

reinforcement-tictactoe

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1 Reinforcement Learning for Tic-Tac-Toe game

The idea of this exercise is to create a tic-tac-toe game to be played against the computer, where the computer uses reinforcement learning to “master” the game.

- The machine learns from its environment using rewards and errors
- Reinforcement learning is used to solve reward based problems
- No predefined data is used
- No supervision is required
- Follows a Trial and Error problem solving approach

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[1]: # Necessary imports.
import numpy as np
import pickle

class State:
    def __init__(self, p1, p2):
        self.board = np.zeros((BOARD_ROWS, BOARD_COLS))
        self.p1 = p1
        self.p2 = p2
        self.isEnd = False
        self.boardHash = None
        # init p1 plays first
        self.playerSymbol = 1

    # get unique hash of current board state
    def getHash(self):
        self.boardHash = str(self.board.reshape(BOARD_COLS*BOARD_ROWS))
        return self.boardHash

    def winner(self):
        # row
        for i in range(BOARD_ROWS):
            if sum(self.board[i, :]) == 3:
                self.isEnd = True
                return 1
            if sum(self.board[i, :]) == -3:
                self.isEnd = True
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        return -1

    # col
    for i in range(BOARD_COLS):
        if sum(self.board[:, i]) == 3:
            self.isEnd = True
            return 1
        if sum(self.board[:, i]) == -3:
            self.isEnd = True
            return -1

    # diagonal
    diag_sum1 = int(sum([self.board[i, i] for i in range(BOARD_COLS)]))
    diag_sum2 = int(sum([self.board[i, BOARD_COLS-i-1] for i in
→range(BOARD_COLS)]))
    diag_sum = max(diag_sum1, diag_sum2)
    # Previously used for debug with diagonals
    # print(diag_sum1)
    # print(diag_sum2)
    # print(diag_sum)

    if diag_sum == 3:
        self.isEnd = True
        return 1
    if diag_sum == -3:
        self.isEnd = True
        return -1

    # tie
    # no available positions
    if len(self.availablePositions()) == 0:
        self.isEnd = True
        return 0
    # not end
    self.isEnd = False
    return None

def availablePositions(self):
    positions = []
    for i in range(BOARD_ROWS):
        for j in range(BOARD_COLS):
            if self.board[i, j] == 0:
                positions.append((i, j)) # need to be tuple
    return positions

def updateState(self, position):
    self.board[position] = self.playerSymbol
    # switch to another player
    self.playerSymbol = -1 if self.playerSymbol == 1 else 1

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# only when game ends
def giveReward(self):
    result = self.winner()
    # backpropagate reward
    if result == 1:
        self.p1.feedReward(1)
        self.p2.feedReward(0)
    elif result == -1:
        self.p1.feedReward(0)
        self.p2.feedReward(1)
    else:
        self.p1.feedReward(0.1)
        self.p2.feedReward(0.5)

# board reset
def reset(self):
    self.board = np.zeros((BOARD_ROWS, BOARD_COLS))
    self.boardHash = None
    self.isEnd = False
    self.playerSymbol = 1

def play(self, rounds=100):
    for i in range(rounds):
        if i%1000 == 0:
            print("Rounds played {}".format(i))
        while not self.isEnd:
            # Player 1
            positions = self.availablePositions()
            p1_action = self.p1.chooseAction(positions, self.board, self.
→playerSymbol)

            # take action and update board state
            self.updateState(p1_action)
            board_hash = self.getHash()
            self.p1.addState(board_hash)
            # check board status if it is end

            win = self.winner()
            if win is not None:
                # self.showBoard()
                # ended with p1 either win or draw
                self.giveReward()
                self.p1.reset()
                self.p2.reset()
                self.reset()
                break
            else:

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        # Player 2
        positions = self.availablePositions()
        p2_action = self.p2.chooseAction(positions, self.board, self.
→playerSymbol)

        self.updateState(p2_action)
        board_hash = self.getHash()
        self.p2.addState(board_hash)

        win = self.winner()
        if win is not None:
            # self.showBoard()
            # ended with p2 either win or draw
            self.giveReward()
            self.p1.reset()
            self.p2.reset()
            self.reset()
            break

    # play with human
    def play2(self):
        while not self.isEnd:
            # Player 1
            positions = self.availablePositions()
            p1_action = self.p1.chooseAction(positions, self.board, self.
→playerSymbol)

            # take action and update board state
            self.updateState(p1_action)
            self.showBoard()
            # check board status if it is end
            win = self.winner()
            if win is not None:
                if win == 1:
                    print(self.p1.name, "wins!")
                else:
                    print("Tie!")
                self.reset()
                break
            else:
                # Player 2
                positions = self.availablePositions()
                p2_action = self.p2.chooseAction(positions)

                self.updateState(p2_action)
                self.showBoard()
                win = self.winner()
                if win is not None:
                    if win == -1:
                        print(self.p2.name, "wins!")

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        else:
            print("Tie!")
            self.reset()
            break

def showBoard(self):
    # p1: x, p2: o
    for i in range(0, BOARD_ROWS):
        print('-----')
        out = '| '
        for j in range(0, BOARD_COLS):
            if self.board[i, j] == 1:
                token = 'x'
            if self.board[i, j] == -1:
                token = 'o'
            if self.board[i, j] == 0:
                token = ' '
            out += token + ' | '
        print(out)
    print('-----')

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[2]: class Player:
    def __init__(self, name, exp_rate=0.3):
        self.name = name
        self.states = [] # record all positions taken
        self.lr = 0.2
        self.exp_rate = exp_rate
        self.decay_gamma = 0.9
        self.states_value = {} # state -> value

    def getHash(self, board):
        boardHash = str(board.reshape(BOARD_COLS*BOARD_ROWS))
        return boardHash

    def chooseAction(self, positions, current_board, symbol):
        if np.random.uniform(0, 1) <= self.exp_rate:
            # take random action
            idx = np.random.choice(len(positions))
            action = positions[idx]
        else:
            value_max = -999
            for p in positions:
                next_board = current_board.copy()
                next_board[p] = symbol
                next_boardHash = self.getHash(next_board)
                value = 0 if self.states_value.get(next_boardHash) is None else
→self.states_value.get(next_boardHash)

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        # print("value", value)
        if value >= value_max:
            value_max = value
            action = p
        # print("{} takes action {}".format(self.name, action))
        return action

    # append a hash state
    def addState(self, state):
        self.states.append(state)

    # at the end of game, backpropagate and update states value
    def feedReward(self, reward):
        for st in reversed(self.states):
            if self.states_value.get(st) is None:
                self.states_value[st] = 0
            self.states_value[st] += self.lr*(self.decay_gamma*reward - self.
→states_value[st])
            reward = self.states_value[st]

    def reset(self):
        self.states = []

    def savePolicy(self):
        fw = open('policy_' + str(self.name), 'wb')
        pickle.dump(self.states_value, fw)
        fw.close()

    def loadPolicy(self, file):
        fr = open(file, 'rb')
        self.states_value = pickle.load(fr)
        fr.close()

class HumanPlayer:
    def __init__(self, name):
        self.name = name

    def chooseAction(self, positions):
        while True:
            row = int(input("Input your action row 1-3:"))
            col = int(input("Input your action col 1-3:"))
            action = (row-1, col-1)
            if action in positions:
                return action

    # append a hash state
    def addState(self, state):

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        pass

    # at the end of game, backpropagate and update states value
    def feedReward(self, reward):
        pass

    def reset(self):
        pass

# The game
BOARD_ROWS = 3
BOARD_COLS = 3
"""
# Training sequence

p1 = Player("p1")
p2 = Player("p2")

st = State(p1, p2)
print("Computer training...")
st.play(51000)

p1.savePolicy()
p2.savePolicy()
"""
p1 = Player("computer", exp_rate=0)
p1.loadPolicy("policy_p1")

p2 = HumanPlayer("human")

st = State(p1, p2)
st.play2()

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Input your action row 1-3:1

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Input your action col 1-3:1

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Input your action row 1-3:1
Input your action col 1-3:3

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Input your action row 1-3:3
Input your action col 1-3:2

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Input your action row 1-3:2
Input your action col 1-3:3

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Tie!

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