

NASCAR Race Number 33

Unofficial Race Results for the Pep Boys Auto 500 - Sunday, October 28, 2007

Atlanta Motor Speedway - Hampton, GA - 1.54 Mile Paved

Total Race Length - 329 Laps - 506.66 Miles - Purse: \$6,156,331



Leader

Fin	Str	Car	Driver	Team	Laps	Pts	Bns	Total Award	Status	Times	Laps
1	6	48	Jimmie Johnson	Lowe's / Kobalt Tools Chevrolet	329	190	5	\$349,561	Running	1	8
2	16	99	Carl Edwards	Office Depot Ford	329	170		\$217,775	Running		
3	32	41	Reed Sorenson	Target Dodge	329	165		\$203,533	Running		
4	17	17	Matt Kenseth	DeWalt NANO Technology Ford	329	160		\$180,416	Running		
5	28	31	Jeff Burton	AT&T Mobility Chevrolet	329	155		\$157,616	Running		
6	26	07	Clint Bowyer	Jack Daniel's Chevrolet	329	150		\$119,925	Running		
7	8	24	Jeff Gordon	DuPont / Nicorette Chevrolet	329	146		\$150,011	Running		
8	2	2	Kurt Busch	Miller Lite Dodge	329	147	5	\$145,833	Running	4	98
9	4	9	Kasey Kahne	Dodge Dealers/UAW Dodge	329	143	5	\$146,291	Running	1	3
10	14	83	Brian Vickers	Red Bull Toyota	329	134		\$100,025	Running		
11	24	55	Michael Waltrip	NAPA Auto Parts Toyota	329	130		\$114,008	Running		
12	15	25	Casey Mears	National Guard/GMAC Chevrolet	329	127		\$113,825	Running		
13	39	45	Kyle Petty	American Spirit Motor Oil Dodge	329	129	5	\$111,133	Running	1	1
14	10	19	Elliott Sadler	Dodge Dealers/UAW Dodge	329	121		\$115,270	Running		
15	34	29	Kevin Harvick	Shell/Pennzoil Chevrolet	329	123	5	\$140,961	Running	1	1
16	31	84	AJ Allmendinger #	Red Bull Toyota	329	120	5	\$91,775	Running	1	1
17	38	88	Ricky Rudd	Snickers Ford	329	112		\$124,508	Running		
18	43	21	Bill Elliott	Little Debbie Ford	329	109		\$112,189	Running		
19	3	44	Dale Jarrett	UPS / Toys-for-Tots Toyota	329	106		\$88,450	Running		
20	19	5	Kyle Busch	CARQUEST/Kellogg's Chevrolet	329	108	5	\$108,000	Running	3	77
21	33	7	Robby Gordon	Jim Beam Ford	328	100		\$90,150	Running		
22	1	16	Greg Biffle	Lumber Liquidators Ford	328	102	5	\$120,975	Running	1	1
23	40	96	Tony Raines	DLP HDTV Chevrolet	328	94		\$97,800	Running		
24	18	11	Denny Hamlin	FedEx Express Chevrolet	328	96	5	\$103,250	Running	1	3
25	5	8	Dale Earnhardt Jr.	Budweiser Chevrolet	327	88		\$128,958	Accident		
26	25	26	Jamie McMurray	Crown Royal Ford	327	85		\$94,950	Accident		
27	36	15	Paul Menard #	Menards / Johns Manville Chevrolet	327	87	5	\$85,750	Running	1	1
28	29	49	John Andretti	Paralyzed Veterans of America Dodge	327	79		\$93,408	Running		
29	27	10	Scott Riggs	Sears Auto Center Dodge	327	76		\$92,875	Running		
30	30	20	Tony Stewart	The Home Depot Chevrolet	323	73		\$130,461	Running		
31	20	1	Martin Truex Jr.	Bass Pro Shops/Tracker Boats	322	80	10	\$121,520	Accident	5	135
32	35	70	Johnny Sauter	Radioactive Energy Drink Chevrolet	321	67		\$84,200	Running		
33	37	6	David Ragan #	AAA Ford	320	64		\$120,700	Running		
34	21	42	Juan Pablo Montoya #	Texaco/Havoline Dodge	283	61		\$118,350	Running		
35	22	18	J.J. Yeley	Interstate Batteries Chevrolet	275	58		\$111,008	Running		
36	23	78	Joe Nemechek	Furniture Row Chevrolet	268	55		\$80,450	Accident		
37	9	12	Ryan Newman	Mobil 1 Dodge	267	52		\$112,375	Engine		
38	42	22	Dave Blaney	Caterpillar Toyota	263	49		\$97,722	Running		
39	7	40	David Stremme	Coors Light / St. Jude Dodge	250	46		\$80,050	Accident		
40	41	66	Jeremy Mayfield	Best Buy Chevrolet	250	43		\$87,925	Running		
41	11	43	Bobby Labonte	Cheerios / Betty Crocker Dodge	238	40		\$116,736	Running		
42	13	38	David Gilliland	M&M's Ford	64	37		\$106,924	Accident		
43	12	01	Mark Martin	U.S. ARMY Chevrolet	64	34		\$87,861	Accident		

Race Comments:

Before an estimated crowd of 100,000 - Jimmie Johnson won the Pep Boys Auto 500, his 31st career NASCAR NEXTEL Cup Series victory. Prior to the green flag the following driver(s) dropped to the rear for the reason(s) indicated: #7 R. Gordon, #17 Kenseth (engine change).

Failed to Qualify:

(5) 00 David Reutimann #, 08 Burney Lamar, 06 Sam Hornish Jr., 4 Ward Burton, 36 Mike Skinner.

Time of Race:

03 Hrs, 44 Mins, 45 Secs.

Average Speed: 135.26 MPH

Margin of Victory: Caution Seconds

Caution Flags:

14 for 55 laps: Laps: 35-38 (Debris); 41-43 (#22 stalled on backstretch); 59-62 (Debris); 66-69 (#01,38 accident backstretch [Red 5:16-Lap 65]); 100-103 (#40 spun frontstretch); 150-153 (#6 accident turn 2); 164-167 (#43 accident turn 4); 169-172 (#66 accident backstretch); 198-203 (#40 accident turn 2); 235-239 (Debris); 269-272 (Fluid on track); 319-322 (#70 accident turn 1); 324-327 (#1,5,11 accident frontstretch); 329-329 (#8,26 accident turn 2).

Lead Changes:

19 among 11 drivers: G. Biffle 1; Ku. Busch 2-35; K. Petty 36; Ku. Busch 37-56; M. Truex Jr. 57-59; Ku. Busch 60-100; P. Menard # 101; M. Truex Jr. 102-150; K. Harvick 151; M. Truex Jr. 152-164; Ky. Busch 165-174; Ku. Busch 175-177; M. Truex Jr. 178-235; A. Allmendinger # 236; K. Kahne 237-239; Ky. Busch 240-268; M. Truex Jr. 269-280; Ky. Busch 281-318; D. Hamlin 319-321; J. Johnson 322-329.

Top 12 Driver Points:

(1) J. Gordon 6,201;(2) J. Johnson 6,192;(3) C. Bowyer 6,090;(4) C. Edwards 5,940;(5) T. Stewart 5,879;(6) Ky. Busch 5,873;(7) K. Harvick 5,809;(8) J. Burton 5,801;(9) Ku. Busch 5,782;(10) D. Hamlin 5,777;(11) M. Kenseth 5,753;(12) M. Truex Jr. 5,688.

Budweiser Pole Award: Greg Biffle, #16 (192.453 mph)

Checkers/Rally's: Reed Sorenson, #41 (359.594 Seconds)

Commit Lozenges: Greg Biffle, #16

DIRECTV: Jimmie Johnson, #48

DOW Automotive Strategic Call: Jimmie Johnson, #48

EA Sports: Jimmie Johnson, #48

Goodyear Gatorback Fastest Lap: Martin Truex, Jr, #1 (187.418 mph, Lap 205)

Mobil 1: Kurt Busch, #2

Raybestos Rookie of the Race: Aj Allmendinger, #84

Sunoco Diamond Performance : Jimmie Johnson, #48

USG Improving the Finish: Reed Sorenson, #41 (29 Places)

WIX Lap Leader: Martin Truex, Jr, #1 (135 Laps)

Next Race: Nov. 4, 2007 - Texas Motor Speedway