

Introduction to Robotics CSCI/ARTI 4530/6530

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Announcements

- Mid-term exam will be on Thursday (Oct 4)

Agenda

- A quick solutions overview on Assignment 1
- For today
 - Robot simulations with Gazebo in ROS

Assignment 1

1. Inferring the results of a medical test:

Bayes Rule:

$$p(\text{Infl} | +) = p(+ | \text{Infl}) \cdot p(\text{Infl}) / p(+)$$

$$P(+) = p(+ | \text{Infl}) \cdot p(\text{Infl}) + p(+ | \sim \text{Infl}) \cdot p(\sim \text{Infl})$$

Answer = 16%

Assignment 1

4. Recursive Bayesian update

$$\begin{aligned} P(x \mid z_1, \dots, z_n) &= \frac{P(z_n \mid x) P(x \mid z_1, \dots, z_{n-1})}{P(z_n \mid z_1, \dots, z_{n-1})} \\ &= \eta P(z_n \mid x) P(x \mid z_1, \dots, z_{n-1}) \\ &= \eta_{1\dots n} \prod_{i=1\dots n} P(z_i \mid x) P(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$P(\text{faulty}) = p = 0.01, (\text{sensing} < 1\text{m}) = 1/3$$

$$P(\text{faulty} \mid n\text{-sensing} < 1\text{m}) = \frac{p}{p + \frac{1}{3^n} (1 - p)}$$

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5. Differential drive kinematics

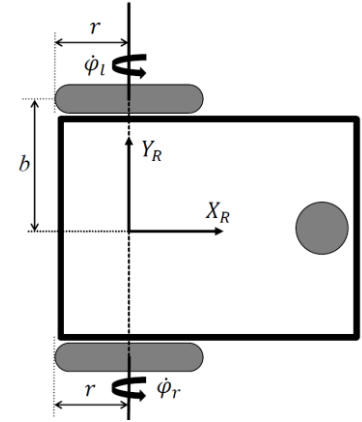
Forward kinematics solution

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \\ \dot{\theta} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} r/2 & r/2 \\ 0 & 0 \\ r/2b & -r/2b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\phi}_r \\ \dot{\phi}_l \end{bmatrix}$$

Forward velocity: $\dot{x} = r \frac{(\dot{\phi}_r + \dot{\phi}_l)}{2}$

No-sliding: $\dot{y} = 0$

Angular velocity: $\dot{\theta} = r \frac{(\dot{\phi}_r - \dot{\phi}_l)}{2b}$



Degree of Maneuverability

$$\delta_m = 2, \quad \delta_s = 0, \quad \delta_M = 2$$

Forward differential kinematics

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \\ \dot{\theta} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} r/2 & r/2 \\ 0 & 0 \\ r/2b & -r/2b \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{\phi}_r \\ \dot{\phi}_l \end{bmatrix}$$

Inverse differential kinematics

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\phi}_r \\ \dot{\phi}_l \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/r & 0 & b/r \\ 1/r & 0 & -b/r \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x} \\ \dot{y} \\ \dot{\theta} \end{bmatrix}$$

Assignment 1

5. Ackerman-steer kinematics

References:

http://www.fieldrobotics.org/users/alonzo/pubs/reports/WMR_Kinematics.pdf (pages 14-16)

<http://correll.cs.colorado.edu/?p=1869>

Today – Gazebo in ROS

Follow the below tutorial from Purdue.

<https://github.com/SMARTlab-Purdue/ros-tutorial-gazebo-simulation>

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For controlling the Husky robot in Gazebo with the Keyboard teleop node from Turtlesim, create a launch file (e.g., `husky_teleop.launch`) as shown below and place it in any of your ros package's launch folder.

```
<launch>
  <node pkg="turtlesim" type="turtle_teleop_key" name="teleop">
    <remap from="turtle1/cmd_vel" to="husky_velocity_controller/cmd_vel"/>
  </node>
</launch>
```