

## Elite January

We brag at the end of winning months so here goes the opposite.

January was a poor month. Seconds and thirds outnumbered winners for Nationwide and Elite Combo. That is totally at odds with the long term where 2nds and 3rds do not add up to the number of winners.

Nationwide gave up \$135 (1.35% of a \$10k bank) and Elite-Combo \$10,000 bank lost \$1,505 in January.

Frustrating but there's absolutely no need for concern. The bank is in place for these times and will hold you in good stead when the winning run comes.

Most members are applying the **combination of Elite Combo and Nationwide Best bets.**



Bet on each **unique qualifier** from each list. If the horse is a qualifier for both plans, bet the higher amount.

That strategy kept the Platinum damage to a much more acceptable – \$760 for January.

67 Unique bets for 16 winners.

That's just 24% strike rate (the 2nds and 3rds hit at 34%).

Bet \$8,310, Return \$7,551, Profit - \$760 (7.6% bank drawdown).

There you go. It was shitty month all round just like many over the years. Elite's best times always follow such a run.

Here is the up-to-date Elite-Combo/Nationwide combined strategy spreadsheet:

[Platinum Members Nationwide PLUS Elite Combo Raceday Betting](#) Excel

## Nationwide Midweek Bets

The Nationwide Midweek-Bets started in December and certainly didn't set the world on fire in January.

Mel and Sydney got 6 winners from 18 bets. 33% but the odds were short.

Lost \$385 (\$10k bank as always).

Brisbane just couldn't get any traction. One winner from 13 is as bad as it gets. -\$1,130.

Bris did have 7 winners from the previous thirteen bets.

Here is the up-to-date Nationwide Midweek-Bets spreadsheet:

[Midweek Bets Mel-Syd-Bris](#) Excel

## Midweek Exotics

We receive occasional queries regarding the Exactas, Trifectas, First Fours and quaddies. Members have many wide and varied ideas on how to get the best out of the big value that is regularly found on the Nationwide Ratings sheets on weekends and midweek.

Here is our answer to one today asking for exotics results and ratings sheets examples etc.

*"...We do not have time/resources to keep data on the exotics. Below is a copy of the Brisbane Nationwide Ratings for Saturday.  
I have added the results and the successful exotics within the top 5 rated..."*

Time	AM Odds	Race	TAB	Selection	Rated	Rated Odds	FIN	Win \$		Exacta	Tri	First4
1:53 PM	2.80	2	11	Spiethhtacular	1	1.79	2nd					
	2.25	2	9	Larado	2	4.98	1st	\$ 2.50		\$ 5.00	\$ 12.90	\$ 38.20
	6.50	2	10	Savagery Vibe	3	13.97	3rd					
	9.50	2	4	Just Precious	4	20.38	4th					
	31.00	2	7	Super Zamboni	5	24.19						
2:28 PM	3.40	3	8	Akkadian Emperor	1	2.03	3rd					
	1.80	3	2	Brindavan	2	4.13	2nd					
	8.50	3	7	Noble Conqueror	3	13.46	1st	\$ 11.00		\$ 23.40	\$ 68.20	\$ 392.80
	31.00	3	11	Let Fly	4	21.00	4th					
	16.00	3	3	Wapiti	5	24.76						
3:03 PM	3.50	4	4	Edited By	1	3.57	4th					
	2.75	4	7	Mickeys Medal	2	3.71	2nd					
	3.40	4	8	Redford	3	3.95						
	13.00	4	6	Living Free	4	13.48	1st	\$ 14.00		\$ 151.80	\$ 468.70	\$ 1,336.20
	11.00	4	1	Victoria Road	5	16.76	2nd					
3:38 PM	5.00	5	4	Get Ready Lass	1	4.19	2nd					
	2.05	5	3	Earn To Burn	2	4.84	1st	\$ 2.25		\$ 6.80		
	9.50	5	8	Miss Force	3	6.68						
	31.00	5	7	Steffi Electrica	4	8.80						
	18.00	5	5	Shadwell Lane	5	10.93	4th					
4:17 PM	9.50	6	17	Sanctuary Storm	1	3.19						
	3.00	6	6	Rezone	2	5.13	1st	\$ 2.60		\$ 20.60		
	6.50	6	5	Headhunter	3	6.19						
	8.00	6	8	Luton Hoo	4	12.70	2nd					
	6.50	6	4	Eclair Awesome	5	14.99	4th					
4:57 PM	3.10	7	4	War King	1	4.06	3rd					
	3.40	7	2	North Pole	2	6.18	4th					
	3.60	7	3	Crash The Party	3	6.74	2nd					
	26.00	7	1	The Bear	4	8.33						
	31.00	7	5	Giapponese	5	11.25	1st	\$ 81.00		\$ 520.40	\$1,315.50	\$ 3,199.50
5:32 PM	2.70	8	2	Battlefield	1	2.91	1st	\$ 2.80		\$ 9.00		
	12.00	8	8	Just Flying	2	4.98						
	4.40	8	6	Castillian	3	10.29						
	4.80	8	5	Ser Joh	4	10.33	2nd					
	9.50	8	1	Atmosphere	5	14.29						
6:10 PM	2.90	9	12	Tiger Tie	1	1.96	1st	\$ 4.40				
	4.60	9	9	Wondereach	2	7.03						
	7.50	9	3	Fleetwood	3	13.51	3rd					
	12.00	9	1	Vodka Martini	4	16.43	4th					
	11.00	9	6	Holy Racket	5	21.35						
6:48 PM	1.75	10	11	True Amor	1	2.59						
	10.00	10	5	Flying Destiny	2	7.34	3rd					
	8.50	10	14	Amuseantes	3	7.53						
	8.00	10	8	Gospel Girl	4	10.73	2nd					
	11.00	10	1	Sir Carter	5	11.98						

Members have reported many big quaddies, but we have not kept results data. A quick flick through recent ratings sheets reveals several winning quaddies in the top-5 rated selections:

Caulfield 24<sup>th</sup> Jan (Mel Pro-Sheet) \$5,736  
Rosehill 31<sup>st</sup> Jan (Syd Pro-Sheet) \$ 347  
Eagle Farm Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Jan (Nat ratings) \$358  
Gold Coast 10<sup>th</sup> Jan (Nat ratings) \$163  
Geelong Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Jan (Nat Ratings) \$340  
Rand Kensington Wed 21<sup>st</sup> Jan (Nat) \$279  
Sandown Wed 28<sup>th</sup> Jan (Nat ratings) \$1,173  
Flem 17<sup>th</sup> Jan (Mel Pro Sheets) \$361

Probably a profit overall in January due to the \$5.7k result but most quaddy returns don't exceed the 5x5x5x5 outlay.

We realise that it is ingrained in punters' brains to take a quaddy. For some reason, it seems weird not to.

In our opinion, it is much easier to profit from Exactas, Trifectas, First Fours than quaddies. The strike rate of **exactas in our top-5 rated** on the Nationwide Ratings sheets and the Mel/Syd pro-sheets is very good and the dividends mostly exceed the box 5 outlay.

We did a lot of study into multi betting in the nineties and earlier this millennium. We led the way with our Trifecta-Power software way back. We made the call to let it go in favour of concentrating on win betting strategies.

Notwithstanding that, there is a lot of detail and examples of our recommended multi methods in your Intro-Pak.

[Elite Intro-Pak January 2026](#) PDF

## Email is always best.

Long ago we made the rule of communicating by email only.


Our phone communication could not compare with our email customer service because phone calls can come in when we are under the pump and simply have not got the time to give considered answers to some queries.

With 600+ clients it becomes impossible to allocate the time to provide a satisfactory phone service.

**Email** us with clear questions and if the answer is not in the intro-pak, we will take the time to make sure you get the right answers, nearly always on the same day.

## Coming Up

We will update this list before the next newsletter. It will include all the Autumn racing right through March/April.

Date	Approx 10:30am			
	Mel	Syd	Platinum	Nationwide
Wednesday, 7 January 2026				Nat
Saturday, 10 January 2026	Flem	Wyong	Y	Nat
Wednesday, 14 January 2026				Nat
Saturday, 17 January 2026	Flem	Rose	Y	Nat
Wednesday, 21 January 2026				Nat
Saturday, 24 January 2026	Cau	Rand	Y	Nat
Wednesday, 28 January 2026				Nat
Saturday, 31 January 2026	Cau	Rose	Y	Nat
Wednesday, 4 February 2026				Nat
Saturday, 7 February 2026	Cau	Rand	Y	Nat
Wednesday, 11 February 2026	Nil Meetings			
Saturday, 14 February 2026	Flem	Rand	Y	Nat
Wednesday, 18 February 2026				Nat
Saturday, 21 February 2026	Cau	Rose	Y	Nat
Wednesday, 25 February 2026				Nat
Saturday, 28 February 2026	Flem	Rand	Y	Nat
				Nat
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