



Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series Championship Fast Facts

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Driver Champion: Kyle Busch Team: No. 18 Joe Gibbs Racing Toyota Camry

- Kyle Busch has won his second Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series championship in the last five years (2015 and 2019) – becoming just the 16th driver all-time with multiple championships.

Drivers with Multiple Championships (1949-2019)

| Rank | Titles | Champions | Years |
|------|--------|-------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1 | 7 | Jimmie Johnson | 2016, '13, '10, '09, '08, '07, '06 |
| | | Dale Earnhardt | 1994, '93, '91, '90, '87, '86, '80 |
| | | Richard Petty | 1979, '75, '74, '72, '71, '67, '64 |
| 4 | 4 | Jeff Gordon | 2001, '98, '97, '95 |
| 5 | 3 | Tony Stewart | 2011, '05, '02 |
| | | Darrell Waltrip | 1985, '82, '81 |
| | | Cale Yarborough | 1978, '77, '76 |
| | | David Pearson | 1969, '68, '66 |
| | | Lee Petty | 1959, '58, '54 |
| 10 | 2 | Kyle Busch | 2019, '15 |
| | | Terry Labonte | 1996, '84 |
| | | Ned Jarrett | 1965, '61 |
| | | Joe Weatherly | 1963, '62 |
| | | Buck Baker | 1957, '56 |
| | | Tim Flock | 1955, '52 |
| | | Herb Thomas | 1953, '51 |

* 16 total multiple Monster Energy Series champions

- Kyle Busch now leads the series in championships in the elimination-style format of the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series Playoffs with two (Kyle Busch, 2015 and 2019; Kevin Harvick, 2014; Jimmie Johnson, 2016; Martin Truex Jr., 2017; Joey Logano, 2018).
- Busch won the season finale at the Homestead-Miami Speedway to claim the 2019 title.
- Busch is one of five drivers all-time to win both a Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series and a NASCAR Xfinity Series championship – Martin Truex Jr., Kevin Harvick, Bobby Labonte and Brad Keselowski have also accomplished the feat.

- In 2019, Busch has posted five wins, 17 top fives, 27 top 10s and one poles.
- During the Playoffs this season, Busch has produced one win, four top fives, six top 10s and one pole.
- Kyle Busch (2015, 2019) and his brother Kurt Busch (2004) are the only two Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series champions from the state of Nevada.

Owner Champion: Joe Gibbs, Joe Gibbs Racing

- This is Joe Gibbs Racing's fifth Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series driver and owner championship – previous titles: 2000 (Bobby Labonte), 2002 and 2005 (Tony Stewart), 2015 and 2019 (Kyle Busch).
- This is Joe Gibbs Racing's 10th NASCAR national series owner championship (five MENCs, five NXs).
- Joe Gibbs Racing began its Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series program in 1992 at Daytona International Speedway with driver Dale Jarrett.
- Joe Gibbs Racing has won 176 Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series races.

Crew Chief Champion: Adam Stevens

- Adam Stevens has won his second Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series championship both driver Kyle Busch (2015 and 2018).
- Stevens is one of 40 different crew chiefs to win the NASCAR Xfinity Series championship but just the 15th to win multiple titles.
- Stevens has 27 career Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series wins, all with Kyle Busch.