FACTFILE #08





Azerbaijan 23 - 25June 2017 Baku

Friday 23rd June 2017 Free Practice 1 13:00 - 14:30

17:00 - 18:30

Free Practice 2

Saturday 24th June 2017 Free Practice 3 14:00 - 15:00 Qualifying 17:00

Sunday 25th June 2017

Race Start 17:00

TRACK STATS

1:46.4855 LAP RECORD (NICO ROSBERG, 2016)

306.049

6.003

CIRCUIT LENGTH (KM)

RACE DISTANCE (KM)

NUMBER OF LAPS

4 119 2.6 **8** 316 0.3 **7 287 3.4**) SECTOR 3 **4** 105 2.2 **8** 309 1.1 SECTOR 2 **2 79 2.0 8** 320 0.0 **8** 311 **0**.0 SECTOR 1

CAR SETUP

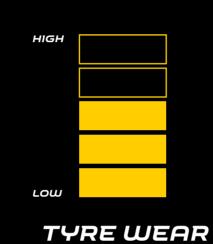


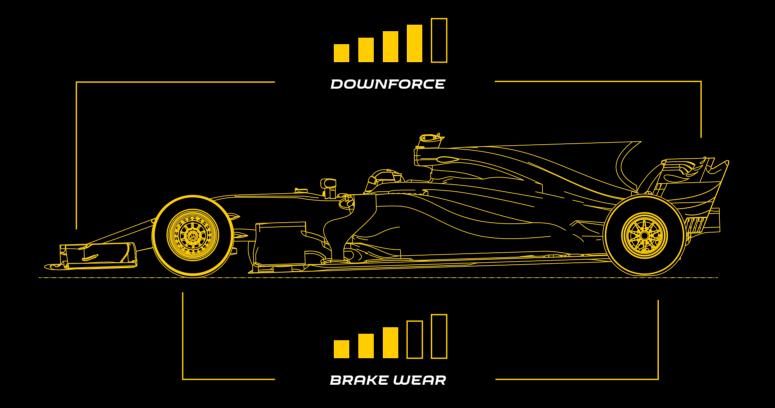
SUPERSOFT





PODIUMS





Features heavy braking from around 320kph into the sharp left which has the luxury of an extended run-off area. Despite this and other braking points, the circuit is not expected to be this and other braking points, the circuit is not expected to be hard on brakes – as there is plenty of opportunity for them to cool. The track has frequent 90 degree corners with this being the first. End of straight speeds of around 330kph expected in qualifying this year, although with a good tow these can be over 340kph in the race. Brakes are quite cold before Turn 1 after the long straight, although they get hot through the tight middle sector.

The second 90-degree left-hander opens up into another long straight with good overtaking opportunities culminating with a third 90-degree left-hander.

90-degree right which leads into a left-right chicane of 5 and 6, revealing the picturesque view of the Flame Towers in the

T8-9

Most of the circuit is wide for a street course, but turn 8 followed by 9 is the contrast as it is very narrow and technical as it winds through the castle on the left and the cobbled, medieval old-town streets.

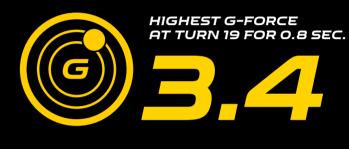
TII

Turn 11 features a crest with walls very close to penalise

T13

Full throttle through the left-hand kink with a slight camber at 13 before a carbon copy at 14 in top gear and hard on the brakes for 15, the tight, downhill left. The barrier is close on the exit and it is easy to touch it when coming on power.

Turn 16 is the final braking point before the rapid T17-20 section which snakes right and left at high speed and feeds into the long, start-finish straight – pit-lane on the left which contains a small chicane entrance.





RENAULT IN BAKU*

STARTS

POLES

F. LAPS

WINS

TOTAL POINTS

NO. OF OVERTAKES

TOP SPEED (KPH)

TELEMETRY

FUEL EFFECT



(2016 average: 0.33sec/10kg)

FUEL CONSUMPTION



(2016 average: 1.69kg/lap)

FULL THROTTLE



(2016 average: 50.3% of lap)

LOWEST STARTING POSITION FOR A WINNER



SAFETY CAR PROBABILITY

(2016)

WINNERS FROM POLE

QUIRKY FACTS

92 – Baku is located 92ft below sea level, making it the lowest lying national capital in the world

15.1 – Average annual temperature of Baku

40 – Azerbaijan has 40% of the world's mud volcanoes

162 – Azerbaijan has the world's second tallest flag pole, standing at 162 metres

WEATHER

AVERAGE WEATHER **FOR JUNE**







