

2024 US Olympic Trials Statistics – Men's 800m

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Summary:

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5		1:42.80	Johnny Gray	1	New Orleans	24 June 1992

Fastest Performances in Eugene

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3	3	1:43.06	Djamel Sedjati	ALG	3	17 Sept 2023
4	4	1:43.17	Clayton Murphy	USA	1	21 June 2021
5	5	1:43.5	Rick Wohlhuter	USA	1	8 June 1974

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10		1:43.96	Johnny Gray	1	Indianapolis	1988
11	9	1:43.97	Jose Parrilla	3	New Orleans	1992
12	10	1:44.00	George Kersh	4	New Orleans	1992
12		1:44.00	Johnny Gray	1	Atlanta	1996
14		1:44.10	Nick Symmonds	1	Eugene	2008
15	11	1:44.14	Bryce Hoppel	3	Eugene	2021
16	12	1:44.3h	Dave Wottle	1	Eugene	1972
17	13	1:44.44	Terril Davis	5	New Orleans	1992
18		1:44.46	Mark Everett	2	Indianapolis	1988
19	14	1:44.53	Don Paige	1	Eugene	1980
20	15	1:44.58	Isaiah Harris	4	Eugene	2021
21	16	1:44.64	Brandon Rock	2	Atlanta	1996
21	16	1:44.64	Khadevis Robinson	2	Eugene	2012
23	18	1:44.65	Duane Solomon	3	Eugene	2012
24		1:44.76	Clayton Murphy	1	Eugene	2016
25	19	1:44.77	Jonathan Johnson	1	Sacramento	2004
26	20	1:44.78	Rick Wohlhuter	1	Eugene	1976
27		1:44.86	Jose Parrila	3	Atlanta	1996
28	21	1:44.87	Ocky Clark	6	New Orleans	1992
29	22	1:44.90	Rich Kenah	1sf2	Atlanta	1996
29	22	1:44.90	Ryan Martin	4	Eugene	2012
31	24	1:44.91	Tracy Baskin	3	Indianapolis	1988
31		1:44.91	Khadevis Robinson	2	Sacramento	2004
33	25	1:44.92	Boris Berian	2	Eugene	2016
34	26	1:45.00	Donovan Brazier	1h2	Eugene	2021
35		1:45.0h	Rick Wohlhuter	2	Eugene	1972

Slowest winning time since 1972: 1:45.67 by Mark Everett in 2000

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Difference between 3rd and 4th place (Making versus not making the team)

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Making 800m – 1500m team

Rick Wohlhuter 1976
Dave Wottle 1980

Making 400m – 800m team

Mal Whitfield 1948, 1952

Fastest time in each round

Round	Time	Name	Venue	Year
Final	1:42.80	Johnny Gray	New Orleans	1992
Semi Final	1:44.90	Rich Kenah	Atlanta	1996
First round	1:45.00	Donavan Brazier	Eugene	2021
	1:46.03	Boris Berian	Eugene	2016
	1:46.42	Khadevis Robinson	Sacramento	2004

Making the team multiple times:

Clayton Murphy 2016, 2021
Nick Symmonds: 2008, 2012
Khadevis Robinson: 2004, 2012
Johnny Gray: 1984, 1988, 1992, 1996
Mark Everett: 1988, 1992, 2000
Jose Parrilla: 1992, 1996
James Robinson: 1976, 1980
Rick Wohlhuter: 1972, 1976
Tom Farrell 1964, 1968
Jerry Siebert 1960, 1964
Mal Whitfield 1948, 1952
Charles Hornbostel 1932, 1936

Average from last ten Olympic Trials

	Average	2021	2016	2012	2008	2004	2000	1996	1992	1988	1984
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Making team (3 rd)	1:44.86	1:44.14	1:45.48	1:44.65	1:45.47	1:45.08	1:46.09	1:44.86	1:43.97	1:44.91	1:43.92
Missing team (4 th)	1:45.15	1:44.58	1:46.03	1:44.90	1:45.53	1:45.67	1:46.36	1:45.20	1:44.00	1:45.35	1:43.92

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6	6	1:43.55	Donovan Brazier	USA	1	10 June 2016
7	7	1:43.63	Nijel Amos	BOT	1	31 May 2014
8	8	1:43.68	Abubaker Kaki	SUD	1	4 June 2011

Fastest Performances in June

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1	1	1:41.73	Sebastian Coe	GBR	1	Firenze	10 June 1981
2	2	1:41.74	David Rudisha	KEN	1	New York	9 June 2012
3		1:42.04	David Rudisha		1	Oslo	4 June 2010
4		1:42.12	David Rudisha		1	Nairobi	23 June 2012

Combined 2023 & 2024 US List

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1	1	1:43.68	Bryce Hoppel	1	Los Angeles	18 May 2024
2		1:43.95	Bryce Hoppel	6	Monaco	21 July 2023
3	2	1:44.02	Isaiah Jewett	2	Los Angeles	18 May 2024
4		1:44.04	Bryce Hoppel	3sf3	Budapest-WC	24 Aug 2023
5	3	1:44.24	Brandon Miller	4	Los Angeles	18 May 2024
6		1:44.26	Will Sumner	1	Austin-NCAA	9 June 2023
7		1:44.29	Bryce Hoppel	2	Stockholm	2 June 2024
8		1:44.37	Bryce Hoppel	6	Bruxelles	8 Sept 2023

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