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Hilltop

Bendetti Diamond



Scorekeeping

Baseball scorekeeping is accomplished by a sort of "shorthand," which is basically a combination of position numbers and abbreviations. 4-6-3 DP is one way to score a possible double play, with each number corresponding to a different position.

Double play or DP

A play which results in two offensive players being put out, provided that no error is committed between putouts.

How to score a double play

A ground ball DP is scored by writing the fielders who handle the ball. The example shown is a 4-6-3. In that particular instance, the ball is hit towards the second baseman who tosses it to the shortstop who tags second base to get the runner on first out. The shortstop then throws the ball to the first baseman to force out the batter trying to reach base.

Pitcher- 1		8	
Catcher- 2	7		9
First Baseman- 3			
Second Baseman- 4			
Third Baseman- 5	6	4	
Shortstop- 6	5	1	3
Left Fielder- 7		2	
Center Fielder- 8			
Right Fielder- 9			

