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Welcome to the ROS Community

<https://www.ros.org/blog/community/>

The core ROS source code is built and maintained by Open Robotics and the members of the ROS 2 [Technical Steering Committee \(TSC\)](#); but much of what makes ROS so special is built by other groups within the ROS community.



Open Robotics

[Open Robotics](#) works with the global ROS community to create open software and hardware platforms for robotics including ROS 1, ROS 2, the Gazebo simulator, and the Ignition simulator. Open Robotics uses these platforms to solve important problems and help others to do the same by offering software and hardware development services for a variety of client organizations.

OTHER MEMBERS OF THE COMMUNITY

- **The Autoware Foundation – Self Driving**
- **F1 Tenth Race Cars, etc**
- **MoveIt**
[MoveIt](#) is a set of ROS packages for forward and inverse kinematics and planning using ROS. <https://moveit.ros.org/>
- **OpenCV**
[OpenCV](#) (Open Source Computer Vision Library) is an open source computer vision and machine learning software library.

- microROS
[micro-ROS](#) is bridging the gap between resource-constrained microcontrollers and larger processors in robotic applications that are based on ROS. micro-ROS runs on a wide variety of embedded hardware and brings ROS closer to robot hardware.
- ROS-Industrial
[ROS-Industrial](#) is an open-source project that extends the advanced capabilities of ROS software to industrial relevant hardware and applications. <https://www.swri.org/ros-industrial>

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<https://index.ros.org/packages/>

DOCUMENTATION

<http://wiki.ros.org/>

EXAMPLES

ROS Courses

<http://wiki.ros.org/Courses>

ROS Books

BOOKS 13/37 – just by Date not Quality

<http://wiki.ros.org/Books> ROS2 books – Not yet – A moving Target

[ROS Robotics By Example - Second Edition](#) (2017-12, K, Python)

Robots and Sensors – A Sampling- Search by Tag or Category – See 10 Year Montag of Robots.

<https://robots.ros.org/>

All types of Sensors:

<http://wiki.ros.org/Sensors>

1. [Sensors supported by ROS](#)
1. [Portals](#)
2. [Complete Listing](#)
1. [1D range finders](#)
2. [2D range finders](#)
3. [3D Sensors \(range finders & RGB-D cameras\)](#)
4. [Audio / Speech Recognition](#)
5. [Cameras](#)
6. [Enviromental](#)
7. [Force/Torque/Touch Sensors](#)
8. [Motion Capture](#)
9. [Pose Estimation \(GPS/IMU\)](#)
10. [Power Supply](#)
11. [RFID](#)
12. [Sensor Interfaces](#)
13. [Speed](#)

TOOLS - RVIZ

<http://wiki.ros.org/Tools>

1. [Tools](#)
1. [3D Visualization: RVIZ](#)
2. [Webviz](#)
3. [Logging and Visualization Sensor Data: rosbag and rqt_bag](#)
4. [Live plotting: rqt_plot](#)
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LIBRARIES

libraries and simulators for Robot Operating System

Open-CV, PLC (PointCloud 3D), Open-NI (Cameras, Microsoft Kinect),

Open-Rave (Trajectory planning for manipulators)

Simulators: Gazebo, V-Ref

CORE ELEMENTS- APIs: ROS1 roscpp, rospy

<http://wiki.ros.org/APIs>

DISCUSSIONS-NEWS Blog Retired to ROS discourse

<https://www.ros.org/news/> <https://discourse.ros.org/>

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A GOOD HISTORY – Worth a Read

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Robot_Operating_System

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