

FIA Formula One World Championship 2026

MARCH 8 – DECEMBER 6

The high-octane action of the new Formula 1 season gets underway in Australia, marking the dawn of the sport's most radical technological evolutions in decades. British driver **Lando Norris** aims to defend his maiden title – clinched in a thrilling campaign – amid a talented field of established stars and burgeoning title contenders relishing the new challenge of the hybrid era

TITLE CONTENDERS:
2025 points

Lando Norris, GBR
McLaren
423pts

NEW ERA: Ferrari driver **Charles Leclerc** posted fastest lap time in pre-season testing, an emphatic 0.811seconds quicker than **Kimi Antonelli** for Mercedes. 2026 season will see McLaren start landmark 1,000th race

Most Grand Prix wins by constructor: 1950-2025

Ferrari	Race starts: 1122 (Win ratio: 22.1%)	248
McLaren	994 (20.4%)	203
Mercedes	341 (38.4%)	131
Red Bull	417 (31.2%)	130
Williams	863 (13.2%)	114

Max Verstappen, NED, Red Bull,
421pts

George Russell, GBR
Mercedes, 319pts

New regulations require 55% of car's surface area to be covered in paint or vinyl, to reduce amount of carbon panels exposed and save weight

Oscar Piastri, AUS
McLaren
410pts

Car: McLaren MCL40

Engine: Mercedes F1 M17 E Performance

Norris and teammate **Oscar Piastri** will battle for title in McLaren's MCL40 car – F1 shifts towards electrification in 2026, targeting 50:50 split between internal combustion and electric power

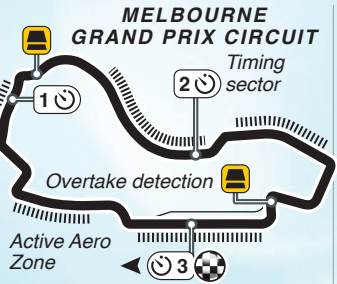
Race calendar

European races

World races

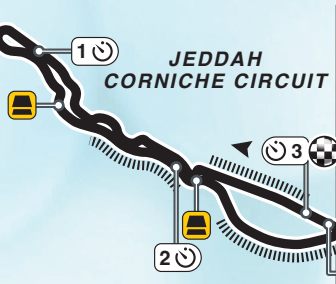
Spanish Grand Prix moves to Madrid – constructed around IFEMA Exhibition Centre – while **Barcelona-Catalunya** agrees alternating years deal until 2032. Total of six sprint races set for **China, Miami, Canada, Great Britain, Netherlands** and **Singapore**

1 MAR 8: Australia, Melbourne



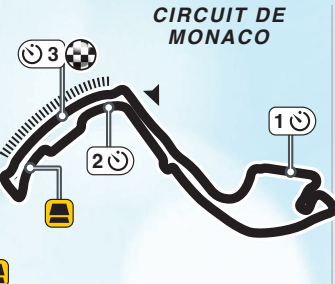
Distance: 58 laps – 306.124km

5 APR 19: Saudi Arabia, Jeddah



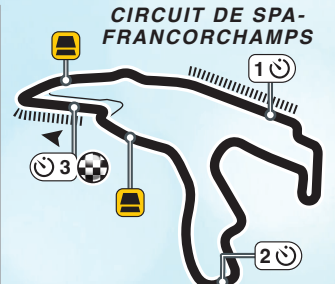
Distance: 50 laps – 308.450km

8 JUN 7: Monaco, Monte Carlo



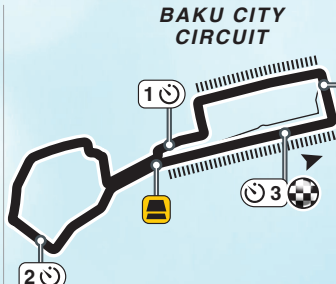
Distance: 78 laps – 260.286km

12 JUL 19: Belgium, Spa



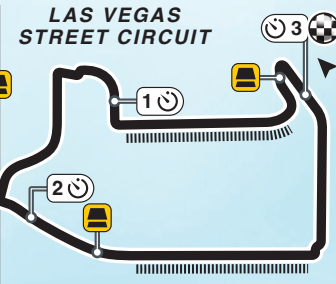
Distance: 44 laps – 308.052km

17 SEP 26: Azerbaijan, Baku



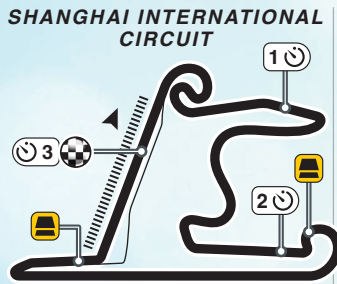
Distance: 51 laps – 306.049km

22 NOV 21: Las Vegas, Las Vegas



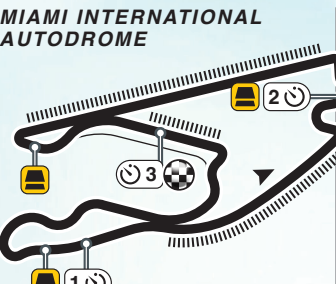
Distance: 50 laps – 309.958km

2 MAR 15: China, Shanghai



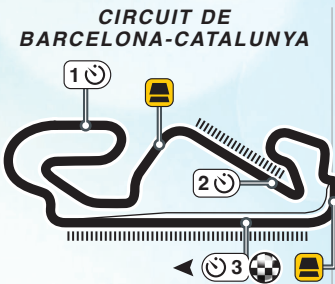
Distance: 56 laps – 305.066km

6 MAY 3: Miami, Miami



Distance: 57 laps – 308.326km

9 JUN 14: Barcelona, Catalunya



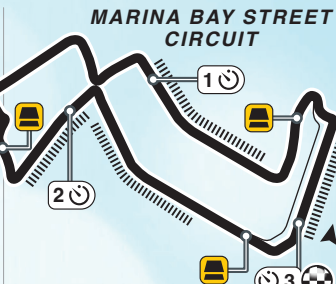
Distance: 66 laps – 307.236km

13 JUL 26: Hungary, Budapest



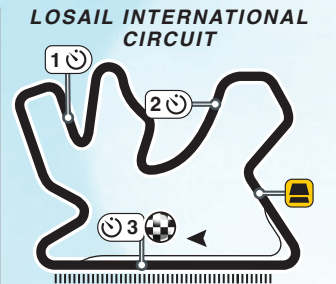
Distance: 70 laps – 306.630km

18 OCT 11: Singapore, Marina Bay



Distance: 62 laps – 305.337km

23 NOV 29: Qatar, Lusail



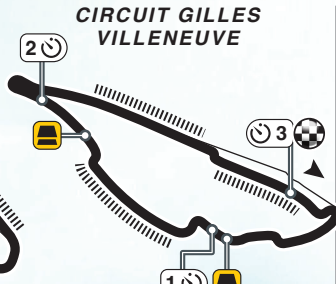
Distance: 57 laps – 308.611km

3 MAR 29: Japan, Suzuka



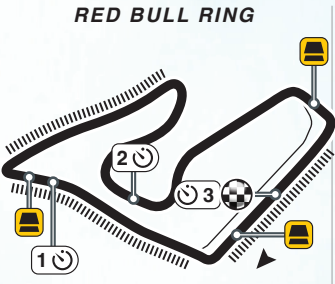
Distance: 53 laps – 307.471km

7 MAY 24: Canada, Montreal



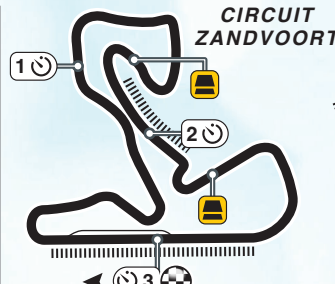
Distance: 70 laps – 305.270km

10 JUN 28: Austria, Spielberg



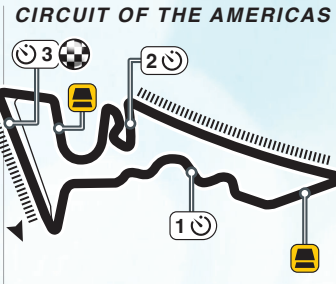
Distance: 71 laps – 307.018km

14 AUG 23: Netherlands, Zandvoort



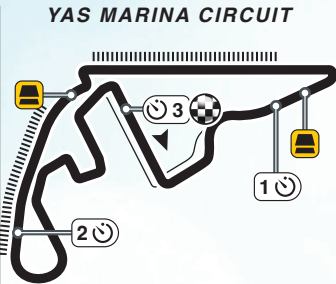
Distance: 72 laps – 306.587km

19 OCT 25: United States, Austin



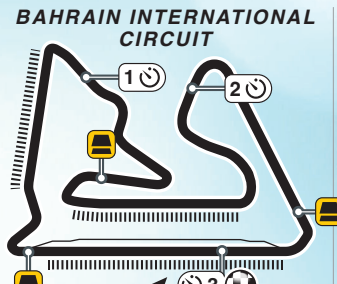
Distance: 56 laps – 308.405km

24 DEC 6: Abu Dhabi, Yas Marina



Distance: 58 laps – 306.183km

4 APR 12: Bahrain, Sakhir



Distance: 57 laps – 308.238km

TEAMS AND DRIVERS



MCLAREN MASTERCARD
Lando Norris GBR
Oscar Piastri AUS



MERCEDES-AMG
Kimi Antonelli ITA
George Russell GBR



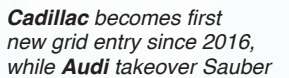
ORACLE RED BULL
Max Verstappen NED
Isack Hadjar FRA



SCUDERIA FERRARI HP
Charles Leclerc MON
Lewis Hamilton GBR



ATLASSIAN WILLIAMS
Alexander Albon THA
Carlos Sainz Jr. ESP



CADILLAC
Sergio Pérez MEX
Valtteri Bottas FIN



RACING BULLS
Liam Lawson NZL
Arvid Lindblad GBR



ASTON MARTIN ARAMCO
Fernando Alonso ESP
Lance Stroll CAN



TGR HAAS
Esteban Ocon FRA
Oliver Bearman GBR



BWT ALPINE
Pierre Gasly FRA
Franco Colapinto ARG



AUDI REVOLUT
Gabriel Bortoletto BRA
Nico Hülkenberg GER



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