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Report on RC Soaring Subcommittee Activities
from April to November 2008

The RC Soaring Subcommittee has fifteen members. A Technical Meeting was held during the F3J World Championship. Other topics connected with RC Soaring classes were discussed by e-mail.

F3J

World Championships at Adapazari (Turkey) were again successful events. This time the problem of small differences between top pilot's scores was substantial due to the possibility of "slope soaring" over tents at the border of the flying field. Two best pilots have had the same results and the tie had to be broken by including the results of qualifying rounds.

At the technical meeting which was held during the F3J World Championships some problems of this class were discussed. The subcommittee members and team managers recommended to modify the judging of flying over the safety area and to allow more helpers on the field.

F3B

Again, at the last moment an organiser for the next F3B World Championship was found. The F3B World Championship 2009 will take place in Czech Republic on a new model flying field near Brno.

F3K

This class of hand launch gliders keeps its popularity and the friends of this class now impatiently wait for the world and continental championship.

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