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Francisco Mateos: *Fangio, the car tamer*

In the last 70 years of F1 history, we have seen lots of drivers; ones becoming more famous than others. As in any other sport, there are drivers that are remembered as the best in the history of the sport. The aim of this study is to prove, with information and calculation, why Fangio can be considered the best driver. It is going to be discussed about his golden age, his championships, the career of other drivers and how he was seen inside of the community. This research is based on specific data of some special drivers and they are compared, giving a final result. Also, we are using information from a British study that also talks about the topic and we will be analysing the Netflix documentary about the drivers' career.

Through all this work, I have come up with different results and opinions that show the superiority of Fangio in terms of percentages of victory, pole positions, etc. Also, we have the results and statistics of the Sheffield university, which help to prove and demonstrate all this information.

In conclusion, we can compare the seven titles of Schumacher or Hamilton with the five of Fangio, but there is no doubt that those five championships are more important than those seven, thanks for the ability, experience and not for the car. Lots of drivers can be considered the best, but there is only one who really is, and with mathematical information. The amount of trophies does not prove anything; it is the way how they get it.