

There is no one more surprised than me to be on the podium for this race! I enjoy the timed races and my plan is normally to put down a "marker" time and then see how the weather unfolds. This time I thought the conditions were very good when I signed in, so cleared my desk and away we went! Accurate turns are essential as the margin can be down to seconds (as in this race). The final turns were crucial to get a good time and I was perhaps a little cautious so maybe lost a small amount of time. As it was I was just over a second behind **iomkiwi** (a position I seem to remember from the last time I was on the podium) and 16 seconds behind **karriv**, well done to them both.

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