# Meeting Materials for QDrone Project Regular Internal Meeting

# Regular Internal Meeting for QDrone Project

Jan 7 2019 4PM at PSE 312

Participant: Jungwon Kang, Zahra Arjmandi, Kunwoo Park

## Prerequisites for Pursuing Project

- Software
  - Matlab
  - **■** C++
  - Ubuntu
  - ROS
- ☐ Theory (for backend: state estimation from sensor measurement)
  - EKF
  - MSCKF
  - Smoothing
- □ Sensor
  - GPS
  - IMU
  - Camera
  - LiDAR

#### **Tasks**

- ☐ Task 0: Building Systems
- ☐ Task 1: Localization
- ☐ Task 2: SLAM
- ☐ Task 3: Navigation

## Task 0: Building Systems

#### ☐ Building Complete Systems

#### **Building Systems**

Done!

DJI M100 (basic setup)

Done!

DJI M100 (payload integration)

DJI M600 + Gimbal (basic setup)

DJI M600 + Gimbal (payload integration)

Simulator

# Localization & Mapping

Localization (range-based)

SLAM

#### **Navigation**

Navigation (by just predefined via-point following)

### Task 1: Localization

#### ☐ Following Predefined Via-Points

#### **Building Systems**

DJI M100 (basic setup)

DJI M100 (payload integration)

DJI M600 + Gimbal (basic setup)

DJI M600 + Gimbal (payload integration)

Simulator

Localization & Mapping

Localization (range-based)

**In-progress** 

SLAM

#### **Navigation**

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#### Task 2: SLAM

### ■ Building a Map

#### **Building Systems**

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# Localization & Mapping

Localization (range-based)

**SLAM** 

#### **Navigation**

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## Task 3: Navigation

#### ☐ Building a Map by Next-Best-View Point Selection

#### **Building Systems**

DJI M100 (basic setup)

DJI M100 (payload integration)

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# Localization & Mapping

Localization (range-based)

SLAM

#### **Navigation**

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## Meeting Results: What to do

- ☐ Common
  - Basic setup for 'DJI M600 + Gimbal' (primarily by Zahra & Kunwoo)
  - Booking a PSE 4th floor room equipped with motion capture systems
- □ Zahra
  - Understanding Kunwoo's EKF-based UWB localization code (including EKF)
- ☐ Kunwoo
  - Sending thesis and experiment plan to prof. Sohn
  - Writing a paper for ISPRS Geospatial Week 2019
- □ Jungwon
  - Writing a paper for IROS 2019

#### **Future Plan**

☐ Jungwon's Rough Suggestion for Future Plan

**Zahra** (primarily semantic SLAM)

**Kunwoo** (primarily UAV localization)

UWB-Inertial Odometry (UIO)

- EKF-based UIO and/or DOP
- MSCKF-based UIO and/or DOP

Localization with UIO + GPS switching

Conventional SLAM

- Using vision and/or LiDAR
- ORB2

Semantic SLAM

Fusion with deep

**Jungwon:** supports Kunwoo & Zahra mainly in technical issues.

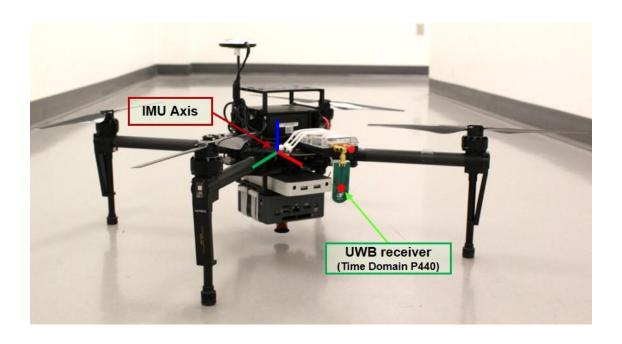
### **IMU Calibration Problem**

Jan 24 2019

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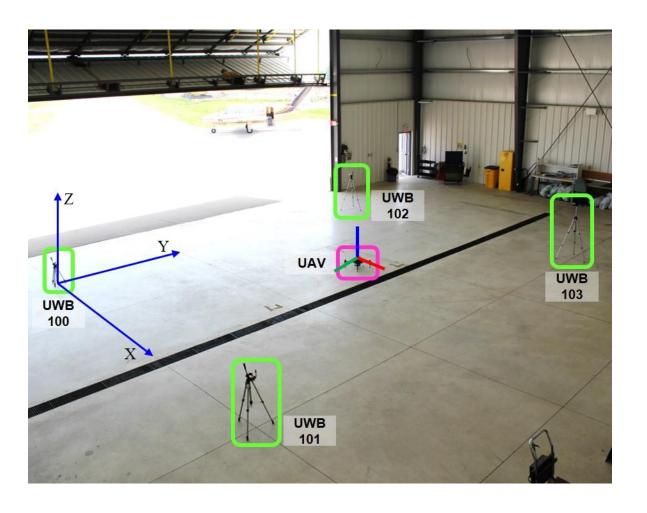
## Problem 1

☐ Where is the UWB receiver wrt IMU axis?



### Problem 2

☐ What is the initial R, T between UWB axis and IMU axis?

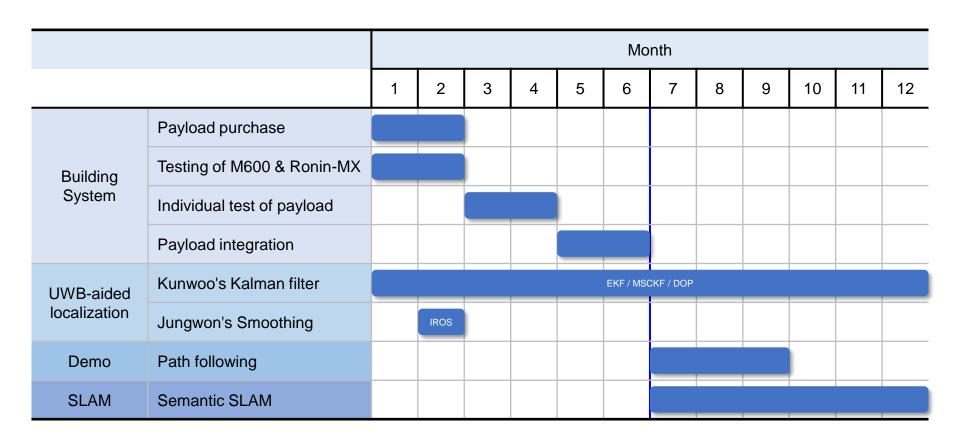


### Plan for Year 2019

Feb 5 2019

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#### Plan for Year 2019



#### **Payload**

- Positioning sensor: Pozyx / Spatial / DJI-RTK
- Imaging sensor: ZED stereo / FLIR Duo R / Sony A7III
- Velodyne LiDARs: Puck LITE / Puck Hi-Res / HDL-32E

# **Current Progress & To do next**

Mar 10 2019

Jungwon Kang

## Current Progress & To Do Next

Subject	Detailed Task	Current Progress	To Do Next	
System building	Payload purchase	■ Received Velodyne Puck Lite & Hi-Res	<ul> <li>Receiving the rest of ordered items (All items are listed at the bottom of page.)</li> <li>Need to buy a cabinet with lockers</li> <li>Making a list of items</li> </ul>	
	Testing M600 & Ronin-MX	<ul> <li>Tested Ronin-MX</li> <li>Not tested M600 due to a broken battery</li> <li>The broken battery (TB48S) was delivered to the OmniView tech.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Need to order extra TB48S batteries.</li> <li>(Need \$2000 for six TB48S)</li> </ul>	
	Test of each payload	None		
	Payload integration	None		
Dataset release	UWB-IMU dataset generation & release	None	<ul> <li>Need to do experiments</li> <li>Need to release the dataset to the public</li> <li>Need to submit a paper about the dataset</li> </ul>	
	UWB multilateration-based localization	Implemented an initial version of multilateration in C++	Need to implement LM non-linear optimization in C++	
Localization solution	UWB-EKF-based localization	Implemented in MATLAB     (by Kunwoo)	Need to implement in C++     Need to write a thesis draft by Kunwoo	
	UWB-Smoothing-based localization	Implemented in MATLAB (by Jungwon)     Submitted IROS paper	■ Need to implement in C++	
Navigation	Coverage path planning	Implemented in MATLAB     (by Zahra)		
solution	Implementing in real systems	None	Need to implement in M100 & M600	

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#### **Current Tasks**

Task 1. Testing & Labeling of Items
Task 2. Implementation of Waypoint Following

April 11 2019

Jungwon Kang

## Task 1. Testing & Labeling of Items

# Item List (Apr 11 2019)

Туре	Item Name	Components	Delivery State	Testing State
Drone	DJI M600 Set	M600 body / Ronin-MX Gimbal / 2 RC / Batteries / RTK-GPS		Partially done
Drone	DJI M100 Set	M100 body / RC / Propellars / Batteries / A3 FC / Lightbridge		Partially done
Drone	DJI Mavic Air Set			Done
IMU	Spatial		Not delivered yet	Not done yet
UWB	TimeDomain	5 UWB modules / 5 Batteries		Done
UWB	Pozyx		Not delivered yet	Not done yet
LiDAR	GeoSLAM	Scanner / Data logger / Dongle USB		Done
LiDAR	Velodyne Puck LITE			Not done yet
LiDAR	Velodyne Puck Hi-Res			Not done yet
LiDAR	Velodyne HDL-32E			Not done yet
Camera	Sony A7III		Not delivered yet	Not done yet
Camera	FLIR Duo R		Not delivered yet	Not done yet
Camera	ZED stereo		Not delivered yet	Not done yet
Camera	RealSense Depth			Not done yet
Computer	Intel NUC1			Done
Computer	Intel NUC2			Done
Computer	NVIDIA TX2			Not done yet
Sub-device	Wifi router			Done
Sub-device	Laser distance			Done
Battery	Large1			Done
Battery	Large2			Done
Battery	Payload silver			Done
Solid	Tripod			Done
Solid	Chair			Done
Solid	Table			Done

# Task 2. Implementation of Waypoint Following

## Implementation of Waypoint Following (1/4)

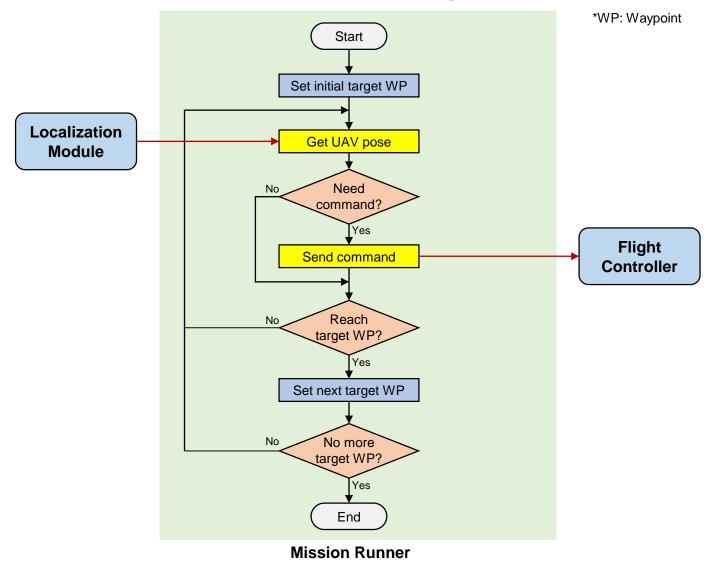
☐ Objectives Implementation of waypoint following, where the waypoints are given by users in advance.





## Implementation of Waypoint Following (2/4)

□ Procedure for Waypoint Following



# Implementation of Waypoint Following (3/4)

#### ☐ Plan

Category	Task	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
UWB	Implementing outlier removal in C++/ROS				
UWB-aided Localization	Non-linear optimization in C++/ROS				
	Validation using Oshawa dataset				
	Validation by real experiment				
Mission Runner	Implementing mission runner in C++/ROS				
	Validation by simulation				
	Validation by real experiment				

## Implementation of Waypoint Following (4/4)

#### □ References

■ DJI official2

https://developer.dji.com/onboard-sdk/documentation/guides/component-guide-missions.html https://developer.dji.com/onboard-sdk/documentation/sample-doc/missions.html#output

- DJI Matrice100 control and waypoints following https://youtu.be/kBwdWXCKFFI
- Stand-alone waypoint navigator <a href="https://github.com/ethz-asl/waypoint\_navigator">https://github.com/ethz-asl/waypoint\_navigator</a>
- Interface of DJI autopilot based on its OSDK (3.2) https://github.com/ethz-asl/dji onboard sdk ros/wiki/Waypoint-Following
- Building your own DJI M100 drone https://discourse.ros.org/t/building-your-own-dji-m100-drone/1272

## **Current Work Thread of QDrone Team**

April 1 2019

Jungwon Kang

#### List of Work Thread

Building a mapping system

Building UWB-IMU dataset

Multilateration-based localization (by Zahra)

Graph-based UWB-IMU localization (by Jungwon)

EKF-based UWB-IMU localization (by Kunwoo)

Predefined path following using UWB-based localization

MTO project?

## **Meeting Minutes**

Oct 8 2019

Jungwon, Zahra, Kunwoo, Prof. Gunho Sohn

#### Minutes 1

- □ Paper Writing
  - Multilateration & EKF (led by Kunwoo)
    - Should finish by the end of Oct 2019
    - MDPI Journal of Drone
  - Q-Drone benchmark data (led by Zahra)
    - Should finish by the end of Nov 2019
    - Would release a first draft on Oct 17 (Thurs)
  - Pose graph for Q-Drone positioning (led by Jungwon)
    - Should finish by the end of Dec 2019

#### Minutes 2

#### □ Tasks

- Building a payload system
  - By cooperating with Patrick
  - Having a meeting with Patrick on Oct 10 (Thurs)?
- Demonstrating way-point following
- Purchasing items
  - Batteries for M600 (from ADERSIM account)
- Preparing Aug (Niagara / Oshawa) dataset
  - Writing MTO report