

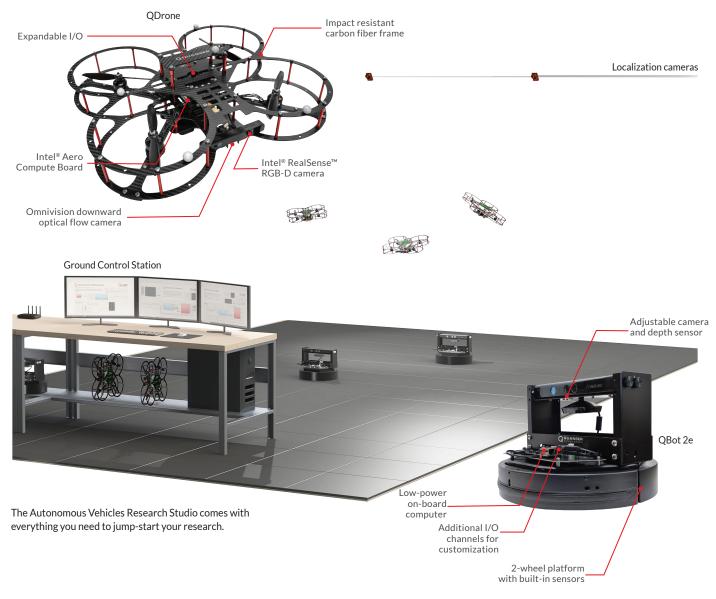
## **Autonomous Vehicles** Research Studio



Advancement in technology and innovative applications has led to the proliferation of unmanned vehicle research. Many application areas have emerged that require not only multiple vehicles, but collaboration between multiple vehicle types. The diversity and complexity of these applications present significant challenges to researchers and developers, such as increasing difficulty in setting up and maintaining the evolving and growing drone fleet, as well as the need for standardized validation and verification platform to facilitate development, evaluation and analysis. Quanser's new Autonomous Vehicles Research Studio is the ideal solution for academics looking to build a multi-vehicle research program in a short amount of time.

## QUANSER INNOVATION UNLEASHED FOR AUTONOMOUS VEHICLES

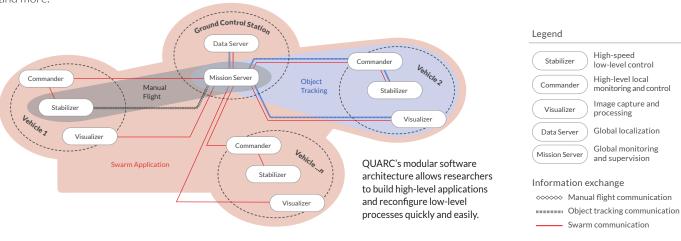
At the center of the Research studio are two autonomous vehicles for air and ground: the QDrone and QBot 2e. The successor of the QBall 2, the QDrone is a quadrotor air vehicle equipped with powerful on-board Intel® Aero Compute Board, multiple high resolution cameras and built-in WiFi capability. On the ground the QBot 2e is an innovative open-architecture autonomous ground robot, equipped with a wide range of built-in sensors and a vision system. Working individually or in a swarm, these are the ideal vehicles for your research applications.





## STUDIO ARCHITECTURE

The research studio software architecture is powered by QUARC™ for Simulink®, and is designed to provide key functionalities required for multi-vehicle research through a variety of customizable modules. Each module is powered by QUARC's communication framework to be target independent. This enables researchers to build high-level applications and reconfigure low-level processes supported by prebuilt modules and libraries. Using these building blocks you can explore topics in advanced flight control, machine vision, SLAM, autonomy, and more.



	RECOMMENDED CONFIGURATIONS	Small Labs	Medium Labs	Large Labs
Vehicles (	QDrone	4	8	12
	QBot 2e	4	0	12
ts &	Minimum recommended room size (m)	5x5x2.5	6x6x2.5	7x7x2.5
Studio Space & Components	Recommended workspace (m)	3.5x3.5x2	5x5x2	6x6x2
	Optitrack Flex 13 localization cameras	6	8	12
ntrol	High performance computer with Intel® Core i7	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	✓
Ground Control Station	Three monitors	✓	<b>✓</b>	✓
	QUARC™ Autonomous Software License	✓	✓	✓
Accessories 🔀	USB flight controller joystick High performance router Ground camera Protective floor tiles Protective netting	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>



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