

Angel Stadium

(formerly Edison International Field)

Anaheim, California

Owner

City of Anaheim/
Walt Disney Corporation

Architects

POPULOUS (formerly HOK Sport
Venue Event)
Robert A.M. Stern Architects

General Contractor

Turner Construction Company

Completion Date

1998

Construction Cost

\$118 million

Total Area

1,100,000 sf

Team

Anaheim Angels

Seating Capacity

45,000

Number of Suites

80

Number of Concourses

7



Originally constructed in 1965 as a baseball facility and modified in 1980 for football use as well, Anaheim's professional sports stadium was completely renovated in the late 1990s to create Angel Stadium, a state-of-the-art facility exclusively for baseball. The project included the demolition or retrofit of 100 percent of the existing facility and the design of new elements, including below-grade dugout suites, luxury boxes, a scoreboard structure and support for Disney's "Outfield Extravaganza," an area behind center field where fireworks and geysers erupt to celebrate good plays. The main entry at homeplate was also renovated and expanded to include iconic "bat" supported and ballcap canopies.

All of the work was accomplished in a mere 18 months, primarily during two off seasons. The renovation also incorporated many significant and innovative seismic enhancements for the facility.