

2003 F3D Subcommittee Report
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The 2003 contest season produced the most interest ever seen in F3D. The highlight of this was a very well organized World Championship hosted by the Czech Republic. Gratitude is expressed to Contest Director Jiri Havel and his crew for their flawless operation.

The F3D Euro Cup had one hundred ten competitors from eleven countries. Three competitors from the Netherlands, Robbert van den Bosch, Peter van Doesburg, and Ray v.d. Klok placed first, second, and third. It is unfortunate that the scores could not have been posted on the FAI web site. Information was provided. Perhaps the Bureau should emphasize that interest should be directed toward recognizing all aeromodeling activities.

The French contest at Tours was again very successful. The expertise gained through this contest will certainly produce a worthwhile 2005 World Championship. New Zealand has produced a tentative bid to host the World Championship in 2007. It appears they have the necessary skills and venue to do this.

The current subcommittee has been discussing a revision in the scoring system and clarification with several rules. Poor communication has been exhibited by several of the nominated subcommittee members.