## Milestone 1: Project Setup (-----)

#### Tasks:

- Install CARLA simulator and set up the simulation environment.
- Install necessary dependencies and reinforcement learning libraries.
- Develop the initial interface to collect trust-related feedback data.
- Define evaluation scenarios (e.g., lane-switching, urban traffic, obstacle avoidance).

#### Deliverables:

- A functional CARLA simulation environment.
- A documented setup guide for dependencies and configurations.
- Initial scenario definitions and trust feedback mechanisms.

# Milestone 2: Implementation of RL Algorithms (-----)

#### Tasks:

• Implement and configure the following RL algorithms:

**Proximal Policy Optimization (PPO)** 

Deep Q-Network (DQN)

**Deep Deterministic Policy Gradient (DDPG)** 

**Soft Actor-Critic (SAC)** 

- Ensure each algorithm is capable of receiving and processing trust feedback.
- Test the basic functionality of each algorithm in CARLA.

## **Deliverables:**

- Implemented RL models with training scripts.
- Initial test results for each algorithm in simple scenarios.
- Code documentation and training setup instructions.---

## Milestone 3: Scenario Simulation & Dynamic Trust Feedback (-----)

### Tasks:

- Implement predefined driving scenarios in CARLA.
- Integrate real-time trust feedback (e.g., manual interventions, hesitation tracking).
- Enable adaptive driving behavior based on trust changes.

## **Deliverables:**

- Fully simulated scenarios with dynamic traffic and pedestrian interactions.
- Trust feedback integration and behavior adaptation mechanisms.
- Screenshots or video recordings demonstrating system responses.

## Milestone 4: Algorithm Evaluation & Performance Metrics (-----)

#### Tasks:

• Evaluate RL models based on predefined performance metrics:

**Trust Calibration Metrics:** Frequency of manual overrides, system engagement rates.

**Performance Metrics:** Cumulative reward, crash frequency, adherence to traffic rules.

**Comparative Analysis:** Algorithm adaptability to trust feedback, intervention rates.

Compare how each algorithm adapts to different trust levels.

### **Deliverables:**

- A detailed performance evaluation report.
- Comparative charts and analysis of algorithm behavior.
- Logged results from CARLA simulations.

# Milestone 5: Report Generation & Final Delivery (-----)

#### Tasks:

- Compile all findings into a structured report.
- Summarize insights on trust-adaptive behavior in RL models.
- Prepare final project documentation and codebase.

### **Deliverables:**

- A comprehensive report detailing methodology, results, and conclusions.
- The **finalized codebase** with documentation for future use.