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How do I interpret these values?

One thing that makes FBE and MLBFO different is that we rely more on experience with actual auction drafts and snake drafts when determining the values and rankings of players for our draft guide.

The table below is a list of the top 300 players according to the different mock drafts and real league drafts we have participated in during this off-season. Once we ranked our top 300, we gave each a monetary value. **This monetary value is the average you can expect to pay** in a normal 10-14 team auction draft with a budget of \$260 for 23 active players. For the sake of argument, let's assume that your league has a supplemental snake draft for bench players which do not count towards the \$260 budget.

If you take this list and compare it to some of the fantasy baseball magazines on newsstands or compare it to some of the values listed on other fantasy web sites, you may see some major differences and then you'll be wondering.... "Which one should I trust?"

Fact is, many fantasy baseball "experts" base prices on stats, past stats and potential stats. Some "experts" take the time to crunch every number available and decide what a player is worth based on those numbers. Does this help the everyday fantasy player? Most times, no! One magazine I have has Casey Kotchman listed with a value of \$13. I have done 10 auction drafts in the month of February, all following the normal guidelines I laid out above and Casey Kotchman as never gone for more than \$3, which was a one time deal thanks to a bidding war.

Point is, these values are based on real life drafts, some with money on the line, some with fellow "experts", some with normal everyday fantasy players. **The values below are what people are paying on average in YOUR fantasy leagues!**



**"2008 Greatest Fantasy Baseball Draft Guide Ever Assembled" - AUCTION VALUES***For the normal 12 Team, 23 Man Roster, Mixed League, \$260 budget*

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1. Alex Rodriguez, NYY <b>\$52</b>	51. Troy Tulowitzki, COL <b>\$22</b>	101. Aaron Rowand, SF <b>\$10</b>
2. Hanley Ramirez, FLA <b>\$48</b>	52. Erik Bedard, SEA <b>\$23</b>	102. Todd Helton, COL <b>\$13</b>
3. David Wright, NYM <b>\$45</b>	53. Robinson Cano, NYY <b>\$20</b>	103. Howie Kendrick, LAA <b>\$10</b>
4. Jose Reyes, NYM <b>\$50</b>	54. Brian Roberts, BAL <b>\$25</b>	104. Rickie Weeks, MIL <b>\$15</b>
5. Miguel Cabrera, DET <b>\$43</b>	55. Hunter Pence, HOU <b>\$20</b>	105. Jarrod Saltalamacchia, TEX <b>\$7</b>
6. Chase Utley, PHI <b>\$40</b>	56. Corey Hart, MIL <b>\$20</b>	106. Johnny Damon, NYY <b>\$10</b>
7. Matt Holliday, COL <b>\$43</b>	57. Adam Dunn, CIN <b>\$24</b>	107. Mike Lowell, BOS <b>\$15</b>
8. Albert Pujols, STL <b>\$40</b>	58. Jon Papelbon, BOS <b>\$23</b>	108. Roy Halladay, TOR <b>\$15</b>
9. Grady Sizemore, CLE <b>\$39</b>	59. Francisco Rodriguez, LAA <b>\$23</b>	109. Fausto Carmona, CLE <b>\$16</b>
10. Jimmy Rollins, PHI <b>\$38</b>	60. J.J. Putz, SEA <b>\$20</b>	110. John Smoltz, ATL <b>\$19</b>
11. Ryan Howard, PHI <b>\$40</b>	61. Joe Nathan, MIN <b>\$18</b>	111. Jered Weaver, LAA <b>\$5</b>
12. Prince Fielder, MIL <b>\$41</b>	62. John Lackey, LAA <b>\$20</b>	112. Billy Wagner, NYM <b>\$11</b>
13. David Ortiz, BOS <b>\$35</b>	63. Jorge Posada, NYY <b>\$15</b>	113. Jermaine Dye, CWS <b>\$10</b>
14. Alfonso Soriano, CHC <b>\$38</b>	64. Scott Kazmir, TB <b>\$19</b>	114. Jeff Francoeur, ATL <b>\$13</b>
15. Carl Crawford, TB <b>\$37</b>	65. Carlos Zambrano, CHC <b>\$18</b>	115. Delmon Young, MIN <b>\$13</b>
16. Carlos Beltran, NYM <b>\$33</b>	66. Carlos Guillen, DET <b>\$18</b>	116. J.J. Hardy, MIL <b>\$8</b>
17. Brandon Phillips, CIN <b>\$30</b>	67. Chris B. Young, ARI <b>\$20</b>	117. Raul Ibanez, SEA <b>\$9</b>
18. Carlos Lee, HOU <b>\$32</b>	68. Carlos Pena, TB <b>\$21</b>	118. Huston Street, OAK <b>\$8</b>
19. Ryan Braun, MIL <b>\$35</b>	69. Gary Sheffield, DET <b>\$15</b>	119. Kelvim Escobar, LAA <b>\$9</b>
20. Vladimir Guerrero, LAA <b>\$32</b>	70. Dan Haren, OAK <b>\$22</b>	120. Adrian Beltre, SEA <b>\$11</b>
21. Mark Teixeira, ATL <b>\$34</b>	71. Justin Verlander, DET <b>\$19</b>	121. Manuel Corpas, COL <b>\$5</b>
22. Lance Berkman, HOU <b>\$32</b>	72. Torii Hunter, LAA <b>\$23</b>	122. Kenji Johjima, SEA <b>\$6</b>
23. Johan Santana, NYM <b>\$35</b>	73. Ian Kinsler, TEX <b>\$13</b>	123. Ivan Rodriguez, DET <b>\$7</b>
24. Jake Peavy, SD <b>\$31</b>	74. Jose Valverde, ARI <b>\$15</b>	124. Rich Hill, CHC <b>\$12</b>
25. Ichiro Suzuki, SEA <b>\$28</b>	75. Chris Young, SD <b>\$15</b>	125. Ben Sheets, MIL <b>\$10</b>
26. Victor Martinez, CLE <b>\$28</b>	76. Andruw Jones, LAD <b>\$15</b>	126. Javier Vazquez, CWS <b>\$15</b>
27. Russell Martin, LAD <b>\$28</b>	77. Edgar Renteria, DET <b>\$14</b>	127. Pat Burrell, PHI <b>\$9</b>
28. B.J. Upton, TB <b>\$28</b>	78. Mariano Rivera, NYY <b>\$13</b>	128. Matt Cain, SF <b>\$10</b>
29. Curtis Granderson, DET <b>\$27</b>	79. Bobby Jenks, CWS <b>\$13</b>	129. Matt Capps, PIT <b>\$4</b>
30. Derek Jeter, NYY <b>\$24</b>	80. Paul Konerko, CWS <b>\$18</b>	130. Joe Borowski, CLE <b>\$6</b>
31. Justin Morneau, MIN <b>\$29</b>	81. Rafael Furcal, LAD <b>\$18</b>	131. Placido Polanco, DET <b>\$9</b>
32. Magglio Ordonez, DET <b>\$29</b>	82. Jason Bay, PIT <b>\$15</b>	132. Orlando Cabrera, CWS <b>\$10</b>
33. Travis Hafner, CLE <b>\$25</b>	83. Aaron Harang, CIN <b>\$18</b>	133. Chen-Ming Wang, NYY <b>\$10</b>
34. Manny Ramirez, BOS <b>\$25</b>	84. Roy Oswalt, HOU <b>\$18</b>	134. Brad Penny, LAD <b>\$11</b>
35. Nick Markakis, BAL <b>\$23</b>	85. Adrian Gonzalez, SD <b>\$23</b>	135. Alex Gordon, KC <b>\$8</b>
36. Alex Rios, TOR <b>\$24</b>	86. Takashi Saito, LAD <b>\$14</b>	136. Carlos Delgado, NYM <b>\$12</b>
37. Bobby Abreu, NYY <b>\$22</b>	87. Chipper Jones, ATL <b>\$13</b>	137. Francisco Liriano, MIN <b>\$7</b>
38. Chone Figgins, LAA <b>\$23</b>	88. Dan Uggla, FLA <b>\$12</b>	138. Joba Chamberlain, NYY <b>\$10</b>
39. Aramis Ramirez, CHC <b>\$28</b>	89. Vernon Wells, TOR <b>\$17</b>	139. Phil Hughes, NYY <b>\$7</b>
40. Garrett Atkins, COL <b>\$25</b>	90. Shane Victorino, PHI <b>\$13</b>	140. Chad Billingsley, LAD <b>\$12</b>
41. Brandon Webb, ARI <b>\$23</b>	91. Ryan Zimmerman, WAS <b>\$17</b>	141. Michael Cuddyer, MIN <b>\$3</b>
42. Eric Brynes, ARI <b>\$25</b>	92. Matt Kemp, LAD <b>\$14</b>	142. Nick Swisher, OAK <b>\$10</b>
43. Michael Young, TEX <b>\$18</b>	93. Juan Pierre, LAD <b>\$16</b>	143. Johnny Peralta, CLE <b>\$8</b>
44. Derrek Lee, CHC <b>\$23</b>	94. Hideki Matsui, NYY <b>\$13</b>	144. Ken Griffey Jr., CIN <b>\$9</b>
45. Josh Beckett, BOS <b>\$26</b>	95. Felix Hernandez, SEA <b>\$20</b>	145. A.J. Burnett, TOR <b>\$4</b>
46. Cole Hamels, PHI <b>\$23</b>	96. Francisco Cordero, CIN <b>\$15</b>	146. Yovani Gallardo, MIL <b>\$12</b>
47. C.C. Sabathia, CLE <b>\$25</b>	97. Trevor Hoffman, SD <b>\$15</b>	147. Tim Lincecum, SF <b>\$12</b>
48. Brian McCann, ATL <b>\$19</b>	98. Brad Hawpe, COL <b>\$18</b>	148. Jacoby Ellsbury, BOS <b>\$10</b>
49. Joe Mauer, MIN <b>\$18</b>	99. Diasuke Matsuzaka, BOS <b>\$15</b>	149. Kevin Kouzmanoff, SD <b>\$5</b>
50. Miguel Tejada, HOU <b>\$18</b>	100. James Shields, TB <b>\$16</b>	150. Pedro Martinez, NYM <b>\$8</b>

151. James Loney, LAD \$6	201. Brandon Lyon, ARI \$8	251. David DeJesus, KC \$1
152. Tim Hudson, ATL \$12	202. Gary Matthews Jr., LAA \$1	252. Eric Gagne, MIL \$1
153. Dustin Pedroia, BOS \$8	203. Ryan Garko, CLE \$4	253. Troy Percival, TB \$1
154. Josh Fields, CWS \$7	204. Jonathon Broxton, LAD \$1	254. Rocco Baldelli, TB \$1
155. Rafael Soriano, ATL \$10	205. Orlando Hudson, ARI \$2	255. Carlos Ruiz, PHI \$2
156. Jeremy Bonderman, DET \$9	206. Jason Giambi, NYY \$9	256. John Buck, KC \$1
157. Stephen Drew, ARI \$2	207. ZackGreinke, KC \$3	257. A.J. Pierzynski, CWS \$1
158. Brad Lidge, PHI \$10	208. Brian Wilson, SF \$3	258. Austin Kearns, CIN \$1
159. Jason Istringhausen, STL \$8	209. Aaron Hill, TOR \$3	259. Ian Kennedy, NYY \$1
160. Chad Cordero, WAS \$5	210. Yunel Escobar, ATL \$2	260. Ian Stewart, COL \$1
161. Todd Jones, DET \$7	211. Rich Harden, OAK \$1	261. Ryan Doumit, PIT \$1
162. Tom Gorzelanny, PIT \$2	212. Kurt Suzuki, OAK \$3	262. Mark Buehrle, CWS \$7
163. Jeff Kent, LAD \$6	213. Felipe Lopez, WAS \$4	263. Jon Garland, LAA \$1
164. Jim Thome, CWS \$10	214. Lastings Milledge, WAS \$1	264. Homer Bailey, CIN \$1
165. Ramon Hernandez, BAL \$5	215. Rick Ankiel, STL \$2	265. Shaun Marcum, TOR \$1
166. Bengie Molina, SF \$5	216. Hank Blalock, TEX \$1	266. Joey Votto, CIN \$3
167. John Maine, NYM \$6	217. Eric Chavez, OAK \$1	267. Franklin Morales, COL \$1
168. Oliver Perez, NYM \$5	218. Scott Rolen, STL \$1	268. Evan Longoria, TB \$1
169. Kevin Youkilis, BOS \$8	219. Joe Crede, CWS \$1	269. Colby Rasmus, STL \$1
170. Ian Snell, PIT \$13	220. Randy Johnson, ARI \$3	270. Jay Bruce, CIN \$1
171. Jose Guillen, KC \$10	221. Jeff Francis, COL \$6	271. Carlos Quentin, CWS \$4
172. Kevin Gregg, FLA \$3	222. George Sherrill, BAL \$2	272. Carlos Gonzalez, OAK \$1
173. Geovany Soto, CHC \$6	223. Rafael Betancourt, CLE \$1	273. Daniel Ortmeier, SF \$1
174. Jeremy Hermida, FLA \$7	224. Adam LaRoche, PIT \$1	274. Carlos Gomez, NYM \$1
175. Edwin Encarnacion, CIN \$8	225. Chris Carpenter, STL \$2	275. Daric Barton, OAK \$1
176. Kelly Johnson, ATL \$6	226. Jeremy Accardo, TOR \$2	276. Clay Bucholz, BOS \$2
177. Melky Cabrera, NYY \$1	227. Freddy Sanchez, PIT \$3	277. Adam Jones, SEA \$1
178. Billy Butler, KC \$3	228. Matt Garza, TB \$1	278. Andrew Miller, FLA \$1
179. Josh Hamilton, CIN \$7	229. Casey Kotchman, LAA \$3	279. Brandon Wood, LAA \$1
180. Willy Tavaras, COL \$9	230. Gil Meche, KC \$1	280. Bobby Crosby, OAK \$1
181. Garret Anderson, LAA \$1	231. Carlos Marmol, CHC \$1	281. Mark Ellis, OAK \$1
182. Joakim Soria, KC \$3	232. Ronny Paulino, PIT \$1	282. Felix Pie, CHC \$1
183. Andy Pettitte, NYY \$2	233. Chris Capuano, MIL \$1	283. Adam Lind, TOR \$1
184. Dontrelle Willis, DET \$3	234. Akinori Iwamura, TB \$2	284. Yadier Molina, STL \$1
185. Josh Willingham, FLA \$5	235. Jon Lester, BOS \$2	285. Mike Cameron, MIL \$1
186. Khalil Greene, SD \$2	236. Kevin Slowey, MIN \$1	286. Wladimir Balentien, SEA \$1
187. Dustin McGowan, TOR \$8	237. Mark Teahen, KC \$3	287. Chris Snyder, ARI \$1
188. Frank Thomas, TOR \$3	238. Tom Glavine, ATL \$1	288. Travis Buck, OAK \$1
189. Ted Lilly, CHC \$9	239. Greg Maddux, ATL \$1	289. Andy LaRoche, LAD \$1
190. Derek Lowe, LAD \$7	240. J.R. Towles, HOU \$3	290. Gio Gonzalez, OAK \$1
191. Kaz Matsui, HOU \$4	241. Jack Cust, OAK \$2	291. Jason Bartlett, TB \$1
192. Joe Blanton, OAK \$5	242. Hideki Okajima, BOS \$1	292. Mark Prior, SD \$1
193. Adam Wainwright, STL \$5	243. Derrick Turnbow, MIL \$1	293. B.J. Ryan, TOR \$1
194. Barry Zito, SF \$2	244. Coco Crisp, BOS \$4	294. Andre Ethier, LAD \$1
195. Kosuke Fukodome, CHC \$8	245. Moises Alou, NYM \$3	295. Mark Kotsay, ATL \$1
196. Troy Glaus, TOR \$3	246. Milton Bradley, TEX \$1	296. Jason Kubel, MIN \$1
197. J.D. Drew, BOS \$2	247. Franklin Gutierrez, CLE \$1	297. Bronson Arroyo, CIN \$1
198. Ubaldo Jimenez, COL \$2	248. Xavier Nady, PIT \$1	298. Asdrubal Cabrera, CLE \$1
199. Curt Schilling, BOS \$5	249. Hiroki Kuroda, LAD \$3	299. Jeremy Guthrie, BAL \$1
200. Brett Myers, PHI \$6	250. Nate McLouth, PIT \$1	300. Ryan Church, NYM \$1