

2011 BOSTON RED SOX

90-72 3rd

MGR Terry Francona (#47)
"Tito"

DP: 311 to 326

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		BA	SB	W/K	HR	T	D	L	R	RNG	Def.		
Adrian Gonzalez #28		.338	1		123	124	151	311	311	AR	SD	1B156, OF2(RF)	L L
Dustin Pedroia "Petey" #15		.307	26		121	122	143	261	256	AAR	SD	2B159	R R
Marco Scutaro #10		.299	4		114	115	141	261	254	AR		SS109, 2B2	R R
Kevin Youkilis "Youk" #20		.258	3	PK	123	124	152	244	241	AR	SD(1B)	3B112, 1B6	R R
J. D. Drew #7 David J.		.222	0	PK	113	114	123	226	226	AR	T-1	OF76(RF)	L R
Jacoby Ellsbury #2		.321	39		124	126	153	261	264	AAR	SD	OF154(CF)	L L
Carl Crawford #13		.255	18		115	122	142	241	241	AAR		OF127(LF)	L L
Jarrod Saltalamacchia #39		.235	1	PK	124	126	152	235	232	AR		C101	B R
David Ortiz "Big Papi" #34		.309	1		126	-	154	256	261	SLO		DH, 1B2	L L
Jed Lowrie #12		.252	1		114	121	135	242	236	AR		SS49, 3B33, 1B4, 2B1	B R
Josh Reddick #16		.280	1		116	123	146	245	251	AR	T-1	OF80(RF/LF)	L R
Jason Varitek "Tek" #33		.221	0	PK	125	126	144	232	225	SLO		C68	B R
Darnell McDonald #54		.236	2		122	123	135	233	233	AR		OF67(LF/CF), P1	R R
Mike Aviles #3 X		.317	4	MW	114	-	135	264	262	AAR		3B22, SS8, 2B7, OF5(RF/LF)	R R
Mike Cameron #23 +		.149	0	PK	121	-	126	163	162	AR		OF29(RF/LF/CF)	R R
Drew Sutton #44		.315	0	PK	-	-	154	262	262	AR		3B8, 2B7, 1B5, SS4, OF3(LF)	B R
Ryan Lavarnway #60		.231	0	PK	125	-	144	235	231	AR		C8, DH	R R
Yamaico Navarro #60 +		.216	0	PK	116	-	136	231	224	AR		3B11, OF3(LF), SS3	R R
Pitcher R		.110	-	MW PK	111	-	113	153	145	SLO			
Pitcher L		.110	-	MW PK	111	-	113	145	146	SLO			
		ERA	IP	W	K	G	GS	SV					
Josh Beckett #19		2.89	193	131	543	30	30	0	.000	R R			
Jon Lester #31		3.47	192	136	542	31	31	0	.000	L L			
John Lackey #41		6.41	160	133	613	28	28	0	.333	R R			
Tim Wakefield #49		5.12	155	132	615	33	23	0	.000	R R			
Alfredo Aceves #91		2.61	114	135	562	55	4	2	.000	R R	"Ace"		
Clay Buchholz #11		3.48	83	135	563	14	14	0	.000	L R			
Andrew Miller #30		5.54	65	151	563	17	12	0	.000	L L			
Erik Bedard #23 X		4.03	38	142	542	8	8	0	.000	L L			
Daisuke Matsuzaka #18		5.30	37	153	564	8	7	0	.000	R R	"Dice K"		
Kyle Weiland #70 LD		7.66	25	142	624	7	5	0	.000	L R			
Daniel Bard #51		3.33	73	134	531	70	0	1	.000	R R			
Matt Albers #32		4.73	65	143	534	56	0	0	.000	L R			
Jonathan Papelbon #58		2.94	64	122	461	63	0	31	.000	R R			
Dan Wheeler #35		4.38	49	122	556	47	0	0	.000	R R			
Franklin Morales #46 X		3.62	32	134	542	36	0	0	.000	L L			
Scott Atchison #48		3.26	30	123	621	17	0	1	.000	R R			
Michael Bowden #64		4.05	20	146	553	14	0	0	.000	R R			
Bobby Jenks #52		6.32	16	156	543	19	0	0	.000	R R			
Felix Doubront #61		6.10	10	161	616	11	0	1	.000	L L			
Hideki Okajima #37		4.32	8	153	561	7	0	0	.000	L L			
Randy Williams #43		6.48	8	151	565	7	0	0	.000	L L			
Rich Hill #53		0.00	8	141	431	9	0	0	.000	L L			

The Bosox were heavily favored to win the AL East--and field, perhaps, the BEST team in Red Sox history--but things got ugly. Several prominent members of the pitching staff were accused of playing video games, and eating and drinking beer in the clubhouse and on the bench during games when they weren't playing that particular day. What's worse, the Bostons became the first team in major league history to have a nine-game lead in September (in this case for the AL Wild Card) and not make the post-season. They lost 18 of their last 24 games (a 7-20 record in September alone) to lose the Wild Card spot to Tampa Bay on the last day of the season. Soon after, MGR Terry Francona and the front office mutually agreed to end his stewardship of the ball club...Jacoby Ellsbury led the Red Sox with 32 homers, 46 doubles, and 119 runs scored. Adrian Gonzalez was the leader with 117 RBI and 213 hits. He hit 27 taters and scored 108 times. DH David Ortiz slammed 29 home runs and drove in ninety-seven. Boston hit .280 and 203 homers (third in the A.L.) for the year...Jon Lester led the pitching staff with a 15-9 W/L record and 182 K's. Josh Beckett was 13-7 with 175 strikeouts while John Lackey was an even 12-12 and racked up 108 punch outs. Closer Jonathan Papelbon whiffed 87 batters. Alfredo Aceves won ten games out of the bullpen. The staff ERA was ninth in the league (4.20) and third in strikeouts (1,213).