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Suzuki Wins the Third Round of 2021 FIM Endurance World Championship, Bol d'Or 24-Hour



YOSHIMURA SERT MOTUL, a team that competes in the premier motorcycle endurance world road racing championship series held by the International Motorcycling Federation (FIM), the 2021 FIM Endurance World Championship (EWC), won the third round Bol d'Or 24-Hour held at the Paul Ricard Circuit located in the south of France, near Marseille, from 18 to 19 September 2021.

EWC is a motorcycle endurance race with production-based motorcycles that are modified into endurance racing specification. Suzuki entrusts the team operation to Yoshimura Japan Co., Ltd. and together they are competing with the supersport model GSX-R1000R.

YOSHIMURA SERT MOTUL finished the qualifying session in 1st, and started the race from the pole position, pushing hard from the first lap. The team became the race-leader from the first hour. Subsequently, their position fell to 2nd after they were forced into pitstop due to a slip from the rain that started to fall after the ninth hour. However, they regained the lead by the twelfth hour, and held the lead until the end, to finish with 704 laps, 19 laps ahead of the 2nd place.

2021 Endurance World Championship Team Ranking

Third Round Bol d'Or 24-Hour Result (as of the end of the Third Round) Result Point Ranking Team Point Team YOSHIMURA SERT MOTUL YOSHIMURA SERT MOTUL 1st 1st 65 141 VRD IGOL EXPÉRIENCES 2nd MOTO AIN 48 2nd 105 VRD IGOL EXPÉRIENCES F.C.C. TSR Honda France 3rd 44 3rd 89

2021 Endurance World Championship Schedule

| Round | Race | Date | Location | YOSHIMURA SERT MOTUL Result |
|-------|---------------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | 24 HEURES MOTOS (LE MANS) | 12 to 13 June | France | 1st |
| 2 | 12H OF ESTORIL | 17 July | Portugal | 12th |
| 3 | BOL D'OR 24 HOURS | 18 to 19 Sept. | France | 1st |
| 4 | 8 HOURS OF MOST | 9 Oct. | Czech Republic | - |