

AIC-Automatisation avancée, intelligence artificielle et cognitique

9. Robots mobiles autonomes

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Estimation de grandeurs cognitives (essais en simulation avec programmes d' évitemen	d' obstacles)	L-AIC-1
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Sur demande, l' étudiant peut échanger l' une des manipulations ci-dessus par un autre sujet (cf. manipulations LaRA)		

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- **Référence: Rodney Brooks, MIT**
- **« Le modèle, c'est le monde » : aucune modélisation ne serait nécessaire; il suffirait d'être « en situation », et d'observer avec des capteurs ce qui se passe.**
- **C'est une réaction contre l'IA qui visait/vise une représentation complexe du monde dans l'ordinateur**

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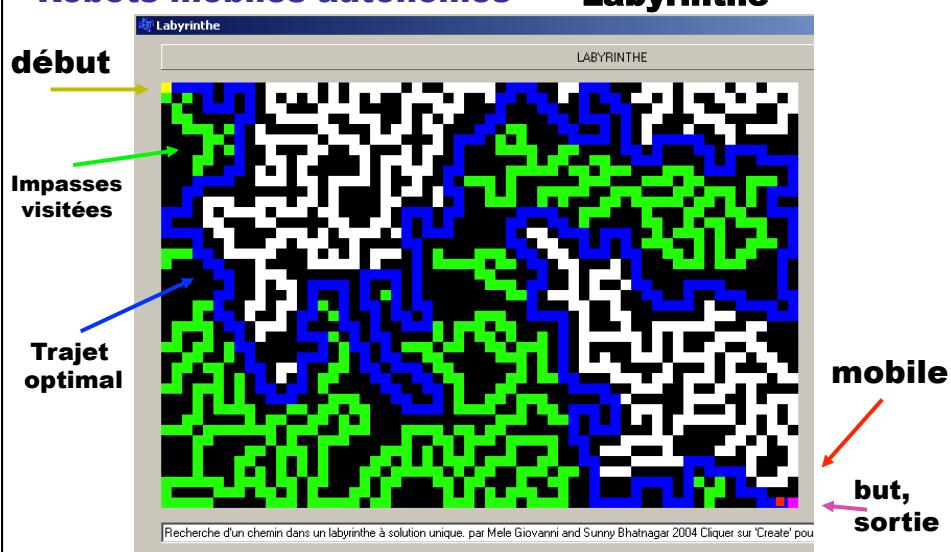
- Entrées par capteurs
- Sorties sur actionneurs
- Typiquement, entre les deux:
 - Réflexes!
- (pas de modèle, pas de mémoire)

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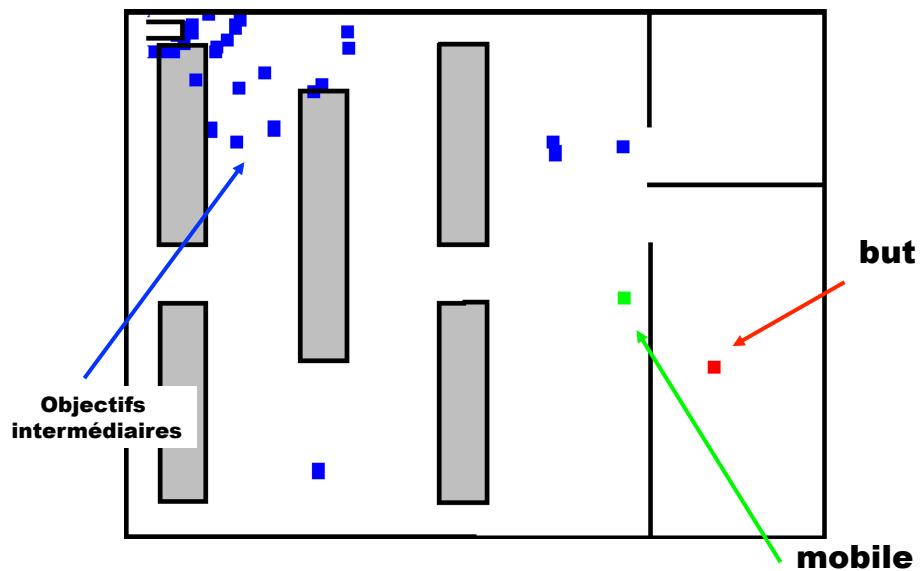
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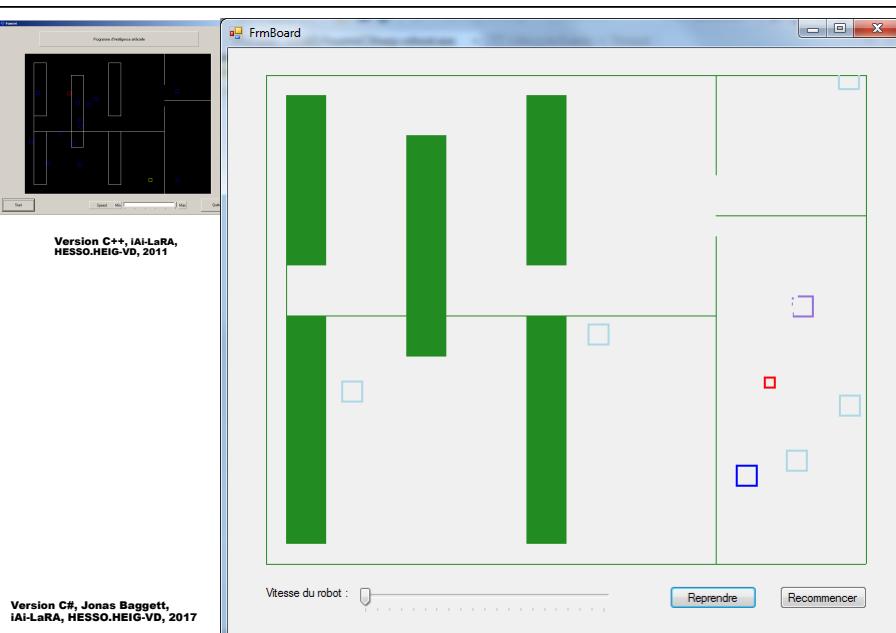
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- **Ça peut marcher! :**
 - Ex: - labyrinthe (loi simple, de type réflexe).
 - Ex: - « fourmi » (2 comportements, l'un étant réflexe et l'autre, aléatoire)
- **Limites:**
 - (pas de simulation possible, interfaces nécessaires)
 - Maintenant! (présent seulement, pas de passé, ni de futur accessible)
 - Ici! (portée spatiale toujours limitée)

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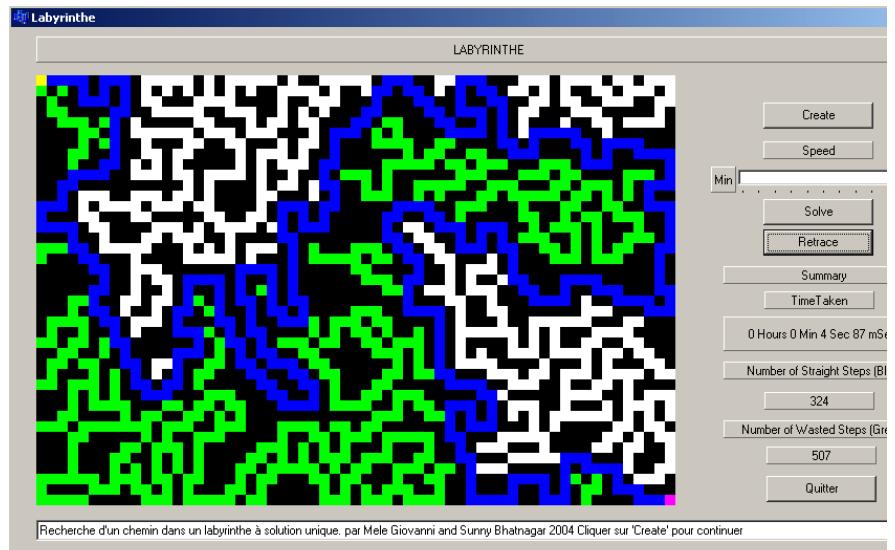
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Robots mobiles autonomes Labyrinthe (2/2)



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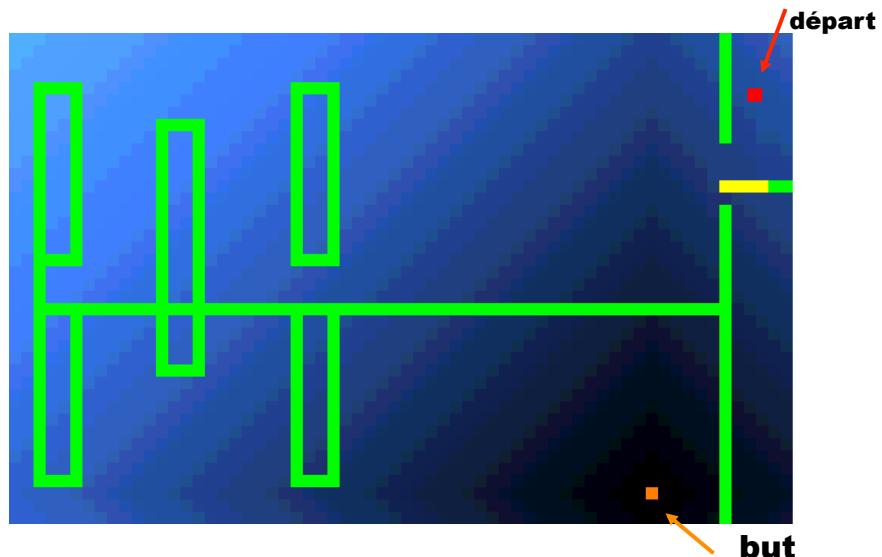
Navigation - Indice de proximité à l' objectif

6	5	4	3	2	3	4
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6	5		1	0	1	2
7	6		2	1	2	3
6	5	4	3	2	3	4

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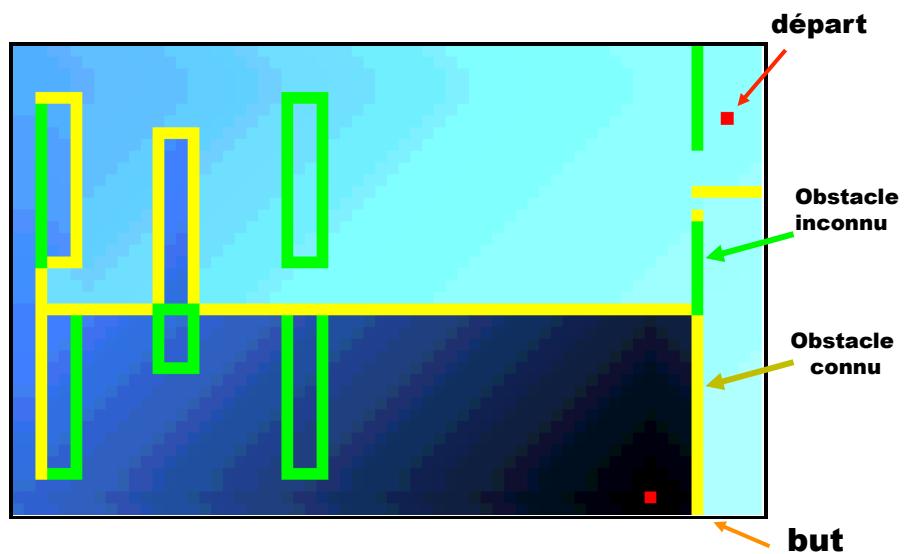
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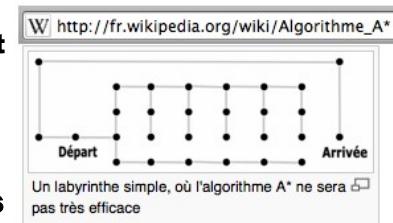
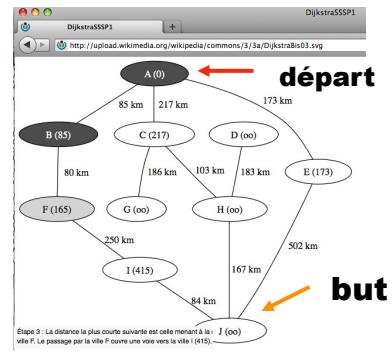
Navigation

« Classiques »

- **Algorithme de Dijkstra** (yc calcul de distance, ou temps, ou coûts) pour choix d'itinéraires entre villes (1959) ou serveurs internet par ex..

- **Algorithme A*, Astar** : sur une surface 2 D, visiter les cellules plus proches de la ligne droite entre position courante et objectif, tenant compte de façon incrémentale des obstacles.

Potentiel but +, obstacles -
Mix des algorithmes proposés



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ARY - Autonomous Mobile Robot with Robust Architecture and Components



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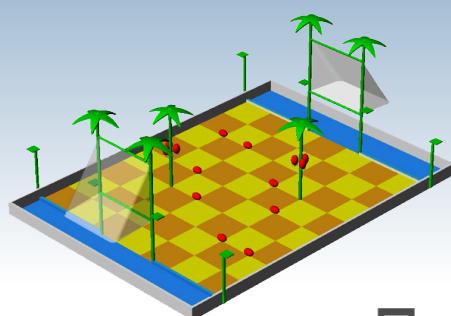
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Lomu, an Autonomous Mobile Robot with Robust Architecture and Components



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The autonomous mobile robot LOMU (1 of 3)

Introduction

- LOMU was developed to take part in the

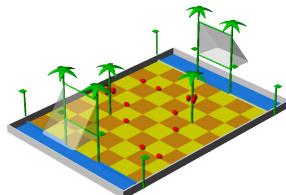
The A.M.R. LOMU contest of EUROBOT 2004

The architecture

Method of displacement

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Conclusion



- The aim of Eurobot04 was to score a maximum of points in 90 seconds by placing small rugby balls in the adversary zone or by shooting them into the opposite goal

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The autonomous mobile robot LOMU (2 of 3)

Introduction

- The mains characteristics of LOMU:

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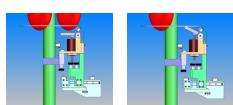
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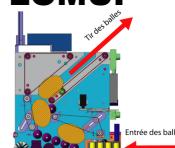
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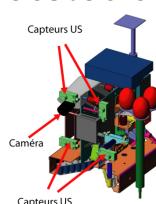
A catching balls system can store three balls in the robot. The balls are shooting the balls with a system of belts



The balls are caught by a hinged arm. Equipped with an ejector finger positioned on the left side of the robot



A video camera takes an image of the play Ground at the beginning of each match to Locate the positions of the coconut trees. Four ultrasound sensors and contact sensors Allow avoid obstacles



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The autonomous mobile robot LOMU (3 of 3)

Introduction

- The mains characteristics of LODUR:

The A.M.R. LOMU

- A small robot of 10 cm x 10 cm x 15 cm approximately

The architecture

- IPC - in Beck Module (PC on a chip)

Method of displacement

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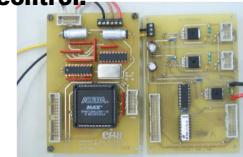
Control & programming



- HEIG-VD FPGA for position encoder reading and PWM output for motor control;

- Improved for (Dude and) Walter

- Piaget-light programming environment



ROBOTS.05 – 5ème tour Swissbot. Satellive.net.

►En cours

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Architecture (1 of 2)

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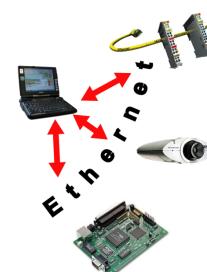
- The internal communications are mostly based on an Ethernet network:

The A.M.R. LOMU

The architecture of the robot is as follows:

The architecture

1. A HUB, which connects physically the various components, with IP protocol
2. A compact notebook computer, which is our decision support centre
3. A specialized motion controller with trajectory interpolation
4. A video camera
5. An Inputs/Outputs Controller



The flexibility of this architecture makes it possible, if necessary, to replace an element by another, to add or remove elements without an advanced study of their integration

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Architecture (2 of 2)

- Different components based on Ethernet network:

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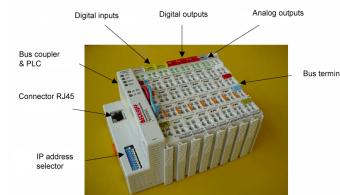
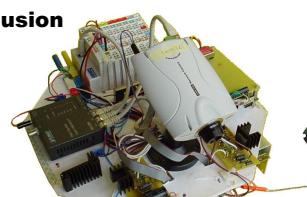
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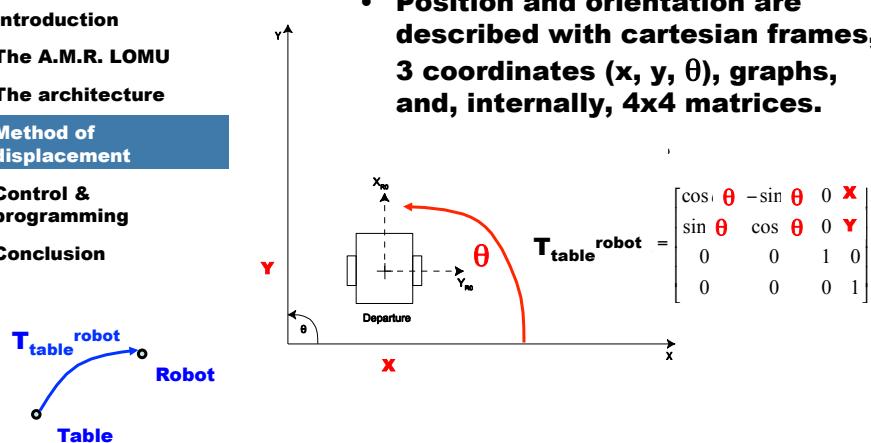
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- Position and orientation are described with cartesian frames, 3 coordinates (x, y, θ), graphs, and, internally, 4×4 matrices.



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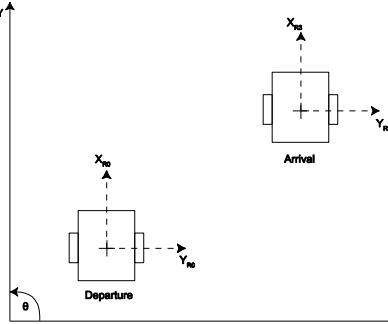
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- The Lomu's technique of displacement is like robotics industrial arm:



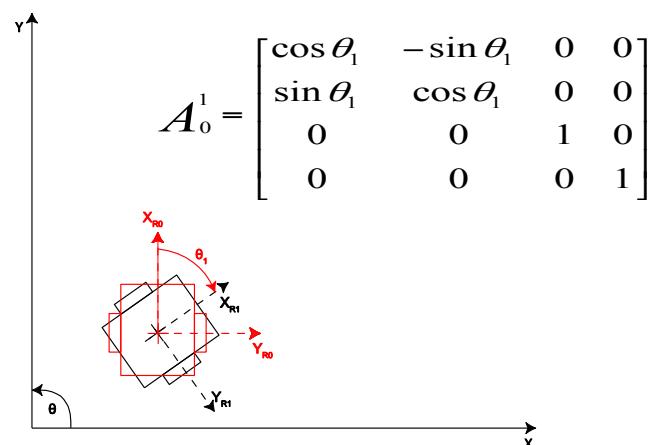
This concept allows to limit the complexity of displacement methodology using three virtual joints ($\theta_1; d_2; \theta_3$) with the Denavit and Hartenberg's method.

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- Rotation with θ_1 :



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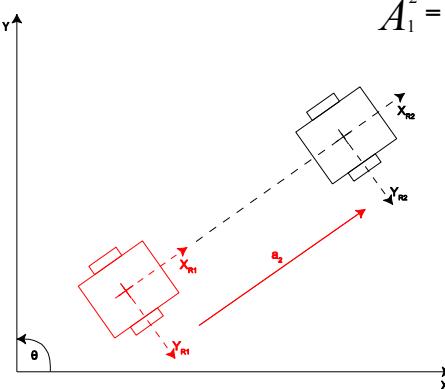
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- Displacement with d_2 :

$$A_1^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & d_2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



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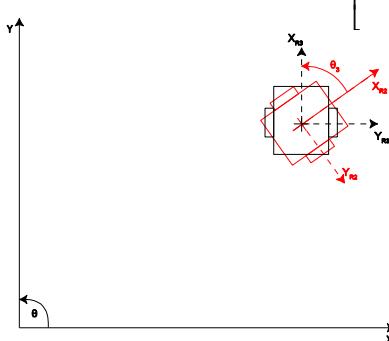
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- Rotation with θ_3 :

$$A_2^3 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_3 & \sin \theta_3 & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta_3 & \cos \theta_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



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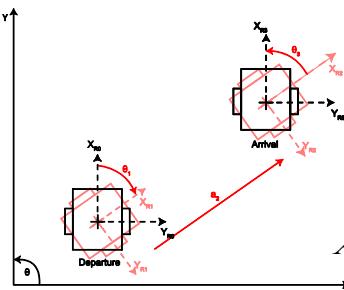
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- Total displacement of the robot:



$$A_0^1 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_d & -\sin \theta_d & 0 & 0 \\ \sin \theta_d & \cos \theta_d & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_1^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & a_2 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_2^3 = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta_a & \sin \theta_a & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta_a & \cos \theta_a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The final matrix of robot's position is:

$$A_0^3 = A_0^1 \cdot A_1^2 \cdot A_2^3$$

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- The programming of the robot and the trajectory management are carried out in a context "Piaget" multi-agents real time implemented in C++ language.

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Control & programming (2 of 5)

```
// PIAGET et quelques instructions de style VAL (V
Introduction      +)
The A.M.R. LOMU location Position1 ; // exemple : position No 1
The architecture int NSIDemarrage=1 ; // exemple : entrée No 1
Method of         int NSOCanon=2 ; // exemple : sortie No 2
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programming
Conclusion       // Début du match
50:WaitAGN(NSIDemarrage); //attente d'une entrée
  « vraie »
  break; case
  51 : GoState(1001);    break; case
  ...
  // Tir des balles de ping pong
  500: SignalOutAGN(NSOCanon, true); //commande d'une
                                             // sortie
                                             break; case
  ...

```

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```
// Affichage
602: TypeStringAGN(" US Gauche: "); break; case
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603: TypeIntegerAGN(DistanceCapteurUSGauche());
      break; case
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604: SleepAGN(1); // attente d'une seconde
      break; case
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605: ; // arrêt de la tâche
Conclusion
721: SetAGN(Position1,Trans(100,100,-90));
      // on définit une position en x,y cm,
      // avec orientation de phi degrés
      break; case
722: MoveAGN(Position1); // on s'y déplace
...
1001: if(SignalIn(NSIBarriereEntree)) //test d'une
      entrée
      GoState(1130); // Palet ou...

```

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- Structure - The program is composed of various parts dedicated to different agents.

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```
while (! DesiredInteraction) {  
    Ticks+=1;  
    Task01();  
    Task02();  
    Task03();  
    Task04();  
    Task05();  
    programming context)  
        Task06();  
        Task07();  
        current configuration  
            Task08();  
            motions  
                Task09();  
                Task10();  
                Task11();  
                Task12();  
                shoot)  
            Task13();  
            Task18(); }
```

// Move one step
// Read keyboard
// Perform point to point wheel motion
// Define strategy (typical user)

// Update Inputs/Outputs
// Display real and simulated status and

// Compute inverse kinematics and spatial

motions
// Flash control LED

// Analyze images

// Manage finger reflex

// Manage ball operations (pick, store and
shoot)

Task13();

// Test inputs

// Interpret "Piaget" primitives

The various programmed tasks are switched every 100 nanoseconds (sic) on average.

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- Image processing:

Image analysis includes various processes:

- Average filtering.
- Median filtering.
- Processing in specific modes.

The specific modes of processing make it possible to define the attributes which are characteristic of a colour to be isolated:

- The red mode to detect the balls.
- The green mode to locate the coconut tree.
- The magenta and blue modes to locate the luminous markers on each side of the opposite goal.

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• Image processing:

Example with the mode which locates markers:

Acquisition



Average filter



Detection of magenta zone



Display of the magenta target



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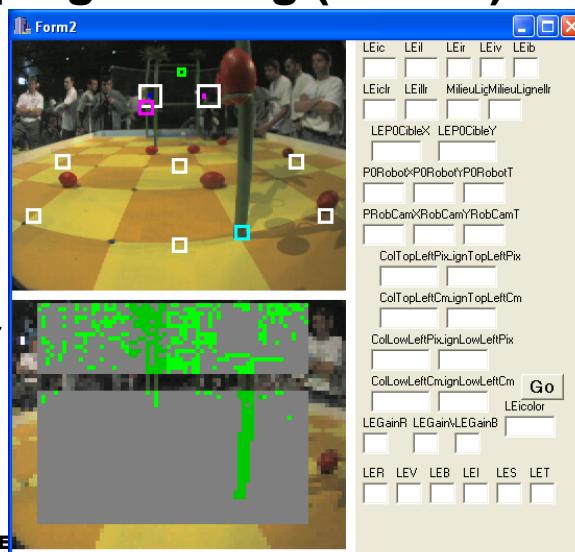
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Image processing:

- extrait le vert-brun cocotier
- intègre verticalement
- extrait la zone maximale (vert foncé)
- intègre horizontalement
- filtre avec médian
- localise transition verticale

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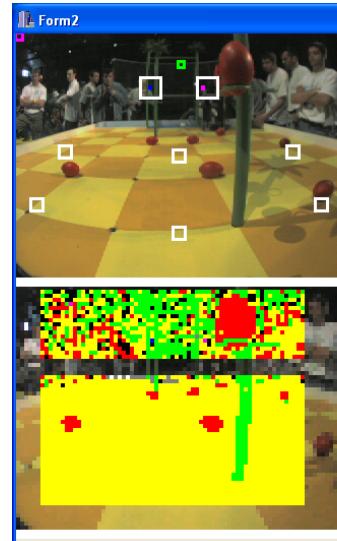
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Image processing:

- Equilibre des blancs
 - GainsRVB
- Extrait neuf couleurs:
 - Saturation faible
 - Noir, gris ou blanc
 - Saturation forte
 - Rouge, vert, bleu
 - Jaune, cyan, magenta



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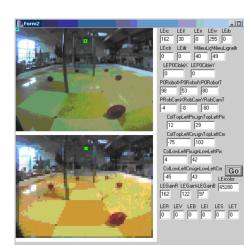
Main control panel:

- Simulates the displacement of the robot.
- Provides a visual monitoring of inputs/outputs.
- allows to adjust various parameters (max speed, acceleration, etc.).
- Check correct program operations .



Image processing panel:

The control panel of the video camera allows to adjust colour video gains, to define the position of target in the picture, which allows for the correlation between distances on the playing table and relative locations of image pixels



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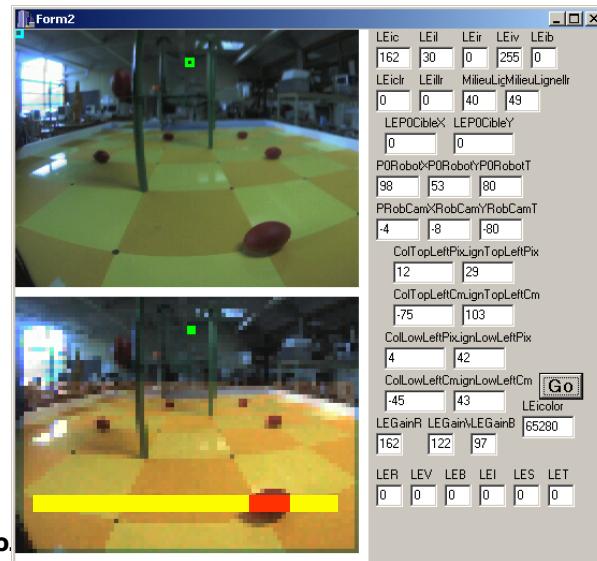
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The A.M.R. LOMU
The architecture
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Conclusion

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void ObserverLigneAGN(int
ALNoLigne, int
ALStartColonne, int
ALStopColonne);

void
PasserDeLImageAuTerrain(int
pColonne, int
pLigne, tPoint2DPlus
&pP0Temp);
```

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Summary about ARY Robots

Introduction
The A.M.R. LOMU
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Conclusion

- This particular architecture of the autonomous mobile robots of the Laboratory of Robotics and Automation (LaRA) of the HESSO-HEIG proved its effectiveness for the Swiss and European robotics cups (EUROBOT). The various sensors that "Lomu" uses make it possible to obtain a great safety during displacements, in terms of obstacle avoidance and localization. The structure of programming with "Piaget" makes it possible to carry out modifications quickly, and clearly facilitates programming of strategies.

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Animats - automates en situation - robots insectes

Labyrinthe

Fourmi

Robots intelligents - avec modélisation

Labyrinthe bis

Expansion

Robots mobiles autonomes robustes

Golf – Piaget environment

Robots coopératifs

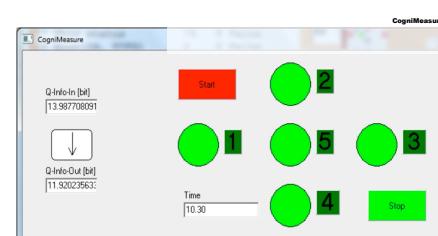
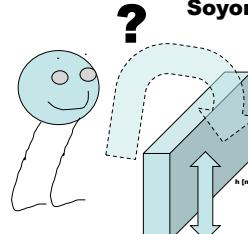
Robocup-at-Home

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Robots coopératifs

Nécessité de communication avec l'homme

Vision, toucher, voix; gestion d'imprévus et d'éléments peu structurés; cf. Robocup-at-Home

Robots mobiles autonomes robustes

Intégration de modules éprouvés (moteurs, capteurs, caméras, ordi, PLC, Ethernet, TCP/IP, Windows...)

Environnement Piaget

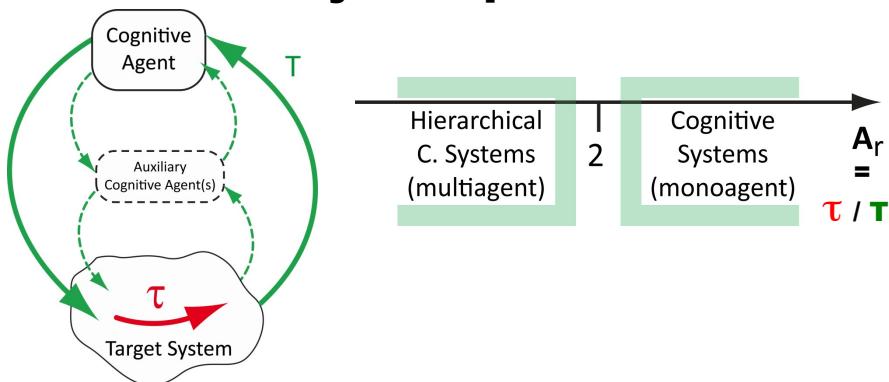
Environnement temps-réel, multi-tâches, avec coordination étroite; implémentation en Pascal, C ou C++

Cf. Exemple RH-Y

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RH-Y (1 de 8)

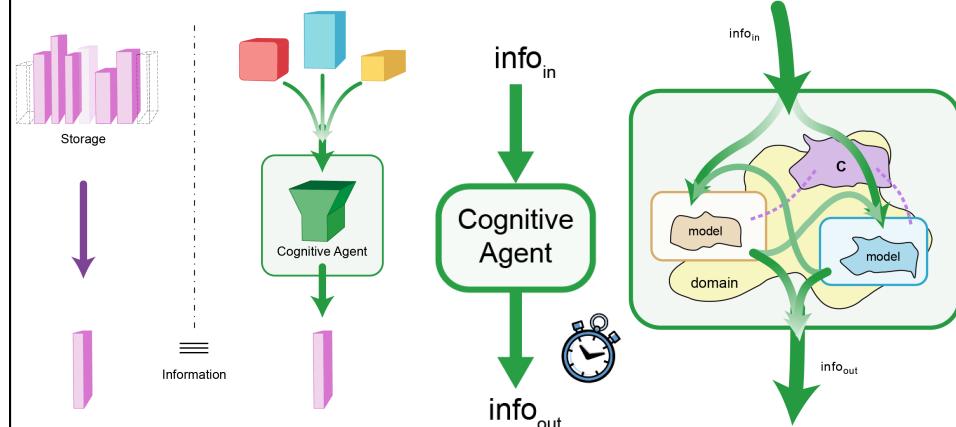
Robots coopératifs – aspects dynamiques



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Robots coopératifs – aspects cognitifs

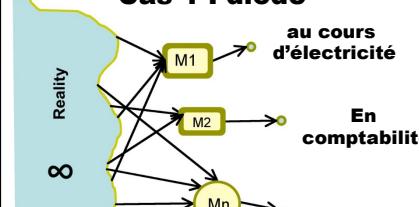


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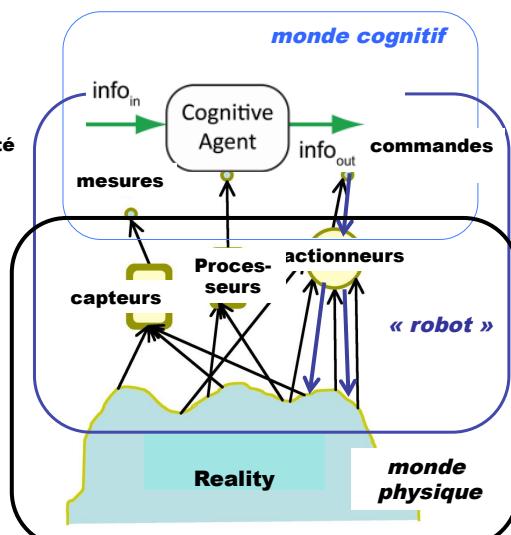
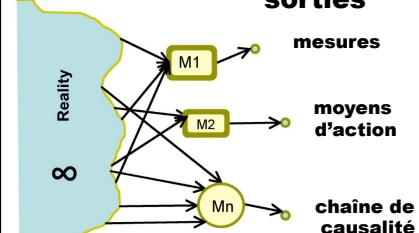
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Robots coopératifs – Embodiment

Cas 1 : diode



Cas 2: entrées-sorties

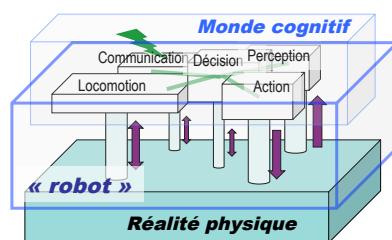
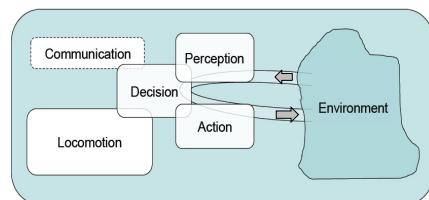


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11: SleepAGN(0.05);
12: if(!SignalIn(NSIStart))

 GoState(6);

 else

 GoState(20);

 20: DemarrerMatchAGN();

// start 90 s tir

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21: SignalOutAGN(NSOAspirateur, true); // start n

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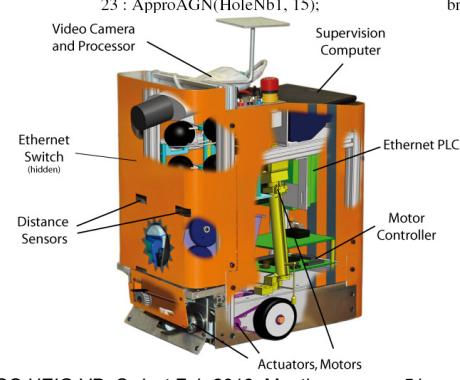
22: SignalOutAGN(NSORouleauIN, true); // start m

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23 : ApproAGN(HoleNb1, 15);

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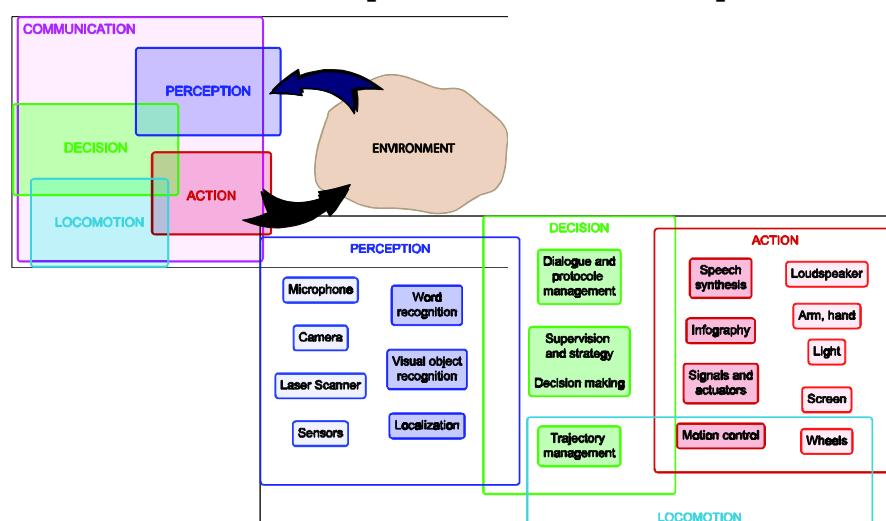


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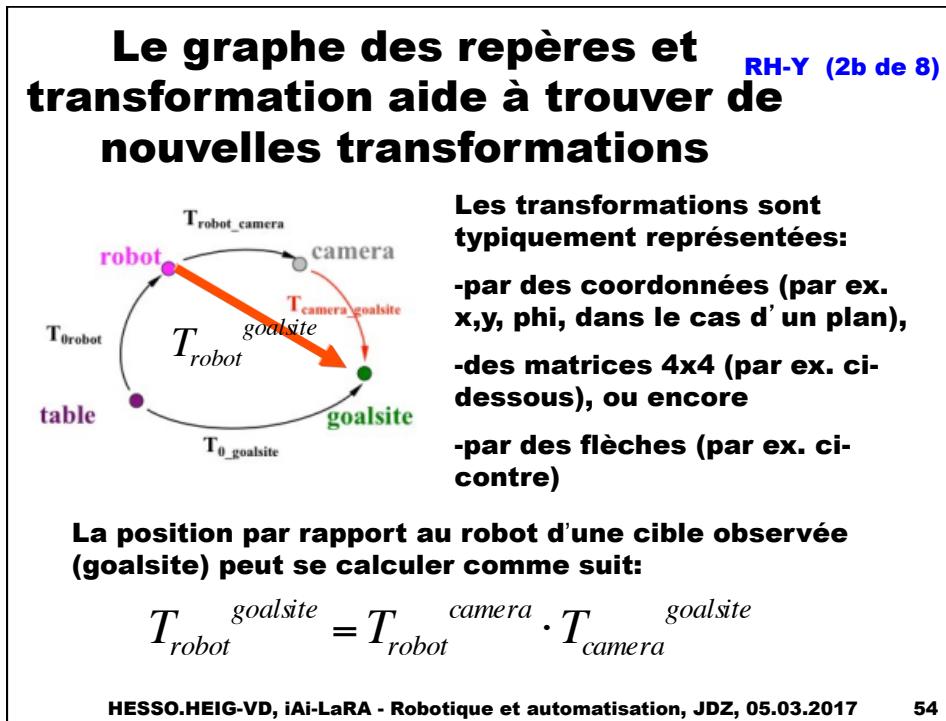
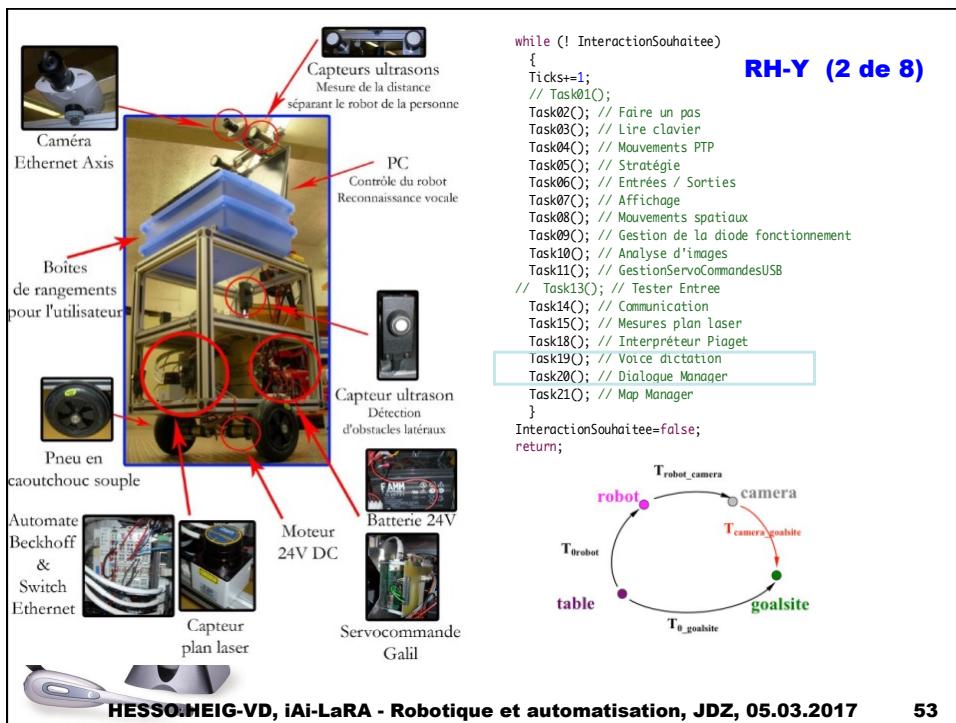
RH-Y (1b de 8)

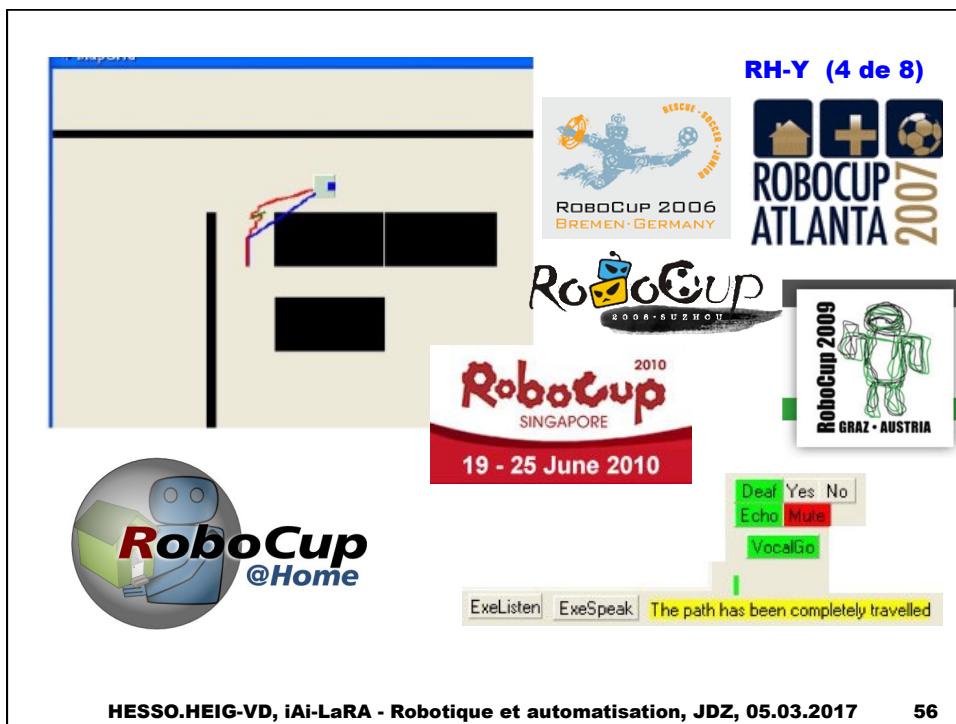
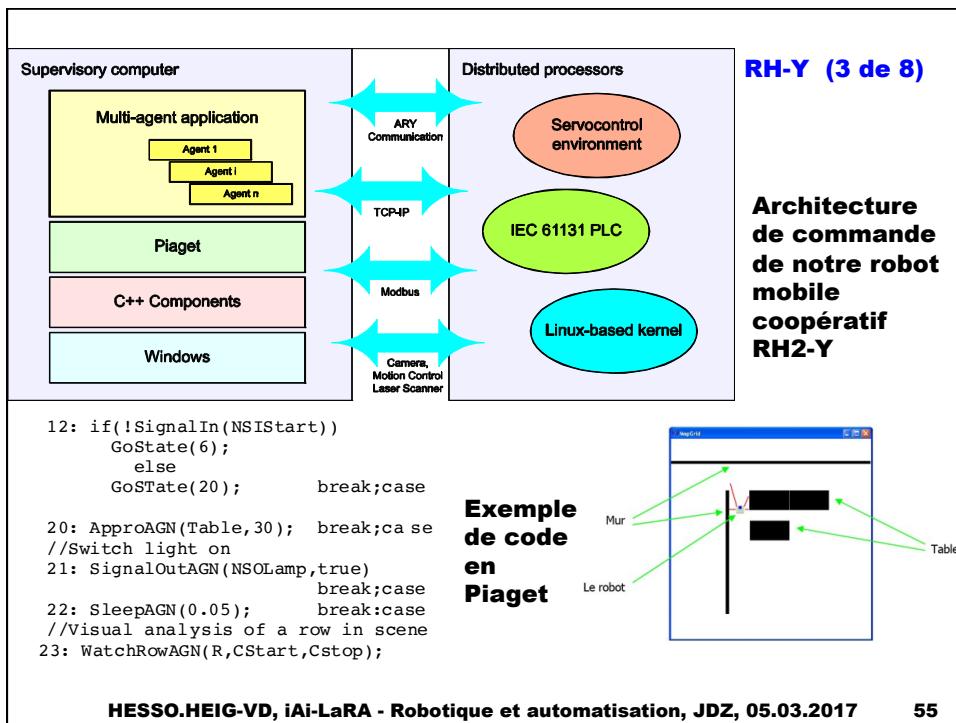
Robots coopératifs - exemple



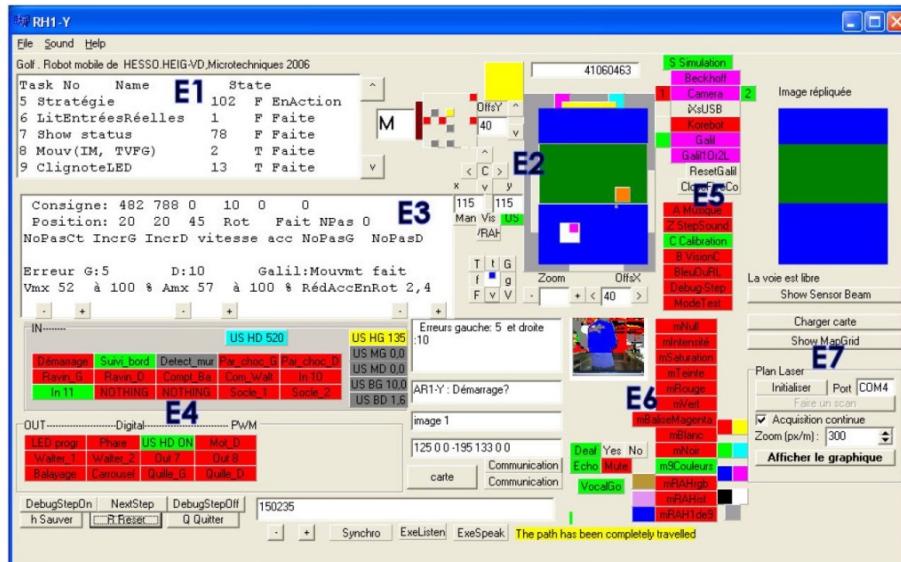
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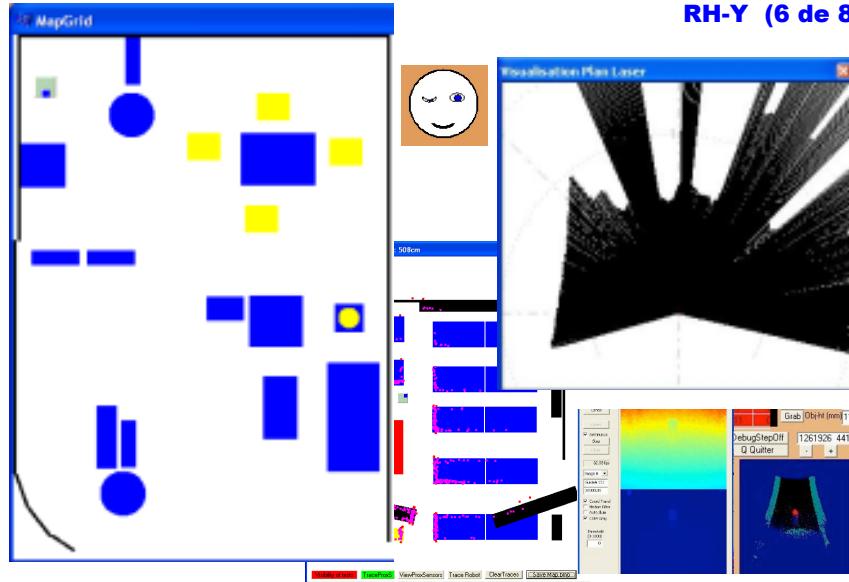
RH-Y (5 de 8)



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RH-Y (6 de 8)



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Fig. 1b Tâche « CopyCat » où le robot évolutif RH2-Y, mobile, autonome et coopératif, conçu pour Robocup-at-Home, c'est-à-dire pour l'aide aux tâches domestiques, reconnaît et reproduit les mouvements de l'homme (Atlanta 2007)



Fig. 1c Tâche « FastFollow » où le robot évolutif RH3-Y apprend les déplacements dans le logement en suivant un humain (Suzhou 2008)



RH-Y (8 de 8)

Bras léger intrinsèquement non dangereux (Katana) et ranger SR-4000



RH3-Y (Suzhou 2008 en haut) et RH4-Y (en bas)



Equipes d' humanoïdes - taille enfant (Osaka-J-NimbRo-D)

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**Plateforme « standard », NAO, d' Aldebaran-F
(SoftBank – J)**

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Open Challenge '10 – Safer Follow Mode

(and automated service in department stores)

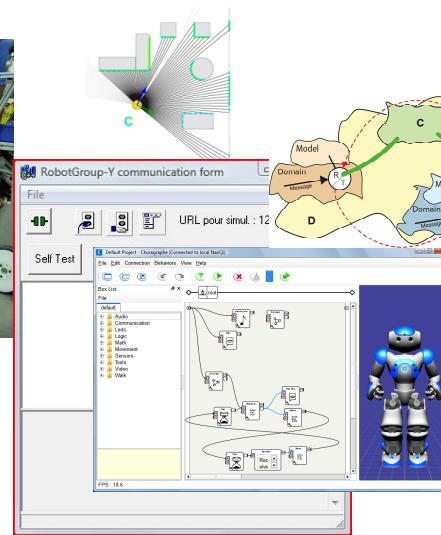
• Scientific aspects

- The task requires :
 - Perception (incl. range data)
 - Locomotion
 - Prehension/manipulation (incl. kinematic aspects)
 - Cognition (control, decision-making, AI)
- As usual for Robocup@Home:
 - Integrated, embedded system, with real world constraints and
 - Very significant cognitive performance levels
(K: ca 1MLin, E: ca 100kLin/s)

Robot Group, 3-D correlation of 2-D maps, graphic programming and Piaget communication for NAO

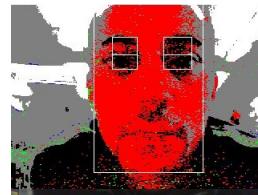


Robot Group (RG-Y) and wifi-based internal cooperation; Nao as a mediator ; Piaget integration; RH with new power drive; tablet PC in the group.



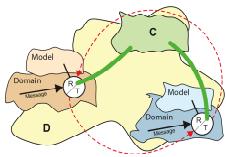
Face recognition and saturation-based, weighted hue and intensity, color correlation

- Persons now to be found, introduced, and later on recognized and greeted
- Re. Facial recognition, biometry (left), W-correlation: 2D « correlation », i.e. integral similarity estimation, based on weighted color differences (re. ISH model and weighted intensity and hue differences as a function of saturation; analog to defuzzification processes: right, for one eye)



Open Challenge '10 – Humanoids as cultural mediators

1 of 2



- Many people dream of creating **artificial humans**, and other ones fear that other people achieve that.

- **Machines will stay machines**, and humans, humans

Complements and cyborgs; machines

Humanoids may be extremely useful as cultural mediators

- Ex. 1 : Robot group serving Daniel
- Ex.2 : Parking the car in the garage (concept)



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Open Challenge '10 – a Humanoid as a Mediator

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• Scientific aspects

- The task requires :
 - Perception (incl. vocal data)
 - Gestures, Locomotion
 - Communication (incl. common culture)
 - Cognition (control, decision-making, AI)
- As usual for Robocup-at-Home:
 - Integrated, embedded system, with real world constraints and
 - Very significant cognitive performance levels (K: ca 1MLin, E: ca 100kLin/s)
- Specially effective in Singapore 2010:
 - Command of robot OP-Y and RH-Y by robot NAO-Y (in RIPS etc.)



Nono the humanoid, of Nao type, lower left, mediates the human and the other machines (OP-Y platform where Nono is sitting ; and RH-Y robot that brings drink and snacks)

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Open Challenge '11 – Thermal Vision

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• Scientific aspects

- The task requires :
 - Perception in far infrared domain
 - Extensive spatial and object calibration
- The benefits :
 - Discriminant feature for human recognition
 - Numerous other @Home potential applications
 - Very significant cognitic performance levels
(K: ca 200kLin, E: ca 2MLin/s)



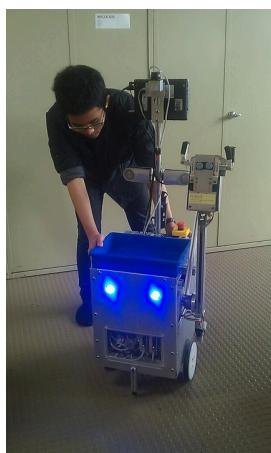
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Open Challenge '11 – Compliant Motion

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• Scientific aspects



- The task requires :
 - Tightly coordinate, multi-level control
 - Decoupling of acceleration and inertia related force and torque disturbances
- As usual for Robocup-at-Home:
 - Integrated, embedded system, with real world constraints and
 - Significant cognitic performance levels
(K: ca 25 Lin, E: ca 25kLin/s)

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Conclusion

- **Les animats, automates en situation, robots insectes, peuvent faire beaucoup sans modélisation ni même mémorisation**
- **Pour aller au-delà du présent, c'est-à-dire raisonner avec le passé ou le futur, les robots intelligents ont un besoin absolu de modélisation**
- **Les robots mobiles autonomes robustes requièrent des architectures puissantes, avec des agents multiples, spécialisés par fonction et performances, avec divers points de vue, généraux ou très spécifiques**
- **Les robots coopératifs nécessitent en plus de gérer la communication, entre eux ou avec l'homme**