#### **BEST START**

 10-4 record ties the 2020 Sky with the best record after 14 games in team history with the 2013 team. That team recorded an 11-4 mark after 15 games on its way to a team record 24-10 finish.

#### **RECAP OF LAST GAME**

- 20-point scoring games from Kahleah Copper and Courtney Vandersloot (only the third time this season the Sky has had two players score 20+ points in a game)
- Sky never trailed in the game. Second game this season the Sky has not trailed. (Other game was 8/8 vs Connecticut)
- First time since 8/10 the Sky has allowed opponent to shoot 50% or better in a game (three of the last four, the Sky held opponent below 40% and the other below 45%)
- Four of the five Sky starters had to play more than 32 minutes of the game due to injuries and foul trouble

# LAST GAME VS. NEW YORK

- Sky scored 101 points, its most in a game in 2020
- Sky starters scored 82 of team's 101 points
- Sky's 11 three-point FG were the most by the team since hitting 12 vs Washington on 8/1/20

#### **SKY OFFENSE**

- For the first time in four games, the Sky failed to shoot better than 50% from the field.
- The Sky has shot 50% or better from the field in seven of the 14 games in 2020
- The Sky is shooting 49.7% from the field in 2020. The team's record is 46.2% in 2016. The all-time WNBA record for FG% in a season is 48.7% by Los Angeles in 2016.

# SKY vs. TEAMS BELOW .500

• Sky is currently 6-1 vs teams below .500 in 2020

#### **SKY WINNING STREAK**

- Sky has won four in a row. The Sky had two 4 -game winning streaks in 2019
- Last time the Sky won five in a row was 8/18 through 8/31 2013. This was part of its team record 6-game win streak which started 8/15. (They also won six in a row 5/30 through 6/13 2012)

### **#2 KAHLEAH COPPER**

- Leads Sky with 15.1 PPG
- Scored a career-high 26 points vs Indiana on Saturday
- Tied her career-high with 36 minutes vs Indiana
- Other career-high sets vs Indiana: Offensive Rebounds (3) and FG Attempts (19)
- 2nd 20-point scoring game of the season and fourth of her career
- Has scored in double figures in 13 of 14 games and shot 50% or better in 10 of 14
- Next start of the season will be her 15th. Prior to 2020, Copper started 15 total games in her first four seasons in the WNBA



## **#14 ALLIE QUIGLEY**

- 2nd on Sky with 14.4 PPG
- Needs 70 points to pass Sylvia Fowles for all-time scorer in Sky history (2,927)
- Season high 36 minutes vs Indiana
- Has made 12 straight free throws dating back to 8/8
- Vs teams below .500 in 2020: 16.6 PPG, 53.6% shooting, 47.1% from beyond the 3-point arc
- Needs 21 minutes of play to reach 6000 for her career
- Needs 80 points to reach 3000 career points

### **#22 COURTNEY VANDERSLOOT**

- 3rd on Sky with 13.4 PPG
- Career-high scoring average- previous high 12.5 in 2018
- Double figure scoring in six straight games, 10 for the season (career-high streak is 15 between 7/7 and 7/18 2018)
- Has made 22 consecutive free throws dating back to 8/4
- 34 assists over last three games. Her career-high in assists in four consecutive games is 50 between 7/20 and 7/31 2018 (had 15, 10, 11, 14 in the 4 games)
- Shooting 51.4% in 2020, second best in her career (51.6% in 2017)
- Shooting over 40% from three for the first time in her career
- Shooting 63.0% from the field over her last four games
- Season-high 23 points vs Indiana
- Over last three games (all Sky wins): 19.0 PPG, 62.2% FG shooting, 45.5% 3 Pt shooting, 11.3 APG, 1.7 SPG

### **#32 CHEYENNE PARKER**

- 4th on Sky with 13.3 PPG
- Returned to the court after missing 2 games with an ankle injury
- 3-pointer made in Indiana game gave her seven for the season, a new career-high

# **#30 AZURÁ STEVENS**

- 5th on Sky with 11.5 PPG
- Sat out Indiana game and will be sitting out tonight's game
- 25-point scoring performance against New York was the second best of her career (26 points for Dallas vs Ind on 7/5/18)
- Has had only three 20-point scoring games in her career
- 25 points is season-high for any Sky player this season
- Made her first 3-point FG since 8/10 during last game against New York
- Shooting 55.9% from the field over her last three games
- Career-high 36 minutes vs New York
- Needs five points to reach 500 for her career

### **#31 STEFANIE DOLSON**

- 5 fouls in 15 minutes of play vs Indiana
- Sky is 6-1 in games she has played in this season

### **SKY CAREER SCORING**



⇒ Both Allie Quigley and Courtney Vandersloot are getting close to overtaking Sylvia Fowles for career scoring leadership (2,927 points).

2019 SKY RECORD AFTER 13 GAMES: 7-7 2019 SKY RECORD AFTER 14 GAMES: 7-8

#### **RANKINGS / LEAGUE LEADERS**

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1st FT SHOOTING: 83.3%

4th BLOCKS: 4.0 BPG

4th REBOUNDS: 34.6 RPG

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1st SHOOTING: 49.7%

**2nd** ASSISTS: 21.4 APG

2nd SCORING: 87.1 PPG 3rd BLOCKS: 4.1 BPG

3rd 3-PT %: 36.9%

4th FT%: 80.7%

5th 3-POINT FGM: 108

VANDERSLOOT – 1st ASSISTS (8.7 APG)

STEVENS- 1st BLOCKS (1.8 BPG, tied with Brittney Griner of PHX)

# OTHER SKY NOTES

- Team is last in the league in Free Throws Attempted: 14.4 per game
- Sky is 2nd in the league in Points in the Paint: 38.3 per game
- Sky is 2nd in the league in limiting opponent 2nd chance points: 8.8 per game
- Sky is last in the league in allowing Fast Break Points- 7.0 per game
- Sky allows the fewest 3 Pt FG per game: 5.9

### **MOST IMPROVED PLAYER CANDIDATES**

	PPG	MPG	FG%	RPG	Double Figure Games
Kahleah Copper	15.1 (+8.4)	29.9 (+15.1)	51.8% (+13.1)	4.6 (+2.7)	13 (+6)
Betnijah Laney	16.8 (+10.2)	33.1 (+7.3)	48.9% (+12.7)	4.0 (-0.2)	12 (+7)
Myisha Hines-Allen	16.2 (+13.9)	29.7 (+21.9)	50.3% (+14.1)	8.4 (+6.3)	11 (+10)
Brionna Jones	11.2 (+7.7)	25.7 (+17.3)	57.3% (+10.6)	5.6 (+3.4)	9 (+7)