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CATEGORIES

WIN FACTOR: A comprehensive rating (ranging from zero to 10) comprised of general ability, current form, speed, class, conditioning, and distance compatibility. The higher the rating, the more reliable the Fair Odds are likely to be. Horses that are switching surfaces or those coming off of long layoffs are designated as "unknowns" (UK). Ratings preceded by a dollar sign (\$) denote a Key Selection (explanation below).

RACE RATING: A percentage (0-100) proceeding the race number that measures the separation between contenders and the inherent value (overlay) potential of the race in question. Higher percentages generally indicate more predictable and/or formful races.

RECENT PLACING: Horse's placing in his/her most recent start: (W)in, (P)lace, or (S)how. A plus notation (+) indicates a performance at today's par or above, while an exclamation point (!) represents a significant recent speed advantage over today's foes.

CLASS PAR: A comparison between today's speed par and the speed par of the horse's latest race. An up arrow (\uparrow) denotes a horse moving up in par, while a down arrow (\downarrow) indicates a horse moving down.

TRACK & DAYS LAPSED: The racetrack at which the horse most recently competed and the number of days since that effort.

WIN RATE: Horse's current winning percentage.

CLASS RATING: A figure (ranging from zero to one) that measures both average earnings per start and average purse value as a means of identifying overall class. Anything above 0.25 is considered to be significant and is highlighted by bold type in the report.

RATED STARTS: The number of races used to derive the performance ratings listed above. Horses with less than five Rated Starts should be treated with great caution and their performance numbers greeted with skepticism (see "Guidelines" below).

FAIR ODDS: The minimum acceptable betting odds on the entrant(s) in question. Fair odds are independent of track take and are adjusted for unknown entities. Those preceded by the "@" sign denote a Sharp Contender, while those followed by a question mark (?) indicate a Prime Overlay possibility (explanation below).

GUIDELINES

The purpose of this report is really twofold. Obviously, the primary goal is to increase your profits at the track by providing a reliable odds line. Beyond that, however, you will also find a lot of other useful and unique data that can be incorporated into your own handicapping. Regardless of how you choose to view the

- 1) All ratings and selections (unless otherwise noted) are made in light of the conditions existing at the time of entry. Races taken off the turf, or modified in any way, should be passed.
- 2) Because the goal is to provide as accurate an odds line as possible, not all horses are rated. This is due to the fact that not every horse can be reasonably assessed given the criteria that is used. While an attempt is made to adjust the Fair Odds in accordance with the overall ability level of any unknown entrants, it is probably wise to pass races with exceedingly low Race Ratings.
- 3) Be very wary of horses with fewer than five Rated Starts. Because their performance ratings are based on such limited data, they tend to be notoriously unreliable even when they appear to be overlays.
- 4) There are four kinds of "automatic" plays (bets that don't require any analysis on the part of the report user):
 - a) Key Selections Strong contenders at any price; can be used to anchor your exotic wagering.
 - b) Prime Overlays These horses produce tremendous profits when going to post at odds equal to or greater than their fair odds.
 - c) Sharp Contenders Horses in exceptionally good form that can be played at almost any price.
 - d) Speed Racers (asterisk before name) These horses have a significant recent speed edge and can be used as exotics keys.
- 5) If a horse with a low or non-existent Win Factor rating is going to post as a heavy favorite or you observe other severe discrepancies in the Win Factor ratings and the tote, it is best to limit your wagering. When none of the top plays are getting any action, it is likely that the Fair Odds are out of sync or irrelevant in that event.
- 6) No distinction is made between restricted and unrestricted races in regards to performance standards such as wins and earnings; thus, ratings can occasionally be unjustly skewed towards females or horses that have raced exclusively in state-bred company.
- 7) Try to be conscious of anything that greatly alters the composition of a race (extreme biases, excessive scratches, etc.). Exercise good wagering judgment at all times.

BEL Race 1 (0%) \$66,000 Purse 6.0 Furlongs Turf	# 1 7 4 6	Name ELIOS MILOS (2-1) CASTLE CASANOVA (5-2) MARKET BUBBLE (7-2) NEWS ANCHOR (4-1)	Win Factor UK UK UK UK	Recent Placing P S	Class <u>Par</u> ↓ ↓ ↓	Track & Days Lapsed BEL326 AQU46 AQU186 SAR281	Win Rate 50% 25% 25% 0%	Class Rating 0.23 0.15 0.15 0.01	Rated Starts 2 4 4 3	Fair Odds 4-1 5-1 6-1 7-1
BEL Race 2 (12%) \$66,000 Purse 6.5 Furlongs Main	# 1 8 6 5	Name MORE MISCHIEF (3-1) KEPT TRUE (4-1) ORCHID PARTY (6-1) SHESASUPERFREAK (12-1)	Win Factor UK UK 0.23 0.23	Recent Placing P	Class <u>Par</u> ↑ ↓	Track & Days Lapsed BEL250 AQU185 BEL31 AQU52	Win Rate 33% 33% 24% 33%	Class Rating 0.28 0.22 0.11 0.14	Rated Starts 3 3 17 3	Fair Odds 4-1 5-1 7-1 7-1
BEL Race 3 (22%) \$66,000 Purse 6.0 Furlongs Turf	# 3 7 6 8	Name ELEKTRONIC (5-2) STEAM ENGINE (5-2) VETERANS BEACH (7-2) SPARKY (4-1)	Win Factor 0.62 UK UK UK	Recent Placing W W	Class <u>Par</u> ↑ ↑	Track & Days Lapsed BEL16 BEL213 BEL232 AQU200	Win Rate 50% 33% 33% 13%	Class Rating 0.15 0.21 0.17 0.10	Rated Starts 2 3 3 8	Fair Odds 7-2 4-1 6-1 6-1
BEL Race 4 (42%) \$125,000 Purse 7.0 Furlongs Main	# 2 7 1 3	NEWLY MINTED (8-5) ESPRESSO SHOT (9-5) WADADLI PRINCESS (8-1) BEHIND THE COUCH (12-1)	Win Factor 0.98 0.31 0.26 0.22	Recent Placing W+ W	Class Par	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u> AQU37 AQU51 BEL31 AQU66	Win Rate 100% 43% 33% 50%	Class Rating 0.33 0.19 0.09 0.08	Rated Starts 2 7 6 2	Fair Odds 6-5 6-1 8-1 9-1
BEL RACE 5 (87%) \$125,000 Purse 8.0 Furlongs Turf	# 1 5 7 4	Name FIFTY FIVE (1-1) LADY JOAN (4-1) LOVELY LA LA (12-1) JC'S SHOOTING STAR (10-1) \$1 CONDITIONAL EXACTA(S): 1-5 (\$12), 1-7	Win Factor 1.02 0.40 0.21 UK	Recent Placing W W P W+ 24), 5-1 (\$16	Class <u>Par</u>	Track & Days Lapsed AQU43 GP44 BEL29 AQU146	Win Rate 57% 38% 33% 22%	Class Rating 0.24 0.11 0.08 0.08	Rated Starts 7 8 6 9	Fair Odds 8-5 5-1 11-1 13-1
BEL Race 6 (19%) \$41,000 Purse 6.0 Furlongs Turf	2 11 1 5	Name MIKE'S GIRL (3-1) MEMORIES ETERNAL (4-1) DADDYSNEVERREADY (6-1) NAZAY (10-1)	Win Factor 0.19 0.17 UK 0.13	Recent Placing + P!+ S+	Class <u>Par</u> ↓	Track & Days Lapsed BEL25 BEL24 GP422 BEL24	Win Rate 0% 0% 0% 0% 0%	Class Rating 0.12 0.11 0.02 0.05	Rated Starts 6 2 1 8	Fair Odds 8-1 9-1 10-1 12-1
BEL Race 7 (16%) \$200,000 Purse 8.0 Furlongs Main	# 3 2 1 6	Name STILL THERE (7-5) MIDNIGHT DISGUISE (8-1) STARLITE MISSION (20-1) FROSTIE ANNE (8-1)	Win Factor UK 0.35 0.27 0.27	Recent <u>Placing</u>	Class <u>Par</u> ↓ ↑ ↑	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u> BEL246 AQU44 BEL11 BEL22	Win Rate 50% 38% 16% 50%	Class Rating 0.09 0.11 0.04 0.04	Rated Starts 6 8 19 16	Fair Odds 2-1 5-1 6-1 6-1

BEL Race 8 (35%) \$125,000 Purse 8.0 Furlongs Turf	 # Name 2 THERAPIST (2-1) 3 OFFERING PLAN (6-5) 4 GUCCI FACTOR (9-2) 6 MO MAVERICK (5-1) 	Win <u>Factor</u> 0.73 0.49 UK 0.20	Recent Placing W+ S W S	Class <u>Par</u> ↑ ↑	Track & Days Lapsed BEL30 KEE52 TAM149 MTH23	Win Rate 50% 43% 60% 14%	Class Rating 0.15 0.22 0.07 0.05	Rated Starts 8 7 5 7	Fair Odds 9-5 3-1 6-1 9-1
BEL Race 9 (30%) \$125,000 Purse 7.0 Furlongs Main	# Name 6 BLINDWILLIE MCTELL (7 3 LE GENERAL (4-1) 4 FUNNY GUY (6-1) 10 STONE BREAKER (4-1)	Win Factor (-2) 0.46 UK 0.30 0.22	Recent Placing P+ W W+ W	Class <u>Par</u> ↓ ↑ ↑	Track & <u>Days Lapsed</u> AQU37 AQU169 AQU37 AQU51	Win Rate 50% 67% 40% 75%	Class <u>Rating</u> 0.23 0.08 0.15 0.06	Rated Starts 4 3 5 4	Fair Odds 7-2 5-1 6-1 9-1
BEL Race 10 (40%) \$200,000 Purse 8.0 Furlongs Main	 # Name PAT ON THE BACK (5-2) 1 HONOR UP (7-2) 5 GIANT EXPECTATIONS (6 HAUL ANCHOR (9-2) 	Win Factor 0.49 0.32 (3-1) 0.25 0.20	Recent Placing W+ S W	Class <u>Par</u> ↓ ↓	Track & Days Lapsed BEL31 AQU51 OP44 BEL30	Win Rate 38% 45% 0% 30%	Class Rating 0.15 0.06 0.58 0.03	Rated Starts 8 11 7 10	Fair Odds 2-1 4-1 5-1 7-1
BEL Race 11 (9%) \$41,000 Purse 6.0 Furlongs Turf	# Name 12 SCHWARBERTOWN (3-1 5 WILD WILLIAM (7-2) 7 JEMOGRAPHY (9-2) 1 CAUSFORCELEBRATION	UK UK	Recent Placing P	Class <u>Par</u> ↑ ↓	Track & Days Lapsed BEL23 AQU186 BEL15 AQU149	Win Rate 0% 0% 0% 0% 0%	Class Rating 0.20 0.12 0.08 0.11	Rated Starts 1 6 6 9	Fair Odds 5-1 6-1 8-1 10-1