

YDLIDAR X4

Low Cost High Performance

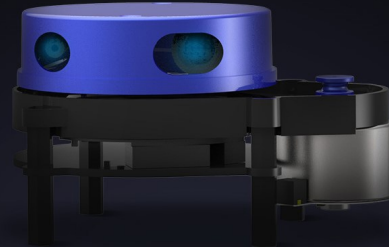
5000 Times/Sec Sampling rate

11mMeter Scanning Range

Lidar Height 39mm

MSRP

\$99



YDLIDAR SDK PACKAGE V1.3.7

SDK [test](#) application for YDLIDAR

Visit EAI Website for more details about [YDLIDAR](#) .

Support LIDAR MODEL(Only S4Pro support intensity)

MODEL	Baudrate	Sampling Frequency	Range(m)	Scanning Frequency(HZ)	Working temperature(°C)	Laser power max(mW)	voltage(V)	Current(mA)
G4	230400	9000	0.26-16	5-12	0-50	~5	4.8-5.2	400-480
X4	128000	5000	0.12-10	5-12	0-40	~5	4.8-5.2	330-380
F4	115200	4000	0.1-12	5-12	0-40	~5	4.8-5.2	400-480
S4	115200	4000	0.1-8	6-12	0-40	~5	4.8-5.2	330-380
S4Pro	153600	4000	0.1-8	6-12	0-40	~5	4.8-5.2	330-380

How to build YDLIDAR SDK samples

```
$ git clone https://github.com/yangfuyuan/ydlidar_sdk
$ cd ydlidar_sdk
$ git checkout master
$ cd ..
```

Linux:

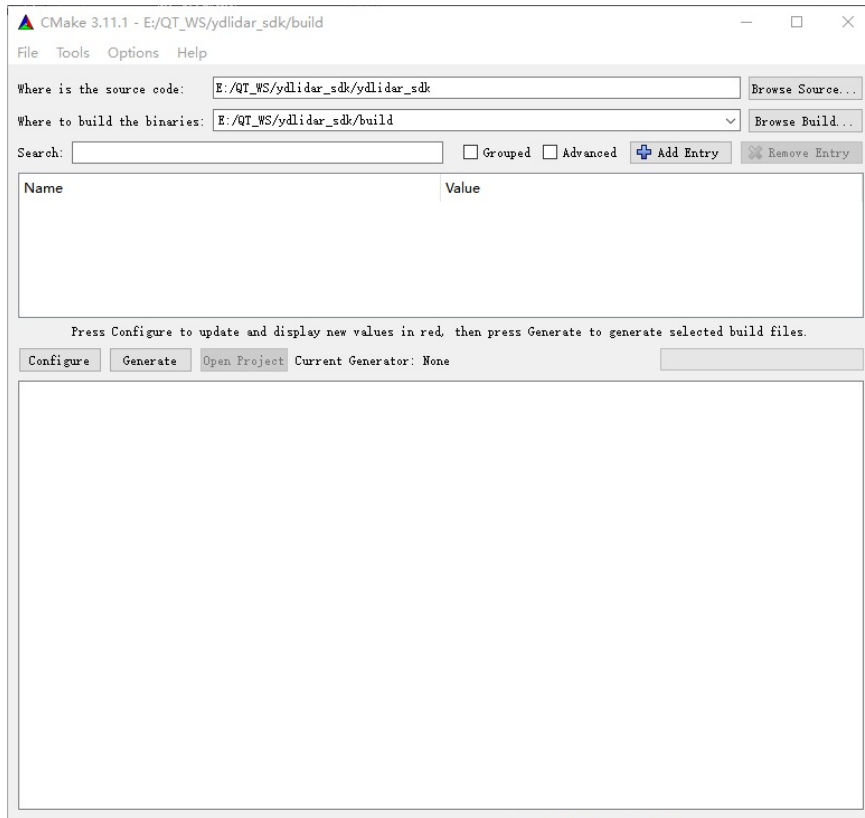
```
$ mkdir build
$ cd build
$ cmake ../ydlidar_sdk  ##windows: cmake -G "Visual Studio 14 2017 Win64" ../ydlidar_sdk
$ make
```

Windows:

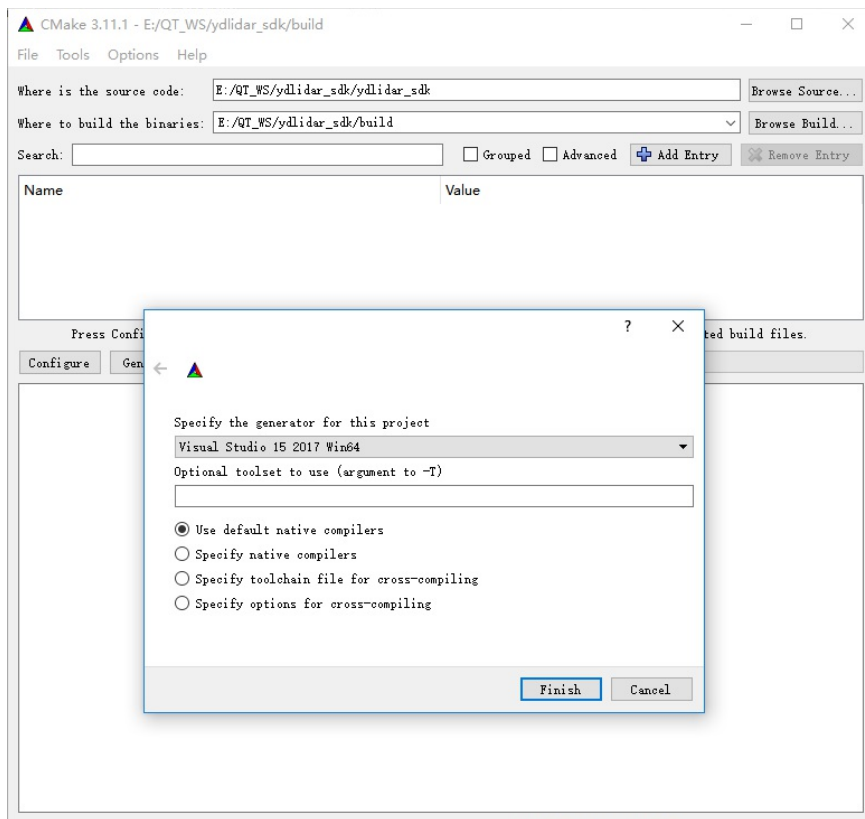
1. install [cmake](#)(if there is no cmake)

2. build steps:

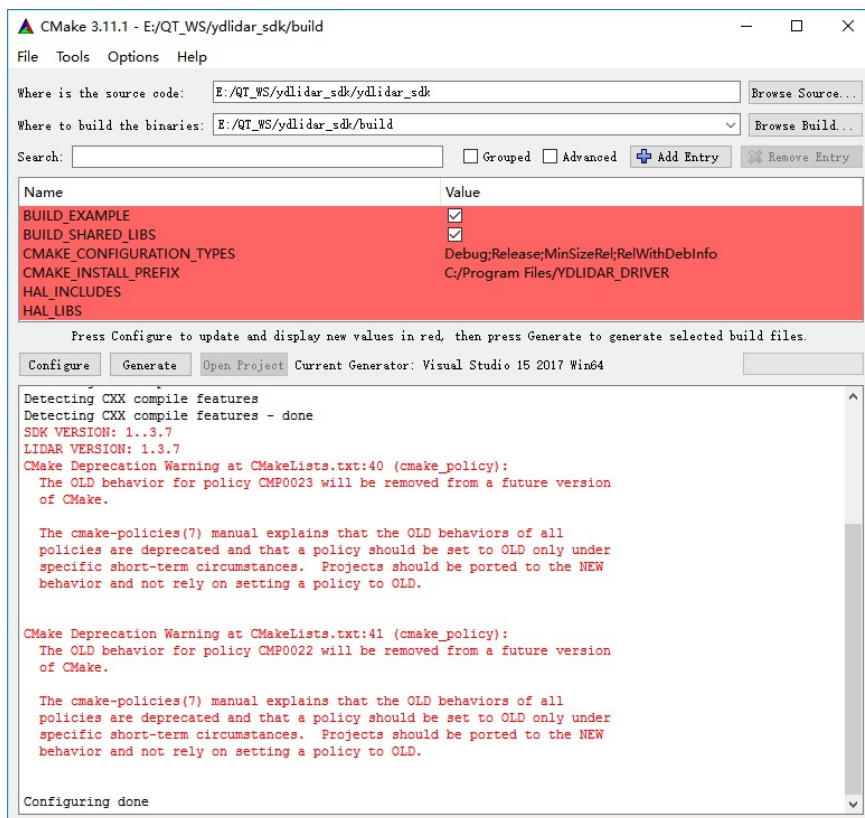
Step1: open cmake-gui and select source code/binaries directory



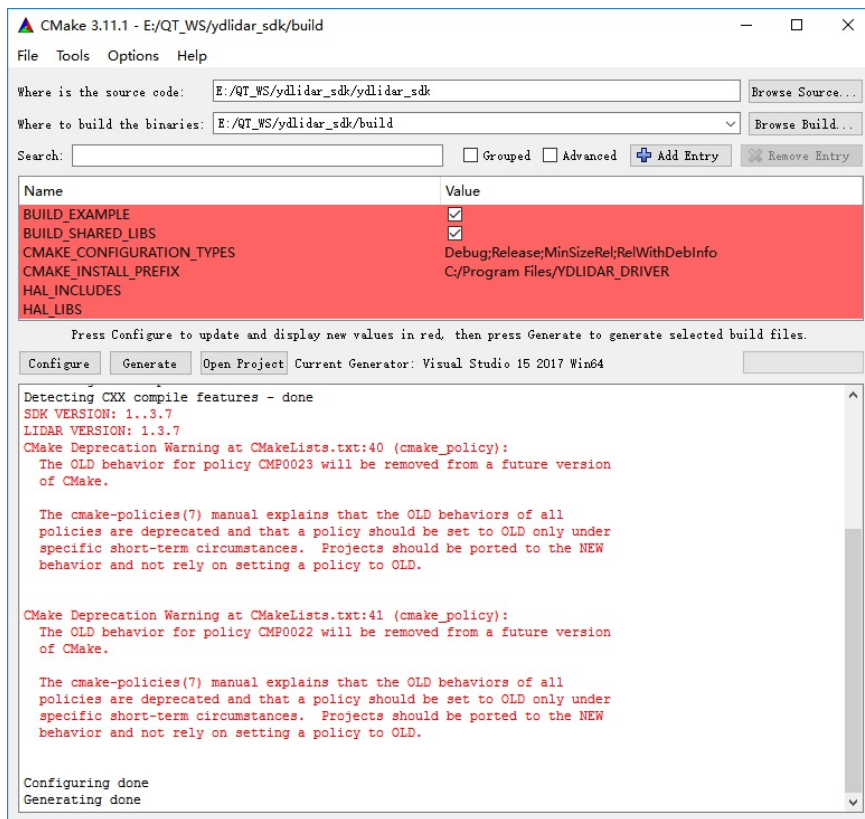
Step2: Configure and select build toolchain(choose the VS version in your system)



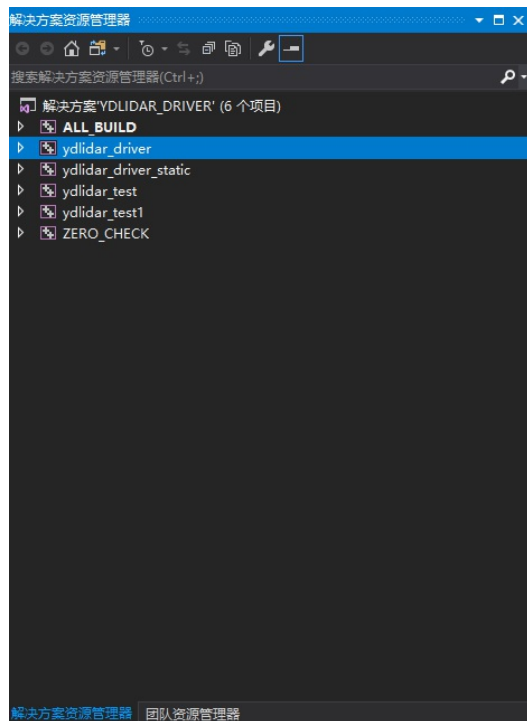
Step3: configuring done(click “Configure” button)



Step4: generating done(click “Generate” button)



Step5: open vs Project in binaries directory



Step6: build finished and run test:

```
E:\QT_WS\ydlidar_sdk\build\Debug\ydlidar_test.exe
YDLIDAR C++ TEST
Radar[ydlidar7] detected, whether to select current radar(yes/no)? :yes
0. ydlidar7
Please select the lidar port:0
0. 115200
1. 128000
2. 153600
3. 230400
Please select the lidar baud rate:3
0. false
1. true
Please select the lidar intensity:0
SDK Version: 1.3.7
LIDAR Version: 1.3.7
firmware: 521
[YDLIDAR] Connection established in [COM3]:
Firmware version: 2.0.9
Hardware version: 2
Model: G4
Serial: 20180421000000023
[YDLIDAR INFO] Current Sampling Rate : 9K
[YDLIDAR INFO] Current Scan Frequency : 7.000000Hz
start scanning.....
```

3.Compile with Qt:

1). Qt configuration cmake

2). Open the CmakeLists.txt project file with Qt.

How to run YDLIDAR SDK samples

linux:

```
$ ./ydlidar_test

YDLIDAR C++ TEST

Radar[ydlidar7] detected, whether to select current radar(yes/no)? :yes

0. ydlidar7

$ Please select the lidar port:0

0. 115200
1. 128000
2. 153600
3. 230400

$ Please select the lidar baud rate:3

0. false
1. true

$ Please select the lidar intensity:0
```

windows:

```
$ ydlidar_test.exe

YDLIDAR C++ TEST

Radar[ydlidar7] detected, whether to select current radar(yes/no)? :yes

0. ydlidar7

$ Please select the lidar port:0

0. 115200
1. 128000
```

```
2. 153600
3. 230400

$ Please select the lidar baud rate:3

0. false
1. true

$ Please select the lidar intensity:0
```

Console Display

You should see YDLIDAR's scan result in the console:

```
YDLIDAR C++ TEST

Radar[ydlidar7] detected, whether to select current radar(yes/no)? :yes

0. ydlidar7

Please select the lidar port:0

0. 115200
1. 128000
2. 153600
3. 230400

Please select the lidar baud rate:3

0. false
1. true

Please select the lidar intensity:0

SDK Version: 1..3.7

LIDAR Version: 1.3.7

fhs_lock: creating lockfile:      18341

firmware: 521

[YDLIDAR] Connection established in [/dev/ttyUSB0]:

Firmware version: 2.0.9

Hardware version: 2

Model: G4

Serial: 2018042100000023

[YDLIDAR INFO] Current Sampling Rate : 9K

[YDLIDAR INFO] Current Scan Frequency : 7.000000Hz

received scan size: 1039

scan   system time: 1534400129245291000

scan   self time: 1534400129103710800

scan   frequency: 8.67053HZ

received scan size: 1231

scan   system time: 1534400129379541000

scan   self time: 1534400129232496800

scan   frequency: 7.31708HZ

received scan size: 1272

scan   system time: 1534400129530262000
```

```

scan    self time: 1534400129378863800

scan    frequency: 7.08105HZ

received scan size: 1295

scan    system time: 1534400129671749000

scan    self time: 1534400129519748800

scan    frequency: 6.95518HZ

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received scan size: 1341

scan    system time: 1534400129839365000

scan    self time: 1534400129671106800

scan    frequency: 6.71642HZ

fhs_unlock: Removing LockFile

```

Lidar point data structure

data structure:

```

/// A struct for returning configuration from the YDLIDAR
struct LaserConfig {

    /// Start angle for the laser scan [rad]. 0 is forward and angles are measured clockwise when viewing YDLIDAR from the top.
    float min_angle;

    /// Stop angle for the laser scan [rad]. 0 is forward and angles are measured clockwise when viewing YDLIDAR from the top.
    float max_angle;

    /// Scan resolution [rad].
    float ang_increment;

    /// Scan resolution [ns]
    float time_increment;

    /// Time between scans
    float scan_time;

    /// Minimum range [m]
    float min_range;

    /// Maximum range [m]
    float max_range;

    /// Range Resolution [m]
    float range_res;

};

struct LaserScan {

    /// Array of ranges
    std::vector<float> ranges;

    /// Array of intensities
    std::vector<float> intensities;

    /// Self reported time stamp in nanoseconds
    uint64_t self_time_stamp;

    /// System time when first range was measured in nanoseconds
    uint64_t system_time_stamp;

    /// Configuration of scan
    LaserConfig config;

};

```

example:

```

for(size_t i =0; i < scan.ranges.size(); i++) {

    // current angle

```

```

double angle = scan.config.min_angle + i*scan.config.ang_increment;

//current distance
double distance = scan.ranges[i];

//current intensity
int intensity = scan.intensities[i];

}

```

code:

```

void LaserScanCallback(const LaserScan& scan) {

    std::cout<< "received scan size: "<< scan.ranges.size()<<std::endl;

    std::cout<< "scan    system time: "<< scan.system_time_stamp<<std::endl;

    std::cout<< "scan    self time: "<< scan.self_time_stamp<<std::endl;

    std::cout<< "scan    frequency: "<< 1000000000.0/scan.config.scan_time << "HZ"<<std::endl;

    for(size_t i =0; i < scan.ranges.size(); i++) {

        // current angle
        double angle = scan.config.min_angle + i*scan.config.ang_increment;

        //current distance
        double distance = scan.ranges[i];

        //current intensity
        int intensity = scan.intensities[i];

    }

}

```

Quick Start

The best way to learn how to use sdk is to follow the tutorials in our sdk guide:

https://github.com/yangfuyuan/ydlidar_sdk/Samples

If you want to learn from code examples, take a look at the examples in the [Samples](#) directory.

SIMPLE USAGE

```

try {

    LIDAR ydlidar;

    LaserParamCfg cfg;

    ydlidar.RegisterLIDARDataCallback(&LaserScanCallback);

    ydlidar.UpdateLidarParamCfg(cfg);

    while(ydlidar::ok()){

        try {

            ydlidar.spinOnce();

        }catch(TimeoutException& e) {

            std::cout<< e.what()<<std::endl;

        }catch(CorruptedDataException& e) {

            std::cout<< e.what()<<std::endl;

        }catch(DeviceException& e) {

            std::cout<< e.what()<<std::endl;

            break;

        }

    }

}

```



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    std::cout<< e.what()<<std::endl;
}

```

Get Lidar List

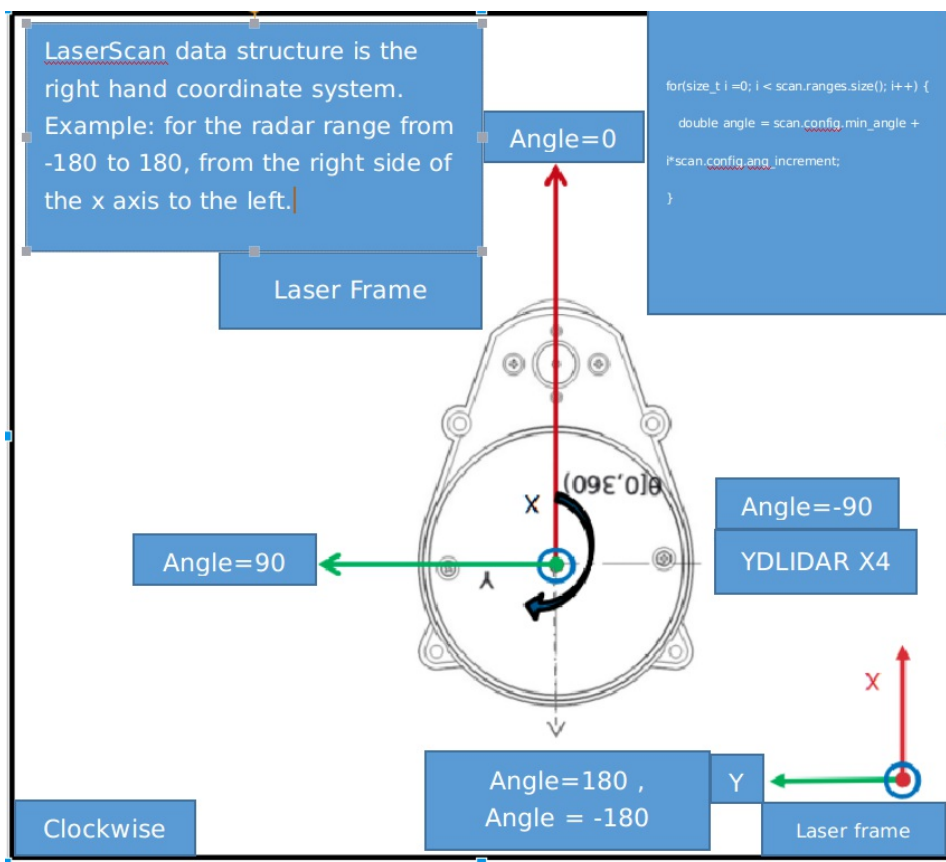
```

std::vector<string> ports = YDLidarDriver::lidarPortList();

for(std::vector<string>::iterator it = ports.begin(); it != ports.end(); it++) {
    printf("%s\n", (*it).c_str());
}

```

Coordinate System



LaserScan data structure radar coordinate system

The relationship between the angle value and the data structure in the above figure:

```
double Angle = scan.config.min_angle + index*scan.config.ang_increment;
```

Upgrade Log

2018-08-14 version:1.3.7

1. **update** sdk interface **function**.
2. **add get** lidar port list.
3. support mutil-lidar binding port.
4. support **for** configuring radar parameters through ini file.
5. the currend interface **is not** compatible **with** the old sdk.