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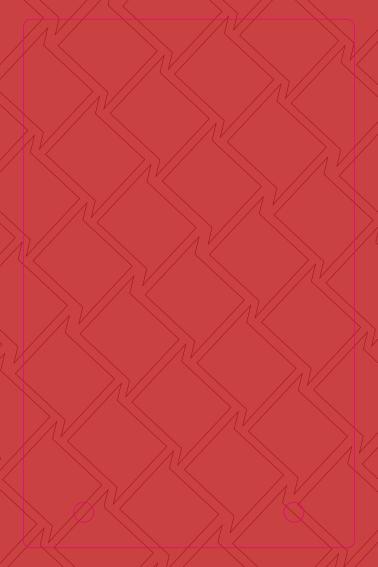














A NEW ROUND OF GREAT CYCLING.
555 KM BETWEEN DESERT AND FUTURE
FROM THE VASTNESS OF DESERT DUNES
THROUGH THE OASIS THAT REFLECT THE SKY
ANCIENT HISTORY MEETS TOMORROW.
WELCOME TO THE ULTIMATE
RACE OF THE SEASON THE WORLD IS READY

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The shape of the sculpture represents the dynamism of a cyclist on the road. This dynamism is transformed into "speed", joining the human being, the cyclist, the technology, and his bike in one single element, like in Ferrari's sport world with the racing driver and his car.



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PROMOTOUR

TUE, SEPTEMBER 291 2015 — SUN, OCTOBER 11 2015

Discover the Abu Dhabi Tour,
the most exciting race of the year!
From Tuesday 29th September to the final stage in Yas
Marina Circuit, two double decker will travel
all over the Abu Dhabi region to meet the fan
with awesome activities for all the family.
Collect our beautiful gadgets as t-shirts and stickers,
enroll to join the final Parade, take a picture
and participate to our contest to win an amazing
experience. Find out when the Abu Dhabi Promo Tour
is going to be and be ready to have fun with us!



29TH SEPT. (1 PM - 11 PM)	DEERFIELDS MALL - ETIHAD VILLAGE - TRAIN YAS
30TH SEPT. (10 AM - 3 PM)	SCHOOL DAY
1ST OCT. (2 PM – 11 PM)	YAS MALL - FERRARI WORLD - DU ARENA
2ND OCT. (1 PAM - 10 PM)	MARINA MALL - HERITAGE VILLAGE - NATION TOWER - CORNICHE BEACH
3RD OCT. (07 AM – 9 PM)	AL AIN MALL - WADI ADVENTURE - AL AIN ZOO - GREEN MUBAZZARAH - JEBEL HAFEET
4TH OCT. (10 AM – 3PM)	SCHOOL DAY
5TH OCT. (12 AM – 9 PM)	KHALIDA MALL - REEM ISLAND - MADINAT ZAYAD SHOPPIN CENTER - MARINA MALL - CORNICHE BEACH
6TH OCT. (1 PM - 11 PM)	BANI YAS MALL - DALMA MALL - TRAIN YAS
7TH OCT. (12 AM - 9 PM)	MEDINAT ZAYED - MOREEB DUNE - QASR AL SARAB
RACE DAYS	
8TH OCT. (1 PM – 11 PM)	QASR AL SARAB (START) - MEDINAT ZAYED (FINISH)
9TH OCT. (1 PM – 11 PM)	YAS MALL (START / FINISH)
10TH OCT. (1PM - 11 PM)	AL AIN (START) - JEBEL HAFEET (FINISH)
11TH OCT. (1 PM - 11 PM)	YAS MARINA CIRCUIT (START / FINISH)
SPECIAL EVENTS	
29TH SEPT. / 6TH OCT.	TRAIN YAS
30TH SEPT. / 4TH OCT.	SCHOOL DAY
3TH OCT.	RIDE TO JEBEL HAFEET AMATEUR AND PROFESSIONAL RIDERS

FAN ZONE



BECOME PROTAGONIST and attend special events at the FAN ZONE at the YAS MALL. From 8th to 11th October you will get all the info you need about the Abu Dhabi Tour, access the bike lab, follow every stage live and collect our amazing gadgets. Rise the Abu Dhabi Tour trophy and do not forget to bring your kids: a bicycle workshop is waiting for them!

OPEN EVERY DAY FROM 10AM TO 10PM.



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· PARADE ·

PARADE

YAS MARINA CIRCUIT 11TH OCTOBER RACE 6 PM FANS PARADE AND SHOW 9 PM

Be ready to live most exciting ride of your life! On 11th October, after the race, will start an amazing show on the circuit, where you will become protagonist with your bike. Performers, magic installations, lights and a lot of music will join you to ride along the circuit.

Under the stars of Abu Dhabi sky, you will be part of the most amazing show of the year!

To participate, have fun customizing yourself and your bike in the most spectacular and magic way! You can join the Parade directly at the circuit or you can pick up our Parade Kit at the Fan Zone inside the Yas Mall or during the double decker's tour.

KEY TO CONVENTIONAL SYMBOLS

RACE



START



FINISH



INTERMEDIATE SPRINT



FEED ZONE

FINISH



RACE HEADQUARTER



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START



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TEAMS PARKING



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ACTUAL START



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THE STAGES

THE ADNOC STAGE



SPRINTER STAGE

174 KM

THU, OCTOBER 8TH 2015

THE CAPITAL STAGE



SPRINTER STAGE

2

129 KM

FRI, OCTOBER 9

THE AL AIN STAGE



MEDIUM MOUNTAIN

3

142 KM

SAT, OCTOBER 10 2015

THE YAS STAGE



SPRINTER STAGE

4

110 KM

SUN, OCTOBER 11TM 2015





PETROL STATIONS



Please note that the petrol stations in the map are the only ones along the route.

HOTELS







PRELIMINARY APPOINTMENTS

TUESDAY OCTOBER 6TH

14.00 to 19.00

15.00 to 19.00

16.00 to 18.00

17.00

ABU DHABI

10.00 to 17.00 Yas Marina

Yas Marina Circuit Track

Yas Marina Circuit F1

Entrance gate 20

Yas West entrance

Track open for riders' training

Preliminary Operations
Staff accreditations

Radio distribution and set up

Teams' accreditation

Yas Events Centre Top Riders' press conference Entrance from gate 20,

8.00 to 14.00	Yas Marina Circuit Track	Track open for riders' training
9.15 to 10.15	Yas Marina Circuit F1 Entrance gate 20	Licenses check
10.30		Race Management Meeting with Jury and Sports Managers
11.00		Race Management Meeting with Photographers and TV

Qasr Al Sarab Resort

Last hotel check In for the teams

THURSDAY OCTOBER 8TH ABU DHABI

16.00

11.20 to 12.50	Qasr Al Sarab Resort	Start meeting point Sign-on	
12.55		Lining up	
13.00	Qasr Al Sarab	Start - Km 0	$\mathcal{I}\mathcal{I}$

SUNDAY OCTOBER 11TH ABU DHABI

19.00	Yas Marina Circuit F1	Stage finish				
21.00	DI J Forum	LICL CYCLING GALA				



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FROM QASR AL SARAB TO MADINAT ZAYED

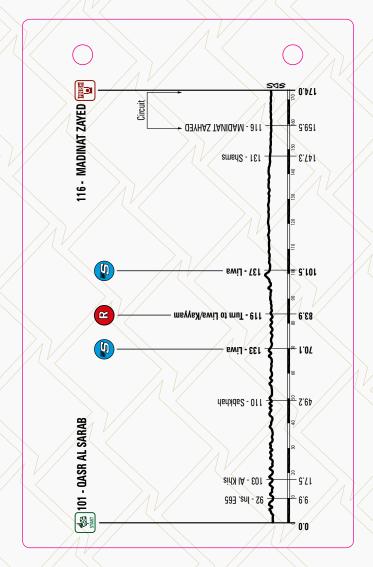
The entire stage takes place in the desert. The first part goes along an undulating route on more or less high dunes accruing a remarkable vertical climbing. After Liwa the parcours is perfectly straight for over 40km as far as the first crossing of the finish line in Madinat Zayed where the peloton enters a final 14.5km loop.

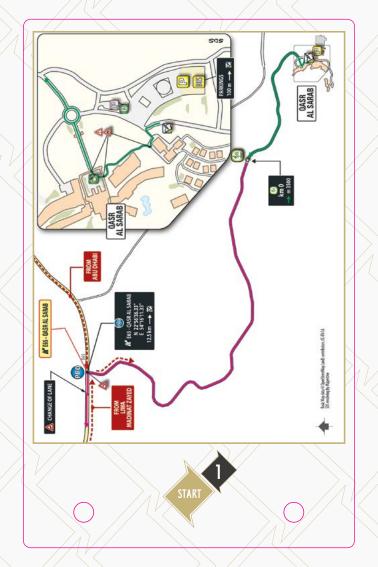
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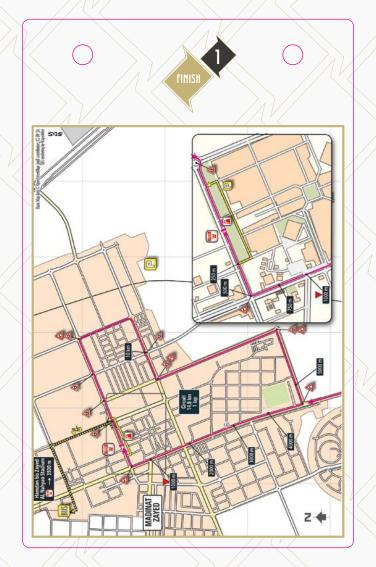




Al Dhafra Stadium Madinat Zayed UAE











QASR AL SARAB - MADINAT ZAYED (LIWA)

KM 174

THURSDAY 2015.10.08

Elevation		Distance I to be			timetable km/h			
			leg	run	run	42	44	46
	ABU DHABI							
101	QASR AL SARAB		0.0	0.0	174.0	13.00	13.00	13.00
92	Ins. E65		9.9	9.9	164.1	13.14	13.13	13.12
103	Al Khis		7.6	17.5	156.5	13.25	13.24	13.23
110	Sabkhah		31.7	49.2	124.8	14.15	14.11	14.08
5 133	Liwa	0	20.9	70.1	103.9	14.47	14.41	14.37
R 119	Turn to Liwa/Kayyam	0	13.8	83.9	90.1	15.05	14.59	14.54
5 137	Liwa		17.6	101.5	72.5	15.32	15.25	15.18
131	Shams		45.8	147.3	26.7	16.34	16.24	16.15
116	MADINAT ZAYED	0	12.2	159.5	14.5	16.50	16.39	16.30
116	MADINAT ZAYED	0	14.5	174.0	0.0	17.09	16.58	16.58

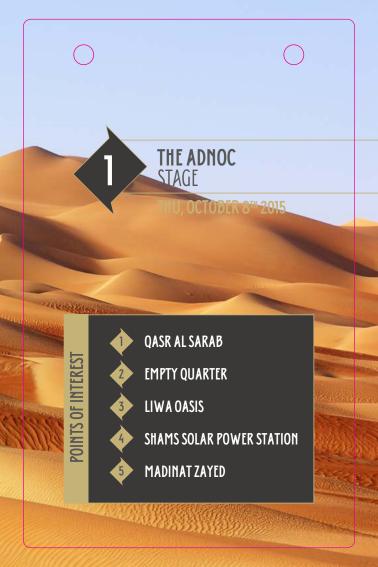
NOTE:

Intermediate sprint:

km 70.1 Liwa

km 101.5 Liwa

R Feed zone; km 80 - 83 - Turn to Liwa/Kayyam



THE CAPITAL STAGE

FRI, OCTOBER 9TH 2015

FROM YAS MARINA CIRCUIT TO YAS MALL

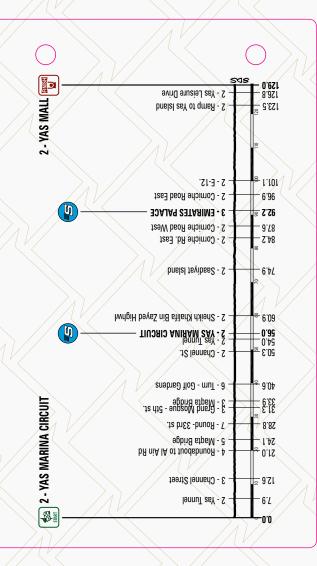
Stage mostly across the city, after the start from Yas Island the route heads, on roads with roundabouts and speed humps, towards the Grand Mosque area where the peloton returns to Yas Island, and follows the Sheikh bin Zayed Highway until the Abu Dhabi Corniche and back. The entire route goes along wide roads with an almost constant presence of cat's eyes as lane dividers.

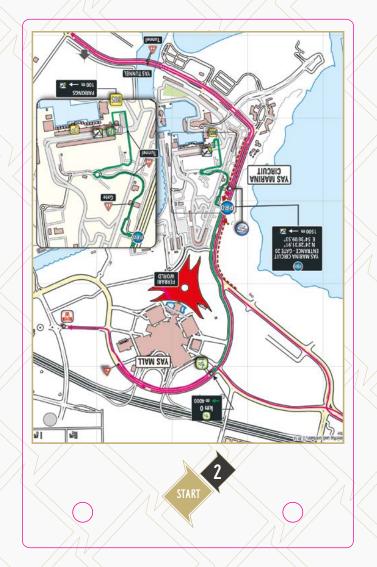
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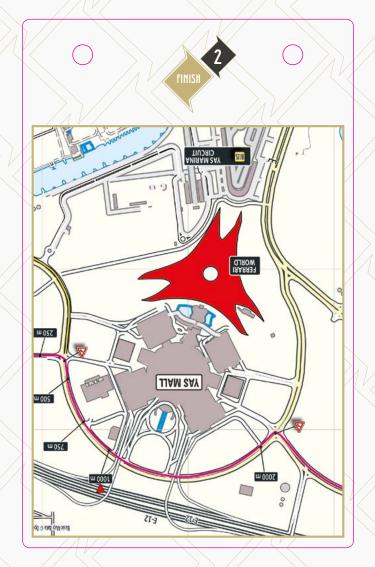




YAS EVENTS CENTRE ENTRANCE FROM GATE 20, YAS WEST ENTRANCE









STAGE 2 Itinerary

YAS MARINA CIRCUIT - YAS MALL FRYDAY 2015.10.09

KM 129

Elevation		Distance		timetable km/h				
Elevation			leg	run	to be run	42	44	46
	ABU DHABI							
2	YAS MARINA CIRCUIT		0.0	0.0	129.0	14.05	14.05	14.0
2	Yas Tunnel		5.7	5.7	123.3	14.12	14.12	14.1
3	Al Raha Blvd		1.3	7.0	122.0	14.15	14.14	14.1
3	Channel Street		4.6	11.6	117.4	14.21	14.20	14.2
4	Roundabout to Al Ain Rd		8.4	20.0	109.0	14.34	14.33	14.3
5	Maqta Bridge		3.2	23.2	105.8	14.39	14.38	14.3
7	Round- 33rd st.		4.7	27.9	101.1	14.47	14.45	14.4
7	30th st.		2.5	30.4	98.6	14.50	14.48	14.4
3	Grand Mosque - 5th st.		2.3	32.7	96.3	14.54	14.51	14.4
3	Maqta Bridge		2.0	34.7	94.3	14.56	14.54	14.5
6	Turn - Golf Gardens		5.0	39.7	89.3	15.04	15.01	14.5
2	Channel St.		9.7	49.4	79.6	15.18	15.14	15.1
2	Yas Tunnel		3.7	53.1	75.9	15.23	15.19	15.1
2	Yas Marina Circuit		1.7	54.8	74.2	15.25	15.22	15.1
2	Ins. E-12/Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Highway		5.2	60.0	69.0	15.33	15.29	15.2
2	Saadiyat Island		13.9	73.9	55.1	15.52	15.47	15.4
2	Corniche Rd. East		9.3	83.2	45.8	16.05	16.00	15.5
2	Corniche Road West		3.5	86.7	42.3	16.10	16.04	15.5
9 3	Emirates Palace	0	4.6	91.3	37.7	16.18	16.11	16.0
2	Corniche Road East	0	4.7	96.0	33.0	16.24	16.18	16.1
2	E-12	0	4.2	100.2	28.8	16.30	16.23	16.1
2	Ramp to Yas Island	0	22.4	122.6	6.4	17.00	16.52	16.4
2	Yas Leisure Drive	0	3.8	126.4	2.6	17.05	16.57	16.5
2	YAS MALL		2.6	129.0	0.0	17.09	17.01	16.5

NOTE:

Intermediate sprint:

km 54.8 Yas marina Circuit

km 91.3 Emirates Palace



THE AL AIN STAGE

SAT, OCTOBER 10TH 2015

FROM AL AIN (AL QATTARA SOUQ) TO JEBEL HAFEET

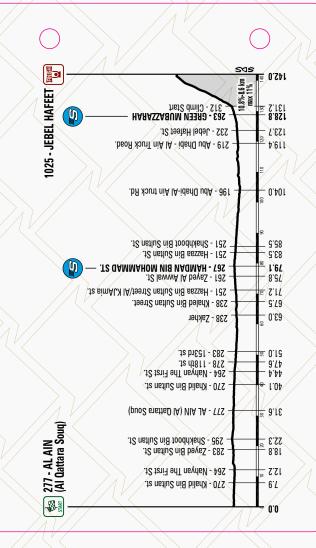
Stage partly in the city and partly in the mountains. Starting from Al Ain the stage will be raced on wide roads with roundabouts and speed humps. With 15km to go the peloton will start a shallow climb leading to the final ascent. Uphill finish at 1025m of altitude after an 11km climb on gradients that touch 11%.

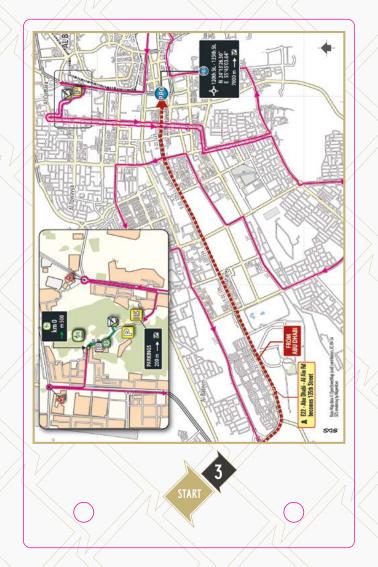
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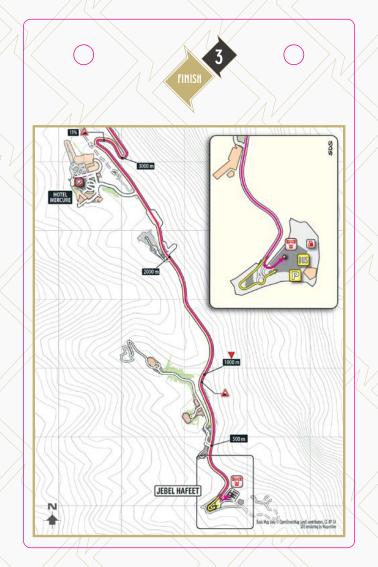




Mercure Grand Jebel Hafeet Al Ain Hotel Jebel Hafeet - AL AIN











KM

AL AIN - JEBEL HAFEET SATURDAY 2015.10.10

Elevation			Distance			timetable km/h		
			log	run	to be run	42	44	46
	ABU DHABI							
277	ALAIN		0.0	0.0	142.0	13.30	13.30	13.3
274	124th st.	0	1.0	1.0	141.0	13.31	13.31	13.3
270	Khalid Bin Sultan st.	0	6.9	7.9	134.1	13.40	13.40	13.4
266	130th st.	0	1.2	9.1	132.9	13.42	13.42	13.4
264	Nahyan The First st.	0	3.1	12.2	129.8	13.46	13.46	13.4
278	118th st.	0	3.3	15.5	126.5	13.51	13.50	13.4
283	Zayed Bin Sultan St.	0	3.3	18.8	123.2	13.56	13.55	13.5
292	Othman Bin Affan st.	0	1.8	20.6	121.4	13.59	13.58	13.5
295	Shakhboot Bin Sultan St.	0	1.7	22.3	119.7	14.02	14.00	13.5
279	120th st.	0	3.4	25.7	116.3	14.06	14.05	14.0
283	120th st.	0	3.8	29.5	112.5	14.12	14.10	14.0
277	AL AIN		2.1	31.6	110.4	14.15	14.13	14.1
274	124th st.	0	1.6	33.2	108.8	14.17	14.15	14.1
270	Khalid Bin Sultan st.	0	6.9	40.1	101.9	14.27	14.24	14.2
266	130th st.	0	1.2	41.3	100.7	14.28	14.26	14.2
264	Nahyan The First St.	0	3.1	44.4	97.6	14.32	14.30	14.2
278	118th st	0	3.2	47.6	94.4	14.37	14.34	14.3
283	153rd st.	0	3.4	51.0	91.0	14.43	14.39	14.3
232	Turno to Zakher	0	4.3	55.3	86.7	14.48	14.45	14.4
238	Zakher	0	7.7	63.0	79.0	15.00	14.56	14.5
238	Khaled Bin Sultan Street.	0	4.5	67.5	74.5	15.06	15.02	14.5
251	Hazzaa Bin Sultan Street/Al KJAmia st.	0	3.7	71.2	70.8	15.12	15.07	15.0
261	Zayed Al Awwal St.	0	4.6	75.8	66.2	15.19	15.14	15.0
267	Hamdan Bin Mohammad St.		3.3	79.1	62.9	15.24	15.19	15.1
251	Hazzaa Bin Sultan St.	0	4.4	83.5	58.5	15.30	15.24	15.1
251	Shakhboot Bin Sultan St.	0	2.0	85.5	56.5	15.33	15.27	15.2
196	Abu Dhabi-Al Ain truck Rd.	0	18.5	104.0	38.0	15.58	15.51	15.4
219	Abu Dhabi-Al Ain truck Rd.	0	15.4	119.4	22.6	16.21	16.13	16.0
232	Jebel hafeet St.	0	4.3	123.7	18.3	16.27	16.19	16.1
263	Green Mubazzarah	0	5.1	128.8	13.2	16.35	16.27	16.1
312	Climb Start	0	2.4	131.2	10.8	16.39	16.30	16.2
1025	JABEL HAFEET	0	10.8	142.0	0.0	17.09	16.58	16.4

NOTE:



Intermediate sprint:

km 79.1 Hazza bin Zayed Stadium km 91.3 Green Mubazzarah

B Feed zone: km







FROM YAS MARINA CIRCUIT TO YAS MARINA CIRCUIT

The entire stage takes place on the Yas Island Circuit. The peloton will complete 20 5.5km laps with 3 intermediate sprints every 5 laps (end of the 5th lap, end of the 10th lap and end of the 15th lap).

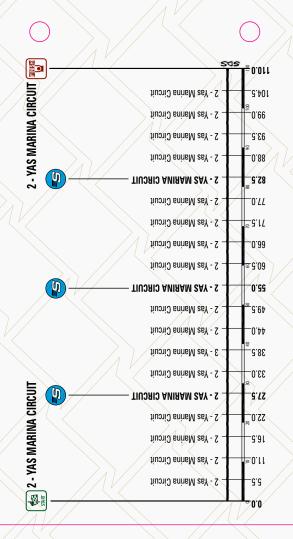
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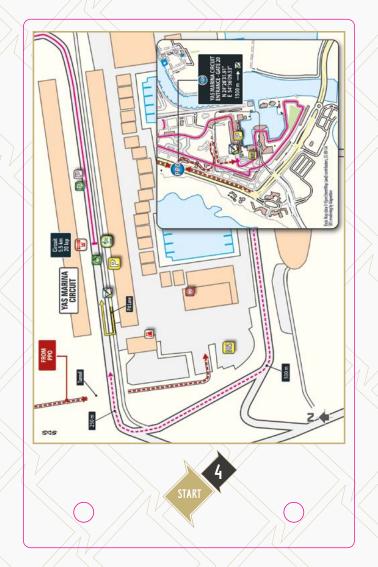
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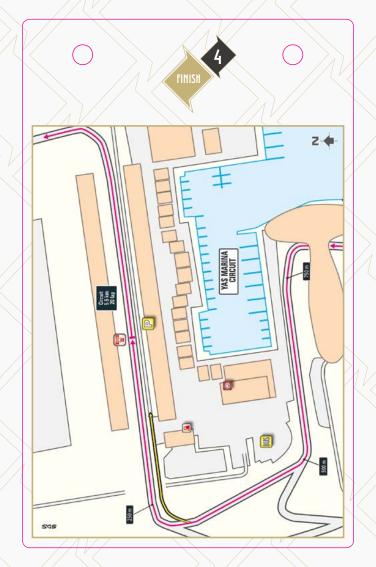




YAS EVENTS CENTRE ENTRANCE FROM GATE 20, YAS WEST ENTRANCE













YAS ISLAND CIRCUIT SUNDAY 2015.10.11

Elevation				Distance	to be	timetable km/h		
200000000000000000000000000000000000000			leg	run	run	42	44	46
	ABU DHABI							
2	YAS MARINA CIRCUIT		0.0	0.0	110.0	16.40	16.40	16.40
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	5.5	104.5	16.47	16.47	16.4
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	11.0	99.0	16.55	16.54	16.5
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	16.5	93.5	17.02	17.01	17.0
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	22.0	88.0	17.10	17.08	17.0
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	27.5	82.5	17.17	17.15	17.1
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	33.0	77.0	17.24	17.23	17.2
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	38.5	71.5	17.32	17.30	17.2
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	44.0	66.0	17.39	17.37	17.3
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	49.5	60.5	17.47	17.44	17.4
2 2 2 2 2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	55.0	55.0	17.54	17.51	17.4
	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	60.5	49.5	18.01	17.58	17.5
	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	66.0	44.0	18.09	18.05	18.0
	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	71.5	38.5	18.16	18.12	18.0
	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	77.0	33.0	18.24	18.19	18.1
5 2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	82.5	27.5	18.31	18.26	18.2
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	88.0	22.0	18.38	18.33	18.2
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	93.5	16.5	18.45	18.40	18.3
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	99.0	11.0	18.53	18.47	18.4
2	Yas Marina Circuit		5.5	104.5	5,5	19.00	18.54	18.4
2	Yas Marina Circuit	0	5.5	110.0	0.0	19.07	19.01	18.5

NOTE:



km 27.5 Yas Marina Circuit - 6th Lap Begin

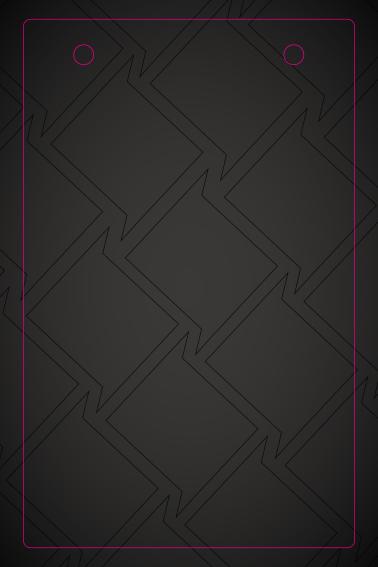
km 55.0 Yas Marina Circuit - 11th Lap Begin km 82.5 Yas Marina Circuit - 16th Lap Begin

Feed zone: km

Intermediate sprint:







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