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Separate collection of waste

The **supervisor** of a waiting room (**wroom**) of a large train station intends to promote automatic collection of the rubbish, by means of ddr robots. To this end, some specialized robot (**detector**) periodically explores the surface of the **wroom** in order to collect objects made of recyclable material, in particular bottles made of plastic.

The room

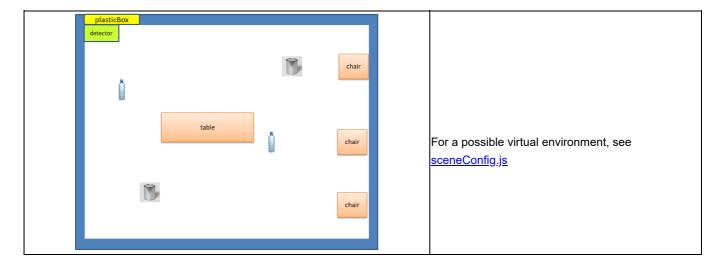
The **wroom** is equipped with a indoor air quality sensor (for example <u>CJMCU-811</u>) that makes available data on the TVOC concentration in ppm.

When the indoor air quality sensor detects a level of TVOC higher than a prefixed value, the **wroom** is said to be in **state-TVOCHigh**.

The **wroom** is also equipped with a collector of plastic-objects (**plasticBox**) that can contain a maximum of **NPB** (e.g. NPB=10) bottles.

The **detector** is initially located in a **detectorHome** situated on the (left-up) corner of the **wroom**.

The collector is situated along the border of the **wroom** behind the **detectorHome** and works as a smart device, able to expose and update - via CoAP - its content.



The detector

The **detector** is able to recognize if an object is made of plastic and is equipped with a local container (**detectorBox**) that can contain a maximum of **NDB<NPB** (e.g. NDB=5) bottles.

The behavior of the **detector** is managed by the **supervisor**, which can tell the robot to perform a set of tasks. These tasks are executed when the **wroom** is **closed** to people and include:

- 1. *Explore the room*. This task performs the following actions:
 - explore the **wroom** in a systematic way in order to find static obstacles;
 - if the obstacle is not made made of plastic, keep track of its position in the **wroom** and continue the exploration;
 - if the detected object is made of plastic, put it (if there is space) in the **detectorBox**; if the **detectorBox** is full or if the room has been completely explored, execute the task *Empty the detectorBox*.

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- 2. *Empty the detectorBox*. This task performs the following actions:
 - if the **detectorBox** is empty, execute the task Go to home;
 - check if the *plasticBox* is able to accept the objects contained in the *detectorBox*; if it cannot accept, send a message to the *supervisor* and wait for a command;
 - o otherwise, save the current position of the robot(before Empty Pos), then move to the plastic Box, transfer into it the content of the detector Box and return to the task Explore the room, restarting from the saved before Empty Pos.
- 3. Go to home. This task performs the following actions:
 - return the robot to its **discoveryHome**
- 4. *Terminate the work*. This task performs the following actions:
 - if the **detectorBox** is empty, return to the **discoveryHome**; otherwise, execute the task *Empty the detectorBox* and then return to the **discoveryHome**

Requirements

Design and build the software to put on board of the *plasticBox* and of the *detector*. The system must be able to accept the following commands sent by the *smart-phone* of the *supervisor*:

- **explore**: the **detector** must execute the task *Explore the room*.
- suspend: the detector must execute the task Go to home.
- terminate: the detector must execute the task Terminate the work.

Any command sent by the **supervisor** can be executed only if the room is **NOT** in the **state- TVOCHigh**. The system must also include an 'agent' able to detect the **state-TVOCHigh** and to send in automatic way the command **suspend** to the robot.

Moreover, the *smart-phone* of the **supervisor** should be automatically updated with information about:

- the current position of the robot on a map of the **wroom**. The map should also show the position of the detected non-plastic objects;
- the space still available in its **detectorBox**;
- the space still available in the *plasticBox*.

Non functional requirements

- 1. The ideal work team is composed of 3 persons. Teams of 1 or 2 persons (NOT 4 or more) are also allowed.
- 2. The team must present a workplan as the result of the requirement/problem analysis, including some significant **TestPlan**.
- 3. The team must present the sequence of SPRINT performed, with appropriate motivations.
- 4. The team must present (in synthetic, schematic way) the specific activity of each team-component.

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