

**2026**  
**NEW MEXICO**  
**FACT BOOK**

**A statistical guide to the  
Thoroughbred industry  
in New Mexico**



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## Preface

This report has been compiled as an industry service by The Jockey Club with the intent of shedding some statistical light on the Thoroughbred industry in NEW MEXICO and, in particular, trends that have evolved over the past two decades. It contains sections on breeding, racing and auction sales. Statistics within the breeding section and those pertaining to racing performance by foaling year are updated on a regular basis. Statistics contained herein are provided courtesy of The Jockey Club, The Jockey Club Information Systems Inc. and Equibase Company LLC. Information pertaining to stallions, mares bred and foal crops are maintained in The Jockey Club's pedigree database and reflect information submitted to the Registry by owners and breeders throughout North America as of the date listed on the page. Information pertaining to races, purses, starters, starts and field size are maintained in the Equibase Company database as collected and reported by chartcallers at tracks throughout North America. Information pertaining to the number of weanlings, yearlings and 2-year-olds sold at auction, gross sales, average price and median price are maintained in the equineline.com database of The Jockey Club Information Systems. Since 2005, Canadian purses have been converted to their equivalent amount in U.S. funds.

Many other statistics about the Thoroughbred industry can be found in The Jockey Club's Online Fact Book ([jockeyclub.com/factbook.asp](http://jockeyclub.com/factbook.asp)). The Jockey Club is dedicated to the improvement of Thoroughbred breeding and racing and serves as the breed registry for North American Thoroughbreds.

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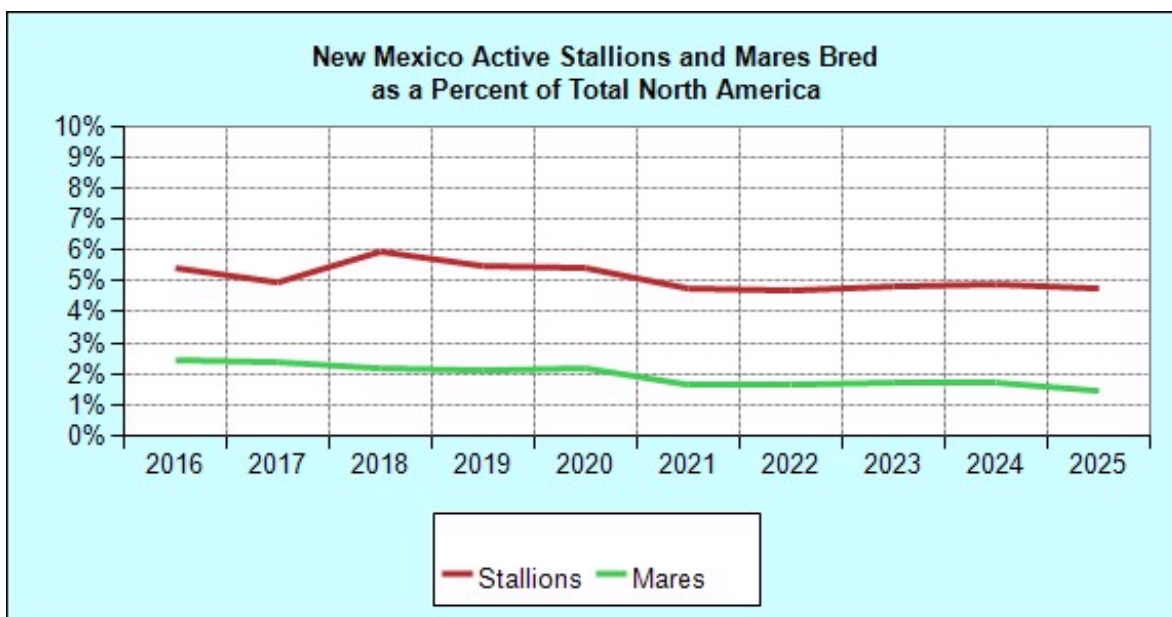
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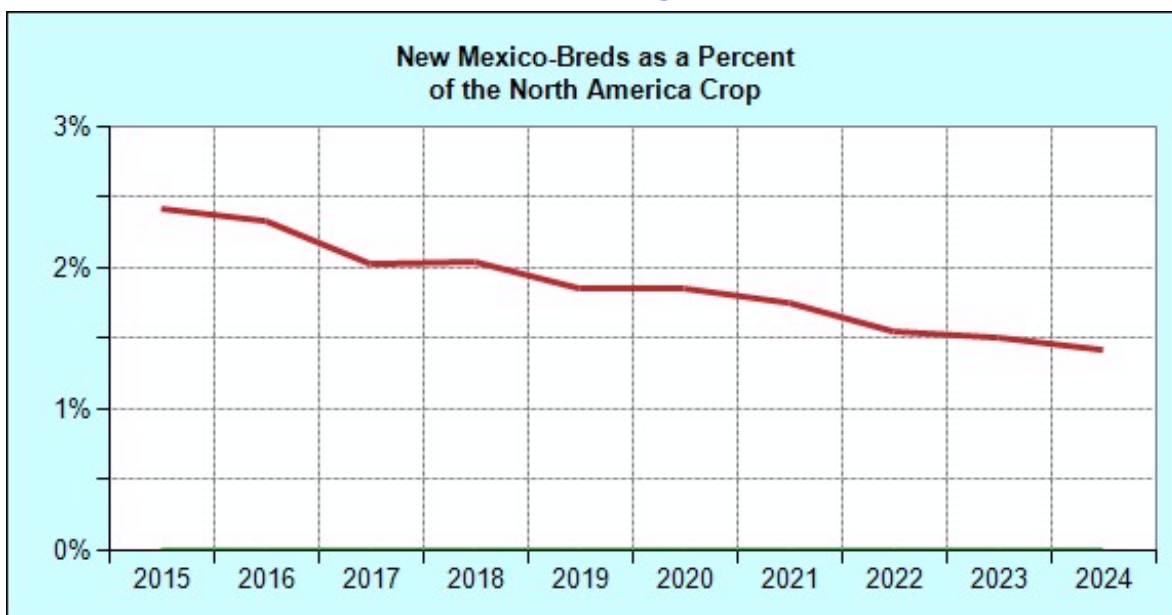
## Annual Mares Bred to New Mexico Stallions



Year	Mares Bred	Pct. of NA	Stallions	Pct. of NA	Avg. Book Size	Avg. NA Book Size
2005	1,867	2.9	195	4.6	9.6	15.1
2006	2,050	3.2	196	4.8	10.5	15.5
2007	1,989	3.3	192	5.0	10.4	15.8
2008	1,687	3.0	183	5.0	9.2	15.6
2009	1,502	3.0	184	5.5	8.2	14.9
2010	1,448	3.3	171	5.5	8.5	14.2
2011	1,297	3.3	156	5.6	8.3	14.2
2012	1,164	3.1	145	5.7	8.0	14.7
2013	1,137	3.1	141	5.9	8.1	15.5
2014	1,019	2.7	121	5.3	8.4	16.5
2015	986	2.6	109	5.3	9.0	18.1
2016	890	2.4	107	5.4	8.3	18.4
2017	814	2.3	95	5.0	8.6	18.2
2018	724	2.2	104	5.9	7.0	18.7
2019	677	2.1	91	5.5	7.4	18.9
2020	655	2.2	84	5.4	7.8	19.3
2021	478	1.6	67	4.8	7.1	20.9
2022	471	1.6	63	4.7	7.5	21.5
2023	487	1.7	61	4.9	8.0	22.6
2024	465	1.7	56	4.9	8.3	24.0
2025	369	1.4	44	4.7	8.4	27.7

Figures as of 04/02/2026

## Annual New Mexico Registered Foal Crop



Crop Year	New Mexico	North America	Pct. of NA Crop
2004	796	37,949	2.1
2005	899	38,365	2.3
2006	1,039	38,104	2.7
2007	1,078	37,499	2.9
2008	1,078	35,274	3.1
2009	896	32,364	2.8
2010	809	28,420	2.8
2011	753	24,941	3.0
2012	663	23,542	2.8
2013	612	23,249	2.6
2014	583	23,001	2.5
2015	556	23,050	2.4
2016	529	22,680	2.3
2017	450	22,255	2.0
2018	435	21,298	2.0
2019	381	20,552	1.9
2020	368	19,911	1.8
2021	335	19,120	1.8
2022	288	18,554	1.6
2023	279	18,500	1.5
2024	255	18,000 *	1.4

\* Estimated figure

Figures as of 04/02/2026

## Foaling Area of New Mexico-Sired Registered Foals

### Crop Year

Foaling Area	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
NM	247	273	282	332	357
TX	2	1	1	4	3
OK	1	0	0	4	1
AZ	1	0	0	2	0
CA	0	1	0	3	0
CO	0	0	0	3	2
IA	0	0	0	1	2
IN	0	0	0	1	1
KY	0	0	0	0	1
LA	0	0	1	0	1
MT	0	0	1	0	0
NE	0	0	0	2	0
NY	0	0	0	0	1
AR	0	0	1	0	0
UT	0	0	1	0	0
VA	0	0	0	0	1
WY	0	0	0	1	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>251</b>	<b>275</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>370</b>

Note: Figures include only foals born in the U.S., Canada and Puerto Rico.  
 Ranked by number of registered foals in 2024  
 Figures as of 04/02/2026

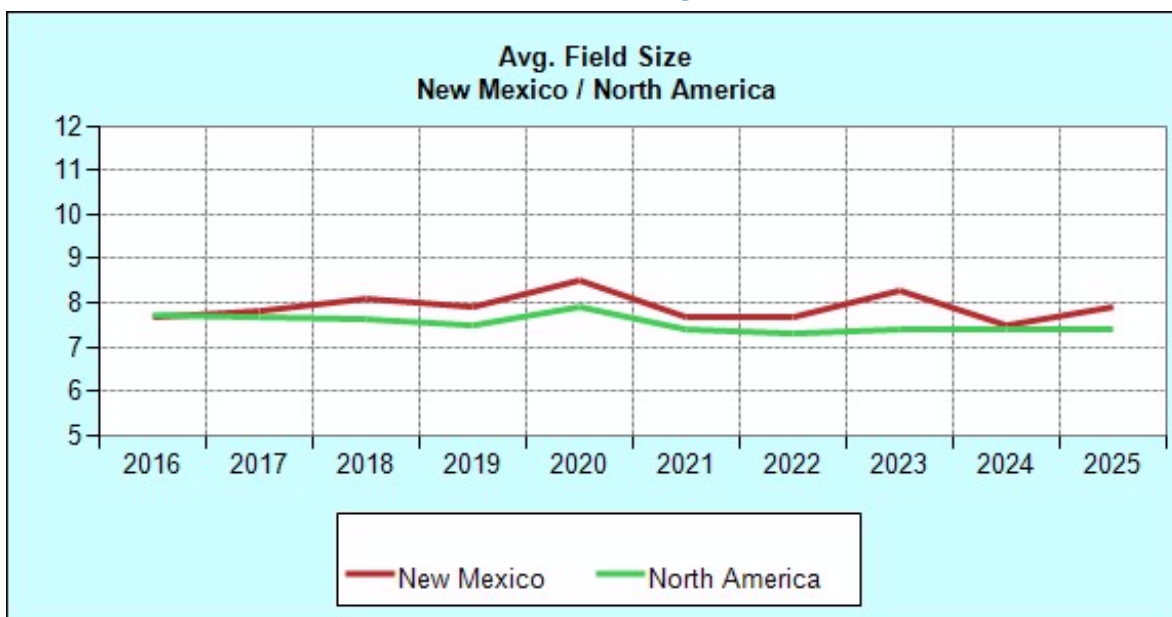
## Conception Area of New Mexico-Bred Registered Foals

### Crop Year

Conception Area	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
NM	247	273	282	332	357
TX	3	1	0	0	1
KY	2	3	2	1	3
LA	1	0	0	0	0
NY	1	0	0	0	0
IN	1	0	0	0	0
ON	0	0	1	0	0
PA	0	0	0	0	1
MD	0	0	0	0	1
CA	0	2	2	2	1
FL	0	0	1	0	4
<b>Total</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>288</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>368</b>

Note: Figures include only foals conceived in the U.S., Canada and Puerto Rico and where the conception area is known. Ranked by number of registered foals in 2024. Figures as of 04/02/2026

## New Mexico Racing Overview



Year	Races	Purses	Starters	Starts	Race Days	Avg. Field Size	Avg. Purse per Race
2005	1,453	24,061,777	2,584	11,954	262	8.2	16,560
2006	1,556	29,282,465	2,766	12,582	276	8.1	18,819
2007	1,572	30,945,131	2,846	13,585	270	8.6	19,685
2008	1,678	31,867,169	2,930	13,772	282	8.2	18,991
2009	1,731	31,408,867	3,038	14,668	292	8.5	18,145
2010	1,718	30,737,667	3,056	14,365	289	8.4	17,892
2011	1,731	31,285,880	2,958	14,269	283	8.2	18,074
2012	1,736	31,542,363	2,738	13,760	281	7.9	18,170
2013	1,673	28,807,697	2,701	13,217	275	7.9	17,219
2014	1,613	30,238,509	2,627	12,673	270	7.9	18,747
2015	1,463	28,896,169	2,426	11,601	252	7.9	19,751
2016	1,422	26,266,131	2,211	10,964	250	7.7	18,471
2017	1,435	27,093,096	2,183	11,202	224	7.8	18,880
2018	1,335	26,699,493	2,197	10,779	199	8.1	20,000
2019	1,331	28,719,577	2,036	10,505	203	7.9	21,577
2020	776	13,329,240	1,663	6,588	134	8.5	17,177
2021	577	14,283,039	1,190	4,430	116	7.7	24,754
2022	896	25,918,918	1,482	6,893	164	7.7	28,927
2023	807	27,609,927	1,544	6,701	124	8.3	34,213
2024	728	23,995,465	1,311	5,487	112	7.5	32,961
2025	631	20,012,341	1,203	4,979	84	7.9	31,715

Note: Purses represent all available money, including monies not won and returned to state breeder or other funds.

## New Mexico-Bred Racing Statistics by Racing Year



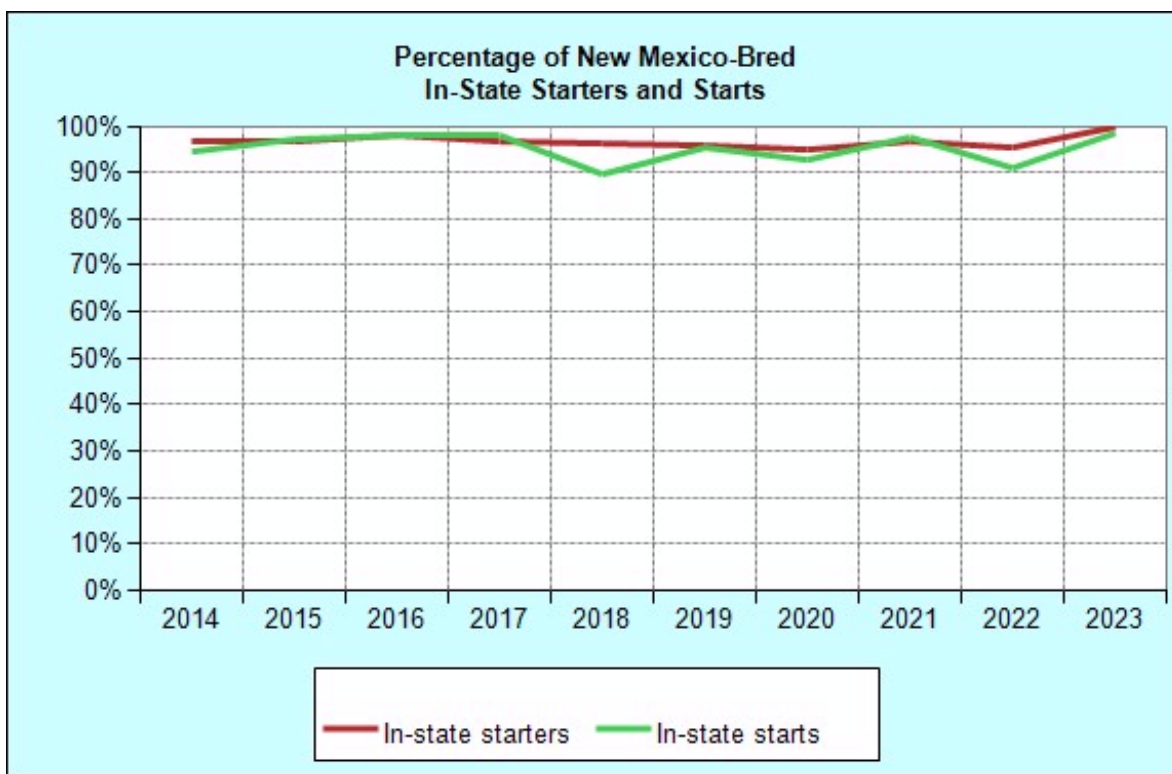
Racing Year	Starters	Starts	Earnings	Avg. Earnings per Starter	Avg. Starts per Starter
2005	1,186	6,526	12,164,326	10,257	5.5
2006	1,295	6,833	15,294,248	11,810	5.3
2007	1,377	7,642	16,707,754	12,133	5.6
2008	1,525	7,965	17,623,827	11,557	5.2
2009	1,656	8,774	17,818,284	10,760	5.3
2010	1,783	9,571	19,314,902	10,833	5.4
2011	1,735	9,504	19,789,459	11,406	5.5
2012	1,605	9,084	19,347,054	12,054	5.7
2013	1,522	8,664	17,422,731	11,447	5.7
2014	1,512	8,143	17,838,212	11,798	5.4
2015	1,345	7,527	17,019,232	12,654	5.6
2016	1,264	7,013	15,626,186	12,362	5.6
2017	1,227	7,199	16,146,231	13,159	5.9
2018	1,225	7,098	16,077,044	13,124	5.8
2019	1,132	6,834	16,933,959	14,959	6.0
2020	990	4,352	8,598,846	8,686	4.4
2021	815	4,105	10,599,346	13,005	5.0
2022	867	4,811	16,775,595	19,349	5.6
2023	794	4,363	16,482,907	20,759	5.5
2024	727	3,749	14,992,797	20,623	5.2
2025	655	3,272	11,761,149	17,956	5.0

## New Mexico-Bred Racing Statistics by Foaling Year

Foaling Year	Reg. Foals	Starters	Lifetime Starts	Lifetime Earnings	Avg. Earnings per Starter	Avg. Starts per Starter
2004	796	528	7,582	14,780,873	27,994	14.4
2005	899	580	8,039	17,652,326	30,435	13.9
2006	1,039	670	9,555	18,995,583	28,352	14.3
2007	1,078	711	10,198	20,337,300	28,604	14.3
2008	1,078	718	10,406	21,351,880	29,738	14.5
2009	896	552	8,050	17,157,063	31,082	14.6
2010	809	524	7,120	15,101,287	28,819	13.6
2011	754	515	7,042	17,154,374	33,309	13.7
2012	663	456	5,250	13,295,055	29,156	11.5
2013	612	412	4,715	11,561,793	28,063	11.4
2014	583	399	6,159	14,172,632	35,520	15.4
2015	556	352	2,803	7,847,733	22,295	8.0
2016	529	328	2,833	8,786,537	26,788	8.6
2017	450	298	1,973	5,535,490	18,575	6.6
2018	435	251	1,626	4,641,285	18,491	6.5
2019	381	226	1,716	7,065,101	31,262	7.6
2020	368	235	1,736	7,974,578	33,934	7.4
2021	335	188	1,124	5,821,727	30,967	6.0
2022	288	189	1,216	5,809,226	30,737	6.4
2023	279	125	468	2,902,463	23,220	3.7

Figures as of 04/02/2026

## New Mexico-Bred Starters and Starts: In-State/Out-of-State



Foaling Year	Total Starters	In-State Starters	Pct. of In-State Starters	Total Starts	In-State Starts	Pct. of In-State Starts
2004	528	507	96.0	7,582	7,021	92.6
2005	580	548	94.5	8,039	7,193	89.5
2006	670	657	98.1	9,555	9,056	94.8
2007	711	692	97.3	10,198	9,617	94.3
2008	718	697	97.1	10,406	9,842	94.6
2009	552	541	98.0	8,050	7,470	92.8
2010	524	516	98.5	7,120	6,702	94.1
2011	515	509	98.8	7,042	6,727	95.5
2012	456	444	97.4	5,250	5,010	95.4
2013	412	406	98.5	4,715	4,551	96.5
2014	399	386	96.7	6,159	5,822	94.5
2015	352	340	96.6	2,803	2,727	97.3
2016	328	321	97.9	2,833	2,778	98.1
2017	298	288	96.6	1,973	1,931	97.9
2018	251	242	96.4	1,626	1,459	89.7
2019	226	217	96.0	1,716	1,638	95.5
2020	235	223	94.9	1,736	1,607	92.6
2021	188	182	96.8	1,124	1,098	97.7
2022	189	180	95.2	1,216	1,105	90.9
2023	125	125	100.0	468	461	98.5

Note: In-state starters include any Thoroughbred that made at least one start in its native state.

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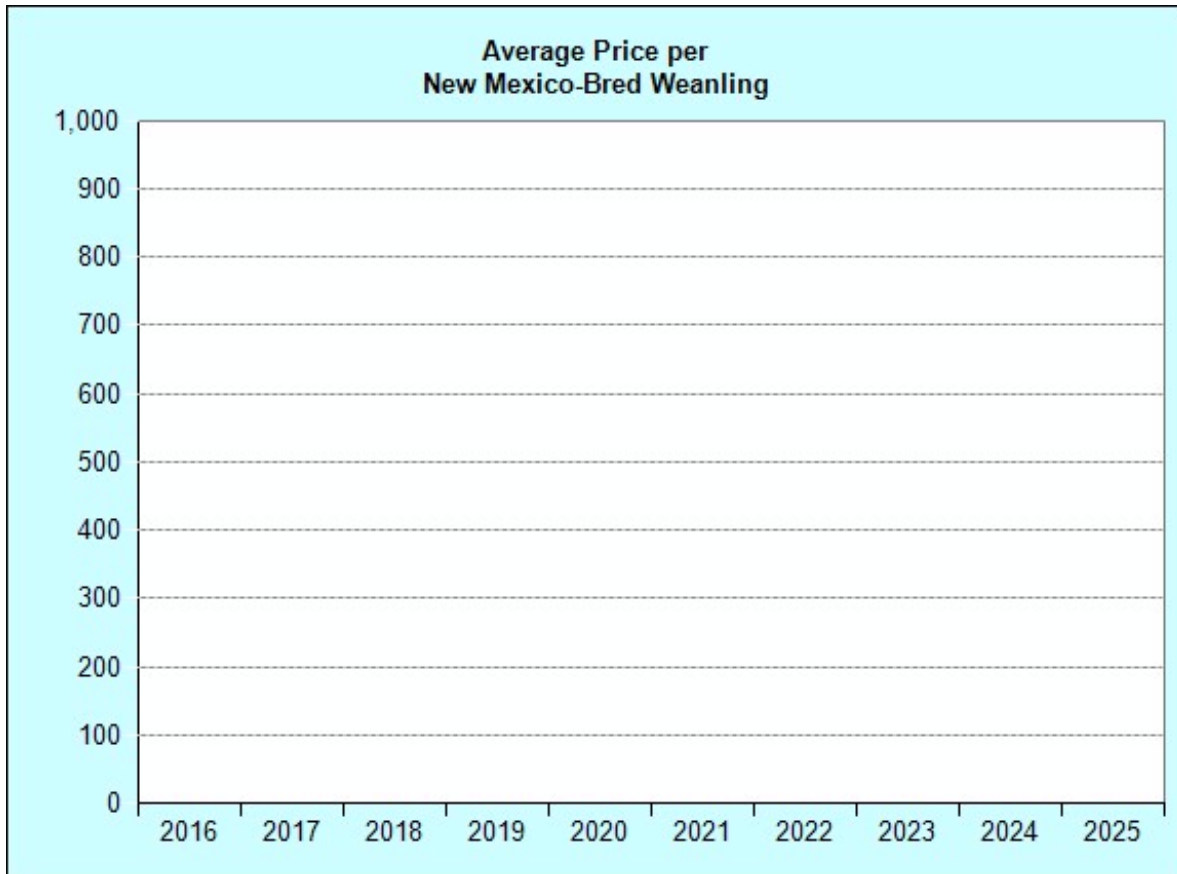
## Percentage of New Mexico-Bred Earnings by Racing Area

### Racing Year

Racing Area	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021
NM	96.27%	96.64%	96.93%	94.54%	85.73%
WY	1.36%	0.89%	0.47%	0.56%	0.70%
AZ	0.49%	0.57%	0.51%	1.81%	7.59%
IA	0.42%	0.24%	0.11%	0.00%	0.32%
TX	0.39%	0.19%	0.31%	0.05%	2.17%
WV	0.20%	0.09%	0.06%	0.14%	0.22%
OK	0.15%	0.04%	0.10%	0.20%	0.77%
CA	0.15%	0.03%	0.09%	0.70%	0.40%
WA	0.12%	0.29%	0.15%	0.00%	0.03%
OR	0.06%	0.04%	0.05%	0.00%	0.13%
NV	0.05%	0.05%	0.04%	0.07%	0.04%
MB	0.05%	0.01%	0.09%	0.01%	0.00%
AB	0.05%	0.04%	0.07%	0.06%	0.02%
ID	0.04%	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.02%
CO	0.03%	0.24%	0.29%	0.25%	0.21%
MT	0.03%	0.23%	0.03%	0.03%	0.03%
OH	0.02%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.10%
MN	0.01%	0.12%	0.03%	0.12%	0.20%
LA	0.00%	0.06%	0.14%	0.13%	0.22%
ND	0.00%	0.02%	0.00%	0.01%	0.01%
NE	0.00%	0.09%	0.05%	0.07%	0.31%
IN	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.31%
KY	0.00%	0.00%	0.26%	1.09%	0.03%
AR	0.00%	0.00%	0.04%	0.03%	0.21%
FL	0.00%	0.00%	0.06%	0.01%	0.05%
NY	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.05%

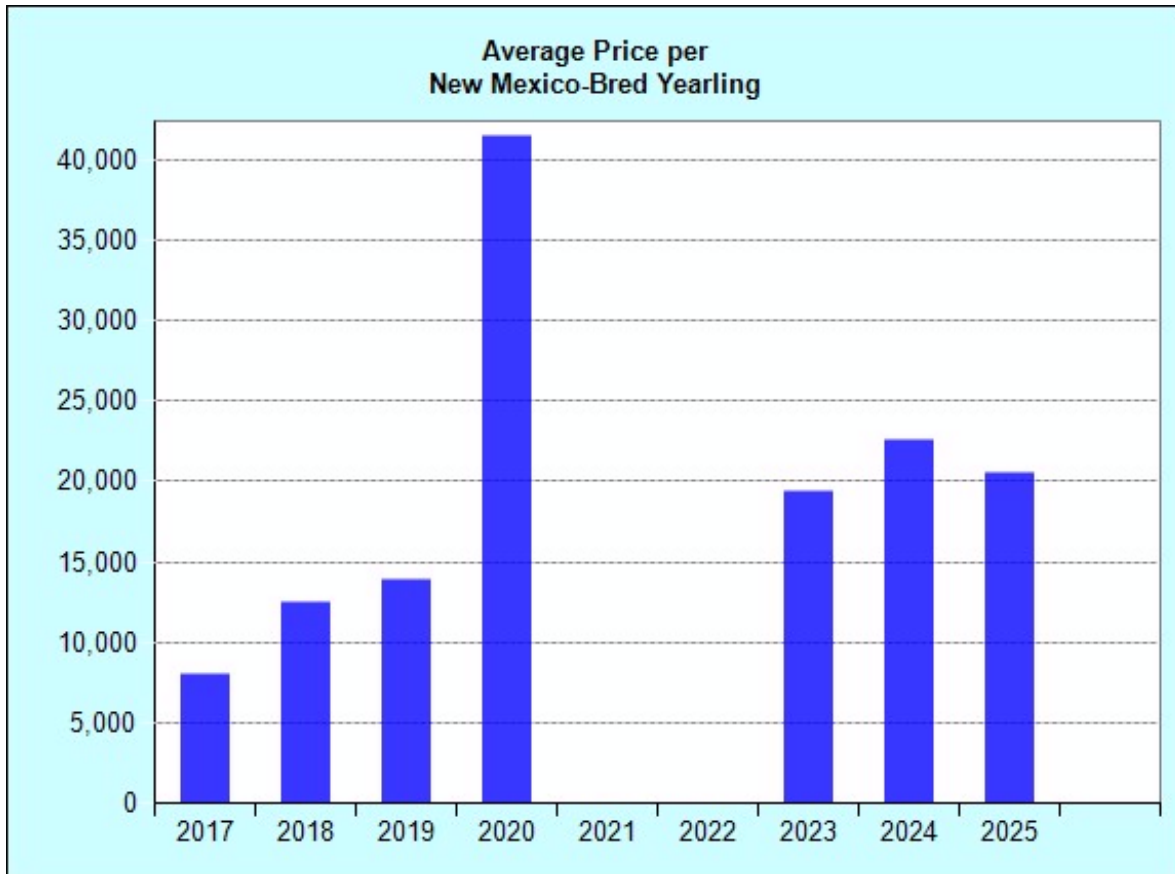
Ranked by percentage of total earnings in 2025

## Auction Results for New Mexico-Bred Weanlings



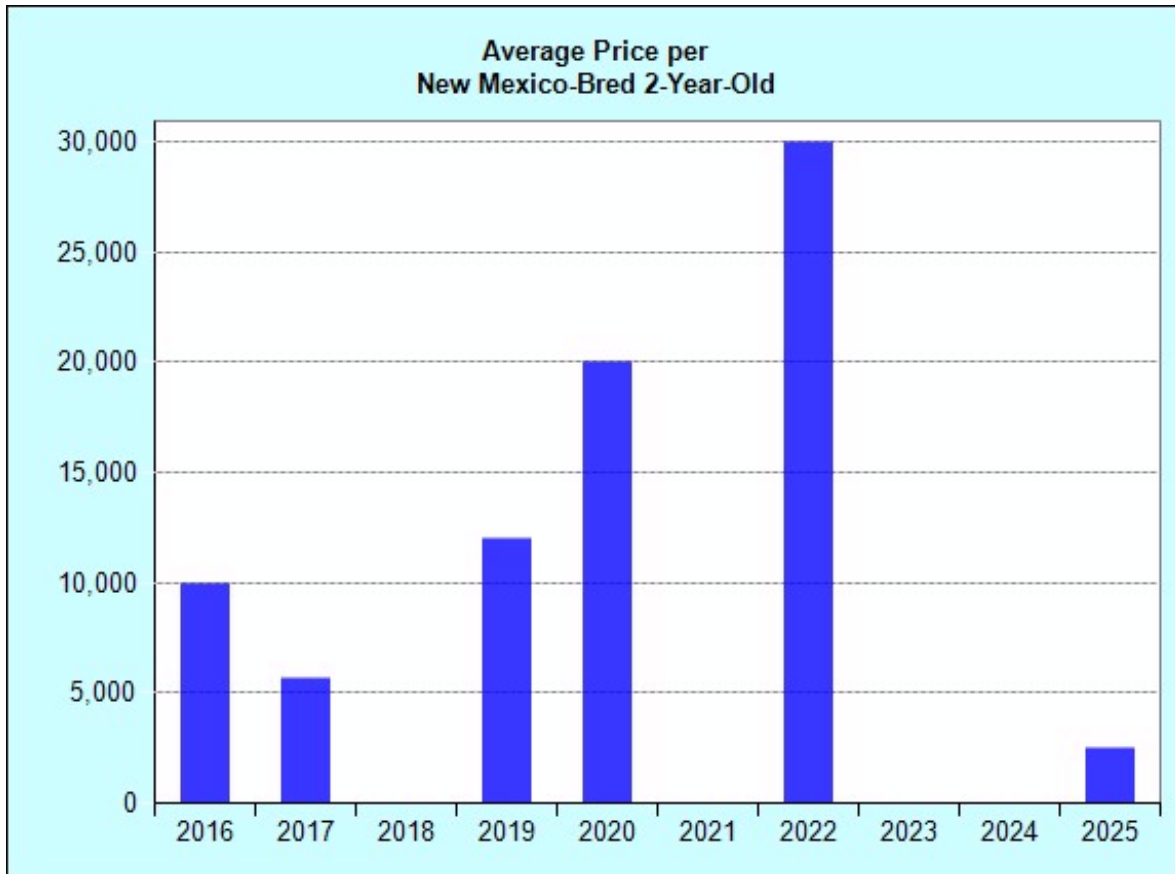
Sale Year	# Sold	Pct. Change	Gross Sales	Pct. Change	Avg. Price	Pct. Change	Median Price	Pct. Change
2005	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2006	8	0.0	27,800	0.0	3,475	0.0	1,850	0.0
2007	1	-87.5	2,300	-91.7	2,300	-33.8	2,300	24.3
2008	1	0.0	30,000	1204.4	30,000	1204.4	30,000	1204.4
2009	3	200.0	5,000	-83.3	1,667	-94.4	1,500	-95.0
2010	2	-33.3	1,150	-77.0	575	-65.5	575	-61.7
2011	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2012	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2013	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2014	3	0.0	3,500	0.0	1,167	0.0	1,000	0.0
2015	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2016	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2017	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2018	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2019	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2020	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2021	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2022	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2023	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2024	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2025	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0

## Auction Results for New Mexico-Bred Yearlings



Sale Year	# Sold	Pct. Change	Gross Sales	Pct. Change	Avg. Price	Pct. Change	Median Price	Pct. Change
2005	165	0.0	1,447,100	0.0	8,770	0.0	5,000	0.0
2006	181	9.7	1,896,750	31.1	10,479	19.5	5,500	10.0
2007	214	18.2	1,347,050	-29.0	6,295	-39.9	3,000	-45.5
2008	195	-8.9	1,320,650	-2.0	6,773	7.6	3,500	16.7
2009	163	-16.4	932,500	-29.4	5,721	-15.5	2,500	-28.6
2010	144	-11.7	698,550	-25.1	4,851	-15.2	1,750	-30.0
2011	90	-37.5	754,550	8.0	8,384	72.8	4,100	134.3
2012	91	1.1	829,850	10.0	9,119	8.8	5,000	22.0
2013	101	11.0	1,003,600	20.9	9,937	9.0	5,200	4.0
2014	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2015	4	0.0	24,000	0.0	6,000	0.0	6,000	0.0
2016	77	1825.0	684,800	2753.3	8,894	48.2	3,500	-41.7
2017	82	6.5	663,800	-3.1	8,095	-9.0	3,500	0.0
2018	66	-19.5	829,000	24.9	12,561	55.2	5,000	42.9
2019	67	1.5	934,800	12.8	13,952	11.1	7,000	40.0
2020	2	-97.0	82,900	-91.1	41,450	197.1	41,450	492.1
2021	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2022	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2023	61	0.0	1,182,400	0.0	19,384	0.0	11,000	0.0
2024	43	-29.5	970,900	-17.9	22,579	16.5	15,000	36.4
2025	17	-60.5	349,000	-64.1	20,529	-9.1	5,500	-63.3

## Auction Results for New Mexico-Bred 2-Year-Olds



Sale Year	# Sold	Pct. Change	Gross Sales	Pct. Change	Avg. Price	Pct. Change	Median Price	Pct. Change
2005	7	0.0	35,000	0.0	5,000	0.0	5,200	0.0
2006	15	114.3	85,050	143.0	5,670	13.4	5,200	0.0
2007	19	26.7	197,650	132.4	10,403	83.5	2,500	-51.9
2008	6	-68.4	51,700	-73.8	8,617	-17.2	4,500	80.0
2009	5	-16.7	11,400	-78.0	2,280	-73.5	1,500	-66.7
2010	2	-60.0	40,000	250.9	20,000	777.2	20,000	1233.3
2011	1	-50.0	2,500	-93.8	2,500	-87.5	2,500	-87.5
2012	2	100.0	850	-66.0	425	-83.0	425	-83.0
2013	1	-50.0	4,500	429.4	4,500	958.8	4,500	958.8
2014	1	0.0	9,500	111.1	9,500	111.1	9,500	111.1
2015	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2016	1	0.0	10,000	0.0	10,000	0.0	10,000	0.0
2017	1	0.0	5,700	-43.0	5,700	-43.0	5,700	-43.0
2018	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2019	1	0.0	12,000	0.0	12,000	0.0	12,000	0.0
2020	1	0.0	20,000	66.7	20,000	66.7	20,000	66.7
2021	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2022	1	0.0	30,000	0.0	30,000	0.0	30,000	0.0
2023	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2024	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
2025	1	0.0	2,500	0.0	2,500	0.0	2,500	0.0