



Hong Kong Jockey Club (Season 2013/2014)

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Sport statistics – 2015

Number of racecourses	Number of races			Number of starting horses		
	Trotting	Gallop/flat	Total	Trotting	Gallop/flat	Total
2	N/A	777	777	N/A	9,755	9,755

Total Betting figures 2015 (in national currency) Local + Simulcast Races

	Pari Mutuel betting turnover		Gross Gaming Revenue (GGR)	
	2014	2015	2014	2015
Off line	HK\$ 51,512 m	HK\$ 49,194 m	HK\$ 8,622 m	HK\$ 8,310 m
Online	HK\$ 49,373 m	HK\$ 55,178 m €6233 m	HK\$ 7,380 m	HK\$ 8,381 m
Total	HK\$ 100,886 m	HK\$ 104,372 m € 11 789 m	HK\$ 16,002 m	HK\$ 16,690 m €1885 m

Bet types - including both Hong Kong Local Races and Simulcast Races

Bet name	% of betting income
Win	18.9%

Place	15.0%
Quinella	28.3%
Quinella Place	21.9%
Double	1.9%
Six Up	0.5%
Treble	0.3%
Tierce	4.4%
Double Trio	0.6%
Triple Trio	0.5%
Trio	2.2%
First 4 + Quartet (Merge pool)	4.6%
Fixed-Odd (Jockey Challenge)	0.9%

Taxes and Funding

	Amount in national currency	% of turnover
Return to winning punters/customers	HK\$ 88,419 m	84.0%
Operating fees	HK\$ 4,562 m	4.3%
Return to the horse racing industry	NA	NA
Return to others: Health sector, Other charity...	NA	NA
State taxes	HK\$ 12,300 m	11.7%

Highlights in 2015

The Quartet and First 4 racing bet types has combined to form the "Quartet & First 4 Merged Pool" since Jan 2015, it offers for every local race with six or more starters and a new jackpot feature added to the Merged Pool.

The Club first deployed Longitude technology in the relaunch of Quartet in January 2014 and has expanded its use to the Quartet & First 4 Merged Pool in 2015, which was the first of its kind in the racing organisation globally.

Merged Pool adopts a "one pool wagering" concept with real-time odds and dividends calculated by combining wagers on the two bet types into one pool.

The enhanced liquidity of the Merged Pool should make the odds more robust, as the degree of odds fluctuation induced by a single bet will be reduced. It will take a larger wager to move the odds significantly. Information transparency will also be increased as the new Longitude technology deployed can calculate the odds very rapidly on every possible outcome.

For each Quartet & First 4 Merged Pool, a certain percentage of the turnover will be deducted and credited to a Jackpot Reserve Pool for jackpot allocation to offer higher return on specific racedays.