

NASCAR NATIONWIDE SERIES OFFICIAL RACE REPORT No. 13

30TH ANNUAL TOP GEAR 300

CHARLOTTE MOTOR SPEEDWAY

Concord, NC - May 28, 2011

1.5-Mile Paved Tri-Oval

200 Laps - 300 Miles Purse: \$1,013,918



TIME OF RACE: 2 hours, 11 minutes, 44 seconds

AVERAGE SPEED: 136.64 mph

MARGIN OF VICTORY: 0.763 second(s)

Fin Pos	Str Pos	Car No	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns Pts	Driver Rating	Winnings	Status	Lead Tms	Laps
1	3	16	Matt Kenseth (i)	Fastenal Ford	200	0		139.2	\$51,800	Running	4	41
2	5	60	Carl Edwards (i)	Fastenal Ford	200	0		133.0	40,850	Running	4	63
3	4	18	Kyle Busch (i)	Z-Line Designs Toyota	200	0		123.4	28,650	Running	4	44
4	1	6	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	Fastenal Ford	200	41	1	112.7	38,143	Running	1	12
5	6	32	Reed Sorenson	Dollar General Chevrolet	200	39		101.8	29,718	Running		
6	13	22	Brad Keselowski (i)	Discount Tire Dodge	200	0		104.1	19,075	Running		
7	16	66	Steve Wallace	5-hour Energy Toyota	200	37		91.1	23,418	Running		
8	12	11	Brian Scott	Shore Lodge Toyota	200	36		90.0	24,918	Running		
9	8	88	Aric Almirola	Hellmann's Chevrolet	200	35		91.7	21,768	Running		
10	10	2	Elliott Sadler	OneMain Financial Chevrolet	200	34		85.0	22,243	Running		
11	11	20	Joey Logano (i)	GameStop / Kongregate Toyota	199	0		90.3	13,950	Running		
12	7	12	Sam Hornish Jr	Alliance Truck Parts Dodge	199	33	1	93.3	13,450	Running	1	1
13	15	31	Justin Allgaier	WolfPack Rentals Chevrolet	199	32	1	81.5	19,743	Running	1	5
14	18	62	Michael Annett	Pilot Travel Centers / Flying J Toyota	199	31	1	77.3	18,868	Running	1	1
15	14	99	Cole Whitt (i)	Red Bull Toyota	199	0		81.7	19,368	Running		
16	2	33	Kevin Harvick (i)	Rheem Tankless Water Heaters Chevrolet	199	0		107.2	12,400	Running	2	33
17	20	7	Josh Wise	Voodoo Ride Chevrolet	198	27		69.6	18,068	Running		
18	25	19	Mike Bliss	MillerWelds.com Chevrolet	198	26		71.2	19,343	Running		
19	39	39	Danny Efland	C3i Sports Ford	198	25		63.2	18,718	Running		
20	21	09	Kenny Wallace	Family Farmers Toyota	198	24		71.5	18,343	Running		
21	17	38	Jason Leffler	Great Clips Chevrolet	197	23		89.9	17,568	Running		
22	9	30	Kasey Kahne (i)	Rexall / Dollar General Chevrolet	197	0		96.6	11,075	Running		
23	33	15	Timmy Hill #	Nuts Off / Lilly Trucking of VA Ford	197	21		55.8	18,868	Running		
24	41	89	Morgan Shepherd	Victory in Jesus Racing Chevrolet	197	20		48.4	17,403	Running		
25	24	01	Mike Wallace	CoyboysandAliensMovie.com Chevrolet	197	19		55.7	17,993	Running		
26	23	51	Jeremy Clements	Co-ops USA.com Chevrolet	196	18		55.4	17,333	Running		
27	22	87	Kimi Raikkonen (i)	Perky Jerky Toyota	196	0		67.2	17,698	Running		
28	34	14	Eric McClure	Hefty BlakOut / Reynolds Chevrolet	195	16		46.5	17,263	Running		
29	19	97	Joe Nemechek	AM FM Energy - Wood & Pellet Stoves Chevrolet	194	15		59.9	10,750	Engine		
30	32	28	Derricke Cope	MAXelence.com Dodge	193	14		40.7	17,473	Running		
31	40	13	Jennifer Jo Cobb #	DriverBoutique.com Ford	191	13		37.9	10,670	Running		
32	36	70	Dennis Setzer	Sports Pouch Beverage Chevrolet	162	12		42.0	17,093	Power Steering		
33	30	52	Kevin Lepage	TRX Alliance Chevrolet	112	11		35.6	17,043	Engine		
34	27	81	Blake Koch #	Daystar.com / Set Free Dodge	80	10		49.1	17,013	Engine		
35	29	41	Jeffrey Earnhardt (i)	Pepsi Max / Nuts Off / Fast Wax Chevrolet	71	0		52.1	10,520	Rear End		
36	42	23	Robert Richardson	FunnyDanRaceCarMan.com / North Texas Pipe	42	8		35.5	16,968	Accident		
37	31	72	John Jackson	crashclaimsR.US Toyota	41	7		39.7	10,475	Vibration		
38	26	79	Tim Andrews	Mooreville Ford Ford	24	6		41.5	10,455	Ignition		
39	37	75	Carl Long	Lilly Trucking of VA Ford	15	5		35.6	10,435	Overheating		
40	38	74	Mike Harmon	IPT Pellet Grills / Riverwalk Cafe Chevrolet	10	4		33.0	10,330	Wheel Bearing		
41	43	49	David Green	Acredale Vending Chevrolet	6	3		33.3	10,295	Vibration		
42	28	04	Kelly Bires	Go Green Racing Ford	5	2		32.4	10,270	Overheating		
43	35	44	Jeff Green	Tri-Star Motorsports / Pro Motor Chevrolet	4	1		31.9	10,209	Vibration		

# Sunoco Rookie of the Year Contender.

(i) = Ineligible for driver points in this series

Bonus points: includes winner, lap leader & most laps led points

**Failed to qualify:** (2) #46 Chase Miller; #40 Charles Lewandowski

**Race Comments:** Before a crowd estimated at 45,000, Matt Kenseth won the Top Gear 300, his 26th NASCAR Nationwide Series victory. Prior to the green flag, the following cars dropped to the rear: #49 (missing driver's meeting), #23 and #52 (adjustments during impound).

**Caution Flags:** 5 cautions for 25 laps. [Beneficiary in Brackets] 27-30 (Competition [89]); 35-37 (Debris Turn 3 [14]); 74-77 (Oil On The Track [39]); 83-90 (Oil On The Track [01]); 149-154 (Debris Backstretch [2]).

**Lap Leaders:** 17 lead changes among 8 drivers. Stenhouse Jr 1-12, Kenseth 13-16, Edwards 17-27, Harvick 28-59, K. Busch 60-73, Harvick 74, K. Busch 75-102, Kenseth 103-131, Edwards 132-136, K. Busch 137, Hornish Jr 138, Allgaier 139-143, Annett 144, Kenseth 145-149, Edwards 150-154, K. Busch 155, Edwards 156-197, Kenseth 198-200.

**COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD:** Ricky Stenhouse Jr (186.994 mph. 28.878 secs.)

**FEATHERLITE MOST IMPROVED DRIVER:** Brian Scott (19 Places)

**MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER OF THE RACE:** Roush Yates Engines (#60)

**MOBIL 1 OIL DRIVER OF THE RACE:** Reed Sorenson

**SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE RACE:** Timmy Hill

NASCAR NATIONWIDE SERIES TOP 10 (Wins)		MOBIL 1 OIL DRIVER OF THE RACE		COORS LIGHT POLE AWARD	
1 - Elliott Sadler	452 (0)	Reed Sorenson	(#32) 4	Carl Edwards	4
2 - Ricky Stenhouse Jr	451 (1)	Elliott Sadler	(#2) 2	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	2
3 - Reed Sorenson	450 (0)	Justin Allgaier	(#31) 2	Elliott Sadler	1
4 - Justin Allgaier	430 (0)			Clint Bowyer	1
5 - Aric Almirola	401 (0)			Joey Logano	1
6 - Jason Leffler	398 (0)			Kyle Busch	1
7 - Kenny Wallace	379 (0)				
8 - Steve Wallace	352 (0)			<b>SUNOCO ROOKIE OF THE YEAR</b>	
9 - Brian Scott	339 (0)			Timmy Hill	117
10 - Josh Wise	316 (0)			Blake Koch	104
				Ryan Truex	97
				Jennifer Jo Cobb	80
				Charles Lewandowski	52
<b>BILL FRANCE PERFORMANCE AWARD</b>					
	Pts	Wins			
Toyota	87	(6)			
Ford	79	(5)			
Chevrolet	67	(2)			
Dodge	53	(0)			
<b>FEATHERLITE MOST IMPROVED DRIVER</b>					
Brian Scott	(#11)	2			
Joe Nemechek	(#87)	2			
Ricky Stenhouse Jr	(#6)	1			
<b>MAHLE CLEVITE ENGINE BUILDER</b>					
Roush/Yates	(#60)	164			
JGR	(#18)	163			
JGR	(#20)	134			

**NEXT EVENT:** June 4, 2011 - Inaugural STP 300, Chicagoland Speedway, Joliet, IL (300 Miles) (200 Laps)

**NOTE:** The above figures are based upon team winnings and include racing purse and cash contingency awards by participating manufacturers. (5/30/2011)

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## NASCAR NATIONWIDE SERIES DRIVER LEADERS

Race #13: 30TH ANNUAL TOP GEAR "300" Race Date: 5/28/2011

POS	DRIVER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Money Won
1	ELLIOTT SADLER	452	13	0	7	9	\$346,904
2	RICKY STENHOUSE JR.	451	13	1	5	10	427,689
3	REED SORENSON	450	13	0	5	9	377,994
4	JUSTIN ALLGAIER	430	13	0	3	7	375,009
5	ARIC ALMIROLA	401	13	0	0	6	320,084
6	JASON LEFFLER	398	13	0	0	5	326,104
7	KENNY WALLACE	379	13	0	0	4	322,364
8	STEVE WALLACE	352	13	0	1	2	310,559
9	BRIAN SCOTT	339	13	0	0	3	317,264
10	JOSH WISE	316	13	0	0	2	303,619
11	MICHAEL ANNETT	311	13	0	0	0	300,889
12	JOE NEMECHEK	294	12	0	1	1	286,527
13	MIKE BLISS	293	13	0	0	0	301,451
14	JEREMY CLEMENTS	275	13	0	0	0	283,345
15	MIKE WALLACE	274	13	0	0	1	302,784
16	TREVOR BAYNE	260	8	0	1	5	237,099
17	MORGAN SHEPHERD	226	13	0	0	0	269,720
18	RYAN TRUEX	225	9	0	0	1	193,672
19	TIMMY HILL	219	12	0	0	0	244,466
20	ERIC MCCLURE	215	13	0	0	0	286,296
21	SCOTT WIMMER	211	12	0	0	0	255,472
22	DERRIKE COPE	203	12	0	0	0	271,881
23	BLAKE KOCH	185	11	0	0	0	214,854
24	ROBERT RICHARDSON JR.	175	11	0	0	0	235,354
25	SAM HORNISH JR.	138	5	0	0	1	106,290
26	DENNIS SETZER	110	9	0	0	0	154,533
27	DANICA PATRICK	109	4	0	1	1	132,932
28	JENNIFER JO COBB	103	9	0	0	0	116,390
29	DANNY EFLAND	97	4	0	0	0	72,779
30	CARL LONG	91	12	0	0	0	160,538
31	KEVIN LEPAGE	89	9	0	0	0	154,811
32	SHELBY HOWARD	84	5	0	0	0	135,195
33	DONNIE NEUENBERGER	74	4	0	0	0	114,052
34	TIM ANDREWS	67	10	0	0	0	126,830
35	J R FITZPATRICK	66	4	0	0	0	95,736
36	CHARLES LEWANDOSKI	61	6	0	0	0	91,181
37	CHRIS BUESCHER	54	2	0	0	0	38,786
38	LANDON CASSILL	41	1	0	1	1	74,875
39	JEFF GREEN	41	11	0	0	0	170,407
40	DANNY O'QUINN JR.	35	2	0	0	0	39,996
41	DARYL HARR	34	3	0	0	0	37,950
42	DREW HERRING	33	1	0	0	0	23,168
43	KELLY BIRES	33	6	0	0	0	111,817
44	MIKE HARMON	32	7	0	0	0	83,567
45	SCOTT RIGGS	31	1	0	0	0	19,268
46	TIM SCHENDEL	28	4	0	0	0	53,670
47	BOBBY SANTOS III	27	1	0	0	0	43,310
48	BRETT ROWE	24	6	0	0	0	78,408
49	JOHNNY CHAPMAN	21	4	0	0	0	44,816
50	KEVIN CONWAY	20	3	0	0	0	47,559
51	PATRICK SHELTRA	20	1	0	0	0	42,385
52	ANGELA COPE	16	1	0	0	0	13,400
53	ALEX KENNEDY	16	2	0	0	0	32,883
54	MATTHEW CARTER	16	4	0	0	0	47,530
55	MIKEY KILE	15	1	0	0	0	16,933
56	KEVIN SWINDELL	13	1	0	0	0	18,863
57	LUIS MARTINEZ JR.	13	1	0	0	0	19,063
58	BRAD TEAGUE	13	3	0	0	0	40,660
59	WILLIE ALLEN	12	2	0	0	0	33,478
60	TIM GEORGE JR.	8	1	0	0	0	14,630
61	JOHN JACKSON	7	2	0	0	0	20,765
62	CHASE MILLER	4	1	0	0	0	11,630
63	DAVID GREEN	3	2	0	0	0	20,530
64	CHRIS LAWSON	3	1	0	0	0	16,775
65	KYLE BUSCH(i)	0	11	5	8	9	413,445
66	CARL EDWARDS(i)	0	13	3	7	9	490,095
67	DENNY HAMLIN(i)	0	3	1	2	3	82,200
68	MARK MARTIN(i)	0	2	1	1	2	100,820
69	TONY STEWART(i)	0	1	1	1	1	103,695
70	MATT KENSETH(i)	0	1	1	1	1	51,800
71	BRAD KESELOWSKI(i)	0	13	0	6	9	334,150
72	PAUL MENARD(i)	0	2	0	2	2	66,225
73	JOEY LOGANO(i)	0	9	0	4	6	221,510
74	CLINT BOWYER(i)	0	4	0	1	2	132,525
75	KASEY KAHNE(i)	0	5	0	1	2	120,345
76	KEVIN HARVICK(i)	0	6	0	2	3	143,165
77	DALE EARNHARDT JR.(i)	0	3	0	2	3	109,200
78	RYAN NEWMAN(i)	0	1	0	1	1	26,175
79	DAVID REUTIMANN(i)	0	3	0	1	2	48,160
80	AUSTIN DILLON(i)	0	2	0	0	2	46,961
81	MICHAEL MCDOWELL(i)	0	1	0	0	1	27,328
82	JAMES BUESCHER(i)	0	5	0	0	2	108,617
83	DAVID STREMMER(i)	0	2	0	0	1	29,100
84	MICHAEL WALTRIP(i)	0	2	0	0	1	75,081
85	COLE WHITT(i)	0	1	0	0	0	19,368
86	TODD BODINE(i)	0	1	0	0	0	49,653
87	DAVID STARR(i)	0	2	0	0	0	59,760
88	TONY RAINES(i)	0	1	0	0	0	15,595
89	KIMI RAIKKONEN(i)	0	1	0	0	0	17,698
90	AMBER COPE	0	1	0	0	0	12,485
91	J J YELEY(i)	0	3	0	0	0	46,375
92	JAMIE MCMURRAY(i)	0	1	0	0	0	14,975
93	JEFFREY EARNHARDT(i)	0	1	0	0	0	10,520
94	JUSTIN MARKS(i)	0	1	0	0	0	9,715
95	JAMES HYLTON	0	1	0	0	0	10,188

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POS	Car #	OWNER	Points	Starts	Wins	Top 5	Top 10	Attempts
1	20	JOE GIBBS	496	13	1	6	9	13
2	18	JOE GIBBS	481	13	5	8	10	13
3	60	JACK ROUSH	480	13	3	7	9	13
4	32	SANDRA TURNER	471	13	1	6	11	13
5	33	DELANA HARVICK	458	13	0	5	9	13
6	2	DELANA HARVICK	452	13	0	7	9	13
7	6	JACK ROUSH	451	13	1	5	10	13
8	22	ROGER PENSKE	431	13	0	6	9	13
9	31	STEVE TURNER	430	13	0	3	7	13
10	38	STEVE TURNER	407	13	0	1	4	13
11	88	DALE EARNHARDT JR.	401	13	0	0	6	13
12	30	HARRY SCOTT JR.	392	13	0	1	6	13
13	09	ROBBY BENTON	379	13	0	0	4	13
14	7	KELLEY EARNHARDT	378	13	0	1	4	13
15	16	JACK ROUSH	374	12	1	2	6	12
16	66	RUSTY WALLACE	352	13	0	1	2	13
17	11	J D GIBBS	339	13	0	0	3	13
18	99	GARY BECHTEL	335	13	0	0	3	13
19	87	ANDREA NEMECHEK	313	13	0	1	1	13
20	62	RUSTY WALLACE	311	13	0	0	0	13
21	19	MARK SMITH	283	13	0	0	0	13
22	51	JOHNNY DAVIS	275	13	0	0	0	13
23	01	LORI DAVIS	274	13	0	0	1	13
24	15	BOB GERMAIN	245	13	0	0	0	13
25	70	MARY LOUISE MILLER	244	13	0	0	1	13
26	39	JACK ROUSH	239	13	0	0	0	13
27	81	PAT MACDONALD	230	13	0	0	0	13
28	89	MORGAN SHEPHERD	226	13	0	0	0	13
29	14	MARK SMITH	225	13	0	0	0	13
30	28	JAY ROBINSON	222	13	0	0	0	13
31	23	ROBERT RICHARDSON SR.	218	13	0	0	0	13
32	40	CURTIS KEY SR.	185	12	0	0	0	13
33	52	JIMMY MEANS	178	13	0	0	0	13
34	12	ROGER PENSKE	138	5	0	0	1	5
35	141	RICK WARE	136	13	0	0	0	13
36	79	RICK RUSSELL	92	11	0	0	0	12
37	5	RICK HENDRICK	82	2	0	2	2	2
38	44	MARK SMITH	80	13	0	0	0	13
39	05	WAYNE DAY	56	4	0	0	0	4
40	4	DELANA HARVICK	53	2	1	1	1	2
41	1	JAMES FINCH	52	2	0	1	1	2
42	113	JENNIFER JO COBB	50	4	0	0	0	4
43	27	MIKE CURB	45	5	0	0	0	5
44	97	ANDREA NEMECHEK	41	3	0	0	0	3
45	167	STEVE MEEHAN	40	2	0	0	0	2
46	24	ED RENSI	39	5	0	0	0	5
47	174	MIKE HARMON	36	8	0	0	0	8
48	134	STEVE TURNER	31	1	0	0	0	1
49	164	RUSTY WALLACE	30	2	0	1	1	2
50	49	JAY ROBINSON	30	7	0	0	0	7
51	182	RANDY MACDONALD	29	2	0	0	0	2
52	175	RICK WARE	28	6	0	0	0	6
53	168	CRAIG PARTEE	28	8	0	0	0	8
54	55	CINDY SHEPHERD	24	6	0	0	0	8
55	25	GARY WEISBAUM	17	4	0	0	0	4
56	21	RICHARD CHILDRESS	8	1	0	0	0	1
57	172	JAMES CARTER	7	2	0	0	0	2
58	0	GENE VESS	7	3	0	0	0	3
59	103	ROBERT RICHARDSON SR.	4	2	0	0	0	3
60	104	ARCHIE ST HILAIRE	4	2	0	0	0	2
61	193	JARED KEENEY	0	1	0	0	0	1
62	146	CURTIS KEY SR.	0	1	0	0	0	2