





AAE3004 Dynamical Systems and Control

Lab 1a: Autonomous ROS car control project

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- 1. Robot Car Platform Overview
- 2. Linux Operating System
- 3. ROS



Part I – Overview of ROS Car Platform





1. Robot Car Platform Overview

- ◆ raspberry pie and STM32 motherboards
- ◆ Supporting ros2 / opency
- Multiline lidar
- ♦ Visual processing
- ◆ deep learning framework (Yolo/Tensorflow)
- navigation and map building







Part II – Linux Operating System







What is Operating system?

- windows system for PC,
- IOS system for Apple products,
- Android system for mobile devices









What is Operating system?

Operating System is a *program* that mediates between the *user* and the computer *hardware*.

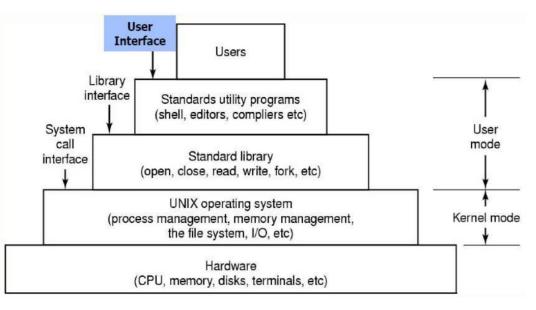
- Hides hardware details.
- Manages software resources
- resources means objects necessary to execute the program, e.g. memory, processor (CPU), input/output, communication ports
- strategies for allocation and deallocation of resources
- Other activities: security, job accounting, error detecting tools, etc.







Linux Structure



Graphic User Interface (GUI)











Linux History

Linus Torvalds, Finland, born in the same year as UNIX, i.e. 1969, creator of the Linux kernel and the Git version control sysem.



Linus Torvalds announcing Linux 1.0, 30.03.1994



Linus Torvalds in 2019

Richard Stallman, founder of the GNU project and the Free Software Foundation, co-creator of the GNU GPL license, creator of the Emacs editor, GCC compiler, GDB debugger.



Richard Stallman in 2019

May 1991, version 0.01: no support for the network, limited number of device drivers, one file system (Minix), processes with protected address spaces

The Linux Kernel Archives – https://www.kernel.org/

- 2022-02-23, latest stable version 5.16.11
- **2022-02-20**, latest mainline **5.17-rc5**







Linux Basic Feature

- Multi-access system (with time sharing) and multi-tasking
- Multi-process system, simple mechanisms to create hierarchy of processes, kernel preemption
- Available for many architectures
- Simple standard user interface that can be easily replaced (shell, command interpreter)
- File systems with a multi-level tree structure
- Shared libraries, loaded into memory dynamically (one code used simultaneously by many processes)
- Compliance with the POSIX 1003.1 standard
- Different formats of executable files

Free Distribution!







Tutorial

1. The Linux Programming Interface: A Linux and UNIX System Programming

The Linux Programming Interface offers in-depth information about the system and library functionalities.

2. How Linux Works: What Every Superuser Should Know

How Linux Works is a conceptual book that explains brief information about the **Linux internals**. This book also explains how Linux firewalls, interfaces, and networks work.

3. Linux Tutorial for Beginners: Introduction to Linux Operating System

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V1y-mbWM3B8

4. Linux Command Line Tutorial For Beginners

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YHFzr-akOas&list=PLS1QulWo1RIb9WVQGJ_vh-RQusbZgO_As

5. Ubuntu Complete Beginners Guide (Full Course in one video!)

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D4WyNjt_hbQ&t=36s



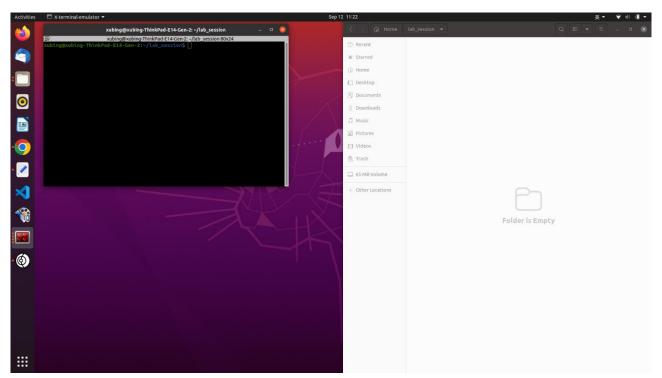




Helloworld demo with Linux

Step 1: Open the terminal

- right click on the margin
- Ctrl+Alt+T





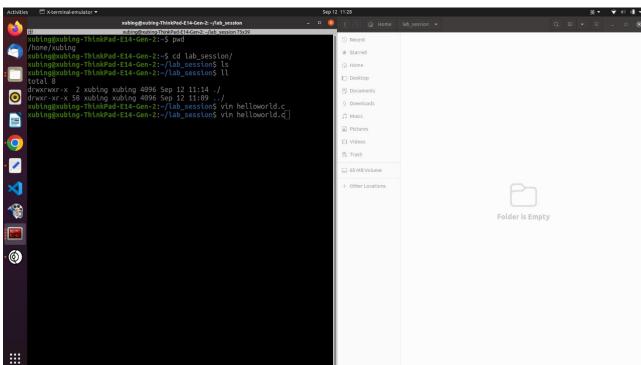




Helloworld demo with Linux

Step 2: Create the C file

• \$ vim helloworld.c





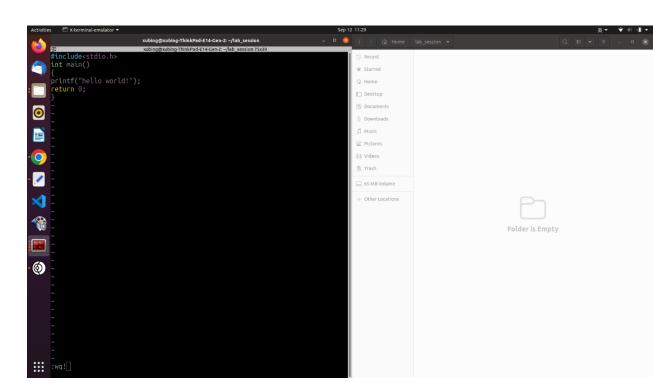




Helloworld demo with Linux

Step 3: Input the code and save it

```
#include<stdio.h>
Int main()
{
  printf("hello world!");
  return 0;
}
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xubing@xubing-ThinkPad-E14-Gen-2:~/lab session$ ls
xubing@xubing-ThinkPad-E14-Gen-2:~/lab_session$ ll
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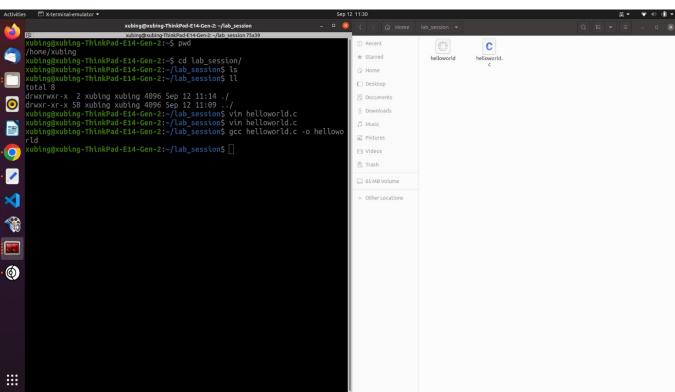




Helloworld demo with Linux

Step 4: Compile

• \$ gcc helloworld.c -o helloworld





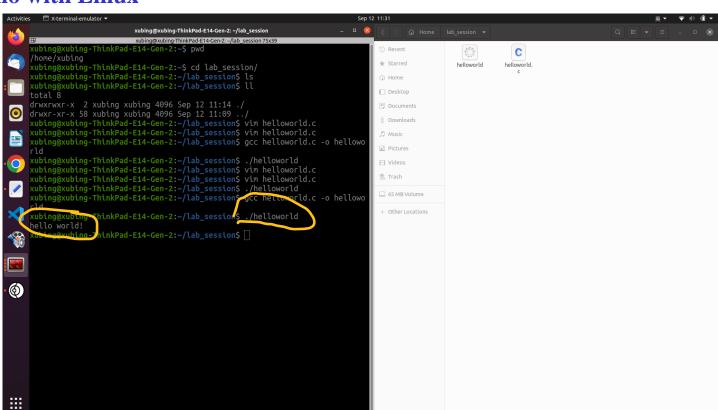




Helloworld demo with Linux

Step 5: Execute

./helloworld





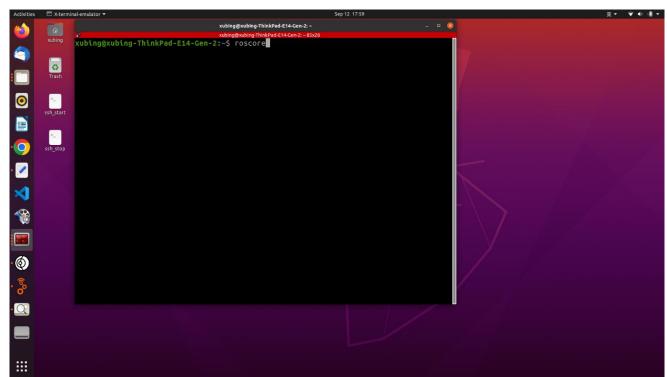




ROS turtles demo

Step 1: create the master node

• \$ roscore





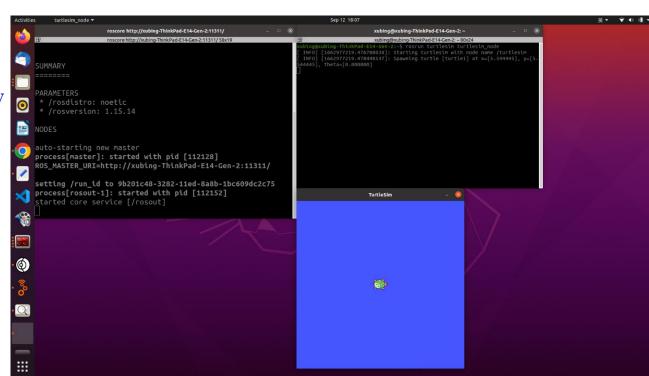




ROS turtles demo

Step 2: create a node to show turtle

\$ rosrun turtlesim turtlesim_node





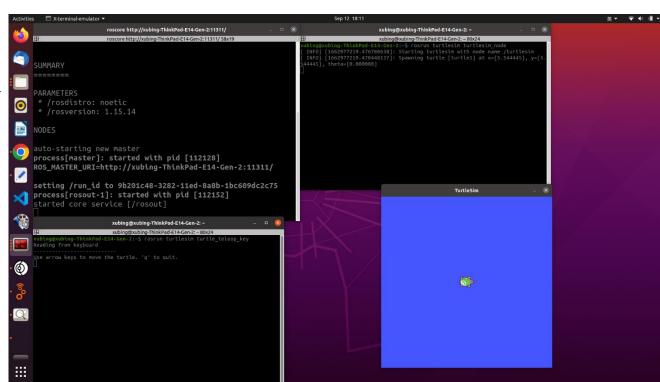




ROS turtles demo

Step 3: create the keyboard node

\$ rosrun turtlesim turtlesim_node





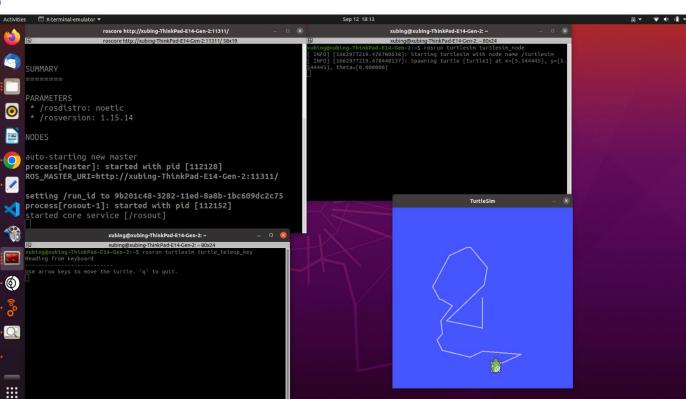




ROS turtles demo

Step 4: control the turtle









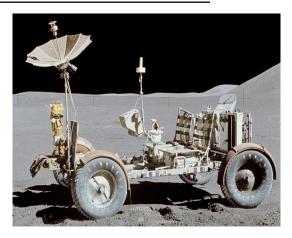
Part III – ROS





3. ROS—Robot Operating System







Mechanical Arm

Lunar Rover

Humanoid Robot





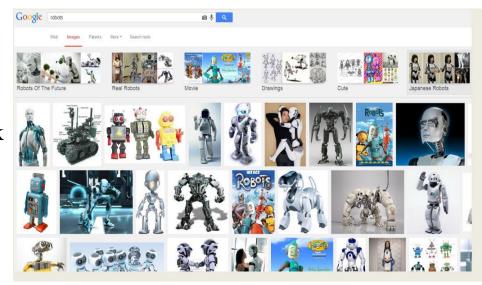
The Problem: Lack of standards for robotics





3. ROS—Robot Operating System

- ROS is an open-source robot operating system
- A set of software libraries and tools that help you build robot applications that work across a wide variety of robotic platforms
- Originally developed in 2007 at the Stanford Artificial Intelligence Laboratory and development continued at Willow Garage



Since 2013 managed by OSRF (Open Source Robotics Foundation)

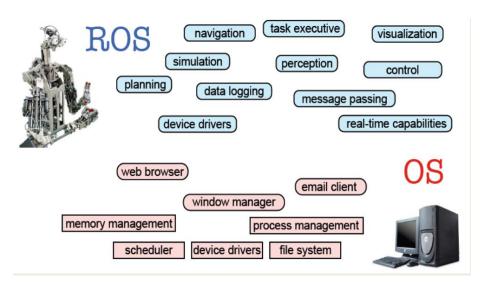




ROS Main Features

The operating system side, which provides standard operating system services such as:

 hardware abstraction –
 low-level device control – implementation of commonly used functionality –
 message-passing between processes –
 package management



• A suite of user contributed packages that implement common robot functionality such as SLAM, planning, perception, vision, manipulation, etc.

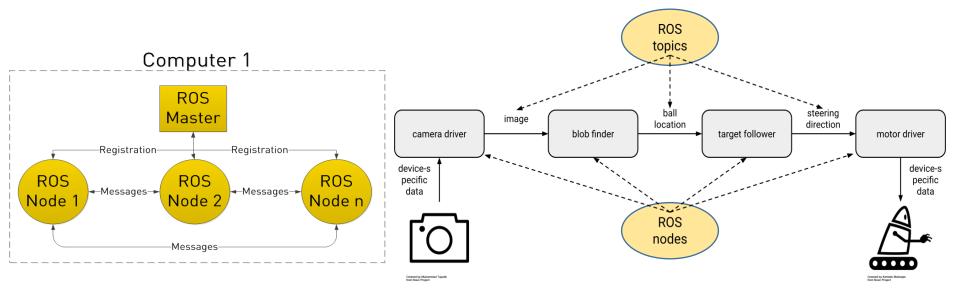






ROS Computation graph model

The Computation Graph is the peer-to-peer **network of ROS processes** that are processing data together.



Decentralized!!







ROS Core Concepts

- Nodes
- (1)Single-purposed executable *programs* e.g. sensor driver(s), actuator driver(s), mapper, planner, UI, etc.
- (2) Individually compiled, executed, and managed
- (3) Nodes can **publish** or **subscribe** to a Topic
- (4) Nodes can also provide or use a service
- (5) Nodes are written using a ROS client library
 - roscpp C++ client library
 - − rospy − python client library.





ROS Core Concepts

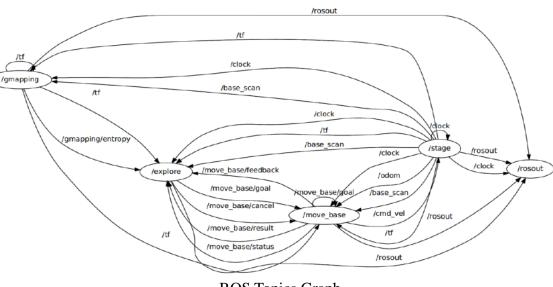
• *Topics*: Topics are named buses over which nodes <u>exchange messages</u>.

- e.g., data from a laser range-finder might be sent on a topic called scan, with a message

type of LaserScan

(2) Nodes communicate with each other by publishing messages to topics

(3) Publish/Subscribe model: 1-to-N broadcasting







ROS Core Concepts

• *Messages*: Strictly-typed <u>data structures</u> for inter-node communication

For example, geometry_msgs/Twist is used to express velocity commands:

Vector3 linear Vector3 angular

Vector3 is another message type composed of:

float64 x float64 y float64 z



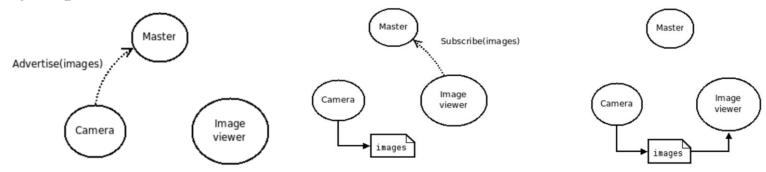


ROS Core Concepts

• ROS Master

Provides connection information to nodes so that they can transmit messages to each other

- Every node connects to a master at startup to register details of the message streams they publish, and the streams to which that they to subscribe.
- When a new node appears, the master provides it with the information that it needs to form a
 direct peer-to-peer connection with other nodes publishing and subscribing to the same
 message topics.







ROS Core Concepts

- **ROS Services:** Synchronous inter-node <u>transactions</u>
- (1)Service/Client model: 1-to-1 request-response
- (2)Service roles:
 - carry out remote computation
 - trigger functionality / behavior
- (3) Example:
 - map_server/static_map retrieves the current grid map used by the robot for navigation

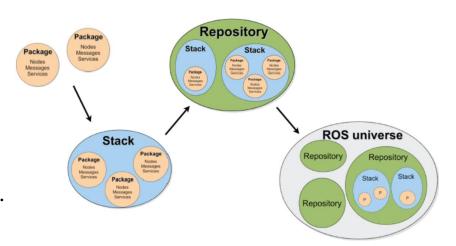




ROS Core Concepts

- ROS Package
- (1)Software in ROS is organized in packages.
- (2) A package contains one or more nodes and provides a ROS interface.
- (3) Most of ROS packages are hosted in GitHub.









Tutorial

http://wiki.ros.org/

<u>Installation:</u>

• http://wiki.ros.org/ROS/Installation

Tutorials:

http://wiki.ros.org/ROS/Tutorials

ROS Tutorial Videos

http://www.youtube.com/playlist? list=PLDC89965A56E6A8D6

ROS Cheat Sheet

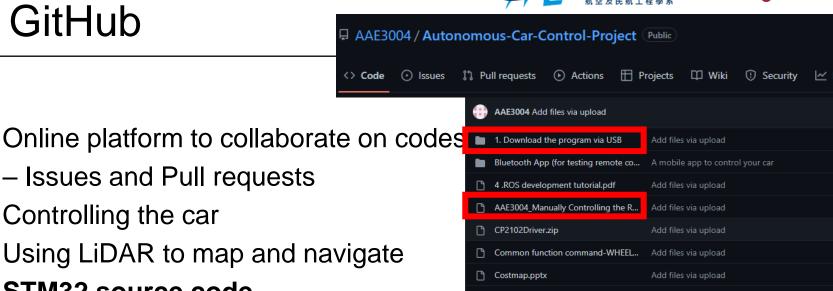
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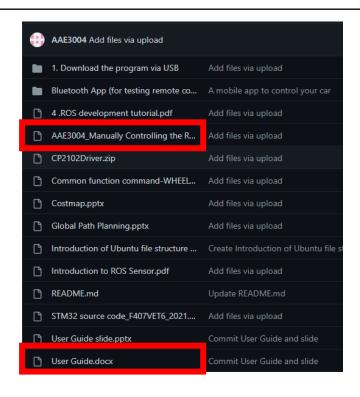
Controlling the car Using LiDAR to map and navigate STM32 source code **Tutorials to install STM32 source** code

Issues and Pull requests





Controlling the car



- 1. Using PS2 controller
- 2. Manually on the car
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 Controlling the ROS Car
- 3. Remotely using VM User Guide



- 1. Turn on the ROS car
- Install Ubuntu on a Virtual Machine
- 3. Connect the Ubuntu to the ROS car Wi-Fi

Password: dongguan







Connect automatically

Connect





Steps

4. In Ubuntu VM, open a terminal (ctrl+alt+t) and type the following

```
$ sudo apt-get install openssh-server
$ ssh —Y wheeltec@192.168.0.100
Password: dongguan
```

\$ roslaunch turn_on_wheeltec_robot turn on wheeltec robot.launch

```
sergio@sergio-VirtualBox:~$ ssh -Y wheeltec@192.168.0.100
wheeltec@192.168.0.100's password:
```

```
sergio@sergio-VirtualBox:~$ ssh -Y wheeltec@192.168.0.100
wheeltec@192.168.0.100's password:
Welcome to Ubuntu 18.04.5 LTS (GNU/Linux 4.9.140-tegra aarch64)

* Documentation: https://help.ubuntu.com
* Management: https://landscape.canonical.com
* Support: https://ubuntu.com/advantage
This system has been minimized by removing packages and content that are not required on a system that users do not log into.

To restore this content, you can run the 'unminimize' command.

551 个可升级软件包。
174 个安全更新。
wheeltec@wheeltec:~$ roslaunch turn_on_wheeltec_robot turn_on_wheeltec_robot.launch
```





Steps

5. Open another terminal (ctrl+alt+t) and type the following – DO NOT CLOSE THE PREVIOUS TERMINAL

```
$ ssh —Y wheeltec@192.168.0.100
$ roslaunch wheeltec_robot_rc keyboard_teleop.launch
```





Changing the car parameters - Demonstration

- PID controller
- STM32 source code
- Kp
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```
system.c* robot_select_init.c
     Update£°2021-01-29
     All rights reserved
     *************************
 21 #include "system.h"
 23 //Robot software fails to flag bits
    //»úÆ÷ÈËÈí¼þÊSÄܱê־λ
 25 u8 Flag Stop=1;
 26
     //The ADC value is variable in segments, depending on the number of car models. Currently there are 6 car models
     //ADCÖu ·Ö¶Î±äÁ;£¬È;¾öÓÚÐ; ³uÐͰÅÊÝÁ;£¬Ä;C°ÓÐ6ÖÖÐ; ³uÐͰÅ
     int Divisor Mode;
 31 // Robot type variable
     //wúÆ÷ÈËÐͰűäÁ;
     //0=Mec Carf-1=Omni Carf-2=Akm Carf-3=Diff Carf-4=FourWheel Carf-5=Tank Car
     u8 Car Mode=0;
     //Servo control PWM value, Ackerman car special
     //¶æ»ú¿ØÖÆPWMÖu£¬°¢¿ËÂüÐ;³uרÓÃ
     //Default speed of remote control car, unit: mm/s
     //Ò£¿ØÐ;³µµÄĬÈÏËÙ¶È£¬µ¥Î»£°mm/s
     float RC Velocity=1000;
 44 //Vehicle three-axis target moving speed, unit: m/s
    //Ð;³uÈýÖáÄ¿±êÔ˶¯ËÙ¶È£¬u¥Î»£°m/s
 46 float Move_X, Move_Y, Move_Z;
     //PID parameters of Speed control
     float Velocity_KP=300, Velocity_KI=300;
    //Smooth control of intermediate variables, dedicated to omni-directional moving cars
     //E>swnzØÖEÖÐ4ä±äÁz£nÈ«ÏòÒE¶Ð; ³u×"ÓÃ
     Smooth Control smooth control;
     //The parameter structure of the motor
     //懯úµÄ°ÎÊý¾á¹¹Ìå
     Motor parameter MOTOR A, MOTOR B, MOTOR C, MOTOR D;
     /******** Ð; ³uÐÍ °ÅÏà ²Ø±äÁ; ********************/
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