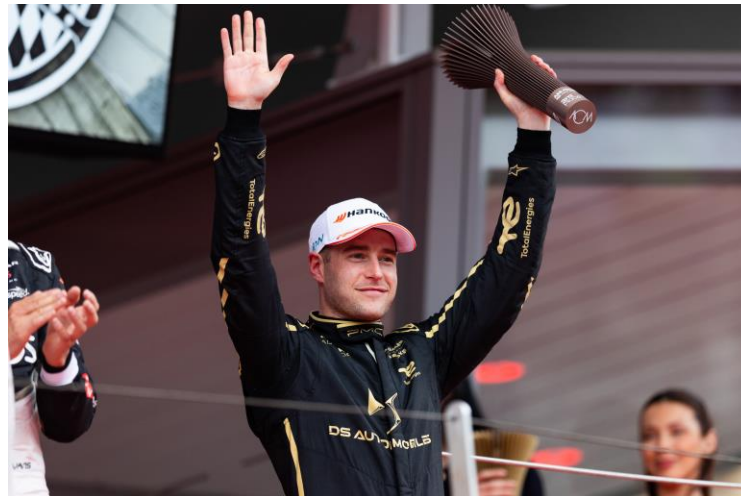


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PRESS RELEASE

## DS PENSKE HAS CLINCHED ITS SECOND PODIUM-FINISH IN MARVELLOUS MONACO

Monaco, Monte-Carlo – Round 8 of the ABB Formula E FIA World Championship



- Round 8: First podium of the season for Stoffel Vandoorne finishing P3 and his teammate JEV P4, scoring 27 points in total this weekend.
- Action-packed Monaco thrills Fans as Jean-Éric Vergne secures his third consecutive front row start.
- DS PENSKE maintains its 5th place in the team’s ranking with 102 points, JEV is currently 7th in Drivers’ standings and Stoffel Vandoorne moves up to 9th.

**Monaco, Monte-Carlo** – 2024 Monaco E-Prix surpassed all expectations, treating fans to a spectacle of adrenaline-pumping action and jaw-dropping moments. From start to finish, the race delivered non-stop excitement, proving once again why it stands as a highlight on the motorsport calendar.

Race 8 of Season 10 got off to an impressive start with both drivers heading to the duels after a strong qualifying session with Stoffel Vandoorne pushing into the finals. Their efforts were rewarded with JEV starting P5 and Stoffel front row in P2 . With three consecutive front row starts the team has reaffirmed its status as one of the top qualifiers on the grid.

During the race, Vandoorne wasted no time asserting himself at the front of the field, making a strong start from his P2 grid position and quickly setting his sights on the lead. With precision and patience, he

maneuvered his car through the opening laps, positioning himself perfectly to take advantage when the opportunity arose.

Meanwhile, Jean-Éric Vergne showcased his own skill and determination. His aggressive overtaking maneuvers and relentless pursuit of the leaders kept fans on the edge of their seats as he battled for positions. With each passing lap, the DS Penske drivers continued to push the limits, engaging in wheel-to-wheel battles as they fought for every inch of track space. As the race progressed, the battle for podium positions intensified, with both drivers refusing to back down in the face of stiff competition.

Overcoming the challenges of an eventful race, which saw three yellow flags and a safety car, the DS PENSKE drivers delivered a stellar performance, demonstrating both skill and resilience on one of motorsport's most iconic circuits. Stoffel, the 2022 World Champion, crossed the finish line to secure third-place finish, and the two time Champion, Frenchman Jean-Eric Vergne, finished a very close fourth-place finish.

Today's 27-point haul leaves DS PENSKE 5th in the team standings. The team looks forward to returning once again to the challenging Tempelhof Airfield for a double header race (R9 & R10) on Saturday 11 and Sunday 12 May, 2024. With Berlin marking both the midpoint of the season and the 10th year anniversary since the inception of the all-electric series, this occasion adds an extra layer of significance to the proceedings, as teams and drivers reflect on the journey thus far while setting their sights on the future.

As the Championship progresses, DS PENSKE remains focused on its goals, determined to continue its pursuit of victory in the races ahead.

#### **Team results – 2024 Monaco E-Prix – Round 8**

Driver	FP1	FP2	Quali	Race
JEV	P18	P18	P5	<b>P4</b>
VAN	P13	P8	P2	<b>P3</b>

#### **Stoffel Vandoorne, 2022 Formula E World Champion**

*"For me, securing my first podium of the season and finishing P3 at the Monaco E-Prix is a significant milestone in the season. It's been a journey filled with challenges and hard work, but standing on that podium makes it all worthwhile. I'm grateful for the support of my team and thrilled to have delivered such a strong performance on one of motorsport's most iconic circuits. This podium is just the beginning, and I'm more motivated than ever to continue pushing for success in the races to come."*

#### **Jean-Éric Vergne, 2018 & 2019 Formula E Champion**

*"Starting P5 and finishing P4 in today's race was a solid result for us. We fought hard out there, and every position gained on a track as challenging as Monaco is an achievement. It wasn't an easy race, but we stayed focused, made the most of every opportunity, and brought home some valuable points for the team. We'll take the positives from today and keep pushing forward as we strive for even better results in the future."*





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### ***About PENSKE AUTOSPORT***

PENSKE AUTOSPORT is an American racing team founded in 2007 by Jay Penske. The team is headquartered in Los Angeles, California, the largest single metropolitan EV market in the world.

After many successful years competing in IndyCar (2007-2014), the team embraced the shift to electric mobility and became one of the founding teams of the ABB FIA Formula E World Championship. The team motto is the Latin phrase “E Pluribus Unum” – meaning “out of many, there is one.”

### ***About DS Automobiles***

Driven by the spirit of the avant-garde and backed by an exceptional heritage, the DS brand, born in 2014, aims to embody the French art of travel.

Based on numerous records since its entry into Formula E in 2015, including double Teams’ and Drivers’ titles, DS Automobiles is at the forefront of electrification by already selling each of its models with an electrified version. From 2024, every new model launched by DS Automobiles will be 100% electric.

With a presence in 40 countries, the DS brand has created and is developing an exclusive distribution network throughout the world.

