

SIMULATIONS

Systems Analysis

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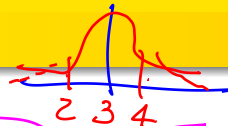


What is a simulation?

- Simulations are a sort of real-world representation, but rarely exactly the real world.
- Sometimes you need to test or experiment with expensive use cases. Simulations let **play** with different inputs, conditions, hyper parameter optimizations.
- Also, there are dangerous or hard to reach stages where simulations become the best option.
- You should define the **detail level** good enough to represent the expected behavior, without fail in both high complexity or lazy simplicity.

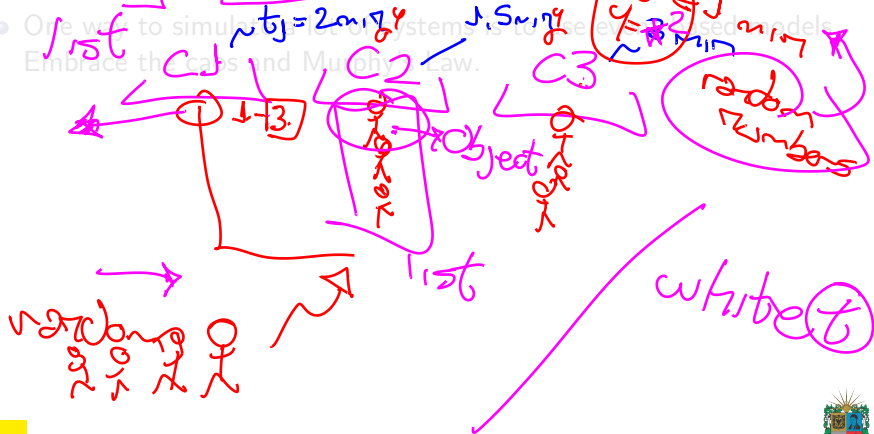


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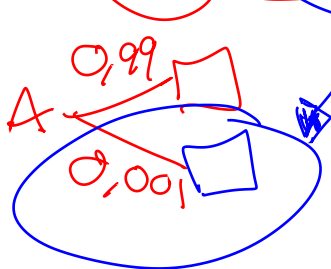
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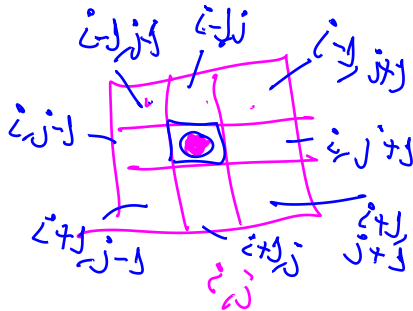
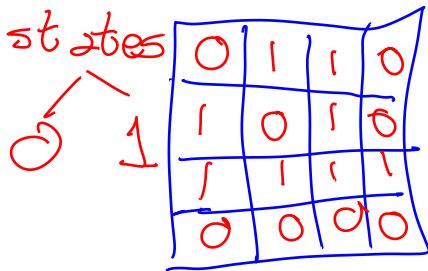
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Cellular Automatas

- Cellular Automata are a discrete model defined by a grid of cells, each one with a state.
- The state of a cell is updated based on the state of its neighbors.



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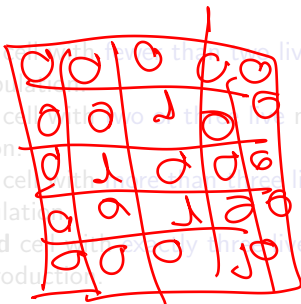
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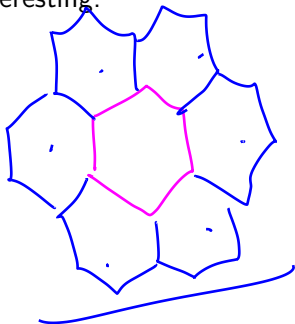


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HoneyComb Cellular Automata

- HoneyComb Cellular Automata is a different topology where a cell has ~~six~~ neighbors.
- This representation has different dispersion properties, sometimes, more interesting.

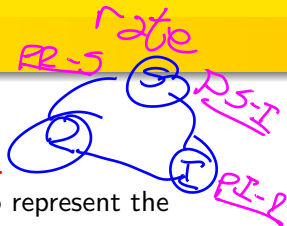


dispersion
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SIR Model

2003 - SARS

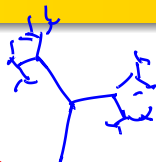


- **SIR Model** is a **compartmental model** used to represent the transmission of a contagious disease.
- The model divides the population into three compartments: **S** for the number of **susceptible**, **I** for the number of **infected**, and **R** for the number of **recovered**.
- The model is defined by the following differential equations where β is the transmission rate and γ is the recovery rate:

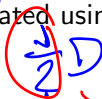
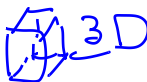
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dS}{dt} &= -\beta \cdot S \cdot I \\ \frac{dI}{dt} &= \beta \cdot S \cdot I - \gamma \cdot I \\ \frac{dR}{dt} &= \gamma \cdot I \end{aligned}$$



Chaotic Systems



- Chaotic Systems are a class of dynamical systems that exhibit sensitive dependence on initial conditions.
- This means that the future behavior of the system is **highly dependent** on the initial conditions.
- The Lorenz System is a well-known example of a chaotic system.
- Using cellular automata to simulate chaotic systems is a common practice. A lot of fractals can be created using something called chaotic rules.



Mandelbrot

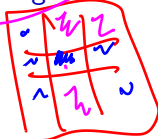
Fract



Turing Morphogenesis

The Basis of Morphogenesis

- Turing Morphogenesis is a theory of biological development that explains how patterns form in living organisms.
- The theory is based on the idea that chemical signals can interact to create patterns in a cellular automaton.
- The reaction-diffusion model is a common way to simulate Turing morphogenesis.
- The model is defined by a set of reaction and diffusion equations that describe how the chemical signals interact.



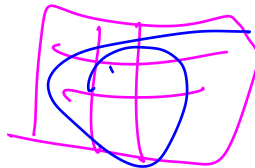
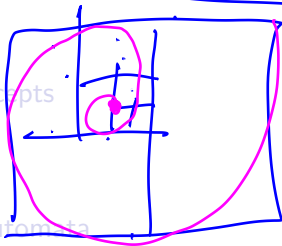
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Fibonacci

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Thanks!

Questions?



Repo: <https://github.com/EngAndres/ud-public/tree/main/courses/systems-analysis>

