

Obstacle avoidance

1. Description of the programme function

When the programme starts, the mechanical dog will walk forward, and when an obstacle appears within the detection range, it will adjust its posture to avoid the obstacle, and then continue to walk forward. If the handle node is activated, the R2 key of the handle can pause/enable this function.

2. Program code reference path

The source code for this function is located at.

```
/home/pi/cartographer_ws2/src/yahboom_laser/yahboom_laser/laser_Avoidance_xgo_RS200.py
```

3. Program startup

3.1 Start command

Mechanical dog chassis and lidar has been set to boot self-start, if you find that it did not start please enter in the terminal.

```
sudo systemctl restart YahboomStart.service
```

If the lidar and chassis start-up is complete then you need to enter it in the terminal:

```
cd /home/pi/cartographer_ws2
source install/setup.bash
# Activate lidar obstacle avoidance procedures Radar MS200
ros2 run yahboom_laser laser_Avoidance_xgo_RS200
```

3.2 Viewing the topic communication node map

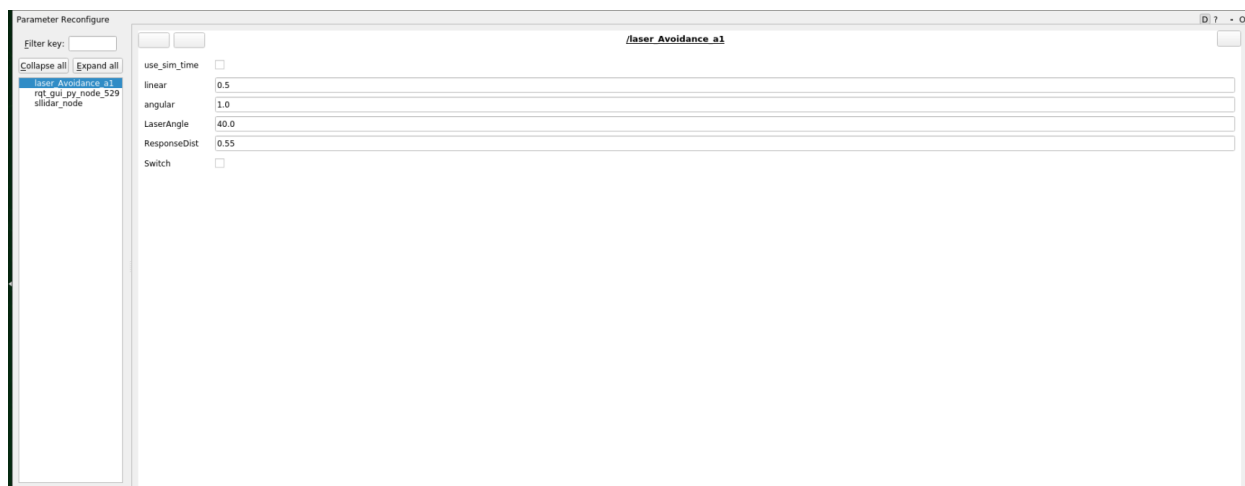
Terminal input.

```
ros2 run rqt_graph rqt_graph
```



It is also possible to set the size of the parameter, the terminal input, by means of a dynamic parameter regulator, the

```
ros2 run rqt_reconfigure rqt_reconfigure
```



The meaning of each parameter is as follows.

Parameter name	Parameter Meaning
linear	linear velocity
angular	angular velocity
LaserAngle	lidar detection angle
ResponseDist	Obstacle detection distance
Switch	Play switch

The above parameters are adjustable, except Switc, the other four need to be set when you need to be a decimal, modified, click on the blank before you can write.

4. Core source code analysis

X3 models, A1 lidar source code as an example, mainly to see the lidar callback function, which explains how to get to each angle of the obstacle distance information.

```
def registerScan(self, scan_data):
    if not isinstance(scan_data, LaserScan): return
    ranges = np.array(scan_data.ranges)
    self.Right_warning = 0
    self.Left_warning = 0
    self.front_warning = 0

    for i in range(len(ranges)):
        angle = (scan_data.angle_min + scan_data.angle_increment * i) * RAD2DEG
        #The angle of the lidar's information is in radians, here it is converted to angles
        #for calculation.
        if 160 > angle > 180 - self.LaserAngle: #angle sets the range of judgement
            based on the structure of the lidar
            if ranges[i] < self.ResponseDist*1.5: #range[i] is the result of the
            lidar scan, in this case the distance information
                self.Right_warning += 1
            if -160 < angle < self.LaserAngle - 180:
                if ranges[i] < self.ResponseDist*1.5:
                    self.Left_warning += 1
            if abs(angle) > 160:
                if ranges[i] <= self.ResponseDist*1.5:
                    self.front_warning += 1
            if self.Joy_active or self.Switch == True:
                if self.Moving == True:
                    self.pub_vel.publish(Twist())
                    self.Moving = not self.Moving
                return
    self.Moving = True
```