

NetLogo & R: Assignments

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Assignment I

- Open the 'Correlated Random Walk' model (corrRandWalk.nlogo)
- Familiarize yourself with the model
- Observe the 'turtle diffusion'
- Describe the diffusion with **R-extension**
 - Descriptive statistics
 - e.g. `mean()` over time, `sd()`, ...
 - Is diffusion normally distributed?
 - e.g. `hist()`, `qqnorm()`, `qqline()` and `shapiro.test()`, ...
 - Visualize the diffusion with R
 - e.g. `plot()`, `smoothScatter()`, ...

Assignment II

Investigate *habitat connectivity* c_{ij} - i.e. the probability that an individual, started a habitat i , reaches habitat j .

- Formulate a hypothesis about how *distance to habitat* is related to *habitat connectivity*
- Design an experiment to test it
 - run it both with **BehaviorSpace** and **RNetLogo**
- Do the results support your hypothesis?

