Install OpenAI gym and roboschool on Ubuntu 16.04 via Anaconda 3

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- Reference:
 - https://github.com/openai/gym
 - http://blog.csdn.net/jinzhuojun/article/details/78508203
 - https://www.jianshu.com/p/350553547c09
 - https://www.jianshu.com/p/b9f14b8b1bab
- (Updated on 2018/01/21) Install new environment

1. Preparation

• Install anaconda 3 first, then you need to check whether the pip/pip2/pip3 command is for pythons in anaconda:

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- We can see that pip3 is still for build-in python3, so we need to change its interpreter:
 - Open pip3 file
 - Change the first line to python3 in anaconda
 - You can check changes by running pip3 list

2. Install gym

• Install system packages:

sudo apt-get install -y python-numpy python-dev cmake zlib1g-dev libjpeg-dev xvfb libav-tools xorg-dev python-opengl libboost-all-dev

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libsdl2-dev swig
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Install gym:

```
1. pip3 install -e '.[all]'
```

• You can try to run "LunarLand" to check whether Box2D is installed correctly, if not, try following codes:

```
    pip3 uninstall Box2D-kengz
    git clone https://github.com/pybox2d/pybox2d.git
    cd pybox2d
    python3 setup.py clean
    python3 setup.py install
```

3. Install roboschool

• Create a new folder "robot" in anaconda, then put roboschool in it:

```
    mkdir /home/venturer/anaconda3/lib/python3.6/site-packages/robot
    cd /home/venturer/anaconda3/lib/python3.6/site-packages/robot
    git clone http://github.com/openai/roboschool.git
```

Add environment variable in .zshrc

```
    ROBOSCHOOL_PATH=/home/venturer/anaconda3/lib/python3.6/site-packages/robot/roboschool
    export PATH="$PATH:ROBOSCHOOL_PATH"
```

Make sure following packages are installed correctly:

```
sudo apt-get install cmake ffmpeg pkg-config qtbase5-dev libqt5opengl5
-dev libassimp-dev libpython3.5-dev libboost-python-dev libtinyxml-dev
```

• Install bullet3

```
    git clone https://github.com/olegklimov/bullet3 -b
    roboschool_self_collision
    mkdir bullet3/build
```

```
d bullet3/build
cmake -DBUILD_SHARED_LIBS=ON -DUSE_DOUBLE_PRECISION=1 -DCMAKE_INSTALL_P
REFIX:PATH=$ROBOSCHOOL_PATH/roboschool/cpp-household/bullet_local_insta
ll -DBUILD_CPU_DEMOS=OFF -DBUILD_BULLET2_DEMOS=OFF -DBUILD_EXTRAS=OFF
-DBUILD_UNIT_TESTS=OFF -DBUILD_CLSOCKET=OFF -DBUILD_ENET=OFF -DBUILD_OP
ENGL3_DEMOS=OFF ..
make -j4
make install
cd ../..
```

Install roboschool

```
1. pip3 install -e $ROBOSCHOOL_PATH
```

- Check whether roboschool is installed correctly:
 - Run pip3 list, you can see roboschool installed
 - Import roboschool in ipython or python3
- Run demos:

```
1. python3 $ROBOSCHOOL_PATH/agent_zoo/RoboschoolWalker2d_v1_2017jul.py
```

4. Install New Environment

- Here I will take SuperMario for instance: https://github.com/ppaquette/gym-super-mario
- Before installing you should follow the instruction to meet the requirments:
 - gym: 0.7.4, if you use 0.9.4 gym-pull will not be installed successfully.
 Insteresting, after installing gym-pull, gym will be upgraded to 0.9.4 automatically :D
 - gym-pull
- Install new env via gym-pull: only required once, envs will be loaded with import gym_pull afterwards

```
import gym
import gym_pull
gym_pull.pull('github.com/ppaquette/gym-super-mario')
```

Then copy the new env to gym/envs

```
git clone https://github.com/ppaquette/gym-super-mario
    # copy gym-super-mario/ppaquette_gym_super_mario to your gym/envs
```

Modify gym/envs/__init__.py

Modify /gym/scoreboard/__init__.py

```
1. add_group(
2.     id='ppaquette_gym_super_mario',
3.     name='ppaquette_gym_super_mario',
4.     description='super_mario'
5. )
6. # mario bros
7. add_task(
8.     id='ppaquette/SuperMarioBros-1-1-v0',
9.     group='ppaquette_gym_super_mario',
10.     summary="SuperMarioBros-1-1-v0"
11. )
```

• Test new env:

```
import gym
env = gym.make('SuperMarioBros-1-1-v0')

observation = env.reset()

for _ in range(1000):
    env.render()

action = env.action_space.sample() # your agent here (this takes ra ndom actions)

observation, reward, done, info = env.step(action)
```