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Reward Function Example: Ref.

a github 105d ; b ML-Robot-Arm

Example: Reward Function, pp. 1, Section.

$$S \times A = (s_1 a_1, s_1 a_2, \dots, s_n a_n)$$

$$S = \{s_1, s_2\}$$

$$A = \{a_1, a_2\}$$

$$S \times A = \{s_1, s_2\} \times \{a_1, a_2\}$$

$$= \{s_1 a_1, s_1 a_2, s_2 a_1, s_2 a_2\}$$

$$\text{Reward } r: S \times A \rightarrow \underline{\mathbb{R}}$$

$$\mathbb{R} = \{r_1, r_2, r_3, r_4\} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Whole collection} \\ \text{of all reward} \end{array}$$

$$s_1 a_1 \quad s_1 a_2 \quad \dots \quad s_2 a_2 \quad \dots (1)$$

Denote a reward at time t as

$$R(s_t, a_t) = R(\text{Hit the Ground}, a_t) = -1 \quad \dots (2)$$

$$R(s_t, a_t) = R(\text{Reminds the target}, a_t) = 1 \quad \dots (3)$$

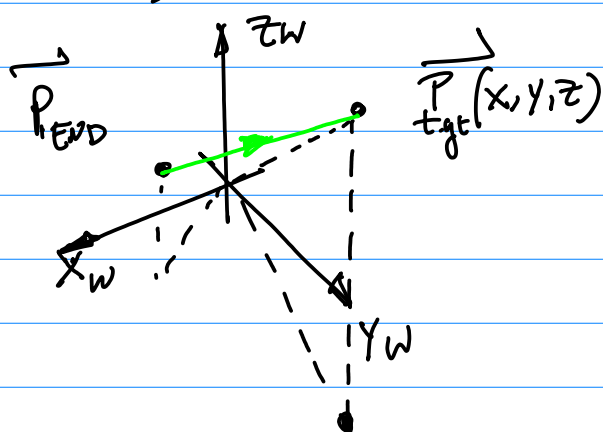
for $t=1$,

$$\vec{P}_{END}(x(1), y(1), z(1))$$

for $t=2$

$$\vec{P}_{END}(x(2), y(2), z(2))$$

$\vec{P}(x, y, z)$ in $X_w - Y_w - Z_w$ World Coordinate:



for $t=i$

$$\vec{P}_{END}(x(i), y(i), z(i))$$

\vdots

$$\vec{P}_{END}(x(N), y(N), z(N))$$

for $t-1$ to t , the distance (movement of \vec{P}_{END})

$$\vec{P}_{END}(x(t), y(t), z(t)) -$$

$$\vec{P}_{END}(x(t-1), y(t-1), z(t-1))$$

$\dots (6)$

Move \vec{P}_{END} to \vec{P}_{tgt} By N Steps

$$(s_t, a_t) \text{ for } t=1, 2, \dots, N \quad \dots (3b)$$

if $\vec{P}_{END} = \vec{P}_{tgt}$ then End the Episod.

$$\vec{P}_{END} \approx \vec{P}_{tgt}, \quad \vec{P}_{END} - \vec{P}_{tgt} \approx 0 \quad \dots (4)$$

$$\|\vec{P}_{END} - \vec{P}_{tgt}\| \ll \epsilon \quad \dots (5)$$

$$\vec{P}_{END}(x, y, z) = \vec{P}_{END}(x(t), y(t), z(t))$$

Suppose

$$\vec{P}_{END}(x(0), y(0), z(0)) = (1, 1, 2)$$

$$\vec{P}_{END}(x(1), y(1), z(1)) = (0.5, -1, 2)$$

Find the distance

$$\vec{P}_{END}(x(1), y(1), z(1)) - \vec{P}_{END}(x(0), y(0), z(0)) =$$

$$(1 - 0.5, -1 - 1, 2 - 2) = (0.5, -2, 0)$$

$$\| \vec{P}_{\text{END}}(x(1), y(1), z(1)) - \vec{P}_{\text{END}}(x(0), y(0), z(0)) \|_2$$

$$= \sqrt{(x(1)-x(0))^2 + (y(1)-y(0))^2 + (z(1)-z(0))^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{0.5^2 + (-2)^2 + 0^2} = \sqrt{4.25} \quad \text{Distance to the target}$$

$$d = \| \vec{P}_{\text{END}}(t-1) - \vec{P}_{\text{tgt}} \|_2, @ t-1$$

$$\downarrow d(t-1)$$

$$d(t) = \| \vec{P}_{\text{END}}(t) - \vec{P}_{\text{tgt}} \|_2, @ t$$

$$R(s_t, a_t) = \frac{d(\vec{P}_{\text{END}}(t-1) - \vec{P}_{\text{tgt}}) - d(\vec{P}_{\text{END}}(t) - \vec{P}_{\text{tgt}})}{d(\vec{P}_{\text{END}}(0) - \vec{P}_{\text{tgt}})} \dots (9k)$$

Difference of the distance

$$\text{Assume } d(\vec{P}_{\text{END}}(t-1) - \vec{P}_{\text{tgt}}) = \sqrt{6.25} \quad \text{Positive Reward.}$$

$$d(\vec{P}_{\text{END}}(t) - \vec{P}_{\text{tgt}}) = \sqrt{4.25}$$

$$\tilde{R}(s_t, a_t) = \sqrt{6.25} - \sqrt{4.25}$$

↓ Normalization

$$R(s_t, a_t) = \tilde{R} / d(\vec{P}_{\text{END}}(0) - \vec{P}_{\text{tgt}})$$

For Negative Reward from Eqn (9k) holds good as well, Since Eqn (9k) will give negative value.

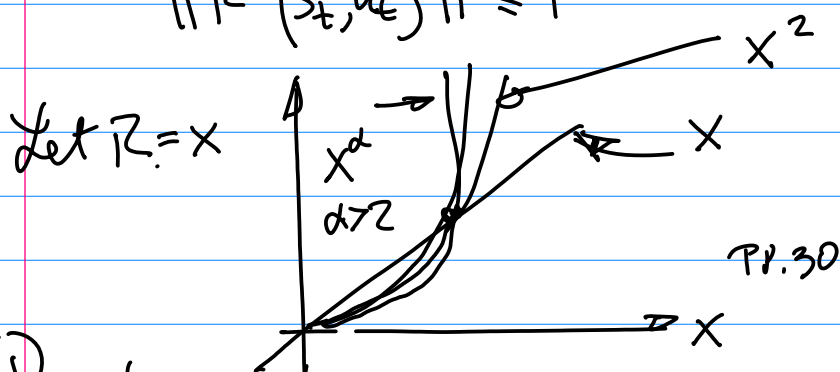
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$$R(s_t, a_t) = \frac{d(\vec{P}_{End}(t-1) - \vec{P}_{tgt}) - d(\vec{P}_{End}(t) - \vec{P}_{tgt})}{d(\vec{P}_{End}(0) - \vec{P}_{tgt})}$$

$$-1 \leq R(s_t, a_t) \leq 1$$

$$-1 \leq R^2(s_t, a_t) \leq 1 \Rightarrow 0 \leq R^3(s_t, a_t) \leq 1$$

$$\|R^\alpha(s_t, a_t)\| \leq 1$$



① Code/Source Walk-Through ② Dynamic Programming

Non-Linear Accelerated Reward Function
with $\alpha > 2$

Question: How about $e^{\pm R}$ or $\log_a R$

