Requirements

- 1 x Raspberry pi 3 B
- 1 x OKO Lidar

Ubuntu Mate Installation

- 1. We need to install an operating system to raspberry pi 3 beta.
 - Equipment list
 - 1 X Raspberry pi 3 beta
 - 1 X LCD monitor
 - 1 X mouse and keyboard
 - 1 X microSD card
- 2. Plug microSD into the computer
- 3. Download the Ubuntu mate 16.04 version for the raspberry pi from the given website
 - https://ubuntu-mate.org/raspberry-pi/
- 4. You can use dd command to write the image file to the microSD but we prefer ddrescue
 - \$ sudo apt-get install gddrescue xz-utils
 - \$ cd ~/Downloads
 - \$ unxz ubuntu-mate-16.04.2-desktop-armhf-raspberry-pi.img.xz
 - \$ sudo ddrescue -D --force ubuntu-mate-16.04.2-desktop-armhf-raspberry-pi.img /dev/<your_microSD_path>

You can check your microSD path by running the command below

- \$ Isblk
- 5. Plug your microSD into the Raspberry pi 3, start your operating system make the installation.

Ros Installation

- You can visit the webpage below to see more information.

http://wiki.ros.org/kinetic/Installation/Ubuntu

- 1. Setup your sources.list
 - \$ sudo sh -c 'echo "deb http://packages.ros.org/ros/ubuntu \$(lsb_release -sc) main" > /etc/apt/sources.list.d/ros-latest.list'
- 2. Setup your keys
 - \$ sudo apt-key adv --keyserver hkp://ha.pool.sks-keyservers.net:80 --recv-key 421C365BD9FF1F717815A3895523BAEEB01FA116
- 3. Update your Debian package index
 - \$ sudo apt-get update
- 4. Install the Desktop-Full Install repository by using the command given below.
 - \$ sudo apt-get install ros-kinetic-desktop-full
- 5. Initialize rosdep
 - \$ sudo rosdep init
 - \$ rosdep update
- 6. Add ros environment to your bash session
 - \$ echo "source /opt/ros/kinetic/setup.bash" >> ~/.bashrc
 - \$ source ~/.bashrc

- 7. Install additional dependencies for building ros packages
 - \$ sudo apt install python-rosinstall-generator python-wstool build-essential

Setup the Workspace

- 1. Clone the repository from the given link,
 - \$ git clone git@github.com:samialperen/oko_slam.git
- 2. Go into the ros_ws directory
 - \$cd ros ws
- 3. Run catkin_make command to make your ros packages
 - \$ catkin make

How Serial Communication Package Works

Kamu Robotu Lidar Bridge

We need a communication method between the Lidar and the Ros environment. kamu_robotu_lidarbridge is implemented to convert serial data into laser_scan messages. We have used a cross-platform library to interface with serial ports.

- 1. Install serial library which is developed by William Woodall(Remember that is has been already installed into the oko_slam repository.)
 - \$ git clone https://github.com/wjwwood/serial.git
 - \$ make

- \$ make test
- \$ make doc
- \$ make install
- 2. Install bluetooth manager.
 - \$ sudo apt-get install blueman
- 3. Open the Bluetooth Manager from the Applications you will see a program as given below



- 4. Pair the bluetooth module of the OKO Lidar with your raspberry pi
 - Click to the search button and find the bluetooth module with the parameters given below

Name: OKO

Password: 5216

Baud Rate: 9600

Stop Bit: 2

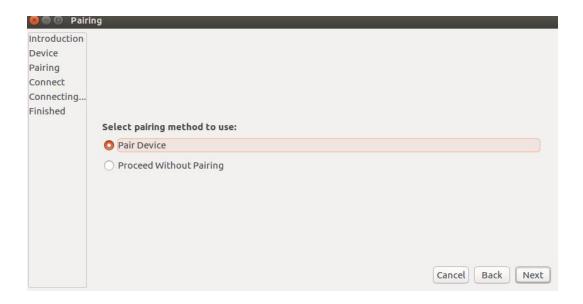
Pairing: None

Address: 21:13:1F:A4

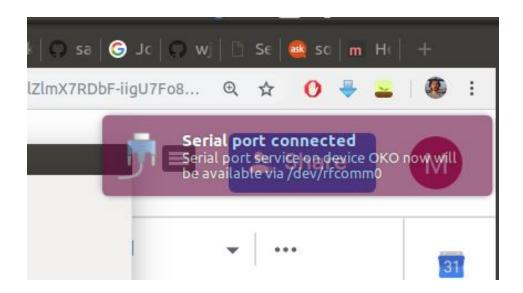
Version: 3.0-20170601

Role: Slave

 Click to the setup button and you will see a figure given below, then click to the next button



- Enter the password given above
- Choose the serial port option
- Then you will see a notification given below which indicates the serial port path as /dev/rfcomm0



- 5. Modify the port parameters in the kamu_robotu_lidarbridge node
 - \$ cd <your_download_path>/oko_slam/ros_ws/src/kamu_robotu/kamu_robotu_lidarbridge/src
 - \$ gedit laser_scan_publisher

Change the parameters given below then go into the ros_ws directory and make a catkin_make command

- \$ catkin make

- 6. Run the rosnode to obtain laser_scan data
 - \$ rosrun kamu_robotu_lidarbridge laser_scan_publisher

Test with Bag Files

- 1. Add your ros_ws as a ros environment
 - \$ cd <your_download_path>/oko_slam/ros_ws
 - \$ source devel/setup.bash
- 2. Open a new terminal and start our launch file fo the hector slam
 - \$ roslaunch hector slam launch oko hector launcher.launch

- 3. Go to bagfile folder
 - \$ cd bagfiles
- 4. Start to publish stored laser_scan data
 - \$ rosbag play easy_map.bag --clock