## [Intelligence Note or Reporting Highlights]

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Title: F1

BLUF: Formula One (F1) is an internationally renowned motorsport championship that has been running since 1950, featuring high-performance cars and the world's best drivers. The championship consists of a series of races called Grands Prix, with drivers competing for points. F1 has a rich history and has seen changes in regulations, technological advancements, and the involvement of major car manufacturers. The sport has made efforts to address environmental and social concerns and will introduce new venues and points system in the 2023 season. F1, a premier form of single-seater auto racing governed by the FIA, features high-performance cars that can reach speeds over 350 km/h. The championship is composed of Grands Prix races held worldwide, and the winner is crowned the World Drivers' Champion. Mercedes has been dominating the championship in recent years, with Lewis Hamilton as their driver. Over its long history, F1 has made various changes to race formats, safety regulations, and technological advancements in the cars. The upcoming 2023 season will see the introduction of new venues for F1 Sprint events and an expanded points system. Additionally, the sport has taken steps to address environmental concerns and promote diversity.

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