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## Dissertation

- **Overview of Reinforcement Learning with Tic Tac Toe** | Python, Pygame, and Numpy [Github](#)

Tic Tac Toe game built with Python that learns to play using a Reinforcement learning model. [Play on itch.io](#)

- Implemented **Reinforcement Learning with Decision Trees** model which **learns to play with experience**.
- Utilized **Numpy** for efficient **matrix transformations** to **Detect Symmetrical States** of the game board for avoiding **redundancy**.
- **Record each game played** and **predict optimal moves** using **Probability** and avoiding previously learned losing moves.
- Implemented **Mini-Max Algorithm mode** in the game to enhance gameplay experience.
- Implemented the **Elimination of Symmetrical States** and **Memoization**, resulting in a **96% reduction in Minimax runtime**
- Enabled two players to engage in **Player vs Player** mode on the same device.
- Developed a **user-friendly interface** for the game using **Pygame** and enabled the game to be played in a **browser** using **Pygbag**.

## Projects

- **Self Driving Car Simulation** | HTML, CSS, JavaScript [Github](#)

Autonomous Car Simulation built with HTML Canvas powered by Neural Network built in JavaScript. [Visit Project](#)

- Car drives in a **straight road** and **avoid collisions with traffic and road borders**.
- Implemented a **Neural Network** from scratch in **JavaScript** to enable **autonomous driving**.
- Developed **user-friendly interface** allowing users to **launch multiple cars** with custom speed and **random network parameters**.
- Implemented **friction** and **acceleration** to make car **movements look Realistic**.
- Implemented **device orientation** and **key controls** for car.
- **Optimized animation** with **Queue Data Structure**

- **Social Media Web Application** | Python, JavaScript, Django, Ajax, WebSockets, Bootstrap, HTML, CSS [Github](#)

Developed a social media app for individuals interested in poetry using the Django framework.

- Implemented key features such as **authentication, posts, comments, likes, sidebar animations, infinite scroll**.
- Ensured full **Responsiveness** of the site for optimal user experience on **mobile devices**.
- Utilized **SQLite Database** and **Django ORM** to store data in the application.
- Implemented **AJAX** to enhance user experience by **avoiding page reloading**.
- Utilized **Django Channels** to introduce **WebSockets** and implement a **real-time public chat**.

- **Chat Level Telegram - Bot** | Python, Telebot, Pymongo, OpenAI API, NewsAPI, and MongoDB Atlas. [Github](#)

Created a Chat Level Bot for telegram groups to manage levels and XP of members. bot username -> [@Chat\\_Level\\_Bot](#)

- Implemented features such as setting **custom ranks, custom levels, custom nicknames, changing reps with emojis**.
- Stores Data in **MongoDB Atlas Database** using **Pymongo**.
- Can communicate with users using **Openai API** to facilitate **interactive conversations**.
- **Fetches** news using **News API** to provide up-to-date news information.

- **Maze Runner Robot** | Arduino UNO, C++, Bluetooth, IR Sensor [Github](#)

Developed an Arduino robot programmed in C++ capable of solving maze puzzles using black line detection.

- The robot is capable of **solving mazes** and remembering the **shortest path**.
- Utilized **IR pair sensor** to accurately **detect black lines**.
- Designed and implemented a **Bluetooth-enabled Arduino controller** to remotely control the robot.

## SKILLS

• Software Development • Data Structures and Algorithms • Machine Learning • Python • JavaScript • HTML • C++

## EDUCATION

B.Sc (Hons.) Electronic Science | 2020-2023

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