BRIEFINGS STAGE 7 · 14/01

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ROAD SECTION A 255
SELECTIVE SECTOR 483

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ROAD SECTION B

BIVOUAC 1ST DEPARTURE

FIM 04:10

FIA

06:45

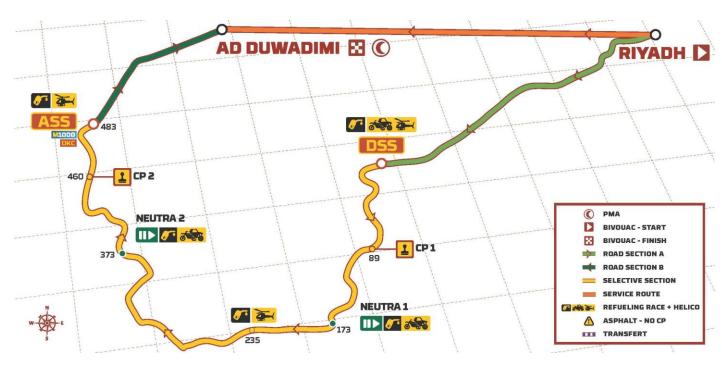
DSS 1ST DEPARTURE

FIM 07:40

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2 Neutralisations



GENERAL DESCRIPTION

- DSS K15: Off-piste in vegetation, tight in small canyons navigation
 is difficult, risk of dust
- K13 K20 : Winding track with vegetation
- K20 K51: Faster track, sometimes bumpy in canyons
- K51 K89 : Tighter track, but quickly changes to a very fast plateau, sometimes off-piste in wadis
- K89 PK125 : Still a fast track but lots of wadi crossings, careful : many changes of direction in canyons





GENERAL DESCRIPTION

K125 - K130 : Off-piste between rocks, navigation difficult

K130 - K181 : Fast track in canyons

K181 - K243 : Sandy off-piste and dunes, then off-piste and fast sandy

track

K243 - K333 : Alternating track and fast off-piste

- K333 - K370 : Dunes

K370 - K463 Fast sandy track, sometimes with stones, sometimes

bumpy

PK 462 - ASS : Less rolling track, stones





DETAILED DESCRIPTION

- PKO The special starts in off-piste, with small rivers and big canyons, navigation is difficult
- PK6 The canyons are more open and in some areas the tracks are clearly visible.
- PK9 Major and secondary tracks, small valleys and dry rivers
- PK28 Small canyons that close in, tracks difficult to see, navigation is difficult
- PK41 Alternating tracks and off-piste in dry rivers and wide valleys
- PK54 The special continues on fast gravel tracks in wide valleys
- PK65 Fast tracks and off-piste on large sandy plateaus
- PK73 Fast, sandy valleys between large black stone mountains, easier to navigate
- PK89, CP1 and fast valleys between stone mountains, the terrain is sandier
- PK103 Small valleys and closed canyons, and navigation becomes more difficult
- PK110, The valleys open up and the tracks are faster, gravel
- PK120 Sandy plateau between wildes piles of black stone, some dunes appear very beautiful landscape



DETAILED DESCRIPTION

- PK130 Tracks and off-piste in large, dry rivers, stony valleys, rapid
- PK154 Fast main tracks on large gravel plateaus
- PK162 Gravel and stony track in wide dry rivers, very rough ground, washouts and holes
- PK172 Back on fast main gravel track, then 1km of neutral for motorbike/ssv refuelling.
- PK179 Wide sandy valleys between black stone mountains, then entry into an area of level 2 and 3 dunes
- PK185 Super-fast tracks on a wide sandy plateau
- PK190 Succession of level 1 and 2 dunes, the same dunes as stage 3 but in the opposite direction
- PK232, end of the dune zone, wide, fast, sandy plateau, the tracks are not very visible, important to follow the cap
- PK244, Tracks and off-piste in wide sandy valleys, some areas are sandy
- PK253, Change of terrain, area of wide valleys with stones, the tracks are very bumpy (holes)
- PK260 Sandy tracks on wide, fast plateaus, stay focus on the navigation, follow the cap



DETAILED DESCRIPTION

- PK284, Gravel tracks and off-piste in wide valleys formed by black stone mountains
- PK314 The valley opens up, the terrain changes, the tracks are faster but with more stones, rough ground
- PK326 Winding tracks between rocky mountains, the terrain is sandier
- PK336 Succession of level 1 and 2 dunes (mostly level 1)
- PK370 End of the dunes (last of the stage), then neutral refuel and then fast, winding gravel tracks in good condition, WRC style.
- PK411, Main winding tracks, faster, change of nature of terrain, gravel and sand.
- PK460 CP2, winding gravel tracks
- PK468 Winding secondary tracks, tight and in rough ground, entering and leaving a river in a mountain valley, lots of stones in this sector, be careful with tyres
- PK483, ASS



STAGE INFO

DSS Fuel #1

Neutralisation #1 KM173 **Fuel** #2
RB roll change for bikes

Timing FIM/SSV/CHG/TRK → 25'

 $ULT/STK \rightarrow 5'$

Neutralisation #2 KM373 **Fuel** #3

Timing

FIM/SSV/CHG/TRK \rightarrow 20' ULT / STK \rightarrow 5'



STAGE INFO

Common route #1Service crew / Race

Road Section A: Competitor RB \rightarrow PKO – PK5,05 / Service crew RB \rightarrow PKO – PK5,18

Common route #2Service crew / Race

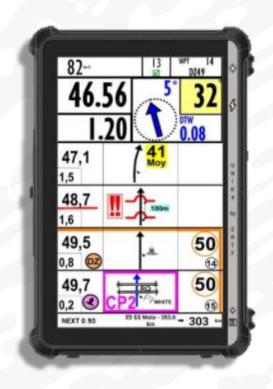
Road Section B: Competitors RB \rightarrow PK128,24 - PK135,71 / Service crew RB \rightarrow PK310,89 - PK319,27



VIGILANCE POINTS (A)

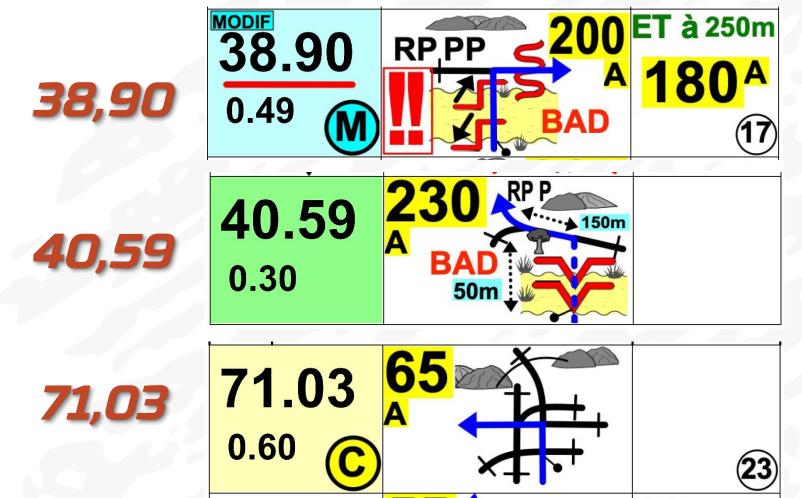
- First 50 km very difficult in the canyons, difficult navigation and risk of dust
- ullet Two sectors of dunes o soft in some areas
- It's going to be a long day, so make sure you stay focused
- Lots of camps at the end of the special o deviations in the Roadbook





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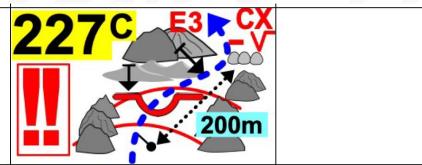
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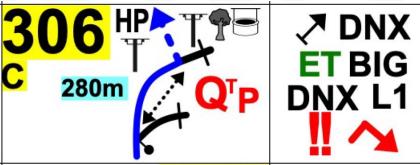
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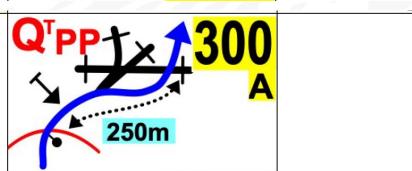
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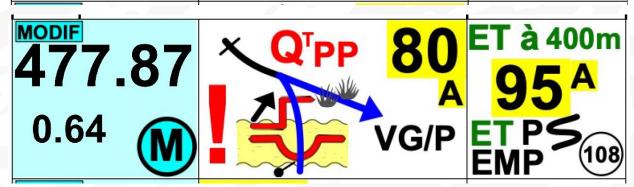


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