

# Formula 1 Analysis

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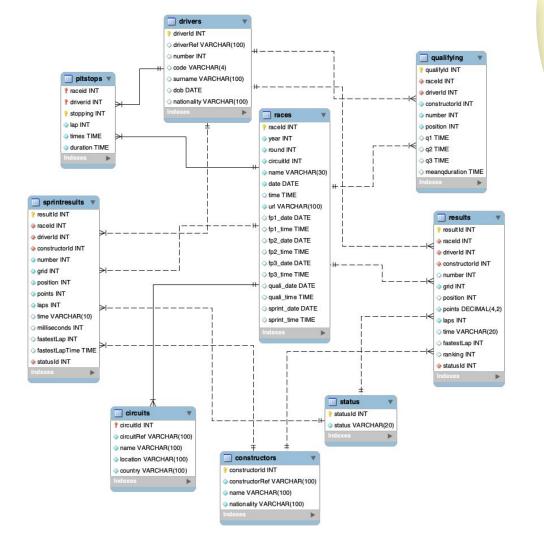


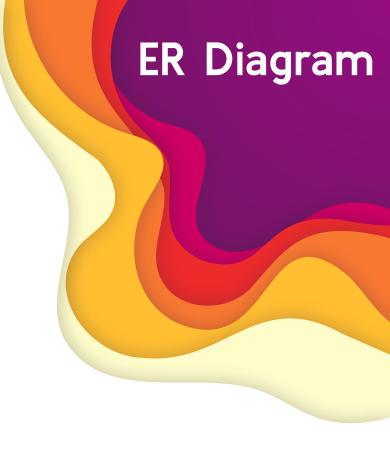


F1 is the world's most prestigious motor racing competition, for determining the **winner**.

# How to win?

- → Relevant analysis and table formulation
  - $\rightarrow$  data analyst for consulting?





## **Best driver/constructor?**

→ For analysing techniques of top scorers

#### Winning record

e.g.,
CREATE TABLE wondrivers AS
SELECT d.driverId, d.surname, d.dob,
d.nationality, COUNT(d.driverId) as racetotal,
COUNT(r.position=1) as wonamount
FROM drivers d
INNER JOIN results r ON r.driverId = d.driverId
GROUP BY d.driverId;

ALTER TABLE wondrivers

ADD COLUMN wonratio DEC(10,2);

UPDATE wondrivers w
SET w.wonratio = (wonamount/racetotal);

#### Average position

e.g.,
CREATE TABLE dmeanposition AS
SELECT d.nationality, d.surname,
d.dob, AVG(r.position) AS
meanposition
FROM drivers d
INNER JOIN results r ON d.driverId =
r.driverId
WHERE r.position IS NOT NULL
GROUP BY d.driverId;

### Total points

e.g.,
CREATE TABLE pointsdrivers AS
SELECT d.nationality, d.surname,
d.dob, SUM(r.points) as totalpoints
FROM drivers d
INNER JOIN results r ON d.driverId
= r.driverId
GROUP BY d.driverId;

### **Best drivers**

285

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276

254

242

Absolute win

Surname

Alonso

Raikkonen

Hamilton

Vettel

Button

Wonamount

Ratio win

Wonratio Surname Takahashi 1.00 1.00 Brown Hasemi 1.00 Suzuki 1.00 1.00 Kiesa

Average position

| Surname  | Meanposition |
|----------|--------------|
| Serafini | 2.00         |
| Amick    | 2.00         |
| Ascari   | 2.18         |
| Fangio   | 2.25         |
| Farina   | 2.81         |

Total points

| Surname    | Totalpoints |  |  |  |  |
|------------|-------------|--|--|--|--|
| Hamilton   | 4308.50     |  |  |  |  |
| Vettel     | 3077.00     |  |  |  |  |
| Alonso     | 2021.00     |  |  |  |  |
| Raikkonen  | 1873.00     |  |  |  |  |
| Verstappen | 1792.50     |  |  |  |  |

→ Depending on calculation, top 5 are all different

## **Best constructors**

Absolute win

Surname Wonamount

Ferrari 1663

McLaren 1285

Williams 1129

Red Bull 558

Sauber 532

Ratio win

| Surname       | Wonratio |  |  |
|---------------|----------|--|--|
| Meskowskii    | 1.00     |  |  |
| Ewing         | 1.00     |  |  |
| ENB           | 1.00     |  |  |
| Behra-Porsche | 1.00     |  |  |
| Moore         | 1.00     |  |  |

Average position

| Surname       | Meanposition |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|---------------|--------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Matra-Ford    | 3.66         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Brabham-Repco | 3.87         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Brawn         | 4.06         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mercedes      | 4.11         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Vanwall       | 4.19         |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Total points

| Surname  | Totalpoints |
|----------|-------------|
| Ferrari  | 9924.27     |
| Mercedes | 6726.64     |
| McLaren  | 6085.50     |
| Red Bull | 6027.00     |
| Williams | 3593.00     |

- → Again, top 5 are all different
- → Other methods, combining them, prioritising

# Not finishing race?

→ To avoid disqualification

SELECT s.statusId, s.status,
COUNT(r.statusId) AS totalnumber
FROM status s
INNER JOIN results r ON s.statusId = r.statusId
GROUP BY r.statusId
ORDER BY totalnumber desc;

|                 | Status   | Total number |  |  |  |
|-----------------|----------|--------------|--|--|--|
|                 | +1 Lap   | 3823         |  |  |  |
|                 | Engine   | 2005         |  |  |  |
|                 | +2 Laps  | 1591         |  |  |  |
|                 | Accident | 1041         |  |  |  |
| Did not qualify |          | 1025         |  |  |  |

# Time per circuit?

→ For knowing target time to meet

CREATE TABLE circuitsduration AS
SELECT c.name, c.location, c.country, c.circuitid,
MAX(c.meanqduration) AS maxduration, MIN(c.meanqduration)
AS minduration, c.meanqduration
FROM circuitstest c
GROUP BY c.circuitid:

\* ((q.q1+q.q2+q.q3)/3) AS meangduration

| Name                      | Location        | Max   | Min   | Mean  |  |
|---------------------------|-----------------|-------|-------|-------|--|
| Albert Park<br>Grand Prix | Melbourne       | 14134 | 11768 | 12567 |  |
| Sepang<br>International   | Kuala<br>Lumpur | 20200 | 13034 | 13467 |  |
| Bahrain<br>International  | Sakhir          | 15501 | 5301  | 13201 |  |

### Combined data for researcher?

→ For further analysis or information for others

CREATE TABLE forresearcher AS

SELECT r.time AS timefinished, a.year, a.name AS racename, a.date, a.time, a.url, d.surname, d.dob, d.nationality AS drivernationality, c.name AS constructorname, c.nationality AS constructornationality, ci.name AS circuitname

FROM results r

INNER JOIN races a ON r.raceld = a.raceld

INNER JOIN drivers d ON d.driverId = r.driverId

INNER JOIN constructors c ON r.constructorId = c.constructorId

INNER JOIN circuits ci ON ci.circuitld = a.circuitld

WHERE r.position=1;

| Time<br>finish | Racename                 | Date           | Time     | Url     | Surname   | Dob            | Driver<br>national | Construc<br>torname | Construct<br>ornational | Circuitname                |
|----------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------|---------|-----------|----------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| 34:50.6        | Australian<br>Grand Prix | 2008-0<br>3-16 | 04:30:00 | http:// | Hamilton  | 1985-01<br>-07 | British            | McLaren             | British                 | Albert Park<br>Grand Prix  |
| 00:42.7        | Monaco<br>Grand Prix     | 2008-0<br>5-25 | 12:00:00 | http:// | Raikkonen | 1979-10-<br>17 | Finnish            | Ferrari             | Italian                 | Sepang<br>International    |
| 39:09.4        | British<br>Grand Prix    | 2008-0<br>7-06 | 12:00:00 | http:// | Massa     | 1981-04<br>-25 | Brazilian          | Ferrari             | Italian                 | Bahrain<br>International 8 |

# Correlational analysis

→ Identify relevant factors for winning

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E.g.,
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#### 1.) Create table with x and y variables

CREATE TABLE pitstopsVSresults AS

SELECT AVG(p.duration) AS meanduration, p.raceid, p.driverid, p.stopping, r.raceld AS raceid1, r.driverld AS driverid1, r.position

FROM pitstops p

INNER JOIN results r

ON p.raceid=r.raceld AND p.driverid=r.driverld

WHERE r.position IS NOT NULL

GROUP BY p.raceid, p.driverid;

#### 2.) Assign relevant values as variables

**SELECT** @ax := avg(meanduration),

@ay := avg(position),

@div := (stddev\_samp(meanduration) \*

stddev\_samp(position))

FROM pitstops VS results;

#### 3.) Apply correlation coefficient equation

SELECT SUM( (meanduration - @ax) \* (position - @ay) ) / ((count(meanduration) -1) \* @div) FROM pitstopsVSresults;

Pitstop duration V.S. Position

r = -0.05

Qualifying duration V.S. Position

r = 0.03

Sprint duration V.S. Position

r = 0.17

→ None of them are determining factor!

# **Summary and Conclusion**

- All analysis below lead to advices:
  - Best drivers/constructors
  - Not finishing race
  - Time taken per circuit
  - Big table with all info
  - Correlational analysis
- Many noted potential issue (with extension study) or surprising result

Use those data to make the best decision!

