

Round 5 event termination and championship points

Event: Round 5, Kacergine, Lithuania

Event date: 13 September 2026

Notice date: 14 September 2026

Termination of the competition

Round 5 of the Baltic Drift Championship in Kacergine, Lithuania, was terminated following a decision by the Clerk of the Course due to driver safety concerns. Darkness at the circuit meant that the competition could no longer continue safely.

The Top 16 tandem battle round had been completed. The Top 8 pairings had been determined, but no Top 8 tandem battle had commenced when the competition was terminated.

Championship points allocation

A competitor's final points total for an event is calculated by adding together the placing points earned in qualification and the placing points earned in the tandem battles.

If the event is terminated during the tandem battles, all competitors who reached the last commenced tandem battle round shall receive an equal number of points corresponding to the minimum points awarded for that round, in accordance with the points distribution.

For example, if the event is terminated during the Top 4 battles, all competitors who reached that round shall receive 64 points. This time it was Top8, so it's 48 points.

Depending on the series in which the competitor participated at the event, the points earned at the event shall be added to the competitor's previously earned series points.

Application to Round 5

As the Top 8 round had not commenced, the last commenced tandem battle round was Top 16 and it was finished. Under the rule stated above, all competitors who reached Top8 as next battle stage, shall therefore receive the same tandem battle points, corresponding to the minimum points awarded for Top8 in the applicable points distribution.

Each competitor's qualification points shall be added to those tandem battle points to determine their total points for this event. The resulting event points shall then be added to the relevant series standings.