

## STAGE FLASH

**Date:** 18 August 2018

**Day:** 3

**Stage:** Römerstraße 1

**Weather:** 20 degrees, sunny

**Track:** Dry

**Flash N°:** 11

**Distance:** 12.28 km

1	OGIER Sébastien/INGRASSIA Julien	FRA/FRA	FORD Fiesta WRC
"Top of the times is always Toyota! I am really pushing, on the last stage I did a perfect stage. It looks almost impossible, but I am pushing as hard as I can without being stupid. It looks like under the bonnet something is working well [on the Toyotas]."			
3	SUNINEN Teemu/MARKKULA Mikko	FIN/FIN	FORD Fiesta WRC
"It is going in the right direction, but on the last stage I made mistakes in four or five places."			
4	MIKKELSEN Andreas/JÆGER Anders	NOR/NOR	HYUNDAI i20 Coupe WRC
"I'm trying the best I can, trying different things in every junction trying to make it work. Germany has a lot of junctions! We will figure it out."			
5	NEUVILLE Thierry/GILSOUL Nicolas	BEL/BEL	HYUNDAI i20 Coupe WRC
"There's no chance for us to resist against their speed [Toyota]. I am pushing really hard. This stage I didn't do last year, and I am really on the edge."			
7	LATVALA Jari-Matti/ANTTILA Miikka	FIN/FIN	TOYOTA Yaris WRC
"Not completely satisfied with my performance, some of the guys were a bit quicker than me, maybe I was braking too late."			
8	TÄNAK Ott/JÄRVEOJA Martin	EST/EST	TOYOTA Yaris WRC
"For this one I tried to improve a bit and the feeling was better. Our main target this afternoon is to find more balance and have another good loop."			
9	LAPPI Esapekka/FERM Janne	FIN/FIN	TOYOTA Yaris WRC
"It has been better. The road characteristics have changed, it has been much cleaner."			
10	ØSTBERG Mads/ERIKSEN Torstein	NOR/NOR	CITROËN C3 WRC
"The times have not been horrible. On Panzerplatte, our time was not really bad considering the length of the stage. We're trying to work to take away some of the understeer."			
11	BREEN Craig/MARTIN Scott	IRL/GBR	CITROËN C3 WRC
"I'm definitely enjoying it today. Nice stages, high-speed. I'll try and get as high as this car will let me."			