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PBSC: LSTM-based model for Vehicle Trajectory Prediction

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Introduction

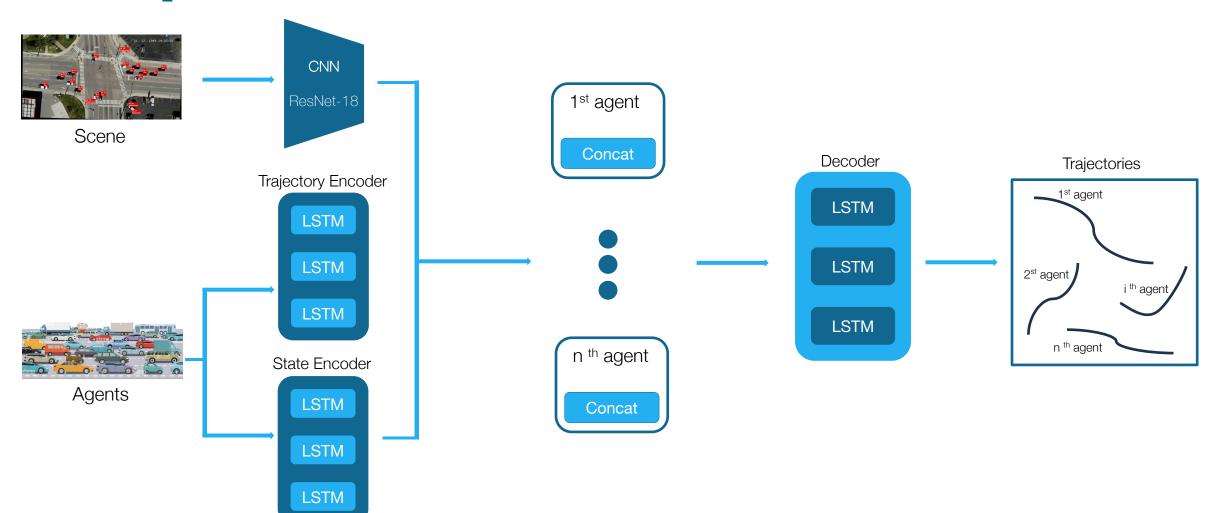
- Efficient and safe navigation
- Agent state
 - Speed
 - Tangential acceleration
 - Lateral acceleration
 - Angle
 - Time
- Scene context

Physical Behavior



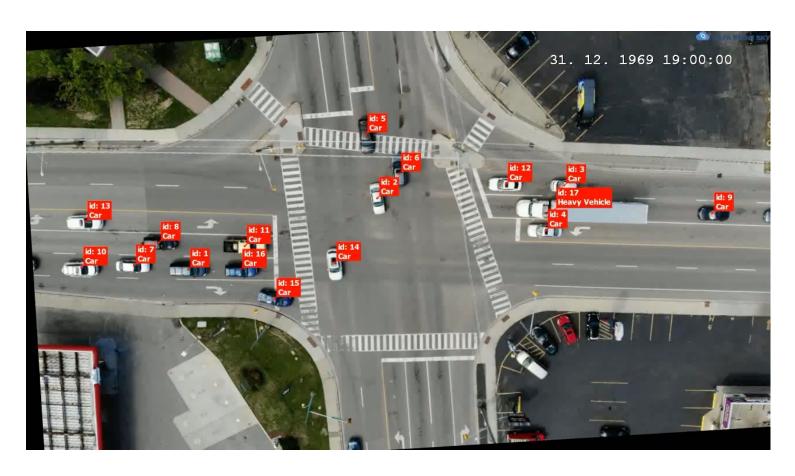
Scene Context Information

Proposed method: PBSC



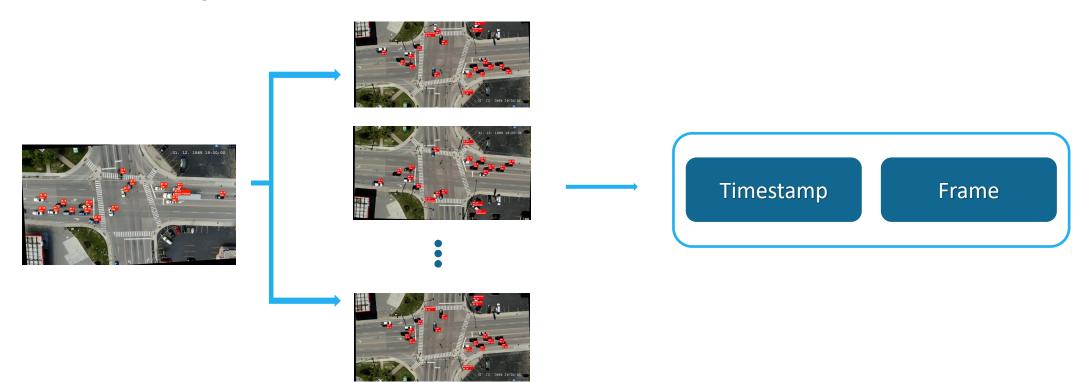
Waterloo Intersection Dataset



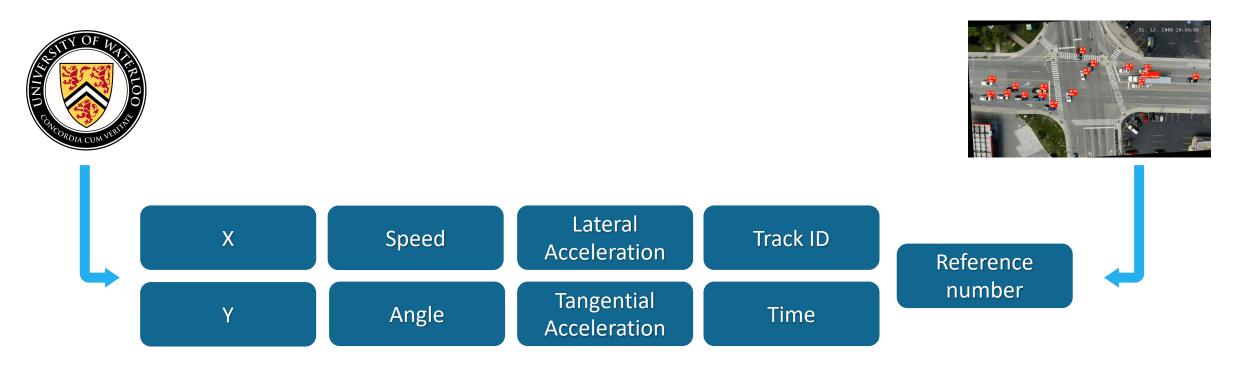


- Multi-agent
- Conflict points
- Traffic Regions
- Traffic Lights
- Trajectories
 - Position (X,Y)
 - Speed
 - Tangential acceleration
 - Lateral acceleration
 - Angle
 - Time

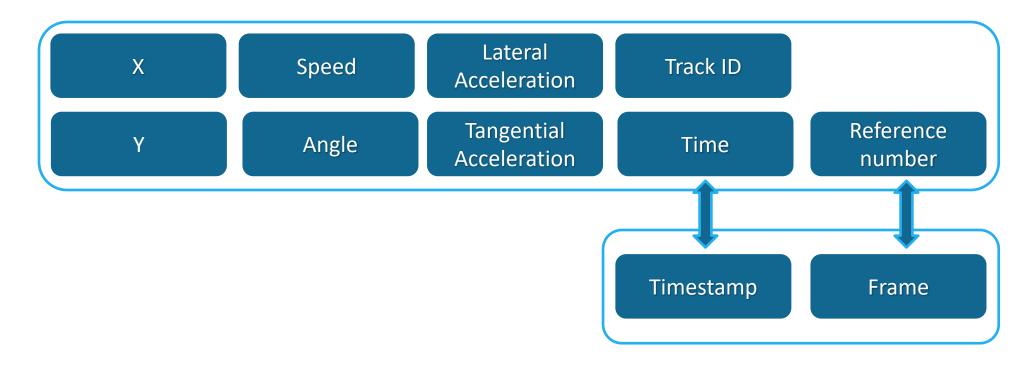
Conversion of videos into frame with 3Hz of sampling frequency and saving the corresponding timestamp



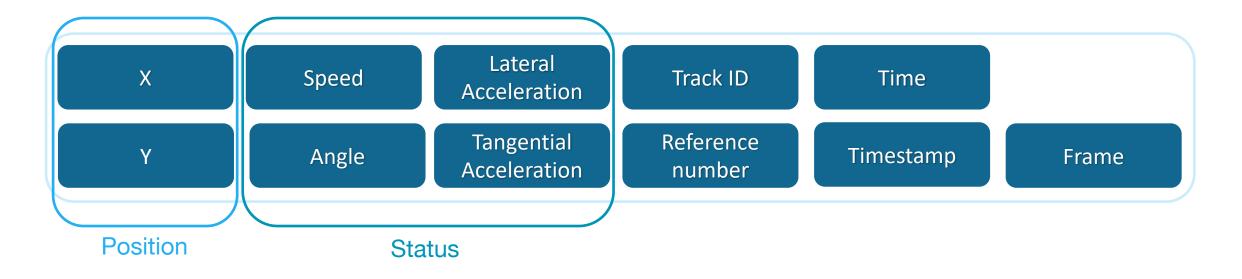
Add in the trajectories information the identifier of the related video



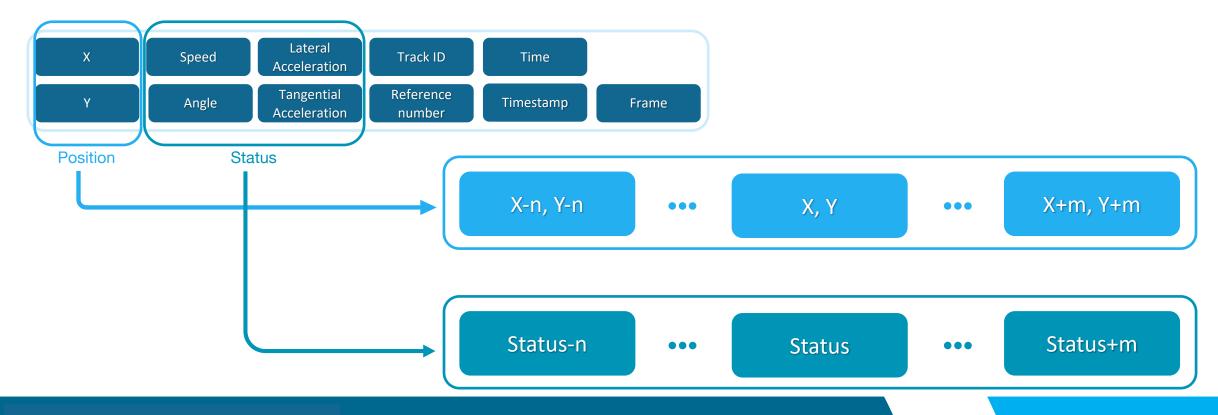
Merging the trajectories information with the corresponding frame, thanks to the timestamp and the identifier of the video



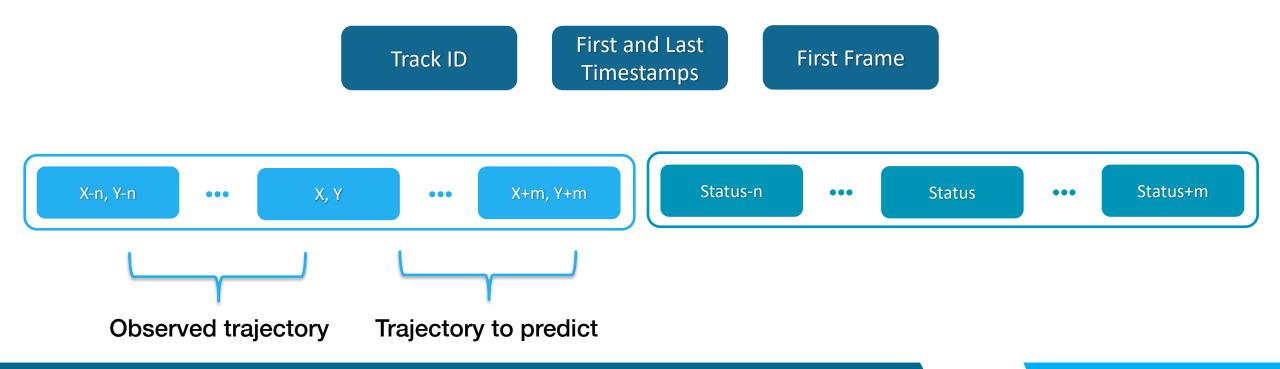
Each car in each frame is characterized by a position (X,Y) and his status (Speed, Angle, Lateral Acceleration, Tangential Acceleration).



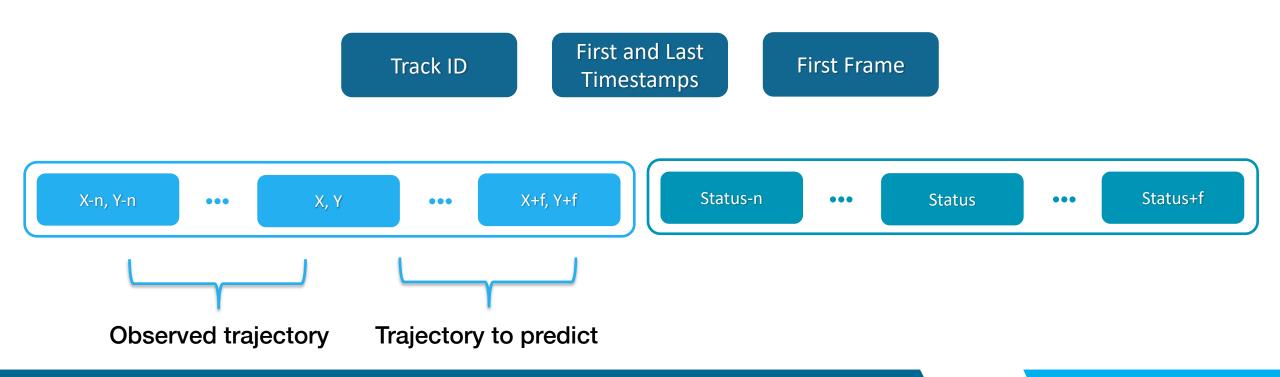
Reorganize the data in order to have temporalized information, obtaining all the positions and status from the moment in which the agent appears in the video (n) to the moment in which it completes his trajectory (m).



For each agent are available all the position and status information with the corresponding time interval and the frame relative to his first position



Since agents have different trajectories size, the data is filtered to have only target trajectories with the same fixed dimension.

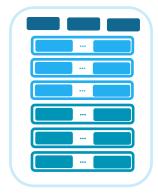


The position values are much higher than the status values and the image, which are normalized to deal with the ResNet-18 parameters.

The position data is normalized following the min-max normalization

$$normalized_x = \frac{x - minimum_x}{maximum_x - minimum_x} \qquad normalized_y = \frac{y - minimum_y}{maximum_y - minimum_y}$$

- Batch size = 8
- Sequence length = 12
- Target length = 5



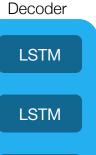
Trajectory Encoder



- Input size = 2
- Hidden size = 128
- Layers = 2
- State Encoder

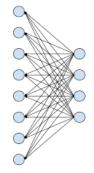


- Input size = 4
- Hidden size = 128
- Layers = 2



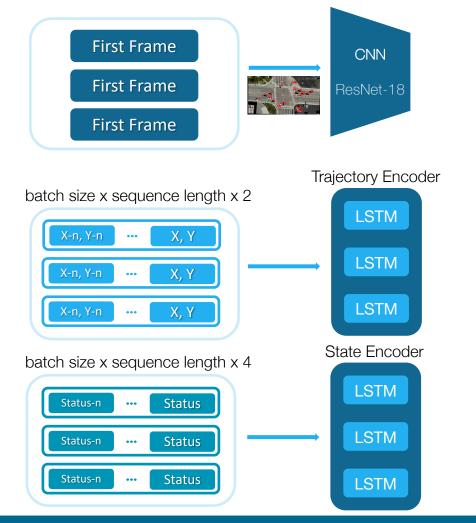
LSTM

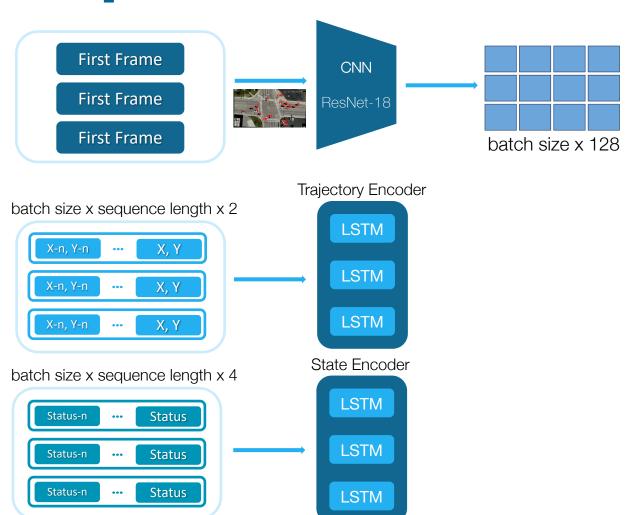
- Input size = 384
- Hidden size = 256
- Layers = 2

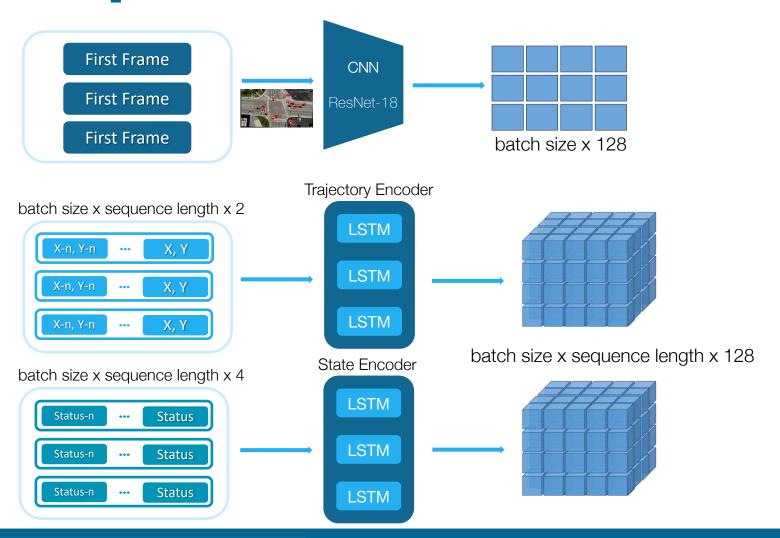


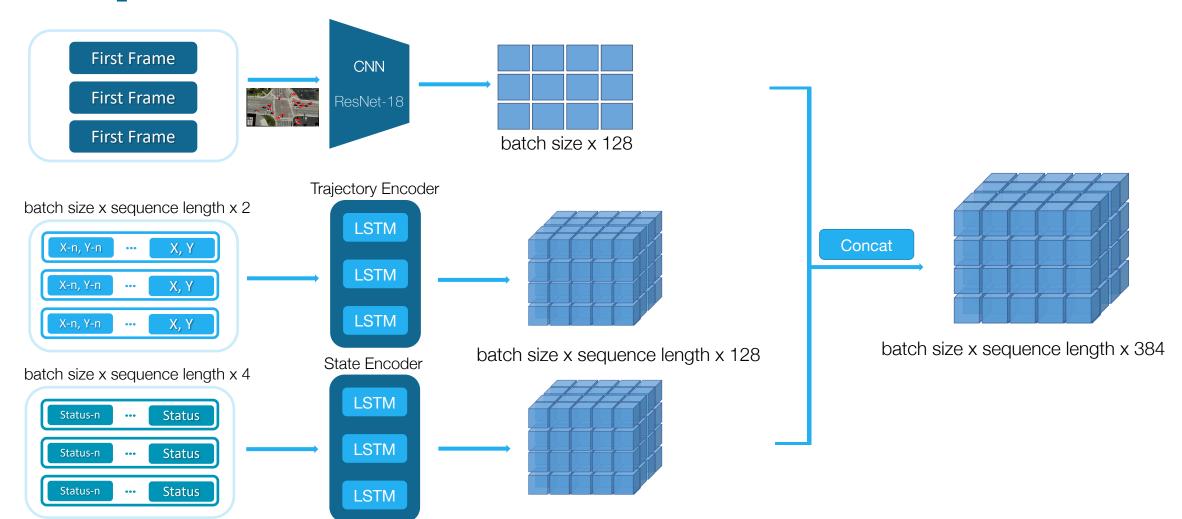
- Input size = 256
- Output size = 2

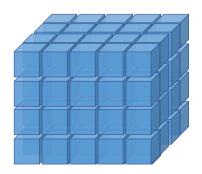
The total number of trainable parameters is 1584642



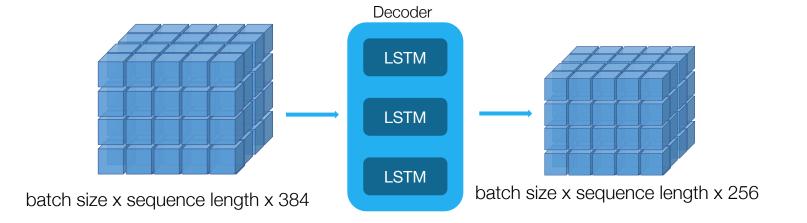


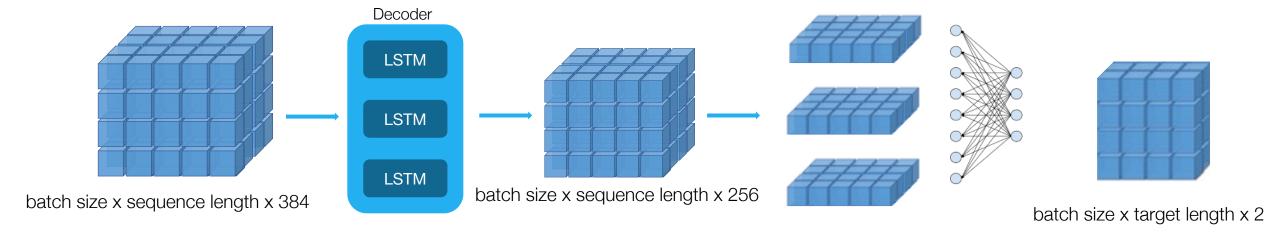






batch size x sequence length x 384





Evaluation metric

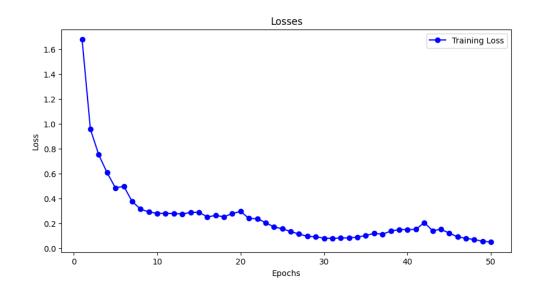
The used metric is ADE: Average Displacement Error between the predicted and the actual positions.

$$ADE = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sqrt{(x_{pred} - x_{target})^2 + (y_{pred} - y_{target})^2}}{n}$$

Experimental Results -1

Training parameters:

- Adam Optimizer with learning rate 0.0005
- Cosine Annealing Learning Rate scheduler
- 50 epochs

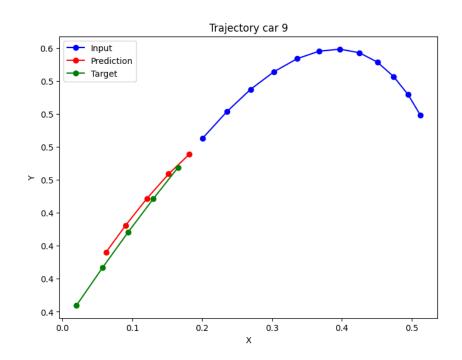


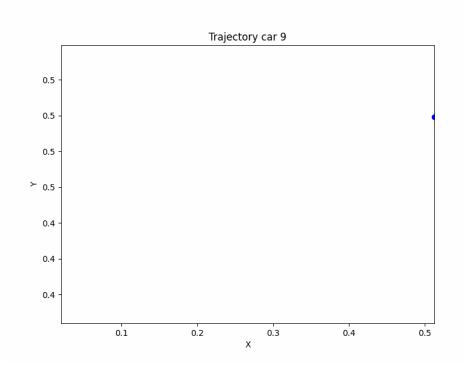
	ADE
Train	0.0510
Test	0.1605

Note that data is normalized

Experimental Results - 2

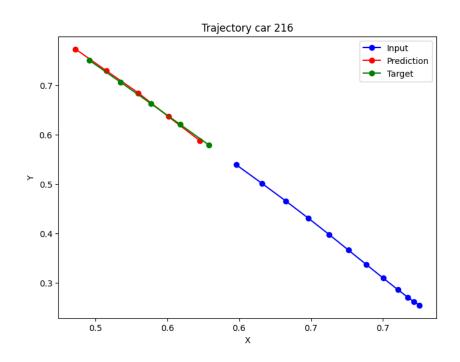
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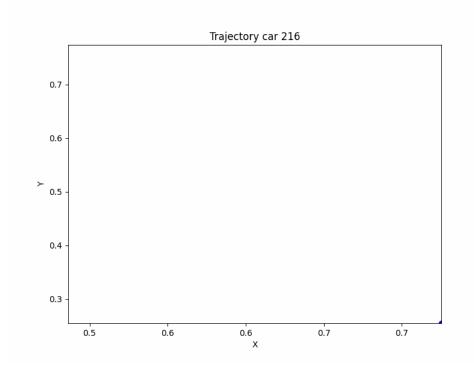




Experimental Results -3

Observed trajectory Target Trajectory Predicted Trajectory





Conclusion and future works

The integration of physical behavior and scene context enhances the ability of the proposed LSTM-based model to accurately predict agents' trajectories.

Future works:

- Use trajectories with variable lengths
- Include a Social Pooling mechanism
- Use additional information provided by the Waterloo multi-agent traffic dataset, like the traffic lights data.

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