

# Navigation with move\_base package

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**move\_base** - Action server for reaching a given navigation goal

Message used for setting Goal position

```
rosmmsg show MoveBaseActionGoal
```

Configuration Parameter for move\_base path planning

- base\_local\_planner\_params.yaml
- costmap\_common\_params.yaml
- global\_costmap\_params.yaml
- local\_costmap\_params.yaml

## Testing move\_base action server with turtlebot3 simulator

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Start the turtlebot3 simulation environment in gazebo with empty\_world

```
roslaunch turtlebot3_gazebo turtlebot3_world.launch
```

In another terminal start the navigation package for turtlebot3\_simulation

```
roslaunch turtlebot3_navigation turtlebot3_navigation.launch  
map_file:=$HOME/blank_map.yaml
```

Start the turtlebot3 simulation environment in gazebo with turtlebot3\_world

```
roslaunch turtlebot3_gazebo turtlebot3_world.launch
```

In another terminal start the navigation package for turtlebot3\_simulation

```
roslaunch turtlebot3_navigation turtlebot3_navigation.launch  
map_file:=$HOME/map.yaml
```

## Sending topic to move\_base through terminal

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```
rostopic pub /move_base_simple/goal geometry_msgs/PoseStamped '{ header: {  
frame_id: "map" }, pose: { position: { x: 1.0, y: 0.0, z: 0 }, orientation: {  
x: 0, y: 0, z:0.0, w: 1.0 } } }'
```

# Using python script to control the TurtleBot3

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Import actionlib library and message object for *MoveBaseAction* and *MoveBaseGoal*

```
import actionlib

from move_base_msgs.msg import MoveBaseAction, MoveBaseGoal
```

Create a action client

```
client = actionlib.SimpleActionClient('move_base', MoveBaseAction)
```

Set the goal pose

```
goal_pose = MoveBaseGoal()
goal_pose.target_pose.header.frame_id = 'map'
goal_pose.target_pose.pose.position.x = pose[0][0]
goal_pose.target_pose.pose.position.y = pose[0][1]
goal_pose.target_pose.pose.position.z = pose[0][2]
goal_pose.target_pose.pose.orientation.x = pose[1][0]
goal_pose.target_pose.pose.orientation.y = pose[1][1]
goal_pose.target_pose.pose.orientation.z = pose[1][2]
goal_pose.target_pose.pose.orientation.w = pose[1][3]
```