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Husqvarna: the story of enduro

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Husqvarna is a synonym for enduro.

Before the term enduro was coined every country had its own name for the sport. The first European title in "regolarità", as it was called in Italy, was taken by Husqvarna in 1982 with Italian Gualtiero Brissoni in the saddle.

After several European titles were taken by iconic names such as Thomas Gustavsson and Sven Erik Jonsson, in 1990 the sport was given the title World Enduro Championship by the FIM and Otakar Kotrba won the honour for Husqvarna, the first in a long series.

To date Husqvarna has taken 49 world enduro titles and a total of 82 in motocross, enduro and supermotard events in the company's 100+ year history.

Enduro is endurance, in all conditions with special tests over different types of terrain. Both rider and bike must reach the finish line after many hours of off-road trails without any external assistance apart from the brief time controls.

It is the experience gained from these victories that has produced the Husqvarna enduro series, which year by year incorporate the technical advances made on the tracks.

In 2012 Husqvarna will officially compete in the Enduro World Championship, represented by Team CH Racing, and will also be present at major national events in Spain, France, Germany, UK, Italy, the U.S., Australia and Japan.

Husqvarna will be also participating to the most important Extreme Enduro races with the factory rider Andreas Lettenbichler.

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Husqvarna has been linked with Team CH Racing since 1990 when the World Enduro Championship was first held. Twenty two years of history have delivered 49 enduro titles, under the expert guidance of Fabrizio Azzalin.

After the great success of 2011 – winning riders and manufacturers championship in both the E1 and E2 class, Team CH Racing will start the new season with a new rider line up and the challenge of a championship that looks to be highly competitive.

The team will concentrate on the E1 and E2 classes, with the aim of repeating the successes of last year, won by the TE250 and TE310.

There are six official riders, three for each category:

E1: Matti Seistola (FI), Lorenzo Santolino (SP) and Ricky Dietrich (USA)

E2: Juha Salminen (FI), Alex Salvini (I) and Romain Dumontier (F)

In the E1 class the TE250 will once again be ridden by Matti Seistola (Finland), third in 2011, along with Santolino (Spain) and Ricky Dietrich (USA).

With no less than 8 world titles under his belt, Enduro icon Juha Salminen will lead the team, riding the new TE310 in the E2 class.

Alex Salvini, the up and coming rider in 2011, after just one year in enduro following many in motocross, looks set to play a prominent role in the World and Italian championships. The young French rider Romain Dumontier is the final member of the CH Racing team, which, in addition to participating officially in the WEC will also take part in the national enduro championships in Spain, France, the UK and Italy.

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The Team

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Fabrizio Azzalin	Team Manager
Enzo Fontana	Sports Director
Mauro Cremonesi	Mechanic Dietrich
Stefano Cenzin	Mechanic Salvini
Guerrini Giorgio	Mechanic Seistola
Thomas Viola	Mechanic Santolino
Mika Sironen	Mechanic Salminen
Tullio Provini	Mechanic Dumontier
Riff Del Pardo	PR Consultant

Follow riders/External Resources

Mauro Uslenghi - Roberto Bazzurri – Luca Fongaro

Riders

	WEC		National Ch.
Matti Seistola (Finland)	Class E1	TE 250	Italian Ch.
Lorenzo Santolino (Spain)	Class E1	TE250	Spanish Ch.
Ricky Dietrich (USA)	Class E1	TE250	UK Ch.
Juha Salminen (Finland)	Class E2	TE310	ITA/FRA Ch.
Alex Salvini (Italy)	Class E2	TE310	Italian Ch.
Romain Dumontier (France)	Class E2	TE 310	French Ch.

Andreas Lettenbichler (Germany) Extreme races

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Name: **Matti**
Surname: **Seistola**
Nationality: **Finnish**
Height: **183 cm**
Weight: **75 kg**
Date of birth: **04/03/1983**
Place of birth: **Jarbenpaa**
Hobbies: **Snowboarding, bicycling, music**

Best Results:

2004 1st European Motocross Championship MX2
2007 8th Motocross World Championship MX2
5th Italian Motocross Championship MX2
2009 18th Enduro World Championship; Rookie of the Year
2010 4th Enduro World Championship E1
2011 3rd Enduro World Championship E1

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Name: **Lorenzo**
Surname: **Santolino Sanchez**
Nationality: **Spanish**
Height: **178 cm**
Weight: **76 kg**
Date of birth: **04/08/1987**
Place of birth: **Salamanca**
Hobbies: **Be with my friends, cycling, reading, swimming,
....and anything you need fuel to**



Best results:

2007 1st Spanish Cross Country Championship
 1st ISDE Junior
2009 1st ISDE Junior
2010 1st Enduro World Championship Junior
 1st ISDE Junior
2011 1st Spanish Enduro Championship E1
 5th Enduro World Championship

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Name: **Ricky**
Surname: **Dietrich**
Nationality: **USA**
Height: **170 cm**
Weight: **75 kg**
Date of birth: **29/09/1987**
Place of birth: **Snohomish, WA**
Hobbies: **Freestyle BMX, skateboard, exploring, X-Box**



Best results:

2006 1st WORCS- Series
 1st ISDE Junior
2008 1st AMA Enduro-cross Championship
 2nd ISDE Overall, 2nd ISDE E1
2010 5th AMA Motocross Texas National Overall

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Name: **Juha**
Surname: **Salminen**
Nationality: Finnish
Height: 172 cm
Weight: 72 kg
Date of birth: 27/09/1976
Place of birth: Helsinki
Hobbies: Car rallies, family life



Best results:

1998 1st ISDE (Team Finland)
1999 1st Enduro World Championship 125cc 2-stroke
2000 1st Enduro World Championship 125cc 2-stroke and Overall
2001 1st Enduro World Championship 250cc 2-stroke and Overall
2002 1st Enduro World Championship 400cc 4-stroke and Overall
2003 1st Enduro World Championship >400cc 4-stroke and Overall
1st ISDE (Team Finland)
2004 1st Enduro World Championship E2 and Overall
2005 1st GNCC Series
1st ISDE (Team Finland)
2006 1st GNCC Series
1st ISDE (Team Finland)
2007 1st Enduro World Championship E1
2011 1st Enduro World Championship E1
1st ISDE (Team Finland)

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Name: **Alex**
Surname: **Salvini**
Nationality: **Italian**
Height: **182 cm**
Weight: **87 kg**
Date of birth: **05/09/1985**
Place of birth: **Bologna**
Hobbies: **Jetski, bikes and engines**



Best results:

2002 1st Italian Motocross Championship 125cc
2004 2nd European Motocross Championship 125cc
1st European Supercross Championship 125cc
2005 1st Assoluti d'Italia Motocross
2006 1st European Nations Trophy
2007 1st ISDE (Team Italy)
1st European Nations Trophy
2008 Participant Motocross of Nations (Team Italy)
2009 2nd Motocross World Championship MX3
2010 2nd Motocross World Championship MX3
2011 Rookie of the Year Enduro World Championship

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Name: **Romain**
Surname: **Dumontier**
Nationality: **French**
Height: **171 cm**
Weight: **69 kg**
Date of birth: **09/07/1988**
Place of birth: **Dieppe**
Hobbies: **Karting, cinema**



Best results:

2009 1st European Junior Enduro Championship E1
 1st Youth Cup 125cc

2010 4th Enduro World Championship Junior
 4th French Enduro Championship Elite E2

2011 3rd Enduro World Championship (3 GP wins) Junior
 1st World ISDE Junior (Team France)
 3rd French Enduro Championship Junior

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Name: **Andreas**
Surname: **Lettenbichler**
Nationality: **German**
Height: **180 cm**
Weight: **80 kg**
Date of birth: **18/09/1974**
Place of birth: **Rosenheim**
Hobbies: **Enduro, Trial, Mountainbike-Downhill,
Free skiing, Ski-hiking**



Best results:

5-times German Trial Champion

2006	2 nd Erzbergrodeo
2008	2 nd Erzbergrodeo
2009	1 st Red Bull Romaniacs 3 rd Erzbergrodeo
2010	2 nd Erzbergrodeo 3 rd Hell's Gate 3 rd Red Bull Romaniacs 3 rd Roof of Africa 4 th French Enduro Championship Elite E2
2011	3 rd The Tough One 3 rd Red Bull Romaniacs

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Date	Event
FEBRUARY	5 FIM Super enduro Indoor World Championship (3rd Round),
	12 11 C. U.K. Aldershot
	19 18 Hell's Gate Extreme Enduro
	26 25 C. Aus.
MARCH	4 3 - C.I. Pievebovigiana (MC) - C.S. Castellon
	11 10.C.U.K. Monmouth
	18 C.S. Almeria
	25 24-WEC - GP CHILE (Talca)
APRIL	1 31 - WEC - GP ARGENTINA (San Juan); 31 - C. Aus
	8 7. C.UK Powys
	15 Green Pistons - 14- C.S. Valverde del Camino
	22 21 - C.I. Bella (PZ)
	29 28- C.F. Requista - C.S. Bassella - 28 C. Aus
MAY	6 5 -WEC - GP SPAIN (Munitibar Arbacegi)
	13 12- WEC- GP PORTUGAL (Torres Vedros)
	20 19 - C.S. Lalin Pontevedra; C.UK Northants; 19 - C. Aus.
	27 25/26/27 Trefle International enduro race
JUNE	3 2 - C.I. Lumezzane (BS)
	10 7/10 Erzberg Rodeo
	17 C.I. Crostolo/ Febbio (R.E.) - 16 C.F.Aiglun - 16 C.UK Kent; 12/17 Red Bull Romaniacs
JULY	1 30 - WEC - GP ITALY (Castiglion Fiorentino)
	8 7- C.I. Fener (BL)
	15 14 - C.F. Chabreloche
	29 28 C. Aus.
AUGUST	26 25 - WEC - GP SWEDEN (Karlsborg); 25 - C. Aus
SEPTEMBER	2 1 - WEC - GP FINLAND (Heinola)
	9 8- C.F. Peyrat Le Chateau
	23 24/29 ISDE Six Days GERMANY - (Sachsenring)
OCTOBER	7 C.I. Cortemilia (CN)
	14 13- C.F. Bioude; C.S. Valls De Torruella (Barcelona)
	21 20 - WEC - GP FRANCE (Brignoles)
	28 24/27 C. Aus. 4 days - C.S. Porrino (Pontevedra)
NOVEMBER	11 Gottland
	18 16 Eicma enduro
	25 24 FIM Super Enduro Indoor World Championship

Legend:

- WEC= World Enduro Championship
- C. UK= British Enduro Championship
- C. Aus= Australian Enduro Championship
- C. S.= Spanish Enduro Championship
- C.F.= French Enduro Championship
- C.I.= "Campionati assoluti D'Italia di Enduro"

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The Bikes

Husqvarna TE250 Factory

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Main changes from 2011 TE250 Factory

Engine:

- TC250 cylinder head with finger followers.
- Piston
- Cylinder
- LeoVince exhaust system

Chassis:

- New link progression with modified rocker, rod and KYB shock absorber

Electronic:

- Electronic management: GET ECU with GPA – GET Power Assistance.
- Simplified battery-less wiring harness

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TE250 Factory

Engine

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Type	Water cooled 4-stroke single cylinder, four titanium valves, two overhead camshafts, finger followers, wet sump lubrication
Bore	79 mm
Stroke	50,9 mm
Displacement	249,5 cm ³
Compression ratio	13,6 : 1

Chassis

Type	Steel single tube cradle frame; rear frame in light alloy
Front wheel location / suspension	Factory Kayaba Upside-Down telescopic hydraulic fork with advanced axle, compression and rebound adjustment
Rear wheel location / suspension	aluminium dual swing arm, progressive "soft damp" with factory Kayaba single hydraulic shock absorber with compression and rebound adjustment, spring preload adjustment
Travel front / rear	300 mm/ 296mm
Brake, front	Brembo system, Braking fixed single "wave" disk Ø260mm, double piston floating calliper
Brake, rear	Brembo system, Braking fixed single "wave" disk Ø 240mm, single floating calliper
Wheels	Alpina light alloy wheels
Tyres, front	MICHELIN 90/90-21"
Tyres, rear	MICHELIN 140/80-18"

Dimensions / weight

Seat height	950 mm
Dry weight	108 kg
Usable tank volume	8,5 l

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TE310 Factory

Engine

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Type	Water cooled 4-stroke single cylinder, four titanium valves, two overhead camshafts, finger followers, dry sump lubrication
Bore	82 mm
Stroke	57,35 mm
Displacement	302,44 cm ³
Compression ratio	13 : 1

Chassis

Type	Steel single tube cradle frame; rear frame in light alloy
Front wheel location / suspension	Factory Kayaba Upside-Down telescopic hydraulic fork with advanced axle, compression and rebound adjustment
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