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**Tim in Ky** There is a Cat 3 climb 60 lumpy kms into the race followed by 50 km of 07-19 15:25

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**Tim in Ky** Neutral zone start is at 12:45 CET 0(6:45 EDT). Km0 is ten minutes later. 07-19 15:37

Finish is expected 15 minutes either way of 17:30 CET (11:30 EDT). Fun fact: Because the finish of 17, start and finish of 18, and start of 19 are all in or near Briançon, the riders get to spend two nights in the same hotels. Rare except for rest days.



**memb54** Thanks, Timothy. 07-19 20:57



**mcnally\_mi** Got up even earlier than normal to see the end of La Course. The riders 07-20 05:35

are just now starting the Izoard.



**mcnally\_mi** Crowd size gets quite large about halfway up the climb. 10 riders hanging 07-20 05:54

in the lead group.



**mcnally\_mi** Annemiek van Vleuten (Orica Scott) wins the stage by 43 seconds. She 07-20 06:26

was solo for the last 4-5k. Lizzie Deignan (Boels Dolmans) was second. Elisa Longo Borghini was third, 1:23 back and Megan Guarnier was fourth, 1:28 back. Fun race. Pursuit format TT on Saturday for the top

20 finishers.



**BusterSci** Thanks, mcnally. I was trying to get some work done before Ripley woke up and needed attention so I decided not to watch. Appreciate the info. 07-20 06:38



**Tim in Ky** Neutral start in nice weather. 07-20 06:44



**Tim in Ky** Buster, I will be a spotty presence after today. Our daughter and family will be here for a long weekend beginning tomorrow morning. Lots of doings. 07-20 06:48



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**memb54** Good morning to one and all. Off to uni for class. Will tune in when I can. 07-20 06:52



**BusterSci** Should be able to cover, Tim. Will I need to do the pre-race info as well? 07-20 06:54



**Tim in Ky** I will still do pre-race stuff. 07-20 06:55



**BusterSci** Cool. No worries, then 07-20 06:56



**Tim in Ky** Depart real. 07-20 06:57



**BusterSci** Rolland on the attack. His first appearance. 07-20 06:57



**BusterSci** Looking to see if Cannondale comes out to play, 07-20 06:57



**Tim in Ky** Rolland trying to be in the break. 07-20 06:58



















**Tim in Ky** Now Simon Clarke. 07-20 06:59



**BusterSci** Rolland and Talansky have been non-entities so far. They're here for a reason. 07-20 06:59




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**Katie Lane** Yup. Definitely....

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**Katie** Talansky?

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**Katie** A perfect essay for the third week of Le Tour, Mons. Thanks!

07-20 09:56



**Katie Lane** "These really easy gradients" Paul sez... 7.5%

07-20 09:56



**Katie Lane** Nice, Mons!!


07-20 09:57





**Gilliemarie** Good one, Mond!

07-20 09:57




 **BusterSci** I'll run a chi squared test on that and see if your thoughts are truly random. 07-20 09:57

 **Bill Wilkinson** Compared to 16% later, 7.5 is nice and flat. 07-20 09:57

 **Tim in Ky** Talansky near the front on the climb. 07-20 09:59


 **Katie Lane** Nice interview with Nate Brown on NBC after the stage. He's having a heckuva first T de F! 07-20 10:00


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 **Joanna in New York** I have a screen full of personal avatars! Cool. If any of you want a Rumbletalk User ID with your own avatar, just follow the information on the webpage, and I will set one up for you before the Vuelta. :) 07-20 10:03


 **Tim in Ky** Front group is 1.5 km from the summitt. 07-20 10:05


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 **Joanna in New York** Luke Rowe has burned all his matches, bless him. 07-20 10:08

 **BusterSci** Knees is on his knees as well 07-20 10:08

 **Katie** He rowed his boat, Luke did. 07-20 10:09

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**Bill Wilkinson** Speed bumps on the descent. That'll rattle your dental work...

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




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
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







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07-20 11:21



**Steve in CO** 5.8 here

07-20 11:21



**BusterSci** Atapuma at 5km

07-20 11:22



**Katie** must be the altitude in CO

07-20 11:22



**BusterSci** Landa wondering if he should wake up yet.

07-20 11:22



**Steve in CO** everything is a bit slower in the mountains

07-20 11:22



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07-20 11:22

Aussies...



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07-20 11:22



**Miren Brinkman** 20" lutesenko 30" pousuivants

07-20 11:22



**BusterSci** Barguil has 25s on yellow

07-20 11:22



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07-20 11:22



**David Stanley** Venga Dan Martin. Opens a few seconds.

07-20 11:23



**BusterSci** Sky closes on Martin

07-20 11:23



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07-20 11:23



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07-20 11:23



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07-20 11:24



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**Miren Brinkman** Nairo lost more than 12'???

07-20 11:24



**Katie** Froomey said he'd like to win here.

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**BusterSci** Barguil on his own trying to close to Atapuma

07-20 11:25



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07-20 11:25



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**Joanna in New York** Aru bridging.

07-20 11:25



**BusterSci** Nairo back on the back

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**BusterSci** Kwiat stops


















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**BusterSci** Literally

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




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






















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 **Mons Soseman** goodness 07-20 11:38

 **Joanna in New York** Darnit! 07-20 11:38

 **BusterSci** 58s 07-20 11:38

 **David Stanley** Bardet has a gap and just nips Froome for the 4 second bonus. That gives him a nudge over Uran. 07-20 11:38

 **BusterSci** Contador coming 07-20 11:38


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 **Tim in Ky** I hate bonus seconds. 07-20 11:38

 **Joanna in New York** Me too, Tim. 07-20 11:39

 **Miren Brinkman** Thanks and see you tomorrow. Back to work for me. 07-20 11:39


 **Mons Soseman** Barguil sucking down an Orangina 07-20 11:39

 **Katie** the Izoard did not disappoint 07-20 11:39

 **David Stanley** my dog just threw up. 07-20 11:39

 **Gilliemarie** Thanks guys, see you in the am! 07-20 11:39


 **Katie** from excitement, DStan? 07-20 11:39


 **Joanna in New York** I may or may not be here tomorrow. Saturday I'll be on a plane to Virginia to see my Artie-Man and do some work. Thanks Buster and Tim! Thanks to all of you for joining in - much fun!! 07-20 11:40


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 **BusterSci** Gap to Uran 07-20 11:40

 **BusterSci** He loses 6s to Bardet with bonuses 07-20 11:40

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 **BusterSci** Compartaively 07-20 11:41

 **Mons Soseman** later dudes 07-20 11:42

 **Joanna in New York** Ciao, Mons! 07-20 11:43

 **David Stanley** Weird, she's a bike racing fan. Just walked over in front the TV and 07-20 11:43  
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Cheers, all, and thanks! :-)

 **Tim in Ky** No climbing tomorrow to speak of. Three Cat 3s. 07-20 11:43