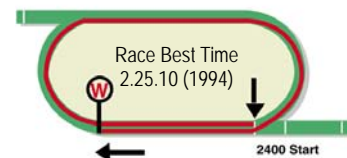


LONGINES Hong Kong Vase (Group 1)

HK\$18 million (US\$2.3 million)

1st HK\$10,260,000, 2nd HK\$3,960,000, 3rd HK\$1,800,000,
4th HK\$1,026,000, 5th HK\$594,000, 6th HK\$360,000



Performance Analysis

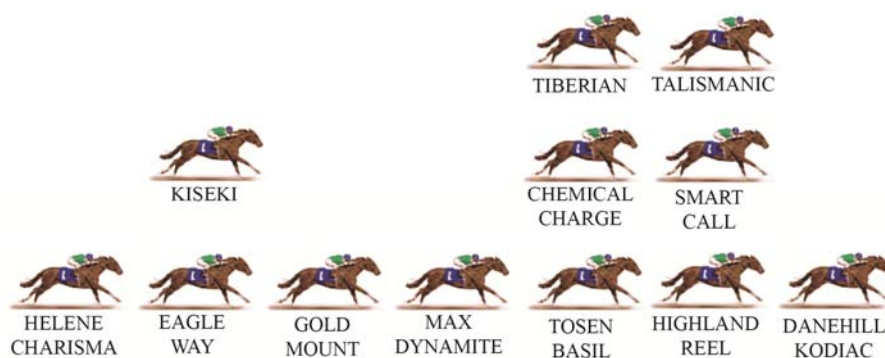
Horse Details					Horse Statistics							Probable Jockey	Trainer	
Name	Rep	Age/Sex	Wt.	Int'l Rtg	Lifetime	G1	Good	Wet	RH	2200-2800	Trk/Dist			
Highland Reel		IRE	5h	126	123	26 (9-6-3)	21 (6-4-3)	17 (9-4-2)	9 (0-2-1)	15 (6-4-1)	13 (5-3-1)	2 (1-1-0)	R Moore	A P O'Brien
Talismanic		FR	4c	126	122	16 (6-5-1)	4 (1-0-0)	5 (4-0-0)	11 (2-5-1)	4 (0-1-1)	11 (5-3-1)	0 (0-0-0)	M Barzalona	A Fabre
Tiberian		FR	5h	126	114	18 (6-4-0)	4 (0-0-0)	8 (3-2-0)	10 (3-2-0)	9 (2-4-0)	13 (5-3-0)	0 (0-0-0)	O Peslier	A Couetil
Chemical Charge		GB	5h	126	113	14 (5-6-1)	1 (0-0-0)	6 (3-2-1)	5 (0-3-0)	8 (2-5-1)	10 (3-4-1)	0 (0-0-0)	O Murphy	R M Beckett
Danehill Kodiac		GB	4c	126	113	16 (5-3-3)	0 (0-0-0)	9 (2-2-2)	4 (2-0-1)	7 (3-1-1)	9 (3-2-2)	0 (0-0-0)	S Levey	R Hannon
Eagle Way		HK	5g	126	113	22 (6-3-1)	2 (1-0-1)	18 (6-2-1)	4 (0-1-0)	22 (6-3-1)	5 (2-2-1)	2 (1-0-1)	T Berry	J Moore
Max Dynamite		IRE	7g	126	113	16 (3-2-4)	5 (0-1-1)	6 (0-2-2)	8 (3-0-1)	9 (0-0-2)	4 (1-0-0)	0 (0-0-0)	G Schofield	W P Mullins
Tosen Basil		JPN	5h	126	113	17 (5-3-2)	2 (0-0-0)	17 (5-3-2)	0 (0-0-0)	12 (2-3-2)	8 (3-1-1)	0 (0-0-0)	J Moreira	H Fujiwara
Gold Mount		HK	4g	126	109	14 (6-1-2)	1 (0-0-0)	8 (3-1-1)	4 (3-0-0)	10 (5-0-2)	4 (2-0-1)	2 (0-0-1)	Z Purton	A S Cruz
Helene Charisma		HK	4c	126	108	18 (3-1-4)	2 (1-0-0)	11 (0-1-2)	7 (3-0-2)	15 (1-1-3)	4 (1-1-0)	2 (0-1-0)	S Clipperton	J Moore
Smart Call		GB	6m	122	110	21 (7-4-3)	8 (3-1-0)	18 (7-4-2)	3 (0-0-1)	16 (4-4-2)	0 (0-0-0)	0 (0-0-0)	J Crowley	Sir M R Stoute
Kiseki		JPN	3c	121	118	8 (4-1-2)	1 (1-0-0)	7 (3-1-2)	1 (1-0-0)	5 (2-1-2)	2 (0-1-1)	0 (0-0-0)	M Demuro	K Sumii

Barrier Draw Statistic

Draw	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1	0	4	1	3
2	2	1	3	2
3	3	3	1	1
4	4	1	2	2
5	1	2	1	3
6	1	1	2	3
7	3	3	3	1
8	0	1	2	0
9	4	1	1	1
10	1	3	3	3
11	0	1	3	1
12	3	1	0	1
13	0	0	2	0
14	1	1	0	1

(Past 23 runnings)

Speed Chart



The Sha Tin 2400m circuit is relatively flat and fast by European standards, making tactical speed an advantage. Last year, when Satono Crown and Highland Reel singled out to stage their memorable 2-horse war, Highland Reel was in front at the 800m and Satono Crown just 2-1/2 lengths off the lead at the same stage. The most recent winner to come from the rear was Hong Kong's Dominant (2013), and he was still 5-1/4 lengths off the leader at the 800m. If there is such a thing as the "perfect" place to be, it would be four lengths off the lead, and one horse away from the rail, when they reach the half-way point.

(Likely Pace: GOOD TO SLOW)