finance

- quants : portfolio calculations
 trading: hold,sell,buy
 (HFT)
- hedge funds A 120/100x * 5 B 85/100y *5

long short : 120/100 x* 5* 12 long 85/100y * 5* 3 short

- BFSI - IBs (they account for market inflation, risks and exchange defaults), hedge funds (risky)

weight

- Timeseries (statistical /math modelling)
- * Model this trading (RL environment)

IPO s - going public - listed in stock exchange demand of the shares

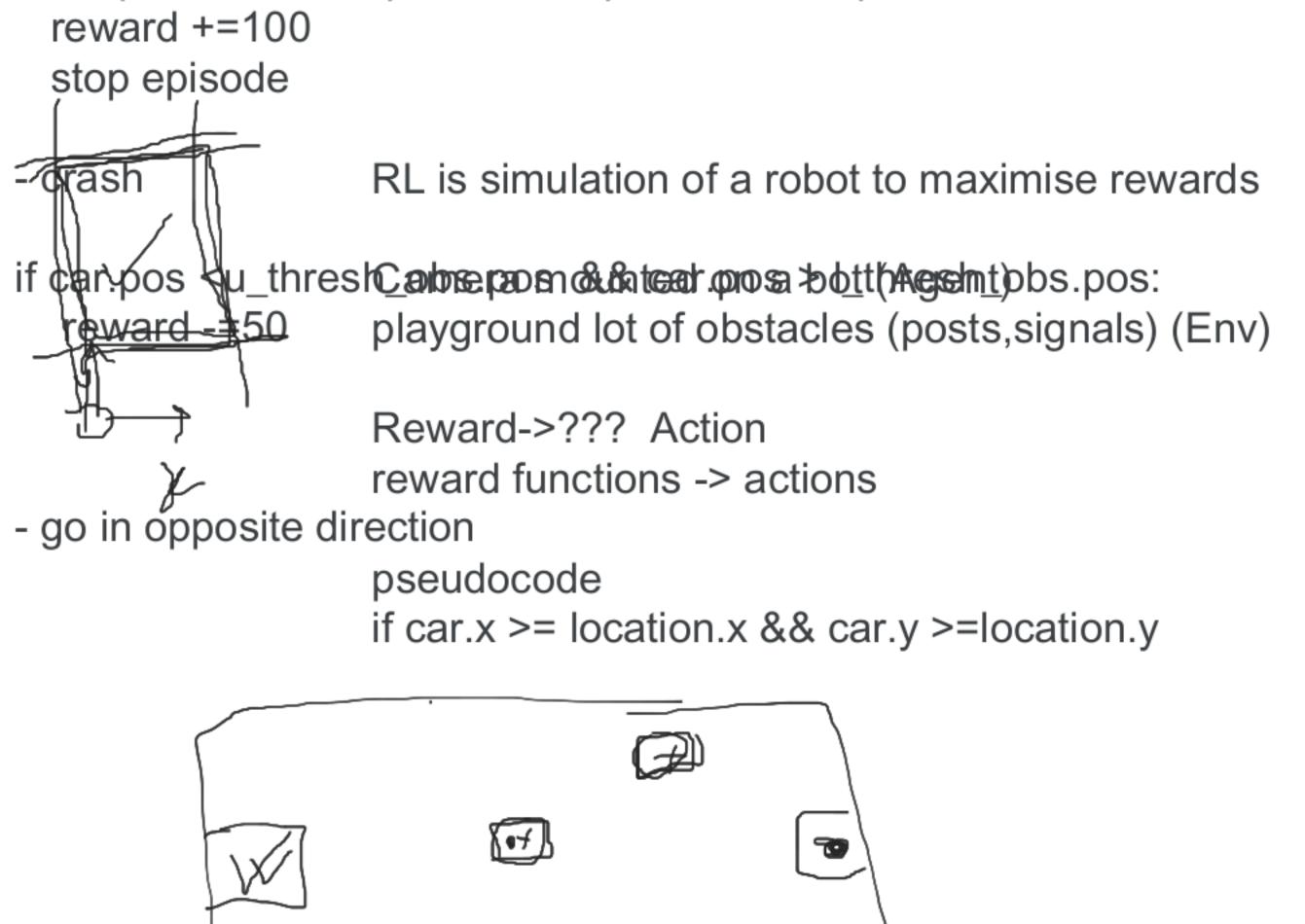
RL: (What will we see today?? Train a DQN for trading on S&P??)

Env: can be anything (States)

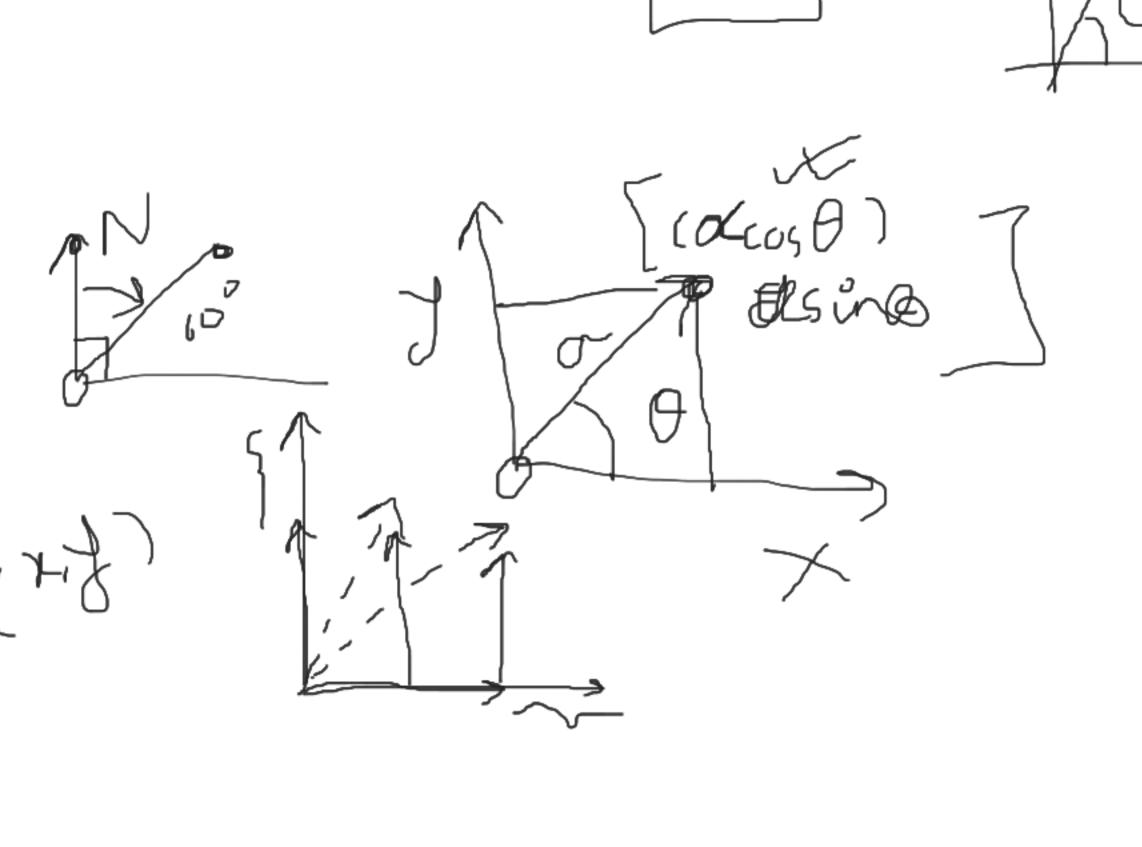
Agent: is ass. following actions and remembering (DL)

Rewards: functions

Actions: based on a set of environmental conditions bot will take actions



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//reach the end
if car.pos < u_thres.pos && car.pos>l_thresh.pos
 reward +=100
  stop episode
- crash
if car.pos <u_thresh_obs.pos && car.pos > l_thresh_obs.pos:
  reward -=50
- do not go out of field
if car.pos >u_thresh_field.pos && car.pos < l_thresh_field.pos:
  reward +=25
- go in opposite direction
distance measure
if(car.pos- u_thresh.pos)<thresh
 reward+=40
else:
 reward-=20
- give a small reward for moving car.pos in direction of thresh_final.pos
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acost-acost1,asint-asint1

=a(cost-cost1)

minimise the ddirectional difference

acost,asint

acost1,asin t1

reward stay

penaltymake yourdirectioncorrect!!

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if car.post.x - car.post1.x
<thresh_radians:
    reward+=15
else:
    reward-=15

(car.post.x = cost(tan-1(pos.y/pos.x)))</pre>
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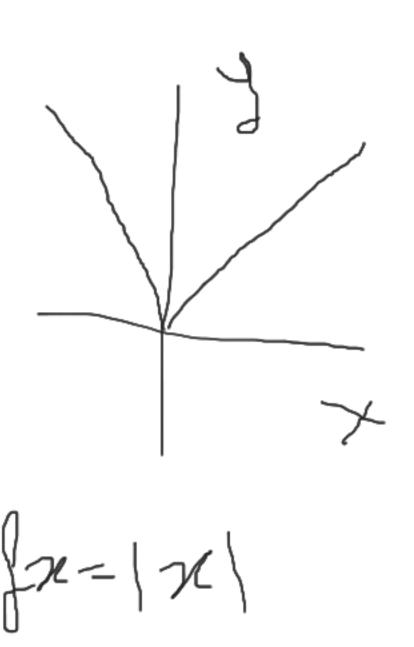
DRL: (Model free RL) - On policy - Off policy (Model Based RL) ~~~ 2 functions: Q V

Either you maximise the valu function V - off policy (be quick) or you maximise the policy Q to maximse the V - on policy (actor critics)

discrete or continuous - off policy in cont spaces is inefficient Q Learning (Sutton & Bellman equations), SARSA Temporal Differece Learning

Off policy - DQN

Also note: In RL we take expectations of rewards rather than only rewards E[f(x)] not f(x)



3 signals - B,H,S

Agent: Sequential Dense prediction of 3 softmax logits memory: a container for previous observations cache memory: 30 % of previous observations recent (buffer) actions: predict porbabilities learn: update agents memory ,states (update your cap(x)l)=x for all x>0 f(x)=0 otherwise

relu

Can we do derivatives??????

Memory: states, actions, past rewards, next steps, met my goal

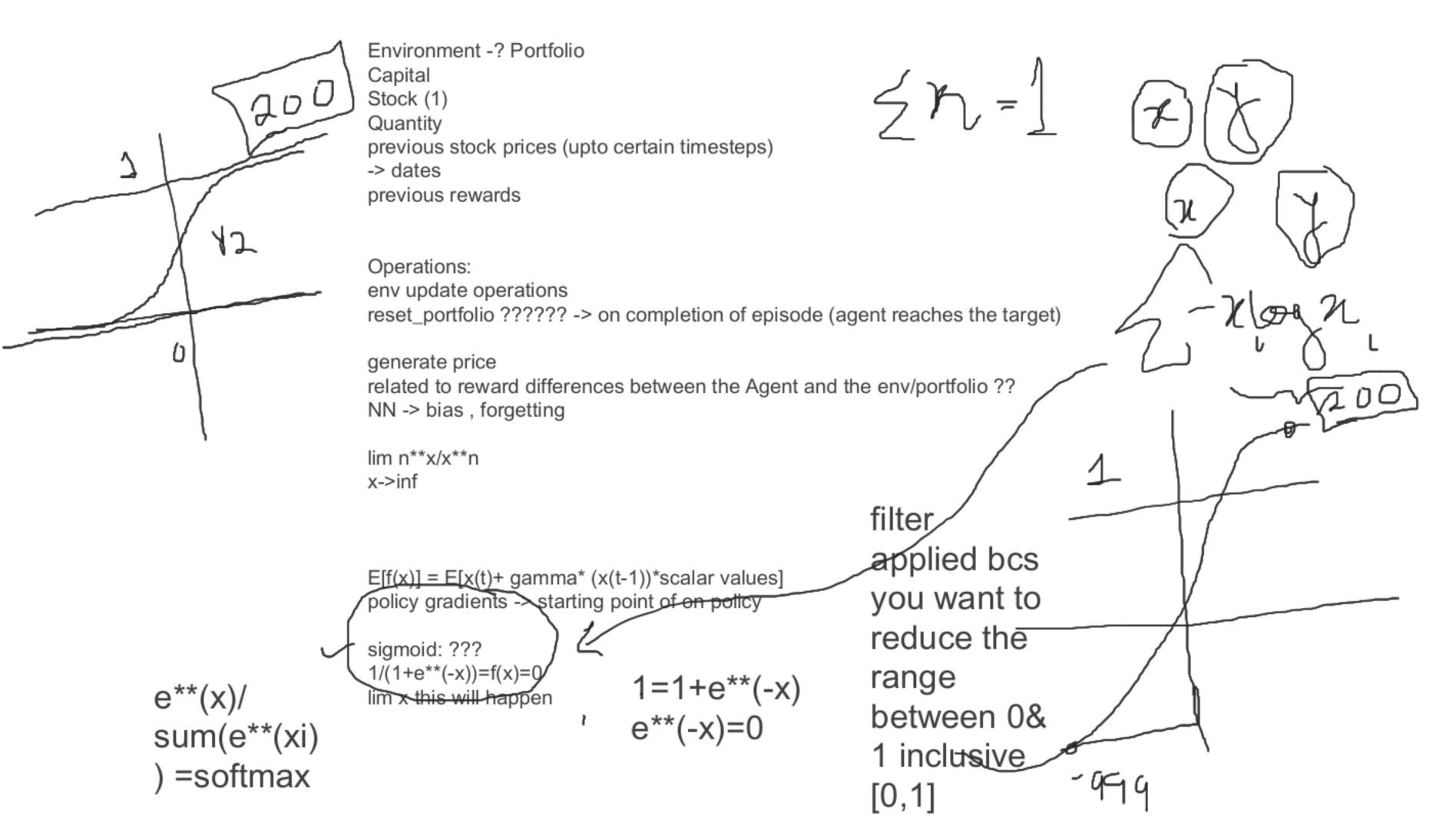
For off policy there is always an experience replay ???? Bcs in DQN we need to Agent to perform everything

states -> actions (3) -> rewards (+/-R) -> next_steps(3) ->done(T/F)

DQN is very optimistic does not account for margins of errors

Agent will have 2 brains

updating the weights from second brain to the first brain -> ??? margin of error found by the second brain is now updated in the first brain . Now the first brain knows the errors which might have come had he bought at 7 and sold at 10 brain->model() DQNs second brain->target model() DQNs DDQN -> they are not competing against each other



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Env:
Train script
pseudocode:
Agent should be able to buy and sell
agent should be able to predict (agent.act())
agent should be able to update the weights
agent.experience _replay()
agent needs to update its history/memory
agent.remember()
Env:
stock[buydate] ,stock[enddate]
based on the rewards Agent is getting
env.reset()
env.generate_()
inherit parameters from portfolio -> scalars like balance etc
- there should be a training loop iterating up to the number of episodes provided
for i in training_iter:
 do
     agent.reset()
     states=env.generate_()
     while(j<trading_days):
        do
          set reward to 0
          state=env.generate_()
          get prev_portfolio_value()
          Agent.forward() -> agent.act(state)
          agent.buy() | agent.sell() | agent.hold()
           if agent.missed_opportunity():
              agent.penalize()
          agent.get_rewards()
          if agent.rewards()==threshold:
            j++
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at any time atleast one value > greater than other 2

Training script as it is ...

When 2 brains are competing against each other

Q=v+A uptil D2QNs , Q=v advantage A

A=Q-v Dueling DDQN

for some simulations D3QN > D2QN (more rewards) Never ending dueling creates stagnation

D3QN Q=V+ max(A- 1/|A|<A>) A-> policy based methods (on policy)

On policy methods

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policy person(brains??) + Agent (brains ???)
A
Q=V+A
actor critics
policy gradients -> minimise the advantage loss
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A=Q-V = increase the E[A]

- gradient descent
- gradient ascent

Q up and V down
A up
policy guy -> his eestimated returns are quite higher than the Agents returns --T/
F??
(Agent becomes the Actor)

When you have -rewards

A -> negative Q down -V up ??

(policy guy becomes Actor)

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r(t) + gamma*(r(t-1)) = R(t) = discrete
Bellman eq: Q = V(t) + R(t)
r(t) + gamma*(V(t-1)) = Q(t)updated
A(t) = Q(t) - V(t)
= r(t)+gamma*(v(t-1)) -v(t)
=E[()]
(optima curve)
max(A(t)): ???
- d(v(t))/d(t)

    continuously differentiable within the same range

- curl should exist
J(t)= E[Q(t).pi(t)] ->gradient ascent
param update= s(t+1)=s(t)+ scalar* J(t)
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Actor Critic Model 3 actions: B,H,S

Ingredients:

(Env and all are static)

- Actor Network (GD)
- Critic Network (GA)
- Synchronizing Module

pseudocode

- Actor pseudocode
- def network():
 Dense()
 mse loss with adam
 model
- def weight_update():
 return gradients([action,states])
- Critic psuedocode
 - def network(): return model
 - def weight_update():
 return gradients([actions,states]) (added up ?????)
- def weight_transfer(): weight_update(actor) weight_update(critic)

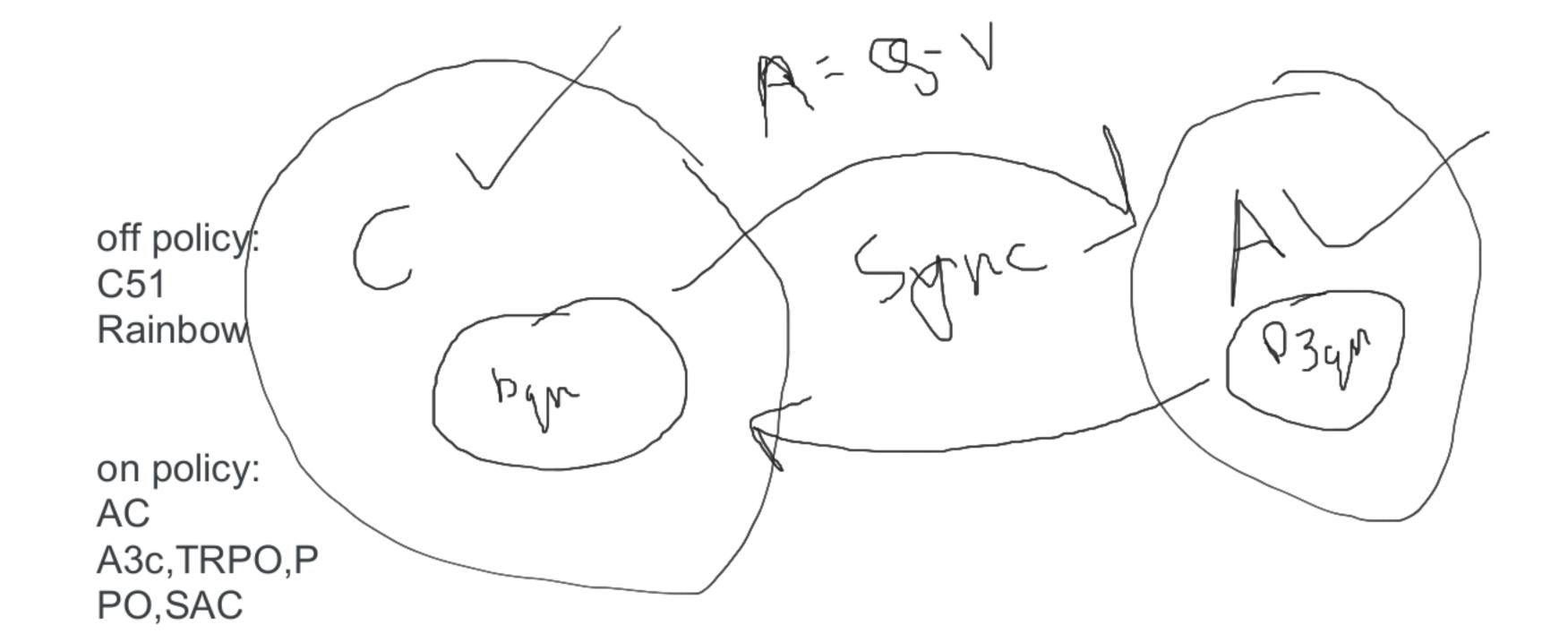
Combined ACAgent()

- Actor class
- Critic Class

AcAgent.actor Acagent.critic

- there should be a training loop iterating upto the number of episodes provided for i in training_iter: do AcAgent.actor.reset() AcAgent.critic.reset() states=env.generate_() for j in trading_days: do set reward to 0 state=env.generate_() get prev_portfolio_value() Agent.forward() -> agent.act(state) agent.buy() | agent.sell() | agent.hold() if agent.missed_opportunity(): agent.penalize() env.update() if agent.rewards()==threshold do agent.update() end episode

ac -> you dont have memory?? no cache memory?



Timeseries
Arima, arima
x,
DQNs to
solve
timeseries