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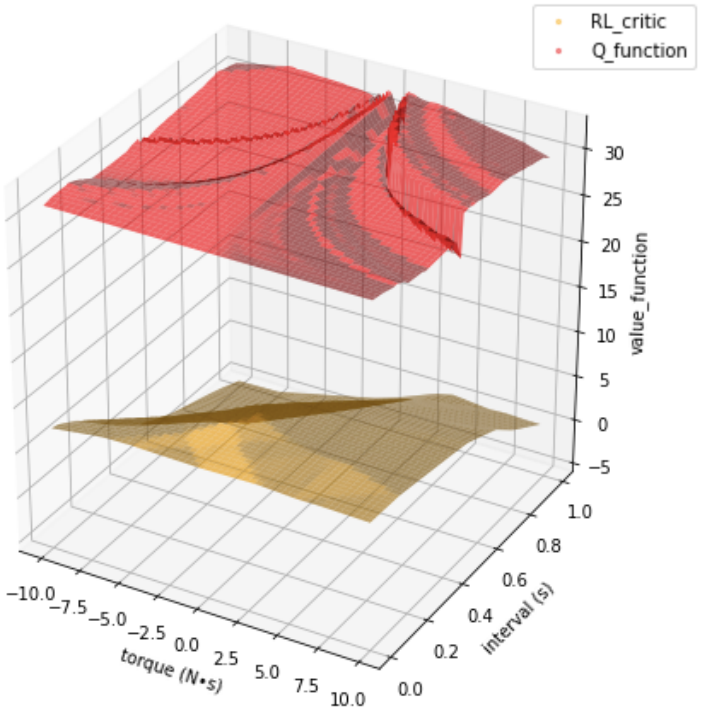
- Low accuracy of Q-function approximation

Graph of $Q(s,a)$ for fixed s
(function of a)



- Q-function are learned with supervised learning (Least Square)

$$\min_{\omega} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{(s,a)\in E} \{Q(s,a|\omega) - (r(s,a) + \gamma Q(s,\pi(s)|\omega))\}^2$$

teacher data

- Low accuracy may come from..
  - Optimization algorithm
  - Data bias in E

(This may be the reason)

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- Check as if optimization is well conducted
  - Define ω_{RL} be the Q-function parameter learned with RL
  - Loss function for data set E should be minimized by ω_{RL}

$$Loss(\omega) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{(s,a) \in E} \{Q(s,a|\omega) - (r(s,a) + \gamma Q(s, \pi(s)|\omega))\}^2$$

  - By comparing the loss function with some ω

$$Loss(\omega) = 17, Loss(\omega_{RL}) = 0.02$$

  - I want to check again on what should be compared, with Kashima Sensei

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- Overcome data bias
  - Various experiences of (s, a) are needed
  - Teacher‘s data are collected by agent‘s experience

  - How does the agent collect data?
    - Data exploration:

$$a = \pi_\theta(s) + e$$

    - Store data of (s, a) to set E

    - If the variance of e is large, that of (s, a) become large

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- DDPG requires agent to experience states on control path w.r.t. current policy π_θ

- Exploration-Exploitation Dilemma

Large variance noise
- Can try different action
- Being away from π_θ control path

Dilemma

Small variance noise
- Can achieve π_θ control path
- Cannot try different action

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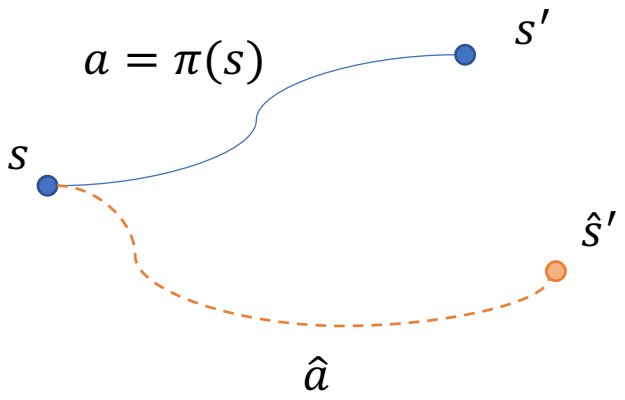
- Adaptive noise scaling
  - By changing action…

    if the change of next state is large $\Leftrightarrow \frac{\partial s'}{\partial a}$ is Large

    → small noise

    if the change of next state is small $\Leftrightarrow \frac{\partial s'}{\partial a}$ is Small

    → large noise



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- Try following noise scaling

$$\frac{c}{\|g\| + c} \times \mathcal{N}(0,1) \ : c \text{ is hyper parameter}$$

- Because I have not summarized my consideration, I want to report the result on colloquium next week

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