



TOP-10 FINISH FOR MONSTER ENERGY® YAMAHA FACTORY RACING TEAM IN MINNEAPOLIS AND MONSTER ENERGY®/STAR RACING'S JUSTIN COOPER PODIUMS IN HIS 250 SX EAST DEBUT!

Monster Energy® Yamaha Factory Racing Team's Justin Barcia and Aaron Plessinger overcame some challenges at the U.S. Bank Stadium in Minneapolis, Minnesota this weekend, to score another top-10 finish in the Monster Energy® AMA® Supercross Championship.

Barcia kicked off the weekend with an inspired heat race to come from behind to cross the line second. The Floridian had another decent start in the main event and was on the heels of the lead pack in sixth, but unfortunately a mistake had him on the ground before getting moving again and looking to recover points. He was able to battle back and cross the line in ninth.

His rookie teammate Plessinger, had a decent showing in his heat race, finishing fourth, but unfortunately a poor start in the main event had him at a disadvantage, but he worked hard and managed to fight his way up to 10th. Barcia is now in 6th in the Championship with 88 points while the rookie Plessinger lies 9th with 79 points.



Round six of the Monster Energy® AMA® Supercross season featured the debut of the 2019 250SX East Championship, and Monster Energy® Star Yamaha Racing team's Justin Cooper qualified second overall earlier in the day and finished third in heat race 1, but got off to a tough start in Saturday night's 250SX East main event. The 21-year-old kept his composure throughout the 20-lap event, to finish 3rd and the first podium result of his young career.

His teammate Oldenburg qualified fifth and was the runner-up in heat race 2, but also got pinched off at the start of the Main. The Texan found himself shuffled all the way back to 13th position. Undaunted, Oldenburg used his race craft to work himself all the way up to sixth place at the checkers.