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Statistical Advance: Analyzing the Gander RV 400

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla. (April 30, 2019) – Below is a look at the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series statistical performances at Dover International Speedway in Dover, Delaware, going into the Gander RV 400 on May 5 at 2 p.m. ET on FS1, MRN and SiriusXM NASCAR Radio (Channel 90).



2019 Driver Standings - Top 30

Rank	Drivers	Points	Starts	Wins	Stage Wins	Playoff Pts	Top 5s	Top 10s	DNFs	Poles	G/L
1	Kyle Busch	430	10	3	5	20	6	10	0	0	0
2	Joey Logano	415	10	1	4	9	6	7	0	1	0
3	Denny Hamlin	367	10	2	1	11	6	8	1	0	0
4	Kevin Harvick	350	10	0	2	2	4	7	2	2	0
5	Brad Keselowski	337	10	2	2	12	4	5	0	0	0
6	Martin Truex Jr	328	10	1	0	5	3	6	1	0	0
7	Chase Elliott	324	10	1	1	6	2	3	1	1	3
8	Kurt Busch	323	10	0	0	0	3	7	0	0	-1
9	Ryan Blaney	306	10	0	2	2	4	4	2	1	0
10	Clint Bowyer	288	10	0	0	0	3	5	2	0	-2
11	Aric Almirola	288	10	0	0	0	1	7	2	1	0
12	Daniel Suarez	266	10	0	0	0	1	4	1	0	0
13	Austin Dillon	253	10	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	1
14	Ryan Newman	251	10	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1
15	Alex Bowman	239	10	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	6
16	Jimmie Johnson	238	10	0	0	0	1	4	0	1	-3
17	Paul Menard	234	10	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	-1
18	Erik Jones	230	10	0	0	0	2	3	0	0	-1
19	William Byron	226	10	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1
20	Ricky Stenhouse Jr	223	10	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	-2
21	Kyle Larson	221	10	0	1	1	0	2	3	0	-2
22	Ty Dillon	202	10	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0
23	Chris Buescher	174	10	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
24	Ryan Preece #	160	10	0	0	0	1	2	2	0	1
25	Matt DiBenedetto	149	10	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	-1
26	Daniel Hemric #	132	10	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	2
27	David Ragan	123	10	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
28	Bubba Wallace	111	10	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	-2
29	Corey LaJoie	107	10	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
30	Michael McDowell	95	10	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	-1

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(Following statistics are Loop Data from 2005 – Present)

Clint Bowyer (No. 14 Stewart-Haas Racing Ford Mustang)

- Three top fives, 14 top 10s
- Average finish of 13.346, eighth-best
- Average Running Position of 13.37, 10th-best
- Driver Rating of 89.8, 10th-best
- 309 Fastest Laps Run, sixth-best
- 7,059 Laps in the Top 15 (67.8), 10th-most
- 619 Quality Passes, fifth-most

Kyle Busch (No. 18 Joe Gibbs Racing Toyota Camry)

- Three wins, 12 top fives, 17 top 10s; one pole
- Average finish of 14.75, 11th-best
- Average Running Position of 10.364, third-best
- Driver Rating of 105.2, second-best
- 651 Fastest Laps Run, third-best
- 8,918 Laps in the Top 15 (79.5), fourth-most
- 708 Quality Passes, series-most

Kurt Busch (No. 1 Chip Ganassi Racing Chevrolet Camaro

ZL1)

- One win, nine top fives, 11 top 10s
- Average finish of 17, 12th-best
- Average Running Position of 13.244, ninth-best
- Driver Rating of 90, ninth-best
- 377 Fastest Laps Run, fifth-best
- 7,224 Laps in the Top 15 (64.4), 12th-most
- 630 Quality Passes, third-most

Chase Elliott (No. 9 Hendrick Motorsports Chevrolet Camaro

ZL1)

- One win, five top fives, five top 10s
- Average finish of 4.333, series-best
- Average Running Position of 8.24, series-best
- Driver Rating of 105, third-best
- 100 Fastest Laps Run, 13th-best
- 2,301 Laps in the Top 15 (95.5), series-most
- 198 Quality Passes, 11th-most

Dover International Speedway Data

Season Race #: 11 of 36 (05-05-19)

Track Size: 1-mile

Banking/Turn 1 & 2: 24 degrees

Banking/Turn 3 & 4: 24 degrees

Banking/Frontstretch: 9 degrees

Banking/Backstretch: 9 degrees

Frontstretch Length: 1,076 feet

Backstretch Length: 1,076 feet

Race Length: 400 laps / 400 miles

Stage 1 and 2 Length: 120 laps (each)

Final Stage Length: 160 laps

Top 10 Driver Ratings at Dover

Jimmie Johnson	114.4
Kyle Busch	105.2
Chase Elliott	105.0
Kyle Larson	99.1
Martin Truex Jr.	97.8
Kevin Harvick	95.2
Brad Keselowski	92.4
Daniel Suarez	92.2
Kurt Busch	90.0
Clint Bowyer	89.8

Note: Driver Ratings compiled from 2005-2018 races (28 total) among active drivers at Dover Motor Speedway.

Qualifying/Race Data

2018 pole winner:

Kyle Larson, Chevrolet
158.103 mph, 22.770 secs. 05-04-18

2018 race winner:

Kevin Harvick, Ford
115.044 mph, (03:28:37), 05-06-18

Track qualifying record:

Brad Keselowski, Ford
164.444 mph, 21.892 secs. 05-30-14

Track race record:

Mark Martin, Ford
132.719 mph, (03:00:50), 09-21-97

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Denny Hamlin (No. 11 Joe Gibbs Racing Toyota Camry)

- Four top fives, 11 top 10s; three poles
- Average finish of 17.385, 13th-best
- Average Running Position of 14.187, 13th-best
- Driver Rating of 86.2, 11th-best
- 197 Fastest Laps Run, ninth-best
- 6,627 Laps in the Top 15 (63.6), 13th-most
- 586 Quality Passes, seventh-most

Kevin Harvick (No. 4 Stewart-Haas Racing Ford Mustang)

- Two wins, six top fives, 17 top 10s; one pole
- Average finish of 13.607, 10th-best
- Average Running Position of 13.52, 11th-best
- Driver Rating of 95.2, sixth-best
- 761 Fastest Laps Run, second-best
- 7,499 Laps in the Top 15 (66.8), 11th-most
- 598 Quality Passes, sixth-most

Jimmie Johnson (No. 48 Hendrick Motorsports Chevrolet Camaro ZL1)

- 11 wins, 17 top fives, 24 top 10s; three poles
- Average finish of 8.75, fourth-best
- Average Running Position of 8.835, second-best
- Driver Rating of 114.4, series-best
- 1,390 Fastest Laps Run, series-best
- 9,331 Laps in the Top 15 (83.2), second-most
- 637 Quality Passes, second-most

Brad Keselowski (No. 2 Team Penske Ford Mustang)

- One win, five top fives, eight top 10s; one pole
- Average finish of 13.222, seventh-best
- Average Running Position of 12.191, seventh-best
- Driver Rating of 92.4, seventh-best
- 262 Fastest Laps Run, seventh-best
- 4,924 Laps in the Top 15 (68.2), ninth-most
- 396 Quality Passes, ninth-most

Monster Energy Series

All-Time Race Winners at Dover

Rank	All-Time Winners	Wins
1	Jimmie Johnson	11
2	Bobby Allison	7
3	Richard Petty	7
4	David Pearson	5
5	Jeff Gordon	5
6	Bill Elliott	4
7	Harry Gant	4
8	Mark Martin	4
9	Ricky Rudd	4
10	Cale Yarborough	3
11	Dale Earnhardt	3
12	Kyle Busch	3
13	Matt Kenseth	3
14	Rusty Wallace	3
15	Ryan Newman	3
16	Tony Stewart	3
17	Benny Parsons	2
18	Darrell Waltrip	2
19	Greg Biffle	2
20	Kevin Harvick	2
21	Martin Truex Jr	2
22	Neil Bonnett	2
23	Bobby Labonte	1
24	Brad Keselowski	1
25	Carl Edwards	1
26	Chase Elliott	1
27	Dale Earnhardt Jr	1
28	Dale Jarrett	1
29	Davey Allison	1
30	Derrike Cope	1
31	Geoff Bodine	1
32	Jeff Burton	1
33	Jody Ridley	1
34	Ken Schrader	1
35	Kurt Busch	1
36	Kyle Petty	1

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Kyle Larson (No. 42 Chip Ganassi Racing Chevrolet Camaro ZL1)

- Four top fives, seven top 10s; one pole
- Average finish of 8.5, third-best
- Average Running Position of 11.51, fifth-best
- Driver Rating of 99.1, fourth-best
- 224 Fastest Laps Run, 11th-best
- 2,922 Laps in the Top 15 (72.8), fifth-most
- 241 Quality Passes, 10th-most

Joey Logano (No. 22 Team Penske Ford Mustang)

- Four top fives, 11 top 10s
- Average finish of 13.55, ninth-best
- Average Running Position of 14.11, 12th-best
- Driver Rating of 86.2, 12th-best
- 119 Fastest Laps Run, fifth-best
- 5,606 Laps in the Top 15 (69.9), eighth-most
- 529 Quality Passes, eighth-most

Daniel Suarez (No. 41 Stewart-Haas Racing Ford Mustang)

- One top five, four top 10s
- Average finish of 6.75, second-best
- Average Running Position of 11.421, fourth-best
- Driver Rating of 92.2, eighth-best
- 11 Fastest Laps Run, 12th-best
- 1,294 Laps in the Top 15 (80.4), third-most
- 93 Quality Passes, 13th-most

Martin Truex Jr (No. 19 Joe Gibbs Racing Toyota Camry)

- Two wins, five top fives, 14 top 10s; three poles
- Average finish of 13, sixth-best
- Average Running Position of 11.997, sixth-best
- Driver Rating of 97.8, fifth-best
- 577 Fastest Laps Run, eighth-best
- 7,439 Laps in the Top 15 (71.4), sixth-most
- 621 Quality Passes, fourth-most

Monster Energy Series		
All-Time Pole Winners at Dover		
Rank	All-Time Pole Winners	Poles
1	David Pearson	6
2	Mark Martin	5
3	Rusty Wallace	5
4	Alan Kulwicki	4
5	Jeff Gordon	4
6	Ricky Rudd	4
7	Ryan Newman	4
8	Bill Elliott	3
9	Bobby Labonte	3
10	Cale Yarborough	3
11	Denny Hamlin	3
12	Jeremy Mayfield	3
13	Jimmie Johnson	3
14	Martin Truex Jr	3
15	Bobby Allison	2
16	Bobby Isaac	2
17	Buddy Baker	2
18	Darrell Waltrip	2
19	Dave Marcis	2
20	Ernie Irvan	2
21	Geoff Bodine	2
22	Richard Petty	2
23	Terry Labonte	2
24	Brad Keselowski	1
25	Brett Bodine	1
26	Dale Earnhardt	1
27	Dale Earnhardt Jr	1
28	Dale Jarrett	1
29	Davey Allison	1
30	David Reutimann	1
31	Dick Trickle	1
32	Greg Biffle	1
33	J.D. McDuffie	1
34	Joe Ruttman	1
35	Kevin Harvick	1
36	Kyle Busch	1
37	Kyle Larson	1
38	Matt Kenseth	1
39	Michael Waltrip	1
40	Neil Bonnett	1
41	Rick Mast	1

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The Monster Energy Series 2019 Top 16 at Dover International Speedway

Rank	Driver	Races	Poles	Wins	Top Fives	Top 10s	DNFs	Average Finish	Driver Rating
1	Kyle Busch	28	1	3	12	17	7	14.8	105.2
2	Joey Logano	20	0	0	4	11	1	13.6	86.2
3	Denny Hamlin	26	3	0	4	11	4	17.4	86.2
4	Kevin Harvick	36	1	2	6	17	1	14.2	95.2
5	Brad Keselowski	18	1	1	5	8	1	13.2	92.4
6	Martin Truex Jr	26	3	2	5	14	2	13.0	97.8
7	Chase Elliott	6	0	1	5	5	0	4.3	105
8	Kurt Busch	37	0	1	9	11	7	17.9	90.0
9	Ryan Blaney	6	0	0	0	2	0	20.0	80.2
10	Clint Bowyer	26	0	0	3	14	1	13.3	89.8
11	Aric Almirola	13	0	0	2	3	1	16.2	76.1
12	Daniel Suarez	4	0	0	1	4	0	6.8	92.2
13	Austin Dillon	11	0	0	0	2	0	20.9	70.2
14	Ryan Newman	34	4	3	7	14	2	14.3	83.9
15	Alex Bowman	6	0	0	0	0	2	29.5	54.2
16	Jimmie Johnson	34	3	11	17	24	2	9.9	114.4

* – Based on last 28 races at Dover International Speedway (2005 – 2018).

The Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series Top Five Leaders In Loop Data:

Dover International Speedway (Loop Data Era: 2005-Present)

Driver Rating		Average Running Position		Laps in The Top 15	
Drivers	Driver Rating	Drivers	Avg. Running Pos.	Drivers	Laps in Top 15
Jimmie Johnson	114.4	Chase Elliott	8.240	Jimmie Johnson	9,331 (83.2%)
Kyle Busch	105.2	Jimmie Johnson	8.835	Kyle Busch	8,918 (79.5%)
Chase Elliott	105.0	Kyle Busch	10.364	Kevin Harvick	7,499 (66.8%)
Kyle Larson	99.1	Daniel Suarez	11.421	Martin Truex Jr.	7,439 (71.4%)
Martin Truex Jr.	97.8	Kyle Larson	11.510	Kurt Busch	7,224 (64.4%)
Laps Led		Quality Passes		Fastest Laps Run	
Drivers	Laps Led	Drivers	Quality Passes	Drivers	Fastest Laps
Jimmie Johnson	2,710 (24.2%)	Kyle Busch	708	Jimmie Johnson	1,390 (12.4%)
Kevin Harvick	1,309 (11.7%)	Jimmie Johnson	637	Kevin Harvick	761 (6.8%)
Kyle Busch	1,209 (10.8%)	Kurt Busch	630	Kyle Busch	651 (5.8%)
Martin Truex Jr.	745 (7.2%)	Martin Truex Jr.	621	Martin Truex Jr.	577 (5.5%)
Kyle Larson	463 (11.5%)	Clint Bowyer	619	Kurt Busch	377 (3.4%)

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Dover International Speedway:

History

- The official opening of Dover International Speedway, then called Dover Downs International Speedway, was in 1969.
- The first Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series race at Dover International Speedway was held on July 6, 1969 – won by NASCAR Hall of Famer **Richard Petty** (Ford).
- The first two races at Dover were 300 miles. The race length was changed to 500 miles in 1971.
- The track surface was changed to concrete in 1995.
- The race length was changed to 400 miles beginning with the second race in 1997.
- The track name was changed to Dover International Speedway in 2002.
- There have been 98 Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series races at Dover International Speedway, one race per year in 1969 and 1970, two races per year since 1971.

Starts

- A total of 402 different drivers have competed in at least one Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series race at Dover International Speedway; 297 drivers have competed in more than one.
- **Ricky Rudd** leads the Monster Energy Series in starts at Dover International Speedway with 56; followed by NASCAR Hall of Famer **Mark Martin** with 55.
- **Kurt Busch** leads all active drivers in the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series in starts at Dover with 37; followed by **Kevin Harvick** with 36.
- A total of 66 different drivers have made their first Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series career start at Dover International Speedway; four of the 66 are currently active - **Kurt Busch** (09/24/00), **David Ragan** (09/24/06), **Ross Chastain** (06/04/17) and **Ryan Sieg** (06/04/17).
- **Bobby Isaac** (five starts) leads the Monster Energy Series in average starting position at Dover with a 2.2.
- **Daniel Suarez** (five starts) leads all active drivers in the series in average starting position at Dover with an 8.5.

Top 10 in Average Starting Position at Dover International Speedway (All-Time & Active)

Rank	All-Time Driver	Avg. Starting Pos.	Starts	Rank	Active Driver	Avg. Starting Pos.	Starts
1	Bobby Isaac	2.200	5	1	Daniel Suarez	8.500	5
2	David Pearson	2.688	16	2	Kyle Larson	8.800	11
3	LeeRoy Yarborough	4.500	2	3	Kyle Busch	9.143	29
4	Bobby Allison	6.400	35	4	Ryan Newman	10.588	35
5	Friday Hassler	6.500	2	5	Denny Hamlin	10.731	27
6	Cale Yarborough	7.000	20	6	Chase Elliott	10.833	7
7	Daniel Suarez	8.500	5	7	Jimmie Johnson	10.853	35
8	Ramo Stott	8.500	2	8	Martin Truex Jr	10.962	27
9	Rusty Wallace	8.795	44	9	Brad Keselowski	11.000	20
10	Kyle Larson	8.800	11	10	Erik Jones	11.000	5

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Poles

- A total of 41 different Monster Energy Series drivers have won Busch poles at Dover International Speedway; eight of 41 are active this weekend.
- NASCAR Hall of Famer **David Pearson** leads the Monster Energy Series in poles at Dover with six poles (1969, 1973 sweep, 1974, 1975, 1981).
- **Ryan Newman** leads all active series drivers in poles at Dover with four poles (2003, 2005, 2006, 2007)
- **David Pearson** (Ford) won the inaugural Busch Pole Award at Dover in 1969 with a speed of 130.430 mph.
- 10 drivers have won consecutive poles at Dover: **David Pearson** (1973 sweep, spring 1974), **Dave Marcis** (fall 1975, spring 1976), **Cale Yarborough** (1980 sweep), **Alan Kulwicki** (fall 1987, spring 1988), **Mark Martin** (fall 1988, spring 1989), **Bobby Labonte** (fall 1996, spring 1997), **Rusty Wallace** (fall 1999, spring 2000), **Jeremy Mayfield** (2004 sweep), **Ryan Newman** (fall 2005, spring 2006), **Denny Hamlin** (fall 2012, spring 2013).
- Youngest Dover pole winner: **Jeff Gordon** (June 4, 1995 – 23 years, 10 months, 0 days).
- Oldest Dover pole winner: **Mark Martin** (June 1, 2012 – 53 years, 4 months, 23 days).
- Five drivers have posted their first career Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series Busch pole at Dover International Speedway – **J.D. McDuffie** (09/17/1978), **Joe Ruttman** (05/15/1983), **Dick Trickle** (06/03/1990), **Michael Waltrip** (06/03/1991), **Matt Kenseth** (06/02/02).

Monster Energy Series Active Pole Winners at Dover		
Rank	Active Pole Winners	Poles
1	Ryan Newman	4
2	Denny Hamlin	3
3	Jimmie Johnson	3
4	Martin Truex Jr	3
5	Brad Keselowski	1
6	Kevin Harvick	1
7	Kyle Busch	1
8	Kyle Larson	1

Wins

- A total of 36 different Monster Energy Series drivers have won at Dover International Speedway; eight of the 36 are active this weekend.
- **Jimmie Johnson** leads the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series in wins at Dover International Speedway with 11 victories (2002 sweep, 2005 Playoffs, 2009 sweep, 2010 Playoffs, Spring of 2012, 2013 Playoffs, Spring of 2014, Spring of 2015 and Spring of 2017).
- 12 drivers have posted consecutive wins at Dover International Speedway, including three consecutive by **David Pearson** (fall 1972 and 1973 sweep), **Rusty Wallace** (fall 1993 and 1994 sweep) and **Jeff Gordon** (fall 1995 and 1996 sweep).
- Youngest Dover race winner: **Chase Elliott** (October 7, 2018 – 22 years, 10 months, 0 days).
- Oldest Dover race winner: **Harry Gant** (May 31, 1992 – 52 years, 4 months, 21 days).
- 13 of the 98 (13.3%) Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series races at Dover have been won from the Busch pole; the two most recent were by **Jimmie Johnson** in 2009 and 2010.

Monster Energy Series Active Winners at Dover		
Rank	Active Winners	Wins
1	Jimmie Johnson	11
2	Kyle Busch	3
3	Ryan Newman	3
4	Kevin Harvick	2
5	Martin Truex Jr	2
6	Brad Keselowski	1
7	Chase Elliott	1
8	Kurt Busch	1

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Wins

- The second-place starting position is the most proficient starting position in the field, producing more winners (18) than any other starting position at Dover International Speedway.

Monster Energy Series Wins by Starting Positions at Dover International Speedway

Starting Position	Wins	Winning %	Starting Position	Wins	Winning %
1	13	13.27%	13	2	2.04%
2	18	18.37%	14	2	2.04%
3	13	13.27%	15	5	5.10%
4	7	7.14%	16	1	1.02%
5	5	5.10%	17	1	1.02%
6	4	4.08%	19	4	4.08%
7	4	4.08%	22	1	1.02%
8	5	5.10%	24	1	1.02%
9	1	1.02%	26	1	1.02%
10	6	6.12%	27	1	1.02%
11	2	2.04%	37	1	1.02%

Stats	Winning %	Wins
Winning from the First Starting Position:	13.27%	13
Winning from the Front Row:	31.63%	31
Winning from a Top-Five Starting Position:	57.14%	56
Winning from a Top-10 Starting Position:	77.55%	76
Winning After Starting Outside the Top 20:	5.10%	5

- The deepest in the field that a race winner has started at Dover is 37th, by **Kyle Petty** in the spring of 1995.
- The deepest in the field that an active race winner has started at Dover is 26th, by **Martin Truex Jr.** in the spring of 2007.
- Two Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series drivers have posted their first career win at Dover International Speedway: **Martin Truex Jr.** (06/04/07) and **Jody Ridley** (5/17/81).
- Seven of the eight active Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series winners at Dover International Speedway participated in at least one or more races before visiting Victory Lane. **Jimmie Johnson** won at Dover in his first two appearances.
- Among the eight active Monster Energy Series Dover winners, **Kevin Harvick** (29) and **Kurt Busch** (22) made 10 or more attempts before their first win.
- **Clint Bowyer** and **Denny Hamlin** lead the series among active drivers with the most starts at Dover without visiting Victory Lane at 26.

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Wins

- A total of 27 different organizations have won in the Monster Energy Series at Dover International Speedway.
- **Hendrick Motorsports** has the most wins at Dover in the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series with 20 victories among six drivers: **Jimmie Johnson** (11), **Jeff Gordon** (five), **Geoff Bodine** (one), **Ken Schrader** (one), **Ricky Rudd** (one) and **Chase Elliott** (one).
- Nine different manufacturers have won in the Monster Energy Series at Dover; led by **Chevrolet** with 40 victories; followed by **Ford** with 26, Dodge (seven), Mercury (seven), Pontiac (six), **Toyota** (five), Buick (three), Oldsmobile (two) and Plymouth (two).

Additional Finishing Positions

- A total of 52 different drivers have finished runner-up in the Monster Energy Series at Dover International Speedway.
- NASCAR Hall of Famer **Mark Martin** leads the series in runner-up finishes at Dover with eight second-place finishes.
- **Kyle Busch** leads all active Monster Energy Series drivers in runner-up finishes at Dover with four.

Top Five in Runner-Up Finishes at Dover International Speedway (All-Time & Active)

Rank	All-Time Drivers	Runner-Ups	Rank	Active Drivers	Runner-Ups
1	Mark Martin	8	1	Kyle Busch	4
2	Dale Earnhardt	5	2	Brad Keselowski	2
3	Bobby Allison	4		Kevin Harvick	2
	Cale Yarborough	4		Kyle Larson	2
	David Pearson	4	5	Chase Elliott	1
	Jeff Gordon	4		Clint Bowyer	1
	Kyle Busch	4		Denny Hamlin	1
	Richard Petty	4		Jimmie Johnson	1
				Ryan Newman	1

- A total of 94 different drivers have finished in the top-five in the Monster Energy Series at Dover International Speedway.
- NASCAR Hall of Famer **Mark Martin** leads the series in top-five finishes with 24 top fives.
- **Jimmie Johnson** leads all active drivers in top-five finishes at Dover with 17.

Top Five in Top-Five Finishes at Dover International Speedway (All-Time & Active)

Rank	All-Time Drivers	Top Fives	Rank	Active Drivers	Top Fives
1	Mark Martin	24	1	Jimmie Johnson	17
2	Dale Earnhardt	19	2	Kyle Busch	12
3	Bobby Allison	18	3	Kurt Busch	9
	Jeff Gordon	18	4	Ryan Newman	7
5	Jimmie Johnson	17	5	Kevin Harvick	6
	Matt Kenseth	17			

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Additional Finishing Positions

- A total of 155 different drivers have finished in the top-10 in the Monster Energy Series at Dover International Speedway.
- NASCAR Hall of Famer **Mark Martin** leads the series in top-10 finishes at Dover with 33 top 10s.
- **Jimmie Johnson** leads all active series drivers in top-10 finishes at Dover with 24.

Top Five in Top-10 Finishes at Dover International Speedway (All-Time & Active)

Rank	All-Time Driver	Top 10s	Rank	Active Drivers	Top 10s
1	Mark Martin	33	1	Jimmie Johnson	24
2	Jeff Gordon	27	2	Kevin Harvick	17
3	Richard Petty	26	3	Kyle Busch	17
4	Ricky Rudd	26	4	Clint Bowyer	14
5	Bobby Allison	25	5	Martin Truex Jr	14
	Dale Earnhardt	25		Ryan Newman	14

- **Charlie Glotzbach** (two starts) leads the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series in average finishing position at Dover International Speedway with a 2.5.
- **Chase Elliott** (six starts) leads all active drivers in the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series in average finishing position at Dover with a 4.3.

Top 10 in Average Finishing Position at Dover international Speedway (All-Time & Active)

Rank	All-Time Drivers	Average Finish	Starts	Rank	Active Drivers	Average Finish	Starts
1	Charlie Glotzbach	2.500	2	1	Chase Elliott	4.333	6
2	Chase Elliott	4.333	6	2	Daniel Suarez	6.750	4
3	Ramo Stott	6.000	2	3	Kyle Larson	8.500	10
4	Daniel Suarez	6.750	4	4	Jimmie Johnson	9.853	34
5	David Pearson	8.000	16	5	Erik Jones	12.250	4
6	Bill Dennis	8.500	2	6	Martin Truex Jr	13.000	26
7	Kyle Larson	8.500	10	7	Brad Keselowski	13.222	18
8	LeeRoy Yarbrough	9.000	2	8	Clint Bowyer	13.346	26
9	Bobby Allison	9.257	35	9	Joey Logano	13.550	20
10	Jimmie Johnson	9.853	34	10	Kevin Harvick	14.250	36

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Track Specific Stats

- Since the advent of electronic scoring, the closest Margin of Victory (MOV) in the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series at Dover International Speedway was the September 25, 2005 race, won by **Jimmie Johnson** over **Kyle Busch** with a margin of victory of 0.080 second.

Top Five Closest Margin of Victories at Dover International Speedway (MENCS):

<u>Margin of Victory</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Winner</u>	<u>Runner-Up</u>
0.080	9/25/2005	Jimmie Johnson	Kyle Busch
0.091	6/1/1997	Ricky Rudd	Mark Martin
0.187	5/15/2016	Matt Kenseth	Kyle Larson
0.220	6/4/1995	Kyle Petty	Bobby Labonte
0.265	10/7/2018	Chase Elliott	Denny Hamlin

- There have been four Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series races resulting in NASCAR Overtime at Dover International Speedway:

<u>Scheduled No. Of Laps</u>	<u>Actual No. Of Laps</u>	<u>Overtime Laps</u>	<u>Race Winner</u>	<u>Date</u>
400	406	6	Jimmie Johnson	6/4/2017
400	405	5	Jimmie Johnson	5/31/2015
400	404	4	Jimmie Johnson	9/25/2005
400	404	4	Chase Elliott	10/7/2018

- None of the 98 Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series races at Dover International Speedway have been shortened due to weather conditions.
- Qualifying has been cancelled due to weather conditions in the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series at Dover International Speedway nine times: fall 1984, spring 2001, fall 2003, spring 2005, spring 2011, fall 2015, spring and fall of 2016, spring 2018.
- A total of 113 different drivers have led at least one lap in the Monster Energy Series at Dover International Speedway.
- **Jimmie Johnson** leads all active drivers in the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series in laps led at Dover with 3,105 laps led in 34 starts.

Top 10 in Laps Led at Dover International Speedway (All-Time & Active)

<u>Rank</u>	<u>All-Time Drivers</u>	<u>Led</u>	<u>Completed</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Active Drivers</u>	<u>Led</u>	<u>Completed</u>	<u>%</u>
1	Jimmie Johnson	3,105	13,366	23.2%	1	Jimmie Johnson	3,105	13,366	23.2%
2	Bobby Allison	2,802	15,586	18.0%	2	Kevin Harvick	1,442	14,226	10.1%
3	Jeff Gordon	2,396	18,788	12.8%	3	Kyle Busch	1,209	9,959	12.1%
4	Richard Petty	2,206	18,919	11.7%	4	Ryan Newman	849	13,418	6.3%
5	Dale Earnhardt	2,151	19,211	11.2%	5	Martin Truex Jr	745	10,119	7.4%
6	Bill Elliott	2,050	18,910	10.8%	6	Kyle Larson	463	4,009	11.5%
7	Cale Yarborough	2,049	8,502	24.1%	7	Kurt Busch	426	13,766	3.1%
8	David Pearson	2,041	6,346	32.2%	8	Brad Keselowski	336	6,825	4.9%
9	Mark Martin	1,769	22,118	8.0%	9	Denny Hamlin	276	9,677	2.9%
10	Harry Gant	1,727	12,038	14.3%	10	Chase Elliott	149	2,410	6.2%

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Female Competitors

- Two female drivers have competed at Dover International Speedway in the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series: **Janet Guthrie** and **Danica Patrick**.

Driver	Starting Position	Finishing Position	Date
Danica Patrick	24	18	10/1/2017
Danica Patrick	31	10	6/4/2017
Danica Patrick	24	28	10/2/2016
Danica Patrick	31	13	5/15/2016
Danica Patrick	24	21	10/4/2015
Danica Patrick	33	15	5/31/2015
Danica Patrick	13	25	9/28/2014
Danica Patrick	28	23	6/1/2014
Danica Patrick	31	29	9/29/2013
Danica Patrick	39	24	6/2/2013
Danica Patrick	38	28	9/30/2012
Averages	28.7	21.3	

Driver	Starting Position	Finishing Position	Date
Janet Guthrie	15	11	9/18/1977
Janet Guthrie	11	33	9/19/1976
Averages	13.0	22.0	

NASCAR In Delaware & Maryland

- A total of 187 NASCAR national series races have been held in the state of Delaware - all at Dover International Speedway.

Tracks in Delaware

Track Name	City	Monster Energy	Xfinity	Gander Outdoors	Total Races	First Year
Dover International Speedway	Dover	98	70	19	187	1969

- A total of 10 NASCAR national series races have been held in the state of Maryland - all at Beltsville Speedway.

Tracks in Maryland

Track Name	City	Monster Energy	Xfinity	Gander Outdoors	Total Races	First Year
Beltsville Speedway	Beltsville	10	0	0	10	1965

Delaware & Maryland Drivers in NASCAR

- Nine drivers in NASCAR national series history have their home state recorded as Delaware; none of the nine have recorded a victory in NASCAR national series competition.
- 68 drivers in NASCAR national series history have their home state recorded as Maryland; **Elmo Langley** (Landover) is the only driver of the 68 to win. He recorded two wins in the Monster Energy Series in 1966 at Piedmont Interstate Fairgrounds (Spartanburg) and Old Dominion Speedway (Manassas).

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Monster Energy Series - Achievable Milestones

Starts

Chris Buescher	Has:	124	Needs:	1
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To become the 184th driver all-time in the Monster Energy Series to make 125 starts or more.

Wins

Jimmie Johnson	Has:	83	Needs:	1
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To tie Bobby Allison and Darrell Waltrip for fourth on the all-time series wins list.

Kyle Busch	Has:	54	Needs:	1
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To tie Rusty Wallace for ninth on the all-time Monster Energy Series wins list.

Kevin Harvick	Has:	45	Needs:	1
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To tie Buck Baker for 16th on the all-time Monster Energy Series wins list.

Denny Hamlin	Has:	33	Needs:	4
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To tie Bobby Isaac (37) for 22nd on the all-time Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series wins list.

Kurt Busch	Has:	30	Needs:	2
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To tie Dale Jarrett for 25th on the all-time Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series wins list.

Brad Keselowski	Has:	29	Needs:	1
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To tie Kurt Busch for 26th on the all-time Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series wins list.

Joey Logano	Has:	22	Needs:	1
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To tie Ricky Rudd for 34th on the all-time Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series wins list.

Busch Poles

Ryan Newman	Has:	51	Needs:	3
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Tie Bill Elliott for eighth on the all-time Monster Energy Series poles list.

Jimmie Johnson	Has:	36	Needs:	1
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To tie Geoff Bodine for 16th on the all-time Monster Energy Series poles list.

Kyle Busch	Has:	31	Needs:	1
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To tie Fred Lorenzen for 22nd on the all-time Monster Energy Series poles list.

Denny Hamlin	Has:	30	Needs:	1
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To tie Kyle Busch and Fonty Flock for 24th on the all-time Monster Energy Series poles list.

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Monster Energy Series - Achievable Milestones

Laps Led

Jimmie Johnson	Has:	18,767	Needs:	233
To become the ninth driver in the series to lead 19,000 laps.				
Kyle Busch	Has:	16,452	Needs:	548
To become the 10th driver in the series to lead 17,000 laps.				
Kevin Harvick	Has:	13,244	Needs:	756
To become the 11th driver in the MENCS all-time to lead 14,000 laps.				
Kurt Busch	Has:	9,545	Needs:	455
To become the 18th driver in the MENCS all-time to lead 10,000 laps.				
Denny Hamlin	Has:	9,320	Needs:	680
To become the 18th driver in the MENCS all-time to lead 10,000 laps.				
Martin Truex Jr.	Has:	7,746	Needs:	254
To become the 26th driver in the MENCS all-time to lead 8,000 laps.				
Brad Keselowski	Has:	6,934	Needs:	66
To become the 30th driver in the MENCS all-time to lead 7,000 laps.				
Joey Logano	Has:	5,467	Needs:	533
To become the 36th driver in the MENCS all-time to lead 6,000 laps.				