Project Report

Learning Algorithm

The following algorithms was used as part of the solution:

- 1 Continuous Control with Deep Reinforcement Learning (**DDPG**): https://arxiv.org/pdf/1509.02971.pdf
- 2 Dueling Network Architectures: https://arxiv.org/pdf/1511.06581.pdf

The architecture used was:

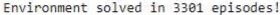
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Agent 1:
Actor Local and Actor Target (
  (fc1): Linear(in features=24, out features=400, bias=True)
  (fc2): Linear(in features=400, out features=300, bias=True)
  (fc3): Linear(in features=300, out features=2, bias=True)
Critic Local and Critic Target(
  (fc1): Linear(in features=52, out features=400, bias=True)
  (fc2): Linear(in features=400, out features=300, bias=True)
  (fc3): Linear(in features=300, out features=1, bias=True)
Agent 2 (twin agent):
Actor Local and Actor Target (
  (fc1): Linear(in features=24, out features=550, bias=True)
  (fc2): Linear(in features=550, out features=300, bias=True)
  (fc3): Linear(in features=300, out features=2, bias=True)
Critic Local and Critic Target (
  (fcs1): Linear(in_features=52, out_features=550, bias=True)
  (fc2): Linear(in features=550, out features=300, bias=True)
  (fc3): Linear(in features=300, out features=1, bias=True)
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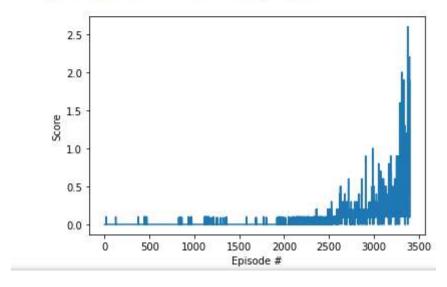
Hyperparameters

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BUFFER_SIZE = 50000
BATCH_SIZE = 128
GAMMA = 0.995
TAU = 0.002
LR_ACTOR = 0.0001
LR_CRITIC = 0.001
UPDATE_EVERY = 2
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Plot of Rewards

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Episode 0
                Average Score: 0.000
Episode 200
                Average Score: 0.001
Episode 400
                Average Score: 0.001
Episode 600
                Average Score: 0.000
Episode 800
                Average Score: 0.000
Episode 1000
                Average Score: 0.004
Episode 1200
                Average Score: 0.017
Episode 1400
                Average Score: 0.003
Episode 1600
                Average Score: 0.001
Episode 1800
                Average Score: 0.002
Episode 2000
               Average Score: 0.014
Episode 2200
              Average Score: 0.025
Episode 2400
                Average Score: 0.057
Episode 2600
                Average Score: 0.083
Episode 2800
                Average Score: 0.099
Episode 3000
                Average Score: 0.133
Episode 3200
                Average Score: 0.197
Episode 3400
               Average Score: 0.490
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Ideas for future work

- 1 Adapt this implementation to use only one critic network for both agents.
- 2 Implement "Prioritize Experience Replay", instead a ReplayBuffer.