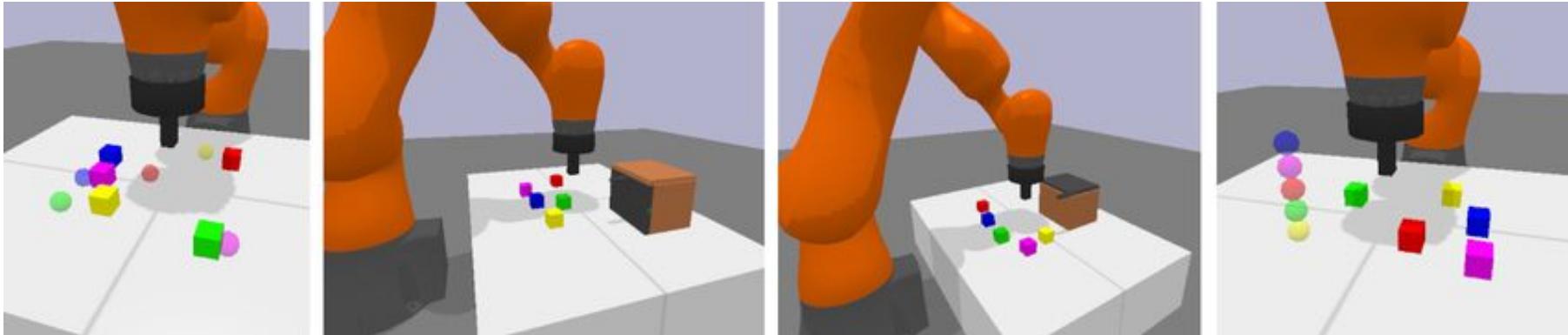


# CSC2626 Final Project

## Planning with Diffusion Models

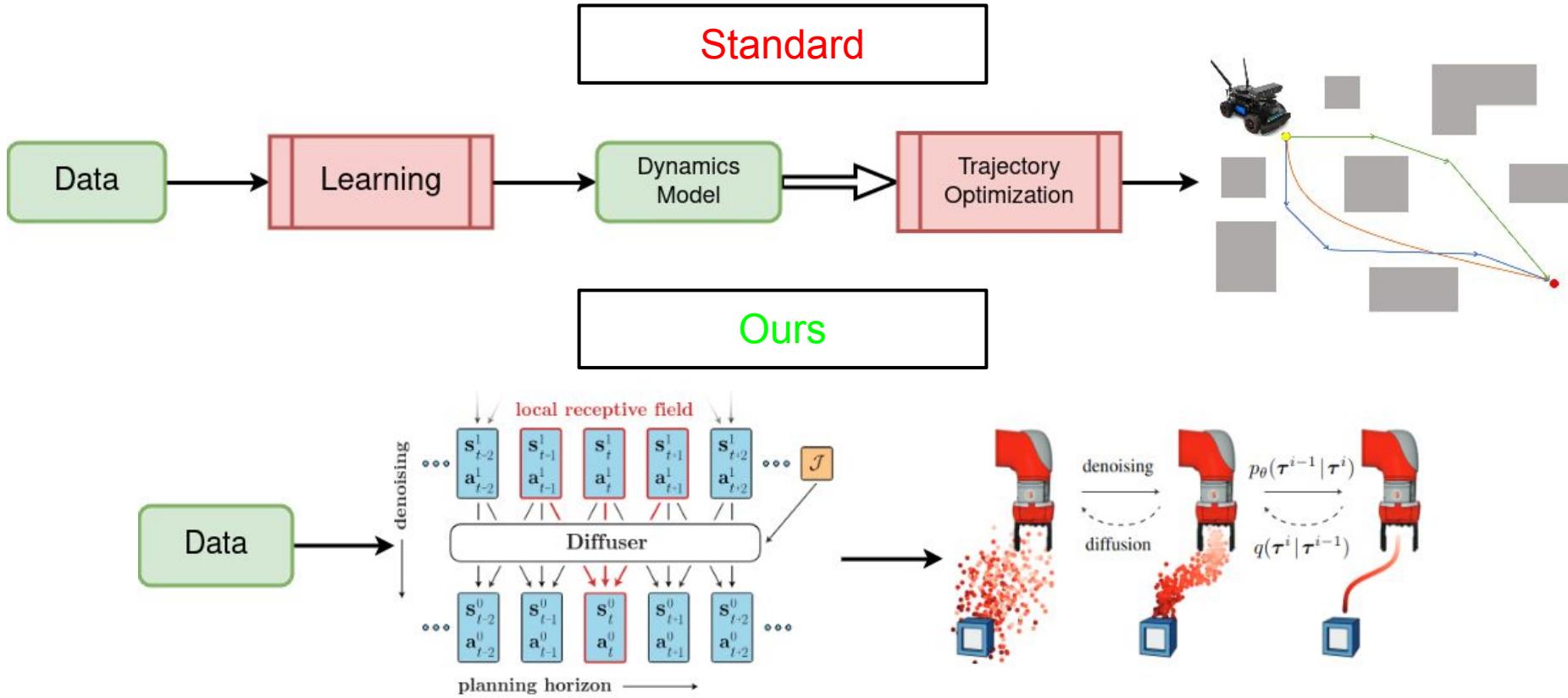


**Planning with Diffusion for Flexible Behavior Synthesis**

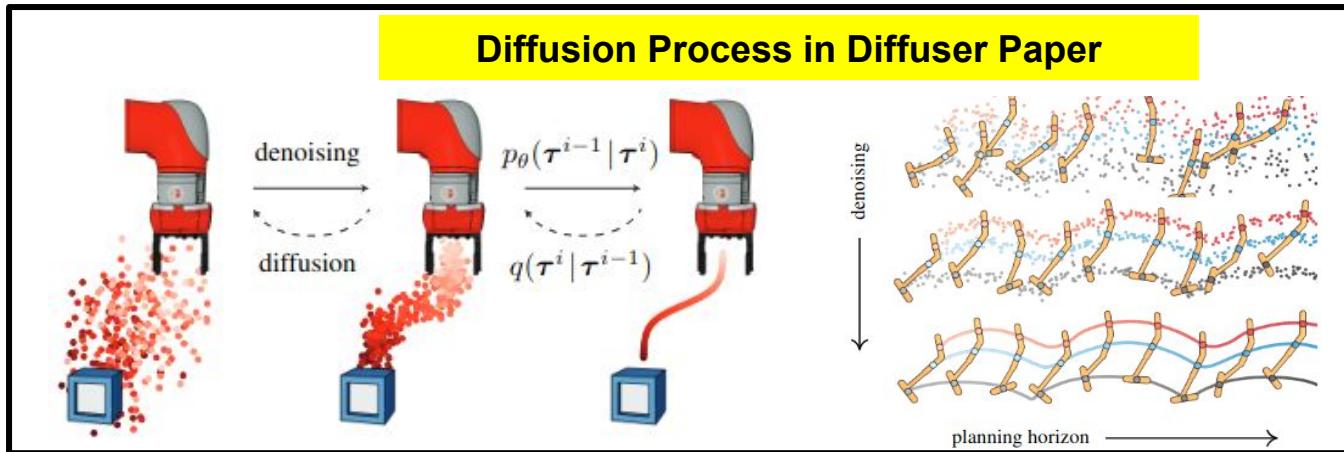
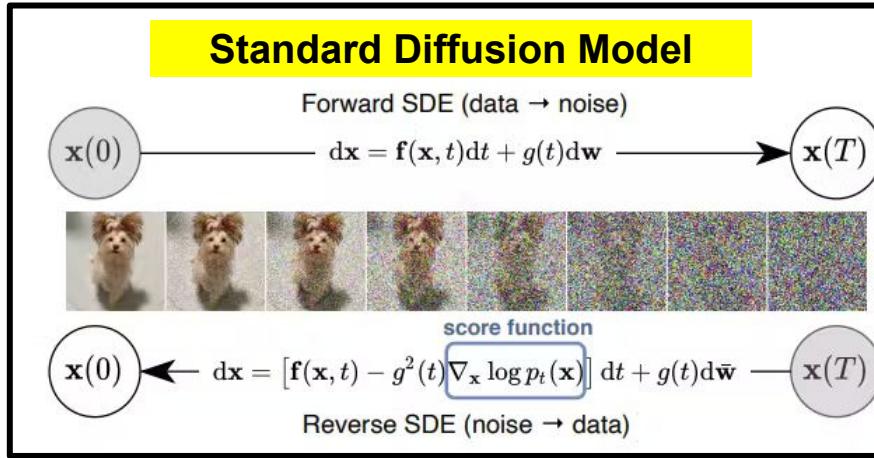
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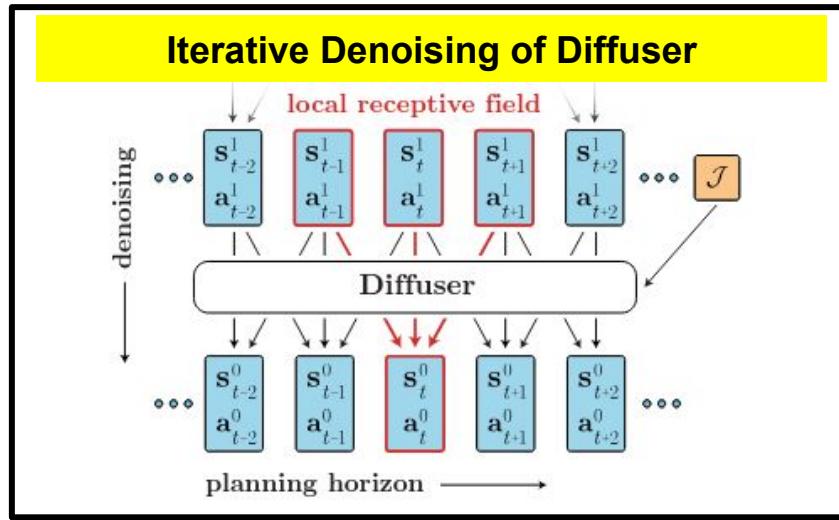
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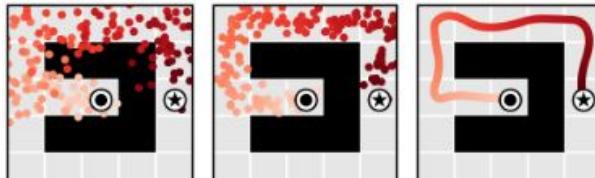
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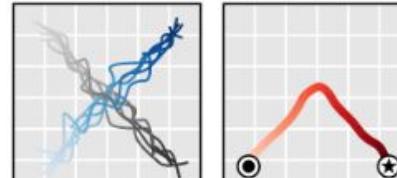
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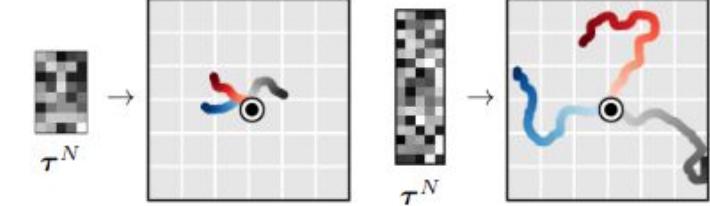
Long-horizon planning



Temporal compositionality

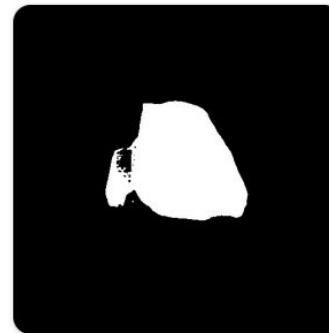
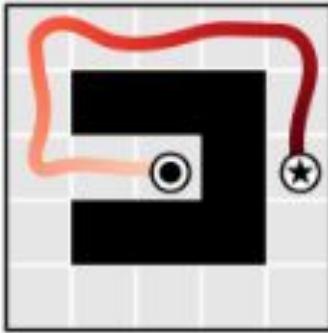


Variable-length plans



# Scoping - Goal Conditioned RL

Goal Conditioned RL is similar to Image Inpainting



Current Method of Conditioning simply replaces predicted with correct state

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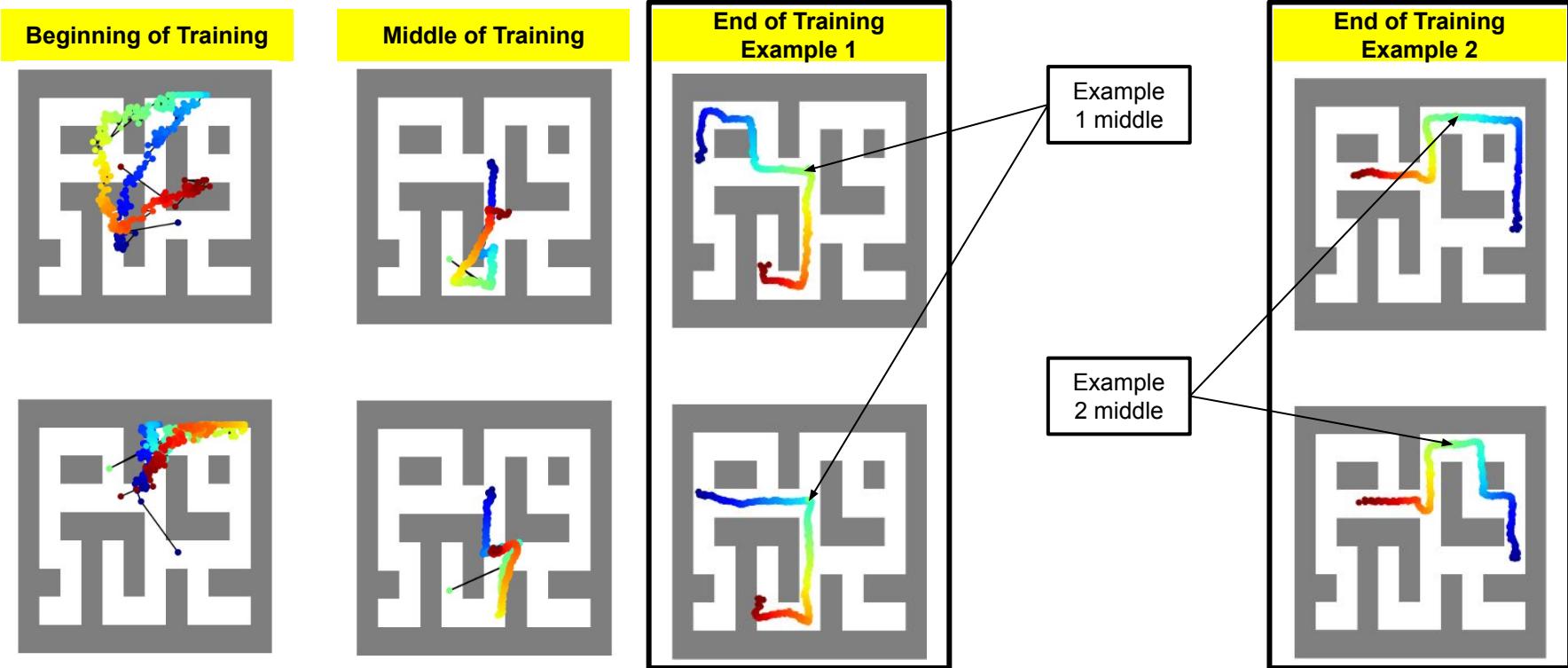
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2: while not done do
3:   Observe state  $s$ ; initialize plan  $\tau^N \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{I})$ 
4:   for  $i = N, \dots, 1$  do
5:     // parameters of reverse transition
6:      $\mu \leftarrow \mu_\theta(\tau^i)$ 
7:     // guide using gradients of return
8:      $\tau^{i-1} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu + \alpha \Sigma \nabla \mathcal{J}(\mu), \Sigma^i)$ 
9:     // constrain first state of plan
10:     $\tau_{s_0}^{i-1} \leftarrow s$ 
11:    Execute first action of plan  $\tau_{a_0}^0$ 
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# Experiment: Train Model to also condition on middle of trajectory



# Method: Changing conditioning mechanism

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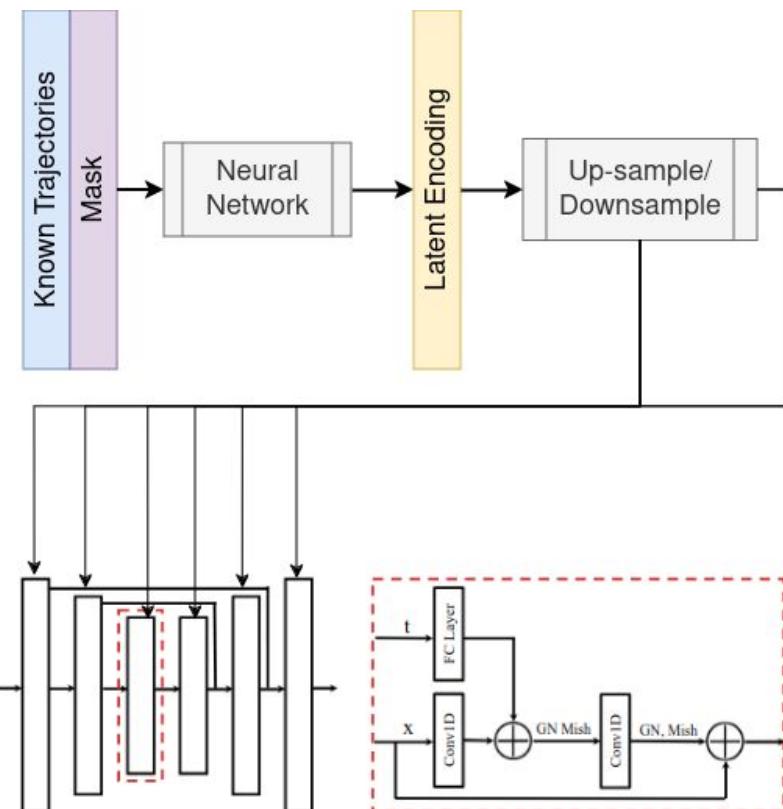
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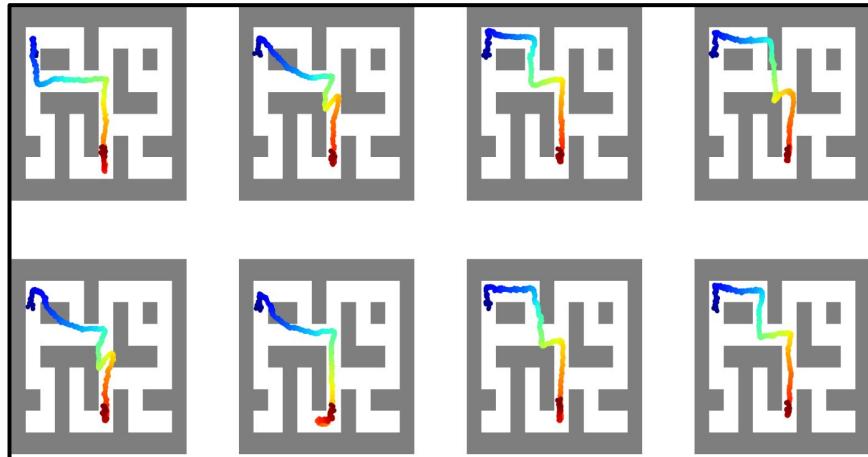
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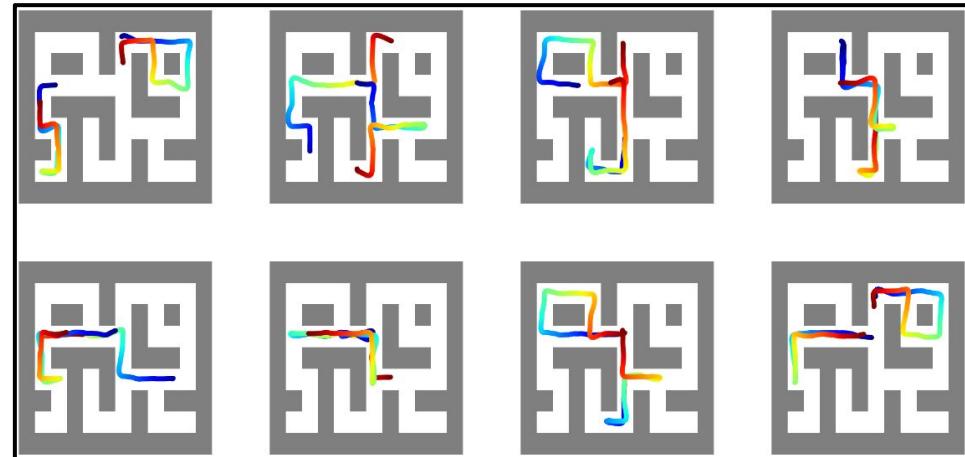


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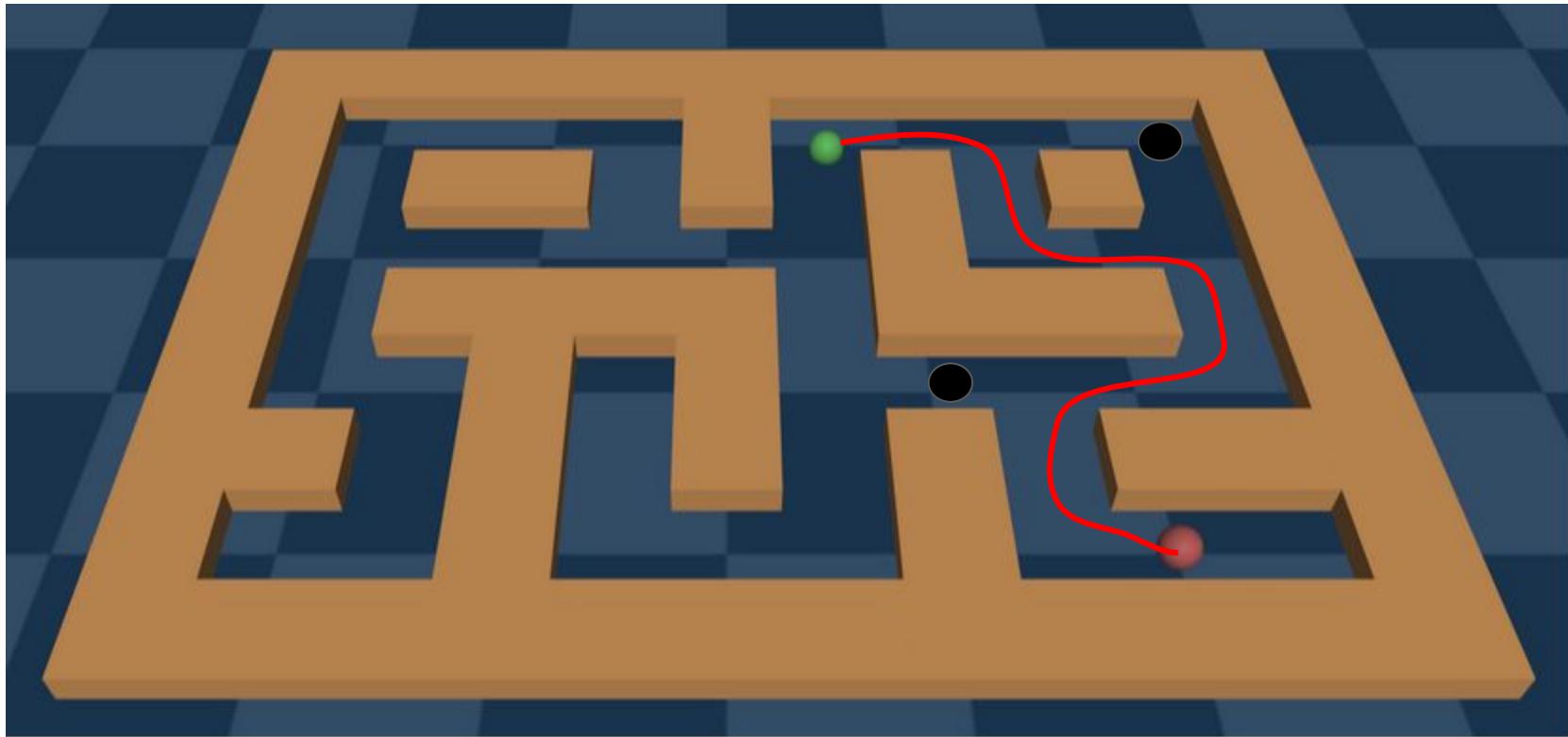
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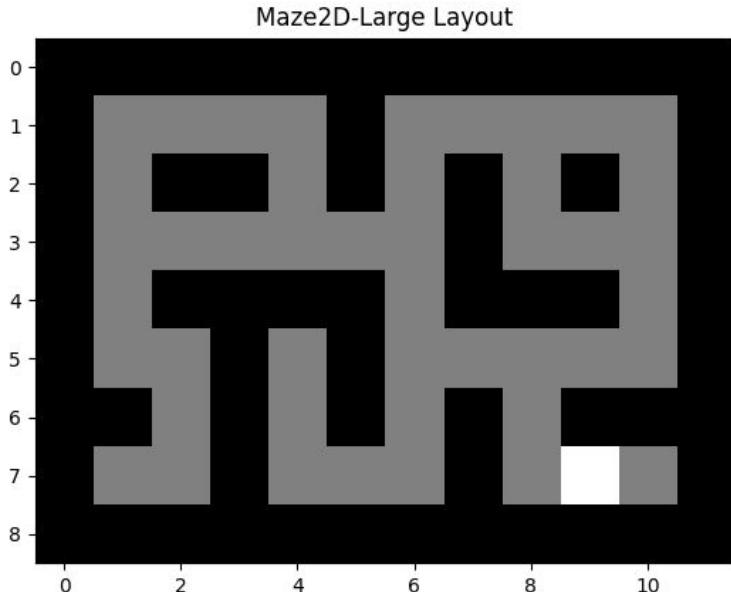
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# In Progress - Obstacle Avoidance!



# Limitations



Static maze - will not generalize

