
Gesture Controls for Raven Robot

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Raven Robot

- Open-Source System
- Closer Tools
- Applications/Innovations
 - Heart Surgery
 - 3D US
 - Field Teleoperation

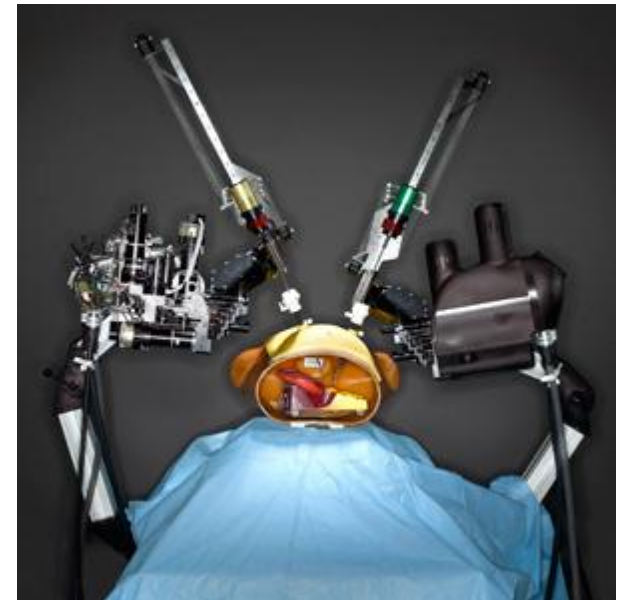


image courtesy of popular mechanics



3Gear System

- 2 Kinects
- Tracks hands, fingers
- Modifies for closer applications



Image courtesy of 3Gear

CISST/ROS Libraries



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- CISST
 - open source software for computer assisted intervention systems
 - calibrate systems and track sensors
 - ROS
 - open source software for controlling robots
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Goals

Minimum: saw Wrapper for 3Gear, cisstToRos in whatever shape, simple frames moving in Gazebo

Expected: Integrate 3Gear, CISST, ROS libraries. Control a Raven Simulator using gesture controls.

Maximum: **Control the Raven robot using gesture controls**

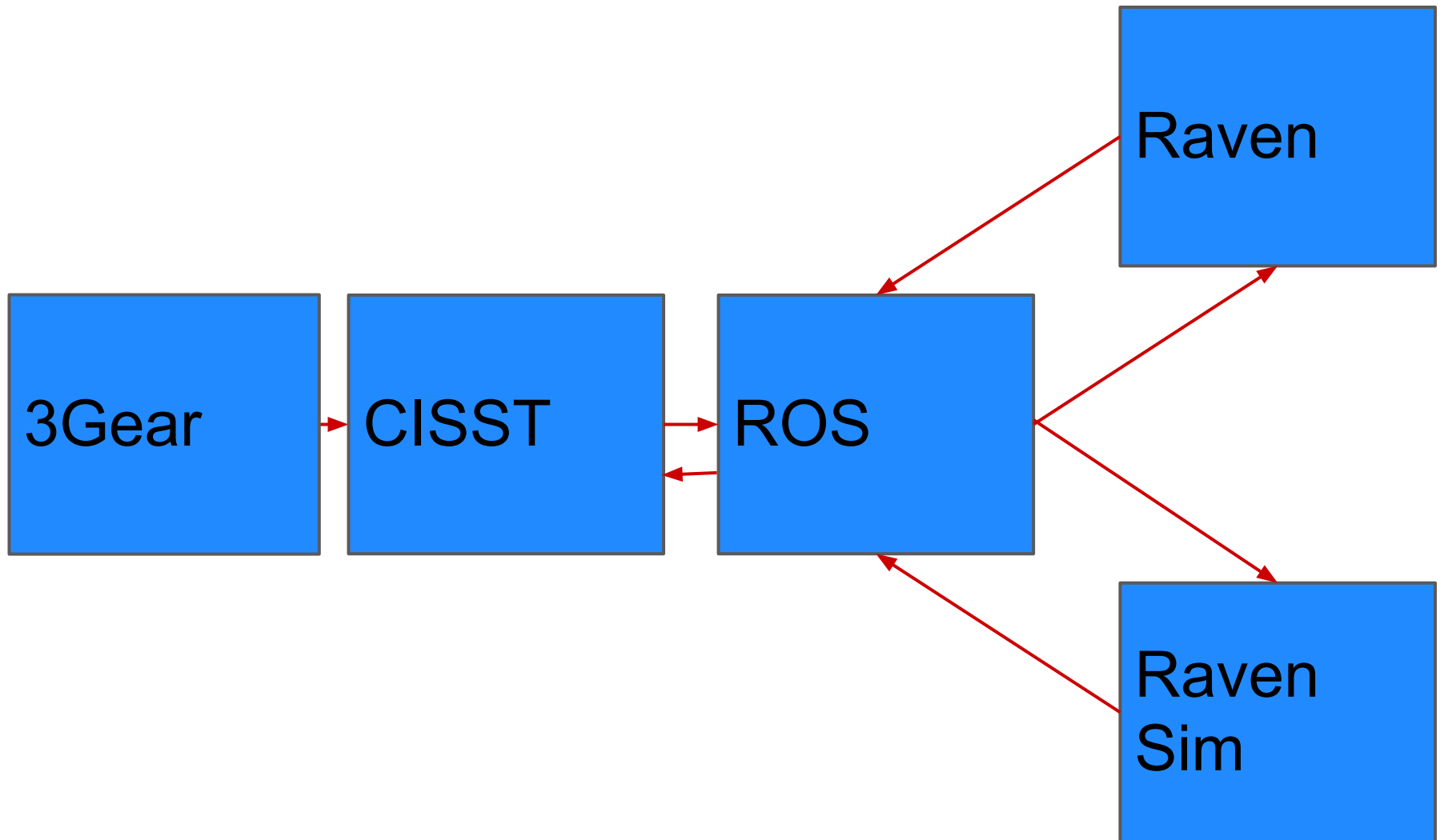
Significance



- Gesture controls integrated with CISST libraries (possibilities!)
 - CISST/ROS integration (more possibilities!)
 - Oh yeah, and a ROBOT.
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Technical Approach





Milestones

April 1 - 3Gear talks to CISST - Kristine

April 1 - CISST talks to ROS - Alan

April 19 - ROS talks to Simulator - Both

April 26 - 3Gear to Simulator - Both

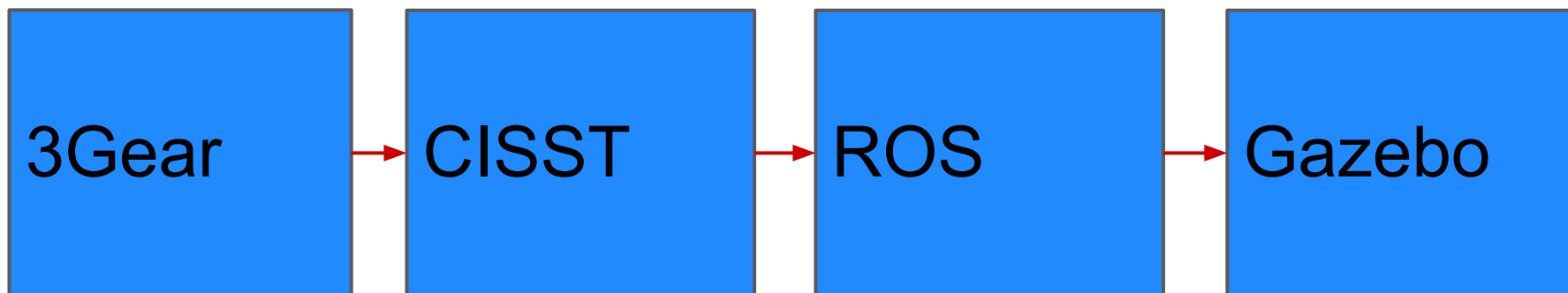
April 29 - ROS talks to Raven - Both

May 3 - 3Gear to Raven - Both



Deliverables - Min

- SAW wrapper for 3Gear
- cisstToRos interface
- Simple frames moving in Gazebo

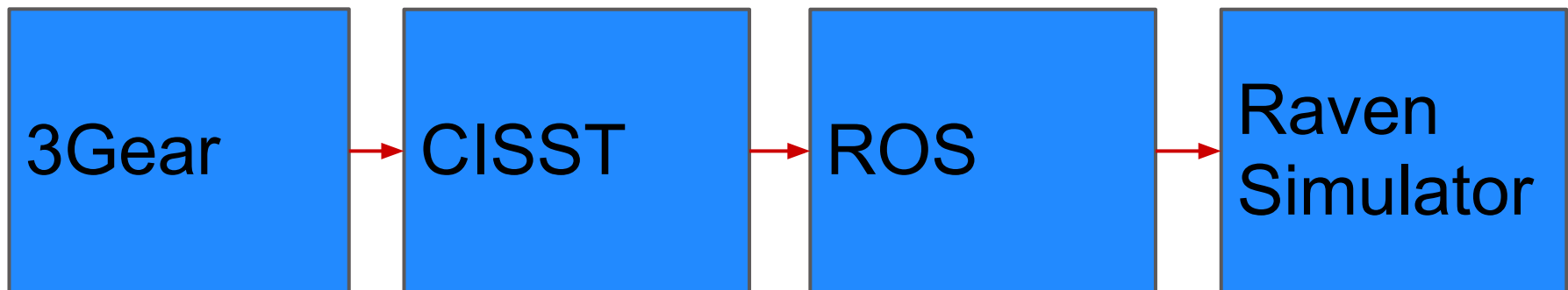


Deliverables - Expected



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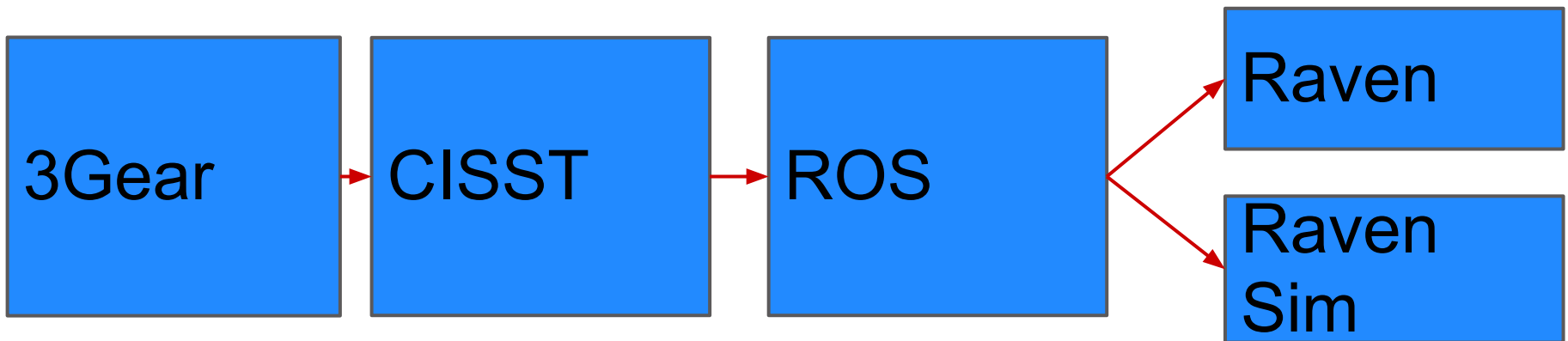
- Integrate all stages (3Gear to CISST to ROS to simulator)
- 3Gear moves Raven Simulator





Deliverables - Max

- Integrate 3Gear, CISST, ROS, Raven Simulator, and Raven Robot
- Move the Raven Robot using gesture controls!





Dependencies

Access to 3Gear Computer

- **Resolution Plan:** Get J-Card access, ask Kell for access
- **Resolve by:** February 15
- **Resolved:** No
- **Fallback plan:** N/A

Learn to build CISST

- **Resolution Plan:** Meet with Anton to help us
- **Resolve by:** February 22
- **Resolved:** No
- **Fallback plan:** Find another helpful person to teach us CMake (or learn it through documentation)

Access to Linux Machine for ROS and Raven Simulator

- **Resolution Plan:** Kell finds us a Linux machine to work with
 - **Resolve by:** February 22
 - **Resolved:** No
 - **Fallback plan:** Work on a virtual machine or on our laptops
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Dependencies

Networking between 3Gear (Windows) machine and ROS/Raven (Linux) Machine

- **Resolution Plan:** Ask mentors for help
- **Resolve by:** March 25
- **Resolved:** No
- **Fallback plan:** Learn to network computers?

CAD models and/or actual Raven Simulator

- **Resolution Plan:** These should be available through the Raven community
- **Resolve by:** March 15
- **Resolved:** No
- **Fallback plan:** Contact other research groups/universities for access to their Raven Simulator, or use the Gazebo simulator

Access to Raven Robot + Control Computer

- **Resolution Plan:** Ask Kell for access
 - **Resolve by:** April 15
 - **Resolved:** No
 - **Fallback plan:** Maximum Deliverable is not achieved.
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Management Plan

- Weekly meetings with Kell and Anton (Wednesdays 1pm)
 - Weekly meetings without mentors also on Wednesdays
 - Update the project webpage every Wednesday
 - We will each work approximately 6-10 hours per on the project.
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Readings



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