



Leading Sires in California

Available Statistics Through April 3, 2005

Leading Sires by Money Won

Rank	Sire	Runners	Starts	Races Won	Earnings
1.	In Excess (Ire)	56	142	23	\$1,027,830
2.	Atticus#	25	62	11	1,009,190
3.	Swiss Yodeler	62	177	33	833,124
4.	Bertrando	82	218	41	813,489
5.	Unusual Heat	35	105	21	794,579
6.	Benchmark	47	110	16	625,118
7.	High Brite	62	194	30	584,913
8.	Musique d'Enfer	4	9	1	564,993
9.	Memo (Chi)	54	129	22	548,876
10.	Cee's Tizzy	50	141	21	523,328
11.	Smokester*	60	167	22	517,064
12.	Roar	74	216	23	513,060
13.	Lord Carson*	57	164	28	452,953
14.	Formal Gold#	59	165	21	452,746
15.	Event of the Year	35	105	19	435,515
16.	Helmsman	51	143	18	428,634
17.	Storm Creek	65	178	20	407,933
18.	Souvenir Copy#	54	133	17	389,734
19.	General Meeting	40	112	15	360,149
20.	Olympio	47	135	19	354,211
21.	Beau Genius	61	175	27	351,366
22.	Bartok (Ire)	34	90	13	350,528
23.	Flying Continental*	52	179	27	345,625
24.	Lit de Justice	51	147	16	343,029
25.	Proud Irish	40	126	19	319,384
26.	Valid Wager	57	154	18	309,141
27.	You and I	34	94	15	302,248
28.	Siberian Summer	31	106	11	285,164
29.	Devon Lane•	38	92	13	251,284
30.	Game Plan	26	80	9	225,598
31.	Western Fame	19	44	11	224,721
32.	Avenue of Flags•	32	90	16	220,575
33.	Robannier	9	30	7	217,812
34.	Cobra King	43	116	13	214,410
35.	Latin American	36	104	15	210,923
36.	Comic Strip	33	75	10	206,715
37.	Old Topper	24	69	8	204,399
38.	Apollo•	33	80	12	200,672
39.	Truckee	25	65	12	176,951
40.	Free House*	29	72	8	173,893
41.	Lil Tyler	30	100	9	167,986
42.	Comet Shine	27	76	7	155,712
43.	Twin Spires	33	89	10	153,204
44.	Falstaff	22	63	2	151,650
45.	Birdonthewire	16	41	7	147,135
46.	Golden Gear	25	63	5	146,415
47.	Town Caper	17	45	6	140,439
48.	Future Storm	34	96	9	134,934
49.	Distinctive Cat	19	59	12	134,273
50.	Bonus Money (GB)	18	54	8	131,927

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11.	Unusual Heat	35	105	21	794,579
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Leading Sires by Average Earnings Per Runner (Minimum 10 Runners)

Rank	Sire	Runners	Races Won	Earnings	Average Earnings/Runner
1.	Atticus#	25	11	\$1,009,190	\$40,368
2.	Unusual Heat	35	21	794,579	22,702
3.	In Excess (Ire)	56	23	1,027,830	18,354
4.	Swiss Yodeler	62	33	833,124	13,437
5.	Benchmark	47	16	625,118	13,300
6.	Event of the Year	35	19	435,515	12,443
7.	Western Fame	19	11	224,721	11,827
8.	Strike Gold	12	14	129,898	10,825
9.	Cee's Tizzy	50	21	523,328	10,467
10.	Bartok (Ire)	34	13	350,528	10,310
11.	Memo (Chi)	54	22	548,876	10,164
12.	Bertrando	82	41	813,489	9,921
13.	High Brite	62	30	584,913	9,434
14.	Siberian Summer	31	11	285,164	9,199
15.	Birdonthewire	16	7	147,135	9,196
16.	Iron Cat	10	4	90,184	9,018
17.	General Meeting	40	15	360,149	9,004
18.	You and I	34	15	302,248	8,890
19.	Game Plan	26	9	225,598	8,677
20.	Smokester*	60	22	517,064	8,618

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Beau Genius	61	22	27	351,366
7. In Excess (Ire)	56	20	23	1,027,830
Memo (Chi)	54	20	22	548,876
Roar	74	20	23	513,060
10. Smokester*	60	18	22	517,064
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20. Benchmark	47	14	16	625,118
Helmsman	51	14	18	428,634
Souvenir Copy#	54	14	17	389,734
Avenue of Flags*	32	14	16	220,575

Leading Sires by Turf Earnings (Minimum 50 Starts Lifetime)

Rank Sire	Runners	Starts	Races		
			Winners	Won	Earnings
1. Unusual Heat	22	43	9	10	\$486,606
2. In Excess (Ire)	17	22	5	5	414,122
3. Benchmark	8	11	2	2	238,380
4. Bertrando	17	28	4	6	168,880
5. Cee's Tizzy	10	14	2	2	125,072
6. Flying Continental*	12	22	5	6	116,942
7. Robannier	5	10	2	2	110,768
8. Storm Creek	19	43	3	4	93,142
9. Event of the Year	7	18	2	2	88,527
10. Game Plan	7	11	2	3	83,140
11. Roar	16	27	2	2	65,087
12. Souvenir Copy#	8	10	1	1	61,810
13. Bartok (Ire)	6	9	2	2	59,482
14. General Meeting	10	15	1	1	57,116
15. Comic Strip	5	11	1	2	54,770
16. Lil Tyler	3	6	1	1	51,488
17. Smokester*	12	18	2	2	46,042
18. High Brite	8	12	1	1	45,550
19. Valid Wager	7	18	2	2	45,272
20. Iz a Saros	1	3	1	1	45,120

Leading Sires by Median Earnings Per Runner (Minimum 10 Runners)

Rank Sire	Runners	Races		Median Earnings/Runner
		Won	Earnings	
1. Unusual Heat	35	21	\$794,579	\$10,080
2. Strike Gold	12	14	129,898	9,128
3. In Excess (Ire)	56	23	1,027,830	8,820
4. Soft Gold (Brz)	13	4	83,558	8,776
5. Event of the Year	35	19	435,515	8,197
6. Iron Cat	10	4	90,184	6,911
7. Surachai	14	6	99,127	6,400
8. Larry the Legend	18	7	117,167	5,394
9. Avenue of Flags*	32	16	220,575	5,393
10. Paranoide (Arg)*	15	9	116,306	5,276
11. Cee's Tizzy	50	21	523,328	5,175
12. Lord Carson*	57	28	452,953	4,800
13. Swiss Yodeler	62	33	833,124	4,373
14. Birdonthewire	16	7	147,135	4,238
15. Bertrando	82	41	813,489	4,048
16. Distinctive Cat	19	12	134,273	3,998
17. Game Plan	26	9	225,598	3,856
18. Souvenir Copy#	54	17	389,734	3,843
19. Flying Continental*	52	27	345,625	3,839
20. Siberian Summer	31	11	285,164	3,720

Leading Sires by Average Earnings Per Start (Minimum 50 Starts)

Rank Sire	Runners	Starts	Earnings	Average Earnings/Start
1. Atticus#	25	62	\$1,009,190	\$16,277
2. Unusual Heat	35	105	794,579	7,567
3. In Excess (Ire)	56	142	1,027,830	7,238
4. Benchmark	47	110	625,118	5,683
5. Swiss Yodeler	62	177	833,124	4,707
6. Memo (Chi)	54	129	548,876	4,255
7. Event of the Year	35	105	435,515	4,148
8. Bartok (Ire)	34	90	350,528	3,895
9. Bertrando	82	218	813,489	3,732
10. Cee's Tizzy	50	141	523,328	3,712
11. General Meeting	40	112	360,149	3,216
12. You and I	34	94	302,248	3,215
13. Smokester*	60	167	517,064	3,096
14. High Brite	62	194	584,913	3,015
15. Helmsman	51	143	428,634	2,997
16. Old Topper	24	69	204,399	2,962
17. Souvenir Copy#	54	133	389,734	2,930
18. Game Plan	26	80	225,598	2,820
19. Lord Carson*	57	164	452,953	2,762
20. Comic Strip	33	75	206,715	2,756

The statistics contained in these rankings are compiled by The Jockey Club Information Systems Inc. While every effort is made to prevent errors and omissions, California Thoroughbred cannot guarantee their complete and total accuracy. A dagger (†) indicates a stallion has been retired, an asterisk (*) that he has died, a dot (•) that he is now standing elsewhere, a number sign (#) that he did not stand in California in 2004 but stands in the state in 2005, a double dagger (‡) that he did not stand in California in 2005 but will stand in the state in 2006 and in bold that he is a freshman sire—in all cases the sire will remain in the rankings until the year after his last California foals are two-year-olds. Statistics cover racing in North America (U.S., Canada and Puerto Rico), England, France, Germany, Ireland, Italy and the United Arab Emirates only.