ENPM 673 - FINAL PROJECT

TURTLEBOT CHALLENGE

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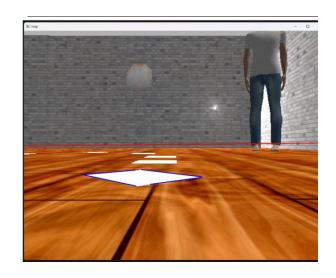
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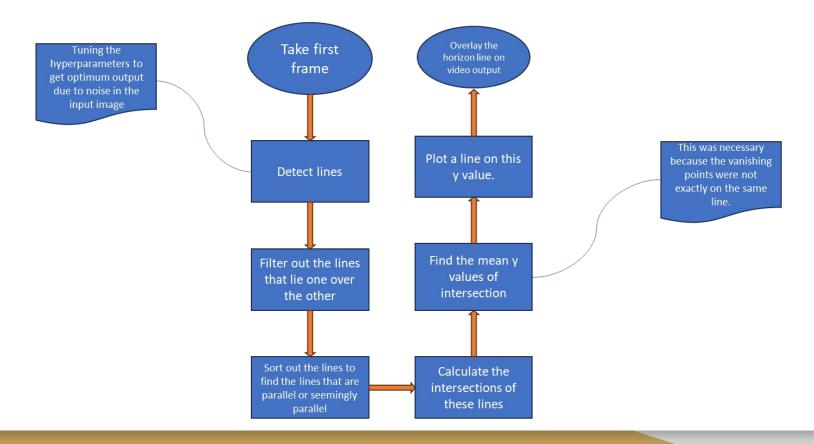
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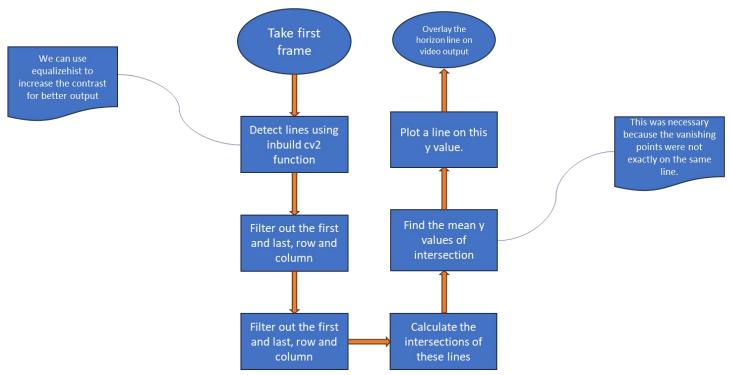
HORIZONTAL LINE DETECTION



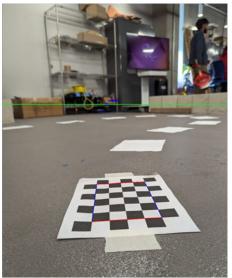
Horizon line detection using paper

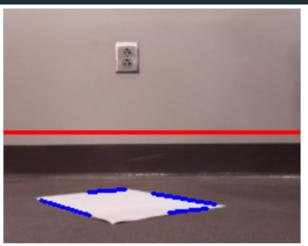


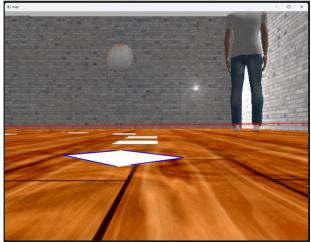
Horizon line detection using chessboard pattern



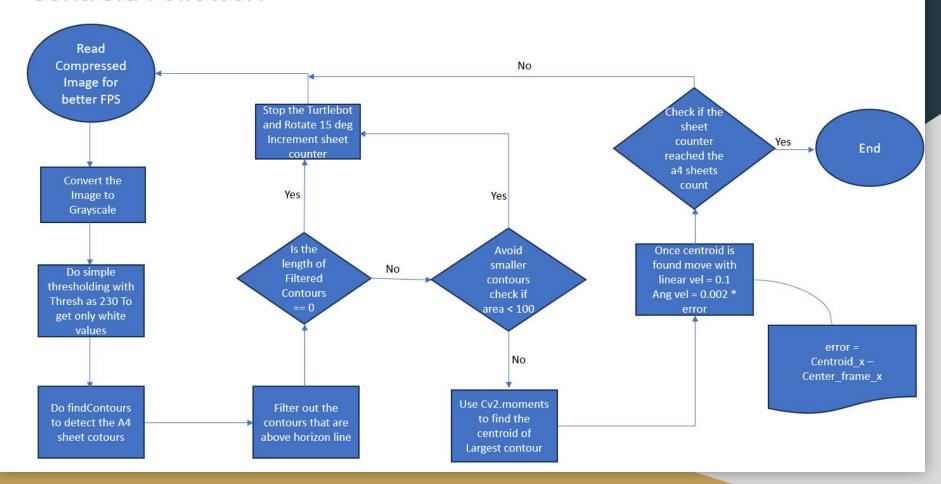








Centroid Follower:



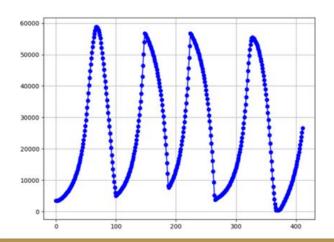
Challenges:

1. Smaller contours made the Turtlebot follow unwanted centroid points.

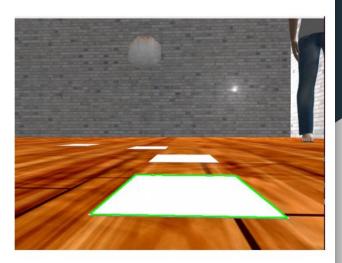
-Resolved this using a check to filter out contours based on area and horizon line.

Iinitially, area-based data were used to detect the final A4 sheet for the robot to stop, but inconsistent sampling led to unreliable results.

-Instead, we implemented a counter system that increments when A4 sheets are not detected. This made the robot stop at the final A4 sheet.



Result:



STOP SIGN DETECTION



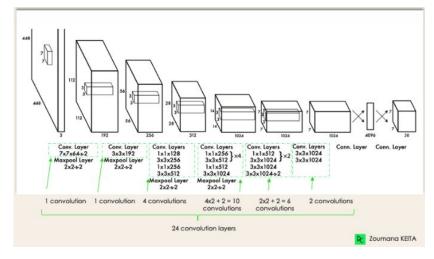
YOLO(You only Look Once)

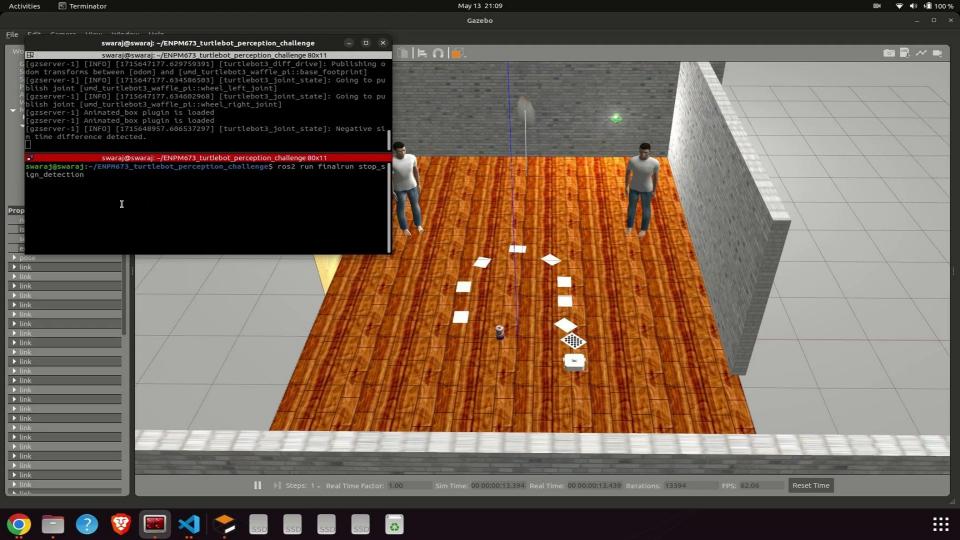
A bit about Yolo:

- Uses Deep CNN network to detect objects
- Divides image into a grid and each grid cell predicts certain number of bounding boxes and confidence scores for those boxes. Also predicts class probability for each box

Why YOLO was used?

- Speed (45 frame/sec)
- Good Accuracy (Has fewer background errors)
- Easier to train
- Good Generalization





Problems Faced

- Using Feature matching: Slow and was not always giving the best results
- Haar Cascade:

- Not Always accurate
- Performance drop in complex variable scenarios
- Better suited for low resolution images rather than video processes
- Struggles with variations in object scale, pose and orientation

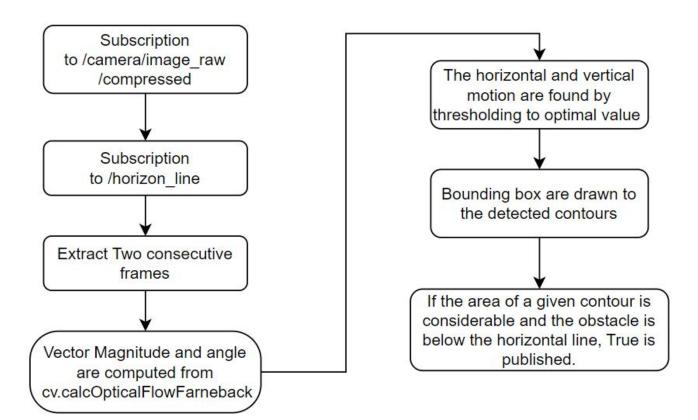
DYNAMIC OBSTACLE DETECTION



optical flow



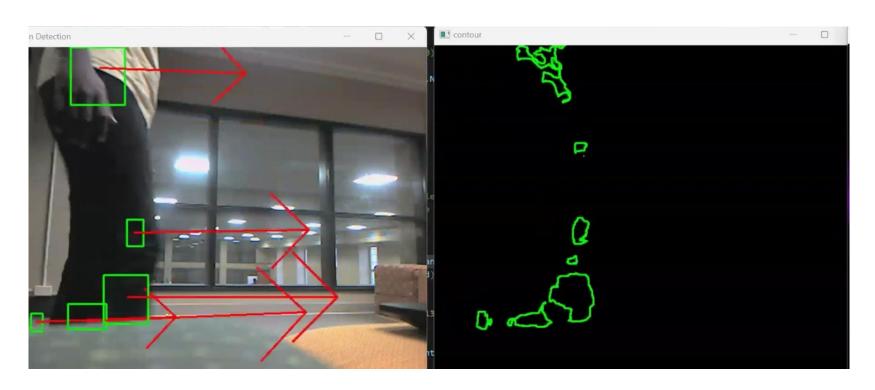
PIPELINE



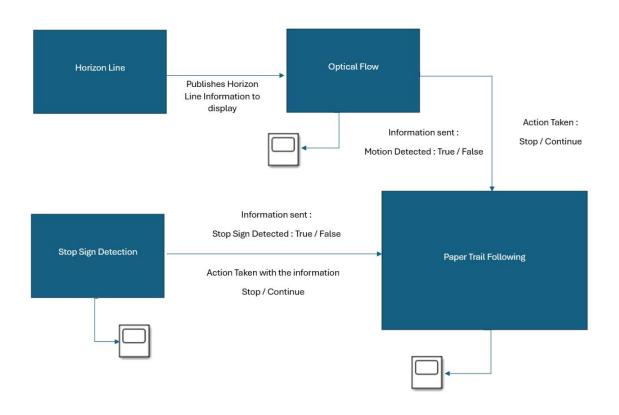
Problems Faced

- Filtering the flow vectors that are caused due to the motion of the turtlebot itself.
- Tuning the threshold for real time application

Demonstration



ROS2 (Humble) FRAMEWORK





THANK YOU Q&A?