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Timeline

- January 2022: GRAIC platform and rules released
- January early March
 2022: GRAIC feedback
 and platform updates
- Mid March: GRAIC final platform release
- Mid April: GRAIC submissions open
- Late April: GRAIC final races held
- May 3-6: CPS-IOT
 Week 2022, final results
 announced

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GRAIC Core team

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Generalized RAcing Intelligence Competition (GRAIC) is a simulation-based autonomous vehicle race co-located with CPS-IOT Week 2022. GRAIC aims to bring together researchers in AI, learning, planning, and control to create a platform for education and research in autonomous vehicles, safety risks, and uncertain environments. We hope that it will also be fun.

TI;dr In January, we will release a simulation environment, test vehicles, track information, and race objectives. As a competitor, you will use the given API and develop your racing controller. In mid April, you will submit your final racing controller code. We will run the races with your controllers and provide results, data, video feedback, and announce winners during CPSWeek.

New in GRAIC '22

- We lower the barrier to entry: You will have AWS image to run simulations; no need for expensive hardware. Instructions are on the installation page.
- More excitement: Multi-agent racing, new vehicles, and tracks.

Race Details At runtime, the input to the controller will come from a perception oracle that will provide as input a local view of obstacles, lanes, and gates on the track near the vehicle. All of these will be published in ROS topics. The tracks will have unknown static and moving obstacles. The outputs from the controller (brake, throttle, and steering) will drive the vehicle through ROS interfaces. For some vehicles will have a dynamic model for others you black-box vehicle simulator. The perception and control interfaces will not change. See more documentation at GRAIC github repo.

Installation This year we have two options for installation: you can run GRAIC '22 on Amazon Web Services (AWS) or install our docker image locally. Instructions can be found on our <u>installation page</u>.