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FIM de X-Trial World Championship
3rd round.

Toni Bou brings the public to its feet with his third consecutive victory in the Palau Sant Jordi.

Barcelona, 06.02.2011. Toni Bou (Montesa Cota 4RT) continues winning all his participations in X-Trial World Championship events, new name for the indoor world trial championship. This Sunday he has proven his impressive shape in the Barcelona Indoor Trial (the third event) with an overwhelming victory, third consecutive win of this Montesa rider in the Palau Sant Jordi. With the first half of the championship concluded, Bou has increased his lead in the general classification to 18 points.

Toni Bou dominated the event from the very beginning, finishing the qualifying lap with just 2 points, nine less than his closest rival. In the semi-final, on beautiful and very difficult zones, he obtained three points, which enabled him to face the definitive phase with a margin of five points. And in the final, the Montesa rider only got one penalty point for excess time in a zone.

Takahisa Fujinami (Montesa Cota 4RT) was fifth in the qualifying lap (16 points) and sixth in the semi-final, leaving him out of the final.

Toni Bou: *"It's been an incredible day, where everything happened exceeding the best expectations. I managed to get a lead in key zones in the semi-final as well as the final, that none of my rivals have been able to better. While enjoying myself at the same time and seeing how the fans in Barcelona, which are my audience, also had a great time. I couldn't ask for more, I remember my first victory in the Palau Sant Jordi as the most special, but today's race I could say is the best I've ever done. The championship's looking good; we've done an excellent job up to now, but must be careful because there are still three events to go, 60 points at stake and we all know that with these rules, mistakes can be paid for dearly".*

The fourth X-Trial World championship will be held next Saturday 12th, in Geneva.

Standing Barcelona Indoor Trial		World Championship	
1. Toni Bou (Montesa)	4 (3+1)	1. Toni Bou (Montesa)	60 points
2. Albert Cabestany (Sherco)	22 (8+14)	2. Albert Cabestany (Sherco)	42 "
3. Adam Raga (Gas Gas)	25 (13+12)	3. Adam Raga (Gas Gas)	39 "
4. Jeroni Fajardo (Ossa)	35 (16+19)	4. Jeroni Fajardo (Ossa)	24 "
Eliminated after Semi-Final		5. Takahisa Fujinami (Montesa)	20 "
5. Jack Challoner (Beta)	19	6. Jack Challoner (Beta)	11 "
6. Takahisa Fujinami (Montesa)	22	7. Michael Brawn (Gas Gas)	10 "
Eliminated after Qualification		8. James Dabill (Beta)	9 "
7. James Dabill (Beta)	20	9. Loris Gubian (Gas Gas)	2 "
8. Michael Brawn (Gas Gas)	25	10. Francesco Iolitta (Beta)	1 "

