View Graph For Indoor Navigation

Introduction

Recently, several indoor graph models have been proposed to capture topological and geometric information, and generate navigation graphs and route descriptions. Varied modelling approaches in these studies lead to incompatible graph structures that are only suitable for specific use-cases. The inconsistency in the indoor models sources from the differences in modelling approaches that are either focused on capturing the *survey* or the *route* information. For example, the topological and geometric models capture survey information of an indoor environment, while navigation graph and route description models mainly store route information. In this study, we propose a new concept, based on *views*, to capture survey and route information of an indoor environment in a unified manner. We define views as directed line of sights in which the visible spatial objects and their relationships are the same along the view. Using views, moving in the space (route information) can be captured as going from one view to another, and survey information can be attached to each view based on its visibility situation.

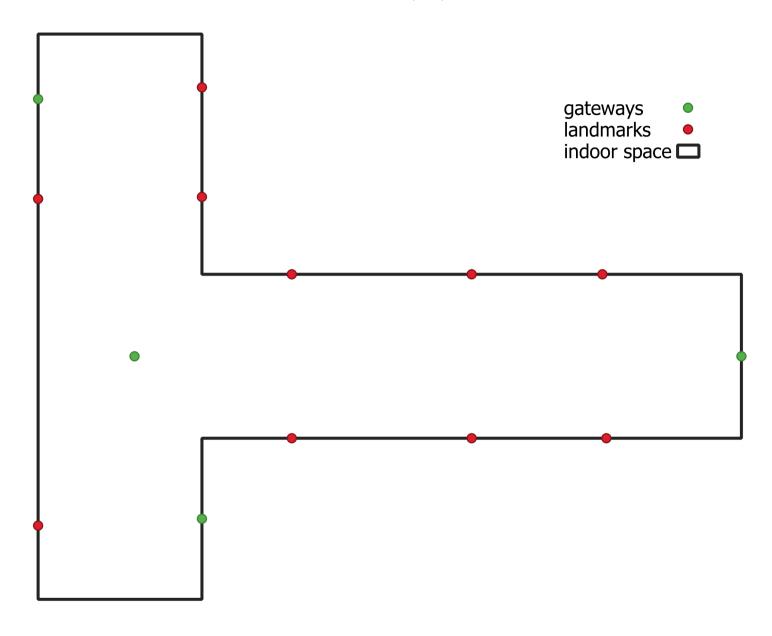
Hypothesis and Research Questions

This study hypothesizes that using the concept of *view* both survey and route knowledge of an indoor environment can be captured. To test the hypothesis, we will address the following research questions:

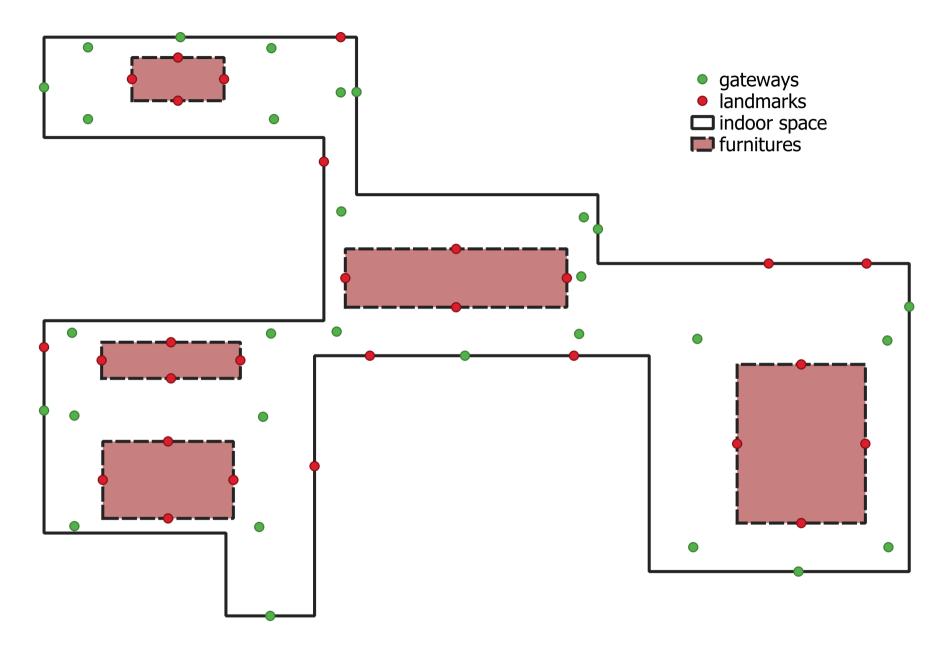
- How can views be extracted from geometric information (e.g., floor plans)?
- How can view graphs be constructed to capture movement and turns from one view to another?
- Can route descriptions and navigation graphs be generated from the view graph? By this way we can prove that route knowledge of an indoor environment can be captured by views.
- Can spatial relationships of indoor objects be extracted from the view graph? By this way we can demonstrate that survey knowledge of an indoor environment can be captured by views.

Test Environments

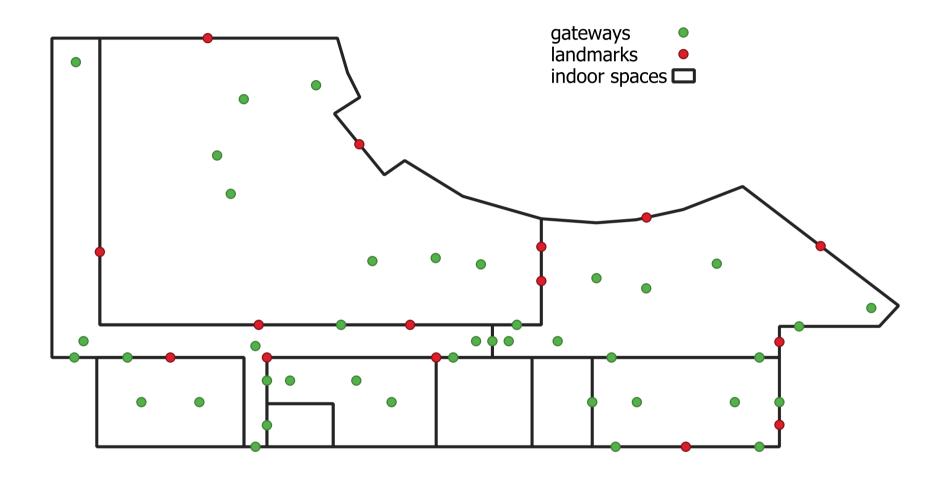
Hypothetical Floor Plan (Basic)



Hypothetical Floor Plan

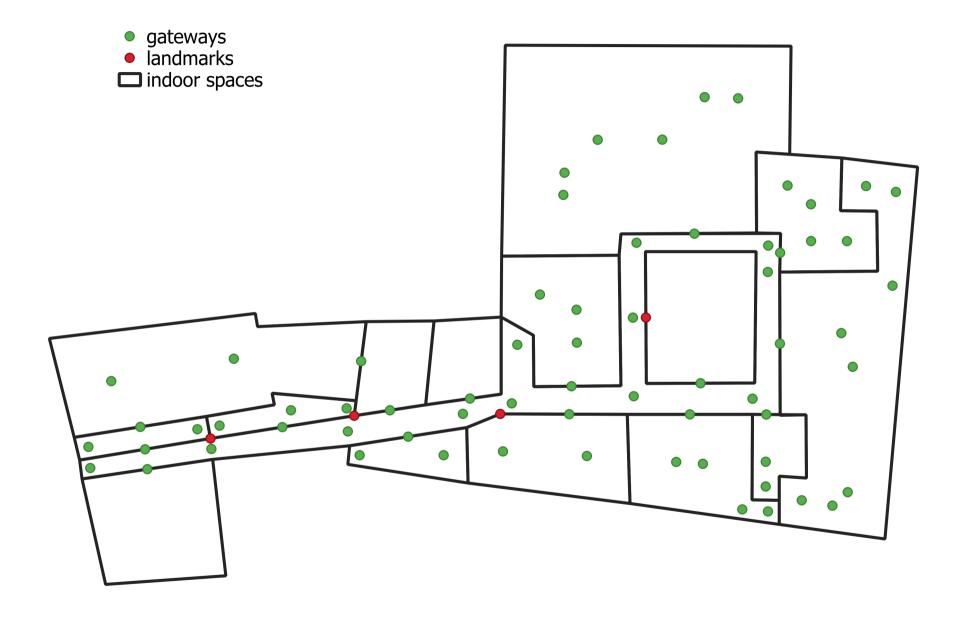


Real World Environment (University Layout)



Real World Environment (Regent Place Shopping Mall)

Constructed from - with minor simplification: https://www.regentplace.com.au/floor-plan



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Creating View Graph

Loading classes

```
In [1]: # Parameters
    from Parameters import Parameters

# Utitlies for mathematical calculation, isovist and visualization
    from Isovist import Isovist
    from Plotter import Plotter
    from Utility import Utility

# Container -> Environment -> View Graph
    from Container import Container
    from Environment import IndoorEnvironment
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from ViewGraph import ViewGraph
from pyvis.network import Network
```

Loading environment from GeoJSON files

```
Parameters.set env("real") # this can be set to "basic" environment, "hypo" environment as well
In [2]:
         Parameters.print info()
        Real-world environment is active
        Static Variables:
                 epsilon: 0.01
                precision: 2
                 alpha: 40
                fov: 160
                min area: 1000000
                max area: 1000000
                 door weight: 50
                turn weight: 0.05
In [3]: def read env():
             # Basic environment
            if Parameters.basic:
                 address = 'envs/basic/'
                 pfiles = ['t bound.geojson']
                 hfiles = [None]
                 dfiles = ['t doors.geojson']
                 dpfiles = [None]
                lfiles = ['t landmarks.geojson']
                 # create an indoor environment
                 ie = IndoorEnvironment(address, pfiles, hfiles, dfiles, dpfiles, lfiles)
            # Hypo environment
             elif Parameters.hypo:
                 address = 'envs/hypo/'
                 pfiles = ['hypo_env.geojson']
                 hfiles = ['hypo holes.geojson']
                 dfiles = ['hypo doors.geojson']
                 dpfiles = ['hypo dpoints.geojson']
                 lfiles = ['hypo_landmarks.geojson']
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# create an indoor environment
ie = IndoorEnvironment(address, pfiles, hfiles, dfiles, dpfiles, lfiles)

# MC5 real world environment
else:
    address = 'envs/mc-floor-5/'
    pfiles, hfiles, dfiles, dpfiles, lfiles = IndoorEnvironment.reformat(
        address, 'containers.geojson', 'doors.geojson', 'landmarks.geojson')
    # create an indoor environment
    ie = IndoorEnvironment('', pfiles, hfiles, dfiles, dpfiles, lfiles)
    return ie

ie = read_env()
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Decomposing regions into isovists, and create view graph

Here, the following tasks are performed:

- calculate isovists
- decompose containers to regions
- calculate visiblity signature for each region
- create adjacency matrix
- find initial views
- decompose views
- construct view graph
- calculate spatial relationships
- augment the actions in view graphs (to nodes and edges)

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In [4]: # create view graph
  vgs, isovist_objects = ie.construct_view_graph()
```

************ Analyzing: Emergency Stairs Container environment is valid: True region initial : 1 regions : 1 -- 1 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 12 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: Women Toilet Container environment is valid: True region initial: 3 regions : 4 -- 3 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 49 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: Disabled Toilet Container environment is valid: True region initial: 1 regions : 1 -- 1 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 2 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges)

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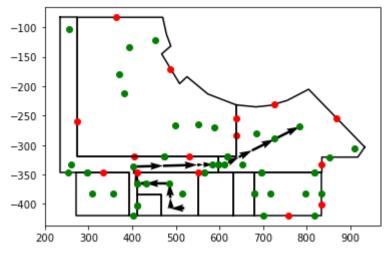
Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: Stairs to Lower Floors Container environment is valid: True region initial: 1 regions : 1 -- 1 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 2 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: Ngi-a Djerring Gat-ith Container environment is valid: True region initial : 1 regions : 1 -- 1 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 72 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: UX Lab Container environment is valid: True region initial: 16 regions : 12 -- 16 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 191 constructing view graph for regions

calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view

Shortest Path and Route Instruction

Here, we first generate a shortest path from a region to another. Then we use the augmented actions and relationships in view graph to generate route instructions from its results.

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In [8]: # set parameters to Parameters class
         start container = 'Women Toilet'
         start region = 3
         end container = 'Active Hub'
         end region = 3
In [9]: # calculate shortest path and generate verbal description
         vp, pv = ie.shortest path(start container, start region, end container, end region)
        # plot shortest path
         plotter = Plotter()
        for isovist object in ie.isovist objects:
            plotter.add isovist(isovist object)
         plotter.add views(pv)
        plotter.show(False)
         plotter.close()
        enter: Corridor
        enter: Active Hub
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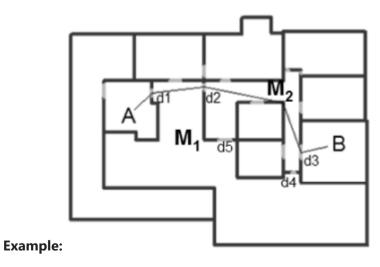


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In [10]: # generate route instructions
          def generate route descriptions(vp):
             container = ''
             container vids = {}
             finals = {}
             for v in vp[1:-1]:
                 info = v.split('-V')
                 if container != info[0]:
                      container = info[0]
                      container_vids[container] = []
                  container vids[container].append(int(info[1]))
             print(container vids)
             for container, vids in container vids.items():
                  cidx = ie.containers names.index(container)
                  vg = vgs[cidx]
                  print(cidx)
                  print(vids)
                  rds = vg.generate route description(vids)
                 finals[container] = rds
             return finals
         def print_route_descriptions(rd_dictionary):
             containers = list(rd_dictionary.keys())
             for container in containers:
                  rd = rd dictionary[container]
                 if containers.index(container) < len(containers) - 1:</pre>
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rd[len(rd)-1] = rd[len(rd)-1].replace('until you reach the destination', 'to enter {}'.format(containers[containers.j
        for r in rd:
            print(r)
# vg.generate route description(vp)
print route descriptions(generate route descriptions(vp))
{'Women Toilet': [118, 119, 83, 84, 85], 'Corridor': [954, 955, 956, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305], 'Active Hub': [73
3, 734, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53]}
[118, 119, 83, 84, 85]
[954, 955, 956, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305]
[733, 734, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53]
Head towards decision point 1 and turn left
Pass decision point 1 and move forward to enter Corridor
Head towards the door to women toilet
Pass the door to women toilet and veer right
Pass the door to male toilet and move forward to enter Active Hub
Head towards the door to corridor
Pass the landmark 0 and move forward until you reach the destination
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Derive Door-to-Door Visibility Graph



(source: Liu and Zlatanova, 2011)

Node:

• Doors (could be also gateways)

Edge:

Direct visibility

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Generate door-to-door visibility graph (for doors and decision points)

```
In [11]: ie.containers_names
          ['Emergency Stairs',
Out[11]:
           'Women Toilet',
           'Disabled Toilet',
           'Men Toilet',
           'Corridor',
           'Active Hub',
           'Stairs to Lower Floors',
           'Ngi-a Djerring Gat-ith',
           'UX Lab']
In [12]: # selecting a space
          cidx = ie.containers names.index('Active Hub')
          vg = vgs[cidx]
          isovist object = isovist objects[cidx]
In [13]: # derive door-to-door visibility graph (doors and decision points)
          connected, dtd graph = vg.generate door to door graph(isovist object)
          print('Press Enter: Door to door visibility (doors+gateways)')
          plotter = Plotter()
          plotter.add isovist(isovist object)
          plotter.add points lines(connected)
          plotter.show()
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plotter.close()
plotter.write_graph('d-t-d-all.html', dtd_graph, is_directed=False)

generate door-to-door graph, only_doors False from view graph

Press Enter: Door to door visibility (doors+gateways)

-200
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-260
-280
-300
-320
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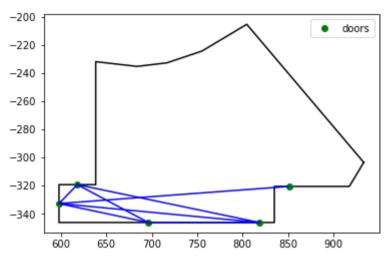
Generate door-to-door visibility graph (only for doors)

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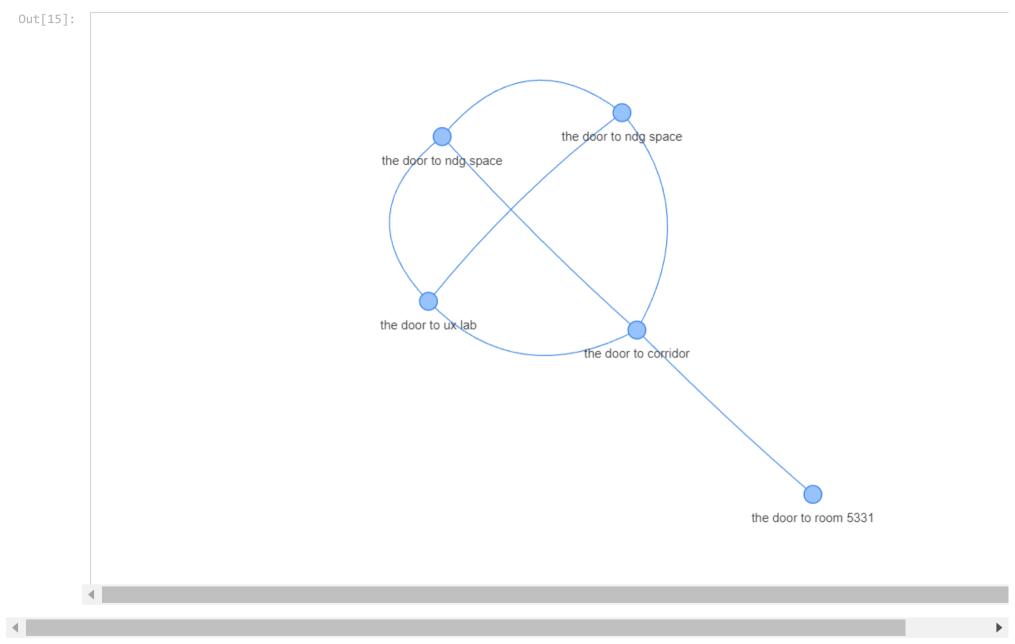
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In [14]: # derive door-to-door visibility graph (only doors)
    connected2, dtd_graph2 = vg.generate_door_to_door_graph(isovist_object, only_doors=True)
    plotter = Plotter()
    plotter.add_poly(isovist_object.space_x, isovist_object.space_y)
    plotter.add_holes(isovist_object.holes_x, isovist_object.holes_y)
    plotter.add_points(isovist_object.door_points[:isovist_object.door_idx], 'doors')
    plotter.add_points_lines(connected2)
    plotter.show()
    plotter.close()
    plotter.write_graph('d-t-d-doors.html', dtd_graph2, is_directed=False)

generate door-to-door graph, only doors True from view graph
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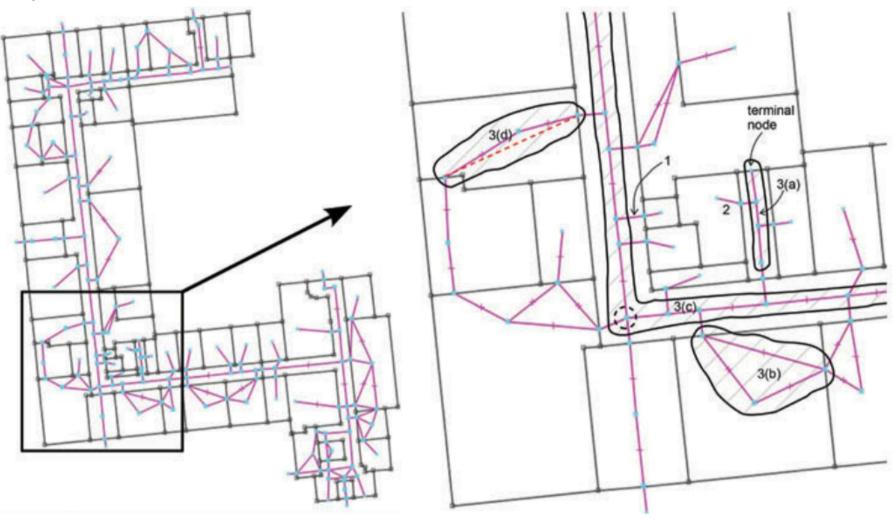


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Derive navigation graph

Example:



(source: Yang & Worboys, 2015)

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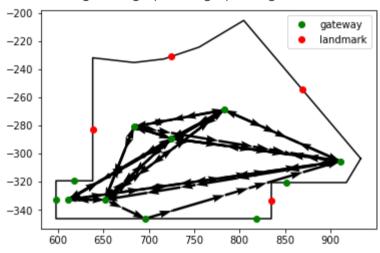
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```
In [16]: # derive all shortest path visibility graph and spanning tree
    vps, pvs, st_vps, st_pvs, nvgraph = \
        vg.generate_navigation_graph(isovist_object, indirect_access=False)

plotter = Plotter()
    plotter.add_isovist(isovist_object)

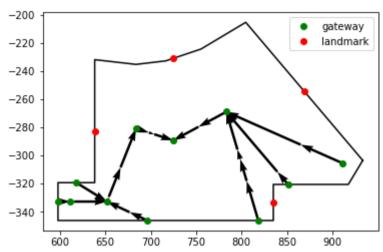
for pv in pvs:
    plotter.add_views(pv)
    plotter.show()
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derive navigation graph using spanning tree from viewgraph



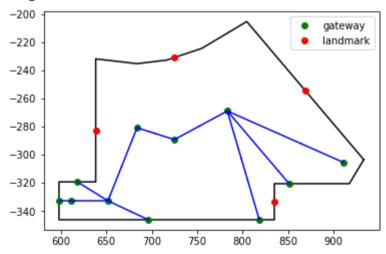
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In [17]: plotter.refresh()
    for pv in st_pvs:
        plotter.add_views(pv)
    plotter.show()
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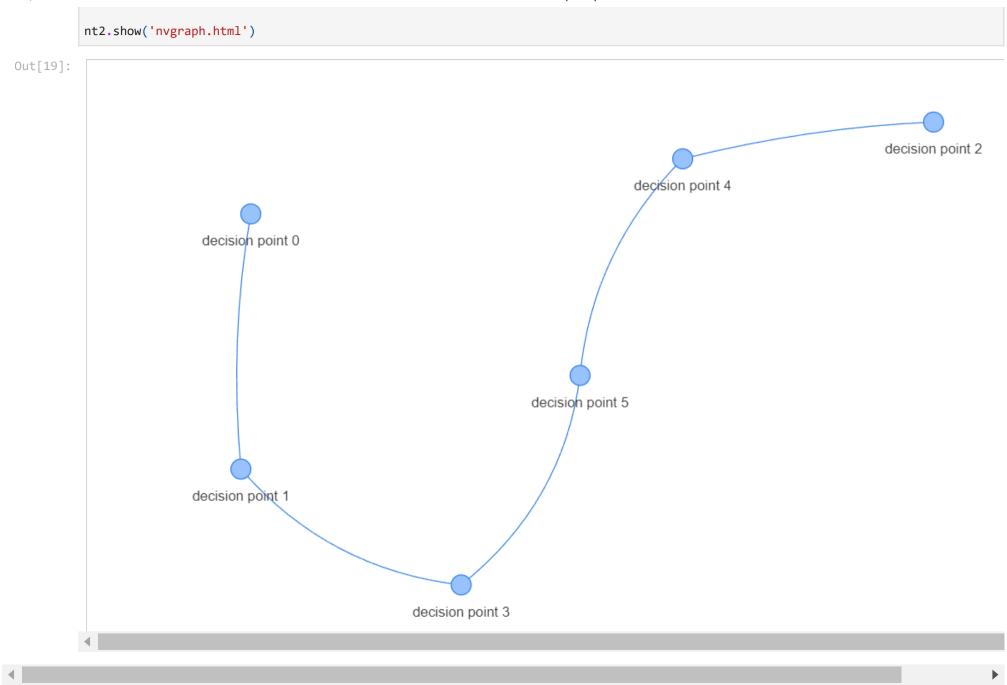
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In [18]: plotter.refresh()
    for pv in st_pvs:
        plotter.add_points_lines(pv, is_vis=False)
    plotter.show()
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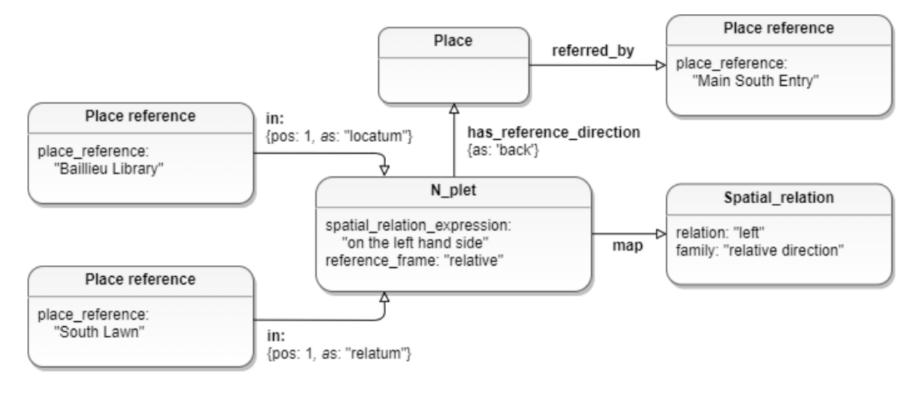




Derive place graph from view graph

Example:

"... coming from the **Main South Entry**, the **Baillieu Library** will be on the left hand side of the **South Lawn** ..."



(Source: Chen et. al. 2018)

Nodes:

- place:
- reference:
- n-plet:

• spatial relationship:

Edges:

- locatum:
- relatum:
- map:
- referred by:
- has reference direction:

Reference: Chen H, Vasardani M, Winter S, Tomko M. A graph database model for knowledge extracted from place descriptions. ISPRS International Journal of Geo-Information. 2018 Jun;7(6):221.

```
In [20]: # derive place graph
place_graph = vg.generate_place_graph(isovist_object)

derive place graph from view graph

In [21]: print('Place graph generation; visualize for all and only for landmark 2')
plotter.write_graph('placegraph.html', place_graph)

Place graph generation; visualize for all and only for landmark 2

In [22]: # selecting a space
cidx = ie.containers_names.index('Corridor')
vg = vgs[cidx]
isovist_object = isovist_objects[cidx]

In [23]: place_graph = vg.generate_place_graph(isovist_object)
derive place graph from view graph
```

Single Nplet

Select a single n-plet from different spatial relationships and visualize the graph and spatial configuration

- 1. between
- 2. near
- 3. left/right

```
In [24]: # selecting a space
         cidx = ie.containers names.index('Corridor')
          vg = vgs[cidx]
         isovist object = isovist objects[cidx]
          def nplet extraction(nplet id):
             ## nplet id = 'n830'
             place graph[nplet id] # left
             # place graph['n100'] # between
             # nodes = ['n830', 'left', 'place12', 'qateway 12', 'landmark 20', 'qateway 1']
             nodes = [nplet id]
             nodes.extend(list(dict(place_graph[nplet_id]).keys()))
             additional = []
             for node in nodes:
                  if node.startswith('place'):
                      additional.extend(list(dict(place graph[node]).keys()))
             nodes.extend(additional)
             for v in list(place graph.edges):
                 if v[1] == nplet id:
                     nodes.append(v[0])
                     if v[0].startswith('place'):
                         nodes.extend(list(dict(place_graph[v[0]]).keys()))
             nplets = place graph.subgraph(nodes)
             nt2 = Network(width='1000px', height='600px', directed=True, notebook=True)
             nt2.from nx(nplets, show edge weights=False)
             nt2.options.physics.use repulsion({'node distance': 185, 'central gravity': 0.2, 'spring length': 200,
                                                  'spring strength': 0.05, 'damping': 0.09})
             return nt2, nodes
          spatial expression = 'the door to women toilet between the landmark 2 and the door to disabled toilet'
          for n in place graph.nodes:
             if n.startswith('n') and 'exp' in place graph.nodes[n].keys() and place graph.nodes[n]['exp'] == spatial expression:
                  nplet = n
                  break
         nt2, nplet nodes = nplet extraction(nplet)
          nt2.show('nplet 1.html')
```

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Regent Place - Shopping Mall

Testing the view graph capabilities in computing shortest path, generating route descriptions, navigation graphs and place graphs in another test environment: Regenet Place Shopping Mall (https://www.regentplace.com.au/floor-plan)

Reading the Floorplan Files

```
In [27]: # reading the new floorplan dataset
          Parameters.set env(env="real", mc=False)
          address = 'envs/RegentPlace/'
          pfiles, hfiles, dfiles, dpfiles, lfiles = IndoorEnvironment.reformat(
              address, 'containers.geojson', 'doors.geojson', 'landmarks.geojson')
          # create an indoor environment
          ie = IndoorEnvironment('', pfiles, hfiles, dfiles, dpfiles, lfiles)
         environment files -- count is valid
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Creating View Graph

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In [28]: # creating view graph
vgs, isovist_objects = ie.construct_view_graph()
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Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: Daiso Container environment is valid: True region initial: 14 regions : 10 -- 14 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 165 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: The Parks Sydney Container environment is valid: True region initial: 12 regions : 7 -- 12 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 90 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: Mido Mart Container environment is valid: True region initial: 48 regions : 22 -- 48 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 238

calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view

constructing view graph for regions

Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: Toilet Container environment is valid: True region initial : 2 regions : 3 -- 2 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 34 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) *********** Analyzing: Yakinku Yokocho Container environment is valid: True region initial: 6 regions : 5 -- 6 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 71 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************* Analyzing: Dioa by Devon Container environment is valid: True region initial: 1 regions : 1 -- 1 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 12 constructing view graph for regions

calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: Arctic White Container environment is valid: True region initial : 1 regions : 1 -- 1 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 12 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: Edomae Sushi Container environment is valid: True region initial : 1 regions : 1 -- 1 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 2 constructing view graph for regions calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view Adding actions to views (nodes) Adding actions to view relations (edges) ************ Analyzing: FraserSuites Container environment is valid: True region initial : 1 regions : 1 -- 1 calculating the visibility signatures... calculating adjacency matrix for regions finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points decompose views len: 2

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calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view
Adding actions to views (nodes)
Adding actions to view relations (edges)
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Analyzing: Corridor
Container environment is valid: True
region initial: 577
regions : 51 -- 577
calculating the visibility signatures...
calculating adjacency matrix for regions
finding regions that contains doors/gateways and decision points
decompose views
len: 1068
constructing view graph for regions
calculating all spatial relationships visible in each view
Adding actions to views (nodes)
Adding actions to view relations (edges)
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Shortest Path Computation

constructing view graph for regions

```
ie.containers names
In [29]:
          ['Ice Kirin Bar',
Out[29]:
           'Shop',
           'Fireside By Yunn',
           'Yakitori Yokocho',
           'Loading Dock',
           'Fujimi Bakehouse',
           'Daiso',
           'The Parks Sydney',
           'Mido Mart',
           'Toilet',
           'Yakinku Yokocho',
           'Dioa by Devon',
           'Arctic White',
           'Edomae Sushi',
           'FraserSuites',
           'Corridor']
In [30]: # set parameters to Parameters class
          start container = 'Ice Kirin Bar'
```

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start region = 0
          end container = 'Daiso'
          end region = 1
In [31]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
          plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = [10, 5]
          # calculate shortest path and generate verbal description
          vp, pv = ie.shortest path(start container, start region, end container, end region)
          # plot shortest path
          plotter = Plotter()
          for isovist object in ie.isovist objects:
              plotter.add isovist(isovist object)
          plotter.add views(pv)
          plotter.show(False)
          plotter.close()
         enter: Corridor
          enter: Daiso
          -200
          -300
          -400
          -500
          -600
          -700
          -800
          -900
                       200
                                    400
                                                 600
                                                              800
                                                                           1000
                                                                                        1200
```

Generating Route Description

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```
# generate route instructions
In [32]:
          def generate route descriptions(vp):
             container = ''
             container_vids = {}
             finals = {}
             for v in vp[1:-1]:
                  info = v.split('-V')
                 if container != info[0]:
                      container = info[0]
                      container vids[container] = []
                  container vids[container].append(int(info[1]))
             print(container vids)
             for container, vids in container vids.items():
                  cidx = ie.containers names.index(container)
                  vg = vgs[cidx]
                  print(cidx)
                  print(vids)
                  rds = vg.generate route description(vids)
                 finals[container] = rds
             return finals
         def print route descriptions(rd dictionary):
             containers = list(rd dictionary.keys())
             for container in containers:
                  rd = rd dictionary[container]
                  if containers.index(container) < len(containers) - 1:</pre>
                      rd[len(rd)-1] = rd[len(rd)-1].replace('until you reach the destination', 'to enter {}'.format(containers[containers.i
                  for r in rd:
                      print(r)
          # vq.generate route description(vp)
          print route descriptions(generate route descriptions(vp))
         {'Ice Kirin Bar': [9, 10], 'Corridor': [1566, 1567, 1568, 1569, 1570, 1571, 1572, 1573, 1574, 1575, 1576, 2159, 2160, 2161, 247
         1, 287, 633, 2680, 2681, 4001, 4002]}
         [9, 10]
         15
         [1566, 1567, 1568, 1569, 1570, 1571, 1572, 1573, 1574, 1575, 1576, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2471, 287, 633, 2680, 2681, 4001, 4002]
         Head towards the door to Corridor and move forward to enter Corridor
         Head towards the door to Ice Kirin Bar
         Pass decision point 11 and turn left
         Follow decision point 7 on the front and turn right and move forward until you reach the destination
```

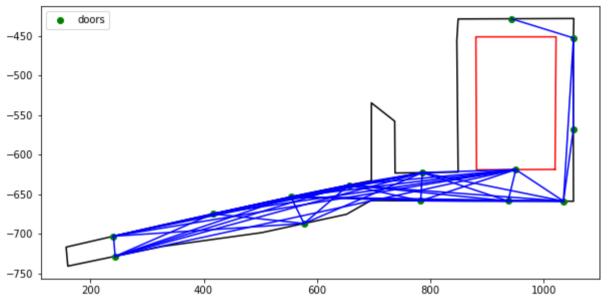
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Creating Navigation Graphs - Door-to-Door

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In [33]: # selecting a space
          cidx = ie.containers_names.index('Corridor')
          vg = vgs[cidx]
          isovist object = isovist objects[cidx]
In [34]: # derive door-to-door visibility graph (doors and decision points)
          connected, dtd graph = vg.generate door to door graph(isovist object)
          plotter = Plotter()
          plotter.add isovist(isovist object)
          plotter.add points lines(connected)
          plotter.show()
          plotter.close()
         generate door-to-door graph, only doors False from view graph
                    gateway
                    landmark
          -450
          -500
          -550
          -600
          -650
          -700
          -750
                                     400
                                                     600
                                                                     800
                                                                                     1000
                     200
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         # derive door-to-door visibility graph (only doors)
In [35]:
          connected2, dtd graph2 = vg.generate door to door graph(isovist object, only doors=True)
          plotter = Plotter()
          plotter.add_poly(isovist_object.space_x, isovist_object.space_y)
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plotter.add_holes(isovist_object.holes_x, isovist_object.holes_y)
plotter.add_points(isovist_object.door_points[:isovist_object.door_idx], 'doors')
plotter.add_points_lines(connected2)
plotter.show()
plotter.close()
```

generate door-to-door graph, only doors True from view graph



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Creating Place Graph

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In [36]: # derive place graph
    place_graph = vg.generate_place_graph(isovist_object)

derive place graph from view graph

In [37]: # selecting a space
    cidx = ie.containers_names.index('Corridor')
    vg = vgs[cidx]
    isovist_object = isovist_objects[cidx]

def nplet_extraction(nplet_id):
    ## nplet_id = 'n830'
    place_graph[nplet_id] # left
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```
# place graph['n100'] # between
    # nodes = ['n830', 'left', 'place12', 'gateway 12', 'landmark 20', 'gateway 1']
   nodes = [nplet id]
   nodes.extend(list(dict(place graph[nplet id]).keys()))
    additional = []
   for node in nodes:
        if node.startswith('place'):
            additional.extend(list(dict(place graph[node]).keys()))
   nodes.extend(additional)
   for v in list(place graph.edges):
        if v[1] == nplet id:
            nodes.append(v[0])
           if v[0].startswith('place'):
                nodes.extend(list(dict(place graph[v[0]]).keys()))
    nplets = place graph.subgraph(nodes)
   nt2 = Network(width='1000px', height='600px', directed=True, notebook=True)
   nt2.from nx(nplets, show edge weights=False)
   nt2.options.physics.use_repulsion({'node_distance': 185, 'central_gravity': 0.2, 'spring_length': 200,
                                        'spring strength': 0.05, 'damping': 0.09})
   return nt2, nodes
spatial expression = 'the landmark 1 between the door to Fireside By Yunn and the door to Fujimi Bakehouse'
for n in place graph.nodes:
   if n.startswith('n') and 'exp' in place graph.nodes[n].keys() and place graph.nodes[n]['exp'] == spatial expression:
        nplet = n
        break
nt2, nplet nodes = nplet extraction(nplet)
nt2.show('nplet 1.html')
```

