

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES OFFICIAL RACE REPORT No. 29



46TH ANNUAL AAA 400
DOVER INTERNATIONAL SPEEDWAY
Dover, DE - October 4, 2015
1-Mile Concrete Oval



400 Laps - 400.0 Miles Purse: \$5,255,734

TIME OF RACE: 3 hours, 20 minutes, 13 seconds

AVERAGE SPEED: 119.87 mph

MARGIN OF VICTORY: 2.639 second(s)

Fin Pos	Str Pos	Car No	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns Pts	Driver Rating	Winnings	Status	Lead Tms	Laps
1	15	4	Kevin Harvick	Budweiser/Jimmy John's Chevrolet	400	48	5	149.7	\$263,590	Running	7	355
2	13	18	Kyle Busch	Interstate Batteries Toyota	400	43	1	122.9	206,191	Running	5	19
3	12	88	Dale Earnhardt Jr	Nationwide Plenti Chevrolet	400	41		104.6	157,175	Running		
4	11	1	Jamie McMurray	Nature Made Chevrolet	400	40		99.5	156,691	Running		
5	18	43	Aric Almirola	Nathan's Famous Ford	400	39		91.1	155,336	Running		
6	17	5	Kasey Kahne	HendrickRideAlong.com Chevrolet	400	38		98.5	116,640	Running		
7	1	20	Matt Kenseth	Dollar General Toyota	400	38	1	110.8	145,901	Running	3	26
8	27	17	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	Fastenal Ford	400	36		86.9	102,215	Running		
9	19	42	Kyle Larson	Target Plaid Chevrolet	400	35		99.3	119,673	Running		
10	4	22	Joey Logano	Shell Pennzoil Ford	400	34		106.5	134,273	Running		
11	9	78	Martin Truex Jr	Furniture Row/Visser Precision Chevrolet	400	33		90.2	116,285	Running		
12	10	24	Jeff Gordon	AARP Member Advantages Chevrolet	400	32		93.5	132,571	Running		
13	20	16	Greg Biffle	Ortho Ford	400	31		78.7	117,818	Running		
14	16	15	Clint Bowyer	5-hour Energy Toyota	400	30		89.9	119,493	Running		
15	3	19	Carl Edwards	ARRIS Toyota	400	29		103.7	85,035	Running		
16	8	2	Brad Keselowski	Wurth Ford	400	28		75.9	128,351	Running		
17	7	41	Kurt Busch	Haas Automation Chevrolet	400	27		101.2	97,710	Running		
18	2	11	Denny Hamlin	FedEx Office Toyota	400	26		75.0	97,480	Running		
19	6	31	Ryan Newman	Quicken Loans Chevrolet	399	25		68.3	115,080	Running		
20	26	9	Sam Hornish Jr	SlimFast Ford	398	24		64.8	109,600	Running		
21	24	10	Danica Patrick	GoDaddy Chevrolet	398	23		60.5	90,480	Running		
22	28	55	David Ragan	Aaron's Online Dream Machine Toyota	398	22		62.4	109,394	Running		
23	21	3	Austin Dillon	DOW Chevrolet	398	21		73.0	118,866	Running		
24	22	13	Casey Mears	GEICO Chevrolet	397	20		57.2	107,838	Running		
25	14	27	Paul Menard	Knauf/Menards Chevrolet	397	19		63.5	89,405	Running		
26	25	14	Tony Stewart	Mobil 1/Bass Pro Shops Chevrolet	396	18		60.1	108,369	Running		
27	30	51	Justin Allgaier	Fraternal Order of Eagles Chevrolet	395	17		53.0	105,138	Running		
28	31	35	Cole Whitt	Dockside/Rinnai Tankless Water Heaters Ford	394	16		48.8	94,488	Running		
29	23	47	AJ Allmendinger	Hungry Jack Chevrolet	394	15		59.6	107,338	Running		
30	32	38	David Gilliland	MDS Transportation Ford	394	14		50.0	96,577	Running		
31	29	6	Trevor Bayne	AdvoCare Ford	393	13		45.1	121,930	Running		
32	35	7	Alex Bowman	Tommy Baldwin Racing Chevrolet	393	12		44.7	77,155	Running		
33	40	98	Reed Sorenson	Premium Motorsports Ford	391	11		35.1	77,005	Running		
34	37	83	Matt DiBenedetto #	Cosmo Motors Toyota	391	10		39.0	78,330	Running		
35	42	26	J.J. Yeley (i)	Maxim Fantasy Toyota	390	0		33.8	76,605	Running		
36	41	32	Josh Wise	Schwarze Sweepers/CorvetteParts.net Ford	389	8		32.0	76,437	Running		
37	38	46	Michael Annett	Pilot Flying J Chevrolet	387	7		37.3	76,501	Running		
38	36	33	Alex Kennedy #	Chevrolet	386	6		27.8	71,402	Running		
39	43	62	Timmy Hill (i)	Premium Motorsports Chevrolet	380	0		25.8	67,330	Running		
40	33	40	Landon Cassill (i)	CRC Brakleen Chevrolet	365	0		39.2	63,330	Engine		
41	5	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's Chevrolet	364	3		72.8	107,266	Running		
42	34	34	Brett Moffitt #	CSX Play It Safe Ford	346	2		35.3	55,330	Accident		
43	39	23	Jeb Burton #	Dr Pepper/Estes Toyota	186	1		25.4	51,830	Accident		

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: n/a

Race Comments: Kevin Harvick won the AAA 400, his 31st career NASCAR Sprint Cup Series victory. Prior to the start of the race, the following car dropped to the rear of the field for the reason indicated: No. 78 (unapproved adjustments).

Caution Flags: 8 cautions for 43 laps. [Beneficiary in Brackets] 4-6 (Car #23, 32 Accident Turn 1 [None]); 42-45 (Competition [51]); 113-117 (Debris On Frontstretch [31]); 193-205 (Car #23 Accident Turn 2 [1]); 232-236 (Debris On Frontstretch [16]); 312-316 (Car #47 Spin Turn 4 [15]); 355-358 (Car #34 Accident Turn 2 [2]); 373-376 (Oil On Track From #40 [11]).

Lap Leaders: 14 lead changes among 3 drivers. Kenseth 1-23, Harvick 24-41, Kenseth 42, Harvick 43-112, Ky. Busch 113, Harvick 114-195, Ky. Busch 196, Harvick 197-232, Ky. Busch 233-247, Harvick 248-312, Ky. Busch 313, Harvick 314-354, Ky. Busch 355, Kenseth 356-357, Harvick 358-400.

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD: None - due to inclement weather

3M LAP LEADER: Kevin Harvick (355 Laps)

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD: Kevin Harvick

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE" AWARD: Matt Kenseth

FREESCALE "WIDE OPEN": Jamie McMurray

INGERSOLL RAND POWER MOVE: Aric Almirola (7 positions)

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER OF THE RACE: Hendrick Engines (#4)

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE: Kevin Harvick

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE: Dale Earnhardt Jr (crew chief Greg Ives, 0.132 seconds)

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

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FASTEST LAP AWARD: Matt Kenseth (Lap 9, 160.206 MPH)

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE RACE: Matt DiBenedetto

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

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES TOP 16 (Wins)

1 - Matt Kenseth	3,000	(5)
2 - Joey Logano	3,000	(3)
3 - Denny Hamlin	3,000	(2)
4 - Carl Edwards	3,000	(2)
5 - Martin Truex Jr	3,000	(1)
6 - Kurt Busch	3,000	(2)
7 - Jeff Gordon	3,000	(0)
8 - Brad Keselowski	3,000	(1)
9 - Kyle Busch	3,000	(4)
10 - Ryan Newman	3,000	(0)
11 - Dale Earnhardt Jr	3,000	(2)
12 - Kevin Harvick	3,000	(3)
13 - Jamie McMurray	2,098	(0)
14 - Jimmie Johnson	2,086	(4)
15 - Paul Menard	2,075	(0)
16 - Clint Bowyer	2,048	(0)

MANUFACTURERS' CHAMPIONSHIP

	Pts	Wins
Chevrolet	1,273	(12)
Toyota	1,228	(13)
Ford	1,200	(4)

3M LAP LEADER

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	12
Kyle Busch	(#18)	5
Kurt Busch	(#41)	3

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	6
Joey Logano	(#22)	4
Kyle Busch	(#18)	4

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE" AWARD

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	9
Joey Logano	(#22)	6
Matt Kenseth	(#20)	4

FREESCALE "WIDE OPEN"

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	75
Joey Logano	(#22)	49
Dale Earnhardt Jr	(#88)	43

INGERSOLL RAND POWER MOVE

Kurt Busch	(#41)	42
Jeff Gordon	(#24)	29
Ryan Newman	(#31)	28
Hendrick	(#4)	381
Roush/Yates	(#22)	325
JGE	(#20)	256

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	11
Matt Kenseth	(#20)	5
Kyle Busch	(#18)	5

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE

Greg Ives	(#88)	5
Justin Alexander	(#27)	3
Todd Gordon	(#22)	2

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FASTEST LAP AWARD

Matt Kenseth	(#20)	5
Denny Hamlin	(#11)	5
Carl Edwards	(#19)	5

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD

Joey Logano	5
Matt Kenseth	3
Carl Edwards	3
Kurt Busch	3
Jeff Gordon	3
Denny Hamlin	2
AJ Allmendinger	2
Brad Keselowski	1
Kyle Busch	1
Kasey Kahne	1

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

Brett Moffitt	190
Matt DiBenedetto	181
Jeb Burton	179
Alex Kennedy	106

NEXT EVENT: October 10, 2015 - 56th Annual Bank of America 500, Charlotte Motor Speedway, Concord, NC (501 Miles) (334 Laps)

NOTE: The above figures are based upon team winnings and include racing purse and cash contingency awards by participating manufacturers. (10/5/2015)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES DRIVER LEADERS

Race #29: 46TH ANNUAL AAA "400" Race Date: 10/04/2015

POS	DRIVER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Money Won
1	MATT KENSETH	3000	29	5	12	19	\$5,319,874
2	JOEY LOGANO	3000	29	3	17	23	6,753,072
3	DENNY HAMLIN	3000	29	2	11	15	5,594,892
4	CARL EDWARDS	3000	29	2	5	11	3,793,458
5	MARTIN TRUEX JR.	3000	29	1	7	18	4,458,606
6	KURT BUSCH	3000	26	2	9	15	3,807,641
7	JEFF GORDON	3000	29	0	3	14	4,860,974
8	BRAD KESELOWSKI	3000	29	1	6	19	5,132,219
9	KYLE BUSCH	3000	18	4	7	11	3,559,145
10	RYAN NEWMAN	3000	29	0	5	14	4,393,328
11	DALE EARNHARDT JR.	3000	29	2	13	18	5,109,475
12	KEVIN HARVICK	3000	29	3	19	23	7,516,246
13	JAMIE MCMURRAY	2098	29	0	3	8	4,238,524
14	JIMMIE JOHNSON	2086	29	4	11	18	5,869,890
15	PAUL MENARD	2075	29	0	2	4	3,422,335
16	CLINT BOWYER	2048	29	0	2	11	4,426,347
17	KASEY KAHNE	770	29	0	2	8	3,682,384
18	ARIC ALMIROLA	767	29	0	3	4	4,243,954
19	KYLE LARSON	718	28	0	1	9	3,834,584
20	GREG BIFFLE	706	29	0	3	4	4,322,721
21	AUSTIN DILLON	647	29	0	1	4	4,076,897
22	CASEY MEARS	624	29	0	0	1	3,714,765
23	A J ALLMENDINGER	600	29	0	0	3	3,850,681
24	DANICA PATRICK	597	29	0	0	2	3,265,709
25	TONY STEWART	581	29	0	0	2	3,750,321
26	DAVID RAGAN	576	29	0	1	1	3,766,672
27	SAM HORNISH JR.	570	29	0	0	3	3,689,091
28	RICKY STENHOUSE JR.	561	29	0	1	2	3,158,649
29	TREVOR BAYNE	530	29	0	0	2	4,056,610
30	JUSTIN ALLGAIER	482	29	0	0	1	3,274,463
31	COLE WHITT	446	29	0	0	0	3,077,188
32	DAVID GILLILAND	433	29	0	0	0	3,274,534
33	BRETT MOFFITT	352	25	0	0	1	2,400,748
34	ALEX BOWMAN	352	28	0	0	0	2,596,762
35	MATT DIBENEDETTO	319	26	0	0	0	2,370,014
36	MICHAEL ANNETT	309	29	0	0	0	2,644,190
37	JOSH WISE	234	22	0	0	1	1,882,767
38	JEB BURTON	172	23	0	0	0	1,780,719
39	MICHAEL MCDOWELL	163	12	0	0	0	1,346,485
40	ALEX KENNEDY	99	11	0	0	0	898,467
41	REED SORENSON	59	7	0	0	0	753,933
42	BOBBY LABONTE	39	3	0	0	0	486,278
43	BRIAN VICKERS	32	2	0	0	0	220,743
44	MICHAEL WALTRIP	26	2	0	0	0	464,816
45	RYAN PREECE	12	1	0	0	0	79,615
46	MIKE WALLACE	8	1	0	0	0	313,883
47	EDDIE MACDONALD	7	1	0	0	0	78,542
48	T J BELL JR.	7	1	0	0	0	83,138
49	WILL KIMMEL III	6	1	0	0	0	73,752
50	RON HORNADAY JR.	2	1	0	0	0	95,715
51	RYAN BLANEY(i)	0	11	0	1	1	1,275,133
52	LANDON CASSILL(i)	0	29	0	0	0	2,696,311
53	BRIAN SCOTT(i)	0	8	0	0	0	840,813
54	TY DILLON(i)	0	4	0	0	0	615,664
55	J J YELEY(i)	0	27	0	0	0	2,490,338
56	REGAN SMITH(i)	0	4	0	0	0	697,536
57	CHASE ELLIOTT(i)	0	5	0	0	0	506,667
58	MATT CRAFTON(i)	0	1	0	0	0	382,849
59	JOHNNY SAUTER(i)	0	1	0	0	0	333,128
60	CHRIS BUESCHER(i)	0	6	0	0	0	536,764
61	BORIS SAID(i)	0	2	0	0	0	171,408
62	BRENDAN GAUGHAN(i)	0	8	0	0	0	665,928
63	JUSTIN MARKS(i)	0	1	0	0	0	112,760
64	MIKE BLISS(i)	0	10	0	0	0	840,685
65	TRAVIS KVAPIL(i)	0	3	0	0	0	215,095
66	JOE NEMECHEK(i)	0	1	0	0	0	93,860
67	B J MCLEOD(i)	0	1	0	0	0	79,190
68	JEFFREY EARNHARDT(i)	0	2	0	0	0	141,695
69	TIMMY HILL(i)	0	9	0	0	0	702,224
70	JOEY GASE(i)	0	2	0	0	0	123,942
71	DEREK WHITE(i)	0	1	0	0	0	69,655
72	JEFF GREEN(i)	0	1	0	0	0	82,370
73	ERIK JONES(i)	0	1	0	0	0	110,321
74	TANNER BERRYHILL	0	0	0	0	0	20,105

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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	20	JOE GIBBS	3000	29	5	12	19	29
2	22	WALTER CZARNECKI	3000	29	3	17	23	29
3	11	J D GIBBS	3000	29	2	11	15	29
4	19	J D GIBBS	3000	29	2	5	11	29
5	78	BARNEY VISSER	3000	29	1	7	18	29
6	41	GENE HAAS	3000	29	2	9	15	29
7	24	RICK HENDRICK	3000	29	0	3	14	29
8	2	ROGER PENSKE	3000	29	1	6	19	29
9	18	JOE GIBBS	3000	29	4	8	12	29
10	31	RICHARD CHILDRESS	3000	29	0	5	14	29
11	88	RICK HENDRICK	3000	29	2	13	18	29
12	4	TONY STEWART	3000	29	3	19	23	29
13	1	FELIX SABATES	2098	29	0	3	8	29
14	48	JEFF GORDON	2086	29	4	11	18	29
15	27	RICHARD CHILDRESS	2075	29	0	2	4	29
16	15	ROB KAUFFMAN	2048	29	0	2	11	29
17	5	LINDA HENDRICK	770	29	0	2	8	29
18	43	RICHARD PETTY	767	29	0	3	4	29
19	42	CHIP GANASSI	746	29	0	1	9	29
20	16	JACK ROUSH	706	29	0	3	4	29
21	3	RICHARD CHILDRESS	647	29	0	1	4	29
22	13	BOB GERMAIN	624	29	0	0	1	29
23	47	TAD GESCHICKTER	600	29	0	0	3	29
24	10	TONY STEWART	597	29	0	0	2	29
25	14	MARGARET HAAS	581	29	0	0	2	29
26	9	RICHARD PETTY	570	29	0	0	3	29
27	17	JOHN HENRY	561	29	0	1	2	29
28	55	MICHAEL WALTRIP	542	29	0	0	1	29
29	6	JOHN HENRY	530	29	0	0	2	29
30	51	HARRY SCOTT JR.	482	29	0	0	1	29
31	35	BOB JENKINS	446	29	0	0	0	29
32	38	BRAD JENKINS	433	29	0	0	0	29
33	40	MICHAEL HILLMAN	389	29	0	0	0	29
34	34	JERRY FREEZE	387	29	0	0	0	29
35	7	TOMMY BALDWIN	352	28	0	0	0	29
36	83	RON DEVINE	344	27	0	0	0	29
37	33	JOE FALK	341	29	0	0	0	29
38	46	HARRY SCOTT JR.	294	28	0	0	0	29
39	23	RON DEVINE	258	29	0	0	0	29
40	98	MIKE CURB	239	28	0	0	1	29
41	32	ARCHIE ST HILAIRE	232	25	0	0	0	29
42	21	GLEN WOOD	203	11	0	1	1	14
43	26	ANTHONY MARLOWE	181	22	0	0	0	29
44	95	BOB LEAVINE	163	12	0	0	0	16
45	62	JAY ROBINSON	99	13	0	0	0	29
46	25	RICK HENDRICK	89	5	0	0	0	5
47	44	JOHN COHEN	12	1	0	0	0	4
48	66	JAY ROBINSON	8	1	0	0	0	4
49	30	CURTIS KEY SR.	6	2	0	0	0	13
50	139	GORDON SMITH	0	0	0	0	0	2
51	129	ROBBY BENTON	0	0	0	0	0	4
52	139	SANDY HILLMAN	0	0	0	0	0	2