

# Playing Tips

This chart gives the home run effectiveness of each team in each ball park in the two major leagues. The top line of the chart gives the different rating possibilities to be found on the Negamco Home Run Chart. The second line gives the limit any player with the rating in the top line can be moved either right or left. Ex: a 8 home run batter can be moved only 10 places, P10 to a 3 or M10 to no chance (NC). The 1h stays even; he can't ever be more or less than a 1h regardless of the park.

1h 1 2h 2 3h 3 4h 4 5h 5 6h 6 7h 7 8h 8 9h 9 10h 10 11h 11 12h 12 13 13 NC  
E 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 12 11 10 9 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 1

AMERICAN LEAGUE HOME RUN CHART BY PARKS (FOR 1970 SEASON)

Visiting Team:	Home Team:											
	NY	Bos	Balti	Wash	Cle	Det	Chi	Minn	Oak	Cal	Seat	KC
NEW YORK at Home Team	X	M1	M4	M3	M1	E	E	M2	M4	M2	E	M2
BOSTON at Home Team	E	X	M2	M2	P3	P1	E	P2	M1	E	P2	P1
BALTIMORE at Home Team	E	P2	X	P2	P2	P3	P3	P3	E	E	P4	E
WASHINGTON at Home Team	M3	P1	M4	X	P2	P3	E	P1	M3	M2	M1	M2
CLEVELAND at Home Team	M2	E	M6	M5	X	E	M3	M1	M2	M5	P1	M3
DETROIT at Home Team	P1	P1	M1	P2	P2	X	P3	P2	E	M1	P3	P2
CHICAGO at Home Team	M3	P1	M3	M3	M1	E	X	M3	M3	M3	M2	M1
MINNESOTA at Home Team	P2	P2	M1	P1	P1	P3	P2	X	P2	E	P1	P2
OAKLAND at Home Team	M1	P3	M2	E	P2	P1	E	E	X	E	P4	P2
CALIFORNIA at Home Team	M3	P1	E	M1	E	E	E	E	M3	X	E	M1
SEATTLE at Home Team	M2	P1	M3	M2	E	M2	M4	M3	M4	M3	X	M2
KANSAS CITY at Home Team	M1	P1	M3	M2	E	E	P1	P2	M1	E	E	X

These tables do not have to be used for realistic results. The only difference in player performance will be that home runs will be hit as frequently in large parks as smaller ones, if the tables are not used.

The tables do not reflect directly the size of the park, but are based on actual performances of players from each team in each park.

### How to Use the Tables

A. Cities named across the top of the chart indicate the ball park where the game is being played.

B. Cities named down the chart indicate the team playing at that park, against the home team.

C. Example of Use: Using Ken Brett of The Boston Red Sox whose bat rating

is Idt5h; playing at Boston against New York. Checking the chart, we find that New York at Boston is M1, and Boston (the home team) is P3. Boston batters final home run rate is increased 3 places (without regard to opposing pitcher's PHR rating in this issue and March's issue). Thus Brett's rating increases from Idt5h to Idt3. Remember you change only the home run rate never the capital letter or the small d or small t if they are included in the man's rating!

1. To increase a man's HR rate you move to the left on the home run chart listed at the top- (P move to left). To decrease the HR rate move to the right- (M move to right).

D. 1. When using both pitcher's PHR and Home Run by Parks Chart it is best to add or subtract adjustment to opposing team's pitcher. Following this pro-

# Club Notes

(Ed) The following owners wish to contact other sport game enthusiasts in their area for the purpose of starting a game club. Write them if interested.

I am starting The Dave Deusch Memorial Baseball League. Only APBA game owners will be included. The first 9 people to express a desire to play will be included. Each home team will play a 80 game schedule, an all-star game at the 40 home game mark, and a season-ending championship series. Write: Daniel Weisman, 36 Rugby Rd, New Rochelle, NY 10804

I am starting a different and unique type of baseball league. This league will consist of the best teams of 1969. (Cubs, Mets, Orioles, Twins, Braves, Dodgers, Giants, and Reds) The schedule will consist of roughly 100 games per team (50 home, 50 away). Few stats will be kept. If you are interested send your top 7 choices to: Martin Kane, 550 G-Grand St., NY, NY 10002. The league will start in late spring. Dedicated players only please!

I am forming a BLM baseball league for Spring 1970. We will play only the American League for the full 162 game schedule. Each manager will play 81 home games. If you are interested in managing a team please write. I have formed leagues for the last four years and have completed the full season every year. Send your top 8 choices. They will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis. If you are also interested in being a stats keeper be sure to tell me in your letter. Write: David Edick, Box 605, 713 Zeggert St., Endicott, NY 13760.

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cedure at the beginning of each game will avoid confusion.

D. 2. If team batting and team pitching adjustments are the same (P+P) or (M+M) add together. If different (P+M) or (M+P) subtract the lower rate from the higher rate.

E. Use the scale given at the top of the chart for figuring the final home run rates for each batter. Remember to always limit the increase or decrease to the figure given on the second line of the scale.