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Marc0053 Wins HWBOT World Championship 2016 Final

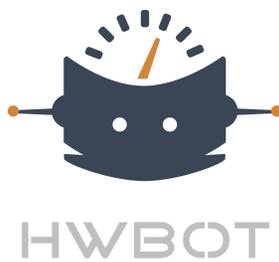
The First Ever HWBOT World Champion is Crowned

December 5, 2016, Taipei, Taiwan - HWBOT, an organization regulating international Overclocking competitions and rankings today officially announces the conclusion of the HWBOT World Championship 2016 Final. A day of intense Overclocking saw Canadian Marc0053 clinch the win against Xtreme Addict from Poland to become the first ever HWBOT World Champion.



The HWBOT World Championship 2016 Finals were held at the Caseking Showroom in Berlin Germany. All six of the World Series winners from the HWBOT World Tour were invited to compete, along with the winner of the HWBOT Wild Card contest plus the winner of the ROG Camp 2016. Eight Overclockers competed in an initial qualification round, followed by 1v1 knock-out rounds including Quarter-Finals, Semi-Finals and a Final.

After edging past DSLREye (Switzerland) and DrWeez (South Africa) in the earlier rounds, Marc0053 faced Xtreme Addict (Poland) in the Final. Drawn to compete on the HWBOT X265 1080p benchmark, both Overclockers pushed their Core i5 6600K processors to the absolute max using advanced subzero cooling and lots of liquid nitrogen. The eventual winner was Marc0053 who managed a winning score of 40.40 FPS, beating Xtreme Addict with 36.35 FPS.



“The World Championship Finals proved to be a fantastic way to end this year’s HWBOT World Tour, showcasing the best overclocking talent from around the globe,” commented Pieter-Jan Plaisier, Director at HWBOT. “With vital support from industry partners and the Overclocking community, we have taken Overclocking to new heights and new places this year. We look forward to making it even better in 2017.”

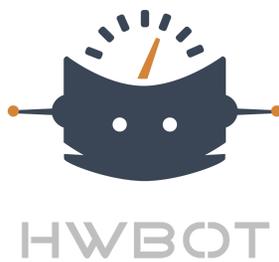
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The World Championship Final is truly a quest to find the best live competitive overclocker of the year. The contest is the climax of the HWBOT World Tour and features six World Series winners from each of the six World Tour events. These were also joined by the HWBOT Wild Card Contest winner, plus the winner of the ROG Camp 2016 contest. Overclockers were flown out to the Final at the Caseking Showroom in Berlin, Germany for a full day of competitive extreme Overclocking.



HWBOT World Championship Final Contestants

Eight overclockers competed in the Finals, including many of the world’s highest ranked Overclockers:



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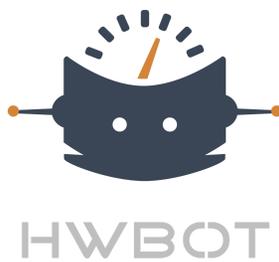
The HWBOT World Championship 2016 Finals would not have been possible without the valued support of its industry partners. We would like to officially thank the following companies:

- **Processors** - Intel Core i5 6600K
- **Motherboards** - ASUS, GIGABYTE and MSI
- **Memory** - Apacer, Corsair, G.SKILL, HyperX, KLEVV and ZADAK511
- **Storage** - Apacer, HyperX and ZADAK511
- **Power Supplies** - Seasonic
- **Monitors** - AOC and Philips
- **Benchtables** - Streacom

HWBOT World Championship Final: Related Media

You can find a full collection of photos from the World Championship Final here on the HWBOT Facebook page: <http://bit.ly/2qXYvDa>

You can enjoy video replays of the live stream with all action from the event thanks to OverClocking-TV: <https://youtu.be/0-XCy9FNBlo?list=PL9pv3DerEBVbJGhUt7cTDD4BkruOM9-X>



About HWBOT

Since its inception in 2006, HWBOT has grown to become the world's leading platform for competitive overclocking. With a global headquarters in Taipei, Taiwan, HWBOT serves a growing and dynamic community of over 100,000 overclockers and welcomes 1.25 million visitors per year.

HWBOT provides a dynamic platform for overclocking that include the HWBOT World Tour, the OC-Esports.io competition platform, the Overclockers League and the HWBOT historical database. We are partnered with leading players in the PC hardware industry including ASUS, GIGABYTE, G.SKILL, Intel, Kingston HyperX, and MSI and others.

For any questions regarding this event or the HWBOT World Tour in general, please contact us at: contact@hwbot.org