



Leading Sires in California

Available Statistics Through January 31, 2005

Leading Sires by Money Won

Rank	Sire	Runners	Starts	Races Won	Earnings
1.	In Excess (Ire)	38	53	10	\$559,981
2.	Musique d'Enfer	3	4	1	554,530
3.	Benchmark	31	42	8	379,046
4.	Bertrando	50	69	14	286,734
5.	Unusual Heat	26	35	8	265,363
6.	Memo (Chi)	27	38	9	226,929
7.	Swiss Yodeler	46	60	11	221,552
8.	Bold Badgett*	27	34	8	180,435
9.	Formal Gold#	40	51	9	166,671
10.	Cee's Tizzy	41	53	8	166,387
11.	Smokester	41	57	5	163,185
12.	Olympio	30	43	8	149,140
13.	Lord Carson	38	51	10	137,803
14.	Flying Continental*	46	72	8	137,563
15.	Event of the Year	21	30	7	129,397
16.	Souvenir Copy#	31	40	7	128,663
17.	Siberian Summer	24	36	0	127,438
18.	Lit de Justice	32	49	6	114,064
19.	High Brite	45	67	6	112,990
20.	Roar	45	59	5	109,480
21.	Helmsman	31	42	7	104,411
22.	General Meeting	28	38	4	104,103
23.	Bartok (Ire)	21	26	2	102,774
24.	Falstaff†	14	23	1	102,735
25.	Atticus‡	15	18	2	95,268
26.	Comic Strip	15	20	4	93,933
27.	Storm Creek	44	56	5	93,459
28.	Valid Wager	31	39	7	93,429
29.	Distinctive Cat	15	24	7	83,879
30.	Half a Year•	11	14	2	75,619
31.	Old Topper	14	20	3	70,782
32.	Western Fame	12	16	5	69,578
33.	Beau Genius	39	46	6	69,217
34.	Cobra King	25	36	5	66,035
35.	Game Plan	19	28	4	64,736
36.	Fabulous Champ•	16	26	7	63,257
37.	Vaudeville	17	24	4	61,045
38.	Proud Irish	28	38	4	60,300
39.	Strike Gold	10	18	6	56,926
40.	Free House*	14	20	5	55,875
41.	Rhythm	15	20	2	54,906
42.	Devon Lane•	24	31	2	51,298
43.	Latin American	22	29	4	50,753
44.	Robannier	6	8	2	50,451
45.	Larry the Legend	15	23	4	49,815
46.	Fruition	16	22	2	48,612
47.	Suggest	10	15	3	47,965
48.	Future Storm	24	28	2	46,957
49.	Golden Gear	14	17	1	45,415
50.	Paranoide (Arg)•	11	15	3	43,550

Leading Sires by Number of Races Won

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1.	Bertrando	50	69	14	\$286,734
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3.	In Excess (Ire)	38	53	10	559,981
	Lord Carson	38	51	10	137,803
5.	Memo (Chi)	27	38	9	226,929
	Formal Gold#	40	51	9	166,671
7.	Benchmark	31	42	8	379,046
	Unusual Heat	26	35	8	265,363
	Bold Badgett*	27	34	8	180,435
	Cee's Tizzy	41	53	8	166,387
	Olympio	30	43	8	149,140
	Flying Continental*	46	72	8	137,563
13.	Event of the Year	21	30	7	129,397
	Souvenir Copy#	31	40	7	128,663
	Helmsman	31	42	7	104,411
	Valid Wager	31	39	7	93,429
	Distinctive Cat	15	24	7	83,879
	Fabulous Champ•	16	26	7	63,257
19.	Lit de Justice	32	49	6	114,064
	High Brite	45	67	6	112,990
	Beau Genius	39	46	6	69,217
	Strike Gold	10	18	6	56,926

Leading Sires by Average Earnings Per Runner (Minimum 5 Runners)

Rank	Sire	Runners	Races Won	Earnings	Average Earnings/Runner
1.	In Excess (Ire)	38	10	\$559,981	\$14,736
2.	Benchmark	31	8	379,046	12,227
3.	Unusual Heat	26	8	265,363	10,206
4.	Robannier	6	2	50,451	8,409
5.	Memo (Chi)	27	9	226,929	8,405
6.	Perfect Mandate	5	2	38,228	7,646
7.	Falstaff†	14	1	102,735	7,338
8.	Half a Year•	11	2	75,619	6,874
9.	Bold Badgett*	27	8	180,435	6,683
10.	Atticus‡	15	2	95,268	6,351
11.	Comic Strip	15	4	93,933	6,262
12.	Event of the Year	21	7	129,397	6,162
13.	Western Fame	12	5	69,578	5,798
14.	Bertrando	50	14	286,734	5,735
15.	Strike Gold	10	6	56,926	5,693
16.	Distinctive Cat	15	7	83,879	5,592
17.	Score Quick	5	3	26,825	5,365
18.	Siberian Summer	24	0	127,438	5,310
19.	Old Topper	14	3	70,782	5,056
20.	Olympio	30	8	149,140	4,971

Leading Sires by Number of Winners

Rank	Sire	Races		Earnings	
		Runners	Winners		
1.	Bertrando	50	13	14	\$286,734
2.	Swiss Yodeler	46	11	11	221,552
3.	Lord Carson	38	10	10	137,803
4.	In Excess (Ire)	38	9	10	559,981
	Memo (Chi)	27	9	9	226,929
	Formal Gold#	40	9	9	166,671
7.	Benchmark	31	8	8	379,046
	Bold Badgett*	27	8	8	180,435
	Cee's Tizzy	41	8	8	166,387
	Olympio	30	8	8	149,140
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	Fabulous Champ•	16	6	7	63,257
18.	Smokester	41	5	5	163,185
	Souvenir Copy#	31	5	7	128,663
	High Brite	45	5	6	112,990
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	Storm Creek	44	5	5	93,459
	Distinctive Cat	15	5	7	83,879
	Western Fame	12	5	5	69,578
	Beau Genius	39	5	6	69,217
	Cobra King	25	5	5	66,035
	Strike Gold	10	5	6	56,926

Leading Sires by Turf Earnings (Minimum 10 Starts Lifetime)

Rank	Sire	Races				Earnings
		Runners	Starts	Winners	Won	
1.	In Excess (Ire)	5	5	2	2	\$292,050
2.	Benchmark	5	6	2	2	137,580
3.	Unusual Heat	8	8	2	2	123,660
4.	Flying Continental*	8	9	3	3	69,697
5.	Cee's Tizzy	6	6	1	1	67,630
6.	Bertrando	9	10	3	3	62,690
7.	Souvenir Copy#	4	4	1	1	36,360
8.	Moscow Ballet	4	4	1	1	33,040
9.	Falstaff	2	2	1	1	27,995
10.	Roar	7	8	1	1	26,915
11.	Comic Strip	3	3	1	1	26,640
12.	Game Plan	3	3	1	1	24,920
13.	Valid Wager	3	5	1	1	21,168
14.	Event of the Year	5	5	0	0	20,790
15.	Larry the Legend	4	4	0	0	16,120
16.	Fruition	6	7	1	1	15,386
17.	Urgent Request (Ire)	5	6	1	1	14,398
18.	Vaudeville	3	3	1	1	8,820
19.	Rainbow Blues (Ire)	2	2	1	1	8,520
20.	Cobra King	4	4	1	1	8,190
21.	Lake George	1	1	0	0	7,800
22.	Robannier	2	2	0	0	7,576
23.	Candi's Gold	3	3	0	0	6,732
24.	Future Storm	1	1	0	0	6,600
25.	Seattle Bound	1	1	1	1	6,420

Leading Sires by Median Earnings Per Runner (Minimum 5 Runners)

Rank	Sire	Races		Median Earnings/	
		Runners	Won	Earnings	Runner
1.	Robannier	6	2	\$50,451	\$5,188
2.	Makaleha	11	3	43,245	4,025
3.	Score Quick	5	3	26,825	3,840
4.	In Excess (Ire)	38	10	559,981	3,649
5.	Event of the Year	21	7	129,397	3,564
6.	Strike Gold	10	6	56,926	3,135
7.	Western Fame	12	5	69,578	2,706
8.	Unusual Heat	26	8	265,363	2,650
9.	Bartok (Ire)	21	2	102,774	2,640
10.	Suggest	10	3	47,965	2,573
11.	Larry the Legend	15	4	49,815	2,490
12.	Russian Courage	6	2	15,292	2,391
13.	Soft Gold (Brz)	9	2	25,271	2,000
14.	Muqtarib	7	1	12,530	1,920
	Memo (Chi)	27	9	226,929	1,920
16.	Cee's Tizzy	41	8	166,387	1,870
17.	Old Topper	14	3	70,782	1,860
18.	Fruition	16	2	48,612	1,853
19.	Perfect Mandate	5	2	38,228	1,813
20.	Malek (Chi)	7	0	21,052	1,800

Leading Sires by Average Earnings Per Start (Minimum 10 Starts)

Rank	Sire	Races			Average Earnings/
		Runners	Starts	Earnings	Start
1.	In Excess (Ire)	38	53	\$559,981	\$10,566
2.	Benchmark	31	42	379,046	9,025
3.	Unusual Heat	26	35	265,363	7,582
4.	Memo (Chi)	27	38	226,929	5,972
5.	Half a Year•	11	14	75,619	5,401
6.	Bold Badgett*	27	34	180,435	5,307
7.	Atticus†	15	18	95,268	5,293
8.	Comic Strip	15	20	93,933	4,697
9.	Falstaff	14	23	102,735	4,467
10.	Western Fame	12	16	69,578	4,349
11.	Event of the Year	21	30	129,397	4,313
12.	Bertrando	50	69	286,734	4,156
13.	Bartok (Ire)	21	26	102,774	3,953
14.	Swiss Yodeler	46	60	221,552	3,693
15.	Birdonthewire	8	10	36,675	3,668
16.	Siberian Summer	24	36	127,438	3,540
17.	Old Topper	14	20	70,782	3,539
18.	Distinctive Cat	15	24	83,879	3,495
19.	Olympio	30	43	149,140	3,468
20.	Formal Gold#	40	51	166,671	3,268

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