ECE588 Project Assignment 1

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Introduction

Please note that our group bought our own Turtlebot and connected to it rather than the simulation or Turtlebot from the lab.

Below is how we started ROS on the TurtleBot using SSH. Note that we used tmux in order to run multiple sessions in a single window.

The following sections show how we pulled information on the various ROS topics.

Connect to Turtle Bot

```
ip_TurtleBot = '10.0.1.57';
ip_Matlab = '10.0.1.54';
setenv('ROS_MASTER_URI', strcat('http://', ip_TurtleBot,':11311'))
```

```
setenv('ROS_IP', ip_Matlab)
rosinit(ip_TurtleBot)
```

The value of the ROS_IP environment variable, 10.0.1.54, will be used to set the advertised address for the ROS node Initializing global node /matlab_global_node_67359 with NodeURI http://10.0.1.54:57211/
ans = datetime
24-Feb-2022 19:25:07

Echoing Ros Topics

datetime

```
ans = datetime
24-Feb-2022 19:25:07
```

/cmd_vel

```
rostopic info /cmd_vel

Type: geometry_msgs/Twist
Publishers:
Subscribers:
* /turtlebot3_core (http://10.0.1.57:45775/)

%msg_vel = rostopic("echo", "/cmd_vel")
```

Since there are no publishers for the velocity, there is no message content to display. This is why the line 'msg_vel = rostopic("echo", "/cmd_vel")' is commented, since it will run forever waiting for data.

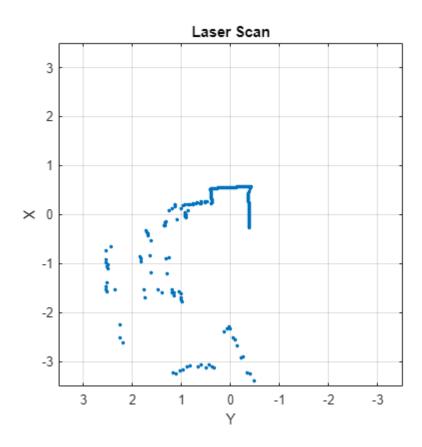
/scan

```
rostopic info /scan
Type: sensor_msgs/LaserScan
Publishers:
* /turtlebot3_lds (http://10.0.1.57:42047/)
Subscribers:
* /matlab_global_node_22226 (http://10.0.1.57:50091/)
msg_scan = rostopic("echo", "/scan")
msg scan =
 ROS LaserScan message with properties:
      MessageType: 'sensor_msgs/LaserScan'
           Header: [1×1 Header]
         AngleMin: 0
         AngleMax: 6.2657
   AngleIncrement: 0.0175
    TimeIncrement: 2.9900e-05
         ScanTime: 0
         RangeMin: 0.1200
         RangeMax: 3.5000
```

Ranges: [360×1 single]
Intensities: [360×1 single]

Use showdetails to show the contents of the message

```
laser_sub = rossubscriber('/scan');
scan_data = receive(laser_sub);
plot(scan_data);
```



/raspicam_node/image/compressed

```
rostopic info /raspicam_node/image/compressed

Type: sensor_msgs/CompressedImage

Publishers:
    * /raspicam_node (http://10.0.1.57:43265/)

Subscribers:

msg_camera = rostopic("echo", "/raspicam_node/image/compressed")

msg_camera =
    ROS CompressedImage message with properties:
    MessageType: 'sensor_msgs/CompressedImage'
```

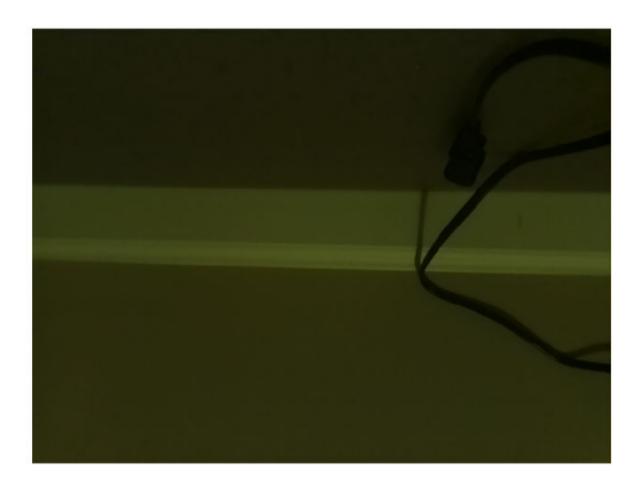
Format: 'jpg'
Data: [103770×1 uint8]

Header: [1×1 Header]

Use showdetails to show the contents of the message

```
TurtleBot_Topic.picam = '/raspicam_node/image/compressed';
image_sub = rossubscriber(TurtleBot_Topic.picam);
image_compressed = receive(image_sub);

image_compressed.Format = 'bgr8; jpeg compressed bgr8';
figure
imshow(readImage(image_compressed))
```



/imu

```
rostopic info /imu

Type: sensor_msgs/Imu

Publishers:
 * /turtlebot3_core (http://10.0.1.57:45775/)

Subscribers:

msg_imu = rostopic("echo", "/imu")

msg_imu =
```

ROS Imu message with properties:

MessageType: 'sensor_msgs/Imu' Header: [1×1 Header] Orientation: [1×1 Quaternion] AngularVelocity: [1×1 Vector3] LinearAcceleration: [1x1 Vector3] OrientationCovariance: [9×1 double] AngularVelocityCovariance: [9x1 double] LinearAccelerationCovariance: [9x1 double]

Use showdetails to show the contents of the message

msg_imu.AngularVelocity

ans = ROS Vector3 message with properties: MessageType: 'geometry_msgs/Vector3' X: 0 Y: 0 Z: 0

Use showdetails to show the contents of the message

msg_imu.LinearAcceleration

ans = ROS Vector3 message with properties: MessageType: 'geometry_msgs/Vector3' X: 0.1598 Y: -0.0646 Z: 9.9455

Use showdetails to show the contents of the message

/odom rostopic info /odom Type: nav_msgs/Odometry Publishers: * /turtlebot3_core (http://10.0.1.57:45775/) Subscribers: msg_odom = rostopic("echo", "/odom") $msg_odom =$ ROS Odometry message with properties: MessageType: 'nav_msgs/Odometry' Header: [1×1 Header] Pose: [1×1 PoseWithCovariance] Twist: [1x1 TwistWithCovariance] ChildFrameId: 'base_footprint' Use showdetails to show the contents of the message

msg_odom.Pose.Pose.Position

```
ans =
```

ROS Point message with properties:

MessageType: 'geometry_msgs/Point'

X: 1.3375e-11 Y: 3.2724e-09

Z: 0

Use showdetails to show the contents of the message

msg_odom.Pose.Pose.Position

ans =

ROS Point message with properties:

MessageType: 'geometry_msgs/Point'

X: 1.3375e-11 Y: 3.2724e-09

Z: 0

Use showdetails to show the contents of the message