

course name: Rio Nero
 course length: 3500 m
 vertical drop: 1000 m
 number of gates: 11
 started: 73 -10 at 12h
 finished: 69
 weather: ideal
 snow: soft (causing many falls)

1. Zeno Colo	Abetone/ITA	3.15.2	(5)
2. Christian Pravda	Kitzbuehel/AUT	3.20.2	(12)
3. Othmar Schneider	Arlberg/AUT	3.20.7	(11)
4. Bernhard Perren	Zermatt/SUI	3.20.9	(10)
5. Maurice Sanglard	Chamonix/FRA		(7)
and Jean Pazzi	Alpine-Nice/FRA	3.21.1	(3)
7. Hans Senger	Bad Gastein/AUT	3.21.8	(9)
8. James Couttet	Chamonix/FRA	3.22.9	(4)
9. Gottlieb Perren	Zermatt/SUI	3.23.0	(16)
10. Engelbert Haider	Seefeld/AUT	3.23.5	(23)
11. Georges Schneider	Chaux/SUI	3.25.4	(6)
12. Fred Rubi	Wengen/SUI	3.25.9	(24)
13. Fritz Huber jr.	Kitzbuehel/AUT	3.26.2	(25)
14. Georges Panisset	Megeve/FRA	3.26.8	(2)
15. Carlo Gartner	Vipteno/ITA	3.26.9	(8)
16. Toni Spiess	Arlberg/AUT	3.27.8	(40!
and Roberto Lacedeli	Cortina/ITA	3.27.8	(22)
18. Amadeo Catturani	Monza/ITA	3.28.3	
19. Peppi Erben	Taunus/FRG	3.28.8	
20. Fernand Grosjean	Geneve/SUI		(18)
and Desire Lacroix	Voiron/FRA	3.29.3	
22. Firmin Mathis	Val d'Isere/FRA	3.29.6	
23. Francois Baud	Morzine/FRA		(21)
and Martin Strolz	Arlberg/AUT	3.30.2	(30)

25. Auguste Masson	St.Chamond/FRA	3.30.3	
26. Jean Blanc	Courchevel/FRA	3.30.4	
27. Albino Alvera	Cortina/ITA	3.31.8	(17)
28. Rolando Zanni	Cervino/ITA		(14)
and Alberto Marcelin	Sestriere/ITA	3.32.5	
30. Silvio Alvera	Cortina/ITA		
and Rene Rey	Crans-Montana/SUI	3.33.5	
32. Henri Oreiller	Val d'Isere/FRA	3.33.6	(15)
33. Bruno Burrini	Madonna/ITA	3.33.9	(20)
34. Gabriel Salle	Briancon/FRA	3.34.3	
35. Jean-Claude Galtier	Grenoble/FRA	3.34.8	
36. Adolf Aufdenblatten	Zermatt/SUI	3.35.1	
37. Andre Bonvin	Crans-Montana/SUI	3.35.3	
38. Davide David	Monte Rosa/ITA	3.36.1	
39. Andre Simond	Les Contamines/FRA	3.36.9	
40. Gerard Pasquier	Megeve/FRA	3.36.9	
41. Willy Klein	Taunus/FRG	3.37.3	
42. Pietro Siorpaes	Cortina/ITA	3.37.5	
and Heini Bierling	Murnau/FRG	3.37.5	
44. Charles Bozon	Chamonix/FRA	3.38.8	
45. Guido Gedhina	Cortina/ITA	3.39.2	
46. Italo Catturani	Monza/ITA	3.39.6	
47. Dino Pompanin	Predazzo/ITA	3.40.3	
48. Erik Hansen	Muerren/NOR	3.41.3	
49. Jean Berthet	Les Gets/FRA	3.42.5	
50. Sepp Gartner	Bad Wiesse/FRG	3.44.4	(19)
51. Louis Seigneur	Megeve/FRA	3.46.8	
and Giuseppe Poncet	Sestriere/ITA	3.46.8	
53. Maurice Besson	Megeve/FRA	3.46.9	
54. Giovanni Minuzzo	Cervino/ITA	3.47.1	
55. Tino Ciocca	Fior di Roccia/ITA	3.47.6	
56. Hans Feuz	Muerren/SUI	3.48.8	
57. Roland Blaesi	Lenzerheide/SUI	3.49.6	
58. Helmuth Lantschner	Innsbruck/AUT	3.50.8	(13)
59. Alfred Staeger	Muerren/SUI	3.52.7	
60. Franco de Paoli	Rutor/ITA	3.53.7	
61. David Lawrence	Rutland/USA	3.54.8	
62. Bruno Angelini	Monza/ITA	3.55.6	
63. Mic Besson	Paris/FRA	3.56.4	
64. Per Klippen	Oslo/NOR	3.56.6	

65. Arturo Hammersley	Portillo/CHI	4.00.3
66. Hernand Oelckers	Portillo/CHI	4.08.9
67. Rene Vallet	Mauriennais/FRA	4.12.9
68. Bob Arnott	Melbourne/AUS	4.44.0
69. Elio Palman	Sestriere/ITA	5.26.9

DNF:

Illio Colli	Cortina/ITA
Heini Bierling	/GER
Martin Julen	Zermatt/SUI

British Pathe

offers a silent 4:07 minute report of this event (right after the 3:15 minute report of women's Downhill) both wrongly titled as Downhill Ski race (1952), showing runs of Colo, Pravda, Lantschner, Zanni, Oreiller, Gottlieb Perren, Albino Alvera and others at

www.youtube.com/watch?v=vsDFZIVMv7E

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provides an edited report of the same material (*from the film journal La Settimana INCOM / 00568*) under the title "L' Arlberg-Kandahar a Sestriere" with some 45 seconds of Colo, and Pravda runs (from 0:47 till 1:33 minute), available at youtube.com

www.youtube.com/watch?v=fP2k2yJQ_ZE