

Bord na gCon - Track Ratings

As part of the ongoing review of Track Ratings on a national basis, Bord na gCon has recently reviewed the track ratings applied to licensed Stadia under normal conditions. Two such reviews were conducted in 2017 and the most recent analysis of track ratings incorporated race results from May 1st 2017 to May 1st 2018.

The methodology in deriving and application of track ratings has been independently assessed. The results from the most recent review confirm a reduction in the number of groups i.e. 7 groups will now be reduced to six.

	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6
Sprint	0.05 Fast	Normal	-0.05 Slow	-0.10 Slow	-0.20 Slow	-0.20 slow
Middle	0.10 Fast	Normal	-0.10 Slow	-0.20 Slow	-0.40 Slow	-0.80 Slow
Long						
≤ 800 Yards	0.10 Fast	Normal	-0.10 Slow	-0.25 Slow	-0.50 Slow	-1.0 Slow
> 800 Yards	0.15 Fast	Normal	-0.15 Slow	-0.30 Slow	-0.60 Slow	-1.20 Slow
	Cork	Dundalk	Drumbo	Longford	Kilkenny	Mullingar
		Shelbourne	Tralee	Lifford	Thurles	
		Waterford		Clonmel	Enniscorthy	
		Limerick		Newbridge	Youghal	
				Galway		

Going rates are levied from Shelbourne Park going which is set at Normal (Sand).

The proposed Track Ratings do not affect the authority of the Stewards of a Meeting to rate a track according to weather and surface conditions experienced at a particular Meeting.

The above Track Ratings will take effect from and including Monday June 25th 2018.

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20/6/2018.