

## Legislative Council Question on Notice 1570

### Summary of the Analysis and Modelling

#### RWWA DATA

	Albany	Narrogin	Golden Mile
<b>2015/16</b>			
Average Races Run	8.5	8	6.8
Average Field Size	8.75	9.1	8.22
<b>2016/17</b>			
Average Races Run	7.64	8.07	6.31
Average Field Size	9.1	9.5	8.65
<b>2017/18</b>			
Average Races Run	8.67	8	6.7
Average Field Size	9.08	9.08	8.01

The data above compares racing data of the GMTC with two comparable race clubs in Albany and Narrogin to determine the ongoing performance of the GMTC against some key racing metrics.

The following chart shows the increasing need for visiting trainers and horses as local trainer number and starters have diminished over the last three years.

Season	Local Trainers	Number of Starters	Total Starters	% of Total Starters
15/16	12	352	832	42.31%
16/17	13	323	676	47.78%
17/18	8	117	537	21.79%

An industry survey about the GMTC was sent to 565 industry participants generating 129 responses (23% of those sent the survey); of those respondents, 87% indicated that they had not raced a horse at GMTC during the 2017/18 season with 49% indicating it was too expensive to travel there.

Of the 23 free form comments received, 39% cited the time required to travel to GMTC as prohibitive.