Table 1: Variable Definitions

Variable	Definition
Team	Team for that year
ln(Salary)	The Natural Log of each observations salary for that year
WAR	Wins Above Replacement
Age	Player's age that season
Service Time	Years player has played in the MLB
NonWhite	1 if player is not white, 0 otherwise
International	1 if player is not from USA, 0 otherwise
Year	year
Traditional Stats	
Hits	Number of hits collected by player
Home Runs	Number of home runs collected by player
Strikeouts	Number of strikeouts collected by player
Walks	Number of walks collected by player
AVG	Batting average by player
SLG	Slugging percentage
OBP	On base percentage
OPS	On base percentage plus slugging
Statcast Stats	
xBA	Expected batting average
xSLG	Expected slugging percentage
xwOBA	Expected weighted on base average
xOBP	Expected on base percentage
xISO	Expected isolated power
Avg EV	Average exit velo of baseball
Avg LA	Average launch angle of baseball
Sweet Spot %	Percent of at bats that are a batted-ball event with a launch angle between eight and 32 degrees
Barrel %	Percent of at bats that are a batted ball with the perfect combination of exit velocity and launch angle

use italics or bf or something for variable names & use that consistently throughout the paper

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