

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES OFFICIAL RACE REPORT No. 7



17TH ANNUAL NRA 500
TEXAS MOTOR SPEEDWAY
Fort Worth, TX - April 13, 2013
1.5-mile Paved Tri-oval



334 Laps - 501 Miles Purse: \$7,196,789

TIME OF RACE: 3 hours, 27 minutes, 40 seconds

AVERAGE SPEED: 144.751 mph

MARGIN OF VICTORY: 0.508 second(s)

Fin Pos	Str Pos	Car No	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns Pts	Driver Rating	Winnings	Status	Lead Tms	Laps
1	1	18	Kyle Busch	Interstate Batteries Toyota	334	48	5	144.1	\$550,858	Running	8	171
2	5	56	Martin Truex Jr	NAPA Auto Parts Toyota	334	43	1	132.8	346,555	Running	5	142
3	9	99	Carl Edwards	Fastenal Ford	334	41		95.6	268,605	Running		
4	35	16	Greg Biffle	3M Ford	334	40		91.6	214,855	Running		
5	18	22	Joey Logano	Shell Pennzoil Ford	334	40	1	84.9	209,913	Running	1	1
6	7	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's Dover White Chevrolet	334	38		109.0	203,341	Running		
7	3	43	Aric Almirola	Eckrich Ford	334	37		101.4	182,841	Running		
8	15	11	Brian Vickers (i)	FedEx Office / March of Dimes Toyota	334	0		93.9	153,305	Running		
9	16	2	Brad Keselowski	Miller Lite Ford	334	35		79.4	183,746	Running		
10	31	39	Ryan Newman	Quicken Loans Chevrolet	334	35	1	80.9	167,288	Running	1	3
11	14	5	Kasey Kahne	Time Warner Cable Chevrolet	334	33		92.7	144,395	Running		
12	20	20	Matt Kenseth	Dollar General Toyota	334	32		105.6	165,006	Running		
13	29	29	Kevin Harvick	Rheem Chevrolet	334	31		85.4	170,701	Running		
14	23	55	Mark Martin	Aaron's Dream Machine Toyota	334	30		75.0	134,315	Running		
15	26	15	Clint Bowyer	Gander Mountain Toyota	334	29		84.9	164,648	Running		
16	11	1	Jamie McMurray	Bell Helicopter Chevrolet	334	28		88.9	149,455	Running		
17	19	27	Paul Menard	Quaker State / Menards Chevrolet	334	27		72.2	151,751	Running		
18	22	21	Trevor Bayne (i)	Motorcraft / Quick Lane Tire & Auto Center Ford	334	0		68.0	119,810	Running		
19	4	9	Marcos Ambrose	DeWalt Ford	333	25		83.0	145,424	Running		
20	10	42	Juan Pablo Montoya	Target / Kellogg's Chevrolet	333	24		70.6	145,024	Running		
21	13	14	Tony Stewart	Mobil 1 / Bass Pro Shops Chevrolet	333	23		62.9	158,435	Running		
22	32	93	Travis Kvapil	Dr Pepper Toyota	332	22		55.3	139,668	Running		
23	21	31	Jeff Burton	Caterpillar Chevrolet	332	21		65.4	119,910	Running		
24	38	83	David Reutimann	Dr Pepper Toyota	332	20		57.2	126,468	Running		
25	28	7	Dave Blaney	SANY Chevrolet	332	19		57.1	123,418	Running		
26	25	34	David Ragan	Love's Travel Stops Ford	331	19	1	51.8	126,768	Running	1	1
27	33	30	David Stremme	Lean 1 / Swan Energy Toyota	331	17		50.4	115,132	Running		
28	42	10	Danica Patrick #	GoDaddy.com Chevrolet	331	16		42.9	102,585	Running		
29	6	88	Dale Earnhardt Jr	National Guard Chevrolet	330	15		91.0	117,985	Running		
30	40	35	Josh Wise (i)	MDS Transport Ford	330	0		43.0	102,835	Running		
31	24	13	Casey Mears	GEICO Ford	330	13		41.7	104,910	Running		
32	27	38	David Gilliland	EZ Pawn / EZ Money Ford	329	13	1	49.1	95,810	Running	1	1
33	12	51	Austin Dillon (i)	Bruce Lowrie Chevrolet / Realtree Chevrolet	326	0		45.3	102,710	Running		
34	39	33	Landon Cassill	Justin Original Workboots Chevrolet	326	10		37.2	93,610	Running		
35	41	87	Joe Nemechek (i)	ATIgunstocks.com Toyota	324	0		28.9	92,485	Running		
36	43	32	Timmy Hill #	OXY water Ford	322	8		28.8	91,360	Running		
37	2	78	Kurt Busch	Furniture Row Racing / Serta Chevrolet	316	7		88.7	117,603	Running		
38	8	24	Jeff Gordon	Cromax Pro Chevrolet	306	7	1	98.0	130,196	Suspension	2	15
39	36	36	J.J. Yeley	Accell Construction Chevrolet	293	5		34.8	79,260	Rear Axle		
40	17	17	Ricky Stenhouse Jr #	Best Buy Ford	290	4		45.7	123,596	Running		
41	34	19	Mike Bliss (i)	Plinker Tactical / MCM Elegante Toyota	140	0		29.6	71,260	Brakes		
42	30	47	Bobby Labonte	Bush's Beans Toyota	138	2		28.7	75,260	Engine		
43	37	98	Michael McDowell	Phil Parsons Racing Ford	44	1		26.9	63,760	Overheating		

Sunoco Rookie of the Year Contender.

(i) = Ineligible for driver points in this series

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

Failed to qualify: (2) #95 Scott Speed; #44 Scott Riggs

Race Comments: Kyle Busch won the NRA 500, his 26nd NASCAR Sprint Cup Series victory. Prior to the green flag, the following cars dropped to the rear for the reason indicated: #29 (engine change); 22 (late to the grid).

Caution Flags: 7 cautions for 36 laps. [Beneficiary in Brackets] 39-42 (Debris [35]); 44-48 (Car #17, 51 Accident Backstretch [36]); 82-85 (Oil On Track [35]); 151-155 (Debris [22]); 224-228 (Car #83 Accident Backstretch [39]); 282-290 (Car #9, 31 Accident Backstretch [20]); 315-318 (Debris [2]).

Lap Leaders: 18 lead changes among 7 drivers. Ky. Busch 1-39, Ragan 40, Ky. Busch 41-42, Truex Jr 43-75, Ky. Busch 76-82, Gilliland 83, Ky. Busch 84-131, Newman 132-134, Ky. Busch 135-187, J. Gordon 188-200, Truex Jr 201-223, Ky. Busch 224, Truex Jr 225-279, J. Gordon 280-281, Logano 282, Truex Jr 283-288, Ky. Busch 289, Truex Jr 290-314, Ky. Busch 315-334.

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD: Kyle Busch (196.299 mph, 27.509 secs.)

3M LAP LEADER: Kyle Busch (171 Laps)

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD: Kyle Busch

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE" AWARD: Jimmie Johnson

FREESCALE "WIDE OPEN": Joey Logano

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER OF THE RACE: Toyota Racing Development (#18)

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE: Kyle Busch

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE: Joey Logano (crew chief Todd Gordon, 0.365 seconds)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP LEADER BONUS: No winner: rolls over to \$20,000 at next event++

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE RACE: Danica Patrick

++Rollover money awarded at year's end, amount not included in race winnings.

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES TOP 12

	(Wins)
1 - Jimmie Johnson	269 (2)
2 - Brad Keselowski	260 (0)
3 - Kyle Busch	251 (2)
4 - Greg Biffle	239 (0)
5 - Carl Edwards	234 (1)
6 - Dale Earnhardt Jr	234 (0)
7 - Kasey Kahne	232 (1)
8 - Clint Bowyer	208 (0)
9 - Joey Logano	207 (0)
10 - Paul Menard	206 (0)
11 - Matt Kenseth	204 (1)
12 - Kevin Harvick	192 (0)

MANUFACTURERS' CHAMPIONSHIP

	Pts	Wins
Chevrolet	49	(3)
Toyota	49	(3)
Ford	35	(1)

3M LAP LEADER

Kyle Busch	(#18)	2
Jimmie Johnson	(#48)	1
Carl Edwards	(#99)	1

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD

Jimmie Johnson	(#48)	2
Kyle Busch	(#18)	2
Kasey Kahne	(#5)	2

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE" AWARD

Kasey Kahne	(#5)	3
Jimmie Johnson	(#48)	2
Kevin Harvick	(#29)	1

FREESCALE "WIDE OPEN"

Carl Edwards	(#99)	17
Brad Keselowski	(#2)	10
Dale Earnhardt, Jr	(#88)	10

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER

TRD	(#18)	87
Hendrick	(#48)	80
Roush/Yates	(#2)	68

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE

Kyle Busch	(#18)	4
Matt Kenseth	(#20)	1
Ryan Newman	(#39)	1

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE

Paul Wolfe	(#2)	1
Steve Letarte	(#88)	1
Kenny Francis	(#5)	1

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD

Kyle Busch	2
Jimmie Johnson	1
Mark Martin	1
Denny Hamlin	1
Danica Patrick #	1

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

Danica Patrick	76
Ricky Stenhouse Jr	73
Timmy Hill	19

NEXT EVENT: April 21, 2013 - 3rd Annual STP 400, Kansas Speedway, Kansas City, KS (400.5 Miles) (267 Laps)

NOTE: The above figures are based upon team winnings and include racing purse and cash contingency awards by participating manufacturers. (4/15/2013)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES DRIVER LEADERS

Race #7: 17TH ANNUAL NRA "500" Race Date: 4/13/2013 7:30:00 PM

POS	DRIVER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Money Won
1	JIMMIE JOHNSON	269	7	2	3	5	\$2,652,986
2	BRAD KESELOWSKI	260	7	0	4	6	1,767,891
3	KYLE BUSCH	251	7	2	5	5	1,963,603
4	GREG BIFFLE	239	7	0	1	4	1,335,744
5	CARL EDWARDS	234	7	1	4	4	1,557,609
6	DALE EARNHARDT JR.	234	7	0	3	5	1,961,939
7	KASEY KAHNE	232	7	1	3	4	1,312,488
8	CLINT BOWYER	208	7	0	2	3	1,250,139
9	JOEY LOGANO	207	7	0	2	2	1,282,705
10	PAUL MENARD	206	7	0	0	3	1,131,500
11	MATT KENSETH	204	7	1	1	3	1,689,942
12	KEVIN HARVICK	192	7	0	0	1	1,423,629
13	JAMIE MCMURRAY	190	7	0	0	2	1,084,478
14	ARIC ALMIROLA	186	7	0	0	1	1,234,633
15	JEFF GORDON	171	7	0	1	2	1,227,505
16	MARTIN TRUEX JR.	169	7	0	1	2	1,342,719
17	RYAN NEWMAN	169	7	0	1	4	1,351,434
18	MARCOS AMBROSE	169	7	0	0	1	1,114,921
19	MARK MARTIN	166	6	0	1	2	1,393,162
20	RICKY STENHOUSE JR.	162	7	0	0	0	1,185,770
21	CASEY MEARS	159	7	0	0	0	995,384
22	TONY STEWART	158	7	0	0	1	1,220,884
23	JEFF BURTON	152	7	0	0	1	929,393
24	KURT BUSCH	151	7	0	2	2	1,111,358
25	DENNY HAMLIN	145	5	0	1	1	890,184
26	DANICA PATRICK	135	7	0	0	1	874,869
27	JUAN PABLO MONTOYA	125	7	0	0	0	1,085,712
28	DAVE BLANEY	123	7	0	0	0	920,886
29	J J YELEY	114	7	0	0	1	854,618
30	BOBBY LABONTE	107	7	0	0	0	918,452
31	DAVID RAGAN	107	7	0	0	0	928,917
32	DAVID REUTIMANN	100	7	0	0	0	867,858
33	DAVID GILLILAND	93	7	0	0	0	845,992
34	A J ALLMENDINGER	92	3	0	0	0	357,714
35	DAVID STREMMER	88	6	0	0	0	558,685
36	TRAVIS KVAPIL	85	7	0	0	0	899,543
37	LANDON CASSILL	60	6	0	0	0	493,310
38	MICHAEL MCDOWELL	42	6	0	0	1	677,726
39	TERRY LABONTE	37	2	0	0	0	402,098
40	SCOTT SPEED	35	5	0	0	0	568,449
41	KEN SCHRADER	29	3	0	0	0	272,776
42	MICHAEL WALTRIP	23	1	0	0	0	309,564
43	TIMMY HILL	13	2	0	0	0	166,670
44	SCOTT RIGGS	6	3	0	0	0	171,060
45	REGAN SMITH(i)	0	2	0	0	1	516,630
46	BRIAN VICKERS(i)	0	3	0	0	2	356,540
47	TREVOR BAYNE(i)	0	3	0	0	0	526,229
48	AUSTIN DILLON(i)	0	3	0	0	0	545,461
49	JOSH WISE(i)	0	7	0	0	0	783,263
50	JOE NEMECHKI(i)	0	7	0	0	0	758,474
51	MIKE BLISS(i)	0	4	0	0	0	273,733
52	BRIAN KESELOWSKI	0	0	0	0	0	0

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NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES OWNER LEADERS

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POS	Car #	OWNER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Attempts
1	48	JEFF GORDON	269	7	2	3	5	7
2	2	ROGER PENSKY	260	7	0	4	6	7
3	18	JOE GIBBS	251	7	2	5	5	7
4	16	JACK ROUSH	239	7	0	1	4	7
5	99	JACK ROUSH	234	7	1	4	4	7
6	88	RICK HENDRICK	234	7	0	3	5	7
7	5	LINDA HENDRICK	232	7	1	3	4	7
8	11	J D GIBBS	215	7	0	1	3	7
9	15	ROB KAUFFMAN	208	7	0	2	3	7
10	22	WALTER CZARNECKI	207	7	0	2	2	7
11	27	RICHARD CHILDRESS	206	7	0	0	3	7
12	20	JOE GIBBS	204	7	1	1	3	7
13	55	MICHAEL WALTRIP	201	7	0	1	2	7
14	29	RICHARD CHILDRESS	192	7	0	0	1	7
15	1	FELIX SABATES	190	7	0	0	2	7
16	51	JAMES FINCH	186	7	0	0	1	7
17	43	RICHARD PETTY	186	7	0	0	1	7
18	24	RICK HENDRICK	171	7	0	1	2	7
19	56	MICHAEL WALTRIP	169	7	0	1	2	7
20	39	TONY STEWART	169	7	0	1	4	7
21	9	RICHARD PETTY	169	7	0	0	1	7
22	17	JOHN HENRY	162	7	0	0	0	7
23	13	BOB GERMAIN	159	7	0	0	0	7
24	14	MARGARET HAAS	158	7	0	0	1	7
25	31	RICHARD CHILDRESS	152	7	0	0	1	7
26	78	BARNEY VISSER	151	7	0	2	2	7
27	10	GENE HAAS	135	7	0	0	1	7
28	42	CHIP GANASSI	125	7	0	0	0	7
29	7	TOMMY BALDWIN	123	7	0	0	0	7
30	36	ALLAN HEINKE	114	7	0	0	1	7
31	30	BRANDON DAVIS	111	7	0	0	0	7
32	47	TAD GESCHICKTER	107	7	0	0	0	7
33	34	BOB JENKINS	107	7	0	0	0	7
34	83	RON DEVINE	100	7	0	0	0	7
35	38	BRAD JENKINS	93	7	0	0	0	7
36	93	RON DEVINE	85	7	0	0	0	7
37	32	FRANK STODDARD JR.	79	7	0	0	0	7
38	33	JOE FALK	73	7	0	0	0	7
39	35	JERRY FREEZE	67	7	0	0	0	7
40	21	GLEN WOOD	64	3	0	0	0	3
41	87	ANDREA NEMECHEK	64	7	0	0	0	7
42	98	MIKE CURB	42	6	0	0	1	6
43	95	BOB LEAVINE	35	5	0	0	0	6
44	19	RANDY HUMPHREY	7	4	0	0	0	7
45	44	JOHN COHEN	6	3	0	0	0	5
46	152	BOB KESELOWSKI	0	0	0	0	0	1