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### Results of TMC SuperTech and TMC FutureTech National Technicians Skills Competitions

**Orlando, Florida** – Below are the full results of American Trucking Associations' Technology and Maintenance Council's National Technicians Skills Competitions.

#### TMC SuperTech Traditional Technician Competition

Rank	First Name	Last Name	Company
1	Mark	McLean	FedEx Freight
2	Doug	Nickles	FedEx Freight
3	Joseph	Calaway	BASE Air Management
4	Matt	Sloan	FedEx Freight
5	Larry	Coatney	FedEx Freight
6	Michael	Gavrielides	TravelCenters of America
7	Philip	Barlow	FedEx Freight
8	Kelby	Bentley	FedEx Freight
9	Terry	Podralski	W. W. Williams
10	Phillip	Pinter	FedEx Freight
11	Joseph	Paul	FedEx Freight
12	Richard	Davis	NationaLease
13	Kyle	Ballard	Clarke Power Services Inc.
14	Nathan	Reed	RWC International
15	Adam	Farney	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
16	Christopher	Tate	Mohawk Truck Inc.
17	Mark	Galliand	FedEx Freight
18	Joseph	Anderson	TravelCenters of America
19	Troy	Hiatt	FedEx Freight
20	Bryan	Seaton	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
21	Jamie	Smith	FedEx Freight
22	John	Winstead	Old Dominion Freight Line Inc.
23	Aaron	Burdick	Clarke Power Services Inc.
24	Scott	Megilligan	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
25	Kevin	Fricke	Clarke Power Services Inc.
26	Adam	Martin	W. W. Williams
27	Robert	Gonzalez	Ryder System Inc.
28	Nathan	Lehman	Stoops Freightliner



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29	Michael	Clark	TravelCenters of America
30	Christopher	Matelli	TravelCenters of America
31	Josh	Wilson	W. W. Williams
32	Matthew	Adams	Rush Truck Centers
33	Eric	Rusk	McKee Foods Transportation LLC
34	Jacob	Gernetzke	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
35	William	Zwisle	Columbia Truck Center
36	Corey	Granger	TravelCenters of America
37	Kelly	Myers	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
38	David	Thrower	Old Dominion Freight Line Inc.
39	Jason	Vanderhoof	Old Dominion Freight Line Inc.
40	Donald	Allison	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
41	Jason	Lott	TravelCenters of America
42	Jesse	Elmore	USA Truck Inc.
43	Josh	Keiser	Clarke Power Services Inc.
44	Jose'	Feliciano	Dickinson Fleet Services
45	Henry	Totten	Wiers International
46	Joseph	Catlin	Mohawk Truck Inc.
47	John	Norwood	NationaLease
48	Robert	Berkheimer	Oak Harbor Freight Lines Inc.
49	Raece	Paulsen	Nebraska Truck Center
50	Robert	Mrzyglod	NationaLease
51	Jorge	Acevedo	VEHICARE Fleet Maintenance Solutions
52	Brendan	Murphy	McDevitt Trucks Inc.
53	Ben	Siron	Excel Truck Group
54	Bradley	Williams	Excel Truck Group
55	Craig	Joplin	UPS Freight
56	Ryan	Stephens	TravelCenters of America
57	Bradford	Calfee	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
58	Joel	Kaup	Truck Center Companies
59	Rudy	Laguna	H-E-B Grocery Co.
60	James	Teglas	U.S. Xpress Enterprises Inc.
61	Paul	Schafer	Redwine International
62	Jay	Stahl	United Parcel Service Inc.
63	Wyatt	Newman	W. W. Williams
64	Canty	Geraets	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
65	Jared	Rowley	Penn Power Group
66	Christopher	Stroud	United Parcel Service Inc.
67	Aaron	Cummins	Old Dominion Freight Line Inc.



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68	Matthew	Barber	Smith Power Products
69	Michael	Bloodworth	Southeastern Freight Lines
70	Robert	Garrett	TCW Inc.
71	William	Andazola	TravelCenters of America
72	Clarence	Preston	Cummins Southern Plains Inc.
73	James	Bowers	U.S. Xpress Enterprises Inc.
74	Karl	Owens	Ruan Transport
75	Greg	Chapman	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
76	Cory	Gross	Penn Power Group
77	Dillon	Shaw	United Parcel Service Inc.
78	Steven	Frederick	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
79	Ryan	Andrews	Dean Foods Company
80	Nathan	Sensenig	Penn Power Group
81	John	Rivera	Ryder Transportation
82	Chad	Dorminey	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
83	Gabriel	Mammolito	Excel Truck Group
84	Michael	Trent	UPS Freight
85	Robert	Hatch	Hartt Transportation
86	Steve	Remus	Southeastern Freight Lines
87	Thomas	Kunz	United Parcel Service Inc.
88	Kurtis	Washburn	PENN DDA
89	Brian	Cale	Clean Harbors Environmental Services Inc.
90	Brian	Ankrum	Ankrum Trucking Inc.
91	Matthew	Brendle	Southeastern Freight Lines
92	Charalambos	Christofides	UPS Freight
93	Richard	Liebler	United Parcel Service Inc.
94	Eric	Howard	Clean Harbors Environmental Services Inc.
95	John	Welsh	U.S. Xpress Enterprises Inc.
96	Kevin	Kopela	Clean Harbors Environmental Services Inc.
97	Jeff	Brinkman	Dickinson Fleet Services
98	Gary	Sandridge	Clean Harbors Environmental Services Inc.
99	Ricky	Rooker	U.S. Xpress Enterprises Inc.
100	Derrick	Crockford	Amerit Fleet Solutions
101	Garry	Wilson	U.S. Xpress Enterprises Inc.
102	Mark	Truman	Clarke Power Services Inc.
103	William	Elser	United Parcel Service Inc.
104	Chance	Gartman	Love's Travel Stops



**TMCSuperTech Trailer Technician Competition**

<b>Rank</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>Company</b>
1	Darrell	Duggan	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
2	Randy	Qualls	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
3	Robert	Anderson	TravelCenters of America
4	Michael	Kerfoot	TravelCenters of America
5	Scott	Davidson	TravelCenters of America
6	Daniel	Howell	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
7	John	Kidd	TravelCenters of America
8	Sean	Bailey	Old Dominion Freight Line Inc.
9	Steven	Frye	McKee Foods Transportation LLC
10	Christopher	Herndon	Love's Travel Stops
11	Paul	Thomas	United Parcel Service Inc.
12	Michael	Smith	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
13	Gonzalo	Ortega	Mckinney Trailer Rentals
14	Duane	McKaskle	Dickinson Fleet Services
15	Nicholas	Alspaugh	U.S. Xpress Enterprises Inc.
16	Shawn	Boldt	Dart Safety Lane
17	Dwayne	Hoffman	United Parcel Service Inc.
18	Charles	Phillips	Love's Travel Stops
19	Bill	McKown	Dart Safety Lane
20	Christopher	Avelar	Mckinney Trailer Rentals
21	Teddy	Humphries	U.S. Xpress Enterprises Inc.

**TMCFutureTech Student Technician Competition**

<b>Rank</b>	<b>First Name</b>	<b>Last Name</b>	<b>School</b>
1	Bonnie	Greenwood	WyoTech
2	Ian	Partak	Ferris State University
3	Keith	Ellerbach	WyoTech
4	Daniel	Putnam	Advanced Technology Institute
5	Zakary	Hixon	Francis Tuttle Technology Ctr.
6	Tim	Veltman	WyoTech
7	Ernesto	Logan	Lincoln Technical Institute
8	Halen	Gage Scott	Tooele Applied Technology College
9	Jake	Womble	Forsyth Technical Community College
10	Todd	Adams	Southside Virginia Community College
11	Carl	Brink	UNOH, University of NW Ohio



12	Theodore	Welch	WyoTech
13	Charles	Decker	WyoTech
14	Charles	Martin	Mid-America Technology Center
15	Noah	Sisk	Forsyth Technical Community College
16	Cameron	Clapper	Metropolitan Community College
17	Phillip	Rial	UTI
18	Sean	Rafferty	UTI
19	Dominique	McConnell	Mid Florida Tech
20	Nicolas	Levesque	Baker College of Owosso
21	Robert	Byes	Lincoln Technical Institute
22	Justin	Hodapp	Mid Florida Tech
23	Joshua	Rickman	Francis Tuttle Technology Ctr.
24	David	Hook	Lane Community College
25	Brianna	Luckman	Northwest Technical Institute
26	Benjamin	White	Forsyth Technical Community College
27	William	Rivera	Mid Florida Tech
28	Tyler	Ellick	Advanced Technology Institute
29	Danny	Cabrera	Western Technical College
30	Timothy	Winkelman	Mid Florida Tech
31	Derek	Casey	Central New Mexico Community College
32	Jacob	Doub	Forsyth Technical Community College
33	Jason	Di Rocco	Western Technical College
34	Miguel	Camacho	Northwest Technical Institute
35	Kiley	Winslow	Advanced Technology Institute
36	Angell	May	Forsyth Technical Community College
37	Daniel	Warren	Western Technical College
38	Isaac	Spencer	UTI
39	Jose A	Vazquez Rivera	UTI
40	Victoria	Asselta	Mid Florida Tech

**TMCSuperTech Technicians Competition – Day One Station Winners**

<b>Station</b>	<b>Name and Company</b>
ASE (Traditional)	Aaron Tucker, Hogan Truck Leasing Inc.
ASE (Trailer)	Darrell Duggan, Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
Aftertreatment	Adam Martin, W. W. Williams
CNG Safety	Mark McLean, FedEx Freight
Coolant / DEF	Mark McLean, FedEx Freight
CSA	Joseph Catlin, Mohawk Truck Inc.



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Drive Belts	Adam Farney, Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
Electrical 1	Josh Wilson, W. W. Williams
Electrical Diagrams	Mark McLean, FedEx Freight
Fasteners	Richard Davis, NationalLease
Lighting	Kevin Fricke, Clarke Power Services Inc.
Precision Measuring	Adam Farney, Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
RP Manual	Mark McLean, FedEx Freight
Safety Environmental	Joseph Calaway, BASE Air Management
Torque	Jacob Gernetzke, Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
Trailer Lighting	Phillip Pinter, FedEx Freight
Wheel End 1	Mark McLean, FedEx Freight
Roll Up Doors	Sean Bailey, Old Dominion Freight Line Inc.
Trailer Air Brake	Daniel Howell, Wal-Mart Transportation LLC

**TMCSuperTech Technician Competitions – Day Two Station Winners**

<b>Station</b>	<b>Name and Company</b>
1. Brakes	Mark McLean, FedEx Freight
2. Wheel End #2	Mark McLean, FedEx Freight
3. Fifth Wheel	Doug Nickles, FedEx Freight
4. Electrical #2	Nathan Reed, RWC International
5. Tire & Wheel	Joseph Calaway, BASE Air Management
6. Liftgates	Joseph Paul, FedEx Freight
7. Preventive Maintenance Inspection (PMI)	Mark McLean, FedEx Freight
8. Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC)	Nathan Lehman, Stoops Freightliner
9. Drivetrain	Mark McLean, FedEx Freight
10. Starting & Charging	Kevin Fricke, Clarke Power Services Inc.
11. Service Information	Mark McLean, FedEx Freight
12. Vehicle Control Systems	Nathan Lehman, Stoops Freightliner
13. Steering & Suspension	Nathan Reed, RWC International
14. Engine (Electronics)	Nathan Reed, RWC International
15. Mystery Station (Weather Pack Connector)	Kevin Fricke, Clarke Power Services Inc.
16. Engine (Hardware)	Robert Gonzalez, Ryder System Inc.
T3. Trailer Coupler	Michael Kerfoot, TravelCenters of America
T5. Trailer Tire & Wheel	Darrell Duggan, Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
T6. Trailer Liftgates	Michael Kerfoot, TravelCenters of America
T7. Trailer PMI	Darrell Duggan, Wal-Mart Transportation LLC



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T8. Trailer 7-Pin Receptacle and Plug Repair	Gonzalo Ortega, Mckinney Trailer Rentals
T9. Trailer Central Tire Inflation	Scott Davidson, TravelCenters of America
T10. Trailer Telematics	Robert Anderson, TravelCenters of America
T11. Trailer Fasteners	Randy Qualls, Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
T12. Trailer Electrical Corrosion	Darrell Duggan, Wal-Mart Transportation LLC
T13. Hydraulics	Kevin Fricke, Clarke Power Services Inc.
T14. Trailer Antilock Braking System (ABS)	Michael Kerfoot, TravelCenters of America
T16. Trailer Alignment	Randy Qualls, Wal-Mart Transportation LLC

**TMCFutureTech Student Technician Competition – Station Winners**

<b>Station</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>School</b>
ASE	Tim Veltman	WyoTech
Coolants/DEF	Daniel Warren	Western Technical College
Drive belts	Benjamin White	Forsyth Technical Community College
Electrical/Electronics	Jake Womble	Forsyth Technical Community College
Electrical Diagrams	Bonnie Greenwood	WyoTech
Fasteners	Daniel Putnam	Advanced Technology Institute
Lighting	Robert Byes	Lincoln Technical Institute
PMI	Daniel Putnam	Advanced Technology Institute
Precision Measuring	Keith Ellerbach	WyoTech
RP Manuals	Ernesto Logan	Lincoln Technical Institute
Safety/Environmental	Daniel Putnam	Advanced Technology Institute
Service Information	Dominique McConnell	Mid Florida Tech
Torque	Bonnie Greenwood	WyoTech
Trailer Lighting	Ernesto Logan	Lincoln Technical Institute
Wheel End	Keith Ellerbach	WyoTech



### **TMC SuperTech Team Competition Results**

	<b>Company</b>	<b>Competitors</b>
1	FedEx Freight	McLean, Nickels
2	TravelCenters of America	Gavrielides, Anderson
3	Wal-Mart Transportation LLC	Farney, Seaton
4	Clarke Power Services Inc.	Fricke, Ballard
5	Old Dominion Freight Line Inc.	Thrower, Winstead
6	Mohawk Truck Inc.	Tate, Catlin
7	Ryder System Inc.	Gonzalez, Rivera
8	Dickinson Fleet Services	Feliciano, Brinkman
9	Penn Power Group	Washburn, Sensenig
10	Ruan Transport	Owens, Heriford

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