

Gitano Hernando^(GB)

chestnut, 2006 • height 16hh

RACE RECORD

In UK, USA, Ireland, Dubai, Hong Kong and Singapore
7 wins, 1700-2100m, at 2 to 5, dirt & polytrack. \$2,102,354

Timeform 124

at 2 **WON** 1800m, polytrack, UK
Gr1 Oak Tree Goodwood S. (1800m, dirt)
 Santa Anita, defeating *Col John (G1 Travers)*
Mine That Bird (G1 Kentucky Derby)
 at 3 **WON** **Gr3** Dee S. (2050m, turf), UK
 at 4 **WON** **Gr3** Diamond S. (2100m, turf) Ireland
WON Winter Derby Trial S. (L) (2000m, p/track)
 4th **Gr1** Champions S. (2000m, turf) UK,
behind Twice Over
 6th **Gr1** Dubai World Cup, 3L b/h *Gloria de*
Campeo
 at 5 **WON** **Gr1** Singapore Cup (2000m, turf)
 3rd **Gr2** Maktoum Challenge (2000m, tapeta)
 6th **Gr1** Dubai World Cup, 2.5L b/h *Victoire Pisa*
"A global traveller who raced in 6 countries and on three
continents, showing his toughness and consistency."

SIRE LINE

HERNANDO – 7 wins in France, Gr1, Prix du Jockey Club, Gr1 Prix Lupin; 2nd Gr1 Prix de l'Arc de Triomphe, Gr1 Irish Derby, Gr1 Turf Classic; 3rd Gr1 Japan Cup; top rated middle distance 3yo and older horse (at 4) in France; rated **Timeform 127**. Sire of Gr1 winners of both sexes. Sire of sires.

Notable progeny incl. **Look Here** (05f – Rainbow Quest, Gay Mecene); **Sulamani** (99c – Alleged, Northfields); **Gr1 Holding Court** (97c – Be My Guest, Relko); **Gitano Hernando** (06c – Perugino, Cure The Blues); **Casual Contest** (05c – Kris, Ahonoora); **Rainbow Peak** (06c – Lion Cavern, Welsh Pageant); **Harris Tweed** (07c – Akarad, Sharrood); **Alianthus** (05c – Konigsstuhl, Surumu); **Atlanto** (01c – Nureyev, Seattle Slew); **Arvada** (00f – Cadeaux Genereux, General Assembly); **Mr Combustible** (98c – Dancing Brave, Mill Reef); **Hanami** (00f – Soviet Lad, Beldale Flutter); **Asian Heights** (98c – Shirley Heights, Bold Lade IRE); **Just Wonder** (00c – Capote, What a Pleasure); **Samando** (00f – Nashwan, Shareef Dancer); **Songerie** (02f – Nashwan, Slipstream); **Tau Ceti** (99c – Baillamont, Northern Dancer).

KIN-BREEDING: Hernando's dam Whacker is 2x2 to daughters of Buckpasser, one of whom is dam Pass A Glimmer. The latter is kin to the female line females La Troienne and Motto. Mumtaz is full sister to sire Mr Trot and dam out of Motto. The significant bottlenecks in this pedigree is Motto, herself Liege and Minima. Closer up carries significant weight, judging by the fact that Hernando's major runners.

Hernando's major Gr1 winners are **Casual Contest**, **Holding Court** and **Samando** show up significant significance. **Ampola** and descendants, **La Troienne** (notably Buckpasser), **Lady's Secret** (Inaugural and descendant) and **La Troienne** descendants.

Nijinsky line sires in South Africa: **Bold Silvano**, **Vercingetorix** (dam of **Hernando**); **Ato** (**Royal Academy**).

PEDIGREE

Fourth dam Hanina is closely kin to **Star of India** 89%, backed up by **Star of India** from her sire **Darling Boy's** bottom-line. **Star of India's** grandam **China Maiden**. **Star of India** Gr1 winner and sire **High Treason**, was the top rated 2yo filly ever in 1977. **Star of India's** dam **Martial**, whose grandam kin-links to **China Maiden**. **Bun** is by **Mahmoud**, and descends from the **China Maiden** female line.

Star of India is close kin to the mare **Thong**, dam of **Special** – the female line of **Sadler's Wells**, **Nureyev**, **Golden Thatch** (whose sire and dam are from that female line), and **Perugino**, the latter the damside of **Gitano Hernando**. The **Thong** female line (coming through **Dalmaly** and **Rough Shod**) links in a variety of ways to **Gitano Hernando's** bottom-line.

Hernando's bottom-line ancestor **Mumtaz** is close kin to the **Sugar Bun** x **Star of India** combo in the bottom-line of **Gitano Hernando**.

Grandam **Rising Spirits** is by **Cure The Blues** and kin-bred through that one's bottom female line, through **China Maiden**. **Cure The Blues** is from the **Secretariat/Sir Gaylord** female line.

SUITABLE LINES - **Dalmaly** female line descendants (**Sadler's Wells**, **Nureyev**, **Golden Thatch**, etc.); **Court Martial** clan lines (incl **Mixed Marriage**, **Petition**, and other

Hernando (FR) 1990	Niniski 1976	Nijinsky	NORTHERN DANCER - Nearctic
		Virginia Hills	Flaming Page - Bull Page
Whakilyric 1984		Miswaki	Tom Rolfe - Nearctic
		Lyrism	Ridin' Easy - Ridan
Gino's Spirit (GB) 1996	Perugino 1991		Mr Prospector - Raise A Native
			Hopespringseternal - BUCKPASSER
	Rising Spirits 1985	Danzig	Lyphard - NORTHERN DANCER
		Fairy Bridge	Pass A Glimmer - BUCKPASSER
			NORTHERN DANCER - Nearctic
			Pas De Nom - Admirals Voyage
			BOLD REASON - HAIL TO REASON
			Special - Forti
			Stop The Music - HAIL TO REASON
			Quick Cure - Dr Fager
			Tribal Chief - Princely Gift
			Hanna - Darling Boy

Fair Trial – widespread in SA; Sir Gaylord, Secretariat; China Maiden female line descendants (incl Sweet Secret, Candy Kisses, Zooming Zellie; Hard To Beat, Authi; High Treason; etc.); La Troienne female line descendants (notably Buckpasser, widespread); etc.

SALES ANALYSIS

BORN	colt	avg	sold	SI	filly	avg	sold	SI
'13	103,750	16	0.51	70,000	14	0.38		
'14	55,000	6	0.43	44,286	7	0.39		
'15	22,500	2	0.27	23,333	3	0.30		
'16					0			

Shimmering Jet (07f, Jet Master): 6 wins, Queen Palm Hcp (L)

Music Level (91f Barbaroll): did not win; dam of **Golden Music** (04c Goldkeeper): 2 wins, 1000-1400m; 3rd Gr1 Gold Medallion (MR 99)

Lady President (89f Dominion): 2 wins; dam of **Nera Zilzal** (98f Zilzal): dam of

Itri (07f Agnes Kamikaze): 6 wins in France; 3rd Prix des Sablonnets (L)

Pistachette (06f Agnes Kamikaze): 9 wins in France; 3rd Prix Ceres (L)

Aksil (10f, Spirit One): 7 wins in France; 3rd Gr3 Prix d'Aremberg; 2nd Prix Contessina (L)

4th dam

Hanina (65f Darling Boy): won, 1000m at 2 (TFR 86); dam of **MRS McARDY** (74f Tribal Chief): 8 wins – see above

Lady McArdy (80f Morston): won Ireland; dam of **SILK STALKINGS** (93f National Assembly): 4 wins, 1200-1600m, Flamboyant S.-(L); 3rd Highveld Breeders P.-(L)

ATCH ATTACK (95f Golden Thatch): 8 wins, 1000-1600m, Gr2 Drill Hall S., Gr3 Kings Cup, Gr3 Bouchina S.; 2nd Gr1 Spring Challenge; 3rd Gr1 Garden Province S., Gr3 Tibouchina S. (MR 105)

IT OF SUCCESS (76c Most Secret): 4 wins in France; 3rd Gr3 Gladness S. (TFR 100)

of Djebe: won at 2; dam of **Major Portion** (73f, Major Portion): 2 wins in UK; dam of **FORGET ME** (93c, Don't Forget Me): 6 wins, Gr2 Prix de la Ville de Paris, Gr3 Blandford S., Gr3 Brigadier Gerard S.; 3rd Gr1 Champion S.

of Darling Boy: won – see above

of Gentle Art: 2 wins in UK; dam of **of Ambio** (75f Ambio): 6 wins, Hibiscus S.; 2nd Gr1 Allan Robertson, Gr2 Easter Bonnet S.; dam of

of Jungle Cove: 7 wins; dam of **SWEET SECRET** (88f Peacetime): 8 wins, Gr1 Natal Oaks, Gr2 Woolavington Cup (2x); 2nd Gr2 Majorca S.; 3rd Gr1 Gold Bowl, Gr2 Gold Vase, Gr2 Rex Trueform Fillies S.

Cafe Au Lait (68f Espresso): 3 wins; dam of **BEESHI** (84c Red Sunset): won Gr3 Prix Foy; 2nd Gr2 GP der Badischen Wirtschaft

Black Crow (74f Sea Hawk): 2 wins; dam of **BLACK COUNTRY** (81f Dominion): 3 wins at 2; Marble Hill S.-(L)

Viceroy Princess (80f Godswalk): won at 2; dam of **CLASSIC RULER** (85c Dominion): 4 wins at 2, Gr3 Molecomb S.

CHAUMIERE (81c Thatching): 3 wins, John Smith Magnet Cup; 3rd Gr3 St Simon S.

Olderfleet (78f Steel Heart): 3 places; dam of **PEACE GIRL** (85f Dominion): 3 wins at 2, Gr3 Curragh S.

Sunset Cafe (90f Red Sunset): won; dam of **SEAZUN** (97f Zieten): 2 wins, Gr1 Cheveley Park S.; 4th Gr1 1000 Gns, Gr1 Irish 1000 Guineas (TFR 110)

Silecia (70f, Sky Gipsy); dam of **Hayati** (82f, Hotfoot): 2 wins; dam of

RUBY TIGER (87f, Ahonoora): 10 wins, G1 EP Taylor S., Gr2 Pretty Polly S., Gr2 Nassau S., Gr2 GP der Wirtschaft, Gr2 Pr Lydia Tesio; 2nd Gr1 Beverly D S., Gr1 Oaks d'Italia (TFR 121)

GITANO HERNANDO STUD ANALYSIS

Colts: SSI 0.24 (stamina 1734m) 0% SW; 3% BType; Fillies: SSI 0.50 (stamina 1810m) 3% SW; 3% BType.

To stud in South Africa in 2011

colt				filly				colt				filly													
born	foals	mrs	w/nrs	w/r%	SW	SW/r%	BT	BT/r%	wins	SSI	AR	stamina	born	foals	mrs	w/nrs	w/r%	SW	SW/r%	BT	BT/r%	wins	SSI	AR	stamina
'13	19	17	5	29%	0	0%	0	0%	10	0.31	59	1800m	'13	25	20	10	50%	1	5%	1	5%	23	0.69	61	1820m
'14	13	11	3	27%	0	0%	1	9%	4	0.30	55	1667m	'14	11	10	3	30%	0	0%	0	0%	3	0.38	54	1800m
'15	11	4	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0.12	49	0m	'15	9	3	1	33%	0	0%	0	0%	1	0.42	44	0m

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