

1) Introduction:-

Pacman debuted in the 1980s as an arcade classic that features Pacman navigating mazes, gobbling dots, and dodging ghosts. Beyond its entertainment value, Pacman has played a pivotal role in the development of artificial intelligence, serving as a testing ground for AI algorithms. Our goal is to use Reinforcement learning to be able to play Pacman and successfully consume all the pellets while getting the highest score possible.

2) How Does the Game Work?

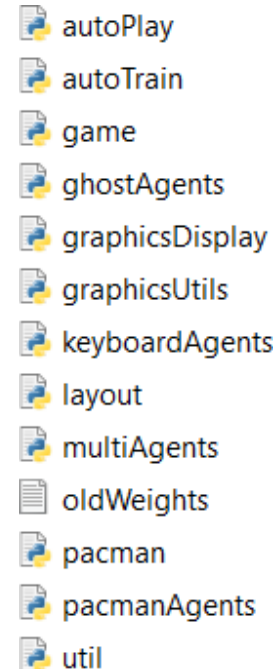
Pacman navigates through a maze with ghosts either chasing Pacman or scattering, with chasing happening 80% of the time while scattering is done 20% of the time, the goal of the game is for Pacman to be able to consume all the pellets within the maze without being killed by the ghosts while also trying to get the highest score possible.

3) How Does the Score Work?

Rewards	Points
Running into an active ghost	-250
Eating a scared ghost	+100
Winning (eating last dot)	+250
Eating a single dot	+1
Not eating anything	-1

4) What Files did we use?

- autoPlay & autoTrain: both files just continuously plays pacman
- game: main code for handling game operations
- ghostAgents: Agents responsible for handling ghosts
- graphicsDisplay: Responsible for displaying GUI
- graphicsUtils: Responsible for handling GUI utilities
- keyboardAgents: Responsible for keyboard inputs for when the user plays
- Layout: Responsible for handling the maze layout
- pacman: Responsible for running the game
- pacmanAgents: Agents that will play pacman
- util: responsible for handling the main Utilities



5) autoPlay.py File:-

```
import subprocess # Importing the subprocess module to run external commands
import time
import numpy as np

# Setting the number of episodes to run
episodes = 100

# Looping through the episodes
for i in range(0, episodes):
    print("Running Episode", i) # Printing the current episode number

    # Running the external command to execute a Pacman game and capturing the output
    result = subprocess.run("python pacman.py -p ReflexAgent -l mediumClassic --frameTime 0", stdout=subprocess.PIPE)

    # Converting the stdout to a string
    test = str(result.stdout)

    # Initializing the win flag as 'Lose'
    winFlag = 'Lose'

    # Checking if the word 'victorious' exists in the output string
    if (test.find('victorious') != -1):
        winFlag = 'Win' # Changing the win flag to 'Win' if Pacman is victorious

    # Appending the win flag to a text file named 'WinRatio.txt'
    with open('WinRatio.txt', 'a') as f:
        f.write(winFlag) # Writing the win flag
        f.write('\n') # Adding a new line after each win/loss entry
```

- This file simply just loops through multiple episodes through the command “python pacman.py -p ReflexAgent -k 2 --frameTime 0” which runs the game and checks whether pacman won or lost each game and writes it in a text file called WinRatio.txt.

6) keyboardAgents.py File:-

```

from game import Agent
from game import Directions
import random
class KeyboardAgent(Agent):
    WEST_KEY = 'a'
    EAST_KEY = 'd'
    NORTH_KEY = 'w'
    SOUTH_KEY = 's'
    STOP_KEY = 'q'
    def __init__(self, index=0):
        self.lastMove = Directions.STOP
        self.index = index
        self.keys = []

    def getAction(self, state):
        from graphicsUtils import keys_waiting
        from graphicsUtils import keys_pressed
        keys = keys_waiting() + keys_pressed()
        if keys != []:
            self.keys = keys

        legal = state.getLegalActions(self.index)
        move = self.getMove(legal)

        if move == Directions.STOP:
            if self.lastMove in legal:
                move = self.lastMove

        if (self.STOP_KEY in self.keys) and Directions.STOP in legal:
            move = Directions.STOP

        if move not in legal:
            move = random.choice(legal)

        self.lastMove = move
        return move

    def getMove(self, legal):
        move = Directions.STOP
        if (self.WEST_KEY in self.keys or 'Left' in self.keys) and Directions.WEST in legal:
            move = Directions.WEST
        if (self.EAST_KEY in self.keys or 'Right' in self.keys) and Directions.EAST in legal:
            move = Directions.EAST
        if (self.NORTH_KEY in self.keys or 'Up' in self.keys) and Directions.NORTH in legal:
            move = Directions.NORTH
        if (self.SOUTH_KEY in self.keys or 'Down' in self.keys) and Directions.SOUTH in legal:
            move = Directions.SOUTH
        return move

```

Here we assigned the usual wasd to each direction with q to stop and to handle which button is pressed for when the user is the one who plays the game

W => North

A => East

S => South

D => East

Q => Stop

7) layout.py File:-

```

11 class Layout:
12     """
13     A Layout manages the static information about the game board.
14     """
15     def __init__(self, layoutText):
16         # Initializing width and height based on the layoutText dimensions.
17         self.width = len(layoutText[0])
18         self.height = len(layoutText)
19         # Grid to represent walls, food, and agents' positions.
20         self.walls = Grid(self.width, self.height, False)
21         self.food = Grid(self.width, self.height, False)
22         self.capsules = [] # List to store capsule positions.
23         self.agentPositions = [] # List to store agents' positions.
24         self.numGhosts = 0 # Counter for the number of ghosts.
25         # Processing layout text to initialize the layout.
26         self.processLayoutText(layoutText)
27         self.layoutText = layoutText
28         self.totalFood = len(self.food.asList())
29
30     def getNumGhosts(self):
31         # Returns the number of ghosts in the layout.
32         return self.numGhosts

```

- First we start with a Layout class, and initialize the needed variables
- Function getNumGhosts just returns the number of ghosts in the layout

```

34 def initializeVisibilityMatrix(self):
35     # Initializing visibility matrix for each position on the layout.
36     global VISIBILITY_MATRIX_CACHE
37     if reduce(str.__add__, self.layoutText) not in VISIBILITY_MATRIX_CACHE:
38         from game import Directions
39         # Vectors and corresponding directions for visibility calculation.
40         vecs = [(-0.5, 0), (0.5, 0), (0, -0.5), (0, 0.5)]
41         dirs = [Directions.NORTH, Directions.SOUTH,
42                 Directions.WEST, Directions.EAST]
43         # Initializing visibility grid.
44         vis = Grid(self.width, self.height, {Directions.NORTH: set(), Directions.SOUTH: set(),
45         Directions.EAST: set(), Directions.WEST: set(), Directions.STOP: set()})
46         for x in range(self.width):
47             for y in range(self.height):
48                 if self.walls[x][y] == False:
49                     for vec, direction in zip(vecs, dirs):
50                         dx, dy = vec
51                         nextx, nexty = x + dx, y + dy
52                         # Adding visible positions in each direction.
53                         while (nextx + nexty) != int(nextx) + int(nexty) or not self.walls[int(nextx)][int(nexty)]:
54                             vis[x][y][direction].add((nextx, nexty))
55                             nextx, nexty = x + dx, y + dy
56         self.visibility = vis
57         VISIBILITY_MATRIX_CACHE[reduce(str.__add__, self.layoutText)] = vis
58     else:
59         self.visibility = VISIBILITY_MATRIX_CACHE[reduce(
60             str.__add__, self.layoutText)]

```

- Here's how the initializeVisibilityMatrix function works:-
 - It first checks if the visibility matrix for the current layout configuration is already cached. If it is, it retrieves the cached matrix and assigns it to the visibility attribute of the current object.
 - If the visibility matrix is not cached, it proceeds to calculate it.

- For each position (x, y) on the layout:
 - If the position is not a wall (i.e., it's traversable), it calculates the visible positions in each direction (north, south, east, west).
 - It iterates over a set of vectors and corresponding directions representing the four cardinal directions (north, south, east, west).
 - For each direction, it calculates the visible positions by extending the line of sight until it encounters a wall or reaches the edge of the layout.
 - It adds these visible positions to the visibility grid.
- After calculating the visibility matrix, it caches it for future use based on the layout configuration.
- Finally, it assigns the visibility matrix to the visibility attribute of the current object.

```

62     def isWall(self, pos):
63         # Check if a position is a wall.
64         x, col = pos
65         return self.walls[x][col]
66
67     def getRandomLegalPosition(self):
68         # Return a random legal position on the layout.
69         x = random.choice(list(range(self.width)))
70         y = random.choice(list(range(self.height)))
71         while self.isWall((x, y)):
72             x = random.choice(list(range(self.width)))
73             y = random.choice(list(range(self.height)))
74         return (x, y)
75
76     def getRandomCorner(self):
77         # Return a random corner position on the layout.
78         poses = [(1, 1), (1, self.height - 2), (self.width - 2, 1),
79                 (self.width - 2, self.height - 2)]
80         return random.choice(poses)
81
82     def getFurthestCorner(self, pacPos):
83         # Return the furthest corner position from a given position.
84         poses = [(1, 1), (1, self.height - 2), (self.width - 2, 1),
85                 (self.width - 2, self.height - 2)]
86         dist, pos = max([(manhattanDistance(p, pacPos), p) for p in poses])
87         return pos
88
89     def isVisibleFrom(self, ghostPos, pacPos, pacDirection):
90         # Check if a ghost is visible from Pacman's position and direction.
91         row, col = [int(x) for x in pacPos]
92         return ghostPos in self.visibility[row][col][pacDirection]
93
94     def __str__(self):
95         # Return the string representation of the layout.
96         return "\n".join(self.layoutText)
97
98     def deepCopy(self):
99         # Create a deep copy of the layout.
100        return Layout(self.layoutText[:])

```

- isWall just returns the positions of where the walls are
- getRandomLegalPosition where returns a legal position at random
- getFurthestCorner just returns the furthest corner from pacman's position

- isVisibleFrom checks whether the ghosts are visible for pacman from his position
- __str__ just returns a string representation of the layout
- deepCopy just creates a copy of the layout

```

102     def processLayoutText(self, layoutText):
103         """
104         Coordinates are flipped from the input format to the (x,y) convention here
105
106         The shape of the maze.  Each character
107         represents a different type of object.
108         % - Wall
109         . - Food
110         o - Capsule
111         G - Ghost
112         P - Pacman
113         Other characters are ignored.
114         """
115         maxY = self.height - 1
116         for y in range(self.height):
117             for x in range(self.width):
118                 layoutChar = layoutText[maxY - y][x]
119                 # Processing each character in the layout text.
120                 self.processLayoutChar(x, y, layoutChar)
121             self.agentPositions.sort()
122             self.agentPositions = [(i == 0, pos) for i, pos in self.agentPositions]
123
124     def processLayoutChar(self, x, y, layoutChar):
125         # Process each character in the layout text and update layout attributes accordingly.
126         if layoutChar == '%':
127             self.walls[x][y] = True
128         elif layoutChar == '.':
129             self.food[x][y] = True
130         elif layoutChar == 'o':
131             self.capsules.append((x, y))
132         elif layoutChar == 'P':
133             self.agentPositions.append((0, (x, y)))
134         elif layoutChar in ['G']:
135             self.agentPositions.append((1, (x, y)))
136             self.numGhosts += 1
137         elif layoutChar in ['1', '2', '3', '4']:
138             self.agentPositions.append((int(layoutChar), (x, y)))
139             self.numGhosts += 1

```

- Here's how processLayoutText function works:-
 - It iterates over each row (y) and column (x) of the layout text.
 - For each position (x, y), it retrieves the corresponding character from the layout text (layoutChar).
 - It processes each character in the layout text using the processLayoutChar method, which assigns properties to the maze elements based on the characters:
 - %: Wall
 - .: Food
 - o: Capsule
 - G: Ghost
 - P: Pacman

- Other characters are ignored.
 - After processing all characters, it sorts the agent positions and converts them into a tuple of a boolean value indicating whether it's Pacman (True for Pacman, False for Ghost) and the position coordinates.
 - Finally, it assigns the sorted and converted agent positions back to the agentPositions attribute of the layout.
- processLayoutChar function initializes the layout object based on the layout text, setting up walls, food, capsules, and agent positions (Pacman and ghosts) according to the characters in the layout text.

```
142 def getLayout(name, back=2):  
143     # Load layout from file.  
144     if name.endswith('.lay'):  
145         layout = tryToLoad('layouts/' + name)  
146         if layout == None:  
147             layout = tryToLoad(name)  
148     else:  
149         layout = tryToLoad('layouts/' + name + '.lay')  
150         if layout == None:  
151             layout = tryToLoad(name + '.lay')  
152     if layout == None and back >= 0:  
153         curdir = os.path.abspath('.')  
154         os.chdir('..')  
155         layout = getLayout(name, back - 1)  
156         os.chdir(curdir)  
157     return layout  
158  
159  
160 def tryToLoad(fullname):  
161     # Attempt to load a layout from a file.  
162     if (not os.path.exists(fullname)):  
163         return None  
164     f = open(fullname)  
165     try:  
166         return Layout([line.strip() for line in f])  
167     finally:  
168         f.close()
```

- getLayout function used to load maze layouts from files. It accepts the name of the layout file as input and attempts to load it. If the file extension is not provided, it tries both with and without the ".lay" extension. It recursively searches for the layout file in parent directories if it's not found in the current directory. Finally, it returns the loaded layout or None if the layout file is not found.
- tryToLoad just loads files.

8) ghostAgents.py File:-

- We have 2 agents for ghosts

```
class RandomGhost(GhostAgent):

    # A ghost that chooses a legal action uniformly at random.

    def getDistribution(self, state):
        # Returns a distribution over legal actions.

        dist = util.Counter()
        for a in state.getLegalActions(self.index):
            dist[a] = 1.0
        dist.normalize()
        return dist
```

- RandomGhost agent chooses moves uniformly at random

```
class DirectionalGhost(GhostAgent):
    # A ghost that prefers to rush Pacman, or flee when scared.
    def __init__(self, index, prob_attack=0.8, prob_scaredFlee=0.8):
        # Initializes the ghost agent with probabilities for attacking and fleeing.
        self.index = index
        self.prob_attack = prob_attack
        self.prob_scaredFlee = prob_scaredFlee

    def getDistribution(self, state):
        # Returns a distribution over legal actions.

        ghostState = state.getGhostState(self.index)
        legalActions = state.getLegalActions(self.index)
        pos = state.getGhostPosition(self.index)
        isScared = ghostState.scaredTimer > 0

        speed = 1
        if isScared:
            speed = 0.5

        actionVectors = [Actions.directionToVector(
            a, speed) for a in legalActions]
        newPositions = [(pos[0]+a[0], pos[1]+a[1]) for a in actionVectors]
        pacmanPosition = state.getPacmanPosition()

        distancesToPacman = [manhattanDistance(
            pos, pacmanPosition) for pos in newPositions]
        if isScared:
            bestScore = max(distancesToPacman)
            bestProb = self.prob_scaredFlee
        else:
            bestScore = min(distancesToPacman)
            bestProb = self.prob_attack
        bestActions = [action for action, distance in zip(
            legalActions, distancesToPacman) if distance == bestScore]

        dist = util.Counter()
        for a in bestActions:
            dist[a] = bestProb / len(bestActions)
        for a in legalActions:
            dist[a] += (1-bestProb) / len(legalActions)
        dist.normalize()
        return dist
```


- Here's how this agent works
 - It retrieves relevant information from the state:
 - Ghost state and whether it's scared.
 - Legal actions the ghost can take.
 - Ghost's current position.
 - Pacman's position.
 - It adjusts the speed of the ghost based on whether it's scared or not.
 - It calculates new potential positions for the ghost based on the legal actions it can take.
 - It calculates the distances from these potential positions to Pacman's position.
 - If the ghost is scared, it determines the best score by maximizing distances to Pacman. Otherwise, it minimizes distances.
 - It identifies the best actions based on the best score calculated.
 - It constructs a probability distribution over the legal actions:
 - Assigns a higher probability to the best actions.
 - Normalizes the distribution.
 - It returns the probability distribution over legal actions.

9) pacmanAgents.py File:-

```
class LeftTurnAgent(game.Agent):
    "An agent that turns left at every opportunity"

    # Define method to get the action of the agent
    def getAction(self, state):
        # Get legal actions available to the agent
        legal = state.getLegalPacmanActions()
        # Get the current direction of the agent
        current = state.getPacmanState().configuration.direction
        # If the agent is currently stopped, set the direction to north
        if current == Directions.STOP:
            current = Directions.NORTH
        # Calculate the direction to the left of the current direction
        left = Directions.LEFT[current]
        # If the left direction is legal, turn left
        if left in legal:
            return left
        # If the current direction is legal, continue straight
        if current in legal:
            return current
        # If turning right is legal, turn right
        if Directions.RIGHT[current] in legal:
            return Directions.RIGHT[current]
        # If turning left from the left direction is legal, perform a U-turn
        if Directions.LEFT[left] in legal:
            return Directions.LEFT[left]
        # If none of the above actions are possible, stop
        return Directions.STOP
```

- LeftTurnAgent essentially follows a left-hand rule: it always tries to turn left whenever it can. If it can't turn left, it goes straight, and if it can't go straight either, it turns right or performs a U-turn. If none of these actions are possible, it stops. This idea is inspired by the idea of that any maze can be solved by holding the left wall

```

# Define a class for a greedy agent that chooses actions based on a provided evaluation function
class GreedyAgent(Agent):
    def __init__(self, evalFn="scoreEvaluation"):
        self.evaluationFunction = util.lookup(evalFn, globals())
        assert self.evaluationFunction != None

    # Define method to get the action of the agent
    def getAction(self, state):
        # Generate candidate actions
        legal = state.getLegalPacmanActions()
        # Remove the STOP action if present
        if Directions.STOP in legal:
            legal.remove(Directions.STOP)

        # Generate successor states for each legal action
        successors = [(state.generateSuccessor(0, action), action)
                       for action in legal]
        # Evaluate each successor state using the evaluation function
        scored = [(self.evaluationFunction(state), action)
                  for state, action in successors]
        # Find the best score among the evaluated successor states
        bestScore = max(scored)[0]
        # Select actions that lead to the best score
        bestActions = [pair[1] for pair in scored if pair[0] == bestScore]
        # Choose a random action among the best actions
        return random.choice(bestActions)

# Define a simple evaluation function that returns the score of the state
def scoreEvaluation(state):
    return state.getScore()

```

- This agent operates by evaluating all possible successor states based on the provided evaluation function and selecting the action that maximizes the evaluation score. If multiple actions lead to the same best score, it chooses randomly among them.
- `getAction` method: This method defines how the agent selects its action given the current state of the game.
 - It starts by generating all legal actions available to the agent in the current state, excluding the STOP action if present.
 - For each legal action, it generates the successor state resulting from applying that action to the current state.
 - It evaluates each successor state using the evaluation function, producing a list of (score, action) tuples.
 - It then identifies the best score among the evaluated successor states.
 - Finally, it selects actions that lead to the best score and randomly chooses one among them to return as the agent's action.
- `scoreEvaluation` just returns the score of the state

10) util.py File:-

```

class FixedRandom:
    def __init__(self):
        # Initialize with a fixed state for reproducibility
        fixedState = (3, 12147483646, 507801126, 683453281, 310439348, 2597246090,
2209084787, 2267831527, 979920060, 3098657677, 37650879, 607947081, 3974896263,
881243242, 3100634921, 1334775171, 3965168385, 746264660, 4074750168, 500078808,
776561771, 702988163, 1636311725, 2559226045, 157578202, 2498342920, 2794591496,
4130598723, 496985844, 2944563015, 3731321609, 3514814613, 3362775829, 3038768745,
2206497038, 1198748846, 1317460727, 3134077628, 988312410, 1674663516, 746456451,
3958482413, 1857117812, 708750586, 1583423339, 3466495450, 1536929345, 1137240525,
3875025632, 2466137587, 1235845595, 4214575620, 3792516855, 657994358, 1241843248,
1695651859, 3670946666, 1929923113, 2351044952, 2317810203, 2039319015, 460787996,
3654096216, 4068721415, 1814163703, 2964112444, 1386111013, 574629867, 2654529343,
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3261035106, 38417393, 2660980472, 1256633963, 184045390, 811213141, 2857482069,
2237770878, 3891083138, 2787806686, 2435192790, 2249324462, 3507764896, 955388363,
056944153, 615213904, 3233967826, 3703465555, 3286531781, 3863193356, 2982340714,
419696855, 3865195632, 1704163171, 3043634452, 2225424707, 2199010022, 3506117517,
3311559776, 3374443561, 1207829628, 668793185, 1822020716, 2082656160, 1160606415,
3034757648, 741703672, 3094328738, 459332691, 2702383376, 1610239915, 4162939394,
557861574, 3805706338, 3832520705, 1248934879, 3250424034, 892335056, 74323433,
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2578042598, 1458940786, 2944243755, 3959506256, 1509151382, 325761980, 942251521,

```

- FixedRandom class is first initialized with a tuple of all the fixedStates

```

self.random = random.Random()
self.random.setstate(fixedState)

'''
Data structures useful for implementing SearchAgents
'''
class Stack:
    def __init__(self):
        self.list = []

    def push(self, item):
        "Push 'item' onto the stack"
        self.list.append(item)

    def pop(self):
        "Pop the most recently pushed item from the stack"
        return self.list.pop()

    def isEmpty(self):
        "Returns true if the stack is empty"
        return len(self.list) == 0

def manhattanDistance(x1, xy2):
    "Returns the Manhattan distance between points xy1 and xy2"
    return abs(xy1[0] - xy2[0]) + abs(xy1[1] - xy2[1])

```

- creates a new instance of the random.Random() class, which provides functionality for generating random numbers. Then, it sets the state of this random number generator to the fixed state using the setstate() method. This ensures that subsequent calls to the random methods (e.g., random() or randint()) will produce the same sequence of pseudo-random numbers every time the program runs.
- Class Stack is just for creating a stack that'll be used later in the searching algorithm and in some debugging
- manhattanDistance function just calculates the ManhattanDistance between two points

```
class Counter(dict):
    """
    A counter keeps track of counts for a set of keys.

    The counter class is an extension of the standard python
    dictionary type. It is specialized to have number values
    (integers or floats), and includes a handful of additional
    functions to ease the task of counting data. In particular,
    all keys are defaulted to have value 0. Using a dictionary:

    a = {}
    print a['test']

    would give an error, while the Counter class analogue:

    >>> a = Counter()
    >>> print a['test']
    0

    returns the default 0 value. Note that to reference a key
    that you know is contained in the counter,
    you can still use the dictionary syntax:

    >>> a = Counter()
    >>> a['test'] = 2
    >>> print a['test']
    2

    This is very useful for counting things without initializing their counts,
    see for example:

    >>> a['blah'] += 1
    >>> print a['blah']
    1

    The counter also includes additional functionality useful in implementing
    the classifiers for this assignment. Two counters can be added,
    together. See below for details. They can also be normalized and their
    total count and arg max can be extracted.
    """
    def __getitem__(self, idx):
        self.setdefault(idx, 0)
        return dict.__getitem__(self, idx)
```


- The idea and the goal of this class is explained in the multi-line comment, so let's explain how it's implemented
- In the method `__getitem__` we first ensures that if the key `idx` does not exist in the dictionary, it sets the default value of 0 for that key then returns the value associated with the key `idx` in the dictionary.

```
175     def incrementAll(self, keys, count):
176         """
177         Increments all elements of keys by the same count.
178
179         >>> a = Counter()
180         >>> a.incrementAll(['one','two', 'three'], 1)
181         >>> a['one']
182         1
183         >>> a['two']
184         1
185         """
186         for key in keys:
187             self[key] += count
188
189     def totalCount(self):
190         """
191         Returns the sum of counts for all keys.
192         """
193         return sum(self.values())
194
195     def normalize(self):
196         """
197         Edits the counter such that the total count of all
198         keys sums to 1. The ratio of counts for all keys
199         will remain the same. Note that normalizing an empty
200         Counter will result in an error.
201         """
202         total = float(self.totalCount())
203         if total == 0:
204             return
205         for key in list(self.keys()):
206             self[key] = self[key] / total
207
208
209     def raiseNotDefined():
210         fileName = inspect.stack()[1][1]
211         line = inspect.stack()[1][2]
212         method = inspect.stack()[1][3]
213
214         print("*** Method not implemented: %s at line %s of %s" %
215               (method, line, fileName))
216         sys.exit(1)
```

- `incrementAll` method just increments all elements of the key by the same count
- `totalCount` method returns the sum of the counts for all keys
- `normalize` method adjusts the counts of all keys in a counter so that the total count of all keys sums to 1. It divides each count by the total count and updates the counter accordingly. If the counter is empty, it returns without making any changes.

- `raiseNotDefined` method is used as a placeholder for methods that have not been implemented yet. When called, it prints a message indicating which method is not implemented, along with the file name and line number where the call to `raiseNotDefined` occurred. Then it exits the program with a status code of 1, indicating an error.

```

219 def normalize(vectorOrCounter):
220     """
221     Normalize a vector or counter by dividing each value by the sum of all values
222     """
223     normalizedCounter = Counter()
224     if type(vectorOrCounter) == type(normalizedCounter):
225         counter = vectorOrCounter
226         total = float(counter.totalCount())
227         if total == 0:
228             return counter
229         for key in list(counter.keys()):
230             value = counter[key]
231             normalizedCounter[key] = value / total
232         return normalizedCounter
233     else:
234         vector = vectorOrCounter
235         s = float(sum(vector))
236         if s == 0:
237             return vector
238         return [el / s for el in vector]
239
240 |
241 def sample(distribution, values=None):
242     if type(distribution) == Counter:
243         items = sorted(distribution.items())
244         distribution = [i[1] for i in items]
245         values = [i[0] for i in items]
246     if sum(distribution) != 1:
247         distribution = normalize(distribution)
248     choice = random.random()
249     i, total = 0, distribution[0]
250     while choice > total:
251         i += 1
252         total += distribution[i]
253     return values[i]
254
255
256 def getProbability(value, distribution, values):
257     """
258     Gives the probability of a value under a discrete distribution
259     defined by (distributions, values).
260     """
261     total = 0.0
262     for prob, val in zip(distribution, values):
263         if val == value:
264             total += prob
265     return total

```

- The function `normalize` takes either a vector or a counter as input and returns a normalized version of it.
 - If the input is a counter, it calculates the sum of all counts (`totalCount`) and then divides each count by the total sum to normalize it. It creates a new counter with normalized counts and returns it.
 - If the input is a vector, it calculates the sum of all elements in the vector. Then, it divides each element by the sum to normalize it. It returns a new list containing the normalized values.
- The `sample` function randomly selects a value from a given distribution. It accepts either a Counter object or a list representing the probabilities of values. It ensures the distribution sums to 1 and then selects a value based on the probabilities.
 - If the input distribution is a Counter, it extracts the values and probabilities from the Counter and stores them in `values` and `distribution` lists respectively.
 - If the sum of probabilities in the distribution is not equal to 1, it normalizes the distribution.
 - It generates a random number choice between 0 and 1.
 - It iterates through the distribution to find the index `i` where the cumulative sum of probabilities exceeds choice. This index corresponds to the selected value.
 - It returns the value corresponding to the selected index `i`.
- `getProbability` function calculates the probability of a given value occurring in a discrete distribution defined by `distribution` and `values`. It iterates through each pair of probability and corresponding value in the distribution. If the value matches the provided value, it adds the probability associated with that value to the total probability. Finally, it returns the total probability for the specified value.

```
267 def chooseFromDistribution(distribution):
268     "Takes either a counter or a list of (prob, key) pairs and samples"
269     if type(distribution) == dict or type(distribution) == Counter:
270         return sample(distribution)
271     r = random.random()
272     base = 0.0
273     for prob, element in distribution:
274         base += prob
275         if r <= base:
276             return element
277
278 def nearestPoint(pos):
279     """
280     Finds the nearest grid point to a position (discretizes).
281     """
282     (current_row, current_col) = pos
283
284     grid_row = int(current_row + 0.5)
285     grid_col = int(current_col + 0.5)
286     return (grid_row, grid_col)
---
```

- chooseFromDistribution function selects an item from a distribution. It can take either a counter or a list of (probability, item) pairs. If the input is a counter or a dictionary, it uses the sample function to sample from it. Otherwise, if the input is a list of (probability, item) pairs, it iterates through each pair, accumulating the probabilities until the cumulative probability exceeds a randomly chosen value r. When this happens, it returns the corresponding item.
- nearestPoint function takes a position represented by coordinates and discretizes it to find the nearest grid point. It achieves this by rounding the current row and column coordinates to the nearest integer using the int() function. This process effectively maps continuous positions to discrete grid points

```

296 class TimeoutFunction:
297     def __init__(self, function, timeout):
298         self.timeout = timeout
299         self.function = function
300
301     def handle_timeout(self, signum, frame):
302         raise TimeoutFunctionException()
303
304     def __call__(self, *args, **keyArgs):
305         # If we have SIGALRM signal, use it to cause an exception if and
306         # when this function runs too long. Otherwise check the time taken
307         # after the method has returned, and throw an exception then.
308         if hasattr(signal, 'SIGALRM'):
309             old = signal.signal(signal.SIGALRM, self.handle_timeout)
310             signal.alarm(self.timeout)
311             try:
312                 result = self.function(*args, **keyArgs)
313             finally:
314                 signal.signal(signal.SIGALRM, old)
315                 signal.alarm(0)
316         else:
317             startTime = time.time()
318             result = self.function(*args, **keyArgs)
319             timeElapsed = time.time() - startTime
320             if timeElapsed >= self.timeout:
321                 self.handle_timeout(None, None)
322         return result

```

- TimeoutFunction class is designed to wrap another function and enforce a time limit on its execution. It takes two parameters during initialization: function, which is the function to be executed, and timeout, which specifies the maximum time allowed for the function to run before it's forcefully terminated.
- Handle_timeout method is a signal handler designed to respond to a timeout event triggered by the operating system. It takes two parameters: signum, which represents the signal number, and frame, which represents the current stack frame at the time of the signal. When called, this function raises a TimeoutFunctionException, indicating that the function being executed has exceeded its allotted time and the timeout condition has been reached.
- __call__ method serves as the main entry point for the TimeoutFunction class. It allows instances of the class to be called like functions. When invoked, it first checks if the SIGALRM signal is available, which is used for setting an alarm clock. If available, it sets up a signal handler to catch the SIGALRM signal, which is triggered when a timeout occurs. Then it sets the alarm to the specified timeout duration. Next, it executes the wrapped function (self.function) with the provided arguments and keyword arguments (*args and **keyArgs). If the operation completes before the timeout, it cancels the alarm and returns the result. If the operation takes longer than the timeout, it raises a TimeoutFunctionException. If the SIGALRM signal is not available, it manually measures the execution time using the time module and raises a timeout exception if needed. Finally, it returns the result of the wrapped function. This mechanism ensures that functions can be executed with a timeout limit, preventing them from running indefinitely.


```
325 | _ORIGINAL_STDOUT = None
326 | _ORIGINAL_STDERR = None
327 | MUTED = False
328 |
329 |
330 | def mutePrint():
331 |     global _ORIGINAL_STDOUT, _ORIGINAL_STDERR, _MUTED
332 |     if _MUTED:
333 |         return
334 |     _MUTED = True
335 |
336 |     _ORIGINAL_STDOUT = sys.stdout
337 |     #_ORIGINAL_STDERR = sys.stderr
338 |     sys.stdout = WritableNull()
339 |     #sys.stderr = WritableNull()
340 |
341 |
342 | def unmutePrint():
343 |     global _ORIGINAL_STDOUT, _ORIGINAL_STDERR, _MUTED
344 |     if not _MUTED:
345 |         return
346 |     _MUTED = False
347 |
348 |     sys.stdout = _ORIGINAL_STDOUT
349 |     #sys.stderr = _ORIGINAL_STDERR
350 |
```

- mutePrint function globally redirects standard output (stdout) to a null device, effectively suppressing any printed output. It does this by replacing sys.stdout with an instance of a custom class WritableNull, which is essentially a file-like object that discards anything written to it. Additionally, it keeps track of the original stdout stream in _ORIGINAL_STDOUT and sets _MUTED flag to True to indicate that the printing has been muted.
- unmutePrint function reverses the action performed by mutePrint() by restoring the original standard output streams. If the printing is currently muted (_MUTED is True), it sets _MUTED to False to indicate that printing is no longer muted. Then it restores the original stdout stream by assigning _ORIGINAL_STDOUT back to sys.stdout

11) multiagent.py File:-

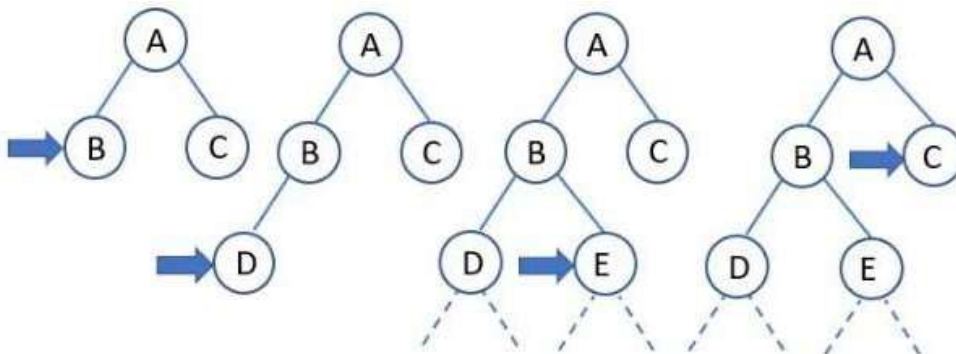
```

27 class ReflexAgent(Agent):
28     """
29     A reflex agent chooses an action at each choice point by examining
30     its alternatives via a state evaluation function.
31     """
32
33     def goalTest(self, gs, pos, flag):
34         # Testing for goals
35         if(flag == 0):
36             if(gs.hasFood(pos[0], pos[1])):
37                 return True
38             return False
39         if(flag == 1):
40             gpos = gs.getGhostPositions()
41             for gp in gpos:
42                 if(gp == pos):
43                     return True
44             return False
45
46     def DLS(self, currentNode, stack, explored, layer, limit, found, flag):
47         # Depth Limited Search
48         explored.append(currentNode)
49         if(self.goalTest(currentNode.parent.state, currentNode.state.getPacmanPosition(), flag)):
50             stack.push(currentNode)
51             return stack, explored, True
52         if(layer == limit):
53             return stack, explored, False
54         stack.push(currentNode)
55         actions = currentNode.state.getLegalActions()
56         for a in actions:
57             newState = currentNode.state.generatePacmanSuccessor(a)
58             newNode = Node(newState, currentNode, a, 1)
59             if newNode in explored:
60                 continue
61             stack, explored, found = self.DLS(newNode, stack, explored, layer+1, limit, found, flag)
62             if(found):
63                 return stack, explored, True
64             stack.pop()
65         return stack, explored, False

```

This file simply only has ReflexAgent class which is an agent for pacman and the goalTest tests for the goal state

- here is how the goalTest function works:-
 - If flag is 0, the goal state is achieved if there is food at the specified position.
 - If flag is 1, the goal state is achieved if there is a ghost at the specified position.
- Here is how DLS works:-



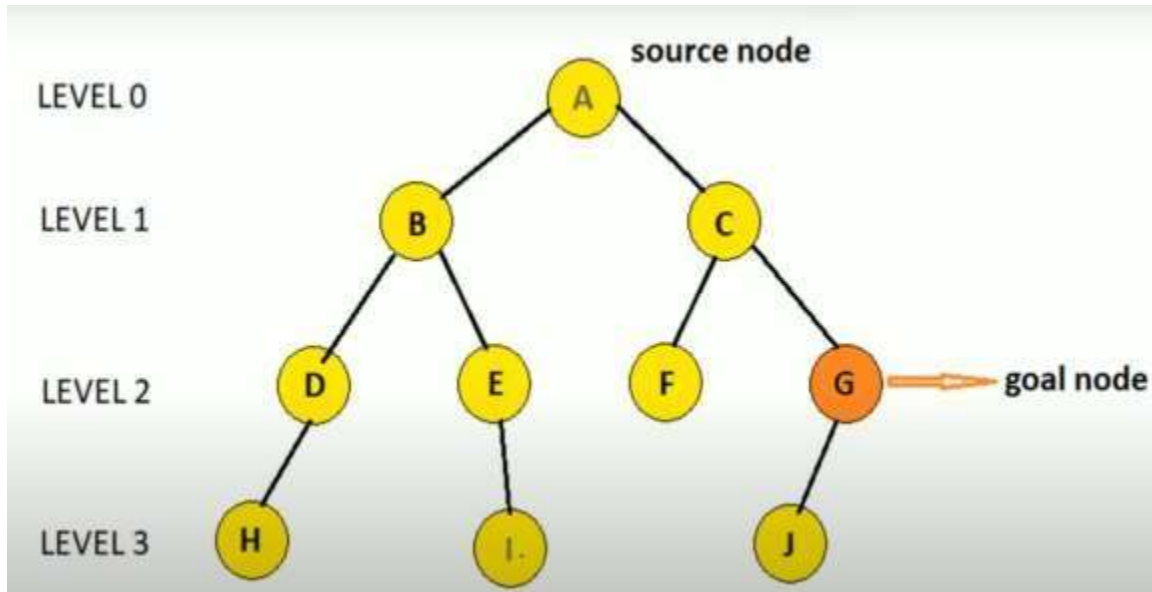
- If we fix the depth limit to 2, DLS can be carried out similarly to the DFS until the goal node is found to exist in the tree's search domain.
- This is implemented using a stack in a similar way to DFS

```

68 def IDS(self, sgs, limit, flag):
69     # Iterative Deepening Search
70     found = False
71     current_limit = 0
72     while(not found and current_limit <= limit):
73         current_limit = current_limit + 1
74         startNode = Node(sgs, None, None, 0)
75         startNode.parent = startNode
76         stack = Stack()
77         explored = []
78         stack, explored, found = self.DLS(startNode, stack, explored, 1, current_limit, False, flag)
79
80     actions = []
81     while(not stack.isEmpty()):
82         node = stack.pop()
83         actions.append(node.action)
84
85     if not actions:
86         return actions, found
87
88     actions.reverse()
89     actions.pop(0) # Removes start node from actions
90
91     return actions, found
92
93 def getAction(self, gameState):
94     """
95     Choose an action based on evaluation function.
96     """
97     legalMoves = gameState.getLegalActions()
98
99     weights = np.loadtxt("weights.csv", delimiter=",")
100
101     scores = []
102     for action in legalMoves:
103         s = self.evaluationFunction(gameState, action, weights)
104         scores.append(s)
105
106     bestScore = max(scores)
107     bestIndices = [index for index in range(len(scores)) if scores[index] == bestScore]
108     chosenIndex = random.choice(bestIndices) # Pick randomly among the best
109
110     return legalMoves[chosenIndex]

```

- Let's show how the IDS works with an example:-



- Let's say we have this tree with the goal node being G, we'll start with depth limit of 0, and then it will only search A which is not the goal node so we increment the depth limit and now it's 1 and then it will do the following search $A \Rightarrow B \Rightarrow C$ then it hasn't reached the goal state so it will increment the depth limit again and now it's 2 then it will do the following search $A \Rightarrow B \Rightarrow D \Rightarrow E \Rightarrow C \Rightarrow F \Rightarrow G$ and it reached its goal state so then it will stop.
- Here's how the `getAction` function works:-
 - This function implements a simple decision-making strategy for the AI agent based on evaluating each possible action and selecting the one deemed most favourable according to a set of predefined or learned weights in the `weights.csv` file.

```

113 def CalcGhostPos(self, cgs, actions):
114     # Calculate ghost position
115     for a in actions:
116         cgs = cgs.generatePacmanSuccessor(a)
117     return cgs.getPacmanPosition()
118
119 def findAllGhosts(self, cgs):
120     # Find all active and scared ghosts and then turn them into binary features
121     f1 = 0 # Active ghost one step away (Binary)
122     f2 = 0 # Active ghost two steps away (Binary)
123     f3 = 0 # Scared ghost one step away (Binary)
124     f4 = 0 # Scared ghost two steps away (Binary)
125     actions, found = self.IDS(cgs, 3, 1)
126     if not found:
127         return f1, f2, f3, f4
128     ghosts = cgs.getGhostStates()
129     ghostPos = self.CalcGhostPos(cgs, actions)
130     foundGhostPosition = False
131     for g in ghosts:
132         if(ghostPos == g.configuration.pos):
133             ghost = g
134             foundGhostPosition = True
135             break
136
137     if not foundGhostPosition:
138         return f1, f2, f3, f4
139
140     if(ghost.scaredTimer > 0): # If ghost is scared
141         if(len(actions) <= 1):
142             f3 = 1
143         if(len(actions) == 2):
144             f4 = 1
145     if(ghost.scaredTimer == 0): # If ghost is active
146         if(len(actions) <= 1):
147             f1 = 1
148         if(len(actions) == 2):
149             f2 = 1
150
151     return f1, f2, f3, f4

```

- Here's how calcGhostPos function works:-

- The function iterates over each action in the actions sequence.
- For each action, it generates a successor game state (cgs.generatePacmanSuccessor(a)). This means it simulates Pacman's movement according to the action a and updates the game state accordingly.
- After applying all the actions, the function retrieves the position of Pacman using cgs.getPacmanPosition()
- The function returns the final position of the ghost after applying the sequence of actions.

- Here's how findAllGhosts function works:-
 - This function performs a depth-limited search to identify ghosts in the game state and extracts relevant information about their status (active or scared) and proximity to Pacman, represented by binary features.
 - Binary features:
 - f1: Active ghost one step away.
 - f2: Active ghost two steps away.
 - f3: Scared ghost one step away.
 - f4: Scared ghost two steps away.

```

153     def getFeatureFive(self, cgs, sgs):
154         # Eating Food (Binary)
155         if (self.goalTest(cgs, sgs.getPacmanPosition(), 0)):
156             return 1
157         return 0
158
159     def getFeatureSix(self, cgs):
160         # Distance to closest food
161         food = cgs.getFood()
162         pacPos = cgs.getPacmanPosition()
163         dist = []
164         x_size = food.width
165         y_size = food.height
166         for x in range(0, x_size):
167             for y in range(0, y_size):
168                 if (food[x][y] == True):
169                     dist.append(manhattanDistance(pacPos, (x,y)))
170         if not dist:
171             return 0
172         closestFood = min(dist)
173         return 1/closestFood
174
175     def evaluationFunction(self, currentGameState, action, weights):
176         # Evaluation function for choosing actions
177         successorGameState = currentGameState.generatePacmanSuccessor(action)
178
179         f1, f2, f3, f4 = self.findAllGhosts(successorGameState)
180         f5 = self.getFeatureFive(currentGameState, successorGameState)
181         f6 = self.getFeatureSix(successorGameState)
182         features = np.array([f1, f2, f3, f4, f5, f6])
183
184         Q_s_a = np.dot(weights, np.transpose(features))
185
186         return Q_s_a
    
```

- Here's how the getFeatureFive function works:-
 - This function essentially acts as a binary indicator of whether Pacman is currently positioned at a location with food
- Here's how the getFeatureSix function works:-
 - It calculates distance from pacman to every food in the grid and appends them in the dist list, and returns 1/closestFood if there is food on the grid otherwise it returns 0 indicating there's no food on the grid

- Here's how the evaluationFunction works:-
 - It generates the successor game state resulting from applying the action to the current game state.
 - It computes various features using helper functions like findAllGhosts, getFeatureFive, and getFeatureSix, based on the successor game state and possibly the current game state.
 - It combines these features into a feature vector.
 - It computes the dot product of the feature vector and the weights to obtain a single score, Q_s_a , representing the estimated value of taking the given action in the current state.
 - It returns this score.

12) Game.py File:-

```
7 class Agent:
8     def __init__(self, index=0):
9         self.index = index
10
11
12 class Directions:
13     NORTH = 'North'
14     SOUTH = 'South'
15     EAST = 'East'
16     WEST = 'West'
17     STOP = 'Stop'
18
19     LEFT = {NORTH: WEST,
20             SOUTH: EAST,
21             EAST: NORTH,
22             WEST: SOUTH,
23             STOP: STOP}
24
25     RIGHT = dict([(y, x) for x, y in list(LEFT.items())])
26
27     REVERSE = {NORTH: SOUTH,
28               SOUTH: NORTH,
29               EAST: WEST,
30               WEST: EAST,
31               STOP: STOP}
32
33
```

- Class agent simply initializes the agent index
- Class Directions just handles the directions

```
34 class Configuration:
35     """
36     A Configuration holds the (x,y) coordinate of a character, along with its
37     traveling direction.
38
39     The convention for positions, like a graph, is that (0,0) is the lower left corner, x increases
40     horizontally and y increases vertically. Therefore, north is the direction of increasing y, or (0,1).
41     """
42
43
44     def generateSuccessor(self, vector):
45         """
46         Generates a new configuration reached by translating the current
47         configuration by the action vector. This is a low-level call and does
48         not attempt to respect the legality of the movement.
49
50         Actions are movement vectors:
51         """
52         x, y = self.pos
53         dx, dy = vector
54         direction = Actions.vectorToDirection(vector)
55         if direction == Directions.STOP:
56             direction = self.direction # There is no stop direction
57         return Configuration((x + dx, y+dy), direction)
```

- generateSuccessor method calculates a new configuration based on the current configuration and a movement vector. It doesn't check if the movement is legal; rather, it simply applies the vector to the current position. The method takes the vector as input, calculates the new position by adding the vector components to the current position, and determines the new direction based on the vector. If the vector represents a stop action, it retains the current direction. Finally, it returns a new Configuration object with the updated position and direction.

```

86 class AgentState:
87     """
88     AgentStates hold the state of an agent (configuration, speed, scared, etc).
89     """
90
91     def __init__(self, startConfiguration, isPacman):
92         self.start = startConfiguration
93         self.configuration = startConfiguration
94         self.isPacman = isPacman
95         self.scaredTimer = 0
96         # state below potentially used for contest only
97         self.numCarrying = 0
98         self.numReturned = 0
99
100     def __str__(self):
101         if self.isPacman:
102             return "Pacman: " + str(self.configuration)
103         else:
104             return "Ghost: " + str(self.configuration)
105
106     def __eq__(self, other):
107         if other == None:
108             return False
109         return self.configuration == other.configuration and self.scaredTimer == other.scaredTimer
110
111     def __hash__(self):
112         return hash(hash(self.configuration) + 13 * hash(self.scaredTimer))
113
114     def copy(self):
115         state = AgentState(self.start, self.isPacman)
116         state.configuration = self.configuration
117         state.scaredTimer = self.scaredTimer
118         state.numCarrying = self.numCarrying
119         state.numReturned = self.numReturned
120         return state
121
122     def getPosition(self):
123         if self.configuration == None:
124             return None
125         return self.configuration.getPosition()
126
127     def getDirection(self):
128         return self.configuration.getDirection()
129

```

- In class AgentState we first initialize the needed variables
- `__str__` method returns a string representation of the object. In this context, it is used to provide human-readable descriptions of configurations, either for Pacman or ghosts, based on the attributes of the object.
- `__eq__` method defines the equality comparison between two instances of the same class. It returns True if the configurations (positions and directions) of the two instances are the same, and their scaredTimer attributes are equal. If other is None, it returns False, indicating that self is not equal to None.
- `__hash__` method is used to compute the hash value of an object, which is essential for the object's usability in hash-based data structures like dictionaries and sets. In this implementation, the hash value is computed based on the hash values of the configuration attribute (representing the position and direction) and the scaredTimer attribute. The hash values are combined using addition and multiplication to generate a final hash value for the object. This ensures that objects with similar configurations and scared timers will have similar hash values, aiding in efficient storage and retrieval in hash-based collections.

- Copy method just creates a copy of the state
- getPosition method retrieves the position of the agent. It first checks if the agent's configuration is None, indicating that its position is not defined. If the configuration is not None, it calls the getPosition method of the configuration object to retrieve the position of the agent. Finally, it returns the position of the agent.

```

131 class Grid:
132     """
133     A 2-dimensional array of objects backed by a list of lists. Data is accessed
134     via grid[x][y] where (x,y) are positions on a Pacman map with x horizontal,
135     y vertical and the origin (0,0) in the bottom left corner.
136
137     The __str__ method constructs an output that is oriented like a pacman board.
138     """
139
140     def __init__(self, width, height, initialValue=False, bitRepresentation=None):
141         if initialValue not in [False, True]:
142             raise Exception('Grids can only contain booleans')
143         self.CELLS_PER_INT = 30
144
145         self.width = width
146         self.height = height
147         self.data = [[initialValue for y in range(
148             height)] for x in range(width)]
149         if bitRepresentation:
150             self._unpackBits(bitRepresentation)
151
152     def __getitem__(self, i):
153         return self.data[i]
154
155     def __setitem__(self, key, item):
156         self.data[key] = item
157
158     def __str__(self):
159         out = [''.join(str(self.data[x][y]) for x in range(self.width))
160               for y in range(self.height)]
161         out.reverse()
162         return '\n'.join(''.join(x) for x in out)
163
164     def __eq__(self, other):
165         if other == None:
166             return False
167         return self.data == other.data
168
169     def __hash__(self):
170         # return hash(str(self))
171         base = 1
172         h = 0
173         for l in self.data:
174             for i in l:
175                 if i:
176                     h += base
177                     base *= 2
178         return hash(h)

```



```

204     def packBits(self):
205         """
206         Returns an efficient int list representation
207
208         (width, height, bitPackedInts...)
209         """
210         bits = [self.width, self.height]
211         currentInt = 0
212         for i in range(self.height * self.width):
213             bit = self.CELLS_PER_INT - (i % self.CELLS_PER_INT) - 1
214             x, y = self._cellIndexToPosition(i)
215             if self[x][y]:
216                 currentInt += 2 ** bit
217             if (i + 1) % self.CELLS_PER_INT == 0:
218                 bits.append(currentInt)
219                 currentInt = 0
220         bits.append(currentInt)
221         return tuple(bits)
222
223     def _cellIndexToPosition(self, index):
224         x = index / self.height
225         y = index % self.height
226         return x, y
227
228     def _unpackBits(self, bits):
229         """
230         Fills in data from a bit-level representation
231         """
232         cell = 0
233         for packed in bits:
234             for bit in self._unpackInt(packed, self.CELLS_PER_INT):
235                 if cell == self.width * self.height:
236                     break
237                 x, y = self._cellIndexToPosition(cell)
238                 self[x][y] = bit
239                 cell += 1

```

- packBits method returns an efficient integer list representation of the current layout. It begins by storing the width and height of the layout in a list called bits. Then, it iterates over each cell in the layout. For each cell, it calculates the bit position within the packed integer based on the cell's index, width, and height. If the cell is present (i.e., it's not a wall), it sets the corresponding bit in the current integer. When the current integer is filled with bits representing cells or reaches the maximum capacity, it's appended to the bits list, and a new integer is started. Finally, the method returns a tuple containing the width, height, and the list of packed integers representing the layout. The _cellIndexToPosition method is a helper function that converts a cell index to its corresponding (x, y) position on the layout.
- _cellIndexToPosition method converts a one-dimensional index representing a cell in a grid to its two-dimensional (x, y) position in the grid. It does this by dividing the index by the height of the grid to determine the row (x-coordinate) and taking the remainder of the index divided by the height to determine the column (y-coordinate). Finally, it returns the (x, y) position tuple.

- `_unpackBits` method is responsible for filling in data from a bit-level representation into a grid. It iterates over each packed integer in the input bits, which represents the grid cells. For each packed integer, it calls the `_unpackInt` method to extract individual bits. It then assigns these bits to the corresponding cells in the grid, using the `_cellIndexToPosition` method to determine the position of each cell based on its index. The process continues until all cells in the grid are filled.

```
241 |     def _unpackInt(self, packed, size):
242 |         bools = []
243 |         if packed < 0:
244 |             raise ValueError("must be a positive integer")
245 |         for i in range(size):
246 |             n = 2 ** (self.CELLS_PER_INT - i - 1)
247 |             if packed >= n:
248 |                 bools.append(True)
249 |                 packed -= n
250 |             else:
251 |                 bools.append(False)
252 |         return bools
```

- `_unpackInt` method takes a packed integer and a size parameter, which specifies the number of bits to unpack. It iterates over each bit position in the packed integer, starting from the most significant bit (MSB) to the least significant bit (LSB). For each bit position, it checks if the corresponding bit is set by comparing it with the powers of 2 from the highest to the lowest. If the bit is set, it appends `True` to the `bools` list; otherwise, it appends `False`. Finally, it returns the list of boolean values representing the unpacked bits.

```

254 class Actions:
255     """
256     A collection of static methods for manipulating move actions.
257     """
258     # Directions
259     _directions = {Directions.WEST: (-1, 0),
260                   Directions.STOP: (0, 0),
261                   Directions.EAST: (1, 0),
262                   Directions.NORTH: (0, 1),
263                   Directions.SOUTH: (0, -1)}
264
265     _directionsAsList = [('West', (-1, 0)), ('Stop', (0, 0)), ('East', (1, 0)), ('North', (0, 1)), ('South', (0, -1))]
266
267     TOLERANCE = .001
268
269     def reverseDirection(action):
270         if action == Directions.NORTH:
271             return Directions.SOUTH
272         if action == Directions.SOUTH:
273             return Directions.NORTH
274         if action == Directions.EAST:
275             return Directions.WEST
276         if action == Directions.WEST:
277             return Directions.EAST
278         return action
279     reverseDirection = staticmethod(reverseDirection)
280
281     def vectorToDirection(vector):
282         dx, dy = vector
283         if dy > 0:
284             return Directions.NORTH
285         if dy < 0:
286             return Directions.SOUTH
287         if dx < 0:
288             return Directions.WEST
289         if dx > 0:
290             return Directions.EAST
291         return Directions.STOP
292     vectorToDirection = staticmethod(vectorToDirection)
293
294     def directionToVector(direction, speed=1.0):
295         dx, dy = Actions._directions[direction]
296         return (dx * speed, dy * speed)
297     directionToVector = staticmethod(directionToVector)

```

- Class Actions we first initialize the directions as a dict and as a list
- reverseDirection method just updates the directions if it's in reverse
- vectorToDirection method takes a 2D vector as input and returns a direction based on the vector's components. If the vertical component (dy) of the vector is positive, it returns Directions.NORTH; if dy is negative, it returns Directions.SOUTH. Similarly, if the horizontal component (dx) is negative, it returns Directions.WEST, and if dx is positive, it returns Directions.EAST. If both dx and dy are zero, indicating no movement, it returns Directions.STOP
- directionToVector method takes a direction and an optional speed as input and returns a corresponding 2D vector. It retrieves the corresponding components of the direction from the _directions dictionary attribute and scales them by the given speed. If no speed is provided, it defaults to 1.0.

```

299 def getPossibleActions(config, walls):
300     possible = []
301     x, y = config.pos
302     x_int, y_int = int(x + 0.5), int(y + 0.5)
303
304     # In between grid points, all agents must continue straight
305     if (abs(x - x_int) + abs(y - y_int) > Actions.TOLERANCE):
306         return [config.getDirection()]
307
308     for dir, vec in Actions._directionsAsList:
309         dx, dy = vec
310         next_y = y_int + dy
311         next_x = x_int + dx
312         if not walls[next_x][next_y]:
313             possible.append(dir)
314
315     return possible
316
317 getPossibleActions = staticmethod(getPossibleActions)
318
319 def getLegalNeighbors(position, walls):
320     x, y = position
321     x_int, y_int = int(x + 0.5), int(y + 0.5)
322     neighbors = []
323     for dir, vec in Actions._directionsAsList:
324         dx, dy = vec
325         next_x = x_int + dx
326         if next_x < 0 or next_x == walls.width:
327             continue
328         next_y = y_int + dy
329         if next_y < 0 or next_y == walls.height:
330             continue
331         if not walls[next_x][next_y]:
332             neighbors.append((next_x, next_y))
333     return neighbors
334 getLegalNeighbors = staticmethod(getLegalNeighbors)
335
336 def getSuccessor(position, action):
337     dx, dy = Actions.directionToVector(action)
338     x, y = position
339     return (x + dx, y + dy)
340 getSuccessor = staticmethod(getSuccessor)

```

- `getPossibleActions` method determines the possible actions that can be taken from a given configuration, considering the layout's walls. It starts by initializing an empty list to store the possible actions. Then, it checks if the current position of the agent lies between grid points; if so, the agent must continue straight, and the function returns a list containing the current direction. Otherwise, it iterates over each direction and its corresponding vector. For each direction, it calculates the next position by adding the vector components to the current position. If the next position is not obstructed by a wall, the direction is added to the list of possible actions. Finally, the function returns the list of possible actions.
- `getLegalNeighbors` method determines the legal neighboring positions of a given position, considering the layout's walls. It takes the position of the agent and the walls layout as input. It starts by initializing an empty list to store the legal neighboring positions. Then, it iterates over each direction and its corresponding vector. For each direction, it calculates the next position by adding the vector components to the current position. If the next position is within the bounds of the walls layout and is not obstructed by a wall, it is

considered a legal neighboring position and added to the list of neighbors. Finally, the function returns the list of legal neighboring positions.

- `getSuccessor` method computes the successor position resulting from applying a given action to a current position. It takes two arguments: the current position as a tuple (x, y) and the action to be applied. First, it converts the action into a vector using the `Actions.directionToVector` method. Then, it computes the new position by adding the vector components to the current position. Finally, it returns the new position as a tuple (x_new, y_new). This method is declared as a static method using the `staticmethod` decorator.

```

343 class GameStateData:
344
345     def __init__(self, prevState=None):
346         """
347         Generates a new data packet by copying information from its predecessor.
348         """
349         if prevState != None:
350             self.food = prevState.food.shallowCopy()
351             self.capsules = prevState.capsules[:]
352             self.agentStates = self.copyAgentStates(prevState.agentStates)
353             self.layout = prevState.layout
354             self._eaten = prevState._eaten
355             self.score = prevState.score
356
357             self._foodEaten = None
358             self._foodAdded = None
359             self._capsuleEaten = None
360             self._agentMoved = None
361             self._lose = False
362             self._win = False
363             self.scoreChange = 0
364
365     def deepCopy(self):
366         state = GameStateData(self)
367         state.food = self.food.deepCopy()
368         state.layout = self.layout.deepCopy()
369         state._agentMoved = self._agentMoved
370         state._foodEaten = self._foodEaten
371         state._foodAdded = self._foodAdded
372         state._capsuleEaten = self._capsuleEaten
373         return state
374
375     def copyAgentStates(self, agentStates):
376         copiedStates = []
377         for agentState in agentStates:
378             copiedStates.append(agentState.copy())
379         return copiedStates

```

- `GameStateData` handles the states of the game, we first initialize the needed variables
- `deepCopy` method creates a copy of the state
- `copyAgentStates` creates a copy of the agent states


```

437 def _foodWallStr(self, hasFood, hasWall):
438     if hasFood:
439         return '.'
440     elif hasWall:
441         return '%'
442     else:
443         return ' '
444
445 def _pacStr(self, dir):
446     if dir == Directions.NORTH:
447         return 'v'
448     if dir == Directions.SOUTH:
449         return '^'
450     if dir == Directions.WEST:
451         return '>'
452     return '<'
453
454 def _ghostStr(self, dir):
455     return 'G'
456
457
458 def initialize(self, layout, numGhostAgents):
459     """
460     Creates an initial game state from a layout array (see layout.py).
461     """
462     self.food = layout.food.copy()
463     #self.capsules = []
464     self.capsules = layout.capsules[:]
465     self.layout = layout
466     self.score = 0
467     self.scoreChange = 0
468
469     self.agentStates = []
470     numGhosts = 0
471     for isPacman, pos in layout.agentPositions:
472         if not isPacman:
473             if numGhosts == numGhostAgents:
474                 continue # Max ghosts reached already
475             else:
476                 numGhosts += 1
477             self.agentStates.append(InitialState(
478                 Configuration(pos, Directions.STOP), isPacman))
479     self._eaten = [False for a in self.agentStates]

```

- `_foodWallStr` just puts . where food are, % for wall otherwise just a space
- `_pacStr` just has pacman directions as string
- `_ghostStr` just makes G represent ghost
- `Initialize` method sets up the initial state of a game based on a given layout array. It copies information about the layout, food, capsules, and agent positions from the input layout. It initializes attributes such as food, capsules, layout, score, scoreChange, agentStates, and `_eaten`. For each agent position specified in the layout, it creates an `AgentState` object with the corresponding configuration and adds it to the agentStates list. If the agent is a ghost and the maximum number of ghost agents has been reached, it skips adding more ghost agents.


```

489 class Game:
490     """
491     The Game manages the control flow, soliciting actions from agents.
492     """
493
494     def __init__(self, agents, display, rules, startingIndex=0, muteAgents=False, catchExceptions=False):
495         self.agentCrashed = False
496         self.agents = agents
497         self.display = display
498         self.rules = rules
499         self.startingIndex = startingIndex
500         self.gameOver = False
501         self.muteAgents = muteAgents
502         self.catchExceptions = catchExceptions
503         self.moveHistory = []
504         self.totalAgentTimes = [0 for agent in agents]
505         self.totalAgentTimeWarnings = [0 for agent in agents]
506         self.agentTimeout = False
507         import io
508         self.agentOutput = [io.StringIO() for agent in agents]
509
510     def getProgress(self):
511         if self.gameOver:
512             return 1.0
513         else:
514             return self.rules.getProgress(self)
515
516     def _agentCrash(self, agentIndex, quiet=False):
517         """Helper method for handling agent crashes"""
518         if not quiet:
519             traceback.print_exc()
520         self.gameOver = True
521         self.agentCrashed = True
522         self.rules.agentCrash(self, agentIndex)
523
524     OLD_STDOUT = None
525     OLD_STDERR = None
526
527     def mute(self, agentIndex):
528         if not self.muteAgents:
529             return
530         global OLD_STDOUT, OLD_STDERR
531         import io
532         OLD_STDOUT = sys.stdout
533         OLD_STDERR = sys.stderr
534         sys.stdout = self.agentOutput[agentIndex]
535         sys.stderr = self.agentOutput[agentIndex]

```

- Now we're in the class game, we firstly initialize the needed variables
- getProgress method checks if the game is over (gameOver is True), it returns a progress value of 1.0, indicating that the game is completed. Otherwise, it delegates the calculation of progress to the getProgress method of the game rules (self.rules.getProgress(self))
- _agentCrash is just for handling if any agent crashes
- Mute method is responsible for muting the output of agents during the game. It first checks if muting agents is enabled (muteAgents attribute). If muting is enabled, it redirects the standard output (sys.stdout) and standard error (sys.stderr) streams to an instance of io.StringIO stored in the agentOutput list at the specified agentIndex. This redirection effectively suppresses the output produced by the agent during its execution.

```

537     def unmute(self):
538         if not self.muteAgents:
539             return
540         global OLD_STDOUT, OLD_STDERR
541         # Revert stdout/stderr to originals
542         sys.stdout = OLD_STDOUT
543         sys.stderr = OLD_STDERR

```

- Unmute method reverts the standard output (sys.stdout) and standard error (sys.stderr) streams back to their original values. It first checks if muting agents is enabled (muteAgents attribute). If muting is enabled, it restores the original standard output and standard error streams by assigning them to the variables OLD_STDOUT and OLD_STDERR, respectively. This allows normal printing to the console to resume after muting.

13) pacman.py File:-

```

16 class GameState:
17     """
18     A GameState specifies the full game state, including the food, capsules,
19     agent configurations and score changes.
20
21     GameStates are used by the Game object to capture the actual state of the game and
22     can be used by agents to reason about the game.
23
24     Much of the information in a GameState is stored in a GameStateData object. We
25     strongly suggest that you access that data via the accessor methods below rather
26     than referring to the GameStateData object directly.
27
28     Note that in classic Pacman, Pacman is always agent 0.
29     """
30
31     #####
32     # Accessor methods: use these to access state data #
33     #####
34
35     # static variable keeps track of which states have had getLegalActions called
36     explored = set()
37
38     def getAndResetExplored():
39         tmp = GameState.explored.copy()
40         GameState.explored = set()
41         return tmp
42     getAndResetExplored = staticmethod(getAndResetExplored)
43
44     def getLegalActions(self, agentIndex=0):
45         """
46         Returns the legal actions for the agent specified.
47         """
48         # GameState.explored.add(self)
49         if self.isWin() or self.isLose():
50             return []
51
52         if agentIndex == 0: # Pacman is moving
53             return PacmanRules.getLegalActions(self)
54         else:
55             return GhostRules.getLegalActions(self, agentIndex)

```

- First we have the game state class, where we start by having a set of explored states
- `getAndResetExplored` method is a static method used to retrieve and reset a class-level variable called `explored` in the `GameState` class. Here's what it does:
 - It creates a copy of the explored set using the `copy()` method. This ensures that the original set remains unchanged even after resetting.
 - It then resets the explored set to an empty set using the `set()` function. This clears all previously explored states.
 - Finally, it returns the copied set of explored states.
- `getLegalActions` method returns the legal actions that an agent specified by the `agentIndex` parameter can take in the current game state. Here's a breakdown of its functionality:
 - Check for Win or Lose: It checks if the game state represents a winning or losing state. If so, it returns an empty list, indicating that there are no legal actions to take from a terminal state.
 - Determine Legal Actions:
 - If `agentIndex` is 0, it implies that Pacman is the agent currently making a move. In this case, it calls `PacmanRules.getLegalActions(self)`, likely a method specific to handling legal actions for Pacman.
 - If `agentIndex` is not 0, it suggests that a ghost agent specified by the index is making a move. It then calls `GhostRules.getLegalActions(self, agentIndex)`, which likely retrieves legal actions specifically tailored for ghost agents.

```

57 def generateSuccessor(self, agentIndex, action):
58     """
59     Returns the successor state after the specified agent takes the action.
60     """
61     # Check that successors exist
62     if self.isWin() or self.isLose():
63         raise Exception('Can\'t generate a successor of a terminal state.')
64
65     # Copy current state
66     state = GameState(self)
67
68     # Let agent's logic deal with its action's effects on the board
69     if agentIndex == 0: # Pacman is moving
70         state.data._eaten = [] # None for i in range(state.getNumAgents())
71         PacmanRules.applyAction(state, action)
72     else: # A ghost is moving
73         GhostRules.applyAction(state, action, agentIndex)
74
75     # Time passes
76     if agentIndex == 0:
77         state.data.scoreChange += -TIME_PENALTY # Penalty for waiting around
78     else:
79         GhostRules.decrementTimer(state.data.agentStates[agentIndex])
80
81     # Resolve multi-agent effects
82     GhostRules.checkDeath(state, agentIndex)
83
84     # Book keeping
85     state.data._agentMoved = agentIndex
86     state.data.score += state.data.scoreChange
87     GameState.explored.add(self)
88     GameState.explored.add(state)
89     return state
90
91 def getLegalPacmanActions(self):
92     return self.getLegalActions(0)
93
94 def generatePacmanSuccessor(self, action):
95     """
96     Generates the successor state after the specified pacman move
97     """
98     return self.generateSuccessor(0, action)

```

- generateSuccessor method calculates the successor state after an agent specified by agentIndex takes a particular action. Below is a breakdown of its functionality:
 - Check for Terminal State: It first checks if the current state is a terminal state (win or lose). If it is, it raises an exception indicating that successors cannot be generated from terminal states.
 - Copy Current State: It then creates a copy of the current game state to make modifications without altering the original state.
 - Apply Action Effects:
 - If agentIndex is 0, indicating that Pacman is making a move, it initializes a list _eaten to track if Pacman has eaten any food pellets and applies Pacman's action using PacmanRules.applyAction(state, action).
 - If agentIndex is not 0, implying that a ghost agent is making a move, it applies the action using GhostRules.applyAction(state, action, agentIndex).
 - Time Passage:
 - If agentIndex is 0, Pacman's move incurs a time penalty by decrementing the score (state.data.scoreChange) by TIME_PENALTY.
 - If it's a ghost's move, the timer for the ghost's state is decremented.

- **Resolve Multi-Agent Effects:** It checks if any agents have died due to interactions, particularly relevant for ghosts, using `GhostRules.checkDeath(state, agentIndex)`.
- **Bookkeeping:**
 - Updates the `_agentMoved` attribute of the state to indicate which agent made the move.
 - Adjusts the overall score based on any changes (`state.data.score += state.data.scoreChange`).
 - Adds both the current state and the generated successor state to a set called `explored`, which likely tracks previously visited states.
- **Return:** Finally, it returns the modified successor state.
- `getLegalPacmanAction` method retrieves the legal actions that the Pacman agent can take in the current game state. It achieves this by calling the `getLegalActions` method with `agentIndex` set to 0
- `generatePacmanSuccessor` method generates a successor state after the specified Pacman move. It achieves this by calling the `generateSuccessor` method with `agentIndex` set to 0, indicating that it's Pacman who is moving, and providing the action chosen by Pacman.

```

100 def getPacmanState(self):
101     """
102     Returns an AgentState object for pacman (in game.py)
103
104     state.pos gives the current position
105     state.direction gives the travel vector
106     """
107     return self.data.agentStates[0].copy()
108
109 def getPacmanPosition(self):
110     return self.data.agentStates[0].getPosition()
111
112 def getGhostStates(self):
113     return self.data.agentStates[1:]
114
115 def getGhostState(self, agentIndex):
116     if agentIndex == 0 or agentIndex >= self.getNumAgents():
117         raise Exception("Invalid index passed to getGhostState")
118     return self.data.agentStates[agentIndex]
119
120 def getGhostPosition(self, agentIndex):
121     if agentIndex == 0:
122         raise Exception("Pacman's index passed to getGhostPosition")
123     return self.data.agentStates[agentIndex].getPosition()
124
125 def getGhostPositions(self):
126     return [s.getPosition() for s in self.getGhostStates()]
127
128 def getNumAgents(self):
129     return len(self.data.agentStates)
130
131 def getScore(self):
132     return float(self.data.score)
133
134 def getCapsules(self):
135     """
136     Returns a list of positions (x,y) of the remaining capsules.
137     """
138     return self.data.capsules
139
140 def getNumFood(self):
141     return self.data.food.count()

```


- getPacmanState or getGhostState method just returns the AgentState object for pacman or ghosts
- getPacmanPosition or getGhostPosition method just returns the current state of pacman or ghosts

```
143     def getFood(self):
144         """
145         Returns a Grid of boolean food indicator variables.
146
147         Grids can be accessed via list notation, so to check
148         if there is food at (x,y), just call
149
150         currentFood = state.getFood()
151         if currentFood[x][y] == True: ...
152         """
153         return self.data.food
154
155     def getWalls(self):
156         """
157         Returns a Grid of boolean wall indicator variables.
158
159         Grids can be accessed via list notation, so to check
160         if there is a wall at (x,y), just call
161
162         walls = state.getWalls()
163         if walls[x][y] == True: ...
164         """
165         return self.data.layout.walls
166
167     def hasFood(self, x, y):
168         return self.data.food[x][y]
169
170     def hasWall(self, x, y):
171         return self.data.layout.walls[x][y]
172
173     def isLose(self):
174         return self.data._lose
175
176     def isWin(self):
177         return self.data._win
178
```

- getFood method Returns a Grid of boolean food indicator variables.
- getWalls Returns a Grid of boolean wall indicator variables.


```

222 SCARED_TIME = 40    # Moves ghosts are scared
223 COLLISION_TOLERANCE = 0.7 # How close ghosts must be to Pacman to kill
224 TIME_PENALTY = 1    # Number of points lost each round
225
226
227 class ClassicGameRules:
228     """
229     These game rules manage the control flow of a game, deciding when
230     and how the game starts and ends.
231     """
232
233     def __init__(self, timeout=30):
234         self.timeout = timeout
235
236     def newGame(self, layout, pacmanAgent, ghostAgents, display, quiet=False, catchExceptions=False):
237         agents = [pacmanAgent] + ghostAgents[:layout.getNumGhosts()]
238         initState = GameState()
239         initState.initialize(layout, len(ghostAgents))
240         game = Game(agents, display, self, catchExceptions=catchExceptions)
241         game.state = initState
242         self.initialState = initState.deepCopy()
243         self.quiet = quiet
244         return game
245
246     def process(self, state, game):
247         """
248         Checks to see whether it is time to end the game.
249         """
250         if state.isWin():
251             self.win(state, game)
252         if state.isLose():
253             self.lose(state, game)
254
255     def win(self, state, game):
256         if not self.quiet:
257             print("Pacman emerges victorious! Score: %d" % state.data.score)
258         game.gameOver = True
259
260     def lose(self, state, game):
261         if not self.quiet:
262             print("Pacman died! Score: %d" % state.data.score)
263         game.gameOver = True
264
265     def getProgress(self, game):
266         return float(game.state.getNumFood()) / self.initialState.getNumFood()
267

```

- First, we initialized the scared_time of the ghosts and their collision_tollerance and the time_penalty
- Then we have class ClassicGameRules where it handles the rules of the game, we first initialize the timeout
- newGame method creates a new instance of a Pacman game. It initializes the game with parameters such as the game layout, Pacman and ghost agents, display module, and optional settings. It sets up the initial state of the game, initializes a Game instance to manage the gameplay, stores the initial state, and returns the created Game instance for gameplay.
- Process method just checks whether to end the game or not
- Win method just checks if pacman wins
- Lose method just checks if pacman loses
- getProgress method just returns the progress done

```

268     def agentCrash(self, game, agentIndex):
269         if agentIndex == 0:
270             print("Pacman crashed")
271         else:
272             print("A ghost crashed")
273
274     def getMaxTotalTime(self, agentIndex):
275         return self.timeout
276
277     def getMaxStartupTime(self, agentIndex):
278         return self.timeout
279
280     def getMoveWarningTime(self, agentIndex):
281         return self.timeout
282
283     def getMoveTimeout(self, agentIndex):
284         return self.timeout
285
286     def getMaxTimeWarnings(self, agentIndex):
287         return 0

```

- These functions are just for handling crashes and timeouts

```

290 class PacmanRules:
291     """
292     These functions govern how pacman interacts with his environment under
293     the classic game rules.
294     """
295     PACMAN_SPEED = 1
296
297     def getLegalActions(state):
298         """
299         Returns a list of possible actions.
300         """
301         return Actions.getPossibleActions(state.getPacmanState().configuration, state.data.layout.walls)
302     getLegalActions = staticmethod(getLegalActions)
303
304     def applyAction(state, action):
305         """
306         Edits the state to reflect the results of the action.
307         """
308         legal = PacmanRules.getLegalActions(state)
309         if action not in legal:
310             raise Exception("Illegal action " + str(action))
311
312         pacmanState = state.data.agentStates[0]
313
314         # Update Configuration
315         vector = Actions.directionToVector(action, PacmanRules.PACMAN_SPEED)
316         pacmanState.configuration = pacmanState.configuration.generateSuccessor(
317             vector)
318
319         # Eat
320         next = pacmanState.configuration.getPosition()
321         nearest = nearestPoint(next)
322         if manhattanDistance(nearest, next) <= 0.5:
323             # Remove food
324             PacmanRules.consume(nearest, state)
325     applyAction = staticmethod(applyAction)
326

```

- Class PacmanRules just handles the rules of pacman
- getLegalActions just returns a list of possible actions
- applyAction just edits the state to reflect the results of an action taken

```

327 def consume(position, state):
328     x, y = position
329     # Eat food
330     if state.data.food[x][y]:
331         state.data.scoreChange += 10
332         state.data.food = state.data.food.copy()
333         state.data.food[x][y] = False
334         state.data._foodEaten = position
335         numFood = state.getNumFood()
336
337         if numFood == 0 and not state.data._lose:
338             state.data.scoreChange += 500
339             state.data._win = True
340
341     # Eat capsule
342     if (position in state.getCapsules()):
343         state.data.capsules.remove(position)
344         state.data._capsuleEaten = position
345
346     # Reset all ghosts' scared timers
347     for index in range(1, len(state.data.agentStates)):
348         state.data.agentStates[index].scaredTimer = SCARED_TIME
349     consume = staticmethod(consume)

```

- consume method just checks if pacman ate food or a capsule and resets ghosts scared timers if pacman does eat a capsule

```

352 class GhostRules:
353     """
354     These functions dictate how ghosts interact with their environment.
355     """
356     GHOST_SPEED = 1.0
357
358     def getLegalActions(state, ghostIndex):
359         """
360         Ghosts cannot stop, and cannot turn around unless they
361         reach a dead end, but can turn 90 degrees at intersections.
362         """
363         conf = state.getGhostState(ghostIndex).configuration
364         possibleActions = Actions.getPossibleActions(
365             conf, state.data.layout.walls)
366         reverse = Actions.reverseDirection(conf.direction)
367         if Directions.STOP in possibleActions:
368             possibleActions.remove(Directions.STOP)
369         if reverse in possibleActions and len(possibleActions) > 1:
370             possibleActions.remove(reverse)
371         return possibleActions
372     getLegalActions = staticmethod(getLegalActions)
373
374     def applyAction(state, action, ghostIndex):
375
376         legal = GhostRules.getLegalActions(state, ghostIndex)
377         if action not in legal:
378             raise Exception("Illegal ghost action " + str(action))
379
380         ghostState = state.data.agentStates[ghostIndex]
381         speed = GhostRules.GHOST_SPEED
382         if ghostState.scaredTimer > 0:
383             speed /= 2.0
384         vector = Actions.directionToVector(action, speed)
385         ghostState.configuration = ghostState.configuration.generateSuccessor(
386             vector)
387     applyAction = staticmethod(applyAction)
388
389     def decrementTimer(ghostState):
390         timer = ghostState.scaredTimer
391         if timer == 1:
392             ghostState.configuration.pos = nearestPoint(
393                 ghostState.configuration.pos)
394         ghostState.scaredTimer = max(0, timer - 1)
395     decrementTimer = staticmethod(decrementTimer)

```

- class GhostRules simply is for handling the rules of ghosts
- getLegalActions method determines the allowable actions for a ghost in the current game state. It considers the ghost's current configuration, such as its position and direction, and the layout of the game environment to determine possible actions. The function excludes actions that would cause the ghost to stop or reverse its direction. It returns a list of permissible actions for the specified ghost.
- applyAction method updates the game state when a ghost takes a specific action. It ensures the action's legality, considering the ghost's current state and game rules. If the action is legal, it calculates the ghost's movement vector based on its speed and the chosen action, then updates the ghost's configuration accordingly in the game state.
- decrementTimer just decrements the ghost scared timer when needed

```

396     def checkDeath(state, agentIndex):
397         pacmanPosition = state.getPacmanPosition()
398         if agentIndex == 0: # Pacman just moved; Anyone can kill him
399             for index in range(1, len(state.data.agentStates)):
400                 ghostState = state.data.agentStates[index]
401                 ghostPosition = ghostState.configuration.getPosition()
402
403                 if GhostRules.canKill(pacmanPosition, ghostPosition):
404                     GhostRules.collide(state, ghostState, index)
405             else:
406                 ghostState = state.data.agentStates[agentIndex]
407                 ghostPosition = ghostState.configuration.getPosition()
408
409                 if GhostRules.canKill(pacmanPosition, ghostPosition):
410                     GhostRules.collide(state, ghostState, agentIndex)
411         checkDeath = staticmethod(checkDeath)
412
413     def collide(state, ghostState, agentIndex):
414         if ghostState.scaredTimer > 0:
415             state.data.scoreChange += 200
416             GhostRules.placeGhost(state, ghostState)
417             ghostState.scaredTimer = 0
418             # Added for first-person
419             state.data._eaten[agentIndex] = True
420         else:
421             if not state.data._win:
422                 state.data.scoreChange -= 500
423                 state.data._lose = True
424         collide = staticmethod(collide)
425
426     def canKill(pacmanPosition, ghostPosition):
427         return manhattanDistance(ghostPosition, pacmanPosition) <= COLLISION_TOLERANCE
428         canKill = staticmethod(canKill)
429
430     def placeGhost(state, ghostState):
431         ghostState.configuration = ghostState.start
432         placeGhost = staticmethod(placeGhost)

```

- checkDeath method determines if any agent (either Pacman or ghost) has been killed in the game. It evaluates whether the positions of agents overlap and invokes collision handling mechanisms accordingly. If the agent in question is Pacman, it checks for collisions with ghosts and handles them appropriately. If the agent is a ghost, it checks for collisions with Pacman and manages the outcome accordingly.
- Collide method determines if a collision occurred between between pacman and ghost and whether the ghost was scared or not
- canKill checks if the ghost is within collision distance with pacman
- placeGhost just initializes the ghost position

```
439 def default(str):
440     return str + ' [Default: %default]'
441
442
443 def parseAgentArgs(str):
444     if str == None:
445         return {}
446     pieces = str.split(',')
447     opts = {}
448     for p in pieces:
449         if '=' in p:
450             key, val = p.split('=')
451         else:
452             key, val = p, 1
453         opts[key] = val
454     return opts
---
```

- default function takes a string argument and returns a modified string indicating that it represents a default value. It appends the text "[Default: %default]" to the input string
- parseAgentArgs function takes a string argument str, which represents a comma-separated list of key-value pairs. It splits the input string based on commas to extract individual pieces. Then, it iterates over each piece. If a piece contains an equal sign (=), it splits it into a key-value pair; otherwise, it assumes the value is 1 and assigns it to the key. Finally, it returns a dictionary containing the extracted key-value pairs. This function is used for parsing and converting command-line arguments into a dictionary format for further processing or configuration.


```

457 def readCommand(argv):
458     """
459     Processes the command used to run pacman from the command line.
460     """
461     from optparse import OptionParser
462     usageStr = """
463     USAGE:      python pacman.py <options>
464     EXAMPLES:   (1) python pacman.py
465                  - starts an interactive game
466                  (2) python pacman.py --layout smallClassic --zoom 2
467                  OR python pacman.py -l smallClassic -z 2
468                  - starts an interactive game on a smaller board, roomed in
469     """
470     parser = OptionParser(usageStr)
471
472     parser.add_option('-n', '--numGames', dest='numGames', type='int',
473                      help=default('the number of GAMES to play'), metavar='GAMES', default=1)
474     parser.add_option('-l', '--layout', dest='layout',
475                      help=default(
476                          'the LAYOUT FILE from which to load the map layout'),
477                      metavar='LAYOUT FILE', default='mediumClassic')
478     parser.add_option('-p', '--pacman', dest='pacman',
479                      help=default(
480                          'the agent TYPE in the pacmanAgents module to use'),
481                      metavar='TYPE', default='KeyboardAgent')
482     parser.add_option('-t', '--textGraphics', action='store_true', dest='textGraphics',
483                      help='Display output as text only', default=False)
484     parser.add_option('-q', '--quietTextGraphics', action='store_true', dest='quietGraphics',
485                      help='Generate minimal output and no graphics', default=False)
486     parser.add_option('-g', '--ghosts', dest='ghost',
487                      help=default(
488                          'the ghost agent TYPE in the ghostAgents module to use'),
489                      metavar='TYPE', default='RandomGhost')
490     parser.add_option('-k', '--numghosts', type='int', dest='numghosts',
491                      help=default('The maximum number of ghosts to use'), default=4)
492     parser.add_option('-z', '--zoom', type='float', dest='zoom',
493                      help=default('Zoom the size of the graphics window'), default=1.0)
494     parser.add_option('-f', '--fixRandomSeed', action='store_true', dest='fixRandomSeed',
495                      help='Fixes the random seed to always play the same game', default=False)
496     parser.add_option('-r', '--recordActions', action='store_true', dest='record',
497                      help='Writes game histories to a file (named by the time they were played)', default=False)
498     parser.add_option('--replay', dest='gameToReplay',
499                      help='A recorded game file (pickle) to replay', default=None)
500     parser.add_option('-a', '--agentArgs', dest='agentArgs',
501                      help='Comma separated values sent to agent. e.g. "opt1=val1,opt2,opt3=val3"')
502     parser.add_option('-x', '--numTraining', dest='numTraining', type='int',
503                      help=default('How many episodes are training (suppresses output)'), default=0)

```

- This function is made so it would read commands inputted through the CMD


```

579 def loadAgent(pacman, nographics):
580     # Looks through all pythonPath Directories for the right module,
581     pythonPathStr = os.path.expandvars("$PYTHONPATH")
582     if pythonPathStr.find('.') == -1:
583         pythonPathDirs = pythonPathStr.split(':')
584     else:
585         pythonPathDirs = pythonPathStr.split(';')
586     pythonPathDirs.append('.')
587
588     for moduleDir in pythonPathDirs:
589         if not os.path.isdir(moduleDir):
590             continue
591         moduleNames = [f for f in os.listdir(
592             moduleDir) if f.endswith('gents.py')]
593         for modulename in moduleNames:
594             try:
595                 module = __import__(modulename[:-3])
596             except ImportError:
597                 continue
598             if pacman in dir(module):
599                 if nographics and modulename == 'keyboardAgents.py':
600                     raise Exception(
601                         'Using the keyboard requires graphics (not text display)')
602                 return getattr(module, pacman)
603         raise Exception('The agent ' + pacman +
604                         ' is not specified in any *Agents.py.')
605
606
607 def replayGame(layout, actions, display):
608     import pacmanAgents
609     import ghostAgents
610     rules = ClassicGameRules()
611     agents = [pacmanAgents.GreedyAgent()] + [ghostAgents.RandomGhost(i+1)
612                                             for i in range(layout.getNumGhosts())]
613     game = rules.newGame(layout, agents[0], agents[1:], display)
614     state = game.state
615     display.initialize(state.data)
616
617     for action in actions:
618         # Execute the action
619         state = state.generateSuccessor('action')
620         # Change the display
621         display.update(state.data)
622         # Allow for game specific conditions (winning, losing, etc.)
623         rules.process(state, game)
624
625     display.finish()

```

- loadAgent function loads an agent class specified by the pacman argument. It searches through directories in the Python path, including the current directory, to find modules ending with "Agents.py". For each module found, it attempts to import it. If successful, it checks if the specified pacman agent is defined within the module. If found, it returns the agent class. If nographics is enabled and the agent is a keyboard agent, it raises an exception because keyboard agents require graphics. If no matching agent is found, it raises an exception indicating that the specified agent is not available.
- replayGame function replays a game given the layout, a sequence of actions, and a display. It imports modules for Pacman and ghost agents, then initializes the game using ClassicGameRules. It sets up agents for Pacman (a GreedyAgent) and the ghosts (RandomGhost agents).

```

628 def runGames(layout, pacman, ghosts, display, numGames, record, numTraining=0, catchExceptions=False, timeout=30):
629     import __main__
630     __main__.__dict__['_display'] = display
631
632     rules = ClassicGameRules(timeout)
633     games = []
634
635     for i in range(numGames):
636         beQuiet = i < numTraining
637         if beQuiet:
638             # Suppress output and graphics
639             import textDisplay
640             gameDisplay = textDisplay.NullGraphics()
641             rules.quiet = True
642         else:
643             gameDisplay = display
644             rules.quiet = False
645         game = rules.newGame(layout, pacman, ghosts,
646                             gameDisplay, beQuiet, catchExceptions)
647         game.run()
648         if not beQuiet:
649             games.append(game)
650
651         if record:
652             import time
653             import pickle
654             fname = ('recorded-game-%d' % (i + 1)) + \
655                     '-' + time.strftime('%Y-%m-%d-%H-%M-%S')
656             f = file(fname, 'w')
657             components = ['layout': layout, 'actions': game.moveHistory]
658             pickle.dump(components, f)
659             f.close()
660
661     if (numGames-numTraining) >= 0:
662         scores = [game.state.getScore() for game in games]
663         wins = [game.state.isWin() for game in games]
664         winRate = wins.count(True) / float(len(wins))
665         print('Average Score:', sum(scores) / float(len(scores)))
666         print('Scores: ', ', '.join('%d' % score for score in scores))
667         print('Win Rate: %d/%d (%.2f)' %
668               (wins.count(True), len(wins), winRate))
669         print('Record: ', ', '.join(
670             ['Loss', 'Win'][int(w)] for w in wins))
671
672     return games

```

- runGames function handles the running of multiple games in a Pacman environment. It sets up the game display, initializes game rules, and runs each game sequentially. During the games, it records moves if specified, calculates statistics such as scores and win rates, and prints the results. Finally, it returns a list of game instances.

```

675 if __name__ == '__main__':
676     """
677     The main function called when pacman.py is run
678     from the command line:
679
680     > python pacman.py
681
682     See the usage string for more details.
683
684     > python pacman.py --help
685     """
686     args = readCommand(sys.argv[1:]) # Get game components based on input
687     runGames(**args)
688

```

- Finally in the main part of the code we take the input from the cmd and run the game

14) GUI & Results:-



Pacman Agent	Win Rate (for 100 games)
Reflex Agent	90%
Left Turn Agent	0%
Greedy Agent	5%