

Dual finals got underway early in the afternoon for the first time this season, starting at 1:30 under bright sun rather than their normal time of 6:30pm. Huge crowds turned up to watch the race action, and the final rounds were run on yet another creative course near the valley floor. Best able to master this course were a pair of familiar faces in this sport: **Katrina Miller** (AUS, Jamis) and **Eric Carter** (USA, GT). Both ran aggressive heats and went on to win their final matches.

The course began on a wide shelf before dropping steeply to the finish line below, starting immediately with a mogul field and a hard left turn. In between were banked turns, jumps and more than enough tricky sections to trip up even the best riders. One who crashed was last week's winner **Brian Lopes** (USA, Mongoose), he washed out on the top section allowing Carter an easy win the final run.

Series leader, **David Cullinan** (USA, Schwinn-Toyota) won the consolation round against **Filip Polc** (SVK, Seat Merida) after being knocked out in the quarter finals by "Flyin'" Lopes.

Miller won her final round against **Sari Jorgenson** (SUI, Yeti) after a tough battle on this technical course. In the third place run, **Helena Kurandova** (CZE, Kangaroo/Dirt) was too fast for **Tara Llanes** (USA, Mt. Dew/Specialized). Miller retains the special white Swatch series leader's jersey, and after her her two low scores from the series have been discarded in accordance with World Cup rules, she will have a perfect record in the dual.

by **Ari Cheren**

Women/Femmes--

place	bib	UCIcode	name/nom	nat	team	points
1	201	AUS19750915	MILLER Katrina	AUS	JAMIS/MANITOU/AR	50
2	203	SUI19800725	JORGENSEN Sari	SUI	YETI	40
3	204	CZE19780621	KURANDOVA Helena	CZE	KANGAROO/DIRT	30
4	207	USA19761128	LLANES Tara	USA	MT DEW/SPECIALIZ	20
5	206	GER19710927	HAMMA Ulrike	GER	AMERICAN EAGLE	10
5	208	ITA19660724	BONAZZI Giovanna	ITA	SINTESI VERLICCHI	10
5	212	AUT19801112	MOLCIK Anita	AUT	OAMTC RIFF&RAFF	10
5	215	GBR19760801	MORTIMER Helen	GBR	SINTESI VERLICCHI	10
9	202	USA19690419	SHER Lisa	USA	ROTEC-WHITE BROS	
9	205	AUT19670106	MÖSER Florentina	AUT	LIETZ SPORT	
9	210	GER19731218	WEIL Stefanie	GER	HEAVY TOOLS	
9	211	AUT19810607	KÖNIG Anna-maria	AUT	TREK SUNSHINE MO	
9	213	USA19690202	LISNOCK Christine	USA	ANIMAL/PLAYSTATI	
9	214	AUT19770629	HINUM Melanie	AUT	GMK SPORTS	
209	GBR19751005		CROXON Adele	GBR	ANIMAL/PLAYSTATI	DNS

Knock Out:

	1/8		1/4		Semi-Finals		Finals	
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1 201 **MILLER Katrina**

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8 208 **BONAZZI Giovanna** 208 **BONAZZI Giovanna**

9 209 **CROXON Adele** 201 **MILLER Katrina**

4 204 **KURANDOVA Helena** 204 **KURANDOVA Helena**

13 213 **LISNOCK Christine** 204 **KURANDOVA Helena**

5 205 **MÖSER Florentina** 212 **MOLCIK Anita**

12 212 **MOLCIK Anita** 201 **MILLER Katrina**

2 202 **SHER Lisa** 203 **JORGENSEN Sari**

15 215 **MORTIMER Helen** 215 **MORTIMER Helen**

7 207 **LLANES Tara** 207 **LLANES Tara**

10 210 **WEIL Stefanie** 207 **LLANES Tara**

3 203 **JORGENSEN Sari** 203 **JORGENSEN Sari**

14 214 **HINUM Melanie** 203 **JORGENSEN Sari** 204 **KURANDOVA Helena**

6 206 **HAMMA Ulrike** 206 **HAMMA Ulrike** 207 **LLANES Tara**

11 211 **KÖNIG Anna-maria**

Final

Consolation