

TOUCH GOLD

First Season 1999

Bay, 1994, 16 hands

Dosage Profile: (4-3-17-0-0); DI: 1.82; CD: 0.46

Touch Gold's Race Record in North America

Age	Starts	1st (SW)	2nd (sp)	3rd (sp)	Earnings
2	4	1	2 (1)	1 (1)	\$63,314
3	7	4 (3)	0	0	1,522,313
4	4	1	1 (1)	0	94,280

15 6 (3) 3 (2) 1 (1) \$1,679,907
(Ri:55.27)
(3, 9.5f, Career best Rag# 1³/₄)

At 2: 2nd Swynford S. (\$112,900, WO), **3rd Grey Breeders' Cup S.-G3** (\$188,175, WO).

At 3: 1st Belmont S.-G1 (\$721,000, Bel, 12f, 2:28.82), **Haskell Invitational H.-G1** (\$1,240,000, Mth, 9f, 1:47.62), **Lexington S.-G2** (\$188,650, Kee, 8.5f, 1:43.27, by 8¹/₂ lengths).

At 4: 2nd Fayette S.-G3 (\$153,939, Kee).

Sire Line

TOUCH GOLD is by **DEPUTY MINISTER**, 12 wins, 2 to 4, 22 starts, \$696,964. Horse of the Year in Can, Chp. 2yo, Chp. 2yo in Can. **1st** Young America S.-G1, Laurel Futurity-G1, Donn H.-G2, etc. **DEPUTY MINISTER** is the sire of 21 crops, 1141 foals, 90 stakes winners, SI: 3.17, ComSI: 3.22.

For statistics on active sons of Deputy Minister at stud, please refer to the Active Sons Index.

Touch Gold's Crop Analysis By Foal Crop

(Through November 6, 2011)

Year	Named Foals	2YO		2YO		Stakes wnr	Earnings
		Runners	Winners	wnr	SWs		
2000	86	68 (79%)	48 (56%)	9 (1)	6 (7%)		\$6,597,907
2001	82	65 (79%)	49 (60%)	7 (0)	5 (6%)		\$4,366,896
2002	62	51 (82%)	36 (58%)	10 (0)	3 (5%)		\$4,329,702
2003	73	60 (82%)	46 (63%)	7 (1)	3 (4%)		\$4,801,199
2004	97	83 (86%)	67 (69%)	19 (2)	6 (6%)		\$8,040,670
2005	78	69 (88%)	54 (69%)	12 (0)	4 (5%)		\$4,703,748
2006	78	69 (88%)	53 (68%)	6 (1)	1 (1%)		\$3,036,913
2007	69	61 (88%)	39 (57%)	10 (1)	1 (1%)		\$1,607,779
2008	78	68 (87%)	44 (56%)	12 (1)	1 (1%)		\$1,270,342
2009	40	19 (48%)	10 (25%)	10 (0)	0 (0%)		\$210,401
Totals	743	613	446	102 (7)	30 (4%)		\$38,965,557

avg/starter \$63,565, SI: 1.34, colts 1.13, fillies 1.56; ComSI: 2.26.

Progeny Surface Statistics

	Avg. earnings/start	# SWs (GSWs)
Dirt	\$4,131	25(9)
Turf	\$4,850	6(1)
Synthetic	\$3,336	2(0)

Touch Gold's Leading Runners

SWEET HEARTH (06 f., dam by Gilded Time). 4 wins, \$239,676. Hwt. at 2 in Ity. **1st** Premio Alessandro Perrone (Ity), Prix de la Cochere (Fr), **2nd** Prix de la Foret (Fr-G1), **3rd** Prix de Bagatelle (Fr).

SEEK GOLD (00 g., Alydar). 5 wins, \$902,636. (5, 8f, Rag# 6). **1st** Stephen Foster H.-G1, **2nd** Clark H.-G2, etc. **4X4 Tom Fool**.

COMPOSURE (00 f., Alleged). 4 wins, \$731,300. (2, 9f, Rag# 5¹/₂). **1st** Santa Anita Oaks-G1, Las Virgenes S.-G1, Oak Leaf S.-G2, etc.

MIDAS EYES (00 c., Bayou Hebert). 5 wins, \$616,528. (4, 7f, Rag# 0). **1st** Forego H.-G1, Derby Trial S.-G3, Swale S.-G3, etc.

Deputy Minister 79 1141 fls, 90 SWs SI 3.18 DI=3.67	Vice Regent 67 2 wins, \$6,215 673 fls, 105 SWs SI 2.83 DI=3.86	Northern Dancer 61 636 fls, 147 SWs SI 5.82 DI=3.00	Nearctic 54 =Nearco (Ity) 35 *Lady Angela 44
	Mint Copy 70 11 wins, \$53,945, Spl 7 fls, 1 SW DI=7.00	Victoria Regina 58 3 fls, 1 SW DI=99.99	*Menetrier 44 =Fair Copy (GB) 34 =La Melodie (GB) 39
		Bunty's Flight 53 104 fls, 3 SWs SI 0.53 DI=1.00	Natalma 57 Almahmoud 47
Passing Mood 78 9 fls, 5 SWs DI=1.54	Buckpasser 63 25 wins, \$1,462,014 Champion 313 fls, 35 SWs SI 4.32 DI=1.34	Tom Fool 49 276 fls, 36 SWs SI 5.25 DI=1.89	*Windfields 43 Iribelle 42
	Cool Mood 66 8 wins, \$66,214, SW 13 fls, 1 SW DI=2.33	Shakney 64 11 fls, 1 SW DI=2.00	Ladder 28 Mintwina 30 Deil 36 Air Post 38
		Busanda 47 8 fls, 3 SWs DI=0.69	Jabneh 52 Bellesoeur 45 Polynesian 42 Good Example 44
Northern Dancer 61 636 fls, 147 SWs SI 5.82 DI=3.00	Happy Mood 51 9 fls, 2 SWs DI=1.10	War Admiral 34 Brushup 29	*Pharamond II 25 Alcibiades 27 *Bull Dog 27 Alpoise 37
	Nearctic 54 =Nearco (Ity) 35 *Lady Angela 44	Businesslike 39	Man o' War 17 Brushup 29
		La Reigh 40	*Blenheim II 27 =Mah Mahal (GB) 28 Count Gallahad 34 Risque Reigh 34

MASS MEDIA (01 c., Forty Niner). 6 wins, \$569,740. (3, 7f, Rag# ³/₄). **1st** Forego S.-G1, Sport Page H.-G3, etc. **3X4 Buckpasser**.

SUGAR SWIRL (03 f., Distinctive Pro). 10 wins, \$795,458. (4, 6.5f, Rag# 5). **1st** Shirley Jones H.-G2, Hurricane Bertie H.-G3, etc.

SHARP SUSAN (04 f., Dynaformer). 6 wins, \$478,326. (4, 8f, Rag# 4¹/₂). **1st** Lake Placid S.-G2, Herecomesthebride S.-G3, etc.

MEDALLIST (01 c., Star de Naskra). 5 wins, \$421,375. (3, 8.5f, Rag# ¹/₄). **1st** Dwyer S.-G2, Withers S.-G3, Deputy Minister H.-G3, etc.

FERRARI PISA (04 c., Capote). 7 wins, \$2,717,940. **1st** Negishi S. (Jpn-G3), Elm S. (Jpn), etc.

READY SET (05 g., Alleged). 7 wins, \$806,289. (3, 8.5f, Rag# 6¹/₄). **1st** West Virginia Derby-G3, Eight Thirty S., Cliff Williams H., etc.

Also: **REGION OF MERIT** (c., Gone West). 7 wins, \$392,701. [G3]; **ROYAL CHALLENGER** (c., Valid Appeal). 7 wins, \$647,954; **EYES ON EDDY** (f., Valid Appeal). 8 wins, \$544,019; **SPRITELY** (f., Woodman). 6 wins, \$463,378; **POWERFUL TOUCH** (g., Two Punch). 9 wins, \$430,128; **CHAPLAIN** (g., Lord at War [Arg]). 13 wins, \$347,354; **VICTORY LAP** (f., A.P. Indy). 6 wins, \$265,311; **FLAMING HEART** (f., Lear Fan). 5 wins, \$245,961; **FREEROLL** (f., Sensitive Prince). 5 wins, \$213,619; etc.

In 2011: Touch Gold has sired 190 starters, 105 winners, 1 SW, with total earnings of \$2,358,255, including **READY SET**, **Casper's Touch** [G3], **Wind Caper**, **Paris by Night**, **Cilindrada**, **Cajun Diva**, etc.

Sales Analysis Lifetime

	Colts		Fillies		Total	
	# sold	Avg	# sold	Avg	# sold	Avg
Wnls	33	\$67,090	29	\$88,910	62	\$77,296
Yrls	179	\$91,710	164	\$83,264	343	\$87,671
Twoyo	64	\$97,539	68	\$88,551	132	\$92,909

Female Family

PASSING MOOD, by Buckpasser. 3 wins at 2, \$45,361, Shady Well S., etc. Broodmare of the Year in Canada. Dam of 9 foals, 7 to race, 6 winners—

WITH APPROVAL (c. by Caro [Ire]). 13 wins in 23 starts, 2 to 4, \$2,863,540, Horse of the Year in Canada at 3, champion 3-year-old male in Canada, Triple Crown in Canada, Bowling Green H.-G2-ncr, Tidal H.-G2, Marine S.-L, etc. Sire.

TOUCH GOLD (c. by Deputy Minister). Subject stallion.

BAR U MOOD (f. by Saratoga Six). 8 wins, 2 to 5, \$288,068, Seaway S.-L, etc. Dam of—

Silver Spear (c. by Cozzene). 8 wins, 2 to 7, \$351,472, 2nd Labebe S., Franklin S.-L.

DAIJIN (f. by Deputy Minister). 4 wins, \$164,044, Selene S.-L, Star Shoot S.-L, 3rd Test S.-G1.

Dam of **SERENADING** (f. by A.P. Indy, 6 wins, 3 to 5, \$538,754, champion older female in Canada, Falls City H.-G2, etc.).

HANDPAINTED (f. by A.P. Indy, 5 wins, \$435,406, Ontario Debutante S.-L, etc.). Grandam of **BRILLIANT SPEED** (c. by Dynaformer, 3 wins to 3, 2011, \$700,750, Blue Grass S.-G1, Saranac S.-G3, etc.).

PATENA (c. by Seeking the Gold, 2 wins, \$136,551, Display S.-L, 2nd Lecomte S.-G3).

=Touch Me Not (Jpn) (c. by =Dance in the Dark [Jpn], 8 wins to 5, 2011, \$1,126,511 in Japan, 2nd Tanabata Sho-G3).

Oil Painting (f. by Distorted Humor, 3 wins at 3 and 4, 2011, \$255,681, 3rd Bison City S.-R, Fury S.).

SWEEPING CHANGE (c. by Secretariat). 3 wins at 2 and 3, \$157,986, Woodstock S.-L, etc. Sire.

Launch Key (c. by Roberto). 8 wins, \$108,771, 3rd Summer S.-G3, Cup and Saucer S.

Active Sires From This Female Family

1st dam — **With Approval**: 18 crops, 52 SWs, 95 SHs; Shadow Hawk: 3 crops, 3 SWs, 6 SHs.

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Deputy Minister—Passing Mood, by Buckpasser

NEW YORK



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Sire of 61 stakes horses, 30 Stakes Winners
Ten Graded Stakes Winners, Four Grade 1 Winners

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