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## MONACO OPTIMIST TEAM RACE

### Monaco

Extracted from a report provided by the Yacht Club Monaco. Edited by IODA.

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Organised in cooperation with Eventica Communications, FxPro and Slam, who awarded the first three teams with sports clothing, Monaco Optimist Team Racing attracted 12 teams of four sailors each racing on brand new Optimists supplied by Erplast. Entering this championship for the first time were young sailors from Vladivostok (Russia), Argentina and Tanzania. *'I never knew it could be so cold on the water, being used to sailing on seas of 32°! It's the first time we've been out of Tanzania and it was a truly unforgettable experience.'* said Tanzanian sailor Imamu Saidi Sahala.

Sixty six races were held over three days, in varied wind conditions of 5 to 20 knots from both East and West. The



## Final Ranking

### 1st - Gstaad Yacht Club (SUI)

Wolf van Cauwenberghe

Romain Defferrard

Florian Fahrni

Damian Suri

Coach : Thomas Suri

### 2nd - Yacht Club Argentino (ARG)

Felipe Consentino

Ivan Arenguren

Martin Arroyo Verdi

Ramiro Consentino

Coach : Ana Zapiola

### 3rd - Yacht Club de Monaco (MON)

Alexander Minder

Andrea Caretta

Arnaud Postifferi

Alexander Ilsley

Coach: Thomas Champion

4th - Yacht Club Italiano (ITA)

5th - Norddeutsher Regatta Verein (GER)

6th - Club des Sports Nautiques de Kelibia (TUN)

7th - Royal Cork Yacht Club (IRL)

8th - Seven Feet Yacht Club (RUS)

9th - Circolo della Vela Sicilia (ITA)

10th - IODA of Tanzania (TAN)

11th - Saint Petersburg Sea Yacht Club-Sealand (RUS)

12th - Bruxelles Royal Yacht Club (BEL)