



STAGE FLASH

Date: Sunday, May 12th
Day: 3 **Flash N°:** 14
Special stage: Lircay **Distance:** 18.06 km
Weather: Sun penetrating through fog, 14°C
Road conditions: Damp and slippery

Car 1. OGIER/INGRASSIA

“It has been a difficult stage. There was still a lot of hesitation. So fast, so narrow. You need to have a very fine line.”

Car 2. SUNINEN/SALMINEN

“It would be great to be a bit faster and get more gap, but that is okay.”

Car 4. LAPPI/FERM

“To be honest when it is low grip, it is a challenge for me. I have no confidence. When I have more grip, I am more comfortable.”

Car 5. MEEKE/MARSHALL

“First one was muddy. There was a lot of loose here and there will be a lot of cleaning. I want the positions but I also want the Power Stage.”

Car 8. TÄNAK/JARVEOJA

“We try. Two French guys are fighting quite hard. So we need to keep some pace. At the moment it has been a nice rhythm. I cannot go in the road mode...”

Car 10. LATVALA/ANTTILA

“This is like a hard surface and characteristics like a village road between the banks and the bushes. It is very difficult. If you are in a big fight like Loeb and Ogier, this is a stage when it is very easy to make a mistake.”

Car 19. LOEB/ELENA

“It’s a very difficult stage. Very narrow, very fast. I was hesitating a little bit. One mistake and you are off. It was not a perfect rhythm.”

Car 33. EVANS/MARTIN

“Looking after everything and bringing the car home.”



Car 37. BERTELLI/SCATTOLIN

“The first stage was okay. This was one of the most technical and demanding I have ever seen. To go fast there you have to be committed. It is a great stage but very technical.”

Car 89. MIKKELSEN/JAEGER

“Very foggy in there. I played it very safe. I don’t want to risk anything.”

Car 51. MARTINEZ/ALVAREZ

Stopped in SS13.