ROS Lab 8

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1. Get the following required packages

   - `sudo apt install ros-humble-navigation2 rod-humble-nav2-bringup "ros-humble-turtlebot3*" ros-humble-rmw-cyclonedds-cpp ros-humble-slam-toolbox`

2. Set turtlebot3 model to waffle. Then reopen a new terminal for the configuration changes to take effect.

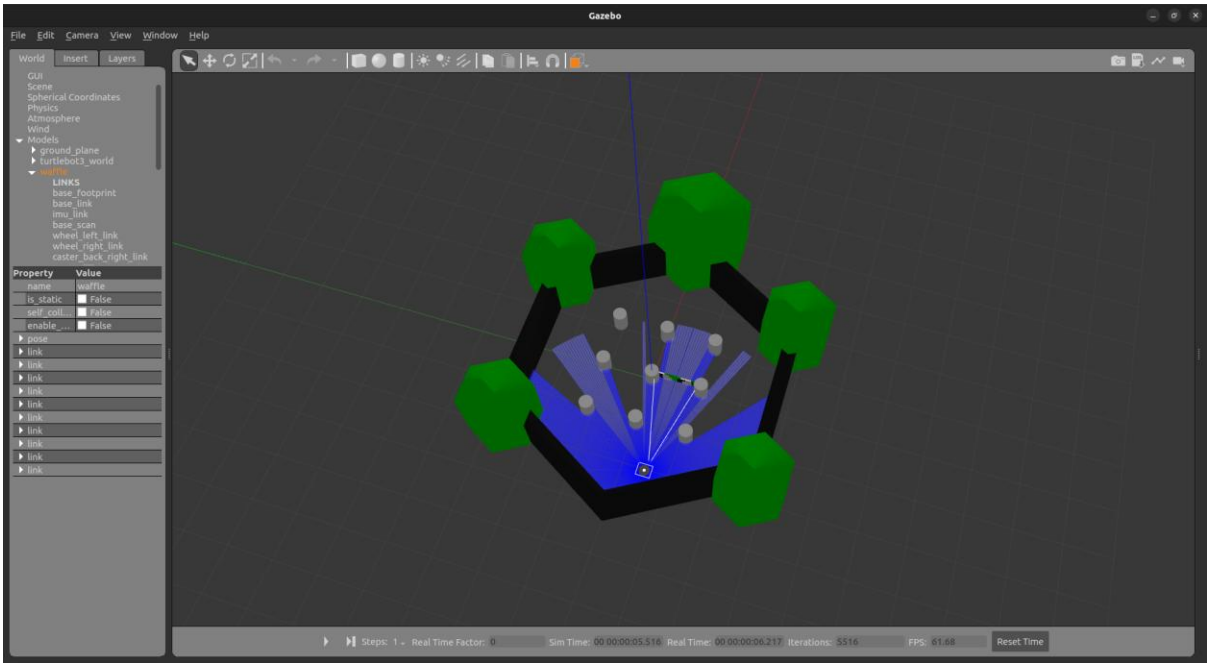
   - `echo "export TURTLEBOT3_MODEL=waffle" >> ~/.zshrc`
   - `echo "export RMW_IMPLEMENTATION=rmw_cyclonedds_cpp" >> ~/.zshrc`

3. Generate a map for SLAM using cartographer

a. Launch turtlebot3 in gazebo with the world scene

`Terminal 1`

- `ros2 launch turtlebot3_gazebo turtlebot3_world.launch.py`



b. Use cartographer to create a map for SLAM using laser data and odometry of the robot

`Terminal 2`

- `ros2 launch turtlebot3_cartographer cartographer.launch.py use_sim_time:=true`

c. Use teleop to roam around the scene and generate data from the scanner which can be fed to cartographer to make a map

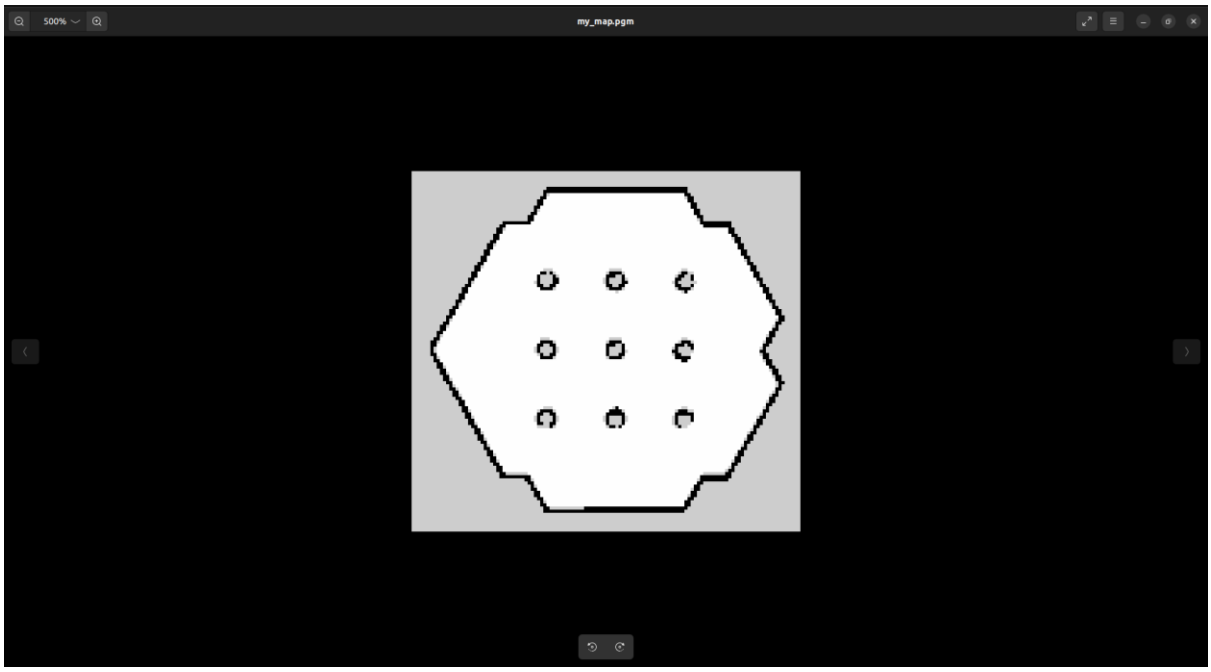
Terminal 3

- `ros2 run turtlebot3_teleop teleop_keyboard`

d. After the data has been generated as seen in rviz, save the map

Terminal 3

- `cd ~`
- `mkdir maps`
- `ros2 run nav2_map_server map_saver_cli -f maps/my_map`



e. Close all terminals using Ctrl+C

4. Use the generated map to navigate the bot from point A to point B

a. Make the following changes in waffle.yaml

- `sudo vim /opt/ros/humble/share/turtlebot3_navigation2/param/waffle.yaml`

```
#robot_model_type: "differential"
robot_model_type: "nav2_amcl::DifferentialMotionModel"
```

b. Launch turtlebot3 in gazebo with the world scene

Terminal 1

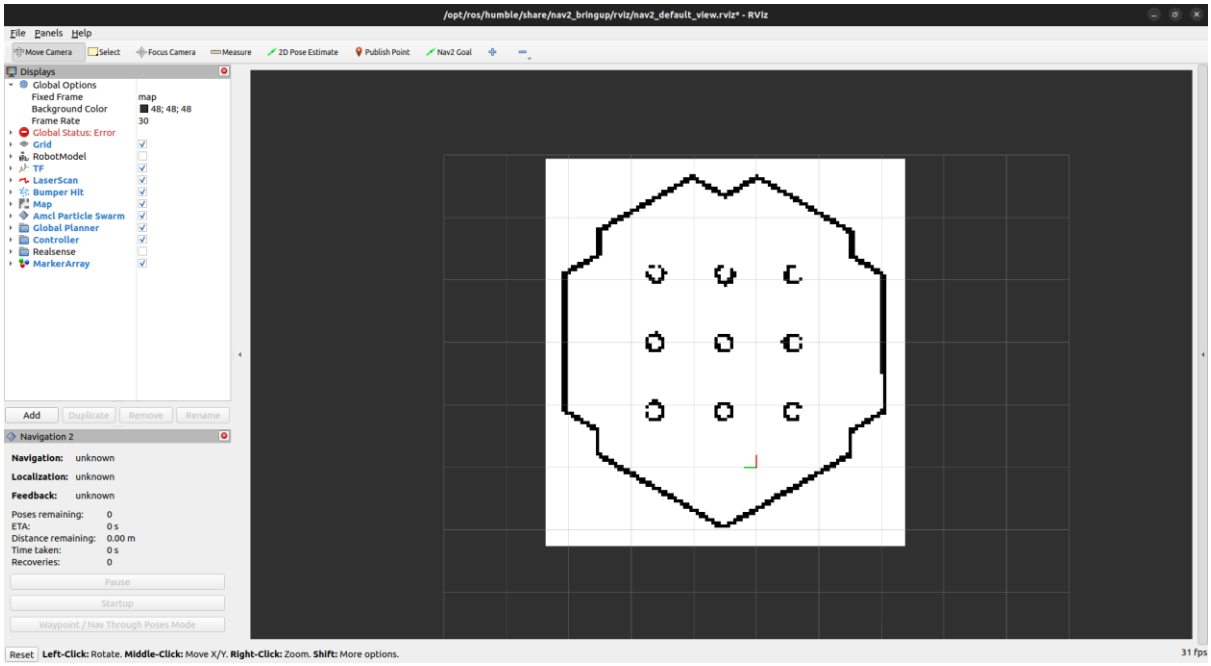
- `ros2 launch turtlebot3_gazebo turtlebot3_world.launch.py`

c. Run navigation with my_map map

Terminal 2

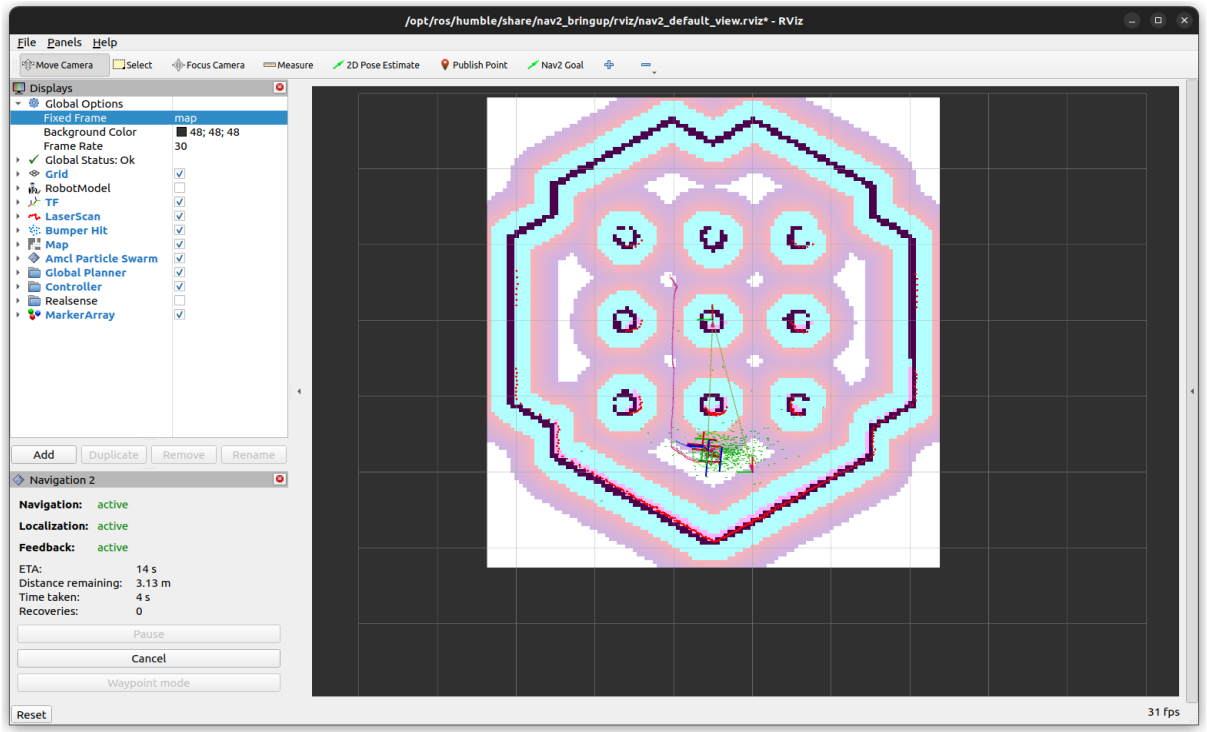
- `cd ~`

- `ros2 launch turtlebot3_navigation2 navigation2.launch.py use_sim_time:=True map:=maps/my_map.yaml`



d. Click on 2D Pose estimate and click on current position of robot

e. Click on Next Goal and choose destination to perform autonomous navigation



5. Generate a map for SLAM using slam toolbox
    a. Launch turtlebot3 in gazebo with the world scene

    Terminal 1

    - `ros2 launch turtlebot3_gazebo turtlebot3_world.launch.py`

b. Terminal 2

- `ros2 launch nav2_bringup navigation_launch.py use_sim_time:=True`

c. Terminal 3

- `ros2 launch slam_toolbox online_async_launch.py use_sim_time:=True`

d. Terminal 4

- `rviz2`

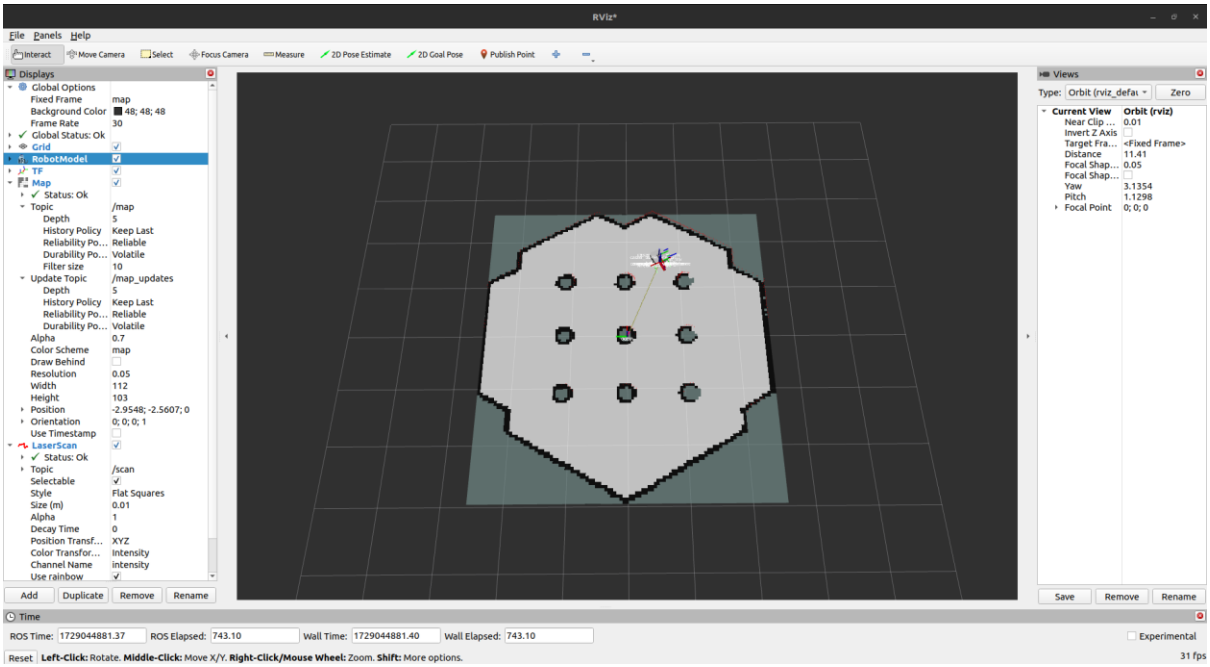
In RViz Window, Add:

- TF
- Laserscan
  - topic: /scan
- RobotModel
  - Description: /robot_description
- Map
  - topic: /map

e. Use teleop to roam around the scene and generate data from the scanner which can be fed to cartographer to make a map

Terminal 5

- `ros2 run turtlebot3_teleop teleop_keyboard`



f. After the data has been generated as seen in rviz, save the map

Terminal 6

- `cd ~`

- `ros2 run nav2_map_server map_saver_cli -f maps/my_world`

g. Save this rviz config as `map.rviz` in the ~/maps folder

h. Close all terminals using Ctrl+C

6. Use the generated map to navigate the bot from point A to point B

a. Launch turtlebot3 in gazebo with the world scene

`Terminal 1`

- `ros2 launch turtlebot3_gazebo turtlebot3_world.launch.py`

b. Run navigation with my_world map

`Terminal 2`

- `cd ~`
- `ros2 launch nav2_bringup bringup_launch.py use_sim_time:=True`
- `map:=maps/my_world.yaml`

c. `Terminal 4`

```
ros2 run rviz2 rviz2
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In RViz Window, Add:

- TF
- Laserscan
  - topic: /scan
- RobotModel
  - Description: /robot_description
- Map
  - topic - /map
- Map - Rename to GlobalCostmap
  - topic : global_costmap
  - color scheme: costmap
- Map - Rename to LocalCostmap
  - topic : local_costmap
  - color scheme: costmap

d. Save this rviz config as `map2.rviz` in the ~/maps folder

e. Following the steps from Step 4, use RViz's 2D Pose Estimate and 2D Goal Point for autonomous navigation