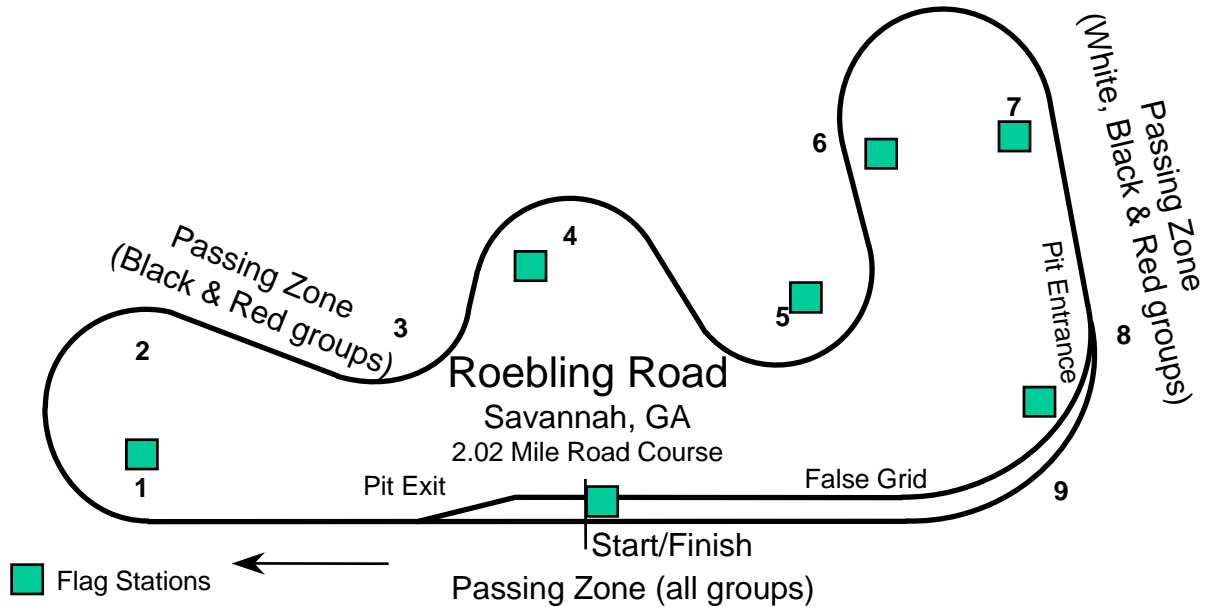


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Beginner's Guide to Roebing Road Raceway



Turn 1 : Turn one is a right hander at the end of a 3200ft straightaway. All passing must be completed before approaching the first brake marker. A typical 911 will be in 5th/6th gear before braking. Start turn 1 on the left side of the straightaway. Brake and down shift in a straight line before turning in.

Turn 2 : Transition from the apex of turn one to the outside of the track to prepare for turn 2. Additional brakes and another downshift is usually required. Turn two is a late apex corner.

Turn 3 : Turn 3 and turn 9 are the fastest corners on the track. Set turn three up by moving to the right in the short straight before entering turn 3 and up shift as required. Set a single arc and gently transition the car from the outside of the entrance of three to the inside of the exit of three.

Turn 4 : Hard braking and a down shift is required. Turn four is a late apex corner that requires patience.

Turn 5 : Probably the hardest turn to master, but the most rewarding when done right. Again, a late apex corner. Some braking required on the entrance. Smooth acceleration to keep the back of the car planted and let the car track out on the exit.

Turn 6 & 7 : Two corners often thought of as one. Start by entering 6 on the outside. A lot of patience is required on this corner as a early apex can cause trouble and will certainly cost speed on the exit of 7. Let the car completely track out of seven. Upshift and accelerate uphill to the entrance to turn 8.

Turn 8 & 9 : Also two corners often thought of as one. Gently transition the car from left to right with a single arc and slowly begin acceleration to keep the car planted and to ramp up exit speed for the straightaway.

Check your mirrors upon entering the straight, check your gauges, look for merging traffic from the pit lane, pass only when signaled, up shift at about the start/finish line and take a deep breath because turn one is only a few seconds away!