

## Short Users Manual – "Alta Corrida"

T05 G04

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To start the program, when on the correct directory – sgi-t05-g04, open the tp3's live share.

## Game sequence:

- Main menu with game name, FEUP's logo and developers' names.
- **Secondary menu** to input the player's name.
- **Level menu** to choose the opponent's level there are 3 options from one to three the speed of the opponent increases.
- Player vehicles parking lot where the player must choose one of 4 cars to play with.
- **Opponent vehicles parking lot** where the player must choose one of 4 cars which the opponent will play with.
- After a countdown, the race starts: where the racers must complete 2
  laps under 150 seconds. A lap only counts when the player passes, in
  the right order, through checkpoints that are placed throughout the
  track.
- The **keys** that the player can use are:
  - "W" to accelerate:
  - "S" to slow down;
  - "A" to turn left;
  - "D" to turn right;
  - "X" to stop completely;
  - "R" to reverse:
  - "Space" to pause.

- There are **4 types of power-ups** that the player can catch (the opponent isn't affected by any of the power-ups and obstacles):
  - The shield lasts 6 seconds where the player is immune to collisions with obstacles and the opponent's vehicle.
  - The speed lasts 6 seconds doubles the player's vehicle maximum velocity.
  - The pick where the player is taken to the obstacles parking lot where they must choose an obstacle, from the existing types, to add to the track.
  - The shortcut lasts 3 seconds an animation that transports the player to a random point of the last quarter of the track.
- There are 2 types of obstacles:
  - The oil spill lasts 6 seconds where the player's vehicle rotates in a pendulum-like movement.
  - The switch directions lasts 6 seconds where the player's vehicle direction switches – so if the user presses the turning right key, the car turns left and vice-versa.
- During the gameplay, there is a **Heads-Up display**, that shows the current timer, the player's velocity and maximum velocity, the current lap and lastly, power-ups and obstacles that the car is being affected by.
- When the car goes **out of the track, its current velocity and maximum velocity decrease 60%**.
- When the car collides with the opponent's vehicle its current velocity decreases 70%.
- When the player finishes 2 laps, it is redirected to the podium skyscraper, where the first and second places are distinguished by the time the vehicles took to finish.
- There are two buttons in the final menu:
  - One to restart the race with the same car choices.
  - Other to return to the main menu and choose the vehicles again.