Directions to NIST’s Robot Test Facility
Gaithersburg, MD 20899

From Dulles International Airport (IAD)  45-60 Min.
- Dulles Access Road toward Washington
- Exit onto I-495 toward Bethesda/Baltimore
- Exit onto I-270 North toward Frederick (left lanes)
- Exit #10 West Diamond Ave. / Clopper Road (MD-117)
- Right at the first traffic signal onto West Diamond Ave.
- Left at the next traffic signal into NIST’s Visitor Center

From Reagan National Airport (DCA)  45-60 Min.
- George Washington (GW) Parkway North toward Maryland. (This road is confusing with several merges and forks. So when in doubt, stay right along the Potomac River until the following exit.)
- Exit onto I-495 toward Bethesda/Baltimore
- Exit onto I-270 North toward Frederick (left lanes)
- Exit #10 West Diamond Ave. / Clopper Road (MD-117)
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From Baltimore Washington Int’l Airport (BWI)  60-75 Min.
- I-195 West
- Exit onto I-95 South toward Washington
- Exit onto I-495 West toward Silver Spring
- Exit onto I-270 North toward Frederick
- Exit #10 West Diamond Ave. / Clopper Road (MD-117)
- Right at the first traffic signal onto West Diamond Ave.
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NIST Campus
All visitors must enter the Visitor Center at the main gate on the first day of visit to pick up a badge (your name must already be in the system) and show the badge and photo ID to enter/exit any NIST Gate during visit.

From NIST’s Main Gate:
- Right on North Drive
- Left on West Drive to end
- Left on South Drive
- Right on Center Drive
- Left into first driveway/road (unmarked)
- Follow road to right toward tall brick tower
- Robot Test Facility is at top of hill
- Park anywhere except circular driveway (maintain fire access)
- Call x70777 from phone at door for entry (or 301-975-3418)