12/10/13: Pacers defeat Heat at home, 90-84, as Indiana’s 2nd half defense picked up

3 themes to 2nd half Pacers D:

1. Cut off drives and still contested shooters

2. Made Lebron perimeter, settled for jumpers

3. Despite rotating D, didn't give up offensive boards

3rd qtr:

11:30 - 1st poss of half, extended D out slightly and forced jumper. STOP

8:35 - Paul George denies Lebron at top (tho Lance breaks down and gives Wade backdoor lay up)

7:30\* - They funnel Chalmers into Hibbert, no outlets. STOP

6:10\* - They again force Chalmers into crowded lane and he throws it away

5:55 - (same possession) Lebron cut off on baseline, force contest Battier 3. MISS

{ \* shows Pacers discipline. Not overreacting to Chalmers drive.}

4th qtr:

10:58 - Double screen up high for Wade. Pacers switch, Mahinmi forces Wade kick out (deflected out)

9:15 - Crowding lane on LBJ drive. TO

6:50 - Scola runs out on Ray Allen, forcing him to put it on floor. TO

4:10 - Popular Heat play 'Lebron-Chalmers pick-n-roll'. Pacers switch it, then switch out on curling Ray Allen. MISS.