



One of UK's best ever results in the 800m was in Moscow in 1980. Here are the final placings.

1st	Steve Ovett	GBR	1:45.4
2nd	Sebastian Coe	GBR	1:45.9
3rd	Nikolay Kirov	URS	1:46.0
4th	Agberto Guimaraes	BRA	1:46.2
5th	Andreas Busse	GDR	1:46.9
6th	Detlef Wagenknecht	GDR	1:47.0
7th	José Marajo	FRA	1:47.3
8th	Dave Warren	GBR	1:49.3

- How much faster than Seb Coe was Steve Ovett?
- What was the difference in time from first to eighth place?
- Which two pairs of athletes finished 0.1 seconds apart from each other?
- Imagine that Steve Ovett had run an even time for each 100 metres of the race. How long would it have taken him to run each 100m (to the nearest tenth of a second)?
- Seb Coe came second, but in which individual event did he win a Gold medal?

Answers

1. 0.5 sec
2. 3.9 sec
3. Andrea Busse and Detlef Wagenknecht
Sebastian Coe and Nikolay Kirov
4. 13.2 sec
5. 1500 m