

# ROS

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- In addition, it was hard for researchers to exchange and validate code from other researchers.





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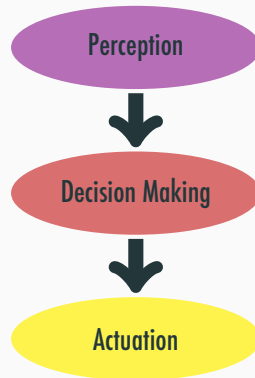


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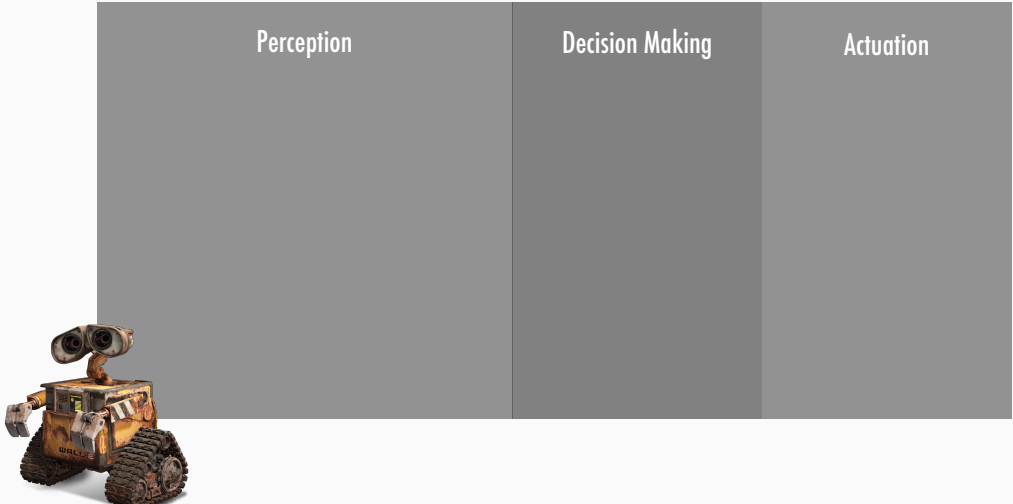
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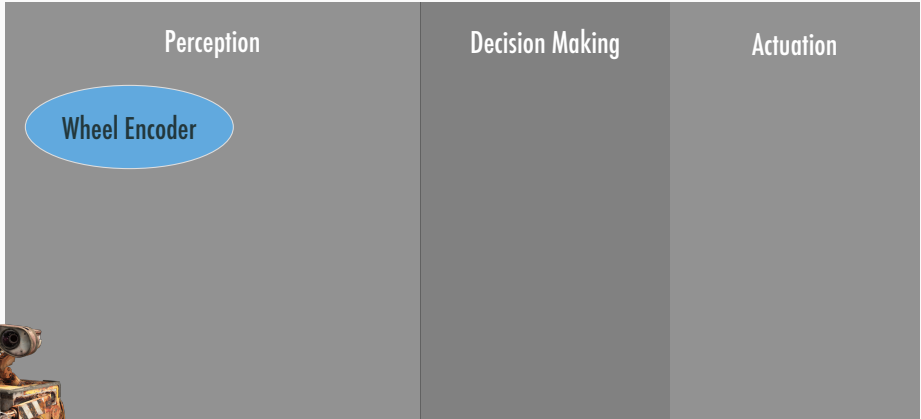
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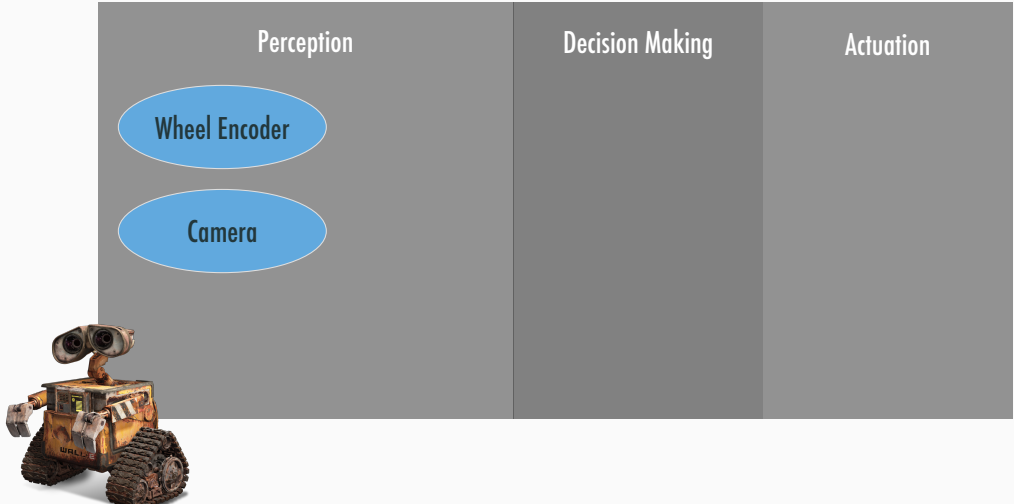


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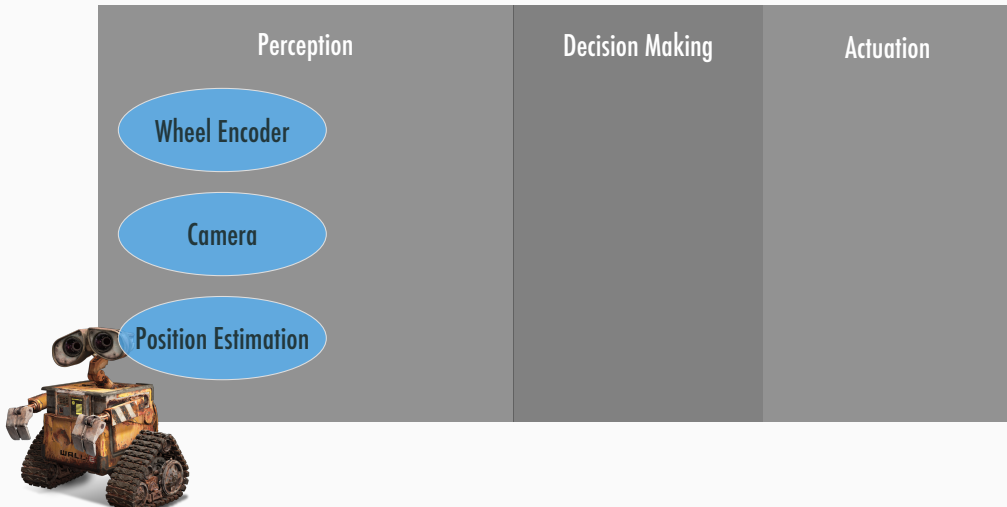
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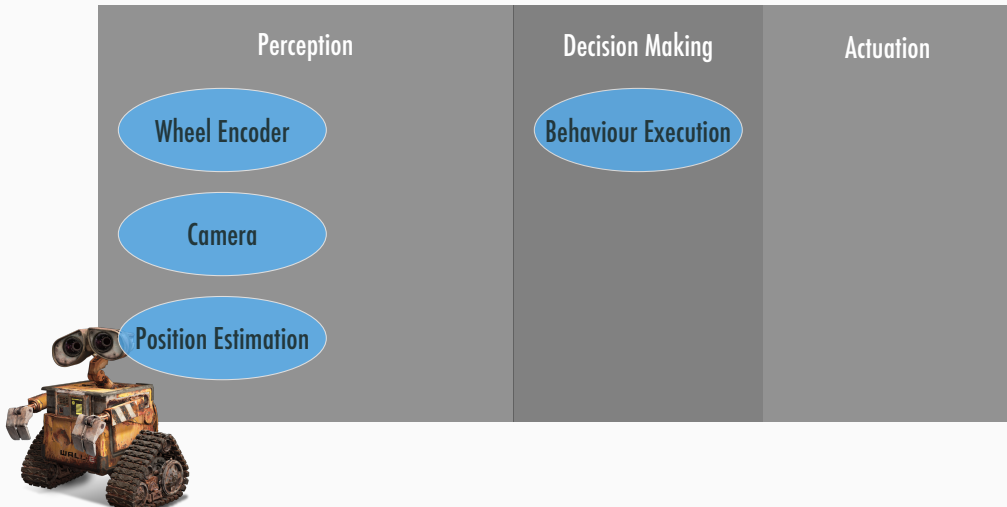


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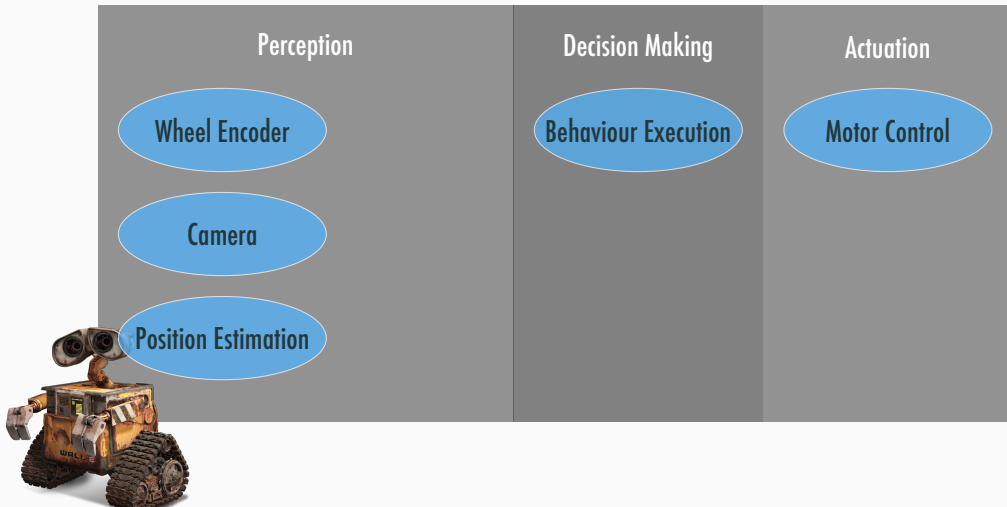




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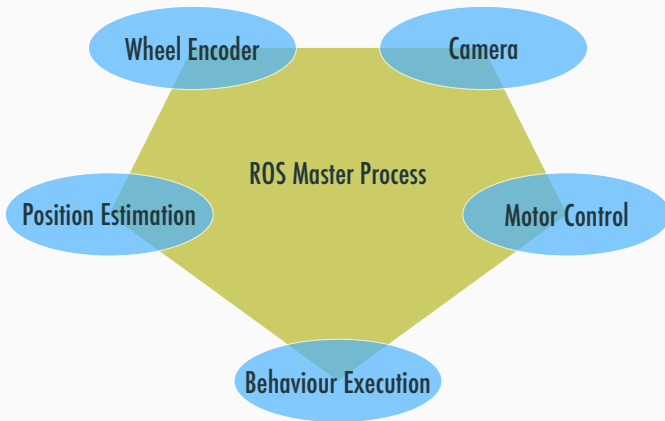


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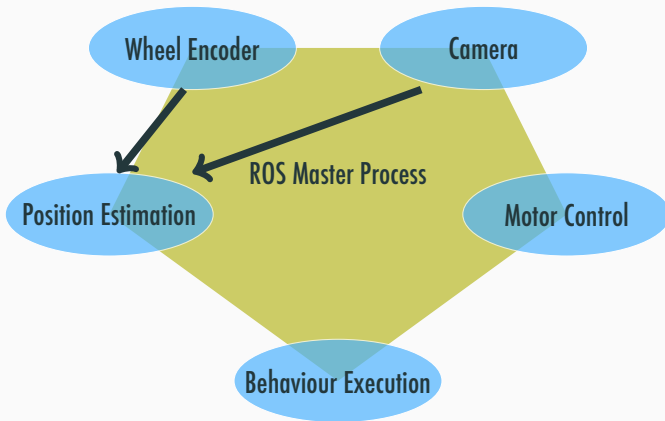
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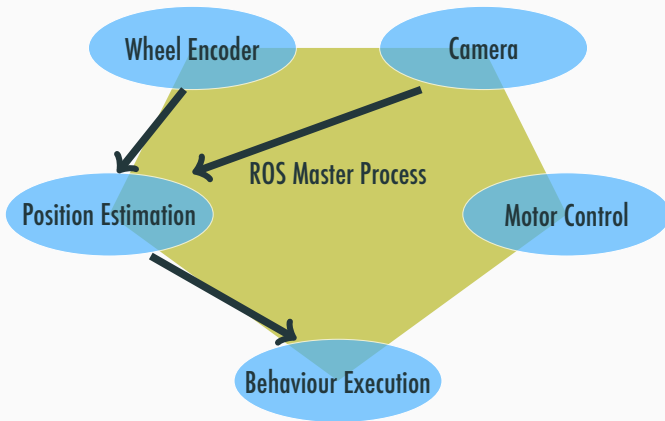
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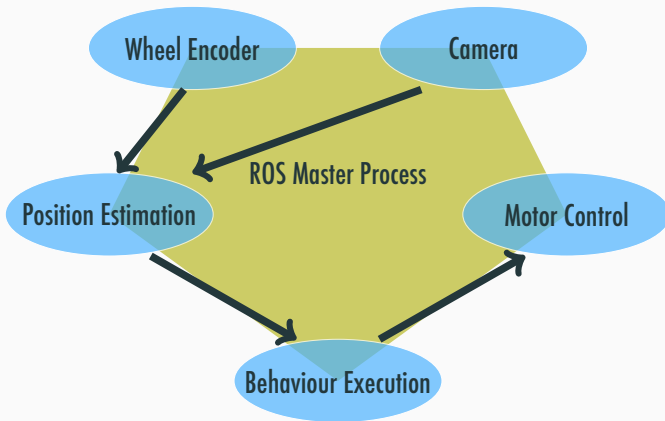
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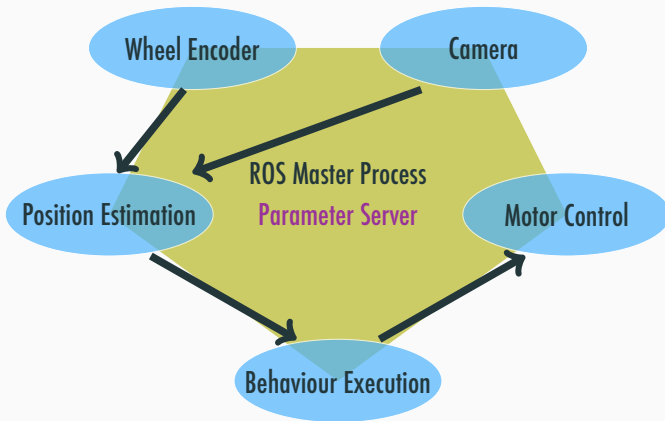
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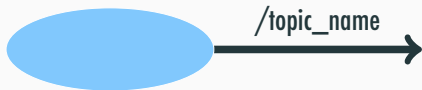


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## ROS Tutorials

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Let's get our hands dirty and our fingers on the keyboard.  
ROS Tutorial

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