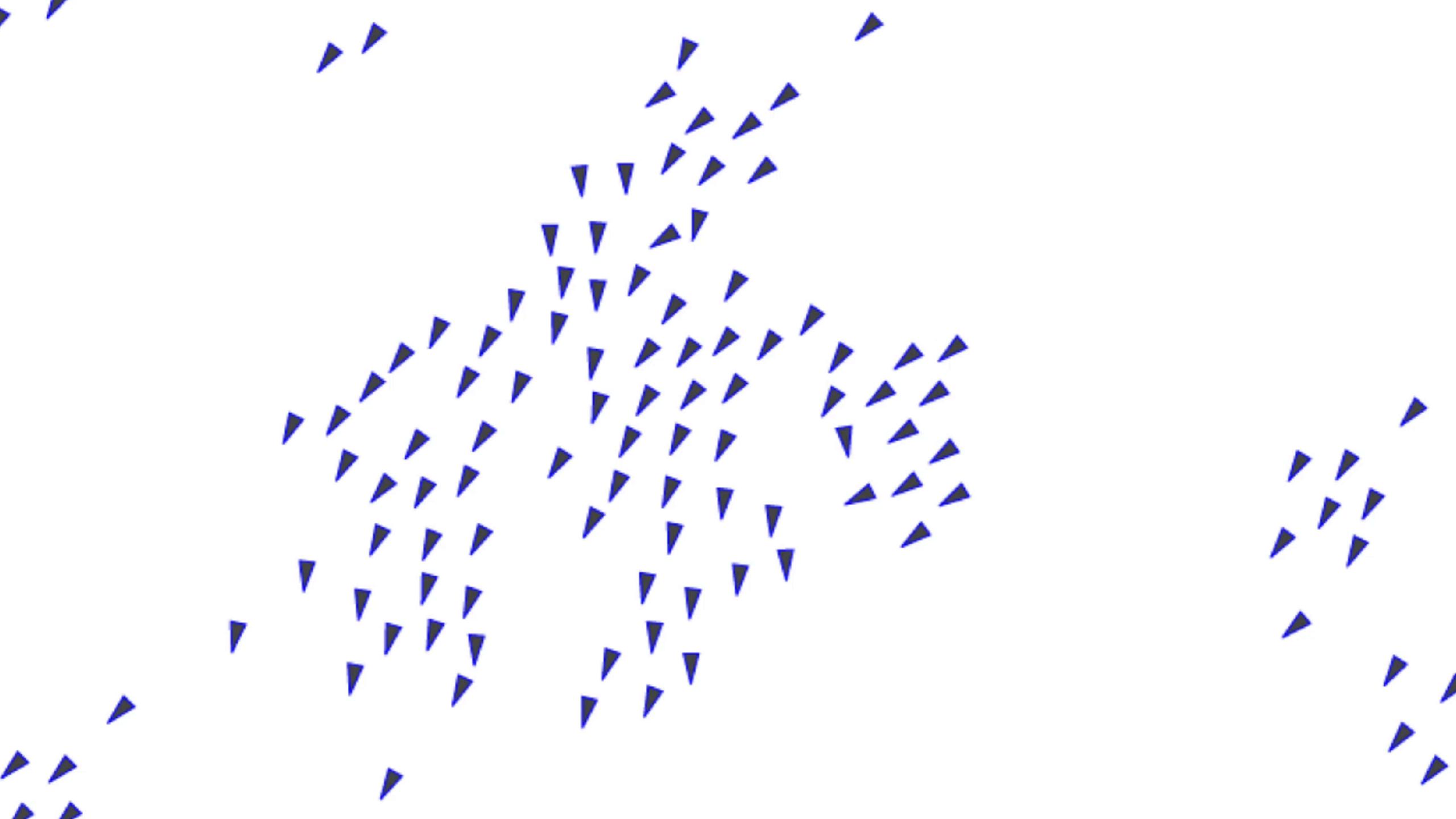
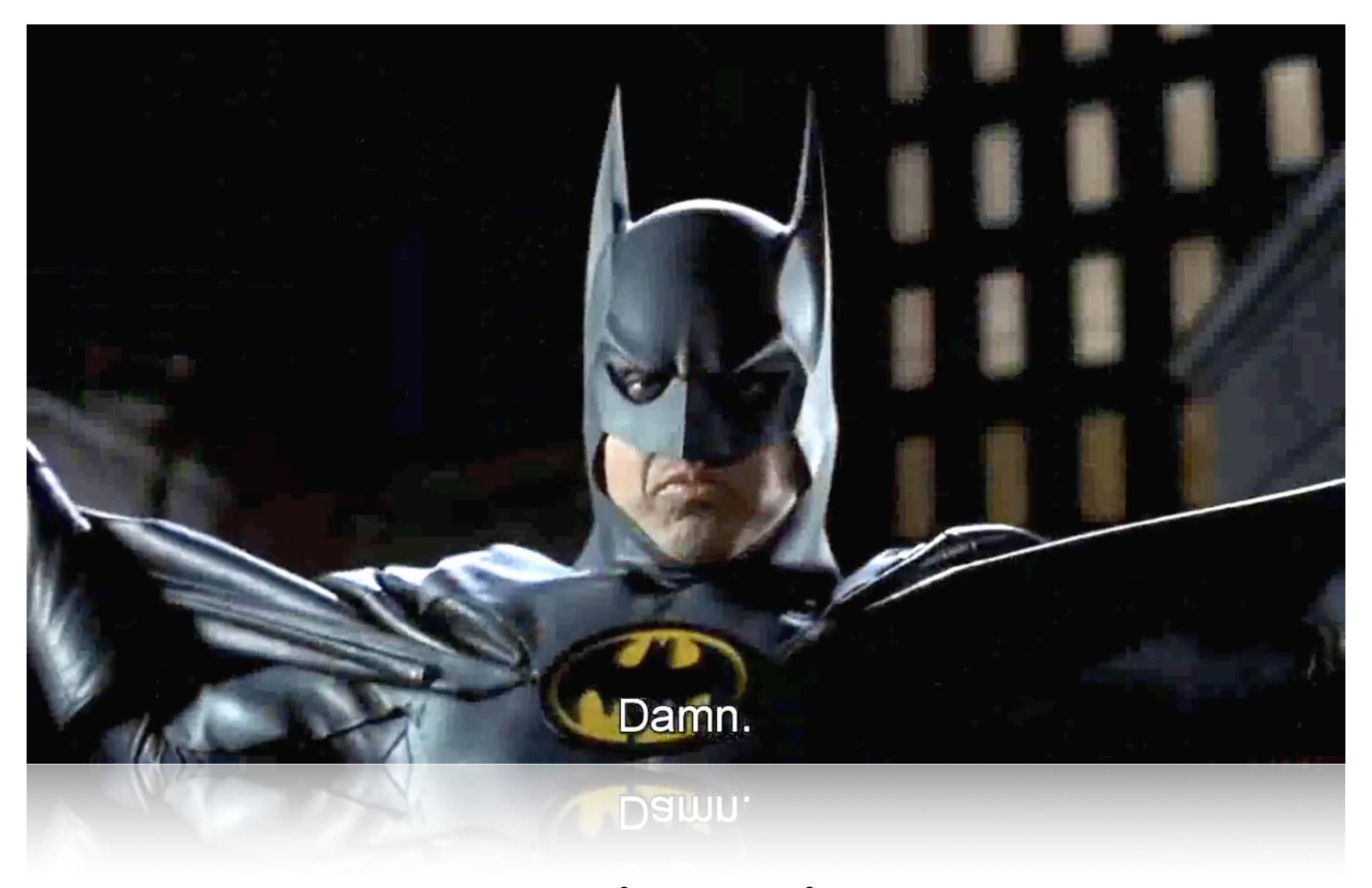
Flocking Simulation with Phoenix Channels

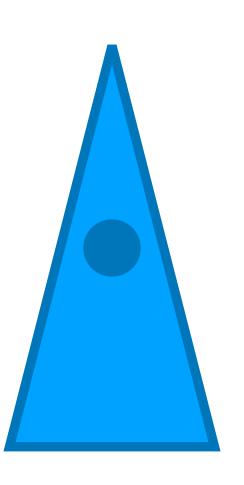
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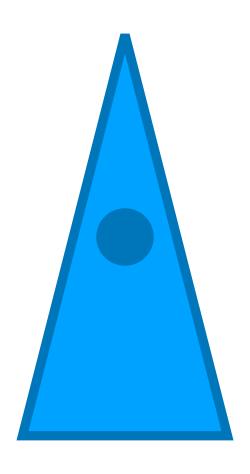


Use case: Cinematic effects

Boid: One member of a flock

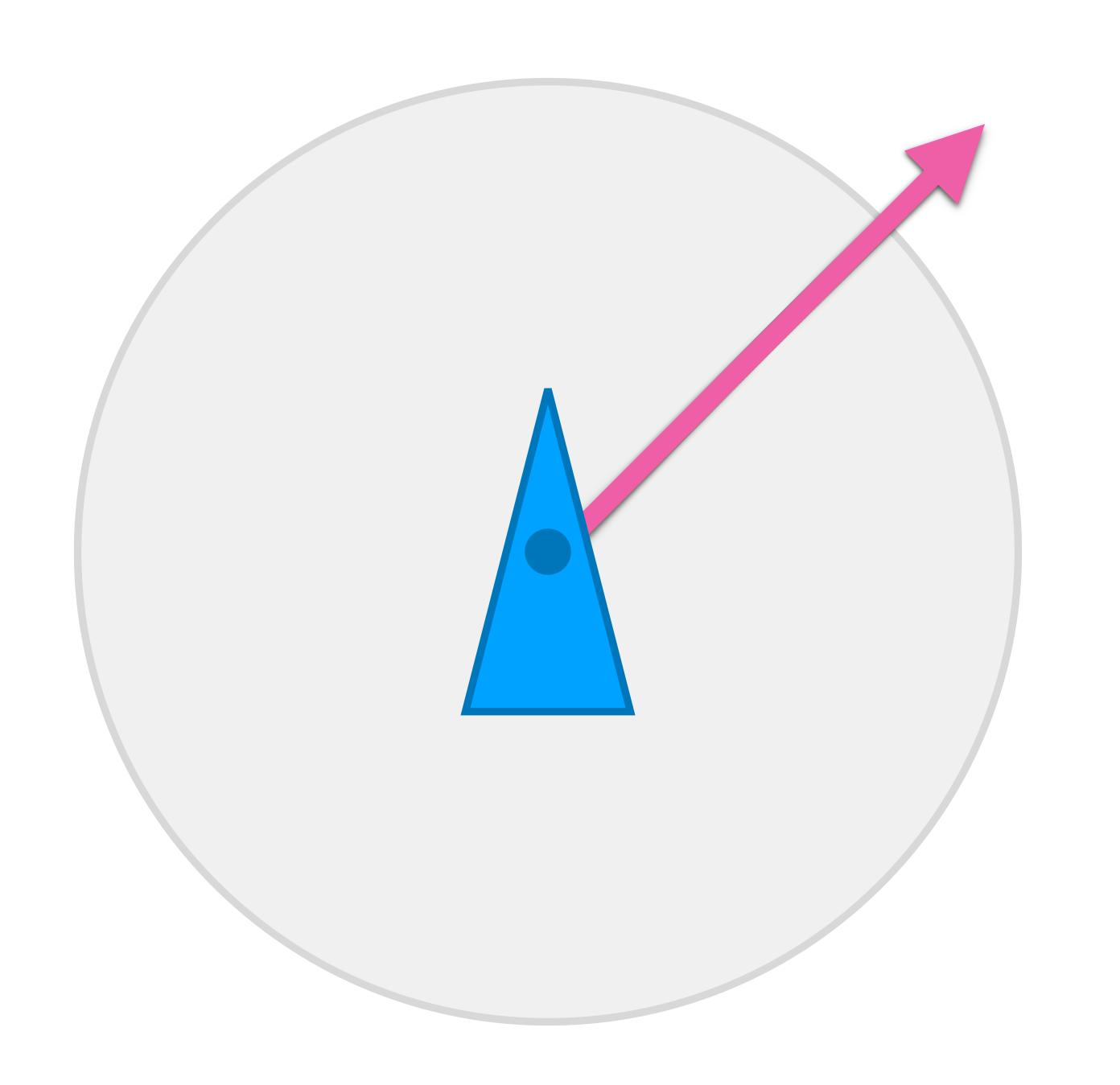


* Location



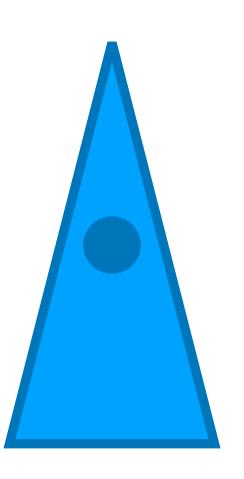


- * Location
- * Perception Radius

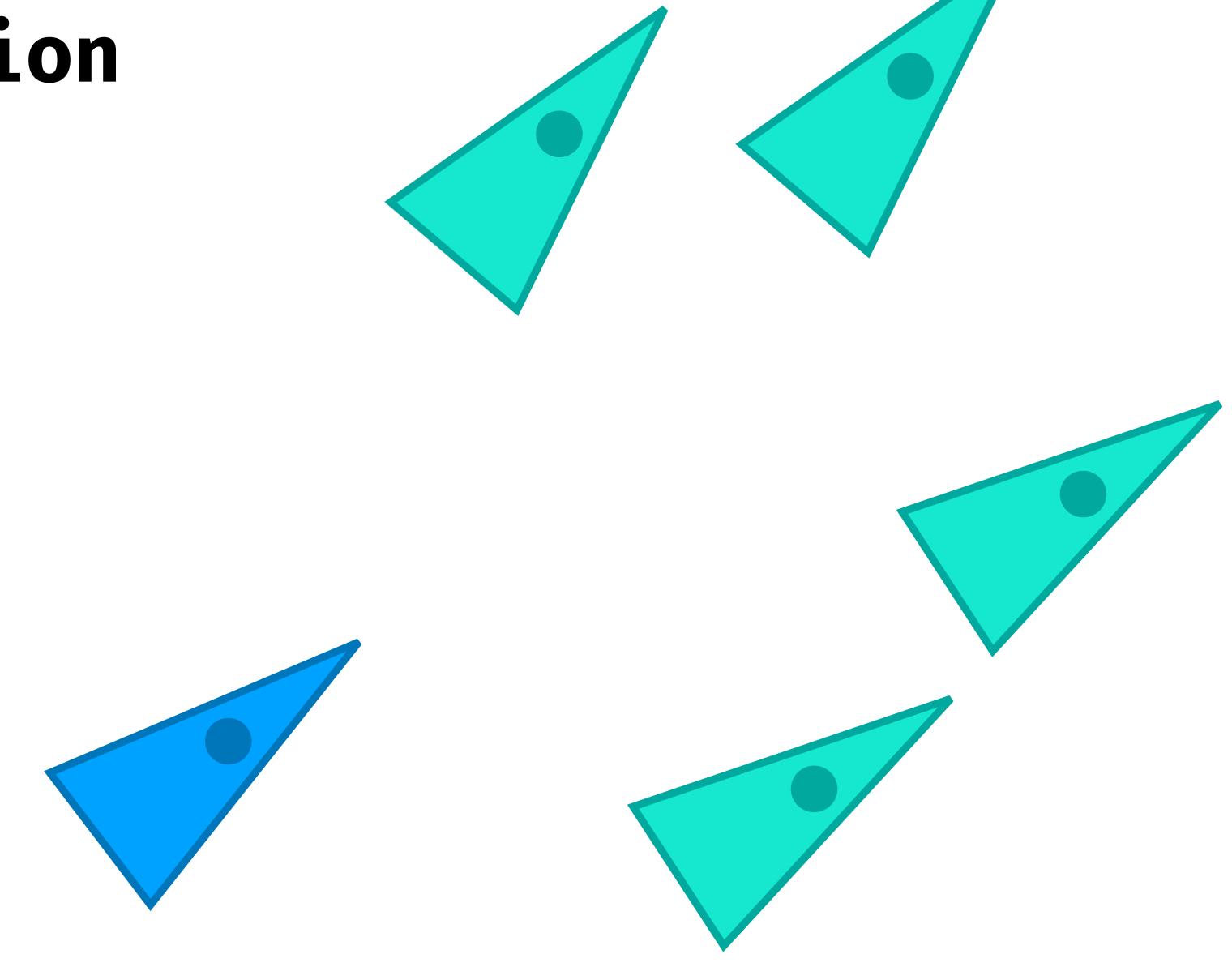


- * Location
- * Perception Radius
- * Velocity
- * Heading

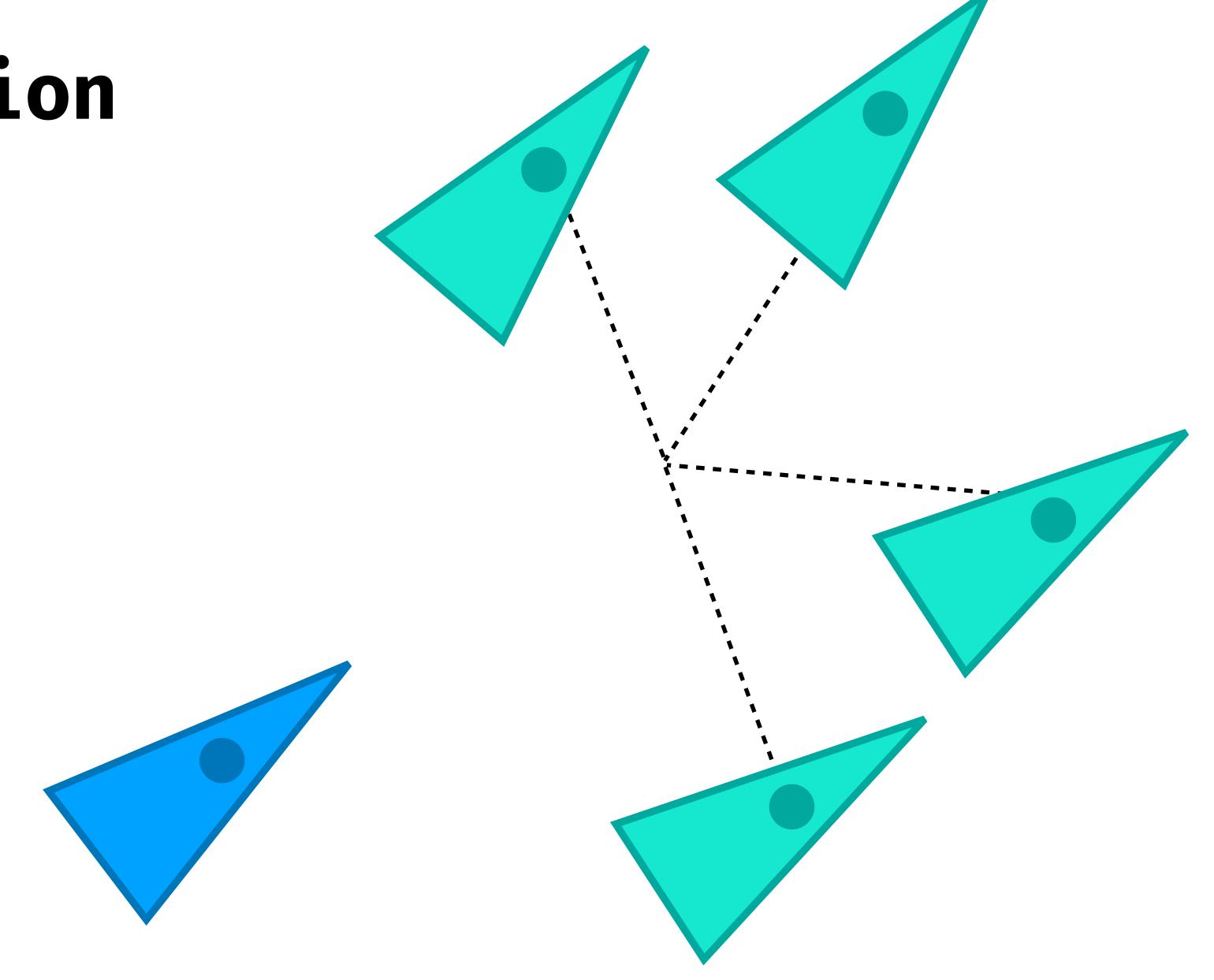
You Need Three Behaviours



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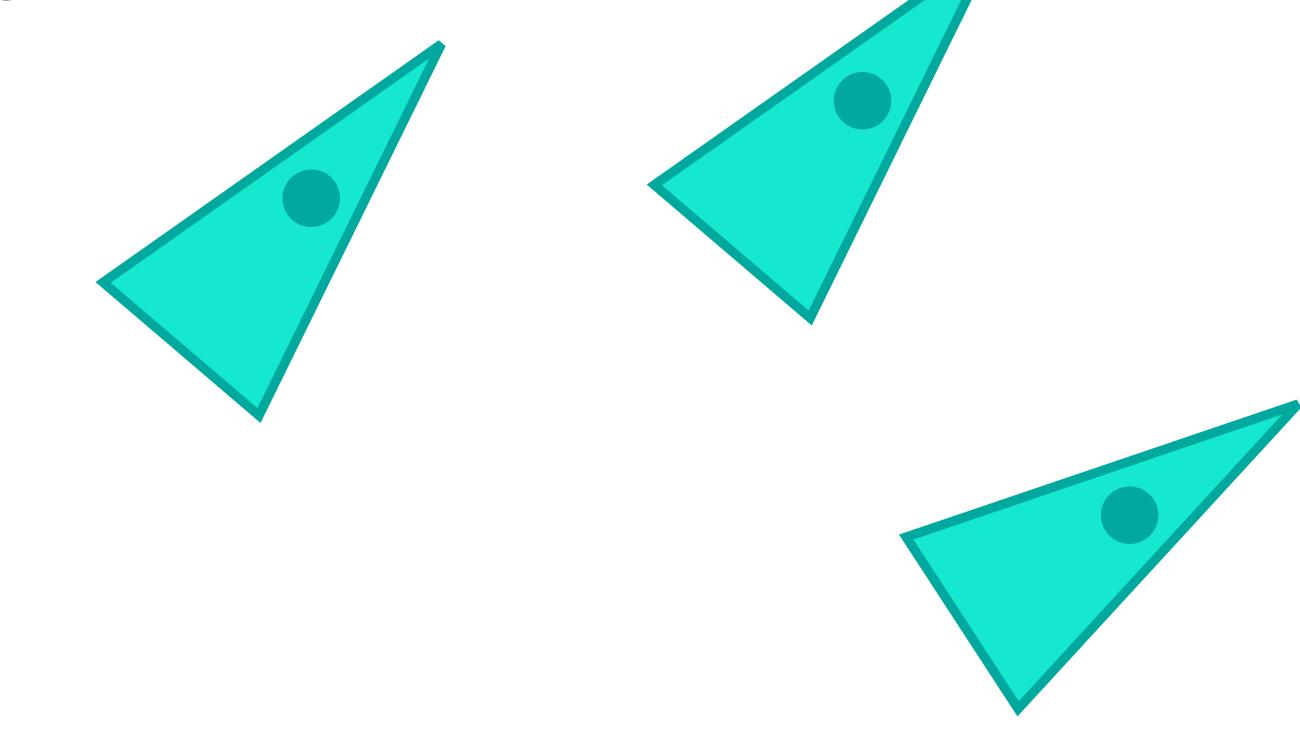


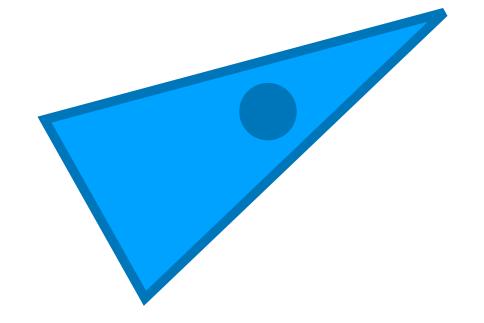
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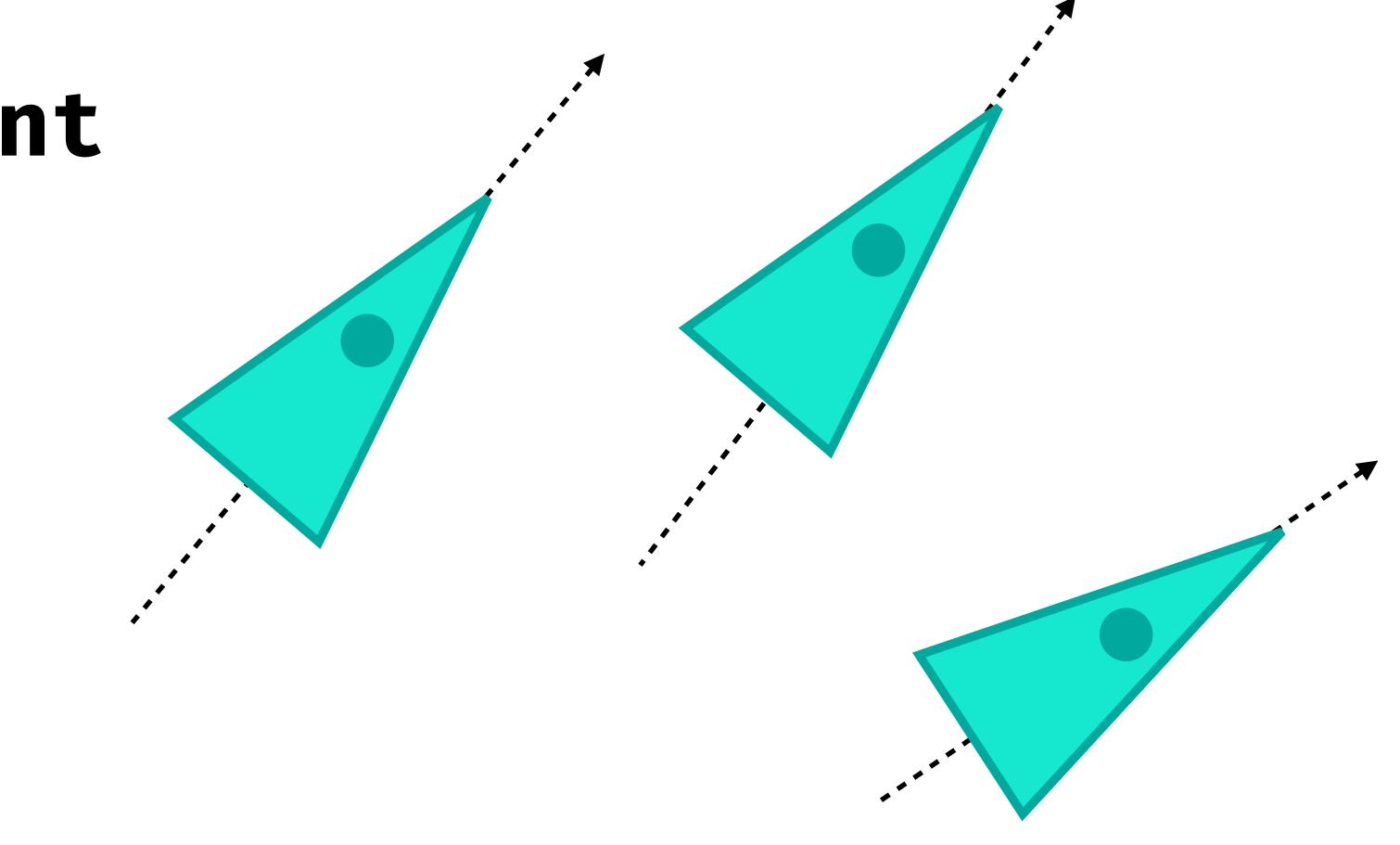
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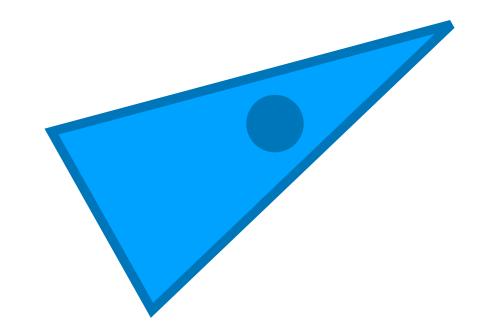
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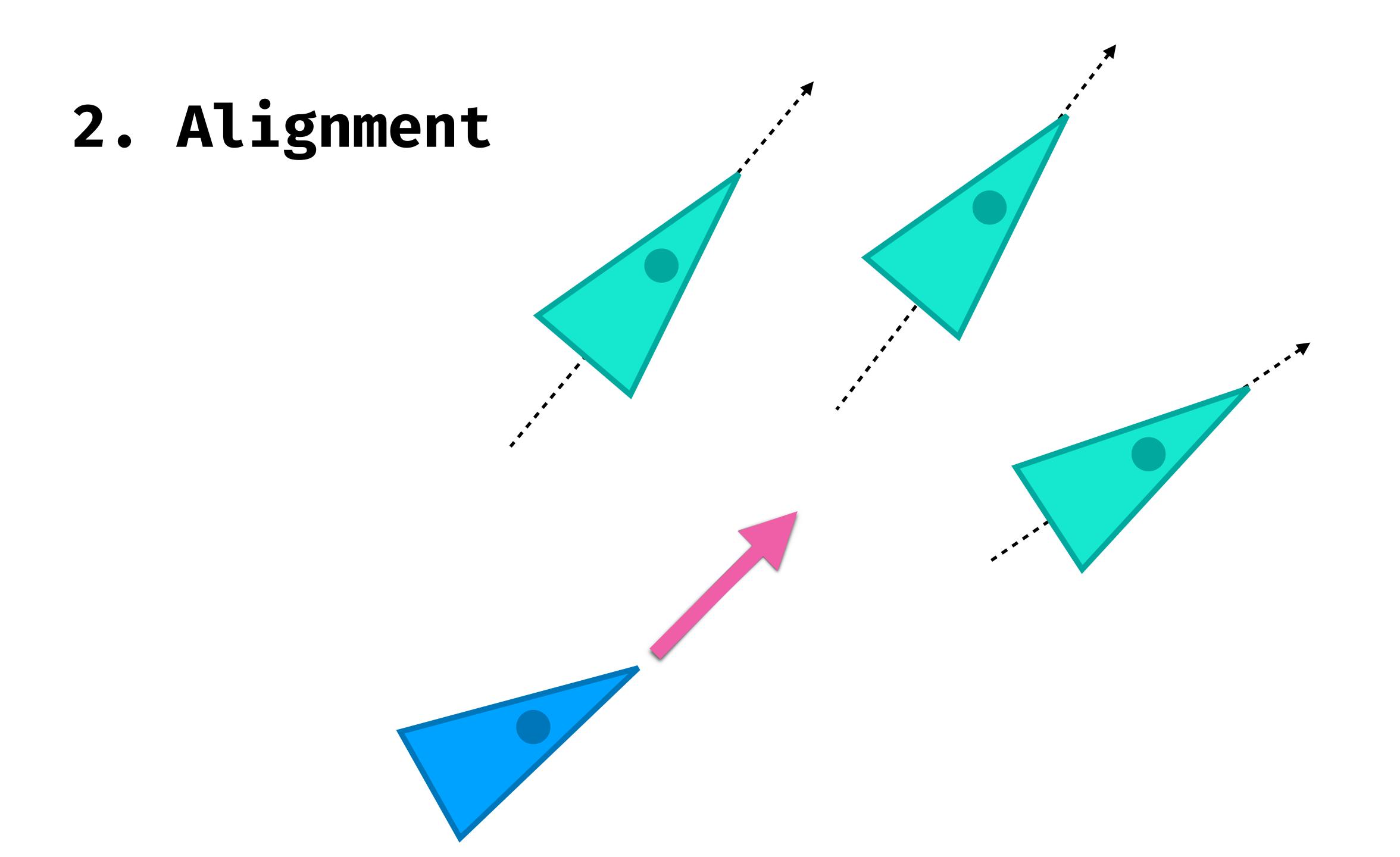


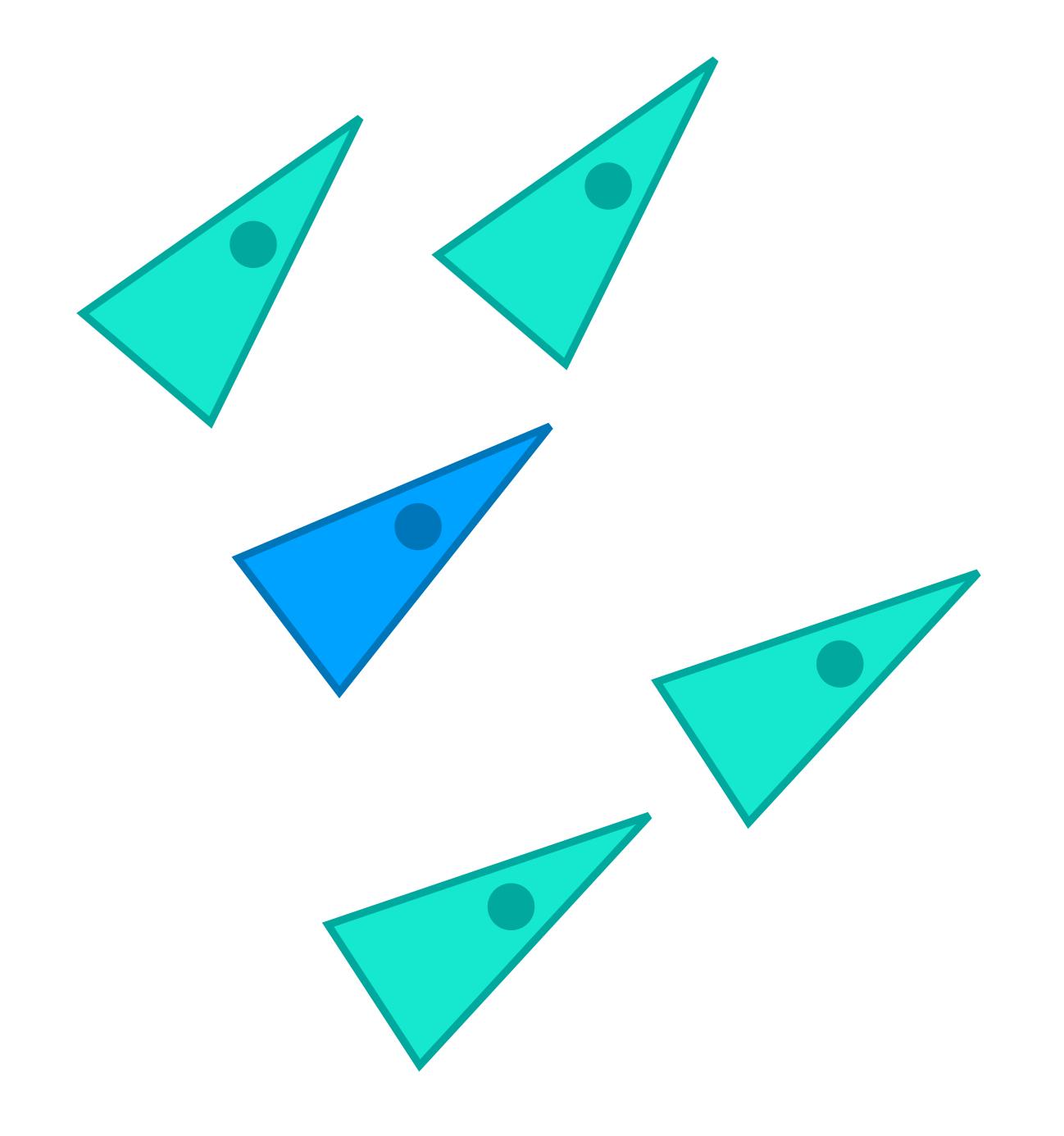


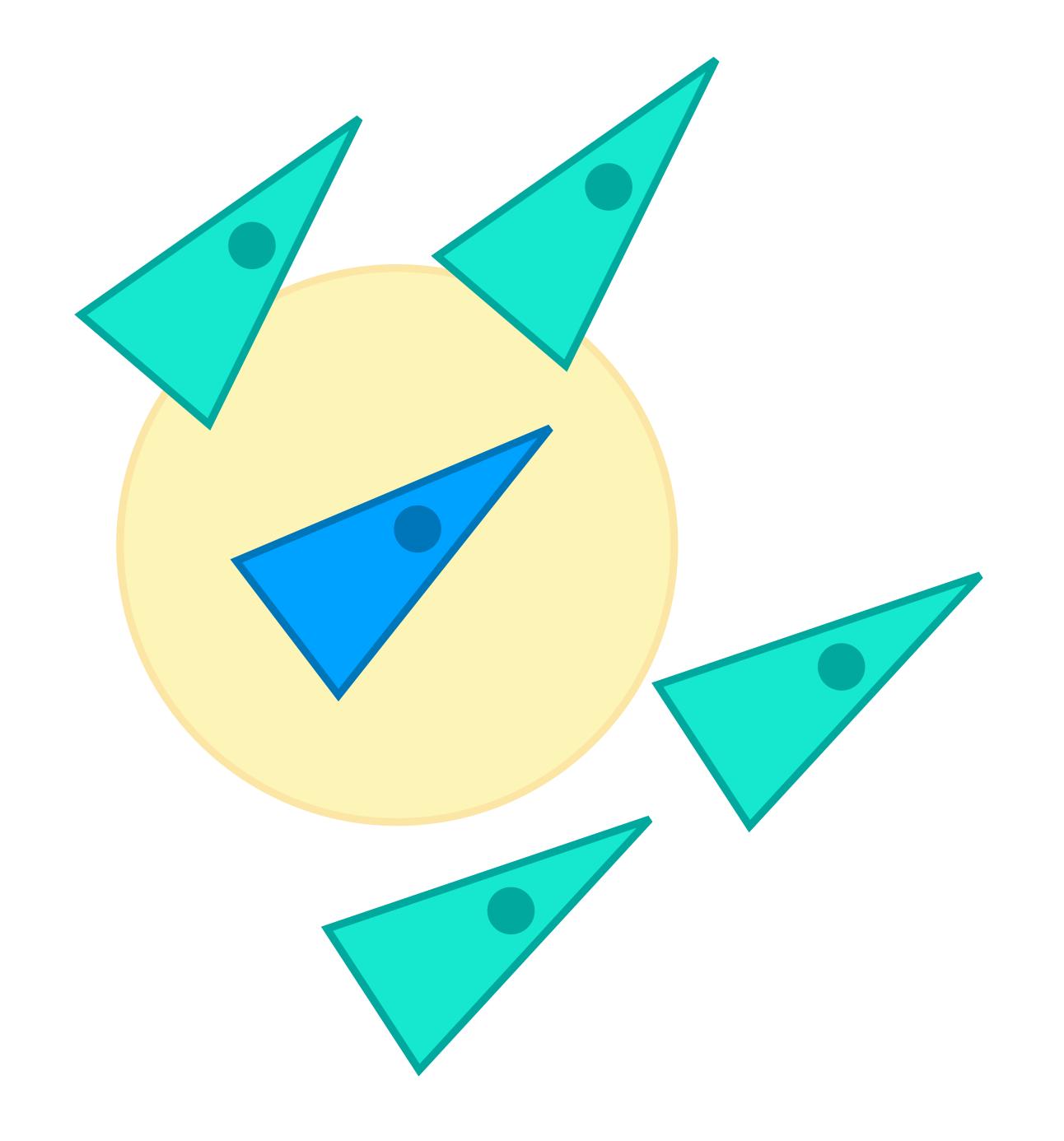
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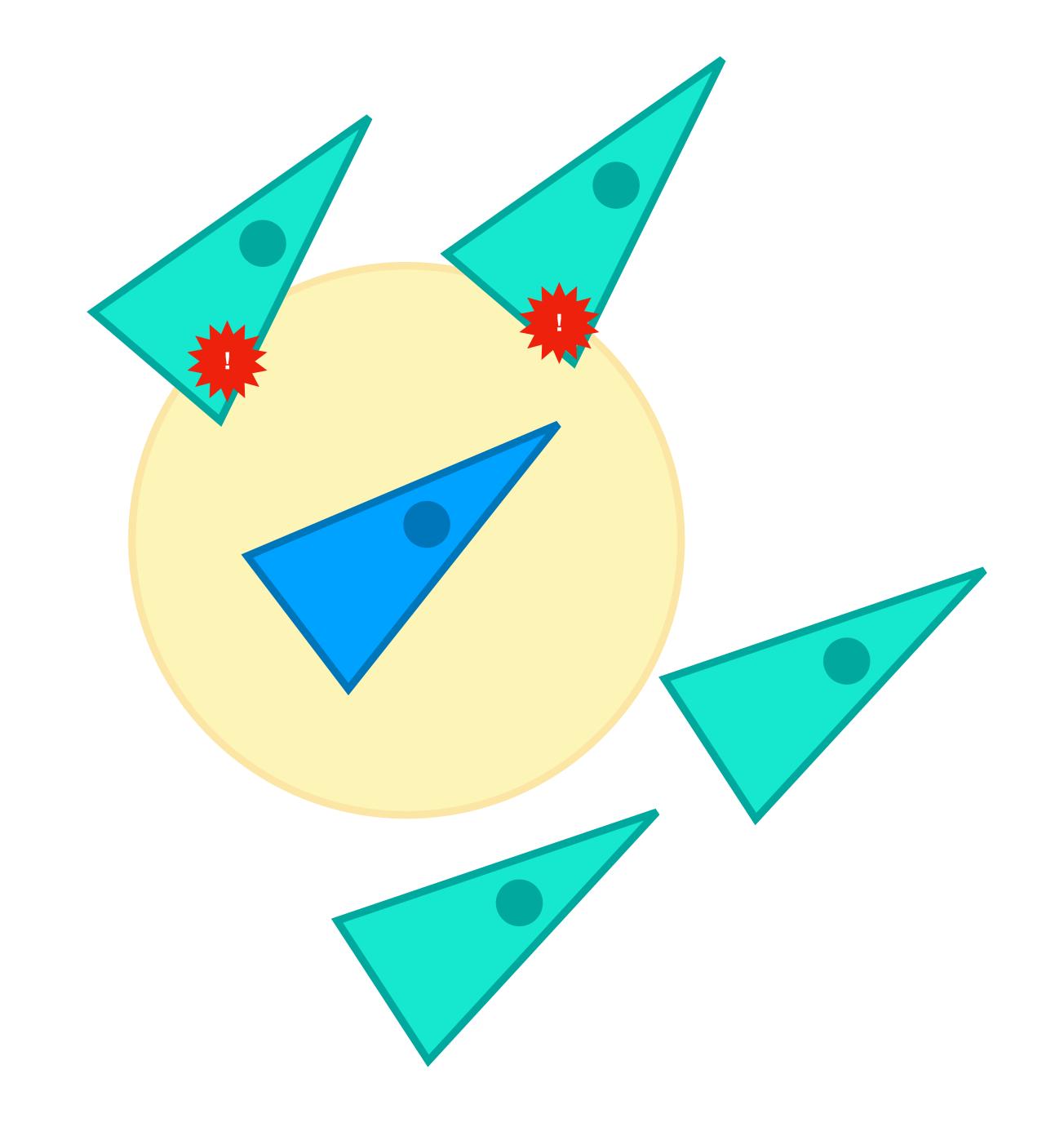


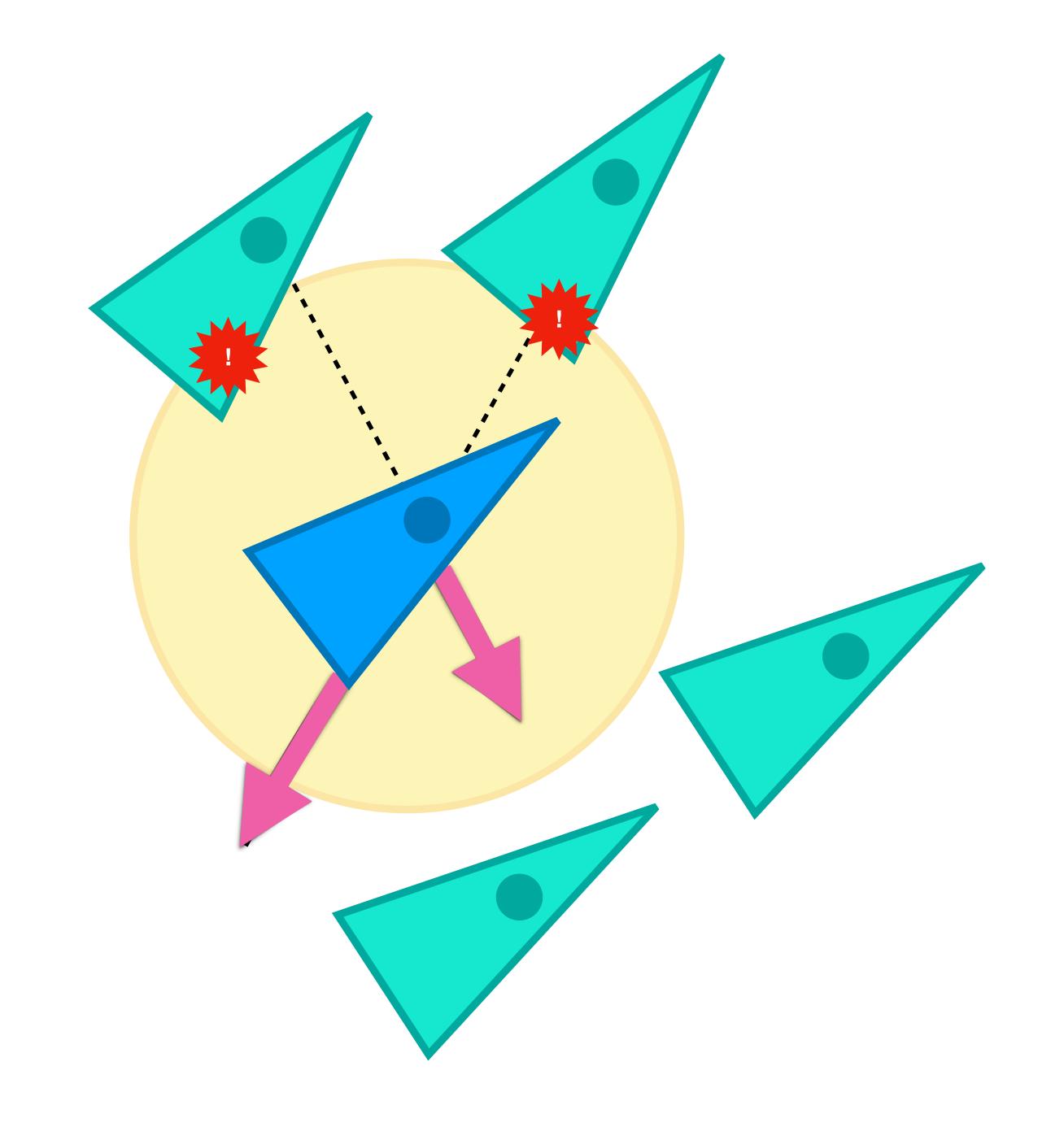


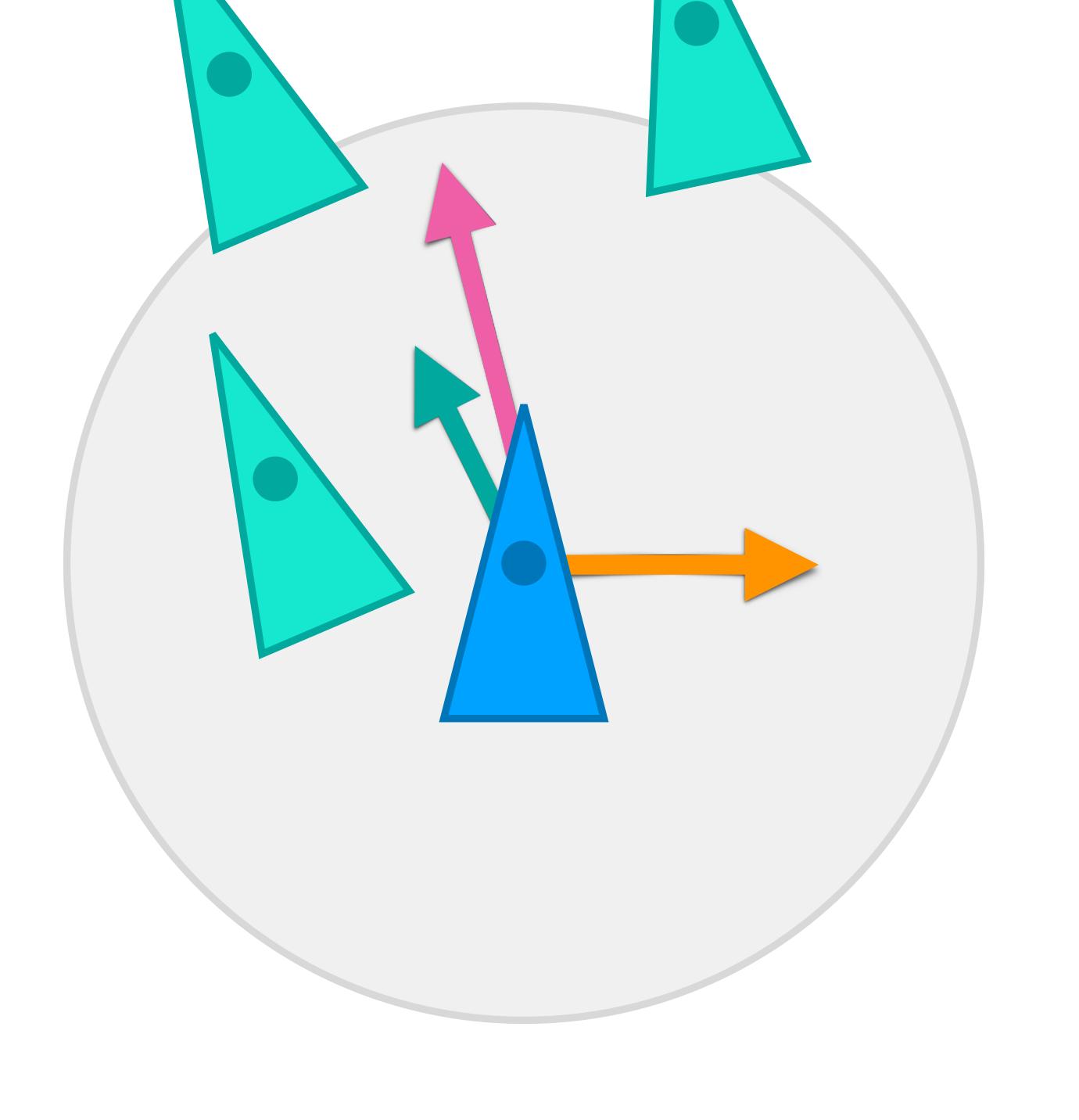












* Cohesion

* Alignment

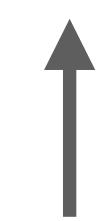
* Separation

= Next move

Architecture

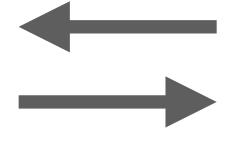
Simulation

Calculates new positions per boid based on world state



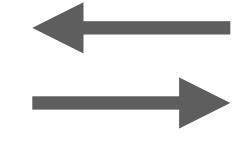
GenServer WorldStateUpdater

Calling itself
30 times per second



Phoenix BoidsChannel

Receives Updates Changes Settings



<canvas>
Renderer

Renders updated world state



Socket Connection

Receives Updates Changes Settings

Demo Time!

Read on!

http://harry.me/blog/2011/02/17/neat-algorithms-flocking/

http://www.red3d.com/cwr/boids/