

NASCAR Sprint Cup Series Race Number 5

Unofficial Race Results for the 17Th Annual Auto Club 400 - Sunday, March 24, 2013

Auto Club Speedway - Fontana, CA - 2 Mile Paved

Total Race Length - 200 Laps - 400 Miles - Purse: \$5,899,231



Leader

Fin	Str	Car	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns	Driver Rating	Winnings	Status	Tms	Laps
1	4	18	Kyle Busch	Interstate Batteries Toyota	200	48	5	148.0	\$334,233	Running	7	125
2	15	88	Dale Earnhardt Jr.	National Guard Chevrolet	200	42		104.1	\$212,340	Running		
3	6	22	Joey Logano	AAA Southern California Ford	200	42	1	127.0	\$193,673	Running	3	41
4	24	99	Carl Edwards	SUBWAY Ford	200	40		98.2	\$176,615	Running		
5	10	78	Kurt Busch	Furniture Row / Serta Chevrolet	200	39		95.5	\$146,585	Running		
6	2	16	Greg Biffle	3M Window Film Ford	200	38		94.2	\$130,740	Running		
7	5	20	Matt Kenseth	Dollar General Toyota	200	38	1	108.6	\$146,631	Running	1	10
8	27	27	Paul Menard	Menards / CertainTeed Chevrolet	200	36		85.4	\$138,156	Running		
9	16	5	Kasey Kahne	Farmers Insurance Chevrolet	200	35		97.1	\$119,365	Running		
10	20	39	Ryan Newman	WIX Filters Chevrolet	200	34		81.7	\$144,148	Running		
11	19	24	Jeff Gordon	Drive to End Hunger Chevrolet	200	33		75.2	\$145,616	Running		
12	18	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's / Jimmie Johnson Foundation Chevrolet	200	32		81.2	\$146,666	Running		
13	14	29	Kevin Harvick	Jimmy John's Chevrolet	200	32	1	110.4	\$143,816	Running	1	1
14	23	43	Aric Almirola	Farmland Ford	200	30		70.2	\$136,516	Running		
15	11	13	Casey Mears	GEICO Ford	200	29		66.1	\$126,338	Running		
16	26	51	AJ Allmendinger	Phoenix Construction Chevrolet	200	28		75.7	\$122,488	Running		
17	22	31	Jeff Burton	Caterpillar Chevrolet	200	27		65.1	\$105,280	Running		
18	7	56	Martin Truex Jr.	NAPA Auto Parts Toyota	200	26		85.7	\$128,655	Running		
19	17	1	Jamie McMurray	Bass Pro Shops / Tracker Boats Chevrolet	200	25		80.5	\$122,225	Running		
20	31	17	Ricky Stenhouse Jr. #	NOS Ford	200	24		66.1	\$142,816	Running		
21	29	7	Dave Blaney	SANY Chevrolet	200	23		55.1	\$108,738	Running		
22	8	14	Tony Stewart	Rush Truck Centers / MOBIL 1 Chevrolet	200	23	1	95.3	\$137,405	Running	2	18
23	3	2	Brad Keselowski	Miller Lite Ford	200	21		77.5	\$143,421	Running		
24	42	34	David Ragan	Ford	200	21	1	53.2	\$112,313	Running	1	1
25	1	11	Denny Hamlin	FedEx Express Toyota	199	20	1	101.6	\$120,080	Accident	1	3
26	40	10	Danica Patrick #	GoDaddy.com Chevrolet	199	18		44.2	\$88,105	Running		
27	37	36	JJ Yeley	Accell Construction Chevrolet	199	17		46.3	\$90,705	Running		
28	25	47	Bobby Labonte	Charter Toyota	198	16		50.1	\$107,552	Running		
29	34	38	David Gilliland	Long John Silver's Ford	198	15		46.4	\$89,705	Running		
30	36	33	Landon Cassill	Little Joe's Autos / Precon Marine Chevrolet	194	14		36.5	\$90,955	Running		
31	32	30	David Stremme	Swan Energy / Lean1 Toyota	193	13		34.7	\$88,755	Running		
32	43	87	Joe Nemechek(i)	MaddiesPlaceRocks.com Toyota	193	0		29.8	\$86,055	Running		
33	28	83	David Reutimann	Burger King / Dr Pepper Toyota	192	11		51.4	\$85,830	Oil Leak		
34	33	93	Travis Kvapil	Burger King / Dr Pepper Toyota	188	11	1	42.0	\$93,630	Running	1	1
35	13	15	Clint Bowyer	5-hour Energy Toyota	184	9		88.1	\$128,038	Engine		
36	21	9	Marcos Ambrose	MAC Tools Ford	182	8		55.5	\$112,479	Running		
37	9	55	Mark Martin	Aaron's Dream Machine Toyota	179	7		62.4	\$93,034	Running		
38	12	42	Juan Pablo Montoya	Target Chevrolet	169	6		59.0	\$106,524	Running		
39	39	32	Timmy Hill #	OXY Water Ford	108	5		28.9	\$75,310	Rear Gear		
40	30	35	Josh Wise(i)	MDS Transport Ford	103	0		40.1	\$71,310	Overheating		
41	38	44	Scott Riggs	No Label Ford	66	3		27.1	\$67,310	Vibration		
42	35	98	Michael McDowell	Phil Parsons Racing Ford	60	2		33.0	\$63,310	Vibration		
43	41	19	Mike Bliss(i)	G-Oil / Plinker Tactical / Doubletree Toyota	44	0		27.4	\$59,810	Fuel Pump		

Race Comments: Kyle Busch won the Auto Club 400, his 25th NASCAR Sprint Cup Series victory. Prior to the green flag, the following car dropped to the rear for the reason indicated: #2,16 (engine changes).

Failed to Qualify: N/A

Time of Race: 2 Hrs, 57 Mins, 19 Secs.

Average Speed: 135.351 MPH

Margin of Victory: Caution

Caution Flags: 9 for 35 laps: Laps: 30-33 (#30 spin Turn 2 [35]); 38-42 (Fluid on track [36]); 92-95 (Debris [83]); 118-121 (#87 accident Turn 2 [20]); 132-136 (Debris [78]); 171-174 (Debris [83]); 177-180 (#38,55 accident backstretch [None]); 186-189 (#15 spin Turn 3 [7]); 200-200 (#11,22 accident Turn 4 [None]).

Lead Changes: 17 among 8 drivers: D. Hamlin 0; M. Kenseth 1-10; Kyle Busch 11-30; T. Kvapil 31; Kyle Busch 32-43; J. Logano 44-67; Kyle Busch 68; K. Harvick 69; T. Stewart 70-75; Kyle Busch 76-92; D. Hamlin 93-95; Kyle Busch 96-121; J. Logano 122-132; D. Ragan 133; T. Stewart 134-145; Kyle Busch 146-193; J. Logano 194-199; Kyle Busch 200;

Top 12 Driver Points: (1) D. Earnhardt Jr. 199;(2) Brad Keselowski 187;(3) J. Johnson 183;(4) C. Edwards 164;(5) G. Biffle 164;(6) Kyle Busch 163;(7) K. Kahne 159;(8) P. Menard 154;(9) J. Logano 146;(10) D. Hamlin 145;(11) M. Kenseth 141;(12) R. Stenhouse Jr. # 139.

3M Lap Leader: Kyle Busch, #18 125 Laps

American Ethanol Green Flag Restart Award: Kyle Busch, #18

Coors Light Pole Award: Denny Hamlin, #11 187.451 mph

Mahle Clevite Engine Builder of the Race: Toyota Racing Development, #18

Mobil 1 Driver of the Race: Kyle Busch, #18

Moog Chassis Parts Problem Solver of the Race: Ryan Newman, #39 Matt Borland, 0.354

Sunoco Rookie of the Race: Ricky Stenhouse Jr, #17

(i) Ineligible for driver points in this series

Next Race: Apr. 7, 2013 - Martinsville Speedway