



**Tim in KY** Gdl Stage 16 is 203 kilometers from Piazzola sul Brenta to a summit finish on San Valentino above Brentonico. The route takes a loop through the mountains of north central Italy.

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**Tim in KY** <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1748280814-1748280514671.jpeg>

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**Tim in KY** The first 65 kilometers are a false flat with 500 meters of vertical gain. The rest of the riding is all up and down five climbs, a Cat 2, three Cat 1s and an uncategorized climb to an intermediate sprint. The final climb is 18 km long averaging 6% but it is divided into three sections separated by short descents which distorts the average. The last two sections average near 10% and have some double-digit ramps.

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**Tim in KY** <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1748280856-Stage%2016%20Finish%20Climb.jpg>

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**Tim in KY** Kilometer zero is scheduled for 11:35 CEST. Finish is imagined either side of 17:15. Forecast is for the possibility of rain anywhere along the route. Temps in the low-20s in the valleys, mid-teens on the climbs.

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**Tim in KY** Paul Magnier (Soudal Quick-Step) and Milan Fretin (Cofidis) will not start stage 16.

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**Tim in KY** Current forecast is for good chance of showers at the beginning, negligible chance of rain on the finish climb. But, of course, forecasts change.

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04:15:14 pm



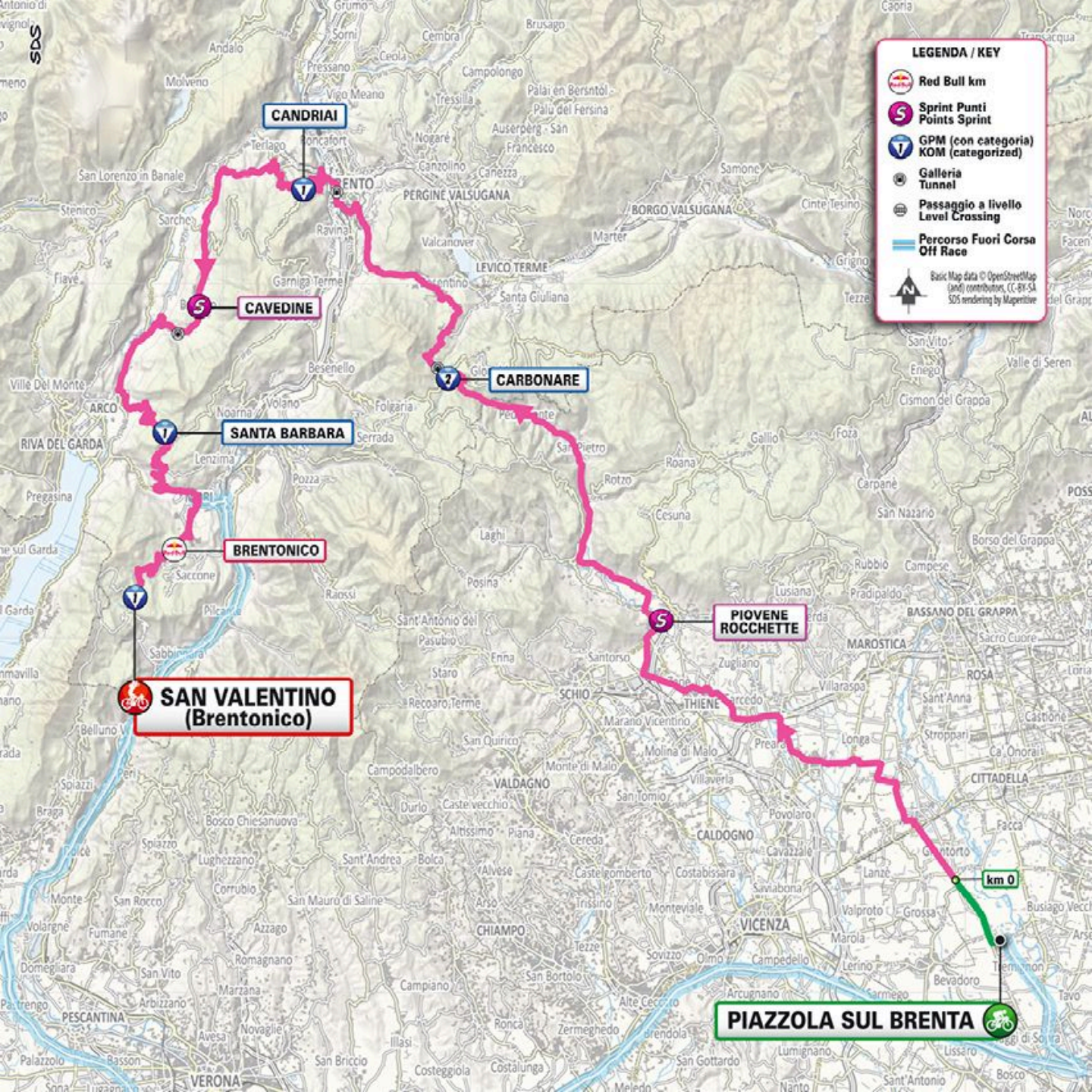
**bikerabe** Josh Tarling has abandoned

05-27-2025  
06:15:45 am



**Tim in KY** Tarling crashed.

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06:24:06 am



# LEGENDA / KEY



Red Bull km



Sprint Punti



GPM (con categoria)  
KOM (categorized)



Galleria  
Tunnel



Passaggio a livello  
Level Crossing



Percorso Fuori Corsa  
Off Race



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BRENTONICO



CAVEDINE



SANTA BARBARA



CARBONARE



PIOVENE ROCCHETTE



SAN VALENTINO  
(Brentonico)



PIAZZOLA SUL BRENTA



km 0



VERONA



PIAZZOLA SUL BRENTA



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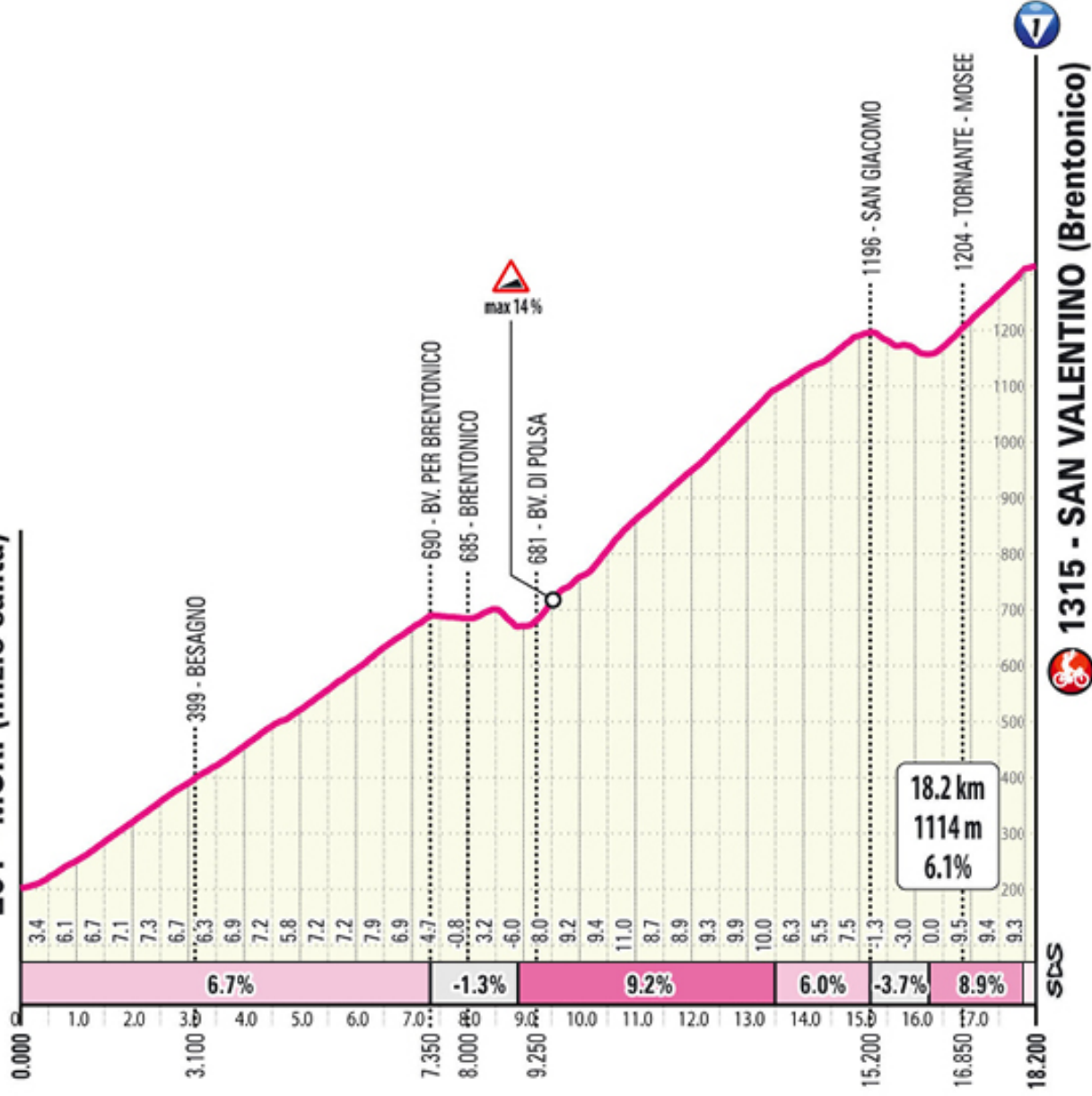
PIAZZOLA SUL BRENTA



# 34 - PIAZZOLA SUL BRENTA



# 201 - MORI (inizio salita)





**Tim in KY** Raining. Radar looks like it's going to rain all day. Just like here.

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06:24:49 am



**bikerabe** 6 out front with WvA over 1 min.

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06:26:57 am



**Tim in KY** 23km to the start of the first climb.

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06:36:05 am



**Charlie in Tenn** Hi fellows

05-27-2025  
06:36:14 am



**Tim in KY** Good morning, Charlie.

05-27-2025  
06:36:21 am



**RCG** Good morning. Having survived a somewhat chilly Indy 500 and spent a lovely weeken with the in-laws, we are headed home today.

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06:38:48 am



**Charlie in Tenn** <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1748342634-Screenshot%202025-05-27%20063750.png>

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**Charlie in Tenn** PLus one more rider that is unidentified.

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06:39:18 am



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06:39:21 am



**Tim in KY** On Sunday the RBH DS told Cycling News that Rog would probably not start today. But he did.

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06:40:19 am



**Tim in KY** What's with all the bikes, RCG?

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06:40:42 am



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## BREAK

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2		75	GERMANI Lorenzo	+1:32:33	
3		123	BARRENETXEA Jon	+2:11:55	
4		132	AZPARREN Xabier Mikel	+2:51:07	
5		143	ČERNÝ Josef	+3:07:03	
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**Charlie in Tenn** I survived the sleepover so well that I let 2 of the girls stay an extra night. When one suggested another night I politely said "NOOO!"

05-27-2025  
06:41:30 am



**Tim in KY** I guess that's at Indy.

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06:41:41 am



**RCG** You can pay \$20 for the bike parking at the track (last photo), or just lock it to fences and assume it'll likely be ok.

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06:42:33 am



**RCG** People coming to the race are definitely not cycling fans for the most part, and it is such a hassle to travel for miles around the day if the race that it's not like an organized ring of bike thieves is going to just drive up and steal a bunch of bicycles.

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06:43:50 am



**RCG** Our seats were 3 rows from the top in turn two. Great views, but it was in the low 60s and windy with drizzle.

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06:45:17 am



**Tim in KY** Despite all the attacks from the peloton the gap still inches up. Maybe millimeters up.

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06:46:58 am



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**RCG** The race started and ended under the yellow caution flag and there were (of course) wrecks. Indy at racing is not my thing, but I married an Indy guy....

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06:49:12 am



**RCG** I was surprised Rog started today. He must be feeling a little better, or at least willing to give it a try today to see how he feels.

05-27-2025  
06:50:04 am



**Tim in KY** Time for PT and chores.

05-27-2025  
06:51:11 am



**Charlie in Tenn** Already started some laundry and the robot vacuum is in the bedroom.

05-27-2025  
07:00:10 am



**Katie S** Good morning. En route to SFO. Only name I know in the break is WvA. And cool pics, RCG. What an experience!

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07:00:44 am



**Tim in KY** Done with PT, now to put wash in dryer and make the tuna salad for tonight.

05-27-2025  
07:06:29 am



**Tim in KY** Have a good trip Katie.

05-27-2025  
07:07:13 am



**bikerabe** large chasing group includes climb leader 81 secs behind

05-27-2025  
07:12:25 am



**bikerabe** done

05-27-2025  
07:31:56 am



**bikerabe** gap to peloton out to 7 min.

05-27-2025  
07:46:55 am



**John** What a miserable looking day. I'm cycling through Italy in a few weeks. Hope the weather improves by then.

05-27-2025  
07:49:25 am



**Charlie in Tenn** Someone ust slide off the road

05-27-2025  
07:55:07 am



**Charlie in Tenn** From the break. looked lie a blue helmit

05-27-2025  
07:55:53 am



**Katie S** A UN peacekeeper?

05-27-2025  
07:57:19 am



**Charlie in Tenn** or a Bardiani

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07:57:38 am



**Charlie in Tenn** It was a Bardiani but no one knows which one yet. I hope he was able to get out of the ditch/ravine that he fell in.

05-27-2025  
08:02:10 am



**Charlie in Tenn** Ah it was Martinelli

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08:02:38 am



**Katie S** Is he back out and riding? Or?

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08:04:18 am



**John** No word yet

















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**John** He's with an ambulance

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08:04:52 am



	<b>bikerabe</b> 3 ku gap almost 8 mln.	05-27-2025 08:06:17 am
	<b>Charlie in Tenn</b> Martinelli has abandoned. No info on injuries.	05-27-2025 08:09:57 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> Rain has stopped in my absence.	05-27-2025 08:12:58 am
	<b>Carlene in NH</b> Sounds like Carapaz is down.	05-27-2025 08:15:01 am
	<b>John</b> Roglic too maybe	05-27-2025 08:15:21 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> Apparently the slippery has not stopped.	05-27-2025 08:16:27 am
	<b>Carlene in NH</b> These wet roads give me the eerie-geebies	05-27-2025 08:16:47 am
	<b>RCG</b> Sounds like a miserable day in Italy. Cold, rain, slippery roads	05-27-2025 08:17:19 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> Not surprisingly, slower than the slowest...	05-27-2025 08:17:30 am
	<b>Carlene in NH</b> Typing with one hand leaves me at the mercy of auto-correct	05-27-2025 08:17:54 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> Rog has abandoned.	05-27-2025 08:18:43 am
	<b>Carlene in NH</b> Too bad. He gave it his best shot.	05-27-2025 08:20:18 am
	<b>Katie S</b> Ah geez.	05-27-2025 08:26:25 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> Now fog on this Cat 1.	05-27-2025 08:27:55 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> Gap has come down 2 minutes on this climb.	05-27-2025 08:29:06 am
	<b>John</b> And it looks like Ayuso has lost a minute for some reason	05-27-2025 08:30:39 am



**Katie S** <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1748349353-1748349053855.jpeg>

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08:30:58 am



**Katie S** This really the weather?

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08:31:11 am



**Tim in KY** Ayuso is going to get dinged for drafting.

05-27-2025  
08:32:00 am



**Katie S** If Ayuso down a minute , has he truly conceded to Del Toro?

05-27-2025  
08:32:14 am



**Tim in KY** The UAE DS said yesterday that Del Toro was now their guy.

05-27-2025  
08:33:02 am



**Carlene in NH** Yeah, if you want bad conditions to race in, today's the day

05-27-2025  
08:33:09 am



**RCG** Martinelli “conscious and stable” per his team: “Martinelli, vittima di una caduta, è stato trasportato in ospedale. Attualmente è cosciente e le sue condizioni sono stabili. Ulteriori aggiornamenti sul suo stato di salute verranno comunicati in giornata.”

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08:34:17 am



**Tim in KY** At one point he was unconcious.

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08:34:58 am



**RCG** The last bit basically says they'll provide more updates later today.

05-27-2025  
08:36:21 am



**Tim in KY** Ayuso is back in the GC group.

05-27-2025  
08:39:05 am



**Tim in KY** Katie, that was the weather at the start and the first 100+ km.

05-27-2025  
08:40:14 am



**RCG** Are they out of the rain now, Tim?

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08:41:14 am



**Katie S** In other crash news, we had a nasty motorcycle crash on our 2-lane main road into town over the weekend. Moto was splitting lanes,

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08:41:22 am



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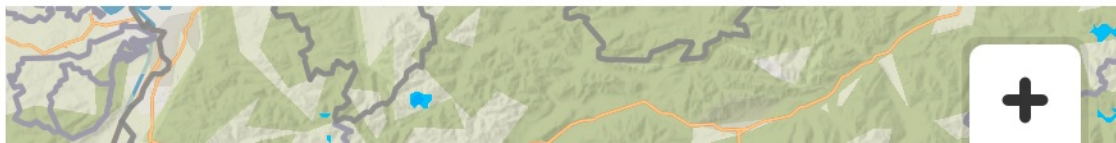
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**Piazzola sul  
Brenta**

27/05 ore 11

Prec.: **1.5 mm**

Vento: **0 km/h**



collided somehow with a bus, lost at least half of his foot. Don't know if any Lugnuts are motorcyclists... but be careful out there.



**bikerabe** Hjue jersy geta max KOM points

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08:42:49 am



**bikerabe** Blue

05-27-2025  
08:43:05 am



**bikerabe** gap under 6 min.

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08:43:37 am



**Tim in KY** Dry skies from here to the finish but that doesn't mean dry roads.

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08:44:20 am



**RCG** Ouch. In my hometown news, a young adult hiker fell from a cliff. My friend who was hiking in the same area said that there were 5 firetrucks, 2 ambulances and lots of firemen with climbing/caving-type gear. He was in critical condition. It's a long fall and there are fences and warning signs.....

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08:44:46 am



**RCG** Get the selfie at all costs, I guess.

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08:46:19 am



**Tim in KY** Shadows on the road now.

05-27-2025  
08:52:19 am



**Tim in KY** Rain jackets coming off.

05-27-2025  
08:53:41 am



**Tim in KY** The road is now beginning to look dry.

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08:57:14 am



**RCG** Landa's update is that he's still in the corset-type back brace for his vertebral fracture but that things are going as well as expected and that he hopes to ride in the Vuelta.

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08:57:34 am



**Tim in KY** I think he's being overly optimistic.

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08:58:08 am



**RCG** They need the giant blow dryers that were being used at the Indy 500

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08:58:28 am



**RCG** Landa probably won't be able to really train for a few more weeks, even. I'm with you Tim... it will be a stretch to get healed and

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09:02:39 am



get enough miles in the legs to be competitive by then



**Tim in KY** Hasn't stopped raining here.

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09:03:32 am



**RCG** Bad weather predicted for North AL tonight, a week after the tornado and hail. After looking at the damage caused by "straight line winds" a week ago, they decided there were over a dozen tornadoes and not just two

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09:06:08 am



**bikerabe** 2 ku

05-27-2025  
09:07:23 am



**Alaska Dave** Good morning. We were warned about a storm all weekend, but it was fairly dry. Just very cold. Al says I rode in the rain Sunday, but I never felt a drop.

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09:09:58 am



**Alaska Dave** Good news. I will be turning over leadership of St. Vincent de Paul Juneau to my deputy director on July 1. Putting the re into re-retiring.

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09:16:08 am



**Mikey** Morning

05-27-2025  
09:18:44 am



**bikerabe** Good on ya Dave

05-27-2025  
09:19:31 am



**Tim in KY** About to start the second Cat 1.

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09:25:20 am



**bikerabe** gap out to 9 min.

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09:25:31 am



**RCG** Nico Denz pulling in peloton -- why? With Rog out (and no Hindley) they don't really have a GC contender

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09:25:44 am



**Mikey** Bouncing bison

05-27-2025  
09:25:50 am



**Tim in KY** How do they get all those stone blocs up there?

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09:28:16 am



**Katie S** Good mor, again. Congratulations, Dave! Do you think retirement will stick this time? Or will you lapse, again?

05-27-2025  
09:31:24 am



**Tim in KY** You in the air now, Katie?

05-27-2025  
09:33:51 am



**RCG** According to PCS, this is the third hardest climby stage this year. They're saving the best for nearly last (stage 20)

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09:34:52 am



**RCG** Guys dropping from the break like flies on Santa Barbara. Fortunato wants more KOM points.

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09:36:33 am



**Tim in KY** Just looking at the profile, this one looks harder than 20.

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09:39:25 am



**PasadenaK8** Mornin', all. Brutal stage. Is this one considered to be the Queen Stage?

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09:43:06 am



**Tim in KY** To answer your Denz question, RCG, RBH still has Danny Martinez. He's not a GC threat now but he can climb.

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09:43:20 am



**SFinAus** good morning. The Flo color commentator says "The terrain is calling for action" here

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09:43:52 am



**Katie S** I am in the air. I actually was able to stream the race ... kind of dodgy. Have the French Open on the swayback tv. Kerfuffle about the rain there.

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09:44:07 am



**Tim in KY** The commentators has a long argument about the, K8. I don't see any other stage that looks Queeny.

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09:44:25 am



**Mikey** Queenish

05-27-2025  
09:45:15 am



**Katie S** Seatback - not swayback. Autocorrect!

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09:45:19 am



**Tim in KY** EF has taken a minute off the gap.

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09:46:26 am



**Mikey** Don't see Ayuso

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09:47:07 am



**Mikey** Dropped

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09:47:13 am



**Tim in KY** Rog has abandoned, Ayuso is dropped. That's because they're on my VG team.

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09:47:34 am



**PasadenaK8** Thanks, Tim. Saw/heard bits of the stage earlier. Woke up at 3:30a and watched a bit on my phone, until I fell back asleep. Saw the rain, heard Rog had abandoned, but missed the Queeny discussion.

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09:47:48 am



**Mikey** Same for me Tim

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09:47:49 am



**Tim in KY** EF has dropped off the front of the GC group.

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09:49:20 am



**Katie S** Where is Crapass on the GC?

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09:52:23 am



**Mikey** Lots of folks you just didn't expect to be there

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09:52:25 am



**Mikey** Storer having a break out race

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09:52:39 am



**Tim in KY** Foggy toward the top.

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09:54:34 am



**SFinAus** Crapass is 4th at 2:07

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09:54:36 am



**SFinAus** My VG last best hope now that Ayuso is going, going gone

05-27-2025  
09:54:38 am



**Tim in KY** Bernal dropped.

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09:55:41 am



**Tim in KY** Storer not having much luck.

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09:56:09 am



**RCG** This is GC as of yesterday, Katie:

















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Rnk Prev ▼▲			Rider	UCI	Time
1	1	-	 DEL TORO Isaac UAE Team Emirates - XRG	20	55:54:05
2	2	-	 YATES Simon Team Visma   Lease a Bike		1:20
3	3	-	 AYUSO Juan UAE Team Emirates - XRG		1:26
4	4	-	 CARAPAZ Richard EF Education - EasyPost		2:07
5	6	▲1	 GEE Derek Israel - Premier Tech		2:54
6	7	▲1	 CARUSO Damiano Bahrain - Victorious		2:55
7	8	▲1	 TIBERI Antonio Bahrain - Victorious		3:02
8	9	▲1	 BERNAL Egan INEOS Grenadiers		3:38
9	10	▲1	 ARENSMAN Thymen INEOS Grenadiers		3:45
10	5	▼5	 ROGLIČ Primož Red Bull - BORA - hansgrohe		3:53
11	12	▲1	 MCNULTY Brandon UAE Team Emirates - XRG		4:24
12	13	▲1	 STORER Michael Tudor Pro Cycling Team		4:25
13	14	▲1	 RUBIO Einer Movistar Team		4:26
14	15	▲1	 YATES Adam UAE Team Emirates - XRG		4:47
15	17	▲2	 PIGANZOLI Davide Team Polti VisitMalta		5:11
16	11	▼5	 PIDCOCK Thomas		5:28



**SFinAus** I heard on a pod yesterday that Bernal stated he is riding pain free for the first time in his \_career\_. Hopefully the crash today doesn't change that longer term.

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09:56:55 am



**Katie S** It is hilarious to hear all the kvetching about light rain at the tennis. The ball is getting heavy. Djokovic is being "careful " with his shots. I realize that a hyper extended knee on damp clay could be a match-ending injury... but... our boyos on bikes endure so much more.

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09:57:26 am



**Mikey** Not many crashes in tennis

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09:58:14 am



**Katie S** I would love to see Bernal come back, and I wonder if Crarapaz with his experience might be able to pull out something special

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09:58:28 am



**Tim in KY** Bernal is not that far behind the pink jersey bunch.

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10:03:23 am



**Alaska Dave** The gap is coming down slowly. Bernal makes it back.

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10:05:11 am



**SFinAus** <https://rumbletalk-images-upload.s3.amazonaws.com/61922326bc2ef459e5ed5de71ef53a57/1748355237-e0edae4b0d3db279fdf573973c920178--fitness-humor-football-players.jpg>

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10:08:58 am



**SFinAus** I dug up this oldie but goodie that LUG himself posted back in the day.

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10:09:26 am



**PasadenaK8** So true, so true...

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10:10:32 am



**Katie S** I remember that! Was just thinking a video of tennis stars and fans in the rain juxtaposed with cyclists and cycling fans would be hilarious. I wish I had the skills...

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10:11:46 am



**bikerabe** total dominarion for Fortunato uno ku

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**Tim in KY** The lead group crested right on the imagined time.

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10:13:48 am



**Mikey** Well I hung around about as long as Abyss, but now have to leave

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10:19:44 am

**PRETENDS HE IS INJURED**



**PRETENDS HE IS OK**





**Mikey** Ba for today

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10:19:46 am



**Mikey** Ayuso stupid spellcheck

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10:19:48 am



**Mikey** Maybe abyss is better anyway

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10:19:52 am



**Katie S** Oh, i like that, Mikey ...

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10:20:17 am



**Alaska Dave** Ayuso is in the abyss of shattered hope.

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10:20:34 am



**Mikey** Bla

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10:20:35 am



**PasadenaK8** Seems appropriate. Bye, Mikey 🙋

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10:20:44 am



**PasadenaK8** Even PCS has lost track of Abyss. Only a "+7:30???" noted, for time behind the pink group

05-27-2025  
10:23:24 am



**Alaska Dave** I rode most of last summer with a “partially torn” tendon. When surgery happened, the tendon was only a sheath. The visiting doctor wondered how I walked into surgery. My doctor just shook her head. Recovery is going well.

05-27-2025  
10:25:19 am



**SFinAus** Abyss/black hole... time doesn't have meaning.

05-27-2025  
10:25:21 am



**Tim in KY** Fortunato has a 220 point lead in the KOM standings.

05-27-2025  
10:26:11 am



**Alaska Dave** Two jerseys have been all but decided: Fortunato and Mads

05-27-2025  
10:26:45 am


















**Tim in KY** On the last climb.

05-27-2025  
10:29:52 am



**Tim in KY** The Tudor guy started the last climb 2 minutes faster than the imagined time. That's remarkable given how wet the first half was.

05-27-2025  
10:31:37 am

	<b>Katie S</b> who is that guy? (I managed to get the race on my laptop)	05-27-2025 10:32:17 am
	<b>bikerabe</b> another new winner?	05-27-2025 10:32:57 am
	<b>Katie S</b> Voisard. Never heard of 'im	05-27-2025 10:33:13 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> Yannis Voisard. Swiss	05-27-2025 10:33:19 am
	<b>SFinAus</b> He was selected by exactly 0.2% in VG	05-27-2025 10:34:33 am
	<b>Alaska Dave</b> With the proper accent Voisard rhymes with What's up	05-27-2025 10:35:13 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> GC group really swelled on that descent. But not Ayuso.	05-27-2025 10:37:11 am
	<b>PasadenaK8</b> That's because he's on your VG team, Tim.	05-27-2025 10:38:43 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> I know.	05-27-2025 10:39:36 am
	<b>Alaska Dave</b> WVA pushing the pace	05-27-2025 10:39:42 am
	<b>Toulouse</b> Dave, congrats on your re-retirement. Although I have friends who are probably on their 10th re-re-retirement.	05-27-2025 10:41:14 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> WvA gurning.	05-27-2025 10:42:38 am
	<b>Alaska Dave</b> Gap dropped to 3:30.	05-27-2025 10:46:03 am
	<b>bikerabe</b> Scaroni goes another Asrana	05-27-2025 10:46:50 am
	<b>bikerabe</b> Astana	05-27-2025 10:47:06 am

**bikerabe** dix km05-27-2025  
10:47:22 am

**Mike from MA** Good morning. VG team can be so disappointing. I went young choosing Ayuso over Roglic, but I should have gone even younger with Del Toro. Inexplicably I also chose Landa. Choosing Ciccone was just bad fortune.

05-27-2025  
10:47:44 am**SFinAus** The climb is taking a toll on my feed. I fell 5 km behind. ?05-27-2025  
10:48:14 am**PasadenaK8** For me, front of the race is currently at 9k05-27-2025  
10:48:58 am**RCG** Scaroni wins the Red Bull km05-27-2025  
10:49:10 am**RCG** He had a great spring but I haven't seen him do much for awhile05-27-2025  
10:49:43 am**Alaska Dave** Is spring over in most parts of the northern hemisphere?05-27-2025  
10:51:57 am**RCG** Two Astan-Italians out front05-27-2025  
10:52:07 am

**Mike from MA** We had a week of rain and sub 60 degrees last week in MA.

05-27-2025  
10:52:33 am**RCG** Early-season Classics, Dave05-27-2025  
10:52:41 am**bikerabe** Simon Y goes05-27-2025  
10:54:48 am**bikerabe** Sept km05-27-2025  
10:55:44 am

**RCG** We're averaging low to mid 80s already for the highs most days. Except when tornado weather briefly drops it into the 70s for a day. And rain, oh my goodness, SO MUCH rain.

05-27-2025  
10:56:20 am**Tim in KY** Crapass attacks.05-27-2025  
10:58:36 am





**RCG** At the current pace, S Yates moves into 2nd, Carapaz to 3rd and Ayuso In the Abyss drops to 11th

05-27-2025  
10:58:38 am



**Katie S** I bet Crapass attcks

05-27-2025  
10:58:45 am



**Katie S** Ha! There he goes!!!

05-27-2025  
10:58:50 am



**bikerabe** 6 km

05-27-2025  
10:59:13 am



**Tim in KY** Del Toro struggling right now.

05-27-2025  
11:00:50 am



**RCG** Carapaz would needs about 50 seconds' gain on S Yates to move into 2nd on GC

05-27-2025  
11:00:59 am



**Katie S** And the veteran GCers begin to eat their young...

05-27-2025  
11:02:38 am



**Tim in KY** Still 5 km for the Astanas.

05-27-2025  
11:03:18 am



**bikerabe** Carapaz has fellow ci9rizen in Pope Leo XIV dual citizen

05-27-2025  
11:03:24 am



**RCG** Fortunato and Scaroni still out front

05-27-2025  
11:03:25 am



**SFinAus** Meetings.... and on the Queen's day. :(

05-27-2025  
11:03:32 am



**bikerabe** King Charles is in Australia

05-27-2025  
11:04:51 am



**bikerabe** quattro km

05-27-2025  
11:06:13 am



**RCG** Storer joins S Yates and del Toro

05-27-2025  
11:06:31 am



**bikerabe** Del Toro bongs !

05-27-2025  
11:06:41 am



**Katie S** Del Toro will have to dig more deeply. Get out that suitcase of courage.

05-27-2025  
11:07:08 am



**RCG** Del Toro cracks.

05-27-2025  
11:07:59 am



**Mike from MA** Del Toro will lose minutes cracking that far out.

05-27-2025  
11:08:17 am



**RCG** He may be losing GC if he can't get a second wind

05-27-2025  
11:09:11 am



**bikerabe** Del Toro back with Bernal

05-27-2025  
11:09:25 am



**RCG** There's a bit of a downhill before the final uphill part

05-27-2025  
11:10:06 am



**bikerabe** Ultimo km

05-27-2025  
11:11:42 am



**RCG** Carapaz now a minute ahead of S Yates, which would move him Into 2nd

05-27-2025  
11:11:46 am



**Katie S** The Toreador Carapaz is planting his spear in Del Toro.

05-27-2025  
11:12:12 am



**Tim in KY** Which Astana gets to win the stage?

05-27-2025  
11:12:38 am



**bikerabe** Viva Italia !

05-27-2025  
11:13:07 am



**Katie S** Good question, Tim.

05-27-2025  
11:13:35 am



**RCG** Yates turning the pedals in anger trying to keep 2nd on GC

05-27-2025  
11:13:42 am


















**bikerabe** so glad weather cleared

05-27-2025  
11:14:19 am



**Katie S** Fortunate looks less tired



05-27-2025  
11:15:05 am

	<b>RCG</b> Fortunato's gonna get it	05-27-2025 11:15:18 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> Right on the imagined time.	05-27-2025 11:15:25 am
	<b>PasadenaK8</b> Nice finish.	05-27-2025 11:16:04 am
	<b>Katie S</b> Nice brotherly finish	05-27-2025 11:16:09 am
	<b>RCG</b> Wow. Scaroni 1st, Fortunato 2nd	05-27-2025 11:16:56 am
	<b>RCG</b> Then Pellizzari and Carapaz.	05-27-2025 11:17:34 am
	<b>PasadenaK8</b> PCS Live Stats bonked.	05-27-2025 11:20:09 am
	<b>RCG</b> PCS crashed	05-27-2025 11:20:23 am
	<b>RCG</b> Gee was 5th	05-27-2025 11:20:31 am
	<b>Tim in KY</b> PCS often gets overloaded at the end of a stage.	05-27-2025 11:21:05 am
	<b>Katie S</b> Officials still clacking the abacus for times	05-27-2025 11:21:26 am
	<b>RCG</b> Those watching, let us know what going on GC wise when it settles out	05-27-2025 11:21:50 am
	<b>Katie S</b> Talking heads think Del Toro, Yates, Carapaz	05-27-2025 11:23:31 am
	<b>Katie S</b> Still no official	05-27-2025 11:23:40 am
	<b>RCG</b> Carapaz will be within seconds of Yates	05-27-2025 11:25:11 am























## Stage 16: PIAZZOLA SUL BRENTA - SAN VALENTINO (Brentonico)

### OVERALL STANDINGS

1.	=		Isaac DEL TORO	UAD	61:31:56
2.	=		Simon YATES	TVL	+0:26
3.	▲ 1		Richard CARAPAZ	EFE	+0:31
4.	▲ 1		Derek GEE	IPT	+1:31
5.	▲ 1		Damiano CARUSO	TBV	+2:40
6.	▲ 2		Egan BERNAL	IGD	+3:23
7.	▲ 5		Michael STORER	TUD	+3:31
8.	▼ 1		Antonio TIBERI	TBV	+4:07
9.	▲ 9		Giulio PELLIZZARI	RBH	+4:36
10.	▲ 4		Adam YATES	UAD	+5:08

## General classification after stage 16 and time won or lost in the classification.

RNK.	+/-	RIDER	TEAM	TIME	TIME WON/ LOST
1	-	 DEL TORO Isaac	UAD	61:31:56	-
2	-	 YATES Simon	TVL	0:26	▲ 0:54
3	▲ 1	 CARAPAZ Richard	EFE	0:31	▲ 1:36
4	▲ 1	 GEE Derek	IPT	1:31	▲ 1:23
5	▲ 1	 CARUSO Damiano	TBV	2:40	▲ 0:15
6	▲ 2	 BERNAL Egan	IGD	3:23	▲ 0:15
7	▲ 5	 STORER Michael	TUD	3:31	▲ 0:54
8	▼ 1	 TIBERI Antonio	TBV	4:07	▼ 1:05
9	▲ 9	 PELLIZZARI Giulio	RBH	4:36	▲ 1:55
10	▲ 4	 YATES Adam	UAD	5:08	▼ 0:21
11	▲ 2	 RUBIO Einer	MOV	5:43	▼ 1:17
12	▲ 3	 PIGANZOLI Davide	PTV	7:19	▼ 2:08
13	▲ 4	 POOLE Max	TPP	7:34	▼ 1:43
14	▼ 3	 MCNULTY Brandon	UAD	7:43	▼ 3:19
15	▼ 6	 ARENSMAN Thymen	IGD	8:13	▼ 4:28
16	-	 PIDCOCK Thomas	Q36	8:35	▼ 3:07
17	▲ 6	 MAJKA Rafał	UAD	16:37	▼ 3:19
18	▲ 3	 KNOX James	SOQ	18:41	▼ 7:11
19	▲ 6	 SVESTAD-BÅRDSENG Embret	ARK	23:09	▼ 4:22
20	▲ 19	 FORTUNATO Lorenzo	XAT	46:05	▲ 2:54



**RCG** Italians 1st, 2nd and 3rd today. First Italian stage win this Giro

05-27-2025  
11:28:28 am



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11:30:13 am



**bikerabe** Del Roro in Pink Simon Y 26 sec back

05-27-2025  
11:30:20 am



**bikerabe** 3 way fight !

05-27-2025  
11:31:03 am



**RCG** Thanks k8

05-27-2025  
11:31:18 am



**Katie S** So tight!

05-27-2025  
11:31:28 am



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11:31:54 am



**bikerabe** statistician Q when was Giro this close after 16th stage?

05-27-2025  
11:32:41 am



**Katie S** That's quite a load on those young shoulders ... I can't imagine he'll make it to Rome in pink, though.

05-27-2025  
11:33:47 am



**Katie S** Tomorrow is also mountains, but not as brutal -- at least on paper

05-27-2025  
11:37:01 am



**PasadenaK8** Mortirolo is on the appetizer menu for tomorrow.

05-27-2025  
11:39:22 am



**PasadenaK8** Domani, y'all...

05-27-2025  
11:39:37 am