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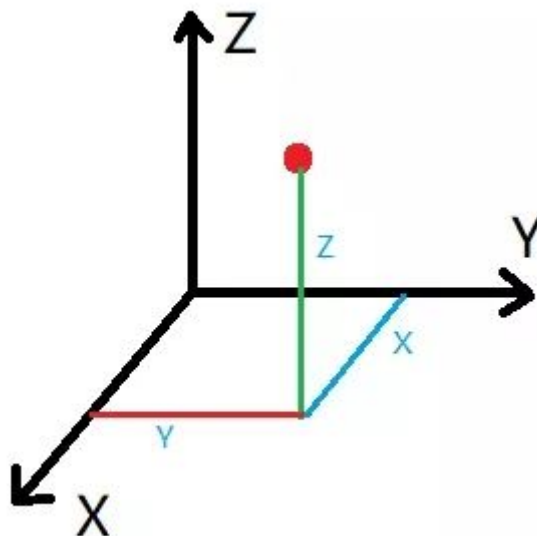
This lesson takes the MoveIT simulation as an example. If you need to set the synchronization between the real machine and the simulation, please refer to the lesson [02, MoveIt Precautions and Controlling the Real Machine]. !!! be careful!!!

The effect demonstration is a virtual machine, and other masters are running (related to the performance of the master, depending on the actual situation).

## 5.1. Introduction

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The Cartesian coordinate system is the collective name for the Cartesian coordinate system and the oblique coordinate system. A Cartesian path is actually a line connecting any two points in space.



## 5.2. Start

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Start the MoveIT

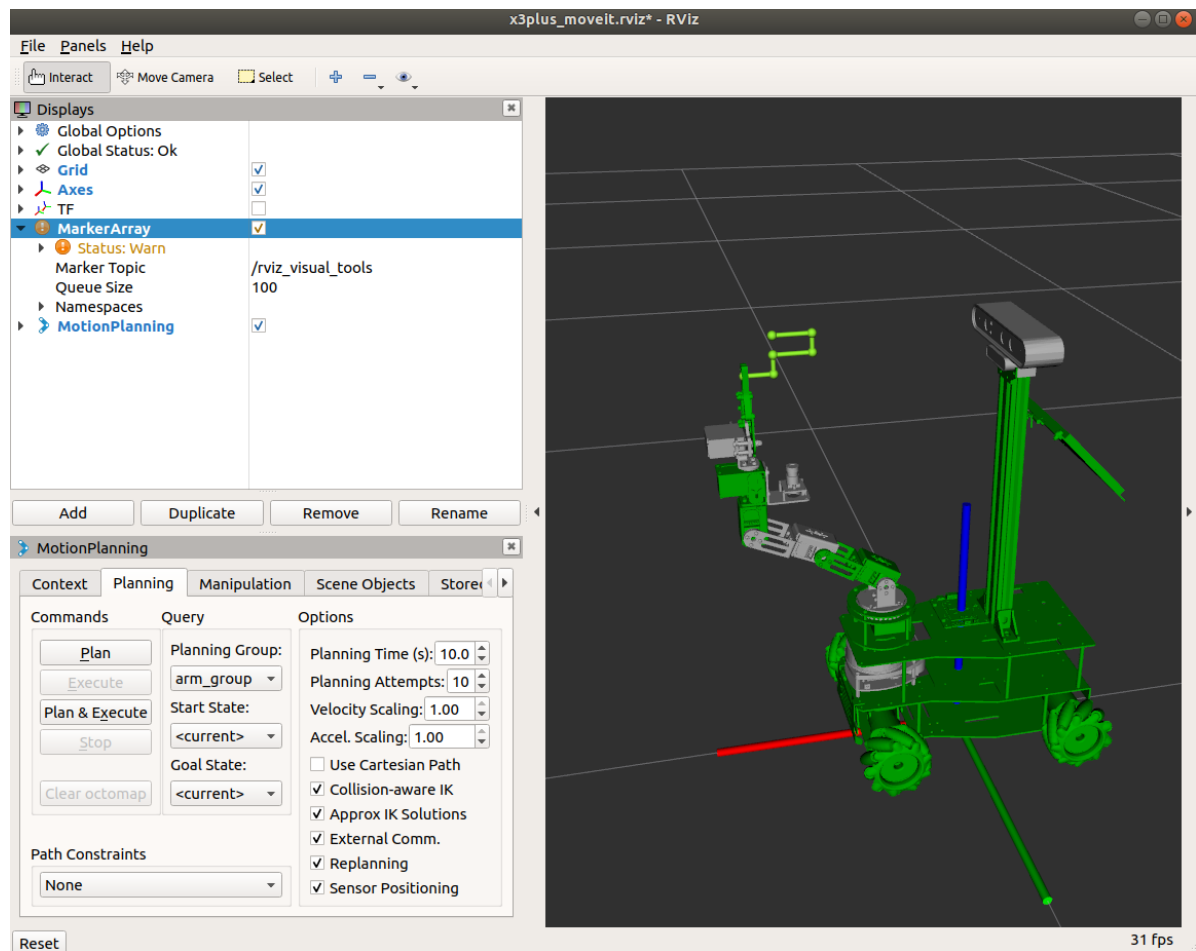
```
roslaunch arm_moveit_demo x3plus_moveit_demo.launch sim:=true
```

Start Cartesian Path Node

```
roslaunch arm_moveit_demo 04_cartesian
```

- C++ code examples

To view the trajectory, you need to add the [MarkerArray] plug-in and select the [/rviz\_visual\_tools] topic.



## 5.3. Source code

### 5.3.2、 C++ files

Set specific location

```
ROS_INFO("Set Init Pose.");  
//Set specific location  
vector<double> pose{0, -0.69, -0.17, 0.86, 0};  
yahboomcar.setJointValueTarget(pose);
```

Add waypoint

```
//Initialize path point vector  
std::vector<geometry_msgs::Pose> waypoints;  
//Add initial pose to waypoint list  
waypoints.push_back(start_pose);  
start_pose.position.x -= 0.04;  
waypoints.push_back(start_pose);  
start_pose.position.z -= 0.02;  
waypoints.push_back(start_pose);  
start_pose.position.x += 0.04;
```

```
waypoints.push_back(start_pose);  
start_pose.position.z -= 0.02;  
waypoints.push_back(start_pose);  
start_pose.position.x += 0.03;  
waypoints.push_back(start_pose);
```

Waypoint planning

```
fraction = yahboomcar.computeCartesianPath(waypoints, eef_step, jump_threshold,  
trajectory);
```