

Multi-robot queue performance

Startup file path

(1) Transbot robot:

/home/pi/transbot_ws/src/transbot_bringup/launch/bringup_robot_formation.launch

(2) Virtual machine side:

/home/pi/transbot_ws/src/transbot_ctrl/launch/transbot_joy_multi.launch

/home/pi/transbot_ws/src/transbot_ctrl/launch/play_robot_bag1.launch

/home/pi/transbot_ws/src/transbot_ctrl/launch/play_robot_bag2.launch

/home/pi/transbot_ws/src/transbot_ctrl/launch/play_robot_show.launch

Function package description:

After this function is turned on, multiple robot can drive synchronously according to the pre-recorded route.

Feature package path:

/home/pi/transbot_ws/src/transbot_bringup

/home/pi/transbot_ws/src/transbot_ctrl

Function realization conditions:

1) It is necessary to configure the network of multiple Transbot robot, make all Transbot robot and the virtual machine are in the same local area network, and the virtual machine must be used as the host (Master).

2)The remote control signal receiver needs to be inserted into the virtual machine.

1. Start up function

Take two cars as an example:

1.1 Record the motion trajectory of No.1 Transbot robot

1)Input following command

```
virtual machine side:
roscore
roslaunch transbot_ctrl transbot_joy_multi.launch namespace:=robot1 #Enable
remote control
No.1 Transbot robot:
roslaunch transbot_bringup bringup_robot_formation.launch namespace:=robot1
virtual machine side:
rosbag record /robot1/cmd_vel    #Record the speed topic content of each
moment
```


package named time and suffixed with .bag in the terminal directory (default is the home directory).

This data packet records the speed of the Transbot car at each moment.

We can input the command "roslaunch info packet name" to view the contents of the packet, and find that the topics are consistent with what was just recorded.

2. Record the motion trajectory of No.1 Transbot robot

1) Input following command

```
virtual machine side:
roscore
roslaunch transbot_ctrl transbot_joy_multi.launch namespace:=robot2 #Enable
remote control
No.2 Transbot robot:
roslaunch transbot_bringup bringup_robot_formation.launch namespace:=robot2 #
开启底盘
virtual machine side:
roslaunch transbot_joy_multi.launch namespace:=robot2 #Record the speed topic content of each
moment
```

```
@Transbot:~$ roslaunch transbot_nav laser_bringup_multi_robot.launch namespace:=robot2
. logging to /home/pi/.ros/log/53eb113a-5be0-11ec-824b-000c29e9c080/roslaunch-Transbot-13398.log
Checking log directory for disk usage. This may take a while.
Press Ctrl-C to interrupt
Done checking log file disk usage. Usage is <1GB.

started roslaunch server http://192.168.2.103:34457/

SUMMARY
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PARAMETERS
 /robot2/apply_calib/calib_file: /home/pi/transbot...
 /robot2/apply_calib/calibrate_gyros: True
 /robot2/apply_calib/is_multi: True
 /robot2/apply_calib/is_namespace: robot2
 /robot2/base_node/is_multi_robot: True
 /robot2/base_node/is_namespace: robot2
 /robot2/base_node/linear_scale: 1.2
 /robot2/ekf_localization/base_link_frame: robot2/base_footp...
 /robot2/ekf_localization/frequency: 20
 /robot2/ekf_localization/imu0: /robot2/imu/data
```

```
yahboom@VM_Transbot:~$ rosbag record /robot2/cmd_vel
[ INFO] [1639378681.940346958]: Subscribing to /robot2/cmd_vel
[ INFO] [1639378681.943233510]: Recording to '2021-12-13-14-58-01.bag'.
^C
yahboom@VM_Transbot:~$ ^C
yahboom@VM_Transbot:~$ ^C
yahboom@VM_Transbot:~$
```

The recording steps are the same as above. After the recording is over, a data package named at the current time and suffixed with .bag is generated.




3. Load the two data packages into the startup file

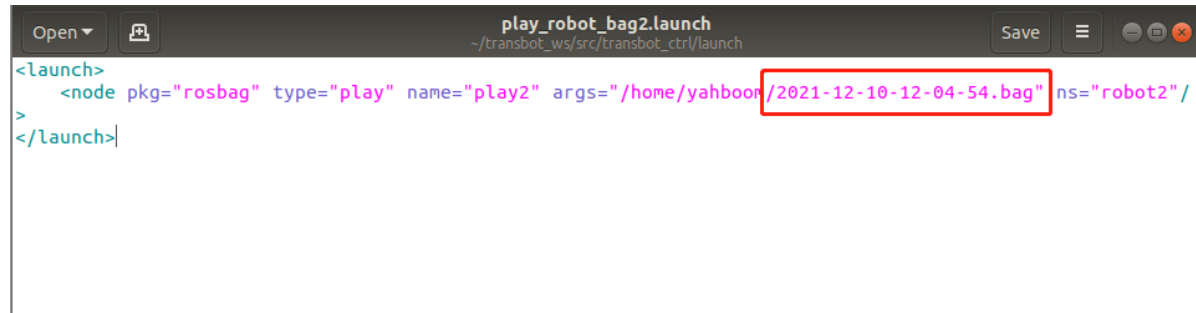
Modify the /home/yahboom/transbot_ws/src/transbot_ctrl/launch/play_robot_bag1.launch file in the virtual file, and replace the data packet in the file with the data packet that just recorded the speed of No.1 Transbot robot.





Modify the play_robot_bag2.launch file in the same directory, and replace the data packet in the file with the data packet that just recorded the speed of the No.2 Transbot robot.

These two commands are to enable the function of playing the data packet rosbag play.



```
Open ▾  play_robot_bag1.launch  
~/transbot_ws/src/transbot_ctrl/launch Save     
<launch>  
  <node pkg="rosbag" type="play" name="play1" args="/home/yahboom/2021-12-10-12-03-52.bag" ns="robot1" />  
</launch>
```



```
Open ▾  play_robot_bag2.launch  
~/transbot_ws/src/transbot_ctrl/launch Save     
<launch>  
  <node pkg="rosbag" type="play" name="play2" args="/home/yahboom/2021-12-10-12-04-54.bag" ns="robot2" />  
>  
</launch>
```

After modification, run following command in the virtual machine terminal.

```
roslaunch transbot_ctrl play_robot_show.launch
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