

Summary of the Differences in Rules & Regulations – Maryland

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Rules & Regs	Maryland	Canada
General Pari-Mutuel Rules		
Breakage	-Breaks to a dime.	-Breaks to a nickel. The association will continue to use these breaks.
Pool Calculation & Distribution		
Win	-No winners pays on Place finisher, then refund. -Pool maybe refunded if betting interests drop down to less than 3.	-No winners pays on the next finisher until a winner is determined. No refund. -Pool is refunded if betting interests less than 2.
Place	-No winners pays on other Place finisher, then refund. -Pool maybe refunded if betting interests less than 4.	-No winners pays on the next finisher until a winner is determined. No refund. -Pool is refunded if betting interests less than 3.
Show	-No winners pays profit split between other Show finishers, then refund. -Pool maybe refunded if betting interests less than 5.	-No winners pays on the next finisher until a winner is determined. No refund. -Pool is refunded if betting interests less than 4.
Exactor	-No winners pays profit split; 1-All & All-2, then refund.	-No winners pays 1-ALL, then refund.
Quinella	-Same as Canada	
Daily Double	-No winners pays profit split between 1-All & All-1, then 2-2, then refund.	-No winners pays a single price to the nearest winner in each leg, until a winner is found...No refund
Triactor	-No winners pays 1-2-All, then 1-All-3, then 1-All-All, then refund.	-No winners pays 1-2-ALL, then 1-ALL-ALL, then refund.
Superfecta	-Associations may carryover net pool if no winners; otherwise no winners pays 1-2-3-ALL, then 1-2-ALL-ALL, then 1-ALL-ALL-ALL.	-No winners pays 1-2-3-ALL, then 1-2-ALL-ALL, then 1-ALL-ALL-ALL then refund.
Pick N (N = 4 or more)	-Pool is distributed using the accumulated method whereby 100% of net pool will be distributed to the winners of all legs plus any previous day's carryover. If there are no winners, a portion of the net pool will be carried forward and the other portion will be distributed to the most winners. -If 50% of the races are cancelled, the pool will be refunded. -100% of net pool will be distributed to the most winners, not including any previous day's carryover if any leg is cancelled.	-6 methods of distribution are used which include the daily mandatory method, accumulated method, accumulated method with a split, accumulated method with a daily split, daily mandatory method whereby the pool has a major and minor share, and a accumulated method with a daily split whereby the pool has a major and minor share. -If any leg is cancelled prior to the first leg going Official, pool is refunded. -Previous day's carryover will not be paid out if more than 50% of legs are cancelled during distribution method 2-4. 100% of net pool will be paid out, not including previous day's carryover to the greatest number of winners if at least one leg is cancelled for distribution method 6.

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