CSC411: Assignment 4 Bonus

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Problem 1

X and O

This is a harder problem than project4. The policy now has to consider whether its turn is 1 or 2. The win rate are calculated by playing 400 games. The best win rate when it moves first is around 95% and the best win rate when it moves second is around 70%. The best episode is chosen based on the average of the two win rates. The best episode is 80000.

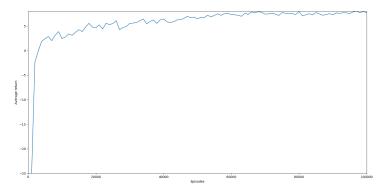


Figure 1: training curve

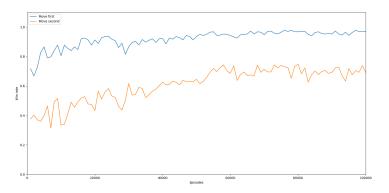


Figure 2: Winrate

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xo.
. . .
xo.
xo.
. . .
xo.
xo.
х..
Learned policy wins against random! (learned policy moves first)
____ Game2 ____
х..
. . .
. . .
xo.
. . .
. . .
xo.
х..
. . .
xo.
..о
xo.
х..
x.o
Learned policy wins against random! (learned policy moves first)
____ Game1 ____
х..
. . .
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х..
oox
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\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{o}
xx.
oox
\mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{o}
xxo
oox
x.o
xxo
oox
xxo
Learned policy ties against random! (random moves first)
____ Game2 ___
х..
. . .
. . .
х..
о..
. . .
х..
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. . x
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. . x
xxo
oox
. . x
xxo
oox
.ox
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xxo
oox
xox
Learned policy ties against random! (random moves first)
——— Game3 ———
х..
. . .
. . .
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х..
о..
. . .
х..
о..
. . x
х..
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. . x
х..
oox
. . x
x.o
oox
. . X
х.о
oox
.xx
x.o
oox
oxx
Learned policy wins against random! (random moves first)
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Problem 2

Self-play

The winrate for both playing first and playing second doesn't really increase. In fact they seems to decrease a bit. So I use the weights at 60000 episode for testing

The graphs also include the win and tie rate because I feel like for tictactoe game, tie is inevitable some time.

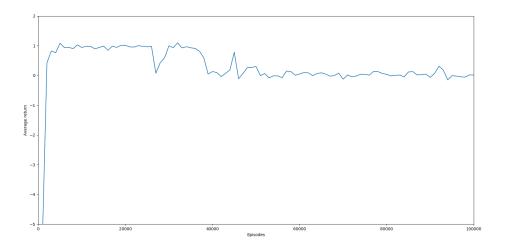


Figure 3: Learning curve

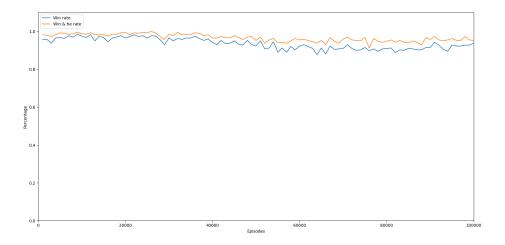


Figure 4: Win and tie rate for playing first for 400 games

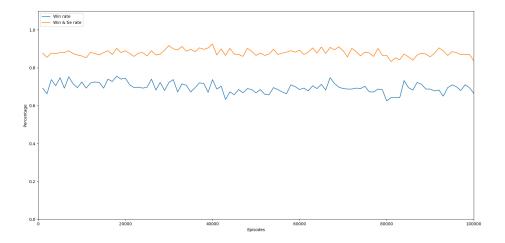


Figure 5: Win and tie rate for playing second for 400 games

Against random player

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= Game1 ===
. . .
.х.
. . .
. xo
. . .
х..
. xo
х..
oxo
х..
oxo
. . x
Learned policy wins against random! (learned policy moves first)
____ Game2 ____
. x .
.о.
. x .
xo.
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. x .
. . .
xo.
.х.
. о.
xo.
.х.
xo.
xo.
ox.
xo.
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xox
ox.
xo.
Learned\ policy\ wins\ against\ random!\ (learned\ policy\ moves\ first)
____ Game1 ==
. . .
.х.
. . .
о..
.х.
. . .
о..
.xx
. . .
____
о..
oxx
. . .
о..
oxx
. . x
о..
oxx
o.x
Learned policy wins against random! (random moves first)
\longrightarrow Game2 \longrightarrow
. x .
. . .
о..
.х.
. . .
о..
.х.
. . x
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ox.
. . x
ox.
ox.
. . x
ox.
ox.
o.x
Learned policy wins against random! (random moves first)
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.х.
. . .
о..
.х.
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0.0
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0.0
oxx
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oxo
oxx
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oxo
oxx
xo.
oxo
oxx
xox
Learned policy ties against random! (random moves first)
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Against self

