VOXL Documentation

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Monitoring VOXL Services

Adb shell voxl-inspect-services

Monitoring OVIO (visual navigation) status and quality

Adb shell voxl-inspect-qvio

Change UDP port that VOXL sends MAVLink traffic to

Adb shell vi /etc/modalai/voxl-vision-px4.conf

- 1.) Near the bottom of the file, there is a parameter listing 14550 as the default MAVLink port.
- 2.) Type to enter insert mode.
- 3.) Use the arrows to navigate to the appropriate entry.
- 4.) Edit the port number to whatever you want (NOT above 14550 though).
- 5.) Type we to save the progress and close the file.

Configure and Connect in Station Mode

adb shell voxl-wifi station Linksys12421 ettqj3g1ts

adb reboot && adb wait-for-device (NOTE: This line appears to be optional and hasn't worked for me in the past.)

Once the device has rebooted, you can use the command if config to get the IP address of your device on the network like:

adb shell ifconfig

Retrieve PX4 Parameters From Drone

- 1.) Connect to wifi/router
- 2.) Go to Q ground control and connect the drone.
- 3.) Go to vehicle setup
- 4.) Go to parameters
- 5.) Click tools
- 6.) Save to file
- 7.) Save on desktop

To load files repeat steps 1-6, but click 'load from file' instead of 'save to file'.

Updating VOXL SDK

NOTE: Do NOT open a bash shell in your VOXL. The follow commands are all run on the host computer, not on VOXL.

1.) Unzip the download, in this example we'll assume the download name was voxl2_SDK_M.m.b.tar.gz where M.m.b is the version of the SDK.

me@mylaptop:~/\$ tar -xzvf voxl2 SDK M.m.b.tar.gz

2.) Get ready to run the script by going into the directory you just unzipped

me@mylaptop:~/\$ cd vox12 SDK M.m.b

3.) Run the following:

me@mylaptop:~/\$./install.sh

4.) Must run after completed

voxl-configure-mpa

5.) Type in

voxl-configure-mpa -factory-rest

Check Status of MAVLink

Voxl-mavlink-server