



Monaco Grand Prix Monte Carlo, 23rd May 2015

	RAIKKONEN – Chassis 312			VETTEL – Chassis 311		
Q1	P4	1:17.660	New Soft - 7 laps	P2	1:17.502	New Soft - 7 laps
Q2	P4	1:16.440	New Supersoft - 5 laps New Supersoft - 4 laps	P3	1:16.181	New Supersoft - 4 laps New Supersoft - 5 laps
Q3	P6	1:16.427	New Supersoft - 4 laps New Supersoft - 3 laps	P3	1:15.849	New Supersoft - 4 laps New Supersoft - 4 laps
Weather: air 20/22 °C, track 31/37 °C. Cloudy						

Kimi Raikkonen: “I don’t think that the accident of this morning affected my qualifying. My car has been working pretty well so far, apart from the fact that it was hard to get the tires working . You need few good laps to make a time and today in my last run I was too slow behind a Toro Rosso and decided to come in. Today we had the speed but not the chance of doing a clean lap. It was not a very good day and obviously tomorrow we are going to pay a big price. Tomorrow we’ll see what we can do, we’ll try to make a good start and go from there, even if it won’t be easy. Here there is a big chance to remain stuck behind other cars for the whole race and overtaking is really difficult: that’s why the result of today is very disappointing.”

Sebastian Vettel: “I am happy with third place. Today it looked like everybody was struggling to get the tyres to working temperatures – which is funny, because they call them Supersofts – and the Mercedes cars were the ones which probably suffered the least from this problem, so this is why the gap looks bigger. The rain on Thursday didn’t affect us so much, as it was the same for everybody, today’s low temperature probably did not help, but we are not looking for excuses. Tomorrow I will be starting from third on the grid, on the inside line. Everything can happen and I hope to have a good pull-off; it could be possible to jump one of the cars ahead, two is more difficult, but then Lewis, too, should have a good start, otherwise he may be blocking the way. The gap to our contenders is still there, but we have more to win than we have to lose.”

