

EECS376/476 PS3 Report

This assignment finished in two ways: lazy one and simple one

The lazy one only edits the `path_client`, commanding robot using a series of phase command due to the reason that the service will receive the phase message (Quaternion) and move in that direction for 1 m. So in this way of solving the problem set, all I did is to keep pushing robot orientations.

This is very crude and lazy. Problem set finished with 32 poses (thats too much!)

Video link:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Gny7uJFUdw0&index=3&list=PL1WxStBxgFL-uERja547HstCQPLWaUII2>

Git hub link:

https://github.com/chenhuiyang1994/EECS376_ps3/blob/master/lazy_version/path_client.cpp

The simple one fixed the `get_yaw_and_pos` function inside the service, so the service can now receive and understand position commands. Since it is a 2D move problem set and the robot only has 1 DOF of moving, the phase control is done by calculated the desired travel distance using $\sqrt{dx^2+dy^2}$ and the desired phase using $\text{atan2}(dy,dx)$.

Then using ps1 solution as cheat sheet and hand typing the (x,y) travel path for the robot.

It is simple now. (Only acquire 14 poses)

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But the client is not simple enough (typing lines of poses is exhausting). Will develop a simpler client which reads the path using a text reader.