



The continental championship holds its third round in Spain

## The European Trial Championship, GAS GAS territory

•Tadeusz Blazusiak wins in Puerto Pajares and settles in the lead •The Catalan manufacturer blocks the top four places

Puerto Pajares, Spain, 24 July 2004.— The Polish GAS GAS rider Tadeusz Blazusiak achieved his second win in the European Trial Championship today, a great result completed by the second place he achieved in the last round in France. Blazusiak has thus become the rider to beat in the ETC, after the first three rounds of the series.

As usual in the former European rounds, the domination of the Catalan manufacturer was total. The top four riders (Tadeusz Blazusiak, Jérôme Bethune, Shaun Morris and Fabio Lenzi in this order) are defending the GAS GAS colours, and seven out of the top ten riders in Puerto Pajares were riding GAS GAS bikes. Blazusiak's win was clear and uncontested, with his 30-point score over 20 points ahead of Bethune, who was second today.

Tomorrow the same Asturian ground where the European Championship's third round was held today will receive the international elite for the next round of the WTC, with the works GAS GAS man Adam Raga in the third place and aspiring to reach the second place in the Spanish round, with two other rounds to go to the end of the series after it.

## Final standings - European Spanish Trial /Points

1 - Tadeusz Blazusiak (Pol/GAS GAS)	30 (18+12)
2 - Jérôme Bethune (Fra/GAS GAS)	51 (26+25)
3 - Shaun Morris (Gbr/GAS GAS)	52 (20+32)
4 - Fabio Lenzi (Ita/GAS GAS)	58 (35+23)
5 - Michele Orizio (Ita/Beta)	66 (38+28)
6 - Martin Kroustek (Cze/Beta)	68 (35+33)
7 - Daniel Oliveras (Sp/GAS GAS)	71 (40+31)
8 - Daniel Gibert (Sp/GAS GAS)	78 (43+35)
9 - Christophe Braund (Fra/Scorpa)	83 (46+33+4)
10 Isaac Pons (Sp/GAS GAS)	83 (52+31)

## Provisional standings of the European Trial Championship

57 points
44 points
41 points
38 points
32 points
31 points
25 points

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