02. Linux, ROS alapismeretek

Elmélet

Linux principles



- Only OS supported by ROS
- Security
- Efficieny
- Open-source
- Community support
- User freedom
- Distributions: **Ubuntu**, Linux Mint, Debian, etc.
- Terminal usage more dominant

Suggestion

Install **Terminator** terminal emulator:

sudo apt update sudo apt install terminator

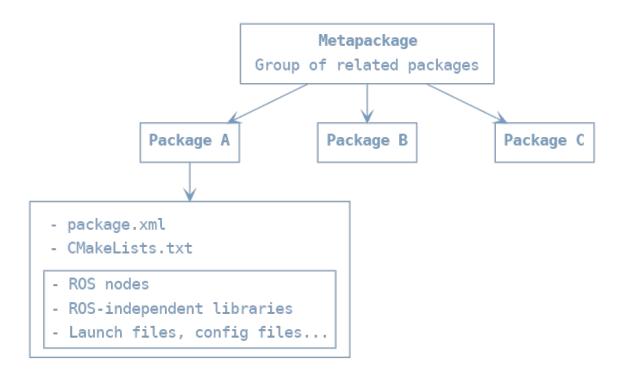
Linux commands

See some basic commands below:

- Run as administrator with sudo
- Manual of command man, e.g. man cp
- Package management apt, e.g. apt update, apt install
- Navigation cd
- List directory contents ls
- Copy file cp
- Move file mv
- Remove file rm
- Make directory mkdir
- Remove directory rmdir
- Make a file executable chmod +x <filename>
- Safe restart: Crtl + Alt + PrtScr + REISUB
- If not sure, just google the command

ROS principles

ROS file system



ROS package principle

Enough functionality to be useful, but not too much that the package is heavyweight and difficult to use from other software.

ROS package

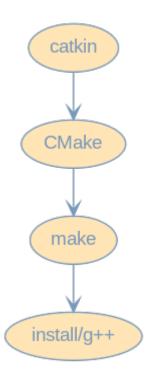
- Main unit to organize software in ROS
- Buildable and redistributable unit of ROS code
- Consosts of:
 - Manifest (package.xml): information about package
 - name
 - version
 - description
 - dependencies
 - etc.
 - CMakeLists.txt: input for the CMake build system
 - Anything else
- rosrun turtlesim turtlesim_node

ROS node

- Executable part of ROS:
 - python scripts
 - compiled C++ code
- A process that performs computation
- Inter-node communication:
 - ROS topics (streams)
 - ROS parameter server
 - Remote Procedure Calls (RPC)
 - ROS services
 - ROS actions
- Meant to operate at a fine-grained scale
- Typically, a robot control system consists of many nodes, like:
 - Trajectory planning
 - Localization
 - Read sensory data
 - Process sensory data
 - Motor control
 - User interface
 - etc.

ROS build system---Catkin

• System for building software packages in ROS

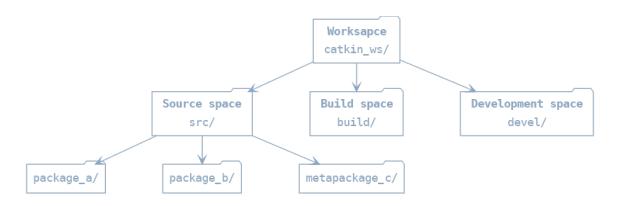


ROS workspace



Catkin workspace

A folder where catkin packages are modified, built, and installed.



- Source space:
 - Source code of catkin packages
 - Space where you can extract/checkout/clone source code for the packages you want to build
- Build space
 - CMake is invoked here to build the catkin packages

- CMake and catkin keep intermediate files here
- Devel space:
 - Built target are placed here prior to being installed

Environmental setup file

- setup.bash
- generated during init process of a new workspace
- extends shell environment
- ROS can find any resources that have been installed or built to that location

source ~/catkin_ws/devel/setup.bash

ROS master

roscore

- Registers:
 - Nodes
 - Topics
 - Services
 - Parameters
- One per system
- roslaunch launches ROS master automatically

Gyakorlat



Figyelem!

Az óra végén a **forráskódokat** mindenkinek fel kell tölteni **Moodle**-re egy zip archívumba csomagolva!

1: Turtlesim

1. Indítsuk el a ROS mastert, turtlesim_node -ot és a turtle_teleop_key node-ot az alábbi parancsokkal, külö-külön terminál ablakokban:



Tip

Terminator-ban Ctrl-Shift-O , Ctrl-Shift-E billentyű kombinációkkal oszthatjuk tovább az adott ablakot. Ctrl-Shift-W bezárja az aktív ablakot.

roscore
rosrun turtlesim turtlesim_node
rosrun turtlesim turtle_teleop_key



Futtatás megszakítása

Ctrl-C

2. Az alábbi parancs segítségével jeleníttessük meg a futó rendszer node-jait és topic-jait:

rosrun rqt graph rqt graph

3. Az alábbi ROS parancsok futtatása hasznos információkkal szolgálhat:

roswtf
rospack list
rospack find turtlesim
rosnode list
rosnode info
rosnode info /turtlesim
rostopic list
rostopic info /turtle1/cmd_vel
rosmsg show geometry_msgs/Twist
rostopic echo /turtle1/cmd_vel

4. Írjuk be a következő parancsot terminálba:

rostopic pub /turtle1/cmd vel geometry msgs/Twist -r 1 -- '[2.0, 0.0, 0.0]' '[0.0, 0.0, 1.8]'

2: Catkin workspace

1. Telepítsük a catkin build tools csomagot:

```
sudo apt update
sudo apt-get install python3-catkin-tools python3-osrf-pycommon
```

2. Másoljuk az alábbi sort a ~/.bashrc fájl végére:

```
{\color{red} \textbf{source /opt/ros/noetic/setup.bash} \quad \textit{\# replace noetic by whatever your ROS distribution} \\ \textbf{is} \\
```

3. Hozzuk létre a workspace-t:

```
source /opt/ros/noetic/setup.bash
mkdir -p ~/catkin_ws/src
cd ~/catkin_ws
catkin init
```

3: ROS package létrehozása

1. Hozzunk létre új ROS package-et ros_course névvel.

```
cd ~/catkin_ws/src
catkin create pkg ros_course --catkin-deps std_msgs rospy roscpp
```



2. Nyissuk meg a package.xml fájlt, és töltsük fel a következő tag-eket:

```
<description>The beginner_tutorials package</description>
<maintainer email="you@yourdomain.tld">Your Name</maintainer>
```

3. Build-eljük a workspace-t.

```
cd ~/catkin_ws
catkin build
```



Danger

Soha ne használjuk a catkin build és a catkin_make parancsokat ugyanabban a workspace-ben!

4. A ~/.bashrc fájl végére illesszük be az alábbi sort:

```
source ~/catkin_ws/devel/setup.bash
```

4: Publisher implementálása Python-ban

1. Hozzunk létre egy mappát scripts névvel a ros_course package-ben.

```
cd ~catkin_ws/src/ros_course
mkdir scripts
cd scripts
```

2. Navigáljunk a scripts mappába és hozzuk létre a talker.py fájlt az alábbi tartalommal.

```
import rospy
from std_msgs.msg import String

def talker():
    rospy.init_node('talker', anonymous=True)
    pub = rospy.Publisher('chatter', String, queue_size=10)

rate = rospy.Rate(10) # 10hz

while not rospy.is_shutdown():
    hello_str = "hello world %s" % rospy.get_time()
```

```
print(hello_str)
   pub.publish(hello_str)
   rate.sleep()

if __name__ == '__main__':
   try:
      talker()
   except rospy.ROSInterruptException:
      pass
```

3. A CMakeLists.txt -hez adjuk hozzá a következőt:

```
catkin_install_python(PROGRAMS scripts/talker.py
   DESTINATION ${CATKIN_PACKAGE_BIN_DESTINATION}
)
```

4. Build-eljük és futtassuk a node-ot:

```
cd ~/catkin_ws
catkin build
rosrun ros_course talker.py
```



Tip

A node futtatásához szükség van a ROS masterre. Egy külön terminál ablakban indítsuk el a $\,$ roscore $\,$ paranccsal.

5. Ellenőrizzük le a node kimenetét a rostopic echo parancs használatával.

5: Subscriber implementálása Python-ban

1. Navigáljunk a scripts mappába és hozzuk létre a listener.py fájlt az alábbi tartalommal.

```
import rospy
from std_msgs.msg import String

def callback(data):
    print(rospy.get_caller_id() + "I heard %s", data.data)

def listener():
```

```
# In ROS, nodes are uniquely named. If two nodes with the same
# name are launched, the previous one is kicked off. The
# anonymous=True flag means that rospy will choose a unique
# name for our 'listener' node so that multiple listeners can
# run simultaneously.
rospy.init_node('listener', anonymous=True)

rospy.Subscriber("chatter", String, callback)

# spin() simply keeps python from exiting until this node is stopped rospy.spin()

if __name__ == '__main__':
    listener()
```

2. A CMakeLists.txt -hez adjuk hozzá a következőt:

```
catkin_install_python(PROGRAMS scripts/talker.py scripts/listener.py
   DESTINATION ${CATKIN_PACKAGE_BIN_DESTINATION}
)
```

3. Build-eljük és futtassuk mind a 2 node-ot:

```
cd ~/catkin_ws
catkin build
rosrun ros_course talker.py

rosrun ros_course listener.py
```

4. rqt_graph használatával jeleníttessük meg a futó rendszer node-jait és topicjait:

```
rosrun rqt_graph rqt_graph
```



Az óra végén a forráskódokat mindenkinek fel kell tölteni Moodle-re egy zip archívumba csomagolva!

Hasznos linkek

- ROS Tutorials
- Curiosity rover simulation