



HUNTER DIVISION Point Tabulations (GR1130 & GR1131)

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In the Hunter division, points are calculated according to the Increment system.

- In “C” and “B” rated sections, points are determined by the number of horses shown in the section
- In “A” rated sections, points are determined by both the rating of the competition (based on scheduling restrictions of HU160) as well as the number of horses shown.

Exception: National awards for First and Second Year Green Hunter, Regular Working Hunter, Green Conformation Hunter, and Regular Conformation Hunter will be based on money won based on scale of 1 point for every dollar earned. This includes money won in hunter classics and the international hunter derby. All Zone awards will continue to be awarded based on point values determined by the Increment system.

Increment Chart:

“C” Rated

Exhibitors	3-8	9-15	16-25	26-35	36+
1 st	15	20	25	30	35
2 nd	10	15	20	25	30
3 rd	5	10	15	20	25
4 th	4	5	10	15	20
5 th	3	4	5	10	15
6 th	2	3	4	5	10
7 th			3	4	6
8 th			2	3	5

“B” Rated

Exhibitors	3-8	9-15	16-25	26-35	36+
1 st	20	25	30	40	50
2 nd	15	20	25	35	45
3 rd	10	15	20	30	40
4 th	5	10	15	25	35
5 th	4	5	10	20	30
6 th	3	4	5	15	25
7 th			4	10	20
8 th			3	5	10

“A” Rated \$5000 and over

Exhibitors	3-8	9-15	16-25	26-35	36+
1 st	30	40	50	60	70
2 nd	25	35	45	55	65
3 rd	20	30	40	50	60
4 th	15	25	35	45	55
5 th	14	24	34	44	54
6 th	13	23	33	43	53

7 th			32	42	52
8 th			31	41	51

“AA” Rated Competitions guaranteeing \$18,001 and offering add-backs in “A”-rated Hunter sections, and competitions offering \$25,000 and over

Exhibitors	3-8	9-15	16-25	26-35	36+
1 st	40	50	60	70	80
2 nd	35	45	55	65	75
3 rd	30	40	50	60	70
4 th	25	35	45	55	65
5 th	24	34	44	54	64
6 th	23	33	43	53	63
7 th			42	52	62
8 th			41	51	61

Total Prize Money in Rated Hunter Sections

		Classics
“C” Competitions	N/A	N/A
“B” Competitions	N/A	\$500 and over
“A” Competitions	\$5000 and over	\$1000*
“AA” Competitions	Competitions guaranteeing \$18,001 and offering add-backs in “A” rated Hunter Sections, and competitions offering \$25,000 and over	\$1000*

* \$500 Qualifies as an “A” Pony Hunter Classic

- Division champions will be awarded 2.0 times the total 1st place point value of the first class in that section.
- Division reserve champions will be awarded 1.2 times the total 1st place value of the first class in that section.
- Division champions for First and Second Year Green Hunter, Regular Working Hunter, Green Conformation Hunter, and Regular Conformation Hunter will be awarded points equal to 10% of the total prize money for each division towards National Horse of the Year awards.
- Reserve Champions will be awarded points equal to the amount of 5% of the total prize money for each division.

Hunter Classics

Bonus points will be awarded toward Horse of the Year Awards in the horse’s respective section. The bonus points are as follows:

Exhibitors	Designated Class as the 1 st Round – National HOTY	Designated Class as the 1 st Round – Zone HOTY	Separate 2 Round Class – National HOTY	Separate 2 Round Class – Zone HOTY
1 st	100	20	200	40
2 nd	80	16	160	32
3 rd	70	14	140	28

4th	60	12	120	24
5th	50	10	100	20
6th	40	8	80	16
7th	30	6	60	12
8th	20	5	40	10
9th	15	4	30	8
10th	10	3	20	6
11th	5	2	10	4
12th	5	1	10	2

USHJA National Hunter Classic

Zone bonus points will be awarded to each horse's respective hunter section as declared at time of entry. Points accrued by horses shown by Juniors or Amateurs will be awarded to the applicable Children's, Junior, Adult Amateur or Amateurs section. National points will not be awarded. Zone points will be awarded as follows:

Place	Points
1st	100
2nd	80
3rd	70
4th	60
5th	50
6th	40
7th	30
8th	20

Hunter Breeding

Classes will only accumulate Horse of the Year Points from January 1 to November 30 of the current show year (see GR1115).

Federation Horse of the Year Points will be awarded in the Best Young Horse class regardless of the number of entries.

Classes with combined aged groups do not count toward the Horse of the Year Awards. Exception: Best Young Horse class. See Also GR1113.

Points will be based on the number of horses in the class as follows:

Number in Class	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
1	1 (*)			
2	2	1 (*)		
3-10	5	3	2	1
11 +	10	6	4	2

(*) If a horse which competes in a qualifying class with less than three entries becomes Best Young Horse or Reserve Best Young Horse at the competition, they will receive full points for the qualifying class (i.e. 5 pts. for 1st, 3 pts. for 2nd).

Championship points based on the aggregate number of horses in the rated classes of the Hunter Breeding Section.

Aggregate Number	Champion	Reserve
1-2	2 points	1 point
3-14	5 points	3 points
15 or more	10 points	6 points

Pony Hunter Breeding

Classes will only accumulate Horse of the Year Points from January 1 to November 30 of the current show year(see GR1115). (Exception: Pony Hunter Breeding will accumulate Zone Horse of the Year points.)

Federation Horse of the Year Points will be awarded in the Best Young Horse class regardless of the number of entries.

Classes with combined aged groups do not count toward the Horse of the Year Awards. Exception: Best Young Horse class. See Also GR1113.

Number in Class	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th
1	1			*
2	2	1		*
3-10	5	3	2	1
11 +	10	6	4	2

(*) If a horse which competes in a qualifying class with less than three entries becomes Best Young Horse or Reserve Best Young Horse at the competition, they will receive full points for the qualifying class (i.e. 5 pts. for 1st, 3 pts. for 2nd).

Championship points based on the total number of ponies in the rated classes of the Pony Hunter Breeding Division (Yearling, Two year-olds, and Three year-olds)

Aggregate Number	Champion	Reserve
1-14	5 points	3 points
15 or more	10 points	6 points

Hunter Derby

Money won in the USHJA International Hunter Derby will only be awarded towards a declared Hunter section for HOTY points if a horse competes in the declared section a minimum of 5 times during the competition year.

Bonus points will be awarded to each horse's respective division as declared at the time of entry except horses ridden by juniors or amateurs will be awarded points in their respective divisions. The point structure will be as follows:

Place	Round #1	Round #2	Overall Top 12
1 st	150	150	300
2 nd	140	140	275
3 rd	130	130	250
4 th	120	120	225
5 th	110	110	200
6 th	100	100	175
7 th	90	90	150
8 th	80	80	140

9th	70	70	130
10th	60	60	120
11th	50	50	110
12th	40	40	100

Points – USHJA International Hunter Derby Finals

Place	Round #1	Round #2	Round #3	Overall Top 12
1st	150	200	250	400
2nd	140	175	225	350
3rd	130	150	200	325
4th	120	125	175	300
5th	110	100	150	275
6th	100	90	125	250
7th	90	80	100	225
8th	80	70	90	200
9th	70	60	80	175
10th	60	50	70	150
11th	50	40	60	140
12th	40	30	50	130