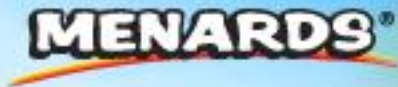


# #44 Ansell/Menards Ford Fusion



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## The Ansell-Menards Ford Takes the Checkered Flag in the 9<sup>th</sup> Position at Kansas

**Kansas City, KA** - The No. 44 Ansell-Menards Ford, driven by Frank Kimmel, finished 9<sup>th</sup> in the night race at Kansas Speedway. Frank Kimmel qualified the Ansell-Menards Ford in the 14<sup>th</sup> position Friday afternoon, as the teams prepared for the last night race of 2011 in the ARCA Racing Series presented by Menards.

Track position was important for the 99 lap race and Frank would battle with maintaining it through the race. At the drop of the green flag, Frank quickly moved the Ansell-Menards up two spots to 12<sup>th</sup> and would break into the top-10 after the first pit-stop.

The Kimmel Racing team battled a loose Ansell-Menards Ford throughout the race, especially on early laps. The crew took multiple swings at adjustments to tighten the Ansell-Menards Ford on pit-stops throughout the race. On longer green flag runs, Frank was able to pick up spots and would move as high as 6<sup>th</sup> late in the race. Yet, the Ansell-Menards Ford would surrender a few spots on a late restart when a few teams behind Frank came in for fresh Hoosiers tires.

“Not a bad night. The Ansell-Menards Ford was free in early runs and I had to be easy on the throttle in the corners but on long green flag runs we could make up positions. We ran out of time to get it right and even though 9<sup>th</sup> wasn’t what we wanted we’ll take another top-10. We have Toledo next weekend and I’m excited about that,” said Frank Kimmel after the race.

Continue to watch for Frank Kimmel at Toledo Speedway in the No. 44 Ansell-Menards Ford on October 16<sup>th</sup> for the Toledo ARCA 200 presented by Federated Car Care in the ARCA Racing Series presented by Menards. Also, be sure to visit a Menards location to purchase your next pair of Ansell Gloves. More information can be found at [www.frankkimmel.com](http://www.frankkimmel.com), [www.ansellracingus.com](http://www.ansellracingus.com), [www.menardsracing.com](http://www.menardsracing.com), and [www.arcaracing.com](http://www.arcaracing.com).