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## COLE CUSTER

### HaasTooling.com/Autodesk Fusion 360 Team Report Rounds 16 of 36 – Brickyard 400 – Indianapolis

**Car No.:** 41 – HaasTooling.com/Autodesk Fusion 360 Ford Mustang

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#### Primary Team Members:

Driver: Cole Custer  
Hometown: Ladera Ranch, California

Car Chief: Tony Cardamone  
Hometown: Bristol, Virginia

Engine Specialist: Evan Cupples  
Hometown: Hudson, Illinois

Crew Chief: Mike Shiplett  
Hometown: Amherst, Ohio

Engine Builder: Roush-Yates Engines  
Headquarters: Mooresville, North Carolina

Spotter: Andy Houston  
Hometown: Hickory, North Carolina

#### Over-The-Wall Crew Members:

Gas Man: Chad Emmons  
Hometown: Tyler, Texas

Jackman: Brett Morrell  
Hometown: Windham, Maine

Front Tire Changer: Josh Leslie  
Hometown: Mount Clemens, Michigan

Rear Tire Changer: Chris McMullen  
Hometown: Canton, Michigan

Tire Carrier: Dwayne Moore  
Hometown: Griffin, Georgia

#### Indianapolis Motor Speedway Notes of Interest:

- **Cole Custer will make his 19th career Cup Series start Sunday at Indianapolis Motor Speedway.** It will be Custer's first Cup Series start at the iconic track.
- Custer **has three NASCAR Xfinity Series starts** at the 2.5-mile Indianapolis oval, with a best finish of fifth in September 2017. With the exception of an accident in 2018, he hasn't finished outside of the top-10 in the series. All three starting positions have been from 11<sup>th</sup> or better.
- The 22-year-old Cup Series rookie is vying for a spot in the NASCAR All-Star Race on July 15 at Bristol (Tenn.) Motor Speedway. If Custer wins a race before the event, he's automatically locked in. The alternative is to vote the California native in via the [NASCAR.com Fan Vote](http://NASCAR.com).
- The HaasTooling.com driver finished 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> last weekend at the Pocono (Pa.) Raceway doubleheader.
- 2020 mark's Custer's first full-time season in the Cup Series, and he is contending for Rookie of the Year honors along with four other competitors.

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