
Ice racing

Geschrieben von tj| - 09.03.2017 07:02

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Here are some views from the race for you to watch, thanks to the current technology they are here already within few hours:

{youtube}ncybKxzps4k{/youtube}

Timo

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Geschrieben von CasparGTL - 09.03.2017 09:43

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Re:Aw: Ice racing

Geschrieben von tj| - 09.03.2017 10:34

CasparGTL wrote:

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Hi Caspar,

there is at least one indeed, even here at ABB!
It is a fantasy track Rosin Raceway Winter.

{youtube}qRykhWdtOj0{/youtube}

Haven't tried it (yet) and got no idea how realistic the grip is.

Timo

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Geschrieben von DerOlf - 09.03.2017 15:39

I've tested it, in the beginning it was slippery like hell ... but after an update, the grip on Rosin Winter doesn't feel very different to the "summer"-variant anymore.

But we've got a 2nd. Winter-track ... I call it "Liptonice". There is a Winter-Version of Lipton too.

The funniest feature of our two winter-wonderlands is that the tires sound like on every other track ;) So turn the tire-, and road-effects volume down, to get that acoustic "winter-feel".

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Geschrieben von CasparGTL - 10.03.2017 11:24

Bei NG gibt es einen Liste!

<http://www.nogripracing.com/forum/showthread.php?p=1889033>

Mit Videos;

https://www.google.nl/search?q=gt+legends+winter+track&num=100&safe=off&client=opera&hs=1CK&source=lnms&tbm=vid&sa=X&ved=0ahUKEwjumoqJ3MvSAhWF1hoKHQpvDjQQ_AUICigD&biw=960&bih=471

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Geschrieben von MichaW - 10.03.2017 15:44

tjl schrieb:

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Cool my friend! :) Have a nice weekend!

Glück auf!

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Geschrieben von susi stoddart - 10.03.2017 17:45

RX on ice !

{youtube}lbnyFm-eaG0{/youtube}

Some friends :)

{youtube}LASvluOjcMM{/youtube}

{youtube}YCJlrT0-CZU{/youtube}

Gruss
Susi

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