README Raspberry Pi

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1 Setup Raspberry Pi 2 or 3

- Download the latest version of Raspbian (as of writing Stretch) from https://www.raspberrypi.org/downloads/raspbian/.
- Write the Raspbian img-file to an SD card. Do **not** copy the file to the SD-card, it wont work. Check https://www.raspberrypi.org/documentation/installation/installing-images/ if you are unsure.
 - First, make sure that you have extracted the img file from the down-loaded zip.
 - If you are using Windows/OS X or are a Linux GUI fan, download an image burner software, like Etcher, and use that program to write the image to the SD-card.
 - If you like Linux terminal solutions:
 - * Make sure to unmount (umount) the SD-card partitions, probably located down the /media directory.
 - * Run "dd" from the command line and then flush the disks by running "sync":
 - \$ sudo dd if=~/Downloads/2017-08-16-raspbian-stretch.img of=/dev/mmc<something> bs=4M
 - · \$ sync
- Connect the keyboard, mouse and monitor to the raspberry.
- Put the SD-card into the raspberry and boot.
- Connect to WiFi.
- Start a terminal window and type "sudo raspi-config"
 - In Localisation Options, select the appropriate timezone.
 - In Interfacing Options, enable SPI and I2C and the SSH interfaces.
- Type command "sudo apt-get update" to fetch info about the latest software version.
- Type command "sudo apt-get dist-upgrade" to update to the latest software version.
- Reboot the Raspberry Pi.
- Connect once again to the Raspberry and find the wireless IP address:
 - Type "ifconfig wlan0" and SSH to this address in the future.

1.1 Connect to Raspberry Pi with ethernet cable

Make the following modifications on the raspberry Pi. When connected with ethernet cable, the ip address will be 10.0.0.1.

Edit /etc/dhcpcd.conf sudo nano /etc/dhcpcd.conf At the bottom, uncomment and edit interface eth0 static ip_address=10.0.0.1/24 Install dnsmasq sudo apt-get update sudo apt-get install dnsmasq Edit /etc/dnsmasq.conf sudo nano /etc/dnsmasq.conf Around line 106, uncomment and edit interface=eth0 Around line 157, uncomment and edit dhcp-range=10.0.0.2,10.0.0.99,12h To apply changes, reboot or restart dnsmasq sudo /etc/init.d/dnsmasq restart

2 Development environment

The software can be built either on a standalone Linux system or directly on the Raspberry Pi. Both methods should work equally well.

2.1 Setup for development on Raspberry Pi

Make sure that the following packages are installed: gcc, make. Use "apt-get install [package]" if needed.

2.2 Setup for development on standalone Linux system

The instructions are verified for Debian-based Linux distributions (such as Ubuntu).

Make sure that the following packages are installed: gcc-arm-linux-gnueabihf, make Use "apt-get install [package]" if needed.

3 Distributed files

Extract the zip-file you got from Acconeer and look at the file structure.

- makefile and rule/ contain all makefiles to build the example programs.
- lib/*.a are pre-built Acconeer software.
- include/*.h are interface descriptions used by applications.
- source/example_*.c are applications to use the Acconeer API to communicate with the sensor.
- source/acc_board_*.c are board support files to handle target hardware differences.
- source/acc_driver_*.c are hardware drivers supposed to be customized to match target hardware.
- source/acc_os_*.c is the operating system support module. It is not meant to be modified, but is provided for reference.
- doc/ contains HTML documentation for all source files. Open doc/rss_api.html.
- out/ contains pre-built applications (same as executing "make" again).

4 Building the software

- Enter the directory that you extracted in section 3.
- To build the example programs, type "make" (the ZIP file already contains pre-built versions of them).
- All files created during build are stored in the out/directory.
- "make clean" will delete the out/ directory.

5 Executing the software

First you need to transfer the executable to the Raspberry Pi (unless the zip-file was already extracted to the Raspberry Pi.).

Then start the application using:

./out/example_detector_distance_and_service_rpi_<board and sensor version>