



## ASTON MARTIN RACING

### **ASTON MARTIN RACING COMPLETES FIRST PRACTICE IN PORTUGAL**

Portugal, 30 July, 2009. Aston Martin Racing finished the first practice session for the third round of the Le Mans Series at the new Autodromo Internacional Algarve third and eighth overall.

The 007 Aston Martin driven by Jan Charouz (CZ) and Stefan Mücke (GER) was third with a time of 1m34.158s.

Harold Primat (CH) and Miguel Ramos (PT) posted a time of 1m35.246s in their 009 Aston Martin.

The one hour practice session took place at 16:45 in 33 degree heat and the team is now preparing for a two hour night practice which will commence at 21:30.

<b>Position</b>	<b>Car No</b>	<b>Team</b>	<b>Car</b>	<b>Time</b>
1	23	Strakka Racing	Ginetta Zytek	1:33.230
2	16	Pescarolo Sport	Pescarolo Judd	1:33.462
<b>3</b>	<b>007</b>	<b>Aston Martin Racing</b>	<b>Lola Aston Martin</b>	<b>1:34.158</b>
4	10	Team Oreca	Oreca AIM	1:34.546
5	11	Team Oreca	Oreca AIM	1:34.642
6	13	Speedy Racing Team Sebah	Lola Aston Martin	1:34.930
7	15	Kolles	Audi R10 TDi	1:35.042
<b>8</b>	<b>009</b>	<b>Aston Martin Racing</b>	<b>Lola Aston Martin</b>	<b>1:35.066</b>
9	40	Quifel ASM Team	Ginetta Zytek	1:35.858
10	33	Speedy Racing Team Sebah	Lola Judd	1:36.972

The Algarve 1000 kilometres starts at 19:15 local time on Saturday 1 August. For live timing visit: [www.lemans-series.com](http://www.lemans-series.com)

The race will be broadcast live on Eurosport International on Saturday from 20:00 to 21:30 and on Sunday from 00:45 to 02:15.

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