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FSCCA: Aleckson Captures National Championship at Road Atlanta

Saturday afternoon Brandon Aleckson, of Watsonville, Calif., became the Formula SCCA National Champion, capturing the win in a very entertaining race. Terrick Mansur, of Oranjestad, Aruba, crossed the start/finish right behind the race winner, securing second place in the FormulaCar Magazine FSCCA National Championship race. Completing the podium at Road Atlanta was Jim Swain, of Mount Dora, Fla.

After two days of practice and qualifying, the FCM FSCCA National Championship race got underway Saturday just prior to lunch. Immediately fanning out three and four cars wide at the waving of the green flag, the entire 21-car FSCCA field made it through turn one unscathed. Aleckson, having started second, quickly moved into the lead, just ahead of the polesitter Mansur. Running in close formation around the 2.5-mile track, the duo led Justin Huffman across the stripe at the completion of the opening lap. Dicing for the lead, the order was shuffled next time past the starters stand. Both Mansur and Huffman found a way past Aleckson, while not far behind Eric Cruz was under increased pressure from Swain. Beginning what would become a two-man fight for the win, the start of lap four witnessed Mansur and Aleckson out front and building a gap on Huffman, who in turn was pulling away from Swain. Over the course of the next several laps, Mansur and Aleckson traded new lap records, while continuing to dice for the lead.



*Brandon Aleckson captured the FCM FSCCA National Championship at Road Atlanta
(Photo: Jack Brimmer)*

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*Terrick Mansur led a good portion of the National Championship race
(Photo: Jack Brimmer)*

Behind the lead trio, the fight among the top-eight was increasingly becoming more and more intense. Swain led a multi-car train of cars that included Matthew Inge, Mark Marchbanks, Cruz, Craig Spaulding and Dennis Marklein. Lap after lap the group diced, with positions being swapped around the track.

As the 20-lap race entered the final third, traffic started playing a role in several battles for position. Aleckson moved into the lead and using the slower cars to his advantage, established a multi-car gap on Mansur. Encountering the same heavy traffic as the lead duo, Swain's lead over Inge, Marchbanks and Spaulding evaporated. Pushing all the way to the checkered flag, the final order was not determined until the final lap. Mansur, closing the gap on Aleckson, challenged for the win, but was unable to find a way past the California teenager. Aleckson captured the Formula SCCA National Championship, crossing the stripe 0.441s ahead of Mansur. Swain, having held off repeated challenges from

Inge, finished third, after Huffman slide off-course on the final lap, losing several positions.

A number of the Formula SCCA drivers will return to Road Atlanta on Sunday, taking part in the Atlanta Region SCCA Pro Shootout race.

Additional news and notes available in the FCM FSCCA National Championship discussion: <http://www.eformulacarneews.com/viewtopic.php?t=507>

**FormulaCar Magazine FSCCA Championship
National Championship – Race Results – Road Atlanta**

Pos	Name	Hometown	Fast Time
1	Brandon Aleckson	Watsonville, Calif.	1:28.410
2	Terrick Mansur	Oranjestad, Aruba	1:28.240
3	Jim Swain	Mount Dora, Fla.	1:30.144
4	Matthew Inge	Ft. Myers, Fla.	1:30.015
5	Justin Huffman	Herndon, Va.	1:30.064
6	Dennis Marklein	Dodgeville, Wis.	1:30.861
7	Craig Spaulding	San Antonio, Texas	1:31.215
8	Jack Corthell	Orlando, Fla.	1:31.716
9	Hannu Nummenpaa	Wellington, Fla.	1:31.590
10	Wally Osinga	Seminole, Fla.	1:32.280
11	Steve Stadel	Scales Mound, Ill.	1:31.970
12	Thomas Donovan	Memphis, Tenn.	1:32.544
13	Colt McCarthy	Tahlequah, Okla.	1:31.957
14	Keith Field	Mount Dora, Fla.	1:34.026

15	Craig Cunningham	Naperville, Ill.	1:32.039
16	Peter Pope	Hickory, N.C.	1:31.459
17	Keith McDonald	Ranson, W.Va.	1:33.902
18	Jim Justice	Norcross, Ga.	1:41.095
19	Mark Marchbanks	Arlington, Texas	1:31.020
20	Eric Cruz	Barhamsville, Va.	1:30.808
DNF	Jay Leeman	Guttenberg, Iowa	1:34.193

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