

MEASURING UP: THE PODIUM FINISHERS OF 2015



WITH FIRST- AND SECOND-PLACE DRIVERS STANDING WELL OVER SIX FEET TALL, IT WASN'T HARD TO GUESS THAT THE PODIUM AT THE HONDA INDY 200 AT MID-OHIO WAS THE TALLEST OF THE SEASON. HERE'S A LOOK AT THE NUMBERS (AND MEASUREMENTS) BEHIND THE 2015 VERIZON INDYCAR SERIES PODIUM FINISHERS.



TALLEST PODIUM OF 2015:

MID-OHIO SPORTS CAR COURSE

AVERAGE HEIGHT: 6'-1½"

1. GRAHAM RAHAL (6'-2")
2. JUSTIN WILSON (6'-3½")
3. SIMON PAGENAUD (5'-10")

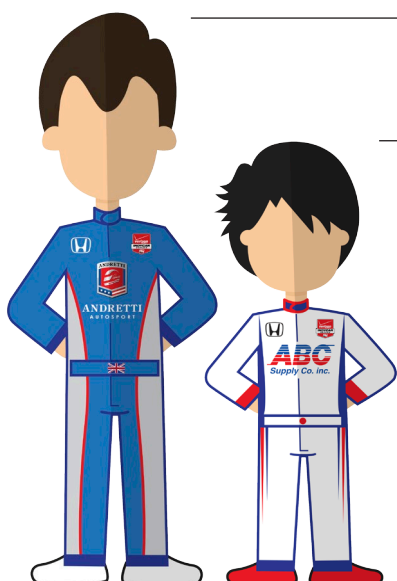


SHORTEST PODIUM OF 2015:

BELLE ISLE 1

AVERAGE HEIGHT: 5'-8¾"

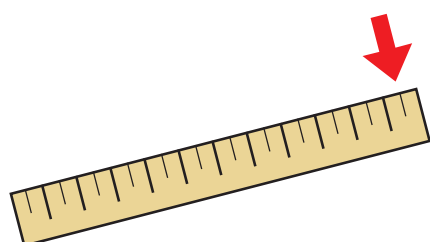
1. CARLOS MUÑOZ (5'-7")
2. MARCO ANDRETTI (5'-8")
3. SIMON PAGENAUD (5'-10")



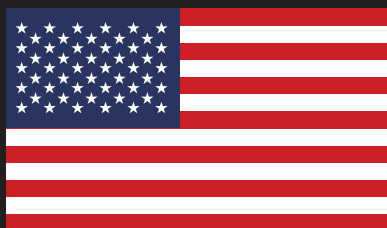
TALLEST PODIUM FINISHER:
JUSTIN WILSON (6'-3½")
SECOND PLACE, MID-OHIO

SHORTEST PODIUM FINISHER:
TAKUMA SATO (5'-4")
SECOND PLACE, BELLE ISLE 2

DIFFERENCE IN HEIGHT:
JUST UNDER A FOOT — 11½"



COUNTRY WITH MOST PODIUM FINISHERS:

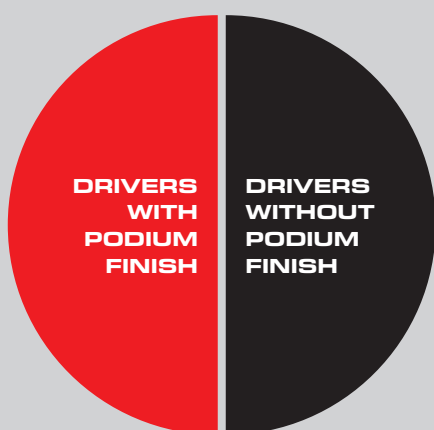


UNITED STATES (6)

THREE OF WHOM FINISHED ON THE PODIUM TOGETHER AT IOWA: RYAN HUNTER-REAY, JOSEF NEWGARDEN AND SAGE KARAM.



DRIVERS WITH A PODIUM FINISH IN 2015



THIRTY-EIGHT DRIVERS HAVE STARTED A VERIZON INDYCAR SERIES RACE THIS YEAR...OF THOSE, 19, OR EXACTLY HALF, HAVE FINISHED ON THE PODIUM AT LEAST ONCE.

THOSE 19 DRIVERS ARE: **ANDRETTI, BOURDAIS, CASTRONEVES, DIXON, FILIPPI, HINCHLIFFE, HUNTER-REAY, JAKES, KANAAN, KARAM, KIMBALL, MONTOYA, MUÑOZ, NEWGARDEN, PAGENAUD, POWER, RAHAL, SATO AND WILSON.**

OTHER PODIUM SUPERLATIVES:

OLDEST 2015 PODIUM FINISHER

TONY KANAAN (40)

YOUNGEST 2015 PODIUM FINISHER

SAGE KARAM (20)

MOST CAREER PODIUMS AMONG 2015 PODIUM FINISHERS

HELIO CASTRONEVES (86)

FEWEST CAREER PODIUMS AMONG 2015 PODIUM FINISHERS

LUCA FILIPPI/SAGE KARAM (1)