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Playground: VIQC Virtual Skills - Full Volume

Project Name: 979A_SensoryOverlords_Sathyen

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A vertical strip of colorful, abstract shapes and patterns, possibly representing a data visualization or a decorative border. The strip is composed of various colored blocks (red, orange, yellow, green, blue, purple) and lines, arranged in a vertical sequence. The colors transition from red at the top to purple at the bottom. The shapes are irregular and fragmented, creating a textured, layered appearance. The overall effect is that of a digital collage or a data visualization strip.

when started

Byte can only pickup 1 block. We tried green and we couldn't get height bonus. With red it took long to align and couldn't get uniform bonus. but with purple we can get uniform and height bonus by putting 2 or 3 blocks into each tower.

We decided to start with 2 blocks in each tower and park. Then we realized that we had time to do one more purple by changing the path and added that. sometimes byte does full park if you continue driving forward in the end

we are using different sensors in byte. we use the optical sensor to find out if we picked green or red to drop it because we want uniform bonus. we are using distance sensor to find out how close to go to the tower to drop we are using gyro to find direction by using heading to.

we also have variable for arm pick height, arm drop height, wait time and robot length to allow easy changing.

setup

Tower 1

tower 2

Tower 3

Park

define

setup

This block does all of the initial setup for the robot

It sets the pick height of the arm to only pick up purple blocks.
It also sets the drop height to perfectly drop.
Making them as variables is helpful in trying out different heights easily.

clear all rows

print Running Setup Code and set cursor to next row

set arm_pick_height to 60

set arm_drop_height to 330

set wait_time to 0.7

set drop_robot_length to 160

Sets All Motor Velocities to a hundred percent

set drive velocity to 100 %

set turn velocity to 100 %

set ArmMotorGroup velocity to 100 %

set IntakeMotorGroup velocity to 100 %

Sets the arm to Pick Height

spin ArmMotorGroup up for arm_pick_height degrees and don't wait

define

drop

This block handles all of the dropping mechanism. It spins arm Motor up to Arm Drop Height and spins outtake to drop the block. After Waiting for a second it stops the intake and lowers the arm to the arm pick height. skip it if no block is already picked by using the bumper sensor to see block is already picked

if IntakeBumper pressed? then

spin ArmMotorGroup to position arm_drop_height degrees

spin IntakeMotorGroup outtake

wait wait_time seconds

stop IntakeMotorGroup

spin ArmMotorGroup to position arm_pick_height degrees and don't wait

define

pick

Spins intake forward to pick up 1 block.
skip it if block is already picked

if not IntakeBumper pressed? then

spin IntakeMotorGroup intake

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define final distance
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set drop_zone_distance to FrontDistance object distance in mm
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drive forward for drop_zone_distance - drop_robot_length mm
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define

checkColor

this block checks if green or red are picked and drops them down since we want uniform bonus. this uses the optical sensor to check color and drop on field if it is not purple

if detects ? or detects ? then

print and set cursor to next row

spin

wait seconds

define

print info

This block prints the drive heading and the drive rotation and a lot more information on robot to help you find out what is going wrong in the code and what happened

print Drive Heading:

print drive heading in degrees and set cursor to next row

print Drive Rotation:

print drive rotation in degrees and set cursor to next row

print intake motor

print IntakeMotorGroup position in degrees and set cursor to next row

print object distance

print FrontDistance object distance in mm and set cursor to next row

print found purple

print FrontOptical detects purple ? and set cursor to next row

print object distance

print FrontDistance object distance in mm and set cursor to next row

print intake spinning

print IntakeMotorGroup is spinning? and set cursor to next row

print bumper pressed

print IntakeBumper pressed? and set cursor to next row

define **Park**

Prepares for Park

turn left for 90 degrees

print Prepares and finishes parking and set cursor to next row

set drop_zone_distance to FrontDistance object distance in mm

drive forward for drop_zone_distance mm

spin ArmMotorGroup up for 600 degrees and don't wait

drive forward for 500 mm

Parked

define Tower 1

collects and drops 2 purple blocks in tower 1 and knocks 1 red

pick

drive forward for 910 mm

checkColor

print picking purple 1 for tower 1 and set cursor to next row

drive reverse for 20 mm

print knocking red 1 and set cursor to next row

turn left for 45 degrees

final distance

print dropping purple 1 in tower 1 and set cursor to next row

drop

drive reverse for 100 mm

turn right for 87 degrees

print picking purple 2 for tower 1 and set cursor to next row

pick

drive forward for 210 mm

checkColor

drive reverse for 210 mm

turn left for 87 degrees

final distance

print dropping purple 2 in tower 1 and set cursor to next row

drop

define tower 2

collects and drops 2 purple blocks in tower 2 and knocks 1 red

print picking purple 3 for tower 2 and set cursor to next row

drive reverse for 500 mm

turn right for 90 degrees

drive forward for 500 mm

pick

print knocking red 2 and set cursor to next row

turn right for 170 degrees

checkColor

drive forward for 1280 mm

print drop purple 3 for tower 2 and set cursor to next row

drop

turn right for 110 degrees

print pick purple 4 for tower 2 and set cursor to next row

pick

drive forward for 260 mm

checkColor

drive reverse for 260 mm

print drop purple 4 for tower 2 and set cursor to next row

turn left for 110 degrees

drop

turn to heading 90 degrees

drive forward for 450 mm

turn to heading 30 degrees

print knocking red 3 and set cursor to next row

define Tower 3

collects and drops 3 purple blocks in tower 3 and knocks 1 red

drive forward for 20 mm

print picking purple 5 for tower 3 and set cursor to next row

pick

drive forward for 250 mm

checkColor

drive reverse for 400 mm

turn to heading 90 degrees

drive forward for 1000 mm

turn to heading 110 degrees

final distance

print drop purple 4 for tower 3 and set cursor to next row

drop

print pick purple 6 for tower 3 and set cursor to next row

pick

drive reverse for 200 mm

turn left for 90 degrees

drive forward for 335 mm

checkColor

drive reverse for 335 mm

turn right for 90 degrees

drive forward for 200 mm

print drop purple 6 for tower 3 and set cursor to next row

drop

print pick purple 7 for tower 3 and set cursor to next row

pick

drive reverse for 450 mm

turn left for 125 degrees

drive forward for 500 mm

checkColor

drive reverse for 500 mm

turn right for 125 degrees

final distance

spin ArmMotorGroup up for 160 degrees and don't wait

print drop purple 7 for tower 3 and set cursor to next row

drop