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Premiere in Austria: Lead World Cup Imst goes to Momoka Oda and Jorg Verhoeven

The last Lead World Cup prior to the World Championships brought two new faces on top of the winner's podium 2012: Momoka Oda (JPN) and Jorg Verhoeven (NL) ensured victories followed by Mina Markovic (SLO) and Johanna Ernst (AUT) resp. Jakob Schubert (AUT) and Sachi Amma (JPN).

Great weather conditions and difficult routes (no tops in the finals!) marked the IFSC Lead World Cup in Imst (AUT) yesterday. And it was the night of premiere winners: In the women's final Japan's shooting star Momoka Oda (2nd after the semi-final) underlined her upturn in form and climbed to her first World Cup victory. Places two and three go to Lead World Cup leader Mina Markovic from Slovenia and Austria's Johanna Ernst, 3rd after the semi-final. Reigning World Champion and local hero Angela Eiter had to end her first World Cup competition of the season after her 11th place in the qualification.

In the men's final it was on Nederland's Jorg Verhoeven to mix up this season's podium. After place 4 in the semi-final and a great final performance the Tyrolean-by-choice celebrated his first World Cup victory since 2008. Local hero Jakob Schubert (AUT) and Sachi Amma (JPN) came in 2nd and 3rd place, reigning World Champion Ramón Julian Puiqblanque, leader after the semi-final, dropped to fifth.

Jorg Verhoeven: "It's amazing; this win came to me out of the blue! I liked to think about this competition as training for Paris and so I was able to climb here without any pressure. I'm very happy and now really looking forward to the World Championships in September!"

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The Lead World Cup series 2012 continues after the World Championships on Sept. 22 with the competition in Puurs (BEL).

RESULTS IFSC Lead World Cup IMST (10./11.08.2012)

FINAL WOMEN

Place	Last Name	First Name	Nation	Final
1.	ODA	Momoka	JPN	60+
2.	Markovic	Mina	SLO	57+
3.	Ernst	Johanna	AUT	51+
4.	Malamid	Evgenia	RUS	51+
5.	Durif	Charlotte	FRA	51+
6.	Janicot	Hélène	FRA	50+
7.	Kobayashi	Yuka	JPN	50+
8.	Brumagne	Mathilde	BEL	48+

FINAL MEN

Place	Last Name	First name	Nation	Final
1.	Verhoeven	Jorg	NED	47+
2.	Schubert	Jakob	AUT	46+
3.	AMMA	Sachi	JPN	46+
4.	Midtboe	Magnus	NOR	44.5+
5.	Julian Puigblanque	Ramón	ESP	35+
6.	Lachat	Cédric	SUI	32+
7.	Desgranges	Romain	FRA	27+
8.	Tauporn	Thomas	GER	27+

DOWNLOADLINK COMPLETE RESULTS LEAD WORLD CUP IMST 2012:

http://www.ifsc-climbing.org/index.php?page_name=resultservice&comp=1378&cat=ICC_M





intermediate ranking IFSC Lead World Cup 2012 (after 3 out of 9 World Cups)

men:

1.	AMMA Sachi	JPN	265.00
2.	Schubert Jakob	AUT	176.00
3.	Julian Puigblanque Ramón	ESP	174.00
4.	Midtboe Magnus	NOR	161.00
5.	McColl Sean	CAN	145.00
6.	Desgranges Romain	FRA	134.00
7.	Tauporn Thomas	GER	120.00
8.	Chernikov Mikhail	RUS	117.00
9.	Min Hyunbin	KOR	111.00
10.	Ghisolfi Stefano	ITA	101.00

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women – Top 10:

1.	Markovic Mina	SLO	235.00
2.	ODA Momoka	JPN	216.00
3.	Janicot Hélène	FRA	202.00
4.	Ernst Johanna	AUT	180.00
5.	Kim Jain	KOR	152.00
6.	Durif Charlotte	FRA	143.00
7.	Malamid Evgenia	RUS	122.00
8.	Röck Magdalena	AUT	103.00
9.	Kobayashi Yuka	JPN	101.00
10.	Posch Katharina	AUT	99.00

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up& coming IFSC Lead World Cup Competitions 2012

* ~~12./13.07.2012 – Chamonix (FRA)~~

* ~~20./21.07.2012 – Briançon (FRA)~~

* ~~10./11.08.2012 – Imst (AUT)~~

* 21./22.09.2012 – Puurs (BEL)

* 29./30.09.2012 – Atlanta (USA)





- * 12./13.10.2012 – Xining (CHN)
- * 27./28.10.2012 – Inzai (JPN)
- * 17./18.11.2012 – Kranj (SLO)

„save the date“: IFSC WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS 2012

- * 12.-16.09.2012 - Paris (FRA)
- * officialwebsite: <http://www.worldclimbing2012.com>

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