

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES OFFICIAL RACE REPORT No. 6



67TH ANNUAL STP 500  
MARTINSVILLE SPEEDWAY  
Martinsville, VA - April 3, 2016  
.526-Mile Oval



500 Laps - 263.0 Miles

TIME OF RACE: 3 hours, 17 minutes, 2 seconds

AVERAGE SPEED: 80.088 mph

MARGIN OF VICTORY: 0.663 second(s)

Fin Pos	Str Pos	Car No	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns Pts	Driver Rating	Status	Lead Tms	Laps
1	7	18	Kyle Busch	M&M's 75th Anniversary Toyota	500	45	5	148.2	Running	5	352
2	6	47	AJ Allmendinger	Kroger/Butterfinger/Coffeemate Chevrolet	500	39		106.8	Running		
3	17	42	Kyle Larson	Target Chevrolet	500	38		109.0	Running		
4	29	3	Austin Dillon	Dow Chevrolet	500	37		90.3	Running		
5	11	2	Brad Keselowski	Miller Lite Ford	500	36		113.0	Running		
6	25	19	Carl Edwards	ARRIS Toyota	500	35		80.1	Running		
7	3	14	Brian Vickers	Janssen/Arnie's Army Charitable Foundation Chevrolet	500	34		99.3	Running		
8	4	27	Paul Menard	Libman/Menards Chevrolet	500	34	1	96.6	Running	1	10
9	24	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's Chevrolet	500	32		104.1	Running		
10	5	31	Ryan Newman	Grainger Chevrolet	500	31		87.5	Running		
11	1	22	Joey Logano	Shell Pennzoil Ford	500	31	1	80.7	Running	1	21
12	14	16	Greg Biffle	Roush Performance Ford	500	29		77.5	Running		
13	23	41	Kurt Busch	Haas Automation/Monster Energy Chevrolet	500	28		90.7	Running		
14	21	88	Dale Earnhardt Jr	Nationwide Chevrolet	500	27		83.5	Running		
15	9	20	Matt Kenseth	Dollar General Toyota	500	27	1	112.3	Running	3	45
16	28	10	Danica Patrick	TaxACT Chevrolet	500	25		69.2	Running		
17	19	4	Kevin Harvick	Jimmy John's Chevrolet	500	25	1	111.9	Running	2	72
18	16	78	Martin Truex Jr	Furniture Row Toyota	500	23		78.5	Running		
19	12	21	Ryan Blaney #	Motorcraft/Quick Lane Tire & Auto Center Ford	500	22		67.4	Running		
20	10	24	Chase Elliott #	3M Chevrolet	499	21		69.0	Running		
21	22	23	David Ragan	Dr Pepper Toyota	499	20		58.1	Running		
22	2	5	Kasey Kahne	Great Clips Chevrolet	499	19		67.8	Running		
23	15	1	Jamie McMurray	Bad Boy Off Road/Beechcraft Chevrolet	499	18		63.7	Running		
24	27	95	Michael McDowell	KLove Radio Chevrolet	498	17		54.0	Running		
25	30	15	Clint Bowyer	5-Hour Energy Chevrolet	497	16		44.2	Running		
26	26	44	Brian Scott #	Goody's Ford	496	15		46.7	Running		
27	32	6	Trevor Bayne	AdvoCare Ford	496	14		48.8	Running		
28	33	38	Landon Cassill	MDS Transport Ford	495	13		43.7	Running		
29	35	83	Matt DiBenedetto	Cosmo Motors Toyota	495	12		43.1	Running		
30	31	98	Cole Whitt	Chevrolet	495	11		39.0	Running		
31	18	13	Casey Mears	GEICO Chevrolet	494	10		48.5	Running		
32	13	17	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	Fastenal Ford	494	9		50.0	Running		
33	36	34	Chris Buescher #	CSX/Play it Safe Ford	491	8		33.3	Running		
34	34	7	Regan Smith	APC Chevrolet	491	7		43.2	Running		
35	38	46	Michael Annett	Pilot Flying J Chevrolet	490	6		32.5	Running		
36	37	32	Joey Gase (i)	Donate Life Ford	490	0		28.9	Running		
37	40	55	Reed Sorenson	Chevrolet	490	4		27.0	Running		
38	39	30	Josh Wise	Curtis Key Plumbing Chevrolet	326	3		26.2	Engine		
39	8	11	Denny Hamlin	FedEx Express Toyota	221	2		58.2	Accident		
40	20	43	Aric Almirola	STP Ford	206	1		39.5	Engine		

# Sunoco Rookie of the Year Contender.

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Bonus points: includes winner (3), lap leader (1) & most laps led (1) points

Failed to qualify: n/a

Race Comments: Kyle Busch won the STP 500 at Martinsville Speedway, his 35th career NASCAR Sprint Cup Series victory.

Caution Flags: 8 cautions for 51 laps. [Beneficiary in Brackets] 6-9 (Car #23, 88 Accident Turn 2 [None]); 92-97 (Car #44, 46 Accident Turn 2 [17]); 138-144 (Car #7, 17 Accident Turn 1 [22]); 222-227 (Car #11 Accident Turn 1 [10]); 313-320 (Car #78, 30 Accident Turn 2 [88]); 385-390 (Car #46 Spin Turn 2 [19]); 458-466 (Car #7 Accident Turn 2 [21]); 485-489 (Car #1 Spin Turn 2 [None]).

Lap Leaders: 11 lead changes among 5 drivers. Logano 1-21, Menard 22-31, Ky. Busch 32-100, Harvick 101-105, Ky. Busch 106-131, Kenseth 132-146, Ky. Busch 147-155, Harvick 156-222, Kenseth 223-240, Ky. Busch 241-314, Kenseth 315-326, Ky. Busch 327-500.

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD: Joey Logano (97.043 mph, 19.513 secs.)

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD: Kyle Busch

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE" AWARD: Joey Logano

INGERSOLL RAND POWER MOVE: Ryan Newman (9 positions)

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER OF THE RACE: Toyota Racing Development (TRD)

(#18)

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE: Kyle Busch

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE: Austin Dillon (crew chief Richard Labbe, 0.030 seconds)

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FASTEST LAP AWARD: Kyle Busch (lap 14, 95.338 MPH)

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE RACE: Ryan Blaney

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES TOP 16 (Wins)

1 - Kevin Harvick	220	(1)
2 - Jimmie Johnson	216	(2)
3 - Kyle Busch	215	(1)
4 - Carl Edwards	206	(0)
5 - Joey Logano	196	(0)
6 - Brad Keselowski	178	(1)
7 - Austin Dillon	176	(0)
8 - Kurt Busch	176	(0)
9 - Denny Hamlin	172	(1)
10 - Dale Earnhardt Jr	172	(0)
11 - Martin Truex Jr	150	(0)
12 - AJ Allmendinger	147	(0)
13 - Jamie McMurray	143	(0)
14 - Matt Kenseth	140	(0)
15 - Ryan Blaney	132	(0)
16 - Chase Elliott	131	(0)

MANUFACTURERS' CHAMPIONSHIP

	Pts	Wins
Chevrolet	249	(3)
Toyota	246	(2)
Ford	216	(1)

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	2
Jimmie Johnson	(#48)	1
Kyle Busch	(#18)	1

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE" AWARD

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	2
Kyle Busch	(#18)	2
Joey Logano	(#22)	1

INGERSOLL RAND POWER MOVE

Michael McDowell	(#95)	16
Jamie McMurray	(#1)	9
Ryan Newman	(#31)	9

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER

Hendrick	(#4)	79
TRD	(#18)	76
Hendrick	(#48)	62

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE

Kyle Busch	(#18)	3
Kevin Harvick	(#4)	2
Denny Hamlin	(#11)	1

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE

Rodney Childers	(#4)	1
Chad Knaus	(#48)	1
Adam Stevens	(#18)	1

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FASTEST LAP AWARD

Kyle Busch	(#18)	3
Carl Edwards	(#19)	1
AJ Allmendinger	(#47)	1

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD

Kurt Busch	2
Kyle Busch	1
Joey Logano	1
Austin Dillon	1
Chase Elliott #	1

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

Chase Elliott	70
Ryan Blaney	66
Brian Scott	55
Chris Buescher	52
Jeffrey Earnhardt	23

NEXT EVENT: April 9, 2016 - 20th Annual Duck Commander 500, Texas Motor Speedway, Fort Worth, TX (501 Miles) (334 Laps)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES DRIVER LEADERS

Race #6: 67TH ANNUAL STP "500" Race Date: 04/03/2016

POS	DRIVER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10
1	KEVIN HARVICK	220	6	1	3	5
2	JIMMIE JOHNSON	216	6	2	3	4
3	KYLE BUSCH	215	6	1	5	5
4	CARL EDWARDS	206	6	0	3	5
5	JOEY LOGANO	196	6	0	2	3
6	BRAD KESELOWSKI	178	6	1	2	4
7	AUSTIN DILLON	176	6	0	2	4
8	KURT BUSCH	176	6	0	1	4
9	DENNY HAMLIN	172	6	1	3	3
10	DALE EARNHARDT JR.	172	6	0	2	3
11	MARTIN TRUEX JR.	150	6	0	1	2
12	A J ALLMENDINGER	147	6	0	1	2
13	JAMIE MCMURRAY	143	6	0	0	1
14	MATT KENSETH	140	6	0	0	1
15	RYAN BLANEY	132	6	0	0	2
16	CHASE ELLIOTT	131	6	0	0	3
17	RICKY STENHOUSE JR.	128	6	0	1	2
18	KASEY KAHNE	128	6	0	0	1
19	RYAN NEWMAN	126	6	0	0	1
20	KYLE LARSON	125	6	0	1	2
21	PAUL MENARD	125	6	0	0	1
22	ARIC ALMIROLA	121	6	0	0	0
23	GREG BIFFLE	109	6	0	0	0
24	TREVOR BAYNE	109	6	0	0	0
25	BRIAN SCOTT	100	6	0	0	0
26	DANICA PATRICK	97	6	0	0	0
27	REGAN SMITH	95	6	0	0	1
28	CASEY MEARS	94	6	0	0	0
29	LANDON CASSILL	90	6	0	0	0
30	DAVID RAGAN	87	6	0	0	0
31	BRIAN VICKERS	82	4	0	0	1
32	CLINT BOWYER	82	6	0	0	0
33	MICHAEL MCDOWELL	78	6	0	0	0
34	MATT DIBENEDETTO	70	6	0	0	0
35	MICHAEL ANNETT	63	6	0	0	0
36	CHRIS BUESCHER	57	6	0	0	0
37	COLE WHITT	38	5	0	0	0
38	JOSH WISE	23	5	0	0	0
39	JEFFREY EARNHARDT	18	3	0	0	0
40	MICHAEL WALTRIP	12	1	0	0	0
41	BOBBY LABONTE	11	1	0	0	0
42	REED SORENSON	4	1	0	0	0
43	ROBERT RICHARDSON JR.	3	1	0	0	0
44	TY DILLON(i)	0	3	0	0	0
45	JOEY GASE(i)	0	2	0	0	0
46	DAVID GILLILAND	0	0	0	0	0

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NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES OWNER LEADERS

Race #6: 67TH ANNUAL STP "500" Race Date: 04/03/2016

POS	Car #	OWNER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Attempts
1	4	Stewart-Haas Racing	220	6	1	3	5	6
2	48	Hendrick Motorsports	216	6	2	3	4	6
3	18	Joe Gibbs Racing	215	6	1	5	5	6
4	19	Joe Gibbs Racing	206	6	0	3	5	6
5	22	Team Penske	196	6	0	2	3	6
6	2	Team Penske	178	6	1	2	4	6
7	3	Richard Childress Racing	176	6	0	2	4	6
8	41	Stewart-Haas Racing	176	6	0	1	4	6
9	11	Joe Gibbs Racing	172	6	1	3	3	6
10	88	Hendrick Motorsports	172	6	0	2	3	6
11	78	Furniture Row Racing	150	6	0	1	2	6
12	47	JTG Daugherty Racing	147	6	0	1	2	6
13	1	Chip Ganassi Racing	143	6	0	0	1	6
14	20	Joe Gibbs Racing	140	6	0	0	1	6
15	21	Wood Brothers Racing	132	6	0	0	2	6
16	14	Stewart-Haas Racing	132	6	0	0	1	6
17	24	Hendrick Motorsports	131	6	0	0	3	6
18	17	Roush Fenway Racing	128	6	0	1	2	6
19	5	Hendrick Motorsports	128	6	0	0	1	6
20	31	Richard Childress Racing	126	6	0	0	1	6
21	42	Chip Ganassi Racing	125	6	0	1	2	6
22	27	Richard Childress Racing	125	6	0	0	1	6
23	43	Richard Petty Motorsports	121	6	0	0	0	6
24	16	Roush Fenway Racing	109	6	0	0	0	6
25	6	Roush Fenway Racing	109	6	0	0	0	6
26	44	Richard Petty Motorsports	100	6	0	0	0	6
27	10	Stewart-Haas Racing	97	6	0	0	0	6
28	7	Tommy Baldwin Racing	95	6	0	0	1	6
29	13	Germain Racing	94	6	0	0	0	6
30	38	Front Row Motorsports	90	6	0	0	0	6
31	23	BK Racing	87	6	0	0	0	6
32	15	HScott Motorsports	82	6	0	0	0	6
33	83	BK Racing	81	6	0	0	0	6
34	95	Circle Sport-Leavine Family	68	6	0	0	0	6
35	46	HScott Motorsports	63	6	0	0	0	6
36	34	Front Row Motorsports	57	6	0	0	0	6
37	32	GO FAS Racing	43	6	0	0	0	6
38	98	Premium Motorsports	38	5	0	0	0	6
39	59	Circle Sport - Leavine Family	26	1	0	0	0	1
40	30	The Motorsports Group	23	5	0	0	0	6
41	55	Premium Motorsports	4	1	0	0	0	1
42	26	BK Racing	3	1	0	0	0	1
43	93	BK Racing	1	1	0	0	0	1
44	35	Front Row Motorsports	0	0	0	0	0	1
45	40	Hillman Racing	0	0	0	0	0	1