

# Phillies face Astros in Fall Classic

**PHILADELPHIA PHILLIES**  
Manager  
**Rob Thomson**

Champions: 2 times  
8th World Series  
Regular season W/L  
Home: **47-34**  
Road: **40-41**

**HOUSTON ASTROS**  
Manager  
**Dusty Baker**

Champions: 2017  
5th World Series  
Regular season W/L  
Home: **55-26**  
Road: **51-30**

Opening pitcher  
**Zack Wheeler**

**Astros:** Oct 28, 29, Nov 4\*, 5\*  
**Phillies:** Oct 31, Nov 1, 2\*

Opening pitcher  
**Justin Verlander**

**DIVIDING LINE:** Astros had 106 wins over regular season to Phillies' 87 – 19-game disparity is second largest between World Series opponents

<b>1906</b>	Chicago White Sox (93)	bt Chicago Cubs (116)	<b>23</b>
<b>2022</b>	Philadelphia Phillies (87)	vs Houston Astros (106)	<b>19</b>
<b>1932</b>	NY Yankees (107)	bt Chicago Cubs (90)	<b>17</b>
<b>2018</b>	Boston Red Sox (108)	LA Dodgers (92)	<b>16</b>
<b>1998</b>	NY Yankees (114)	San Diego Padres (98)	<b>16</b>
<b>1961</b>	NY Yankees (109)	Cincinnati Reds (93)	<b>16</b>
<b>1944</b>	St. Louis Cardinals (105)	St. Louis Browns (89)	<b>16</b>
<b>1927</b>	NY Yankees (110)	Pittsburgh Pirates (94)	<b>16</b>

Biggest win  
disparity  
between World  
Series teams  
(regular  
season)

**National League**

**Postseason bracket**

**American League**

