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No	Silk	Form	Horse Details	Age/Wt	Jockey/Trainer	OR
1		F46/513 -	<b>KNOCKGRAFFON</b> (IRE) 68 D BF b g Fiemensfirth - Gleaming Spire	9 11 - 9tp	Aidan Coleman Olly Murphy	141
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Pink, red chevrons, pink sleeves, white stars, red cap, pink star <b>Timeform says:</b> Capitalised on reduced mark at Musselburgh (20.3f) on New Year's Day and creditable third back at that venue in March. Fancied to make his presence felt again. ★★★★★☆ (Forecast 4.00)				Notes:		
2		F/22930 -	<b>CASABLANCA MIX</b> (FR) 29 D ch m Shirocco - Latitude	7 11 - 6	Nico de Boinville N J Henderson	138
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Dark blue, white armlets <b>Timeform says:</b> Back on track over fences when third in a mares' listed chase at Huntingdon (19.8f) in January. Ran poorly over hurdles at Cheltenham in April but she may well bounce back. ★★★★★ (Forecast 4.50)				Notes:		
3		16352F- -	<b>INDIAN TEMPLE</b> (IRE) 42 D b g Indian River - Ballycraggan	10 11 - 4p	Harry Reed (3) W T Reed	136
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Dark blue and light blue check, hooped sleeves <b>Timeform says:</b> Consistent performer who was runner-up in this race prior to scoring at Perth (20f) last season. Fell heavily in last month's Topham but no surprise to see him bounce back returned to calmer waters. ★★★★★☆ (Forecast 7.50)				Notes:		
4		196/117- -	<b>DIEG MAN</b> (FR) 211 D ch g Kapgarde - Majestic Card	6 11 - 1	T Scudamore N P Mulholland	133
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Emerald green, yellow hoops, white cap <b>Timeform says:</b> Four-time hurdle winner who landed a small-field novice chase at Cartmel (2.1f) in August. Let down by jumping at Uttoxeter (22.5f) in October but he remains low-mileage in this sphere. ★★★★★☆ (Forecast 9.00)				Notes:		
5		171P34- -	<b>LOFGREN</b> 153 D b g Multiplex - Sherry Darling	8 11 - 1bt	B S Hughes D McCain Jnr	133
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Red and grey stripes, red sleeves and cap <b>Timeform says:</b> Back to winning ways at Bangor (20f) in October. Mixed bag in defeat subsequently but his mark is at least easing again and this less demanding than his latest Doncaster assignment. ★★★★★☆ (Forecast 13.00)				Notes:		
6		51963-5 -	<b>VALUE AT RISK</b> 13 D b g Kayf Tara - Miss Orchestra	10 11 - 0	Harry Skelton D Skelton	132
<b>Jockey Colours:</b> Red, light blue stars, yellow cap, light blue stars <b>Timeform says:</b> Hard to catch right but proved that he's still capable when on-song by scoring at Market Rasen in January. By no means disgraced in recent weeks and the return to this trip a plus. ★★★★★☆ (Forecast 6.50)				Notes:		
7		3/1434P -	<b>ACDC</b> (IRE) 34 D b g King's Theatre - Always Alert	9 11 - 0ht	Sean Quinlan C Grant	132
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**TIMEFORM VIEW:** CASABLANCA MIX needs forgiving a lesser effort over hurdles last time, yet she had previously run with credit when third over fences at Huntingdon and, from a reduced mark, could be worth chancing. Knockgraffon and Value At Risk both arrive in good nick and can also feature.

#### Timeform 1-2-3:

- 1: CASABLANCA MIX (2)
- 2: KNOCKGRAFFON (1)
- 3: VALUE AT RISK (6)

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<b>CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)</b>									
<b>Flat Turf:</b> 2 - 0 - 1 - 1				<b>Jumps:</b> 18 - 5 - 3 - 2			<b>All Weather:</b> 0 - 0 - 0 - 0		
<b>RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY</b>									
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR	
10 Mar 19	mus 20f Hcp Ch Cls3 9K	Gd-Sft	12-0tp	3/4 2¾ len	Aidan Coleman	evensf	1st Mixboy, 2nd INDIAN TEMPLE, 3rd <b>KNOCKGRAFFON</b> held up last, not fluent 7th, pushed along and outpaced after 12th, hit 3 out, rallied from 2 out, went 2nd last, stayed on same pace, no chance with winner, lost 2nd post	142	
01 Jan 19	mus 20f Hcp Ch Cls2 19K	Gd	11-9tp	1/5 1¾ len	Aidan Coleman	4/1	1st <b>KNOCKGRAFFON</b> , 2nd Forth Bridge, 3rd Mixboy chased leaders, driven to challenge 4 out, went 2nd 2 out, led last, ran on well	139	
18 May 18	Ain 25f Hcp Ch Cls2 15K	Gd	11-9tp	5/7 22 len	B S Hughes	8/1	1st Virgilio, 2nd Winter Lion, 3rd Monbeg River held up well in rear, headway from 15th, mistake 3 out, weakening when mistake 2 out	142	
18 Apr 18	Che 21f Hcp Ch Gd2 Cls1 34K	Gd	10-7tp	6/16 13¾ len	B S Hughes	14/1	1st Traffic Fluid, 2nd Art Of Payroll, 3rd Kalendra mid-division, headway 9th, mistake next, not fluent 12th, struggling after 3 out, plugged on, no impression	143	
23 Feb 18	War 20f Hcp Ch Cls2 19K	Gd-Sft	11-12tp	4/7 4½ len	B S Hughes	6/1	1st Cobra De Mai, 2nd Drumlee Sunset, 3rd Kayf Adventure held up, headway 6th, mistake and outpaced 12th, no impression after, went 4th last, stayed on towards finish	144	
03 Feb 18	Wth 19f Hcp Ch Cls2 13K	Hy	11-5tp	F/8	Fergus Gregory (7)	9/2	1st Mercian Prince, 2nd Pain Au Chocolat, 3rd Kayf Blanco held up towards rear, headway after 5 out, no impression when fell 2 out	145	

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CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)

Flat Turf: 2 - 2 - 0 - 0

Jumps: 15 - 3 - 3 - 3

All Weather: 1 - 0 - 0 - 1


RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
18 Apr 19	Che 20f Hcp Hdl List Cls1 14K	Gd	11-10	12/16 41 len	James Bowen	20/1	1st Sunshade, 2nd Augusta Gold, 3rd Inessa led until after 2nd, led 6th, headed next, weakened well before last	135
25 Jan 19	Hun 20f Ch List Cls1 43K	Gd-Sft	11-0	3/7 5 len	Nico de Boinville	9/2½f	1st Happy Diva, 2nd Magic Of Light, 3rd CASABLANCA MIX held up, pushed along 9th, not fluent 11th, effort 3 out, soon outpaced, plugged on before last to take 3rd flat	141
15 Dec 18	Che 21f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 74K	Gd	10-5	9/12 32 len	Nico de Boinville	14/1	1st Frodon, 2nd Cepage, 3rd Guitar Pete mid-division, not fluent 3rd, struggling 12th, no impression after	143
08 Nov 18	mar 24f Ch List Cls1 17K	Gd	11-0	2/5 ½ len	D A Jacob	evensf	1st Rons Dream, 2nd CASABLANCA MIX, 3rd Atlanta Ablaze led to 1st, tracked leader, driven to challenge when left 4 lengths clear 3 out, ridden after next, kept on when hard pressed flat, headed narrowly near finish	145
21 Oct 18	Kmp 18f Hcp Ch Cls3 8K	Gd	11-12	2/7 10 len	Nico de Boinville	11/10f	1st Copain De Classe, 2nd CASABLANCA MIX, 3rd Valhalla took keen hold, led, headed after 4th, led next, headed 2 out, still pressing winner when mistake and stumbled last, well held after	138
21 Dec 17	Exe 17.5f Nov Ch Cls3 12K	Sft	11-1	F/5	Ned Curtis (5)	5/4f	1st The Nipper, 2nd Shaama Grise, 3rd On Demand tracked leading pair, 2nd at 6th, closed approaching 4 out, led travelling well next, clear 2 out, 8 lengths ahead when fell last	138

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**Timeform says:** *Four-time hurdle winner who landed a small-field novice chase at Cartmel (21f) in August. Let down by jumping at Uttoxeter (22.5f) in October but he remains low-mileage in this sphere.* ★★★★★ (Forecast 9.00)

**CAREER STATS (Starts - Wins - 2nds - 3rds)**

Flat Turf: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

Jumps: 13 - 5 - 1 - 2

All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0


**RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY**

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
18 Oct 18	Utt 22.5f Nov Hcp Ch Cls3 7K	Gd-Sft	11-8	7/12 48 len	B J Geraghty	10/1	1st Just A Sting, 2nd Station Master, 3rd Dashing Perk soon towards rear, not always fluent, well behind from 11th	133
25 Aug 18	Crt 21f Nov Ch Cls4 6K	Gd-Sft	11-4 2 len	1/4	T Scudamore	11/8½f	1st <b>DIEG MAN</b> , 2nd Fair Exchange, 3rd Hollins Hill close up in 3rd on outside, left 2nd 2 out, poised to challenge after last, pushed into lead inside final furlong, kept on, always doing enough	133
26 May 18	Crt 22f Hcp Hdl Cls3 7K	Gd	11-12 1¼ len	1/9	B J Geraghty	3/1½f	1st <b>DIEG MAN</b> , 2nd All For The Best, 3rd Sweet Holly mid-division, not that fluent, headway 5th, 3rd last, closed on leader and went 2nd final 200 yards, stayed on, led close home	129
23 Mar 18	Sdg 20f Hcp Hdl Cls2 19K	Sft	11-7½	6/7 46 len	Harry Reed (5)	4/1½f	1st Henry's Joy, 2nd It's Your Move, 3rd Quick Pick towards rear, pushed along after 3 out, never dangerous	130
17 Feb 18	Asc 19f Hcp Hdl Cls2 28K	Sft	10-7 55 len	9/9	B J Geraghty	3/1½f	1st Le Patriote, 2nd Friday Night Light, 3rd Vivas keen, chased leaders on outside, pushed along and came wide before 2 out, soon beaten	130
01 Jan 18	ctt 19f Nov Hdl Cls4 5K	Sft	11-8 3 len	1/7	N P Madden	2/5f	1st <b>DIEG MAN</b> , 2nd Blottos, 3rd Big Thunder held up in touch, smooth headway on outside after 3 out, challenged when left in lead next, shaken up after last, driven out, readily	130

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Flat Turf: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0				Jumps: 35 - 6 - 8 - 3			All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0	
RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY								
Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
15 Dec 18	Don 24f Hcp Ch Cls2 16K	Gd	11-0bt	4/5 46 len	B S Hughes	8/1	1st O O Seven, 2nd Go Conquer, 3rd Strainahanna in touch on outside, struggling 12th, soon behind, lost touch 4 out, plugged on to take remote 4th closing stages	135
17 Nov 18	Wth 19f Hcp Ch Cls3 10K	Gd	11-11bt	3/6 15 len	W T Kennedy	16/1	1st Catamaran Du Seuil, 2nd Cracking Find, 3rd LOFGREN chased leader, led 2nd until next, chased leader until pushed along before 4 out, ridden and outpaced before next, rallied run-in, went modest 3rd post	137
27 Oct 18	Kel 26f Hcp Ch Cls2 16K	Gd	11-2bt	PU/4	B S Hughes	5/1	1st Dandy Dan, 2nd Red Giant chased leaders, hampered 2nd and 5th, slow 7th, under pressure 14th, soon weakened, tailed off from 4 out, pulled up after next	137
11 Oct 18	Ban 20f Hcp Ch Cls3 7K	Gd	11-7b1t	1/4 6 len	B S Hughes	9/4f2	1st LOFGREN, 2nd Mill Quest, 3rd Bishops Court tracked leader, not fluent 2nd, led 10th, ridden after 2 out, drew clear flat, stayed on well	132
25 Sep 18	War 25.5f Hcp Ch Cls3 10K	Gd	11-5tp	7/10 24 len	B S Hughes	11/2	1st Laurium, 2nd Pickamix, 3rd Call To Order held up, always towards rear, weakened 5 out	132
27 Aug 18	Crt 25.5f Hcp Ch Cls2 13K	Sft	11-5tp	1/7 nk	B S Hughes	9/2	1st LOFGREN, 2nd Fact Of The Matter, 3rd Killfinichen Bay held up mid-division, tracked front pair 9th, went 2nd bypassing omitted 2 out, ridden to lead narrowly turning into straight, just held on, all out (2nd last fence omitted on all circuits)	126

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Flat Turf: 5 - 2 - 1 - 1

Jumps: 27 - 6 - 3 - 2

All Weather: 0 - 0 - 0 - 0

RECENT RACE BY RACE HISTORY

Date	Race Details	Going	Weight	Res (Dr)	Jockey	SP	1-2-3 Result / Close-up	OR
04 May 19	Utt 24f Hcp Ch Cls2 22K	Gd	11-5	5/13 6¼ len	Harry Skelton	16/1	1st Cesar Et Rosalie, 2nd Ami Desbois, 3rd Viens Chercher held up in touch on outside, effort 4 out, ridden after next, kept on same pace, no extra after last	133
12 Apr 19	Ayr 20.5f Hcp Ch List Cls1 28K	Gd	10-7	3/13 13 len	Bridget Andrews	14/1	1st Born Survivor, 2nd Sizing Granite, 3rd <b>VALUE AT RISK</b> chased leaders, left 3rd and slightly hampered 2 out, no impression	133
16 Mar 19	Kmp 20.5f Hcp Ch Cls2 25K	Gd-Sft	11-9p	6/9 24 len	Bridget Andrews	16/1	1st Forth Bridge, 2nd Onefortheroadtom, 3rd Brother Tedd mid-division on outside, close up 7th, pressed leader next, blundered and lost place 5 out, behind from next, no danger after	134
02 Mar 19	Nbu 20f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 28K	Gd-Sft	9-10	9/16 27 len	William Marshall (10)	14/1	1st San Benedetto, 2nd Gala Ball, 3rd Valdez held up towards rear, never involved	134
17 Jan 19	mar 19f Hcp Ch Cls3 7K	Gd-Sft	12-1	1/7 ½ len	William Marshall	7/1	1st <b>VALUE AT RISK</b> , 2nd Terry The Fish, 3rd The Winkler in rear, headway 8th, led 3 out, ridden and joined next, asserted towards finish	132
05 Jan 19	Won 20f Hcp Ch Cls2 13K	Gd	10-12	5/7 30 len	Bridget Andrews	10/1	1st Calipto, 2nd Catamaran Du Seuil, 3rd Opening Batsman held up towards rear, pushed along and weakened from 4 out	135

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13 Apr 19	Ayr 32f Hcp Ch Gd3 Cls1 122K	Gd	10-0ht	PU/23	P J Brennan	22/1	1st Takingrisks, 2nd Crosspark, 3rd Cloth Cap held up behind, pushed along after 5 out, never involved, pulled up before next	134
02 Mar 19	Kel 23f Ch List Cls1 34K	Gd-Sft	10-12ht	4/4 8 len	Sean Quinlan	33/1	1st Blue Flight, 2nd Black Corton, 3rd Captain Redbeard held up, effort on outside 4 out, no impression, well held last	133
08 Dec 18	Ain 25f Ch Gd2 Cls1 34K	Sft	11-0ht	3/4 38 len	L Quinlan	28/1	1st Definitely Red, 2nd Double Shuffle, 3rd ACDC tracked leaders, bad mistake 1st, not fluent 13th, pushed along after 15th, weakened 2 out	133
03 Nov 18	Ayr 21.5f Hcp Ch Cls3 13K	Gd	10-13ht	4/6 4¾ len	L Quinlan (7)	7/4f	1st Forest Des Aigles, 2nd Monbeg River, 3rd Our Kaempfer held up, headway 4th, went 2nd 7th until after 9th, ridden after 14th, 4th and beaten flat, no extra towards finish	133
17 Oct 18	Wth 19f Hcp Ch Cls3 8K	Gd	10-7ht	1/5 3 len	L Quinlan (7)	12/1	1st ACDC, 2nd Willie Boy, 3rd Ballyandy tracked front pair, went 2nd before 8th, led 4 out, 2 lengths clear when pecked 2 out, driven and stayed on well flat, in command when ridden out towards finish	128
21 Apr 18	Ayr 24f Nov Hcp Ch Cls2 65K	Gd	10-1ht	3/16 3 len	L Quinlan (7)	10/1	1st Crosshue Boy, 2nd Dingo Dollar, 3rd ACDC in touch, not fluent 10th, close 2nd 4 out, 3rd and held final 50 yards	125