British Racing - Monthly Data Pack

Competitiveness and Race Volume

Year to Date Races Run

Flat: 2021: 2324, 2022: 2275, 2023: 2249, 2024: 2256
Jump: 2021: 1863, 2022: 2062, 2023: 1911, 2024: 1761
Total: 2021: 4187, 2022: 4337, 2023: 4160, 2024: 4017
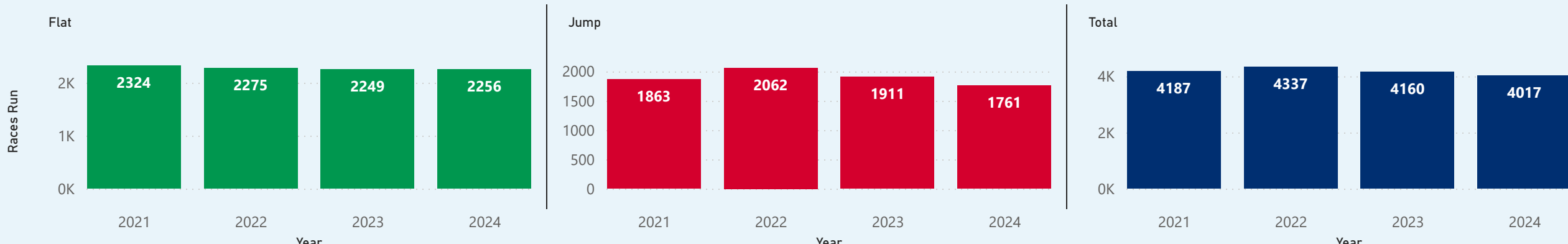
Year to Date Fixtures Programmed, Additionals and Abandoned

'Mixed' Fixtures Recoded as 'Flat'

Fixt Type	Flat				Jump				Total			
Year	Prog	Aband	Add	Run	Prog	Aband	Add	Run	Prog	Aband	Add	Run
2021	316	5	8	319	303	54	10	259	619	59	18	578
2022	327	7	5	325	300	4	1	297	627	11	6	622
2023	313	5	8	316	299	32	7	274	612	37	15	590
2024	308	7	8	309	302	47	8	263	610	54	16	572

Year to Date Average Field Size

Tier ● Core ● Premier

Flat Premier: 8.99, 10.13, 10.30; Core: 8.67, 8.67, 8.85
Jump Premier: 10.28, 9.35, 10.34, 9.88; Core: 8.88, 7.46, 8.11, 8.25

Year to Date 8+ Runners %

Tier ● Core ● Premier

Flat Premier: 60.0%, 73.5%, 70.1%; Core: 62.3%, 57.4%, 63.2%, 64.3%, 71.0%
Jump Premier: 70.3%, 44.3%, 63.0%, 54.0%; Core: 62.3%, 55.1%, 52.7%
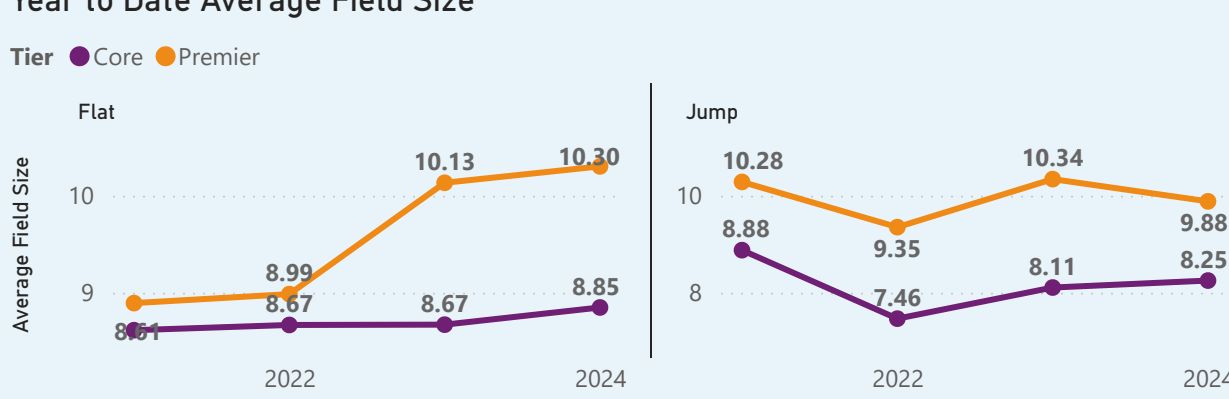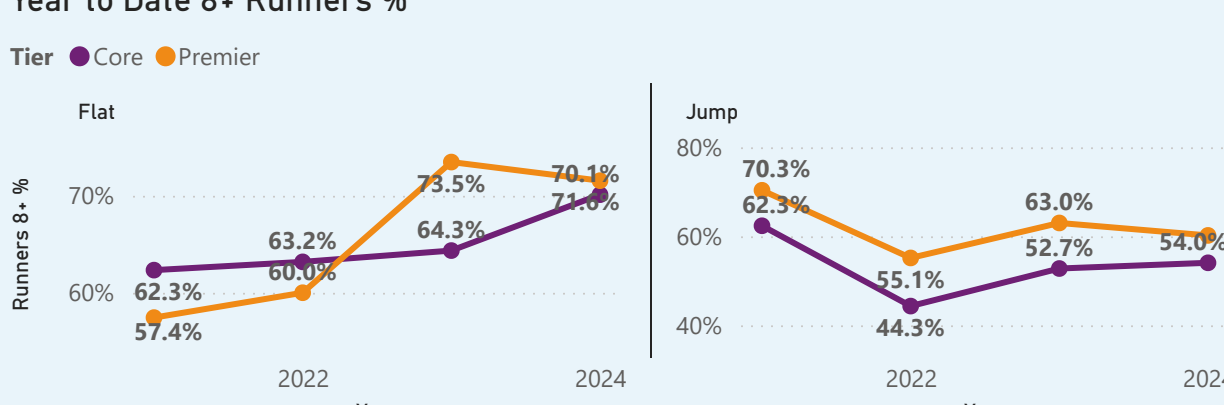
Year to Date Odds Against Favourites %

Tier ● Core ● Premier

Flat Premier: 82.1%, 84.0%, 86.7%, 90.5%; Core: 80.0%, 81.6%, 82.9%, 84.3%
Jump Premier: 76.9%, 83.1%, 83.8%, 81.9%; Core: 73.8%, 79.3%, 78.1%
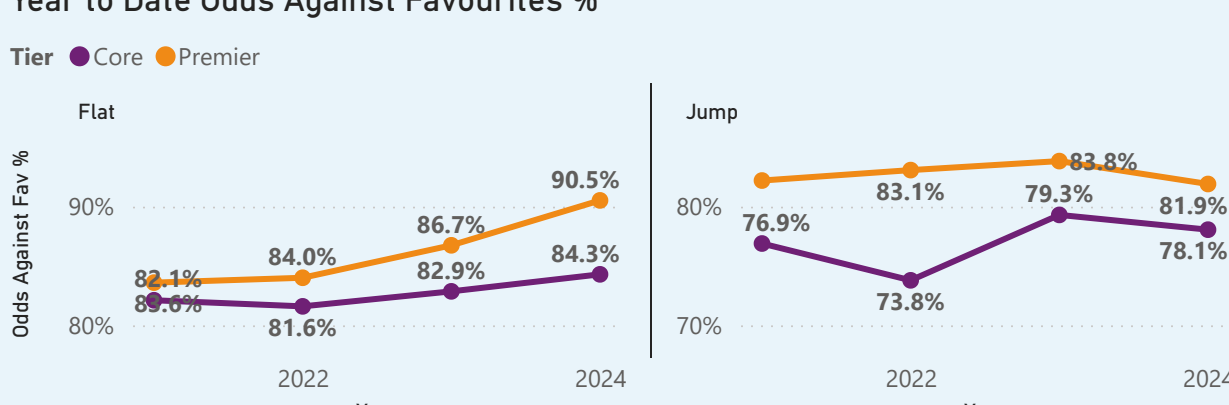
Year to Date Count of Eliminations

Flat: 2021: 861, 2022: 717, 2023: 833, 2024: 929
Jump: 2021: 1221, 2022: 281, 2023: 566, 2024: 430
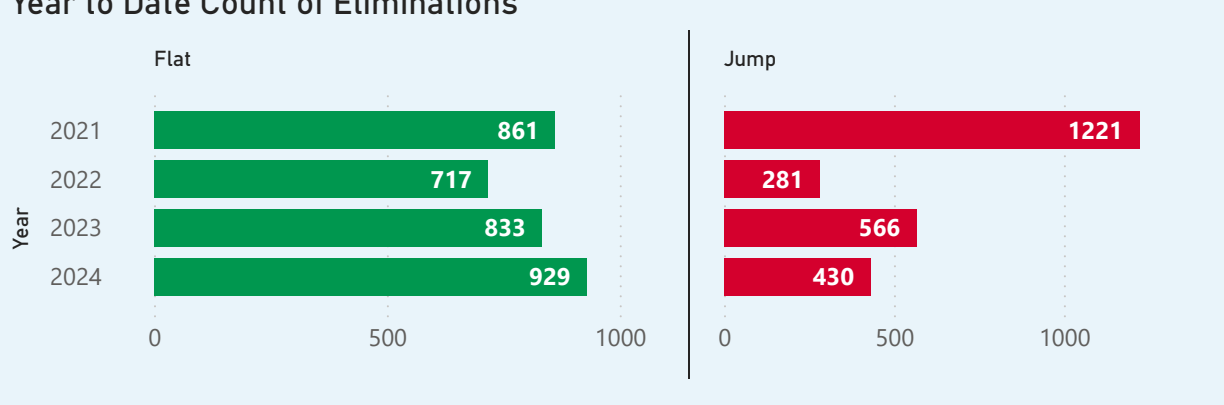
Year to Date Average Non Runners per Race

Flat: 2021: 0.54, 2022: 0.49, 2023: 0.51, 2024: 0.58
Jump: 2021: 0.89, 2022: 0.64, 2023: 0.76, 2024: 0.80
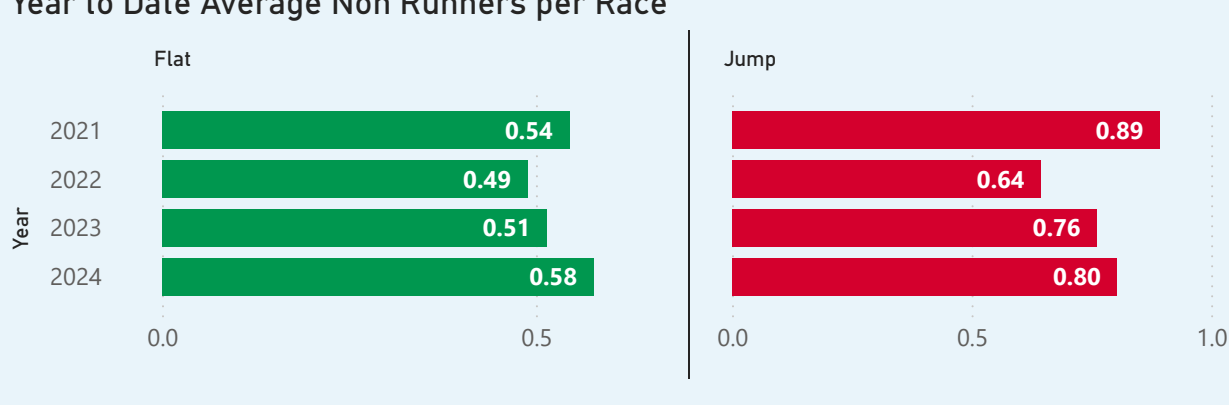
Prize Money

Year to Date Total Prize Money Paid Out

Tier ● Core ● Premier

Flat Core: £16.9M, £22.1M, £23.3M, £22.5M; Premier: £7.0M, £10.6M, £12.9M, £16.6M
Jump Core: £13.1M, £20.5M, £17.9M, £15.3M; Premier: £9.8M, £15.9M, £15.7M, £16.7M
Total Core: £30.2M, £42.8M, £41.5M, £38.1M; Premier: £16.8M, £26.5M, £28.6M, £33.3M
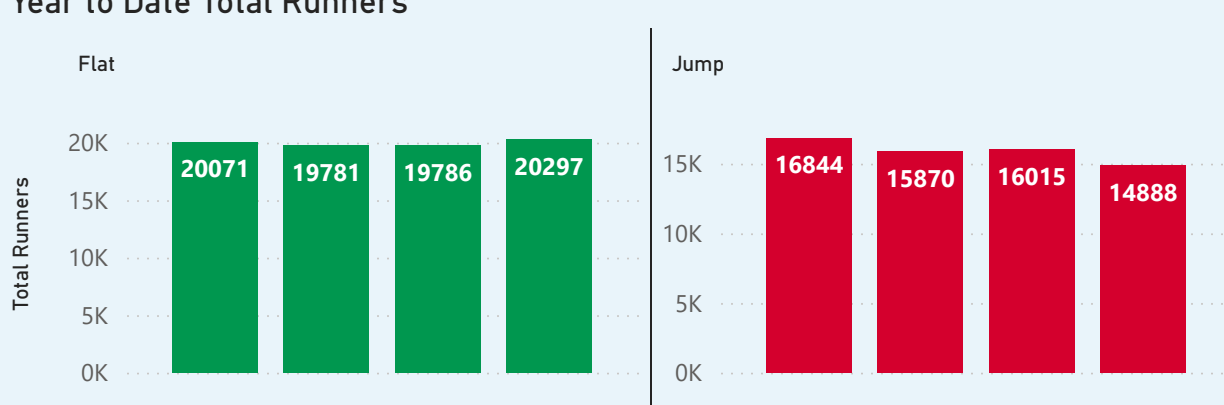
Horse Population

Horses in Training Snapshot

Taken as a Snapshot on 15th May of Each Year

Flat: 9873, 9904, 9695, 9516
Jump: 4304, 3870, 4395, 4232
Dual: 467, 464, 439, 494
Total: 14644, 14238, 14529, 14242
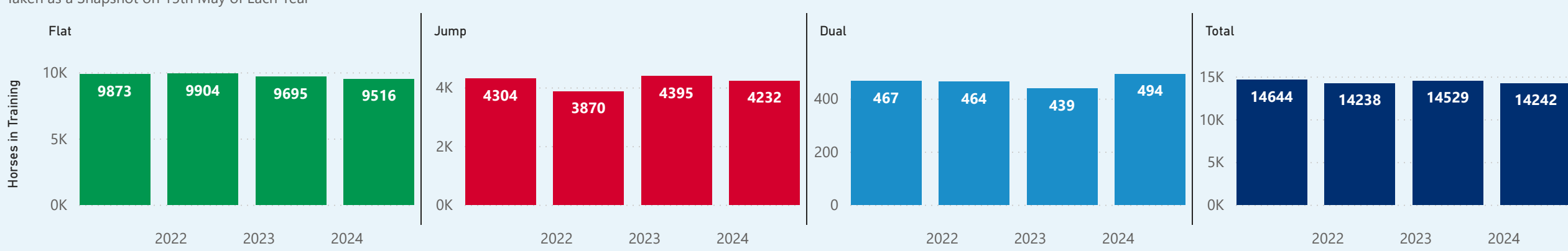
Year to Date Total Runners

Flat: 2021: 20071, 2022: 19781, 2023: 19786, 2024: 20297
Jump: 2021: 16844, 2022: 15870, 2023: 16015, 2024: 14888

Year to Date Individual Runners

Flat: 2021: 7082, 2022: 7006, 2023: 6943, 2024: 6998
Jump: 2021: 6796, 2022: 6281, 2023: 6321, 2024: 5976
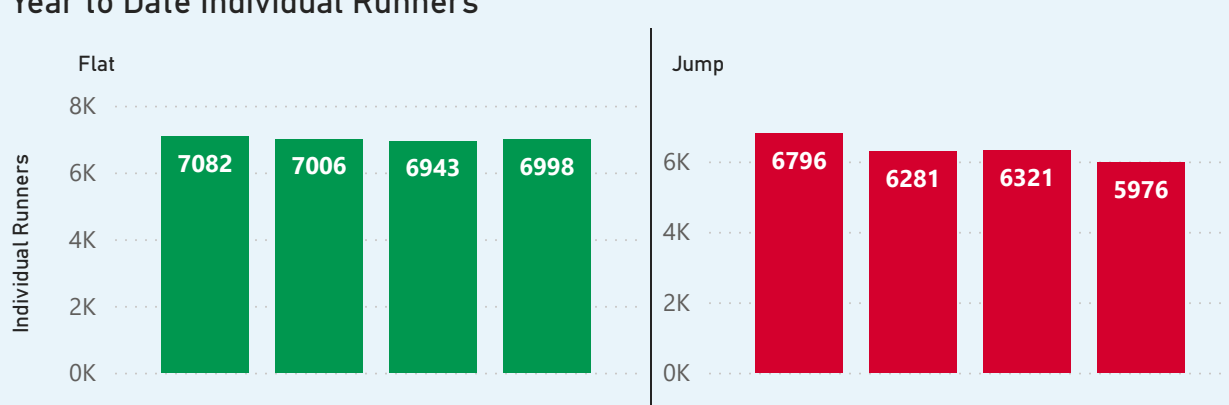
Year to Date 'Quality' Individual Runners

Individual Horses that have acheived a BHA Performance Figure of 85+ (Flat) or 130+ (Jump)

Flat: 2021: 1107, 2022: 1144, 2023: 1033, 2024: 1038
Jump: 2021: 762, 2022: 693, 2023: 601, 2024: 523
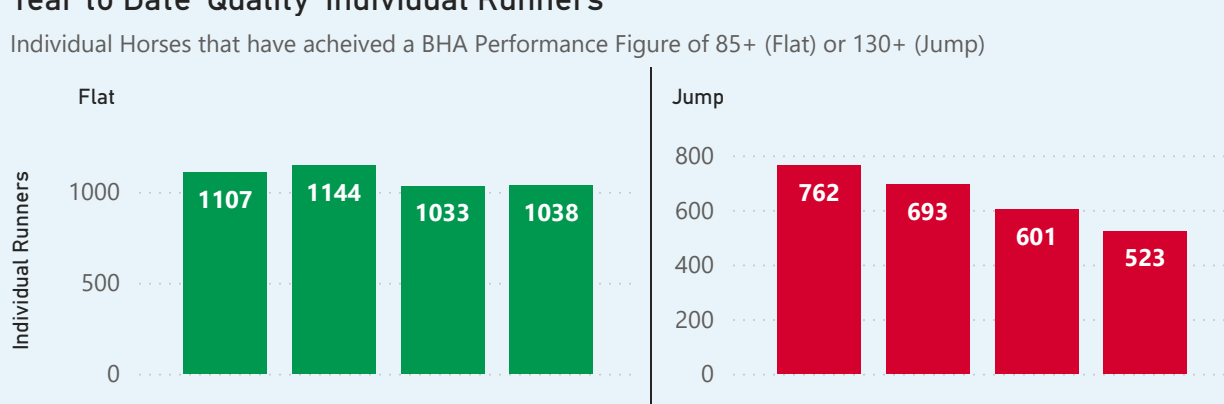
Year to Date Average Runs per Horse

Flat: 2021: 2.83, 2022: 2.82, 2023: 2.85, 2024: 2.90
Jump: 2021: 2.48, 2022: 2.53, 2023: 2.53, 2024: 2.49
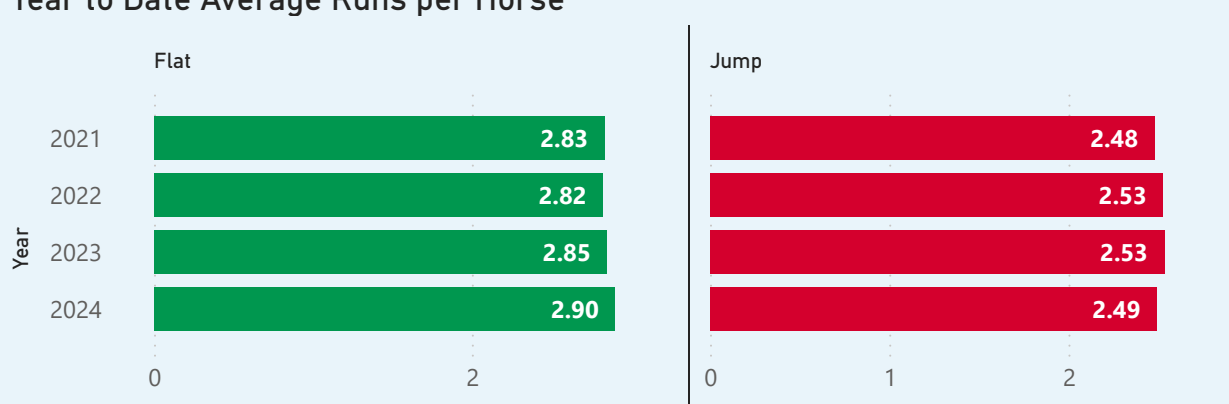
Race Times

YTD Race Punctuality

% of GB Races with Off Time within 120 seconds of Scheduled Time

2021: 74.3%
2022: 73.3%
2023: 70.5%
2024: 76.5%
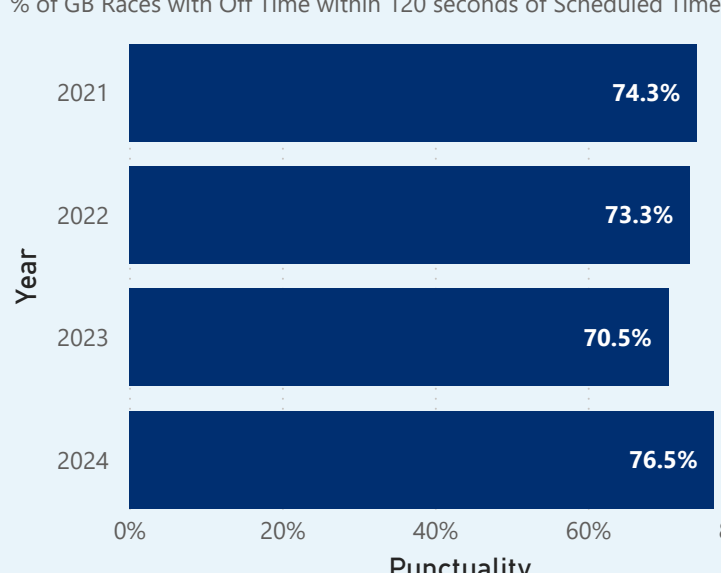
YTD Count of Race Clashes

Count of GB Races Clashed into by a GB or Irish Race

2021: 109
2022: 187
2023: 155
2024: 172
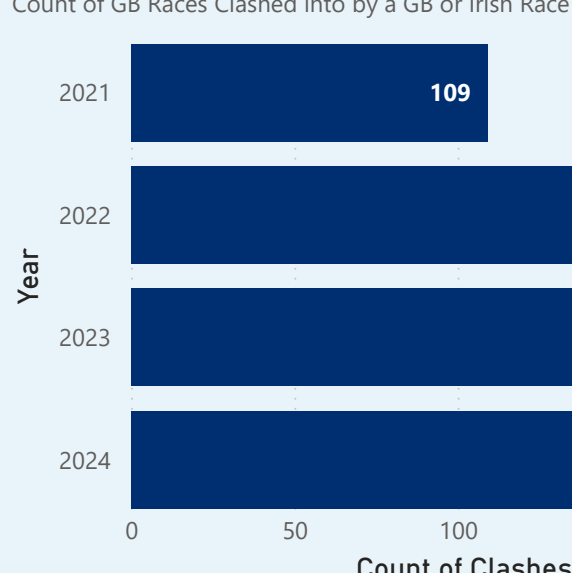
YTD Saturday Afternoon Clash % by Year

% of GB Races Clashed into by GB or Irish Race on Saturdays (up to 5pm)

2021: 6.7%
2022: 15.1%
2023: 9.3%
2024: 8.4%
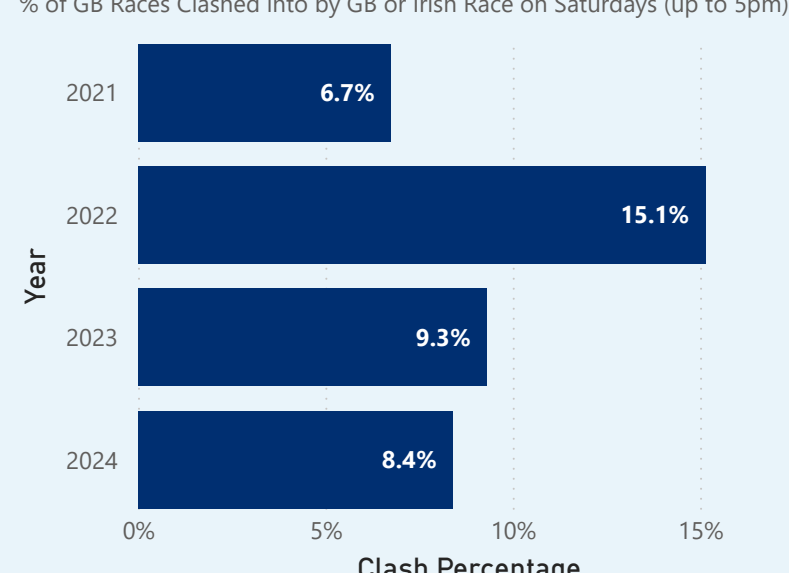
Handicapping

Year to Date Close Finish % in Handicap Races

% of Handicaps with a Close Finish, defined by the Winning Margin being 3lbs or less (Flat) or 5lbs or less (Jump)

Flat: 2021: 65.5%, 2022: 69.7%, 2023: 69.6%, 2024: 68.2%
Jump: 2021: 66.9%, 2022: 67.4%, 2023: 72.8%, 2024: 72.0%