# Let's Get Together





# Multiplayer Strategy

- Move in random diagonals to capture information
- Communication protocol:
  - Calculate what I see
  - Calculate what they see
  - Lower num moves onto higher num



- Deadlock detection
  - Timeout: 2 rounds, then I move

# Single Player Strategy

- Gather player coordinates by laying down tracks
- Calculate areas
- Find meeting point in smallest area
- Shortest path to meeting point

#### Multiplayer and Single player combination

## **Multiplayer Detection**

- If we found some information before 2\*min + max rounds have elapsed
- If we didn't find at least one of a player's coordinates during the last two revolutions
- Worst case convergence time out 3\*min + 2\*max rounds

## Laying down tracks

- One revolution in the min direction
- One revolution in the max direction: search for one player coordinates
- Last revolution in the min direction: search for the other player coord.



#### Minimum Areas

- Adjust coordinate system to determine direction of travel
- Choose minimum area among those created by any pair of players
- Compute center point of area and player offset
- Move diagonally to shorten distance traveled



### **Conflict Resolution**

- Odd number distances result in "off by one" errors
- Two or more minimum areas



Equidistant locations due to wrapping



## **Tournament Analysis**

Success Rate determined by comparing our score to the "Expected Score"

2.5 \* min + 1.5 \* max

Number of Players	Success Rate	Average Ranking
2	96%	1
3	90%	4
5	73%	6
9	55%	10