

Concepts covered

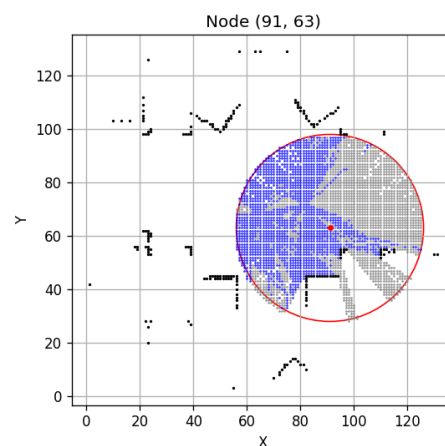
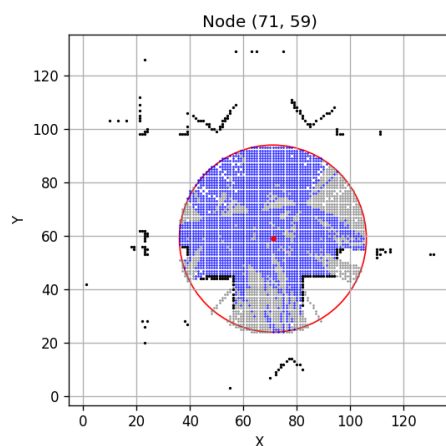
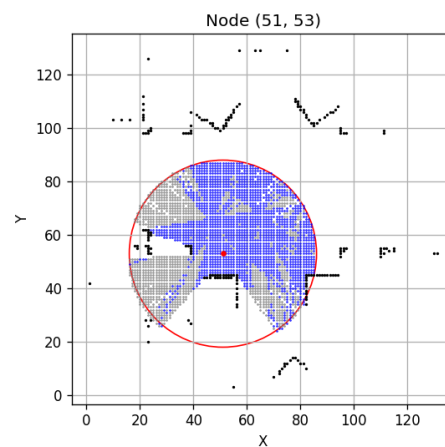
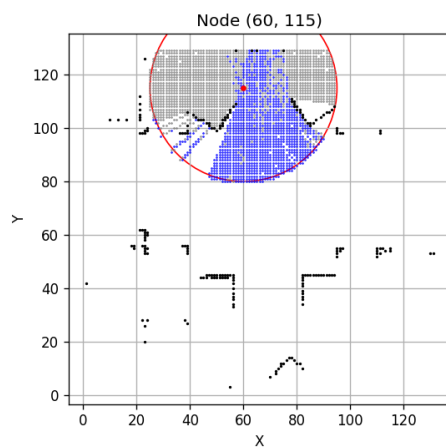
- Next best view
- Information gain equation
 - Uses Bresenham to find free, obstacle and unknown along ray
- Node distance (euclidean)
- LIDAR map
 - Use Bresenham to find free points along ray
 - Uses robot heading to adjust scan.angle_min

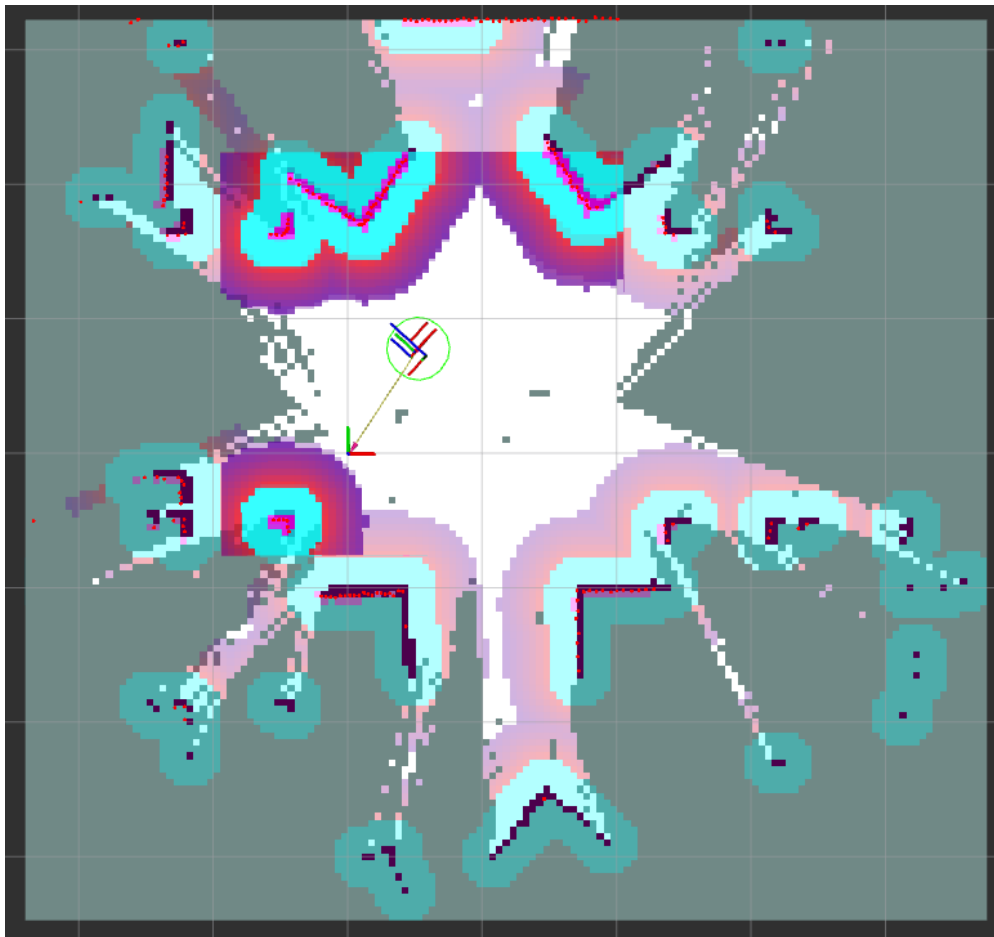
Next-best-view exploration (see [report_nbv.py](#))

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ros2 launch my_turtlebot turtlebot_simulation.launch.py slam:=True  
  
ros2 run my_turtlebot map_lidar  
  
ros2 run turtlebot3_teleop teleop_keyboard  
  
ros2 run my_turtlebot explore_nbv
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blue: known free cells

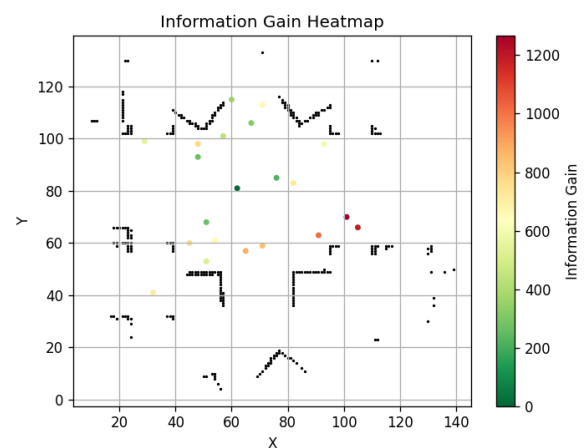
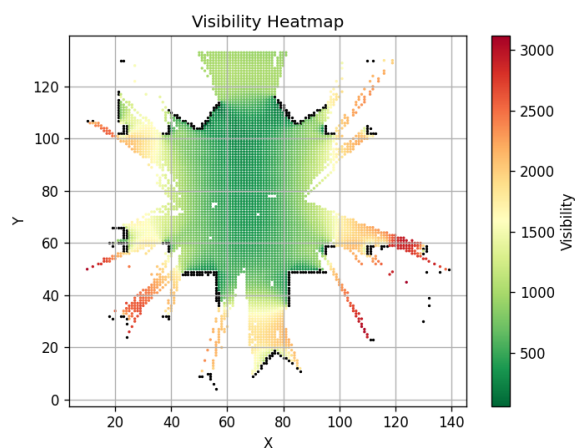
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Question:

- when I load the partial map, it is being read as binary with $\{0,100\}$ instead of trinary. how do I avoid this?
- why does it make more sense when I set the max range to be $3.5 \div 2$ m? Is the max range half of that?