



人形机器人控制

——从过去到未来

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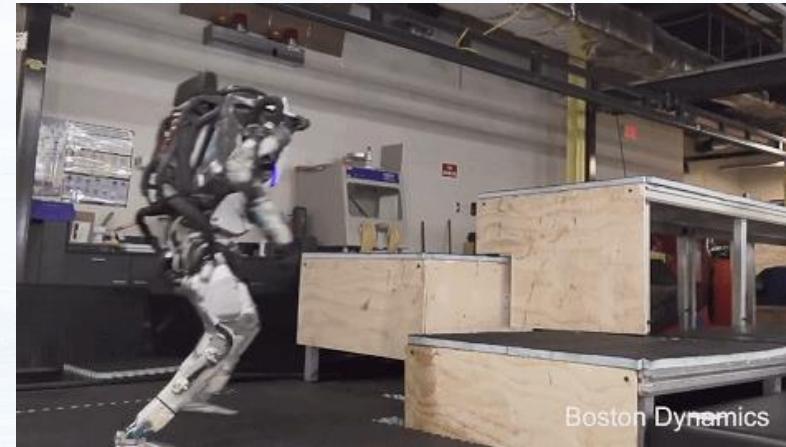


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波士顿动力



Atlas

中国
宇树科技



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简化主义时代

Static Walking

Passive Walking

Central Pattern Generator

Zero Moment Point

Hybrid Zero Dynamics

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Model Predictive Control

Whole Body Control

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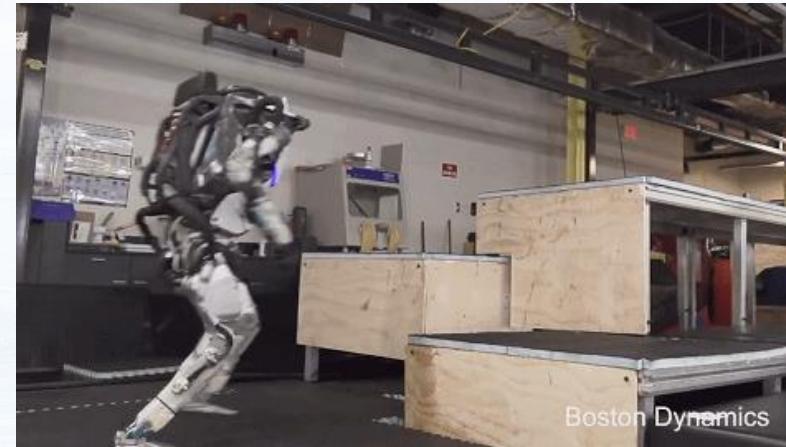
Imitation Learning

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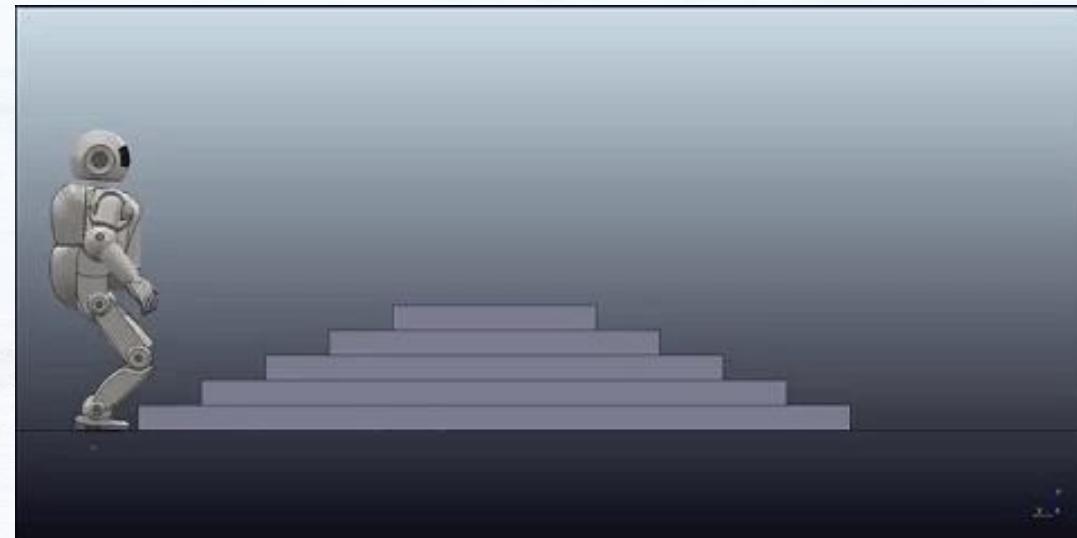
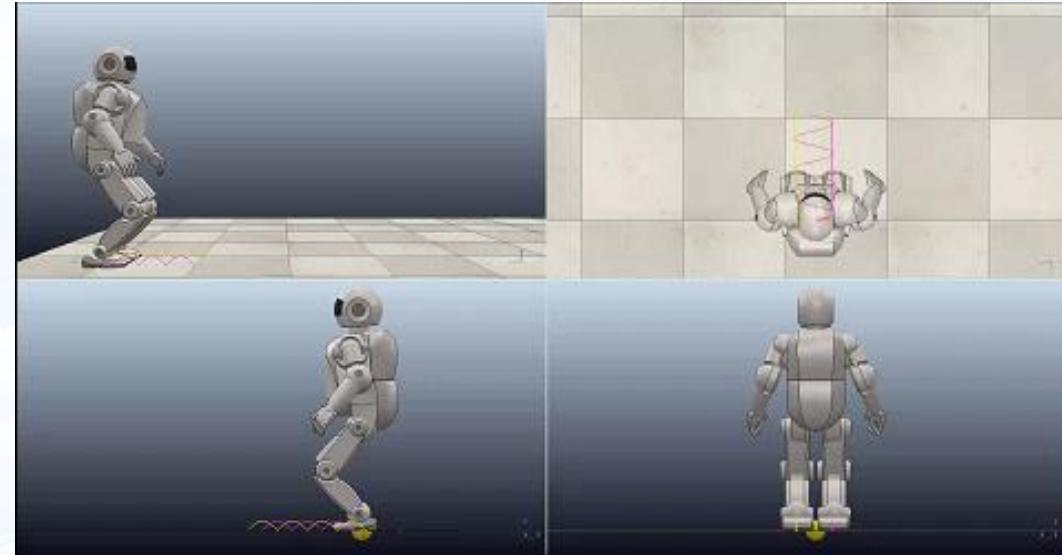
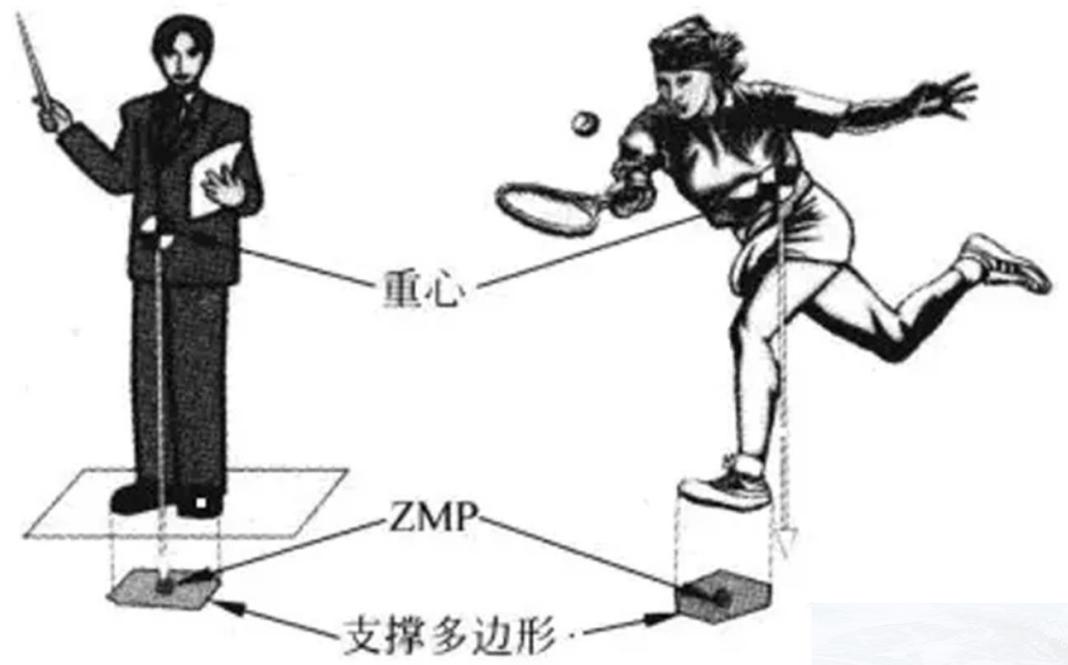
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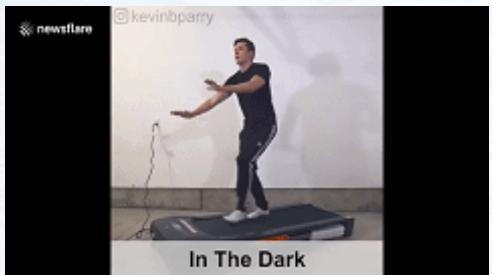
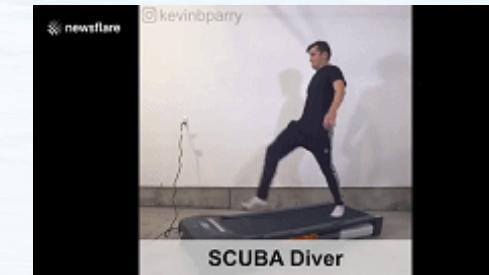
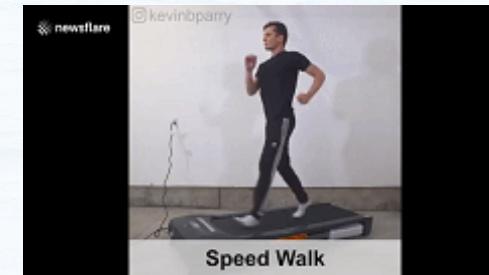
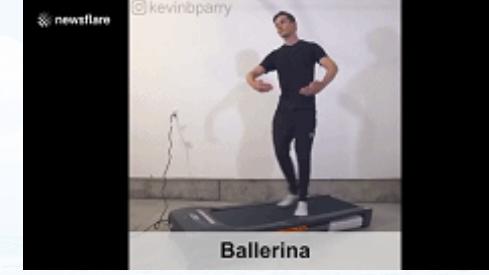
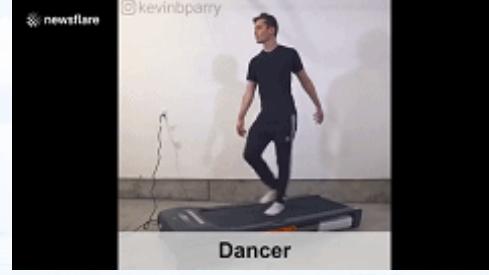
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静态行走



人类行走



倒立摆模型

cost of transport (CoT):

$$\frac{\text{energy used}}{\text{weight} \times \text{distance traveled}}$$

$$C = \int_0^{t_{\text{step}}} [F(t)\dot{l}]^+ dt / mgd$$

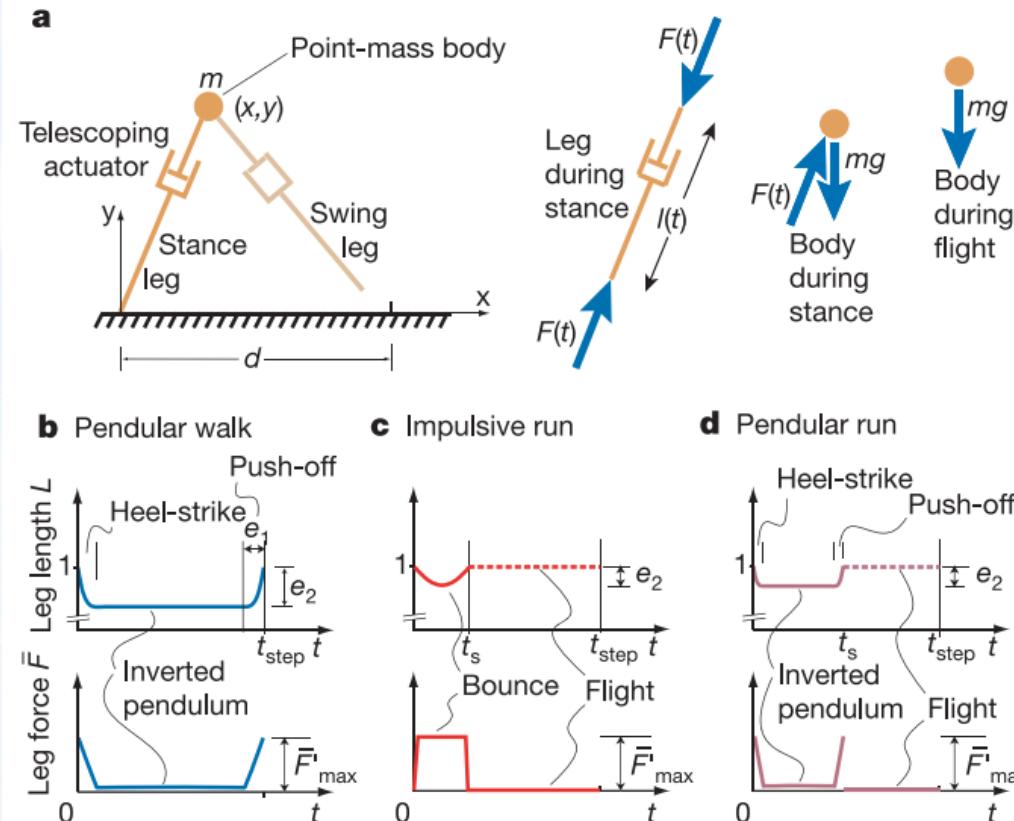


Figure 2 | Point-mass biped model and its optimal solutions.

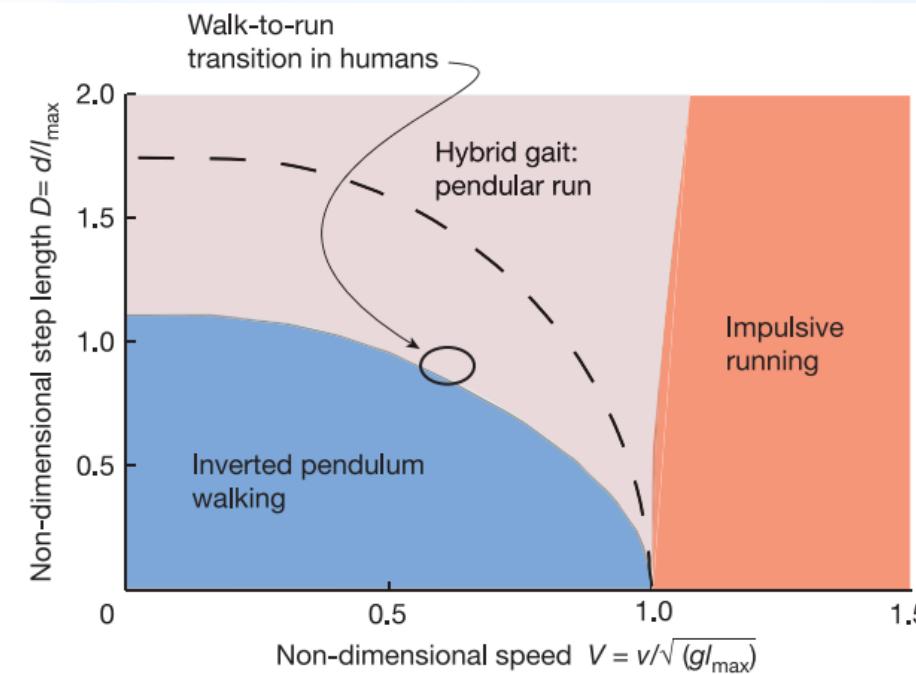
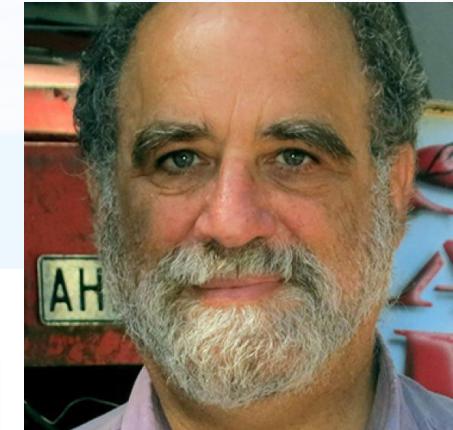


Figure 3 | The regions in which each of the three collisional gaits are optimal.

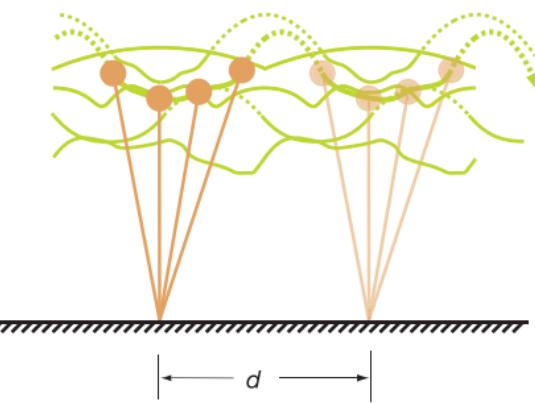


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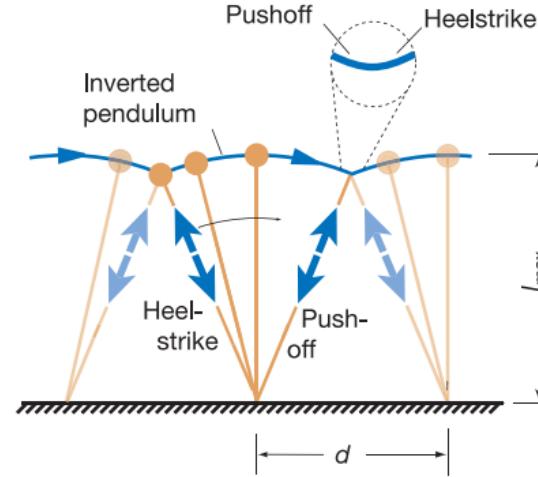
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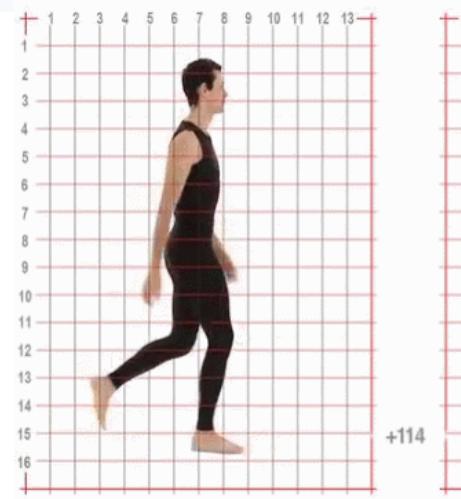
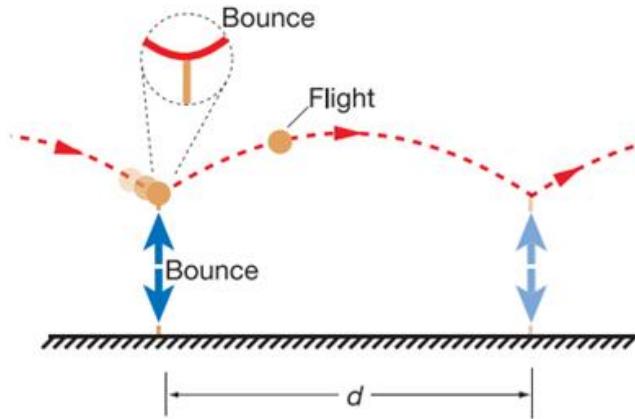
a Some possible gaits



b Inverted pendulum walk

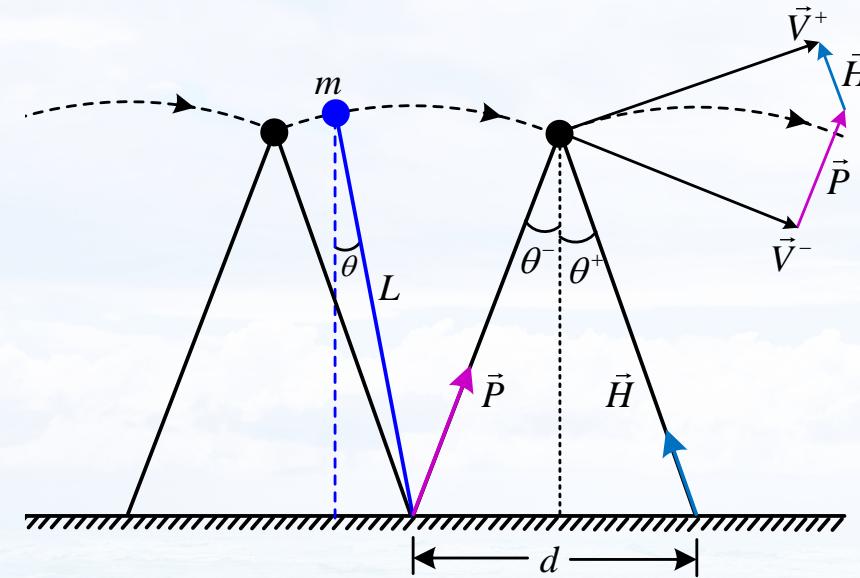


c Impulsive run

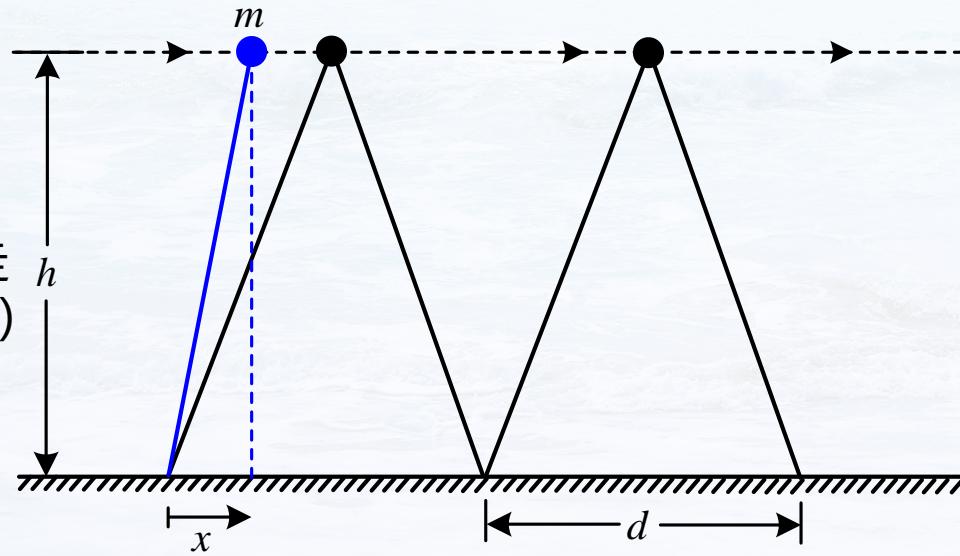


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正常行走
(IP模型)



水平行走
(LIP模型)



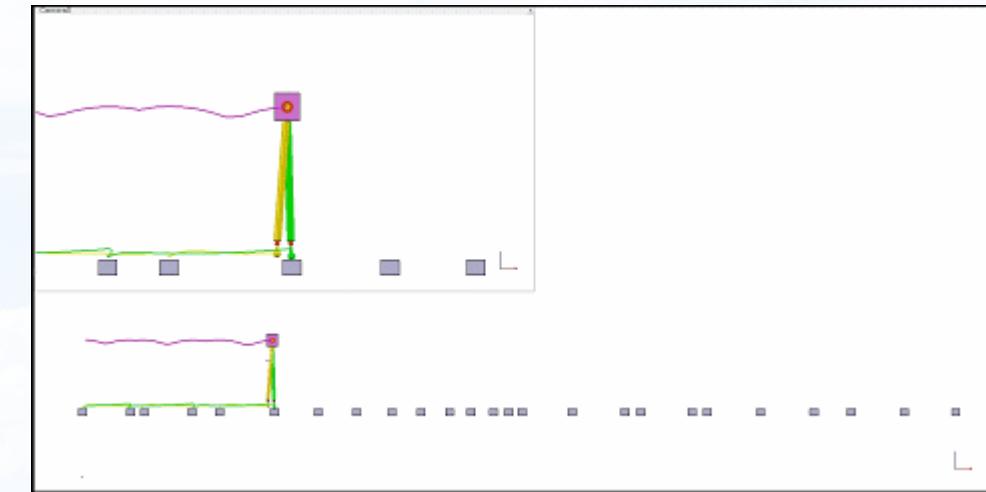
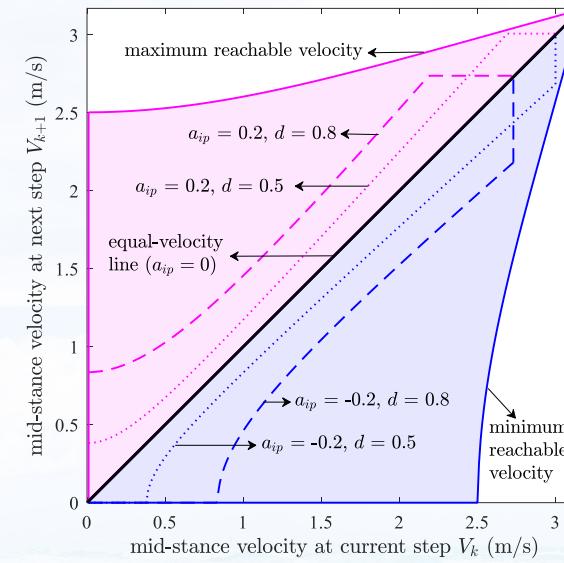
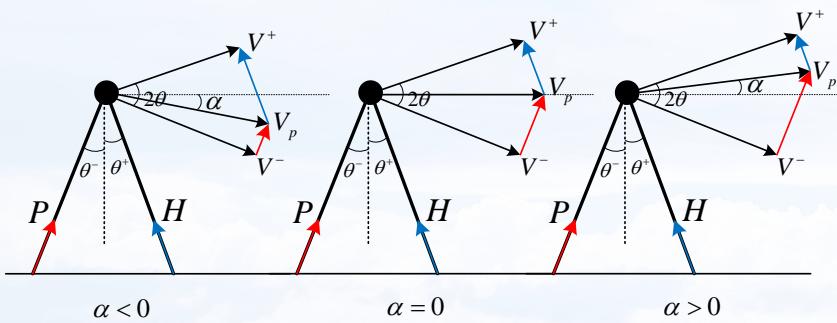
10km/h



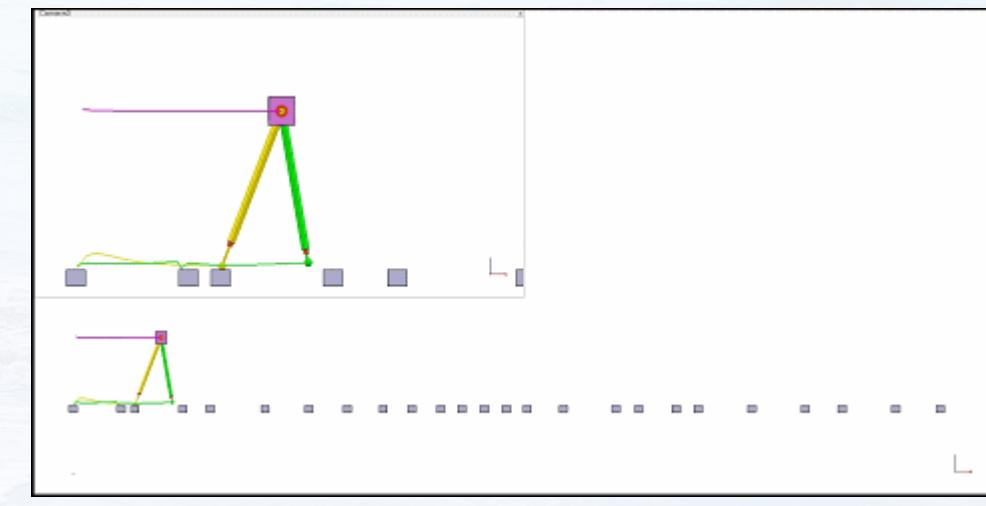
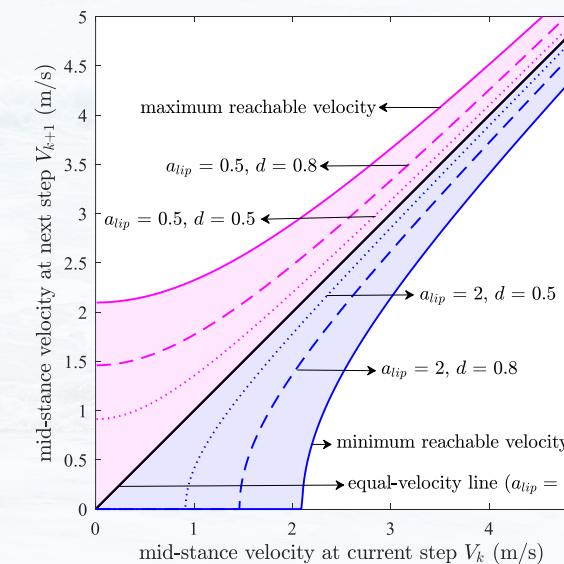
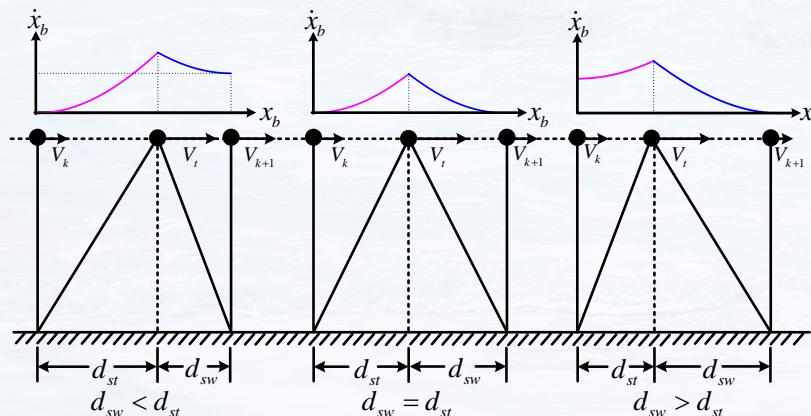
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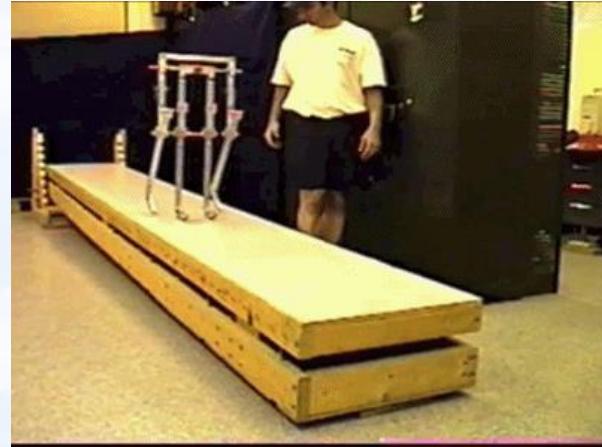
正常行走 (IP模型)



水平行走 (LIP模型)



被动行走



Gliders+Engines→Airplanes
Passive walkers+Actuators→Human-level robot

Fig. 1. "Ramp-walking," "downhill," "unpowered," or "passive-dynamic" machines. Our powered bipeds are based on these passive designs. (A) The Wilson "Walkie" (27). (B) MIT's improved version (28). Both (A) and (B) walk down a slight ramp with the "comical, awkward, waddling gait of the penguin" (27). (C) Cornell copy (29) of McGeer's capstone design (7). This four-legged "biped" has two pairs of legs, an inner and outer pair, to prevent falling sideways. (D) The Cornell passive biped with arms [photo: H. Morgan]. This walker has knees and arms and is perhaps the most humanlike passive-dynamic walker to date (8).

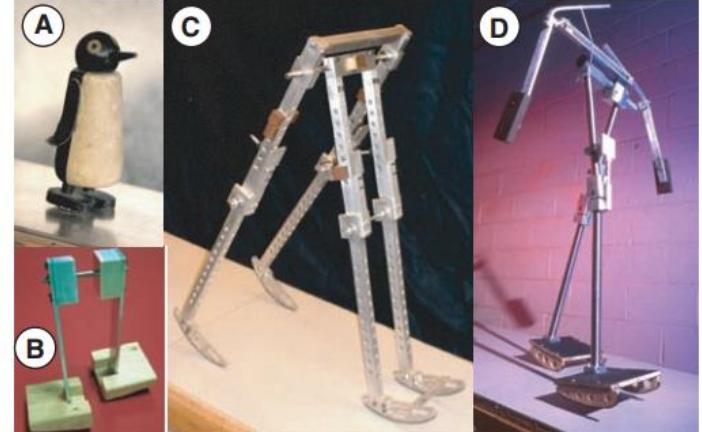
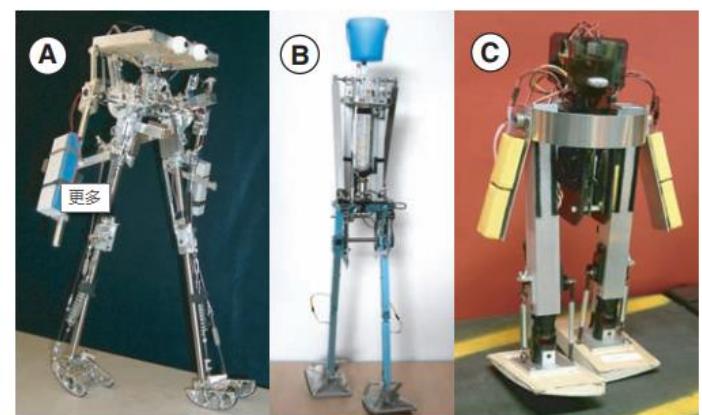
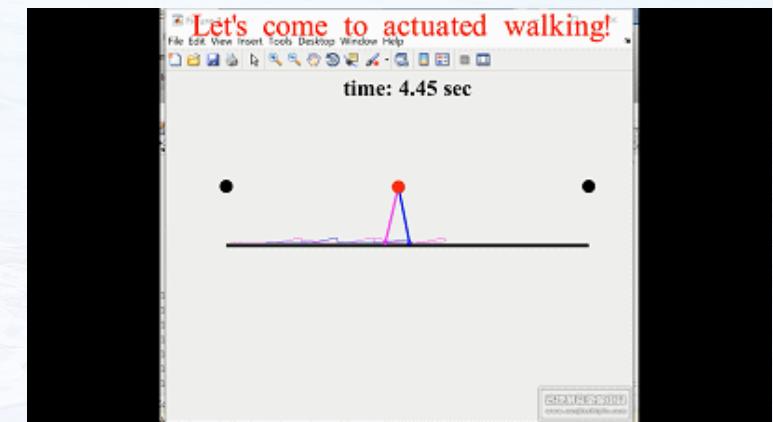
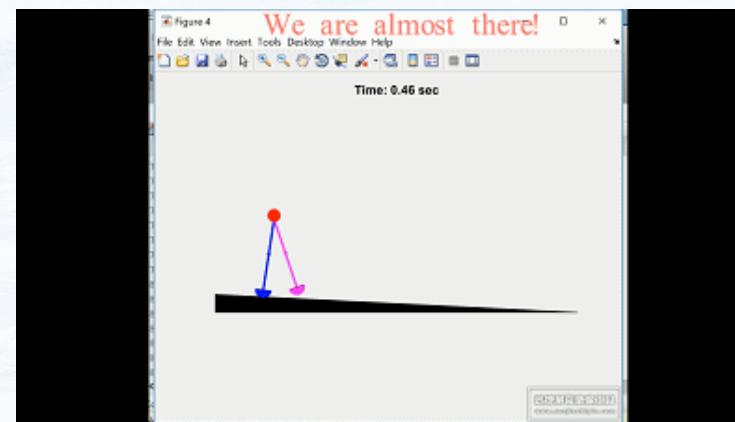
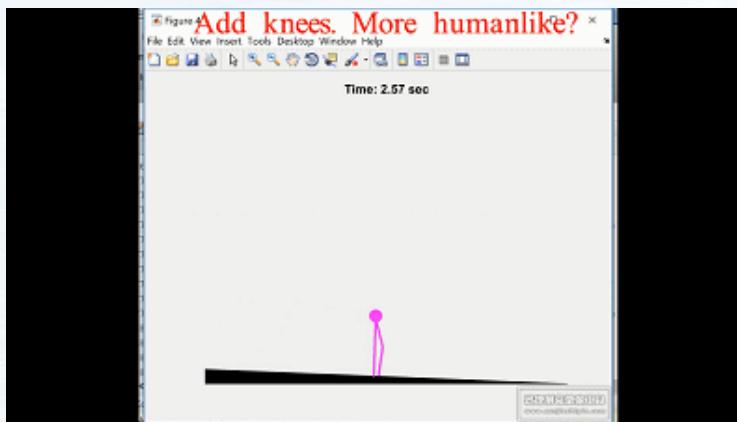
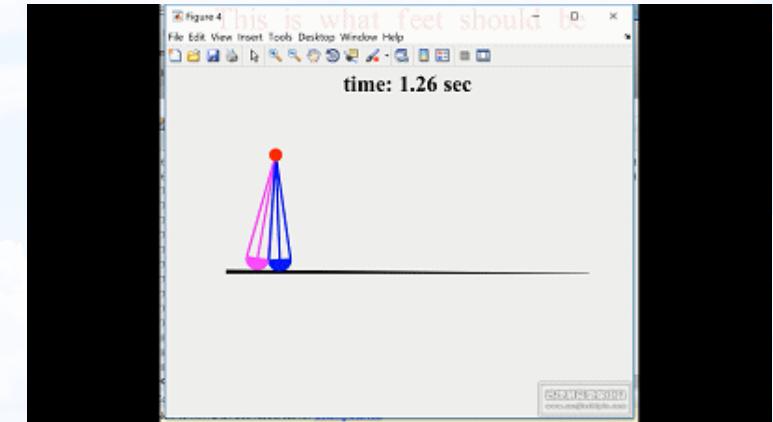
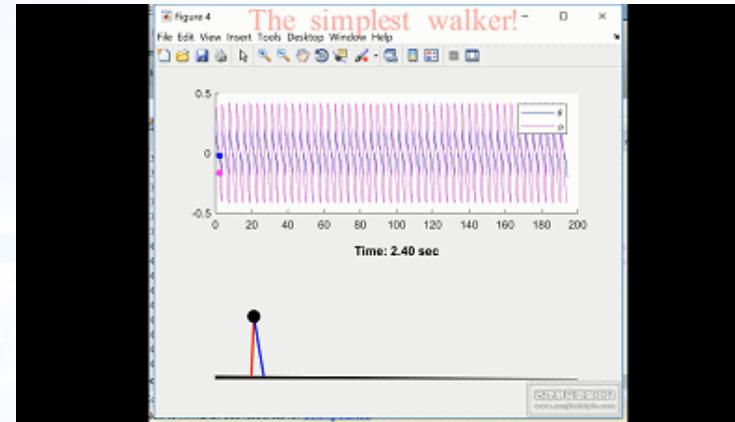
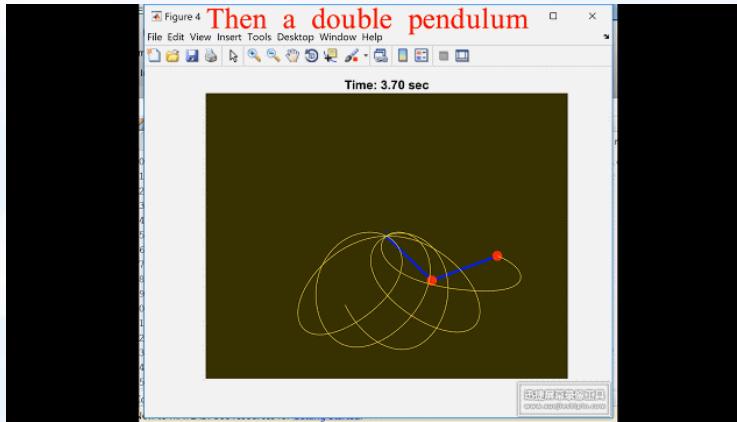


Fig. 2. Three level-ground powered walking robots based on the ramp-walking designs of Fig. 1. (A) The Cornell biped. (B) The Delft biped. (C) The MIT learning biped. These powered robots have motions close to those of their ramp-walking counterparts as seen in the supporting online movies (movies S1 to S3). Information on their construction is in the supporting online text (9).



Collins, S., Ruina, A., Tedrake, R., & Wisse, M. (2005). Efficient bipedal robots based on passive-dynamic walkers. *Science*, 307(5712), 1082-1085.

被动行走



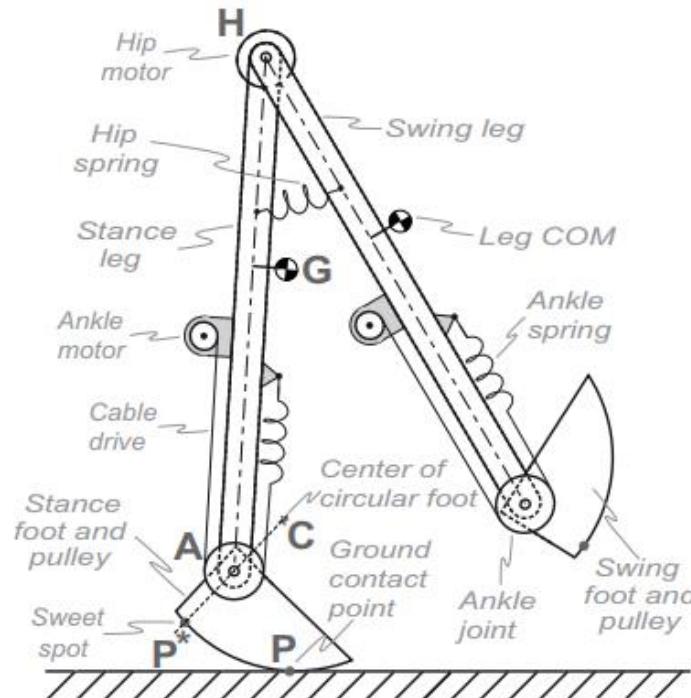
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Ranger walks non-stop 65.2 km ultra-Marathon
on May 1-2, 2011

a) Robot



(b) Schematic



Bhounsule, P. A., Cortell, J., Grewal, A., Hendriksen, B., Karssen, J. D., Paul, C., & Ruina, A. (2014). Low-bandwidth reflex-based control for lower power walking: 65 km on a single battery charge. *The International Journal of Robotics Research*, 33(10), 1305-1321.

落脚点控制

The neutral point

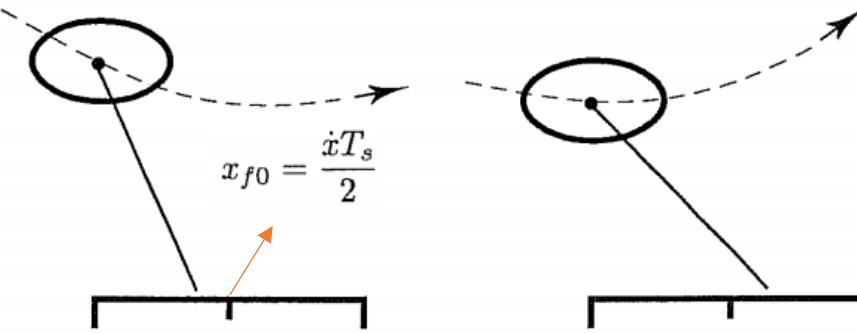


Figure 2.11. Asymmetric trajectories. Displacement of the foot from the neutral position accelerates the body by skewing its trajectory. When the foot is placed behind the neutral point, the body accelerates forward during stance (left). When the foot is place forward of the neutral point, the body accelerates backward during stance (right). Dashed lines indicate the path of the body, and solid horizontal lines under each figure indicate the CG-print.

Three-part control

Hopping:

Thrust for specified duration during stance.
Exhaust to specified pressure during flight.

Forward Speed:

Choose foot position $x_f = \frac{\dot{x}T_s}{2} + k_x(\dot{x} - \dot{x}_d)$.

Convert to hip angle $\gamma_d = \phi - \arcsin\left(\frac{x_f}{r}\right)$.

Servo hip angle $\tau = -k_p(\gamma - \gamma_d) - k_v(\dot{\gamma})$.

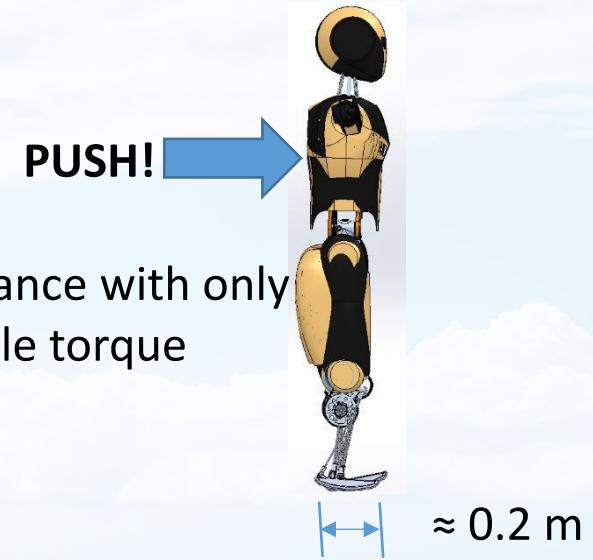
Body Attitude:

Servo body angle $\tau = -k_p(\phi - \phi_d) - k_v(\dot{\phi})$.



Balance strategies for a biped:

- 1) Apply ankle torques. Base of support diameter up to 0.2 m
- 2) Bend the upper body/spin arms.
Effective base of support up to 0.02 m
- 3) Foot placement. Effective base of support up to 1 m

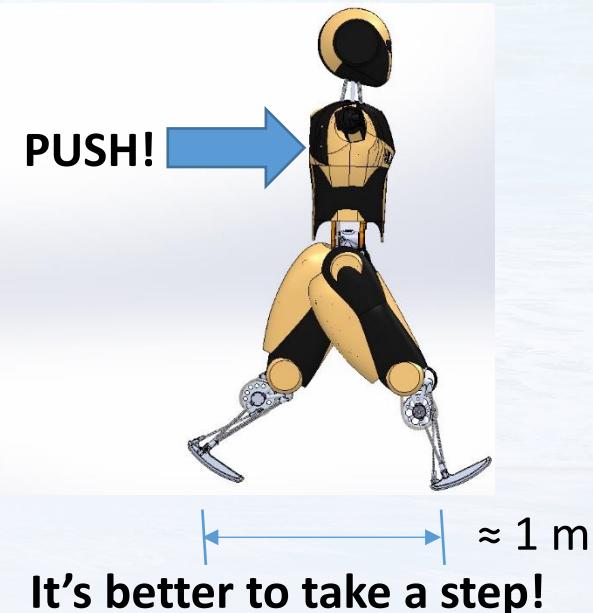


Therefore **robust balance = fast stepping**.



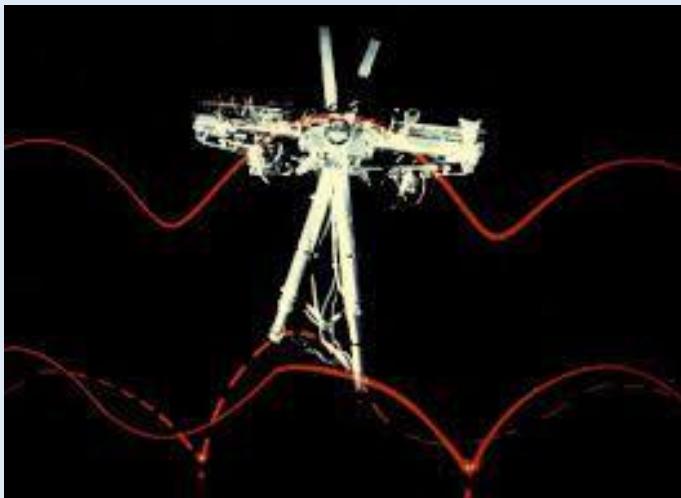
How to select step location?

- Take step in the falling direction
- Falling faster, taking bigger step



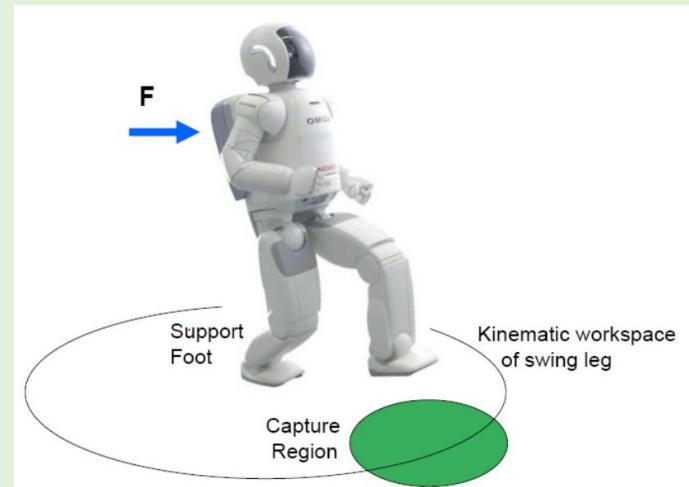
(1) Raibert heuristic (Marc Raibert)

$$x_f = \frac{\dot{x}T_s}{2} + k_{\dot{x}}(\dot{x} - \dot{x}_d)$$



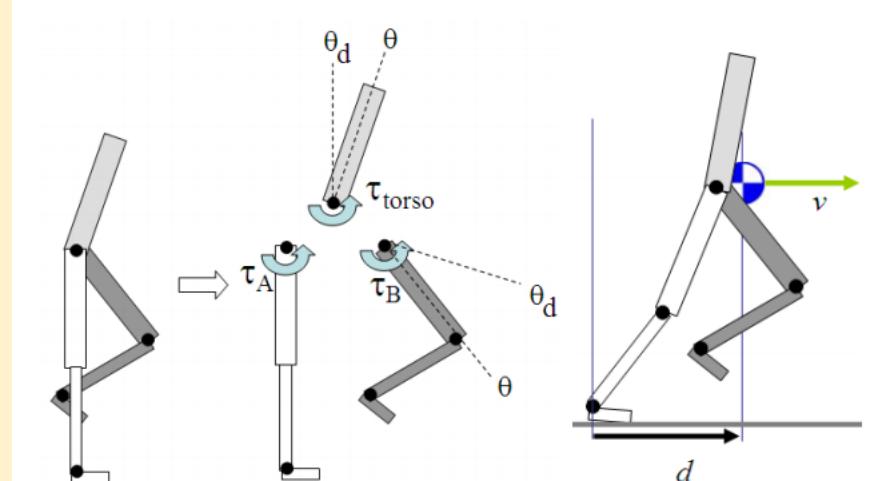
(2) Capture point (Jerry Pratt)

$$x_{capture} = \dot{x}\sqrt{\frac{z_0}{g}}$$



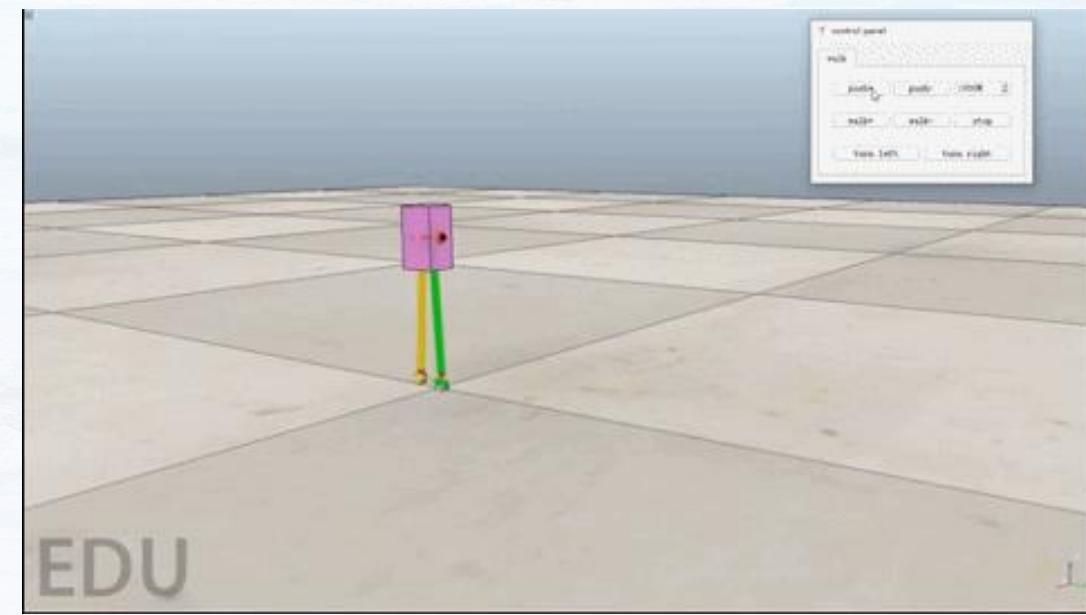
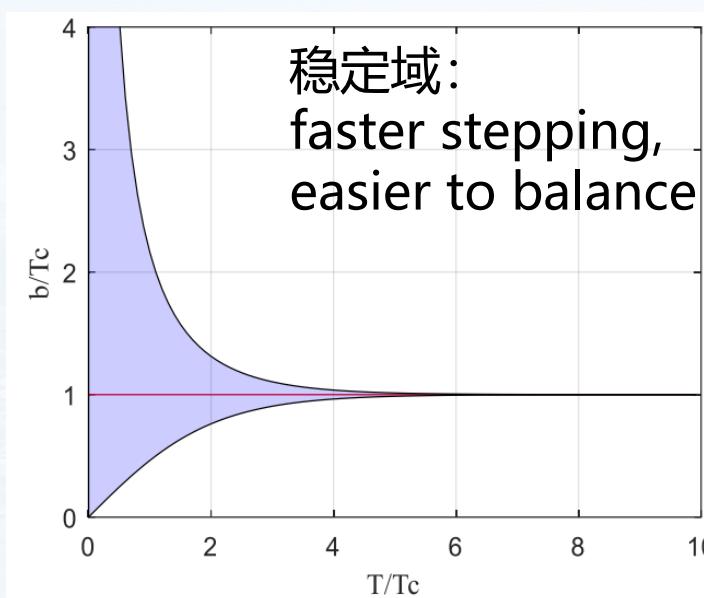
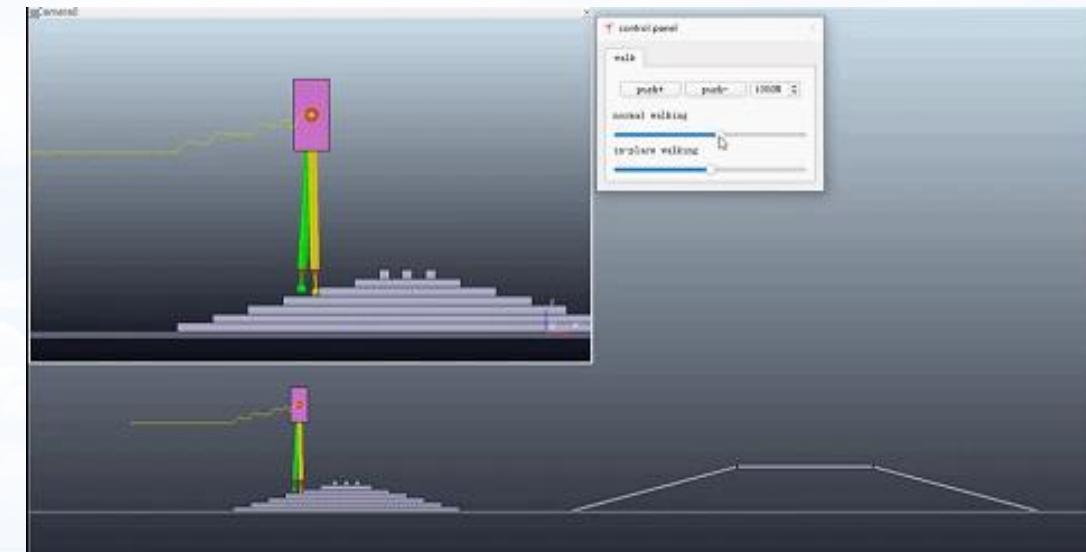
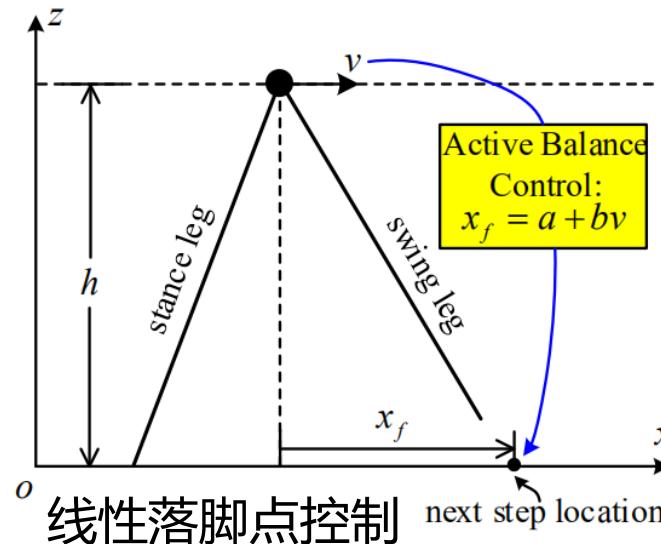
(3) SIMBICON (KangKang Yin)

$$\theta_d = \theta_{d0} + c_d d + c_v v$$



LFPC (linear foot placement control): use a linear function of the body velocity to determine the next foot placement.

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Boston Dynamics

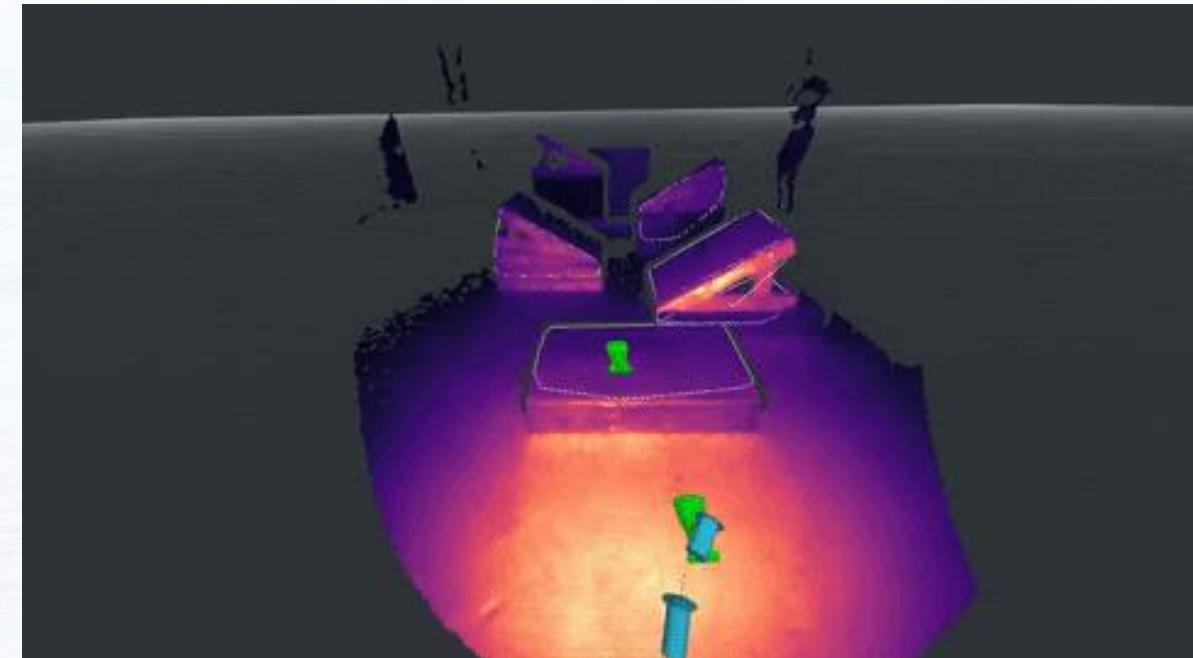
行为库

Atlas 在跑酷中执行的每个动作都源自使用轨迹优化提前创建的模板。给定感知的计划目标，机器人从库中选择与给定目标尽可能匹配的行为。



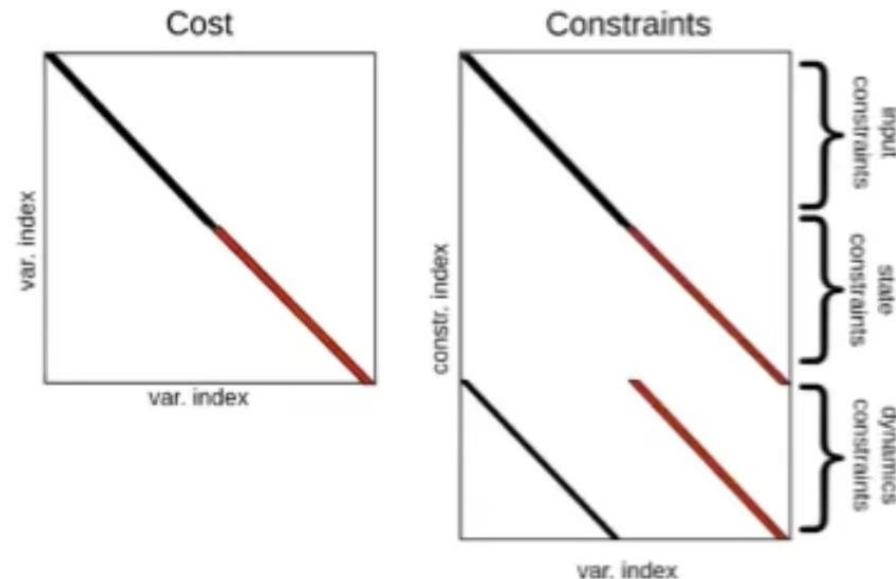
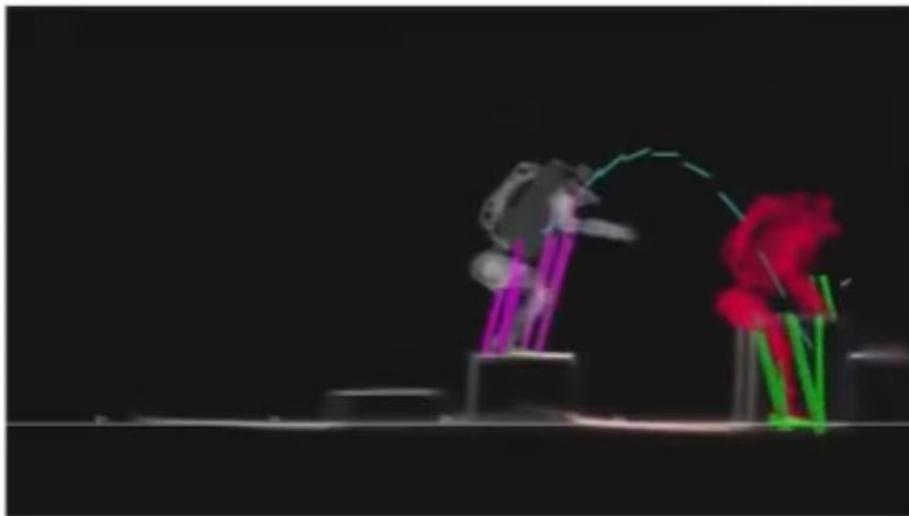
模型预测控制

使用机器人动力学模型来预测其运动，控制器通过优化来计算机器人现在要做的最佳事情，以应对环境几何、脚滑或其他实时因素的差异。



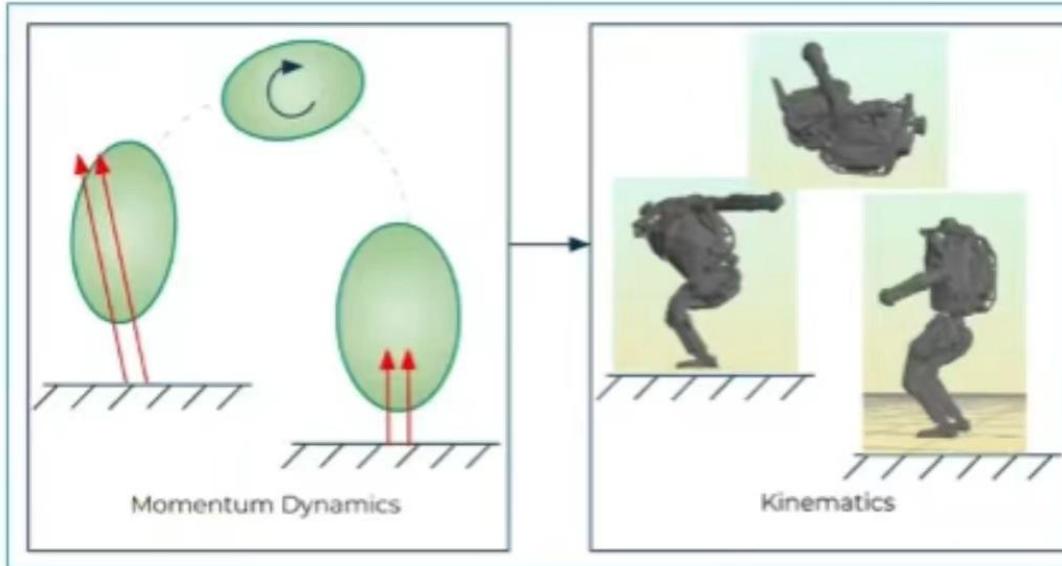
MPC: Common Features

- Nonlinear dynamics, costs, constraints
- Iteratively linearize and solve a QP
- Never run to convergence
- Exploit problem structure for speed
- Don't treat solvers as a black box



~10,000,000 QPs solved (hardware)
~10,000,000,000 QPs solved (sim)

The Robot is a Potato with Limbs



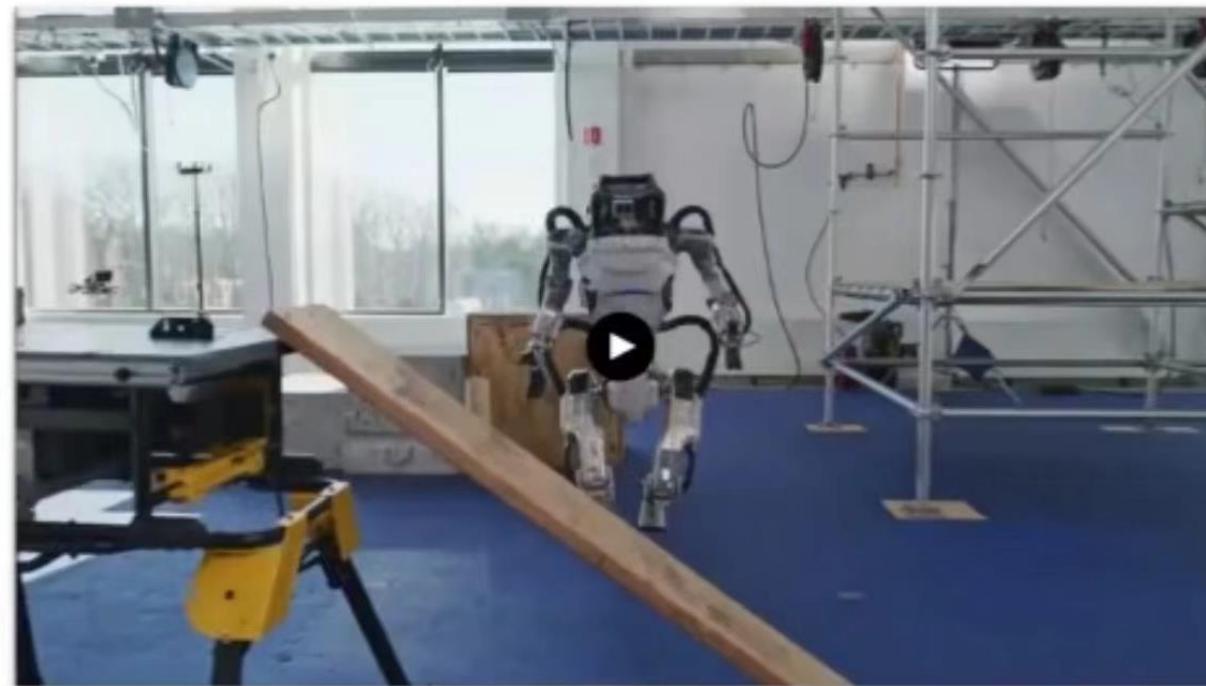
- Centroidal dynamics
- Independent kinematics



The Robot is a Kinodynamic System



- Coupled kinematics and centroidal dynamics in one big optimization

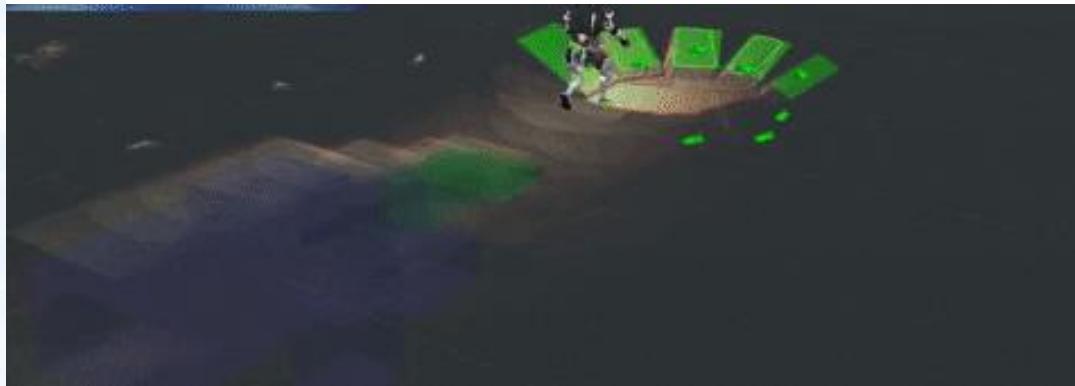


The Robot is Several Kinodynamic Systems

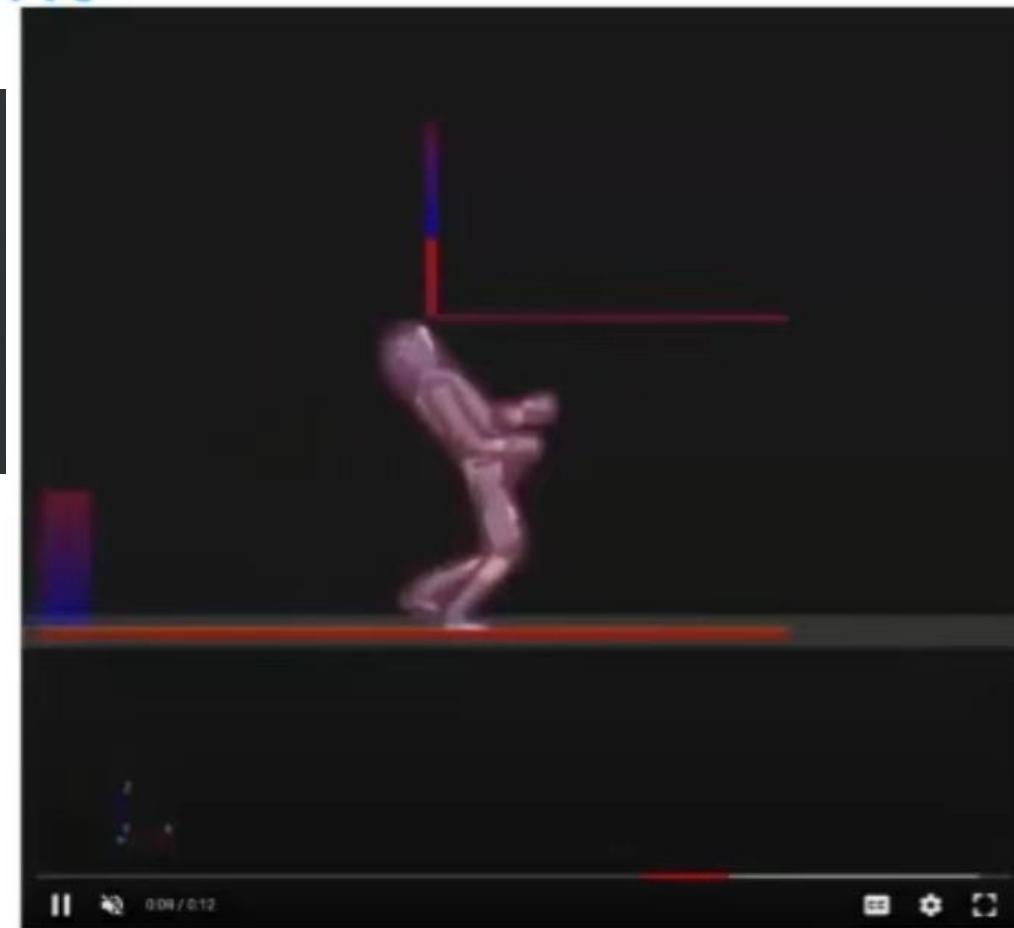


- Robot kinematics and centroidal dynamics
- Object kinematics and centroidal dynamics
- Robot-object interactions

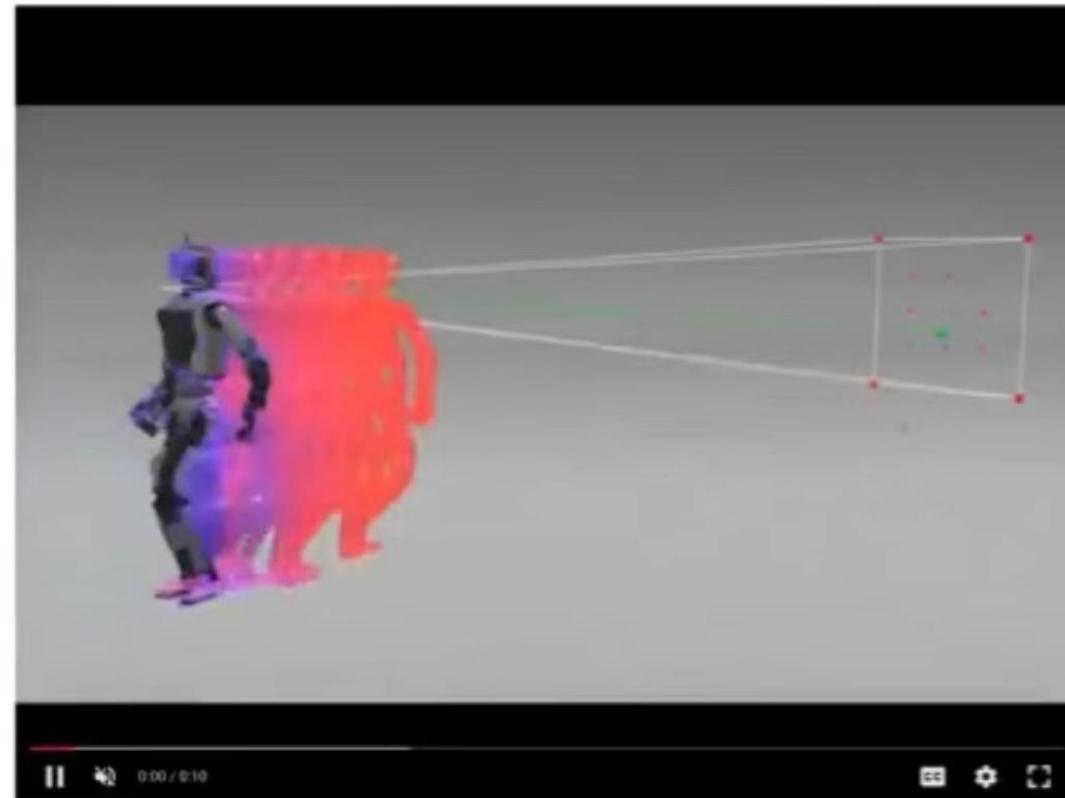
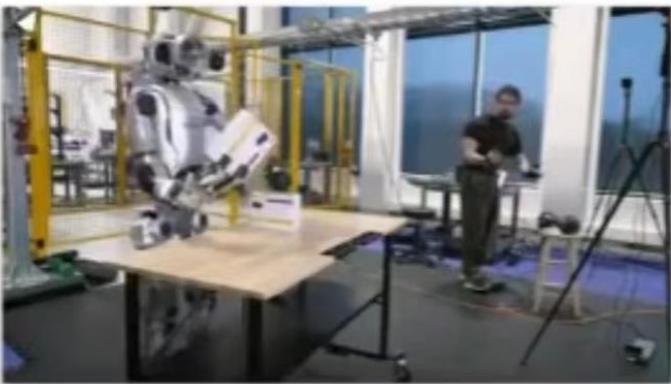
The Robot is Several Kinodynamic Systems in a Perceived Environment



- Robot kinematics and centroidal dynamics
- Object kinematics and centroidal dynamics
- Robot-object interactions
- Perception-driven constraints



The Robot is Several Kinodynamic Systems in a Perceived Environment **Doing Useful Tasks**



- Robot kinematics and centroidal dynamics
- Object kinematics and centroidal dynamics
- Robot-object interactions
- Perception-driven constraints
- Tasks updated on the fly

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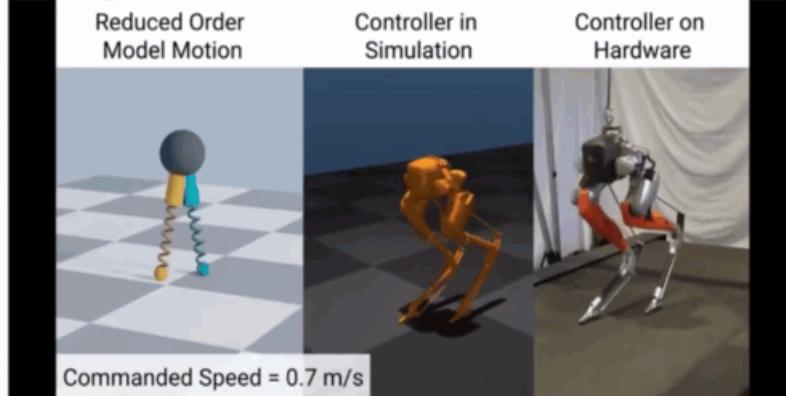
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Learning Spring Mass Locomotion: Guiding Policies with a Reduced-Order Model



There's a lot of testing.



With Just a Week of Machine Learning Training, Cassie the Robot Sets a Guinness World Record

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Simple reward may lead to unnatural behavior!



Deepmind 2017, Emergence of Locomotion Behaviours in Rich Environments

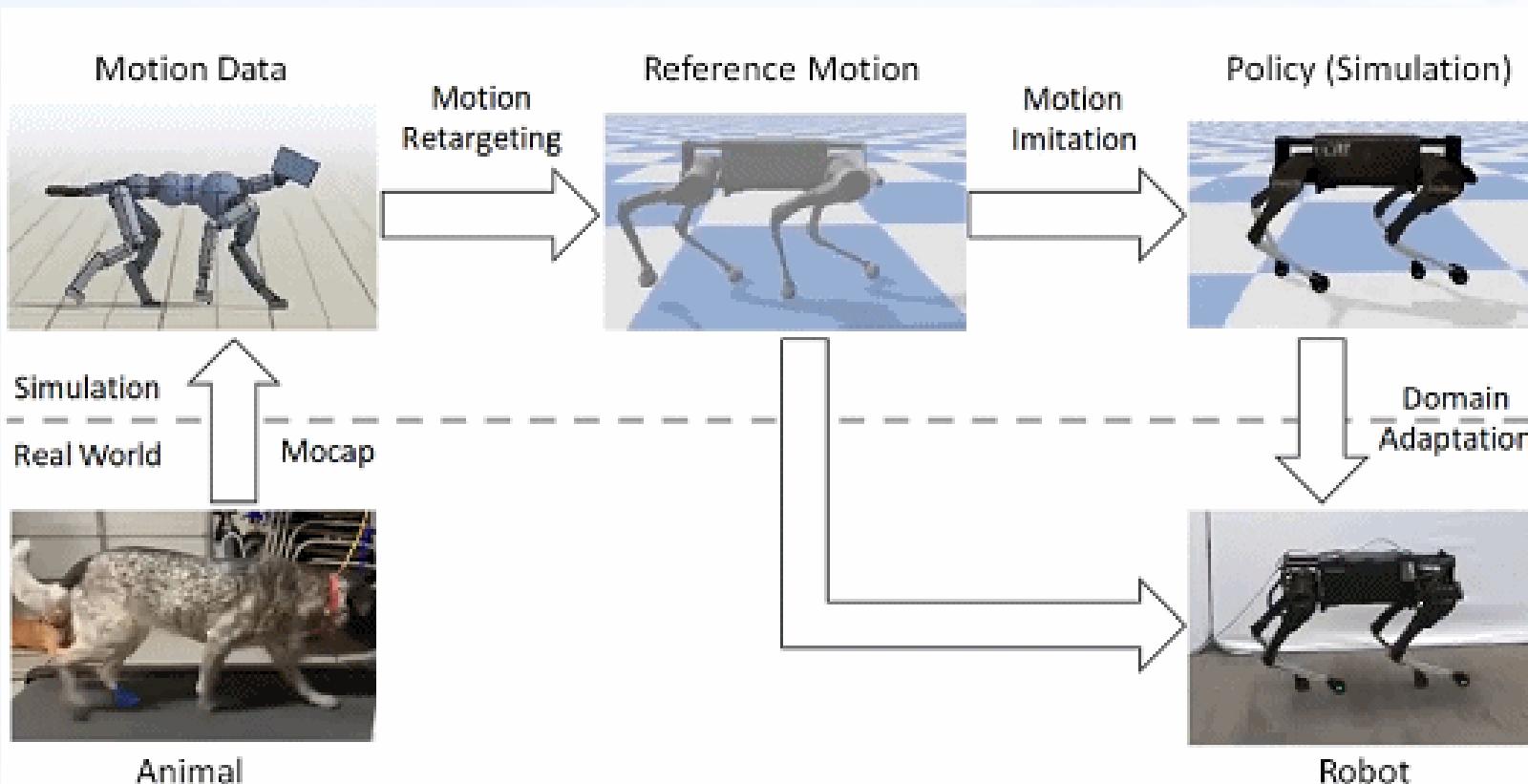
Rewards

Humanoid $r = \min(v_x, v_{\max}) - 0.005(v_x^2 + v_y^2) - 0.05y^2 - 0.02\|u\|^2 + 0.02$ where v_{\max} is a cutoff for the velocity reward which we usually set to 4m/s.

Reward for forward velocity

Energy punishment

Imitation learning → Follow a given reference motion



Reward Function.

$$r_t = w^p r_t^p + w^v r_t^v + w^e r_t^e + w^{rp} r_t^{rp} + w^{rv} r_t^{rv}$$

$$r_t^p = \exp \left[-5 \sum_j \|\hat{\mathbf{q}}_t^j - \mathbf{q}_t^j\|^2 \right]$$

$$r_t^v = \exp \left[-0.1 \sum_j \|\hat{\dot{\mathbf{q}}}_t^j - \dot{\mathbf{q}}_t^j\|^2 \right]$$

$$r_t^e = \exp \left[-40 \sum_e \|\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t^e - \mathbf{x}_t^e\|^2 \right]$$

$$r_t^{rp} = \exp \left[-20 \|\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t^{\text{root}} - \mathbf{x}_t^{\text{root}}\|^2 - 10 \|\hat{\mathbf{q}}_t^{\text{root}} - \mathbf{q}_t^{\text{root}}\|^2 \right]$$

$$r_t^{rv} = \exp \left[-2 \|\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t^{\text{root}} - \mathbf{x}_t^{\text{root}}\|^2 - 0.2 \|\hat{\dot{\mathbf{q}}}_t^{\text{root}} - \dot{\mathbf{q}}_t^{\text{root}}\|^2 \right]$$

Mimic reward for trajectory tracking



Yann LeCun ✅ ∞

@ylecun

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Indeed, I do favor MPC over RL.

I've been making that point since at least 2016.

RL requires ridiculously large numbers of trials to learn any new task.

In contrast MPC is zero shot: If you have a good world model and a good task objective, MPC can solve new tasks without any task-specific learning.

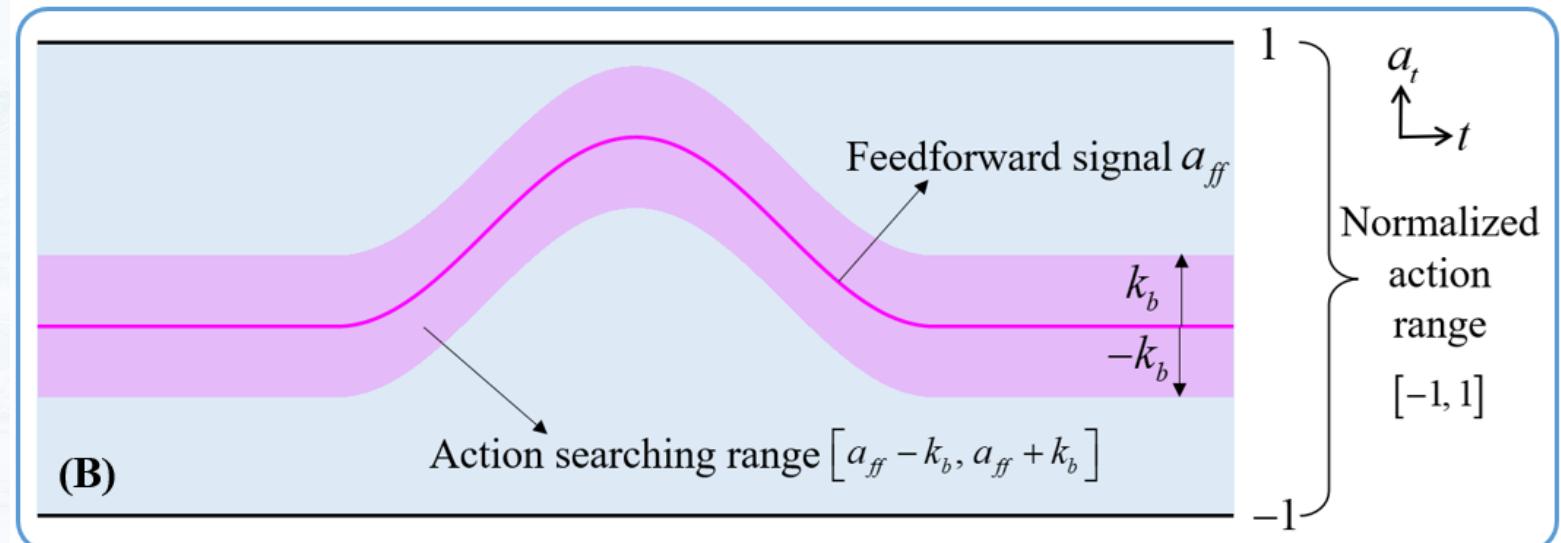
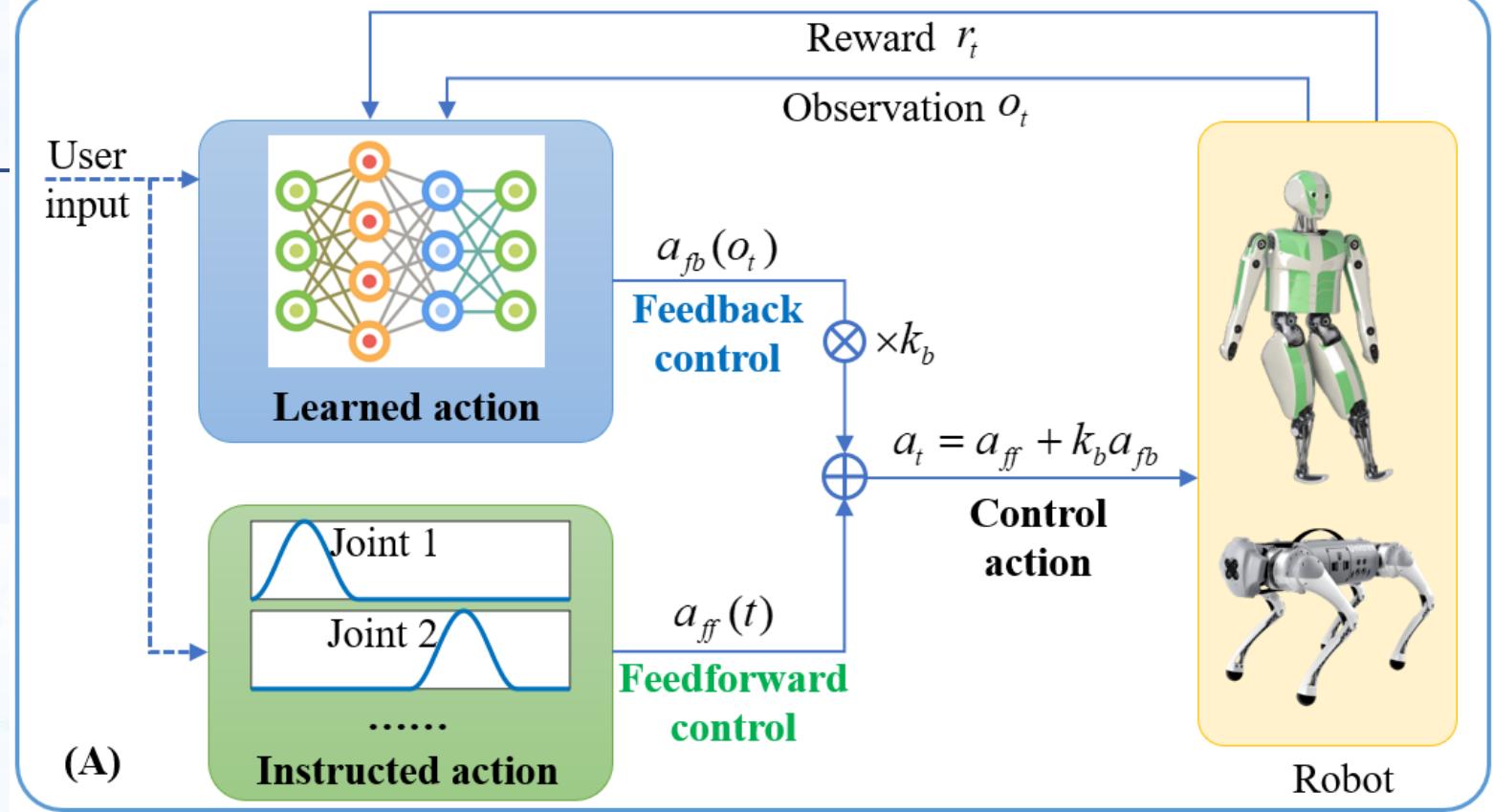
That's the magic of planning.

It doesn't mean that RL is useless, but its use should be a last resort.

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Instruction Learning Framework

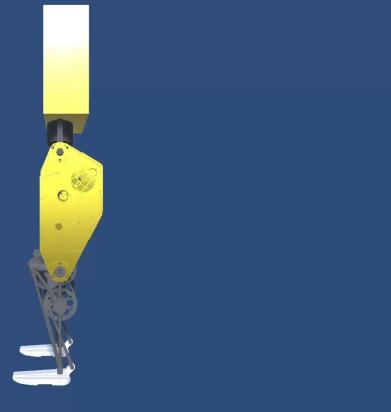
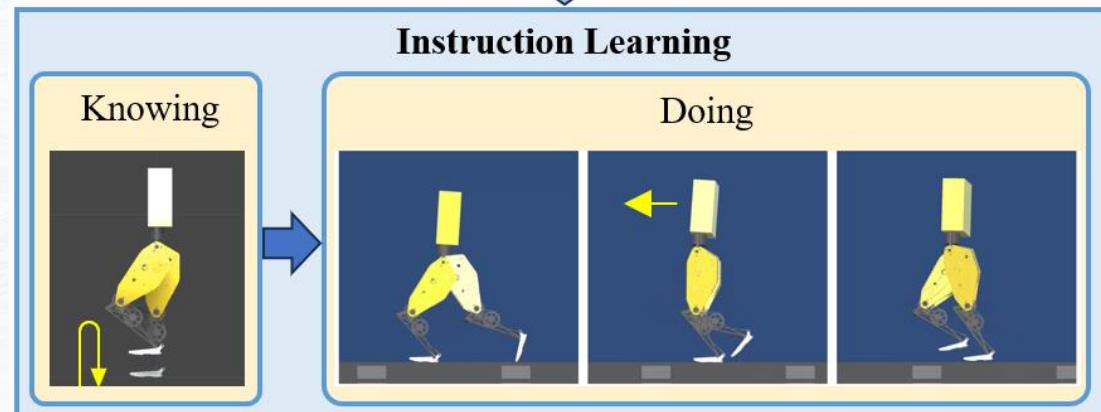
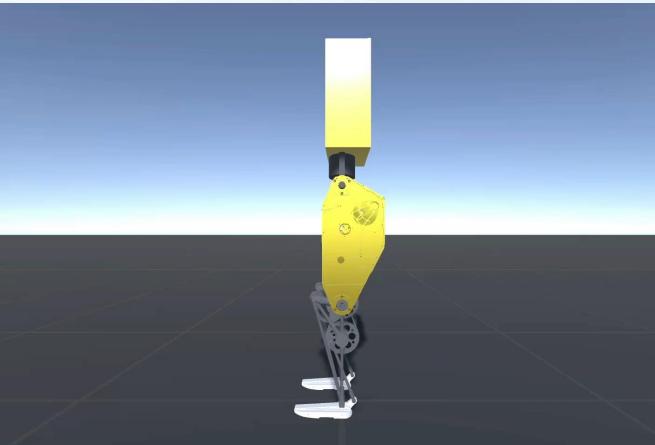
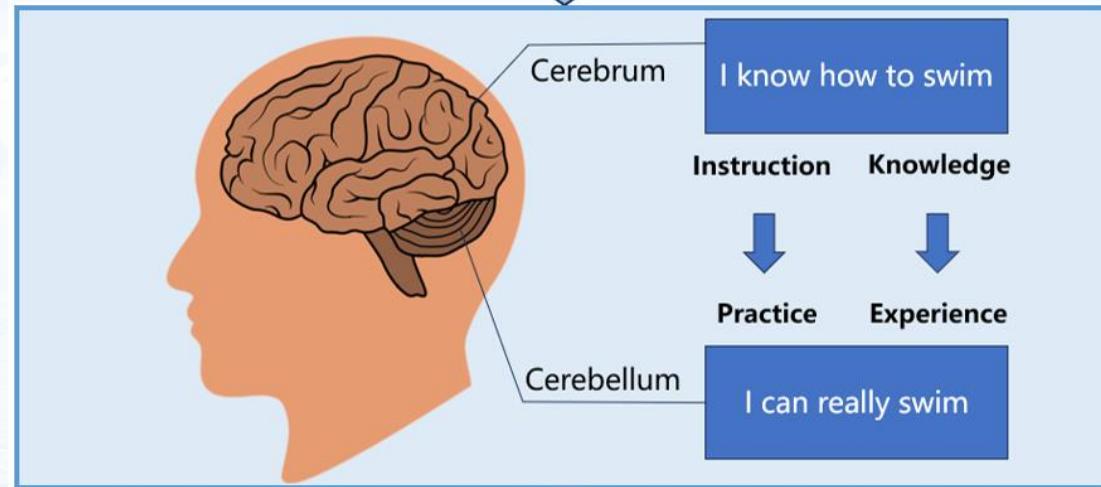
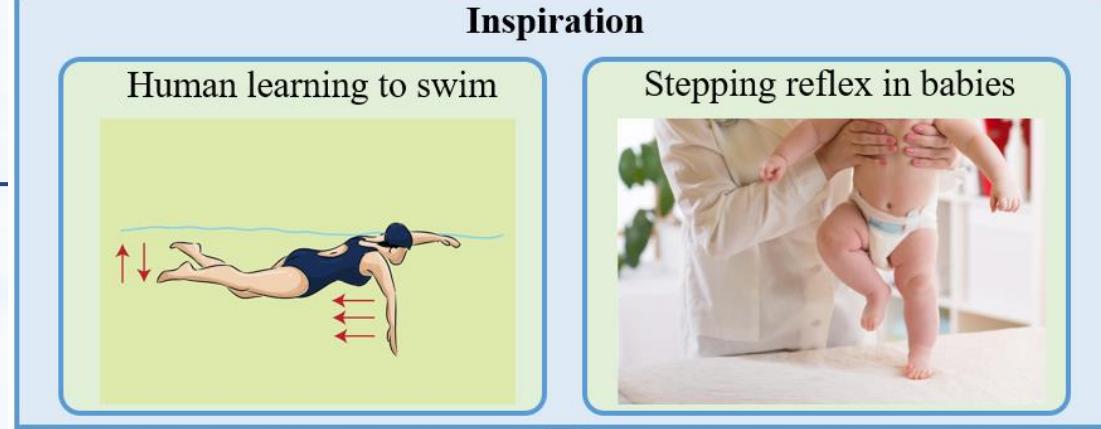
Action Bounding Technique



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Inspiration from human learning

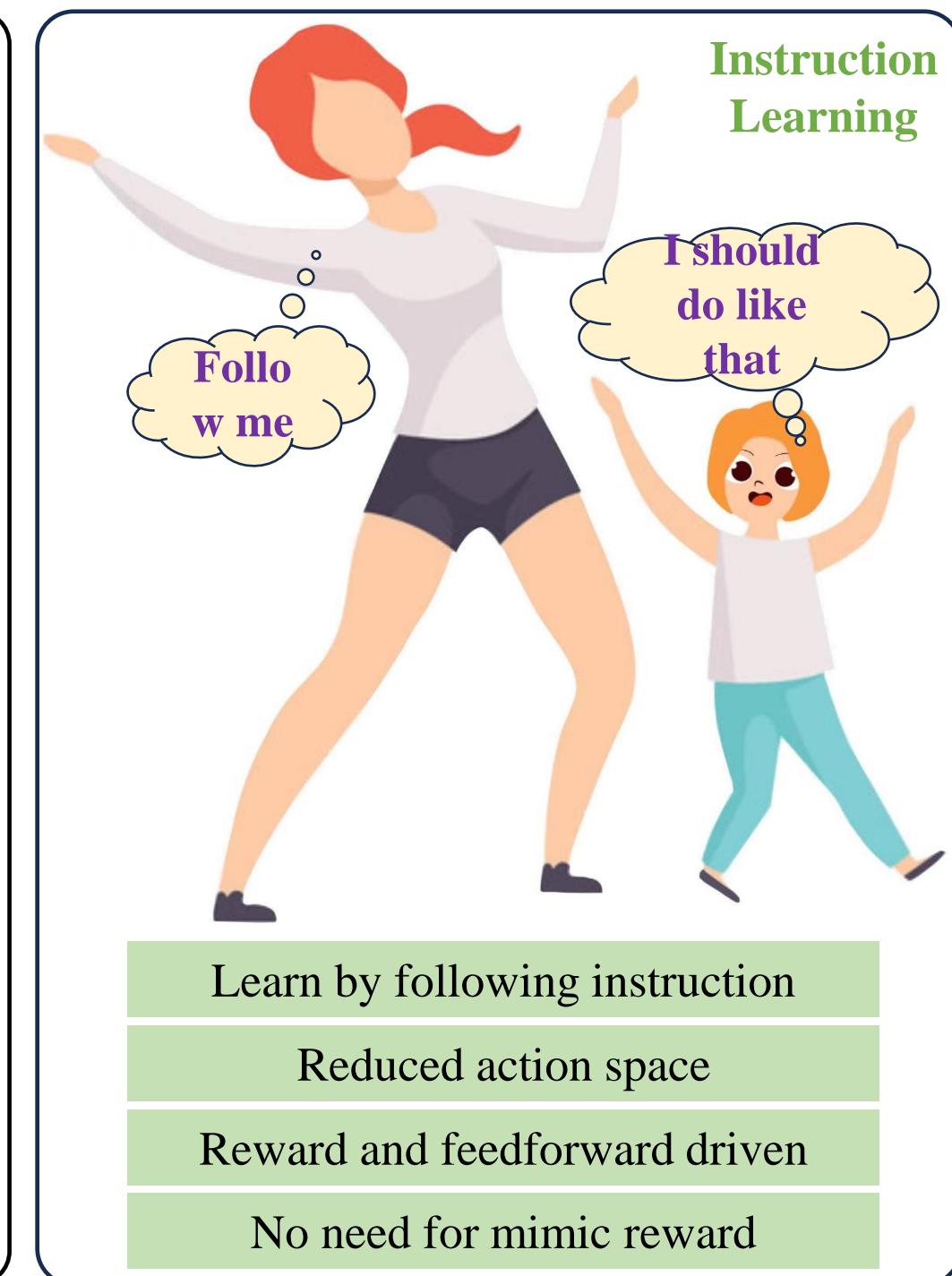
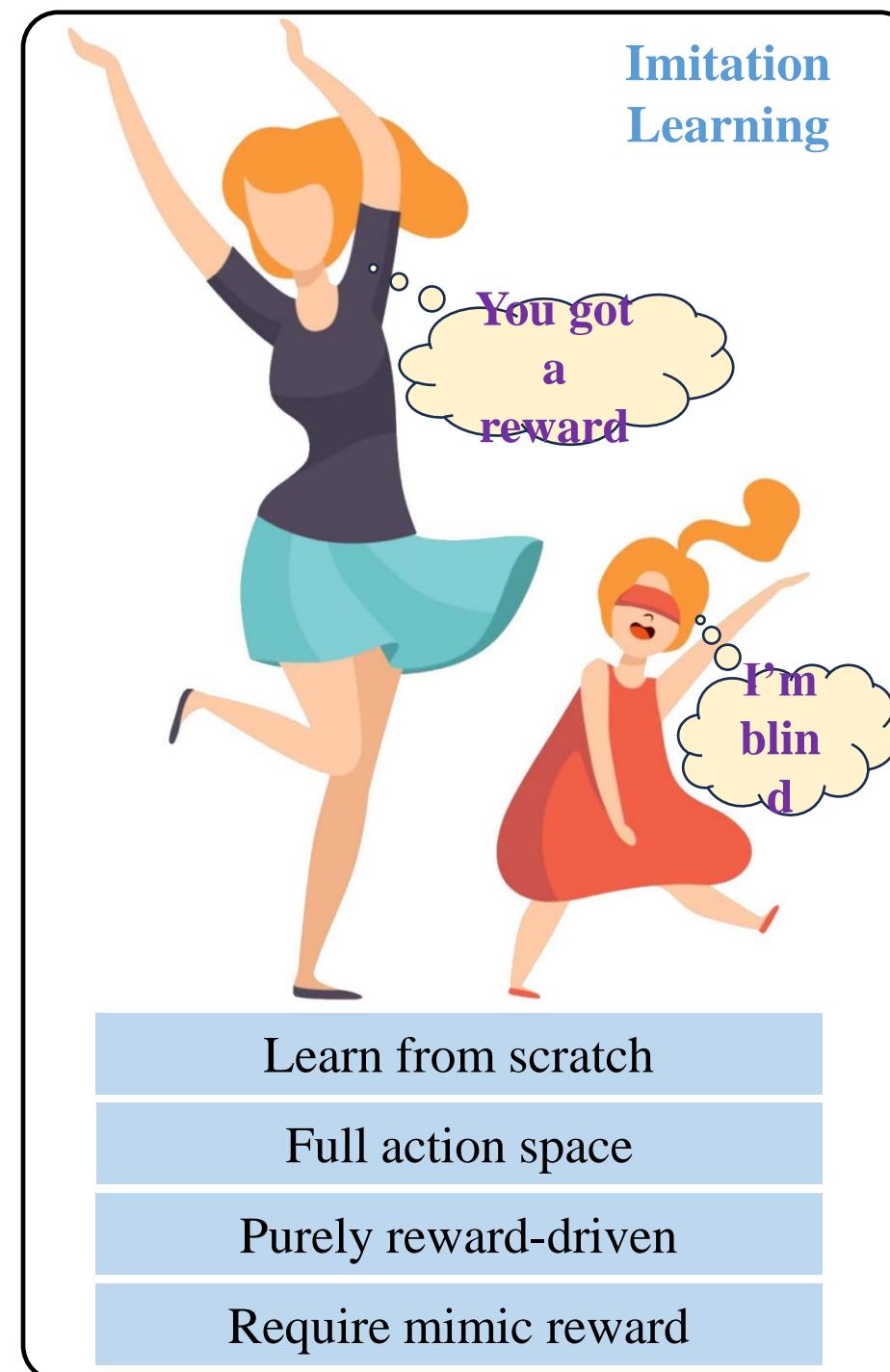


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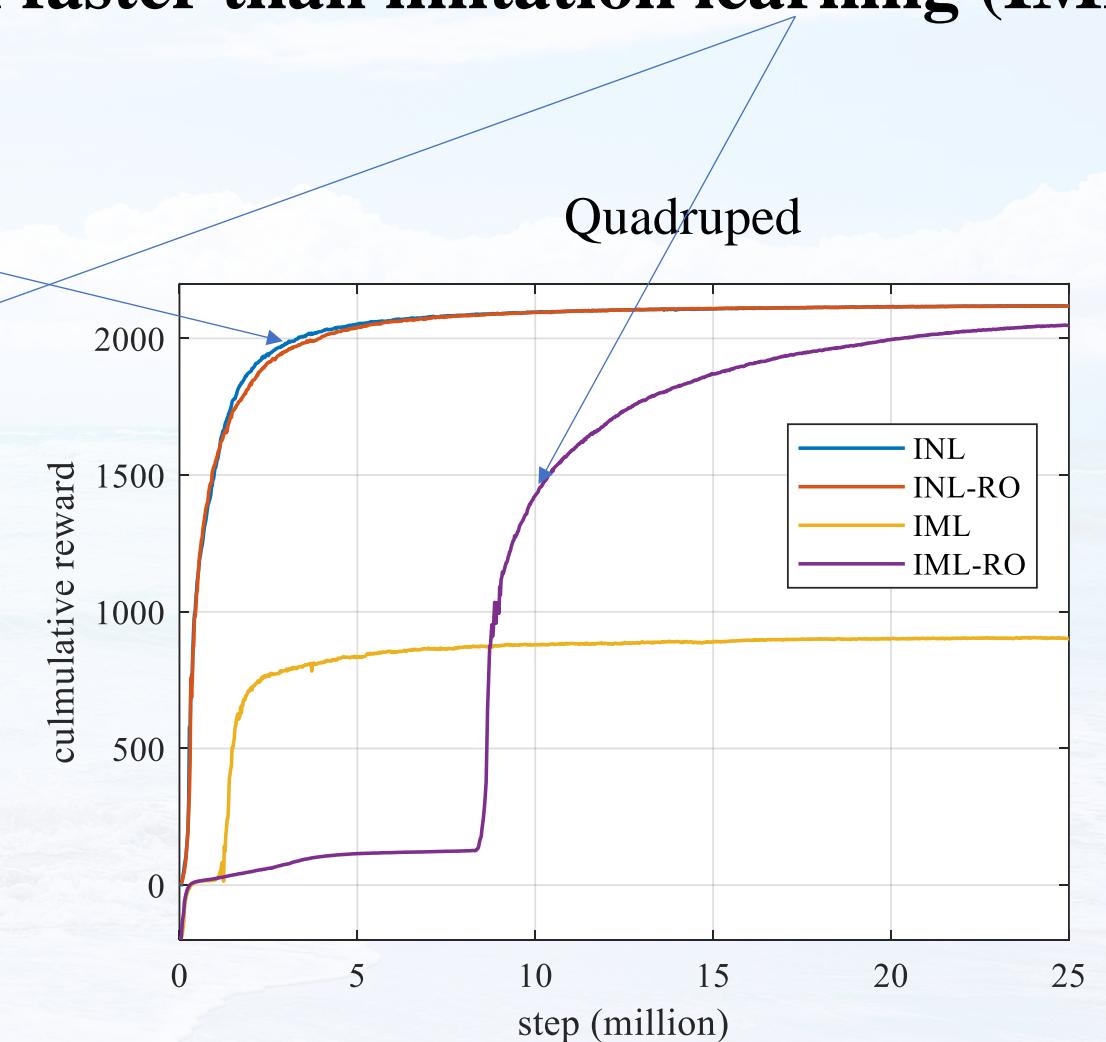
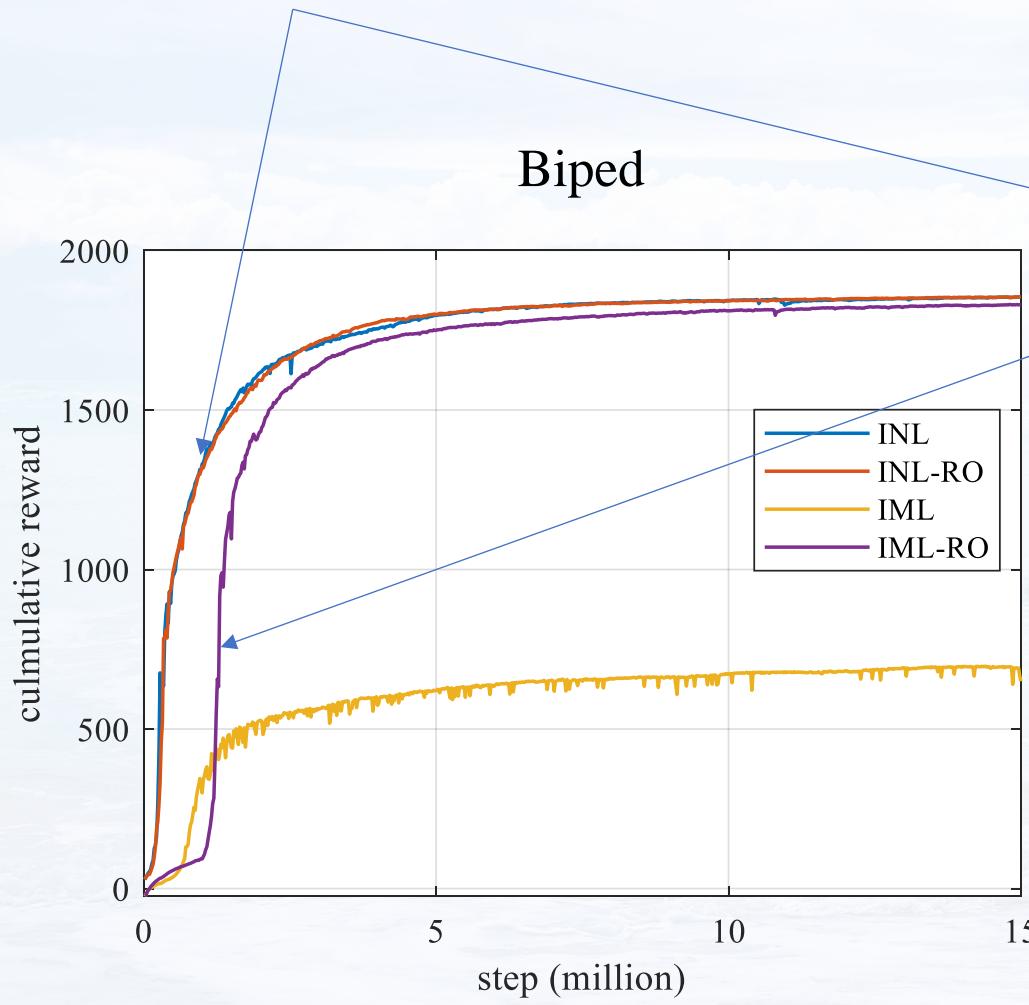
Imitation Learning

vs.

Instruction Learning



Instruction learning (INL) learns much faster than imitation learning (IML)

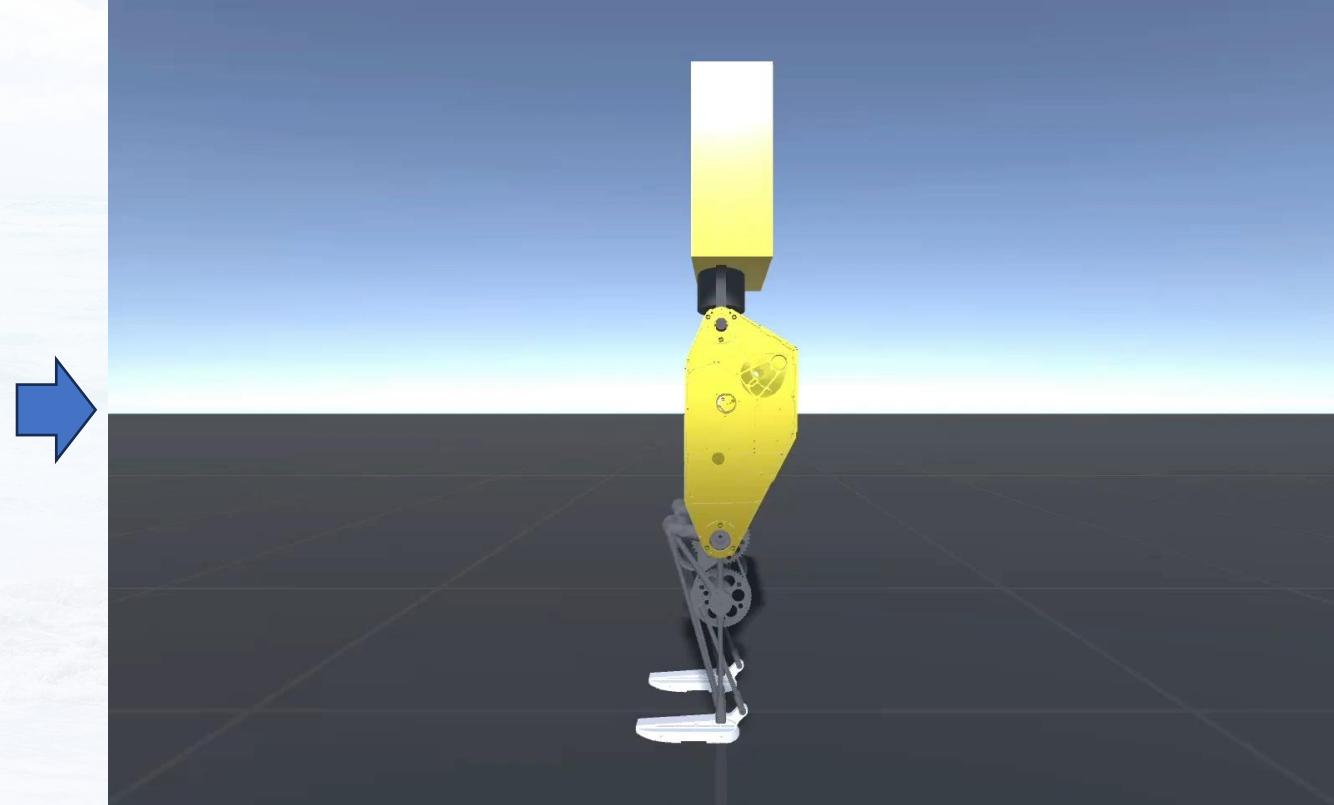


原地踏步

Feedforward action



Learned motion

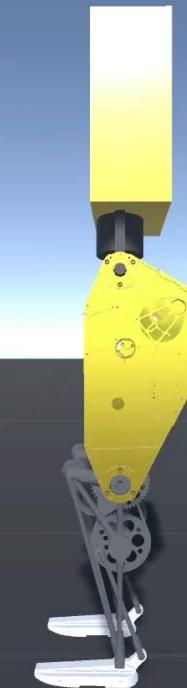


正常行走

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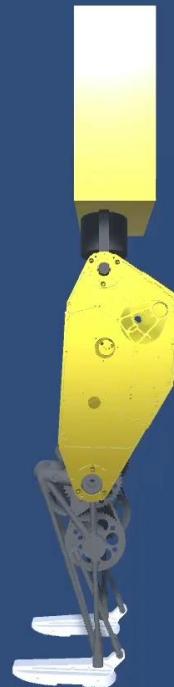
Learned motion





水平行走

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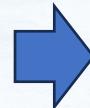


Learned motion



踢正步行走

Feedforward action



Learned motion

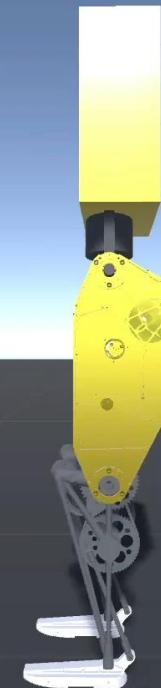


蛙跳

Feedforward action



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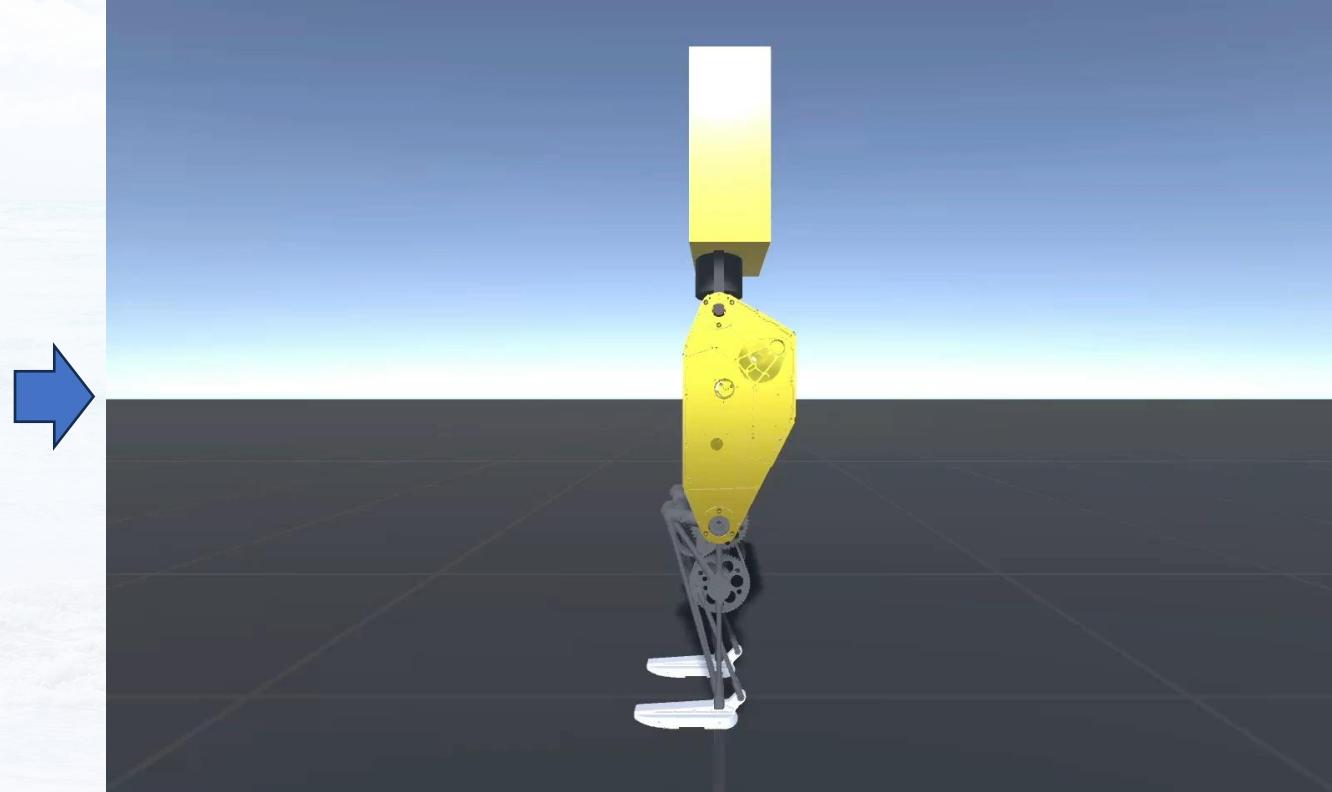


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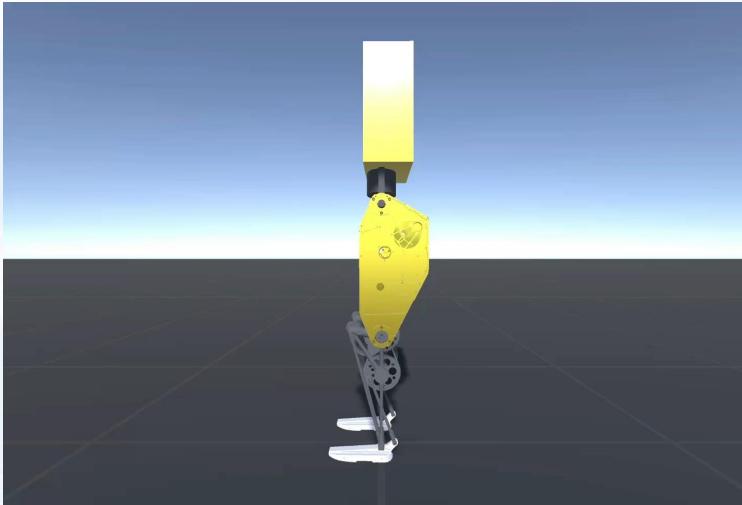
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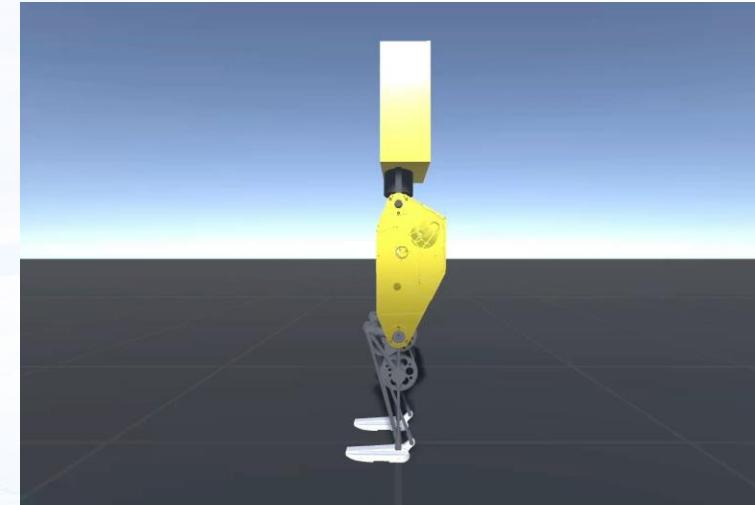
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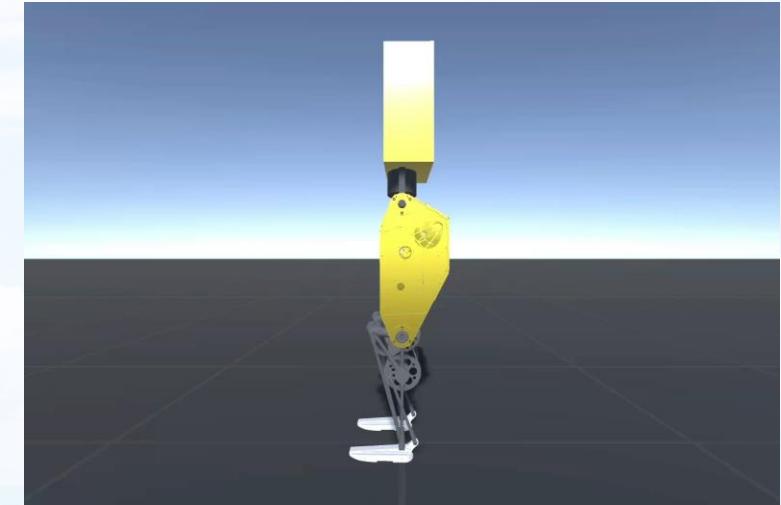
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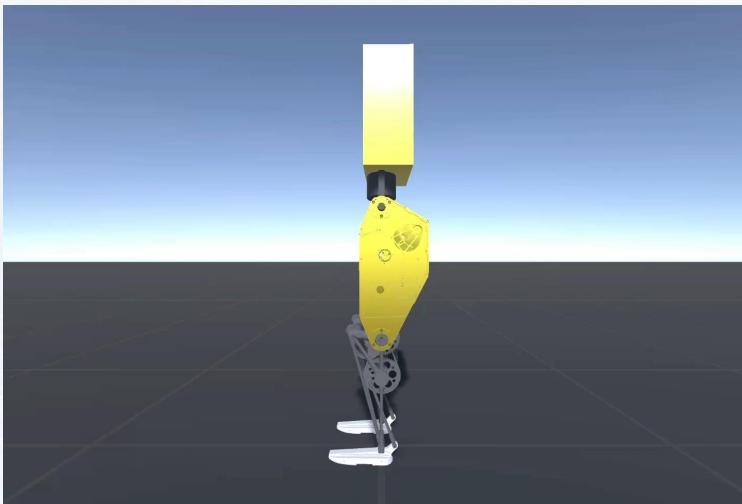
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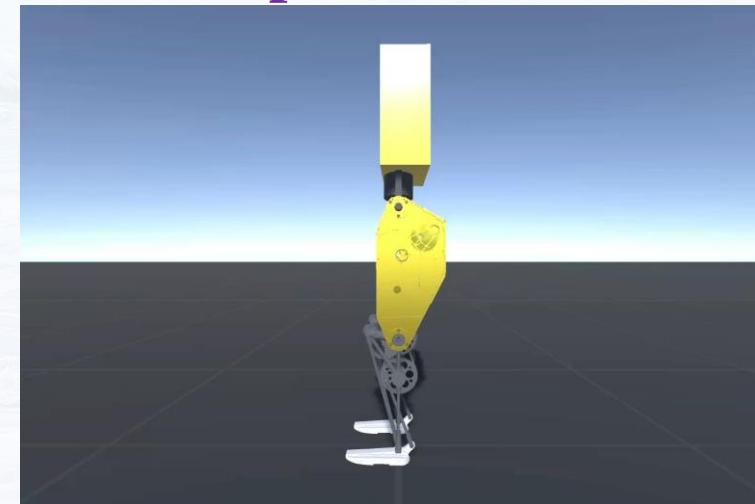
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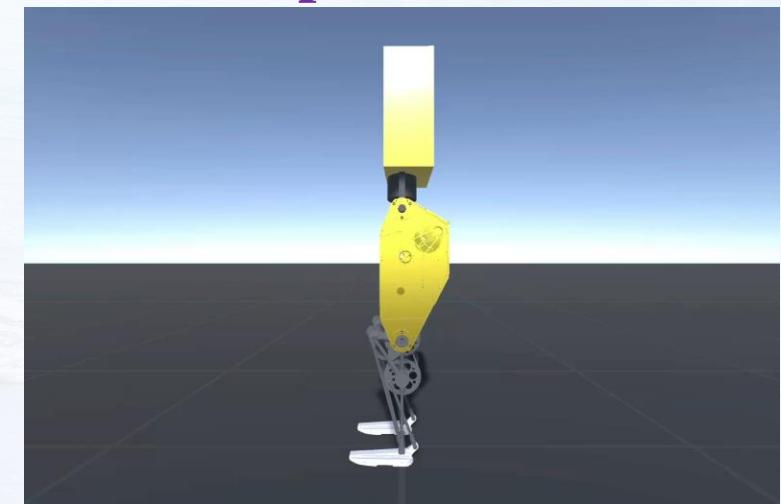
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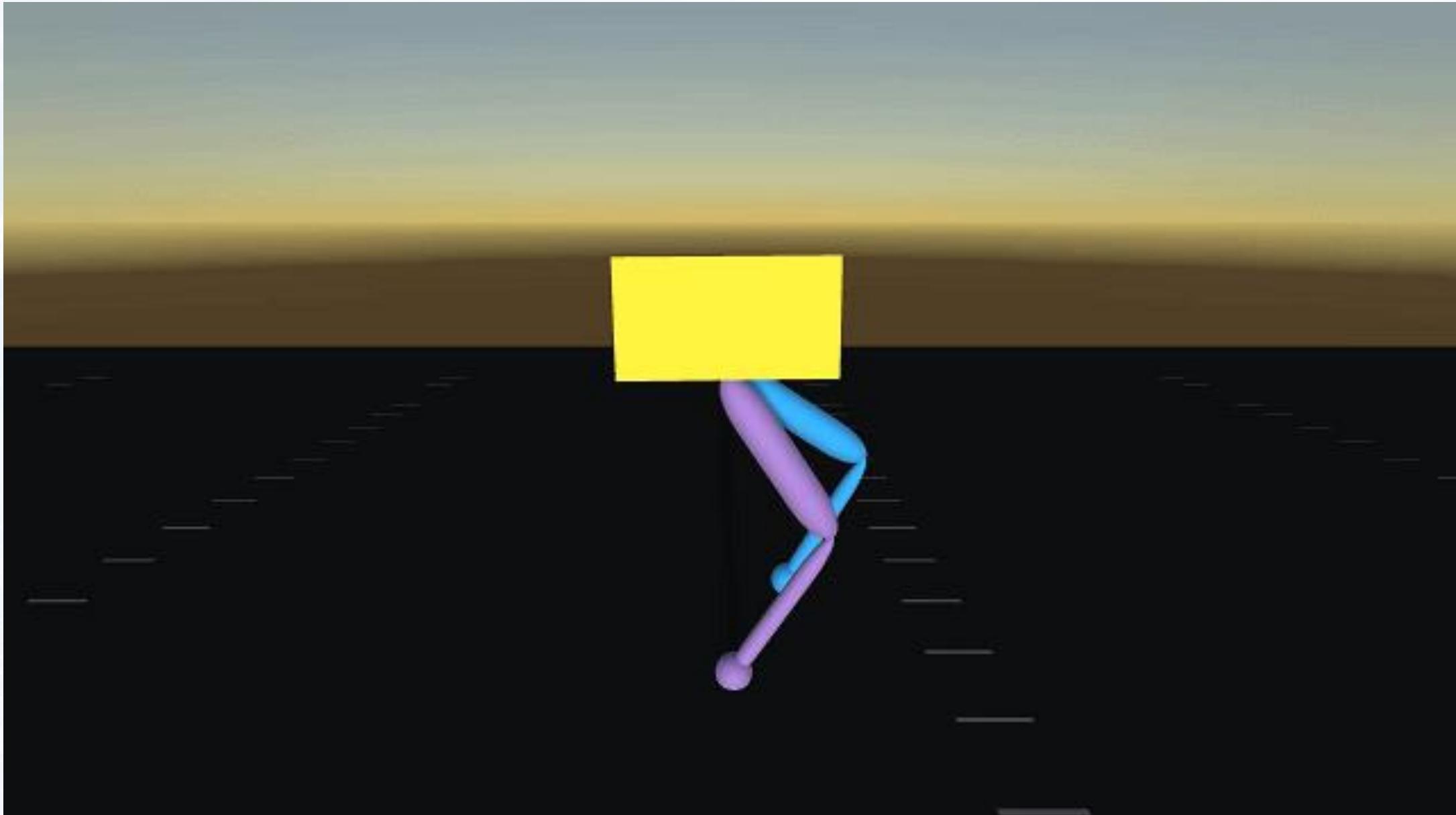


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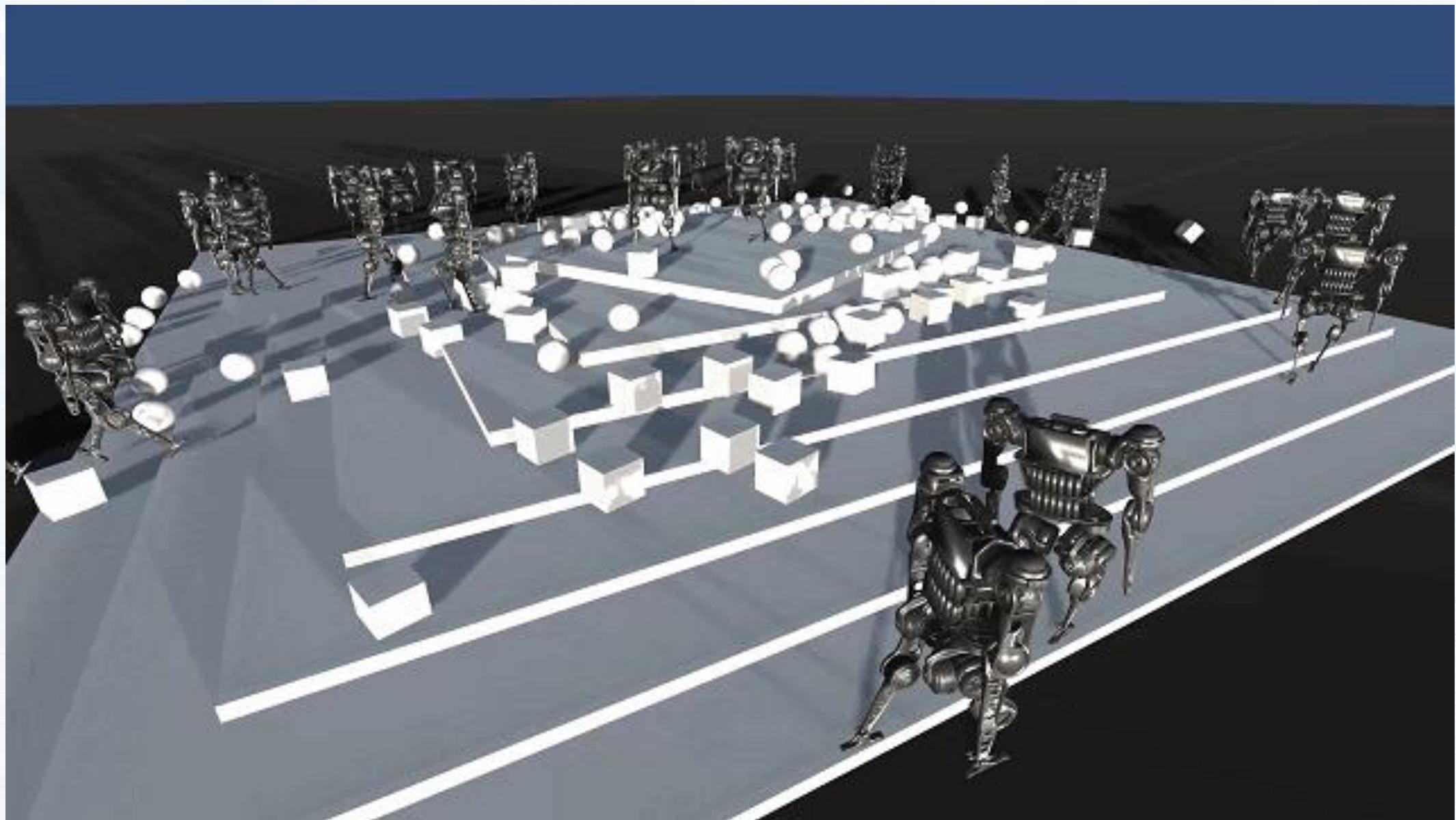


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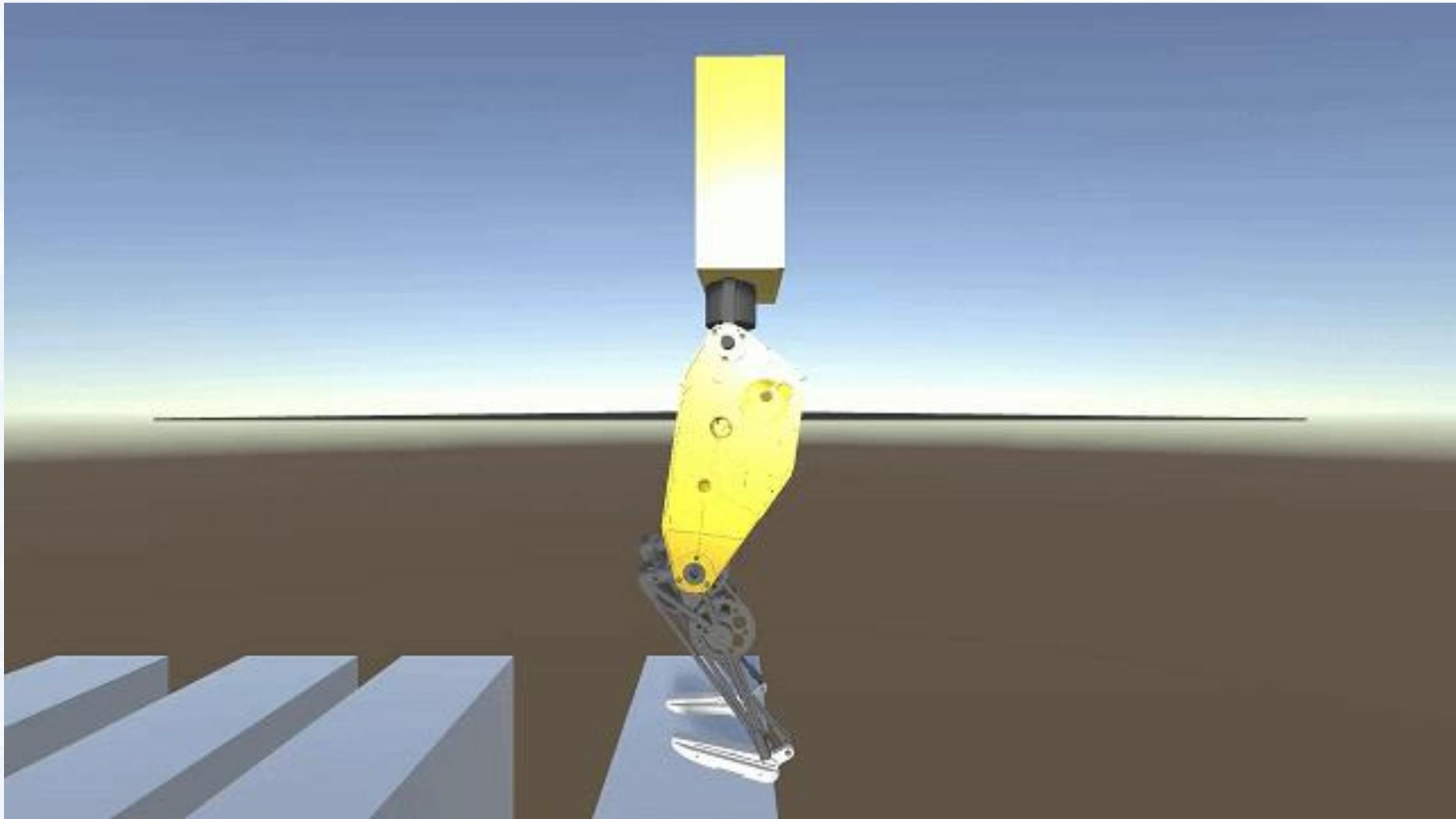


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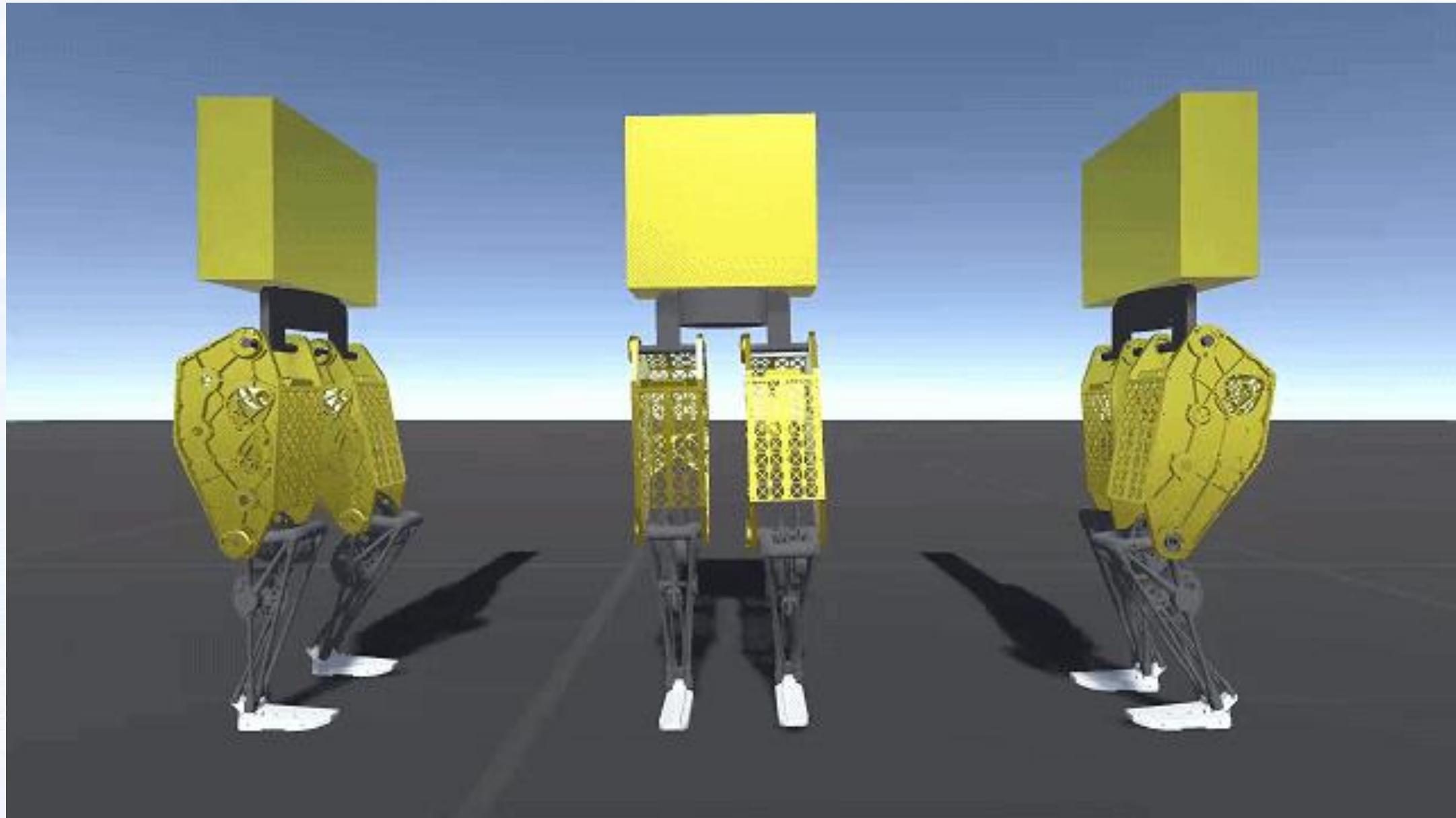




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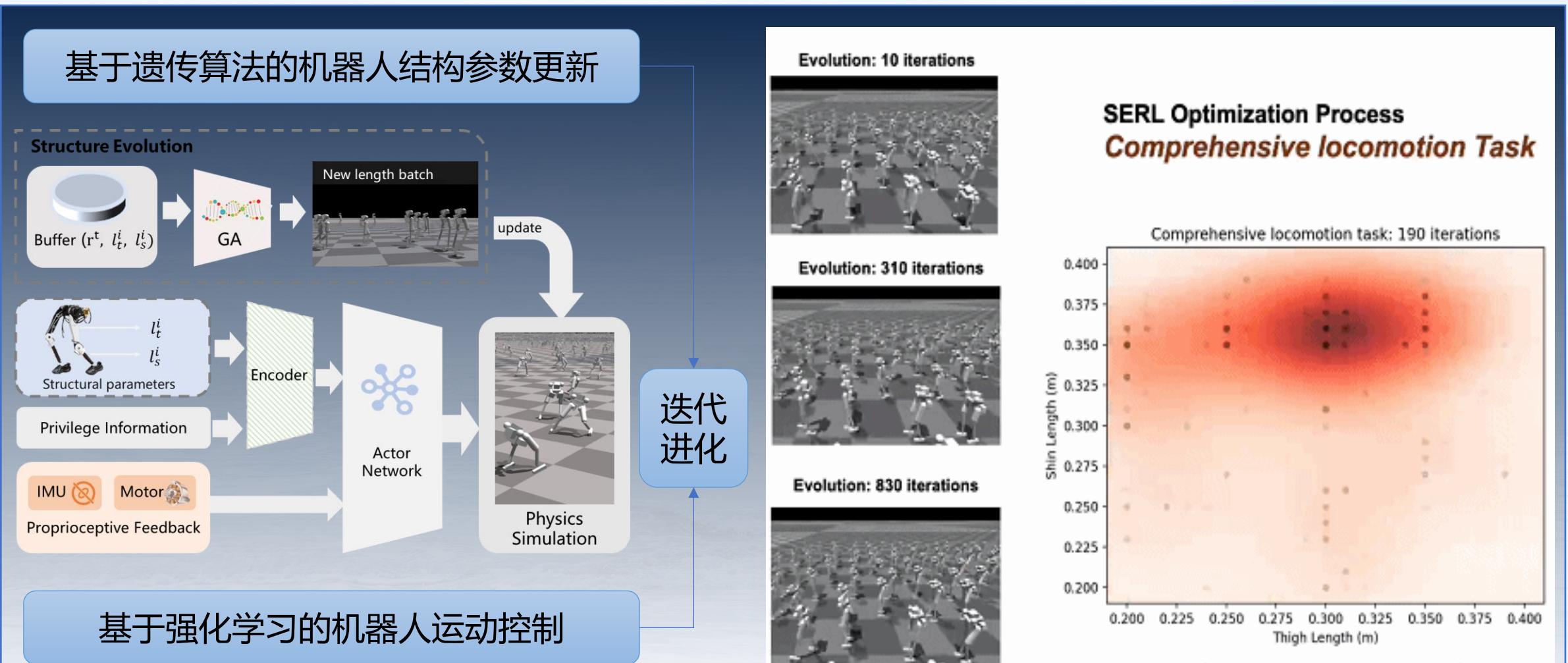


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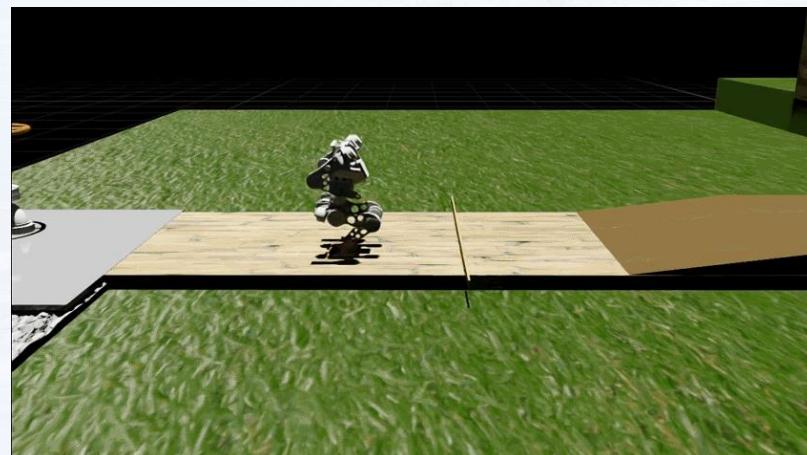
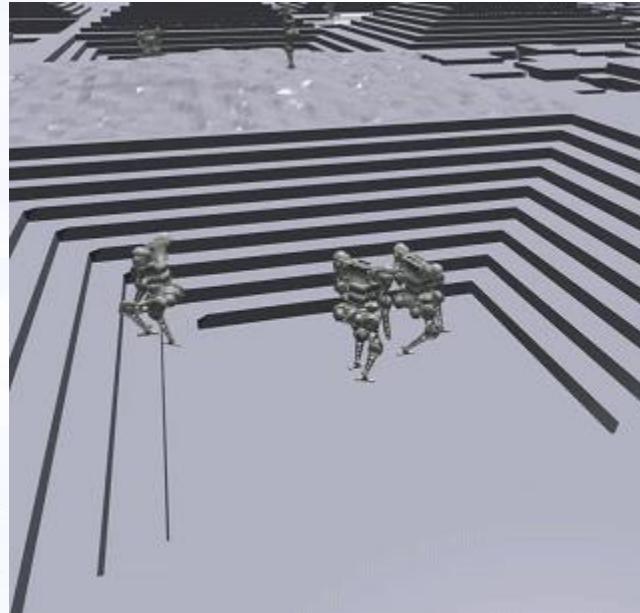




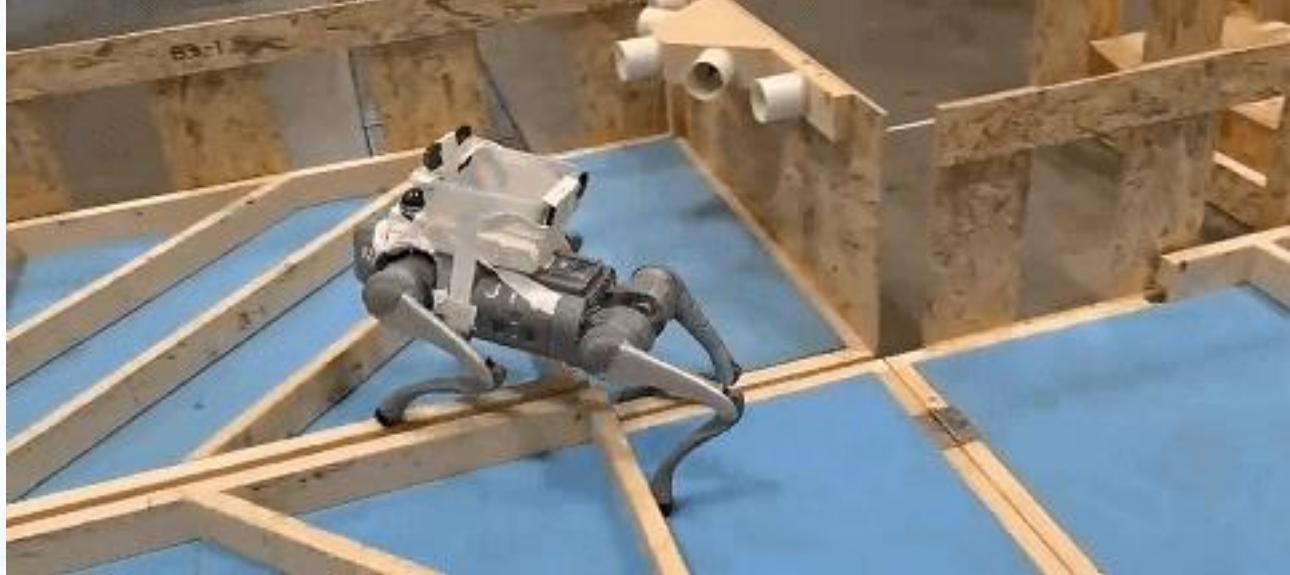
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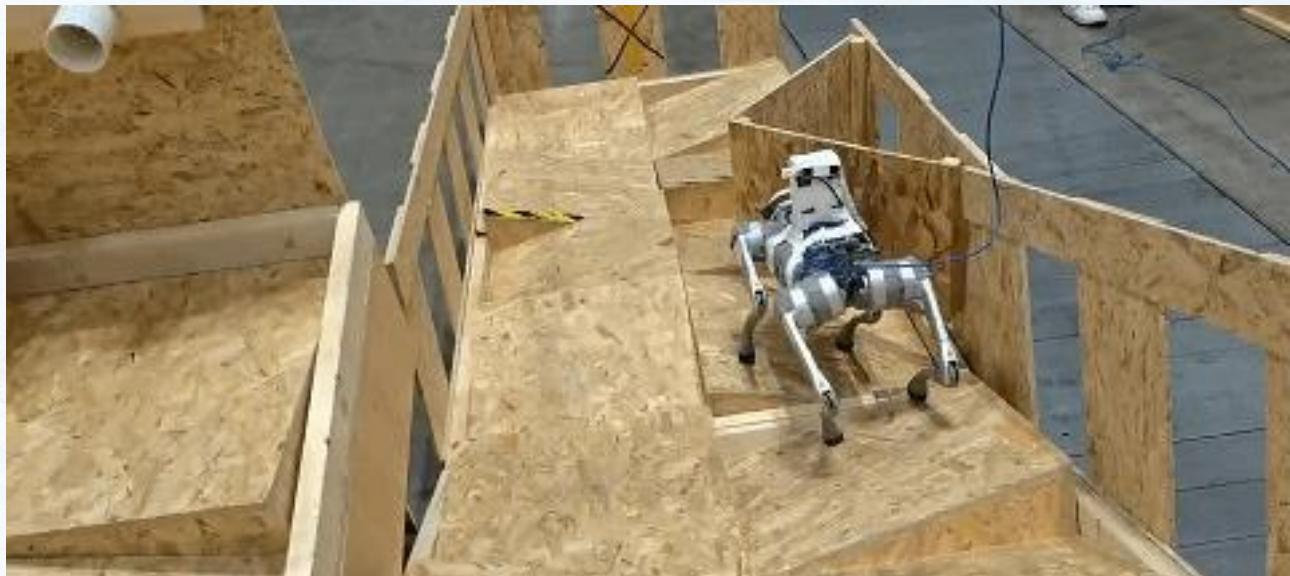
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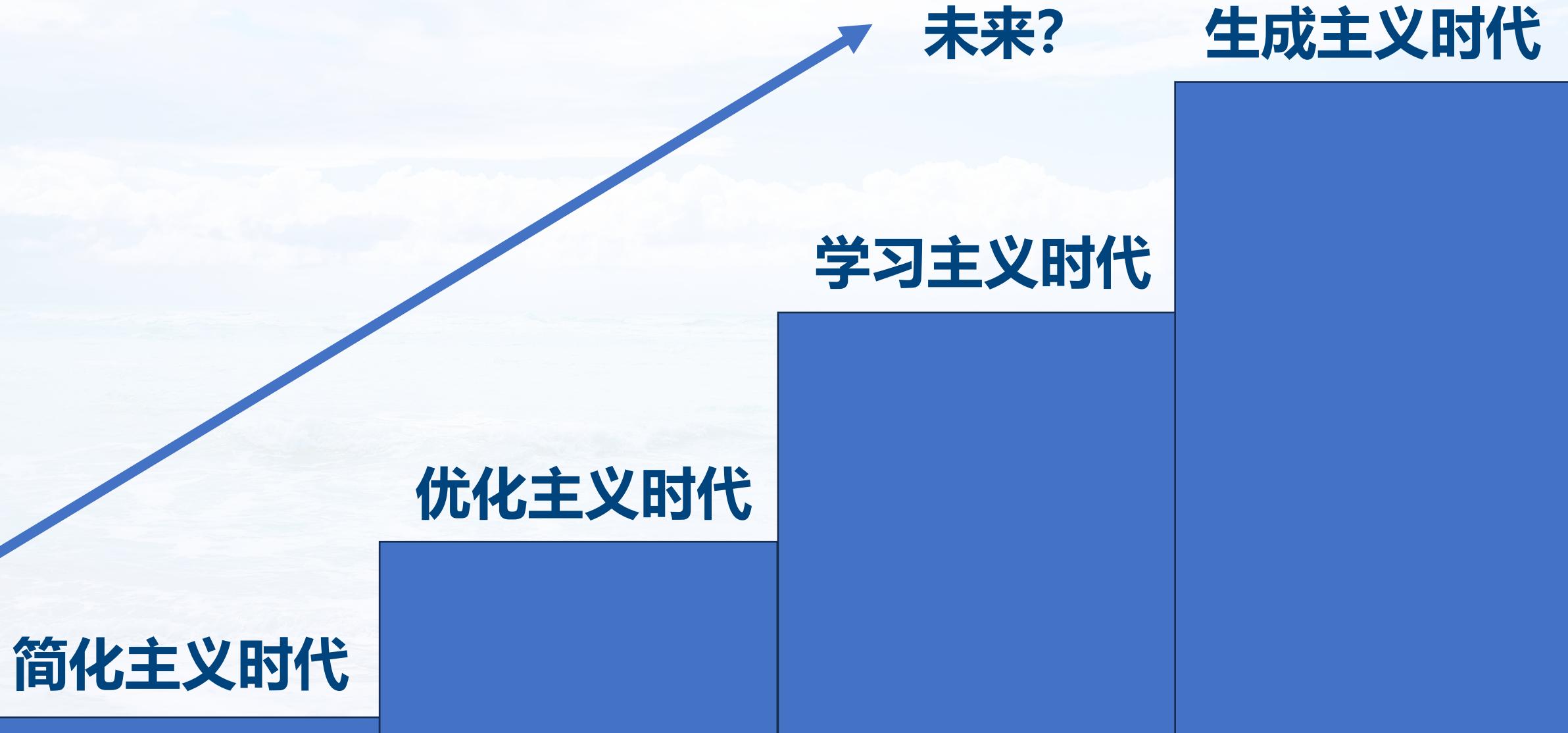
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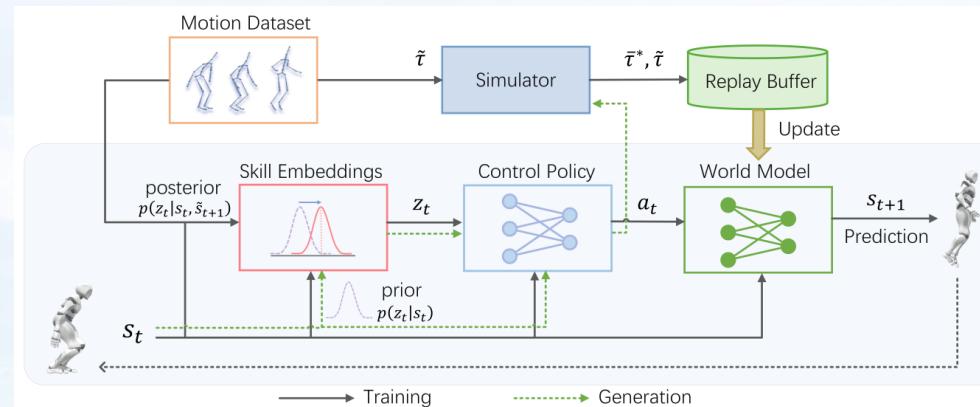
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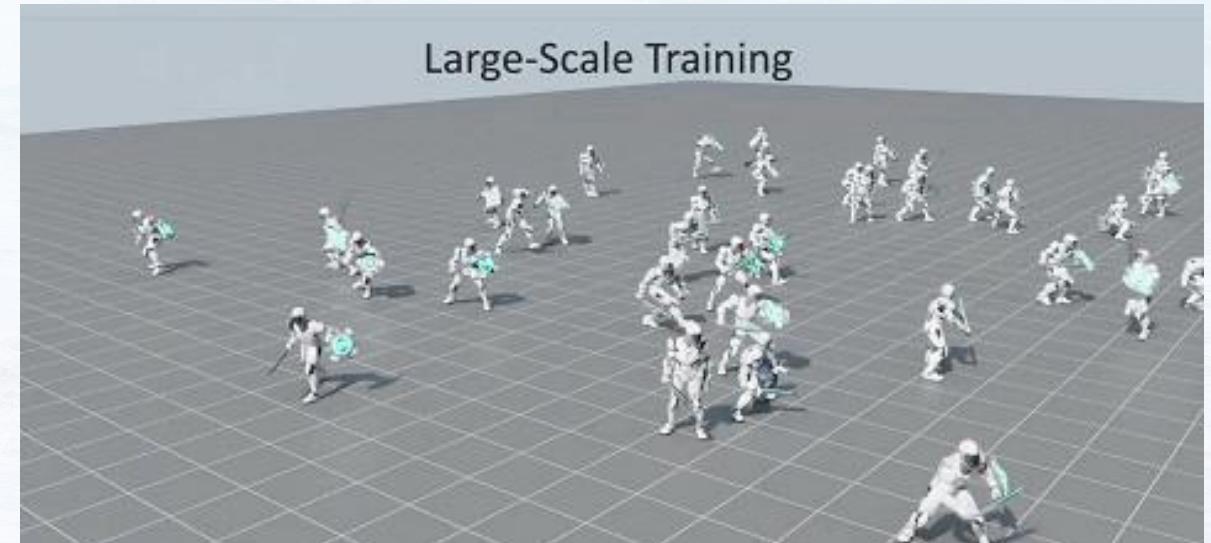
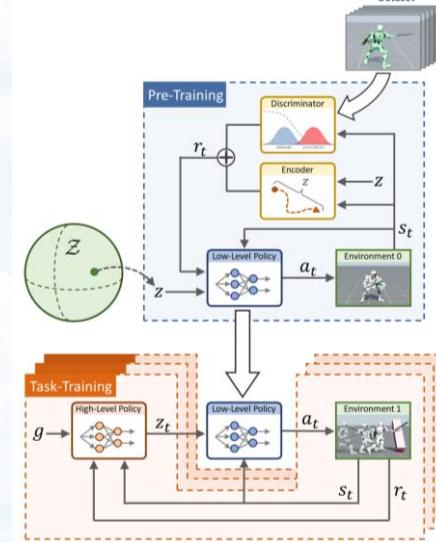
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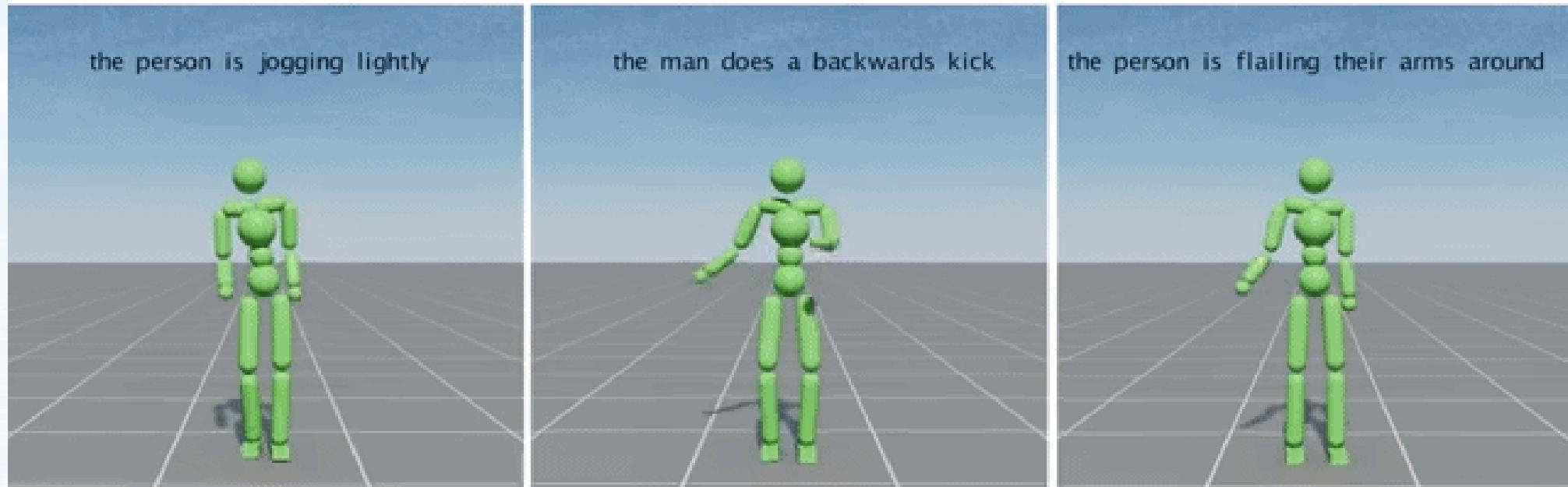
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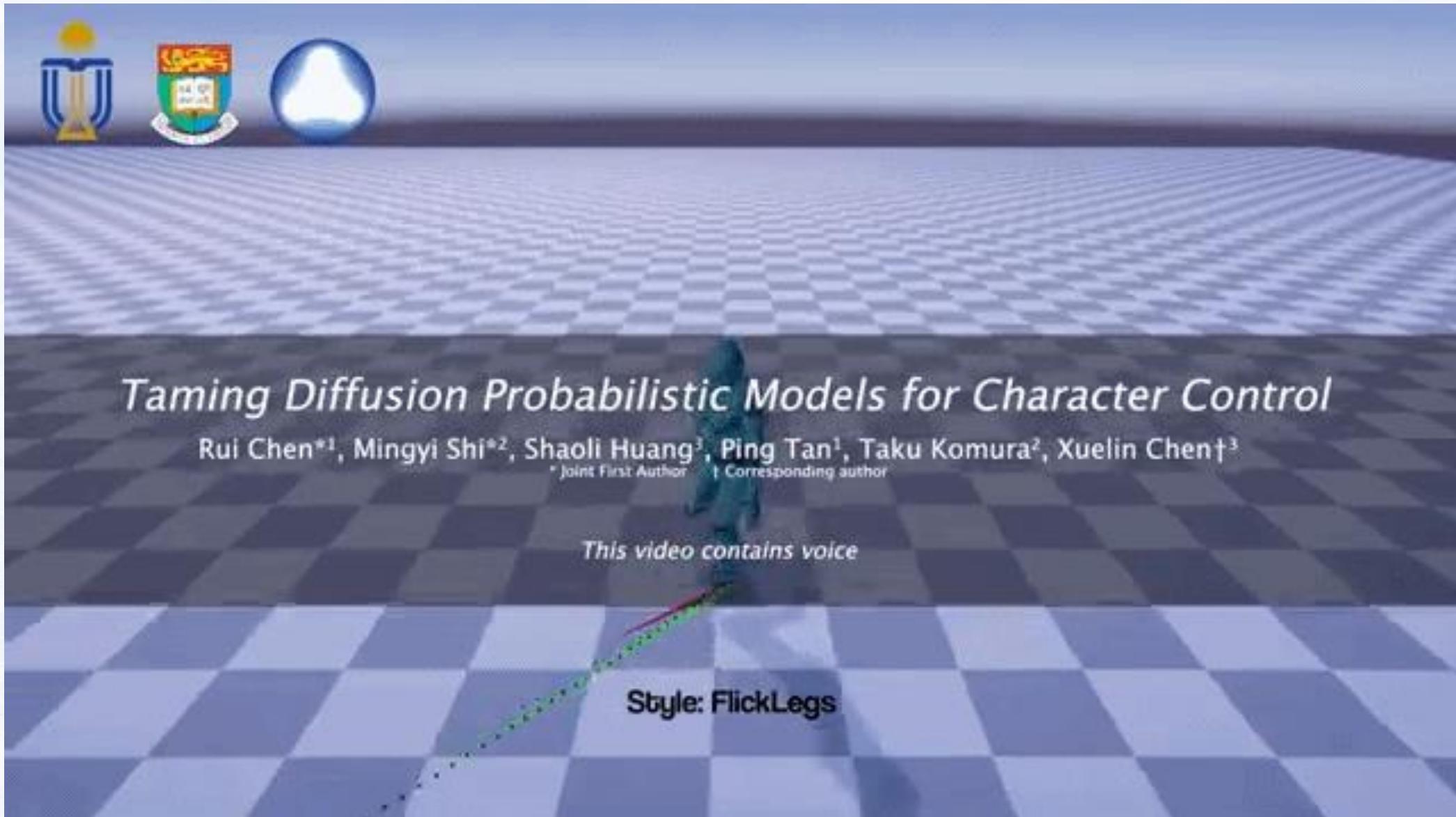


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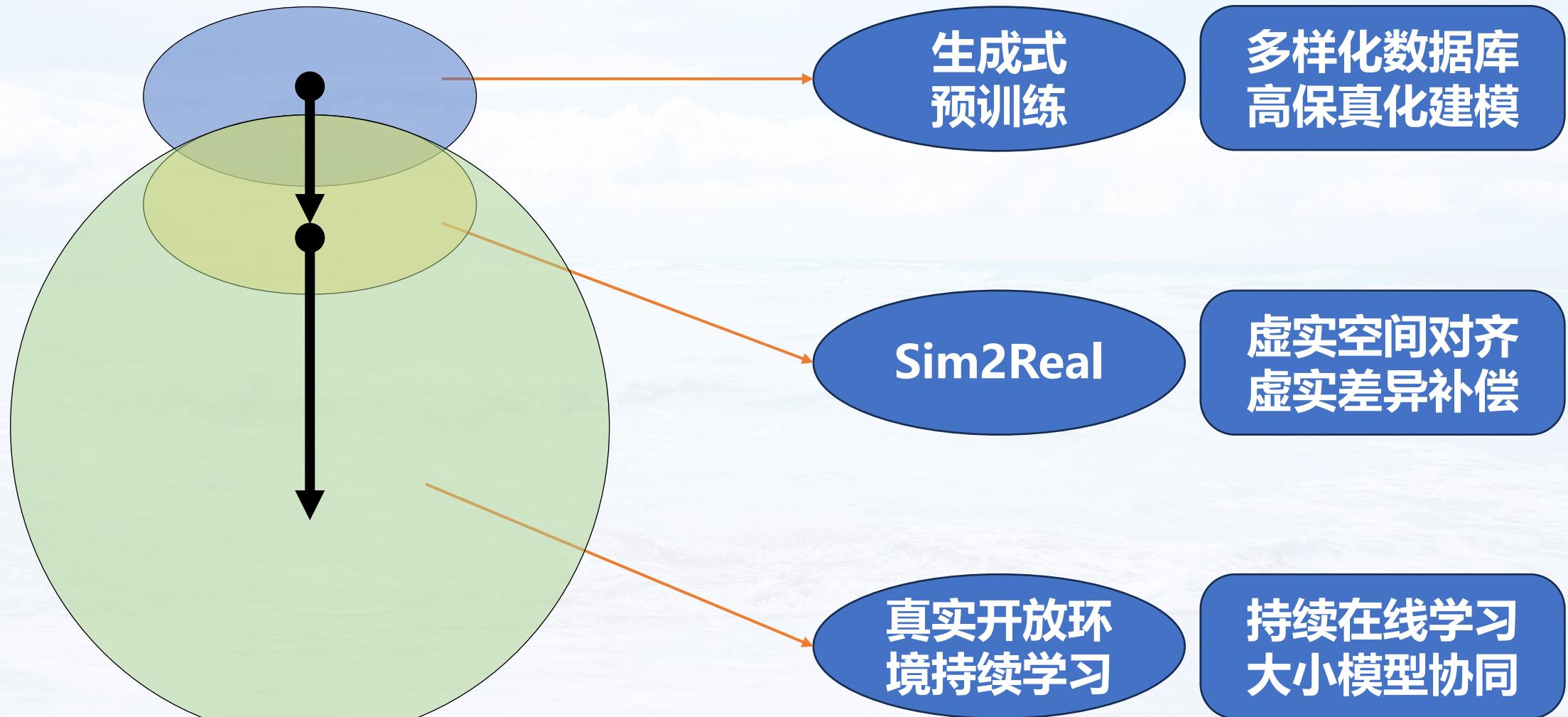


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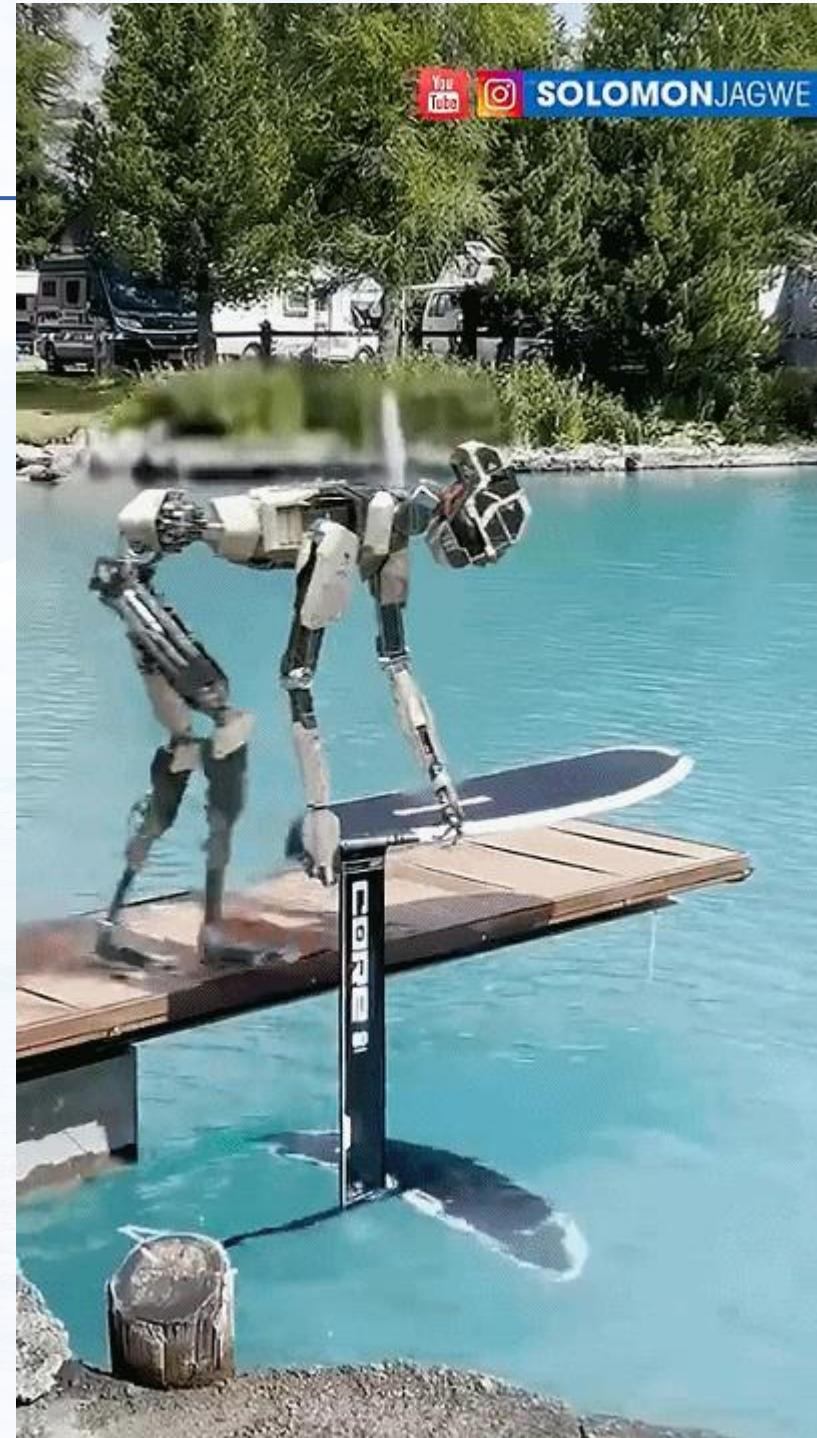
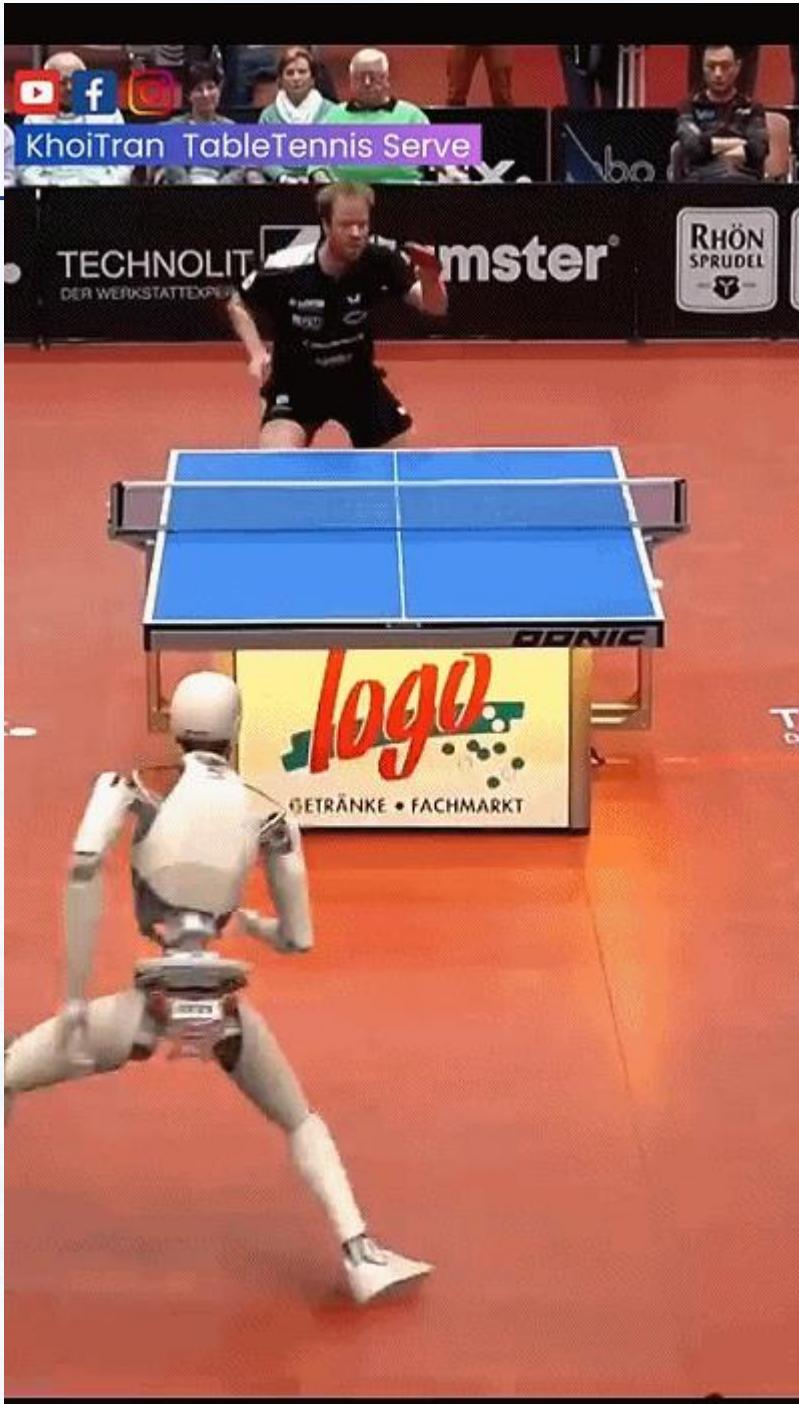




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