

2001 IRL Results

Indianapolis, IN 500 Mile Race - 27 May 2001

Track Type: Paved oval

Race Distance: 500 miles

Race Name: Indianapolis 500

Lap Distance: 2.5 miles

Margin of Victory: 1.737 sec

Total Purse: \$9,558,775

Promoter: Indianapolis Motor Speedway

FP	#	Driver	Car Name	Entrant	SP	Qu Time	Qu Spd	Laps	Time/Speed	Behind	Purse	Pts	
1	68	Helio Castroneves	Marlboro Team Penske	Team Penske	11	2:40.612	224.142	200	3:31:54.180	141.574	1,270,475	52	
2	66	Gil De Ferran	Marlboro Team Penske	Team Penske	5	2:40.423	224.406	200	3:31:55.917	141.555	1.737	482,775	40
3	39	Michael Andretti	Motorola/Archipelago	Team Green	21	2:41.116	223.441	200	3:31:59.916	141.510	5.736	324,000	35
4	44	Jimmy Vasser	Target Chip Ganassi	Target Chip Ganassi Racing	12	2:41.106	223.455	200	3:32:08.165	141.419	13.985	233,325	32
5	50	Bruno Junqueira	Target Chip Ganassi	Target Chip Ganassi Racing	20	2:40.565	224.208	200	3:32:21.436	141.271	27.256	255,825	30
6	33	Tony Stewart	Target Chip Ganassi	Target Chip Ganassi Racing	7	2:40.298	224.248	200	3:32:31.741	141.157	37.561	218,850	28
7	14	Eliseo Salazar	Harrah's	A.J. Foyt Racing	28	2:40.901	223.740	199	Flagged			356,300	26
8	88	Airton Dare	1-800-BAR NONE	TeamXtreme	30	2:41.990	222.236	199	Flagged			320,325	24
9	98	Billy Boat	CURB Records	Curb-Agajanian/Beck Motorsport	32	2:42.508	221.528	199	Flagged			320,325	22
10	21	Felipe Giaffone	Hollywood	Treadway-Hubbard Racing	33	2:42.251	221.879	199	Flagged			211,575	20
11	10	Robby McGehee	Cahill Racing Cure Autism	Cahill Racing	14	2:41.720	222.607	199	Flagged			290,825	19
12	12	Buzz Calkins	Bradley FoodMarts	Bradley Motorsports	24	2:41.821	222.467	198	Flagged			286,025	18
13	5	Arie Luyendyk	Meijer	Treadway-Hubbard Racing	6	2:40.530	224.257	198	Flagged			182,275	17
14	4	Sam Hornish, Jr	Pennzoil Panthers	Panther Racing	13	2:41.194	223.333	196	Flagged			308,825	16
15	24	Robbie Buhl	Team Porex	Dreyer & Reinbold Racing	9	2:40.561	224.213	196	Flagged			300,325	15
16	28	Mark Dismore	Delphi Automotive	Kelley Racing	4	2:40.025	224.964	195	Flagged			287,375	14
17	2	Greg Ray	John Mansville/Menards	Team Menard	2	2:39.862	225.194	192	Flagged			335,325	13
18	91	Buddy Lazier	Tae-Bo/Coors Light	Hemelgarn Racing	10	2:40.578	224.190	192	Flagged			262,325	12
19	16	Cory Witherrill	Radio Shack	Indy Regency Racing	31	2:42.439	221.621	187	Flagged			159,575	11
20	9	Jeret Schroeder	Purity Products	PDM Racing	23	2:41.590	222.786	187	Flagged			256,325	10
21	41	Robby Gordon	Team Conesco	Foyt/Childress Racing	3	2:40.004	224.994	184	Flagged			173,225	9
22	77	Jaques Lazier	Classmates.com	Jonathan Byrd TeamXtreme	17	2:42.056	222.145	183	Flagged			161,325	8
23	99	Davey Hamilton	Sam Schmidt Motorsports	Sam Schmidt Motorsports	26	2:42.385	221.696	182	Engine			280,325	7
24	35	Jeff Ward	Aerosmith/Heritage	Heritage Motorsports	8	2:40.555	224.222	168	Flagged			238,000	6
25	84	Donnie Beechler	Harrah's	A.J. Foyt Racing	27	2:40.393	224.449	160	Oil leak			172,325	5
26	51	Eddie Cheever	Excite@home	Team Cheever	25	2:42.051	222.152	108	Electrical			247,325	4
27	6	Jon Herb	Tri Star Motorsports	Tri Star Motorsports	18	2:42.151	222.015	104	Wrecked			245,575	3
28	36	Stephan Gregoire	Heritage Motorsports	Heritage Motorsports	29	2:41.516	222.888	86	Oil leak			154,325	2
29	49	Nicolas Minassian	Target Chip Ganassi	Target Chip Ganassi Racing	22	2:41.431	223.006	74	Gearbox			149,575	1
30	3	Al Unser, Jr	Galles Racing Starz	Galles Racing	19	2:42.444	221.615	16	Wrecked			255,825	1
31	15	Sarah Fisher	Walker Racing Kroger	Walker Racing	15	2:41.762	222.548	7	Wrecked			247,325	1
32	52	Scott Goodyear	Thermos@Grill2Go	Team Cheever	16	2:41.777	222.529	7	Wrecked			143,325	1
33	8	Scott Sharp	Delphi Automotive	Kelley Racing	1	2:39.266	226.037	0	Wrecked			427,325	1

Lap Leaders

Helio Castroneves	52	149-200
Greg Ray	52	23-45, 75-80, 92-102
Mark Dismore	29	53-74, 85-91
Gil De Ferran	27	110-136
Robby Gordon	22	1-22
Michael Andretti	16	48-52, 81-84, 103-109
Tony Stewart	13	46, 137-148
Arie Luyendyk	1	47

Non-Qualifiers

21	Raul Boesel	Hollywood	Treadway-Hubbard Racing	33	2:42.251	221.879	Driver by Giaffone
55	Sgigeaki Hattori	EPSON	Vertex-Cunningham Racing		2:42.553	221.467	DNS, too slow
37	Memo Gidley	Brayton Engineering	Brayton Racing		2:42.750	221.198	DNS, too slow
21	Felipe Giaffone	Hollywood	Treadway-Hubbard Racing		2:42.822	221.100	DNS, too slow
55	Sgigeaki Hattori	EPSON	Vertex-Cunningham Racing		2:42.823	221.098	DNS, too slow
30	Jimmy Kite	McCormack Motorsports	McCormack Motorsports		2:42.860	221.048	DNS, too slow
32	Andre Didier	Galles Racing	Galles Racing		2:42.907	220.985	DNS, too slow
88	Airton Dare	1-800-BAR NONE	TeamXtreme		2:42.920	220.966	DNS, too slow
39	Michael Andretti	Motorola/Archipelago	Team Green		2:43.083	220.747	Withdrew
51	Eddie Cheever	Excite@home	Team Cheever		2:43.256	220.513	Withdrew
60	Tyce Carlson				2:43.280	220.480	DNS, too slow
7	Roberto Guerrero	Tokheim	Dick Simon Racing		2:43.596	220.054	DNS, too slow
12	Buzz Calkins	Bradley FoodMarts			2:43.607	220.039	Withdrew
5	Raul Boesel		Treadway-Hubbard Racing				Did not qualify
27	Jim Guthrie	Blueprint Racing	Blueprint Racing				Did not qualify
31	Casey Mears	Galles Racing	Galles Racing				Did not qualify
37	Steve Knapp	Brayton Engineering	Brayton Racing				Did not qualify
60	Richie Hearn						Did not qualify
61	Memo Gidley						Did not qualify
81	John Paul, Jr						Did not qualify
94	Stan Wattle						Did not qualify

Data Source: IMS Timing & Scoring Report

Race Notes

- 1) Fastest race lap: Hornish, lap 130, 219.830 mph (40.940 sec)
- 2) Fastest leading lap: De Ferran, lap 132, 219.774 mph (40.951 sec)
- 3) Yellow flags: 1-5, Sharp wrecked T1; 8-16, Fisher & Goodyear wrecked T1; 18-21, Unser wreck T4; 90-95, track inspection, oil on track; 1070118, rain; 134-138, Witherrill wrecked T4; 148-157, Track inspection, 155, Red flagged, rain; 166-170, Buhl contact, T2. 8 caution flags for 56 laps.