

NASCAR Sprint Cup Series Race Number 27

Unofficial Race Results for the 11Th Annual Geico 400 - Monday, September 19, 2011

Chicagoland Speedway - Joliet, IL - 1.5 Mile Paved

Total Race Length - 267 Laps - 400.5 Miles - Purse: \$5,906,054



Leader

Fin	Str	Car	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns	Driver Rating	Winnings	Status	Tms	Laps
1	26	14	Tony Stewart	Office Depot / Mobil 1 Chevrolet	267	47	4	114.3	\$332,308	Running	4	35
2	30	29	Kevin Harvick	Budweiser Chevrolet	267	42		98.7	\$252,861	Running		
3	19	88	Dale Earnhardt Jr.	AMP Energy / National Guard Chevrolet	267	41		91.4	\$175,950	Running		
4	5	99	Carl Edwards	Aflac Ford	267	41	1	113.1	\$186,891	Running	2	39
5	6	2	Brad Keselowski	Miller Lite Dodge	267	40	1	96.5	\$146,983	Running	1	4
6	3	22	Kurt Busch	Shell Pennzoil Dodge	267	40	2	124.5	\$161,750	Running	2	64
7	21	33	Clint Bowyer	Cheerios / Hamburger Helper Chevrolet	267	37		90.1	\$150,008	Running		
8	4	39	Ryan Newman	US Army Medicine Chevrolet	267	37	1	107.4	\$142,675	Running	2	18
9	25	5	Mark Martin	GoDaddy.com Chevrolet	267	35		79.7	\$110,600	Running		
10	12	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's / Kobalt Tools Chevrolet	267	35	1	113.7	\$155,811	Running	3	39
11	15	6	David Ragan	UPS Ford	267	33		89.0	\$107,850	Running		
12	24	4	Kasey Kahne	Red Bull Toyota	267	32		69.7	\$120,833	Running		
13	8	83	Brian Vickers	Red Bull Toyota	267	31		78.5	\$122,289	Running		
14	16	42	Juan Pablo Montoya	Target Chevrolet	267	30		68.5	\$132,383	Running		
15	22	31	Jeff Burton	Caterpillar Chevrolet	267	29		74.0	\$102,975	Running		
16	10	20	Joey Logano	The Home Depot Toyota	267	28		71.7	\$100,900	Running		
17	13	78	Regan Smith	Furniture Row Racing Chevrolet	267	27		77.0	\$118,445	Running		
18	20	56	Martin Truex Jr.	NAPA Auto Parts Toyota	267	27	1	85.1	\$99,400	Running	3	14
19	17	9	Marcos Ambrose	DeWalt Ford	267	25		72.0	\$120,691	Running		
20	2	27	Paul Menard	ZECOL / Menards Chevrolet	267	24		88.6	\$98,500	Running		
21	1	17	Matt Kenseth	Crown Royal Ford	266	24	1	114.2	\$133,061	Running	4	46
22	9	18	Kyle Busch	Wrigley Doublemint Toyota	266	23	1	95.0	\$133,141	Running	1	7
23	28	21	Trevor Bayne(i)	Motorcraft / Quick Lane Tire & Auto Center Ford	266	0		53.6	\$88,925	Running		
24	23	24	Jeff Gordon	DuPont Chevrolet	265	20		63.6	\$124,211	Running		
25	42	32	Mike Bliss(i)	Street King Ford	265	0		45.6	\$101,608	Running		
26	7	16	Greg Biffle	3M Filtrete Ford	265	18		93.6	\$100,850	Running		
27	18	43	A J Allmendinger	Best Buy Ford	265	17		56.6	\$122,186	Running		
28	40	71	Andy Lally #	Interstate Moving Services / RB Enterprises Ford	265	16		40.2	\$95,150	Running		
29	41	13	Casey Mears	GEICO Toyota	265	15		41.3	\$83,950	Running		
30	31	51	Landon Cassill(i)	Security Benefits / Thank A Teacher Today Chevrolet	264	0		46.5	\$94,358	Running		
31	27	11	Denny Hamlin	FedEx Ground Toyota	264	13		52.3	\$129,025	Running		
32	29	00	David Reutimann	TUMS Toyota	263	12		53.1	\$108,708	Running		
33	39	36	Dave Blaney	Big Red Chevrolet	263	11		38.7	\$91,097	Running		
34	32	38	J J Yeley	Long John Silver's Ford	263	11	1	39.9	\$80,400	Running	1	1
35	35	46	Scott Speed(i)	Red Line Oil / International Ford	260	0		30.4	\$80,175	Running		
36	38	34	David Gilliland	Taco Bell Ford	259	8		34.6	\$79,975	Running		
37	11	47	Bobby Labonte	Kleenex Cool Touch / Clorox Toyota	236	7		54.6	\$106,095	Running		
38	14	1	Jamie McMurray	McDonald's Chevrolet	163	6		85.9	\$118,139	Engine		
39	37	7	Robby Gordon	SPEED Energy / MAPEI Dodge	77	5		36.5	\$79,325	Vibration		
40	36	87	Joe Nemechek(i)	NEMCO Motorsports Toyota	45	0		32.5	\$79,080	Electrical		
41	34	30	David Stremme	Inception Motorsports Chevrolet	44	3		32.4	\$78,805	Vibration		
42	43	37	Josh Wise(i)	Bradley University Ford	41	0		29.3	\$78,635	Brakes		
43	33	66	Michael McDowell	James Fund Toyota	25	1		28.4	\$78,907	Brakes		

Race Comments: Before an estimated attendance of 42,000 (original estimate 72,000), Tony Stewart won the GEICO 400, his 40th NASCAR Sprint Cup Series victory. Prior to the green flag, the following cars dropped to the rear of the field for the reasons indicated: #7 (engine change), #30 (missed driver introductions).

Failed to Qualify: (4) 55 Travis Kvapil(i), 95 David Starr(i), 35 Stephen Leicht, 60 Mike Skinner(i).

Time of Race: 2 Hrs, 47 Mins, 41 Secs.

Average Speed: 143.306 MPH

Margin of Victory: 0.941 Seconds

Caution Flags: 6 for 25 laps: Laps: 32-35 (Competition caution [34]); 72-75 (Debris [32]); 146-150 (Debris [31]); 165-168 (Fluid on track [24]); 205-208 (#38 accident Turn 3 [9]); 214-217 (Debris [4]).

Lead Changes: 22 among 10 drivers: M. Kenseth 1-32; J. Yeley 33; Kyle Busch 34-40; Kurt Busch 41-103; C. Edwards 104-115; J. Johnson 116; R. Newman 117-118; C. Edwards 119-145; Kurt Busch 146; R. Newman 147-162; J. Johnson 163-164; B. Keselowski 165-168; J. Johnson 169-204; T. Stewart 205; M. Kenseth 206-208; T. Stewart 209-214; M. Truex Jr. 215-217; M. Kenseth 218; M. Truex Jr. 219-227; M. Kenseth 228-237; T. Stewart 238-250; M. Truex Jr. 251-252; T. Stewart 253-267.

Top 12 Driver Points: (1) K. Harvick 2,054;(2) T. Stewart 2,047;(3) C. Edwards 2,044;(4) Kurt Busch 2,043;(5) D. Earnhardt Jr. 2,041;(6) Brad Keselowski 2,040;(7) R. Newman 2,040;(8) J. Johnson 2,038;(9) Kyle Busch 2,035;(10) M. Kenseth 2,030;(11) J. Gordon 2,029;(12) D. Hamlin 2,013.

American Ethanol Green Flag Restart Award: Kurt Busch, #22

Coors Light Pole Award: Matt Kenseth, #17 183.243 mph

DIRECTV Crew Chief of the Race: Carl Edwards, #99 crew chief Bob Osborne

Goodyear Gatorback Fastest Lap: Jimmie Johnson, #48 179.862 mph, Lap 170

Mahle Clevite Engine Builder of the Race: Penske Engines, #22

Mobil 1 Driver of the Race: Tony Stewart, #14

Moog Chassis Parts Problem Solver of the Race: Tony Stewart, #14 cc D Grubb, 0.235 sec **O'Reilly Auto Parts Position Improvement Award:** Kevin Harvick, #29 28 places

Sunoco Rookie of the Race: Andy Lally, #71

(i) Ineligible for driver points in this series

Next Race: Sep. 25, 2011 - New Hampshire Motor Speedway