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Norsk Rikstoto is an independent foundation which was established in 1982. Norsk Rikstoto has a Government issued license for all horse betting in Norway. Racetracks (12) are responsible for sport events. The racing authorities Det Norske Travselsskap (The Norwegian Trotting Association) and Norsk Jockeyklub (The Norwegian Jockeyclub) are responsible for all sport matters, keeper of the stud books and further development of the horseracing industry.



Main annual races

Trotting Races: (International Races)

- Forus Open, Stavanger, Forus, April
- Oslo Grand Prix, Oslo, Bjerke, May
- Ulf Thoresen Memorial, Tonsberg, Jarlsberg , July
- Axel Jensen Memorial, Oslo, Bjerke, November

Gallop Races (International races – approved by the European Pattern Committee) :

- Polar Cup, (GR 3),Oslo, Ovrevoll, July
- Marit Sveaas Memorial, (GR 3), Oslo, Ovrevoll, August

Sport statistics – 2006

Number of racecourses	Number of races			Number of starting horses			People employed in the horseracing and breeding sector	
	Trotting	Gallop	Total	Trotting	Gallop	Total	Direct	Indirect
12	4424	260	4684	5689	518	6207	750	5000

Betting figures – fiscal year 2006 - (national currency – 1NOK=0.12€)

Pari Mutuel betting turnover NOKx000	% of overall national betting (source:www.lottstift.no)	% on domestic races		% on foreign races	
		Separate pool	Common Pool	Separate pool	Common Pool
2 780 000 350 M€	7,3%	98,7%	1,3%	4%	96%

Bet types – 2006

Bet name	% of betting income
V75	31,5%
V65	12,7%

Betting Networks 2006

- On-Track
- Agents
- Online Gaming

DD (Daily Double)	8%	- Telephone
V5	28,3%	
TRIO	10,4%	
WIN	5%	
PLACE	1,5%	
STRAIGHT FORECAST	2,6%	

Redistribution/Contribution – 2006

	Amount in € or national currency NOKX000	% of turnover
To winning punters/customers	1 835 000	66%
To the horse racing industry	486 500 – 61M€	17,5%
To others (Public Agency, Ministries, other social organisation)	102 800 158 100	3,7% 5,7%