	1-6	
Allow 50.0 FG% or better	1-3	0-2	1-5	Allow 90-99 points	1-1	0-0	1-1	
Allow less than 50.0 FG%	6-4	5-9	11-13	Allow 100+ points	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Shoot higher 3FG% than opp.	3-2	3-6	6-8	3 players score 10+ points	2-5	1-5	3-10	
Shoot lower 3FG% than opp.	4-6	2-4	6-10	4 players score 10+ points	4-0	2-2	6-2	
Shoot same 3FG% as opp.	0-0	0-0	0-0	5 players score 10+ points	0-1	2-1	2-2	
Make more 3FG than opp.	3-3	3-7	6-10	6+ players score 10+ points	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Make fewer 3FG than opp.	4-3	2-3	6-6	Outscore opp. bench	1-1	2-2	3-3	
Make same 3FG as opp.	0-1	0-1	0-2	Outscored by opp. bench	6-7	3-8	9-15	
Make more FT than opp.	5-1	2-1	7-2	Same score as opp. bench	0-0	0-0	0-0	
Make fewer FT than opp.	1-7	3-8	4-15	Play on TWC SportsNet	5-8	1-6	6-14	
Make same FT as opp.	1-0	0-1	1-1	Play on ESPN2	2-0	0-1	2-1	

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Date	Opponent	W/L	1st	2nd	1st H	3rd	4th	2nd H	ОТ	20T	TOTAL
6/6	@ SEA	L	18	14	32	13	16	29			61
6/14	SEA	L	21	13	34	12	8	20			54
6/16	MIN	L	15	13	28	9	15	24			52
6/21	CON	L	26	14	40	12	16	28			68
6/23	@ WAS	L	21	16	37	24	19	43			80
6/26	@ CON	L	21	11	32	18	17	35	9		76
6/28	@ NYL	L	22	16	38	15	17	32			70
7/2	SAN	W	12	26	38	22	26	48			86
7/3	TUL	W	14	28	42	31	25	56			98
7/5	PHO	L	27	19	46	17	22	39	6		91
7/8	@ SAN	L	23	15	38	6	19	25			63
7/11	@ TUL	L	18	13	31	22	14	36			67
7/15	@ SEA	L	25	12	37	13	11	24			61
7/16	ATL	L	25	10	35	21	16	37			72
7/21	PHO	W	21	17	38	16	16	32			70
7/22	NYL	L	14	10	24	11	18	29			53
7/29	@ MIN	L	15	20	35	21	20	41			<u>76</u>
7/31	@ CHI	W	22	17	39	21	28	49			88
8/2	@ SAN	W	19	19	38	21	21	42			80
8/4	MIN	W	24	15	39	21	23	44			83
8/6	TUL	W	18	23	41	23	20	43			84
8/9	@ MIN	L	8	24	32	16	16	32			64
8/11	SEA	L	24	24	48	16	13	29			77
8/16	CHI	W	19	19	38	23	15	38			76
8/18	IND	L	21	23	44	6	18	24			68
8/21	@ PHO	W	17	21	38	19	21	40			78
8/23	@ SAN	W	28	15	43	30	17	47			90
8/26	@ IND	W	21	18	39	23	19	42			81
8/28	@TUL	L	12	15	27	26	13	39			<u>66</u>
8/30	vs SAN	W	22	12	34	13	13	26			60
Season	Totals		593	512	1105	541	532	1073	15		2193
	Averages		19.8	17.1	36.8	18.0	17.7	35.8	7.5		73.1
Season			28	28	48	31	28	56	9		98
Season			8	10 (2)	24	6 (2)	8	20	6		52

## **OPPONENTS QUARTER-BY-QUARTER SCORING**

Date	Opponent	1st	2nd	1st H	3rd	4th	2nd H	ОТ	20T	TOTAL
6/6	@ SEA	20	15	35	22	29	51			86
6/14	SEA	15	9	24	18	18	36			60
6/16	MIN	12	11	23	23	21	44			67
6/21	CON	18	12	30	22	24	46			<u>76</u>
6/23	@ WAS	22	17	39	25	20	45			84
6/26	@ CON	10	16	26	25	16	41	13		80
6/28	@ NYL	23	18	41	16	22	38			79
7/2	SAN	22	18	40	25	16	41			<u>81</u>
7/3	TUL	23	19	42	26	27	53			<u>95</u>
7/5	PHO	26	16	42	23	20	43	9		94
7/8	@ SAN	18	17	35	17	18	35			70
7/11	@ TUL	17	23	40	21	21	42			82
7/15	@ SEA	17	18	35	21	12	33			68
7/16	ATL	17	18	35	17	24	41			<u>76</u>
7/21	PHO	14	21	35	17	13	30			<u>65</u>
7/22	NYL	14	17	31	8	20	28			<u>59</u>
7/29	@ MIN	22	21	43	21	18	39			82
7/31	@ CHI	16	23	39	22	16	38			77
8/2	@ SAN	23	26	49	11	18	29			78
8/4	MIN	21	14	35	16	10	26			61
8/6	TUL	10	16	26	17	14	31			<u>57</u>
8/9	@MIN	20	17	37	15	20	35			72
8/11	SEA	13	22	35	24	26	50			<u>85</u>
8/16	CHI	20	15	35	12	17	29			64
8/18	IND	20	10	30	24	25	49			79
8/21	@ PHO	12	18	30	16	22	38			68
8/23	@ SAN	13	14	27	16	16	32			<u>59</u>
8/26	@IND	25	18	43	18	18	36			<u>79</u>
8/28	@TUL	24	13	37	19	20	39			<u>76</u>
8/30	vs SAN	19	8	27	9	16	25			52
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Season		546 18.2	500 16.7	1046 34.9	<u>566</u> 18.9	577 19.2	1143 38.1	22 11.0		2211 73.7 (-0.6)
Season	Averages	26	26	<u>34.9</u> 49	26	29	53	13		73.7 (-0.6) 95
			<u>26</u> 8	23		<u>29</u> 10	<u>53</u> 	9		<u>95</u> 52
<u>Season</u>	LOWS	10 (2)	ŏ	23	8	10	25	9		<u> </u>

		LOS ANGELES SPARKS		OPPONENTS
POINTS (REGULATION)	43*	Kristi Toliver, vs Tulsa, 7/3	27	Maya Moore, at Minnesota, 7/29
POINTS (OT)	7	Nneka Ogwumike, at Connecticut, 6/26	4	Brittney Griner, vs Phoenix, 7/5
POINTS (HALF)	29	Kristi Toliver, vs Tulsa, 7/3	16	Tamika Catchings, vs Indiana, 8/18 Maya Moore, at Minnesota, 7/29 Emma Meesseman, at Washington, 6/23
MINUTES	43	Jantel Lavender, at Connecticut, 6/26	44	Alex Bentley, at Connecticut, 6/26
FGM	15	Kristi Toliver, vs Tulsa, 7/3	9	Crystal Langhorne, vs Seattle, 8/11 Maya Moore, at Minnesota, 7/29 Danielle Robinson, at San Antonio, 7/8
FGA	23	Candace Parker, at Phoenix, 8/21	22	Maya Moore, at Minnesota, 7/29
3 FGM	7*	Kristi Toliver, vs Tulsa, 7/3	4	DeWanna Bonner, vs Phoenix, 7/5
3 FGA	12	Kristi Toliver, vs Tulsa, 7/3	9	Riquna Williams, vs Tulsa, 7/3
FTM	9	Kristi Toliver, at New York, 6/28 Nneka Ogwumike, at New York, 6/28	12	Angel McCoughtry, vs Atlanta, 7/16
FTA	12	Candace Parker, vs Indiana, 8/18	13	Angel McCoughtry, vs Atlanta, 7/16
OFF REBOUNDS	6	Nneka Ogwumike, vs Phoenix, 7/5	5	Jayne Appel, vs San Antonio, 8/30 Courtney Paris, at Tulsa, 8/28 Lynetta Kizer, vs Indiana, 8/18 Tina Charles, vs New York, 7/22
DEF REBOUNDS	14	Nneka Ogwumike, at New York 6/28	9	Tina Charles, vs New York, 7/22
TOTAL REBOUNDS	19	Nneka Ogwumike, vs Phoenix, 7/5	14	Tina Charles, vs New York, 7/22
ASSISTS	10	Candace Parker, vs Chicago, 8/16 Temeka Johnson, at Washington, 6/23 Temeka Johnson, vs Connecticut, 6/21	13	Courtney Vandersloot, at Chicago, 7/31 Danielle Robinson, vs San Antonio, 7/2
STEALS	8*	Candace Parker, vs Indiana, 8/18	5	Crystal Langhorne, at Seattle, 7/15
TURNOVERS	8	Nneka Ogwumike, at Seattle, 7/15	5	Briann January, at Indiana, 8/26 Sue Bird, vs Seattle, 8/11
BLOCKS	5	Jantel Lavender, at San Antonio, 8/23	4	Brittney Griner, vs Phoenix, 7/5

	Box Breakdown											
PLAYER	10+ PTS	15+ PTS	20+ PTS	30+ PTS	5+ REB	10+ REB	5+ ASTS	10+ ASTS	DBL-DBL			
Abdi	2											
Beard	6	2	1		4		3					
Bradford												
Dabovic	7	2			1		1					
Hamson					2							
Johnson	3	2			1		8	2	2			
Lavender	27	14	7		27	12			12			
Ogwumike	18	11	4		15	5	1		5			
Parker	14	9	6	1	14	10	10	1	11			
Phillips	3	1	1		2		4					
Toliver	17	10	3	2	2		9					
Tolo	5				6		1					

	Led Sparks In											
PLAYER	POINTS	REBOUNDS	ASSISTS	STEALS	BLOCKS	MINUTES						
Abdi				3								
Beard	1		2	4	1	1						
Bradford												
Dabovic	1		2	5								
Hamson				1	4							
Johnson			10	5								
Lavender	13	14	1	3	13	11						
Ogwumike	6	7		8	2	7						
Parker	6	11	11	9	10	6						
Phillips			3	4	1	3						
Toliver	3		8	6		6						
Tolo					9	1						

2015 SPARKS HIGHS AND LOWS

	HIGHS	2015 SPARKS HIGHS AND LOWS	LOWS	
TOTAL POINTS (REGULATION)	98	vs Tulsa, 7/3	52	vs Minnesota, 6/16
TOTAL POINTS (OT)	91	vs Phoenix, 7/5	76	at Connecticut. 6/26
POINTS, 1ST HALF	48	vs Seattle, 8/11	24	vs New York, 7/22
POINTS, 2ND HALF	56	vs Tulsa, 7/3	20	vs Seattle, 6/14
POINTS, 1ST QUARTER	28	at San Antonio, 8/23	8	at Minnesota, 8/9
POINTS, 2ND QUARTER	28	vs Tulsa, 7/3	10	vs New York, 7/22
POINTS, 3RD QUARTER	31	vs Tulsa, 7/3	6	vs Indiana, 8/18 at San Antonio, 7/8
POINTS, 4TH QUARTER	28	at Chicago, 7/31	8	vs Seattle, 6/14
POINTS, OVERTIME	6	vs Phoenix, 7/5	9	at Connecticut, 6/26
FGM, 1ST HALF	19	vs Phoenix, 7/5	9	vs New York, 7/22
FGA, 1ST HALF	40	vs Minnesota, 8/4	26	at Minnesota, 7/29
FG%, 1ST HALF	.577	at Seattle, 7/15	.310	vs New York, 7/22
FGM, 2ND HALF	19	vs Minnesota, 8/4	7	vs Seattle, 6/14
FGA, 2ND HALF	38	at Washington, 6/23	25	ar Seattle, 7/15
FG%, 2ND HALF	.607	vs Tulsa, 7/3	.216	at San Antonio, 7/8
FGM	37	vs Minnesota, 8/4	20	vs New York, 7/22
FGA	77	vs Minnesota, 8/4	55	at Minnesota, 7/29
FG%	.564	at Minnesota, 7/29	.317	vs New York, 7/22
3 FGM, 1ST HALF	5	vs San Antonio, 8/30 at New York, 6/28	0	6 Times most recent: at Tulsa, 8/28
3 FGA, 1ST HALF	12	vs San Antonio, 8/30	0	vs Tulsa, 8/6
3 FG%, 1ST HALF	.571	at Minnesota, 7/29	.000	6 Times most recent: at Tulsa, 8/28
3 FGM, 2ND HALF	7	vs Phoenix, 7/5	0	3 Times most recent: vs San Antonio, 8/30
3 FGA, 2ND HALF	13	vs Phoenix, 7/5	4	vs Minnesota, 8/4
3 FG%, 2ND HALF	.700	vs Tulsa, 7/3	.000	3 Times most recent: vs San Antonio, 8/30
3 FGM	9	vs Phoenix, 7/5	0	vs Atlanta, 7/16
3 FGA	22	vs San Antonio, 8/30 at Seattle, 6/6	7	at Minnesota, 7/29
3 FG%	.500	vs Phoenix, 7/5	.000	vs Atlanta, 7/16
FTM, 1ST HALF	11	vs Seattle, 8/11	1	at Washington, 6/23
FTA, 1ST HALF	12	vs Seattle, 8/11	1	vs Minnesota, 6/16
FT%, 1ST HALF	1.000	12 Times most recent: vs San Antonio, 8/30	.250	vs Minnesota, 6/16
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FTM, 2ND HALF	15 19	vs Tulsa, 7/3	0	vs Minnesota, 6/16
FTA, 2ND HALF	1.000	vs Tulsa, 7/3 6 Times		vs Minnesota, 6/16
FT%, 2ND HALF	1.000	most recent: at Tulsa, 8/28	.000	vs Minnesota, 6/16
FTM	24	vs Tulsa, 7/3	1	vs Minnesota. 6/16
FTA	30	vs Tulsa, 7/3	4	vs Minnesota, 6/16
FT%	1.000	vs New York, 7/22	.250	vs Minnesota, 6/16
OFF REBOUNDS	11	at Tulsa, 7/11	2	at Minnesota, 7/29 vs Seattle, 6/14
DEF REBOUNDS	34	vs Tulsa, 8/6	22	at Tulsa, 8/28 vs Seattle, 8/11
TOTAL REBOUNDS	43	vs Tulsa, 8/6	25	at Minnesota, 7/29 vs Atlanta, 7/16
ASSISTS	28	at San Antonio, 8/23	14	at Seattle, 7/15
STEALS	12	vs Indiana, 8/18 vs Minnesota, 8/4	1	vs Seattle, 8/11 vs Minnesota, 6/16
TURNOVERS	21	at Minnesota, 7/29 at Seattle, 7/15	6	at Chicago, 7/31
BLOCKED SHOTS	14	at San Antonio, 8/23	0	vs Seattle, 6/14
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POINTS IN THE PAINT	54	vs Minnesota, 8/4	16	at San Antonio, 7/8
SECOND CHANCE POINTS	18	vs Phoenix, 7/5	3	vs San Antonio, 8/30
FASTBREAK POINTS	13	at Minnesota, 8/9 vs Tulsa, 8/6	0	4 Times most recent: at Seattle, 7/15
* Franchise Record # WNBA Record				

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TOTAL POINTS (REGULATION)	95	vs Tulsa, 7/3	52	vs San Antonio, 8/30
TOTAL POINTS (OT)	94	vs Phoenix, 7/5	80	at Connecticut, 6/26
POINTS, 1ST HALF	49	at San Antonio, 8/2	23	vs Minnesota, 6/16
POINTS, 2ND HALF	53	vs Tulsa, 7/3	25	vs San Antonio, 8/30
POINTS, 1ST QUARTER	26	vs Phoenix, 7/5	10	vs Tulsa, 8/6 at Connecticut, 6/26
POINTS, 2ND QUARTER	26	at San Antonio, 8/2	8	vs San Antonio, 8/30
POINTS, 3RD QUARTER	26	vs Tulsa, 7/3	8	vs New York, 7/22
POINTS, 4TH QUARTER	29	at Seattle, 6/6	10	vs Minnesota, 8/4
POINTS, OVERTIME	13	at Connecticut, 6/26	9	vs Phoenix, 7/5
FGM, 1ST HALF	18	at Indiana, 8/26	7	vs Tulsa, 8/6
FGA, 1ST HALF	36	vs Seattle, 8/11	26	vs Seattle, 6/14
		at Tulsa, 7/11		
FG%, 1ST HALF	.548	vs San Antonio, 7/2	.226	vs Tulsa, 8/6
FGM, 2ND HALF	20	vs Minnesota, 6/16	6	vs New York, 7/22
FGA, 2ND HALF	42	vs San Antonio, 8/30	27	at San Antonio, 7/8 at Washington, 6/23
FG%, 2ND HALF	.690	vs Minnesota, 6/16	.207	vs New York, 7/22
FGM	34	vs Seattle, 8/11 vs Phoenix, 7/5	17	vs Tulsa, 8/6 vs New York, 7/22
FGA	75	vs San Antonio, 8/30 at Connecticut, 6/26	54	vs Seattle, 6/14
FG%	.550	vs San Antonio, 7/2	.258	vs New York, 7/22
3 FGM, 1ST HALF	6	vs Tulsa, 7/3	0	5 Times most recent: at at Tulsa, 8/28
3 FGA, 1ST HALF	12	vs Seattle, 8/11 at Tulsa, 7/11	2	at San Antonio, 7/8
3 FG%, 1ST HALF	.667	at Minnesota, 7/29	.000	5 Times most recent: at Tulsa, 8/28
3 FGM, 2ND HALF	6	at Seattle, 6/6	0	4 Times most recent: at Minnesota, 8/9
3 FGA, 2ND HALF	13	vs Minnesota, 8/4 vs Seattle, 6/14	1	at Minnesota, 8/9
3 FG%, 2ND HALF	.667	at San Antonio, 8/2	.000	4 Times most recent: at Minnesota, 8/9
3 FGM	11	vs Tulsa, 7/3	0	vs New York, 7/22
3 FGA	21	vs Tulsa, 7/3	4	at San Antonio, 7/8
3 FG%	.600	at San Antonio, 8/2	.000	vs New York, 7/22
FTM, 1ST HALF	16	at Tulsa, 7/11	4	at San Antonio, 7/8
			•	vs Connecticut, 6/21
FTA, 1ST HALF	17	at Tulsa, 7/11	1	vs Seattle, 8/11 vs Connecticut, 6/21
FT%, 1ST HALF	1.000	3 Times most recent: vs San Antonio, 8/30	.250	vs Connecticut, 6/21
FTM, 2ND HALF	16	vs Indiana, 8/18 vs New York, 7/22	2	3 Times most recent: vs San Antonio, 8/30
FTA, 2ND HALF	24	vs New York, 7/22	3	3 Times most recent: vs San Antonio, 8/30
FT%, 2ND HALF	1.000	3 Times most recent: vs Tulsa, 8/6	.600	vs Seattle, 6/14
FTM	26	at Tulsa, 7/11	4	vs Minnesota, 6/16
FTA	34	vs New York, 7/22	7	vs San Antonio, 8/30 vs Minnesota, 6/16
FT%	.929	at Tulsa, 7/11	.571	vs Minnesota, 6/16
OFF REBOUNDS	19	vs Indiana, 8/18 vs New York, 7/22	2	vs Phoenix, 7/21
DEF REBOUNDS	36	vs New York, 7/22	15	at Seattle, 7/15
TOTAL REBOUNDS	55	vs New York, 7/22	22	at Seattle, 7/15
ASSISTS	25	vs Minnesota, 6/16	8	vs Tulsa, 8/6 vs New York, 7/22
STEALS	15	at Seattle, 7/15	2	vs San Antonio, 7/2
TURNOVERS	16	vs Indiana, 8/18	4	vs Phoenix, 7/5
BLOCKED SHOTS	11	vs Phoenix, 7/5	0	vs Indiana, 8/18 at San Antonio, 8/2
POINTS IN THE PAINT	48	vs Seattle, 8/11	18	vs Minnesota, 6/16
SECOND CHANCE POINTS	20	vs Tulsa, 7/3	0	at Washington, 6/23
			1	vs New York, 7/22
FASTBREAK POINTS	17	vs Chicago, 8/16		

## 2015 SPARKS MILESTONE WATCH

	TOTAL GAMES PLAYED											
PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY									
Phillips	200	197	3									

	TOTAL ASSISTS											
PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY									
Ogwumike	200	177	23									

	TOTAL F	POINTS	
PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY
Parker	3500	3421	79
Johnson	3000	2594	406
Ogwumike	2000	1799	201

	TOTAL STEALS											
PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY									
Phillips	200	177	23									

TOTAL REBOUNDS												
PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY									
Phillips	500	470	30									

TOTAL BLOCKS											
PLAYER	MILESTONE	CURRENT	# AWAY								
Ogwumike	100	86	14								

	2015 SPARKS SEASON HIGHLIGHTS											
June 21-23	Temeka Johnson recorded the first back-to-back double-double in points-assists in franchise history											
June 28	Kristi Toliver became the seventh Sparks player in franchise history to record a 30-point performance; an individual high this season											
June 28	Nneka Ogwumike recorded 19 total rebounds, an individual high this season											
July 3	Kristi Toliver's 43 points set a franchise-record for most points in a game											
July 6	Nneka Ogwumike named WNBA Western Conference Player of the Week for games played through June 29 - July 5											
July 21	Nneka Ogwumike selected WNBA All-Star reserve, third consecutive											
July 22	Jantel Lavender selected WNBA All-Star reserve, first in career											
August 23	Candace Parker's eight steals set a franchise-record for most steals in a game											
August 24	Candace Parker named WNBA Western Conference Player of the Week for games played through August 17 - 23											

	2015 SPARKS MILESTONES ACHIEVED
June 6	Alana Beard scored her 4,000th career point
June 16	Erin Phillips recorded her 400th career assist
June 21-23	Temeka Johnson recorded the first back-to-back double-double in points-assists in franchise history
June 28	Temeka Johnson played in 300th career game
June 28	Temeka Johnson recorded her 1300th career assist
July 2	Temeka Johnson scored her 2500th career point
July 3	Kristi Toliver's 43 points set a franchise-record for most points in a game
July 5	Nneka Ogwumike recorded her 800th career rebound
July 5	Kristi Toliver recorded her 600th career assist
July 8	Jantel Lavender recorded her 700th career rebound
July 15	Temeka Johnson recorded her 300th career steal
July 16	Erin Phillips scored her 1300th career point
July 31	Nneka Ogwumike scored her 1700th career point
July 31	Jantel Lavender recorded her 100th blocked shot
August 16	Kristi Toliver scored her 2500th career point
August 16	Candace Parker scored her 3300th career point
August 16	Alana Beard recorded her 300th career game played
August 23	Candace Parker's eight steals set a franchise-record for most steals in a game
August 30	Jantel Lavender scored her 1500th career point

### Head Coach Brian Agler 1st Season

On January 5, 2015, Brian Agler joined the Los Angeles Sparks as the 12th head coach in franchise history, bringing with him over 30 years of head-coaching experience, including 11 in the WNBA.

Agler comes to the Sparks from Seattle, where he led the Storm to six consecutive playoff appearances (2008-2013) in seven years. He compiled a 136-102 (.571) record during his time in the Pacific Northwest, including his 212th career (WNBA and ABL) victory in 2012. The win on June 1 against the Tulsa Shock moved him past Van Chancellor (211), former coach of the Houston Comets, to become the all-time winningest coach in women's professional basketball history. Agler won 78 games in the ABL and now has 196 WNBA regular season wins (274 total).

In 2010 the Storm captured the league's championship title, its second, with an impressive regular season record of 28-6 and an undefeated playoff record of 7-0. Additionally, Coach Agler was recognized as the WNBA's Coach of the Year. Prior to joining the Storm in 2008, Agler was the head coach and general manager of the expansion team Minnesota Lynx from 1999-2002, where he compiled a 42-54 (.438) record. Before being named the first coach of the expansion Lynx. Agler served as the head coach of the Columbus Quest of the ABL from 1996-1999, compiling an 82-22 record. He led the Quest to back-to-back ABL championships in 1997 and 1998 and was named the ABL Coach of the Year for the 1996-97 season.

Agler completed his third season as an assistant coach for the San Antonio Silver Stars in 2007. Prior to joining San Antonio, he served as an assistant coach with the Phoenix Mercury in 2004 and helped guide the team to a 17-17 record after the Mercury finished with an 8-26 record in 2003.

Agler spent 15 seasons coaching among the collegiate ranks, including 13 seasons as a head coach. He posted an impressive collegiate record of 248-135 (.648 winning percentage). From 1993-96 he served as the head women's basketball coach at Kansas State. In 1998, Agler took over as the head women's coach at the University of Missouri-Kansas City. In five seasons at UMKC, Agler was 85-54 and took the Kangaroos from a 9-16 record in 1988-89 to four straight winning seasons with 17 or more victories. Under his direction, UMKC led the NCAA in scoring defense three consecutive season from 1990-93. In 1991, UMKC set an NCAA record, allowing 51.8 points per game.

As the head women's basketball coach at Northeast Oklahoma A&M Junior College from 1984-88, Agler compiled a 124-42 record (.747 winning percentage). In 1985-86, NEO A&M was ranked second nationally and posted a 30-2 record.

Agler attended Wittenberg University in Springfield, Ohio, where he starred on the basketball team for four seasons. He led the Tigers to their only NCAA Division III Championship in basketball as a freshman. He started all 112 games during his college career, leaving the school as the all-time assist leader (481). Agler helped lead his team to a 91-21 record during his four years with the Tigers, and was named most valuable player in the Ohio Athletic Conference and first-team All-America as a senior. In 1995, he was inducted into the Wittenberg Hall of Honor.

In 1980, Agler graduated with a degree in special education and physical education. He received his master's degree in education from Pittsburg State University (Pittsburg, Kansas) in 1985. Agler and his wife Robin, have one son, Bryce, and one daughter, Taylor.

	WNBA CARE	ER HEAD	COACHI	NG STATS	<u> </u>
Season	Team	Record	Pct.	Playoffs	Pct.
2015	Los Angeles Sparks	12-18	.400		
2014	Seattle Storm	12-22	.353		
2013	Seattle Storm	17-17	.500	0-2	.000
2012	Seattle Storm	16-18	.471	1-2	.333
2011	Seattle Storm	21-13	.636	1-2	.333
2010	Seattle Storm	28-6	.824	7-0	1.000
2009	Seattle Storm	20-14	.588	1-2	.333
2008	Seattle Storm	22-12	.647	1-2	.333
2002	Minnesota Lynx	6-13	.316		
2001	Minnesota Lynx	12-20	.375		
2000	Minnesota Lynx	15-17	.469		
1999	Minnesota Lynx	15-17	.469		
WNBA TOTALS	<u> </u>	196-187	.510	11-8	.579



# **FARHIYA ABDI**

Position: F • Height: 6-2 • Born: May 31, 1992 • College: Sweden • Years Pro: 2

201

3.6 PPG

 $1.3_{\rm RPG}$ 

 $0.4_{\ APG}$ 

 $0.4_{\rm SPG}$ 

0.1 BPG

129 MP

#### WNBA CAPSULE

• First Somali player in league history

#### **QUICK NOTES**

#### Last Game vs San Antonio (8/30)

- Set a career-high two blocked shots and added two points and two rebounds in nine minutes played

#### 2015

- Had missed 11 games due to injury (6/26-7/22)
- Has started in four games, most in her career. Had not started in a game in previous WNBA seasons
- Started her first career game in the season opener at Seattle on June 6

SEASO]	N HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
POINTS	12, vs CON 6/21	<b>POINTS</b> 15, @ PHO 8/16/14
FGM	4, Twice	<b>FGM</b> 6, @ PHO 8/16/14
3 FGM	2, Twice	3 FGM 2, Twice
FTM	2, vs CON 6/21	FTM 3, @ PHO 8/16/14
OREB	1, vs MIN 6/16	OREB 2, @ SAN 6/14/14
DREB	4, vs CON 6/21	<b>DREB</b> 4, vs CON 6/21/15
TOTAL REB	4, vs CON 6/21	<b>TOTAL REB</b> 4, vs CON 6/21/15
ASSISTS	2, vs MIN 6/16	<b>ASSISTS</b> 4, vs SEA 5/26/13
STEALS	1, 5 Times	STEALS 1, 8 Times
BLOCKS	2, vs SAN 8/30	<b>BLOCKS</b> 2, vs SAN 8/30/15
MINUTES	33, vs CON 6/21	<b>MINUTES</b> 33, vs CON 6/21/15

## 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

MIN FGM FGA PCT 3FGM 3FGA PCT FTM FTA PCT OFF DEF TOT RPG AST APG TOTAL 1 27 4 8 .500 2 2 1.000 0 0 .000 3 3 3.0 1.0 6 0

2015 SEA			

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	1	23	0	8	0	5	1	2	0	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	1
6/14	SEA	L	0	18	3	7	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	7
6/16	MIN	L	1	28	3	7	1	4	0	0	1	1	2	2	5	1	0	0	7
6/21	CON	L	1	33	4	8	2	3	2	2	0	4	4	0	6	1	4	0	12
6/23	@ WAS	L	1	27	4	8	2	2	0	0	0	3	3	1	6	1	3	0	10
6/26	@ CON	L																	
6/28	@ NYL	L																	
7/2	SAN	W																	
7/3	TUL	W																	
7/5	PHO	L																	
7/8	@ SAN	L																	
7/11	@ TUL	L																	
7/15	@ SEA	L																	
7/16	ATL	L																	
7/21	PHO	W																	
7/22	NYL	L																	
7/29	@ MIN	L																	
7/31	@ CHI	W																	
8/2	@ SAN	W																	
8/4	MIN	W	0	2	11	2	1	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
8/6	TUL	W	0	7	1	3	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	0	3
8/9	@ MIN	L	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/11	SEA	L	0	7	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
8/16	CHI	W	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
8/18	IND	L	0	4	0	1	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
8/21	@ PHO	W																	
8/23	@ SAN	W	0	8	1	4	0	0	0	1	0	2	2	1	0	0	1	0	2
8/26	@ IND	W																	
8/28	@ TUL	L	0	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
8/30	SAN	W	0	9	1	3	0	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	2	2
9/3	WAS																		
0.16	DOX IX																		

9/6 TUL 9/9 @ ATL 9/11 @ PHO

#### WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Y	ear	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
20	015	14	4	179	20	56	.357	8	24	.333	3	5	.600	1	12	13	1.3	6	0.4	23	6	2	51	3.6
T	OTAL	47	4	429	53	136	.397	9	31	.292	14	19	.737	8	29	37	0.8	19	0.5	53	9	3	129	3.0



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**ALANA BEARD** 

Position: G/F • Height: 6-1 • Born: May 14, 1982 • College: Duke • Years Pro: 11

2015

8.3 PPG 3.5 RPG

2.6 APG

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 $0.4_{\rm RPG}$ 

25.8 MPG

#### WNBA CAPS<u>ULE</u>

- All-WNBA selection (second team, 2006)
- Five-time WNBA All-Defensive Team selection (first team 2007, second team 2005, 06, 09, 2012, 14)
- Four-time WNBA All-Star selection (2005-07, 09)
- Washington Mystics franchise leader in points, field goals made, three-point field goals made, assists and steals
- Five-time WNBA Player of the Week
- 25th all-time in scoring

#### QUICK NOTES

#### Last Game vs San Antonio (8/30)

- Led the bench with six points and four rebounds in 23 minutes played

#### 2015

- Had missed 15 games due to injury (6/16-7/22, 8/11)
- Tied second on the team in steals per game
- Played in her 300th career game (8/16)
- Reached 4000th total career points (6/6)
- First 20+ point performance (20 pts, 8-16 FG) of the season earned in the season opener at Seattle on June 6

SEASO	N HIGHS	CAREER	HIGHS
POINTS	20, @ SEA 6/6	POINTS 33	3, @ PHO 6/4/08
FGM	8, @ SEA 6/6	FGM 13,	vs SEA 7/23/06
3 FGM	1, @ SAN 8/2	3 FGM	6, @ ATL 6/3/08
FTM	4, @ SEA 6/6	FTM	11, Twice
OREB	1, 3 Times	OREB 4,	@ SAC 7/18/04
DREB	6, Twice	DREB	9, Twice
TOTAL REB	7, Twice	TOTAL REB	10, Twice
ASSISTS	7, Twice	ASSISTS 10,	@ SAN 6/28/12
STEALS	4, @ CHI 7/31	STEALS	7, 3 Times
BLOCKS	1, Twice	BLOCKS	4, Twice
MINUTES	34, vs SEA 6/14	MINUTES 48,	vs IND 6/18/05

#### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

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Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	1	33	8	16	0	1	4	4	1	3	4	3	1	0	2	0	20
6/14	SEA	L	1	34	5	12	0	1	0	0	0	5	5	2	3	2	4	0	10
6/16	MIN	L																	
6/21	CON	L																	
6/23	@ WAS	L																	
6/26	@ CON	L																	
6/28	@ NYL	L																	
7/2	SAN	W																	
7/3	TUL	W																	
7/5	PHO	L																	
7/8	@ SAN	L																	
7/11	@ TUL	L																	
7/15	@ SEA	L																	
7/16	ATL	L																	
7/21	PHO	W																	
7/22	NYL	L																	
7/29	@ MIN	L	1	20	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	2	4	2	3	1	8
7/31	@ CHI	W	1	31	4	6	0	0	2	2	1	6	7	0	3	4	0	_1_	10
8/2	@ SAN	W	1	31	7	10	1	2	0	0	0	4	4	7	1	1	1	1	15
8/4	MIN	W	11	33	5	12	0	2	0	0	0	3	3	7	11	1	0	0	10
8/6	TUL	W	1	25	5	8	0	0	3	3	1	6	7	5	2	0	3	0	13
8/9	@ MIN	L	1	8	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
8/11	SEA	L																	
8/16	CHI	W	1	25	1	4	0	1	0	1	0	5	5	0	1	1	0	0	2
8/18	IND	L	11	31	2	7	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	4	3	1	11	_1_	4
8/21	@ PHO	W	1	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0
8/23	@ SAN	W																	
8/26	@ IND	W																	
8/28	@ TUL	L																	
8/30	SAN	W	0	23	3	6	0	2	0	0	0	4	4	1	1	1	11	1	6
9/3	WAS																		

#### WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

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@ ATL

@ PHO

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9/11

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	12	11	309	45	90	0.500	1	10	.100	9	10	.900	3	39	42	3.5	31	2.6	23	13	5	100	8.3
тоты	202	201	0220	1521	2554	0.420	265	790	229	756	097	766	160	004	1072	2.5	922	20	962	520	172	1002	12.7



# #15 CRYSTAL BRADFORD

Position: G • Height: 6-0 • Born: November 1, 1993 • College: CMU • Years Pro: I

 $2.5_{\mathrm{PPG}}$ 

 $1.2_{\rm RPG}$ 

0.5 APG

 $0.3_{\rm SPG}$ 

 $0.2_{\mathrm{BPG}}$ 

 $8.9_{\,\mathrm{MPG}}$ 

#### WNBA CAPSULE

- Made WNBA debut vs New York Liberty on July 22, 2015
- Drafted in the 1st round (7th overall) by the Los Angeles Sparks in the 2015 WNBA Draft
- Signed by the Los Angeles Sparks on July 21, 2015

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TUL

@ ATL @ PHO

#### QUICK NOTES

Last Game vs San Antonio (8/30)

- Grabbed one rebound in four minutes played

#### 2015

- Made WNBA debut against New York (7/22) and scored two points in eight minutes played

SEASON	N HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
POINTS	9, @ IND 8/26	<b>POINTS</b> 9, @ IND 8/26/15
FGM	3, @ IND 8/26	<b>FGM</b> 3, @ IND 8/26/15
3 FGM	2, @ IND 8/26	<b>3 FGM</b> 2, @ IND 8/26/15
FTM	2, vs TUL 8/6	<b>FTM</b> 2, vs TUL 8/6/15
OREB	1, @ TUL 8/28	<b>OREB</b> 1, @ TUL 8/28/15
DREB	5, @ IND 8/26	<b>DREB</b> 5, @ IND 8/26/15
TOTAL REB	5, @ IND 8/26	<b>TOTAL REB</b> 5, @ IND 8/26/15
ASSISTS	2, @ SAN 8/23	<b>ASSISTS</b> 2, @ SAN 8/23/15
STEALS	2, @ IND 8/26	<b>STEALS</b> 2, @ IND 8/26 /15
BLOCKS	2, @ SAN 8/23	<b>BLOCKS</b> 2, @ SAN 8/23/15
MINUTES	23, @ IND 8/26	<b>MINUTES</b> 23 @ IND 8/26/15

#### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PT
6/6	@ SEA	L																	
6/14	SEA	L																	
6/16	MIN	L																	
6/21	CON	L																	
6/23	@ WAS	L																	
6/26	@ CON	L																	
6/28	@ NYL	L																	
7/2	SAN	W																	
7/3	TUL	W																	
7/5	PHO	L																	
7/8	@ SAN	L																	
7/11	@ TUL	L																	-
7/15	@ SEA	L																	-
7/16	ATL	L																	-
7/21	PHO	W																	-
7/22	NYL	L	0	8	1	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	- 2
7/29	@ MIN	L	0	2	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	3
7/31	@ CHI	W	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	(
8/2	@ SAN	W	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	(
8/4	MIN	W																	-
8/6	TUL	W	0	6	0	2	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	- 1
8/9	@ MIN	L																	-
8/11	SEA	L																	_
8/16	CHI	W	0	6	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	0	2
8/18	IND	L																	_
8/21	@ PHO	W	0	9	1	5	0	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	2
8/23	@ SAN	W	0	17	2	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	2	4
8/26	@ IND	W	0	23	3	6	2	3	1	2	0	5	5	1	1	2	0	0	9
8/28	@ TUL	L	0	19	1	6	1	3	0	0	1	1	2	0	2	0	1	0	1
8/30	SAN	W	0	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	(
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Y	ear	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
20	)15	11	0	97	10	35	.278	5	17	.294	3	4	.750	1	12	13	1.2	6	0.5	13	4	2	28	2.5
T	TAI	. 11	0	97	10	35	278	5	17	294	3	4	750	1	12	13	1.2	6	0.5	13	4	2	28	2.5



Height: 6-0 • Born: August 18, 1989 • College: Serbia

Years Pro: R

8.1 PPG

 $1.4_{\rm RPG}$ 

 $1.5_{APG}$ 

 $0.8_{\rm SPG}$ 

0.1 BPG

#### WNBA CAPSULE

- Made WNBA debut at San Antonio on July 8, 2015
- · Signed by the Los Angeles Sparks on February 18, 2015

#### **QUICK NOTES**

#### Last Game vs San Antonio (8/30)

- Set a career-high six assists to go along with three points in 34 minutes played for fifth career start

- (7) 10+ point games
- Has scored in double-digits in first four starts
- Leads in 3-point percent. (.333), second in free-throw percent. (.853) and third in scoring among league rookie leaders
- Made first career start versus Indiana (8/16)
- Made WNBA debut at San Antonio (7/8) and scored two points

SEASON	N HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
POINTS	18, Twice	POINTS 18, Twice
FGM	8, @ IND 8/26	<b>FGM</b> 8, @ IND 8/26/15
3 FGM	3, Twice	<b>3 FGM</b> 3, Twice
FTM	5, vs ATL 7/16	<b>FTM</b> 5, vs ATL 7/16/15
OREB	3, vs IND 8/18	<b>OREB</b> 3, vs IND 8/18/15
DREB	3, @ SEA 7/15	<b>DREB</b> 3, @ SEA 7/15/15
TOTAL REB	5, vs IND 8/18	<b>TOTAL REB</b> 5, vs IND 8/18/15
ASSISTS	6, vs SAN 8/30	<b>ASSISTS</b> 6, vs SAN 8/30/15
STEALS	2, 4 Times	STEALS 2, 4 Times
BLOCKS	1, @ IND 8/26	<b>BLOCKS</b> 1, @ IND 8/26/15
MINUTES	37, @ IND 8/26	<b>MINUTES</b> 37, @ IND 8/26/15

#### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

MIN FGM **FGA** PCT 3FGM 3FGA PCT FTM FTA PCT OFF DEF TOT BLK  $\mathbf{G}$ TOTAL --

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Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	то	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L																	
6/14	SEA	L																	
6/16	MIN	L																	
6/21	CON	L																	
6/23	@ WAS	L																	
6/26	@ CON	L																	
6/28	@ NYL	L																	
7/2	SAN	W																	
7/3	TUL	W																	
7/5	PHO	L																	
7/8	@ SAN	L	0	8	0	2	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	2
7/11	@ TUL	L	0	15	0	2	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	1	2	1	2	0	2
7/15	@ SEA	L	0	17	2	3	0	0	2	2	0	3	3	0	0	0	3	0	6
7/16	ATL	L	0	23	2	8	0	3	5	5	0	0	0	2	3	2	5	0	9
7/21	PHO	W	0	23	3	6	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	4	2	0	2	0	9
7/22	NYL	L	0	8	1	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	2
7/29	@ MIN	L	0	19	5	7	3	4	1	2	0	0	0	2	3	0	1	0	14
7/31	@ CHI	W	0	8	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	0_
8/2	@ SAN	W	0	20	5	7	2	3	1	2	0	1	1	4	3	0	0	0	13
8/4	MIN	W	0	15	3	8	0	3	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	1	2	0	6
8/6	TUL	W	0	10	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	2	0	1	0	2
8/9	@ MIN	L	0	19	2	8	1	2	0	0	1	2	3	1	6	2	0	0	5
8/11	SEA	L	0	14	3	5	3	4	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	11	0	9
8/16	CHI	W	0	24	2	5	1	3	3	3	1	1	2	0	1	2	1	0	8
8/18	IND	L	1	31	4	10	0	3	4	4	3	2	5	1	1	0	6	0	12
8/21	@ PHO	W	0	30	5	13	2	4	0	0	1	0	1	1	5	2	1	0	12
8/23	@ SAN	W	1	28	7	10	1	1	3	5	0	1	1	0	4	0	2	0	18
8/26	@ IND	W	1	37	8	15	2	5	0	0	1	0	1	0	4	2	0	1	18
8/28	@ TUL	L	1	29	5	9	0	3	1	1	1	2	3	1	5	1	1	0	11
8/30	SAN	W	1	34	1	9	0	5	1	2	0	1	1	6	3	1	1	0	3

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Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	20	5	399	58	132	.433	16	48	.333	29	34	.853	8	19	27	1.4	32	1.5	55	16	3	161	8.1
TOTAL	20	5	399	58	132	.433	16	48	.333	29	34	.853	8	19	27	1.4	32	1.5	55	16	3	161	8.1



Height: 6-7 • Born: January 23, 1992 • College: BYU • Years Pro: R **Position:** C •

 $1.2_{\mathrm{RPG}}$ 

 $0.1_{APG}$ 

 $0.1 \, \text{SPG}$ 

0.5 BPG

4.5 MPG

### WNBA CAPSULE

 Made WNBA debut at Seattle on June 6, 2015 · Signed by the Los Angeles Sparks on February 23, 2015

#### **QUICK NOTES**

#### Last Game vs San Antonio (8/30)

- Did not play

- Played a career-high 21 minutes vs Minnesota (6/16)
- Played in first career game at Seattle (6/6)
- Scored four points in WNBA debut at Seattle (6/6)

SEASO	N HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
POINTS	4, 3 Times	POINTS 4, 3 Times
FGM	2, @ SAN 8/23	<b>FGM</b> 2, @ SAN 8/23/15
3 FGM		3 FGM
FTM	2, @ SEA 6/6	<b>FTM</b> 2, @ SEA 6/6/15
OREB	4, @ SAN 8/23	<b>OREB</b> 4, @ SAN 8/23/15
DREB	3, Twice	<b>DREB</b> 3, Twice
TOTAL REB	5, Twice	TOTAL REB 5, Twice
ASSISTS	2, vs PHO 7/5	<b>ASSISTS</b> 2, vs PHO 7/5/15
STEALS	1, Twice	STEALS 1, Twice
BLOCKS	4, @ SAN 8/23	<b>BLOCKS</b> 4, @ SAN 8/23/15
MINUTES	21, vs MIN 6/16	<b>MINUTES</b> 21, vs MIN 6/16/15

#### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

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Date	Орр	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	то	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	0	4	1	2	0	0	2	2	1	2	3	0	0	0	1	0	4
6/14	SEA	L	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
6/16	MIN	L	0	21	1	1	0	0	1	4	1	3	4	0	0	0	1	1	3
6/21	CON	L	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6/23	@ WAS	L	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6/26	@ CON	L																	
6/28	@ NYL	L	0	9	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	1	3	0	2	1	0	2	1
7/2	SAN	W																	
7/3	TUL	W	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
7/5	PHO	L	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
7/8	@ SAN	L	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
7/11	@ TUL	L	0	2	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
7/15	@ SEA	L	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
7/16	ATL	L	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
7/21	PHO	W	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
7/22	NYL	L	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7/29	@ MIN	L																	
7/31	@ CHI	W																	
8/2	@ SAN	W	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/4	MIN	W	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/6	TUL	W	0	6	2	3	0	0	0	0	2	3	5	0	1	0	0	0	4
8/9	@ MIN	L																	
8/11	SEA	L																	
8/16	CHI	W	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	11	0	11	0	0
8/18	IND	L																	
8/21	@ PHO	W	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0
8/23	@ SAN	W	0	9	2	4	0	0	0	2	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	4	4
8/26	@ IND	W	0	5	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	2
8/28	@ TUL	L	0	9	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	4	0	1	0	0
8/30	SAN	W																	
9/3	WAS																		

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Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	22	0	99	8	15	.533	0	0	.000	5	14	.357	12	14	26	1.2	3	0.1	11	2	10	21	1.0
TOTAL	22	0	90	Q	15	533	0	0	000	5	1.4	357	12	1.4	26	1.2	3	0.1	11	2	10	21	1.0



# MEKA JOHN

Height: 5-3 • Born: September 6, 1982 • College: LSU • Years Pro: 11

5.2 PPG

2.5 RPG

 $3.7_{APG}$ 

 $0.7_{\rm SPG}$ 

 $0.0_{\mathrm{BPG}}$ 

#### WNBA CAPSULE

- Signed by the Los Angeles Sparks on March 24, 2015
- WNBA Champion (2009
- Phoenix Mercury)
- · WNBA Rookie of the Year (2005 - Washington Mystics)
- WNBA teams played for: Washington Mystics (2005), Los Angeles Sparks (2006-08), Phoenix Mercury (2009-11), Tulsa Shock (2012), Seattle Storm (2013-14)

#### **QUICK NOTES**

#### Last Game vs San Antonio (8/30)

- In 11th start, grabbed four rebounds and tallied one assist and one steal in 22 minutes played

- Ranks sixth in the WNBA in assists
- Recorded her 300th career steal at Seattle (7/15)
- Recorded her 2500th career point vs San Antonio
- Earned her 1300th career assist at New York (6/28)
- Played her 300th career game at New York (6/28)
- First player in franchise history to record a double-double (points-assists) in two consecutive games

SEASO	N HIGHS	CAREE	R HIGHS
POINTS	17, @ WAS 6/23	POINTS 2	6, vs NYL 9/20/12
FGM	6, @ WAS 6/23	FGM	10, 3 Times
3 FGM	2, @ WAS 6/23	3 FGM	4, Twice
FTM	7, vs CON 6/21	FTM	8, 4 Times
OREB	2, @ WAS 6/23	OREB	3, 5 Times
DREB	4, 5 Times	DREB 1	0, vs NYL 7/24/14
TOTAL REB	4, 6 Times	TOTAL REB 1	0, vs NYL 7/24/14
ASSISTS	10, Twice	ASSISTS	12, Twice
STEALS	3, @ CHI 7/31	STEALS	4, 5 Times
BLOCKS		BLOCKS	2, Twice
MINUTES	33, Twice	MINUTES	38, 3 Times

#### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

**FGM FGA** PCT 3FGM 3FGA PCT FTM FTA PCT OFF DEF TOT RPG AST APG PTS PPG 1.000 4.0 TOTAL 1 6 .667 2 3 .667 3 3

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Date	Орр	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	0	20	0	5	0	4	0	0	0	3	3	4	0	0	0	0	0
6/14	SEA	L	0	18	1	5	0	3	3	4	0	4	4	4	2	0	2	0	5
6/16	MIN	L	1	26	3	12	0	2	0	0	1	2	3	7	3	0	1	0	6
6/21	CON	L	1	31	4	13	0	3	7	7	0	3	3	10	6	0	6	0	15
6/23	@ WAS	L	1	32	6	9	2	3	3	3	2	2	4	10	2	0	3	0	17
6/26	@ CON	L	1	19	2	6	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	4	1	2	2	0	5
6/28	@ NYL	L	1	31	1	5	1	1	0	0	0	3	3	6	5	0	2	0	3
7/2	SAN	W	1	30	1	8	1	5	2	2	0	2	2	5	4	1	0	0	5
7/3	TUL	W	1	22	2	2	0	0	5	6	0	3	3	3	1	1	0	0	5
7/5	PHO	L	0	19	4	4	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	4	2	1	2	0	9
7/8	@ SAN	L	0	28	2	5	1	2	1	2	0	2	2	2	3	0	1	0	6
7/11	@ TUL	L	1	33	3	7	3	6	0	0	1	4	5	4	3	0	0	0	9
7/15	@ SEA	L	1	33	4	8	1	2	2	3	0	3	3	6	2	1	4	0	11
7/16	ATL	L	0	12	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	4
7/21	PHO	W	0	23	3	5	1	1	0	1	1	2	3	4	1	0	1	0	7
7/22	NYL	L	0	21	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	2	2	1	2	0	2
7/29	@ MIN	L	0	11	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	3	0	0
7/31	@ CHI	W	0	16	0	3	0	2	2	2	0	3	3	4	2	3	1	0	2
8/2	@ SAN	W	0	21	0	6	0	4	0	0	0	4	4	3	3	2	11	0	0
8/4	MIN	W	0	18	2	6	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	1	1	0	5
8/6	TUL	W	0	22	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	2	2	1	2	0	6
8/9	@ MIN	L	0	18	0	7	0	2	2	2	0	1	1	2	4	2	1	0	2
8/11	SEA	L	1	26	1	7	0	4	2	2	2	0	2	2	3	0	5	0	4
8/16	CHI	W	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
8/18	IND	L	0	19	4	8	1	2	0	0	1	2	3	1	5	0	0	0	9
8/21	@ PHO	W	0	10	0	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	0
8/23	@ SAN	W	0	22	3	4	1	2	0	0	0	4	4	3	2	1	1	0	7
8/26	@ IND	W	0	20	1	8	0	5	0	0	1	2	3	5	4	1	0	0	2
8/28	@ TUL	L	0	9	2	5	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	4	1	1	1	0	5
8/30	SAN	W	1	22	0	6	0	3	0	0	0	4	4	1	2	1	3	0	0

9/3 WAS

9/6 TUL 9/9 @ ATL

9/11 @ PHO

WNRA SEASON /	CAREER STATISTICS
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Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG	
2015	30	11	634	55	169	.325	16	63	.250	29	34	.853	10	64	74	2.5	112	3.7	70	21	0	155	5.2	
TOTA	r. 324	258	7858	984	2424	412	197	569	356	439	533	823	129	755	884	2.8	1376	4 3	677	33	27	2594	8.3	



# #42

# JANTEL LAVENDER

osition: C • Height: 6-4

**Born:** November 12, 1988 •

College: Ohio State

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 $15.0\,\mathrm{PPG}$ 

Last Game at Tulsa (8/28)

 $8.5_{\rm RPG}$ 

 $1.8_{APG}$ 

 $0.4_{\rm SPG}$ 

 $1.3_{\rm BPG}$ 

34 3 MBC

#### WNBA CAPSULE

- WNBA All-Star selection (2015)
- Ninth among league leaders in field goal percentage (2014)
- Made WNBA debut against Minnesota Lynx on June 3, 2011

@ ATL

@ PHO

9/9 9/11

### QUICK NOTES

- Recorded a season-high/game-high 24 points and added nine rebounds in 37 minutes played

#### 2015

- Selected as WNBA All-Star injury replacement player, first All-Star nod in career
- Leads the WNBA for most double-doubles (12)
- Ranks fourth among league leaders in rebounds
- (27) 10+ point games, (7) 20+ point games
- Has an active streak of 136 consecutive games played (2nd longest in franchise history) dating back to 9/3/11 at Phoenix
- Recorded her 1500th points vs San Antonio (8/30)
- Recorded her 100th blocked shot at Chicago (7/31)

SEASO1	N HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
POINTS	24, vs SAN 8/30	<b>POINTS</b> 25, vs PHO 8/12/11
FGM	10, @ SAN 8/2	<b>FGM</b> 11, vs PHO 8/12/11
3 FGM	1, vs SEA 6/14	3 FGM 1, Twice
FTM	8, vs SAN 8/30	FTM 8, vs SAN 8/30/15
OREB	4, 3 Times	<b>OREB</b> 7, vs PHO 8/12/11
DREB	11, @ CON 6/26	<b>DREB</b> 11, @ CON 6/26/15
TOTAL REB	13, Twice	TOTAL REB 13, 4 Times
ASSISTS	3, 9 Times	<b>ASSISTS</b> 5, vs CHI 6/6/14
STEALS	2, Twice	<b>STEALS</b> 3, vs CHI 6/6/14
BLOCKS	5, @ SAN 8/23	<b>BLOCKS</b> 5, @ SAN 8/23/15
MINUTES	43, @ CON 6/26	MINUTES 43, @ CON 6/26/15

#### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

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Date	Орр	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	ТО	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L	1	36	5	18	0	1	0	0	3	9	12	2	3	0	1	0	10
6/14	SEA	L	1	33	5	10	1	1	1	2	1	8	9	1	3	0	2	0	12
6/16	MIN	L	1	34	6	11	0	1	0	0	4	9	13	0	0	0	1	1	12
6/21	CON	L	1	39	8	22	0	2	1	2	4	6	10	3	1	2	4	0	17
6/23	@ WAS	L	1	34	9	16	0	0	0	0	2	7	9	3	2	0	2	3	18
6/26	@ CON	L	1	43	9	16	0	0	4	4	1	11	12	1	4	2	3	0	22
6/28	@ NYL	L	1	35	7	12	0	0	0	0	2	4	6	1	2	0	3	0	14
7/2	SAN	W	1	34	8	12	0	0	5	5	2	8	10	3	2	1	4	0	21
7/3	TUL	W	1	29	3	7	0	0	4	6	1	4	5	2	4	0	3	1	10
7/5	PHO	L	1	38	5	13	0	0	0	1	1	3	4	1	2	0	0	1	10
7/8	@ SAN	L	1	36	8	19	0	0	3	3	2	8	10	2	2	0	0	3	19
7/11	@ TUL	L	1	32	7	19	0	0	0	0	3	8	11	2	1	1	4	1	14
7/15	@ SEA	L	1	27	3	7	0	0	3	4	1	4	5	3	1	1	3	2	9
7/16	ATL	L	1	39	8	17	0	0	4	4	2	9	11	3	1	0	3	2	20
7/21	PHO	W	1	31	8	9	0	0	3	3	0	11	11	0	1	0	3	0	19
7/22	NYL	L	1	31	6	14	0	0	0	0	1	6	7	2	0	1	0	3	12
7/29	@ MIN	L	1	38	7	10	1	1	0	0	1	9	10	1	1	0	3	1	15
7/31	@ CHI	W	1	34	4	10	0	0	2	4	3	5	8	3	2	0	1	3	10
8/2	@ SAN	W	1	33	10	16	0	0	0	0	2	6	8	1	2	0	2	11	20
8/4	MIN	W	1	35	7	11	0	0	0	0	3	10	13	3	0	1	0	0	14
8/6	TUL	W	1	27	3	6	0	0	2	2	1	5	6	1	1	0	1	2	8
8/9	@ MIN	L	1	35	6	11	0	0	11	2	4	4	8	0	1	0	3	1	13
8/11	SEA	L	1	33	9	12	0	1	4	4	1	6	7	3	2	1	3	2	22
8/16	CHI	W	1	32	5	11	0	0	2	2	3	5	8	3	3	1	2	0	12
8/18	IND	L	1	32	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	2	4	1	3	3	10
8/21	@ PHO	W	1	39	7	10	0	0	1	1	2	9	11	3	1	0	2	1	15
8/23	@ SAN	W	11	28	9	11	0	0	4	4	22	2	4	2	1	0	11	5	22
8/26	@ IND	W	1	37	7	13	0	0	3	3	4	2	6	3	3	0	4	0	17
8/28	@ TUL	L	1	40	3	9	0	1	2	2	1	6	7	1	2	0	4	1	8
8/30	SAN	W	1	37	8	15	0	0	8	8	3	6	9	0	1	0	2	1	24
9/3	WAS																		
9/6	TUL																		

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тот	AT 165	164	3540	640	1258	512	3	13	250	203	248	803	260	508	858	5.1	157	0.0	273	63	117	1504	0.1	



#30

# NNEKA OGWUMIKE

Position: F • Height: 6-2 • Born: July 2, 1990 • College: Stanford • Years Pro: 3

2015

16.1 PPG 7.4 RPG

2.2 APG

 $1.1_{\rm SPG}$ 

 $0.5_{\mathrm{BPG}}$ 

 $34.9_{MPG}$ 

#### WNBA CAPSULE

- All-WNBA selection (second team, 2014)
- Three-time WNBA All-Star selection (2013, 14, 15)
- Four-time WNBA Western Conference Player of the Week (most recent: 6/29-7/5, 2015)
- WNBA Rookie of the Year (2012)
- WNBA All-Rookie Team (2012)
- Four-time WNBA Rookie of the Month (2012)

#### QUICK NOTES

#### Last Game vs San Antonio (8/30)

- Did not play (concussion-like symptoms)

#### 2015

- Selected as WNBA All-Star for third consecutive season
- Ranks sixth in the WNBA in scoring and seventh in rebounding
- (18) 10+ point games, (4) 20+ point games
- Averaged a double-double (17.8 ppg, 10.1 rpg) in first 11 games played
- Recorded five double-doubles
- Named WNBA Western Conference Player of the week (6/29-7/5)
- Has missed 10 games due to injury (6/6-21, 8/18-30)

SEASO	N HIGHS	CARE	ER HIGHS
POINTS	27, vs SAN 7/2	POINTS	35, vs TUL 8/5/14
FGM	11, Twice	FGM	12, vs TUL 8/5/14
3 FGM	1, @ CON 6/26	3 FGM	2, vs CHI 7/1/14
FTM	9, @ NYL 6/28	FTM	11, vs TUL 8/5/14
OREB	6, vs PHO 7/5	OREB	12, @ IND 7/12/12
DREB	14, @ NYL 6/28	DREB	14, @ NYL 6/28/15
TOTAL REB	19, vs PHO 7/5	TOTAL REI	<b>3</b> 20, @ IND 7/12/12
ASSISTS	5, @ WAS 6/23	ASSISTS	8, vs ATL 8/8/14
STEALS	4, vs MIN 8/4	STEALS	6, vs CHI 6/1/14
BLOCKS	3, @ SAN 7/8	BLOCKS	4, @ TUL 8/2/13
MINUTES	42, Twice	MINUTES	42, Twice

#### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

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Date	Opp	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FT	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	TO	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L																	
6/14	SEA	L																	
6/16	MIN	L																	
6/21	CON	L																	
6/23	@ WAS	L	1	36	5	12	0	0	1	2	0	6	6	5	6	1	2	0	11
6/26	@ CON	L	1	42	4	15	1	2	5	6	3	4	7	2	0	1	3	1	14
6/28	@ NYL	L	11	39	2	12	0	11	9	10	2	14	16	4	1	0	1	0	13
7/2	SAN	W	1	33	11	20	0	1	5	5	4	4	8	2	4	2	1	0	27
7/3	TUL	W	1	39	7	14	0	1	5	8	1	9	10	11	1	2	1	1	19
7/5	PHO	L	1	42	10	20	0	1	6	7	6	13	19	2	4	1	0	11	26
7/8	@ SAN	L	1	34	7	12	0	0	2	3	3	10	13	2	3	0	5	3	16
7/11	@ TUL	L	11	36	7	12	0	0	8	8	5	8	13	3	4	0	11	11	22
7/15	@ SEA	L	1	32	6	11	0	1	0	0	1	6	7	4	4	0	8	0	12
7/16	ATL	L	11	36	8	15	0	0	3	4	3	3	6	0	3	2	2	0	19
7/21	PHO	W	1	36	6	12	0	0	5	6	3	3	6	3	1	2	11	1	17
7/22	NYL	L	1	37	2	9	0	0	2	2	1	7	8	2	3	2	1	0	6
7/29	@ MIN	L	1	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	_1	2	1	2	0	8
7/31	@ CHI	W	1	34	6	12	0	1	1	1	1	2	3	3	2	0	1	0	13
8/2	@ SAN	W	11	30	44	7	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	4	1	1	11	11	10
8/4	MIN	W	1	29	6	13	0	0	1	1	1	2	3	0	2	4	0	0	13
8/6	TUL	W	11	27	11	16	0	1	4	5	11	4	5	1	3	2	11	11	26
8/9	@ MIN	L	11	33	7	9	0	0	4	4	2	3	5	1	4	0	5	0	18
8/11	SEA	L	1	36	8	17	0	1	0	0	2	3	5	3	0	0	1	0	16
8/16	CHI	W	1	31	6	9	0	0	3	3	0	3	3	0	2	0	2	0	15
8/18	IND	L																	
8/21	@ PHO	W																	
8/23	@ SAN	W																	
8/26	@ IND	W																	
8/28	@ TUL	L																	
8/30	SAN	W																	
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9/6 TUL 9/9 @ ATL 9/11 @ PHO

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Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	20	20	697	127	252	.504	1	10	.100	66	77	.857	41	106	147	7.4	43	2.2	50	21	10	321	16.1
TOTAL	120	120	3392	701	1316	.531	7	32	.241	390	478	.811	300	586	886	7.7	177	1.5	331	175	88	1799	15.1



**Position:** F/C • **Height:** 6-4 • **Born:** April 19, 1986 • College: Tennessee Years Pro: 7

 $17.9_{PPG}$ 

**QUICK NOTES** 

10.1 RPG

 $6.4_{APG}$ 

 $2.1_{\rm SPG}$ 

 $1.9_{\mathrm{BPG}}$ 

 $34.0_{\mathrm{MPG}}$ 

#### WNBA CAPSULE

- Two-time WNBA MVP (2008, 2013)
- WNBA All-Star Game MVP (2013)
   WNBA Rookie of the Year (2008)
   Two-time WNBA Peak Performer for rebounding (2008, 09)
- Five-time All-WNBA selection
  (first team 2008, 2012-14, second team 2009)
  Two-time WNBA All-Defensive Team

- \* WNBA All-Rookie Team (2008)
   \* WNBA All-Rookie Team (2008)
   \* Three-time WNBA All-Star selection
- (2011, 13, 14)
   League leader in blocks per game (2009, 2012)
   14-time WNBA Western Conference
- Player of the Week (most recent: 8/17-8/23/15) Five-time WNBA Western Conference
- Player of the Month (most recent: July 2013)

   Two-time WNBA Rookie of the Month (most recent: July 2008)

Date

#### Last Game at Tulsa (8/28)

- Registered 11th double-double with 10 points and 11 rebounds in 34 minutes played

#### 2015

- Had missed 16 games due to rest
- Set a franchise record eight steals (8/18)
- Averaging a double-double (17.9 ppg, 10.1 rpg) through 14 games played
- First WNBA player this season to record 20 points and 10 assists in a game (8/16)
- Leads the team in points, rebounds, assists and blocked shots per game
- (14) 10+ point games, (6) 20+ point games, (1) 30+ points games
- Recorded 11 double-doubles
- Named WNBA Western Conference Player of the week (8/17-8/23)

SEASO	N HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
POINTS	31, @ CHI 7/31	<b>POINTS</b> 40, vs HOU 7/9/08
FGM	12. @ CHI 7/31	<b>FGM</b> 15, vs HOU 7/9/08
3 FGM	2, vs SAN 8/30	<b>3 FGM</b> 3, 6 Times
FTM	9, vs IND 8/18	<b>FTM</b> 14, vs SEA 7/25/13
OREB	4, vs MIN 8/4	<b>OREB</b> 8, @ PHO 9/13/09
DREB	11, Twice	<b>DREB</b> 17, @ SAN 6/1/13
TOTAL REB	13, vs MIN 8/4	<b>TOTAL REB</b> 20, @ SAN 6/1/13
ASSISTS	10, vs CHI 8/16	<b>ASSISTS</b> 10, vs CHI 8/16 /15
STEALS	8, vs IND 8/18	<b>STEALS</b> 8, vs IND 8/18/15
BLOCKS	3, 3 Times	<b>BLOCKS</b> 9, vs TUL 6/20/12
MINUTES	38, @ IND 8/26	MINUTES 48, Twice

#### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

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6/6	@ SEA	L																	
6/14	SEA	L																	
6/16	MIN	L																	
6/21	CON	L																	
6/23	@ WAS	L																	
6/26	@ CON	L																	
6/28	@ NYL	L																	
7/2	SAN	W																	
7/3	TUL	W																	
7/5	PHO	L																	
7/8	@ SAN	L																	
7/11	@ TUL	L																	
7/15	@ SEA	L																	
7/16	ATL	L																	
7/21	PHO	W																	
7/22	NYL	L																	
7/29	@ MIN	L	1	35	4	9	0	2	4	4	0	7	7	9	2	2	4	1	12
7/31	@ CHI	W	11	35	12	20	0	1	7	8	2	7	9	4	3	0	2	2	31
8/2	@ SAN	W	1	35	7	14	1	2	2	3	1	10	11	5	0	2	3	3	17
8/4	MIN	W	1	31	7	17	0	1	4	4	4	9	13	5	3	4	22	2	18
8/6	TUL	W	1	29	4	9	0	0	2	2	3	9	12	6	4	1	2	2	10
8/9	@ MIN	L	11	34	3	10	0	3	4	4	0	8	8	6	2	2	4	3	10
8/11	SEA	L	1	36	3	12	0	3	6	7	11	9	10	9	4	0	2	2	12
8/16	CHI	W	1	33	10	21	1	3	0	1	0	8	8	10	3	2	0	1	21
8/18	IND	L	1	35	8	14	0	4	9	12	2	8	10	6	4	8	7	3	25
8/21	@ PHO	W	1	36	12	23	0	4	2	3	0	10	10	3	2	2	3	1	26
8/23	@ SAN	W	11	29	8	18	11	2	3	3	1	11	12	9	3	0	1	11	20
8/26	@ IND	W	11	38	4	10	1	3	6	10	0	10	10	9	4	3	3	0	15
8/28	@ TUL	L	1	35	9	17	0	1	6	7	2	9	11	4	2	4	3	3	24
8/30	SAN	W	1	34	4	10	2	3	0	0	0	11	11	4	1	0	2	3	10

9/6 TUL 9/9 @ ATL 9/11 @ PHO

WAS

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#### WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	14	14	475	95	204	.466	6	32	.188	55	68	.809	18	121	139	10.1	89	6.4	37	30	27	251	17.9
TOTAL	102	100	6190	1206	2662	401	00	203	207	710	044	762	256	1202	1740	0.1	600	2.6	202	262	279	2/21	177



#31

**ERIN PHILLIPS** 

Position: G • Height: 5-8 • Born: May 19, 1985 • College: Australia • Years Pro: 7

2015

6.8 PPG

 $3.0_{\rm RPG}$ 

3.1 APG

0.9 SPG

 $0.2_{\mathrm{BPG}}$ 

 $30.9_{\mathrm{MPG}}$ 

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#### WNBA CAPSULE

- Signed by the Los Angeles Sparks on February 12, 2015
- League leader in threepoint shooting percentage (2014 - Phoenix)
- Two-time WNBA Champion (2012 - Indiana Fever, 2014 - Phoenix Mercury)
- WNBA teams played for: Connecticut Sun (2006-09), Indiana Fever (2011-13), Phoenix (2014)

#### QUICK NOTES

#### Last Game vs San Antonio (8/30)

- Did not play (right knee injury)

#### 2015

- Ranks fourth in steals and fifth in assists on the team
- Has missed 18 games this season due to injury (6/21-28, 7/29-8/30)
- Scored 1300th career point vs Atlanta (7/16)

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FGA

- Recorded 400th career assist vs Minnesota (6/16)
- Made Sparks debut at Seattle (6/6)

SEASON	N HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
POINTS	20, vs PHO 7/5	POINTS 21, 4 Times
FGM	5, vs PHO 7/5	<b>FGM</b> 9, vs ATL 8/20/11
3 FGM	4, vs PHO 7/5	<b>3 FGM</b> 5, vs ATL 8/10/13
FTM	6, vs PHO 7/5	<b>FTM</b> 7, vs WAS 8/21/11
OREB	3, vs TUL 7/3	<b>OREB</b> 4, vs ATL 6/14/09
DREB	4, Twice	<b>DREB</b> 7, vs CHI 8/7/11
TOTAL REB	6, vs MIN 6/16	TOTAL REB 8, Twice
ASSISTS	5, 4 Times	ASSISTS 7, 4 Times
STEALS	2, 4 Times	<b>STEALS</b> 5, vs LAS 7/14/09
BLOCKS	1, Twice	BLOCKS 1, 13 Times
MINUTES	43, vs PHO 7/5	<b>MINUTES</b> 43, vs PHO 7/5/15

### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

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Date	Орр	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FT	FIA	OFF	DEF	101	A	PF	ST	10	BS	PIS
6/6	@ SEA	L	1	34	3	10	2	7	3	3	1	1	2	5	1	2	2	0	11
6/14	SEA	L	1	34	4	11	2	4	0	2	1	4	5	5	2	1	0	0	10
6/16	MIN	L	1	31	3	12	0	4	0	0	2	4	6	4	2	0	5	1	6
6/21	CON	L																	
6/23	@ WAS	L																	
6/26	@ CON	L																	
6/28	@ NYL	L																	
7/2	SAN	W	1	36	2	6	0	1	3	3	1	2	3	3	2	2	2	0	7
7/3	TUL	W	1	30	1	4	1	3	0	0	3	1	4	4	3	1	0	0	3
7/5	PHO	L	1	43	5	13	4	6	6	7	1	3	4	5	2	0	2	0	20
7/8	@ SAN	L	1	33	2	9	2	7	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	0	1	0	6
7/11	@ TUL	L	1	19	1	4	1	3	0	0	1	2	3	0	2	0	1	0	3
7/15	@ SEA	L	1	34	3	9	0	3	0	0	0	2	2	0	6	2	2	0	6
7/16	ATL	L	1	29	1	7	0	5	4	4	0	1	1	5	4	1	2	0	6
7/21	PHO	W	11	21	0	2	0	11	0	0	0	3	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
7/22	NYL	L	1	27	1	4	0	1	1	1	0	2	2	4	3	2	1	1	3
7/29	@ MIN	L																	
7/31	@ CHI	W																	
8/2	@ SAN	W																	
8/4	MIN	W																	
8/6	TUL	W																	
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8/11	SEA	L																	
8/16	CHI	W																	
8/18	IND	L																	
8/21	@ PHO	W																	
8/23	@ SAN	W																	
8/26	@ IND	W																	
8/28	@ TUL	L																	
8/30	SAN	W																	

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9/9 @ ATL 9/11 @ PHO

## WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS

Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	12	12	370	26	91	.286	12	45	.267	17	20	.850	10	26	36	3.0	37	3.1	29	11	2	81	6.8
TOTAL	197	89	4105	435	1090	.403	188	494	.389	246	294	.834	123	347	470	2.4	424	2.1	293	177	13	1304	6.7



**Height:** 5-7 • **Born:** January 27, 1987 • **College:** Maryland • **Years Pro:** 6

13.7 PPG

 $2.5_{\rm RPG}$ 

 $4.0_{
m APG}$ 

 $0.8_{\rm SPG}$ 

 $0.0_{\rm BPG}$ 

32.1 MPG

#### WNBA CAPSULE

- WNBA All-Star Selection (2013)
- WNBA Most Improved Player (2012)
- All-WNBA Selection (second team - 2012)
- · LAS franchise leader in three-point field goal pct. and free-throw pct.
- Three-time WNBA Conference Player of the Week
- WNBA Western Conference Player of the Month (Aug, 2012)

#### QUICK NOTES

Last Game vs San Antonio (8/30) - Knocked down 15 points and handed out five assists in 37

minutes played

#### 2015

- Ranks fifth in the WNBA in assists, sixth in 3-point field goal percentage (.400) and sixth in free-throw percentage (.900)
- (17) 10+ point games, (3) 20+ point games, (2) 30+ point games
- Second on the team in assists and fourth in scoring
- Set franchise record 43 points in a game (7/3)
- Reached 2500th career point (8/16)
- Reached 600th career assist (7/5)

SEASO	N HIGHS	CAREER HIGHS
POINTS	43, vs TUL 7/3	<b>POINTS</b> 43, vs TUL 7/3/15
FGM	15, vs TUL 7/3	<b>FGM</b> 15, vs TUL 7/3 /15
3 FGM	7, vs TUL 7/3	<b>3 FGM</b> 7, vs TUL 7/3/15
FTM	9, @ NYL 6/28	<b>FTM</b> 14, vs TUL 6/20/12
OREB	2, @ MIN 8/9	OREB 4, Twice
DREB	7, Twice	<b>DREB</b> 7, Twice
TOTAL REB	7, Twice	<b>TOTAL REB</b> 9, @ CON 8/6/13
ASSISTS	9, vs TUL 7/3	ASSISTS 9, 4 Times
STEALS	3, vs ATL 7/16	STEALS 4, Twice
BLOCKS	1, VS NYL 7/22	BLOCKS 2, 3 Times
MINUTES	39, vs PHO 7/5	<b>MINUTES</b> 44, vs TUL 6/8/13

#### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

MIN FGM FGA PCT 3FGM 3FGA PCT FTM FTA PCT OFF DEF TOT RPG AST APG TOTAL --

2015 SEA	015 SEASON GAME-BY-GAME																		
Date	Орр	W/L	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	3FGM	3FGA	FTM	FTA	OFF	DEF	TOT	A	PF	ST	то	BS	PTS
6/6	@ SEA	L																	
6/14	SEA	L																	
6/16	MIN	L																	
6/21	CON	L																	
6/23	@ WAS	L																	
6/26	@ CON	L																	
6/28	@ NYL	L	1	36	9	15	3	5	9	9	0	0	0	2	5	1	2	0	30
7/2	SAN	W	1	36	6	10	1	3	2	2	1	1	2	2	0	1	2	0	15
7/3	TUL	W	1	39	15	24	7	12	6	6	0	1	1	9	5	1	4	0	43
7/5	PHO	L	1	39	5	13	4	9	2	2	1	3	4	8	1	0	2	0	16
7/8	@ SAN	L	1	29	3	11	1	4	3	3	1	2	3	7	1	2	1	0	10
7/11	@ TUL	L	1	23	3	7	1	4	2	2	0	2	2	6	3	2	3	0	9
7/15	@ SEA	L	1	20	4	5	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	10
7/16	ATL	L	1	38	3	6	0	0	2	3	0	2	2	8	2	3	3	0	8
7/21	PHO	W	1	31	4	11	1	7	1	2	1	2	3	3	1	0	2	0	10
7/22	NYL	L	1	33	5	18	1	5	5	5	0	7	7	3	4	0	3	1	16
7/29	@ MIN	L	1	34	5	13	2	5	2	2	0	2	2	2	2	1	5	0	14
7/31	@ CHI	W	1	34	6	12	3	4	5	6	0	2	2	2	0	0	1	0	20
8/2	@ SAN	W	1	23	1	3	0	2	0	0	1	3	4	2	2	0	2	0	2
8/4	MIN	W	1	24	4	6	0	2	1	2	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	0	9
8/6	TUL	W	1	26	4	7	1	2	1	1	1	2	3	3	0	1	1	0	10
8/9	@ MIN	L	1	36	5	12	4	8	0	0	2	1	3	6	1	0	3	0	14
8/11	SEA	L	1	33	2	7	2	5	2	3	0	2	2	6	11	0	11	0	8
8/16	CHI	W	1	38	5	9	1	2	5	6	0	3	3	3	1	0	4	0	16
8/18	IND	L	1	35	1	6	0	2	2	2	0	3	3	2	1	1	0	0	4
8/21	@ PHO	W	1	32	6	10	1	3	4	5	1	0	1	3	1	1	0	0	17
8/23	@ SAN	W	1	26	1	3	0	2	2	2	0	7	7	5	1	3	4	0	4
8/26	@ IND	W	1	36	4	9	3	5	5	5	0	2	2	2	2	1	2	0	16
8/28	@ TUL	L	1	34	6	11	1	5	0	0	0	2	2	4	4	1	2	0	13
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W	WNBA SEASON / CAREER STATISTICS																						
Year	G	GS	MIN	FGM	FGA	PCT	3FGM	3FGA	PCT	FTM	FTA	PCT	OFF	DEF	TOT	RPG	AST	APG	PF	STL	BLK	PTS	PPG
2015	24	24	772	112	237	.473	42	105	.400	63	70	.900	9	51	60	2.5	96	4.0	40	20	1	329	13.7
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Position: C • Height: 6-5 • Born: July 2, 1989 • College: Austrailia

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• Made WNBA debut at Seattle on June 6, 2015 • Signed by the Los Angeles Sparks on February 9, 2015

### **QUICK NOTES**

#### Last Game vs San Antonio (8/30)

- Did not play (left knee injury)

- Had a four-game streak of 2 blocked shots or more (July
- Blocked a career-high four shots against Phoenix (7/21)
- Tied a career-high 12 points against Tulsa (7/3)
- Started her first career WNBA game in the season opener at Seattle (6/6)
- Had missed two games due to injury (8/28-30)

SEASON	HIGHS	CAREER	HIGHS
POINTS	12, Twice	POINTS	12, Twice
FGM	5, Twice	FGM	5, Twice
3 FGM		3 FGM	
FTM	4, Twice	FTM	4, Twice
OREB	2, Twice	OREB	2, Twice
DREB	6, vs SEA 6/14	DREB 6,	vs SEA 6/14/15
TOTAL REB	6, Twice	TOTAL REB	6, Twice
ASSISTS	6, @ SAN 8/23	ASSISTS 6,	@ SAN 8/23/15
STEALS	1, 4 Times	STEALS	1, 4 Times
BLOCKS	4, vs PHO 7/21	BLOCKS 4,	vs PHO 7/21/15
MINUTES	35, Twice	MINUTES	35, Twice

#### 2015 SEASON AVERAGES vs WASHINGTON MYSTICS

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6/14	SEA	L	1	29	2	3	0	0	1	1	0	6	6	2	5	1	2	0	5
6/16	MIN	L	1	24	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	3	0	3	0	10
6/21	CON	L	1	35	5	6	0	0	2	2	1	5	6	1	2	0	0	0	12
6/23	@ WAS	L	1	16	1	4	0	1	0	0	2	2	4	0	1	0	3	0	2
6/26	@ CON	L	1	25	2	6	0	11	0	0	2	4	6	1	2	0	4	2	4
6/28	@ NYL	L	0	15	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0
7/2	SAN	W	0	17	1	2	0	0	4	6	0	1	1	0	2	1	1	1	6
7/3	TUL	W	0	20	5	7	0	0	2	2	1	2	3	2	4	0	0	11	12
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7/8	@ SAN	L	1	24	2	10	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	4	11	1	0	4
7/11	@ TUL	L	0	17	1	5	0	0	0	0	1	3	4	2	2	0	1	22	2
7/15	@ SEA	L	0	24	3	5	0	1	1	3	1	2	3	0	2	0	1	2	7
7/16	ATL	L	1	19	3	5	0	0	0	0	2	3	5	2	5	0	1	2	6
7/21	PHO	W	1	31	3	11	0	1	2	4	0	4	4	1	4	1	1	4	8
7/22	NYL	L	1	8	1	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	2
7/29	@ MIN	L	0	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	2
7/31	@ CHI	W	0	7	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
8/2	@ SAN	W	0	6	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	3	0	0	1	3
8/4	MIN	W	0	10	2	2	0	0	1	1	1	3	4	2	0	0	0	11	5
8/6	TUL	W	0	15	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	0	0
8/9	@ MIN	L	0	12	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	11	2	0	0	11	0
8/11	SEA	L	0	14	1	2	0	0	2	2	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	4
8/16	CHI	W	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	2	11	1	0	0
8/18	IND	L	0	13	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	11	3	0	0	0	4
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8/23	@ SAN	W	1	33	44	9	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	6	3	1	0	2	8
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2015	28	14	530	54	117	.462	0	6	.000	29	36	.806	21	62	83	3.0	28	1.0	86	7	28	137	4.9
TOTAL	28	14	530	54	117	.462	0	6	.000	29	36	.806	21	62	83	3.0	28	1.0	86	7	28	137	4.9

#### PRESEASON GAME #1 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ CHICAGO SKY

Uncasville, CT

MAY 27, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 76 Chicago Sky 67

Nneka Ogwumike and the Los Angeles Sparks opened their preseason Wednesday with a 76-67 victory over the Chicago Sky at Mohegan Sun Arena in Uncasville, Conn. Ogwumike led the way with 15 points for the Sparks. Jantel Lavender and Erin Phillips each added 11 points. Lavender grabbed 10 rebounds, while Phillips tallied eight assists.

The Sparks knocked off a Sky team that was led by Courtney Vandersloot, who scored 15 points on 5-of-6 shooting. Elena Delle Donne scored nine points on 3-of-11 shooting.

#### PRESEASON GAME #2 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ CONNECTICUT SUN Uncasville, CT MAY 28, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks **64** Connecticut Sun **57** 

The Los Angeles Sparks followed up Wednesday's win over the Chicago Sky with a 64-57 victory over the Connecticut Sun on Thursday evening. Jantel Lavender and Nneka Ogwumike paced the Sparks throughout the game, putting in contributions they have become known for around the league. Ogwumike scored 14 points on 6-of-9 shooting and pulled down four rebounds. Lavender scored 13 points in 30 minutes on the floor, shooting 6-of-14 from the field.

The Sun were led by Alex Bentley's 22 points on 7-of-19 shooting. Bentley also recorded four steals. Forward Alyssa Thomas scored ten points and pulled down six rebounds.

#### GAME #1, AWAY #1 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ SEATTLE STORM Seattle, WA JUNE 06, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 61 Seattle Storm 86

The Los Angeles Sparks 2015 regular season tipped off with a 86-61 road loss against the Seattle Storm on June 6. Farhiya Abdi earned her first career start replacing injured starting forward Nneka Ogwumike. Even with Alana Beard's 20 points and milestone achievement of 4,000 career points total, the Sparks were unable to stop the hot shooting of the Storm in the second half (19-of-34 .559 FG, 6-of-12 .500 3FG). Renee Montgomery's two three-pointers in the fourth rounded her teamhigh total to 19 points.

Lavender grabbed a defensive rebound in the third quarter to earn her first double-double of the season (three straight including preseason) finishing with 10 points shooting 5-of-18 from the field and 12 rebounds (3 OFF, 9 DEF) tying a career-high in defensive boards. Beard ended with a game-high 20 points shooting 8-of-16 from the field and 4-of-4 from the free-throw line, grabbing four rebounds and three assists. Phillips led the team with five assists, scoring 11 points and two rebounds. Newcomer Jennifer Lacy came off the bench and contributed with seven points shooting 3-of-4 from the field, grabbing six rebounds and two assists in 21 minutes played.

#### SEASON GAME #2, HOME #1 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs SEATTLE STORM Los Angeles, CA June 14, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 54 Seattle Storm 60

The Los Angeles Sparks led through three quarters, but the Storm overcame a 13 point deficit and won 60-54 leaving the Sparks winless for the start of the 2015 season. Jantel Lavender's near double-double of 12 points and nine rebounds was not enough as Seattle forward Abby Bishop notched in a career-high 18 points on 7-of-12 shooting to lead all scorers.

The Sparks Alana Beard and Erin Phillips rounded off the team contributing 10 points each. Beard, Phillips and Lavender have scored in double figures through the first two games of the season, Lavender's averaging a double-double of 11.0 points and 10.5 rebounds. Los Angeles outscored the Storm 34-to-24 in the first half, but the Storm came out of the break outscoring Sparks 36-to-20 in the second half. Sparks held Seattle to only 38.9% from the field, but committed 19 team fouls allowing Seattle to convert 12-of-17 free-throws compared to Sparks 5-of-9 attempts.

#### SEASON GAME #3, HOME #2 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs MINNESOTA LYNX Los Angeles, CA June 16, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 52 Minnesota Lynx 67

Los Angeles Sparks guard Erin Phillips recorded her 400<sup>th</sup> career assist, but it was not enough as Los Angeles falls to 0-3 in the season with the 67-52 loss against the Minnesota Lynx. For the second consecutive game the Sparks went into halftime with the lead, but the Minnesota Lynx led by foward Maya Moore's 18 of her game-high 22 points in the second half sealed the victory. Lynx guard Seimone Augustus finished with a season-high 20 points. Sparks Jantel Lavender led the team with 12 points and grabbed a tied career-high 13 rebounds, her second double-double of the season and third consecutive double figure scoring performance. Rookie center Marianna Tolo earned a career-high 10 points in 24 minutes played.

The Sparks held Minnesota to a season-low 12 points in the first quarter and an overall 35.7% from the field in the opening 20 minutes. Los Angeles had its biggest lead of seven points shooting 44.8% from the field in the first half. However, the Lynx flipped the script in the second half shooting 69.0% from the field outscoring the Sparks 44-24 with a lead as big as 17 points.

The Sparks look to earn its first win this Sunday against the Connecticut Sun, its first eastern conference opponent of the 2015 season. Tip off is at 2:00 p.m. at STAPLES Center.

#### SEASON GAME #4, HOME #3 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs CONNECTICUT SUN Los Angeles, CA June 21, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 68 Connecticut Sun 76

Los Angeles (0-4), had four players in double-figures, but were unable to overcome the surging Connecticut Sun as the Sun beat the Sparks 76-68 on Sunday. Sun's Kelsey Bone added 14 points and Camille Little 13 for Connecticut (6-1), which has won six straight and snapped a six-game skid, dating to Aug. 3, 2011, against the Sparks. Jantel Lavender had 15 points and 10 rebounds, her second consecutive double-double this season, third overall. Temeka Johnson made her first start as a Sparks since her 2006-2008 stint with the team finishing with 15 points and 10 assists. Johnson's double-double was the first of the season and first double-double in points and assists for a Sparks this season.

The Sparks were lights out beyond the arc shooting 55.6% (5-9 3FG) putting the team up 40-30 heading into halftime. Connecticut's second half adjustments and a team season-high 12 steals helped overcome a 10-point deficit to beat the Sparks 76-68.

#### SEASON GAME #5, AWAY #2 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ WASHINGTON MYSTICS Washington, DC June 23, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 80 Washington Mystics 84

The Los Angeles began its three-game road trip at Washington with the return of All-Star Sparks forward Nneka Ogwumike, who had missed the first four games of the season with a sprained ankle. Led by Mystics' Tierra Ruffin-Pratt and Emma Meesseman's 20 points each, the Sparks were unable to pull away with the win. The Sparks' Jantel Lavender scored a team-high 18 points and grabbed nine rebounds while Temeka Johnson tallied another points-assists double-double with a season-high 17 points and 10 assists. Nneka's first game of the season totaled to 11 points, six rebounds and five assists before fouling out in the fourth with fellow teammate Farhiya Abdi (10 points, 3-3 3FG and three rebounds).

This was the Sparks first game of the season in which the game was decided by five points or less. Los Angeles dominated in the boards outrebounding the Mystics, 37-24. A key problem for the Sparks in its 0-5 record is taking care of the ball as tonight's game the Sparks recorded 17 turnovers compared to Mystics nine. Offensively, the Sparks recorded its most efficient scoring performance all season tallying 80 points, 34-68 (.500) from the field.

#### SEASON GAME #6, AWAY #3 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ CONNECTICUT SUN Uncasville, CT June 26, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 76 Connecticut Sun 80 (OT)

Los Angeles Sparks lost its sixth straight, third on the road, against the Connecticut Sun in overtime, 80-76. Jantel Lavender's game-high, season-high 22 points and 12 rebounds was not enough as the Sun's had five players score in double-figures including team leading scorer Alex Bentley (18 points). Los Angeles couldn't put away the Sun in overtime, scoring only nine points (1-8 FG) to Connecticut's 13 points, going to the free-throw line 10 times in overtime. This was the first overtime game for Sparks this season, the last time the Sparks played in overtime against Connecticut was in 2008 when Los Angeles edged out the Sun 98-93 (OT) at STAPLES Center (6/13/08).

The Sparks scored 70+ team points for the second consecutive game, outshooting the Sun 43.9% to 34.7% from the field. This was also the second consecutive game that was decided by five points or less. In the first half, the Sparks held Connecticut to 28.6% from the field while forward Jantel Lavender got into double-figures early. Rookie, and first time starter Andrea Hoover erupted for 17 points in the game, a career-high and second-best scoring performance among WNBA rookies this season. The Sparks were down three players once again as Farhiya Abdi suffered a sudden left knee injury prior to the game, head coach Brian Agler resulted to playing only seven players.

#### SEASON GAME #7, AWAY #4 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ NEW YORK LIBERTY New York City, NY June 28, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 70 New York Liberty 79

Los Angeles Sparks' all-star guard Kristi Toliver scored a career-high 30 points in her return from EuroBasket duties, but it was not enough to give Los Angeles its first win of the season in a 79-70 loss to the New York Liberty. New York snapped its two-game home losing streak behind guard Sugar Rodgers' career-high 23 points.

Thee Sparks' injury woes continued despite Toliver's return, with Andrea Hoover sitting out with an injured left foot. However, forward Nneka Ogwumike stepped up and recorded her first double-double of the season with 13 points and a season-high 16 rebounds, while center Jantel Lavender also scored in double-digits for the seventh consecutive game finishing with 14 points.

The Sparks tied it three times in the final quarter but were unable to take the lead throughout the game. The Liberty were able to initiate a 9-1 and a 6-0 run to cap off a 79-70 home win.

#### SEASON GAME #8, HOME #4 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs SAN ANTONIO STARS Los Angeles, CA July 2, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks **86** San Antonio Stars **81** 

The Los Angeles Sparks returned home to STAPLES Center with guards Erin Phillips and Kristi Toliver back in the lineup to help the Sparks edge out the San Antonio Stars for its first win of the season 86-81. Celebrating her birthday, Nneka Ogwumike led all scorers with a season-high, game-high 27 points to go along with eight rebounds, two assists and two steals. Jantel Lavender recorded her eighth consecutive double-figure scoring performance and earned her fifth double-double of the season with 21 points and 10 rebounds. Guard Temeka Johnson reached 2500 total career points, surpassing the mark on a three-pointer in the fourth quarter to give her a total of 2502 career points. The Stars were without center Jayne Appel and forward Alex Montgomery, giving rookie forward Dearica Hamby ample playing time notching a team-high 19 points with eight rebounds and one assist.

Los Angeles started the game slow with team season-low 12 first quarter points, but managed to finish the second quarter with better offensive output with 26. With the 0-7 start, the Sparks noticed difficulty in closing out the game, losing any momentum the team created in the first half; however, four free-throws by other Sparks birthday Marianna Tolo and defensive stops late in the fourth contributed by a team total eight steals helped the Sparks deter the Stars from a win at STAPLES Center, holding San Antonio to 0-6 on the road and giving the Sparks its first win of the season.

#### SEASON GAME #9, HOME #5 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs TULSA SHOCK Los Angeles, CA July 3, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 98 Tulsa Shock 95

The Los Angeles Sparks battled for 40 minutes and overcame a physical Tulsa Shock team, winning its second home game, second win overall, with a final score 98-95. Sparks guard Kristi Toliver made franchise history scoring 43 points, most by a Sparks player in a game, the former Sparks record holder was Lisa Leslie (41 points) against San Antonio on June 25, 2006. Toliver continued her scoring output against Tulsa with her first career 40+ scoring performance, setting a career-high in points, a career-high seven made three-pointers and a season-high nine assists in 39 minutes played.

The Shock started the game draining five threes in the first quarter, quickly passing an opponent team-high of made three-pointers in a half against the Sparks. However, Toliver and forward Nneka Ogwumike kept Los Angeles in the game, combining for 27 of the Sparks 42 first half points. The second half picked up for Los Angeles, even when going to the line 19 times, as Toliver lit the scoreboard scoring 19 of her career-high 43 points in the third quarter. Rounding out the Sparks was forward Nneka Ogwumike pouring in 19 points (4-6 FT), 10 rebounds, one assist, one steal and one blocked shot in 39 minutes played. Ogwumike recorded her second double-double of the season, fifth straight double-figure scoring performance. The Tulsa Shock came into STAPLES Center without its two leading scorers guard Skylar Diggins and guard Odyssey Sims. Shock guard Riquna Williams led the team with 22 points, seven rebounds and three steals. Shock forward Karima Christmas followed suit with 20 points and eight rebounds, but ultimately unable to carry Tulsa to a road win.

#### SEASON GAME #10, HOME #6 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs PHOENIX MERCURY Los Angeles, CA July 5, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 91 Phoenix Mercury 94 (OT)

Leilani Mitchell hit a 3-pointer from the baseline with 3.9 seconds left and the Phoenix Mercury edged the Los Angeles Sparks 94-91 in overtime on Sunday. Candice Dupree passed to Mitchell who hit the game-winner as the Sparks defense collapsed on Brittney Griner. After a timeout, the Sparks were unable to get off a final shot after Erin Phillips appeared to dribble the ball off a defender's toe. The 6-foot-8 Griner, who finished with 19 points and 10 rebounds for her second double-double in the four games she has played this season, dunked for the fifth time in her WNBA career. It was the 11th regular-season dunk in league history.

DeWanna Bonner scored 22 points to lead the Mercury (6-5), who shot 51 percent. Dupree added 21. Nneka Ogwumike had 26 points and a season-high 19 rebounds, her third double-double this season for Los Angeles (2-8). Phillips, who played for Phoenix last year, added 20 points, one short of her career high. Kristi Toliver, who scored a franchise-high 43 points in her last game, added 16. On their final possession in regulation, the Sparks missed two shots then threw the ball away with four seconds left. Griner missed a short jumper as time ran out with the score tied at 85.

#### SEASON GAME #11, AWAY #5 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ SAN ANTONIO STARS San Antonio, TX July 8, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 63 San Antonio 70

The San Antonio Stars beat Los Angeles 70-63, led by Stars Danielle Robinson's 22 points and eight assists on Wednesday night to keep the Sparks winless on the road this season. Sparks Jantel Lavender had 19 points and 10 rebounds for Los Angeles (2-9) while Nneka Ogwumike recorded her third straight double-double, fourth in the last five games, with 16 points and a game-high 13 rebounds. Sparks guard Ana Dabovic made her WNBA debut scoring two points, one rebound and one assist in eight minutes played.

The game swung in the third quarter. Los Angeles was held to just six points - the Sparks lowest scoring quarter of the season. They were 2 of 19 from the field, going without a field goal for 7-plus minutes. San Antonio closed on a 13-1 run to take a 52-44 lead. Sophia Young-Malcolm and Danielle Adams added 11 points apiece for San Antonio (3-8). Jayne Appel played for the first time since June 19, after getting hit in the mouth that game, and had seven points and seven rebounds. Samantha Logic, the No. 10 pick in the 2015 WNBA Draft, made her debut with the Stars after being traded from Atlanta. San Antonio played without Jia Perkins and Kayla McBride.

#### SEASON GAME #12, AWAY #6 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ TULSA SHOCK Tulsa, OK July 11, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 67 Tulsa 82

Karima Christmas scored a career-high 24 points and Odyssey Sims returned from an 11-game absence due to a knee injury to help the Tulsa Shock beat the Los Angeles Sparks 82-67 on Saturday night. Nneka Ogwumike had 22 points and 13 rebounds for the Sparks (2-10), and Jantel Lavender added 14 and 11. Los Angeles opened the game with a 12-4 run and never trailed in the first quarter, but the Shock took the lead for good with a 14-2 run to open the second.

Sims added 14 points while playing in her first game since June 9 when she injured her left knee. The Shock (10-4) pulled away with a 13-4 run capped by Christmas' free throw with 3:15 left that made it 74-60.

Brianna Kiesel and Vicki Baugh each added 10 points for Tulsa, which won its second straight after a three-game losing streak that included a 98-95 loss to Los Angeles on July 3. The Shock improved to 6-0 at home while the Sparks fell to 0-6 on the road.

#### SEASON GAME #13, AWAY #7 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ SEATTLE STORM Seattle, WA July 15, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 61 Seattle Storm 68

The Los Angeles Sparks fall for the seventh straight time on the road, losing to Seattle, 68-61. Seattle extends the season-series win streak to three (3-0) this season after being winless against Los Angeles in 2014 (0-5). Seattle rookie Jewell Loyd helped Seattle snap a five-game losing streak leading the game with 13 points, four rebounds and four assists. Sparks Nneka Ogwumike led the team with 12 points, seven rebounds and four assists, continuing her streak of double-figure scoring to nine consecutive games.

Los Angeles opened the game shooting over 70% from the field, taking the lead early 25-17 to end the first quarter. Seattle returned the onslaught outscoring the Sparks in the second quarter, 18-12, cutting the Sparks lead to two going into halftime, 37-35. The last twenty minutes of play was all Seattle, for the team picked up 11 steals to the Sparks zero in the second half, limiting Los Angeles to any scoring opportunity. The Storm finished with 15 steals, five coming from Crystal Langhorne, tying a career-high for the Storm center.

#### SEASON GAME #14, HOME #7 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs ATLANTA DREAM Los Angeles, CA July 16, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 72 Atlanta Dream 76

Angel McCoughtry scored 22 points, Aneika Henry made the go-ahead basket with 29 seconds left and Atlanta beat the Los Angeles Sparks 76-72 on Thursday for the Dream's second road win. Henry's putback of a McCoughtry miss gave Atlanta a 74-72 lead - the Dream's first lead since it was 48-47. Los Angeles' Jantel Lavender missed a long jumper with 2.7 seconds left and McCoughtry made two free throws to seal it.

Lavender recorded her eighth double-double with 20 points and 11 rebounds for Los Angeles (2-12). Nneka Ogwumike added 19 points and six rebounds in front of an energetic crowd on camp day. Los Angeles committed 16 turnovers, a day after having 21 against Seattle. Henry finished with 16 points for Atlanta (7-8). McCoughtry was just 5-of-20 shooting from the field but hit 12 of 13 free throws. Atlanta extended its winning streak against Los Angeles to five straight games. Erin Phillips' 3-point play highlighted a 9-2 run for Los Angeles to open the fourth quarter for a 65-54 lead. But Atlanta reeled off a 15-5 burst to pull within 70-69 with 3:09 remaining.

#### SEASON GAME #15, HOME #8 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs PHOENIX MERCURY Los Angeles, CA July 21, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 70 Phoenix Mercury 65

Jantel Lavender had 19 points and 11 rebounds for her ninth double-double, Nneka Ogwumike scored 17 and the Los Angeles Sparks beat the Phoenix Mercury 70-65 on Tuesday night to snap a six-game losing streak.

Kristi Toliver added 10 points for Los Angeles. Ana Dabovic had nine, including a 3-pointer from the baseline that just beat the shot clock for a 69-65 lead with 1:19 left. DeWanna Bonner scored 15, Brittney Griner had 13 and Candice Dupree added 12 for Phoenix. Toliver and Temeka Johnson made consecutive 3-pointers, Los Angeles' first two of the game, for a six-point lead early in the fourth quarter. Dupree and Griner scored the next eight Phoenix points to tie it at 62, but the Mercury only made one field goal in the final 5 minutes.

#### SEASON GAME #16, HOME #9 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs NEW YORK LIBERTY Los Angeles, CA July 22, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 53 New York Liberty 59

Tina Charles had 14 points and 14 rebounds for her eighth double-double and the New York Liberty beat the Los Angeles Sparks 59-53 on Wednesday night for their fifth straight victory. New York (12-5) won its third consecutive game on the road to secure sole possession of first place in the Eastern Conference heading into the All-Star break.

Epiphanny Prince added 13 points for New York and Essence Carson had 12. New York tied its lowest scoring total of the season after shooting just 26 percent from the field (17 of 66). But the Liberty held a 55-33 advantage on the glass, including 19-3 on the offensive end, and made 25 of 34 free throws. The Sparks had only 12 free throws, making them all. Kristi Toliver led Los Angeles (3-13) with 16 points, Jantel Lavender had 12, and Marianna Tolo 10. Toliver made the only 3-pointer for either team with 22 seconds remaining to pull Los Angeles to 56-53. But New York's Tanisha Wright answered with two free throws.

#### SEASON GAME #17, AWAY #8 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ MINNESOTA LYNX Minneapolis, MN July 29, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 76 Minnesota Lynx 82

Maya Moore scored 27 points and Lindsay Whalen had 24 to help the Minnesota Lynx hold off the Los Angeles Sparks 82-76 on Wednesday night, spoiling the season debut of two-time MVP Candace Parker. Moore and Whalen scored Minnesota's final 12 points, including a 6-0 run after Los Angeles had pulled within 76-73 with 2:31 left. Minnesota (13-4) avoided losing back-to-back home games for the first time since 2013, while Los Angeles (3-14) lost its eighth straight on the road.

Sylvia Fowles, playing in her first game for Minnesota after being acquired Monday from Chicago, added 11 points. Moore made four 3-pointers and scored 20 or more points for a franchise-record ninth straight game. Los Angeles' Jantel Lavender had 15 points and 10 rebounds for her 10th double-double. Parker, who rested during the first half of the season, had 12 points, seven rebounds, and nine assists. Alana Beard made her first appearance for Los Angeles since June 14, missing 14 games with a foot injury. She made her first two shots during Los Angeles' 6-0 run to start the game and finished with eight points in 20 minutes. Parker scored her first points on a fastbreak layup with 5:05 left in the second quarter to cut Los Angeles' deficit to 31-25.

Los Angeles went on an 8-1 third-quarter run, all scored by Lavender and Parker, to get within 53-49. Moments later, Nne-ka Ogwumike's layup made it a one possession game, 56-54, for the first time since it was 14-13. But the Lynx closed on an 8-2 run, capped by Devereaux Peters' baseline jumper with 2 seconds left, for a 64-56 advantage.

#### SEASON GAME #18, AWAY #9 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ CHICAGO SKY Rosemont, IL July 31, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 88 Chicago Sky 77

Candace Parker scored 31 points and all five starters reached double figures to lead the Los Angeles Sparks to their first road win of the season, 88-77 over the Chicago Sky on Friday night. Kristi Toliver scored 11 of her 20 points in the fourth quarter as Los Angeles (3-14) outscored the Sky 14-4 in the final 4:18. Toliver started the decisive run with a 3-pointer and contributed six points. Parker had 10 points in the fourth quarter.

Parker, in just her second game of the season, hit 12 of 20 shots, 7 of 8 free throws, grabbed nine rebounds, had four assists and two blocks. The former MVP had 12 points in her return from a self-imposed rest for the first half of the season. Elena Delle Donne had 21 points for the Sky (11-8) and Courtney Vandersloot tied her team record with 13 assists.

#### SEASON GAME #19, AWAY #10 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ SAN ANTONIO STARS San Antonio, TX Aug. 2, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 80 San Antonio Stars 78

Jantel Lavender scored 20 points, and Candace Parker blocked a potential tying shot in the final seconds to help the Los Angeles Sparks beat the San Antonio Stars 80-78 on Sunday. The Sparks overcame a 13-point deficit. Ana Dabovic scored five points and Lavender added four during a 9-0 run that gave Los Angeles (5-14) a 78-71 lead with 3:02 left. Jayne Appel's driving layup with 40 seconds remaining pulled San Antonio (6-14) to 80-78 but, after getting a stop on other end, the Stars came up short when Parker blocked Jia Perkins' shot in the final seconds.

Parker finished with 17 points, 11 rebounds, five assists and four blocks. Alana Beard added 15 points and seven assists, Dabovic scored 13 points and Nneka Ogwumike had 10 for Los Angeles, which is 2-1 with Parker in the lineup and now sits a half-game out of the playoff race. Perkins led San Antonio with 24 points.

#### SEASON GAME #20, HOME #10 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs MINNESOTA LYNX Los Angeles, CA Aug, 4, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 83 Minnesota Lynx 61

Candace Parker had 18 points, 13 rebounds, five assists and four steals in her first home game and the Los Angeles Sparks beat the Minnesota Lynx 83-61 on Tuesday night for their third straight win. Jantel Lavender recorded her league-leading 11th double-double for Los Angeles (6-14) with 14 points and 13 rebounds. Los Angeles had a season-high 12 steals.

Los Angeles started the third quarter on a 17-7 spurt, with six points from Parker, for 56-42 lead and opened the fourth with an 18-8 burst. Maya Moore scored 13 for Minnesota (15-5), snapping a string of 11 straight games with 20 or more points. Diana Taurasi holds the single-season record of 12. Moore had 11 of Minnesota's 21 first-quarter points, but scored just two in the second and did not attempt a shot in the third. She missed three field goals in 7 minutes of the fourth.

#### SEASON GAME #21, HOME #11 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs TULSA SHOCK Los Angeles, CA Aug. 6, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 84 Tulsa Shock 57

Nneka Ogwumike scored 26 points to help the Los Angeles Sparks rout Tulsa 84-57 on Thursday night, extending the Shock's losing streak to eight games. Candace Parker added 10 points, 12 rebounds and six assists for Los Angeles (7-14). The Sparks extending their winning streak to four games - their longest since 2013.

Tulsa pulled within 45-32 in the third quarter, but Ogwumike's 3-point play started Los Angeles' 16-3 spurt to build a 26-point lead. Plenette Pierson scored 14 points for Tulsa (10-12), which has lost 11 of its last 13 games. Tulsa was held to 17-of-65 shooting (26 percent) and got outrebounded 43-27. Los Angeles reeled off a 14-0 second-quarter run, led by Ogwumike's seven points, to expand its lead to 35-16. Tulsa made just seven field goals in the first half.

#### SEASON GAME #22, AWAY #11 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ MINNESOTA LYNX Minneapolis, MN Aug. 9, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks **64** Minnesota Lynx **72** 

Maya Moore scored 20 points, Sylvia Fowles added 15 and nine rebounds and the Minnesota Lynx beat the Los Angeles Sparks 72-64 on Sunday night to snap a two-game losing streak. The Sparks were without four-time WNBA All-Star Alana Beard, who played just 8 minutes before leaving the game with a pulled quadriceps.

With Parker and Beard in the lineup, Los Angeles had won four straight games, including an 83-61 win over the Lynx - Minnesota's worst loss of the season. Nneka Ogwumike led the Sparks with 18 points. Renee Montgomery's driving layup capped a run of 13 straight points in the first quarter to give Minnesota a 20-6 lead and the Lynx held a 37-32 lead at halftime. Los Angeles (7-15) battled back and Kristi Toliver's fourth 3-pointer of the game pulled the Sparks within one with 4:58 left, but Minnesota (16-6) answered with six straight points to push its lead to 65-58.

#### SEASON GAME #23, HOME #12 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs SEATTLE STORM Los Angeles, CA Aug. 11, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 77 Seattle Storm 85

Crystal Langhorne scored 18 points, including a go-ahead layup with 2:34 remaining, and the Seattle Storm rallied to beat the Los Angeles Sparks 85-77 on Tuesday, spoiling Candace Parker's big night. Parker had 12 points, 10 rebounds and nine assists - narrowly missing the WNBA's sixth triple-double. Margo Dydek, Lisa Leslie, Sheryl Swoopes, Deanna Nolan and Temeka Johnson are the only WNBA players with regular-seasons triple-doubles.

After Langhorne's layup, Jenna O'Hea hit a 3-pointer on Seattle's next possession and Langhorne had a putback to cap the Storm's 7-0 run for an 81-74 lead. After Kristi Toliver hit a 3-pointer to cut Los Angeles' deficit to 81-77, Jewell Loyd hit a fadeaway jumper with the shot clock winding down and O'Hea made two free throws with 24 seconds left. Sue Bird, Jewell Loyd and Kaleena Mosqueda-Lewis added 15 points apiece for Seattle (6-17). Mosqueda-Lewis scored 12 first-half points to set a career-high. Seattle snapped a five-game losing streak and beat Los Angeles for the fourth straight time - including its only two road wins. Jantel Lavender added 22 points and Nneka Ogwumike 16 for Los Angeles (7-16). Los Angeles' Alana Beard did not play because of a quadriceps injury suffered Sunday.

#### SEASON GAME #24, HOME #13 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs CHICAGO SKY Los Angeles, CA Aug. 16, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 76 Chicago Sky 64

Candace Parker scored 21 points and had a career-high 10 assists to lead the Los Angeles Sparks over the Chicago Sky, 76-64 on Sunday. Kristi Toliver added 16 points, Nneka Ogwumike 15 and Jantel Lavender 10 for the Sparks (8-16), who bounced back from a discouraging defeat against lowly Seattle in a game they had led by 16. Parker finished just two rebounds short of a triple-double.

The Sparks led 38-35 at halftime, then shot 9 of 12 from the floor in the third quarter to go ahead 61-47. The Sky, the league's highest-scoring team, made just 4 of 16 in the period. The lead reached 21 points in the fourth quarter. League scoring leader Elena Delle Donne had 23 points for Chicago (15-11), but on only 7-of-19 shooting. Cappie Pondexter added 11 points. The Sparks also won at Chicago 88-77 on July 31 to sweep the season series.

#### SEASON GAME #25, HOME #14 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs INDIANA FEVER Los Angeles, CA Aug. 18, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 79 Indiana Fever 68

Tamika Catchings had 20 points and seven rebounds to help the Indiana Fever beat the Los Angeles Sparks 79-68 on Tuesday night for their seventh win in eight games since the All-Star break. Indiana won at Los Angeles for the first time since 2010, snapping its seven-game losing streak in the series. Briann January added 16 points and Marissa Coleman had 14 for Indiana (15-9). The Fever made 10 3-pointers, led by Coleman's three.

Candace Parker had 25 points, 10 rebounds, six assists and a franchise-record eight steals for Los Angeles (8-17). Ana Dabovic scored 12, all in the first half. Los Angeles went on an 11-0 second-quarter run, with scoring from five different players, to extend its lead to 40-26. The Sparks held the Fever to just 10 points in the second quarter and led 44-30. Parker had 11 points, five rebounds, four assists and five steals in the half. Indiana made 5 of 10 3-pointers in the first half to stay within striking distance. Los Angeles had eight turnovers in the third -after just five in the first half - and was outscored 24-6. Los Angeles made just nine field goals in the second half.

#### SEASON GAME #26, AWAY #13 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ PHOENIX MERCURY Phoenix, AZ Aug. 21, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 78 Phoenix Mercury 68

Candace Parker had 26 points and 10 rebounds, and Jantel Lavender added 15 points and 11 rebounds to help the Los Angeles Sparks beat the Phoenix Mercury 78-68 on Friday night for their third road victory. Los Angeles had a 14-point lead early in the fourth quarter before the Mercury went on a 10-2 run to cut it to 63-57. Phoenix got to 69-66 with 2:11 left, but Kristi Toliver made three free throws and, after a Mercury turnover, Parker made a fast-break layup for a 74-66 lead.

Kristi Toliver added 17 points for Los Angeles (9-17). Nneka Ogwumike missed her second straight game with concussion-like symptoms. Brittney Griner scored 20 points, Candice Dupree added 15 and DeWanna Bonner 13 for Phoenix (15-11). The Mercury clinched a playoff spot after San Antonio's loss to Minnesota. Before the game, Phoenix presented Los Angeles' Erin Phillips her 2014 WNBA championship ring. She signed with the Sparks during the offseason.

#### SEASON GAME #27, AWAY #14 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ SAN ANTONIO STARS San Antonio, TX Aug. 23, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 90 San Antonio Stars 59

Jantel Lavender scored 22 points and Candace Parker added 20 to help the Los Angeles Sparks roll to a 90-59 victory over the San Antonio Stars on Sunday. Ana Dabovic had 18 for the Sparks (10-17), who padded their cushion between themselves, idle Seattle (7-20) and the Stars (7-21), for the final playoff berth out of the Western Conference. Lavender blocked a career-high five shots and played in her 132nd consecutive game, second all-time for Los Angeles. Parker had 12 rebounds and nine assists.

The Sparks shot 54 percent from the field and dominated in the paint 52-28. Kayla McBride scored 13 points and Dearica Hamby 10 for the Stars, losers of five straight. Nneka Ogwumike, the Sparks' second-leading scorer, sat out for the third straight game with concussion-like symptoms. Parker scored nine points in an 11-2 run for a 28-13 first-quarter lead. The Sparks led 43-24 at halftime and led by as many as 37.

#### SEASON GAME #28, AWAY #15 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ INDIANA FEVER Indianapolis, IN Aug. 26, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 81 Indiana Fever 79

Ana Dabovic scored nine of her 18 points in the fourth quarter, including a go-ahead basket with 6.1 seconds left, and the Los Angeles Sparks beat Indiana 81-79 on Wednesday night, snapping the Fever's six-game winning streak. Marissa Coleman and Briann January made back-to-back 3-pointers for Indiana to tie it at 79 with 28 seconds left. Dabovic hit a pullback jumper and Indiana's Shavonte Zellous missed two free throws with 1.9 remaining.

Candace Parker had 15 points, 10 rebounds and nine assists for Los Angeles (11-17). Tamika Catchings recorded her 95th career double-double with 10 points and 10 rebounds for Indiana (17-10), which fell 1 1/2 games behind New York for the Eastern Conference lead. She had five steals to become the first player in WNBA history to reach the 1,000-career mark.

#### SEASON GAME #29, AWAY #16 LOS ANGELES SPARKS @ TULSA SHOCK Tulsa, OK Aug. 28, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 66 Tulsa Shock 76

Riquna Williams and Odyssey Sims scored 15 points each to lead the Tulsa Shock to their fourth straight victory, 76-66 over the Los Angeles Sparks on Friday night. Williams hit a key 3-pointer as the shot clock expired with 1:27 left to up Tulsa's lead to 73-66 and, on the next possession, the Sparks had a 3-pointer waved off because of a shot-clock violation.

Courtney Paris had her sixth double-double of the season with 12 points and 13 rebounds and Karima Christmas had 11 points as the Shock (14-14) won their ninth home game of the season, the most since moving from Detroit in 2010. They are one win or a Seattle loss from their first playoff appearance in Tulsa. Candace Parker had her seventh straight double-double with 24 points and 11 rebounds. She had 19 points in the second half to help the Sparks (11-18) battle back from a 15-point deficit.

#### SEASON GAME #30,HOME #15 LOS ANGELES SPARKS vs SAN ANTONIO STARS Los Angeles, CA Aug. 30, 2015

Los Angeles Sparks 60 San Antonio Stars 52

Jantel Lavender scored a season-high 24 points and the Los Angeles Sparks kept the San Antonio Stars winless on the road with a 60-52 win Sunday. The Sparks (12-18) opened a three-game home stand with their fourth win in five games after a 3-1 road trip. Los Angeles maintained its hold on the final playoff spot in the Western Conference.

Kristi Toliver scored 15 points for the Sparks and Candace Parker posted her 11th double-double in 14 games with 10 points and 11 rebounds. San Antonio (7-23) pulled within 49-45 on Jia Perkins's jumper with 7:20 left, but Toliver knocked down an 18-footer and Alana Beard converted a layup off a Parker feed to push the lead back to 53-45. Perkins finished with 15 points to lead the Stars. Sophia Young-Malcolm added 11 points and Jayne Appel grabbed 13 rebounds.