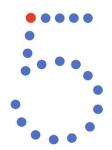


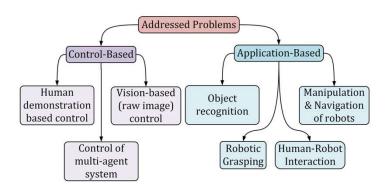


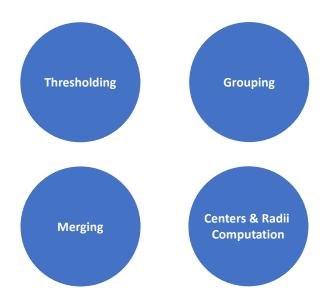
# Visual Object Tracking



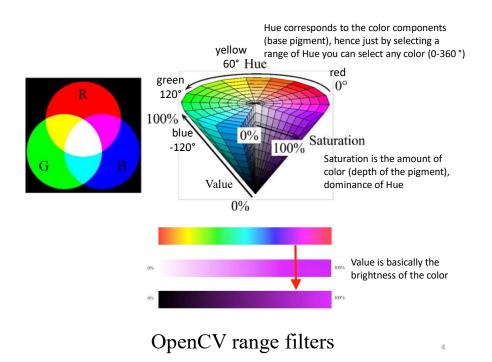


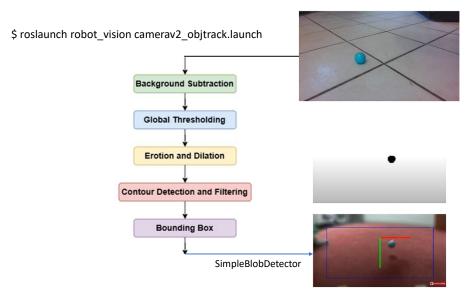
### **Robotic Vision**





Blob detection algorithms / processes





Blob detection pipeline

Area

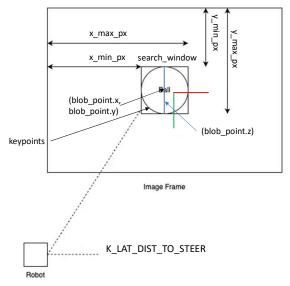
Thresholds
(color)

Circularity
(4\*π\*Area)/(perimeter\*perimeter)

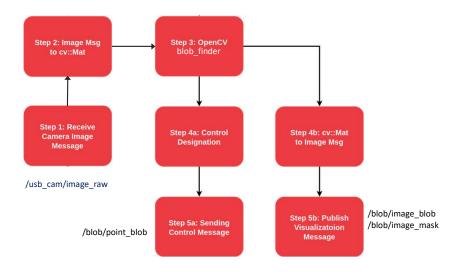
Inertia
(elongation)

Convexity
Area of the Blob/ Area of convex hull

OpenCV SimpleBlobDetector filters

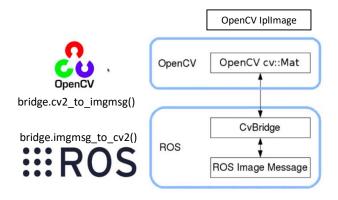


OpenCV blob detection



OpenCV blob finder

cv\_bridge package to convert between ROS Image Message and OpenCV frames

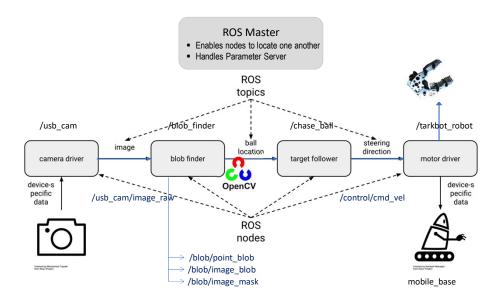


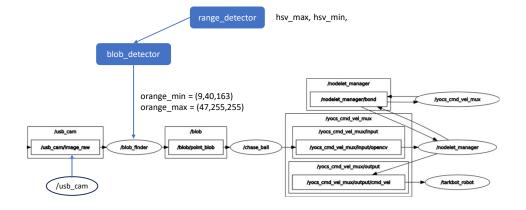
OpenCV blob finder

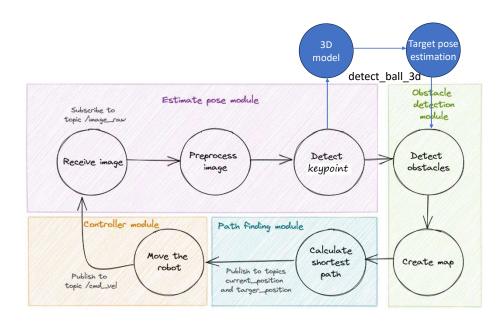
keypoint.x outside search\_window keypoint.size 30 <= s <= 80 SERACHING\_STEER OpenCV/Python WebCam Actuator Camera chase\_the /control/ find\_ball cmd\_vel \_ball Stream K\_LAT\_DIST\_TO\_STEER Move Capture the image \$ roslaunch yocs\_cmd\_vel\_mux test\_actions.launch **Encoder?** 

OpenCV KeyPoint steering

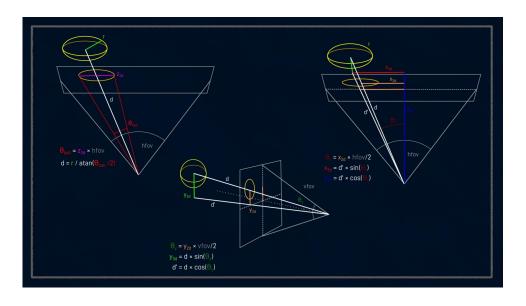
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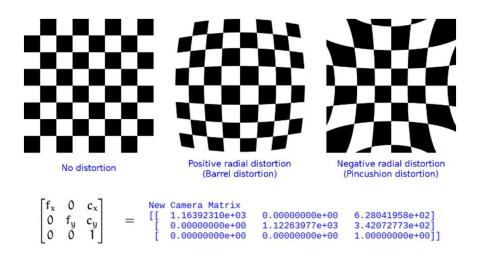


KeyPoint detection in 3D



KeyPoint detection in 3D

L4



### Camera calibrations

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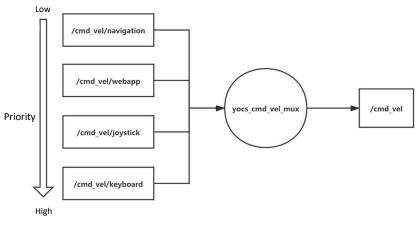
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 $\begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_u & 0 & c_x \\ 0 & f_v & c_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{21} & r_{31} & t_x \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & t_y \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & t_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$   $= \begin{bmatrix} f_u & 0 & c_x \\ 0 & f_v & c_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} R & t \\ 0_{1\times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$   $= \begin{bmatrix} f_u & 0 & c_x \\ 0 & f_v & c_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} R & t \\ 0_{1\times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$   $(f_x, f_y) \text{ camera focal length } (c_x, c_y) \text{ camera optical center}$ 

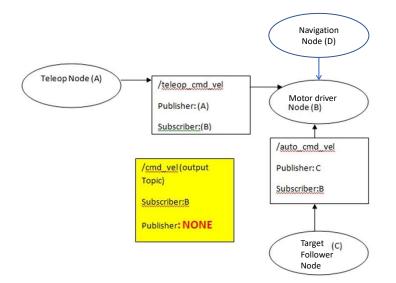
Camera calibrations



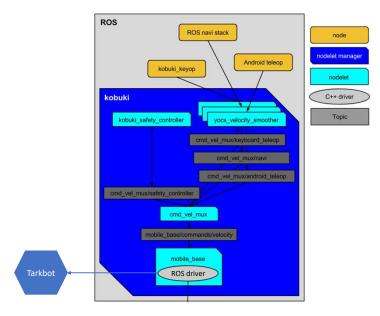
## **Velocity Multiplexing**



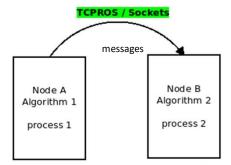
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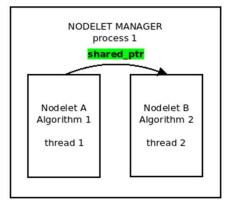
Problem of cmd\_vel from multiple tasks



ROS mux package

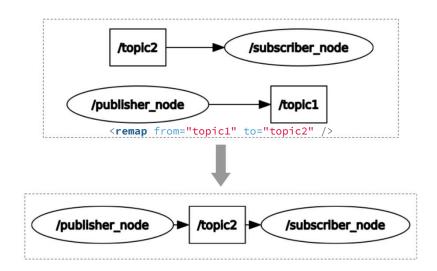


Nodes connect to other nodes directly; the Master only provides lookup information, much like a DNS server. Nodes that subscribe to a topic will request connections from nodes that publish that topic, and will establish that connection over an agreed upon connection protocol. The most common protocol used in a ROS is called TCPROS, which uses standard TCP/IP sockets.



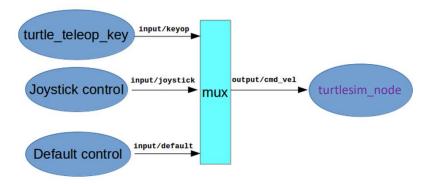
Any communications between them can use the zero copy roscpp publish call with a boost shared pointer.

### ROS nodelet



ROS remap

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<remap from="/turtle1/cmd\_vel" to="/yocs\_cmd\_vel\_mux/input/keyop" />



ROS remap