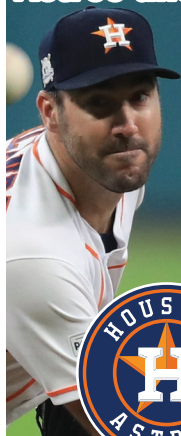


Astros and Dodgers break Fall Classic drought



HOUSTON ASTROS
Champions: Never
2nd World Series
Regular season W/L Home: 48-33 Road: 53-28

LOS ANGELES DODGERS
Champions: 1955, 59, 63, 65, 81, 88
19th World Series
Regular season W/L Home: 57-24 Road: 47-34



Manager
A. J. Hinch

Player to watch
Justin Verlander

American League

Dodgers: Oct 24, 25, 31*, Nov 1*
Astros: Oct 27, 28, 29*

Manager
Dave Roberts
Player to watch
Clayton Kershaw

National League

Houston 3-1	Boston	Division Series	Chicago 3-2	Washington
Results: 8-2, 8-2, 3-10, 5-4			3-0, 3-6, 2-1, 0-5, 9-8	
NY Yankees 3-2	Cleveland		Los Angeles 3-0	Arizona
0-4, 8-9, 1-0, 7-3, 5-2			9-5, 8-5, 3-1	

Houston 4-3	Yankees	Championship Series	Los Angeles 4-1	Chicago
2-1, 2-1, 1-8, 4-6, 0-5, 7-1, 4-0			5-2, 4-1, 6-1, 2-3, 11-1	

LONGEST WORLD SERIES DROUGHTS

Years without title win

Cleveland Indians	69	2016	Last appearance in World Series
Texas Rangers (established 1961)	57	2011	
Houston Astros (1962)	55	2005	
Milwaukee Brewers (1969)	49	1982	
San Diego Padres (1969)	49	1998	
Washington Nationals (1969)	49	-	
Seattle Mariners (1977)	41	-	
Pittsburgh Pirates	38	1979	
Baltimore Orioles	34	1983	
Detroit Tigers	33	2012	
New York Mets	31	2015	
L.A. Dodgers	28	1988	
Oakland Athletics	28	1990	
Cincinnati Reds	27	1990	
Minnesota Twins	26	1991	

Chicago Cubs: Broke longest ever drought – 108 years – with victory in 2016



Half of MLB teams have won World Series in last 25 years