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Why are trivial things so hard? LAMAS SING micro-talk #1

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Robotics and Semantic Systems

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Our interests:

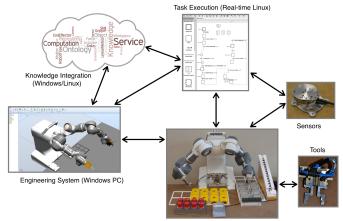
- natural language processing
- human-robot interaction
- knowledge representation and reasoning
- robotics and automation software

Our projects:

- EU: mostly robotic ones
- Swedish: mostly NLP



Context of my question



Native Robot Controller (ABB)



Some nice movies

MOVIES

illustrating learning by being told

Work of primarily Maj Stenmark

- Ioopmovie_cut.mov
- constraint.mov
- cut2.mov



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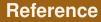
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Surprise! Two arms + three tools + 5 parts + 4 assembly operations **explode** all solvers we tried

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Tommy Kvant's Master's thesis (2015): Task scheduling for dual-arm industrial robots through Constraint Programming https://lup.lub.lu.se/student-papers/search/publication/5384696





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- Proposition (2014)

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