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Retired investigator Sid Halley is lured back into the game exploring alleged race-fixing after the suspicious death of the chairman of the racing authority in this new novel from

the co-author of *Dead Heath* and *Silks*.
Bonecrack Putnam Adult
Discover the classic mystery from Dick Francis, one of the greatest thriller writers of all time 'The characters are superb, the plotting as

clever as it gets, the climax nightmarish, the retribution delicious' 5***** Reader Review 'You can always rely on Dick Francis for a page-turner, and this is no exception' 5***** Reader Review _____ Edward Lincoln has scaled the

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page one and holding it tight until the very end' Sunday Telegraph 'A regular winner . . . as smooth, swift and lean as ever' Sunday Express 'The master of suspense and intrigue' Country Life 'Francis writing at his best' Evening Standard 'Still the master' Racing Post Crossfire Penguin After a tragic suicide disrupts the trial of a much-loved racing figure accused of corruption--a case

in which he was to testify--conscience-stricken jockey-turned-sleuth Sid Halley returns to investigate this much too convenient death *Even Money* Penguin After his friend is killed in a horse-racing accident, up-and-coming glass artisan Gerard Logan finds himself embroiled in a deadly search for a stolen videotape--a videotape that just

might destroy his own life.

Come to Grief

Penguin Architect Lee Morris has plans to restore Stratton Park racecourse to its former grandeur. But the combative Stratton heirs have violent plans of their own.

Smokescreen

Penguin When ex-jockey Sid Halley becomes convinced that one of his closest friends--and one of the racing world's most beloved figures--is behind a series of shockingly

violent acts, he faces the most troubling case of his career.

Nerve: A classic racing mystery from the king of crime Ulverscroft Large Print Books Investigating the activities of a suspicious racehorse trainer, undercover investigator Jeff Hinkley witnesses a gruesome murder and learns that several horses received illegal stimulants before a blackmailer makes a sinister demand. By the best-selling author of Dick Francis's *Refusal*. 75,000 first printing.

Dick Francis's Bloodline

Penguin

A classic mystery from Dick Francis, the champion of English storytellers.

Malcolm

Pembroke didn't get rich without making a few enemies - not least among the five wives and nine children left like wreckage in his wake. But when Moira, his fifth wife, is murdered and Malcolm believes that someone is out to get him, he knows of only one person he can turn to: his estranged son, Ian. Ian - an amateur jockey -

wants nothing to do with his father until it becomes clear the old man's life is in danger. And worst of all the evidence suggests it's from someone in the family. Can Ian work out who it is before they strike again? Praise for Dick Francis: 'As a jockey, Dick Francis was unbeatable when he got into his stride. The same is true of his crime writing' *Daily Mirror* 'Dick Francis's fiction has a secret ingredient - his inimitable knack of grabbing the reader's attention on page one and holding it tight until

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 champion jockey Association's writers of all time.
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Penguin
Another great
best-selling
mystery from the
grand master of
the genre... When
race caller and
television
presenter Mark
Shillingford calls a
race in which his
twin sister, Clare,
an accomplished
and successful
jockey, comes in
second when she
could have won,
he believes the
worst: that she
lost on purpose,
and the race was
fixed. That night,
Mark confronts
Clare with his
suspicions, she
storms off after an
argument - and
it's the last time
Mark sees her
alive. Hours later,

Clare jumps to her
death from the
balcony of a
London hotel...or
so it seems.
Devastated and
guilty over her
death, Mark goes
in search of
answers. What
had led Clare to
take her own life?
Or was it not
suicide at all?
To the Hilt Silks
From acclaimed
master of mystery
Dick Francis
comes a thrilling
novel about the
illusion of film and
the reality of
murder—a New
York Times
notable book.
Thomas Lyon has
finally been given
the chance to
direct a potential
blockbuster,

based on the true
story of an
unsolved crime
that rocked the
horseracing world
twenty-six years
ago. But a cryptic
deathbed
confession, an
assault on an
elderly woman,
and a frightening
threat lead Lyon to
pick up the thread
of this unfinished
tale—and follow it
through to its
perilous end...
Flying Finish
Penguin
British investigator
Jefferson Hinkley is
back in this
compelling Dick
Francis thriller by
the New York
Times–bestselling
author of *Crisis*. In
his role as an
undercover
investigator for the

British Horseracing Authority, Jeff Hinkley is approached by a multi-time champion jockey to discuss the delicate matter of losing races on purpose. Little does he know that the call will set off a lethal chain of events, including the apparent suicide of the jockey and an attempt on Hinkley's own life. Never one to leave suspicious events alone, Hinkley begins investigating the jockey and the races he may have thrown. But there are others out there who intend to prevent his inquiry from probing further...at any cost.

Dick Francis's Gamble Penguin
From the

acclaimed master of mystery and suspense comes the story of a self-imposed outcast who must refresh his detection skills in order to save himself and his family.

Dead Heat
Michael Joseph
A classic mystery from Dick Francis, the champion of English storytellers. Amateur jockey Lord Henry Grey decides on a whim to join the bloodstock market, transporting racehorses around the world. And when he meets the glamorous Gabriella in Italy,

he is sure he's hit the good life. That is, until a horse unexpectedly dies in transit and a colleague vanishes. Then Grey discovers that both his predecessors also went missing in curious circumstances - and begins to doubt the wisdom of his career change. Either he turns detective or his own disappearance could be next . . . 'As a jockey, Dick Francis was unbeatable when he got into his stride. The same is true of his crime writing.' Daily Mirror

Bloodline Putnam

Adult
Discover the classic mystery from Dick Francis, one of the greatest thriller writers of all time 'Another exciting read that keeps you on the edge of your seat' 5***** Reader
Review 'Grabbed my attention from the beginning . . . One of Dick Francis' best!' 5***** Reader
Review 'Excellent characterisations, believable villains and wonderful plots' 5***** Reader
Review _____
Gene Hawkins is a fixer for his boss Mr Keeble: if Keeble has a problem, Gene goes and fixes it. It's that simple. Sometimes it requires the Luger he carries - mostly it doesn't.

Now Keeble has summoned Gene back from a long-overdue holiday. It seems that a very expensive stallion has been taken in Kentucky. It's the third high-value kidnapping in a few years. Keeble wants his horse back - and it's Gene's job to go out there and find it. But what Gene doesn't know is that he's about to get involved with blackmailers and murderers. Looks like that Lugar will see some use . . . Packed with intrigue and hair-raising suspense, Blood Sport is just one of the many blockbuster thrillers from legendary crime writer Dick Francis. Praise for Dick Francis: 'As a jockey, Dick Francis

was unbeatable when he got into his stride. The same is true of his crime writing' Daily Mirror 'The narrative is brisk and gripping and the background researched with care . . . the entire story is a pleasure to relish' Scotsman 'Dick Francis's fiction has a secret ingredient - his inimitable knack of grabbing the reader's attention on page one and holding it tight until the very end' Sunday Telegraph 'A regular winner . . . as smooth, swift and lean as ever' Sunday Express 'The master of suspense and intrigue' Country Life 'Francis writing at his best' Evening Standard 'Still the master' Racing Post

Bolt Penguin
Ned Talbot is a small-time bookmaker on the edge of giving it all up when his world is turned upside down by a man who claims to be his father, long thought dead. And when the mysterious stranger is murdered, Ned feels compelled to find out exactly what is going on. But the more he discovers, the longer the odds become for his survival.

Comeback Michael Joseph
A classic mystery from Dick Francis, the champion of English storytellers. When inventor Stephen Scott abruptly fires his winning trainer Jody Leeds, the

racing world is shocked and disgusted - though not quite as angry as Leeds, who swears revenge on his former friend. But Steven is convinced that Leeds has been stealing from him - and worse - and felt he had no choice. And when Leeds decides to enact his vengeance, Steven finds out just what a nasty piece of work he really is. Because now Steven is not only in fear of losing everything - but also his life. Somehow, he must prove to the world that Leeds is a vicious crook - or die trying . . . Praise for Dick Francis: 'As a jockey, Dick Francis was unbeatable when he got into his

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National Hunt jockeys. The winner of over 350 races, he was champion jockey in 1953/1954 and rode for HM Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother, most famously on Devon Loch in the 1956 Grand National. On his retirement from the saddle, he published his autobiography, *The Sport of Queens*, before going on to write forty-three bestselling novels, a volume of short stories (*Field of 13*), and the biography of Lester Piggott. During his lifetime Dick Francis received many awards, amongst them the prestigious Crime Writers' Association's Cartier Diamond Dagger for his

outstanding contribution to the genre, and three 'best novel' Edgar Allan Poe awards from The Mystery Writers of America. In 1996 he was named by them as Grand Master for a lifetime's achievement. In 1998 he was elected a fellow of the Royal Society of Literature, and was awarded a CBE in the Queen's Birthday Honours List of 2000. Dick Francis died in February 2010, at the age of eighty-nine, but he remains one of the greatest thriller writers of all time. *Under Orders* Penguin Silks Penguin [Blood Sport: A classic racing](#)

[mystery from the king of crime](#) Penguin Shell-shocked after losing a foot during his tour in Afghanistan, Captain Tom Forsyth returns to his estranged mother's house. His mother has always put horses first and family last. But now she's being blackmailed for a hefty sum every week and being forced to make her horses lose. Using the skills he honed in the military, Tom sets out to find and defeat a hidden enemy

before his
mother's
reputation is
ruined, and he
ends up back in
the crossfire.

Whip Hand

National

Geographic Books

On the heels of

Under Orders,

Francis once

again proves

himself a master.

Wow.?

(BOOKLIST) Max

Moreton is a rising

culinary star?until

his guests fall

victim to severe

food poisoning?and

then a bomb blast

rips through the

luncheon he?s

catering. Two close

calls are too close

for comfort, and

Max vows to

protect his name,

and himself, before

it?s too late.

Rat Race Penguin

A young British

diplomat's return

to England

revives long-

buried childhood

memories that

could be the key

to saving innocent

people from

destruction