



STATS MLB Game Notes
Florida Marlins at New York Mets
Friday, September 28, 2007

* The Mets are struggling at the worst time, the last two weeks of September.

Lowest Winning Percentage, MLB Since 9/14

Pittsburgh Pirates	3-10	.231
Los Angeles Dodgers	3-10	.231
Oakland Athletics	3- 8	.273
New York Mets	4-10	.286
San Francisco Giants	4- 9	.308
Cincinnati Reds	4- 9	.308

* The Mets will have to get things done this weekend against the Marlins, who they have handled very well thus far this season.

Mets vs. Marlins, 2007

	Mets	Marlins
Wins	10	5
Runs	101	67
HR	19	10
SB	17	12
BA	.306 (173/565)	.245 (127/519)
ERA	3.94 (60/137.0)	

-- Most of that damage has been done on the road, though. The Marlins have won four of the six games played at Shea Stadium this season.

* The left side of the Mets infield gets a lot of attention, but the Marlins have been just as good, if not better this season.

Offensive Numbers by SS and 3B with NL Ranks, 2007

	Mets	Marlins
Runs	229 (2)	223 (3)
HR	42 (6)	62 (2)
RBI	163 (T-8)	209 (2)
SB	113 (1)	56 (2)
BA	.299 (3)	.326 (1)

* Oliver Perez has struggled in the first inning this season, but after that, he is very difficult to hit.

Oliver Perez, Numbers by Inning, 2007

	Inning 1	Innings 2+
BB	12	65
K	31	139
HR	9	12
ERA	5.14	2.97
Opp. BA	.245 (27/110)	.222 (120/541)

* Jeremy Hermida has been on fire in his last seven games.

Jeremy Hermida, Last 7 Games

Hits	14
Runs	5
2B	4
RBI	6
BA	.438 (14/32)

* Paul Lo Duca has enjoyed facing the Marlins, one of his former teams, in his career.

Highest Career BA vs. Florida, Active Players

(Minimum 150 PA)

Jeff Cirillo	.396
Jason Kendall	.358
Paul Lo Duca	.355 (60/169)
Todd Helton	.352
Sean Casey	.348

* Sunday's starter, Dontrelle Willis will be glad to finish what has been a rough 2007 season.

Biggest ERA Drop, 2006 - 2007

(Min 1 IP per Team Game)

Player	2006	2007	Diff
Scott Olsen, Fla	4.04(81/180.2)	5.81(114/176.2)	1.77
Dontrelle Willis, Fla	3.87(96/223.1)	5.20(117/202.2)	1.33
Jose Contreras, CWS	4.27	5.52	1.25
Nate Robertson, Det	3.84	4.79	0.95
Jeremy Bonderman, Det	4.08	5.01	0.93