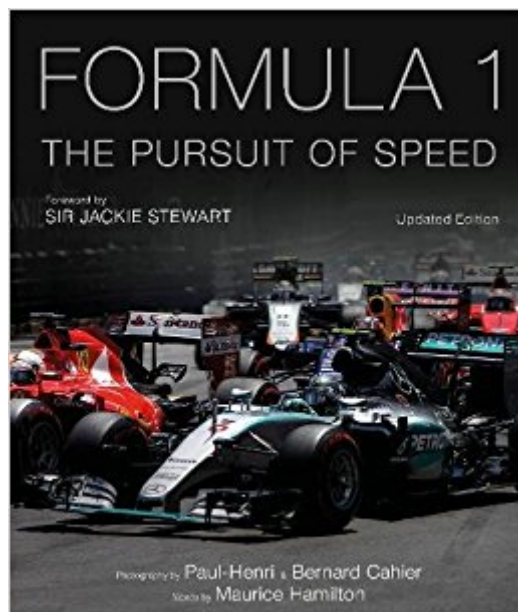




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Formula One: The Pursuit Of Speed: A Photographic Celebration Of F1's Greatest Moments



Synopsis

With over 300 photographs from the 1950s to the present day and many previously unpublished, this stunning book is the ultimate celebration of Formula One. This new updated version includes photographs from Rosberg's winning and retiring year. From the charismatic rivalries of Juan Manuel Fangio and Stirling Moss and the highly competitive Championship battles of Alain Prost and Ayrton Senna, through to the historic tales of Monaco's winding course and the atmospheric crowds of Monza, the adrenaline-fueled, high-octane world of Formula One has created some of the greatest moments in sporting history. Chronicling both the changing face of the teams and their cars, from Lotus and Cooper to Williams and Ferrari, and of course the legendary drivers who have pushed their machines and themselves to the limits, these incredible photographs are from the archive of Bernard Cahier and his son, Paul-Henri who have been trackside capturing the drama of the Formula One Championships since the 1950s. Brought to life by Formula One correspondent Maurice Hamilton, they tell the story behind the infamous circuits that have played host to intense rivalries which have produced moments of tragedy and triumph that read like a film script.

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Maurice Hamilton is an F1 veteran with over 40 years covering F1. Xavier Chimits is a former editor-in-chief of France's L'Automobile Magazine and has published several books about Formula One. Over the two decades that he has covered F1 racing, he formed a close friendship with Bernard and Paul-Henri Cahier. This book is the result of that friendship. Michael Oliver went to his first Formula One race when he was just two weeks old, and contends that he learned to count looking at the number roundels on the sides of racing cars. A professional writer, he has contributed features to a wide range of magazines and websites, including autosport.com, itvf1.com, Motor Sport, Octane, Classic Cars, Vintage Racecar, Victory Lane, Chequered Flag and Motor Racing Australia. He is also the author of two other motor racing books: Lotus 49: The Story of a Legend, published in 1999; and Lotus 72: Formula One Icon, published in 2003. It was the contact he made with mechanics while researching these books, and the mechanics' wealth of untold stories, that inspired him to write this latest work.

Beautiful book for F1 lovers, lots of pictures and information, a great gift!

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Outstanding book by one of the sport's very best writers, Maurice Hamilton, who has been covering Formula 1 for over 40 years. Features the incredible photography of legendary father and son team, Bernard and Paul-Henri Cahier. Bernard was the master photojournalist "storyteller" and his son, Paul-Henri is unmatched in his photographic artistry portraying the spectacular essence of the world's greatest motorsport series. The Pursuit of Speed captures the sensational nature of the cars, drivers, circuits and unique atmosphere from the very beginning to present day. Large, high-quality format and design with hundreds of superb images. Very highly recommended. Would make a perfect gift for any motorsport or F1 enthusiast.

A wonderful mix of classic photos from the Cahier Archive, presenting the work of pioneering F1 photographer Bernard Cahier and his son Paul-Henri. A truly unique unbroken photographic record of the sport.

Craftsmanship is not a word to describe most of what is written and photographed in the age of

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