

# SHEEPDOG DRIVEN ALGORITHM FOR SHEEP HERD TRANSPORT

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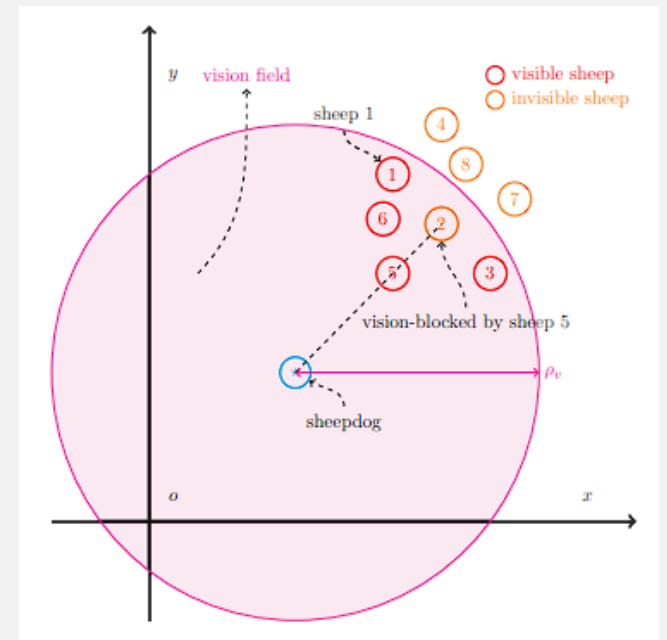
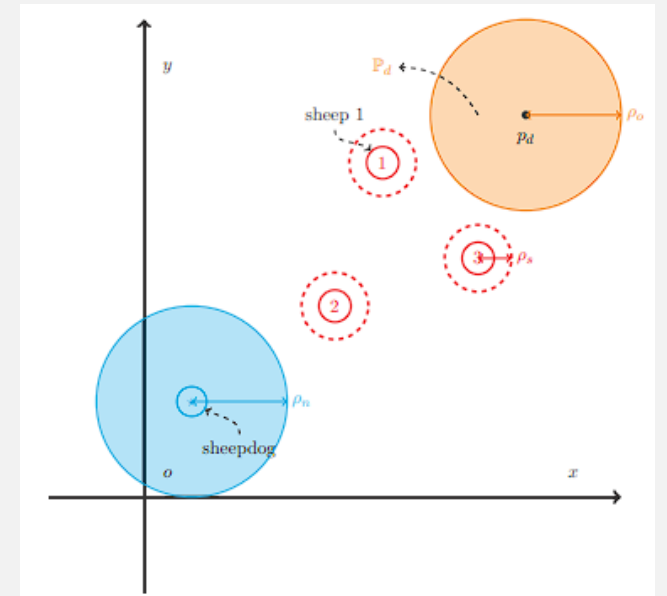


# INTRODUCTION

- Overview
- Motivation
  - Optimized navigation strategies
  - Multiple entity coordination
  - Robotics
- Plan
  - Analysis
  - Re-creation
  - Improvements/extensions

# METHODS

- Base shepherding model
  - Sheepdog
  - Sheep
  - Sheepfold
  - Vision blocking
  - Goal



### Algorithm 1 Sheepdog Driven Algorithm

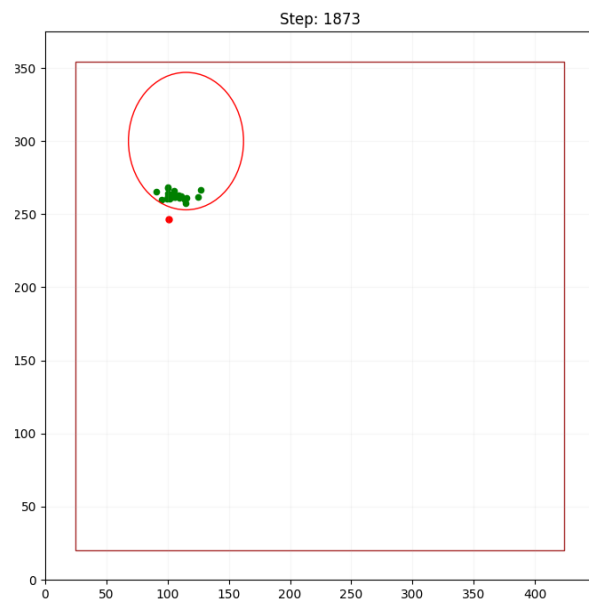
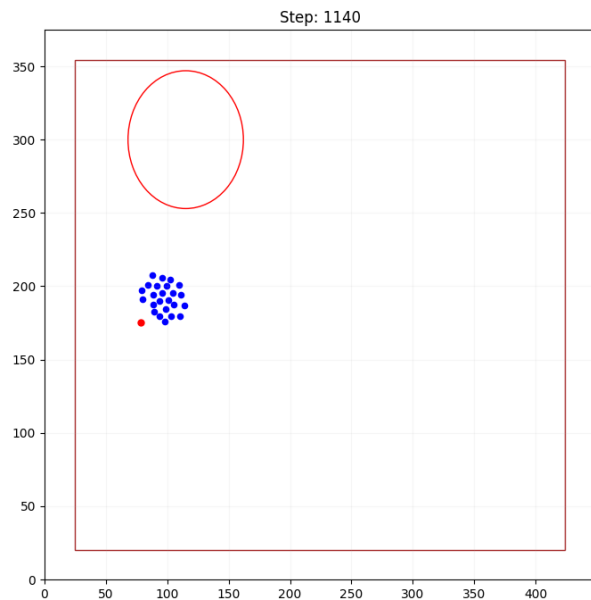
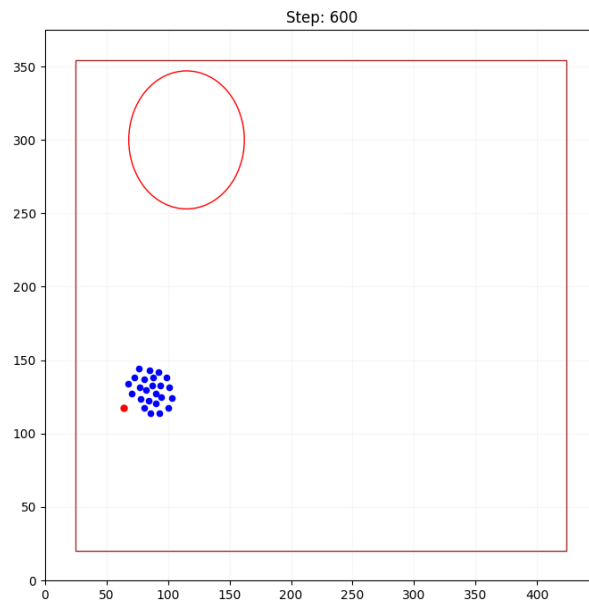
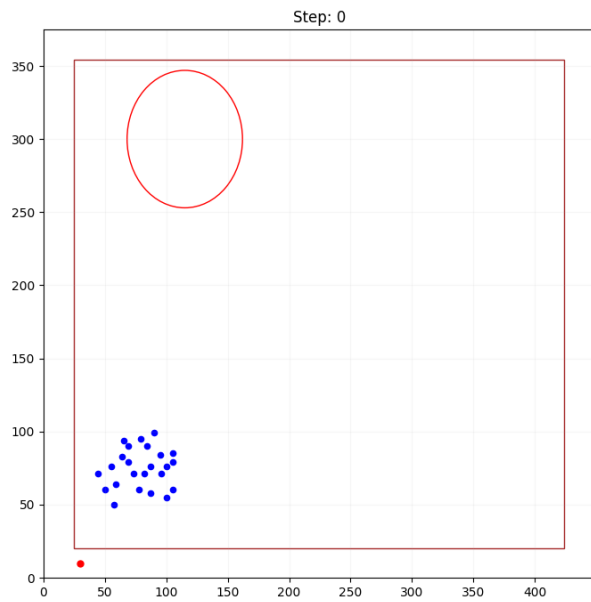
**Input:**  $p_1(t), \dots, p_n(t), q(t), \lambda(k)$ .

**Output:**  $u(k)$ .

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1: Set  $\varpi = 0$ .
2: for ( $i = 1, i \leq N, i = i + 1$ ) do
3:   if  $d(p_i(t), \mathbb{P}_d) = 0$  then
4:      $\varpi = \varpi + 1$ .
5: if  $\varpi < \underline{N}$  then
6:   if  $q(k) \in \mathbb{Q}_l(k) \ \& \ L_c(k) > \theta_l$  then
7:      $\lambda(k) = 0$ ,
8:     if  $\|q(k) - D_r(k)\| \geq r_a$  then
9:        $u(k) = \gamma_a \circ (q(k) - D_r(k))$ .
10:    else
11:       $u(k) = \gamma_b \mathbf{R}(\theta_r) \circ (q(k) - D_r(k))$ .
12:   else if  $q(k) \in \mathbb{Q}_r(k) \ \& \ R_c(k) > \theta_l$  then
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19:     if  $\|q(k) - D_l(k)\| \geq r_a$  then
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28: else
29:    $u(k) = 0$ .
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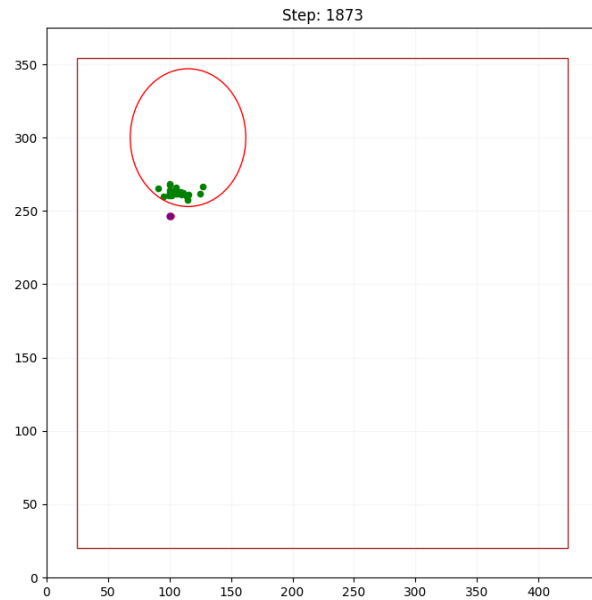
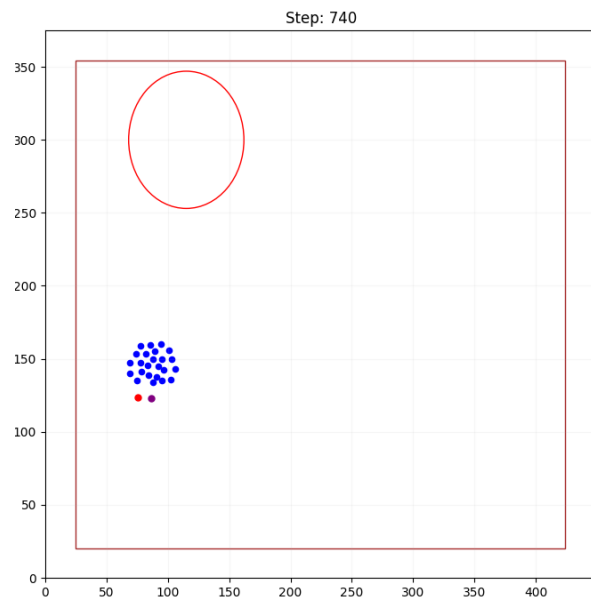
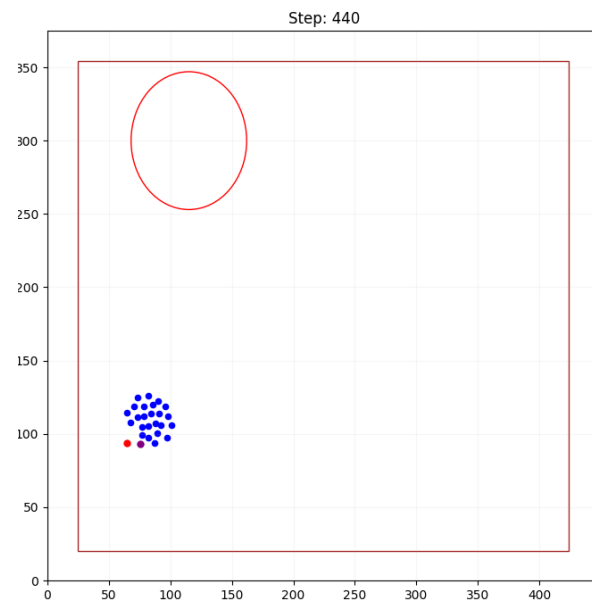
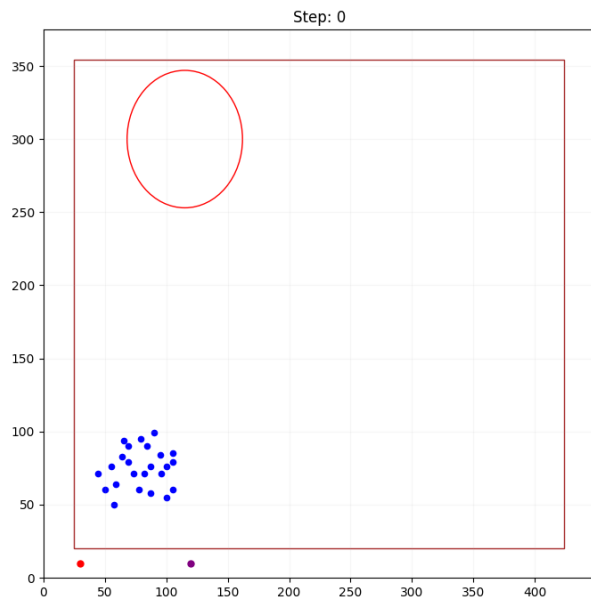
## ALGORITHM

- Base shepherding algorithm
  - Sheep behaviour
  - Dog behaviour
- Biggest challenges and how we solved them
  - Understanding mathematical notation
  - Ambiguous implementation for different parts of algorithm
  - Finding optimal parameters
- Improvements



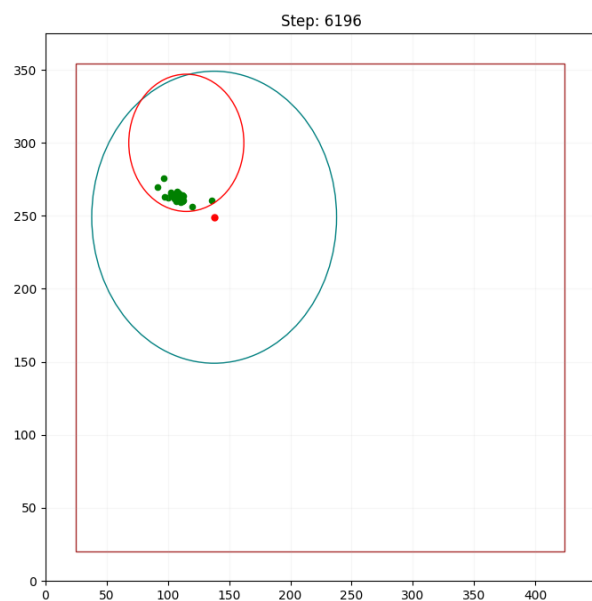
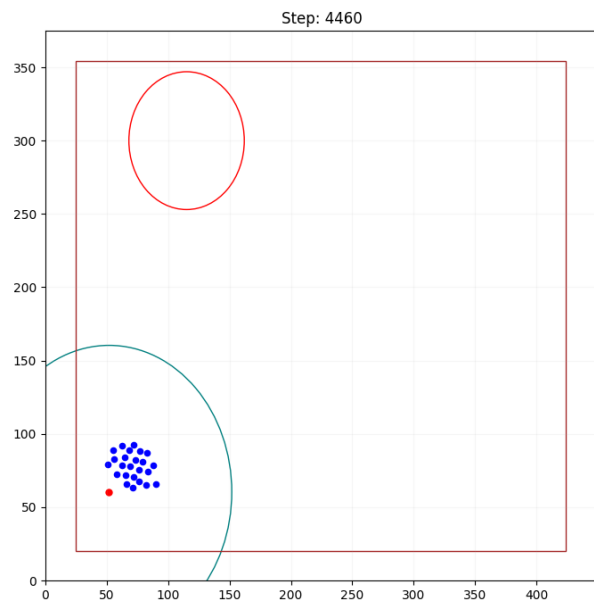
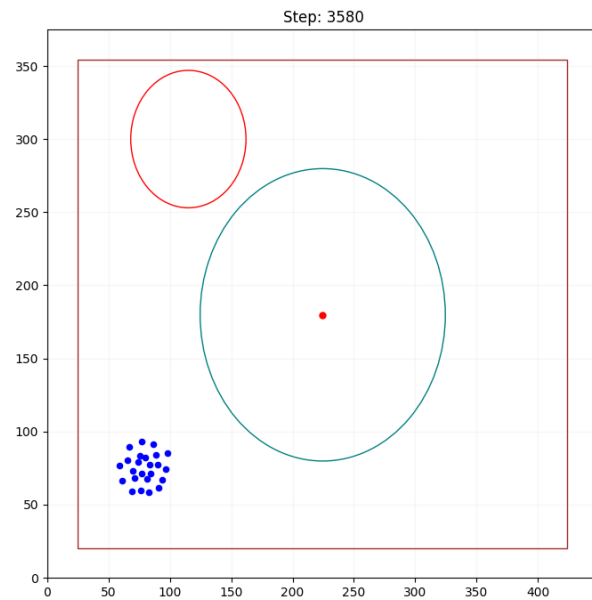
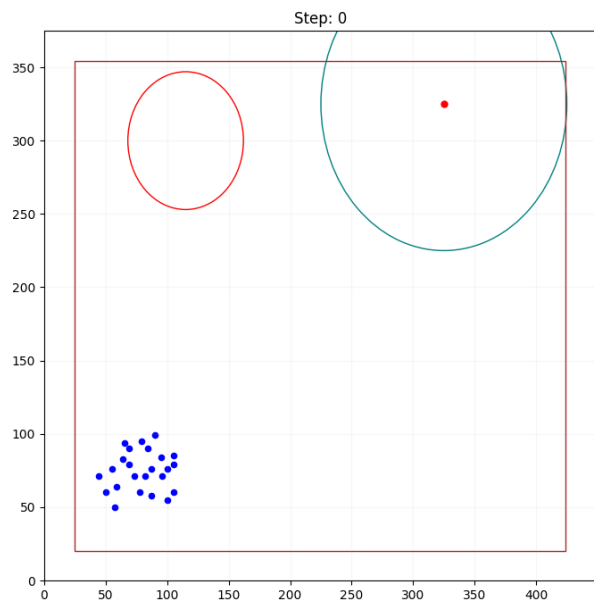
## RESULTS

SIMULATION OF THE  
RE-CREATED BASIC  
ALGORITHM  
(ONE SHEEPDOG)



## RESULTS

SIMULATION OF THE  
RE-CREATED BASIC  
ALGORITHM  
(TWO SHEEPDOGS)



## RESULTS

SIMULATION OF THE  
RE-CREATED BASIC  
ALGORITHM  
(WANDERING)

# CONCLUSIONS

- What have we managed to achieve?
- What would we change if we started all over again?
- What could we possibly improve (future work)?



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Questions?