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Huge Racing Success this Weekend for Spectra Premium High-Performance Radiators

Boucherville, Quebec, August 14, 2019 – At the wheel of Hattori Racing Enterprises' #16 truck, Austin Hill drove to victory lane at the Michigan International Speedway on Saturday. He won for the second time this year (and of his career) and secured himself a spot in the NASCAR Gander Outdoors Series (NGOTS) playoffs. At the same time, Hill was bringing with him a Spectra Premium high-performance radiator at the top of the podium for the very first time. The next day, in Canada, other Spectra Premium high-performance radiators filled the podium at Trois-Rivieres.

"We are very thankful to our partners Toyota Racing Development U.S.A., Dumoulin Competition and 22 Racing for making this major milestone come true," said Jason Best, Senior Vice-President, Aftermarket at Spectra Premium. "We were confident about the performance and durability of our radiator in the NGOTS, but reaching this milestone three months since its adoption is very special. Thank you and good luck Austin for the playoffs!"

Last November, Spectra Premium received NASCAR's authorization to feature its radiators in the NASCAR Xfinity and then-NASCAR Camping World Truck series.

Canadian driver Raphael Lessard, who debuted this year in the NASCAR Trucks series, was the first driver to use a high-performance radiator at the Monster Mile in Dover on May 3rd. The KBM development driver landed an 11th-place finish in the #46 Spectra Premium.

The Spectra Premium high-performance radiator remained in use in select racing Trucks for several races until Hill drove home in first place three months later on August 10th in Michigan.

The next day, in the NASCAR Pinty's series (the Canadian national NASCAR series), the most important race of the season took place in the streets of Trois-Rivieres. On his home track, defending champion Louis-Philippe Dumoulin brought his #47 Weathertech to victory, followed by vice-champion Alex Tagliani and his brother, Jean-François Dumoulin at the wheel of the #04 Spectra Premium.

The Dumoulin brothers were the first adopters of the high-performance radiator two years ago and contributed to its development for the NASCAR Pinty's series. In that series, many leading teams trust the Spectra Premium high-performance radiator which secured victory in the last seven races.

Spectra Premium is a North American automotive, light and heavy-duty truck parts manufacturer for the heating & cooling, fuel delivery and engine management systems. The company's cooling system engineers honed their stock-car racing expertise in the NASCAR Pinty's Series, the highest national stock-car series in Canada, in which the radiator provided convincing results after only two years on the tracks.

Additional information

High-performance radiator milestones	
2016	Radiator development in collaboration with the Dumoulin Competition Race Team
2017	First track tests at Sebring, Florida with Jean-François Dumoulin and Dumoulin Competition team First NASCAR Pinty's complete season in two cars with Dumoulin Compétition (3 podiums, 11 top-5 and 22 top-10 finishes) Adoption of the radiator by Alex Tagliani
2018	Development of different radiator models and new line of radiators launched for the APC Series First radiator victory with Louis-Philippe Dumoulin Adoption of the radiator by Larry Jackson and Alex Labbé NASCAR Pinty's championship won by Louis-Philippe Dumoulin (5 wins, 16 podiums, 20 top-5 and 20 top-10 finishes season results for the radiator) Radiator's first races in the NASCAR Whelen Euro Series in Jean-Francois Dumoulin's car Approval for use in the NASCAR Xfinity and Camping World Truck Series
2019	First use of the radiator in the NASCAR Gander Outdoors Truck Series First victory in the NASCAR Gander Outdoors Trucks Series

About Spectra Premium

Spectra Premium Industries Inc. is a privately held company headquartered in Boucherville, Quebec, Canada. Spectra Premium is a team of more than 1,300 dedicated employees specialized in the design, manufacturing and distribution of cooling systems, fuel delivery, ignition and engine management, climate control, and undercar components for automotive vehicles as well as light and heavy trucks.

The Company owns and operates five manufacturing plants, 18 warehouses and a distribution network in the United States, Canada, Mexico and Europe. Backed by unparalleled customer and after sales service, Spectra Premium is the automobile manufacturers', auto technicians' and consumers' choice for reliable, quality parts and automotive systems.

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