

3. Mediapipe fun gameplay

1. Introduction to mediapipe

MediaPipe is an open-source data stream processing machine learning application development framework developed by Google. It is a graph-based data processing pipeline used to build data sources in various forms, such as video, audio, sensor data, and any time series data. MediaPipe is cross-platform and can run on embedded platforms (Raspberry Pi, etc.), mobile devices (iOS and Android), workstations and servers, and supports mobile GPU acceleration. MediaPipe provides cross-platform, customizable ML solutions for real-time and streaming media. The core framework of MediaPipe is implemented in C++ and provides support for languages such as Java and Objective C. The main concepts of MediaPipe include packets, streams, calculators, graphs, and subgraphs.

Features of MediaPipe:

- End-to-end acceleration: built-in fast ML inference and processing can be accelerated even on ordinary hardware;
- Build once, deploy anywhere: unified solution for Android, iOS, desktop/cloud, web and IoT;
- Ready-to-use solution: cutting-edge ML solution that demonstrates the full functionality of the framework;
- Free and open source: framework and solution under Apache2.0, fully extensible and customizable.

2. Use

2.1. Program running

Source code path reference,

```
/root/yahboomcar_ws/src/yahboomcar_mediapipe/yahboomcar_mediapipe
```

Open a terminal and enter the following command to enter docker,

```
./docker_ros2.sh
```

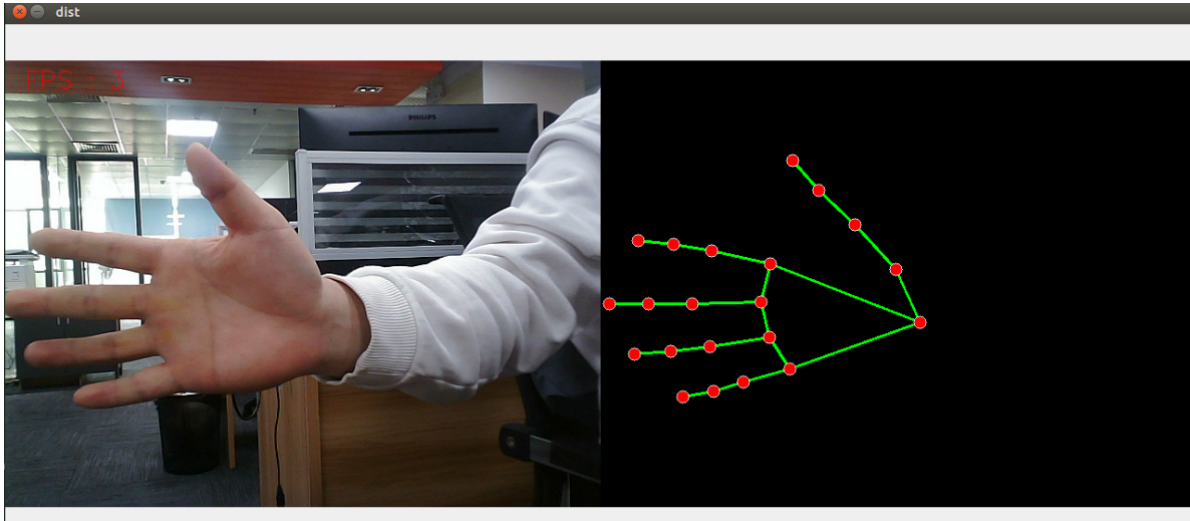
The following interface appears, which means that you have successfully entered Docker.

```
pi@yahboom:~ $ ./docker_ros2.sh
access control disabled, clients can connect from any host
root@yahboom:/#
```

Enter in the docker terminal:

```
#HandDetector
ros2 run yahboomcar_mediapipe 01_HandDetector
# PoseDetector
ros2 run yahboomcar_mediapipe 02_PoseDetector
# Holistic
ros2 run yahboomcar_mediapipe 03_Holistic
# FaceMesh
ros2 run yahboomcar_mediapipe 04_FaceMesh
# FaceEyeDetection
ros2 run yahboomcar_mediapipe 05_FaceEyeDetection
```

Taking hand detection as an example, the running screenshot is as follows



In addition, you can also view the point cloud data.

Open a new terminal, enter the same docker, and change the following da8c4f47020a to the ID displayed in the actual terminal.

```
docker ps
```

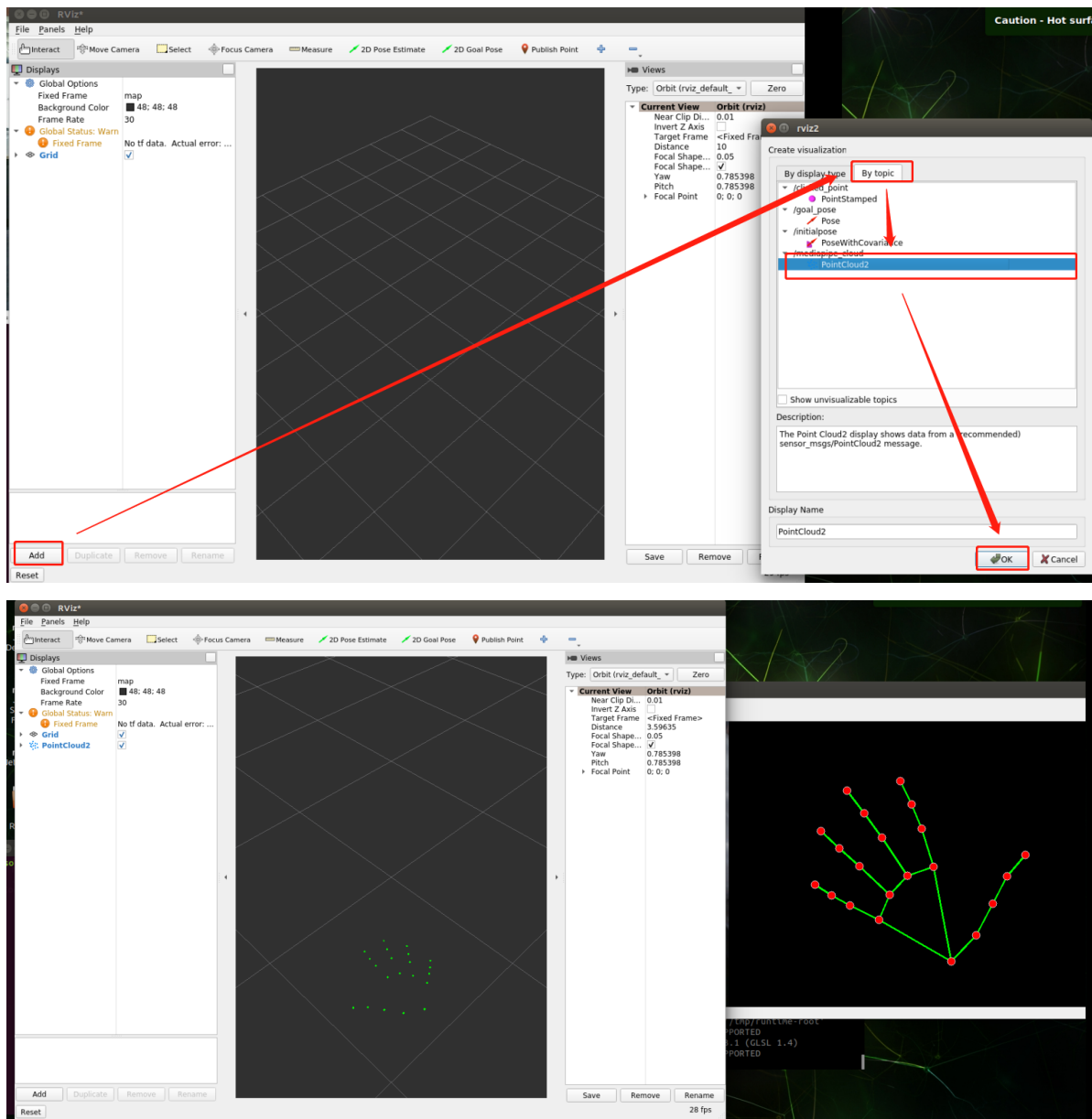
```
docker exec -it da8c4f47020a /bin/bash
```

```
pi@yahboom:~$ docker ps
CONTAINER ID   IMAGE                                COMMAND                  CREATED        STATUS
PORTS         NAMES
da8c4f47020a   yahboomtechnology/ros-humble:0.0.4 "/ros_entrypoint.sh ..." 8 hours ago   Up 45 minute
s
festive_payne
pi@yahboom:~$ docker exec -it da8c4f47020a /bin/bash
root@yahboom:/#
```

Enter in the docker terminal:

```
#Run the point cloud publishing program
ros2 run yahboomcar_point pub_point
#Open rviz to view the point cloud
rviz2
```

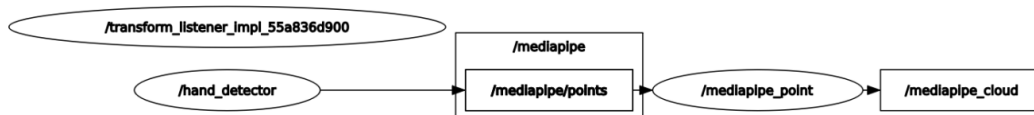
Follow the steps below to add a point cloud topic in rviz.



The above is the point cloud diagram of the program running hand detection, that is, 01_HandDetector. Point cloud viewing only supports demos 01-05.

You can view the node topic communication diagram through rqt_graph,

```
ros2 run rqt_graph rqt_graph
```

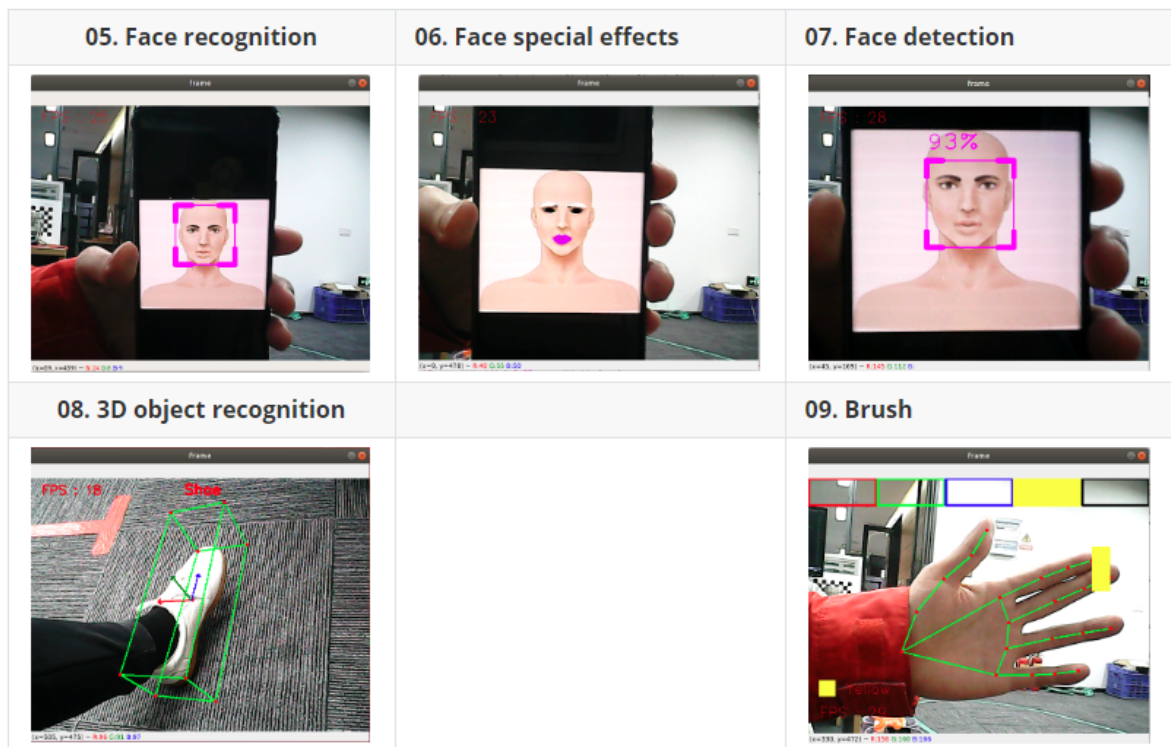


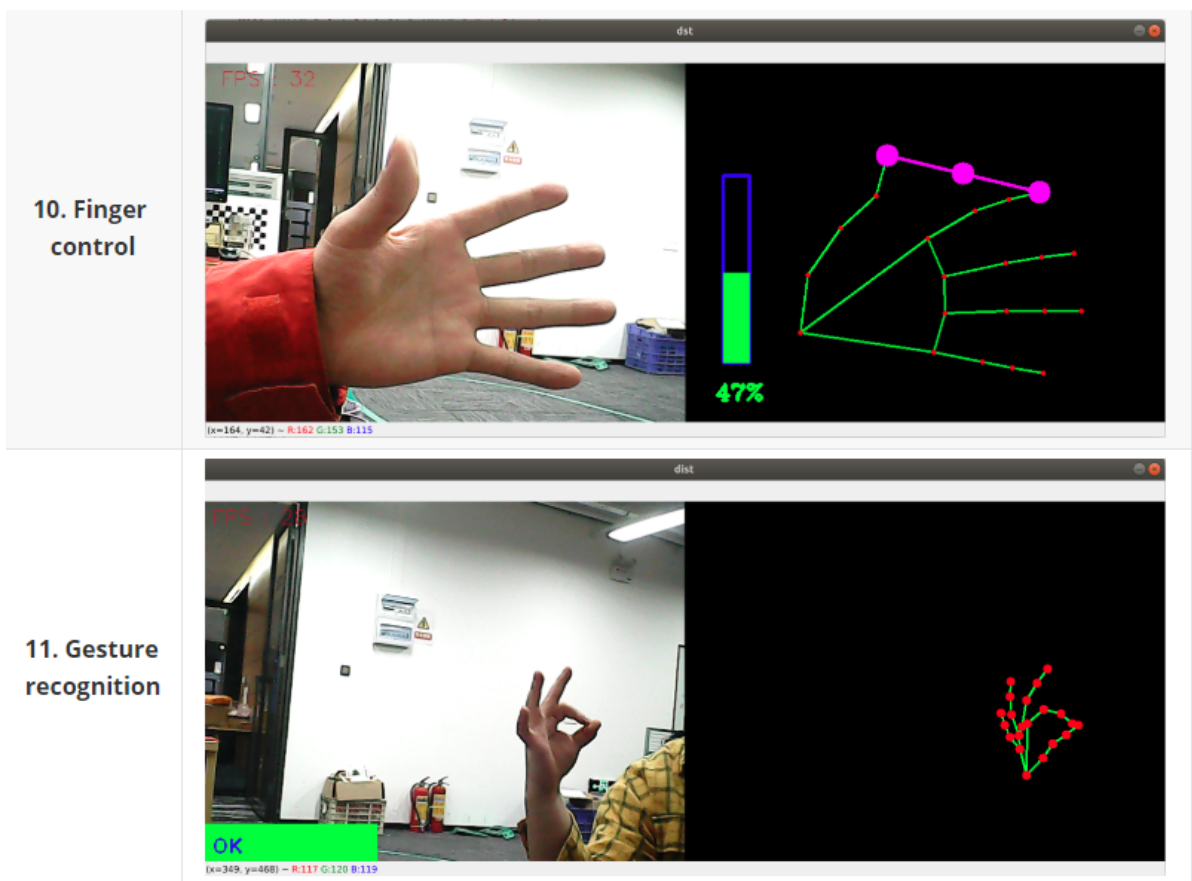
2.2. Other fun ways to play

Enter in the docker terminal,

```
cd
/root/yahboomcar_ros2_ws/yahboomcar_ws/src/yahboomcar_mediapipe/yahboomcar_media
pipe
```

```
#FaceLandmarks
python3 06_FaceLandmarks.py
#FaceDetection
python3 07_FaceDetection.py
#Objectron
python3 08_Objectron.py
#irtualPaint
python3 09_VirtualPaint.py
#HandCtrl
python3 10_HandCtrl.py
#GestureRecognition
python3 11_GestureRecognition.py
```



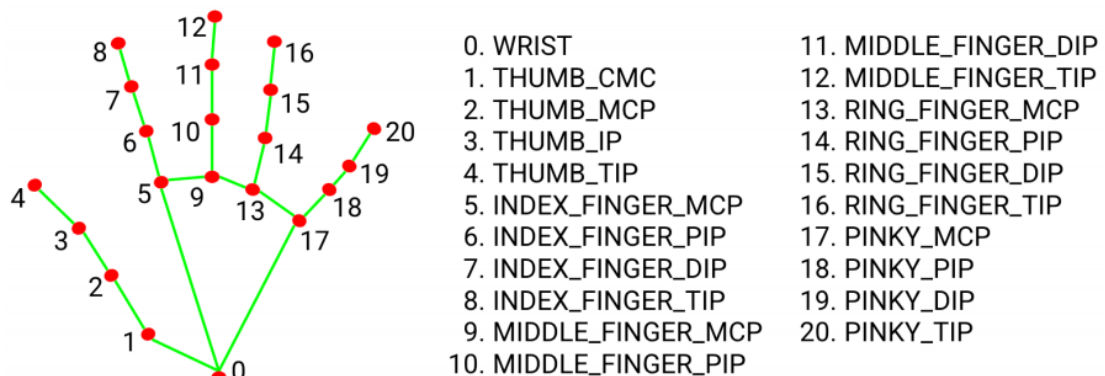


3. Mediapipe Hands

MediaPipe Hands is a high-fidelity hand and finger tracking solution. It uses machine learning (ML) to infer 21 3D coordinates of the hand from a frame.

After palm detection for the entire image, the 21 3D hand joint coordinates in the detected hand region are accurately localized by regression based on the hand marker model, i.e. direct coordinate prediction. The model learns a consistent internal hand pose representation that is robust even to partially visible hands and self-occlusion.

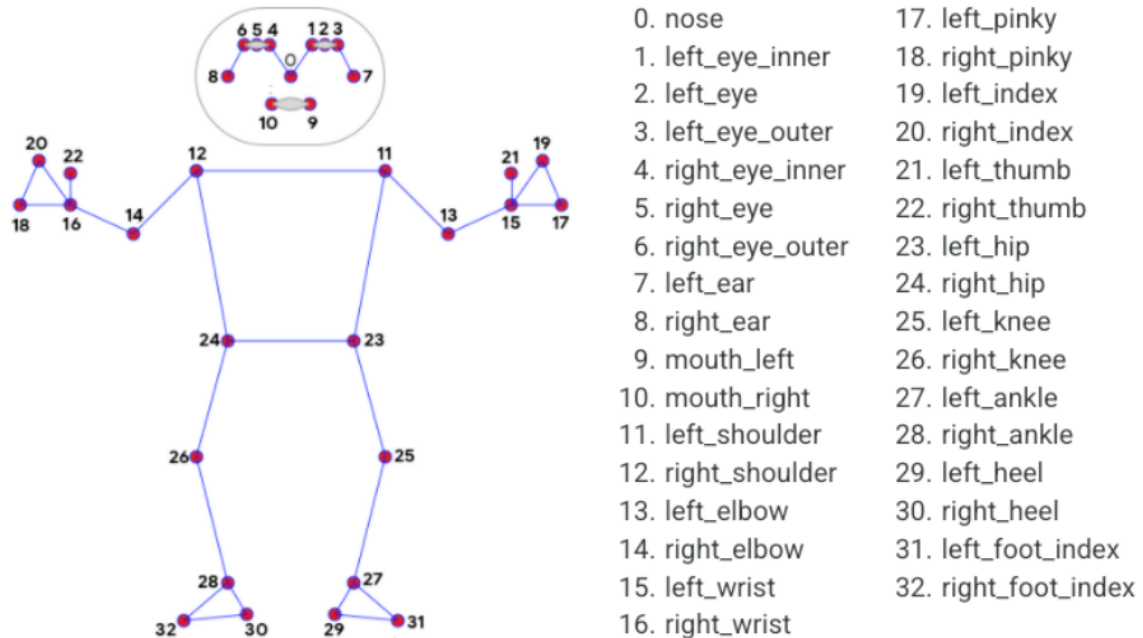
To obtain ground truth data, about 30K real-world images were manually annotated with 21 3D coordinates, as shown below (Z values are obtained from the image depth map, if there is a Z value for each corresponding coordinate). To better cover possible hand poses and provide additional supervision on the properties of hand geometry, high-quality synthetic hand models are also rendered against various backgrounds and mapped to their corresponding 3D coordinates.



4. MediaPipe Pose

MediaPipe Pose is an ML solution for high-fidelity body pose tracking, leveraging the BlazePose research to infer 33 3D coordinates and full-body background segmentation masks from RGB video frames, which also powered the ML Kit pose detection API.

The landmark model in MediaPipe Pose predicts the locations of the 33 pose coordinates (see the figure below).



5. dlib

The corresponding case is face effects.

DLIB is a modern C++ toolkit that contains machine learning algorithms and tools for creating complex software in C++ to solve real-world problems. It is widely used in the industry and academia in fields such as robots, embedded devices, mobile phones, and large-scale high-performance computing environments. The dlib library uses 68 points to mark important parts of the face, such as 18-22 points to mark the right eyebrow, and 51-68 points to mark the mouth. Use the `get_frontal_face_detector` module of the dlib library to detect the face, and use the `shape_predictor_68_face_landmarks.dat` feature data to predict the facial feature values.