

HANDICAPPER'S HELPER

Race 1 – Santa Anita

Horse, Comment by Jon White

Lifetime record	Record last 5 starts	Horse, Comment by Jon White
ST 14 W 2 P 3 S 2	W 1 P 1 S 1	1-AURA ROSE—Has the credentials to do well. She had a troubled trip on turf Nov. 17 at Del Mar when she finished sixth (behind today's rival Looking At Thelake) and was moved up to fifth via rival's disqualification.
ST 8 W 1 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	2-NOVEMBER TALE (IRE)—Ended up fourth (behind today's opponent War Moccasin) on turf here Oct. 28, then finished seventh on turf Nov. 23 at Del Mar. She's 0 for 5 since coming to this country from Ireland.
ST 10 W 1 P 0 S 2	W 0 P 0 S 1	3-MIDNIGHT LILLY—Finished tenth (behind today's rival Cynthiana) on turf here Oct. 1, ended up fifth on dirt here Oct. 21, then finished fourth on dirt Dec. 10 at Los Alamitos. She moves down in class today.
ST 13 W 2 P 2 S 2	W 0 P 1 S 1	4-WAR MOCCASIN—Belongs on the list of contenders. She finished third and lost by 1 3/4 lengths when competing on turf here Oct. 28, then lost by 2 lengths when she ended up fifth on turf Nov. 19 at Del Mar.
ST 5 W 1 P 0 S 0	W 1 P 0 S 0	5-TWIRLING APPLES—Finished fourth in an Oct. 6 race when competing on turf for the first time, then won by three-quarters of a length on turf here Oct. 22. She now is trying to build on her first career victory.
ST 13 W 1 P 6 S 3	W 0 P 2 S 2	6-LOOKING AT THELAKE—Has the look of a contender. She ran second (behind today's rival Candy Swirls) at this class level on turf here Oct. 7, then also ran second at this class level on turf Nov. 17 at Del Mar.
ST 6 W 2 P 0 S 1	W 2 P 0 S 0	7-CANDY SWIRLS—Should be considered a contender. She won on turf here Oct. 7 (today's rival Looking At Thelake was third), then ran ninth (behind Looking At Thelake and Aura Rose) on turf Nov. 17 at Del Mar.
ST 17 W 1 P 3 S 3	W 0 P 0 S 0	8-GOSEECAL—Could prove a tough customer. She's moving down in class after she ran eighth on turf Nov. 19 at Del Mar. She's recorded a couple of sharp recent workouts here (:48 on Dec. 19, :48 1/5 on Jan. 5).
ST 16 W 5 P 1 S 2	W 1 P 0 S 0	9-ZUZANNA—Needs to improve on her last couple of efforts. This daughter of Wilburn finished ninth on turf Nov. 19 at Del Mar when her odds were 30-1, then ran seventh on turf here Jan. 1 when her odds were 48-1.
ST 17 W 4 P 3 S 3	W 2 P 0 S 2	10-VASILIKA—Finished in a dead heat for third on turf at the \$40,000 level Oct. 19 at Belmont Park, then won for \$32,000 on turf Nov. 19 at Aqueduct. She's moving up in class today to the \$50,000 level.
ST 12 W 1 P 1 S 0	W 0 P 1 S 0	11-CYNTHIANA—Ran second on turf here Oct. 1, finished seventh (behind 3 of today's rivals) on turf here Oct. 18, then also ran seventh on turf here Jan. 6. What she needs to do is to run like she did on Oct. 18.

JON WHITE'S SELECTIONS: 5-7-4-8

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Race 2 – Santa Anita

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Lifetime record	Record last 5 starts	Horse, Comment by Jon White
ST 2 W 1 P 1 S 0	W 1 P 1 S 0	1-BATIQUITOS—Merits contender status. She won by 1 3/4 lengths on dirt here last March 16 in her career debut, then ran second despite a troubled trip on turf Nov. 17 at Del Mar. She's racing on dirt today.
ST 7 W 2 P 2 S 0	W 1 P 2 S 0	2-DANGEROUSLY CLOSE—Should be considered a contender. She rallied to finish second after being fifth early at Del Mar on Nov. 24, then showed early zip and won by 5 lengths at Los Alamitos on Dec. 17.
ST 16 W 1 P 4 S 3	W 0 P 1 S 0	3-BRIARTIC GAL—Finished seventh and lost by 4 1/4 lengths at Del Mar on Nov. 26. She's eligible to improve on that effort due to it being her first race since last July 2. She sports sharp recent workouts at Del Mar.
ST 12 W 2 P 2 S 2	W 2 P 1 S 0	4-BETDESILVERGOLD—Showed early speed and ran sixth at Los Alamitos on Dec. 7. She is expected to show early speed again this afternoon. In her only start on this track, she finished second here on Oct. 8.
ST 14 W 3 P 4 S 0	W 2 P 0 S 0	5-JILL MADDEN—Vied for the early lead and ran fifth at Los Alamitos on Dec. 15. She's competing in a shorter race today. The last time she raced on this track, she registered a 6 3/4-length victory on Oct. 19.
ST 17 W 2 P 4 S 2	W 1 P 0 S 1	6-RED STICH—Ended up third in a Oct. 6 race here, then ran eighth in a Nov. 1 race at Del Mar. She's done well on this track (8 starts, 2 wins, 2 seconds, 2 thirds) and had a sharp Jan. 7 workout here (:47 3/5).

JON WHITE'S SELECTIONS: 1-2-4-6

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Race 3 – Santa Anita

Horse, Comment by Jon White

Lifetime record	Record last 5 starts	Horse, Comment by Jon White
ST 32 W 4 P 7 S 4	W 1 P 2 S 0	1-SAINT DERMOT—Should be considered a contender. He ran second here on Sept. 29, won here on Oct. 28, then ran second at Del Mar on Nov. 25. He's finished third or better in 11 of 15 starts on this track.
ST 48 W 11 P 8 S 9	W 1 P 0 S 2	2-OUT OF PATIENCE—Merits contender status. He finished third at Del Mar on Nov. 1, then ran third (behind next-out winner Beaumarchais and today's opponent Saint Dermot) in a Nov. 25 race at Del Mar.
ST 20 W 3 P 0 S 2	W 2 P 0 S 0	3-AWE—Could prove a tough customer. He lost by only 1 1/2 lengths when he finished fifth on synthetic footing Dec. 1 at Golden Gate. He's switching to dirt today. He has done well on dirt (3 starts, 2 wins).
ST 28 W 3 P 6 S 6	W 0 P 1 S 2	4-STORM COMIN THRU—Finished fifth and lost by 14 1/4 lengths at Los Alamitos on Sept. 21. He does not figure to mind it if the track is wet today. He won by 8 1/4 lengths on a wet track here early in 2016.
ST 12 W 2 P 3 S 3	W 0 P 1 S 1	5-GONNA FLY NOW—Is moving down in class today after he ran sixth and lost by 20 1/2 lengths at Del Mar on Nov. 16. He might do much better against these. He recorded a sharp Dec. 31 workout here (:59 1/5).
ST 26 W 4 P 4 S 3	W 1 P 0 S 0	6-RAAGHEB—Belongs on the list of contenders. He's moving down in class after he ran fifth and lost by 18 1/4 lengths on a wet track Oct. 9 at Belmont Park. He's quite capable of winning at this class level.
ST 20 W 3 P 5 S 1	W 0 P 1 S 0	7-HOWDY—Moves down in class while making his first start since he ended up eighth at Los Alamitos on Sept. 10. He's run well on this track (11 starts, 2 wins, 3 seconds, 1 third) and sports good recent workouts.

JON WHITE'S SELECTIONS: 2-1-6-3

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Race 4 – Santa Anita

Horse, Comment by Jon White

Lifetime record	Record last 5 starts	Horse, Comment by Jon White
ST 8 W 0 P 1 S 1	W 0 P 1 S 1	1-CONTENTO—Makes his first start since he finished second here Oct. 14 at odds of 54-1 while outrunning a pair of next-out winners (Sixes and Fly Papa Fly). That Oct. 14 effort gives him a license to do well today.
ST 7 W 0 P 1 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	2-DUDE'S DUDE—Raced in contention early and finished sixth at Los Alamitos on Dec. 14 when he lost by 9 1/4 lengths at odds of 15-1. He's moving down in class and competing in a shorter race this afternoon.
ST 1 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	3-JUNE AND JOHNNY—Is expected to be a longshot. He finished sixth and lost by 18 lengths at Los Alamitos on Dec. 16 in his debut when his odds were 15-1. He recorded a good Dec. 31 workout here (:36 3/5).
ST 3 W 0 P 1 S 1	W 0 P 1 S 1	4-THANKFUL EVERY DAY—Could prove a tough customer. He ran third at Del Mar on Nov. 23 when returning after a long layoff, then moved down to this class level and ran second at Los Alamitos on Dec. 10.
ST 2 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	5-PURE PURSUIT—Has the look of a contender. He moves down multiple levels in class and competes in a 5 1/2-furlong race after he showed early zip and finished fifth in a 6 1/2-furlong race at Del Mar on Nov. 1.
ST 8 W 0 P 2 S 0	W 0 P 1 S 0	6-SOFT TRIP—Lost by 8 1/2 lengths when he ended up fourth in a race at this class level here on Dec. 29 at odds of 33-1. This son of The Pamplemousse has finished fourth or better in 3 of 5 starts on this track.
ST 11 W 0 P 1 S 3	W 0 P 0 S 2	7-MINTENIZED—Ran sixth (behind today's foe Soft Trip) and lost by 12 lengths at this class level here Dec. 29 at odds of 30-1. If the track is wet today, keep in mind he ran third twice on a wet track here early in 2017.
ST 1 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	8-IMPEACHMENT ACE—Probably will be a longshot. He ended up eighth (behind today's opponent Thankful Every Day) at this class level Dec. 10 at Los Alamitos when he lost by 14 1/4 lengths at odds of 98-1.
ST 0 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	9-GIO'S GOLD—Debuts today. A \$75,000 auction buy this son of debut winner Gio Ponti (3 Eclipse Awards) and Wings of Gold (0 starts) is kin to debut winner Big Sky Country (2 wins) and First Service (3 wins).
ST 6 W 0 P 1 S 3	W 0 P 1 S 3	10-MILHAUD—Merits contender status. He's moving down in class and switching to dirt today after he finished third on turf Aug. 9 at Del Mar. He also ran third on dirt here last May 7 when the track was wet.
ST 3 W 0 P 0 S 1	W 0 P 0 S 1	11-LIBERTY JACK—Could have a big say. He moves down in class this afternoon while making his first start since he finished in a dead heat for third (behind today's opponent Magical More) here on Feb. 24, 2017.
ST 8 W 0 P 3 S 0	W 0 P 2 S 0	12-MAGICAL MORE—Is making his first start since he ran tenth here last July 1. This son of More Than Ready is moving down in class this afternoon. Keep in mind he has run well on this track (5 starts, 3 seconds).
ST 1 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	13-KABOOM—Returns after a layoff. This will be his first start since he showed early speed and finished fourth when unveiled here on April 29 2017. That performance gives him a license to do well this afternoon.

JON WHITE'S SELECTIONS: 10-5-4-13

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Race 5 – Santa Anita

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Lifetime record	Record last 5 starts	Horse, Comment by Jon White
ST 3 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	1-WENDY'S BACK—Showed early speed and finished sixth on turf Nov. 11 at Del Mar. She's competing in a shorter race today. Her Nov. 11 performance gives her a license to do well at this shorter trip.
ST 6 W 0 P 1 S 2	W 0 P 1 S 2	2-ZILLINDA—Could prove a tough customer. She's making her first start since she led early and finished sixth on turf Sept. 1 at Del Mar. This daughter of Cyclotron finished second or third in 3 of 6 starts in 2017.
ST 9 W 0 P 3 S 0	W 0 P 2 S 0	3-WARM IT UP—Ran fourth at Los Alamitos on Dec. 2 at odds of 74-1, then finished second there on Dec. 14 at odds of 7-2 (today's rival Arunachala was third). She's finished fourth or better in 6 of 9 career starts.
ST 1 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	4-BISCOTTI GAL—Is making her first start since she finished sixth and lost by 14 lengths on dirt here Oct. 22 in her debut when her odds were 11-1. Her sire (Marino Marini) was a multiple stakes winner on turf.
ST 9 W 0 P 2 S 2	W 0 P 2 S 1	5-MY AUNT TILLIE—Should be considered a contender. This will be her first start since she ended up seventh on turf here last June 4. This daughter of Good Journey has finished fourth or better in 5 of her last 8 starts.
ST 0 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	6-LIL BIT DANGEROUS—Makes her debut following a series of workouts here. A \$6,500 auction purchase, this is a daughter of Good Journey (Grade I winner and earner of \$1,733,058) and Natty B (0 starts).
ST 12 W 0 P 0 S 2	W 0 P 0 S 0	7-BELLA SIERRA—Wound up tenth and lost by 7 1/4 lengths when competing on turf here Oct. 14, then lost by 12 3/4 lengths on dirt here Oct. 22. This 6-year-old did not finish better than fourth in 4 starts in 2017.
ST 3 W 0 P 0 S 1	W 0 P 0 S 1	8-ARUNACHALA—Could have a big say. She ran fourth on turf Aug. 30 at Del Mar in her debut, finished eighth on turf here Oct. 14, then ran third (behind today's rival Warm It Up) on dirt Dec. 14 at Los Alamitos.
ST 1 W 0 P 1 S 0	W 0 P 1 S 0	9-GET YOURSELF HOME—Has the look of a contender. She rallied to finish second when racing on dirt Nov. 17 at Del Mar in her debut at odds of 4-5. Her sire (Good Journey) was a Grade I winner on turf.
ST 2 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	10-ROSEANNADANA—Is expected to be a longshot. This will be her first start since she finished seventh on turf at odds of 47-1 here last June 17. In her only prior start, she also ended up seventh on dirt here on May 28.
ST 12 W 0 P 6 S 2	W 0 P 3 S 0	11-RADISH—Belongs on the list of contenders. This will be her first start since she ran fourth in the Melair on dirt here last May 29. She moves down in class today and recorded a sharp Jan. 6 workout here (:47 2/5).
ST 3 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	12-BISSOU BISSOU—Returns following a long layoff. She hasn't raced since she wound up tenth on dirt at Del Mar on Dec. 1, 2016. This daughter of Heatseeker is kin to Skye Diamonds (Grade II winner in 2017).

JON WHITE'S SELECTIONS: 9-11-8-5

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ST 52 W 5 P 9 S 9	W 1 P 1 S 0	1-BACKINTHEACADEMY—Merits contender status. She's moving down in class to the \$8,000 level after she finished second at Los Alamitos on Dec. 15. She won by 8 lengths at the \$12,500 level here Oct. 19.
ST 61 W 4 P 5 S 8	W 0 P 0 S 1	2-VERONICA BAY—Is expected to be a longshot. She finished fourth (behind today's opponents Sheswildnfree and Optimistic Outcome) at this class level Dec. 1 at Los Alamitos when her odds were 23-1.
ST 30 W 5 P 1 S 5	W 1 P 0 S 0	3-YES MONGOLIA—Ran fifth at Hawthorne on Nov. 16 and is moving down in class today. If it turns out the track today is wet, bear in mind she won by 5 3/4 lengths on a wet track Oct. 7 at Hawthorne.
ST 36 W 8 P 7 S 3	W 1 P 1 S 0	4-SWISS SKIMMER—Needs to improve on her most recent efforts. She lost by 20 lengths on synthetic footing Nov. 24 at Golden Gate, then ran fifth (behind 3 of today's rivals) on dirt Dec. 1 at Los Alamitos.
ST 31 W 7 P 7 S 2	W 2 P 2 S 0	5-FORBIDDEN COMMAND—Should be considered a contender. She showed early zip and won by 3 1/2 lengths in a race at this class level Nov. 17 at Del Mar. She has run well on this track (4 starts, 1 win, 1 second).
ST 26 W 5 P 6 S 4	W 1 P 0 S 2	6-SHESWILDNFREE—Won at Los Alamitos on Dec. 1 at odds of 9-1, then ran fourth (behind today's rival Backintheacademy) there on Dec. 15. She is quite capable of giving a good account of herself in this contest.
ST 24 W 4 P 8 S 8	W 1 P 2 S 2	7-OPTIMISTIC OUTCOME—Belongs on the list of contenders. She ran second (behind today's opponent Sheswildnfree) at Los Alamitos on Dec. 1. She's finished fourth or better in 20 of her last 21 starts.
ST 12 W 3 P 1 S 1	W 2 P 0 S 1	8-HONOR MAKER—Adds to the depth of contenders. She won by 11 1/4 lengths for \$8,000 here Oct. 1, then had a troubled trip and ran third for \$12,500 here Oct. 19. She now moves back down to the \$8,000 level.

JON WHITE'S SELECTIONS: 1-8-5-7

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Race 7 – Santa Anita

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SAN MANUEL
INDIAN TRIBE BINGO & CASINO

Lifetime record	Record last 5 starts	Horse, Comment by Jon White
ST 5 W 1 P 1 S 0	W 1 P 1 S 0	1-NAP LAJOIE—Finished far back when racing on dirt here Dec. 29. He is eligible to do much better against this group. This will be his third start following a layoff. This also will be the farthest he has ever raced.
ST 14 W 1 P 1 S 2	W 0 P 0 S 0	2-DR. TROUTMAN—Ended up sixth in the California Flag Handicap on turf here Oct. 21, then also ran sixth on turf Nov. 25 at Del Mar vs. 3 next-out winners (Spanish Hombre, Tristan's Trilogy and Soglio).
ST 15 W 1 P 5 S 1	W 0 P 1 S 1	3-THE BIG TRAIN—Has the look of a contender. He finished fourth (behind today's opponent Six Point Rack) on turf here Oct. 22, then ran second on turf Nov. 16 at Del Mar (Six Point Rack was third).
ST 10 W 3 P 3 S 2	W 0 P 2 S 2	4-HOT PERFECTION—Finished second on dirt Nov. 30 at Los Alamitos on Nov. 30, then ran third there on Dec. 17. He's finished third or better in 8 of 10 career starts. This will be the farthest he's ever raced.
ST 11 W 2 P 0 S 2	W 1 P 0 S 2	5-SIX POINT RACK—Belongs on the list of contenders. He finished third on turf here Oct. 22 (today's opponent The Big Train was fourth), then ran third (behind The Big Train) on turf Nov. 16 at Del Mar.
ST 5 W 1 P 1 S 0	W 1 P 1 S 0	6-LORD ADMIRAL—Meets tougher after he finished second and was elevated to first via a rival's DQ in a Nov. 19 race on turf at Del Mar. He recorded good workouts here on Dec. 24 (:48 1/5) and on Jan. 3 (:48 3/5).
ST 7 W 2 P 1 S 0	W 2 P 1 S 0	7-FULL ACCESS—Merits contender status. He finished second on turf here Oct. 9, then won a Nov. 12 race on turf at Del Mar. This will be the farthest he's ever raced. He has a red-hot trainer (Vladimir Cerin).
ST 18 W 1 P 2 S 2	W 0 P 0 S 1	8-PLAIN WRAP—Figures to be a longshot. He ran ninth (behind today's foes Six Point Rack and The Big Train) on turf here Oct. 22 at odds of 39-1. He's lost 14 in a row since a win on dirt here on July 1, 2016.

JON WHITE'S SELECTIONS: 7-3-5-2

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Race 8 – Santa Anita

Horse, Comment by Jon White

Lifetime record	Record last 5 starts	Horse, Comment by Jon White
ST 0 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	1-ATREVIDA—Makes her debut following a string of workouts here. This is a daughter of Turbo Compressor (Grade I winner and earner of \$953,960) and debut winner Dixie Shea (26 starts, 8 wins, 2 seconds, 3 thirds).
ST 0 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	2-PARTY AT MIDNIGHT—Debuts today. This daughter of debut winner K One King (Grade I winner and earner of \$683,010) and Ready to Party (6 wins) is kin to Ready to Fight (18 starts, 3 seconds, 4 thirds).
ST 3 W 0 P 1 S 0	W 0 P 1 S 0	3-DIALED TO GO—Has the look of a contender. She just missed when the runner-up here Oct. 21 at odds of 6-1, then ran fourth at Del Mar on Nov. 26 at odds of 1-2. She had a sharp Jan. 6 workout here (:47 3/5).
ST 1 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	4-SILVERSONIC—Is moving down in class after she finished seventh (behind today's opponent Condi) at Del Mar on Nov. 23 in her debut at odds of 17-1. Perhaps she will improve with a race under her belt.
ST 1 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	5-TINY TINA—Belongs on the list of contenders. She's moving down multiple levels in the class after she raced in contention early and finished eleventh on turf here Dec. 26 in her debut. She's racing on dirt today.
ST 2 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	6-MERGIE TROID—Is expected to be a longshot. She ran fifth and lost by 12 lengths at Los Alamitos on Dec. 1 in her debut at odds of 48-1, then ran eighth and lost by 20 3/4 lengths there Dec. 17 at odds of 63-1.
ST 7 W 0 P 0 S 1	W 0 P 1 S 1	7-ROSSMOOR WAY—Probably will be a longshot. She finished sixth (behind today's rival Mariana's Girl) at Los Alamitos on Dec. 3 at odds of 34-1. In her only start here, she lost by 14 3/4 lengths on Oct. 13.
ST 0 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	8-STARSHIP TREASURE—Makes her debut today. A \$2,500 auction buy, this daughter of Royal Memory (0 for 1) and Visual Treat (1 win) is kin to debut winner Native Treasure (stakes winner), etc.
ST 3 W 0 P 0 S 1	W 0 P 0 S 1	9-CONDI—Merits contender status. She's moving down in class and competing in a 5 1/2-furlong race after she led early and ran fifth in a 6 1/2-furlong race at Del Mar on Nov. 23 when her odds were 5-2.
ST 3 W 0 P 1 S 1	W 0 P 1 S 1	10-MARIANA'S GIRL—Could prove a tough customer. She finished a close second at this class level on Dec. 3 Los Alamitos, then ended up third and lost by 7 3/4 lengths at this class level here on Dec. 29.
ST 1 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	11-WHO LOVES EDDIE—Finished seventh and lost by 10 lengths at Los Alamitos on Dec. 16 in her debut when she showed early speed at odds of 5-1. Perhaps she will improve today with a race under her belt.
ST 0 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	12-ALMOND BUD—Is making her debut. This daughter of Tizbud (stakes winner) and Harlingen (2 wins) is kin to debut winner Vegas Lights (3 wins), debut winner Illusionist (2 wins), Knieval (3 wins), etc.
ST 0 W 0 P 0 S 0	W 0 P 0 S 0	13-TIZSWIFT—Makes her debut. An \$8,000 auction purchase, this daughter of Tiznow (2000 Horse of the Year and earner of \$6,427,830) and It Must Be Magic (0 starts) is kin to Fuzzle Dazzle (4 wins).

JON WHITE'S SELECTIONS: 9-3-5-10