

CLASSIC SPORTS SERIES PRESENTS

FORMULA ONE

SEASON 2012



MEDIA INFORMATION 2012
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FAST FACTS

Absolute Publishing Ltd is proud to be producing the Classic Sports Series' *Formula One Season 2012* magazine to commemorate the world's most prestigious motorsport event. Formula One 2011 proved to be a thrilling season from start to finish, with Red Bull leading the way the whole season. Jenson Button put in an amazing display to finish 2nd to Sebastian Vettel who retained his Title Championship in Schumacher-esque fashion. Lewis Hamilton and Fernando Alonso will also be hoping for a better outing in the 2012 campaign.

- **Format:** A4, high quality, perfect bound publication in full colour, written by established journalists. Approx 148 pages.
- **Design:** Modern and contemporary, with strong, vibrant sports visuals.
- **Frequency:** One-off special, published in March 2012.

EMAGAZINE

- **Online magazine distribution:** A digital version of the magazine will be emailed directly to 250,000 ABC1 professionals with specific sports interests, who have pre-subscribed to the service.
- **Printed advertisements:** Can appear

electronically with fully functional hyperlinks (see online specs).

DISTRIBUTION*

- **Ground distribution:** WH Smiths High St, WH Smiths Travel, Martin/McColls and all major stockists throughout the UK at £3.75.
- **Additional distribution:** Gyms, leisure centres, corporate reception areas, Mercedes dealerships, male grooming salons, airline and Eurostar lounges, hotels and private hospitals, dentists and the Institute of Directors.
- **Airport distribution:** London Heathrow, Gatwick and Stansted – departure gates.

KEY FEATURES

- ABC1/AB circulation through all publications.
- Leading sports personality endorsements.
- Distribution to major sports agents in the UK.
- In-store point-of-sale promotions.
- Individual brand sponsorship opportunities.
- Advertiser placements available within dedicated editorial features.
- Exclusive hospitality available in conjunction with advertising activity.
- Tailored brand marketing campaigns.

AT A GLANCE

- CIRCULATION 72,000 COPIES
- 15-WEEK SHELF LIFE
- 250,000 ONLINE SUBSCRIBERS
- ABC1 DEMOGRAPHIC
- COPY DEADLINE: EARLY FEB 2012
- COST £7,950 PER PAGE

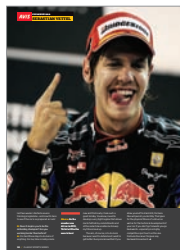
EDITORIAL CONTENT

- **Contributors:** Our contributors include some of the best Grand Prix writers who have spent many years on the circuit travelling around the world. They include Tim Collings, who has known the Hamilton family since Lewis was driving go-karts aged 10; Agence-France Presse's F1 Correspondent Andrew Fagan; and the *Observer's* Maurice Hamilton.
- **Features:** Exclusive Q&A interviews with sports personalities including Jenson Button, Lewis Hamilton, and Sebastian Vettel, as well as previews of every Grand Prix on this season's Calendar and analysis of the rule changes for 2012.
- **Extras:** News and views in our Pit Lane section, great images from last year's action and a look ahead to the luxury lifestyle of an F1 driver.

*All distribution is subject to confirmation.



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