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Monte Carlo Tic-Tac-Toe Player"""
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import random
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import poc_ttt_gui
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import poc_ttt_provided as provided
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# Constants for Monte Carlo simulator
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# You may change the values of these constants as desired, but
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# do not change their names.
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NTRIALS = 100    # Number of trials to run
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SCORE_CURRENT = 1.0 # Score for squares played by the current player
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SCORE_OTHER = 1.0  # Score for squares played by the other player
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# Add your functions here.
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def mc_trial(board, player):
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    """This function plays the board randomly placing X and O"""
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    avail_squares = board.get_empty_squares()
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    for dummy in range(len(avail_squares)):
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        i_square = random.randrange(len(avail_squares))
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        pos_square = avail_squares[i_square]
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        board.move(pos_square[0], pos_square[1], player)
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    if(board.check_win() != None):
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        break
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    avail_squares.pop(i_square)
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player = provided.switch_player(player)
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def mc_update_scores(scores, board, player):
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    """This function updates the score of the trail board updating +1 for machine player and -1 for other
    player """
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    dim = board.get_dim()
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    scores_trial = [[0 for dummy_i in range(dim)] for dummy_j in range(dim)]
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    other_player = provided.switch_player(player)
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    if(board.check_win() == player):
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        for row in range(dim):
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            for col in range(dim):
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                if(board.square(row,col) == player):
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                    scores_trial[row][col] += SCORE_CURRENT
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                if(board.square(row,col) == other_player):
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                    scores_trial[row][col] -= SCORE_OTHER
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```
    if(board.check_win() == other_player):
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```
        for row in range(dim):
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            for col in range(dim):
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```
                if(board.square(row,col) == player):
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                    scores_trial[row][col] -= SCORE_CURRENT
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```
                if(board.square(row,col) == other_player):
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```
                    scores_trial[row][col] += SCORE_OTHER
```

```
    for row in range(dim):
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        for col in range(dim):
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```
            scores[row][col] += scores_trial[row][col]
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def get_best_move(board, scores):
    """ returns the next best square to move """

    empty_squares = board.get_empty_squares()
    if (len(empty_squares) != 0):
        square_list = []
        max_score = float("-inf")
        for dummy in range(len(empty_squares)):
            temp = empty_squares[dummy]
            row = temp[0]
            col = temp[1]
            if(scores[row][col] > max_score):
                max_score = scores[row][col]

        for dummy in range(len(empty_squares)):
            temp = empty_squares[dummy]
            row = temp[0]
            col = temp[1]
            if(scores[row][col] == max_score):
                square_list.append((row,col))

        dummy_i = random.randrange(len(square_list))
        return square_list[dummy_i]

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def mc_move(board, player, trials):

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""" moves the machine player to the next best predicted square"""
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score_b = [[0 for dummy_i in range(board.get_dim())]for dummy_j in range(board.get_dim())]  
print score_b
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for dummy in range(trials):  
    board_trial = board.clone()  
    mc_trial(board_trial, player)  
    mc_update_scores(score_b, board_trial, player)  
  
return get_best_move(board, score_b)
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# Test game with the console or the GUI. Uncomment whichever  
# you prefer. Both should be commented out when you submit  
# for testing to save time.
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#provided.play_game(mc_move, NTRIALS, False)  
poc_ttt_gui.run_gui(3, provided.PLAYERX, mc_move, NTRIALS, False)
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