



FELIX ROSENQVIST ON TOP IN FREE PRACTICE

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12.04.2013. This weekend, the 5.981 kilometres long Silverstone Formula 1 circuit is the venue for the second season round of the FIA Formula 3 European Championship. Swede Felix Rosenqvist (kfzteile24 Mücke Motorsport, 2:10.632 minutes) set the fastest time in free practice, followed by Antonio Giovinazzi (Double R Racing, 2:10.722 minutes) and Michael Lewis (kfzteile24 Mücke Motorsport, 2:10.796 minutes).

Especially in the final minutes of free practice, the young drivers managed to improve their lap times as the track gradually dried out. Felix Rosenqvist only moved up to the top of the time sheets just before the end of the 80 minutes' session when he toppled Italian Antonio Giovinazzi. Earlier on, Mücke novice Michael Lewis had been in first place of the standings. The American was the first driver of the day to set a lap time under 2:11 minutes.

The best-placed Brit in the field, Harry Tincknell (Carlin, 2:11.001 minutes) was fourth. Points' leader Raffaele Marciello (Prema Powerteam, 2:11.162 minutes) had to make do with fifth place, followed by the second-best Brit, Jordan King (Carlin, 2:11.259 minutes), Eddie Cheever (Prema Powerteam, 2:11.295 minutes) and Sven Müller (ma-con, 2:11.417 minutes). Luis Felipe Derani (Fortec Motorsports, 2:11.678 minutes) and Josh Hill (Fortec Motorsports, 2:11.753 minutes) rounded out the top ten. Thus, three Brits were in the top ten for the first of two FIA Formula 3 European Championship weekends on British soil.