

Sydney 2020-2023 Analysis.

We often get asked when we are going to do a deep dive into Sydney ratings. Melbourne analysis is quite often featured in newsletters but not so, Sydney.

The answer is that the big 2022 wet rendered a whole year virtually un-analysable. It was the most extraordinary year of Elite's 30+ years where trainers couldn't get their horses fit and racing was on bog tracks week after week.

Well, since then we have had a good run at it in Sydney and all the data in the 2020-2023 Sydney Master Data spreadsheet is talking sense again.

This year, Sydney Combo bets have made \$4,249 profit (As-listed at the time) from the 57 bets. That says 'back on track'.

But we have been searching for ways to increase action in Sydney without sacrificing strike-rates and profits.

We found that only **FIVE filters** were required to turn Sydney Top-Rated horses into **power profit-makers**.

Summary:

For those who are not into the stats and analysis, the bottom line is that we have uncovered a big pool of strong top-raters, 70% of which are being missed by the Syd-Combo strategy. We are still deciding what is the best way to present them on raceday. More to come on that.

Reference:

[Master-Data-SYD 2023](#) Excel

[ALL SYD Top-Filters Qualifiers 2020-2023](#) Pdf

[SYD TOP-Filter Only - NOT Combo Qualifiers](#) Pdf

[SYD COMBO ONLY - Not Top-Filter Qualifiers](#) Pdf

[Coinciders, qualified for both SYD TOP-Filter AND Syd Combo](#) Pdf

[SYD TOP-Filter-Only AND Syd-Combo-Only AND Top-Combo Coinciders](#) Pdf

The sample below shows part of the last page where it summarises the 527 bets from Aug 2023 to now. 32% strike-rate, 51% PTO.

Sydney Top Filter and Combo contributors. 527 Individual qualifiers over three years.

Level \$100 Betting							
FIVE Filters	Fin	Best Odds	Place Div	Lev Bet	Lev Ret	Lev Profit	Combo or Top Filter
Scen	2nd	5.50	2.10	100		-100	Combo
OK		2.70		100		-100	Top
OK	2nd	9.50	3.00	100		-100	Top
OK	Won	8.00	2.00	100	800	700	Top
OK	Won	2.60	1.30	100	260	160	Top & Combo
Pace	2nd	2.40	1.30	100		-100	Combo
OK	Won	4.20	1.50	100	420	320	Top & Combo
>\$10.00	3rd	6.50	1.90	100		-100	Combo
Scen		3.00		100		-100	Combo
OK	2nd	4.80		100		-100	Top
Scen		9.00		100		-100	Combo
>\$10.00		8.00		100		-100	Combo
OK		4.40		100		-100	Top
Scen	Won	3.90	1.60	100	390	290	Combo
OK		4.40		100		-100	Top & Combo
OK	Won	5.00	1.60	100	500	400	Top
Scen	Won	1.85	1.30	100	185	85	Combo
Pace	3rd	2.45	1.20	100		-100	Combo
			569	52,700	79,839	27,139	
							51.5%

Bets	Winners	S/Rate
527	168	31.9%
\$4.7523	Average Odds	

The Filters

Randwick and Rosehill FIVE Filters:

Apply to Top-Rated (Randwick and Rosehill)

- 1) No 3yo or WFA races
- 2) Weight to carry no more than 60kg.
- 3) AM Odds must be in the range from \$2.00 to \$9.99.
- 4) Pace must not include "B" or "M", that's Back or Mid. (B, BM, MB, M MOP, OPM are all excluded).
- 5) Scenario must be rated 1,2,3 or 4.

All Other NSW Tracks:

Apply to Top-Rated at meetings away from Randwick and Rosehill.

We are still weighing up rules 4 and 5 due to lack of data at the non-Ran/Rose tracks

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Spreadsheet users can analyse the data back to August 1st 2020 in the Master-Data-SYD-2023 spreadsheet online.

The above filters are automatically applied in column AB. Any top-rater that passes is listed as "OK" in that column.

Here is a summary of the 319 qualifying top-raters over the three year period.

[ALL SYD Top-Filters Qualifiers 2020-2023 Pdf](#)

Date	Track	Race	TAB	Horse	Pace of Horse	AM Odds	To Carr	Scen Order	Rated Order	FIVE Filters	Fin	Best Odds	Place Div	Lev Bet	Lev Ret	Lev Profit	
1/08/2020	Randwick	4	10	EMANATE	L	3.20	54.0	3	1	OK		3.20		100		-100	
1/08/2020	Randwick	7	4	BLACK MAGNUM	OP	4.00	52.5	3	1	OK		3.00		100		-100	
8/08/2020	Rosehill	2	4	ROYAL BANQUET	OP	2.30	54.5	1	1	OK		2.60		100		-100	
15/08/2020	Randwick	1	6	VITESSE	L	3.70	55.5	1	1	OK	2nd	3.20	1.60	100		-100	
15/08/2020	Randwick	5	2	TAIKOMOGHI	L	2.50	60.0	1	1	OK	Won	4.10	2.30	100	410	310	
8/07/2023	Randwick	4	5	DIAMOND DIESEL	OP	3.50	55.0	2	1	OK	Won	4.60	1.70	100	460	360	
8/07/2023	Randwick	5	11	MIRRA VIEW	OP	6.60	56.5	1	1	OK		6.50		100		-100	
8/07/2023	Randwick	7	1	INSURRECTION	OP	2.45	59.5	2	1	OK	Won	2.80	1.30	100	280	180	
8/07/2023	Randwick	10	1	KIR ROYALE	OP	5.50	60.0	1	1	OK		5.50		100		-100	
15/07/2023	Randwick	2	6	OAKFIELD WARATAH	OP	3.20	58.5	1	1	OK	Won	3.90	1.50	100	390	290	
15/07/2023	Randwick	10	8	PASSEGGIATA	L	3.10	56.5	1	1	OK		5.00		100		-100	
22/07/2023	Rosehill	9	8	OMNI MAN	L	2.35	54.0	4	1	OK	Won	2.10	1.20	100	210	110	
29/07/2023	Randwick	7	4	MOGO MAGIC	L	2.40	60.0	1	1	OK	Won	2.90	1.50	100	290	190	
29/07/2023	Randwick	8	4	INSURRECTION	OP	2.50	57.5	1	1	OK	Won	2.45	1.20	100	245	145	
29/07/2023	Randwick	10	3	BANANA QUEEN	OP	3.00	59.0	3	1	OK		2.70		100		-100	
5/08/2023	Rosehill	2	3	XPRESSO	OP	9.20	59.5	2	1	OK	2nd	9.50	3.00	100		-100	
5/08/2023	Rosehill	7	1	BRUDENELL	OP	6.60	59.0	1	1	OK	Won	8.00	2.00	100	800	700	
5/08/2023	Rosehill	8	11	I AM ME	OP	2.90	54.0	3	1	OK	Won	2.60	1.30	100	260	160	
5/08/2023	Rosehill	10	14	AMOR VICTORIOUS	OPL	6.30	52.5	3	1	OK	Won	4.20	1.50	100	420	320	
26/08/2023	Rosehill	2	1	TOO MUCH CAVIAR	L	5.10	59.0	1	1	OK	2nd	4.80		100		-100	
26/08/2023	Rosehill	9	12	GLINT OF SILVER	OP	4.60	54.5	1	1	OK		4.40		100		-100	
2/09/2023	Randwick	5	5	MILITARY MISSION	OP	5.00	56.5	2	1	OK		4.40		100		-100	
2/09/2023	Randwick	7	9	REMARQUE	OP	5.50	56.0	4	1	OK	Won	5.00	1.60	100	500	400	
														339	31,900	45,085	13,189
																	41.3%

Bets	319	S/Rate	101	31.7%
Average Odds	\$4.4642	Ave Bet	100	
Weeks	161	Weeks	161	
Bet Per week	2.0	Bet Per week	2.0	
Profit Per Week	82	Profit Per Week	82	
Profit Per Month	355	Profit Per Month	355	

Place Bets	319
Place Returns	180
Place S/Rate	56.43%
Place Divs	\$ 339
Ave Place DIV	\$ 1.88
Place \$100 Lev Bet	\$ 31,900
Place Total Return	\$ 33,904
Place Net Profit	\$ 2,004
Place Profit %	6.3%

224 of the 319 "OK" Top-Raters were NOT Syd Combo qualifiers under the **current** Combo algorithm. \$7,700 of the \$13,000 net profit was made by those non-combo top-raters.

We have found a large number of very strong top-raters that were being ignored.

Here is the Top-Rated "OK" summary for this year:

Date	Track	Race	TAB	Horse	Pace of Horse	AM Odds	To Carr	Scen Order	Rated Order	FIVE Filters	Fin	Best Odds	Place Div	Lev Bet	Lev Ret	Lev Profit
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14/01/2023	Rosehill	7	4	DEHORNED UNICORN	OP	3.60	57.5	1	1	OK		3.60		100		-100
21/01/2023	Randwick	2	9	CRAFTY EAGLE	OP	2.50	56.5	2	1	OK	2nd	4.20	1.90	100		-100
21/01/2023	Randwick	4	6	IRISH LEGEND	OP	6.70	56.0	2	1	OK	Won	7.00	2.00	100	700	600

1/07/2023	Rosehill	2	1	SEMANA	L	2.00	56.5	1	1	OK	Won	1.80	1.04	100	180	80
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74	6,700	12,735	6,035
			90.1%

Bets	S/Rate
67	28 41.8%
\$4,5482	Average Odds
100	Ave Bet
34	Weeks
2.0	Bet Per week
178	Profit Per Week
769	Profit Per Month

Place Bets	67
Place Returns	43
Place S/Rate	64.18%
Place Divs	\$ 74
Ave Place DIV	\$ 1.71
Place \$100 Lev Bet	\$ 6,700
Place Total Return	\$ 7,374
Place Net Profit	\$ 674
Place Profit %	10.1%

Note, we do notice that there is a place div missing. That has been rectified in the spreadsheet.

Ric and I will work on this concept and update. There is huge potential here to really beef up Sydney members' raceday participation.

Regards
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