

NASCAR XFINITY Series Race Number 9

Unofficial Race Results for the 25Th Annual Sparks Energy 300 - Saturday, April 30, 2016

Talladega Superspeedway - Talladega, AL - 2.66 Mile Paved

Total Race Length - 116 Laps - 308.56 Miles



Leader

Fin	Str	Car	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns	Driver Rating	Status	Tms	Laps
1	9	1	Elliott Sadler	OneMain Chevrolet	116	44	4	121.4	Running	1	1
2	18	7	Justin Allgaier	Breyers Chevrolet	116	39		102.9	Running		
3	11	48	Brennan Poole #	DC Solar Chevrolet	116	39	1	100.3	Running	1	5
4	34	51	Jeremy Clements	Kevin Whitaker Chevrolet/BRT Extrusions Chevrolet	116	38	1	83.4	Running	1	7
5	6	62	Brendan Gaughan	South Point Chevrolet	116	37	1	84.5	Running	1	1
6	3	2	Austin Dillon(i)	Rheem Chevrolet	116	0		117.5	Running	3	7
7	2	19	Daniel Suarez	ARRIS Toyota	116	35	1	98.1	Running	1	2
8	1	18	Matt Tifft(i)	NOS Energy Drink Toyota	116	0		119.1	Running	2	21
9	14	88	Chase Elliott(i)	Armour Vienna Sausage Chevrolet	116	0		88.5	Running	2	7
10	17	98	Aric Almirola(i)	Fresh From Florida Ford	116	0		83.0	Running		
11	20	42	Justin Marks	Katerra Chevrolet	116	30		82.1	Running		
12	35	0	Garrett Smithley #	Instalco Chevrolet	116	29		63.2	Running		
13	15	6	Darrell Wallace Jr	Kleen Performance Ford	116	28		76.0	Running		
14	19	14	Benny Gordon	VSI Racing Toyota	116	27		77.7	Running		
15	26	01	Ryan Preece #	GK Services Chevrolet	116	26		64.9	Running		
16	10	44	JJ Yeley	Zachry Toyota	116	25		75.2	Running		
17	29	4	Ross Chastain	Flex Seal Chevrolet	116	24		78.2	Running		
18	12	43	Jeb Burton	J. Streicher Ford	116	23		80.0	Running		
19	16	33	Brandon Jones #	Okuma Chevrolet	116	24	2	93.5	Running	1	36
20	5	3	Ty Dillon	Bass Pro Shops Chevrolet	116	21		83.2	Running		
21	38	39	Ryan Sieg	Spark Energy Chevrolet	116	20		68.9	Running		
22	4	20	Erik Jones #	GameStop Toyota	116	19		91.5	Running		
23	21	24	Brandon McReynolds	Redneck Riviera/JGL Young Guns Toyota	116	18		65.0	Running		
24	13	11	Blake Koch	LeafFilter Gutter Protection Chevrolet	116	18	1	69.2	Running	1	1
25	40	15	Travis Kvapil(i)	Lilly Trucking/CarPortEmpire.com Ford	116	0		46.7	Running		
26	24	05	John Wes Townley(i)	Jive Communications Chevrolet	116	0		58.9	Running		
27	8	22	Joey Logano(i)	Discount Tire Ford	115	0		92.5	Running	4	19
28	25	90	Mario Gosselin	BuckedUp Apparel/David Johnson's Auto Chevrolet	115	13		41.0	Running		
29	28	07	Ray Black Jr #	Scuba Life Chevrolet	115	12		47.7	Running		
30	31	40	Carl Long	Phoenix Air/Schaeffer's Racing Oil Dodge	115	11		38.8	Running		
31	7	16	Ryan Reed	Lilly Diabetes/American Diabetes Association Ford	113	11	1	78.5	Running	1	8
32	32	13	John Jackson	FLWaterFront/Card Merrill/Chris Kyle Fdn Toyota	112	9		37.7	Running		
33	33	85	Bobby Gerhart	Lucas Oil Chevrolet	111	8		31.7	Running		
34	22	28	Dakota Armstrong	WinField Be Greater Toyota	82	7		31.8	Electrical		
35	36	97	Ryan Ellis	VroomBrands Chevrolet	81	6		32.2	Engine		
36	39	78	BJ McLeod #	Triple R Containers LLC Ford	39	5		33.5	Engine		
37	30	25	Chris Cockrum	Advanced Communications Group Chevrolet	30	4		42.9	Accident		
38	37	52	Joey Gase	Spark Energy/Donate Life Alabama Chevrolet	30	3		34.5	Accident		
39	23	89	Morgan Shepherd	Chevrolet	27	3	1	35.3	Rear Gear	1	1
40	27	10	Jeff Green	Toyota	2	1		23.2	Suspension		

Race Comments: Elliott Sadler won the Sparks Energy 300 at Talladega Superspeedway, his 11th career NASCAR XFINITY Series victory. Prior to the start of the race, the following cars dropped to the rear of the field for the reason indicated: No. 88 (missing driver intros), No. 85 (missing drivers meeting).

Failed to Qualify: (3) 93 Josh Reaume, 70 Derricke Cope, 74 Mike Harmon.

Time of Race: 02 Hrs, 19 Mins, 45 Secs.

Average Speed: 132.477 MPH

Margin of Victory: Caution

Caution Flags: 6 for 29 laps: Laps: 22-25 (Competition [62]); 32-36 (#25, 52 Accident Backstretch [98]); 41-47 (Fluid On Track From #78 [15]); 85-89 (#16, 20 Accident Frontstretch [15]); 105-108 (Debris Frontstretch [14]); 111-114 (#43, 20 Accident Frontstretch [05]).

Lead Changes: 20 among 13 drivers: M. Tifft(i) 0; D. Suarez 1-2; M. Tifft(i) 3-21; B. Koch 22; M. Shepherd 23; M. Tifft(i) 24-25; A. Dillon(i) 26-27; R. Reed 28-35; J. Logano(i) 36-39; B. Jones # 40-75; J. Clements 76-82; J. Logano(i) 83-86; A. Dillon(i) 87-89; C. Elliott(i) 90-91; B. Gaughan 92; C. Elliott(i) 93-97; A. Dillon(i) 98-99; J. Logano(i) 100-103; B. Poole # 104-108; J. Logano(i) 109-115; E. Sadler 116;

Top 10 Driver Points: (1) E. Sadler 314;(2) D. Suarez 314;(3) T. Dillon 281;(4) J. Allgaier 280;(5) B. Gaughan 279;(6) B. Jones # 273;(7) E. Jones # 263;(8) B. Poole # 251;(9) D. Wallace Jr 229;(10) R. Reed 221.

Coors Light Pole Award: Matt Tifft, #18 181.168 mph

Mahle Clevite Engine Builder of the Race: Hendrick Engines, #1

Mobil 1 Driver of the Race: Jeremy Clements, #51

Sunoco Rookie of the Race: Brennan Poole, #48

(i) Ineligible for driver points in this series

Next Race: May. 14, 2016 - Dover International Speedway