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# 1. Driving of willy

## 1.1. Steps for autonomous driving

These steps will start the autonomous driving of willy. Do you want to drive manually by using the keyboard? Then take a look at the steps for manual driving underneath.

### 1. Deploy the brakes

To start Willy, the brakes need to be deployed. Otherwise, Willy will not be able to drive. To deploy the brakes you have to use the levers on the front of the motors. You can check if the brakes are deployed by trying to push Willy. The brakes are applied when the wheels can't rotate anymore.

### 2. Turn the power on

Willy needs power to be able to operate. Make sure the power levers on the side of Willy are both turned on (under the voltage display).

### 3. Turn the motor controller off

Willy cannot start when the motors are turned on. To turn the motor controller off, use the switch on the bottom of the pc case. (or the emergency button for convenience)

### 4. Start Willy by running the startup command

Willy is now able to start. You can easily start willy by running our startup package. To run this package, navigate to the following directory:

/home/willy/Documents/WTGD/willy

Run the following command to build the package:

catkin make

Then make the terminal point to the source code by running the following command:

source devel/setup.bash

Finally run the package using the following command:

roslaunch willy navigation willy navigation.launch

Willy will now start the software and hardware to start the autonomous driving project.



Do not forget to release the emergency stop when the steps above are finished. Otherwise willy will not drive.

## 1.2. Steps for manual driving

These steps are optional. Only execute the following steps if you want to drive Willy manually.

### 1. Deploy the brakes

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### 4. Start Willy by running the startup command

Willy is now able to start. You can easily start willy by running our startup package. To run this package, navigate to the following directory:

/home/willy/Documents/WTGD/willy

Run the following command to build the package:

catkin\_make

Then make the terminal point to the source code by running the following command:

source devel/setup.bash

Finally run the package using the following command:

rosrun driving\_willy main

Willy will now start the software and hardware to start the manual driving project.



Do not forget to release the emergency stop when the steps above are finished. Otherwise willy will not drive.

### Keys for the control of Willy

Q -> Stop moving

W -> Move forward

A -> Move left

S -> Move backward

D -> Move right