

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES OFFICIAL RACE REPORT No. 36

17TH ANNUAL FORD ECOBOOST 400

HOMESTEAD-MIAMI SPEEDWAY

Homestead, FL - November 22, 2015

1.5-Mile Paved Oval

267 Laps - 400.5 Miles Purse: \$5,378,116

AVERAGE SPEED: 131.755 mph

MARGIN OF VICTORY: 1.552 second(s)

TIME OF RACE: 3 hours, 2 minutes, 23 seconds



Fin Pos	Str Pos	Car No	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns Pts	Driver Rating	Winnings	Status	Lead Tms	Laps
1	3	18	Kyle Busch	M&M's Crispy Toyota	267	43		136.0	\$346,506	Running	6	41
2	13	4	Kevin Harvick	Budweiser/Jimmy John's Chevrolet	267	42		122.1	295,975	Running	1	46
3	8	2	Brad Keselowski	Miller Lite Ford	267	43	2	124.3	232,541	Running	3	86
4	2	22	Joey Logano	Shell Pennzoil Ford	267	41	1	123.1	189,458	Running	3	72
5	23	42	Kyle Larson	Target Plaid Chevrolet	267	40	1	113.0	162,383	Running	1	2
6	5	24	Jeff Gordon	AXALTA Chevrolet	267	38		99.6	153,801	Running	1	9
7	19	20	Matt Kenseth	Dollar General Toyota	267	37		103.4	139,051	Running		
8	15	41	Kurt Busch	Haas Automation Chevrolet	267	36		99.5	111,890	Running		
9	12	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's Chevrolet	267	35		88.7	129,101	Running		
10	1	11	Denny Hamlin	FedEx Ground Toyota	267	34		100.6	109,090	Running		
11	7	19	Carl Edwards	ARRIS Toyota	267	34	1	101.1	82,040	Running	2	8
12	11	78	Martin Truex Jr	Furniture Row/Denver Mattress Chevrolet	267	32		90.5	107,860	Running	1	3
13	22	1	Jamie McMurray	McDonald's Chevrolet	267	31		87.7	111,206	Running		
14	10	3	Austin Dillon	DOW Chevrolet	267	30		84.3	117,801	Running		
15	21	16	Greg Biffle	Bleacher Report Ford	267	29		76.8	112,573	Running		
16	4	31	Ryan Newman	Caterpillar Chevrolet	267	28		83.3	112,315	Running		
17	6	21	Ryan Blaney (i)	Motorcraft/Quick Lane Tire & Auto Center Ford	267	0		81.1	76,040	Running		
18	26	6	Trevor Bayne	Advocare Ford	267	26		75.4	120,415	Running		
19	18	5	Kasey Kahne	Great Clips Chevrolet	267	25		60.9	93,615	Running		
20	20	47	AJ Allmendinger	Kroger/Scott Products Chevrolet	266	24		75.9	112,048	Running		
21	17	27	Paul Menard	Richmond/Menards Chevrolet	266	23		67.0	86,940	Running		
22	16	17	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	Fastenal Chevrolet	266	22		66.1	86,590	Running		
23	25	33	Ty Dillon (i)	Nexium 24 Hr Chevrolet	266	0		61.6	94,448	Running		
24	35	10	Danica Patrick	GoDaddy Chevrolet	266	20		64.7	85,990	Running		
25	28	9	Sam Hornish Jr	Cheney Brothers Ford	266	19		41.2	104,010	Running		
26	33	7	Alex Bowman	Nikko RC/Toy State Chevrolet	265	18		54.9	96,498	Running		
27	38	55	David Raqqan	Aaron's Online Dream Machine Toyota	265	17		58.0	104,254	Running		
28	40	35	Cole Whitt	Speed Stick Ford	265	16		35.7	88,398	Running		
29	36	14	Tony Stewart	Bass Pro Shops/Mobil 1 Chevrolet	265	15		48.7	103,654	Running		
30	39	46	Michael Annett	Pilot Flying J Chevrolet	264	14		41.2	77,690	Running		
31	42	34	Brett Moffitt #	FR8 Auctions Ford	264	13		40.0	76,990	Running		
32	41	38	David Gilliland	Florida Lottery Ford	264	12		46.8	90,312	Running		
33	29	95	Michael McDowell	Thrivent Financial Ford	264	11		53.1	72,565	Running		
34	31	26	J.J. Yeley (i)	Maxim Toyota	264	0		39.5	72,365	Running		
35	34	40	Landon Cassill (i)	Snap Fitness Chevrolet	263	0		47.0	72,165	Running		
36	30	51	Justin Allgaier	Brandt Chevrolet	263	8		46.4	79,940	Running		
37	37	83	Matt DiBenedetto #	Cosmo Toyota	263	7		33.7	71,711	Running		
38	43	98	Ryan Preece	East West Marine/Logan's/FireAde Chevrolet	262	6		27.5	66,730	Running		
39	32	32	Josh Wise	Zak Products Ford	247	5		28.8	62,730	Running		
40	9	88	Dale Earnhardt Jr	Nationwide Chevrolet	241	4		54.4	78,130	Running		
41	14	43	Aric Almirola	Smithfield Foods Ford	209	3		53.3	91,666	Running		
42	27	13	Casey Mears	GEICO Chevrolet	104	2		29.0	58,730	Accident		
43	24	15	Clint Bowyer	5-hour Energy Toyota	45	1		32.8	81,388	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: (2) #23 Jeb Burton; #62 Reed Sorenson

Race Comments: Kyle Busch won the Ford EcoBoost 400, his 34th career NASCAR Sprint Cup Series victory. Prior to the start of the race, the following cars dropped to the rear of the field for the reason indicated: No. 38 (transmission change).

Caution Flags: 7 cautions for 30 laps. [Beneficiary in Brackets] 15-18 (Fluid On The Track [None]); 32-35 (Competition [9]); 41-44 (Car #5 Accident Turn 1 [11]); 47-53 (Car #88, 15, 13, 33, 43 Accident Backstretch [11]); 151-154 (Debris Backstretch [3]); 168-171 (Fluid On The Track [6]); 258-260 (Debris Frontstretch [16]).

Lap Leaders: 18 lead changes among 8 drivers. Hamlin-pole, Logano 1-19, Ky. Busch 20-35, J. Gordon 36-44, Harvick 45-90, Larson 91-92, Logano 93-138, Ky. Busch 139, Edwards 140-144, Logano 145-151, Edwards 152-154, Ky. Busch 155-168, Truex Jr 169-171, Keselowski 172-214, Ky. Busch 215-216, Keselowski 217-257, Ky. Busch 258, Keselowski 259-260, Ky. Busch 261-267.

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD: Denny Hamlin (176.655 mph. 30.568 secs.)

3M LAP LEADER: Kevin Harvick (46 Laps)

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD: Kyle Busch

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

FREESCALE "WIDE OPEN": Kevin Harvick

INGERSOLL RAND POWER MOVE: Alex Bowman (5 positions)

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER OF THE RACE: Roush-Yates Engines (#2)

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE: Kyle Busch

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE: Kurt Busch (crew chief Tony Gibson, 0.117 seconds)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP LEADER BONUS: Kyle Busch (\$30,000 ++)

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FASTEST LAP AWARD: Denny Hamlin (LAP 2, 175.798 MPH)

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE RACE: Brett Moffitt

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

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES TOP 16

	(Wins)
1 - Kyle Busch	5,043 (5)
2 - Kevin Harvick	5,042 (3)
3 - Jeff Gordon	5,038 (1)
4 - Martin Truex Jr	5,032 (1)
5 - Carl Edwards	2,368 (2)
6 - Joey Logano	2,360 (6)
7 - Brad Keselowski	2,347 (1)
8 - Kurt Busch	2,333 (2)
9 - Denny Hamlin	2,327 (2)
10 - Jimmie Johnson	2,315 (5)
11 - Ryan Newman	2,314 (0)
12 - Dale Earnhardt Jr	2,310 (3)
13 - Jamie McMurray	2,295 (0)
14 - Paul Menard	2,262 (0)
15 - Matt Kenseth	2,234 (5)
16 - Clint Bowyer	2,175 (0)

MANUFACTURERS' CHAMPIONSHIP

	Pts	Wins
Chevrolet	1,584	(15)
Toyota	1,516	(14)
Ford	1,498	(7)

3M LAP LEADER

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	16
Kyle Busch	(#18)	5
Matt Kenseth	(#20)	4

AMERICAN ETHANOL GREEN FLAG RESTART AWARD

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	6
Joey Logano	(#22)	6
Kyle Busch	(#18)	5

DURALAST BRAKES "BRAKE IN THE RACE"

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	10
Joey Logano	(#22)	8
Kyle Busch	(#18)	4

FREESCALE "WIDE OPEN"

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	94
Joey Logano	(#22)	64
Jimmie Johnson	(#48)	50

INGERSOLL RAND POWER MOVE

Kurt Busch	(#41)	47
Jeff Gordon	(#24)	29
Aric Almirola	(#43)	29

MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER

Hendrick	(#4)	456
Roush/Yates	(#22)	414
Roush/Yates	(#2)	315

MOBIL 1 DRIVER OF THE RACE

Kevin Harvick	(#4)	14
Kyle Busch	(#18)	6
Matt Kenseth	(#20)	5

MOOG STEERING AND SUSPENSION PROBLEM SOLVER OF THE RACE

Greg Ives	(#88)	5
Justin Alexander	(#27)	4
Tony Gibson	(#41)	3

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS FASTEST LAP AWARD

Matt Kenseth	(#20)	7
Kyle Busch	(#18)	6
Carl Edwards	(#19)	6

COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD

Joey Logano	6
Jeff Gordon	4
Matt Kenseth	4
Carl Edwards	3
Brad Keselowski	3
Kurt Busch	3
Denny Hamlin	3
AJ Allmendinger	2
Kyle Busch	1
Jimmie Johnson	1
Kasey Kahne	1

SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE YEAR

Brett Moffitt	348
Matt DiBenedetto	343
Jeb Burton	343
Alex Kennedy	255

NEXT EVENT: February 21, 2016 - 57th Annual Daytona 500 , Daytona International Speedway, Daytona Beach, FL (500 Miles) (200 Laps)

NOTE: The above figures are based upon team winnings and include racing purse and cash contingency awards by participating manufacturers. (11/23/2015)

NASCAR SPRINT CUP SERIES DRIVER LEADERS

Race #36: 17TH ANNUAL FORD ECOBOOST "400" Race Date: 11/22/2015

POS	DRIVER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Money Won
1	KYLE BUSCH	5043	25	5	12	16	\$4,887,217
2	KEVIN HARVICK	5042	36	3	23	28	9,018,421
3	JEFF GORDON	5038	36	1	5	21	6,026,506
4	MARTIN TRUEX JR.	5032	36	1	8	22	5,391,296
5	CARL EDWARDS	2368	36	2	7	15	4,590,413
6	JOEY LOGANO	2360	36	6	22	28	8,405,613
7	BRAD KESELOWSKI	2347	36	1	9	25	6,497,671
8	KURT BUSCH	2333	33	2	10	21	4,675,011
9	DENNY HAMLIN	2327	36	2	14	20	6,537,373
10	JIMMIE JOHNSON	2315	36	5	14	22	7,238,747
11	RYAN NEWMAN	2314	36	0	5	15	5,270,453
12	DALE EARNHARDT JR.	2310	36	3	16	22	6,095,610
13	JAMIE MCMURRAY	2295	36	0	4	10	5,135,891
14	PAUL MENARD	2262	36	0	2	5	4,134,750
15	MATT KENSETH	2234	34	5	12	20	5,973,076
16	CLINT BOWYER	2175	36	0	2	12	5,223,413
17	ARIC ALMIROLA	940	36	0	3	6	5,141,766
18	KASEY KAHNE	939	36	0	3	10	4,428,454
19	KYLE LARSON	872	35	0	2	10	4,690,442
20	GREG BIFFLE	869	36	0	3	4	5,163,312
21	AUSTIN DILLON	832	36	0	1	5	4,969,069
22	A J ALLMENDINGER	758	36	0	0	3	4,676,979
23	CASEY MEARS	754	36	0	0	1	4,448,653
24	DANICA PATRICK	716	36	0	0	2	3,923,179
25	RICKY STENHOUSE JR.	712	36	0	1	3	3,822,079
26	SAM HORNISH JR.	709	36	0	0	3	4,482,286
27	DAVID RAGAN	701	36	0	1	1	4,559,931
28	TONY STEWART	695	36	0	0	3	4,519,999
29	TREVOR BAYNE	655	36	0	0	2	4,947,485
30	JUSTIN ALLGAIER	588	36	0	0	1	3,950,649
31	COLE WHITT	553	36	0	0	0	3,718,652
32	DAVID GILLILAND	533	36	0	0	0	3,962,669
33	ALEX BOWMAN	437	35	0	0	0	3,206,163
34	BRETT MOFFITT	422	31	0	0	1	2,908,423
35	MATT DIBENEDETTO	399	33	0	0	0	2,981,653
36	MICHAEL ANNETT	398	35	0	0	0	3,151,990
37	JOSH WISE	254	24	0	0	1	2,029,497
38	JEB BURTON	216	28	0	0	0	2,176,387
39	MICHAEL MCDOWELL	213	16	0	0	0	1,672,860
40	ALEX KENNEDY	120	13	0	0	0	1,052,077
41	REED SORENSON	74	9	0	0	0	911,256
42	BOBBY LABONTE	60	4	0	0	0	584,686
43	MICHAEL WALTRIP	58	3	0	0	0	555,646
44	RYAN PREECE	35	5	0	0	0	380,501
45	BRIAN VICKERS	32	2	0	0	0	220,743
46	WILL KIMMEL III	11	2	0	0	0	154,217
47	MIKE WALLACE	8	1	0	0	0	313,883
48	EDDIE MACDONALD	7	1	0	0	0	78,542
49	T J BELL JR.	7	1	0	0	0	83,138
50	KYLE FOWLER	3	1	0	0	0	63,680
51	RON HORNADAY JR.	2	1	0	0	0	95,715
52	RYAN BLANEY(i)	0	16	0	1	2	1,673,128
53	BRIAN SCOTT(i)	0	10	0	0	0	1,093,844
54	ERIK JONES(i)	0	3	0	0	0	382,473
55	LANDON CASSILL(i)	0	36	0	0	0	3,258,211
56	TY DILLON(i)	0	5	0	0	0	710,112
57	J J YELEY(i)	0	34	0	0	0	3,036,443
58	REGAN SMITH(i)	0	4	0	0	0	697,536
59	CHASE ELLIOTT(i)	0	5	0	0	0	506,667
60	MATT CRAFTON(i)	0	1	0	0	0	382,849
61	JOHNNY SAUTER(i)	0	1	0	0	0	333,128
62	CHRIS BUESCHER(i)	0	6	0	0	0	536,764
63	BORIS SAID(i)	0	2	0	0	0	171,408
64	BRENDAN GAUGHAN(i)	0	8	0	0	0	665,928
65	JUSTIN MARKS(i)	0	1	0	0	0	112,760
66	MIKE BLISS(i)	0	10	0	0	0	840,685
67	TRAVIS KVAPIL(i)	0	4	0	0	0	295,020
68	JOE NEMECHKI(i)	0	1	0	0	0	93,860
69	B J MCLEOD(i)	0	1	0	0	0	79,190
70	JEFFREY EARNHARDT(i)	0	2	0	0	0	141,695
71	TIMMY HILL(i)	0	12	0	0	0	895,174
72	JOEY GASE(i)	0	3	0	0	0	177,072
73	DEREK WHITE(i)	0	1	0	0	0	69,655
74	JEFF GREEN(i)	0	1	0	0	0	82,370
75	RYAN ELLIS(i)	0	1	0	0	0	61,130
76	TANNER BERRYHILL	0	0	0	0	0	20,105

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1	18	JOE GIBBS	5043	36	5	13	17	36
2	4	TONY STEWART	5042	36	3	23	28	36
3	24	RICK HENDRICK	5038	36	1	5	21	36
4	78	BARNEY VISSER	5032	36	1	8	22	36
5	19	J D GIBBS	2368	36	2	7	15	36
6	22	WALTER CZARNECKI	2360	36	6	22	28	36
7	2	ROGER PENSKE	2347	36	1	9	25	36
8	41	GENE HAAS	2333	36	2	10	21	36
9	11	J D GIBBS	2327	36	2	14	20	36
10	48	JEFF GORDON	2315	36	5	14	22	36
11	31	RICHARD CHILDRESS	2314	36	0	5	15	36
12	88	RICK HENDRICK	2310	36	3	16	22	36
13	1	FELIX SABATES	2295	36	0	4	10	36
14	20	JOE GIBBS	2291	36	5	12	20	36
15	27	RICHARD CHILDRESS	2262	36	0	2	5	36
16	15	ROB KAUFFMAN	2175	36	0	2	12	36
17	43	RICHARD PETTY	940	36	0	3	6	36
18	5	LINDA HENDRICK	939	36	0	3	10	36
19	42	CHIP GANASSI	900	36	0	2	10	36
20	16	JACK ROUSH	869	36	0	3	4	36
21	3	RICHARD CHILDRESS	832	36	0	1	5	36
22	47	TAD GESCHICKTER	758	36	0	0	3	36
23	13	BOB GERMAIN	754	36	0	0	1	36
24	10	TONY STEWART	741	36	0	0	2	36
25	17	JOHN HENRY	712	36	0	1	3	36
26	9	RICHARD PETTY	709	36	0	0	3	36
27	14	MARGARET HAAS	695	36	0	0	3	36
28	55	MICHAEL WALTRIP	667	36	0	0	1	36
29	6	JOHN HENRY	655	36	0	0	2	36
30	51	HARRY SCOTT JR.	588	36	0	0	1	36
31	35	BOB JENKINS	553	36	0	0	0	36
32	38	BRAD JENKINS	533	36	0	0	0	36
33	40	MICHAEL HILLMAN	481	36	0	0	0	36
34	34	JERRY FREEZE	472	36	0	0	0	36
35	33	JOE FALK	458	36	0	0	0	36
36	7	TOMMY BALDWIN	437	35	0	0	0	36
37	83	RON DEVINE	424	34	0	0	0	36
38	46	HARRY SCOTT JR.	383	34	0	0	0	36
39	98	MIKE CURB	309	35	0	0	1	36
40	23	RON DEVINE	302	34	0	0	0	36
41	21	GLEN WOOD	300	16	0	1	2	19
42	32	ARCHIE ST HILAIRE	268	30	0	0	0	36
43	26	ANTHONY MARLOWE	252	29	0	0	0	36
44	95	BOB LEAVINE	213	16	0	0	0	20
45	62	JAY ROBINSON	111	16	0	0	0	36
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	129	ROBBY BENTON	0	0	0	0	0	4
51	139	SANDY HILLMAN	0	0	0	0	0	2