BRIEFINGS STAGE 8 · 15/01



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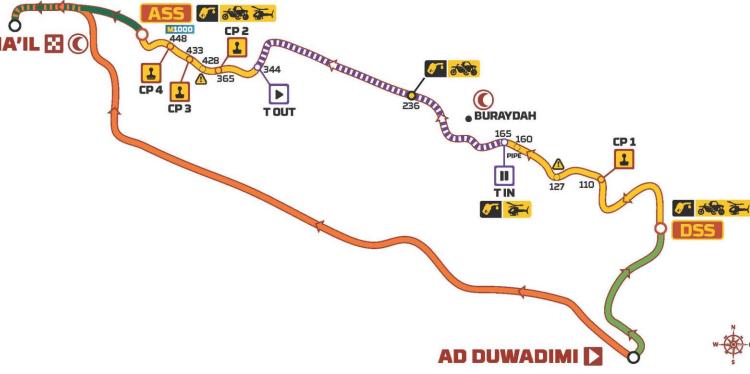
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DSS 1ST DEPARTURE

FIM 07:05 FIA

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STAGE INFO

D55 Fuel #1

Transfer KM165 – K344 (179km)

Timing

FIM/CHL/SSV/TRK \rightarrow 02:10 ULT/STK \rightarrow 01:50

KM236 Fuel #2

For FIM / CHL / SSV'



STAGE INFO

Bike Start: 2x2

From the **50th rider**

Common route #1Service crew / Race

Road Section A: Competitors RB → PKO – PK8 / Service crew RB → PKO – PK9

Common route #2Service crew / Race

Road Section B: Competitors RB → PK52 - PK95 / Service crew RB → PK488 - PK532



GENERAL DESCRIPTION

- DSS K165: Alternating sandy track, sandy off-piste and dunes →

 Warning: the tracks and off-piste are fast and sometimes dangerous,

 with steps descents that are not visible.
- K165 K344: Transfer with refuelling point (FIM/CHG/SSV) at K236
- K344 K432: Fast tracks with many changes of direction, difficult navigation
- Less rolling track, winding and stony, beware of punctures
- K454 ASS : Fast track in valley





DETAILED DESCRIPTION

- PkO The special starts on sinuous and bumpy tracks between big dunes, careful with the compressions
- PK23 Big level 1 dunes, careful with the broken dunes!
- PK25 Winding and bumpy tracks in big dunes in wide valleys of dunes
- PK30 Level 1 and 2 dunes
- PK44 Off-piste and winding, bumpy and sandy tracks in wide valleys between dunes
- PK53 Level 1 and 2 dunes
- PK68 Fast tracks, winding and sandy in wide valleys, lots of passes in the dunes, which
 make the main track less visible, follow the cap
- PK80 Fast level 1 and 2 dunes
- PK90 Alternating of level 1 and 2 dunes and sandy tracks between valleys of dunes
- PK102 Fast tracks, gravel, like WRC
- PK110 CP1, fast tracks, gravel, like WRC
- PK118 Alternating level 1 and 2 dunes and winding tracks in wide sandy valleys, careful with the compressions and broken dunes crossing
- PK165 Transfer in, 180km of road for all categories



DETAILED DESCRIPTION

- PK344 Transfer out, then the special is on winding tracks, gravel, on a long sandy plateau, lots of tracks, navigation is difficult
- PK365 CP2 then a plateau, on fast tracks, gravel
- PK370 Change of terrain, area of little canyons of black stones with lots of wash outs
- PK380 Change of pace, area of open valleys and track with gravel, navigation is difficult, lots of "Y" and parallel tracks
- PK400 Change of pace, rough ground, winding and stony tracks
- PK408 Terrain is getting better, tracks are faster, gravel, in wide open valleys
- PK433 CP3, the pace is getting slower, tracks are winding and tight in small valleys and stony canyons
- PK448 CP4 Tight and stony valleys, the pace is getting slower
- PK458 ASS



VIGILANCE POINTS

- Soft sand in the first part, especially on the crests
- Some DZ/FZ because of camps
- ullet In the second part ullet the rain has cleared the traces, careful with the navigation



COMPLICATED ROADBOOK NOTES



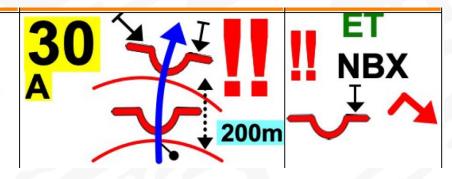
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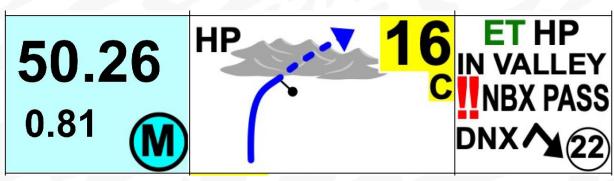
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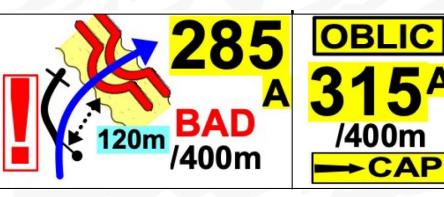


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OTHER INFORMATION

→ Service crew lunch packs (Transfer > 500km)





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