



## ***TEAM MUGEN***

**#15 Iwasa, with a persevering run, takes 2<sup>nd</sup> place on the podium!**  
**#16 Nojiri, despite missing a good opportunity due to his poor qualifying, drives well for the next race**

Series name: 2025 All Japan Super Formula Championship Round 7

Competition name: 2025 All Japan Super Formula Championship Round 6 and 7

Distance: 4,563m x 41 Laps (187.083km) \*41 Laps or 75 minutes.

Qualifying: Saturday, July 20, 2025, Weather: Fine / Course: Dry

Race: Saturday, July 20, 2025, Weather: Fine / Course: Dry

### ■ Overview of the race

Clean start. Nojiri moved up to 11<sup>th</sup> position. Iwasa maintained his position. After completing 7 laps, Iwasa took a pit stop and returned to the track ahead of #6. He held off the out-lap and was the top among the pit group. He succeeded in getting ahead of #39 running in 4<sup>th</sup> position.

On the 18<sup>th</sup> lap Nojiri pitted at the same time as the safety car appeared. Iwasa took the lead, and the safety car run began. All the cars that had not yet completed their pit stops entered the pits at once, and Nojiri dropped to 12<sup>th</sup> position.

The race resumed on the 25<sup>th</sup> lap. Clean restart. Nojiri rose to 11<sup>th</sup> position at first, but was overtaken by #38 and #19, dropping him to 13<sup>th</sup> position. Iwasa was pursued by #1 but managed to hold on to his position and stay in the lead. However, on the 33<sup>rd</sup> lap, he was overtaken by #6 and dropped to 2<sup>nd</sup> position.

On the 37<sup>th</sup> lap, Nojiri overtook to 12<sup>th</sup> place and took the checkered flag. Iwasa held on to 2<sup>nd</sup> place until the end and made it onto the podium.





July 20<sup>th</sup> (Sun)

## Qualifying:

#15 Ayumu Iwasa 5<sup>th</sup> place

#16 Tomoki Nojiri 12<sup>th</sup> place

(※7th place → 12th place due to off-track driving)

[Driver: Iwasa]

Round 7, Sunday's qualifying has ended, and I am in 5<sup>th</sup> place, the same as yesterday. I tried to improve and got a good feeling, but I was not able to get it perfectly in tune.

A positive is a positive. I will try to get it in tune for the race, aim for an even better pace, and do my best to get a higher position since I was in 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the previous race.

Please cheer us on.

[Driver: Nojiri]

Unfortunately, I ended up in 12<sup>th</sup> place, but I will do my best to catch up in the race.

I would like to recover somehow, so I will try my best.



July 20<sup>th</sup> (Sun)

## Race

#15 Ayumu Iwasa 2<sup>nd</sup> place

#16 Tomoki Nojiri 12<sup>th</sup> place



[Driver: Iwasa]

Round 7 is over. I held on. I did everything I could with all my strength. The timing of the safety car was a bit out of our strategy, but I believe we managed to get the bare minimum results we needed.

I will combine this strength with speed and aim to win the next race at SUGO. Thank you for your continued support.



[Driver: Nojiri]

Unfortunately, I placed 12<sup>th</sup> in Round 7, which was pretty low. I would like to do my best to make up for it at the next round in SUGO with everyone's support.

I placed 2<sup>nd</sup> in Round 6 yesterday, but today I did not perform well at all. I will try my best to celebrate with everyone again, and since I have not won yet this year, I will do my best to win right away.

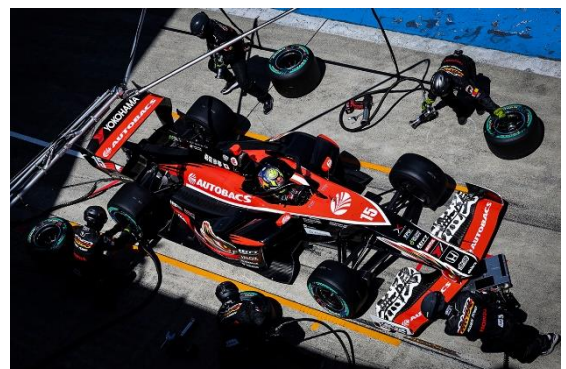


Please continue to support us. Thank you.

[Director: Tanaka]

Round 7, Iwasa tried his best. Although he could not win, he started from 5<sup>th</sup> place, and the timing of his pit stop was good. His driving after that was excellent. The safety car was unexpected, but the battle after the safety car was also very exciting, and I think he was able to have a race that we can look forward to in the future.

Nojiri pushed himself to the limit in qualifying, and as a result, his best time was deleted, and he qualified in 12<sup>th</sup> place. We tried to tighten the set from the qualifying position, but it was a tough race.



We will prepare both cars so that they can race in the top positions in the second half of the season. Please continue to support us.



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