

Climatology of the Daytona International Speedway Sprint Cup Races 1959-2020

Race	Month	Day	Year	Cara	Winner	Start Position	Make / Model	Make	MAX Temp	Min TEMP	Precip
Daytona 500	2	1	1959	17	Richard Petty	1	70 Pontiac	70	55	70	2.48
Daytona 500	2	14	1960	68	Lee Petty	9	70 Chevrolet	500	56	41	0
Daytona 500	2	2	1961	68	Lee Petty	4	70 Pontiac	250	56	70	0.36
Daytona 500	2	20	1961	30	Bobby Darland	4	70 Pontiac	500	49	41	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1961	30	Doug Beane	2	67 Pontiac	250	46	56	1.13
Daytona 500	2	18	1962	48	Richard Petty	1	62 Pontiac	500	70	52	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1962	33	Lee Petty	4	62 Pontiac	10	52	41	0.07
Daytona 500	2	24	1963	50	Richard Petty	12	63 Ford	500	70	53	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1963	36	Richard Petty	3	63 Ford	400	52	70	0.81
Daytona 500	2	23	1964	46	Richard Petty	2	64 Plymouth	300	41	30	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1964	32	Lee Petty	19	64 Dodge	400	53	70	0.54
Daytona 500	2	14	1965	43	Richard Petty	4	65 Ford	200	48	56	0.06
Daytona 500	7	4	1965	46	Lee Petty	11	71 Ford	400	49	70	0
Daytona 500	2	27	1966	50	Richard Petty	1	66 Plymouth	400	48	47	0.84
Daytona 500	7	4	1966	40	Lee Petty	4	66 Dodge	400	54	70	0
Daytona 500	2	20	1967	50	Richard Petty	12	67 Ford	400	48	70	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1967	38	Lee Petty	2	67 Ford	400	48	71	0.64
Daytona 500	2	20	1968	50	Richard Petty	1	68 Mercury	500	49	50	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1968	37	Lee Petty	4	68 Mercury	400	47	70	0.88
Daytona 500	2	23	1969	50	Richard Petty	10	69 Ford	500	71	53	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1969	40	Lee Petty	9	69 Ford	400	49	71	0
Daytona 500	2	28	1970	46	Richard Petty	9	70 Plymouth	500	46	48	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1970	40	Lee Petty	15	68 Ford	400	46	70	0
Daytona 500	2	14	1971	40	Richard Petty	5	71 Plymouth	500	55	32	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1971	48	Lee Petty	21	71 Dodge	400	41	48	0.11
Daytona 500	2	20	1972	40	Lee Petty	2	71 Mercury	500	57	35	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1972	40	Lee Petty	2	71 Mercury	400	41	70	0
Daytona 500	2	18	1973	40	Richard Petty	7	73 Dodge	400	51	48	0.09
Daytona 500	7	4	1973	40	Lee Petty	6	71 Mercury	400	48	70	0
Daytona 500	2	17	1974	40	Richard Petty	2	74 Dodge	500	48	41	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1974	40	Lee Petty	8	73 Mercury	400	44	68	0.70
Daytona 500	2	10	1975	40	Richard Petty	30	75 Chevrolet	400	41	53	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1975	40	Lee Petty	10	74 Dodge	400	50	36	0
Daytona 500	2	10	1976	42	Richard Petty	2	Mercury	500	70	47	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1976	40	Lee Petty	20	Chevrolet	400	50	50	0
Daytona 500	2	20	1977	42	Richard Petty	4	Chevrolet	500	48	44	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1977	41	Richard Petty	5	Dodge	400	49	70	0.04
Daytona 500	2	19	1978	41	Richard Petty	10	Ford	500	48	50	0.08
Daytona 500	7	4	1978	40	Richard Petty	3	Mercury	400	46	70	0
Daytona 500	2	18	1979	41	Richard Petty	13	Chevrolet	500	72	48	0.13
Daytona 500	7	4	1979	41	Lee Petty	4	72 Ford	400	52	70	0
Daytona 500	2	17	1980	42	Richard Petty	1	Mercury	500	42	44	0.38
Daytona 500	7	4	1980	40	Lee Petty	14	Mercury	400	50	70	0
Daytona 500	2	10	1981	42	Richard Petty	8	Busk	400	41	56	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1981	42	Lee Petty	1	Busk	400	50	70	0
Daytona 500	2	14	1982	42	Richard Petty	7	Busk	500	72	48	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1982	40	Lee Petty	6	Busk	400	41	70	0
Daytona 500	2	20	1983	22	Richard Petty	5	Pontiac	500	72	46	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1983	40	Lee Petty	1	Ford	400	49	71	0
Daytona 500	2	10	1984	42	Richard Petty	1	Chevrolet	400	48	53	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1984	22	Richard Petty	5	Pontiac	400	48	42	0.37
Daytona 500	2	17	1985	40	Lee Petty	1	Ford	500	70	33	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1985	42	Lee Petty	9	Chevrolet	400	48	70	1.17
Daytona 500	2	10	1986	42	Richard Petty	2	Chevrolet	400	46	48	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1986	42	Lee Petty	2	Chevrolet	500	72	44	0
Daytona 500	2	16	1986	42	Richard Petty	8	Ford	400	45	33	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1986	42	Lee Petty	9	Chevrolet	400	46	70	1.17
Daytona 500	2	10	1987	42	Richard Petty	11	Ford	400	70	44	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1987	41	Lee Petty	11	Busk	400	49	70	0
Daytona 500	2	14	1988	42	Richard Petty	3	Busk	500	45	33	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1988	42	Lee Petty	38	Ford	400	46	70	0.26
Daytona 500	2	19	1989	42	Richard Petty	2	Chevrolet	400	44	50	0
Daytona 500	7	1	1989	40	Lee Petty	8	Ford	400	45	70	0.08
Daytona 500	2	18	1990	42	Richard Petty	12	Chevrolet	500	70	56	0.07
Daytona 500	7	4	1990	40	Lee Petty	2	Ford	400	49	70	0
Daytona 500	2	17	1991	42	Richard Petty	2	Chevrolet	500	54	30	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1991	41	Lee Petty	10	Ford	400	50	70	0.24
Daytona 500	2	10	1992	42	Richard Petty	6	Ford	500	70	30	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1992	40	Lee Petty	6	Chevrolet	400	51	70	0
Daytona 500	2	14	1993	41	Lee Petty	2	Chevrolet	500	47	44	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1993	41	Lee Petty	4	Chevrolet	400	50	48	0
Daytona 500	2	20	1994	42	Richard Petty	4	Chevrolet	500	77	41	0.84
Daytona 500	7	4	1994	43	Lee Petty	3	Ford	400	47	71	0.18
Daytona 500	2	10	1995	43	Richard Petty	3	Chevrolet	400	47	56	0.04
Daytona 500	7	1	1995	43	Lee Petty	3	Chevrolet	400	50	70	0
Daytona 500	2	18	1996	43	Richard Petty	7	Ford	500	44	32	0
Daytona 500	7	4	1996	43	Lee Petty	2	Chevrolet	400	41	71	0.18
Daytona 500	2	10	1997	42	Richard Petty	6	Chevrolet	500	43	56	0
Daytona 500	7	5	1997	42	Lee Petty	3	Ford	400	42	71	0.16
Daytona 500	2	10	1998	43	Richard Petty	4	Chevrolet	400	70	46	0.13
Daytona 500	7	5	1998	43	Lee Petty	2	Chevrolet	400	44	70	0
Daytona 500	2	14	1999	43	Lee Petty	1	Chevrolet	500	58	46	0
Daytona 500	7	5	2000	43	Lee Petty	12	Ford	400	48	70	0
Daytona 500	2	20	2000	43	Lee Petty	1	Ford	400	47	50	0
Daytona 500	7	1	2000	43	Lee Petty	9	Ford	400	47	70	0
Daytona 500	2	18	2001	43	Richard Petty	19	Chevrolet	500	48	49	0
Daytona 500	7	1	2001	43	Lee Petty	13	Chevrolet	400	46	70	0
Daytona 500	2	17	2002	43	Richard Petty	19	Dodge	500	70	45	0
Daytona 500	7	6	2002	43	Richard Petty	7	Chevrolet	400	47	70	0
Daytona 500	2	10	2003	43	Richard Petty	4	Chevrolet	400	47	50	0.39
Daytona 500	7	5	2003	43	Lee Petty	30	Ford	400	48	70	0
Daytona 500	2	10	2004	43	Richard Petty	3	Chevrolet	500	70	50	0
Daytona 500	7	3	2004	43	Lee Petty	1	Chevrolet	400	52	70	0.08
Daytona 500	2	20	2005	43	Lee Petty	10	Chevrolet	500	72	47	0
Daytona 500	7	2	2005	43	Lee Petty	1	Chevrolet	400	49	70	0.41
Daytona 500	2	10	2006	43	Lee Petty	6	Chevrolet	400	44	50	0
Daytona 500	7	1	2006	43	Lee Petty	2	Chevrolet	400	47	70	0
Daytona 500	2	19	2007	43	Richard Petty	34	Chevrolet	500	56	41	0.14
Daytona 500	7	1	2007	43	Lee Petty	14	Ford	400	46	70	0
Daytona 500	2	17	2008	21	Richard Petty	7	Dodge	500	42	33	0
Daytona 500	7	5	2008	43	Lee Petty	9	Toyota	400	48	70	0
Daytona 500	2	10	2009	43	Richard Petty	26	Ford	300	48	60	0.08
Daytona 500	7	4	2009	43	Lee Petty	1	Chevrolet	400	50	70	0
Daytona 500	2	14	2010	43	Richard Petty	13	Chevrolet	500	55	33	0
Daytona 500	7	3	2010	43	Lee Petty	1	Chevrolet	400	48	70	0
Daytona 500	2	20	2011	43	Richard Petty	32	Ford	500	77	50	0
Daytona 500	7	2	2011	43	Lee Petty	5	Ford	400	46	70	0
Daytona 500	2	27	2012 (Winter)	43	Richard Petty	4	Ford	300	70	46	0.18
Daytona 500	7	7	2012	43	Lee Petty	4	Chevrolet	400	49	70	0
Daytona 500	2	24	2013	43	Richard Petty	9	Chevrolet	500	72	41	0
Daytona 500	7	6	2013	43	Lee Petty	6	Chevrolet	400.5	48	70	0
Daytona 500	2	23	2014	43	Richard Petty	9	Chevrolet	500	70	50	0.16
Daytona 500	7	6	2014	43	Lee Petty	15	Ford	300	48	70	0.12
Daytona 500	2	29	2015	43	Richard Petty	5	Ford	300	50	51	0
Daytona 500	7	5	2015	43	Lee Petty	1	Chevrolet	400	49	70	0.18
Daytona 500	2	21	2016	43	Richard Petty	11	Toyota	500	71	54	0
Daytona 500	7	2	2016	40	Richard Petty	5	Ford	400.5	49	70	0.16
Daytona 500	2	20	2017	43	Lee Petty	6	Ford	400	48	51	0
Daytona 500	7	1	2017	40	Lee Petty	6	Ford	400.5	48	70	1
Daytona 500	2	19	2018	40	Richard Petty	14	Chevrolet	500.5	70	50	0
Daytona 500	7	7	2018	40	Lee Petty	28	Toyota	400	47	70	0
Daytona 500	2	17	2019	40	Richard Petty	10	Toyota	500.5	44	41	0
Daytona 500	7	7	2019	40	Lee Petty	34	Chevrolet	300.5	49	74	0.08
Daytona 500	2	10	2020 (Winter)	40	Richard Petty	21	Toyota	500.5	70	44	0

Metric	Value	Year	Winner	Start Position	Make/Model
Highest Temp	80°	2/23/2012	Richard Petty	12	75 Chevrolet
Lowest Temp	78°	2/23/2017	Richard Petty	12	67 Ford
Lowest High Temp	80°	2/23/2017	Richard Petty	12	67 Ford
Highest Low Temp	66°	2/18/1990	Richard Petty	12	Chevrolet
Wettest	68				