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[Record result: RM's €41m sale in Monaco](#)

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With a sale rate of 93% and a total revenue of €41.3m in Monaco, RM Auctions is celebrating its best-ever European sale. The top seller was the €5.7m Ferrari 275 GTB/C, leading a trio of road-going Ferraris headlining the results. We summarise the rest...

The assortment of fine machinery proved popular, with the one-of-twelve [1966 Ferrari GTB/C](#) and €4.7m [1959 Ferrari 250 GT Pininfarina Cabriolet](#) setting the sale bar ahead of the €1.09m [Monaco GP-winning 1966 Brabham-Repco BT20](#). Even the few lots not reaching their reserve were of top-drawer calibre, such as the 1956 [Maserati 450S](#) - falling just short of its €4m estimate, no doubt due to its [complex history](#).



There were plenty of automotive treats at the lower end of the pricing spectrum, too. Ayrton Senna's 1991 race suit fetched an impressive €56,000 almost exactly two decades after his passing - but the Mirage Group C prototype was sold for not a lot more. One of only two built, the radiant blue aerodynamic wonder of 1982 was scooped for €84,000 by the fortunate bidder, the absence of a reserve price seeing it fall substantially short of its €250,000 - 320,000 estimate.

Nevertheless, the auction was RM's most successful ever held in Europe - at least until the London sale in September, that is. In the meantime, the Canadian auction house's next event is the 'Motor City' sale on 26 July 2014; you can already find all lots in the [Classic Driver Market](#).

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