

Raspberry Pi Setup

1 Install Debian image

- Download
 - Online installation guide
 - diskutil list
 - diskutil unmountDisk /dev/disk# e.g. disk2
 - Debian image auf desktop kopieren
 - Summary for Mac
 - cd /Users/FamPa/desktop
 - sudo dd bs=1m if=2016-03-18-raspbian-jessie.img of=/dev/disk# e.g. disk2
 - Wait to be finished
 - Check progress by pressing Ctrl+T

2 Launch Configuration Tool

at initial boot or manually: sudo raspi-config

- Expand file system
- Change user password
 - Username: Pi
 - Default password: raspberry
 - New
- Enable Boot to Desktop
- Internationalisation Options
 - Change Locale
 - en_GB.UTF-8 UTF-8
 - de_AT.UTF-8 UTF-8
 - Europe
 - Vienna
 - Generic keyboard 105
 - Change Keyboard
 - German (Austria)
 - Keyboard layout
 - Right Alt (AltGr)
 - Change WiFi country
 - Change Timezone
 - Change WiFi country
- Advanced options
 - Hostname
 - Like maincontrol, heating, etc...
 - SSH
 - enable
 - disable
 - Serial
 - need to be disabled if GPIO pins are used (e.g. for Enocan)
 - Install smbus
 - sudo apt-get install python3-smbus
 - sudo apt-get install python-smbus
 - i2c
 - Change baudrate
 - sudo cat /sys/module/i2c_bcm2708/parameters/baudrate
 - Permanently
 - sudo bash -c "echo options i2c_bcm2708 baudrate=375000 > /etc/modprobe.d/i2c.conf"
 - or edit
 - sudo nano /etc/modprobe.d/i2c.conf
 - Test
 - sudo modprobe -r i2c_bcm2708
 - sudo modprobe i2c_bcm2708 baudrate=375000

3 Network

- Scan to get available WiFi networks
 - sudo iwlist wlan0 scan | grep ESSID
- WLAN und Ethernet
 - sudo nano /etc/network/interfaces
 - DHCP settings
 - Raspberry better then using static IP addresses because DHCP does a complete configuration of the interface
 - In your WiFi router assign Raspberry's MAC address to a fixed IP address
 - Your Raspberry has then always the same IP address
 - Restart network
 - sudo /etc/init.d/networking restart
 - Check configuration
 - ifconfig
 - iwconfig
 - Avoid WiFi drop on Raspberry Pi
 - Restart WiFi if no connection
 - sudo iw dev wlan0 set power_save off
 - sudo nano /usr/local/bin/checkwifi.sh
 - checkwifi.sh
 - sudo chmod 775 /usr/local/bin/checkwifi.sh
 - crontab -e
 - * * * * * /usr/bin/sudo -H /usr/local/bin/checkwifi.sh >> /dev/null 2>&1
 - Check log file
 - sudo nano /usr/local/bin/checkwifi.log
- sudo reboot
- Serial
 - starting with Raspberry Pi 3 Bluetooth must be deactivated to enable UART0 for serial communication (e.h. for enocan)
 - sudo nano /boot/config.txt
 - dt-overlay=pi3-disable-bt
 - Plug dongle into USB
 - Start command "lsusb"
 - Check whether adapter has been correctly identified
 - sudo apt-get install --no-install-recommends bluetooth
 - sudo service bluetooth status
 - "bluetooth is running"
 - hcitool scan
 - All discoverable device should be listed
 - Connect to device
 - sudo rfcomm connect 0 12:34:56:78:90:00 10 >/dev/null &
 - Address "12:34:..." used from hcitool scan
 - Device (e.g. phone) must be "discoverable"
 - Accept pair on your device
 - Check signal strength
 - hcitool rssi 12:34:56:78:90:00
 - For Signalstärketest muss immer zuerst eine Verbindung aufgebaut werden
 - In order to check presence of a device by using the signal strength test a connection and pairing must be established in advance
 - If the device is not discoverable an error message is created "Permission denied"
 - Unsuolved issued
 - Python Zugriff
 - Tutorial 1
 - Tutorial 2

4 Scripts

Autostart of scripts at Pi-Start

sudo nano /etc/rc.local

python3 /home/pi/Yaha/yaha_main.py &

Important: DO NOT forget "&" otherwise it will not run in a parallel process and you might be locked out of your Pi!

5 Apache 2 web server

- Installation
 - sudo apt-get install apache2 php5 libapache2-mod-php5
 - sudo groupadd www-data
 - sudo usermod -g www-data www-data
 - sudo groupadd -g pi www-data
 - sudo chown www-data:www-data /var/www
 - sudo chmod 775 /var/www
 - sudo nano /etc/apache2/sites-available/000-default.conf
- CGI Konfiguration
 - sudo a2enmod cgi
 - sudo chmod 755 /usr/lib/cgi-bin
 - sudo chown root:root /usr/lib/cgi-bin
 - sudo chmod a+rx /usr/lib/cgi-bin
 - sudo nano /etc/apache2/apache2.conf
 - sudo service apache2 reload
 - insert above: "ErrorLog \${APACHE_LOG_DIR}/error.log"
 - sudo chmod 755 /usr/lib/cgi-bin/<name>.py
 - sudo chmod 755 /usr/lib/cgi-bin/yaha_view.py
 - sudo chmod 755 /usr/lib/cgi-bin/yaha_webbridge.py
 - Example
 - Each CGI File (one time only)
- sudo rm /var/log/apache2/error.log
- sudo /etc/init.d/apache2 restart
- sudo nano /var/log/apache2/error.log

6 Remote access

for headless operation

- Terminal access
 - Ctrl+K nano /Users/FamPa/.ssh/known_hosts
 - Delete all old public SSH keys on a mac
 - is ~/.ssh
 - Check if file exists
 - rm id*
 - ssh-keygen -t rsa -C pi@maincontrol
 - Generate new keys on Pi
 - login as pi
 - password
 - Install PuTTY
 - Windows
 - ssh pi@192.168.0.100
 - Terminal
 - Mac
 - ssh pi@10.0.0.92
 - Terminal
 - Mac
 - sudo apt-get install xrdp
 - Pi
 - Remote Desktop App in iTunes
 - Mac
 - matcsc.exe
 - Windows
- Microsoft Remote Access
 - RealVNC on PC/Mac
 - TightVNC on Pi
 - VNC
 - sudo apt-get install tightvncserver
 - define password
 - tightvncserver
 - vncserver -kill :1
 - nano vnc.sh
 - vnc.sh
 - Create config file
 - chmod +x vnc.sh
 - Change access rights
 - sudo nano /etc/init.d/vncboot
 - vncboot
 - Automatic start at boot-up
 - sudo chmod 755 /etc/init.d/vncboot
 - Change access rights
 - sudo update-rc.d vncboot defaults
 - 10.0.0.100:5109
 - Viewer configuration

7 Get newest versions

- sudo apt-get update
- sudo apt-get upgrade
- sudo apt-get clean