

FIS COMPETITION FACTS

e.on Ruhrgas FIS World Cup Ski Jumping

6th win in a row – Thomas Morgenstern, who else?

Thomas Morgenstern from Austria won his 6th world cup in the e.on Ruhrgas FIS World Cup Ski Jumping competition in a row in Engelberg (SUI). It was the first time ever an athlete won the first six competitions of one world cup Ski Jumping season in a row.

Morgenstern received 260.4 points for his two jumps up to 132,5 and 133 meters on the HS 137 hill in Engelberg.

Andreas Kofler from Austria took the second place for jumps up to 134.5 and 128.5 meters (254,4 points).

Tom Hilde from Norway finished third today and made his third place on the podium this winter. (133.5 and 129.5 meter / 252.9 points).

Morgenstern now leads in the overall of the e.on Ruhrgas FIS World Cup Ski Jumping with the maximum 600 of 600 possible points after six competitions.

Second in the overall is still Morgenstern's team mate Gregor Schlierenzauer with 349 points, Schlierenzauer finished 4th today.

Third is Janne Ahonen from Finland (259 points), fourth is Tom Hilde from Norway.

Thomas Morgenstern (AUT)

"It was a hard competition for me today. Everybody was expecting a good result from me.

With the right self-confidence it is a perfect feeling sitting up on the hill and look around to the mountains.

I like to be the favourite for the 4- hill Tournament. The pressure is not a problem for me.

I'm only doing good jumps in the moment there is nothing special, my jumps are just a little more far than the jumps of the others in the moment".

Andreas Kofler (AUT)

We have a very good team spirit. It doesn't matter who of the team wins. Today's result is absolutely great to me. My jumps were good. I didn't lose the win but won second place today.

Tom Hilde (NOR)

The feeling on the hill is almost great for me. The inrun is a bit flat but the hill is perfect. We would have liked to have a little bit more speed.

Of course Thomas Morgenstern can be beaten, I didn't do my best jumps today. I'm sure we will beat Thomas Morgenstern soon, let's see".

Pictures:

Please note that high quality action and podium pictures from today's competitions are available for purchase through the Internet portal offered by Nordic Focus, FIS Partner for photos from the Nordic Disciplines, at www.nordicfocus.com

All results in detail can be found on <http://www.fis-ski.com/>

Kind regards

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