2015 World Golf Championships-Cadillac Championship
(The $16^{\text {th }}$ of 43 events in the PGA TOUR Season)
Doral, Fla. $\quad$ March 5-8, 2015
The Blue Monster Course at Trump National Doral
Purse: \$9,250,000 (\$1,570,000)
Par/Yards: 36-36-72/7,528

## FINAL-Round Notes, Sunday, March 8, 2015

## Weather

Mostly cloudy. High of 79. Winds ENE 15-25 mph.

## Final-Round Leaderboard

| Dustin Johnson | USA |  | $68-73-69-69-279(-9)$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| J.B. Holmes | USA |  | $62-73-70-75-280(-8)$ |
| Bubba Watson | USA | $71-69-70-71-281(-7)$ |  |
| Adam Scott | Australia | $70-68-75-71 — 284(-4)$ |  |
| Henrik Stenson | Sweden | $69-71-72-72 — 284(-4)$ |  |

The PGA TOUR has featured single-digit under-par winning scores the last three weeks (four events), with James Hahn winning the Northern Trust Open at 6-under, Padraig Harrington winning The Honda Classic at 6under, Alex Cejka winning the Puerto Rico Open at 7 -under and Dustin Johnson winning the World Golf Championships-Cadillac Championship at 9-under.

## Dustin Johnson

Dustin Johnson, who entered the final round trailing J.B. Holmes by five strokes, carded a 3-under 69 Sunday for a one-shot victory over Holmes.

Johnson notches his ninth PGA TOUR victory in his $163^{\text {rd }}$ start at the age of 30 years, 8 months and 14 days.
Johnson has at least one PGA TOUR victory in eight consecutive seasons (2008-current), the current longest streak on TOUR.

PGA TOUR wins (9):
2008 Turning Stone Resort Championship
2009 AT\&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am
2010 AT\&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am, BMW Championship
2011 The Barclays
2012 FedEx St. Jude Classic
2013 Hyundai Tournament of Champions
2013 World Golf Championships-HSBC Champions (2013-14 Season)
2015 World Golf Championships-Cadillac Championship (2014-15 Season)
Johnson collects 550 points and moves from No. 40 to No. 3 in the FedExCup standings.
Here's a list of players with multiple World Golf Championships titles: Tiger Woods (18), Geoff Ogilvy (3), Darren Clarke (2), Ernie Els (2), Hunter Mahan (2), Phil Mickelson (2), Ian Poulter (2), Dustin Johnson (2).

Johnson's five-stroke come-from-behind victory on the final day is the largest at the Cadillac Championship, topping the previous mark held by Justin Rose (3 strokes, 2012).

Johnson wins in his seventh start at the Cadillac Championship (2009-T35, 2010-T56, 2011-2, 2012-T35, 2013-T12, 2014-T4, 2015-Won).

Johnson wins in his fifth start this season. Outside of missed cuts at the Farmers Insurance Open and The Honda Classic, he has top-4 finishes at the Cadillac Championship (Won), Northern Trust Open (playoff loss) and AT\&T Pebble Beach National Pro-Am (T4).

Johnson's victory comes in his $20^{\text {th }}$ World Golf Championships start, with wins at the 2015 Cadillac Championship and 2013 HSBC Champions.

With his hole-in-one on the par-3 fourth hole during the third round, Johnson becomes the first player to record an ace and win that same week since Steve Stricker at the 2011 Memorial Tournament.

| Dustin Johnson career holes-in-one |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Year | Tournament | Rnd | Hole |
| 2015 | World Golf Championships-Cadillac Championship | 3 | 4 |
| 2011 | The Open Championship | 1 | 16 |
| 2010 | Northern Trust Open | 2 | 6 |
| 2008 | Crowne Plaza Invitational at Colonial | 2 | 13 |

Johnson becomes the eighth player in his 30 s to win on TOUR this season, compared to seven winners in their 20s and two in their 40s.

Johnson's five-stroke come-from-behind win equals the largest of the season (Robert Streb, The McGladrey Classic).
Johnson earns 1,100 points towards making the 2015 U.S. Presidents Cup team.
R1 at a glance: 7 of 14 fairways, 14 of 18 greens, 26 putts, $2 / 4$ sand saves.
R2 at a glance: 7 of 14 fairways, 12 of 18 greens, 29 putts, $0 / 4$ sand saves.
R3 at a glance: 6 of 14 fairways, 14 of 18 greens, 30 putts, $1 / 1$ sand saves.
R4 at a glance: 7 of 14 fairways, 12 of 18 greens, 27 putts, $1 / 1$ sand saves.
Dustin Johnson's Statistics for the Week:
Fairways Hit 27 of $56 \quad$ T41

Driving Distance 328.3 yards 1
Greens in Regulation 52 of 72 T1
Total Putts $112 \quad$ T11
Strokes Gained: Putting $\quad+0.546 /$ round 19
Strokes Gained: Tee to Green $+2.953 /$ round 2
Sand Saves $\quad 4$ of $10 \quad$ T61

## J.B. Holmes

J.B. Holmes, who entered the final round with a five-stroke cushion over Dustin Johnson and Bubba Watson, carded a 3-over 75 to fall into the runner-up position, one stroke behind Dustin Johnson.

Holmes was seeking his fourth TOUR victory (2006 and 2008 Waste Management Phoenix Open, 2014 Wells Fargo Championship). The runner-up finish is the fourth of his career and second of the year (Farmers Insurance Open).

Holmes led outright the first three rounds but was denied the first wire-to-wire win on the PGA TOUR since Rory Mcllroy won the 2014 Open Championship. Tiger Woods $(2002,2006)$ remains the only player to win the Cadillac Championship in wire-to-wire fashion (no ties after any round).

Holmes has won three of five times when leading after 54 holes on the PGA TOUR. The exceptions came at the 2010 Valero Texas Open (T13) and 2015 Cadillac Championship (2 $2^{\text {nd }}$ ).

Holmes' runner-up finish comes in his third start at the Cadillac Championship (2008-T40, 2010-T18, 2015-2 ${ }^{\text {nd }}$ ).
Holmes' runner-up finish is his best finish in 11 World Golf Championships appearances. His previous-best showing was T5 at the 2011 Cadillac Match Play (his only other top-10 finish in the series).

During Thursday's opening round, Holmes tied the 18 -hole tournament record at Trump National Doral's Blue Monster (event moved here in 2009). Bubba Watson recorded the other 62, during the second round in 2012. Two additional 62s have been posted in tournament history: Sergio Garcia and Retief Goosen, R4, 2002, Mount Juliet Conrad. Stephen Ames owns the Blue Monster at Trump National Doral course record, a $61(-11)$ during the second round of the 2000 Doral Ryder Open.

## Third-Round Leader Stats

Dustin Johnson's come-from-behind win is the sixth in 16 Cadillac Championships. Here's a list of players who have carried the 54-hole lead on to victory:

| 1999 | Tiger Woods | $205(-11)$ | 4 over Brett Wetterich |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2002 | Tiger Woods | $197(-19)$ | 5 over Goosen |
| 2003 | Tiger Woods | $202(-8)$ | 2 over Singh |
| 2004 | Ernie Els | $201(-15)$ | 2 over Bjorn |


| 2006 | Tiger Woods | $194(-19)$ | 6 over Scott |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2007 | Tiger Woods | $205(-11)$ | 4 over Wetterich |
| 2008 | Geoff Ogilvy | $200(-16)$ | 4 over Singh |
| 2009 | Phil Mickelson | $200(-13)$ | Tied with Watney |
| 2013 | Tiger Woods | $198(-18)$ | 4 over McDowell |
| 2014 | Patrick Reed | $212(-4)$ | 2 over Dufner, Mahan |

The third-round leader/co-leader has won five of 17 stroke-play events this season.

## Bubba Watson

In search of his eighth PGA TOUR victory and second of the season (World Golf Championships-HSBC Champions), Bubba Watson finished third in his bid to join Tiger Woods as the only players to win back-to-back World Golf Championships events.

Here's a look at Watson's five starts at the Cadillac Championship, with top-3 finishes in three of his last four starts (2009-72, 2012-2, 2013-T18, 2014-T2, 2015-3 ${ }^{\text {rd }}$ ).

In five starts this season, Watson has yet to finish worse than T14.

## Additional Player Notes

Patrick Reed finished T23 in his attempt to become the first back-to-back winner of the Cadillac Championship since Tiger Woods won in 2005-2007.

2013 FedExCup champion Henrik Stenson finished T4 in his $28^{\text {th }}$ World Golf Championships start. He was seeking his second win in the World Golf Championships series, having won the 2007 Cadillac Match Play. Stenson's best finish in eight starts at the Cadillac Championship is T3 in his inaugural appearance in 2005.

Using a conventional putter this week, Adam Scott finished T4 in his $14^{\text {th }}$ start at the Cadillac Championship, with top-10 finishes in 2006 (T2), 2013 (T3), 2015 (T4), 2011 (T6) and 2008 (T9). Scott finished the week $12^{\text {th }}$ in Strokes Gained: Putting (+0.775/round) and had 114 total putts.

Louis Oosthuizen, winner of the 2010 Open Championship, finished sixth for his first top 10 in nine Cadillac Championship starts. His previous-best finish was T18 in 2011. Oosthuizen's best finish in 23 World Golf Championships starts is fourth at the 2012 Bridgestone Invitational.

Webb Simpson finished T7 in his third start at the Cadillac Championship (2013-T14, 2014-T31, T7-2015). His only other top 10s in World Golf Championships events came at the Cadillac Match Play: T5 in 2013 and T9 in 2014.

Bill Haas, seeking his second win of the season (Humana Challenge), finished T7 for his third top-10 finish in six starts at the Cadillac Championship. His other top 10s came in 2010 and 2014 - both T6s.

Kevin Na finished T9 for his first top-10 finish in nine World Golf Championships starts. His previous-best finish was T20 at the 2014 HSBC Champions.

World No. 1 Rory Mcllroy finished T9 in his seventh Cadillac Championship start. His best finish here is third in 2012.
Lee Westwood became the first player to make 50 starts in the World Golf Championships series this week. Below is a list of most World Golf Championships appearances (Cadillac Championship, Cadillac Match Play, Bridgestone Invitational, HSBC Champions since it become a World Golf Championships event in 2009) and their finish this week:

Lee Westwood
Ernie Els 50 (T12)
48 (not in the field)
Tiger Woods 44 (not in the field)
Phil Mickelson 44 (T31)
Jim Furyk $\quad 44$ (T12)

There were four past champions in the field this week:
Player (year won) Cadillac

Patrick Reed (2014) T23
Justin Rose (2012) 55
Phil Mickelson (2009) T31
Geoff Ogilvy (2008) 61
Seventeen players made their first start in the Cadillac Championship:

## Player

Cadillac


Best rounds by day:
Round 1 - J.B. Holmes (62)
Round 2 - Adam Scott (68)
Round 3 - Bill Haas (65)
Round 4 - Marcel Siem (67)
Scoring Averages:

The par-4 $18^{\text {th }}$ hole played the toughest this week at 4.572 . The par- $58^{\text {th }}$ hole was the easiest at 4.613 .
Bogey-Free Rounds
R1 - J.B. Holmes (62), Gary Woodland (70), Jamie Donaldson (70).
R2 - Webb Simpson (69), Morgan Hoffmann (71).
R3 - None
R4 - None
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