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Jackal Swarm rescue | Quad Chart

Overview

→ A swarm of Clearpath Jackal robots which navigate towards an object and rescue it by pushing it to the goal position.

Methodology

- → Working on ROS1 and robot path planning algorithms to navigate the robots.
- → Using laser sensor on bot for obstacle detection and avoidance.

Algorithm

- → A* algorithm for path planning (OMPL library BSD3 licence).
- → First robots in a swarm surround the object and start pushing it towards the goal.
- → Safety checks on each step to avoid collision. ROS master controls all nodes

Expectations

Final package will contain

- → Complete c++ source code (Open source BSD3)
- → Doxygen documentation
- → Project UML, class dependency diagram
- → Test cases with results
- → ReadMe with clear installation steps