Continuous Simulation (Wolf/Deer Populations)

CS1316: Representing Structure and Behavior

WolfDeerSimulation

```
public class WolfDeerSimulation {

  /* Linked lists for tracking wolves and deer */
  private AgentNode wolves;
  private AgentNode deer;

  /** Accessors for wolves and deer */
  public AgentNode getWolves(){return wolves;}
  public AgentNode getDeer(){return deer;}
```

Why private?

Only the simulation should know its wolves and deer.

The main run() method

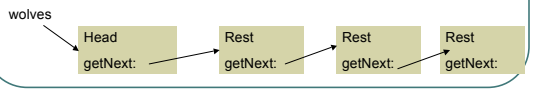
```
public void run()
{
  World w = new World();
  w.setAutoRepaint(false);

  // Start the lists
  wolves = new AgentNode();
  deer = new AgentNode();

  // create some deer
  int numDeer = 20;
  for (int i = 0; i < numDeer; i++)
  {
    deer.add(new AgentNode(new Deer(w,this)));
  }
```

We want to control when the world updates itself.

AgentNodes contain the **Deer**

Head and Rest

- *Wolves* and *deer* are AgentNodes…but the real *content* starts at *getNext()*.
- We call this the *head* of the list.
  - It's a placeholder.
- We call the rest the *rest* or *body* of the list.
  - This makes it possible to remove a node, even if it's the first one in the list.



Make some wolves

```
// create some wolves
  int numWolves = 5;
  for (int i = 0; i < numWolves; i++)
  {
    wolves.add(new AgentNode(new Wolf(w,this)));
  }
```

Start our simulation loop

```
// declare a wolf and deer
  Wolf currentWolf = null;
  Deer currentDeer = null;
  AgentNode currentNode = null;

  // loop for a set number of timesteps (50 here)
  for (int t = 0; t < 50; t++)
  {
    // loop through all the wolves
    currentNode = (AgentNode) wolves.getNext();
    while (currentNode != null)
    {
      currentWolf = (Wolf) currentNode.getAgent();
      currentWolf.act();
      currentNode = (AgentNode) currentNode.getNext();
    }
```

What's going on here?

It's our **AgentNodes** that are in a linked list. Each one of *them* contains (aggregation!) a Wolf.

Have to pull the **Wolf** out to get it to act()

Give the deer a chance to act

```
// loop through all the deer
    currentNode = (AgentNode) deer.getNext();
    while (currentNode != null)
    {
      currentDeer = (Deer) currentNode.getAgent();
      currentDeer.act();
      currentNode = (AgentNode) currentNode.getNext();
    }
```

Same unpackaging going on here.

Show us what happened

```
    // repaint the world to show the movement
    w.repaint();

    // Let's figure out where we stand...
    System.out.println(">>> Timestep: "+t);
    System.out.println("Wolves left: "+wolves.getNext().count());
    System.out.println("Deer left: "+deer.getNext().count());

    // Wait for one second
    //Thread.sleep(1000);
  }
}
```

Does the simulation go too fast? Make the *thread* of execution *sleep* for 1000 milliseconds

Implementing a Wolf

```
import java.awt.Color;
import java.util.Random;
import java.util.Iterator;

/**
 * Class that represents a wolf.   The wolf class
 * tracks all the living wolves with a linked list.
 *
 * @author Barb Ericson ericson@cc.gatech.edu
 */
public class Wolf extends Turtle
{
  /////////////// fields /////////////////////

  /** class constant for the color */
  private static final Color grey = new Color(153,153,153);

   /** class constant for probability of NOT turning */
   protected static final double PROB_OF_STAY = 1.0/10;
```

A *final* is something that won't change: A constant. It's used to make code more *readable* yet *easy-to-change*.

Private vs. Protected? Use Protected if your *subclasses* will need to access (new kinds of wolves?)

Constants are typically all-caps

More Wolf fields

```
/** class constant for top speed (max num steps can
   move in a timestep) */
protected static final int maxSpeed = 60;

/** My simulation */
protected WolfDeerSimulation mySim;

/** random number generator */
protected static Random randNumGen = new Random();
```

maxSpeed should *probably* be all-caps (or did you want to make it variable? Do wolves get slower as they get hungry?

There is more than one kind of random. Treating it as an *object* makes it easier to have different kinds later.

Constructors

Remember that a constructor must match its superclass, if you want to use super(). These are like the ones in Turtle.

What's a ***ModelDisplay***? The abstract superclass of the **World**.

```
/////////////////////////// Constructors ///////////////////////

/**
 * Constructor that takes the model display (the original
 * position will be randomly assigned)
 * @param modelDisplayer thing that displays the model
 * @param mySim my simulation
 */
public Wolf (ModelDisplay modelDisplayer,WolfDeerSimulation
    thisSim)
{
  super(randNumGen.nextInt(modelDisplayer.getWidth()),
        randNumGen.nextInt(modelDisplayer.getHeight()),
        modelDisplayer);
  init(thisSim);
}

/** Constructor that takes the x and y and a model
 * display to draw it on
 * @param x the starting x position
 * @param y the starting y position
 * @param modelDisplayer the thing that displays the model
 * @param mySim my simulation
 */
public Wolf (int x, int y, ModelDisplay modelDisplayer,
             WolfDeerSimulation thisSim)
{
  // let the parent constructor handle it
  super(x,y,modelDisplayer);
  init(thisSim);
}
```

Using a Random: PseudoRandom Number Generator

Method Summary

protected int	`next(int bits)` Generates the next pseudorandom number.
boolean	`nextBoolean()` Returns the next pseudorandom, uniformly distributed `boolean` value from this random number generator's sequence.
void	`nextBytes(byte[] bytes)` Generates random bytes and places them into a user-supplied byte array.
double	`nextDouble()` Returns the next pseudorandom, uniformly distributed `double` value between `0.0` and `1.0` from this random number generator's sequence.
float	`nextFloat()` Returns the next pseudorandom, uniformly distributed `float` value between `0.0` and `1.0` from this random number generator's sequence.
double	`nextGaussian()` Returns the next pseudorandom, Gaussian ("normally") distributed `double` value with mean `0.0` and standard deviation `1.0` from this random number generator's sequence.
int	`nextInt()` Returns the next pseudorandom, uniformly distributed `int` value from this random number generator's sequence.
int	`nextInt(int n)` Returns a pseudorandom, uniformly distributed `int` value between 0 (inclusive) and the specified value (exclusive), drawn from this random number generator's sequence.
long	`nextLong()` Returns the next pseudorandom, uniformly distributed `long` value from this random number generator's sequence.
void	`setSeed(long seed)` Sets the seed of this random number generator using a single `long` seed.

Initialize a Wolf

```
////////////////// methods ///////////////////////////////////////


 /**
  * Method to initialize the new wolf object
  */
 public void init(WolfDeerSimulation thisSim)
 {
   // set the color of this wolf
   setColor(grey);

   // turn some random direction
   this.turn(randNumGen.nextInt(360));

   // set my simulation
   mySim = thisSim;
 }
```

Get an integer at most **360**

Is there a Deer to eat?

Walk this through in English to see that it's doing what you think it should.

|| is "OR"

```
public AgentNode getClosest(double distance,AgentNode list)
 {
   // get the head of the deer linked list
   AgentNode head = list;
   AgentNode curr = head;
   AgentNode closest = null;
   Deer thisDeer;
   double closestDistance = 0;
   double currDistance = 0;


   // loop through the linked list looking for the closest deer
   while (curr != null)
   {
     thisDeer = (Deer) curr.getAgent();
     currDistance = thisDeer.getDistance(
       this.getXPos(),this.getYPos());
     if (currDistance < distance)
     {
       if (closest == null || currDistance < closestDistance)
       {
         closest = curr;
         closestDistance = currDistance;
       }
     }
     curr = (AgentNode) curr.getNext();
   }
   return closest;
 }
```

Modeling what a Wolf *does*

```
/**
  * Method to act during a time step
  * pick a random direction and move some random amount up to top speed
  */
 public void act()
 {

   // get the closest deer within some specified distance
   AgentNode closeDeer = getClosest(30,
                         (AgentNode) mySim.getDeer().getNext());

   if (closeDeer != null)
   {
     Deer thisDeer = (Deer) closeDeer.getAgent();
     this.moveTo(thisDeer.getXPos(),
             thisDeer.getYPos());
     thisDeer.die();
   }
```

Why **getNext**()? Because we need the body of the list, and that's after the head.

getClosest returns an **AgentNode**, so we have to get the **Deer** out of it with **getAgent**()

If can't eat, then move

```
else
  {

    // if the random number is > prob of NOT turning then turn
    if (randNumGen.nextFloat() > PROB_OF_STAY)
    {
      this.turn(randNumGen.nextInt(360));
    }

    // go forward some random amount
    forward(randNumGen.nextInt(maxSpeed));
  }
 }
```

Get an integer at most **360**, or at most **maxSpeed**

Deer

```
import java.awt.Color;
import java.util.Random;

/**
 * Class that represents a deer.  The deer class
 * tracks all living deer with a linked list.
 *
 * @author Barb Ericson ericson@cc.gatech.edu
 */
public class Deer extends Turtle
{

  /////////////// fields ////////////////////

  /** class constant for the color */
  private static final Color brown = new Color(116,64,35);

  /** class constant for probability of NOT turning */
  private static final double PROB_OF_STAY = 1.0/5;
```

Deer fields (instance variables)

```
/** class constant for top speed (max num steps
    can move in a timestep) */
 private static final int maxSpeed = 50;

 /** random number generator */
 private static Random randNumGen = new
   Random();

 /** the simulation I'm in */
 private WolfDeerSimulation mySim;
```

Deer Constructors

Nothing new here…

```
////////////////////////// Constructors //////////////////////

/**
 * Constructor that takes the model display (the original
 * position will be randomally assigned
 * @param modelDisplayer thing which will display the model
 */
public Deer (ModelDisplay modelDisplayer,WolfDeerSimulation
      thisSim)
{
  super(randNumGen.nextInt(modelDisplayer.getWidth()),
        randNumGen.nextInt(modelDisplayer.getHeight()),
        modelDisplayer);
  init(thisSim);
}

/** Constructor that takes the x and y and a model
 * display to draw it on
 * @param x the starting x position
 * @param y the starting y position
 * @param modelDisplayer the thing that displays the model
 */
public Deer (int x, int y, ModelDisplay modelDisplayer,
             WolfDeerSimulation thisSim)
{
  // let the parent constructor handle it
  super(x,y,modelDisplayer);
  init(thisSim);
}
```

Initializing a Deer

```
/**
  * Method to initialize the new deer object
  */
 public void init(WolfDeerSimulation thisSim)
 {
   // set the color of this deer
   setColor(brown);

   // turn some random direction
   this.turn(randNumGen.nextInt(360));

   // know my simulation
   mySim = thisSim;
 }
```

Nothing new here…

What Deer Do

```
/**
  * Method to act during a time step
  * pick a random direction and move some random amount up to top speed
  */
 public void act()
 {
   // if the random number is > prob of NOT turning then turn
   if (randNumGen.nextFloat() > PROB_OF_STAY)
   {
     this.turn(randNumGen.nextInt(360));
   }

   // go forward some random amount
   forward(randNumGen.nextInt(maxSpeed));
 }
```

Nothing new here…

When Deer Die

```
/**
  * Method that handles when a deer dies
  */
 public void die()
 {
   // Leave a mark on the world where I died...
   this.setBodyColor(Color.red);

   // Remove me from the "live" list
   mySim.getDeer().remove(this);

   // ask the model display to remove this
   // Think of this as "ask the viewable world to remove this turtle"
   //getModelDisplay().remove(this);

   System.out.println("<SIGH!> A deer died...");
 }
```

Why don't we have to say **getNext**() before the **remove**()?

If you want the body and its trail to disappear…

AgentNodes

- AgentNodes *contain* Turtles
  - That's *aggregation*
- It's a subclass of LLNode
  - It's a *specialization* of LLNode

AgentNode implementation

```
/**
 * Class to implement a linked list of Turtle-like characters.
 * (Maybe "agents"?)
 **/
public class AgentNode extends LLNode {
  /**
   * The Turtle being held
   **/
  private Turtle myTurtle;
```

AgentNode constructors

```
/** Two constructors: One for creating the head of the list
  * , with no agent
 **/
 public AgentNode() {super();}

 /**
  * One constructor for creating a node with an agent
  **/
 public AgentNode(Turtle agent){
   super();
   this.setAgent(agent);
 }
```

AgentNode getter/setter

```
/**
  * Setter for the turtle
  **/
 public void setAgent(Turtle agent){
   myTurtle = agent;
 }

 /**
  * Getter for the turtle
  **/
 public Turtle getAgent(){return myTurtle;}
```

AgentNode: Remove node where Turtle is found

```
/**
  * Remove the node where this turtle is found.
  **/
 public void remove(Turtle myTurtle) {
   // Assume we're calling on the head
   AgentNode head = this;
   AgentNode current = (AgentNode) this.getNext();

   while (current != null) {
     if (current.getAgent() == myTurtle)
     {// If found the turtle, remove that node
       head.remove(current);
     }

     current = (AgentNode) current.getNext();
   }
 }
```

It's just like other linked list removes, but now we're looking for the node that *contains* the input turtle.

Think about it…

- What if AgentNodes contained ***Object***s?
  - Object is a class that is the superclass of *all* classes (even if not explicitly *extended*).
  - AgentNodes that contain Objects could be *general* linked lists that contain *anything*
    - Just cast things as you need them as you pull them out.

Back to the simulation: What might we change?

- Wolves that aren't *always* hungry?
- Having wolves that *chase* deer? Have deer *run from* wolves?
- And how do we look at the results?

We'll deal with hunger first, then with comparing, then with running towards/away.

Creating a Hungry Wolf

```
/**
 * A class that extends the Wolf to have a Hunger level.
 * Wolves only eat when they're hungry
 **/
public class HungryWolf extends Wolf {
  /**
   * Number of cycles before I'll eat again
   **/
  private int satisfied;

  /** class constant for number of turns before hungry */
  private static final int MAX_SATISFIED = 3;
```

Need to match

```
/**
 * Constructor that takes the model display (the original
 * position will be randomly assigned)
 * @param modelDisplayer thing that displays the model
 * @param mySim my simulation
 */
public HungryWolf (ModelDisplay
    modelDisplayer,WolfDeerSimulation thisSim)
{
  super(modelDisplayer,thisSim);
}

/** Constructor that takes the x and y and a model
 * display to draw it on
 * @param x the starting x position
 * @param y the starting y position
 * @param modelDisplayer the thing that displays the model
 * @param mySim my simulation
 */
public HungryWolf (int x, int y, ModelDisplay
    modelDisplayer,
          WolfDeerSimulation thisSim)
{
  // let the parent constructor handle it
  super(x,y,modelDisplayer,thisSim);
}
```

Initializing a HungryWolf

```
/**
 * Method to initialize the hungry wolf object
 */
public void init(WolfDeerSimulation thisSim)
{
  super.init(thisSim);

  satisfied = MAX_SATISFIED;
}
```

What a HungryWolf does

```
/**
 * Method to act during a time step
 * pick a random direction and move some random amount up to top speed
 */
public void act()
{
  // Decrease satisfied time, until hungry again
  satisfied--;

  // get the closest deer within some specified distance
  AgentNode closeDeer = getClosest(30,
                    (AgentNode) mySim.getDeer().getNext());

  if (closeDeer != null)
  { // Even if deer close, only eat it if you're hungry.
    if (satisfied <= 0)
    {Deer thisDeer = (Deer) closeDeer.getAgent();
      this.moveTo(thisDeer.getXPos(),
              thisDeer.getYPos());
      thisDeer.die();
      satisfied = MAX_SATISFIED;

    }}
```

If there is a Deer near, then check if you're hungry, and only then—eat and get "full"

And if no Deer are near…

```
else
  {

    // if the randome number is > prob of turning then turn
    if (randNumGen.nextFloat() > PROB_OF_TURN)
    {
      this.turn(randNumGen.nextInt(360));
    }

    // go forward some random amount
    forward(randNumGen.nextInt(maxSpeed));

  }
}
```

Nothing new here…

Changing the Simulation to make HungryWolves (in run())

```
// create some wolves
  int numWolves = 5;
  for (int i = 0; i < numWolves; i++)
  {
    wolves.add(new AgentNode(new
HungryWolf(w,this)));
  }
```

Everything else just works, because **HungryWolf** is a kind of **Wolf**

Making Wolves and Deer Run

- What we do:
  - In Deer, if there is a Wolf within our *smelling range*, run in the opposite direction (turn towards, turn 180, move)
  - In Wolf, if there is a Deer within our *smelling range*, run towards it.
  - (Stays the same) If the Wolf gets close enough, gobble up the Deer.
  - (Stays the same) For both, otherwise, wander aimlessly.

New constants for Deer

```
/** class constant for probability of NOT turning */
private static final double PROB_OF_STAY = 1.0/5;

/** class constant for how far deer can smell */
private static final double SMELL_RANGE = 50;

/** class constant for top speed (max num steps can move
   in a timestep) */
private static final int maxSpeed = 30;
```

Deer-finding closest Wolf

Strikingly similar to Wolf's for find Deer, no?

```
/**
 * Method to get the closest wolf within the passed distance
 * to this deer. We'll search the input list of the kind
 * of objects to compare to.
*/
public AgentNode getClosest(double distance,AgentNode list)
{
  // get the head of the deer linked list
  AgentNode head = list;
  AgentNode curr = head;
  AgentNode closest = null;
  Wolf thisWolf;
  double closestDistance = 0;
  double currDistance = 0;


  // loop through the linked list looking for the closest deer
  while (curr != null)
  {
    thisWolf = (Wolf) curr.getAgent();
    currDistance =
      thisWolf.getDistance(this.getXPos(),this.getYPos());
    if (currDistance < distance)
    {
      if (closest == null || currDistance < closestDistance)
      {
        closest = curr;
        closestDistance = currDistance;
      }
    }
    curr = (AgentNode) curr.getNext();
  }
  return closest;
}
```

Deer new act()

Does this match the English description we had a few slides back?

Think about this in terms of the values that can be changed and their relative values.

```
/**
 * Method to act during a time step
 * pick a random direction and move some random amount up
    to top speed
 */
public void act()
{
  // get the closest wolf within the smell range
  AgentNode closeWolf = getClosest(SMELL_RANGE,
                        (AgentNode)
     mySim.getWolves().getNext());

  if (closeWolf != null) {
    Wolf thisWolf = (Wolf) closeWolf.getAgent();
    // Turn to face the wolf
    this.turnToFace(thisWolf);
    // Now directly in the opposite direction
    this.turn(180);
    // How far to run? How about half of max speed??
    this.forward((int) (maxSpeed/2));
  }
  else {
    // if the random number is > prob of NOT turning then turn
    if (randNumGen.nextFloat() > PROB_OF_STAY)
    {
      this.turn(randNumGen.nextInt(360));
    }

    // go forward some random amount
    forward(randNumGen.nextInt(maxSpeed));
  }
}
```

Wolf Constants

```
/** class constant for probability of NOT turning */
protected static final double PROB_OF_STAY = 1.0/10;

/** class constant for top speed (max num steps can move
   in a timestep) */
protected static final int maxSpeed = 40;

/** class constant for how far wolf can smell */
private static final double SMELL_RANGE = 50;

  /** class constant for how close before wolf can attack */
private static final double ATTACK_RANGE = 30;
```

How Wolf's smell deer

```
/**
 * Method to act during a time step
 * pick a random direction and move some random amount up to top speed
 */
public void act()
{
  // get the closest deer within smelling range
  AgentNode closeDeer = getClosest(SMELL_RANGE,
                        (AgentNode) mySim.getDeer().getNext());
  if (closeDeer != null)
  {
    Deer thisDeer = (Deer) closeDeer.getAgent();
    // Turn torward deer
    this.turnToFace(thisDeer);
    // How much to move?  How about minimum of maxSpeed
    // or distance to deer?
    this.forward((int) Math.min(maxSpeed,
                 thisDeer.getDistance(this.getXPos(),this.getYPos())));
  }
```

The rest of normal Wolf actions

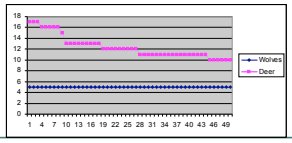
```
// get the closest deer within the attack distance
  closeDeer = getClosest(ATTACK_RANGE,
                        (AgentNode) mySim.getDeer().getNext());

  if (closeDeer != null)
  {
    Deer thisDeer = (Deer) closeDeer.getAgent();
    this.moveTo(thisDeer.getXPos(),
             thisDeer.getYPos());
    thisDeer.die();
  }

  else // Otherwise, wander aimlessly
  {

    // if the randome number is > prob of NOT turning then
     turn
    if (randNumGen.nextFloat() > PROB_OF_STAY)
    {
      this.turn(randNumGen.nextInt(360));
    }

    // go forward some random amount
    forward(randNumGen.nextInt(maxSpeed));
  } // end else
} // end act()
```

Changes to WolfDeerSimulation…NOTHING!

- We have the same *interface* as we used to have, so *nothing* changes in WolfDeerSimulation.
- Very powerful idea:
  - *If changes to a class keep the **interface** the same, then all **users** of the class don't have to change at all.*

Running the new simulation

```
Welcome to DrJava.
> WolfDeerSimulation wds = new
    WolfDeerSimulation();
> wds.openFile("D:/cs1316/wds-
    chase.txt")
> wds.run();
```



Explorations

- What does the relative speed of Deer and Wolves matter?
  - Does it matter if Deer go faster? Wolves?
- What if Deer and Wolves can smell farther away?
  - What if one can smell better than the other?
- What's the effect of having more Deer or more Wolves?
- What if HungryWolves could starve (say at -10 satisfaction)? Do more deer live?

Doing More Simulations

- How much code would be in common in every simulation we'd build?
  - We already have lots of duplication, e.g., getClosest.
- Goal: Can we make an Agent/Actor class and Simulation class that we'd subclass with *very little* additional code to create new simulations?