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### Croatia win M18 European Championship

The 2010 Men's 18 European Championship in Montenegro (12-22 August in Podgorica and Niksic) came to an end on Sunday evening with the final victory of Croatia.

The Final between Spain and Croatia was decided by a single goal as the Croats won 27:26. Denmark took the bronze medals after winning 28:27 in extra time against Germany.

#### Final Ranking

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| <b>1. Croatia</b> | 9. Russia          |
| <b>2. Spain</b>   | 10. Poland         |
| <b>3. Denmark</b> | 11. Czech Republic |
| 4. Germany        | 12. Iceland        |
| 5. Serbia         | 13. Norway         |
| 6. Switzerland    | 14. Portugal       |
| 7. Sweden         | 15. Montenegro     |
| 8. Slovenia       | 16. Slovakia       |



#### All Star Team

Goalkeeper	Felix Storbeck (no. 1 / GER)
Left Wing	Victor Saez (no. 18 / ESP)
Left Back	Philipp Weber (no. 20 / GER)
Middle Back	Ante Kaleb (no. 7 / CRO)
Line Player	Teo Coric (no. 18 / CRO)
Right Back	Jonas Langerhuus (no. 9 / DEN)
Right Wing	Daniel Pettersson (no. 9 / SWE)

#### Special Awards

Top Scorer:	Kevin Jud (no. 20 / SUI) - 65 goals
Best Defence Player:	Juan Jose Fernandez (no. 15 / ESP)
Most Valuable Player:	Ante Kaleb (no. 7 / CRO)
Fair Play Award:	Spain

#### Qualification for the World Championship

The top nine teams of the 2010 Men's 18 European Championship – in addition to France (taking part at the IOC Youth Games in Singapore) – secured their place at the IV Men's Youth World Championship 2011 in Argentina (IHF Event).

#### More information online

For statistics and photos please visit the official website of the 2010 M18 European Championship (<http://174.132.157.93/~handball/>) and [www.eurohandball.com](http://www.eurohandball.com).