

GUARDIAN-WAM

Quick-Start Guide

This Quick-Start Guide steps you through the Guardian-WAM system and running a simple program (Guardian-WAM Teleoperation). This document can be used in conjunction with the Guardian-WAM documentation at <http://support.barrett.com/wiki/GuardianWAM> and software documentation at <http://code.google.com/p/gwam-ros-pkg>.

Lab Space Setup

Requirement for operation:

- 110/220 VAC, 50-60 Hz (Required for 54V Lithium-Ion Batter Charger).
- Wireless external computer for logging into Guardian and WAM PCs

Assembly

Mount and connect the WAM into the Guardian.

(detailed at <http://support.barrett.com/wiki/GuardianWAM/HardwareSetup>)

The Guardian-WAM has an onboard wireless access point (AP). When the WAM turns on, it will request a static IP from a DHCP server of 192.168.2.110. The SSID of the AP is GWAM, and the password is "BarrettRobotnik". You can use a laptop PC or other wireless-enabled device to connect to the Guardian-WAM AP. To log in and configure the AP you can visit <http://192.168.2.1>. Username is "admin", and password is the default "1234".

Starting the Guardian-WAM

- 1) **Switch on the main power to the system**
- 2) **Turn on the Guardian PC by pressing the Guardian CPU Start Button**
- 3) **Switch on the WAM Power**
- 4) **Release E-Stops and press Restart button, resetting the safety system**



Note: Upon Guardian-WAM Startup a ROS Master is started on the Guardian PC. Also launched is guardian_complete.launch. This file will initialize and start all nodes for the Guardian-WAM sensors and motor control. The Guardian and WAM Joystick Teleoperation nodes are also started by default on the system. The wam_node is ****NOT**** started by default and must be launched by the user. This is for safety purposes involved in the WAM initialization.

5) Use a secure shell (ssh) program to connect to the WAM PC.

- More information / instructions for connecting the Guardian and WAM PCs
<http://code.google.com/p/gwam-ros-pgk/wiki/InitialSetupInstructionsOffboardPC>

```
--- Linux ---  
$ ssh robot@192.168.2.110  
Login: robot  
Password: WAM
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6) Launch the WAM node on the WAM PC.

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--- Linux ---  
$ roslaunch wam_bringup wam_guardian.launch
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7) The Guardian-WAM system is now fully active.

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--- View all active Guardian-WAM Nodes ---  
$ rosnodetop  
--- View all active Guardian-WAM Topics ---  
$ rostopic list  
--- View all active Guardian-WAM Service ---  
$ rosservice list
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8) Pair your Bluetooth Joystick and Teleoperate the Guardian-WAM System.

- More information / Instructions for pairing your bluetooth joystick:
<http://code.google.com/p/gwam-ros-pkg/wiki/GWAMTutorialPairingPS3Joystick>
- More information / Instructions for teleoperating the Guardian-WAM:
<http://code.google.com/p/gwam-ros-pkg/wiki/GWAMJoystickTeleop>

Congratulations!

You have set up your Guardian-WAM!