

# DOING COOL STUFF IN ROBOTICS USING ROS WITH PYTHON

Robot  
Operating  
System

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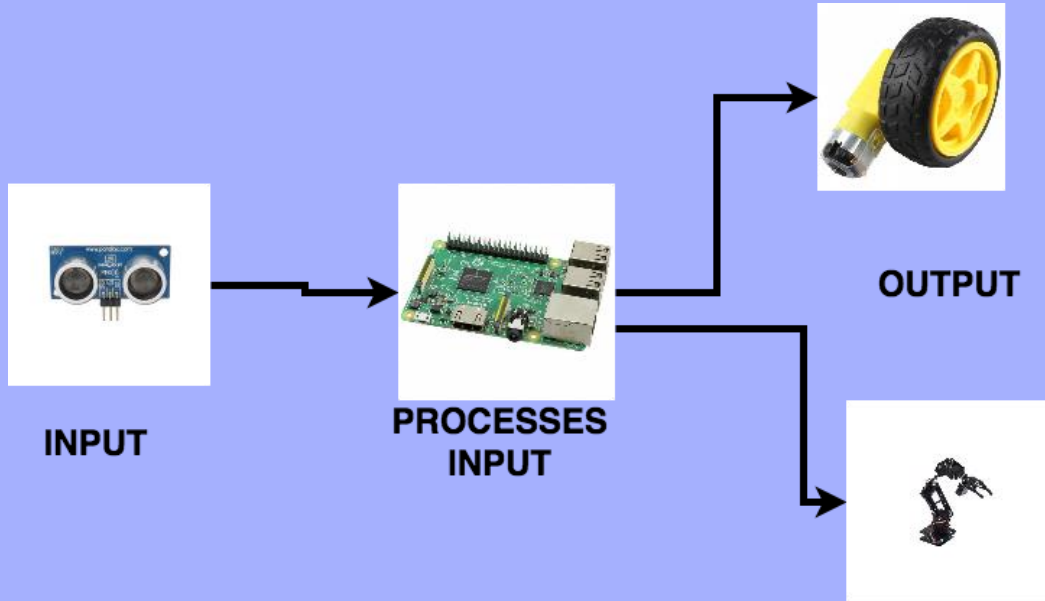
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# ROBOTICS



## Worldwide Spending on Robotics is Expected to Reach US\$ 67 Billion by 2025

Global robotics market (US\$ Billions)

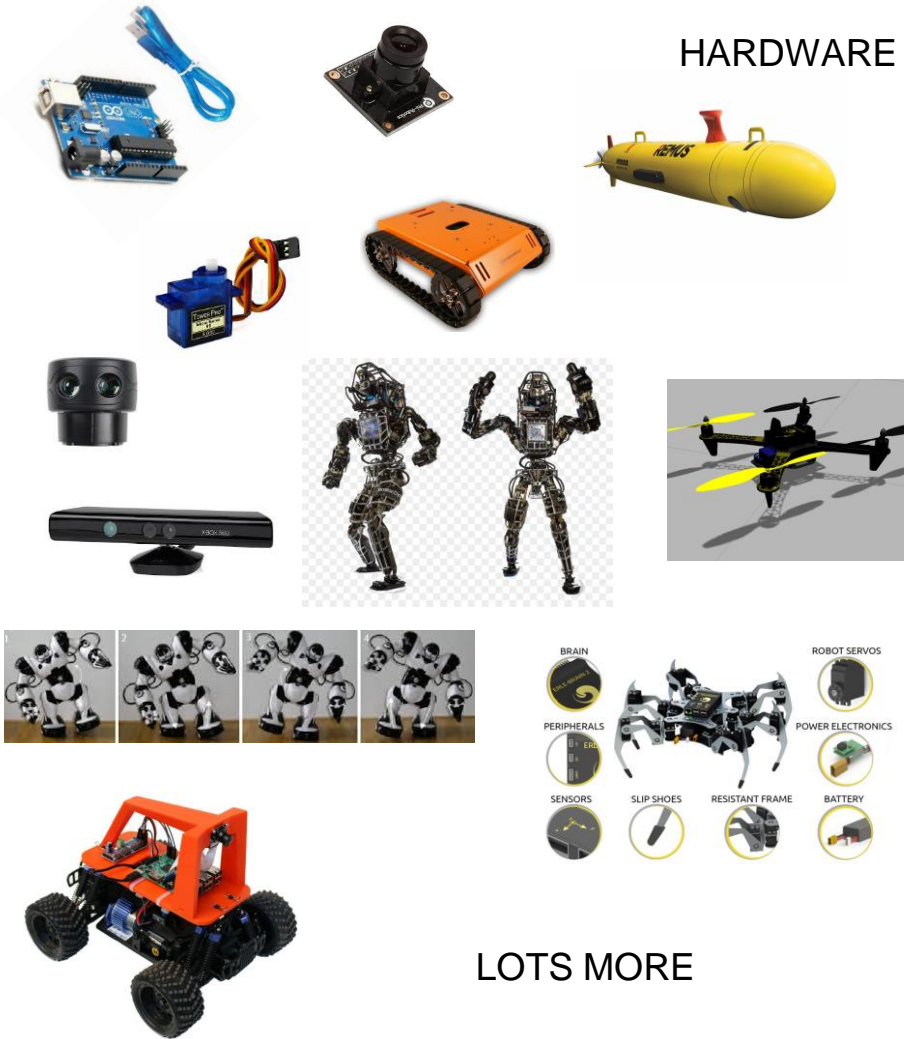


<sup>1</sup> Compound Annual Growth Rate

<sup>2</sup> E = Expected

Source: International Federation of Robotics; Japan Robot Association; Japan Ministry of Economy, Trade & Industry; euRobotics; company filings; BCG analysis.

## HARDWARE



LOTS MORE



## HOW DO I DO COOL STUFF WITH ALL THIS HARDWARE PART

- PERCEPTION
- NAVIGATION
- MAPPING
- Etc



- Distributed computation
- Software reuse
- Rapid testing
- Open source

# ROS



## ROS to the rescue

The Robot Operating System (ROS) is a flexible framework for writing robot software.

It is a collection of tools, libraries, and conventions that aim to simplify the task of creating complex and robust robot behavior across a wide variety of robotic platforms.



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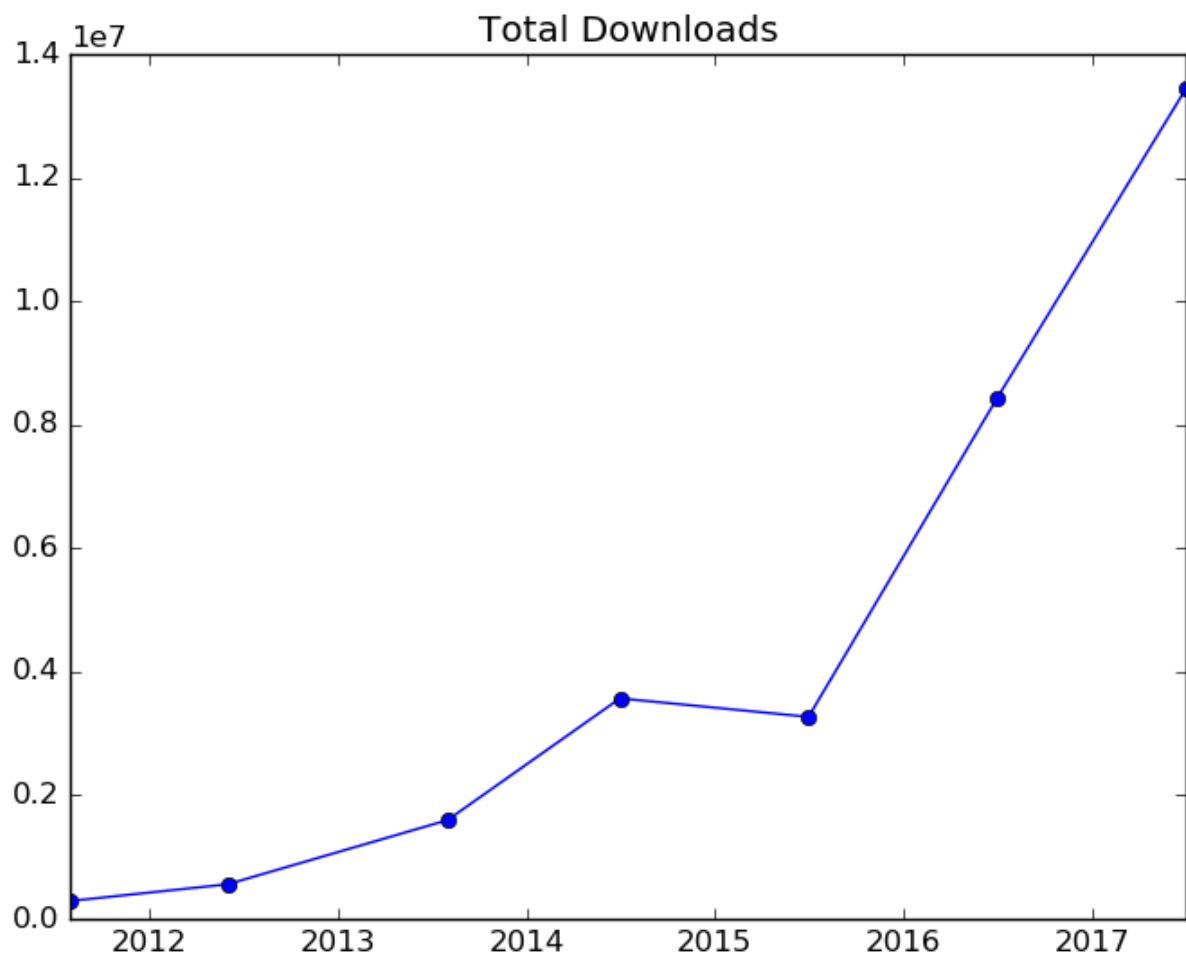


## Why ROS

Because creating truly robust, general-purpose robot software is *hard*

*From the robot's perspective, problems that seem trivial to humans often vary wildly between instances of tasks and environments.*

*Dealing with these variations is so hard that no single individual, laboratory, or institution can hope to do it on their own.*



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## Robots using ROS



# ROS



## ROS concept

**ROS Filesystem Level:** Packages, Metapackages, Package Manifests, Repositories, Message (msg) types, Service (srv) types.

**ROS Community Level:** Distributions, Repositories, The ROS Wiki, Mailing Lists, ROS Answers, Blog.

# ROS



## ROS Computation Graph Level

**Nodes,**

**Master,**

**Parameter Server,**

**Messages,**

**Topics,**

**Services,**

**Bags.**

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## ROS Computation Graph Level

### Publisher code

```
import rospy
from std_msgs.msg import String
pub = rospy.Publisher('chatter', String, queue_size=10)
rospy.init_node('talker', anonymous=True)
rate = rospy.Rate(10) # 10hz
while not rospy.is_shutdown():
    hello_str = "hello world %s" % rospy.get_time()
    rospy.loginfo(hello_str)
    pub.publish(hello_str)
    rate.sleep()
```

### Subscriber code

```
import rospy
from std_msgs.msg import String
def callback(data):
    rospy.loginfo(rospy.get_caller_id() + "I heard %s", data.data)

rospy.init_node('listener', anonymous=True)
rospy.Subscriber("chatter", String, callback)
rospy.spin()
```

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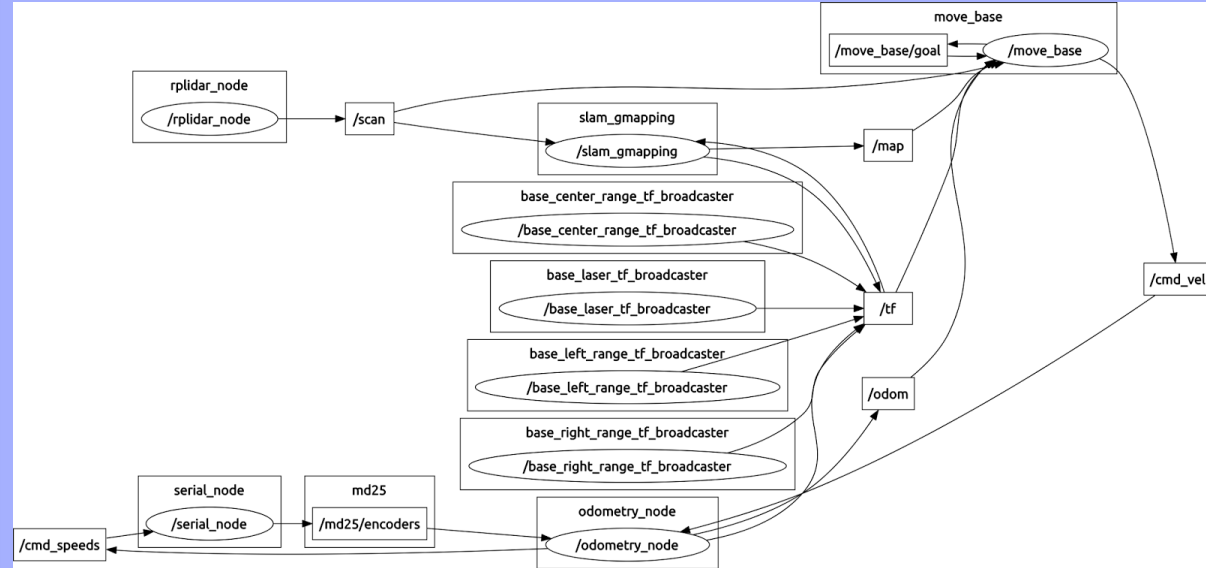
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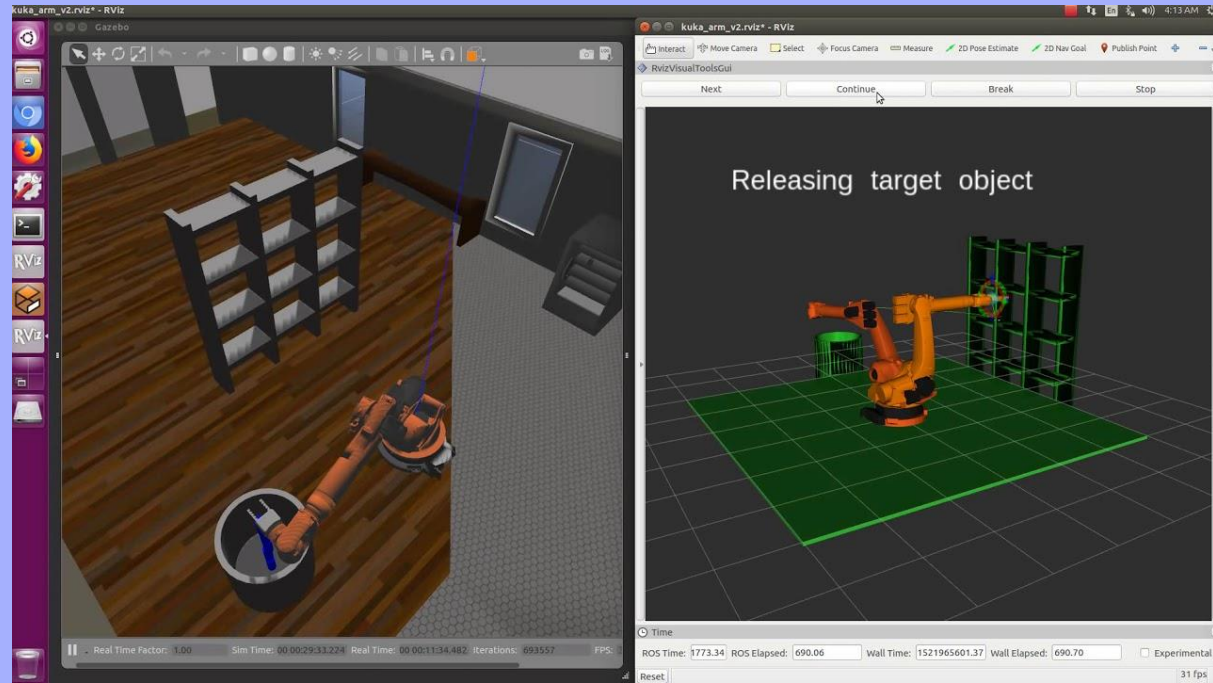




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## GAZEBO Simulator



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## HOW DO I START USING ROS

- Virtual Box
- Ubuntu (Bare Metal)
- ROSDS ros development studio

# ROS



Stop Re-inventing the wheel,  
leverage the power in ROS

Our world depend on that your  
robotics Idea/project



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Thank You