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## IFSC CLIMBING WORLD CUP IMST 2014:

# RÖCK & ONDRA WIN GOLD ON TOUGH FINAL ROUTE IN IMST

This August 1-2, the Tyrolean city of Imst, in Austria, hosted the last IFSC Lead World Cup before our athletes travel to the World Championships in Gijón in September. Home of the first refrigerated luge track in 1958, Imst put on a great show with spectacular climbing!

Imst's Lead World Cup marked a turning point in the 2014 IFSC Lead Climbing season, as the mid-way point in the World Cup series and the last competition before the World Championships in Gijón, Spain. The competition was crowned by a home country victory for Austria's Magdalena Röck on Imst's spectacular sheltered outdoor climbing structure.

### No tops on tough final route

The route setters gave our athletes a true challenge this week: long, difficult routes with little rest and many awkward passages. None of the competitors were able to top the tough routes, making the competition all the more suspenseful!

On the men's side, the beginning of the route, with a few wide reaches and a tough dynamic move, tired out the field, and the rest proved no easier. Most of the field was separated around three holds near the roof. In the end, Adam Ondra of the Czech Republic took gold with a score of 41+, Canada's Sean McColl took silver with 39+, and Austria's Jakob Schubert claimed bronze with a score of 39.

The women's field saw no tops in the final, either, and some equally difficult passages that helped divide the

field. Korea's Kim Jain, who took gold in the first three Lead World Cups of the season, ran out of time while on the route and ended up in second place with a score of 49. Austria's Magdalena Röck, who took silver in the first three World Cups, won her first gold in an adult World Cup, on home soil to boot, with a strong score of 50+. Finally, Austria claimed a third podium spot with Jessica Pilz coming in third with a score of 44+.

### Next stop: Munich (GER) Boulder World Championships

The 2014 IFSC Boulder World Championships will be held August 21-23 in Munich, the capital of the German state of Bavaria. Host of the 1972 Summer Olympics, Munich welcomes the 2014 World Championships in its world-class Olympic Stadium!

More information on the event, as well as live streaming of the semi-finals and finals on:

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As always, we are present on Twitter during competitions, so reach out with the hashtag #IFSCwc.



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## RESULTS OF IFSC WORLD CUP IMST 2014 - LEAD

### WOMEN LEAD:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Röck	Magdalena	AUT	50+
2	Kim	Jain	KOR	49
3	Pilz	Jessica	AUT	44+
4	Verhoeven	Anak	BEL	44+
5	Markovic	Mina	SLO	40
6	Ota	Risa	JPN	39+
7	Miller	Delaney	USA	35+
8	Malamid	Evgeniya	RUS	32+

For Full Results:

<https://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php/world-competition/calendar#!comp=1526&cat=2>

### MEN LEAD:

RANK	NAME		NATION	POINTS
1	Ondra	Adam	CZE	41+
2	McColl	Sean	CAN	39+
3	Schubert	Jakob	AUT	39
4	Desgranges	Romain	FRA	39
5	Supper	Gautier	FRA	38+
6	Julian Puigblanque	Ramón	ESP	33+
7	Skofic	Domen	SLO	32
8	Ghisolfi	Stefano	ITA	4+

For Full Results:

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## REPLAY

Lead Semi-final:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eG9VUYKL4vE>

Lead Final: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w90-b42eURc>

## PHOTOS

A selection of photos from Imst can be found Monday morning on our flickr page here:

<https://www.flickr.com/photos/123572206@N08/>



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## WHAT'S NEXT?

**IFSC World Championships (B) Munich (GER), August 21-23, 2014**

**Provisional program (GMT+2)**

### Thursday, August 21

10h00-16h00 – Boulder qualification for men

### Friday, August 22

14h00-19h00 – Boulder qualification for women

20h00-22h00 – Climbing Movie Night at the Olympic Lake Cinema

### Saturday, August 23

11h00-13h30 – Boulder semi-final for men & women (live streaming)

18h30-21h00 – Boulder final for men & women (live streaming)

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