

# ATTACHMENT RATE

4yo c. by HARD SPUN

# ELITE SALES

# HIP 599



ATTACHMENT RATE kicks off his 2021 season with a win at Gulfstream.

## ANALYSIS

ATTACHMENT RATE is a **Virginia-bred** son of **HARD SPUN** who has held some very strong company over the last year, **contesting in several Kentucky Derby prep races in addition to the Derby**. This year, ATTACHMENT RATE has been **refocused to take on one-turn races** and with this change of tactic, has **responded well with a couple of big performances**.

He kicked off his 4-year-old season with a nice allowance win at Gulfstream Park (**93 Beyer**) before heading to the **G3 Commonwealth at Keeneland** where he ultimately finished **3rd (90 Beyer)** behind **FLAGSTAFF** who won the **G1 Churchill Downs on Derby Day** next out.

**Last Race:** 6/4/21 AOC-N3W at CD  
**Result:** 3rd by 5 1/4-lengths  
**Trainer:** Dale Romans  
**Conditions Left:** N3X/Stakes  
**Preferred Surface:** Dirt

## DRF PPs

### Individual Horse Past Performances – Lifetime: Attachment Rate

#### Attachment Rate

Own: Bakke Jim and Isbister, Gerald

Ch. c. 4 (May) KEESIP18 \$200,000  
 Sire: Hard Spun (Danzig) \$35,000  
 Dam: Arista (Affet Alex)  
 Br: Mr. & Mrs. C. Oliver Iselin III (Va)   
 Tr: Romans Dale L

Life	16	3	3	3	\$236,422	95	D.Fst	13	1	3	3	\$182,732	95
2021	5	1	0	2	\$39,250	93	Wet(386)	2	2	0	0	\$53,240	88
2020	10	2	3	1	\$176,365	95	Synth	0	0	0	0	\$0	-
							Turf(314)	1	0	0	0	\$450	84

4Jun21-8CD fst 6f	214	444	569	1:09:1.34	OC 80k/n3x-N	76	2/5	4	54	4/1	35	Talamo J	L121	-	86-08 Rubus12m19m Corfu1215 AttachmentRate1215  Declared no contest	
30Apr21-6CD fst 1 1/4	S	234	472	1:11:1.41	114 Alysheba-G2	87	3/6	6/9	5/9	55	610	6119	Talamo J	118	14.60	87-09 Maxfield1203 Visitant1189 Chess Chief1233 No factor
3Apr21-7Kee fst 7f	S	232	454	1:09:2.12	114 Cmwith-G3	90	3/7	2	7/9	7/1	5/1	3/1	Saez L	118	6.10	91-09 Flagstaff1189 SpecialReserve1189 AttachmentRate1189 pup rally gaining
27Feb21-7GP fst 1	S	1	354	44	OC 62k/c-N	93	11/11	109	9/2	7/2	4/3	11	Ortiz J L	118	6.60	93-09 AttachmentRate1161 WestWillPower1182 Endorsed1181 4-5p1/4rallied up lat
Hand timed																
23Jan21-5GP fmn 1	(M) 223	462	1:02:1.33	44 OC 62k/c-N	84	3/12	12/13	119	12/1	12/1	10/5		Lanerice C J	L118	14.00	88-06 OlympicRunner1189 WintersBack1202 Emarty1183 Swung wide, no impact
28Nov20-3Aqu fst 1 1/4	S	234	472	1:11:4.37	1.50 Discovery-G3	90	5/5	4/3	4/2	4/2	4/4	4/4	Ortiz J L	L118	2.50	90-11 ForzDiOro1189 MondyMorningOb1201 ShroSns1241 3w 2nd drive by 5/16
29Oct20-6CD sly 5 1/4	S	232	47	1:11:4.44	34 Alw 52495tx	84	1/6	2/3	2nd	1nd	1/3	1/3	Talamo J	L118	*50	82-21 AttachmentRate1189 AlkJoan1189 DistortMoon1189 Vie ins,kickd clear1/4
5Sep20-44CD fst 1 1/4	462	1:10:1.35	2:00	KyDerby-G1	73	10/15	8/9	8/4	10/9	13/12	14/29		Talamo J	L126	47.50	87-02 Authentic1261 Tiz the Law1282 Mr. Big News1261 Came in, bumped start
9Aug20-10EP fst 1 1/4	463	1:10:1.35	1:48	ELPDerbyL193k	95	10/12	5/2	4/1	3/1	2/1	2/3		Talamo J	L118	14.40	- - ArtCollector1223 AttachmentRate1185 NecktieInd1181 No match, 2nd best
11Jly20-9Kee fst 1 1/4	463	1:10:1.35	1:48	BlueGrass-L2	91	9/13	9/7	7/4	6/4	5/7	5/9		Talamo J	L123	27.60	91-05 ArtCollector1223 Swiss Skydiver1184 Rushie1238 Bumped, bothered start
23May20-10CD fst 1 1/4	234	481	1:12:1.43	MattWinn-G3	88	9/10	4/8	4/2	4/2	4/3	4/5		Velazquez J R	L118	10.80	85-10 Maxfield1231 Ny Traffic1183 Pneumatic1183 In tight into 1st turn
25Apr20-9GP fst 1 1/4	24	472	1:10:1.43	UnbridledB75k	85	8/6	6/4	6/4	6/3	3/6	2/1		Saez L	L118	2.10	92-11 DrPost1181 AttachmentRate1181 Americanus1181 Bump 1/2p, Aw, duel 1/8
7Mar20-10Aqu fst 1	C	232	471	1:12:1.38	Gotham-G3	86	1/11	8/3	5/3	4/3	3/3	3/2	Saez L	L118	3.55	77-25 MischievousAlex1283 Untitled1189 AttachmentRate1182 Chased 3-2w, mild kick
15Feb20-3GP sly 5 1/4	C				Md Sp Wt 43k	88	3/8	6/8	3/3	1/3	1/3		Saez L	L121	3.30	- 18 AttachmentRate1215 RgTg1212 TonsofGold1211 Outdue for up, drvg
25Jan20-4GP fst 7f	222	462	1:10:1.24	Md Sp Wt 43k	82	5/10	8	9/12	9/11	4/6	2/2		Prat F	L120	50.20	79-18 MrketAnalysis120 AttachmentRate1201 PrcisDncr1203 Litebmp st,5wd,closed

After a **dominant 6-length MdSpWt win** in February of his 3-year-old year, ATTACHMENT RATE finished **3rd in the G3 Gotham next out**. These two efforts gave his connections the hope to **put him on the Derby Trail**. He went on to **place in 3 more Stakes races that year** behind the likes of **G1W MISCHIEVOUS ALEX** and Bluegrass Stakes winner **G2W ART COLLECTOR**. When asked to **cut back around 1-turn to start this season**, ATTACHMENT RATE responded with a near **last to first win** which earned him a strong **93 Beyer**. **(Click here or scan QR code)**.

He returned to **Graded Stakes company** in the **G3 Commonwealth at Keeneland** in the spring, where he **closed from last to finish 3rd** beat just **1 1/4-lengths** by next out **G1W FLAGSTAFF** as well as next out **G3W SPECIAL RESERVE**. It's important to note that this was one of his best efforts and he ran **WITHOUT LASIX**. **(Click here or scan QR code)**.

## DRF PPs CONT.

- 3** ATTACHMENT RATE's last start was **declared a no contest** due to a **gate malfunction** after each of the starting stalls opened at a different time.
- 4** One important thing to remember is that ATTACHMENT RATE is a **Virginia-bred** which means that he is **eligible for a 25% owners bonus for winning non-Virginia-bred restricted races at any racetrack in the Mid-Atlantic** region which includes: **NY, NJ, PA, DE, WV, MD, VA.** ([Click here to read the full VTA bonus program.](#))

## RAGOZIN

ATTACHMENT RATE's two races between 7f-8f this year have yielded his best results on Ragozin by far, notably when he **earned a (7 3/4) Ragozin** figure for his allowance win at Gulfstream Park. That number easily **puts him into the conversation when it comes to Graded Stakes winning Ragozin figures around 1 turn on dirt.**

To compare, **FLAGSTAFF won the G1 Churchill Downs (7f) with a (10) Ragozin** and **MAGIC ON TAP won the G2 Triple Bend (7f) with a (9 1/2) Ragozin.**

## RACE SCHEDULE

Looking ahead, ATTACHMENT RATE **figures to be competitive in the following set of Stakes races** with the long term goal for him to return to Gulfstream, a track in which he has performed his best, later this winter. Additionally, he is **eligible for the VA-bred restricted races** including the Edward Evans Stakes. In his **1 start on turf, he earned an 84 Beyer** which is **comparable to the 85 Beyer earned by LARGENT**, winner of the race last year.

Date	Track	Race	Purse	Age	Dist/Surf
JUL-25	DMR	CLM-\$62.5k (+SHIP & WIN)	\$74,000	3yo+	6.5f, D
AUG-28	DMR	Pat O'Brien S. (G2) (+SHIP & WIN)	\$200,000	3yo+	7f, D
SEP-1	CNL	Edward Evans S. (VA-bred)	\$100,000	3yo+	8f, T
SEP-25	BEL	Kelso H. (G2)	\$300,000	3yo+	8f, D
SEP-25	PRX	Parx Dirt Mile	\$200,000	3yo+	8f, D
OCT-31	BEL	Bold Ruler (G3)	\$200,000	3yo+	7f, D
DEC-18	GP	Mr. Prospector (G3)	\$100,000	3yo+	7f, D
JAN-22	GP	Fred W. Hooper (G3)	\$125,000	4yo+	8f, D
JAN-29	AQU	Toboggan (G3)	\$250,000	4yo+	7f, D
FEB-26	GP	GP Mile (G2)	\$200,000	4yo+	8f, D
FEB-26	AQU	Stymie	\$125,000	4yo+	8f, D
MAR-26	GP	Sir Shackleton	\$100,000	4yo+	7f, D
APR-2	KEE	Commonwealth (G3)	\$200,000	4yo+	7f, D



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