# 1. Loading Data

```
import os
import fastf1
import fastf1.plotting
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import geopandas as gpd
import bar_chart_race as bcr
import plotly.express as px
# Ensure cache directory exists
if not os.path.exists("cache"):
   os.makedirs("cache")
# Enable caching for faster data loading
fastf1.Cache.enable_cache('cache')
results = pd.read_csv("winners.csv")
drivers = pd.read_csv("drivers_updated.csv")
fastest_laps = pd.read_csv("fastest_laps_updated.csv")
teams = pd.read_csv("teams_updated.csv")
```

pip install fastf1 matplotlib pandas numpy seaborn bar\_chart\_race geopandas --quiet

results.sample(10)

9	Name Code	Time	Laps	Car	Winner	Date	<b>Grand Prix</b>	
Γ	VET	1:28:31.377	68.0	Ferrari	Sebastian Vettel	2018-06-10	Canada	985
1	MAN	1:34:46.659	71.0	Williams Renault	Nigel Mansell	1992-09-27	Portugal	532
d	RAI	1:38:19.051	66.0	Ferrari	Kimi Räikkönen	2008-04-27	Spain	791
)	MSC	1:31:07.490	56.0	Ferrari	Michael Schumacher	2004-03-21	Malaysia	717
3	ROS	1:38:30.175	55.0	Mercedes	Nico Rosberg	2015-11-29	Abu Dhabi	937
١	SEN	1:52:46.982	78.0	McLaren Honda	Ayrton Senna	1990-05-27	Monaco	490
Λ	HAM	1:40:25.974	56.0	Mercedes	Lewis Hamilton	2014-03-30	Malaysia	901
)	MSC	1:44:31.887	69.0	Benetton Ford	Michael Schumacher	1994-06-12	Canada	556
L	HIL	2:20:36.100	110.0	BRM	Graham Hill	1965-10-03	United States	142

results.info()

<- <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'> RangeIndex: 1110 entries, 0 to 1109 Data columns (total 7 columns): # Column Non-Null Count Dtype Grand Prix 1110 non-null 1110 non-null object 1110 non-null Winner object 1110 non-null Car object 1107 non-null 1107 non-null Laps float64 Time object 6 Name Code 1110 non-null object dtypes: float64(1), object(6) memory usage: 60.8+ KB

results.shape

**→** (1110, 7)

# 2. Pre-processing Data

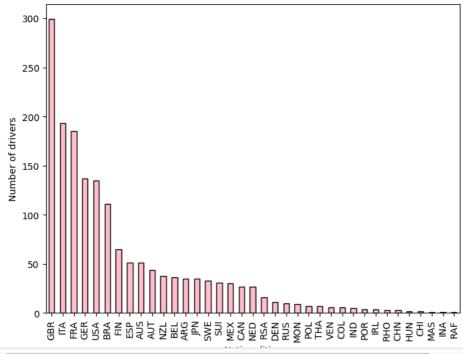
```
results['Date'] = pd.to_datetime(results['Date'])
results['Year'] = results['Date'].dt.year
results['Month'] = results['Date'].dt.month
month_dict = {1:'Jan', 2:'Feb', 3:'Mar', 4:'Apr', 5:'May', 6:'Jun', 7:'Jul', 8:'Aug', 9:'Sep', 10:'Oct', 11:'Nov', 12:'Dec'}
results['Month'] = results['Month'].map(month_dict)
hr = []
min = []
sec = []
for i in results['Time']:
    if i is not np.nan:
       if len(i.split(':')) != 3:
            hr.append(0)
            min.append(int(i.split(':')[0]))
            sec.append(float(i.split(':')[1]))
        else:
            hr.append(int(i.split(':')[0]))
            min.append(int(i.split(':')[1]))
            sec.append(float(i.split(':')[2]))
    else:
        hr.append(np.nan)
        min.append(np.nan)
        sec.append(np.nan)
results['Hours'] = hr
results['Minutes'] = min
results['Seconds'] = sec
results['Total Time in Seconds'] = results['Hours'] * 3600 + results['Minutes'] * 60 + results['Seconds']
results['Average Time per lap'] = results['Total Time in Seconds']/results['Laps']
```

# 3. Visualising Data

#### Part 1: Analysing Races and Race Winners for the past 50 Years

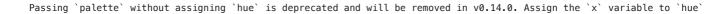
```
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
drivers['Nationality'].value_counts().plot(kind='bar', color='pink', edgecolor='black')
plt.title('Distribution of drivers nationalities')
plt.xlabel('Nationalities')
plt.ylabel('Number of drivers')
plt.show()
```

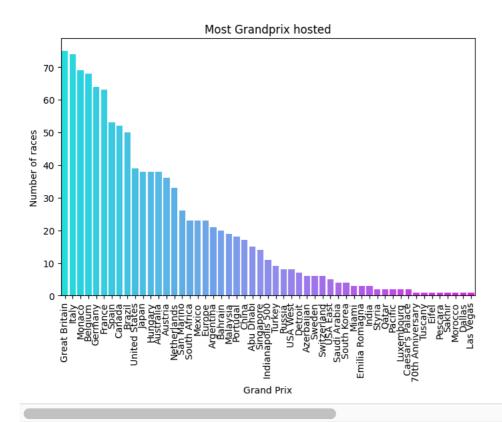
#### Distribution of drivers nationalities



```
plt.figure(figsize=(8,5))
sns.countplot(data = results, x = 'Grand Prix', order=results['Grand Prix'].value_counts().index, palette="cool")
plt.xticks(rotation = 90)
plt.title('Most Grandprix hosted')
plt.ylabel('Number of races')
plt.xlabel('Grand Prix')
plt.show()
```

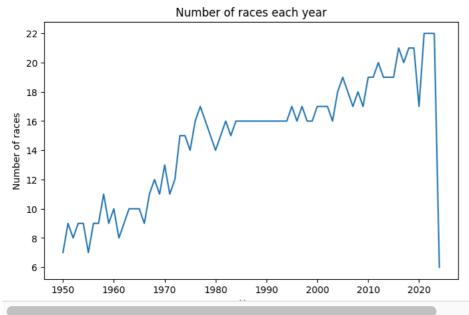
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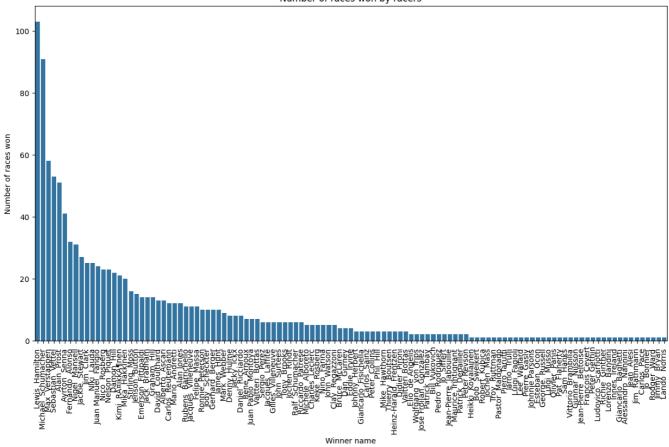


```
plt.title('Number of races each year')
plt.xlabel('Years')
plt.ylabel('Number of races')
plt.show()
```



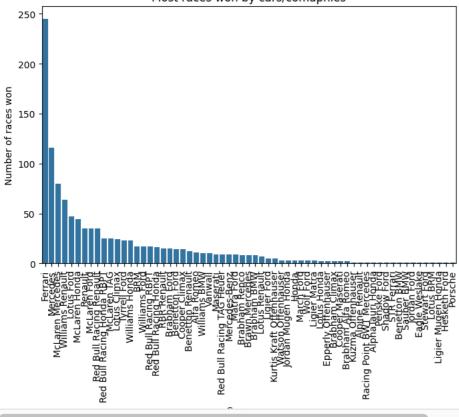


```
plt.figure(figsize=(15,8))
sns.countplot(data = results, x = 'Winner', order=results['Winner'].value_counts().index)
plt.xticks(rotation = 90)
plt.title('Number of races won by racers')
plt.ylabel('Number of races won')
plt.xlabel('Winner name')
plt.show()
```

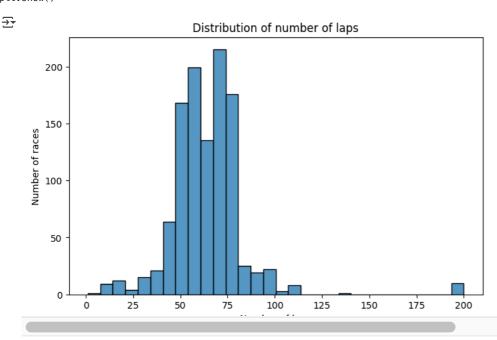


```
plt.figure(figsize=(8,5))
sns.countplot(data = results, x = 'Car', order=results['Car'].value_counts().index)
plt.xticks(rotation = 90)
plt.title('Most races won by cars/comapnies')
plt.ylabel('Number of races won')
plt.xlabel('Car name')
plt.show()
```





```
plt.figure(figsize=(8,5))
sns.histplot(data = results, x = 'Laps', bins = 30)
plt.title('Distribution of number of laps')
plt.ylabel('Number of races')
plt.xlabel('Number of laps')
plt.show()
```

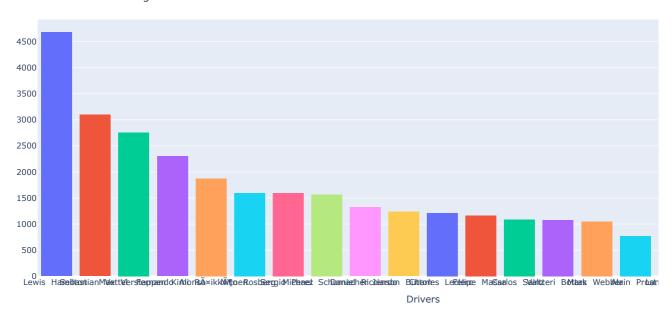


plt.show()

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### Drivers score ranking

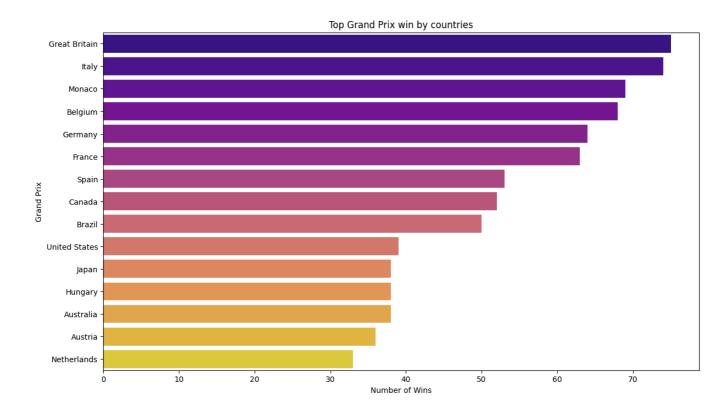


```
# Group grand prix wins according to countries
top_grand_prix_wins = results.groupby("Grand Prix").size().reset_index(name="count").sort_values("count",ascending=False).he
# create a barplot
plt.figure(figsize=(14, 8))
sns.barplot(x="count", y="Grand Prix", data=top_grand_prix_wins, palette="plasma")

plt.xlabel("Number of Wins")
plt.ylabel("Grand Prix")
plt.title("Top Grand Prix win by countries")
```



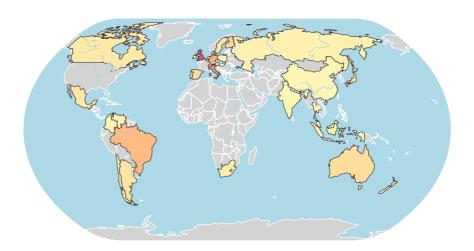
Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in v0.14.0. Assign the `y` variable to `hue`



```
import geopandas as gpd
{\tt import plotly.express as px}
# Step 2: Count the number of drivers by nationality
driver_counts = drivers['Nationality'].value_counts().reset_index()
driver_counts.columns = ['Nationality', 'Count']
# Step 3: Map nationalities to country names
nationality_to_country = {
    'BRA': 'Brazil',
    'SWE': 'Sweden',
    'GBR': 'United Kingdom',
    'ITA': 'Italy',
    'FRA': 'France',
    'GER': 'Germany'
    'USA': 'United States',
    'AUS': 'Australia',
    'CAN': 'Canada',
    'JPN': 'Japan',
    'ESP': 'Spain',
    'NED': 'Netherlands',
    'ARG': 'Argentina',
    'FIN': 'Finland',
    'AUT': 'Austria',
    'NZL': 'New Zealand',
    'BEL': 'Belgium',
    'SUI': 'Switzerland',
    'MEX': 'Mexico',
    'RSA': 'South Africa',
    'DEN': 'Denmark',
    'RUS': 'Russia',
    'MON': 'Monaco',
    'POL': 'Poland',
    'THA': 'Thailand',
    'VEN': 'Venezuela',
    'COL': 'Colombia',
```

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'IND': 'India',
    'POR': 'Portugal',
    'IRL': 'Ireland',
    'RHO': 'Rhodesia',
    'CHN': 'China',
    'HUN': 'Hungary',
    'CHI': 'Chile',
    'MAS': 'Malaysia'
    'INA': 'Indonesia'}
# Apply the mapping to convert nationalities to country names
driver_counts['Country'] = driver_counts['Nationality'].map(nationality_to_country)
# Load the world map
world = gpd.read_file("ne_110m_admin_0_countries.shp")
print(world.columns)
# Merge driver counts with the world map
world = world.merge(driver_counts, how="left", left_on="NAME", right_on="Country")
# Plot the map
fig = px.choropleth(world,
                    locations='ISO_A3',
                    color='Count',
                    hover_name='Country',
                    hover_data=['Count'],
                    projection='natural earth',
                    title='Racing Nations: A World of Formula 1 Drivers',
                    color_continuous_scale='pinkyl')
# Customize the map style
fig.update_geos(
    visible=False,
    showcountries=True,
    countrycolor="White",
    coastlinecolor="White",
    showland=True,
    landcolor="LightGrey",
    showocean=True,
    oceancolor="LightBlue",
    showlakes=True,
    lakecolor="LightBlue",
    showrivers=True,
    rivercolor="LightBlue"
)
# Add subtitle and data source
fig.update_layout(
    title={
        'text': "Racing Nations: A World of Formula 1 Drivers",
        'y':0.95,
        'x':0.5,
        'xanchor': 'center',
        'yanchor': 'top'},
    annotations=[
        dict(
            text="Number of Drivers by Nationality Worldwide",
            xref="paper",
            yref="paper",
            x=0.5,
            y = -0.25
            showarrow=False,
            font=dict(
                family="Arial",
                size=12,
                color="grey"
            )
       )
    ]
# Show the plot
fig.show()
```

#### Racing Nations: A World of Formula 1 Drivers



### Part 2: Analysing A Specific Race - the Drivers and their Strategies

```
# Load race data (Choose a specific race - Year, Location, Session)
race = fastf1.get_session(2023, 'Singapore', 'R')
race.load()
if race is None:
    raise ValueError("Error: Race data not found. Check the event name and year.")
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                  WARNING
                               Failed to perform lap accuracy check - all laps marked as inaccurate (driver 18)
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                               Using cached data for car_data
     INFO:fastf1.fastf1.req:Using cached data for car_data
     req
                     INF0
                               Using cached data for position_data
     INFO:fastf1.fastf1.req:Using cached data for position_data
                     INF0
                               Using cached data for weather_data
     req
     INFO:fastf1.fastf1.req:Using cached data for weather_data
                     TNF0
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                 .fastf1.req:Using cached data for race_control_messages
     INFO: fastf1
     core INFO Finished loading data for 20 drivers: ['55', '4', '44', '16', '1', '10', '81', '11', '40', '20', INFO:fastf1.fastf1.core:Finished loading data for 20 drivers: ['55', '4', '44', '16', '1', '10', '81', '11', '40', '20',
```

```
# Select drivers for comparison
drivers = ['VER', 'SAI']
```

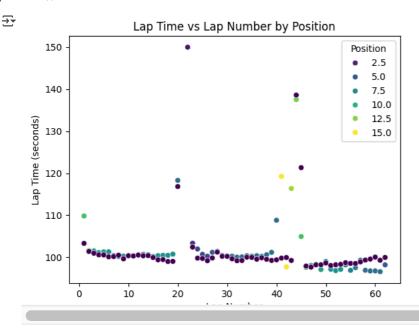
```
laps = race.laps[race.laps['Driver'].isin(drivers)]
# Ensure lap times are not null and convert to seconds
laps = laps.dropna(subset=['LapTime'])
laps['LapTime'] = laps['LapTime'].dt.total_seconds()
# Plot lap times
plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
for driver in drivers:
    driver_laps = laps[laps['Driver'] == driver]
    plt.plot(driver_laps['LapNumber'], driver_laps['LapTime'], label=driver)
plt.xlabel("Lap Number")
plt.ylabel("Lap Time (seconds)")
plt.title("Lap Time Comparison")
plt.legend()
plt.show()
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# Analyze Tire Strategies
pit_stops = race.laps[["Driver", "LapNumber", "Compound"]].drop_duplicates()
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
sns.scatterplot(data=pit_stops, x="LapNumber", y="Driver", hue="Compound", palette="Set2", size=100, legend="full")
plt.xlabel("Lap Number")
plt.ylabel("Driver")
plt.title("Tire Strategy")
plt.legend(title="Tire Compound")
plt.show()
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```
# Overtakes Analysis
positions = race.laps[["LapNumber", "Driver", "Position"]].drop_duplicates()
positions['PositionChange'] = positions.groupby('Driver')['Position'].diff().fillna(0)
overtakes = positions[positions['PositionChange'] < 0]</pre>
```

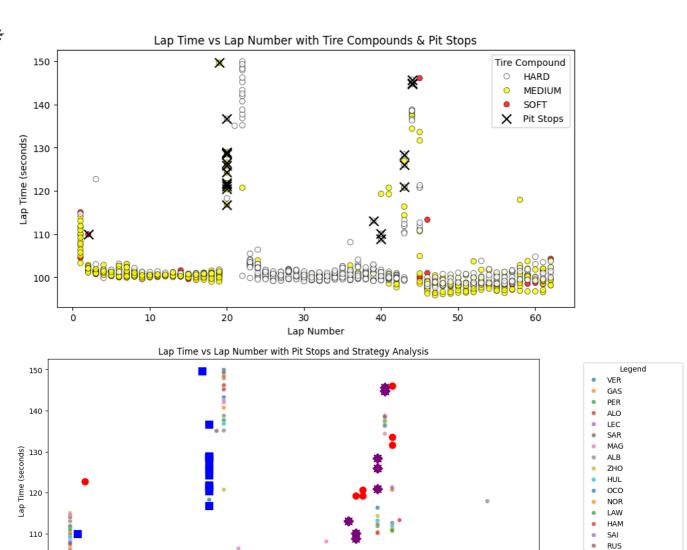
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<b>→</b>		LapNumber	Driver	Position	PositionChange	
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	5	6.0	VER	8.0	-1.0	1
	19	20.0	VER	6.0	-2.0	
	20	21.0	VER	2.0	-4.0	
	42	43.0	VER	13.0	-2.0	
	1064	39.0	PIA	10.0	-1.0	
	1066	41.0	PIA	9.0	-1.0	
	1068	43.0	PIA	8.0	-1.0	
	1069	44.0	PIA	7.0	-1.0	
	1087	62.0	PIA	7.0	-1.0	

```
Next steps: Generate code with overtakes View recommended plots New interactive sheet
```

```
# Lap Time vs Position Analysis
sns.scatterplot(x=laps['LapNumber'], y=laps['LapTime'], hue=laps['Position'], palette='viridis')
plt.xlabel("Lap Number")
plt.ylabel("Lap Time (seconds)")
plt.title("Lap Time vs Lap Number by Position")
plt.show()
```



```
'S0FT': 'red',
    'MEDIUM': 'yellow',
    'HARD': 'white',
    'INTERMEDIATE': 'green',
    'WET': 'blue'}
# Create the scatter plot
plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
sns.scatterplot(data=laps, x="LapNumber", y="LapTime", hue="Compound", palette=compound_colors, edgecolor="black", alpha=0.8
# Overlay pit stops with red "X" markers
plt.scatter(pit_stop_lap_times['LapNumber'], pit_stop_lap_times['LapTime'], color='black', marker='x', s=100, label="Pit Stc
# Labels and title
plt.xlabel("Lap Number")
plt.ylabel("Lap Time (seconds)")
plt.title("Lap Time vs Lap Number with Tire Compounds & Pit Stops")
plt.legend(title="Tire Compound")
plt.show()
# Create the scatter plot for lap times
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
sns.scatterplot(data=laps, x="LapNumber", y="LapTime", hue="Driver", palette="tab10", alpha=0.7)
# Overlay pit stops with "X" markers
plt.scatter(pit_stop_lap_times['LapNumber'], pit_stop_lap_times['LapTime'], color='black', marker='x', s=100, label="Pit Stc
# Overlay post-pit lap times with "o" markers to track lap time drop
plt.scatter(post_pit_laps['LapNumber_PostPit'], post_pit_laps['LapTime_PostPit'], color='red', marker='o', s=80, label="Lap
# Split early vs. late pit stops and visualize
early_pits = pit_stop_lap_times[pit_stop_lap_times['LapNumber'] < 30]</pre>
late_pits = pit_stop_lap_times[pit_stop_lap_times['LapNumber'] >= 30]
plt.scatter(early_pits['LapNumber'], early_pits['LapTime'], color='blue', marker='s', s=90, label="Early Pit (<Lap 20)")
plt.scatter(late_pits['LapNumber'], late_pits['LapTime'], color='purple', marker='D', s=90, label="Late Pit (>=Lap 20)")
# Labels and title
plt.xlabel("Lap Number")
plt.ylabel("Lap Time (seconds)")
plt.title("Lap Time vs Lap Number with Pit Stops and Strategy Analysis")
plt.legend(title="Legend", loc="upper right", bbox_to_anchor=(1.3, 1))
plt.show()
```



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Pit Stops

Lap After Pit Early Pit (<Lap 20)

Late Pit (>=Lap 20)

# 4. Prediction

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**Goal** - to predict the winner of an F1 race using historical race data. The model should consider factors like: Driver and car performance, Track characteristics, Weather conditions, Qualifying results, Pit strategies.

Lap Number

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**Model** - Logistic Regression and Random Forest Model.

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## Logistic Regression VS Random Forest Model

Outputs probability values instead of just binary classifications (0/1)

Less prone to overfitting compared to Random Forest, especially with small datasets

Easier to interpret (feature coefficients directly show impact on winning probability)

# Model 1: Logistic Regression

# Step 1: Data Collection and PreProcessing

```
import requests
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, classification_report
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
# Function to fetch race data from the Ergast API
def fetch_race_data(year):
    url = f"http://ergast.com/api/f1/{year}/results.json?limit=1000"
    response = requests.get(url)
    data = response.json()
    race_results = []
    for race in data['MRData']['RaceTable']['Races']:
        race_name = race['raceName']
        round_num = race['round']
        circuit = race['Circuit']['circuitName']
        for result in race['Results']:
            driver = result['Driver']['code'] if 'code' in result['Driver'] else result['Driver']['familyName']
            constructor = result['Constructor']['name']
            grid_position = int(result['grid'])
            finishing_position = int(result['position'])
            points = float(result['points'])
            status = result['status']
            race_results.append([year, round_num, race_name, circuit, driver, constructor, grid_position, finishing_positior
    return pd.DataFrame(race_results, columns=['Year', 'Round', 'Race', 'Circuit', 'Driver', 'Constructor', 'Grid', 'Positic
# Fetching data
years = list(range(2010, 2025))
all_race_data = [fetch_race_data(year) for year in years]
data = pd.concat(all_race_data, ignore_index=True)

✓ Step 2: Model Training

# Feature Engineering
data['Win'] = (data['Position'] == 1).astype(int) # Target variable
data['Grid_Top5'] = (data['Grid'] <= 5).astype(int) # Top 5 Grid Start Indicator</pre>
data['Constructor_Wins'] = data.groupby(['Constructor'])['Win'].transform('sum') # Constructor Strength
data['Driver_Wins'] = data.groupby(['Driver'])['Win'].transform('sum') # Driver Strength
data['Constructor_Points'] = data.groupby(['Constructor'])['Points'].transform('sum') # Constructor Performance
data['Driver_Points'] = data.groupby(['Driver'])['Points'].transform('sum') # Driver Performance
X = data[['Grid', 'Grid_Top5', 'Constructor_Wins', 'Driver_Wins']]
y = data['Win']
# Create a pipeline with feature scaling + Logistic Regression
log_reg_model = Pipeline([
    ('scaler', StandardScaler()), # Standardizes features
    ('classifier', LogisticRegression(max_iter=1000, class_weight='balanced')) # Handles class imbalance
])
# Train model
log_reg_model.fit(X, y)
# Predict probabilities on test set
y_pred_prob = log_reg_model.predict_proba(X_test)[:, 1]

→ Step 3: Model Evaluation

# Evaluate model
print("Logistic Regression Model Performance:")
print(classification_report(y_test, (y_pred_prob > 0.5).astype(int)))
# Function to test Logistic Regression on a specific race
def test_race_logistic(year, round_num):
```

race data = fetch race data(vear)

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specific_race = race_data[race_data['Round'] == str(round_num)].copy()
    if specific_race.empty:
       print("Race data not found!")
        return
   # Ensure required features exist
   specific_race['Win'] = (specific_race['Position'] == 1).astype(int)
    specific_race['Grid_Top5'] = (specific_race['Grid'] <= 5).astype(int)</pre>
   specific_race['Constructor_Wins'] = specific_race.groupby(['Constructor'])['Win'].transform('sum')
   specific_race['Driver_Wins'] = specific_race.groupby(['Driver'])['Win'].transform('sum')
   X_race = specific_race[['Grid', 'Grid_Top5', 'Constructor_Wins', 'Driver_Wins']]
   # Predict probabilities using logistic regression
   predicted_probabilities = log_reg_model.predict_proba(X_race)[:, 1]
   # Assign probabilities to dataset
   specific_race['Predicted_Win_Prob'] = predicted_probabilities
   # Sort drivers by predicted win probability
   specific_race = specific_race.sort_values(by='Predicted_Win_Prob', ascending=False)
   predicted_winner = specific_race.iloc[0]['Driver']
   actual_winner = specific_race[specific_race['Win'] == 1]['Driver'].values[0]
   print(f"Predicted Winner: {predicted_winner}")
   print(f"Actual Winner: {actual winner} {'Correct' if predicted winner == actual winner else 'Incorrect'}")
   print("\nPredictions vs Actual Results for", specific_race['Race'].iloc[0])
   print(specific_race[['Driver', 'Grid', 'Position', 'Predicted_Win_Prob']])
   # Heatmap visualization
   plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
   heatmap_data = specific_race.pivot(index='Driver', columns='Position', values='Predicted_Win_Prob').fillna(0)
   sns.heatmap(heatmap_data, annot=True, cmap='coolwarm', linewidths=0.5)
   plt.xlabel("Actual Position")
   plt.ylabel("Driver")
   plt.title(f"Predicted vs. Actual Win Probability - {specific_race['Race'].iloc[0]}")
   plt.show()
    return specific_race
# Test Logistic Regression on a specific 2024 race
test_race_logistic(2024, 1)
```

Logistic	Regr	ession Model precision		nce: f1-score	support
	0	1.00	0.86	0.92	287
	1	0.24	1.00	0.39	13
accur	асу			0.86	300
macro	avg	0.62	0.93	0.66	300
weighted	avg	0.97	0.86	0.90	300

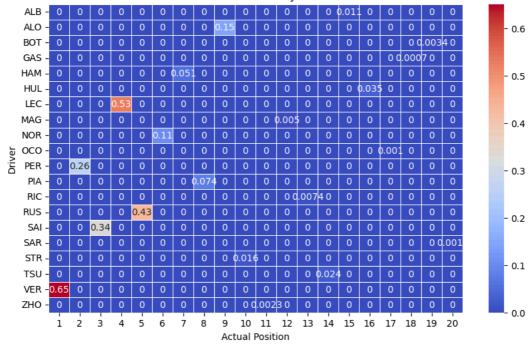
Predicted Winner: VER Actual Winner: VER Correct

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Predictions vs Actual Results for Bahrain Grand Prix

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	Driver	Grid	Position	Predicted_Win_Prob
0	VER	1	1	0.651525
3	LEC	2	4	0.527063
4	RUS	3	5	0.428793
2	SAI	4	3	0.335835
1	PER	5	2	0.260114
8	AL0	6	9	0.150047
5	NOR	7	6	0.106275
7	PIA	8	8	0.074159
6	HAM	9	7	0.051192
15	HUL	10	16	0.035068
13	TSU	11	14	0.023895
9	STR	12	10	0.016222
14	ALB	13	15	0.010985
12	RIC	14	13	0.007426
11	MAG	15	12	0.005014
18	B0T	16	19	0.003383
10	ZH0	17	11	0.002281
19	SAR	18	20	0.001538
16	0C0	19	17	0.001036
17	GAS	20	18	0.000698

### Predicted vs. Actual Win Probability - Bahrain Grand Prix



	Year	Round	Race	Circuit	Driver	Constructor	Grid	Position	Points	Status	Win	Grid_Top5	Constructor_Win
0	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	VER	Red Bull	1	1	26.0	Finished	1	1	
3	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	LEC	Ferrari	2	4	12.0	Finished	0	1	
4	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	RUS	Mercedes	3	5	10.0	Finished	0	1	
2	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	SAI	Ferrari	4	3	15.0	Finished	0	1	
1	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	PER	Red Bull	5	2	18.0	Finished	0	1	
8	2024	1	Bahrain Grand	Bahrain International	ALO	Aston Martin	6	9	2.0	Finished	0	0	

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5	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	NOR	McLaren	7	6	8.0	Finished	0	0	
7	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	PIA	McLaren	8	8	4.0	Finished	0	0	
6	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	HAM	Mercedes	9	7	6.0	Finished	0	0	
15	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	HUL	Haas F1 Team	10	16	0.0	+1 Lap	0	0	
13	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	TSU	RB F1 Team	11	14	0.0	+1 Lap	0	0	
9	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	STR	Aston Martin	12	10	1.0	Finished	0	0	
14	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	ALB	Williams	13	15	0.0	+1 Lap	0	0	
12	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	RIC	RB F1 Team	14	13	0.0	+1 Lap	0	0	
11	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	MAG	Haas F1 Team	15	12	0.0	+1 Lap	0	0	
18	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	ВОТ	Sauber	16	19	0.0	+1 Lap	0	0	
10	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	ZHO	Sauber	17	11	0.0	+1 Lap	0	0	
19	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	SAR	Williams	18	20	0.0	+2 Laps	0	0	
16	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	OCO	Alpine F1 Team	19	17	0.0	+1 Lap	0	0	
17	2024	1	Bahrain Grand Prix	Bahrain International Circuit	GAS	Alpine F1 Team	20	18	0.0	+1 Lap	0	0	

#### → Step 1: Data Collection

```
import requests
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, GridSearchCV
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, classification_report
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
# Function to fetch race data from the Ergast API
def fetch_race_data(year):
    url = f"http://ergast.com/api/f1/{year}/results.json?limit=1000"
    response = requests.get(url)
    data = response.json()
    race_results = []
    for race in data['MRData']['RaceTable']['Races']:
        race_name = race['raceName']
        round_num = race['round']
        circuit = race['Circuit']['circuitName']
        for result in race['Results']:
            driver = result['Driver']['code'] if 'code' in result['Driver'] else result['Driver']['familyName']
            constructor = result['Constructor']['name']
            grid_position = int(result['grid'])
            finishing position = int(result['position'])
            points = float(result['points'])
            status = result['status']
            race_results.append([year, round_num, race_name, circuit, driver, constructor, grid_position, finishing_position
    return pd.DataFrame(race_results, columns=['Year', 'Round', 'Race', 'Circuit', 'Driver', 'Constructor', 'Grid', 'Positic
# Fetching data
years = list(range(2010, 2025))
all_race_data = [fetch_race_data(year) for year in years]
data = pd.concat(all_race_data, ignore_index=True)
```

### Step 2: Feature Engineering

```
# Feature Engineering
data['Win'] = (data['Position'] == 1).astype(int)  # Target variable

data['Grid_Top5'] = (data['Grid'] <= 5).astype(int)  # Top 5 Grid Start Indicator

data['Constructor_Wins'] = data.groupby(['Constructor'])['Win'].transform('sum')  # Constructor Strength

data['Driver_Wins'] = data.groupby(['Driver'])['Win'].transform('sum')  # Driver Strength

data['Constructor_Points'] = data.groupby(['Constructor'])['Points'].transform('sum')  # Constructor Performance

data['Driver_Points'] = data.groupby(['Driver'])['Points'].transform('sum')  # Driver Performance

data['DNF'] = (data['Status'] != 'Finished').astype(int)

data['DNF_Rate'] = data.groupby('Driver')['DNF'].transform('mean')

# Splitting data into train and test

X = data[['Grid', 'Grid_Top5', 'Constructor_Wins', 'Driver_Wins']]
y = data['Win']
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42)</pre>
```

### Step 3: Model Selection & Training