

# Tote Betting Rules

## GENERAL

1. All Tote bets are placed with and into pools operated by the TDCO Limited and Tpoolco Limited (together trading as "Tote"), both of 6th Floor 6 Kean Street, London, United Kingdom, WC2B 4AS, or into pools operated by the relevant overseas operator.
2. All Tote bets are subject to the Tote betting rules and general rules of the Tote as amended from time to time.
3. All Tote bets are 'pool' or 'pari-mutuel' type bets whereby the winning return is calculated by reference to the money staked in the pool and the eventual number of winning bets.
4. There are no maximum limits to the amount of money that can be staked or won on a Tote bet. (The size of the pool provides a natural limit to the available winnings).
5. All British horseracing will be subject to the British Horseracing Authority. Overseas horseracing will be subject to the equivalent regulatory body of the relevant country. Decisions of the relevant authority as to the running and outcome of events will apply to all Tote bets.
6. The timing of the declaration of dividends shall entirely be at the discretion of the Tote or the relevant overseas operator.
7. The Tote reserves the right to rectify errors in accepted bets regardless as to the cause. In the event of a discrepancy in the order of runners between the Tote racecard and the official racecard after final declarations, the Tote reserves the right to void all bets placed on single leg pools on such race, while affected bets on multiple leg pools will ignore the outcome of such race and be settled solely on the remaining legs.
8. Subject to the preceding rules and once the 'weighed in' or result has been announced, the declared dividend will stand regardless of any subsequent alteration to the official result.
9. Tote is prohibited by law from accepting bets from persons under 18 years of age. Tote will refuse to accept bets where it has reason to believe that the person placing them is doing so on behalf of persons under the age of 18. Any bets found to have been placed by or on behalf of a person under the age of 18 will be void.
10. In the event of a failure, for whatever reason, which prevents the declaration of a dividend, the stakes of the Tote(s) concerned may be refunded.
11. Bets accepted into overseas or third-party pools are additionally subject to the betting rules relative to those pools. Tote currently offers betting on pools operated in Hong Kong, Republic of Ireland, France, South Africa, Sweden, Denmark and the United States of America to customers in the UK. Such pools are governed by the Hong Kong Jockey Club, Tote Ireland, Greyhound Racing Ireland, PMU, 4Racing, ATG or the relevant US racecourse respectively. With regards to World Pool events (as detailed in Appendix 1) taking place at either UK or International racecourses, the Hong Kong Jockey Club will act as the pool host and therefore such events will be subject to their rules. Tote is the official host of Bahrain racing pools and all bets placed on Bahrain racing will be subject to the rules described below for UK pools except for any specific variances described in Appendix 2. With regards to North American pools, additional hosts' terms and conditions plus a list of the pool hosts and governing bodies can be found in Appendix 3. With regard to French pools, additional host's terms and conditions can be found in Appendix 5
12. These General Rules do not apply to pools offered on St. Lucian racing. Please see our betting rules for St. Lucia.
13. These General Rules do not apply to pools offered on football. Please see our 'Football General Rules' section below for the applicable rules for football betting
14. In addition to these General Rules, for bets placed on greyhound racing at Lifford Greyhound Track, the Greyhound Racing Ireland Terms and Rules shall also apply. Please see Appendix 4 for the applicable rules for greyhound racing at Lifford.
15. Bets 'stand' on horses or greyhounds which do not run after coming under Starter's Orders.
16. On all single-leg pools, in respect of horse racing only, bets are void on horses declared as non-runners before coming under Starter's Orders. For all multi-leg pools, nonrunners are normally transferred onto the favourite, subject to the details in the rules. In respect of greyhound racing only, on all single-leg pools, bets are void on greyhounds declared as non-runners before coming under Starter's Orders unless the non-runner is replaced by a reserve runner. For all multi-leg pools, non-runners are normally transferred onto a runner subject to the details in the rules.
17. All Tote bets on a single race are void if a race does not take place on the day scheduled, unless otherwise advertised. The rules for multiple leg bets are as stated in the relevant section of the rules.
18. From time to time in specific races, Tote may operate a pool at a lower deduction rate for promotional purposes. Any applicable race and pool and the relevant deduction rate will be clearly advertised.
19. Any net amounts from pools which were not won and have been carried forward, are suitably ring-fenced and held in a separate account with the Tote.

20. Totalisator pools hosted by the Tote operate on an international basis, therefore meaning that investment may originate from customers residing outside and inside the United Kingdom.
21. All calculated dividends are truncated to two decimal places in order to declare a payable dividend.

### **PLACING BETS**

1. Minimum permitted stakes and stake units apply. See the point of sale for details. Terms for other outlets may vary.
2. All bets must be confirmed in the system together with full stakes paid not later than the start of the race ('the off').
3. Full stakes for the correct amount must be paid in cash when bets are placed. Official tickets will be given as receipts and these should be checked carefully as errors cannot be rectified after the start of any race concerned. Bets will only be paid in accordance with official tickets/receipts.
4. Customers must check their tickets/bet receipts as errors will not be rectified after 'the off'.
5. Customers must check any change given from bets as claims for errors will not be considered once the customer has left the point of transaction.

### **PAYMENT OF WINNINGS**

1. Payment of winnings is subject to the point of sale general rules. Payment of winnings from bets placed via third parties is subject to the payment rules of the third party.
2. Customers must check payments as claims for errors will not be considered once the customer has left the point of transaction.
3. When there is an objection or Steward's Enquiry which could affect the winner or placed horses, payment will not be made until the 'weighed in'. Otherwise payment is made at Tote's discretion on winning tickets when the dividend is declared.

### **DISPUTES**

Every effort will be made by our staff and management to resolve any dispute which may arise, under the terms and conditions of these rules.

Should a customer be dissatisfied with the decision and ruling offered by staff and management, or should a matter arise which is not covered by these rules, customers should write to Customer Care, Waterside House, Waterside Drive, Wigan, WN3 5AZ, explaining the details of their dispute. Or if a customer would prefer to e-mail, please contact [customer care@tote.co.uk](mailto:customer care@tote.co.uk).

Should you remain dissatisfied please refer the matter, again in writing, to the Head of Customer Services at the same address.

In the event of the matter not then being resolved the customer may submit the dispute to the Independent Betting Adjudication Service (IBAS), PO Box 62639, London, EC3P 3AS, telephone 020 7347 5883, or a mutually acceptable recognised body, for an independent ruling. Provided the facts are presented by all parties concerned the adjudicator's decision in these cases will be binding on both parties.



### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select the winning horse.

### **RACES ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The totewin pool is operated on all races of 2 or more runners unless otherwise stated.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes and stake units apply. See the point of sale for details.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

19.25% (The net pool is therefore 80.75% of the gross pool)

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward form the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total stakes on the winner of the race to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake, with the following exceptions:

- (i) If the calculated dividend is greater than 90p and less than £1.10, the payable dividend will be £1.10.
- (ii) If the calculated dividend is 90p or below, the payable dividend will be £1.02.
- (iii) Notwithstanding (i) and (ii) above, in the case of a dead heat for first place if the calculated dividend is 60p or below, the payable dividend will be 60p. (See rule on Dead Heats below.)

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the winning horse is part backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

#### **Example 1**

*Suppose we have a totewin pool where the net fund available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £1,000 and the total amount invested on the winning horse is £0.80.*

*As the winning horse is part-backed, then the net pool of £1,000 is the calculated dividend.*

*The total amount paid out on the winning horse is only  $(0.80 \times £1,000) = £800$ , so the remaining £200 which has not been won will be carried forward to a subsequent totewin pool.*

*The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so the 19.25% deduction is added back to the net funds carried forward. Therefore the gross carry-forward in this example is  $£200.00 / (1 - 19.25\%) = £247.68$ .*

If the winning horse is not backed, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are not accepted in the totewin pool.

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders. Bets are void on horses which become non-runners before coming under starter's orders, and the stakes on such non-runners are refundable.

### **WALKOVERS/VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If the race is a walkover, or is void, or is abandoned and is not re-run on the same day, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded, unless otherwise stated. This is irrespective of whether the race is re-scheduled for a later date or not.

### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS**

Multiple selections on the same slip are accepted.

### **NO FINISHERS**

If the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

### **DEAD HEATS**

When two or more horses dead-heat for first place, the net pool will be divided into as many equal parts as there are dead-heating runners. The part of the net pool allocated to each dead-heating horse is divided by the total stakes on that runner to obtain a calculated dividend for each dead-heating horse. The calculated dividend is then determined in accordance with the calculation of dividends above.

Holder of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If a dead-heating horse is part-backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on that horse, the net pool assigned to that horse is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that dead-heating horse which has not been won will be carried forward to another totewin pool as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

#### Example 2

*Suppose we have a totewin pool where the net fund available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £1,000 and there is a dead-heat for first place between two horses, A and B with the following amounts invested on each:*

A	£100.00
B	£0.90

*The net pool is divided into 2 equal parts, and £500 is allocated to each of horses A and B.*

*The £500 allocated to horse A is then divided by the £100 of stakes on that runner, so the calculated dividend for horse A is £5.00.*

*As horse B is part-backed, the £500 allocated to that horse is the calculated dividend.*

*The total amount paid out on horse B is only  $(0.90 \times £500) = £450$ , so the remaining £50 which has not been won will be carried forward to a subsequent totewin pool.*

*The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so the 19.25% deduction is added back to the net funds carried forward. Therefore the gross carry-forward in this example is  $£50.00 / (1 - 19.25\%) = £61.92$ .*

If a dead-heating horse is not backed, the portion of the pool assigned to that dead-heating horse will be carried forward to another totewin pool. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

The minimum dividend payable on a totewin bet involving dead-heating horses will be 60 pence.

### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select a horse to be placed.

The finishing positions which constitute a place in any race, unless otherwise stated, are as follows:

2 - 4 runners	1st
5 - 7 runners	1st & 2nd
8 - 15 runners	1st, 2nd & 3rd
Non-handicap of 16 or more runners	1st, 2nd & 3rd
Handicap of 16 or more runners	1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th

### **RACES ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The toteplace pool is operated on all races of 5 or more runners unless otherwise stated.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes and stake units apply. See the point of sale for details.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

20% (The net pool is therefore 80% of the gross pool)

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward from the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the number of places payable on the race as defined above, i.e. 2, 3 or 4, in equal proportion. The part of the net pool allocated to each place is then divided by the total stakes on that placed horse to obtain a calculated dividend for each place. The calculated dividend is rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake, with the following exceptions:

- (i) If the calculated dividend is greater than 70p and less than £1.10, the payable dividend will be £1.10.
- (ii) If the calculated dividend is 70p or below, the payable dividend will be £1.02.
- (iii) Notwithstanding (i) and (ii) above, in the case of a dead heat if the calculated dividend is 50p or below, the minimum payable dividend will be 50p. (See rule on Dead Heats below.)

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

In the event of (ii) above, i.e. if the calculated dividend falls below 70p, money will be taken from the net pool on the remaining placed horses in equal shares to ensure that the minimum calculated dividend on any placed horse is not less than 70p.

#### **Example 3**

*Suppose we have a toteplace pool where the net fund available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £12,000, and suppose there are 3 places payable.*

*Then the net pool initially allocated to each placed horse = (£12,000 / 3) = £4,000.*

*Suppose the total amounts invested on the 3 placed horses are:*

<i>1st placed horse:</i>	<i>£1,000</i>
<i>2nd placed horse:</i>	<i>£500</i>
<i>3rd placed horse:</i>	<i>£8,000</i>

*Therefore the calculated dividends on the 3 placed horses would be:*

<i>1st placed horse:</i>	<i>£4.00</i>
<i>2nd placed horse:</i>	<i>£8.00</i>
<i>3rd placed horse:</i>	<i>£0.50</i>

*The calculated dividend for the 3rd placed horse is less than 70p. Therefore money will be taken from the net pool on the remaining placed horses in equal shares to ensure that the minimum calculated dividend on any placed horse is not less than 70p.*

The net pool which must be allocated to the 3rd placed horse to increase the calculated dividend to 70p is  $(£8,000 \times 0.70) = £5,600$ . This means an additional  $(£5,600 - £4,000) = £1,600$  will be taken from the net pool on the other 2 placed horses in equal shares, i.e. £800 from each of those other 2 placed horses. So the revised net pool allocated to each placed horse is now as follows:

1st placed horse:  $£4,000 - £800 = £3,200$   
2nd placed horse:  $£4,000 - £800 = £3,200$   
3rd placed horse:  $£4,000 + £1,600 = £5,600$

The calculated dividend on each placed horse is now:

1st placed horse:  $£3,200 / £1,000 = £3.20$   
2nd placed horse:  $£3,200 / £500 = £6.40$   
3rd placed horse:  $£5,600 / £8,000 = £0.70$

So the declared dividends will be:

1st placed horse: £3.20  
2nd placed horse: £6.40  
3rd placed horse: £1.02

#### Example 4

Suppose once again we have a toteplace pool where the net fund available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £12,000, and there are 3 places payable.

Then the net pool initially allocated to each placed horse =  $(£12,000 / 3) = £4,000$ .

Suppose the total amounts invested on the 3 placed horses are:

1st placed horse: £5,000  
2nd placed horse: £100  
3rd placed horse: £8,000

(Note: The total amount of winning units can be greater than the net pool due to the deduction.)

The calculated dividends on the 3 placed horses would be:

1st placed horse: £0.80  
2nd placed horse: £40.00  
3rd placed horse: £0.50

The calculated dividend for the 3rd placed horse is less than 70p. Therefore money will be taken from the net pool on the remaining placed horses in equal shares to ensure that the minimum calculated dividend on any placed horse is not less than 70p.

The net pool which must be allocated to the 3rd placed horse to increase the calculated dividend to 70p is  $(£8,000 \times 0.70) = £5,600$ . This means an additional  $(£5,600 - £4,000) = £1,600$  will be taken from the net pool on the other 2 placed horses in equal shares, i.e. £800 from each of those other 2 placed horses. So the revised net pool allocated to each placed horse is now as follows:

1st placed horse:  $£4,000 - £800 = £3,200$   
2nd placed horse:  $£4,000 - £800 = £3,200$   
3rd placed horse:  $£4,000 + £1,600 = £5,600$

The calculated dividend on each runner is now:

1st placed horse:  $£3,200 / £5,000 = £0.64$   
2nd placed horse:  $£3,200 / £100 = £32.00$   
3rd placed horse:  $£5,600 / £8,000 = £0.70$

The calculated dividend for the 1st placed horse has now fallen below 70p. Therefore further money must be taken from the net pool on the other remaining placed horse, i.e. the 2nd placed horse, to ensure that the minimum calculated dividend on any placed horse is not less than 70p.

The net pool which must be allocated to the 1st placed horse to increase the calculated dividend to 70p is  $(£5,000 \times 0.70) = £3,500$ . This means an additional  $(£3,500 - £3,200) = £300$  will be taken from the net pool on the 2nd placed horse. So the revised net pool allocated to each placed horse is now as follows:

1st placed horse:  $£3,200 + £300 = £3,500$   
2nd placed horse:  $£3,200 - £300 = £2,900$   
3rd placed horse: £5,600

The calculated dividend on each placed horse is now:

1st placed horse:  $£3,500 / £5,000 = £0.70$   
2nd placed horse:  $£2,900 / £100 = £29.00$   
3rd placed horse:  $£5,600 / £8,000 = £0.70$

So the declared dividends will be:

1st placed horse: £1.02  
2nd placed horse: £29.00  
3rd placed horse: £1.02

If a placed horse is part-backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on a placed horse, then the net pool assigned to that placed horse is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1

stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that placed horse which has not been won will be divided in equal proportion between the remaining placed horses which have been fully backed.

#### Example 5

Suppose we have a toteplace pool where the net funds available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £3,000, and there are 3 places payable.

Then the net pool initially allocated to each placed horse =  $(£3,000 / 3) = £1,000$ .

Suppose the total amounts invested on the 3 placed horses are:

1st placed horse: £500.00  
2nd placed horse: £100.00  
3rd placed horse: £0.40

The 3rd placed horse is part backed, so only £400 of the £1,000 allocated to that horse will be paid out on that horse. The balance of £600 will be divided in equal proportion between the other horses which have been fully backed, so an additional £300 will be allocated to each of the 1st and 2nd placed horses.

So the revised net pool allocated to each placed horse is now as follows:

1st placed horse:  $£1,000 + £300 = £1,300$   
2nd placed horse:  $£1,000 + £300 = £1,300$   
3rd placed horse:  $£1,000 - £600 = £400$

The calculated dividend on each runner is now:

1st placed horse:  $£1,300 / £500.00 = £2.60$   
2nd placed horse:  $£1,300 / £100.00 = £13.00$   
3rd placed horse:  $£400 / £0.40 = £1,000.00$

If a placed horse is not backed, the portion of the net pool assigned to that placed horse will be divided in equal proportion between the remaining placed horses which have been fully backed.

If none of the placed horses are fully backed, the balance of the gross pool assigned to each placed horse which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If none of the placed horses are backed, the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are not accepted in the toteplace pool.

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders. Bets are void on horses which become non-runners before coming under starter's orders, and the stakes on such non-runners are refundable.

### **VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If the race is void or abandoned and is not re-run on the same day, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded, unless otherwise stated. This is irrespective of whether the race is re-scheduled for a later date or not.

### **REDUCED FIELD SIZE**

If the number of runners in any race falls below 5, then the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS**

Multiple selections on the same slip are accepted.

### **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If the official number of finishers is fewer than the number of standard places the race, then only the runners which finish will be deemed to have been placed. The net pool will be divided by the number of finishers rather than being divided by the number of places that were originally payable on the race.

## **DEAD HEATS**

If two or more horses dead heat for the final position which constitutes a place, a dividend is paid on each of those dead-heating horses. The amount of the pool allocated to that place is divided equally between the dead-heating horses.

If three or more horses dead heat for the penultimate position which constitutes a place, e.g. 3rd place in a race where 4 places are payable, a dividend is paid on each of those dead-heating horses. The total amount of the pool allocated to the final two places is divided equally between the dead-heating horses.

The proportion of the net pool allocated to each placed horse in the event of a dead-heat is as follows:

2 places, 2 runners in 1st place	1st(A)	1/2
	1st(B)	1/2
2 places, 2 runners in 2nd place	1st	1/2
	2nd(A)	1/4
	2nd(B)	1/4
2 places, 3 runners in 1st place	1st(A)	1/3
	1st(B)	1/3
	1st(C)	1/3
2 places, 3 runners in 2nd place	1st	1/2
	2nd(A)	1/6
	2nd(B)	1/6
	2nd(C)	1/6
3 places, 2 runners in 3rd place	1st	1/3
	2nd	1/3
	3rd(A)	1/6
	3rd(B)	1/6
3 places, 3 runners in 2nd place	1st	1/3
	2nd(A)	2/9
	2nd(B)	2/9
	2nd(C)	2/9
3 places, 3 runners in 3rd place	1st	1/3
	2nd	1/3
	3rd(A)	1/9
	3rd(B)	1/9
	3rd(C)	1/9
4 places, 2 runners in 4th place	1st	1/4
	2nd	1/4
	3rd	1/4
	4th(A)	1/8
	4th(B)	1/8
4 places, 3 runners in 3rd place	1st	1/4
	2nd	1/4
	3rd(A)	1/6
	3rd(B)	1/6
	3rd(C)	1/6
4 places, 3 runners in 4th place	1st	1/4
	2nd	1/4
	3rd	1/4
	4th(A)	1/12
	4th(B)	1/12
	4th(C)	1/12



The part of the net pool allocated to each dead-heating horse is divided by the total stakes on that runner to obtain a calculated dividend for each dead-heating horse. The calculated dividend is then determined in accordance with the calculation of dividends above.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

In the event of a dead heat, if the calculated dividend of a horse involved in that dead heat is 50p or below, the dividend declared will be 50p and no money will be taken from the net pool allocated to any of the remaining placed horses to increase the calculated dividend.

If a dead-heating horse is part-backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on that horse, the net pool assigned to that horse is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that dead-heating horse which has not been won will be divided between all the placed horses which have been fully backed, and will be allocated in equal shares with the exception of the other dead-heating horse(s) for which the funds will be apportioned as stated in the dead-heat rule below.

If a dead-heating horse is not backed, then the net pool assigned to that dead-heating horse which has not been won will be divided between the remaining placed horses which have been fully backed, and will be allocated in equal shares with the exception of the other dead-heating horse(s) for which the funds will be apportioned as stated in the dead-heat rule below.

In the event of a dead-heat, if money within the toteplace pool should be transferred between the placed horses, either to increase a calculated dividend to a specific minimum threshold or to re-assign funds from a placed horse which has not been fully backed to the remaining placed horses which have been fully backed, then the funds transferred to or transferred from a placed horse will be proportioned in the same ratio as the allocation of funds in the event of a dead heat as shown in the table above.

#### Example 6

*Suppose we have a two-way dead heat for 3rd place with 3 places payable in the toteplace pool, where:  
the 1st placed horse is part backed;  
the 2nd placed horse and the two dead-heating 3rd placed horses are fully backed;  
the balance of the net pool not won on the first placed horse is £1,000.*

*The £1,000 needs to be redistributed amongst the other placed horses which have been fully backed. Those are the 2nd, 3rd(A) and 3rd(B).*

*From the table above, the proportion of the net pool allocated to each placed horse is:*

1st	1/3
2nd	1/3
3rd(A)	1/6
3rd(B)	1/6

*So each of the two dead heating horses will be allocated half as much as the 2nd placed horse, i.e. the 2nd placed horse will be allocated £500 and each of the two dead-heating horses will be allocated £250.*

#### Example 7

*Suppose we have a triple dead heat for 2nd place with 3 places payable in the toteplace pool, where:  
one of the horses which triple dead-heats for second place is part-backed;  
all the remaining placed horses are fully backed;  
the balance of the net pool not won on that part-backed dead-heating horse is £700.*

*The £700 needs to be re-distributed amongst the other placed horses which have been fully backed. Those are the 1st, 2nd(A) and 2nd(B).*

*From the table above, the proportion of the net pool allocated to each placed horse is:*

1st	1/3
2nd(A)	2/9
2nd(B)	2/9
2nd(C)	2/9

*So each of the two dead-heating horses which have been fully backed will be allocated two-thirds as much as the 1st placed horse, i.e. the 1st placed horse will be allocated £300 and each of the two dead-heating horses will be allocated £200.*

### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select 2 horses to finish in any of the first 3 places.

### **RACES ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The toteswinger pool is operated on all races of 6 or more declared runners unless otherwise stated.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes and stake units apply. See the point of sale for details.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

30% (The net pool is therefore 70% of the gross pool)

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward form the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

If the number of actual runners is 6 or more, even in handicaps of 16 or more runners, there will be 3 winning combinations:

- Combination 1: 1st + 2nd (in either order)
- Combination 2: 1st + 3rd (in either order)
- Combination 3: 2nd + 3rd (in either order)

One-third of the net pool will be allocated to each combination. The part of the net pool allocated to each winning combination is then divided by the total stakes on that combination to obtain a calculated dividend for each combination.

If the number of actual runners is reduced to only 4 or 5, then there is only one winning combination:

- 1st & 2nd (in either order)

In this case the entire net pool is divided by the total stakes on that combination to obtain a calculated dividend.

The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake, with the following exceptions:

- (i) If the calculated dividend is greater than 70p and less than £1.10, the payable dividend will be £1.10.
- (ii) If the calculated dividend is 70p or below, the payable dividend will be £1.02.
- (iii) Notwithstanding (i) and (ii) above, if as a result of a dead-heat the proportion of the net pool allocated to any winning combination is reduced from one-third in the case of 6 or more runners, or reduced from the entire net pool in the case of 4 or 5 runners, should the calculated dividend be 50p or below, the minimum dividend payable on such a combination will be 50p. (See rule on Dead Heats below.)

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

In the event of (ii) above, i.e. if the calculated dividend falls below 70p, money will be taken from the remaining winning combinations in equal shares to ensure that the minimum calculated dividend on any combination is not less than 70p.

#### **Example 8**

*Suppose we have a toteswinger pool where the net fund available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £12,000.*

*Then the net pool initially allocated to each winning combination = (£12,000 / 3) = £4,000.*

*Suppose the total amounts invested on the 3 winning combinations are:*

- 1st + 2nd: £1,000*
- 1st + 3rd: £500*
- 2nd + 3rd: £8,000*

*Therefore the calculated dividends on the 3 winning combinations would be:*

- 1st + 2nd: £4.00*
- 1st + 3rd: £8.00*

2nd + 3rd: £0.50

The calculated dividend for the combination '2nd + 3rd' is less than 70p. Therefore money will be taken from the net pool on the remaining winning combinations in equal shares to ensure that the minimum calculated dividend on any winning combination is not less than 70p.

The net pool which must be allocated to the combination '2nd + 3rd' to increase the calculated dividend to 70p is  $(£8,000 \times 0.70) = £5,600$ . This means an additional  $(£5,600 - £4,000) = £1,600$  will be taken from the net pool on the other 2 winning combinations in equal shares, i.e. £800 from each of those other 2 winning combinations. So the revised net pool allocated to each winning combination is now as follows:

1st + 2nd: £4,000 - £800 = £3,200  
1st + 3rd: £4,000 - £800 = £3,200  
2nd + 3rd: £4,000 + £1,600 = £5,600

The calculated dividend on each winning combination is now:

1st + 2nd: £3,200 / £1,000 = £3.20  
1st + 3rd: £3,200 / £500 = £6.40  
2nd + 3rd: £5,600 / £8,000 = £0.70

So the declared dividends will be:

1st + 2nd: £3.20  
1st + 3rd: £6.40  
2nd + 3rd: £1.02

#### Example 9

Suppose once again we have a toteswinger pool where the net fund available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £12,000.

Then the net pool initially allocated to each winning combination =  $(£12,000 / 3) = £4,000$ .

Suppose the total amounts invested on the 3 winning combinations are:

1st + 2nd: £5,000  
1st + 3rd: £100  
2nd + 3rd: £8,000

(Note: The total amount of winning units can be greater than the net pool due to the deduction.)

The calculated dividends on the 3 winning combinations would be:

1st + 2nd: £0.80  
1st + 3rd: £40.00  
2nd + 3rd: £0.50

The calculated dividend for the combination '2nd + 3rd' is less than 70p. Therefore money will be taken from the net pool on the remaining winning combinations in equal shares to ensure that the minimum calculated dividend on any winning combination is not less than 70p.

The net pool which must be allocated to the combination '2nd + 3rd' to increase the calculated dividend to 70p is  $(£8,000 \times 0.70) = £5,600$ . This means an additional  $(£5,600 - £4,000) = £1,600$  will be taken from the net pool on the other winning combinations in equal shares, i.e. £800 from each of those other 2 winning combinations. So the revised net pool allocated to each winning combination is now as follows:

1st + 2nd: £4,000 - £800 = £3,200  
1st + 3rd: £4,000 - £800 = £3,200  
2nd + 3rd: £4,000 + £1,600 = £5,600

The calculated dividend on each winning combination is now:

1st + 2nd: £3,200 / £5,000 = £0.64  
1st + 3rd: £3,200 / £100 = £32.00  
2nd + 3rd: £5,600 / £8,000 = £0.70

The calculated dividend for the combination '1st + 2nd' has now fallen below 70p. Therefore money must be taken from the net pool on the other remaining winning combination, i.e. the combination '1st + 3rd', to ensure that the minimum calculated dividend on any winning combination is not less than 70p.

The net pool which must be allocated to combination '1st + 2nd' to increase the calculated dividend to 70p is  $(£5,000 \times 0.70) = £3,500$ . This means an additional  $(£3,500 - £3,200) = £300$  will be taken from the net pool on the combination '1st + 3rd'. So the revised net pool allocated to each winning combination is now as follows:

1st + 2nd: £3,200 + £300 = £3,500  
1st + 3rd: £3,200 - £300 = £2,900  
2nd + 3rd: £5,600

The calculated dividend on each winning combination is now:

1st + 2nd: £3,500 / £5,000 = £0.70  
1st + 3rd: £2,900 / £100 = £29.00  
2nd + 3rd: £5,600 / £8,000 = £0.70

So the declared dividends will be:

1st + 2nd: £1.02  
1st + 3rd: £29.00

2nd + 3rd: £1.02

If a combination is part backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on a combination, then the net pool assigned to that combination is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that combination which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

#### Example 10

Suppose we have a toteswinger pool where the net fund available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £3,000.

Then the net pool allocated to each winning combination =  $(£3,000 / 3) = £1,000$ .

Suppose the total amounts invested on the 3 winning combinations are:

1st + 2nd:	£100.00
1st + 3rd:	£50.00
2nd + 3rd:	£0.60

The calculated dividends for the winning combinations '1st + 2nd' and '1st + 3rd' are £10.00 and £20.00 respectively.

As the combination '2nd + 3rd' is part-backed, the net pool of £1,000 is the calculated dividend for that combination.

The total amount paid out on that combination is only  $(0.6 \times £1,000) = £600$ , so the remaining £400 which has not been won will be carried forward to a subsequent toteswinger pool.

The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so the 30% deduction is added back to the net funds carried forward. Therefore the gross carry-forward in this example is  $£400.00 / (1 - 30\%) = £571.43$ .

If a combination is not backed, then the net pool assigned to that combination will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

#### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are not accepted in the toteswinger pool.

#### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders. Bets are void on horses which become non-runners before coming under starter's orders, and the stakes on such non-runners are refundable.

#### **VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If the race is void or abandoned and is not re-run on the same day, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded, unless otherwise stated. This is irrespective of whether the race is re-scheduled for a later date or not.

#### **REDUCED FIELD SIZE**

If the number of runners in any race is reduced to 4 or 5, a dividend will only be paid in respect of the first and second placed horses in either order.

If the number of runners in any race falls below 4, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

#### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Bankers are permitted and are limited to one per bet. A banker toteswinger allows you to combine one horse you are confident will finish in the first three places with any number of other horses.

Permutations are accepted.

#### **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If only 2 horses officially finish the race, a dividend will only be declared on the first and second in either order. If this combination has not been backed then the pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

If only 1 horse officially finishes the race, a dividend will be declared on that horse with any other. This will be the only dividend declared. If that winning horse has not been included within any of the combinations backed, then the pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

## **DEAD HEATS**

In the case of 6 or more runners:

Where 2 horses dead-heat for 1st place, the winning combinations will be any 2 of the first 3 finishers.

Where 3 horses dead-heat for 1st place, the winning combinations will be any 2 of the first 3 finishers.

Where 2 horses dead-heat for 2nd place, the winning combinations will be any 2 of the first 3 finishers.

Where 3 horses dead-heat for 2nd place, the winning combinations will be 1st with any one of the dead-heating runners; and any 2 of the 3 dead-heating runners.

Where 2 horses dead-heat for 3rd place, the winning combinations will be 1st and 2nd; 1st with either of the dead-heating runners; and 2nd with either of the dead-heating runners.

Where 3 horses dead-heat for 3rd place, the winning combinations will be 1st and 2nd; 1st with any one of the dead-heating runners; and 2nd with any one of the dead-heating runners.

Where 2 horses dead-heat for 1st place and 2 horses dead-heat for 3rd place, the winning combinations will be the two runners which dead-heated for first; and either runner which dead-heated for 1st with either runner which dead-heated for 3rd.

In the case of only 4 or 5 runners:

Where 2 horses dead-heat for 1st place, the winning combination will be those two runners.

Where 3 horses dead-heat for 1st place, the winning combinations will be any 2 of those 3 runners.

Where 2 or more horses dead-heat for 2nd place, the winning combinations will be 1st with any one of the dead-heating runners.

If there is a two-way dead-heat for 1st place, then there will still be only one dividend payable for selecting the first two finishers. If there is a dead-heat for 2nd place or a dead-heat involving 3 or more horses for 1st place, the dividend will be calculated by apportioning the net pool in equal parts for each winning combination.

Here is a comprehensive list showing the proportion of the net pool allocated to each winning combination of the toteswinger in the event of a dead-heat:

In the case of 6 or more runners:

2 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/3
	1st(A) + 3rd	1/3
	1st(B) + 3rd	1/3
3 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/3
	1st(A) + 1st(C)	1/3
	1st(B) + 1st(C)	1/3
2 runners in 1st place, 2 runners in 3rd place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/3
	1st(A) + 3rd(A)	1/6
	1st(A) + 3rd(B)	1/6
	1st(B) + 3rd(A)	1/6
	1st(B) + 3rd(B)	1/6
2 runners in 1st place, 3 runners in 3rd place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/3
	1st(A) + 3rd(A)	1/9
	1st(A) + 3rd(B)	1/9
	1st(A) + 3rd(C)	1/9
	1st(B) + 3rd(A)	1/9
	1st(B) + 3rd(B)	1/9
	1st(B) + 3rd(C)	1/9
2 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A)	1/3
	1st + 2nd(B)	1/3
	2nd(A) + 2nd(B)	1/3
3 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A)	2/9
	1st + 2nd(B)	2/9

	1st + 2nd(C)	2/9
	2nd(A) + 2nd(B)	1/9
	2nd(B) + 2nd(C)	1/9
	2nd(C) + 2nd(A)	1/9
2 runners in 3rd place	1st + 2nd	1/3
	1st + 3rd(A)	1/6
	1st + 3rd(B)	1/6
	2nd + 3rd(A)	1/6
	2nd + 3rd(B)	1/6
3 runners for 3rd place	1st + 2nd	1/3
	1st + 3rd(A)	1/9
	1st + 3rd(B)	1/9
	1st + 3rd(C)	1/9
	2nd + 3rd(A)	1/9
	2nd + 3rd(B)	1/9
	2nd + 3rd(C)	1/9

In the case of only 4 or 5 runners:

2 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/1
3 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/3
	1st(A) + 1st(C)	1/3
	1st(B) + 1st(C)	1/3
2 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A)	1/2
	1st + 2nd(B)	1/2
3 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A)	1/3
	1st + 2nd(B)	1/3
	1st + 2nd(C)	1/3

The part of the net pool allocated to each combination is then divided by the total stakes on that combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then determined in accordance with the calculation of dividends above.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If a combination involving dead-heating horses is not fully backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on that combination, then the net pool assigned to that combination is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that combination which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If a combination involving dead-heating horses is not backed, the net pool assigned to that dead-heating combination which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

In the event of a dead-heat, if money within the toteswinger should be transferred between the winning combinations in order to increase a calculated dividend to a specific minimum threshold, then the funds transferred from any winning combination will be proportioned in the same ratio as the allocation of funds in the event of a dead heat as shown in the table above.

#### Example 11

*Suppose we have a two-way dead heat for 3rd place in a race of 6 or more runners, where:*

*combination '1st + 3rd(A)' is part-backed;*

*all other winning combinations are fully backed;*

*the balance of the net pool not won on the part-backed combination is £500.*

*The £500 needs to be re-distributed amongst the other winning combinations which have been fully backed.*

*From the table above, the proportion of the net pool allocated to each winning combination is:*

<i>1st + 2nd</i>	<i>1/3</i>
<i>1st + 3rd(A)</i>	<i>1/6</i>
<i>1st + 3rd(B)</i>	<i>1/6</i>
<i>2nd + 3rd(A)</i>	<i>1/6</i>
<i>2nd + 3rd(B)</i>	<i>1/6</i>

*So each of the three combinations involved a dead-heating horse which have been fully backed will be allocated half as much as the combination involving the first two horses, i.e. the £500 not won from the combination '1st + 3rd(A)' will be allocated as follows:*

<i>1st + 2nd</i>	<i>£200</i>
<i>1st + 3rd(B)</i>	<i>£100</i>
<i>2nd + 3rd(A)</i>	<i>£100</i>
<i>2nd + 3rd(B)</i>	<i>£100</i>

The minimum dividend payable on a toteswinger bet involving dead-heating horses will be 50 pence.



### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select the winner and the second horse in the correct order. It is Tote's version of the computer straight forecast or CSF.

### **RACES ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The toteexacta pool is operated on all races of 3 or more runners unless otherwise stated.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes and stake units apply. See the point of sale for details.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

25% (The net pool is therefore 75% of the gross pool)

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward form the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total stakes on the winning toteexacta combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake, with the following exceptions:

- (i) If the calculated dividend is less than £1.10, the payable dividend will be £1.10.
- (ii) Notwithstanding (i) above, in the case of a dead heat for either 1st or 2nd if the calculated dividend is 60p or below, the payable dividend will be 60p. (See rule on Dead Heats below.)

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the winning toteexacta combination is part-backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, then the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If the winning toteexacta combination is not backed, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are not accepted in the toteexacta pool.

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders. Bets are void on horses which become non-runners before coming under starter's orders, and the stakes on such non-runners are refundable.

### **VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEEETINGS**

If the race is void or abandoned and is not re-run on the same day, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded, unless otherwise stated. This is irrespective of whether the race is re-scheduled for a later date or not.

### **REDUCED FIELD SIZE**

If the number of runners in any race falls below 3, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.



## **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Fixed bankers are permitted and are limited to one per bet. Some outlets also allow floating bankers, again limited to one per bet.

A fixed banker allows you to combine one horse you are confident will finish in first place with any number of other horses to fill second place.

A floating banker allows you to combine one horse you are confident will finish in either of the first two places with any number of other horses to fill the other place.

Reverse exactas (1st and 2nd in either order) and permutations (two from any number of horses to finish in the first two places) are accepted.

## **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If only 1 horse officially finishes the race, the dividend will be declared on that horse with any other.

If the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

## **DEAD HEATS**

When two or more horses dead-heat for first or second place, the net pool will be divided into as many equal parts as there are winning combinations.

The proportion of the net pool allocated to each winning combination of the toteexacta in the event of a dead-heat is as follows:

2 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/2
	1st(B) + 1st(A)	1/2
2 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A)	1/2
	1st + 2nd(B)	1/2
3 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/6
	1st(A) + 1st(C)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(A)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st (C)	1/6
	1st(C) + 1st(A)	1/6
	1st(C) + 1st(B)	1/6
3 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A)	1/3
	1st + 2nd(B)	1/3
	1st + 2nd(C)	1/3

The part of the net pool allocated to each combination is then divided by the total stakes on that combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then determined in accordance with the calculation of dividends above.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If a combination involving dead-heating horses is not fully backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on that combination, then the net pool assigned to that combination is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that combination which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

### Example 12

*Suppose we have a toteexacta pool where the net fund available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £1,000 and there is a dead-heat for 2nd place between two horses, A and B with the following amounts invested on each winning exacta combination:*

<i>1st + 2nd(A)</i>	<i>£100.00</i>
<i>1st + 2nd(B)</i>	<i>£0.90</i>

*The net pool is divided into 2 equal parts, and £500 is allocated to each of the two winning combinations.*

*The £500 allocated to combination '1st + 2nd(A)' is then divided by the £100 of stakes on that combination, so the calculated dividend for that combination is £5.00.*

*As combination '1st + 2nd(B)' is part-backed, then the £500 allocated to that combination is the calculated dividend.*

*The total amount paid out on combination '1st + 2nd(B)' is only  $(0.9 \times £500) = £450$ , so the remaining £50 which has not been won will be carried forward to a subsequent toteexacta pool.*

*The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so the 25% deduction is added back to the net funds carried forward. Therefore the gross carry-forward in this example is  $£50.00 / (1 - 25\%) = £66.67$ .*

If a combination involving dead-heating horses is not backed, the portion of the pool assigned to that dead-heating combination will be carried forward to another toteexacta pool. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

The minimum dividend payable on a toteexacta involving dead-heating horses will be 60 pence.



### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select the first two finishers in either order.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes and stake units apply. See the point of sale for details.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

25% (The net pool is therefore 75% of the gross pool).

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward form the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total stakes on the winning totequinella combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake, with the following exceptions:

- (i) If the calculated dividend is less than £1.10, the payable dividend will be £1.10.
- (ii) Notwithstanding (i) above, in the case of a dead heat for either 1st or 2nd if the calculated dividend is 60p or below, the payable dividend will be 60p. (See rule on Dead Heats below.)

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the winning totequinella combination is part-backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, then the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If the winning totequinella combination is not backed, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are not accepted in the totequinella pool.

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders. Bets are void on horses which become non-runners before coming under starter's orders, and the stakes on such non-runners are refundable.

### **VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If the race is void or abandoned and is not re-run on the same day, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded, unless otherwise stated. This is irrespective of whether the race is re-scheduled for a later date or not.

### **REDUCED FIELD SIZE**

If the number of runners in any race falls below 3, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Bankers are permitted and are limited to one per bet. A banker allows you to combine one horse you are confident will finish in the first two places with any number of other horses to fill the other first or second place.

Permutations (two from any number of horses to finish in the first two places) are accepted.

### **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If only 1 horse officially finishes the race, the dividend will be declared on that horse with any other.

If the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

### **DEAD HEATS**

In the event of a dead-heat involving 3 or more horses for first place or 2 or more horses for second place, the net pool will be divided into as many equal parts as there are winning combinations which have been backed.

The proportion of the net pool allocated to each winning combination of the totequinella in the event of a dead-heat is as follows:

3 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/3
	1st(A) + 1st(C)	1/3
	1st(B) + 1st(C)	1/3
2 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A)	1/2
	1st + 2nd(B)	1/2
3 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A)	1/3
	1st + 2nd(B)	1/3
	1st + 2nd(C)	1/3

The part of the net pool allocated to each combination is then divided by the total stakes on that combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then determined in accordance with the calculation of dividends above.

Holders of winning tickets are paid in proportion to their stakes.

If a combination involving dead-heating horses is not fully backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on that combination, then the net pool assigned to that combination is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that combination which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

#### Example 13

*Suppose we have a toteQUINELLA pool where the net fund available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £1,000 and there is a dead-heat for 2nd place between two horses, A and B with the following amounts invested on each winning quinella combination:*

<i>1st + 2nd(A)</i>	<i>£100.00</i>
<i>1st + 2nd(B)</i>	<i>£0.90</i>

*The net pool is divided into 2 equal parts, and £500 is allocated to each of the two winning combinations.*

*The £500 allocated to combination '1st + 2nd(A)' is then divided by the £100 of stakes on that combination, so the calculated dividend for that combination is £5.00.*

*As combination '1st + 2nd(B)' is part-backed, then the £500 allocated to that combination is the calculated dividend.*

*The total amount paid out on combination '1st + 2nd(B)' is only  $(0.9 \times £500) = £450$ , so the remaining £50 which has not been won will be carried forward to a subsequent totequinella pool.*

*The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so the 25% deduction is added back to the net funds carried forward. Therefore, the gross carry-forward in this example is  $£50.00 / (1 - 25\%) = £66.67$ .*

If a combination involving dead-heating horses is not backed, the portion of the pool assigned to that dead-heating combination will be carried forward to another totequinella pool. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

The minimum dividend payable on a totequinella involving dead-heating horses will be 60 pence.

### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select the winner, the second and the third horse in the correct order. It is Tote's version of the tricast bet.

### **RACES ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The totetrifecta pool is operated in all UK races with 3 or more declared runners unless otherwise stated.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes and stake units apply. See the point of sale for details.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

25% (The net pool is therefore 75% of the gross pool)

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward form the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total stakes on the winning totetrifecta combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake, with the following exceptions:

- (i) If the calculated dividend is less than £1.10, the payable dividend will be £1.10.
- (ii) Notwithstanding (i) above, in the case of a dead heat for 1st, 2nd or 3rd if the calculated dividend is 60p or below, the payable dividend will be 60p. (See rule on Dead Heats below.)

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the winning totetrifecta combination is part backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, then the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If the winning totetrifecta combination is not backed, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are not accepted in the totetrifecta pool.

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders. Bets are void on horses which become non-runners before coming under starter's orders, and the stakes on such non-runners are refundable.

### **VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEEETINGS**

If the race is void or abandoned and is not re-run on the same day, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded, unless otherwise stated. This is irrespective of whether the race is re-scheduled for a later date or not.

### **REDUCED FIELD SIZE**

If the number of runners in any race falls below 3, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

## **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Fixed bankers are permitted, either one or two per bet. Some outlets also allow floating bankers, again either one or two per bet.

One fixed banker allows you to combine one horse you are confident will finish in first place with any number of other horses to fill the other two place(s). Two fixed bankers allow you to combine the horses you are confident will finish in first and second place with any number of other horses to fill third place.

Floating bankers allow you to combine either one or two horses you are confident will finish in any of the first three places with any number of other horses to fill the other place(s).

'All-ways' trifectas (1st, 2nd and 3rd in any order) and permutations (three from any number of horses to finish in the first three places) are accepted.

## **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If only 2 horses officially finish the race, the dividend will be declared on the first and second in the correct order, with any other runner for third.

If only 1 horse officially finishes the race, the dividend will be declared on that horse with any other runner for second and any other runner for third.

If the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

## **DEAD HEATS**

When two or more horses dead-heat for first, second or third place, the net pool will be divided into as many equal parts as there are winning combinations.

The proportion of the net pool allocated to each winning combination of the tototripecta in the event of a dead-heat is as follows:

2 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd	1/2
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd	1/2
2 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A) + 2nd(B)	1/2
	1st + 2nd(B) + 2nd(A)	1/2
2 runners in 3rd place	1st + 2nd + 3rd(A)	1/2
	1st + 2nd + 3rd(B)	1/2
3 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 1st(C)	1/6
	1st(A) + 1st(C) + 1st(B)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 1st(C)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(C) + 1st(A)	1/6
	1st(C) + 1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/6
	1st(C) + 1st(B) + 1st(A)	1/6
3 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A) + 2nd(B)	1/6
	1st + 2nd(A) + 2nd(C)	1/6
	1st + 2nd(B) + 2nd(A)	1/6
	1st + 2nd(B) + 2nd(C)	1/6
	1st + 2nd(C) + 2nd(A)	1/6
	1st + 2nd(C) + 2nd(B)	1/6
3 runners in 3rd place	1st + 2nd + 3rd(A)	1/3
	1st + 2nd + 3rd(B)	1/3
	1st + 2nd + 3rd(C)	1/3
2 runners in 1st place, 2 runners in 3rd place	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd(A)	1/4
	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd(B)	1/4
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd(A)	1/4
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd(B)	1/4
2 runners in 1st place, 3 runners in 3rd place	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd(A)	1/6
	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd(B)	1/6
	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd(C)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd(A)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd(B)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd(C)	1/6

The part of the net pool allocated to each combination is then divided by the total stakes on that combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then determined in accordance with the calculation of dividends above.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If a combination involving dead-heating horses is not fully backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on that combination, then the net pool assigned to that combination is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that combination which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

Example 14

*Suppose we have a totetrifecta pool where the net fund available for distribution after the deduction has been removed is £1,000 and there is a dead-heat for 1st place between two horses, A and B with the following amounts invested on each winning trifecta combination:*

<i>1st(A) + 2nd + 3rd</i>	<i>£100.00</i>
<i>1st(B) + 2nd + 3rd</i>	<i>£0.90</i>

*The net pool is divided into 2 equal parts, and £500 is allocated to each of the two winning combinations.*

*The £500 allocated to combination '1st(A) + 2nd + 3rd' is then divided by the £100 of stakes on that combination, so the calculated dividend for that combination is £5.00.*

*As combination '1st(B) + 2nd + 3rd' is part-backed, then the £500 allocated to that combination is the calculated dividend.*

*The total amount paid out on combination '1st(B) + 2nd + 3rd' is only  $(0.9 \times £500) = £450$ , so the remaining £50 which has not been won will be carried forward to a subsequent totetrifecta pool.*

*The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so the 25% deduction is added back to the net funds carried forward. Therefore the gross carry-forward in this example is  $£50.00 / (1 - 25\%) = £66.67$ .*

If a combination involving dead-heating horses is not backed, the portion of the pool assigned to that dead-heating combination will be carried forward to another totetrifecta pool. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

The minimum dividend payable on a totetrifecta involving dead-heating horses will be 60 pence.

The logo for 'totedouble' features the word 'totedouble' in a white, lowercase, sans-serif font on a red background. A white plus sign is positioned to the right of the text.

### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select the winning horse in each of 2 specific races at the same meeting as nominated by Tote.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes apply. See the point of sale for details.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

20% (The net pool is therefore 80% of the gross pool)

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward form the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total winning stakes to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake. In any event, the minimum totedouble dividend will be £1.10.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the pool is not fully won, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, then the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another totedouble as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If there are no winning tickets in the pool, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another totedouble as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are accepted and are represented by the starting price favourite (see rule on non-runners below).

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders.

Non-runner selections are not void but are replaced by the starting price favourite.

When there are joint or co-favourites, the horse with the lowest racecard number will be taken. Should the favourite be withdrawn before coming under starter's orders but too late for the SP market to be re-formed, the horse with the shortest returned starting price will be used, but should there be two or more runners at the shortest starting price, the one with the lowest racecard number will be taken. If there are no starting prices returned, the first runner quoted in the Racing Post betting forecast will be substituted. If there is no betting forecast and hence no substitute horse can be determined in accordance with any specific rules then the runner with the highest number of totewin pool units in the relevant race will be substituted. If two or more runners have an equal number of totewin pool units then the one with the lowest racecard number will substitute. If no totewin pool is operated then the lowest racecard number will substitute.

### **WALKOVERS/VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If either leg of the totedouble is a walkover, or is void, or is abandoned, or there is no official result declared for any reason, and is not re-run on the same day, then the pool will be settled on the remaining leg, i.e. every selection in that leg is deemed to have been successful, provided the other leg of the bet takes place.

If neither of the legs of the totedouble takes place, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

Provided at least one leg takes place, a dividend will be declared, subject to Tote rules.



**MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Permutations are permitted. To calculate the number of permutations, customers should multiply together the number of selections in each leg.

**INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If in either leg the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be settled on the remaining leg, i.e. every selection is deemed to have been successful.

**DEAD HEATS**

In the event of a dead-heat for first place in either leg of the bet, all such dead-heating horses are considered to be full winners in that race.

The logo for totetrebles features the brand name in a white, lowercase, sans-serif font on a red background. A white cross symbol is positioned to the right of the text.

### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select the winning horse in each of 3 specific races at the same meeting as nominated by Tote.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes apply. See the point of sale for details.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

20% (The net pool is therefore 80% of the gross pool)

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward form the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total winning stakes to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake. In any event, the minimum totetrebles dividend will be £1.10.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the pool is not fully won, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, then the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another totetrebles as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If there are no winning tickets in the pool, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another totetrebles as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are accepted and are represented by the starting price favourite (see rule on non-runners below).

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders.

Non-runner selections are not void but are replaced by the starting price favourite.

When there are joint or co-favourites, the horse with the lowest racecard number will be taken. Should the favourite be withdrawn before coming under starter's orders but too late for the SP market to be re-formed, the horse with the shortest returned starting price will be used, but should there be two or more runners at the shortest starting price, the one with the lowest racecard number will be taken. If there are no starting prices returned, the first runner quoted in the Racing Post betting forecast will be substituted. If there is no betting forecast and hence no substitute horse can be determined in accordance with any specific rules then the runner with the highest number of totewin pool units in the relevant race will be substituted. If two or more runners have an equal number of totewin pool units then the one with the lowest racecard number will substitute. If no totewin pool is operated then the lowest racecard number will substitute.

### **WALKOVERS/VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If any leg of the totetrebles is a walkover, or is void, or is abandoned, or there is no official result declared for any reason, and is not re-run on the same day, then the pool will be settled on the remaining legs, i.e. every selection in that leg is deemed to have been successful, provided at least one leg of the bet takes place.

If none of the legs of the totetrebles takes place, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

Provided at least one leg takes place, a dividend will be declared, subject to Tote rules.

### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Permutations are permitted. To calculate the number of permutations, customers should multiply together the number of selections in each leg.

### **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If in any leg the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be settled on the remaining legs, i.e. every selection is deemed to have been successful.

### **DEAD HEATS**

In the event of a dead-heat for first place in any leg of the bet, all such dead-heating horses are considered to be full winners in that race.



### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select a horse to be placed in each of the nominated races. The standard Tote Placepot will typically involve the first six races of each meeting and the Tote Placepot 7 and ITV7 Placepot will involve selected races across various meetings each day.

The finishing positions which constitute a place in any leg, unless otherwise stated, are as follows:

2 - 4 runners	1st
5 - 7 runners	1st & 2nd
8 - 15 runners	1st, 2nd & 3rd
Non-handicap of 16 or more runners	1st, 2nd & 3rd
Handicap of 16 or more runners	1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th

### **MEETINGS ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The standard Tote Placepot on the first six races at a meeting is operated on all British meetings and selected overseas meetings unless otherwise stated.

Cross-meeting Placepots may also be made available. These Placepots follow the same rules as the standard Placepot, but the races may be selected from more than one race meeting, and the number of legs in the bet may exceed 6.

When a Placepot has more than six legs, as is the case with the Placepot 7 and ITV7 Placepot, to win the bet the player must select a placed horse in every leg.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes and stake units apply. See the point of sale for details.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

27% (The net pool is therefore 73% of the gross pool)

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward form the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total winning stakes to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake. In any event, the minimum toteplacepot dividend will be £1.10.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the pool is not fully won, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another toteplacepot as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If there are no winning tickets in the pool, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another toteplacepot as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are accepted and are represented by the starting price favourite. (See rule on non-runners below.)

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders.

Non-runner selections are not void but are replaced by the starting price favourite.

When there are joint or co-favourites, the horse with the lowest racecard number will be taken. Should the favourite be withdrawn before coming under starter's orders but too late for the SP market to be re-formed, the horse with the shortest returned starting price will be used, but should there be two or more runners at the shortest starting price, the one with the lowest racecard number will be taken. If there are no starting prices returned, the first runner quoted in the Racing Post betting forecast will be substituted. If there is no betting forecast and hence no substitute horse can be determined in accordance with any specific rules then the runner with the highest number of totewin pool units in the relevant race will be substituted. If two or more runners have an equal number of totewin pool units then the one with the lowest racecard number will substitute. If no totewin pool is operated then the lowest racecard number will substitute.

For Placepot pools hosted by the Tote comprising of International races, please refer to the table below for the different selection criteria of the substitute for a non-runner.

<b><u>Country</u></b>	<b><u>Primary method of selecting a substitute for a non runner</u></b>	<b><u>Joint or co favourites</u></b>
UK	Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
Ireland	Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
Hong Kong	Hong Kong Jockey Club Tote Win pool favourite	Lowest racecard number
Sweden	ATG Sweden Tote Win pool favourite	Lowest racecard number
France	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
South Africa	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
UAE	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
USA	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
Bahrain	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number

#### **WALKOVERS/VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If any leg of the toteplacepot is a walkover, or is void, or is abandoned, or there is no official result declared for any reason, and is not re-run on the same day, then the pool will be settled on the remaining legs, i.e. every selection in that leg is deemed to have been successful, provided at least one leg of the bet takes place.

If none of the legs of the toteplacepot take place, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

Provided at least one leg takes place, a dividend will be declared, subject to Tote rules.

#### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Permutations are permitted. To calculate the number of permutations, customers should multiply together the number of selections in each leg.

#### **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If in any leg the official number of finishers is fewer than the number of standard places, only the runners which finish will be deemed to have been placed.

If in any leg the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be settled on the remaining legs, i.e. every selection is deemed to have been successful.

#### **DEAD HEATS**

In the event of a dead-heat for any position which constitutes a place in any leg of the bet, all such dead-heating horses are considered to be fully-placed in that race.



**AIM OF THE BET**

To select the winning horse in each of six races across one or more meetings as nominated by Tote. One totejackpot pool will operate each day, unless otherwise stated.

**PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes apply. See the point of sale for details.

**POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

29% (The net pool is therefore 71% of the gross pool)

**CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward form the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total winning stakes to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake. In any event, the minimum totewin dividend will be £1.10.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the pool is not fully won, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, then the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to the next totejackpot pool. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within the next totejackpot pool.

If there are no winning tickets in the pool, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to the next totejackpot pool.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

**FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are accepted and are represented by the starting price favourite. (See rule on non-runners below.)

**NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders.

Non-runner selections are not void but are replaced by the starting price favourite.

When there are joint or co-favourites, the horse with the lowest racecard number will be taken. Should the favourite be withdrawn before coming under starter's orders but too late for the SP market to be re-formed, the horse with the shortest returned starting price will be used, but should there be two or more runners at the shortest starting price, the one with the lowest racecard number will be taken. If there are no starting prices returned, the first runner quoted in the Racing Post betting forecast will be substituted. If there is no betting forecast and hence no substitute horse can be determined in accordance with any specific rules then the runner with the highest number of totewin pool units in the relevant race will be substituted. If two or more runners have an equal number of totewin pool units then the one with the lowest racecard number will substitute. If no totewin pool is operated then the lowest racecard number will substitute.

For Jackpot pools hosted by the Tote comprising of International races, please refer to the table below for the different selection criteria of the substitute for a non-runner.

<b><u>Country</u></b>	<b><u>Primary method of selecting a substitute for a non runner</u></b>	<b><u>Joint or co favourites</u></b>
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France	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
South Africa	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
UAE	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
USA	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
Bahrain	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number

### **WALKOVERS/VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If any leg of the totejackpot is a walkover, or is void, or is abandoned, or there is no official result declared for any reason, and is not re-run on the same day, then the pool will be settled on the remaining legs, i.e. every selection in that leg is deemed to have been successful, provided at least one leg of the bet takes place.

If none of the legs of the totejackpot take place, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

Provided at least one leg takes place, a dividend will be declared, subject to Tote rules.

### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Permutations are permitted. To calculate the number of permutations, customers should multiply together the number of selections in each leg.

### **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If in any leg the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be settled on the remaining legs, i.e. every selection is deemed to have been successful.

### **DEAD HEATS**

Dead heats for first place count as equal winners in the totejackpot pool.



### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select a horse to be placed in each of races 3 to 6 at a meeting, unless otherwise stated.

The finishing positions which constitute a place in any leg, unless otherwise stated, are as follows:

2 - 4 runners	1st
5 - 7 runners	1st & 2nd
8 - 15 runners	1st, 2nd & 3rd
Non-handicap of 16 or more runners	1st, 2nd & 3rd
Handicap of 16 or more runners	1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th

### **MEETINGS ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The totequadpot is operated on all British meetings and selected overseas meetings unless otherwise stated.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum permitted stakes and stake units apply. See the point of sale for details..

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

26% (The net pool is therefore 74% of the gross pool)

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward from the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total winning stakes to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake. In any event, the minimum totewin dividend will be £1.10.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the pool is not fully won, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, then the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another totequadpot as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If there are no winning tickets in the pool, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another totequadpot as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are accepted and are represented by the starting price favourite. (See rule on non-runners below.)

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders.

Non-runner selections are not void but are replaced by the starting price favourite.

When there are joint or co-favourites, the horse with the lowest racecard number will be taken. Should the favourite be withdrawn before coming under starter's orders but too late for the SP market to be re-formed, the horse with the shortest returned starting price will be used, but should there be two or more runners at the shortest starting price, the one with the lowest racecard number will be taken. If there are no starting prices returned, the first runner quoted in the Racing Post betting forecast will be substituted. If there is no betting forecast and hence no substitute horse can be determined in accordance with any specific rules then the runner with the highest number of totewin pool units in the relevant race will be substituted.



If two or more runners have an equal number of totewin pool units then the one with the lowest racecard number will substitute. If no totewin pool is operated then the lowest racecard number will substitute.

For Quadpot pools hosted by the Tote comprising of International races, please refer to the table below for the different selection criteria of the substitute for a non-runner.

<u>Country</u>	<u>Primary method of selecting a substitute for a non runner</u>	<u>Joint or co favourites</u>
UK	Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
Ireland	Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
Hong Kong	Hong Kong Jockey Club Tote Win pool favourite	Lowest racecard number
Sweden	ATG Sweden Tote Win pool favourite	Lowest racecard number
France	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
South Africa	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
UAE	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
USA	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
Bahrain	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number

### **WALKOVERS/VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If any leg of the totequadpot is a walkover, or is void, or is abandoned, or there is no official result declared for any reason, and is not re-run on the same day, then the pool will be settled on the remaining legs, i.e. every selection in that leg is deemed to have been successful, provided at least one leg of the bet takes place.

If none of the legs of the totequadpot take place, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

Provided at least one leg takes place, a dividend will be declared, subject to Tote rules.

### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Permutations are permitted. To calculate the number of permutations, customers should multiply together the number of selections in each leg.

### **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If in any leg the official number of finishers is fewer than the number of standard places, only the runners which finish will be deemed to have been placed.

If in any leg the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be settled on the remaining legs, i.e. every selection is deemed to have been successful.

### **DEAD HEATS**

In the event of a dead-heat for any position which constitutes a place in any leg of the bet, all such dead-heating horses are considered to be fully-placed in that race.

### **AIM OF THE BET**

- (i) To select the winning horse in each of 6 specific races nominated by Tote in order to qualify for a dividend from the totescoop6 win fund.
- (ii) To select a horse to be placed in each of the same 6 races in order to qualify for a dividend from the totescoop6 place fund.
- (iii) Winners of the totescoop6 win fund who have correctly selected the winning horse in all 6 legs of the totescoop6, to select the winner of the bonus race on a later day nominated by Tote in order to qualify for a dividend from the totescoop6 bonus fund.

With regard to the totescoop6 place fund, the finishing positions which constitute a place in any leg, unless otherwise stated, are as follows:

2 - 4 runners	1st
5 - 7 runners	1st & 2nd
8 - 15 runners	1st, 2nd & 3rd
Non-handicap of 16 or more runners	1st, 2nd & 3rd
Handicap of 16 or more runners	1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th

### **RACES ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The totescoop6 operates every Saturday and occasionally on other selected days as indicated in the national and sporting press.

Any funds carried forward are rolled over to the next totescoop6 pool within the same respective totescoop6 sequence. This is usually 7 days later unless indicated otherwise in the national and sporting press.

### **BET STAKES**

#### GBP

Minimum unit stake = £2, Minimum total stake = £2. Permutation bets in units of £2 are accepted.

The core Scoop6 unit is based on this 2GBP stake ("core unit").

#### Other currencies

Other currencies can be used to play the Scoop6, but all the dividends are calculated based on the total value of the pools divided by the total value of successful units where each core unit has a value of 2GBP. Currency conversions will result in partial unit values in this calculation.

#### Euros

Minimum unit stake = €2. Minimum total stake = €2. Permutation bets in units of €2 are accepted.

#### Example

Euro:GBP exchange rate = 1.25:1

One €2.00 Scoop6 ticket = 0.8 core units

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum unit stake = £2, Minimum total stake = £2.

Permutation bets in units of £2 are accepted.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

30% (The net pool is therefore 70% of the gross pool)

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The totescoop6 pool will be allocated to four different funds: totescoop6 win fund, totescoop6 place fund, totescoop6 bonus fund, and totescoop6 starting fund, in the ratio 14 : 7 : 5 : 2 respectively.

The totescoop6 win fund, totescoop6 place fund, and the totescoop6 bonus fund are prize funds. The totescoop6 starting fund is held in reserve to be added to the totescoop6 win fund at a later time. A more detailed explanation of how the totescoop6 starting fund operates can be found below.

The total of the money invested plus any money brought forward into any fund will form the gross fund, unless one or more legs are abandoned or declared void (see rule below).

If any fund is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount shall form the fund unless the total of the money invested plus any money brought forward in that fund is greater than the guarantee.

Each net prize fund is divided by the total number of winning units in that fund to obtain a calculated dividend. All non-GBP foreign currency entries are converted into core units based on the current prevailing exchange rate at the commencement of the pool as denoted at [www.xe.com](http://www.xe.com) versus the GBP ticket price.

The calculated dividend is rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to the stake unit. In any event, the minimum totescoop6 dividend will be £1.10.

Only one dividend is declared for each prize fund.

If there is no outright winner of the totescoop6 win fund or the totescoop6 place fund, the respective portion of the gross pool will be rolled over to the next totescoop6 win fund within that same sequence of totescoop6 pools.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are accepted and are represented by the starting price favourite. (See rule on non-runners below.)

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on horses which do not compete after coming under starter's orders.

Non-runner selections are not void but are replaced by the starting price favourite.

When there are joint or co-favourites, the horse with the lowest racecard number will be taken. Should the favourite be withdrawn before coming under starter's orders but too late for the SP market to be re-formed, the horse with the shortest returned starting price will be used, but should there be two or more runners at the shortest starting price, the one with the lowest racecard number will be taken. If there are no starting prices returned, the first runner quoted in the Racing Post betting forecast will be substituted. If there is no betting forecast and hence no substitute horse can be determined in accordance with any specific rules then the runner with the highest number of totewin pool units in the relevant race will be substituted. If two or more runners have an equal number of totewin pool units then the one with the lowest racecard number will substitute. If no totewin pool is operated then the lowest racecard number will substitute.

For Scoop6 pools hosted by the Tote comprising of International races, please refer to the table below for the different selection criteria of the substitute for a non-runner.

<b><u>Country</u></b>	<b><u>Primary method of selecting a substitute for a non runner</u></b>	<b><u>Joint or co favourites</u></b>
UK	Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
Ireland	Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
Hong Kong	Hong Kong Jockey Club Tote Win pool favourite	Lowest racecard number
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UAE	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
USA	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number
Bahrain	Press Association Starting Price favourite	Lowest racecard number

### **WALKOVERS/VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If any leg of the totescoop6 is a walkover, or is void, or is abandoned, or there is no official result declared for any reason, and is not re-run on the same day, then the totescoop6 win fund and the totescoop6 place fund will be settled on the remaining legs, i.e. every selection in that leg is deemed to have been successful in both the totescoop6 win fund and the totescoop6 place fund, provided at least one leg of the bet takes place.

If the totescoop6 bonus race is void, or is abandoned, or there is no result declared for any reason, and is not re-run on the same day, then all registered qualifiers will be entitled to make a selection in an alternative bonus race to be nominated by Tote.

If the totescoop6 bonus race is reduced to a walkover, then the race is considered to have taken place for the purposes of all funds of the totescoop6, and all tickets in the totescoop6 bonus fund will be deemed to have been successful.

If none of the legs of the totescoop6 take place, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

Provided at least one leg takes place, a dividend will be declared for the totescoop6 win fund and the totescoop6 place fund, in accordance with these rules.

If one or more legs are abandoned or declared void, whether before or after the first leg has begun, the funds will solely be comprised of money invested on that day's totescoop6 pool. Any stakes brought forward to the totescoop6 win fund from a previous totescoop6 win fund or totescoop6 place fund, or any stakes brought forward to the totescoop6 win fund from the totescoop6 starting fund, will roll directly into the totescoop6 win fund of the next such pool in which all six legs take place. In addition, winners of the totescoop6 win fund will not be eligible to go for the bonus fund. The day's stakes which would otherwise have been allocated to the bonus fund will be re-distributed between the totescoop6 win fund and the totescoop6 place fund in the appropriate ratio shown above. This excludes stakes brought forward in rollovers from the previous totescoop6 bonus fund within the sequence, which will rollover directly to the next totescoop6 bonus fund within the sequence.

### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Permutations are permitted. To calculate the number of permutations, customers should multiply together the number of selections in each leg.

### **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If in any leg the official number of finishers is fewer than the number of standard places, only the runners which finish will be deemed to have been placed for the purposes of the totescoop6 place fund.

If in any leg the official result is there are no finishers, the win fund and place fund will be settled on the remaining legs, i.e. every selection in that leg is deemed to have been successful.

If in the bonus race the official result is that there are no finishers, all registered qualifiers will be entitled to make a selection in an alternative bonus race to be nominated by Tote.

### **DEAD HEATS**

With regard to the totescoop6 win fund, in the event of a dead-heat for first place in any leg of the bet, all such dead-heating horses are considered to be full winners in that race.

With regard to the totescoop6 place fund, in the event of a dead-heat for any position which constitutes a place in any leg of the bet, all such dead-heating horses are considered to be fully placed in that race.

With regard to the totescoop6 bonus fund, in the event of a dead-heat for first place, the bonus fund will be divided into as many equal parts as there are dead-heating runners. The part of the fund allocated to each dead-heating horse is divided by the total number of tickets on that runner to obtain a calculated dividend for each dead-heating horse. If a dead-heating horse is not covered by any tickets, then the proportion of the bonus fund allocated to that dead-heating horse will be carried forward.

### **TOTESCOOP6 STARTING FUND**

In any totescoop6 pool, 5% of the amount invested will be allocated to the totescoop6 starting fund. These funds will be held in reserve until after the totescoop6 win fund is next won where all six legs have taken place. At this point, the entire amount held in the totescoop6 starting fund will be carried forward to the next totescoop6 win fund where all six legs take place, in order to boost the size of that fund.

### **TOTESCOOP6 BONUS FUND**

Totescoop6 win fund winners who have correctly selected each of the winners of the six totescoop6 legs will qualify to register to compete in the totescoop6 bonus fund. Claimants must call the totescoop6 bonus race hotline on 0800 028 4418 (or such other number as announced by Tote in the national and sporting press) with their winning receipt, to register as bonus race qualifiers. Claimants should also state if they have more than one winning line as they will be entitled to one entry per winning line. Claimants may register on any day prior to the bonus race, but the deadline for registration is 1 hour before the publicised 'off-time' of the nominated bonus race. Failure to register will mean the claimant will not be eligible to compete for the totescoop6 bonus fund.

The nominated bonus race will be announced the day before the bonus race is scheduled to take place. Registered qualifiers must call the bonus race hotline on the day of the bonus race anytime from 9am up to one hour before the bonus race publicised 'off-time'. It is the registered qualifier's responsibility to register their selection (or selections if they have more than one winning line). Should no selection be received within one hour of the publicised 'off-time' of the bonus race, registered qualifiers will be allocated the starting price favourite in accordance with these rules.

Claimants may register as a bonus race qualifier and state their selection(s) in the bonus race at the same time provided this is done no later than 1 hour before the bonus race publicised 'off-time'.

Tote may contact qualifiers for the totescoop6 bonus fund to request their participation in media publicity, although agreement to participate is entirely at the customer's discretion.

Totescoop6 win fund winners will only qualify for a chance to win the totescoop6 bonus if all six legs of the totescoop6 have taken place. For the purposes of this rule, walkovers are considered to have taken place; any race which is ran but subsequently voided is considered not to have taken place.

If there are no qualifiers for the totescoop6 bonus fund, the fund will be rolled over to the next bonus race within the sequence as decided by Tote.

If no one selects the winner of the bonus race, the totescoop6 bonus fund will be rolled over to the next bonus race within the sequence as decided by Tote.

In the event of the nominated bonus race being void or abandoned and not re-run on the same day, Tote reserves the right to nominate any future race on any day as the bonus race. All registered qualifiers will be entitled to make a new selection.

Should a bonus race selection be a non-runner, registered qualifiers will have the option to make a new selection on condition that no new selection can be made within 30 minutes of the publicised 'off-time' of the bonus race. Should no new selections be received or should a selection become a non-runner within 30 minutes of the publicised 'off-time' of the bonus race, registered qualifiers nominating the non-runner will be allocated the starting price favourite in accordance with these rules.

Payment will be made on the official result on the day, once the weighed-in has been announced.

The Bonus fund dividend will be decided by dividing the Tote Scoop6 bonus fund, by the total value of successful core units.

#### Example

If one £2.00 and one €2.00 are successful where the exchange rate EUR:GBP = 1.25:1 and the Tote Scoop6 bonus fund is 180,000GBP:

£2.00 = 1 core unit

€2.00 = 0.8 core unit

Total = 1.8 core unit

Dividend calculation =  $180,000 / 1.8 = 100,000$

£2.00 holder receives £100,000

€2.00 holder receives €100,000

#### Partial rollovers when won by less than 1.00 core unit

If less than one full core unit is successful in any Scoop6 pool, the dividend will be declared as the same value as if one whole core unit was successful, with the un-won remainder of the pool bonus fund carried forward to the relevant fund in the next Tote Scoop6 sequence.

#### Example

If just one €2.00 were successful and the exchange rate EUR:GBP = 1.25:1, the dividend would be declared as though a full core unit had won.

If the Tote Scoop6 bonus fund was 180,000GBP

Dividend calculation =  $180,000 / 1 = 180,000$

€2.00 holder receives €180,000

€180,000 = £144,000

£36,000 partial rollover is carried forward to the corresponding pool in the next Tote Scoop6 sequence.

### **GUARANTEES**

Where Tote offers a guarantee in the totescoop6 win fund, then such guarantee shall not apply where one or more of the 6 legs are abandoned, void, or no result is returned for any reason, and is not re-run on the same day.

Where the totescoop6 win fund is guaranteed, Tote reserves the right at its reasonable discretion to withdraw such a guarantee should any technical circumstances arise beyond Tote's control which materially affect the total amount invested into the pool.

Where the totescoop6 win fund is guaranteed, Tote reserves the right to withdraw such a guarantee where any leg falls below 6 runners.

### **SPECIAL POOLS OPERATED**

From time to time Tote may operate standalone totescoop6 pools with separate rollover arrangements. These may be subject to some rule variations. Terms will be advertised in the national and/or sporting press and/or tote.co.uk.

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## **APPENDIX 1: WORLD POOLS**

### **2024 UK World Pool dates**

Saturday 4 <sup>th</sup> May	Newmarket
Sunday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	Newmarket (partial card only)
Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> May	Newbury (partial card only)
Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> June	Epsom
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June - Saturday 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	Royal Ascot
Saturday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	Sandown Park (partial card only)
Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup> July	Ascot
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup> July - Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> August	Goodwood
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> August - Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> August	York
Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> October	Newmarket (partial card only)
Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	Ascot

### **2024 International World Pool dates**

Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup> January	Kenilworth (South Africa)
Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> February	Riyadh (Saudi Arabia)
Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Meydan (United Arab Emirates)
Saturday 6 <sup>th</sup> April	Turffontein (South Africa)
Sunday 26 <sup>th</sup> May	Curragh (Ireland - partial card only)
Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> June	Greyville (South Africa)
Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> June	Curragh (Ireland)
Saturday 6 <sup>th</sup> July	Greyville (South Africa)
Sunday 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Hamburg (Germany)
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> July	Greyville (South Africa)
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> July	Munich (Germany)
Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> August	Dusseldorf (Germany)
Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> August	Hoppegarten (Germany)
Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup> September	Leopardstown (Ireland)

### **Overview**

During selected meetings of the UK Flat racing season the Tote, in partnership with the Hong Kong Jockey Club and the racecourse hosting the event, might decide to offer World Pools on single race events and limited multi-leg events.

The Tote might also decide to commingle into World Pool events hosted by the Hong Kong Jockey Club at selected meetings across various international jurisdictions, as listed in the calendar above.

In all such circumstances, pool bets will be notionally commingled with pools operated by the Hong Kong Jockey Club and will be subject to the Hong Kong Jockey Club betting rules.

Tote will continue to operate local pools at the UK racecourses involved, other than those nominated as a 'World Pool' and commingled.

Similarly, in the case of an International World Pool event, the Tote might commingle into pools operated by the local operator on races outside the World Pool schedule.

The following is a list of products that will be available as a World Pool:

Tote Win  
Tote Place  
Tote Swinger  
Tote Quinella  
Tote Exacta  
Tote Trifecta  
Tote Treble

### **Place Terms**

World Pool place terms are as follows

1 - 4 declared runners	No Place pool.	
5 or 6 declared runners	1 <sup>st</sup> or 2 <sup>nd</sup> .	Void if less than 4 actual runners
7 – 20 declared runners	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> or 3 <sup>rd</sup> .	3 places remain for 5 or 6 actual runners. Void if less than 5 actual runners.
21 – 34 declared runners	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> or 4 <sup>th</sup>	4 places remain for 20 or less actual runners.

## **Place Terms Differences**

World Pool place terms are the same as UK rules with the exception of the following:

- A race with 7 – 20 declared runners will pay out 3 places regardless of whether it is a handicap or not.
- A race with 21 or more declared runners will pay out 4 places regardless of whether it is a handicap or not.
- If a field size drops from 5 or 6 declared runners to 4 actual runners, then 2 Place Dividends will still be paid.
- If a field size drops from 7 or more declared runners to 5 or 6 actual runners, then 3 Place Dividends will still be paid.
- If a field size drops from 7 or more declared runners to 4 actual runners, then the Place pool will be void and all bets will be refunded.
- If a field size drops from 5 or 6 declared runners to 3 actual runners, then the Place pool will be void and all bets will be refunded.
- If a field size drops below 21 declared runners, then 4 Place dividends will still be paid.

## **Deduction Rates**

Deduction rates for all races during a World Pools meeting will be the same as normal UK meetings, except for the following:

Win	17.5%	(So the net pool is 82.5% of the gross pool)
Place	17.5%	(So the net pool is 82.5% of the gross pool)
Swinger	17.5%	(So the net pool is 82.5% of the gross pool)
Quinella	17.5%	(So the net pool is 82.5% of the gross pool)
Exacta	19.5%	(So the net pool is 80.5% of the gross pool)
Trifecta	25.0%	(So the net pool is 75.0% of the gross pool)
Treble	25.0%	(So the net pool is 75.0% of the gross pool)

## **Dividend rounding**

World Pool dividends are rounded to the nearest 5p except in the case of Exacta, Trifecta and Treble, which are rounded to the nearest 10p, based on the official HKD/GBP conversion rate.

## **Minimum dividends**

World Pool minimum dividends are £1.05 on Win, Swinger and Quinella pools; £1.01 on Place pools; £1.10 on Exacta, Trifecta and Treble pools.

These minimum dividends also apply in the event of a dead heat.

## **Dead-heats**

With regards to the World Pool Swinger pools, in the event of a dead-heat for third place, bets comprising of those dead-heat runners are winners.

## **Insufficient Starters**

In respect of any World pool where, as a result of withdrawals either before or during a betting period, an insufficient number of starters is left in the field as detailed below, the pool will be closed and all bets will be refunded.

<u>Pool</u>	<u>Insufficient Starters</u>
Win	less than 2 Starters
Place	(4 Dividends) less than 6 Starters (3 Dividends) less than 5 Starters (2 Dividends) less than 4 Starters
Swinger	less than 7 Starters
Quinella	less than 3 Starters
Exacta	less than 4 starters
Trifecta	less than 4 starters
Treble	less than 2 starters in all legs

### **Treble terms and Consolation prizes**

With regards to the World Pool Treble pools, 85% of the net pool will be allocated to the payment of dividends on the winning combination, while 15% of the net pool will constitute a consolation fund.

Bets qualifying for the main fund dividend will not qualify for the consolation fund dividend.

The "consolation combination" will consist of a winner in the first two legs and a 2<sup>nd</sup> placed in the third leg of a Treble.

If the conditions for the payment of a consolation prize are not met, the net pool will be entirely allocated to the main fund.

No Dividend for the "consolation combination" will be paid if a dead-heat occurs for the winner in the third leg of a Treble.

No Dividend for the "consolation combination" will be paid in the case of unbacked winners, with the main dividend being paid on the following criteria:

- Winners in the first and second Legs and 2<sup>nd</sup> placed in the third leg, or if unbacked
- Winners in the first and second Legs and 3<sup>rd</sup> placed in the third leg, or if unbacked
- Winners in the first and second Legs and ignore the third leg, or if also unbacked
- Refund all Bets.

If the winners of the first or second leg are unbacked, all bets will be refunded.

If a selection in a Treble bet becomes a non-runner it will be substituted by the most backed horse in the Win pool relative to that race (the Tote Favourite). Should there be two or more runners with an equal invested amount in the Win Pool, the one with the lowest racecard number will be the Tote Favourite.

### **Merged Pools**

#### Overview

During World Pool meetings Exacta pools hosted by the Hong Kong Jockey Club will be offered as a merged pool with another product, Trio. As a consequence, total pools displayed on such races will include combined investments of both Exacta and Trio bets.

The Trio bet is not available at any UK Tote points of sale.

Exacta bets require customers to pick the winner and second placed horse in a race in the correct order.

Trio bets require customers to pick the horses finishing in the first three places, irrespective of their order.

In order to accommodate two products which involve different outcomes, each bet's stakes are disaggregated proportionally to cover all the logical scenarios that could take place in a race, and both Exacta and Trio investments will be allocated to the same scenario grid in such manner.

For example, in a five runner race an Exacta bet stake on selections 1-2 would be split to be allocated to the 12345, 12354, 12435, 12453, 12534 and 12543 possible scenarios: in other words, that bet would cover six of the possible one hundred and twenty scenarios in the race.

In that same five runner race, a Trio bet on selections 1-2-3 would be split to be allocated into twelve of the possible one hundred and twenty scenarios in the race. That means that part of the stakes would be adding up to the same scenarios involved in the Exacta bet example (12345 and 12354), because the grid is shared and therefore influenced by both products.

Once the race is finished, both Exacta and Trio dividends will be calculated by reaggregating proportionally all the qualifying winning scenarios to obtain an averaged pay-out.

As a consequence of the above Trio bets placed into the merged pool will affect the pay out on winning Exacta bets placed into the merged pool and vice versa.

#### Dividend Calculation

In respect of Merged Pools, for the purpose of calculating the dividend to be paid out:

- a) bet shall, upon placement, be divided and invested proportionately to each possible permutation involving the relevant horse or horses of the bet in the race(s) as recognised by the Hong Kong Jockey Club based on the ratio of the total money staked on each such possible permutation against the total money staked on all such possible permutations at the time such a bet is placed;
- b) the ratio and corresponding investment referred to in (a) above shall, after the preliminary calculation upon placement, be adjusted so that the total dividend entitlement from each possible permutation of the bet involving the relevant horse or horses in the race(s) as recognised by the Hong Kong Jockey Club (if such permutation becomes a "winning combination") shall be the same;
- c) the final calculation shall take into account the change upon the respective ratio and total stake money on each possible permutation impacted by the bet and subsequent bets; and
- d) for each unit bet, the dividend shall be calculated by dividing the total dividend entitlement under the permutation which has become the "winning combination" by the number of unit bets on that "winning combination".



In respect of Merged Pools, for the purpose of calculating dividends in respect where betting information received from overseas entities which are licensed by the Hong Kong Jockey Club to accept bets on races and bet types designated by the Hong Kong Jockey Club shall be included, the number of unit bets on the "winning combination" shall include those unit bets on the "winning combination" received and accepted by such entities corresponding to the information transmitted to and not restricted and/or declined or excluded by the Hong Kong Jockey Club.

#### **Technical process for failure to commingle into World Pools**

In the event that pool totals accepted by the UK Tote cannot be commingled into World Pools at race off, or that World Pools are not in operation, then the UK Tote reserves the right to declare dividends for the affected race based on these pool totals, with the exception of Tote Treble. A pool total may not be commingled into a world pool due to technical problems, or if final pool totals and collations are not received by the host.

Tote will use UK betting rules to calculate dividends for all non-World Pools at a World Pool meeting with the exception of:

- (i) deduction rates;
- (ii) minimum dividends;
- (iii) minimum permitted field size for pool to operate;
- (iv) dividend rounding method.

In such an instance where Tote Quinella pools cannot be commingled into a World Pool, should there be any part-backed or unbacked winning outcome, the balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be donated to the Injured Jockeys Fund (Registered Charity No. 1107395).

In such an instance where Tote Treble pools cannot be commingled into a World Pool all stakes will be refunded.

A Tote Quinella or Tote Treble pool will not be hosted by the UK Tote on an occasion when it is known before betting opens that a specific race will not be part of a World Pool event.

#### **General**

For the full set of Hong Kong Jockey Club betting rules, please visit:

[https://www.hkjc.com/english/betting/betting\\_rule.aspx](https://www.hkjc.com/english/betting/betting_rule.aspx)

Note that under Hong Kong Jockey Club rules the Exacta pool is named Forecast, the Swinger pool is named Quinella Place and the Trifecta pool is named Tierce.

## **APPENDIX 2: BAHRAIN POOLS**

### **2022/23 Bahrain horse racing season meeting dates**

18 <sup>th</sup> November 2022	Bahrain International Trophy
9 <sup>th</sup> December 2022	First BTS Race Day
30 <sup>th</sup> December 2022	Second BTS Race Day
13 <sup>th</sup> January 2023	Third BTS Race Day
3 <sup>rd</sup> February 2023	Fourth BTS Race Day
17 <sup>th</sup> February 2023	Final BTS Race Day

### **Overview**

Pools for race meetings taking place in Bahrain during the 2022/23 season will be hosted by the UK Tote and will be subject to UK Tote betting rules with the exception of deduction rates.

The following is a list of Tote products that will be available at meetings in Bahrain:

Tote Win  
Tote Place  
Tote Swinger  
Tote Exacta  
Tote Trifecta  
Tote Quadpot  
Tote Placepot

### **Deduction Rates**

Deduction rates for pools at meetings taking place at Bahrain will be as follows:

Win	17.5%	(So the net pool is 82.5% of the gross pool)
Place	17.5%	(So the net pool is 82.5% of the gross pool)
Swinger	17.5%	(So the net pool is 82.5% of the gross pool)
Exacta	17.5%	(So the net pool is 82.5% of the gross pool)
Trifecta	22.0%	(So the net pool is 78.0% of the gross pool)
Quadpot	26.0%	(So the net pool is 74.0% of the gross pool)
Placepot	27.0%	(So the net pool is 73.0% of the gross pool)

## **APPENDIX 3: NORTH AMERICAN RACING POOLS**

### **Overview**

Tote customers will be able to bet into pools for race meetings taking place in North America which are subject to compliance with Tote Betting Rules and Terms and Conditions. Bets on North American racing which are accepted by the Tote will be commingled into overseas pools and are additionally subject to the pool hosts' terms and conditions. Table 1 provides details of the relevant commissions that regulate betting rules for each North American racecourse.

### **General**

Bets on all North American meetings placed on our website are accepted by the Tote and commingled into the relevant racecourse pool. Stakes are placed in the currency of your account and are converted into the local host currency.

The Tote will accept bets up to the closure of betting at the North American host racecourse. In the United States and Canada pools close for betting purposes when horses begin to enter the starting gates.

Bets will be settled on the official result using the dividends declared by the host racecourse. Generally, dividends from the track are returned to a US or Canadian \$2 unit. All probable pay outs displayed on our site prior to a race starting are for guidance only and are provided to us by the pool host.

If stakes accepted by the Tote cannot be commingled into the relevant North American race meeting pools at race off, all bets will be refunded.

In the event of a race or race meeting being significantly delayed the Tote reserves the right to void bets on such events.

### **Bet Types**

The following is a list of bet types that will be available at North American race meetings.

Tote Win  
Tote Place  
Tote Exacta  
Tote Trifecta  
Tote Quinella

The aim of all bet types at North American race meetings are the same as at UK race meetings with the exception of Tote Place. All Tote Place bets will be commingled into North American Show pools, for which the aim is to select a horse to be placed first, second or third regardless of the number of runners.

### **Deduction Rates**

Deduction rates for North American race meeting pools vary by racecourse and bet type. Table 2 provides details of deduction percentage rates by racecourse and bet type.

### **Minimum Stakes**

North American pools are subject to the following minimum stakes:

Win - £2/€2 min total bet.

Show - £2/€2 min total bet.

Exacta - £2/€2 min total bet, then in increments of at least £1/€1.

Trifecta - £2/€2 min total bet, then in increments of at least £1/€1.

Quinella - £2/€2 min total bet, then in increments of at least £1/€1.

### **Insufficient Starters**

Generally, pools will be voided and all bets refunded when the number of runners falls below the following thresholds:

- Win pools: less than 2 starters.
- Show pools: less than 4 starters.
- Exacta pools: less than 2 starters.
- Trifecta and Quinella pools: less than 3 starters.

Individual racecourses may adopt different thresholds for minimum starters.

### **Horses Coupled For Betting Purposes**

Horses may be coupled for betting purposes and are treated as a single betting entry in all pools. Should any contestant in a coupled entry or mutual field be officially withdrawn or scratched, the remaining contestants in that coupled entry or mutual field shall remain valid betting interests. If all contestants within a coupled entry or mutual field are scratched, then bets on such betting interests shall be refunded.

**Table 1: North American Racecourse and Racing Commission Details**

<u>Racecourse</u>	<u>Racing Organisation</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Racing Commission</u>	<u>Address</u>
Aqueduct	New York Racing Association	New York	New York State Gaming Commission	PO Box 7500, Schenectady, New York 12301-7500, USA.
Belmont Park	New York Racing Association	New York	New York State Gaming Commission	PO Box 7500, Schenectady, New York 12301-7501, USA.
Delaware Park	Delaware Racing Association	Delaware	Delaware Racing Commission	777 Delaware Park Boulevard, Wilmington, Delaware 19804, USA.
Fairmount Park	Fanduel Sportsbook & Horse Racing	Illinois	Illinois Gaming Board	160 North LaSalle, Suite 300, Chicago, Illinois, 60601, USA.
Finger Lakes Downs	Finger Lakes Gaming	New York	New York State Gaming Commission	PO Box 7500, Schenectady, New York 12301-7503, USA.
Golden Gate Fields	1/ST Group	California	California Horse Racing Board	1010 Hurley Way, Suite 300, Sacramento, CA 95825, USA.
Gulfstream Park	1/ST Group	Florida	Florida Gaming Control Commission	2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399, USA.
Hawthorne	Hawthorne Racecourse	Illinois	Illinois Gaming Board	160 North LaSalle, Suite 300, Chicago, Illinois, 60601, USA.
Horseshoe Indianapolis	Caesars Entertainment	Indiana	Indiana Horse Racing Commission	1302 N Meridian St., Indianapolis, IN 46202, USA
Keeneland	Keeneland Association Inc.	Kentucky	Kentucky Horse Racing Commission	4063 Ironworks Parkway, Building B, Lexington, Kentucky, USA.
Laurel Park	1/ST Group	Maryland	Maryland Racing Commission	300 East Towsontowne Boulevard Towson, Maryland 21286-5311, USA.
Lone Star	Global Gaming Solutions	Texas	Texas Racing Commission	1801 N. Congress, Suite 7.600, Auston, TX, 78701, USA.
Los Alamitos	Los Alamitos Racecourse	California	California Horse Racing Board	1010 Hurley Way, Suite 300, Sacramento, CA 95825, USA.
Pimlico	1/ST Group	Maryland	Maryland Racing Commission	300 East Towsontowne Boulevard Towson, Maryland 21286-5311, USA.
Santa Anita Park	1/ST Group	California	California Horse Racing Board	1010 Hurley Way, Suite 300, Sacramento, CA 95825, USA.
Saratoga	New York Racing Association	New York	New York State Gaming Commission	PO Box 7500, Schenectady, New York 12301-7502, USA.
Tampa Bay Downs	Tampa Bay Downs	Florida	Florida Gaming Control Commission	2601 Blair Stone Road, Tallahassee, FL 32399, USA.
Thistledown	Jack Entertainment	Ohio	Ohio State Racing Commission	77 South High Street, 18th Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215-6108, USA.
Turf Paradise	Turf Paradise Race Course	Arizona	Arizona Department of Gaming	100 N. 15TH AVE, Suite 202, Phoenix, AZ 85007, USA.
Will Rogers Downs	Cherokee Casino and Hotel	Oklahoma	Oklahoma Horse Racing Commission	2800 N Lincoln Blvd Suite 220 Oklahoma City, OK 73105, USA.
Woodbine	Woodbine Entertainment	Ontario	Ontario Racing Commission	10 Carlson Court, Suite 400, Toronto, Ontario, M9W 6L2, Canada.

**Table 2: Deduction rates as a percentage of stakes by racecourse and bet type**

<u>Racecourse</u>	<u>Win, Place and Show</u>	<u>Exacta</u>	<u>Trifecta</u>	<u>Quinella</u>
Aqueduct	16.00%	18.50%	24.00%	18.50%
Arizona Downs	19.75%	21.50%	21.50%	21.50%
Belmont Park	16.00%	18.50%	24.00%	18.50%
Belterra Park	18.00%	22.50%	22.50%	22.50%
Canterbury Park	17.00%	23.00%	23.00%	23.00%
Charles Town	17.25%	19.00%	22.00%	19.00%
Colonial Downs	18.00%	21.00%	25.00%	21.00%
Del Mar	15.43%	22.68%	23.68%	22.68%
Delaware Park	17.00%	19.00%	25.00%	19.00%
Delta Downs	17.00%	20.50%	25.00%	20.50%
Emerald Downs	14.70%	21.50%	23.38%	21.50%
Evangeline Downs	17.00%	20.50%	25.00%	20.50%
Fairmount Park	17.00%	20.50%	25.00%	20.50%
Finger Lakes	18.00%	20.00%	25.00%	20.00%
Fonner Park	18.00%	20.00%	25.00%	20.00%
Fort Erie	16.95%	26.20%	28.20%	26.20%
Golden Gate Fields	15.43%	22.68%	23.68%	22.68%
Grants Pass	18.00%	22.00%	22.00%	22.00%
Gulfstream Park	17.00%	20.00%	26.00%	20.00%
Hastings	15.00%	21.80%	27.30%	21.80%
Hawthorne	17.00%	20.50%	25.00%	20.50%
Horseshoe Indianapolis	18.00%	21.50%	21.50%	21.50%
Keeneland	16.00%	19.50%	22.00%	19.50%
Kentucky Downs	16.00%	18.25%	19.00%	18.25%
Laurel Park	18.00%	21.00%	25.75%	21.00%
Lone Star Park	18.00%	21.00%	25.00%	21.00%
Los Alamitos	16.77%	24.02%	25.20%	24.02%
Louisiana Downs	17.00%	20.50%	25.00%	20.50%
Mahoning Valley	18.00%	22.50%	22.50%	22.50%
Mountaineer	17.25%	19.00%	25.00%	19.00%
Pimlico	18.00%	21.00%	25.75%	21.00%
Remington Park	18.00%	21.00%	24.00%	21.00%
Ruidoso Downs	19.00%	22.00%	25.00%	22.00%
Sam Houston	18.00%	20.00%	25.00%	20.00%
Santa Anita Park	15.43%	22.68%	23.68%	22.68%
Saratoga	16.00%	18.50%	24.00%	18.50%
Sunland Park	19.00%	21.00%	25.00%	21.00%
Sunray Park	19.00%	22.00%	25.00%	22.00%
Tampa Bay Downs	17.00%	20.50%	25.90%	20.50%
Thistledown	18.00%	22.50%	22.50%	22.50%
Turf Paradise	20.75%	21.75%	25.75%	21.75%
Will Rogers Downs	18.00%	21.00%	24.00%	21.00%
Woodbine	14.95%	20.50%	25.00%	20.50%

## **APPENDIX 4: GREYHOUND RACING IRELAND TERMS AND RULES**

## **INTRODUCTION**

The greyhound racing pools at Lifford are operated by Greyhound Racing Ireland ("GRI") and the Tote's General Betting Terms and Rules are therefore supplemented by (i) Tote Greyhound Racing Betting Rules and (ii) the conditions and GRI betting rules, derived from the Greyhound Race Track (Totalisator) (Operating) Regulations (S.I. No.47/1971) ("GRI Conditions"); collectively, the Greyhound Racing Ireland Terms and Rules. The full text of the relevant Irish statute can be accessed via the following link: <https://www.irishstatutebook.ie/eli/1971/si/47/made/en/print>

In the event of any conflict, inconsistency or ambiguity, unless expressly stated otherwise, the GRI Conditions shall take precedence over the Tote Greyhound Racing Betting Rules.

These rules for Tote betting on Greyhound Racing are effective from 26<sup>th</sup> May 2023. Tote reserves the right to alter any of the rules and conditions listed from time to time by republishing them in the usual manner and without prior notice. They have been issued by TDCO Limited, 6th Floor, 6 Kean Street, London, United Kingdom, WC2B 4AS, United Kingdom.

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## **Tote Greyhound Racing Betting Rules**



### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select the winning greyhound.

### **RACES ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The tote win pool is operated on all races of 2 or more runners unless otherwise stated.

### **PLACING BETS**

Minimum total stake is 50p and minimum unit stakes apply.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

10% (The net pool is therefore 90% of the gross pool).

### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward forms the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total stakes on the winner of the race to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake, with the following exceptions:

- (i) If the calculated dividend is greater than 90p and less than £1.10, the payable dividend will be £1.10.
- (ii) If the calculated dividend is 90p or below, the payable dividend will be £1.02.
- (iii) Notwithstanding (i) and (ii) above, in the case of a dead heat for first place if the calculated dividend is 60p or below, the payable dividend will be 60p. (See rule on Dead Heats below.)

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the winning greyhound is part backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If the winning greyhound is not backed, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are not accepted in the tote win pool.

### **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on greyhounds which do not compete after coming under starter's orders. Bets are void on greyhounds which become non-runners before coming under starter's orders, and the stakes on such non-runners are refundable.

### **RESERVE RUNNERS**

Bets are accepted on the trap number and not the greyhound's name. If for any reason a greyhound is withdrawn and a registered reserve put in its place, your bet on that trap will still stand.

### **WALKOVERS/VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If the race is a walkover, or is void or is abandoned and is not re-ran on the same day, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded, unless otherwise stated. This is irrespective of whether the race is re-scheduled for a later date or not.

### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS**

Multiple selections on the same slip are accepted.

### **NO FINISHERS**

If the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

### **DEAD HEATS**

When two or more greyhounds dead-heat for first place, the net pool will be divided into as many equal parts as there are dead-heating runners. The part of the net pool allocated to each dead-heating greyhound is divided by the total stakes on that runner to obtain a calculated dividend for each dead-heating greyhound. The calculated dividend is then determined in accordance with the calculation of dividends above.

Holder of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If a dead-heating greyhound is part-backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on that greyhound, the net pool assigned to that greyhound is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that dead-heating greyhound which has not been won will be carried forward to another totewin pool as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If a dead-heating greyhound is not backed, the portion of the pool assigned to that dead-heating greyhound will be carried forward to another totewin pool. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.



### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select a greyhound to finish placed.

The finishing positions which constitute a place in any race, unless otherwise stated, are as follows:

5 - 7 runners  
8 runners

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup>  
1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>

### **RACES ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The toteplace pool is operated on all races of 5 or more runners unless otherwise stated.

### **PLACING BETS**

50p minimum total stake and 50p minimum unit stake apply.

### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

10% (The net pool is therefore 90% of the gross pool).



## **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward forms the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the number of places payable on the race as defined above, i.e. 2, 3 or 4, in equal proportion. The part of the net pool allocated to each place is then divided by the total stakes on that placed greyhound to obtain a calculated dividend for each place. The calculated dividend is rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake, with the following exceptions:

- (i) If the calculated dividend is greater than 70p and less than £1.10, the payable dividend will be £1.10.
- (ii) If the calculated dividend is 70p or below, the payable dividend will be £1.02.
- (iii) Notwithstanding (i) and (ii) above, in the case of a dead heat the minimum payable dividend will be 50p. (See rule on Dead Heats below.)

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

In the event of (ii) above, i.e. if the calculated dividend falls below 70p, money will be taken from the net pool on the remaining placed greyhounds in equal shares to ensure that the minimum calculated dividend on any placed greyhound is not less than 70p.

If a placed greyhound is part-backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on a placed greyhound, then the net pool assigned to that placed greyhound is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that placed greyhound which has not been won will be divided in equal proportion between the remaining placed greyhounds which have been fully backed.

If a placed greyhound is not backed, the portion of the net pool assigned to that placed greyhound will be divided in equal proportion between the remaining placed greyhounds which have been fully backed.

If none of the placed greyhounds are fully backed, the balance of the gross pool assigned to each placed greyhound which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If none of the placed greyhounds are backed, the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

## **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are not accepted in the toteplace pool.

## **NON-RUNNERS**

Bets 'stand' on greyhounds which do not compete after coming under starter's orders. Bets are void on greyhounds which become non-runners before coming under starter's orders, and the stakes on such non-runners are refundable.

## **RESERVE RUNNERS**

Bets are accepted on the trap number and not the greyhound's name. If for any reason a greyhound is withdrawn and a registered reserve put in its place, your bet on that trap will still stand.

## **VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If the race is void or abandoned and is not re-ran on the same day, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded, unless otherwise stated. This is irrespective of whether the race is re-scheduled for a later date or not.

## **REDUCED NUMBER OF RUNNERS**

If the number of runners in any race falls below 5, then the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

## **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS**

Multiple selections on the same slip are accepted.

## **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If the official number of finishers is fewer than the number of standard places in any leg, then only the runners which finish will be deemed to have been placed. The net pool will be divided by the number of finishers rather than being divided by the number of places that were originally payable on the race.

## **DEAD HEATS**

If two or more greyhounds dead heat for the final position which constitutes a place, a dividend is paid on each of those dead-heating Greyhounds. The amount of the pool allocated to that place is divided equally between the dead-heating Greyhounds.

If three or more greyhounds dead heat for the penultimate position which constitutes a place, e.g. 3rd place in a race where 4 places are payable, a dividend is paid on each of those dead-heating greyhounds. The total amount of the pool allocated to the final two places is divided equally between the dead-heating greyhounds.

The proportion of the net pool allocated to each placed greyhound in the event of a dead-heat is as follows:

2 runners in 1st place	1st(A)	1/2
	1st(B)	1/2
2 runners in 2nd place	1st	1/2
	2nd(A)	1/4
	2nd(B)	1/4
3 runners in 1st place	1st(A)	1/3
	1st(B)	1/3
	1st(C)	1/3
3 runners in 2nd place	1st	1/2
	2nd(A)	1/6
	2nd(B)	1/6
	2nd(C)	1/6

The part of the net pool allocated to each dead-heating greyhound is divided by the total stakes on that runner to obtain a calculated dividend for each dead-heating greyhound. The calculated dividend is then determined in accordance with the calculation of dividends above.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

In the event of a dead heat, if the calculated dividend of a greyhound involved in that dead heat is below 50p, the dividend declared will be 50p and no money will be taken from the net pool allocated to any of the remaining placed greyhounds to increase the calculated dividend.

If a dead-heating greyhound is part-backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on that greyhound, the net pool assigned to that greyhound is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that dead-heating greyhound which has not been won will be divided between all placed greyhounds which have been fully backed, and will be allocated in equal shares with the exception of the other dead-heating greyhound(s) for which the funds will be apportioned as stated in the dead-heat rule below.

If a dead-heating greyhound is not backed, then the net pool assigned to that dead-heating greyhound which has not been won will be divided between the placed greyhounds which have been fully backed, and will be allocated in equal shares with the exception of the other dead-heating greyhound(s) for which the funds will be apportioned as stated in the dead-heat rule below.

In the event of a dead-heat, if money within the toteplace pool should be transferred between the placed greyhounds, either to increase a calculated dividend to a specific minimum threshold or to re-assign funds from a placed greyhound which has not been fully backed to the placed greyhounds which have been fully backed, then the funds transferred to or transferred from a placed greyhound will be proportioned in the same ratio as the allocation of funds in the event of a dead heat as shown in the table above.



#### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select the winner and the second placed greyhound in the correct order. It is Tote's version of the forecast bet.

#### **RACES ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The tote exacta pool is operated on all races of 3 or more runners unless otherwise stated.

#### **PLACING BETS**

50p minimum total stake and 1p minimum unit stake apply.

#### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

15% (The net pool is therefore 85% of the gross pool).

#### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward forms the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total stakes on the winning tote exacta combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake, with the following exceptions:

- (i) If the calculated dividend is less than £1.10, the payable dividend will be £1.10.
- (ii) Notwithstanding (i) above, in the case of a dead heat for either 1st or 2nd if the calculated dividend is 60p or below, the payable dividend will be 60p. (See rule on Dead Heats below.)

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the winning tote exacta combination is part-backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, then the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If the winning tote exacta combination is not backed, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

### **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are not accepted in the tote exacta pool.

### **NON-RUNNERS & RESERVES**

Bets are accepted on the trap number and not the greyhound's name. If for any reason a greyhound is withdrawn, then bets on that greyhound are void and stakes refundable unless a registered reserve is put in its place, in which case bets involving that trap will stand.

### **VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If the race is void or abandoned and is not re-run on the same day, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded, unless otherwise stated. This is irrespective of whether the race is re-scheduled for a later date or not.

### **REDUCED NUMBER OF RUNNERS**

If the number of runners in any race falls below 3, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

### **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Fixed bankers are permitted and are limited to one per bet. Some outlets also allow floating bankers, again limited to one per bet.

A fixed banker allows you to combine one greyhound you are confident will finish in first place with any number of other greyhounds to fill the second place.

A floating banker allows you to combine one greyhound you are confident will finish in either of the first two places with any number of other greyhounds.

Reverse exactas (1st and 2nd in either order) and permutations (two from any number of greyhounds to finish in the first two places) are accepted.

### **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If only 1 greyhound officially finishes the race, the dividend will be declared on that greyhound with any other.

If the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

### **DEAD HEATS**

When two or more greyhounds dead-heat for first or second place, the net pool will be divided into as many equal parts as there are winning combinations.

The proportion of the net pool allocated to each winning combination of the tote exacta in the event of a dead-heat is as follows:

2 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/2
	1st(B) + 1st(A)	1/2
2 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A)	1/2
	1st + 2nd(B)	1/2
3 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/6
	1st(A) + 1st(C)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(A)	1/6

	1st(B) + 1st (C)	1/6
	1st(C) + 1st(A)	1/6
	1st(C) + 1st(B)	1/6
3 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A)	1/3
	1st + 2nd(B)	1/3
	1st + 2nd(C)	1/3

The part of the net pool allocated to each combination is then divided by the total stakes on that combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then determined in accordance with the calculation of dividends above.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If a combination involving dead-heating greyhounds is not fully backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on that combination, then the net pool assigned to that combination is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that combination which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If a combination involving dead-heating greyhounds is not backed, the portion of the pool assigned to that dead-heating combination will be carried forward to another tote exacta pool. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

The minimum dividend payable on a tote exacta involving dead-heating Greyhounds will be £0.60.



#### **AIM OF THE BET**

To select the winner, the second and the third greyhound in the correct order.

#### **RACES ON WHICH POOL IS OPERATED**

The tototriecta pool is operated in all races with 3 or more declared runners unless otherwise stated.

#### **PLACING BETS**

50p minimum total stake and 1p minimum unit stake apply.

#### **POOL DEDUCTION RATE**

15% (The net pool is therefore 85% of the gross pool).

#### **CALCULATION OF DIVIDENDS**

The total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward forms the gross pool. If the gross pool is guaranteed to a particular amount, then this amount forms the gross pool unless the total of the funds invested plus any funds brought forward is greater than the guarantee.

The net pool is divided by the total stakes on the winning tote trifecta combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend declared to a £1 stake, with the following exceptions:

- (i) If the calculated dividend is less than £1.10, the payable dividend will be £1.10.
- (ii) Notwithstanding (i) above, in the case of a dead heat for 1st, 2nd or 3rd if the calculated dividend is 60p or below, the payable dividend will be 60p. (See rule on Dead Heats below.)

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If the winning tote trifecta combination is part backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of winning tickets in the pool, then the net pool is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the gross pool which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If the winning tote trifecta combination is not backed, then the entire gross pool will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote.

Note that any guarantee is disregarded for the purposes of carry-forwards.

## **FAVOURITE INVESTMENT**

Bets on the un-named favourite are not accepted in the tote trifecta pool.

## **NON-RUNNERS & RESERVES**

Bets are accepted on the trap number and not the greyhound's name. If for any reason a greyhound is withdrawn, then bets on that greyhound are void and stakes refundable unless a registered reserve is put in its place, in which case bets involving that trap will stand.

## **VOID/ABANDONED RACES/MEETINGS**

If the race is void or abandoned and is not re-ran on the same day, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded, unless otherwise stated. This is irrespective of whether the race is re-scheduled for a later date or not.

## **REDUCED NUMBER OF RUNNERS**

If the number of runners in any race falls below 3, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

## **MULTIPLE SELECTIONS, BANKERS AND PERMUTATIONS**

Fixed bankers are permitted, either one or two per bet. Some outlets also allow floating bankers, again either one or two per bet.

Fixed bankers allow you to combine either one or two greyhounds you are confident will finish in first place or in first and second place with any number of other greyhounds to fill the other place(s).

Floating bankers allow you to combine either one or two greyhounds you are confident will finish in any of the first three places with any number of other greyhounds.

'All-ways' trifectas (1st, 2nd and 3rd in any order) and permutations (three from any number of greyhounds to finish in the first three places) are accepted.

## **INSUFFICIENT FINISHERS**

If only 2 greyhounds officially finish the race, the dividend will be declared on the first and second in the correct order, with any other runner for third.

If only 1 greyhound officially finishes the race, the dividend will be declared on that greyhound with any other runner for second and any other runner for third.

If the official result is that there are no finishers, the pool will be declared void and all stakes refunded.

## **DEAD HEATS**

When two or more greyhounds dead-heat for first, second or third place, the net pool will be divided into as many equal parts as there are winning combinations.

The proportion of the net pool allocated to each winning combination of the tote trifecta in the event of a dead-heat is as follows:

2 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd	1/2
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd	1/2
2 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A) + 2nd(B)	1/2
	1st + 2nd(B) + 2nd(A)	1/2
2 runners in 3rd place	1st + 2nd + 3rd(A)	1/2
	1st + 2nd + 3rd(B)	1/2
3 runners in 1st place	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 1st(C)	1/6
	1st(A) + 1st(C) + 1st(B)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 1st(C)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(C) + 1st(A)	1/6
	1st(C) + 1st(A) + 1st(B)	1/6
	1st(C) + 1st(B) + 1st(A)	1/6
3 runners in 2nd place	1st + 2nd(A) + 2nd(B)	1/6
	1st + 2nd(A) + 2nd(C)	1/6
	1st + 2nd(B) + 2nd(A)	1/6
	1st + 2nd(B) + 2nd(C)	1/6
	1st + 2nd(C) + 2nd(A)	1/6
	1st + 2nd(C) + 2nd(B)	1/6
3 runners in 3rd place	1st + 2nd + 3rd(A)	1/3

	1st + 2nd + 3rd(B)	1/3
	1st + 2nd + 3rd(C)	1/3
2 runners in 1st place, 2 runners in 3rd place	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd(A)	1/4
	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd(B)	1/4
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd(A)	1/4
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd(B)	1/4
2 runners in 1st place, 3 runners in 3rd place	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd(A)	1/6
	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd(B)	1/6
	1st(A) + 1st(B) + 3rd(C)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd(A)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd(B)	1/6
	1st(B) + 1st(A) + 3rd(C)	1/6

The part of the net pool allocated to each combination is then divided by the total stakes on that combination to obtain a calculated dividend. The calculated dividend is then determined in accordance with the calculation of dividends above.

Holders of winning tickets are then paid in proportion to their stakes.

If a combination involving dead-heating greyhounds is not fully backed, i.e. there is less than £1 of tickets in the pool on that combination, then the net pool assigned to that combination is the calculated dividend. In accordance with the rules above, this is then rounded down to the next 10 pence to obtain the payable dividend to a £1 stake. The balance of the net pool assigned to that combination which has not been won will be carried forward to another race as decided by Tote. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

If a combination involving dead-heating greyhounds is not backed, the portion of the pool assigned to that dead-heating combination will be carried forward to another tote trifecta pool. The deduction from any pool is only taken at the time the funds are won, so this is added back to the net rollover to be included within a subsequent pool.

The minimum dividend payable on a tote trifecta involving dead-heating greyhounds will be £0.60.

## **GRI CONDITIONS**

**1. Definitions.** Definitions in these GRI Conditions shall have meanings hereby assigned to them:

"advertised runner" means a greyhound whose number is shown on either the public totalisator indicator or runners' board as being engaged to run in a race;

"bet" means a sum of money or the stake lodged with the totalisator by a person buying a ticket;

"the Board" means Bord na gCon established under the Greyhound Industry Act, 1958;

"combination" means a bet in the forecast, double or multiple event pools in which the person making the bet couples the numbers of the selected greyhounds in the manner required for each pool;

"dividend" means the amount declared by the operator to be payable for any pool on each unit on a winning or placed greyhound or winning combination;

"double event pool" means a pool for nominating the winning greyhounds of two selected races;

"forecast pool" means a pool for nominating the winning greyhound and the second greyhound in the order of finish;

"multiple event pool" means a pool for nominating the winning or placed greyhounds in respect of the selected races;

"net pool" means:

- (i) the balance remaining after the deduction from the pool of
  - (a) refundable, withdrawn or cancelled stakes and
  - (b) the percentage for the time being prescribed by the Board under regulations;
 or
- (ii) in the case of multiple event pools where a pool or part or parts of a pool is or are carried forward to a meeting the amount mentioned at (i) above together with any amount or amounts carried forward;

"nomination" means the naming of a greyhound or the naming of a combination of greyhounds for a bet made on the totalisator in respect of which a ticket is purchased on which the number of the greyhound or the numbers of the greyhounds in such combination may be printed, written or perforated;

"to nominate" means to make such a nomination by the purchase of ticket or tickets;

"number" means the number applied to a greyhound running in a race as shown either on the totalisator public indicator or runners' board;

"operator" means the Board or person or body appointed by the Board to operate the totalisator on behalf of the Board;

"order of finish" means the order in which the noses of the greyhounds reach the winning line when confirmed as final by the stewards by the showing of either a green light or a green flag;

"place pool" means a pool for nominating a placed greyhound;

"placed greyhound" means a greyhound awarded first or second place;

"pool" means the total amount of money staked on the totalisator on the result of a race, a combination of results in a race or a combination of races and may apply to a win pool, place pool, forecast pool, double event pool or any other pool authorised by the Board;

"race" means a greyhound race in which an object propelled by mechanical means is pursued by the greyhounds engaged in the race;

"rules of racing" means the greyhound racing rules made or approved by the Board as the case may be and for the time being in force;

"selected race" means a specified race selected by the operator for the purpose of betting on a double event pool or any other pool authorised by the Board;

"stewards" means the officials for the time being in charge of racing at the meeting; "start" in relation to a race means when the traps are opened;

"ticket" means a voucher or certificate issued by the totalisator operator in accordance with greyhound race track totalisator regulations made by the Minister for Finance under Section 6 (i) of the Totalisator Act, 1929 and for the time being in force;

"total amount staked" means the money equivalent of the totalisator tickets sold for each pool after making adjustments for non-starters and other causes;

"unit" means the minimum stakes accepted for betting on a pool; "winning combination" means in the case of

- (a) a forecast pool the winning greyhound and the greyhound placed second in the order of finish;
- (b) a double event pool the nomination of the winning greyhounds of the two selected races;
- (c) a multiple event pool the nomination of the winning or/and placed greyhounds in respect of the selected races;

"winning greyhound" means the first greyhound in the order of finish; "win pool" means a pool for nominating the winning greyhound;

"Twin Double Pool" means a pool for nominating the winning greyhounds in four selected races;

"Quinella Forecast Pool" means a pool for nominating the winning greyhound and the second greyhound in either order in respect of the number of selected races determined by the operator;

"Jackpot Pool" means a pool for nominating the winning greyhounds in three, four, five or six selected races as the operator may determine.

**2. Restriction on totalisator betting by certain persons.** The employees of the totalisator whilst so employed shall not engage in any totalisator betting either by means of the totalisator or in any other manner at the greyhound by certain persons. race track on which the totalisator is operated.

**3. Condition as to totalisator betting.** Every person who bets on the totalisator shall be deemed to have express notice of these GRI Conditions and to have agreed to be bound by them and to have express notice of the greyhound race track totalisator regulations made by the Minister for Finance under Section 6(i) of the Totalisator Act, 1929, and the greyhound race track totalisator percentage regulations for the time being in force.

**4. Checking tickets, dividends, change and returnable bets.** Tickets, change, dividends and returnable bets shall be checked at the time of receipt and mistakes cannot be rectified afterwards.

**5. Calculation of dividends.** (a) The dividend shall be calculated on the basis of the unit and dividends on bets of higher value than the unit shall be the same multiple of the dividend on the unit as the higher value bet is of the unit. (b) The dividend on the unit shall be paid to a multiple of one new penny and for that purpose every fraction of one new penny shall, as the Board may think proper in respect of each such fraction, be distributed or retained.

**6. Payment of dividends and returnable bets.** (a) Dividends shall be declared after the display by the stewards of the green light or green flag signal and, regardless of any objection or disqualification that may be made, shall be payable on presentation of the appropriate winning tickets or counterfoil portions of winning tickets as the case may be, whole and not unreasonably defaced or unrecognisable. (b) All dividends payable and all bets returnable under these GRI Conditions may be claimed only within one month of the termination of the race meeting at which the bets were made and only at the totalisator while such totalisator is working or at such place and time as may be designated by the operator. (c) the holder of a winning ticket or counterfoil portion of a winning ticket as the case may be shall be deemed to be the only person entitled to receive the dividend payable thereon. (d) Where bets are returnable, they shall be returnable only on presentation of the appropriate ticket whole and not unreasonably defaced or unrecognisable save that if after inquiry the operator is of opinion that a totalisator ticket in respect of which a sum would be distributable or repayable has been lost or mislaid the operator may at his discretion and subject to any conditions he thinks fit to impose, pay such sum to any person who applies for payment within a period of one month after the ticket was issued and who appears to be the person properly entitled to payment. (e) Whenever a totalisator ticket, to the holder of which a sum would be distributable or repayable under these GRI Conditions, is not presented for payment at the place prescribed and within the time limit imposed by these GRI Conditions such sum shall become the property of the operator at the expiration of the said time limit. (f) In the event of a dispute arising with regard to any ticket or bet, or any other matter whatsoever in these GRI Conditions, the decision of the operator shall be final and binding.

**7. Objections and Disqualifications.** No dividend shall be declared or paid except on the order of the operator and when he has ordered the dividend or dividends to be paid on any greyhound or greyhounds in any race or in any double or multiple event, no person who has made a bet on any other greyhound or greyhounds in such race or in the double or multiple event shall be entitled to receive a dividend notwithstanding that by a subsequent decision of the stewards, another greyhound or greyhounds shall be declared to be the winner or winners or to have been placed in such race or races instead of the greyhound or greyhounds declared to be the winner or winners or to have been placed when the order of finish was shown, any rule of law or rule of racing to the contrary notwithstanding.

**8. Race not run or declared a "No Race".** Otherwise than in a double or multiple event all bets staked in a race not run or declared a "No Race" shall be valid for the re-run race should such re-run race take place at that race meeting. If such race or "no race" be not re-run at that meeting then all bets shall be returnable in full.

**9. Abandoned Race.** Otherwise than in a double or multiple event all bets staked in a race subsequently abandoned shall be returnable in full.

**10. Withdrawn Greyhound.** Otherwise than in a double or multiple event if a greyhound or greyhounds be withdrawn from a race after the opening of betting on the race, all bets on the greyhound or greyhounds so withdrawn shall be returnable in full and shall be deducted from the appropriate pools before calculation of the dividends. In the event, however, of the remaining runners amounting to less than four in the Place Pool or less than three in the Forecast Pool or less than two in the Win Pool, all bets in the pool or pools so affected shall be returnable in full.

**11. Reserve Greyhound.** Should a reserve greyhound be declared a runner to replace a greyhound withdrawn from a race, such reserve greyhound shall be deemed a runner for the purpose of betting on all pools in such race.

**12. Close of Betting.** Bets shall not be taken on the totalisator after the start of the race.

**13. Displayed Figures.** The totals of units shown on the public visual indicator shall not necessarily be taken as the total amount staked upon which dividends will be calculated since before the declaration of any dividend an allowance may have to be made for non-starters, tickets issued in error and other causes.

**14. Uncompleted Bet.** Where a person purchasing a number of tickets receives only some of the required tickets and the totalisator operator fails to issue the remainder either because the race has started or the machine has developed a fault, the tickets issued are valid and the person is entitled only to a refund of his stake in respect of the tickets not issued.

**15. Acceptance of Bet.** No bet made by means of a totalisator shall be retracted or withdrawn after the Bet issued from such totalisator of a totalisator ticket in respect of such bet and the ticket so issued shall be conclusive evidence of the making of the bet, the amount thereof and of the totalisator pool on which the bet was made.

**16. Cancellation of Pools.** Notwithstanding anything contained in these GRI Conditions, the operator may, after the commencement of betting in any pool arising out of an act of God, unlawful act of any person, riot, civil commotion, fire, strike, mechanical breakdown of the totalisator or any part thereof, or any other cause, cancel such pool or pools and the bets staked in the cancelled pool or pools shall be refundable in full.



## **APPENDIX 5: FRENCH RACING POOLS**

### **Overview**

Tote customers will be able to bet into pools for race meetings taking place in France which are subject to compliance with Tote betting rules and terms and conditions. Bets on French racing which are accepted by the Tote will be commingled into pools hosted by the PMU (Pari Mutuel Urbain) and are additionally subject to the PMU's terms and conditions.

### **General**

Bets on all French race meetings placed on our website are accepted by the Tote and commingled into the relevant PMU pool. Stakes are placed in the currency of your account and are converted into the local host currency.

If stakes accepted by the Tote cannot be commingled into the PMU French race meeting pools at race off, bets will be settled at the host dividend. If in such scenario a dividend is not declared by the host, all bets will be refunded.

### **Bet Types**

The following is a list of bet types and their equivalent French name (in brackets) that will be available at French race meetings on our website.

Tote Win (Simple Gagnant)  
Tote Place (Simple Placé)  
Tote Quinella (Couplé Gagnant)  
Tote Swinger (Couplé Placé)  
Tote Exacta (Couplé Ordre)  
Tote Trifecta (Trio Ordre)

### **Place Terms**

French place terms are as follows:

1 - 3 declared runners	No Place pool.
4 - 7 declared runners	1 <sup>st</sup> or 2 <sup>nd</sup> .
8 or more declared runners	1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> or 3 <sup>rd</sup> .

### **Deduction Rates**

Deduction rates for French pools are as follows:

Tote Win	15.05%	(So the net pool is 84.95% of the gross pool)
Tote Place	15.05%	(So the net pool is 84.95% of the gross pool)
Tote Quinella	27.00%	(So the net pool is 73.00% of the gross pool)
Tote Swinger	27.00%	(So the net pool is 73.00% of the gross pool)
Tote Exacta	27.00%	(So the net pool is 73.00% of the gross pool)
Tote Trifecta	30.90%	(So the net pool is 69.10% of the gross pool)

### **Minimum Stakes**

French pools are subject to the following minimum stakes:

Win - £2/€2 min total bet.

Place - £2/€2 min total bet.

Exacta - £2/€2 min total bet, then in increments of at least £1/€1.

Trifecta - £2/€2 min total bet, then in increments of at least £1/€1.

Quinella - £2/€2 min total bet, then in increments of at least £1/€1.

### **Further information**

For the full set of PMU betting rules, please visit: <https://cdn.tote.co.uk/documents/PMU-Rules.pdf>