



## What the jockeys say about the going.

After the first race, the jockeys delivered their verdict on the going, which measured 3.5 on the penetrometer scale this morning. Clément Lecoivre, the winning rider of **Trois Mats**, said: « *The ground is soft. It's softer along the rail which is why we opted to track over to the middle.* »

Antoine Hamelin, the rider of the second said: « *I thought that the ground would be good as a result of the dry spell of the last few days, but it is riding soft. The track is in perfect condition – there are no holes and the grass has been cut to a good height.* »

Cristian Demuro, due to ride the favourite Olmedo, said: “*The ground is on the soft side but in excellent condition.*”