Setting up MOOS Development Environment

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1. Installing and Building MOOS system from source

-Downloading the moos-ivp and building

```
svn co https://oceanai.mit.edu/svn/moos-ivp-aro/trunk/ moos-ivp
cd moos-ivp
svn update
sudo apt-get install g++ cmake xterm
sudo apt-get install libfltk1.3-dev freeglut3-dev libpng-dev libjpeg-dev
sudo apt-get install libxft-dev libxinerama-dev libtiff5-dev
./build-moos.sh
(let it build)
./build-ivp.sh
(let it build)
```

-Modifying the bash file to run the script within MOOS

```
cd ~
vim .bashrc
export PATH="$PATH:/home/moos/moos-ivp/bin"
export MOOSROOT=/home/moos/moos-ivp
source .bashrc
cd $MOOSROOT/ivp/missions/s1_alpha
pAntler alpha.moos
```

- If the "pAntler alpha.moos" can run, and the map with a vehicle shows up, the MOOS has been installed successfully

2. Downloading the moos-ivp-extend tree for our own application

```
svn co https://oceanai.mit.edu/svn/moos-ivp-extend/trunk moos-ivp-extend
cd moos-ivp-extend
./build.sh
export PATH="$PATH:/home/moos/moos-ivp-extend/bin"
```

3. Creating your own MOOSapp in moos-ivp-extend --- An Odometry MOOS App

-In order to use GenMOOSApp AppCasting, the following path need to be included

```
export PATH="$PATH:/home/moos/moos-ivp/scripts"

GenMOOSApp_AppCasting Odometry p "Jane Doe"
```

-Add Your New Application to the Build System

```
ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(pExampleApp)
ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(pOdometry) <-- Add this line
```

-Build the new created application

```
cd moos-ivp-extend ./build.sh
```

-Verify the pOdometry is in your shell path with:

```
which pOdometry
/home/you/moos-ivp-you/bin/pOdometry
```

--Write the application

```
cd moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometry
vim Odometry.h (see the figure "Odometry.h")
vim Odometry.cpp (see the code "Odometry.cpp")
```

Odometry.h

```
Thunderbird Mail dometry.h
 #ifndef Odometry_HEADER
 #define Odometry_HEADER
 #include "MOOS/libMOOS/MOOSLib.h"
 class Odometry : public CMOOSApp
    Odometry(); ~Odometry();
  protected: // Standard MOOSApp functions to overload
  bool OnNewMail(MOOSMSG_LIST &NewMail);
    bool Iterate();
bool OnConnectToServer();
     bool OnStartUp();
     bool m_first_reading;
    double m_current_x;
double m_current_y;
double m_previous_x;
    double m_previous_y;
     double m_total_distance;
     void RegisterVariables();
  private: // Configuration variables
  private: // State variables
```

Odometry.cpp

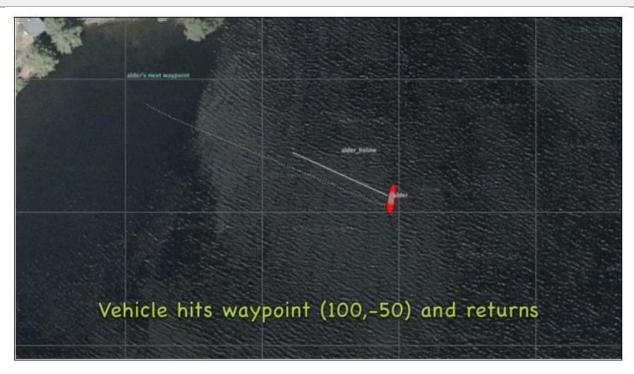
```
Odometry::Odometry()
 m first reading= 1;
m \text{ current } x = 0 ;
m \text{ current } y = 0;
m previous x = 0;
 m previous y = 0;
 m total distance = 0;
// Destructor
Odometry::~Odometry()
{
}
// Procedure: OnNewMail
bool Odometry::OnNewMail(MOOSMSG LIST &NewMail)
 MOOSMSG LIST::iterator p;
 for(p=NewMail.begin(); p!=NewMail.end(); p++) {
   CMOOSMsq &msq = *p;
#if 0 // Keep these around just for template
   string key = msg.GetKey();
   string comm = msg.GetCommunity();
   double dval = msg.GetDouble();
   string sval = msg.GetString();
   string msrc = msg.GetSource();
   double mtime = msg.GetTime();
   bool mdbl = msg.IsDouble();
   bool mstr = msg.IsString();
#endif
   string key = msg.GetKey();
    if(key == "NAV X")
        m_previous_x = m_current_x;
        m current x = msg.GetDouble();
   if(key == "NAV Y")
       {
        m previous y = m current y;
        m current y = msg.GetDouble();
  return(true);
// Procedure: OnConnectToServer
```

```
bool Odometry::OnConnectToServer()
  RegisterVariables();
  return(true);
// Procedure: Iterate()
// happens AppTick times per second
bool Odometry::Iterate()
 if(m first reading == 1)
  m total distance =sqrt(m current x*m current x+m current y*m current y);
  Notify( "ODOMETRY DIST", m total distance);
  m first reading=0;
 else
  m_total_distance =sqrt((m_current_x-m_previous_x)*(m_current_x-
m previous x)+(m current y-m previous y)*(m current y-m previous y))+m total distance;
  Notify( "ODOMETRY DIST", m total distance);
 return(true);
// Procedure: OnStartUp()
            happens before connection is open
bool Odometry::OnStartUp()
 list<string> sParams;
 m MissionReader.EnableVerbatimQuoting(false);
 if(m MissionReader.GetConfiguration(GetAppName(), sParams)) {
   list<string>::iterator p;
   for(p=sParams.begin(); p!=sParams.end(); p++) {
     string line = *p;
     string param = tolower(biteStringX(line, '='));
     string value = line;
     if(param == "foo") {
      //handled
     else if(param == "bar") {
       //handled
 RegisterVariables();
 return(true);
// Procedure: RegisterVariables
void Odometry::RegisterVariables()
{
Register("NAV X", 0);
```

```
Register("NAV_Y", 0);
}
```

- --Every time you modify the code, you need to run the "./build.sh" under the "moos-ivp-extend/"
- -Testing the new created pOdometry app in the Alder misstion
- --Run the un-modified Alder Mission

```
cd moos-ivp-extend/missions/alder
pAntler --MOOSTimeWarp=10 alder.moos
```



- --Run the modified Alder Mission
- --Modify the "alder.moos" file
- --Add the "Run = pOdometry @ NewConsole = true"

```
ProcessConfig = ANTLER
 MSBetweenLaunches = 200
 Run = MOOSDB
                      0 NewConsole = false
 Run = uSimMarine
                      @ NewConsole = false
 Run = pNodeReporter @ NewConsole = false
 Run = pMarinePID
                      @ NewConsole = false
                      0 NewConsole = false
 Run = pMarineViewer
 Run = uProcessWatch
                       @ NewConsole = false
 Run = pHelmIvP
                      0 NewConsole = false
                      @ NewConsole = true
 Run = pOdometry
```

--Add pOdometry config block (setting the running frequency)

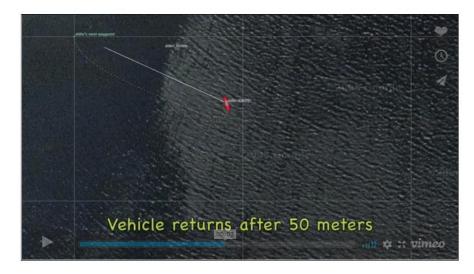
```
// ******pOdometry config block******
ProcessConfig = pOdometryPublisher
{
   AppTick = 10
   CommsTick = 10
}
```

- --Modify the alder.bhv file (configurations on Helm)
- --Add two conditions into alder.bhy file

```
condition = (ODOMETRY_DIST < 50)
condition = (RETURN = true) or (ODOMETRY_DIST >= 50)
```

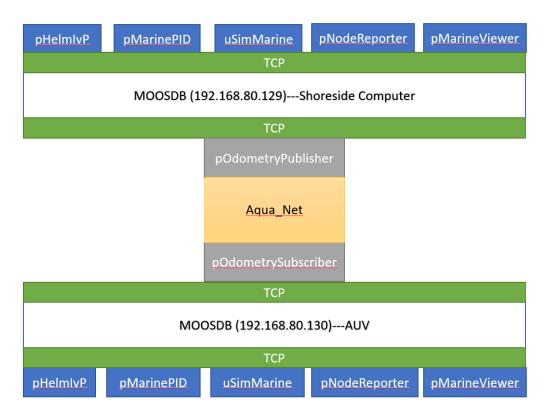
```
initialize
               DEPLOY = f
initialize
Behavior = BHV_SimpleWaypoint
  name
              = waypt_to_point
  pwt
  condition = RETURN = false
condition = DEPLOY = true
  condition = (ODOMETRY_DIST < 50) //add this line</pre>
              = RETURN = true
  speed
  radius
Behavior = BHV_Waypoint
  name
               = waypt_return
  pwt
  condition = (RETURN = true) or (ODOMETRY_DIST >= 50) //add this line condition = (DEPLOY = true)
  speed
radius
  point
```

--Rebuild the code and run the mission again



4. Integrating AquaNet code into MOOS

In this section, we will talk about how to integrate AquaNet into MOOS communication system. The interface is shown as the following figure.



In order to use the AquaNet socket interface inside MOOS, the following steps should be made: (Two virtual machines, each machine should install the MOOS according to the instructions mentioned above)

-Get and compile the latest aquanet code:

Install subversion:

```
sudo apt-get install subversion
```

-Get the code

svn co svn+ssh://dmitrii@hudson.ccny.cuny.edu/var/svn/repos/aquanet aquanet
export AQUANET FOLDER=/home/ubuntu/aquanet

-Install dependencies

```
sudo apt-get install libglib2.0-dev
sudo apt-get install libgsl-dev
```

-Build AquaNet

```
cd $AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk make
```

Now, the AquaNet is built and downloaded successfully in a separate folder. The step should be executed on both machines.

4.1 Building pOdometry-Publisher on machine A (192.168.80.129)

-Create the pOdometryPublisher moos application

```
GenMOOSApp_AppCasting OdometryPublisher p "Jane Doe"
```

-Modify the CMakeList

```
vim moos-ivp-extend/src/CMakeLists.txt

ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(lib_behaviors-test)
ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(pXRelayTest)
ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(pExampleApp)
ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(pOdometryPublisher)
<-- Add this line</pre>
```

-Build the new created application

```
cd moos-ivp-extend
./build.sh
```

-Verify the pOdometryPublisher is in your shell path with:

```
which pOdometryPublisher
/home/you/moos-ivp-you/bin/pOdometryPublisher
```

--Write the application

```
cd moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher
vim OdometryPublisher.h (see the figure "OdometryPublisher.h")
vim OdometryPublisher.cpp (see the code "OdometryPublisher.cpp")
```

--pOdometryPublisher.h could be found at:

```
https://github.com/shuaidong-networking/AquaNet-
MOOS/blob/main/pOdometryPublisher/pOdometryPublisher.h
```

-- pOdometryPublisher.cc could be found at:

```
https://github.com/shuaidong-networking/AquaNet-
MOOS/blob/main/pOdometryPublisher/pOdometryPublisher.cc
```

-In order to use AquaNet API, some header files from aquanet should be link to the pOdometryPublisher folder.

-Header files

```
In -s $AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/aquanet_log.h moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher/aquanet_log.h
In -s $AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/aquanet_netif.h moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher/aquanet_netif.h
In -s $AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/aquanet_pdu.h moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher/aquanet_pdu.h
In -s $AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/aquanet_socket.h moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher/aquanet_socket.h
In -s $AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/aquanet_time.h moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher/aquanet_time.h
```

-Configuration files

In -s \$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/test_example/mesh/node1/config_add.cfg moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher/config_add.cfg

In -s \$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/test_example/mesh/node1/config_arp.cfg moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher/config_arp.cfg

 $In -s \AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/test_example/mesh/node1/config_conn.cfg \ moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher/config_conn.cfg$

In -s \$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/test_example/mesh/node1/config_net.cfg moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher/config net.cfg

-Compile the new created application

```
cd moos-ivp-extend ./build.sh
```

-Copy alder.moos file to pOdometryPublisher folder and modify it

```
cd moos-ivp-extend/missions/alder
vim alder.moos
```

-Code for alder, moos files could be found at

https://github.com/shuaidong-networking/AquaNet-MOOS/blob/main/pOdometryPublisher/alder.moos

4.2 Building pOdometry-Subscriber on machine B (192.168.80.130)

-Create the pOdometrySubscriber moos application

GenMOOSApp_AppCasting pOdometrySubscriber p "Jane Doe"

-Modify the CMakeList

vim moos-ivp-extend/src/CMakeLists.txt

-Building the new created application

```
cd moos-ivp-extend ./build.sh
```

-Verify the pOdometryPublisher is in your shell path with:

```
which pOdometryPublisher
/home/you/moos-ivp-you/bin/pOdometrySubscriber
```

--Write the application

```
cd moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometrySubscriber
vim pOdometrySubscriber.h (see the figure "pOdometrySubscriber.h")
vim pOdometrySubscriber.cpp (see the code "pOdometrySubscriber.cpp")
```

--Code for pOdometrySubscriber.h can be found at:

```
https://github.com/shuaidong-networking/AquaNet-
MOOS/blob/main/pOdometrySubscriber/pOdometrySubscriber.h
```

--Code for pOdometrySubscriber.cc can be found at:

```
https://github.com/shuaidong-networking/AquaNet-
MOOS/blob/main/pOdometrySubscriber/pOdometrySubscriber.cc
```

-In order to use AquaNet API, some header files from aquanet shoulde be link to the pOdometryPublisher folder.

-Header files

In -s \$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/aquanet_log.h moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometrySubscriber/aquanet_log.h

In -s \$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/aquanet_netif.h moos-ivp-extend/src/ pOdometrySubscriber /aquanet_netif.h

In -s \$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/aquanet_pdu.h moos-ivp-extend/src/ pOdometrySubscriber /aquanet_pdu.h

In -s \$AQUANET FOLDER/trunk/aquanet socket.h moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometrySubscriber /aquanet socket.h

In -s \$AQUANET FOLDER/trunk/aquanet time.h moos-ivp-extend/src/ pOdometrySubscriber /aquanet time.h

Configuration files

 $In -s AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/test_example/mesh/node2/config_add.cfg \ moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometrySubscriber/config_add.cfg$

In -s \$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/test_example/mesh/ node2/config_arp.cfg moos-ivp-extend/src/ pOdometrySubscriber /config_arp.cfg

In -s \$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/test_example/mesh/ node2/config_conn.cfg moos-ivp-extend/src/ pOdometrySubscriber /config_conn.cfg

In -s \$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/test_example/mesh/ node2/config_net.cfg moos-ivp-extend/src/ pOdometrySubscriber /config net.cfg

-Compile the new created application

cd moos-ivp-extend ./build.sh

-Moving the alder.moos file to pOdometrySubscriber floder and modify

cd moos-ivp-extend/missions/alder
vim alder.bhv
vim alder.moos

-Alder.bhv

https://github.com/shuaidong-networking/AquaNet-MOOS/blob/main/pOdometrySubscriber/alder.bhv

-Alder.moos

https://github.com/shuaidong-networking/AquaNet-MOOS/blob/main/pOdometrySubscriber/alder.moos

5. Running AquaNet with MOOS

5.1 Running aguanet on the machine A

-Running AquaNet Virtual Modem Server to emulate L1

cd \$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk ./bin/aquanet-vmds 2021

-Create a bash-script inside the pOdometryPublisher folder to start the layers from L2-L4:

cd moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher touch publisher.sh

-Insert the following code into publisher.sh file

```
#!/bin/sh
# Initialize L2-L4 modules on localhost

# start the protocol stack

$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-stack &

sleep 2
# start the VMDM
# modify IP and Port number, if necessary
$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-vmdc 192.168.80.129 2021 1 20 20 20 &

sleep 4

# start the MAC
$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-uwaloha &
sleep 2
$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-sroute &
sleep 2
$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-sroute &
sleep 2
$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-sroute &
sleep 2
# start the transport layer
$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-tra &
```

-Run the script

chmod +x publisher.sh ./publisher.sh

5.2 Running aquanet on the machine B

-Create a bash-script inside the pOdometrySubscriber folder to start the layers from L2-L4:

cd moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometrySubscriber touch subscriber.sh

-Insert the following code into subscriber.sh file

```
#!/bin/sh
# Initialize L2-L4 modules on localhost

# start the protocol stack

$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-stack &

sleep 2
# start the VMDM
# modify IP and Port number, if necessary
$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-vmdc 192.168.80.129 2021 2 20 20 20 &

sleep 4

# start the MAC
$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-uwaloha &
sleep 2
$AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-sroute &
sleep 2
$ $AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-sroute &
sleep 2
# start the transport layer
$ $AQUANET_FOLDER/trunk/bin/aquanet-tra &
```

-Run the script

chmod +x subscriber.sh
./ subscriber.sh

5.3 Runing publisher on machine A

-Start the pOdometryPublisher

cd moos-ivp-extend/src/pOdometryPublisher pAntler alder.moos

5.4 Running subscriber on machine B

-Start the pOdometrySubscriber

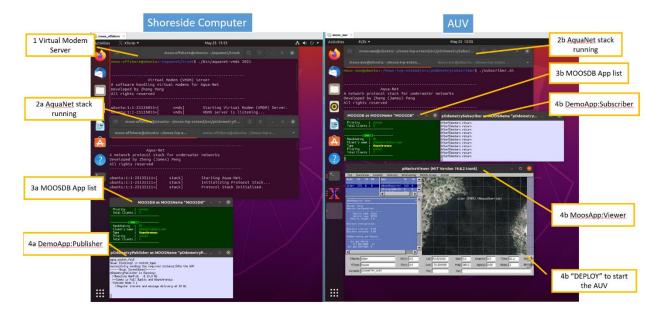
cd moos-ivp-extend/src/ pOdometrySubscriber pAntler alder.moos

5.5 Running results is showing as the following figure

When all the programs have been executed, several terminals will be shown as the following figure. The execution order of the program is:

- 1. Running virtual modem server on shoreside pc side
- 2. Running AquaNet stack on both shoreside pc and AUV side by using the script mentioned earlier
- 3. Running the alder.moos file on both ends separately
- 4. MOOSDB and our demo will be started

Demo Setup



-Click the DEPLOY button and you will see the AUV change the next waypoint at 50 meters instead of 100 meters.

6. pShare based Inter-vehicle communication in MOOS (Two Machines)

In this step, we create two separate MOOS communities: *a shoreside* community on machine A and *an alpha* community on machine B by creating two separate .moos file. In the shoreside community there will be a MOOSDB and pMarineViewer. In the alpha community will be a MOOSDB and everything but pMarineViewer. In both community you will also need to add a pShare configuration block and add pShare to the Antler configuration block.

Machine A IP address: 192.168.80.130

Machine B IP address: 192.168.80.129

6.1 Machine A (shoreside computer) side

-Create a folder for Alpha Mission's MOOS file

```
cd moos-ivp-extend/missions/
mkdir alpha
```

-Make a copy of the Alpha Mission into the MOOS-IVP-EXTEND

```
cd ~ cp -rp moos-ivp/ivp/missions/s1_alpha moos-ivp-extend/missions/alpha/
```

-Replace the name of alpha.moos file with shoreside.moos

```
cd moos-ivp-extend/missions/alpha/s1_alpha
mv alpha.moos shoreside.moos
```

-Modify the shoreside.moos file

```
vim shoreside.moos
```

-- copy the following content to overwrite the original content in shoreside.moos

```
AppTick = 4
CommsTick = 4
input = route = localhost:9201
output = src name=MOOS MANUAL OVERRIDE, route=192.168.80.129:9200
output = src name=DEPLOY, route=192.168.80.129:9200 //sending status of RETURN and
DEPLOY and MOOS MANUAL OVERRIDE
output = src name=RETURN, route=192.168.80.129:9200
// pMarineViewer config block
ProcessConfig = pMarineViewer
 AppTick = 4
 CommsTick = 4
 tiff_file = forrest19.tif

set_pan_x = -90

set_pan_y = -280

zoom = 0.65
 vehicle_shape_scale = 1.5
 hash_delta = 50
hash_shade = 0.22
hash_viewable = true
 trails point size = 1
 // Appcast configuration
 appcast_height = 75
appcast_width = 30
 appcast_viewable = true
 appcast color scheme = indigo
 appcast font size = large
 right context[return] = DEPLOY=true
 right context[return] = MOOS MANUAL OVERRIDE=false
 right context[return] = RETURN=false
 scope = RETURN
  scope = WPT_STAT
  scope = VIEW_SEGLIST
 scope = VIEW POINT
 scope = VIEW POLYGON
 scope = MVIEWER LCLICK
 scope = MVIEWER RCLICK
 button one = DEPLOY # DEPLOY=true
 button one = MOOS MANUAL OVERRIDE=false # RETURN=false
 button two = RETURN # RETURN=true
 button_three = SLOWER # WPT_UPDATE=speed=1.5
 button four = FASTER # WPT UPDATE=speed=3.5
 action = MENU KEY=deploy # DEPLOY = true # RETURN = false
 action+ = MENU KEY=deploy # MOOS MANUAL OVERRIDE=false
 action = RETURN=true
 action = UPDATES RETURN=speed=1.4
```

}

6.2 Machine B (vehicle) side

- -Do the same operations as machine A side except the step of modifying the content of alpha.moos file.
- -Copy the following content to overwrite the original one

```
ServerHost = localhost
ServerPort = 9005
Community = alpha
MOOSTimeWarp = 20
TERM REPORTING = true
// Forest Lake
LatOrigin = 43.825300
LongOrigin = -70.330400
// MIT Sailing Pavilion (use this one)
// LatOrigin = 42.358456
// LongOrigin = -71.087589
//-----
// Antler configuration block
ProcessConfig = ANTLER
 MSBetweenLaunches = 200
 Run = MOOSDB @ NewConsole = false
Run = pLogger @ NewConsole = false
Run = uSimMarine @ NewConsole = false
Run = pMarinePID @ NewConsole = false
 Run = pHelmIvP @ NewConsole = false
 Run = uProcessWatch @ NewConsole = false
Run = pNodeReporter @ NewConsole = false
 Run = pShare @ NewConsole = false //add pShare configuration
//----
// adding pShare config block by Shuai
ProcessConfig = pShare
AppTick = 4
CommsTick = 4
input = route = localhost:9200
output = src name=NODE REPORT LOCAL, dest name=NODE REPORT, route=192.168.80.130:9201
output = src_name=VIEW_SEGLIST, route=192.168.80.130:9201
output = src name=VIEW POINT, route=192.168.80.130:9201
}
//----uSimMarine
// pLogger config block
```

```
ProcessConfig = pLogger
{
 AppTick = 8
 CommsTick = 8
 AsyncLog = true
 // For variables that are published in a bundle on their first post,
 // explicitly declare their logging request
 Log = IVPHELM LIFE EVENT @ 0 NOSYNC
 Log = REPORT @ 0 NOSYNC
 Log = BHV SETTINGS @ 0 NOSYNC
 LogAuxSrc = true
 WildCardLogging = true
 WildCardOmitPattern = * STATUS
 WildCardOmitPattern = DB VARSUMMARY
 WildCardOmitPattern = DB_RWSUMMARY
 WildCardExclusionLog = true
}
//----
// uProcessWatch
ProcessConfig = uProcessWatch
AppTick = 4
 CommsTick = 4
 watch all = true
      nowatch = uPokeDB*
       nowatch = uXMS*
      nowatch = uMAC*
//-----
// uSimMarine config block
ProcessConfig = uSimMarine
\begin{array}{lll} \text{AppTick} & = & 4 \\ \text{CommsTick} & = & 4 \end{array}
 start pos = x=0, y=-20, heading=180, speed=0
 prefix
            = NAV
 turn_rate
             = 40
 thrust map = 0:0, 20:1, 40:2, 60:3, 80:4, 100:5
 thrust reflect = true
//----
// pHelmIvP config block
ProcessConfig = pHelmIvP
AppTick = 4
CommsTick = 4
```

```
behaviors = alpha.bhv
domain = course:0:359:360
domain = speed:0:4:41
// pMarinePID config block
ProcessConfig = pMarinePID
AppTick = 20
 CommsTick = 20
 verbose = true
 depth control = false
 // SIM INSTABILITY = 20
 // Yaw PID controller
 yaw pid integral limit = 0.07
 // Speed PID controller
 speed_pid_kp = 1.0
speed_pid_kd = 0.0
speed_pid_ki = 0.0
 speed_pid_integral_limit = 0.07
 //MAXIMUMS
 maxrudder = 100
maxthrust = 100
 // A non-zero SPEED FACTOR overrides use of SPEED PID
 // Will set DESIRED THRUST = DESIRED SPEED * SPEED FACTOR
 speed_factor = 20
// pMarineViewer config block
ProcessConfig = pMarineViewer
AppTick = 4
 CommsTick = 4
tiff file = forrest19.tif

      set_pan_x
      = -90

      set_pan_y
      = -280

      zoom
      = 0.65

 vehicle_shape_scale = 1.5
 hash_delta = 50
hash_shade = 0.22
hash_viewable = true
```

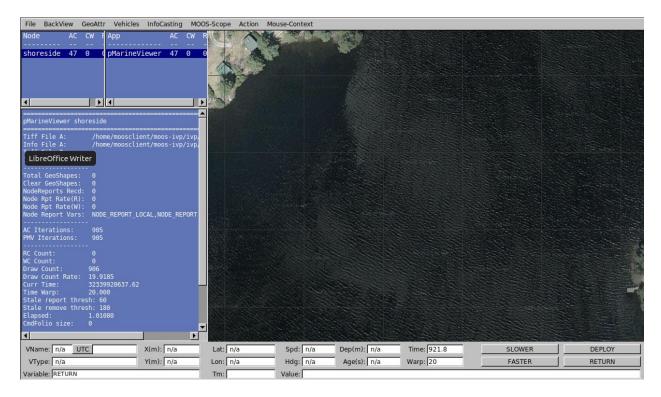
```
trails point size = 1
 // Appcast configuration
 appcast_height = 75
 appcast width
                    = 30
 appcast viewable = true
 appcast_color_scheme = indigo
 nodes_font_size = xlarge
procs_font_size = xlarge
 appcast font size = large
 right context[return] = DEPLOY=true
 right context[return] = MOOS MANUAL OVERRIDE=false
 right_context[return] = RETURN=false
 scope = RETURN
 scope = WPT_STAT
 scope = VIEW_SEGLIST
 scope = VIEW POINT
 scope = VIEW POLYGON
 scope = MVIEWER LCLICK
 scope = MVIEWER RCLICK
 button one = DEPLOY # DEPLOY=true
 button one = MOOS MANUAL OVERRIDE=false # RETURN=false
 button two = RETURN # RETURN=true
 button_three = SLOWER # WPT_UPDATE=speed=1.5
 button four = FASTER # WPT UPDATE=speed=3.5
 action = MENU KEY=deploy # DEPLOY = true # RETURN = false
 action+ = MENU KEY=deploy # MOOS MANUAL OVERRIDE=false
 action = RETURN=true
 action = UPDATES RETURN=speed=1.4
//-----
// pNodeReporter config block
ProcessConfig = pNodeReporter
AppTick = 2
 CommsTick = 2
platform type = kayak
 platform color = yellow
 platform length = 4
```

6.3 Test communication between two moos community

-Launch shoreside.moos file on machine A

```
cd moos-ivp-extend/missions/alpha/s1_alpha
pAntler shoreside.moos
```

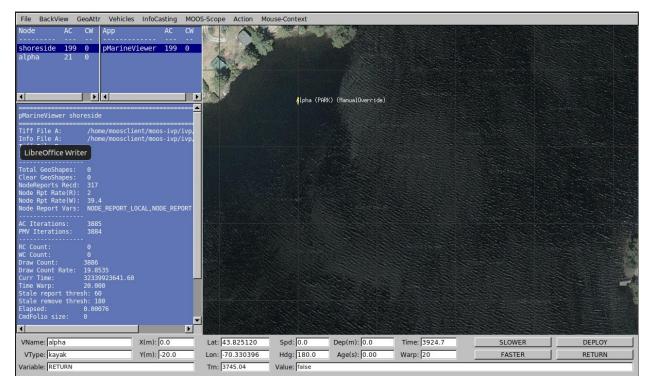
-After the shoreside.moos file is executed, you will see the following figure



-Launch the alpha.moos file on machine B

cd moos-ivp-extend/missions/alpha/s1_alpha
pAnlter alpha.moos

-After the alpha.moos is executed, a vehicle will be shown on machine A's map.



-Click the "DEPLOY" button, you will see that the vehicle is moving

7. Creating our own share application---AquaShare

-Creating an application under "moos-ivp-extend/src/"

```
cd moos-ivp-extend/src
GenMOOSApp_AppCasting AquaShare p "Author_Name"
```

- -Make the pAquaShare application executable
- -Modify the CMakeList

```
vim moos-ivp-extend/src/CMakeLists.txt

ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(lib_behaviors-test)
ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(pXRelayTest)
ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(pExampleApp)
ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(pOdometry)
ADD_SUBDIRECTORY(pAquaShare) //add this line
```

- Delete all files in pAquaShare folder

```
cd pAquaShare
rm -f *
```

-Copy all the files in pShare into pAquashare

```
cp -rf /home/moos/moos-
ivp/MOOS_Dec3120/MOOSEssentials/Essentials/pShare/*
/home/moos/moos-ivp-extend/src/pAquaShare/
```

-Modify the CMakeLists.txt in pAquaShare. Changing the line2 and line7 as the following figure

```
mv pShareMain.cpp pAquaShare.cpp
vim CMakeLists.txt
```

-Replace the pShare with the new created pAquaShare on machine A and machine B

-For machine A side: adding "run = pAquaShare @ NewConsole = true" in the ANTLER block, and add a new block for pAquaShare as the following figure

-For machine B, the same procedure.

Until now, the new created compliable pAquaShare application used for message exchange between two MOOSDB has been run successfully based on internet socket.

Next step will replace the internet socket with the AquaNET socket