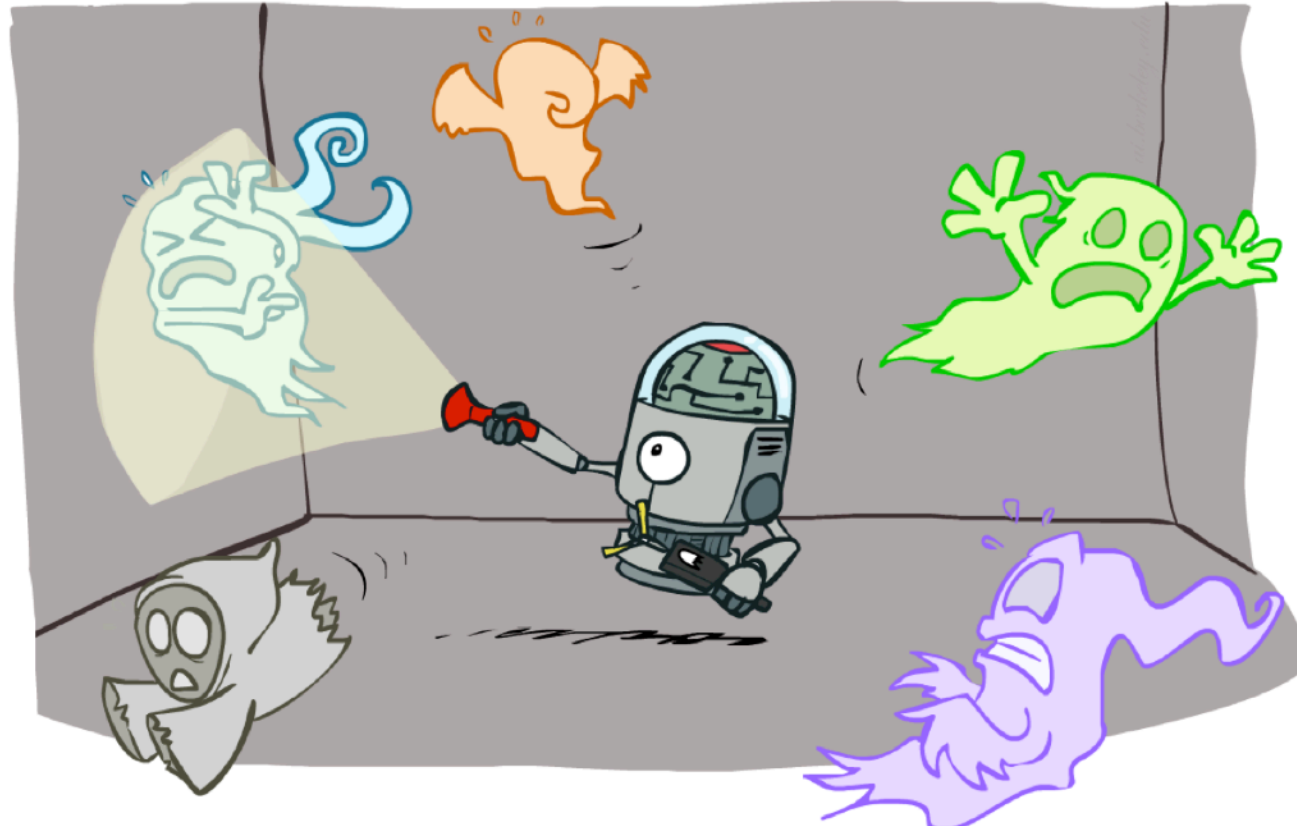


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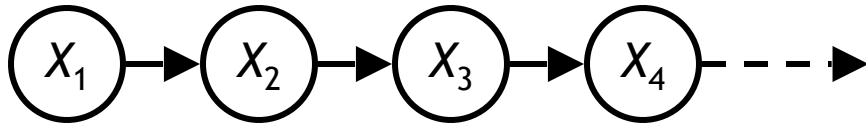


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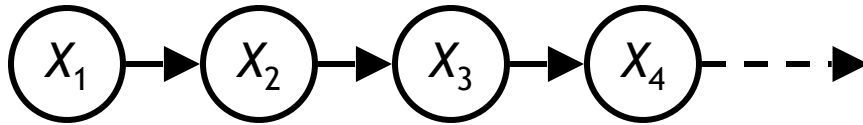
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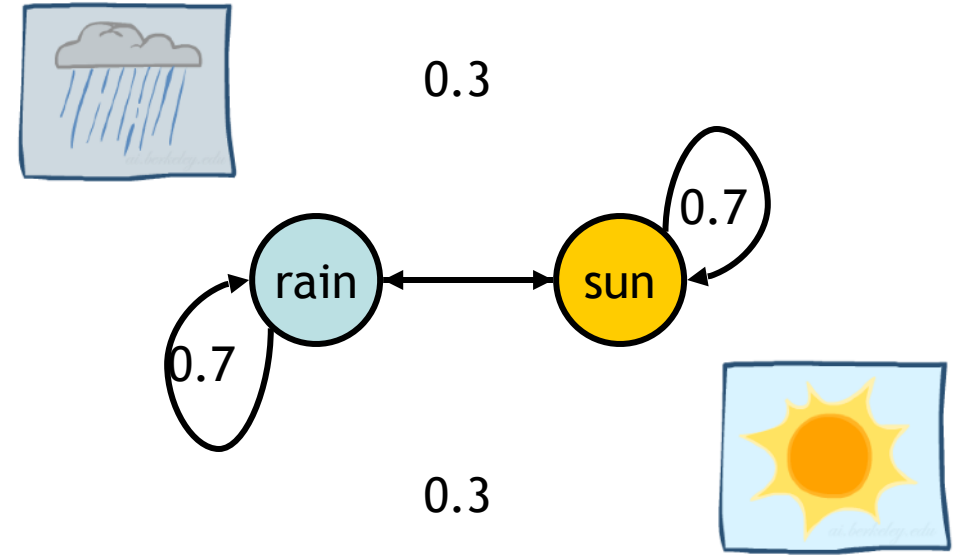
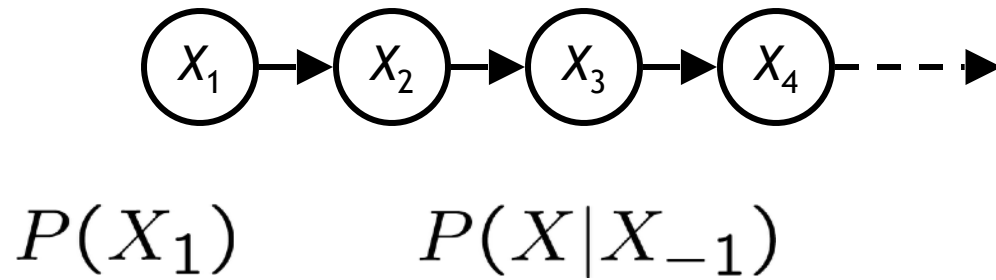
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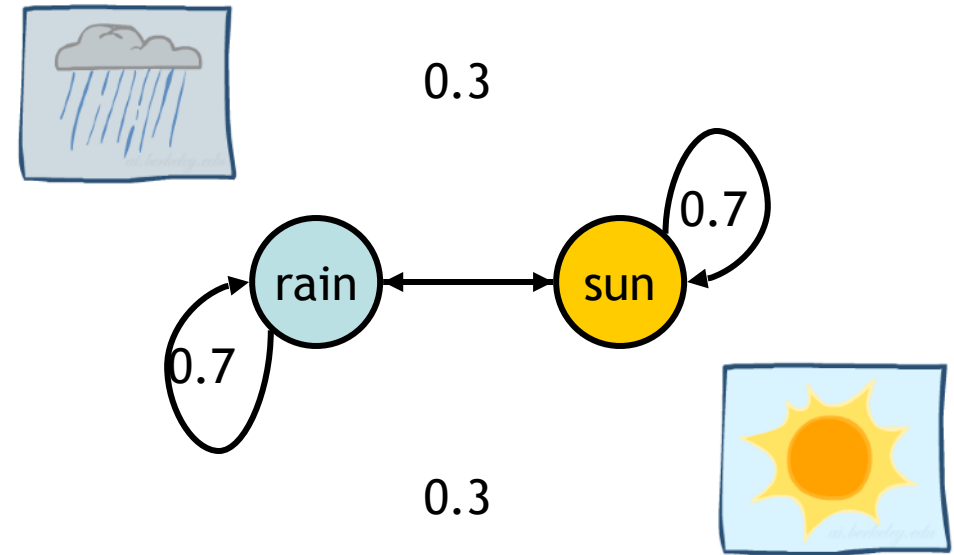
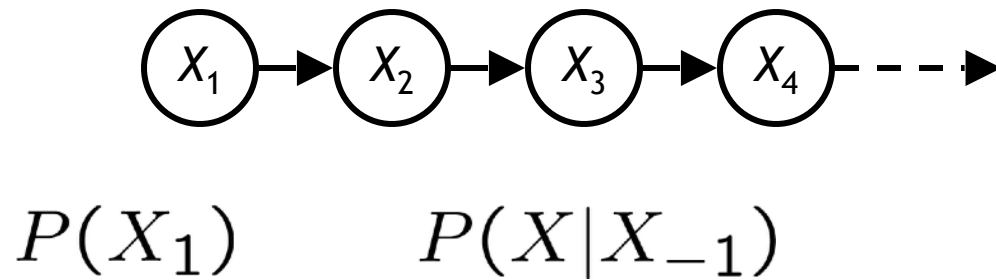
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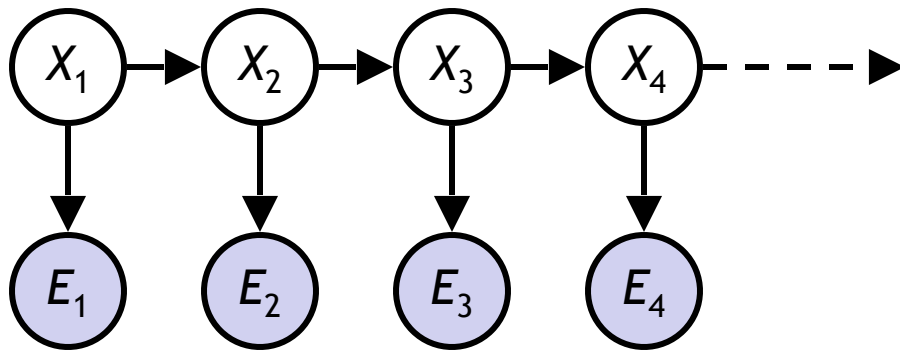


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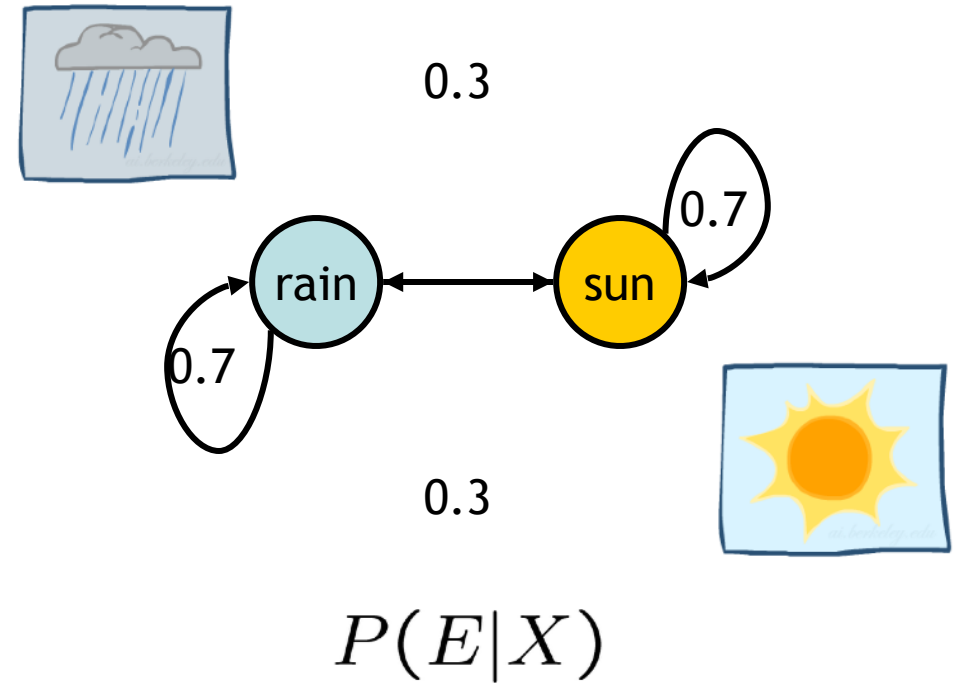
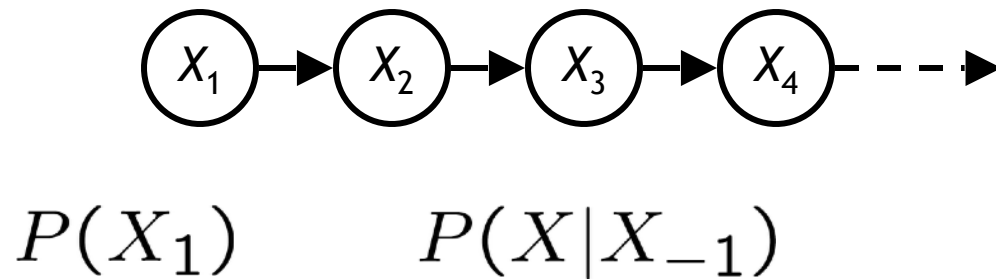


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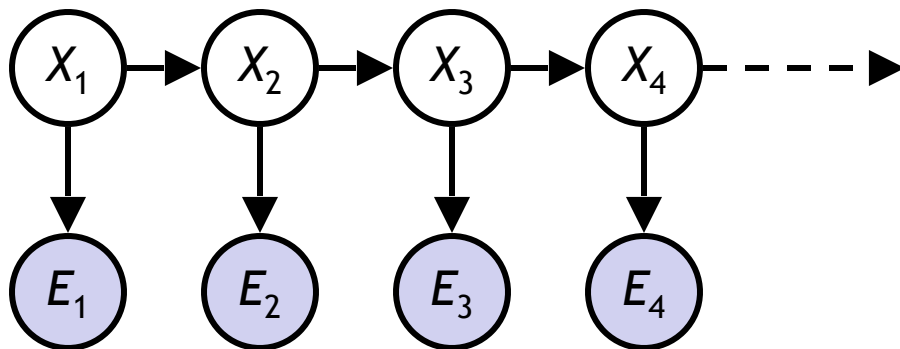


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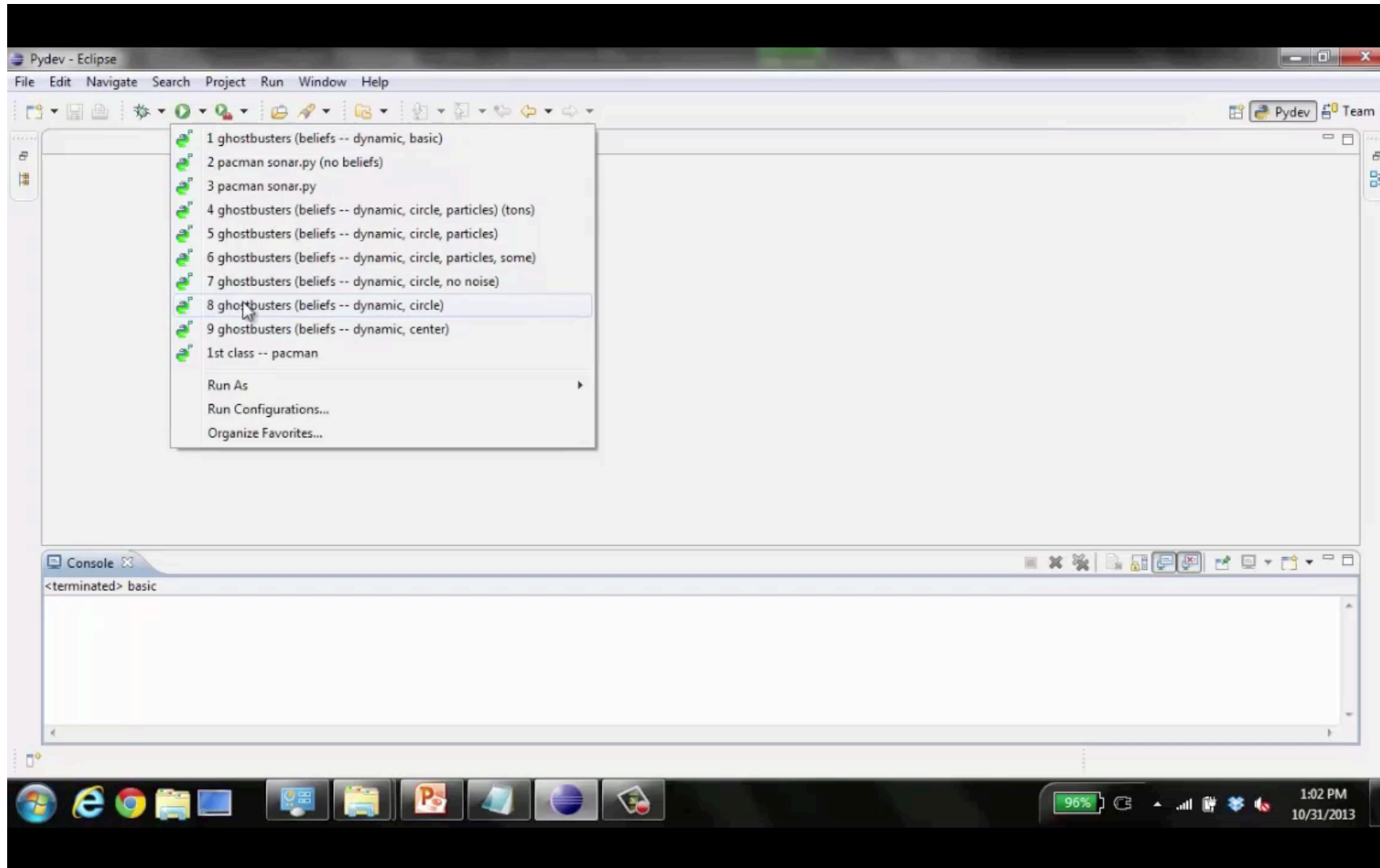


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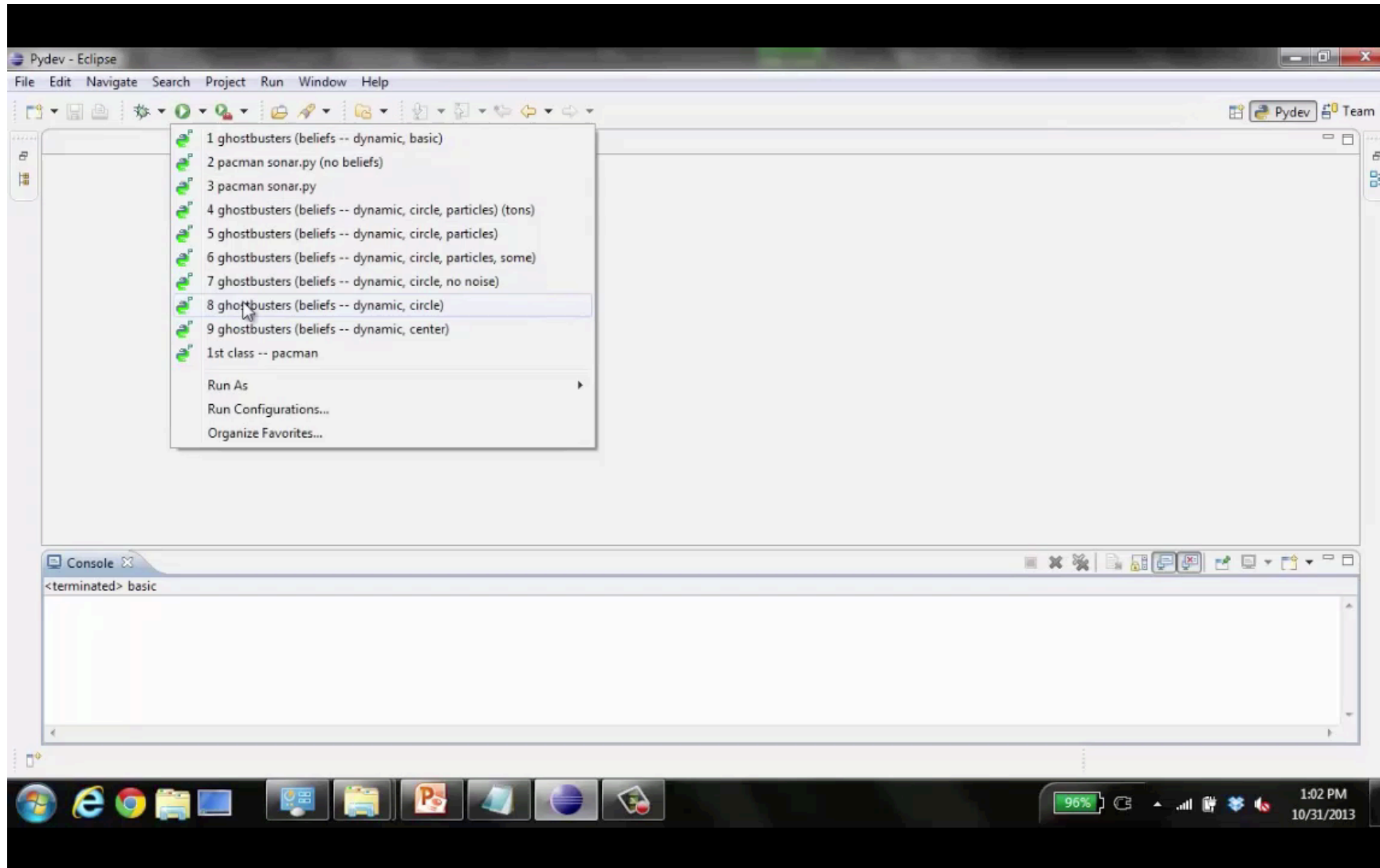


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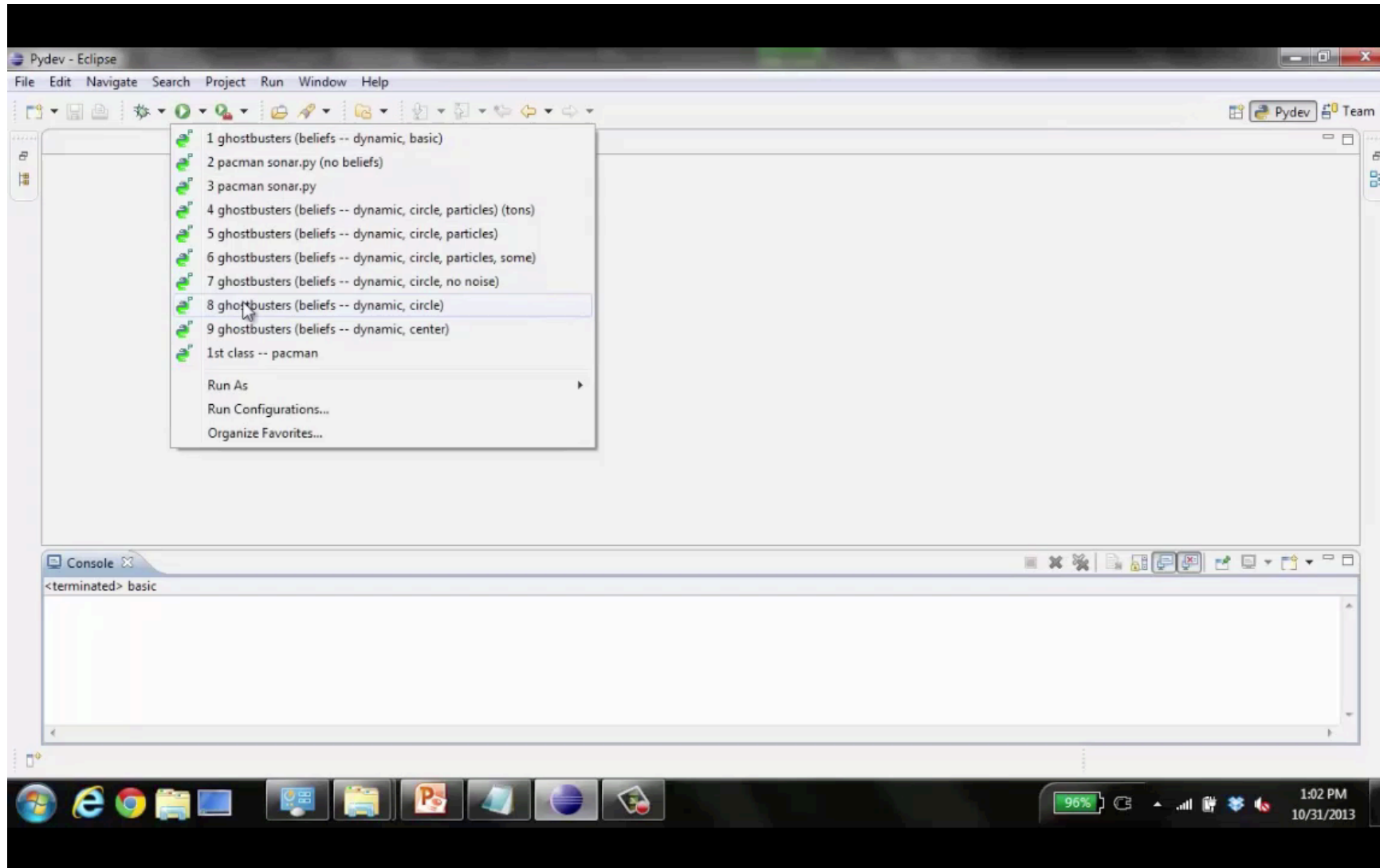
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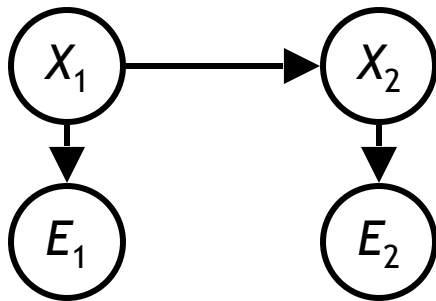
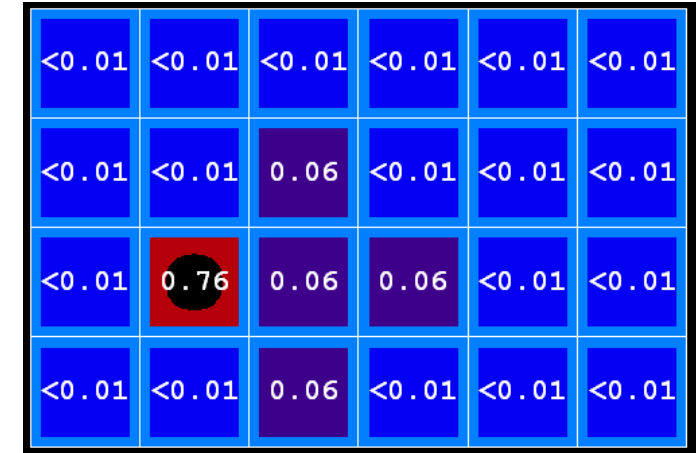
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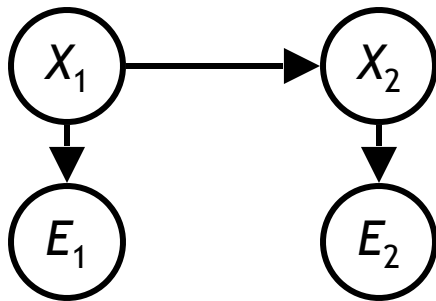
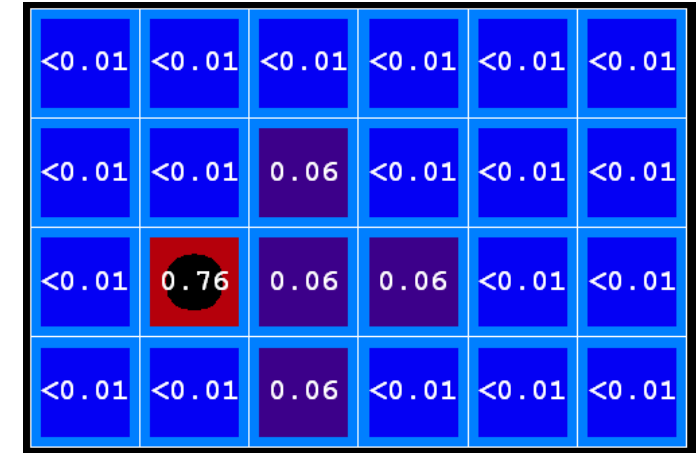
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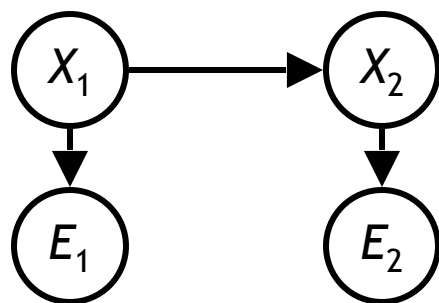
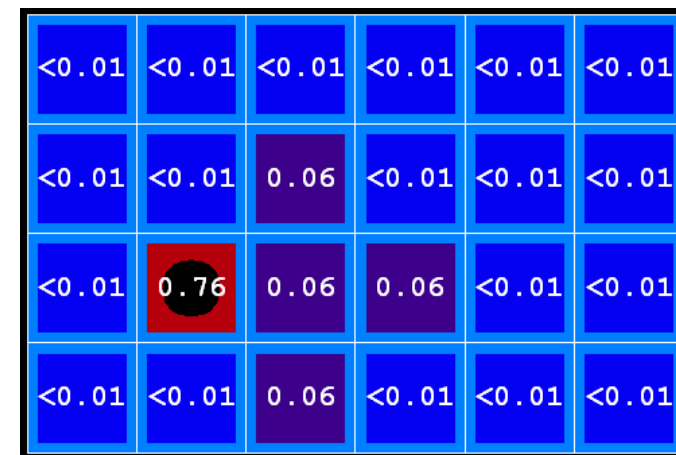
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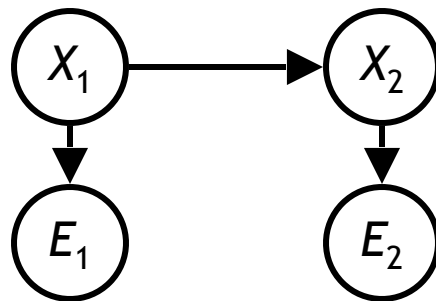
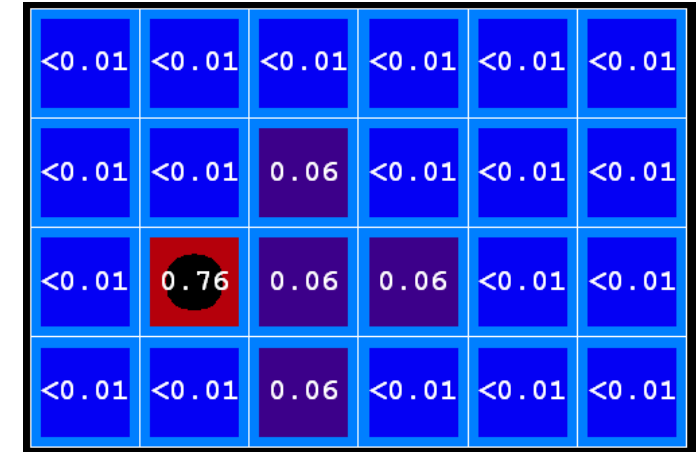
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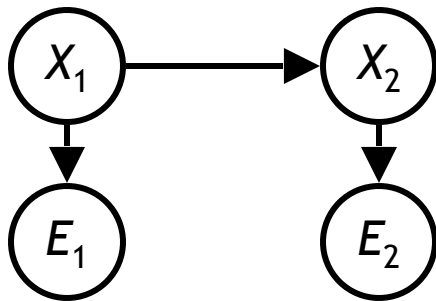
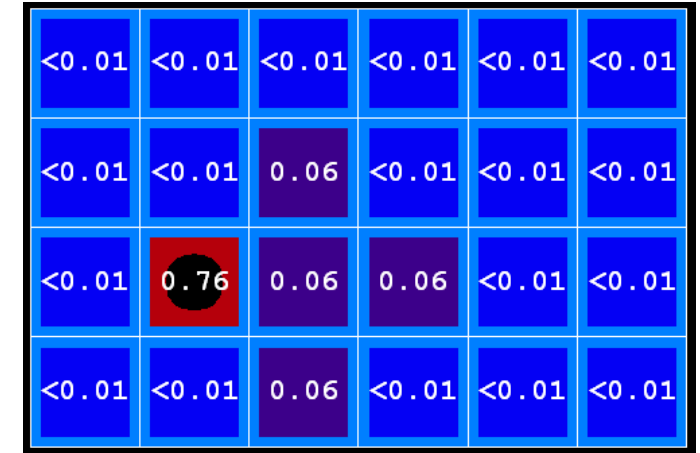
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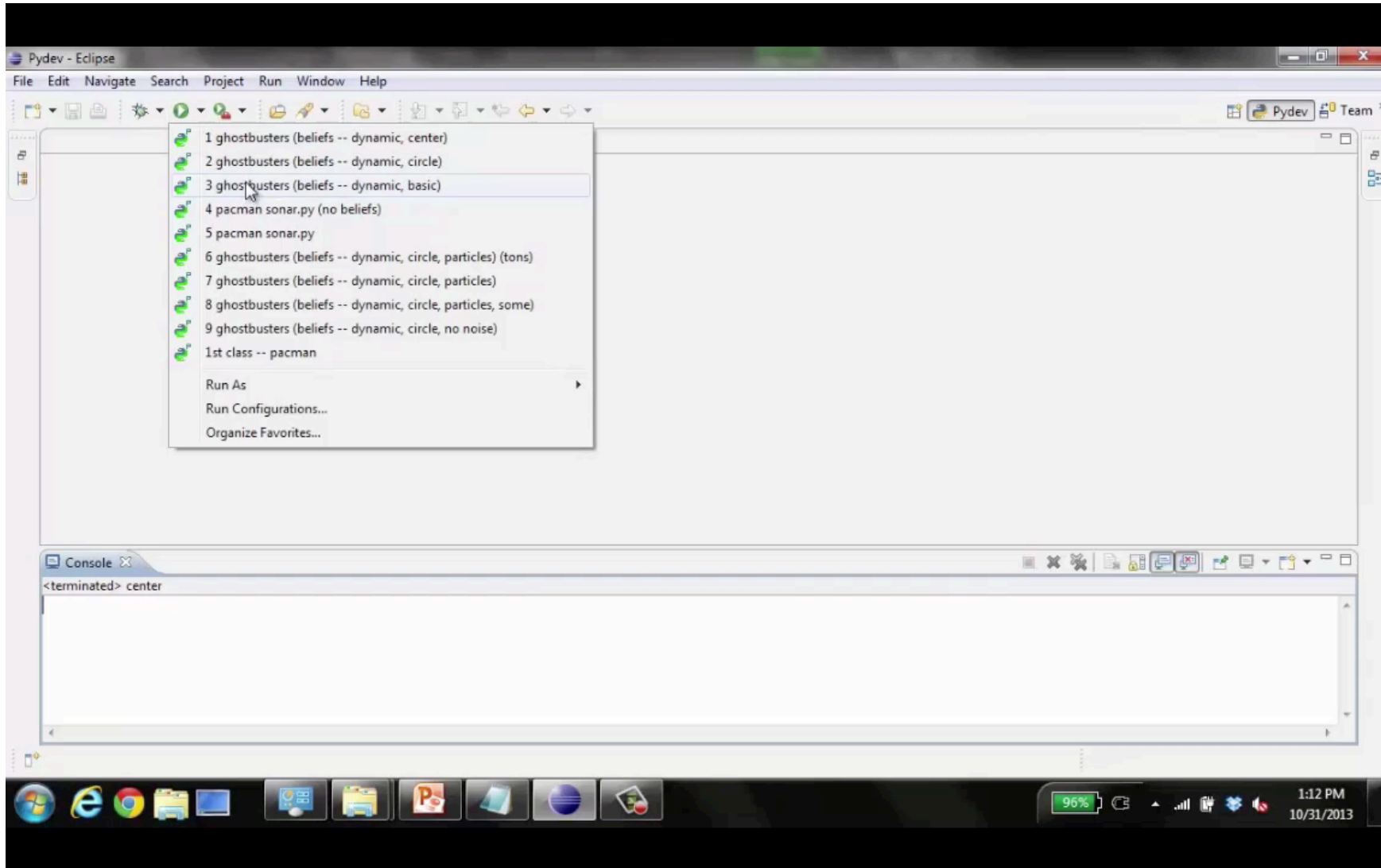
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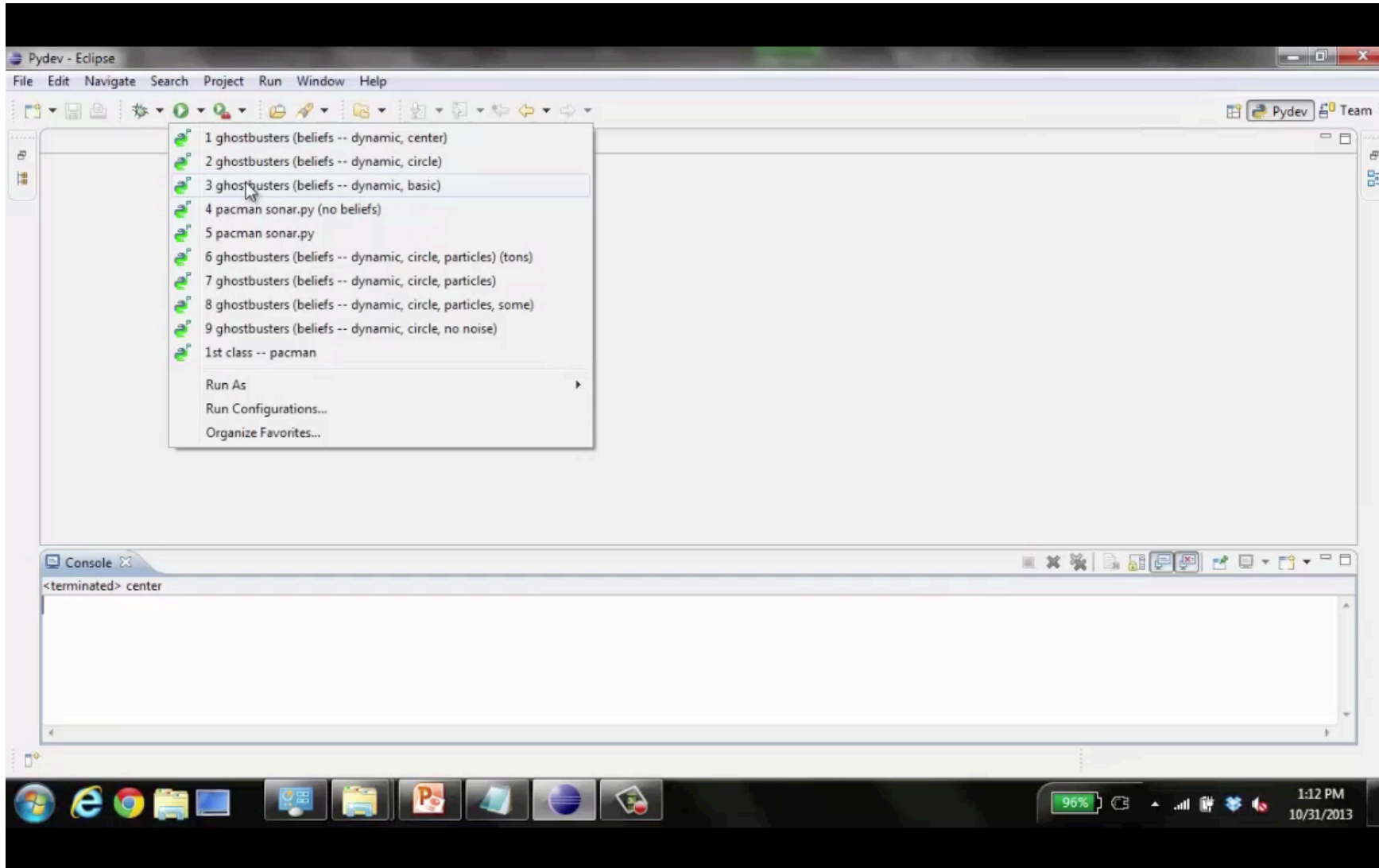
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[Demo: Ghostbusters Exact Filtering]

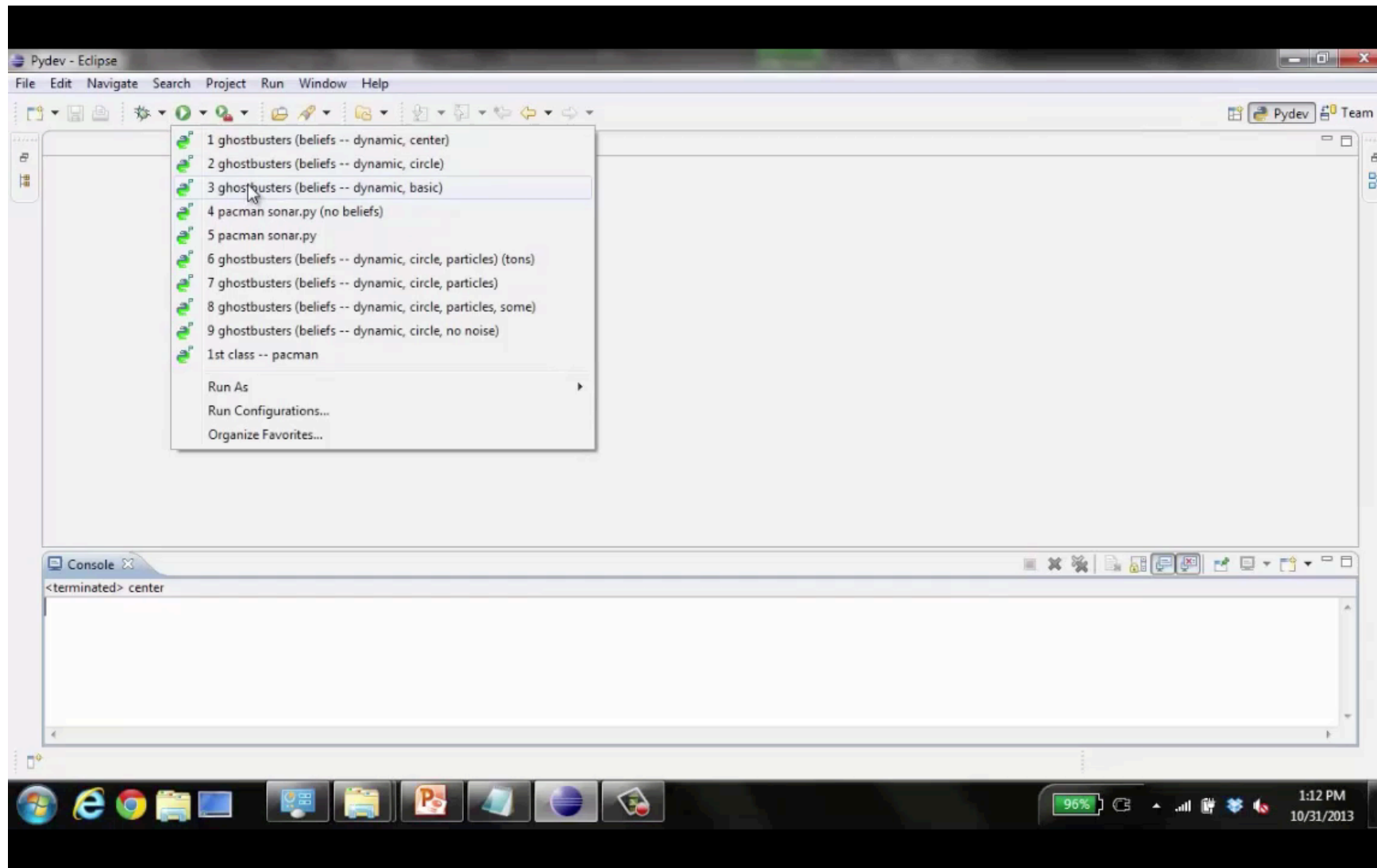
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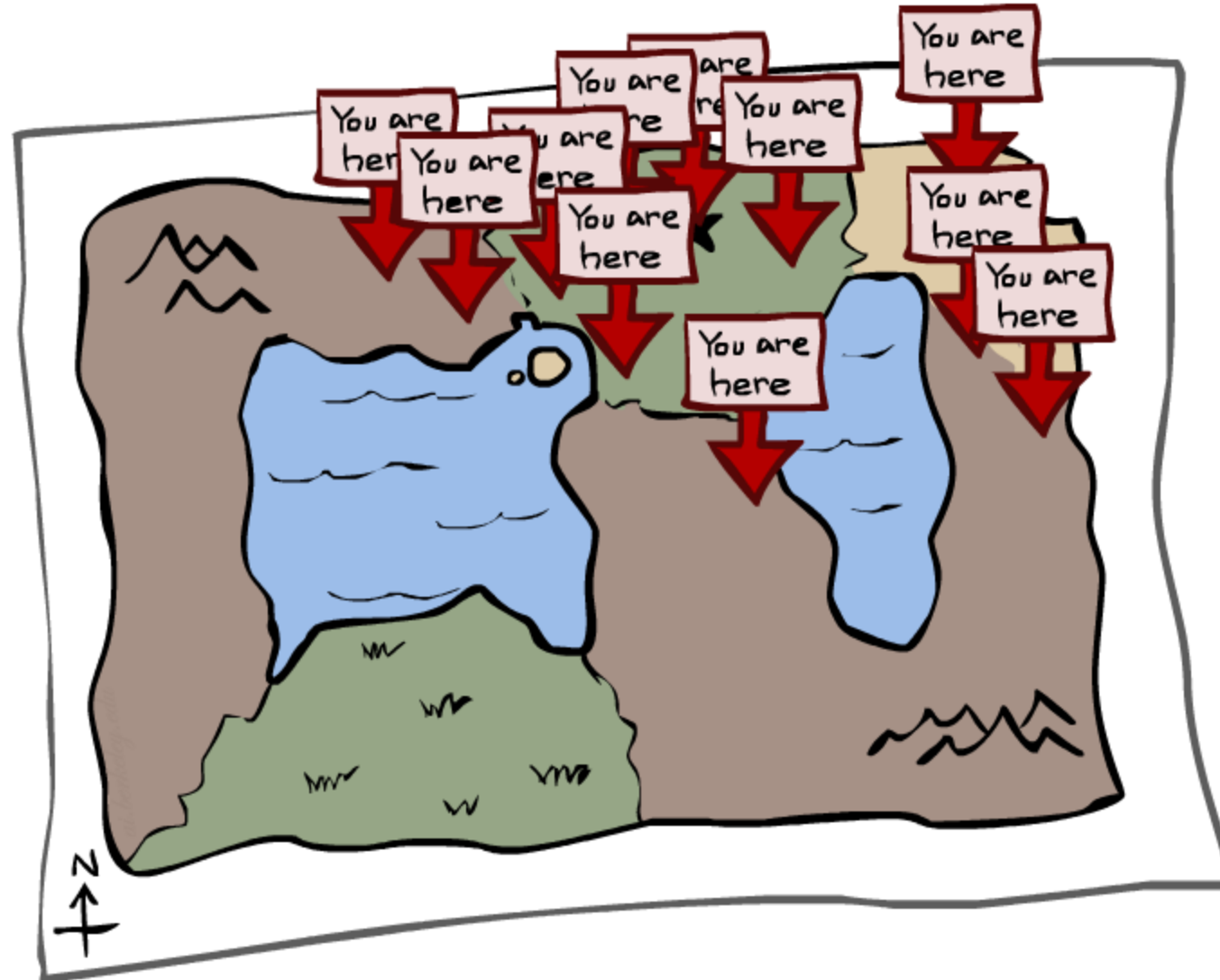
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- This is how robot localization works in practice
- Particle is just new name for sample

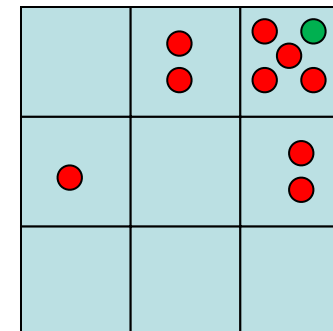
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Representation: Particles

- Our representation of $P(X)$ is now a list of N particles (samples)
 - Generally, $N \ll |X|$
 - Storing map from X to counts would defeat the point
- $P(x)$ approximated by number of particles with value x
 - So, many x may have $P(x) = 0$!
 - More particles, more accuracy
- For now, all particles have a weight of 1



Particles:

(3,3)
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Particle Filtering: Elapse Time

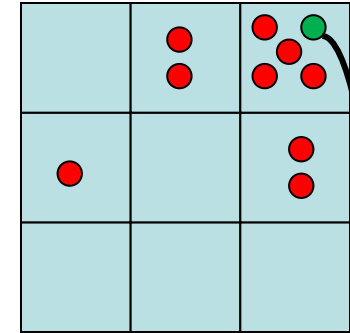
- Each particle is moved by sampling its next position from the transition model

$$x' = \text{sample}(P(X'|x))$$

- This is like prior sampling - samples' frequencies reflect the transition probabilities
- Here, most samples move clockwise, but some move in another direction or stay in place
- This captures the passage of time
 - If enough samples, close to exact values before and after (consistent)

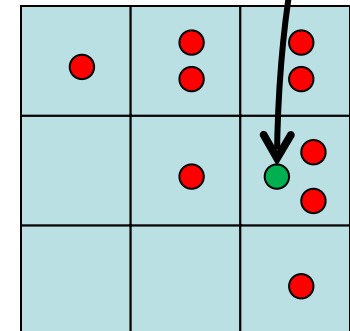
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Particle Filtering: Observe

- Slightly trickier:

- Don't sample observation, fix it
- Similar to likelihood weighting, downweight samples based on the evidence

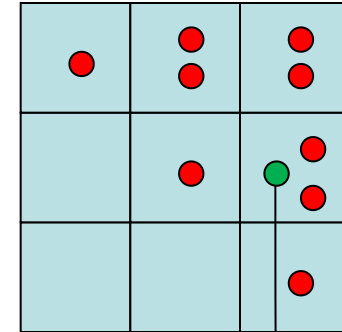
$$w(x) = P(e|x)$$

$$B(X) \propto P(e|X)B'(X)$$

- As before, the probabilities don't sum to one, since all have been downweighted (in fact they now sum to (N times) an approximation of $P(e)$)

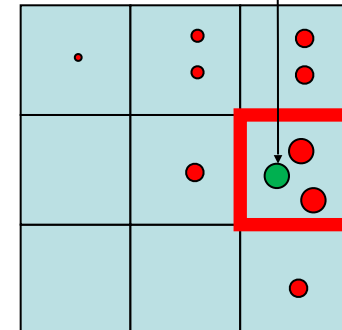
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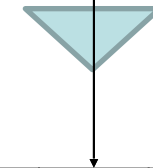
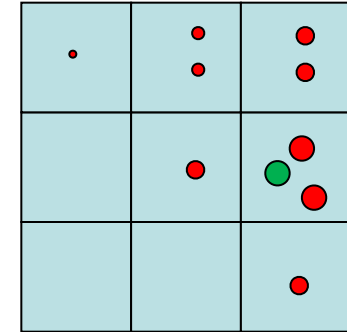


Particle Filtering: Resample

- Rather than tracking weighted samples, we resample
- N times, we choose from our weighted sample distribution (i.e. draw with replacement)
- This is equivalent to renormalizing the distribution
- Now the update is complete for this time step, continue with the next one

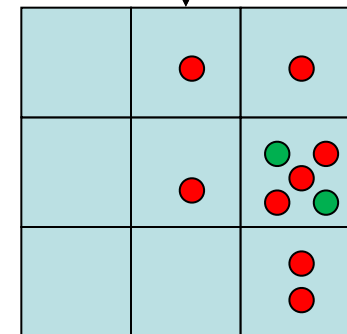
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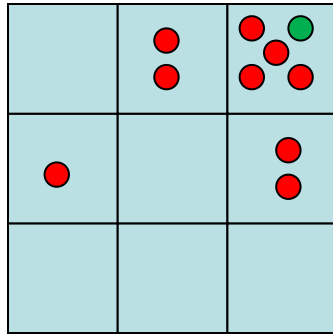
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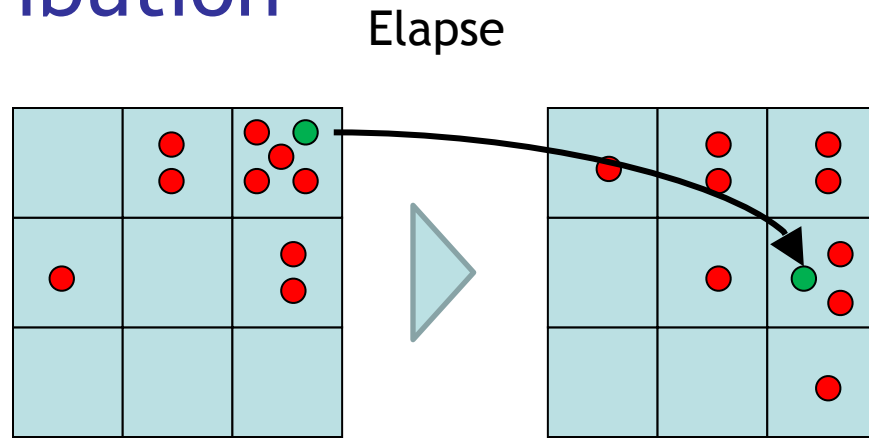
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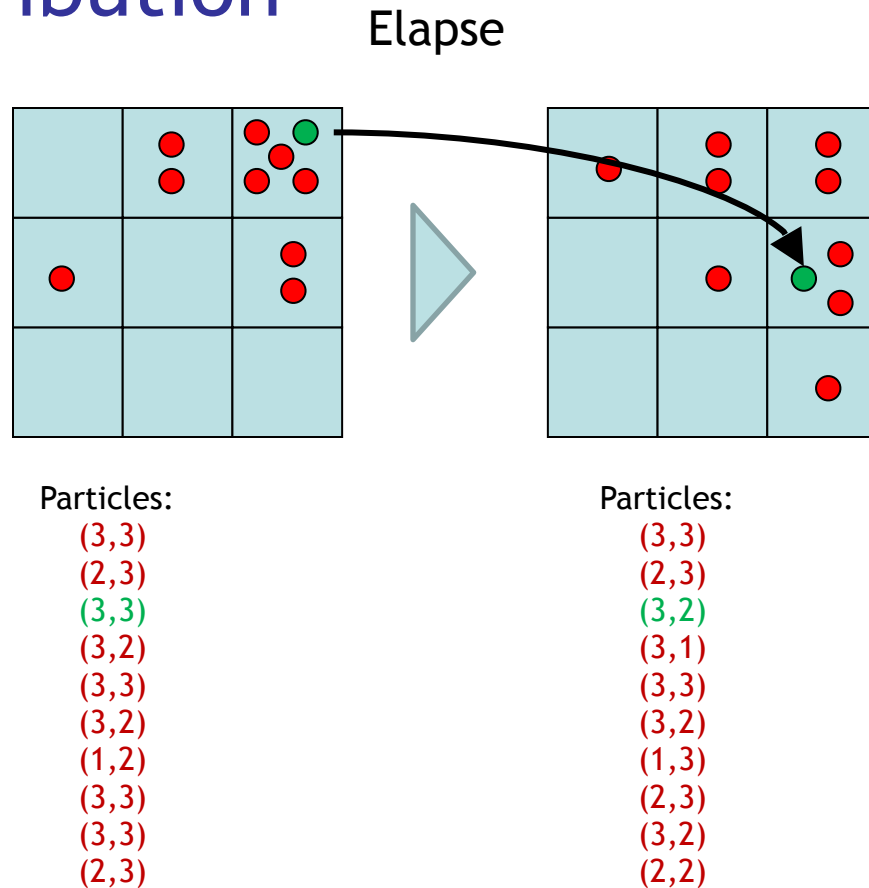


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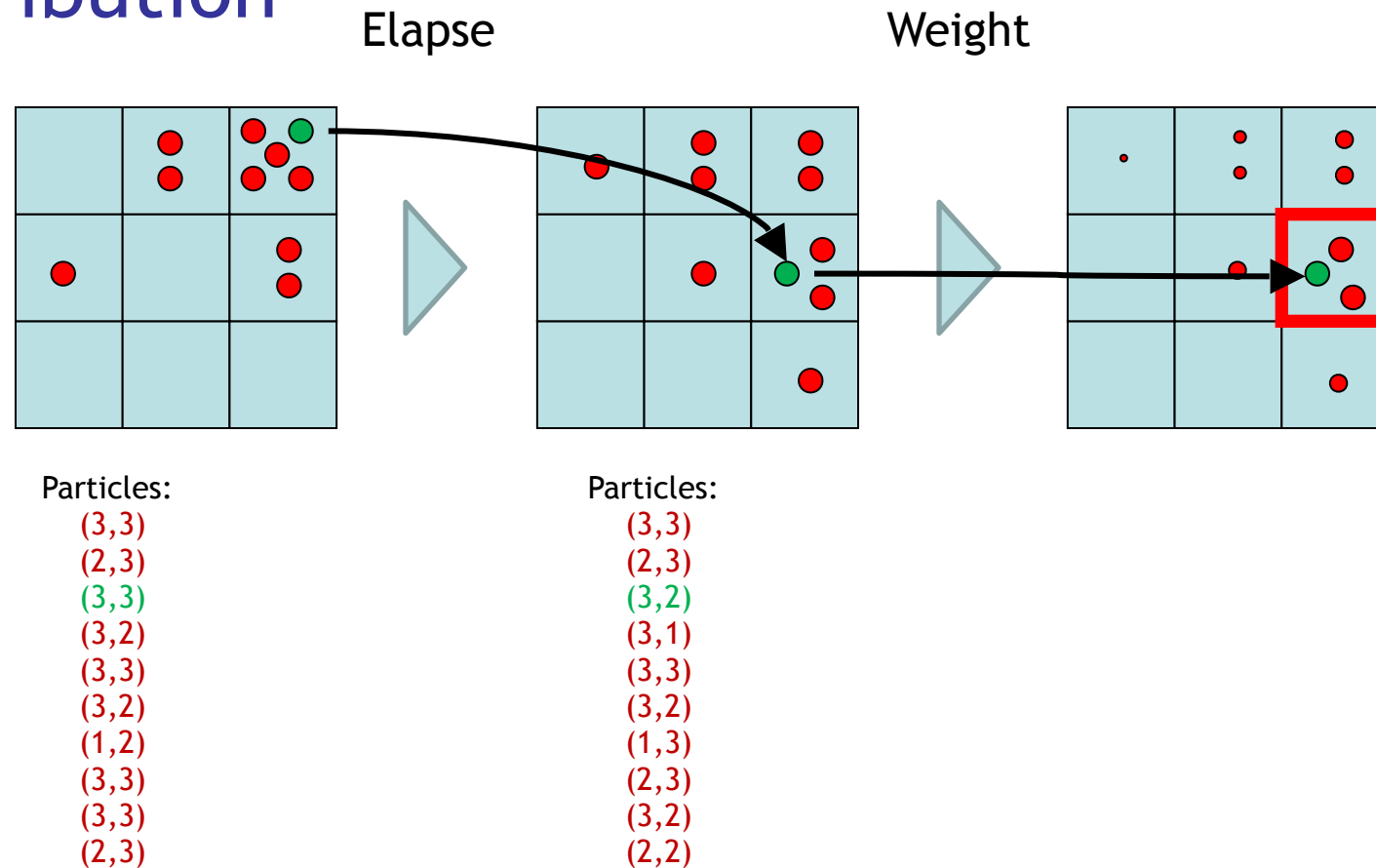
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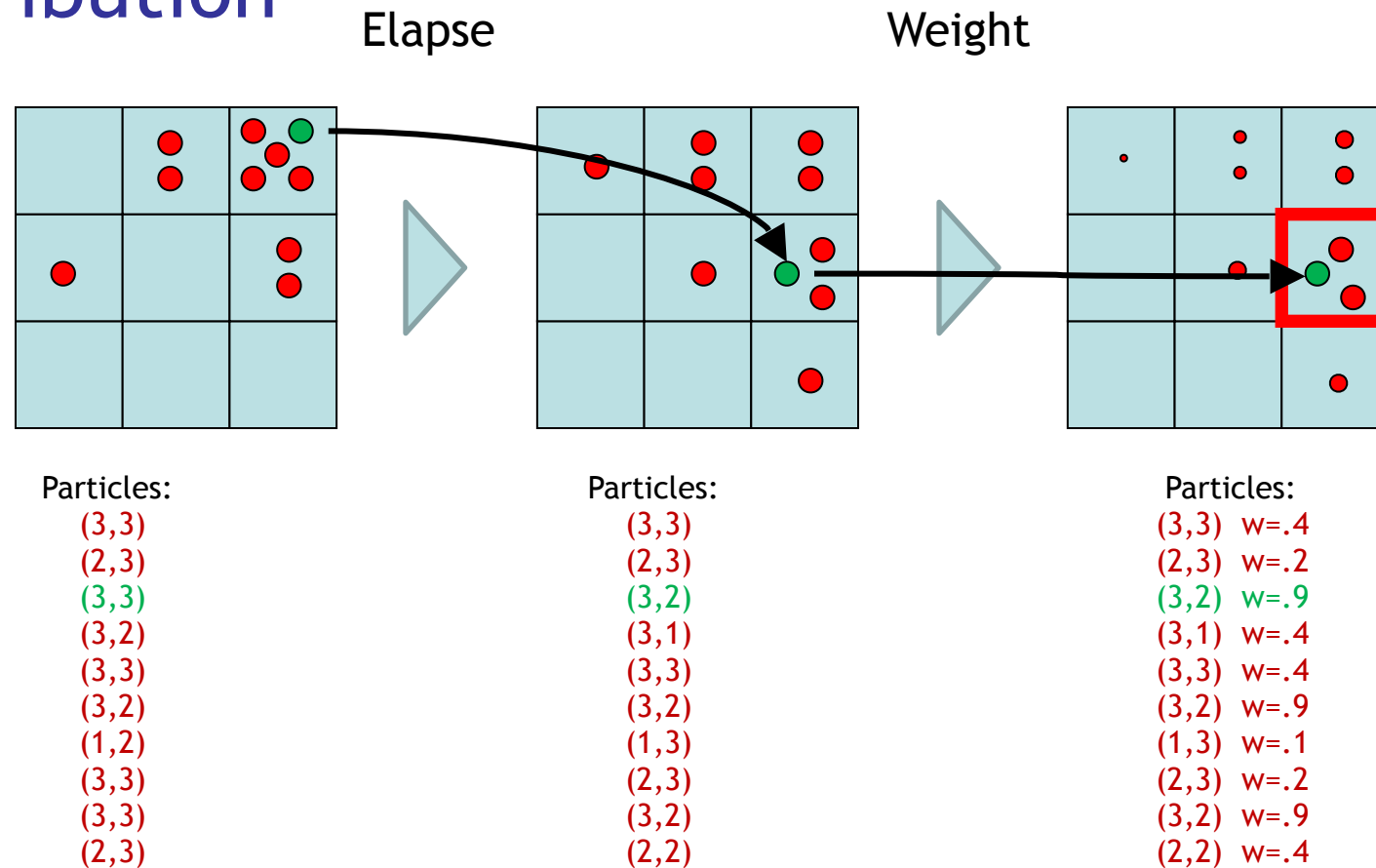
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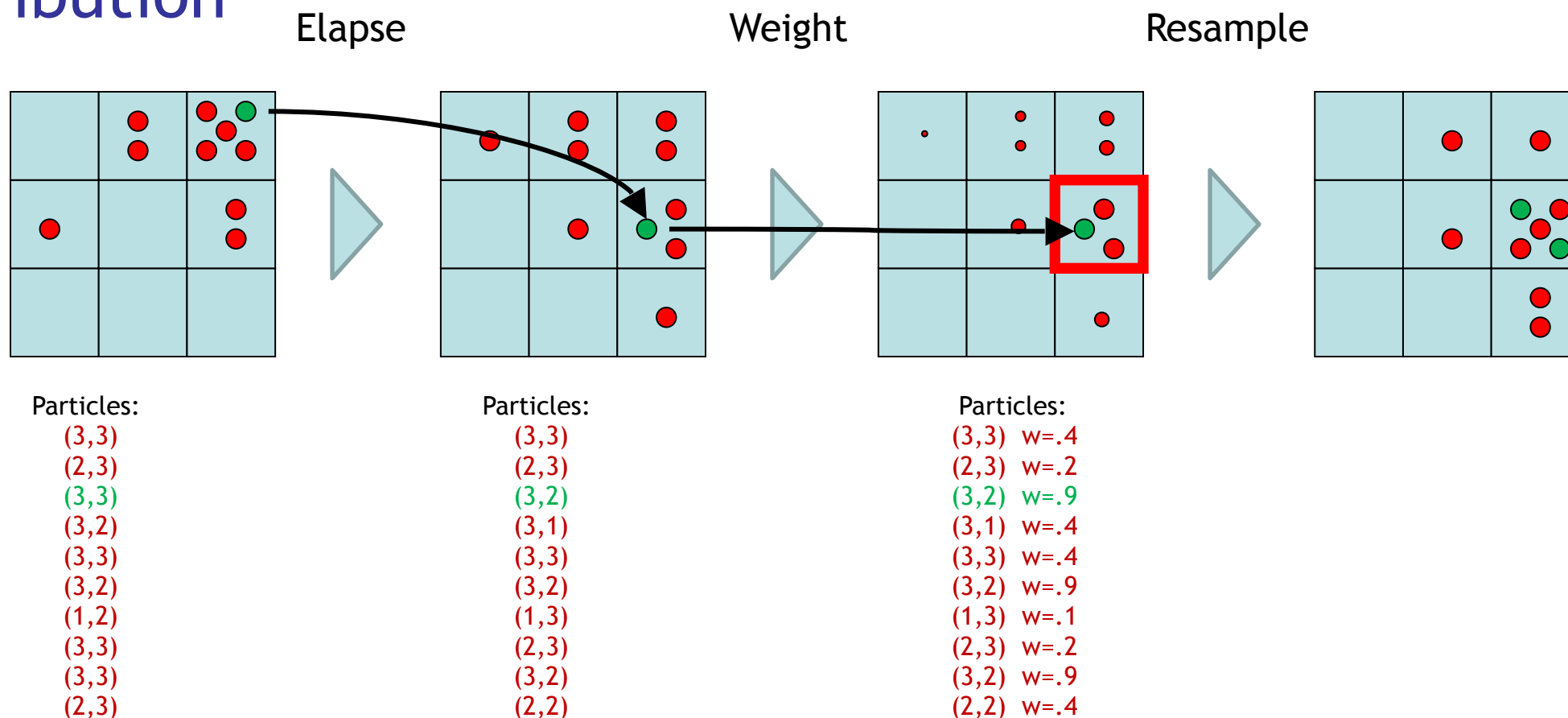
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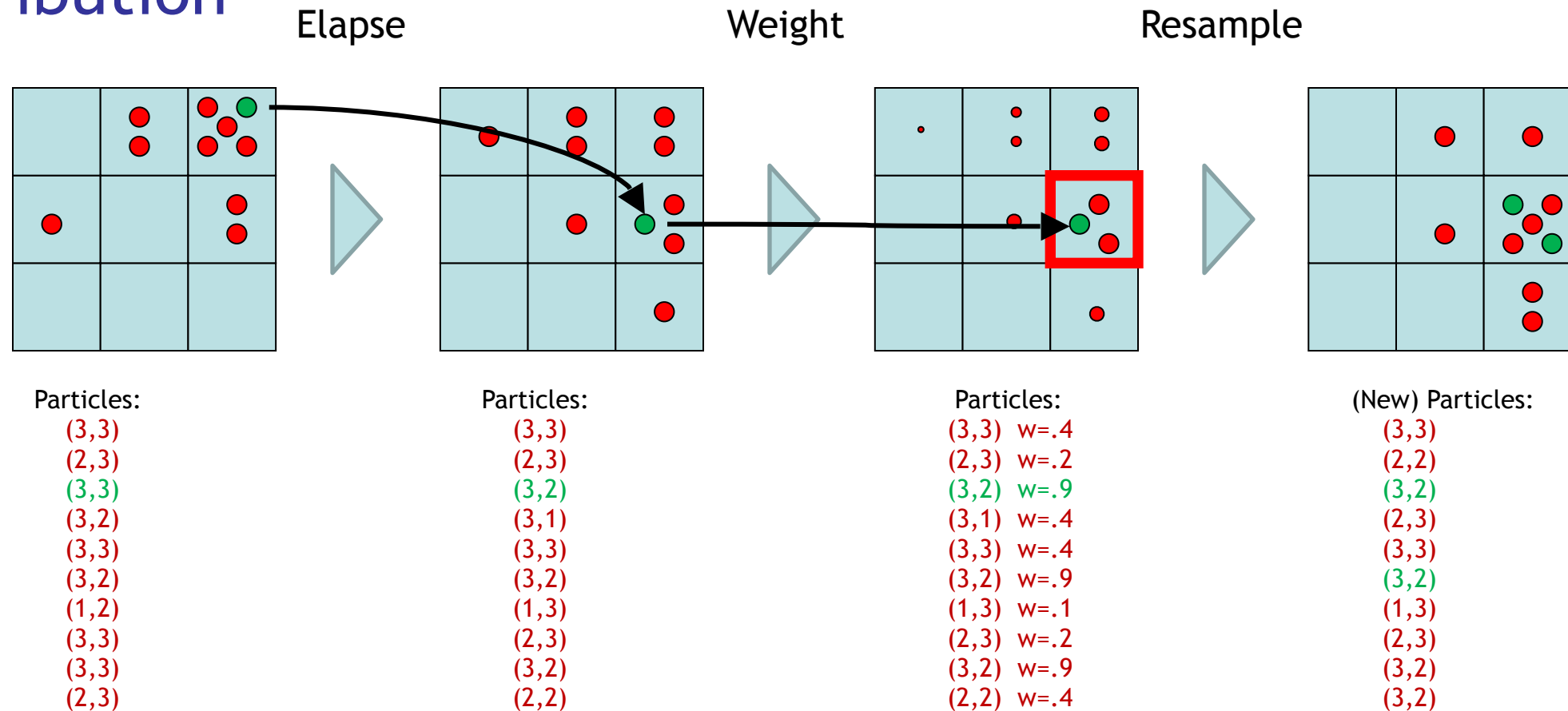
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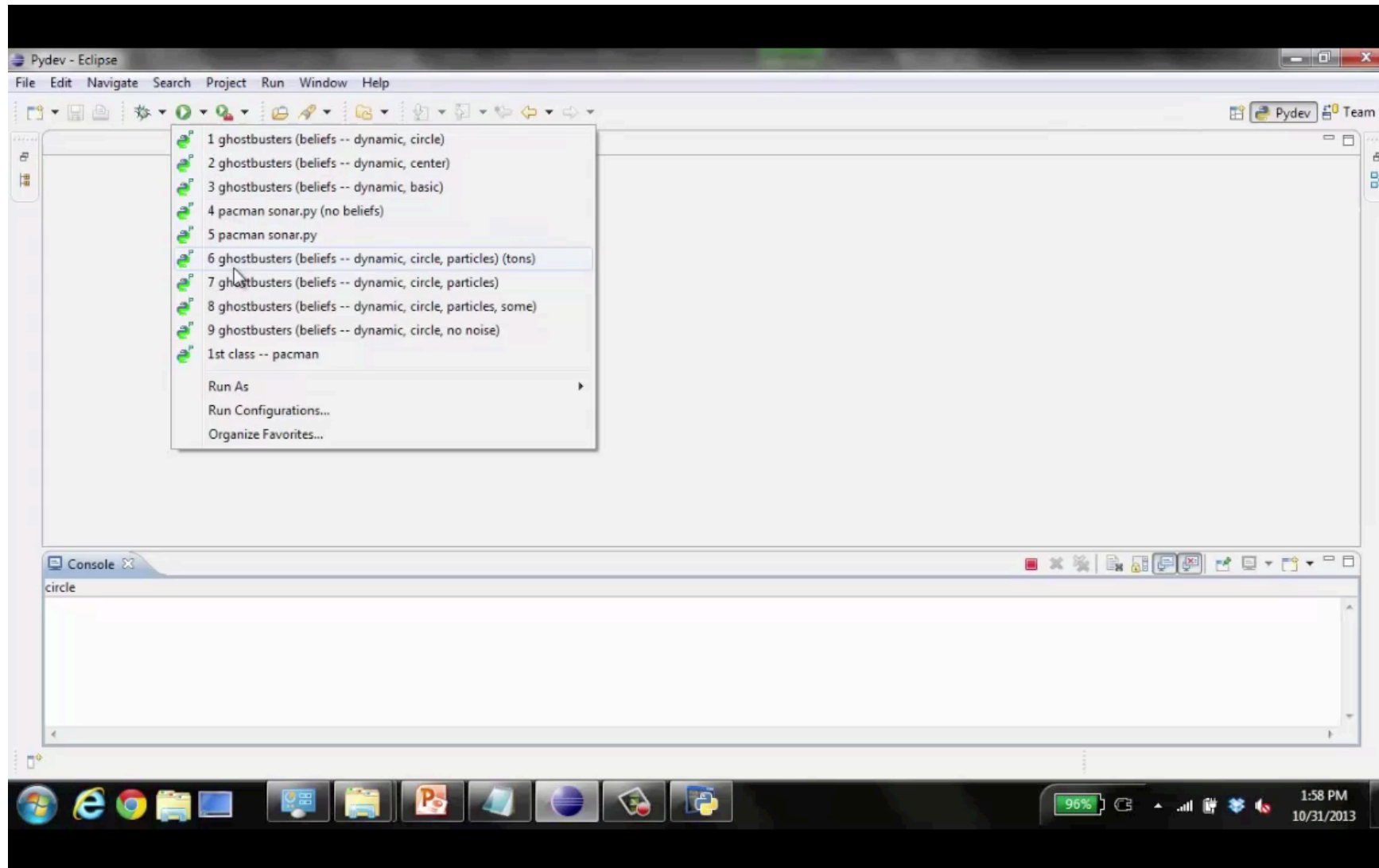


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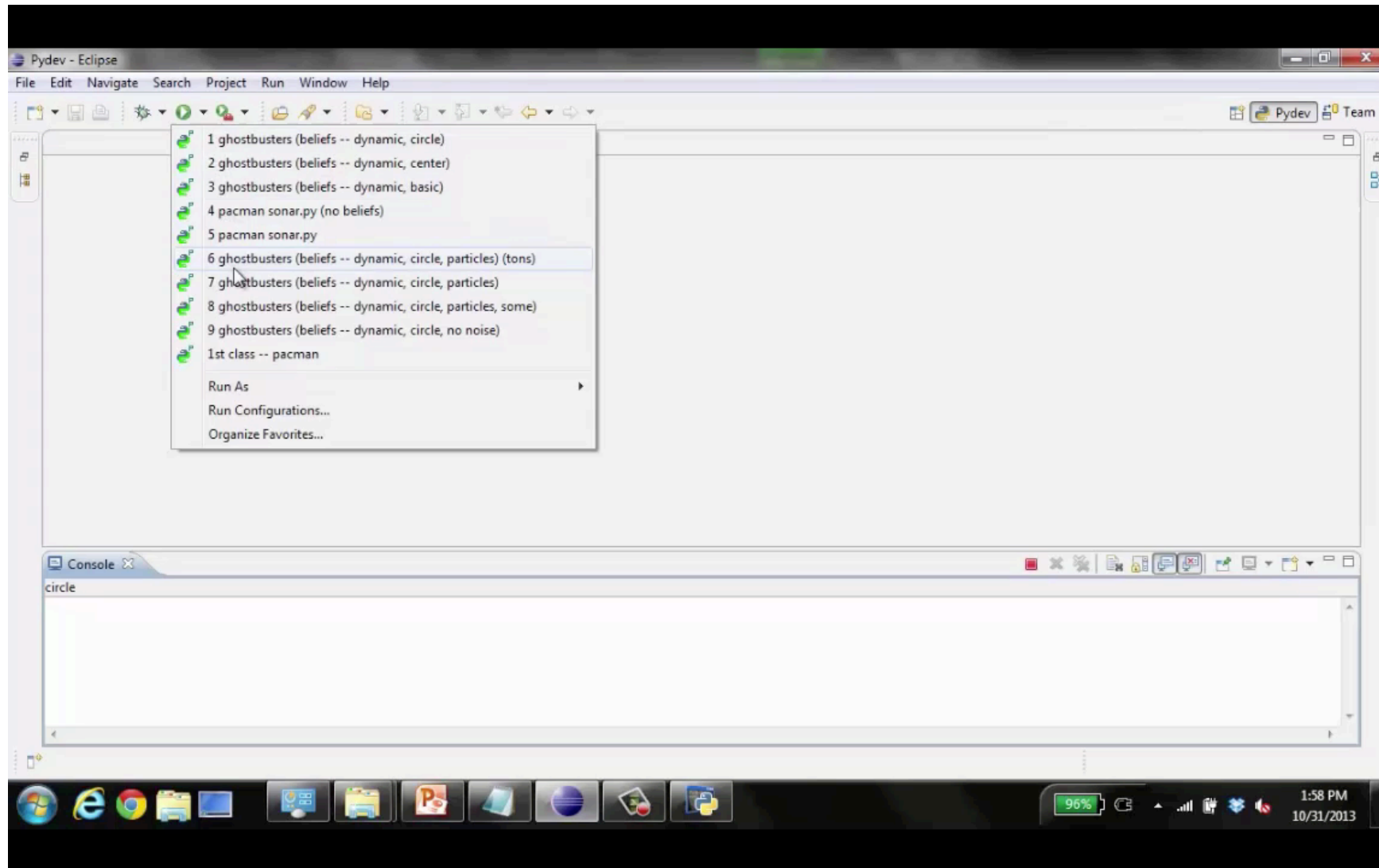
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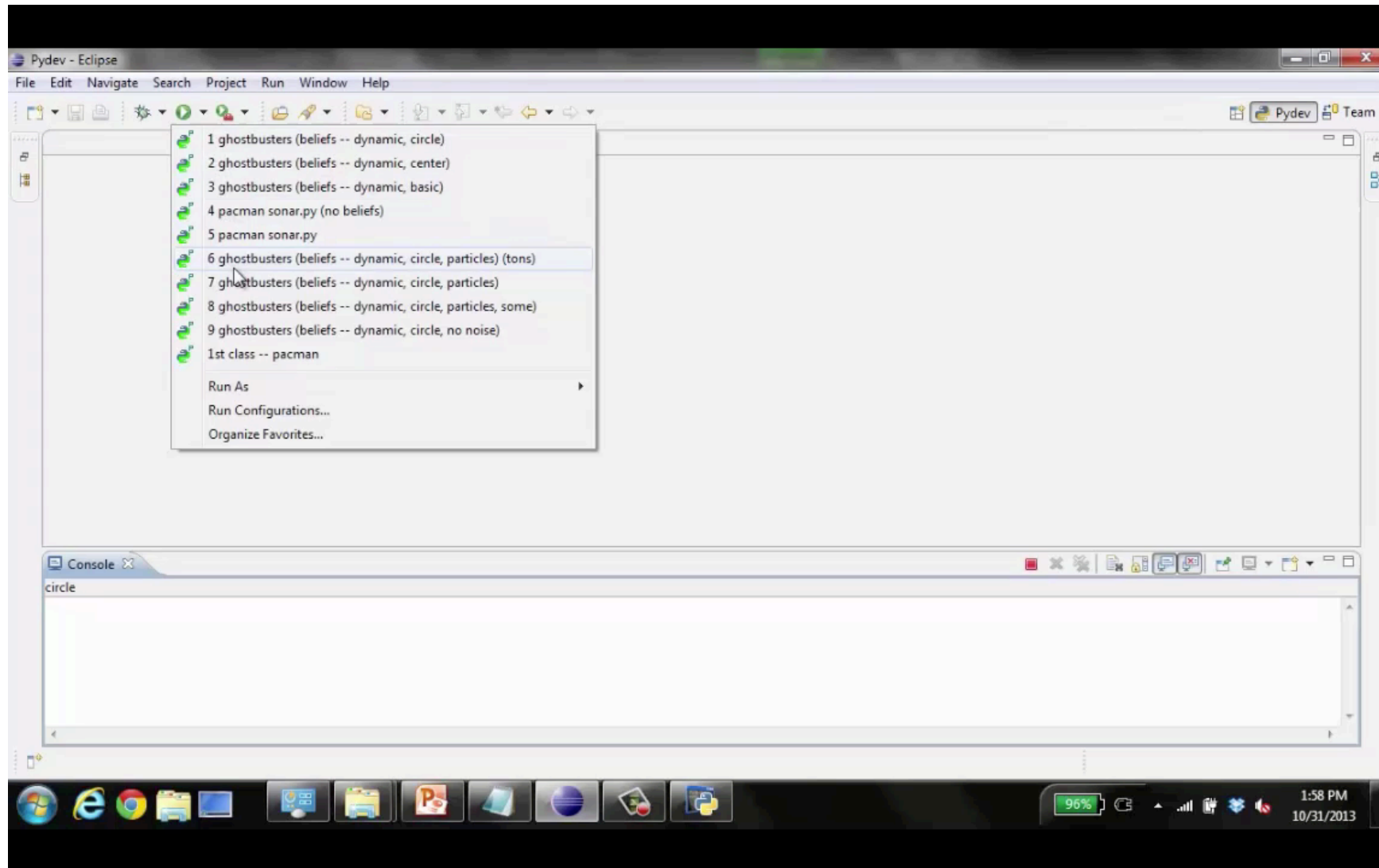
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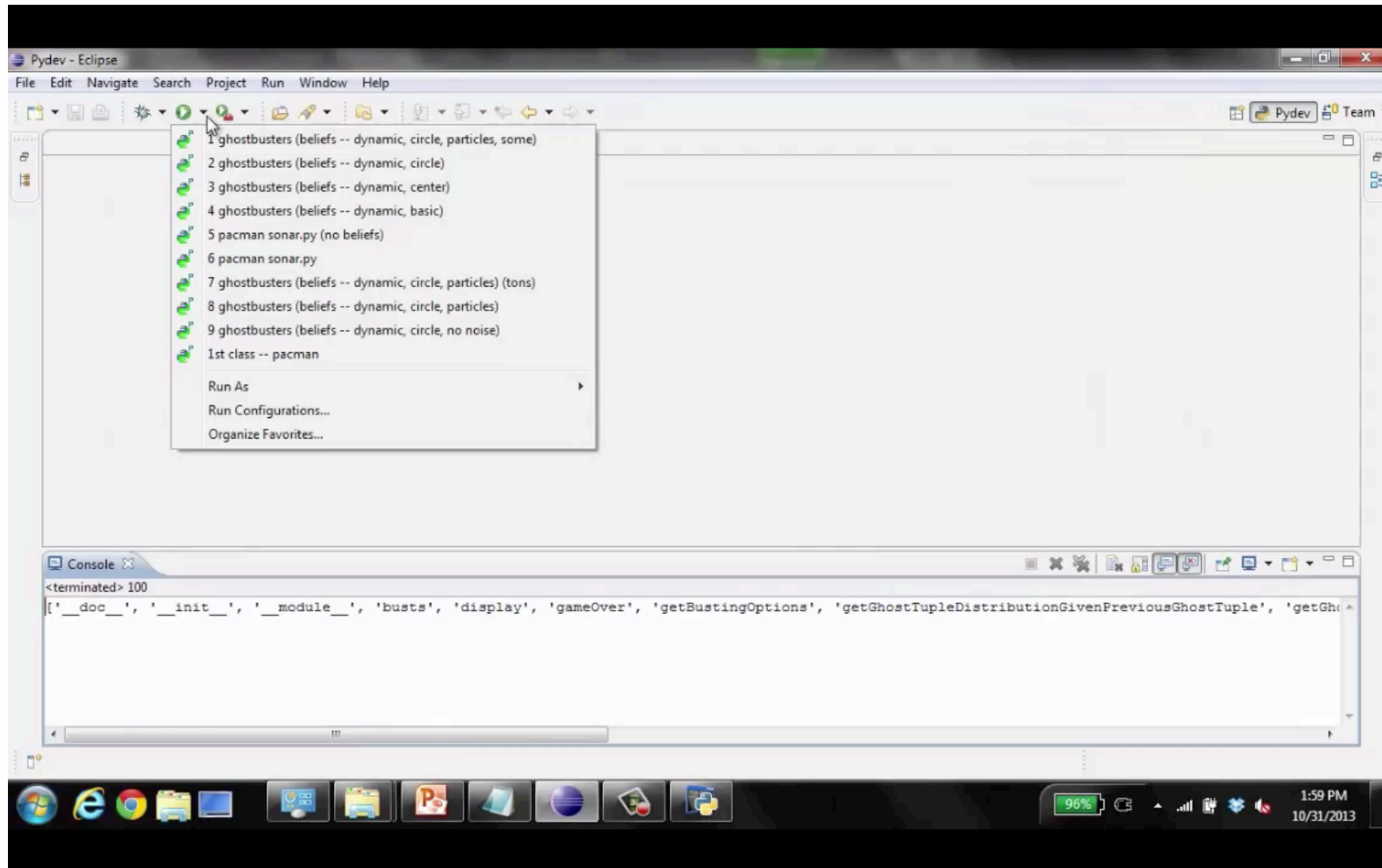
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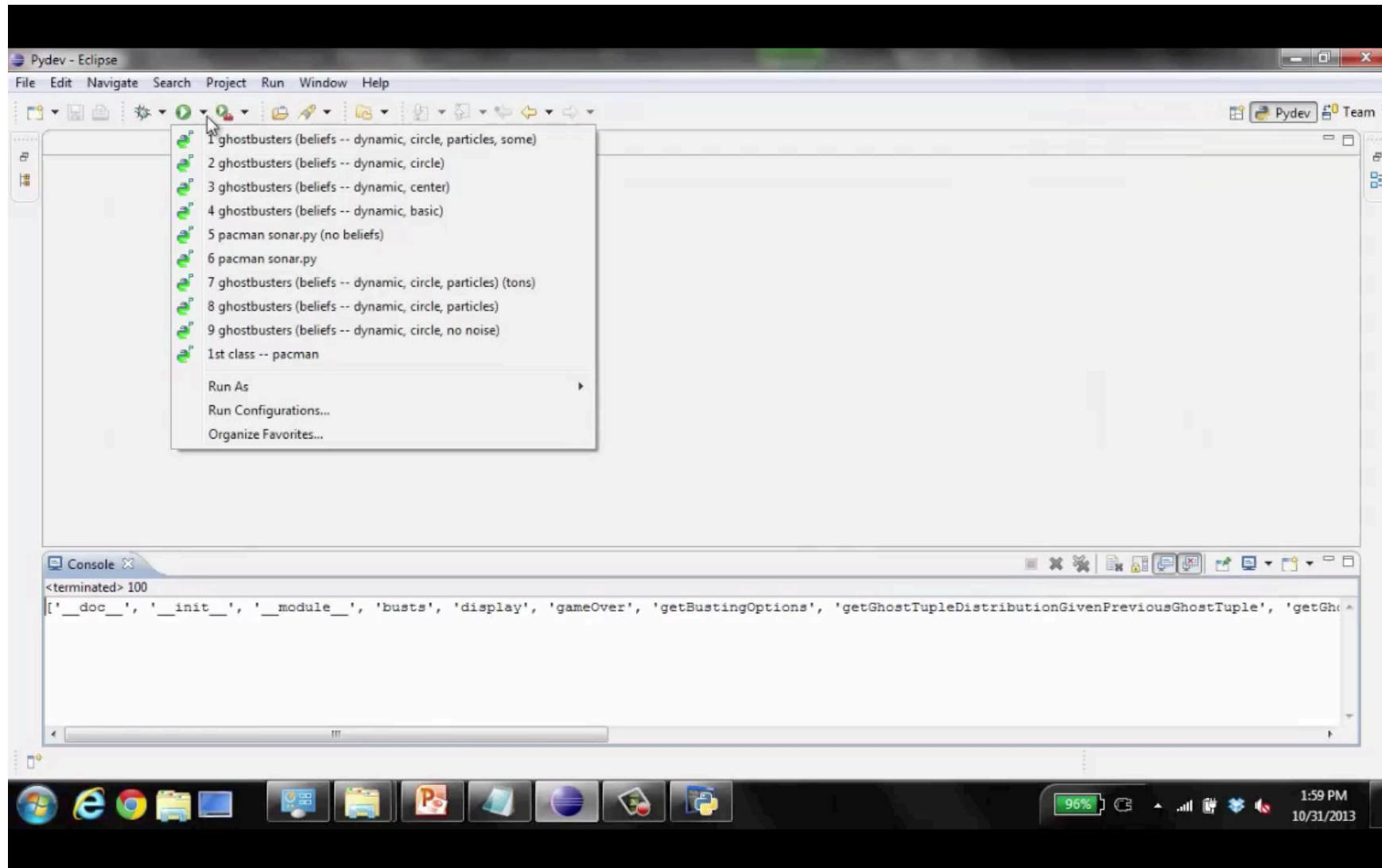
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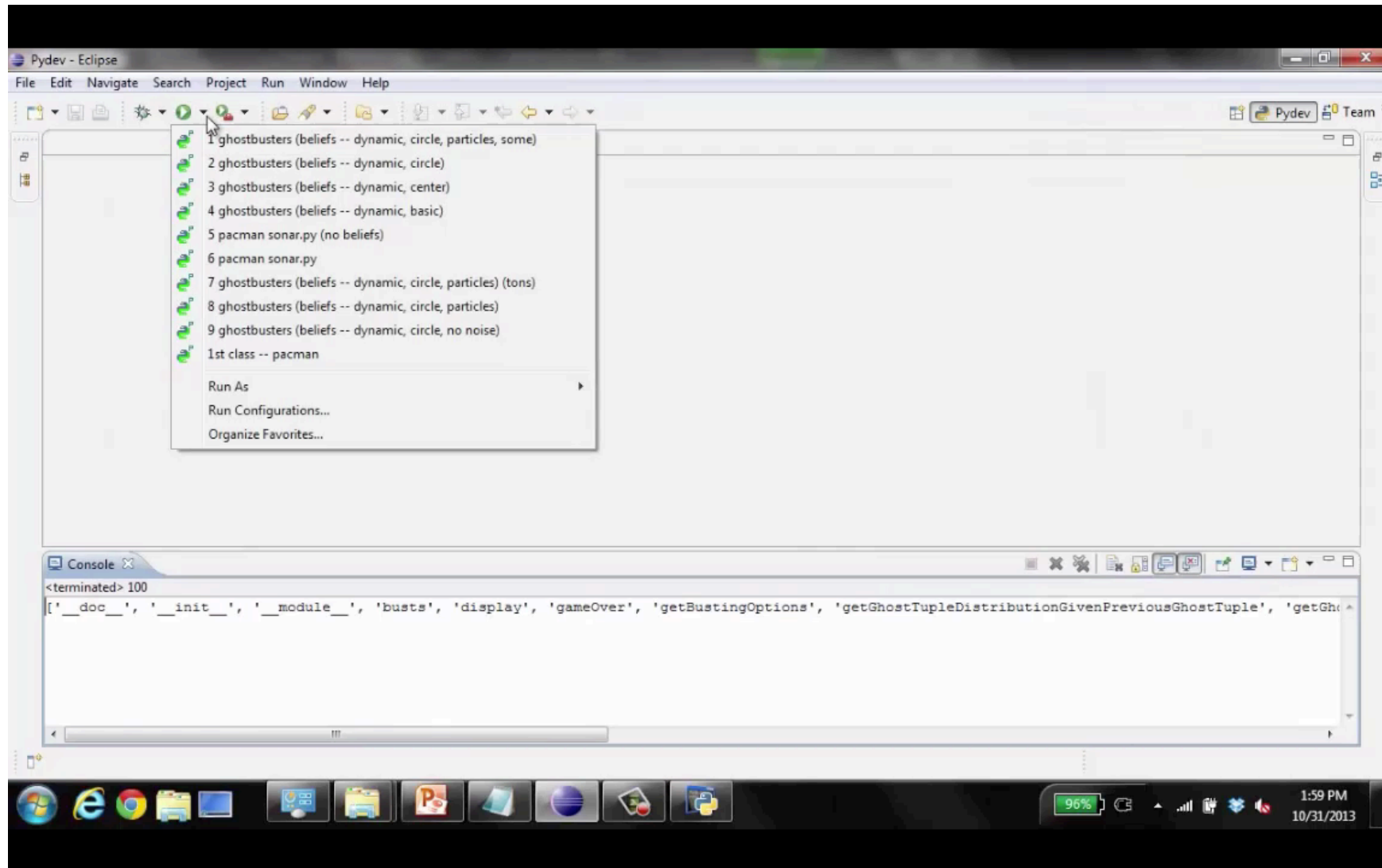
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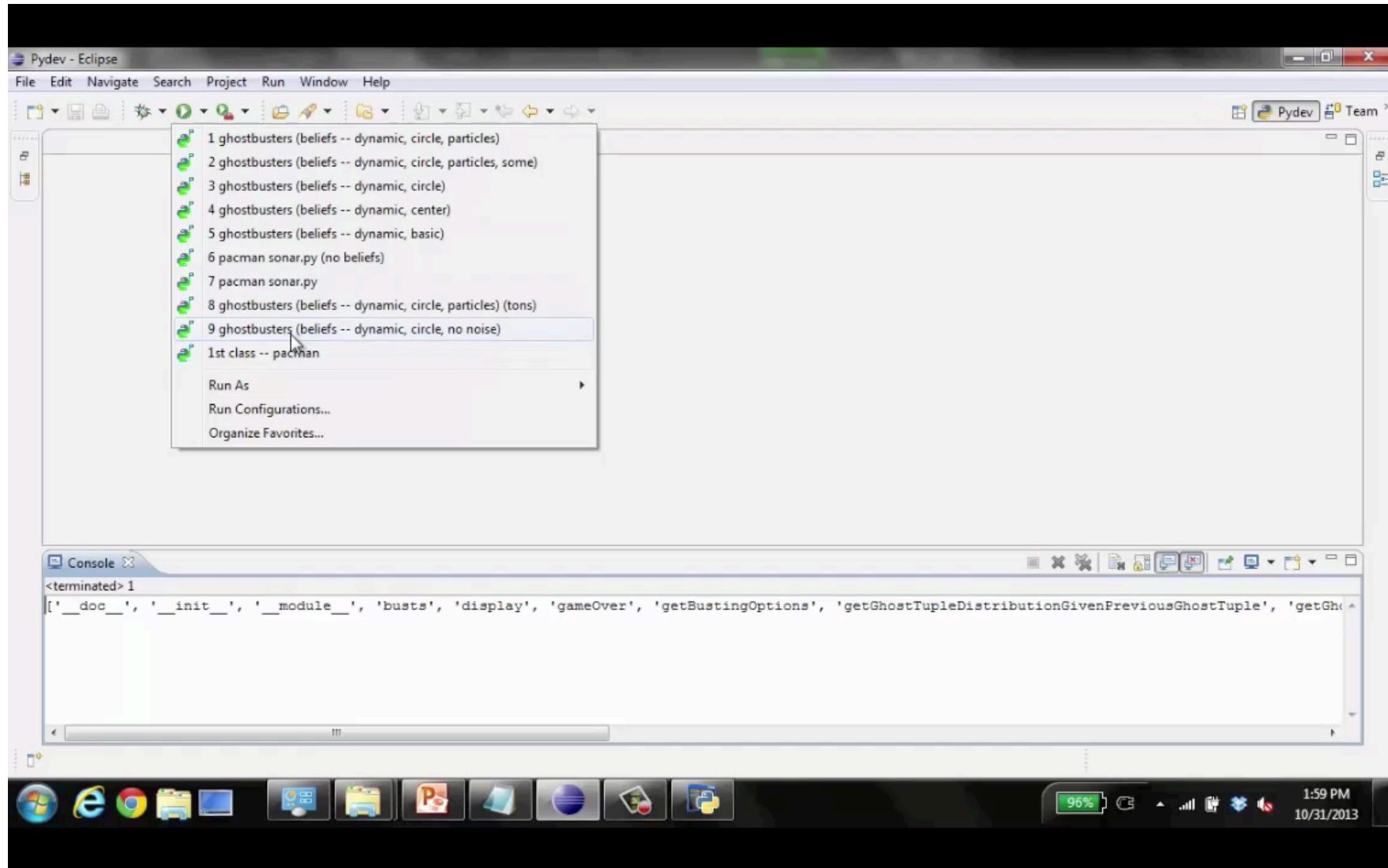
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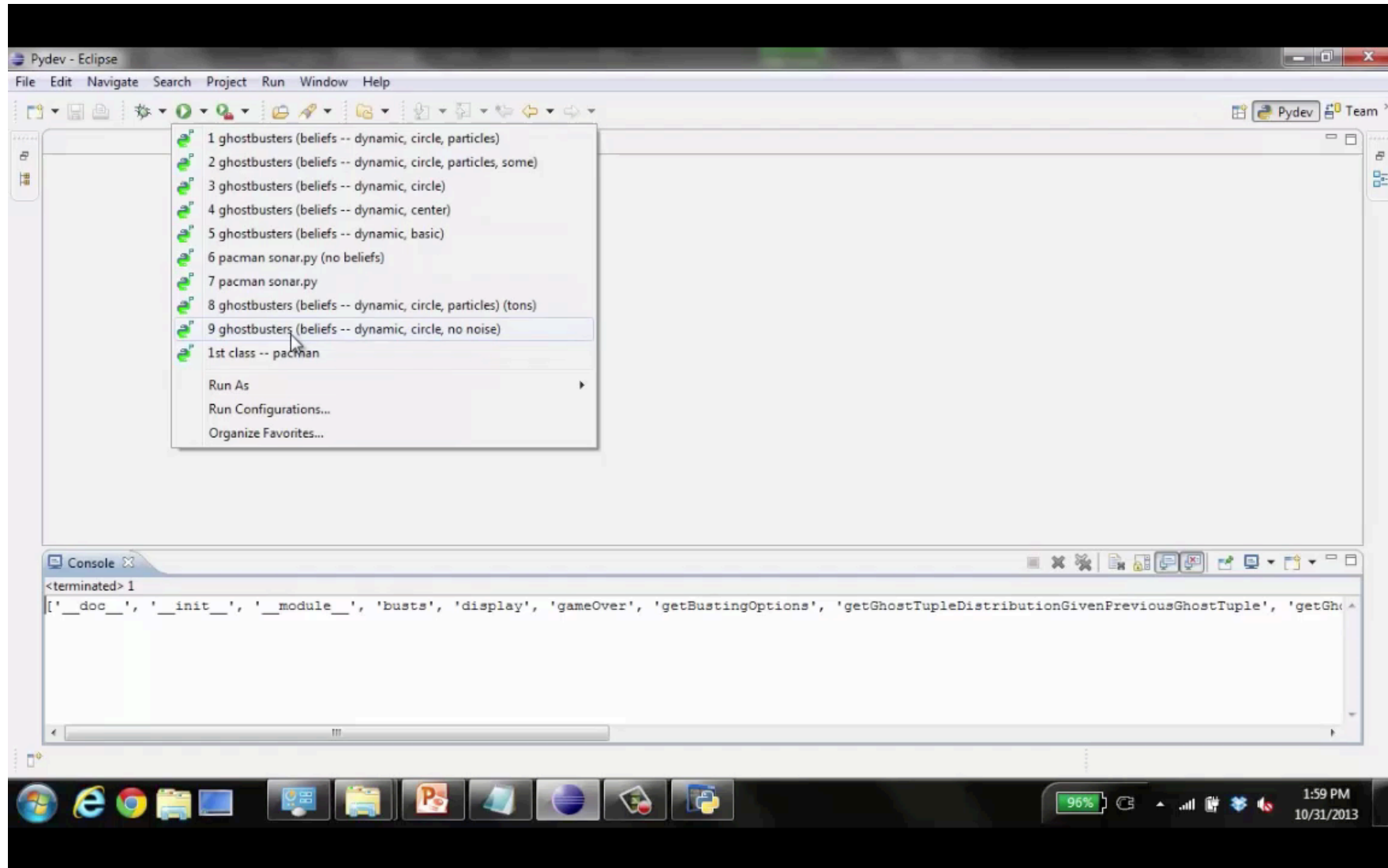
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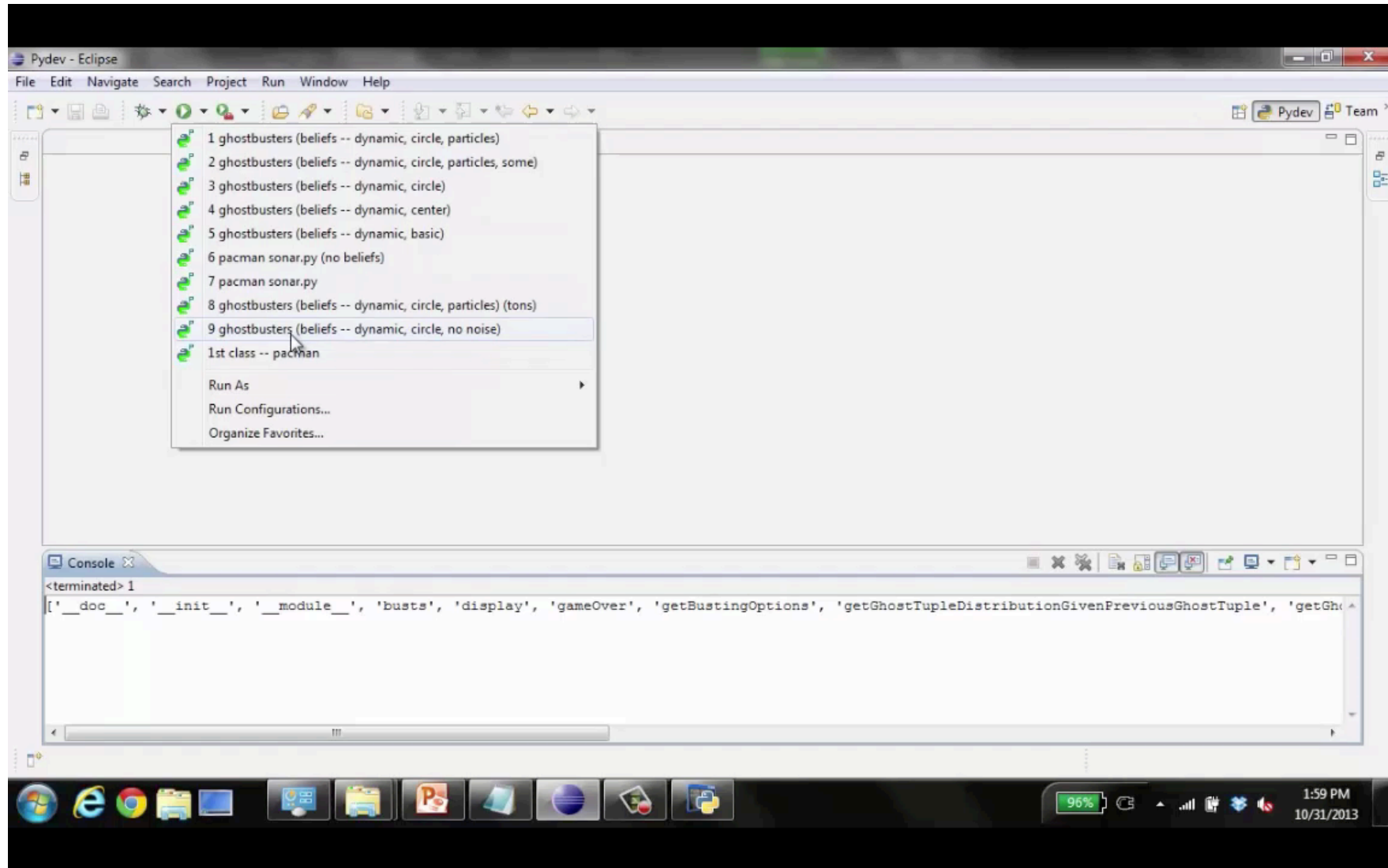
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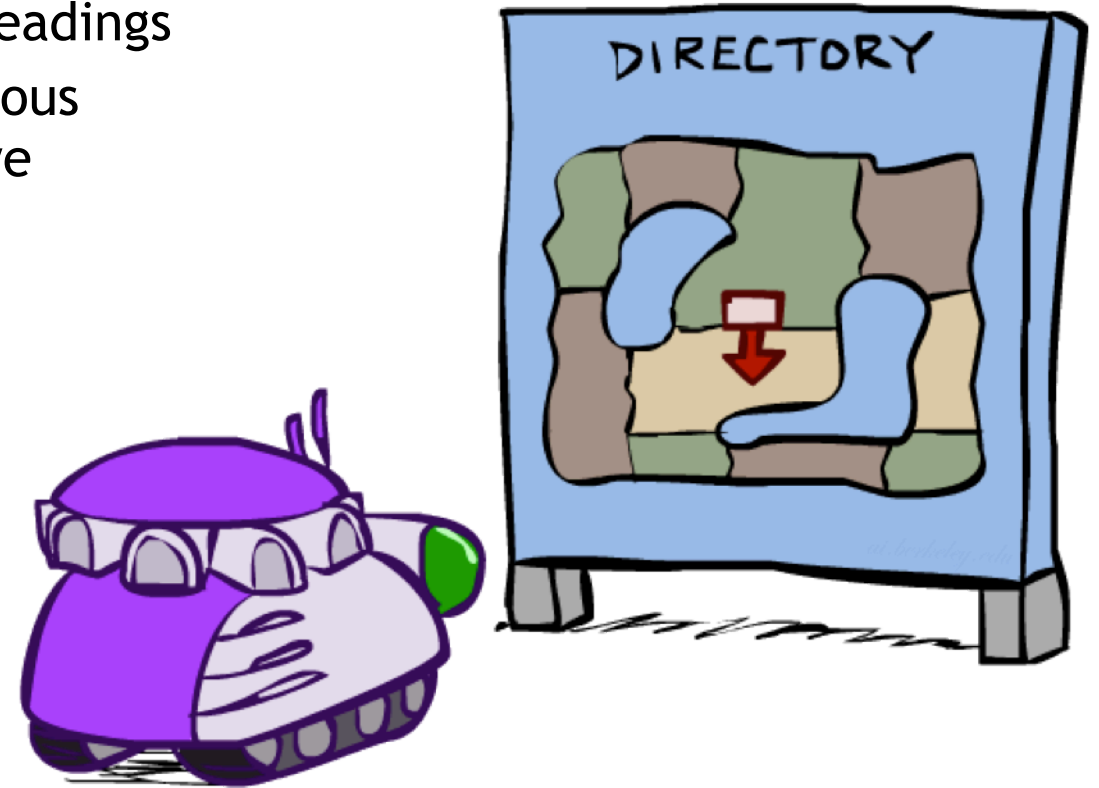
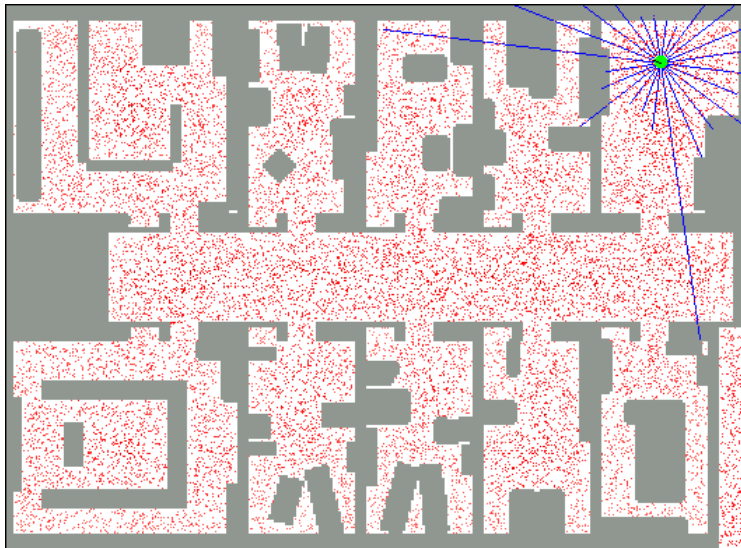


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- In robot localization:
 - We know the map, but not the robot's position
 - Observations may be vectors of range finder readings
 - State space and readings are typically continuous (works basically like a very fine grid) and so we cannot store $B(X)$
 - Particle filtering is a main technique



Particle Filter Localization (Sonar)



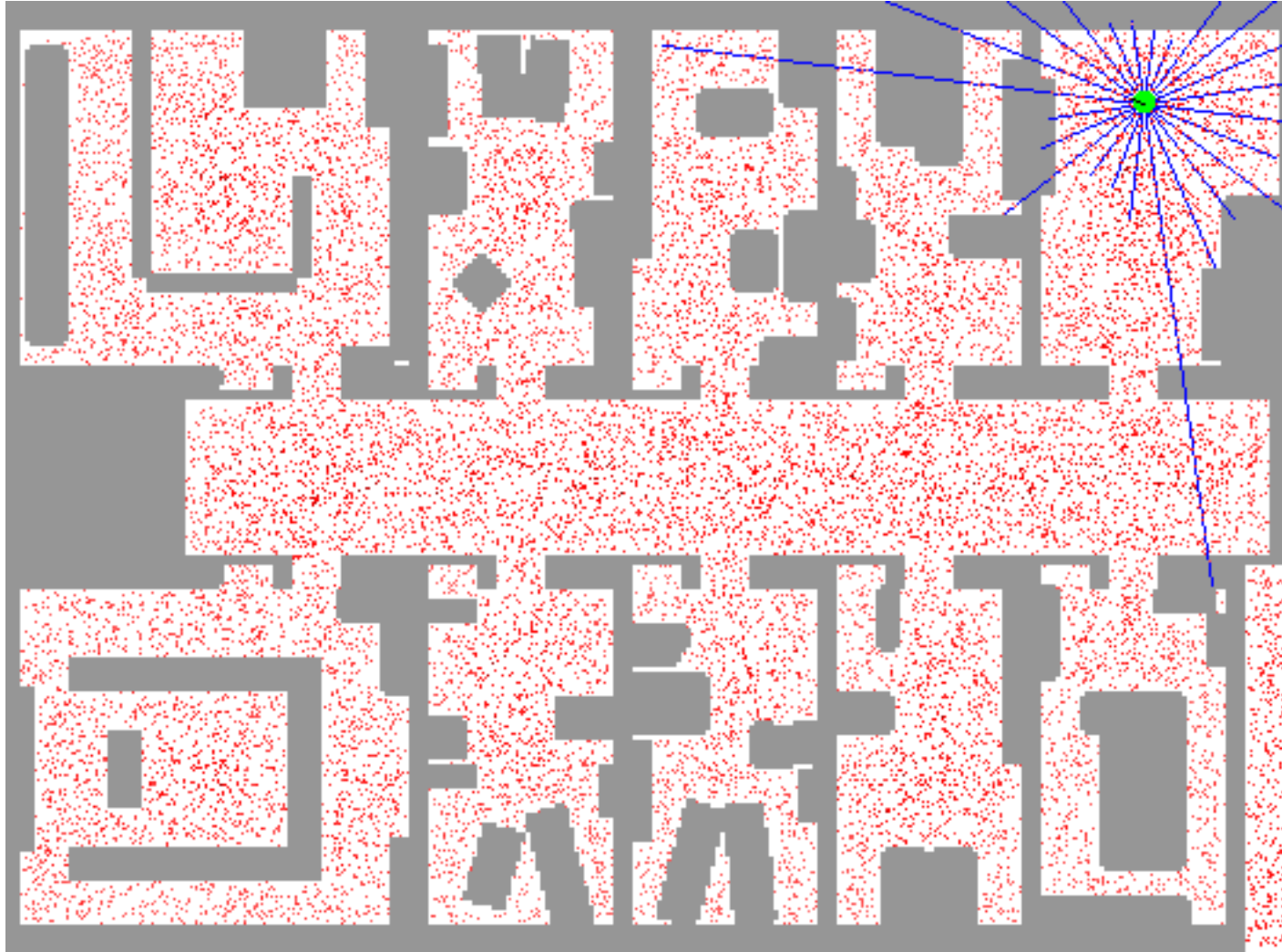
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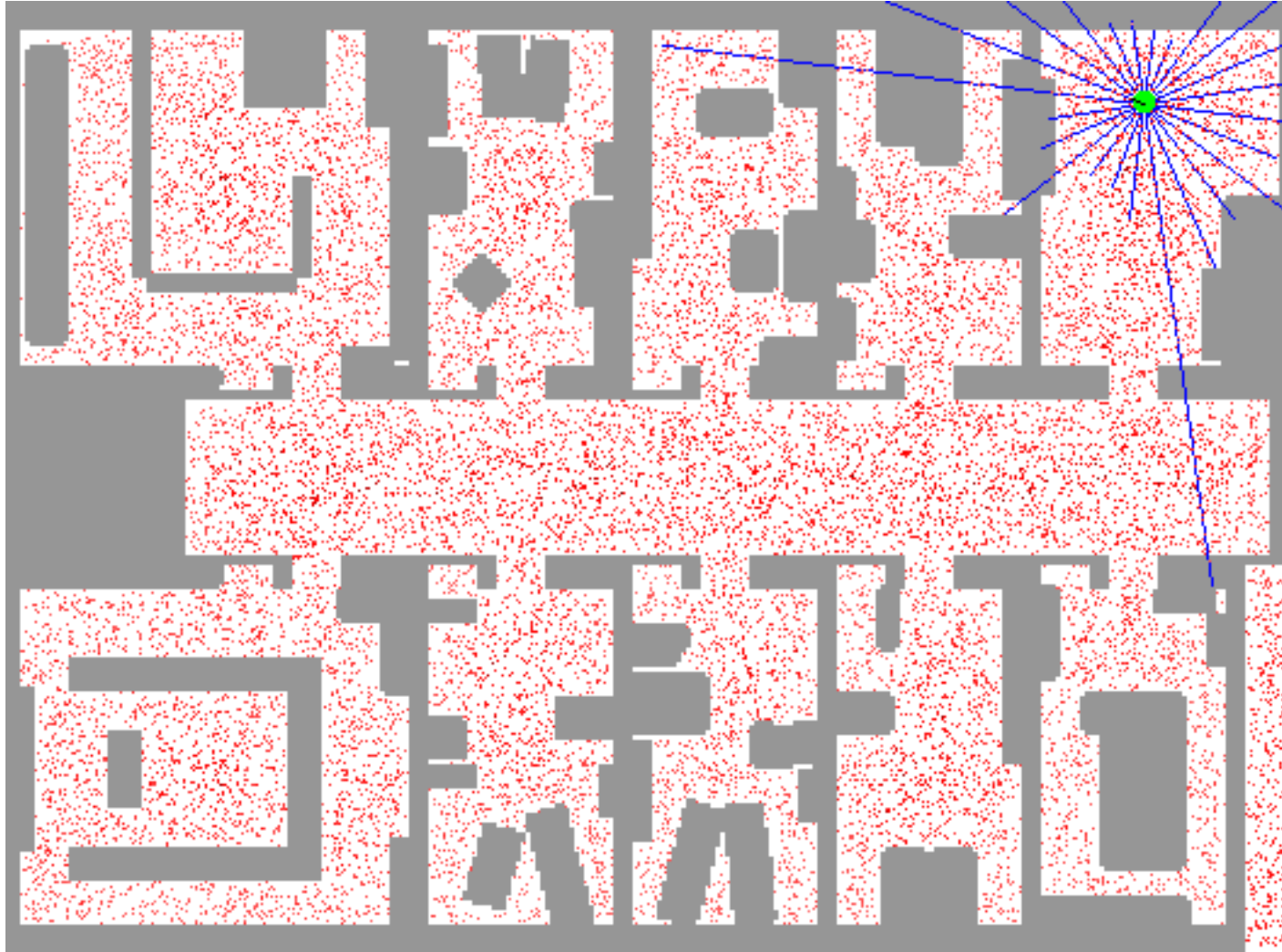


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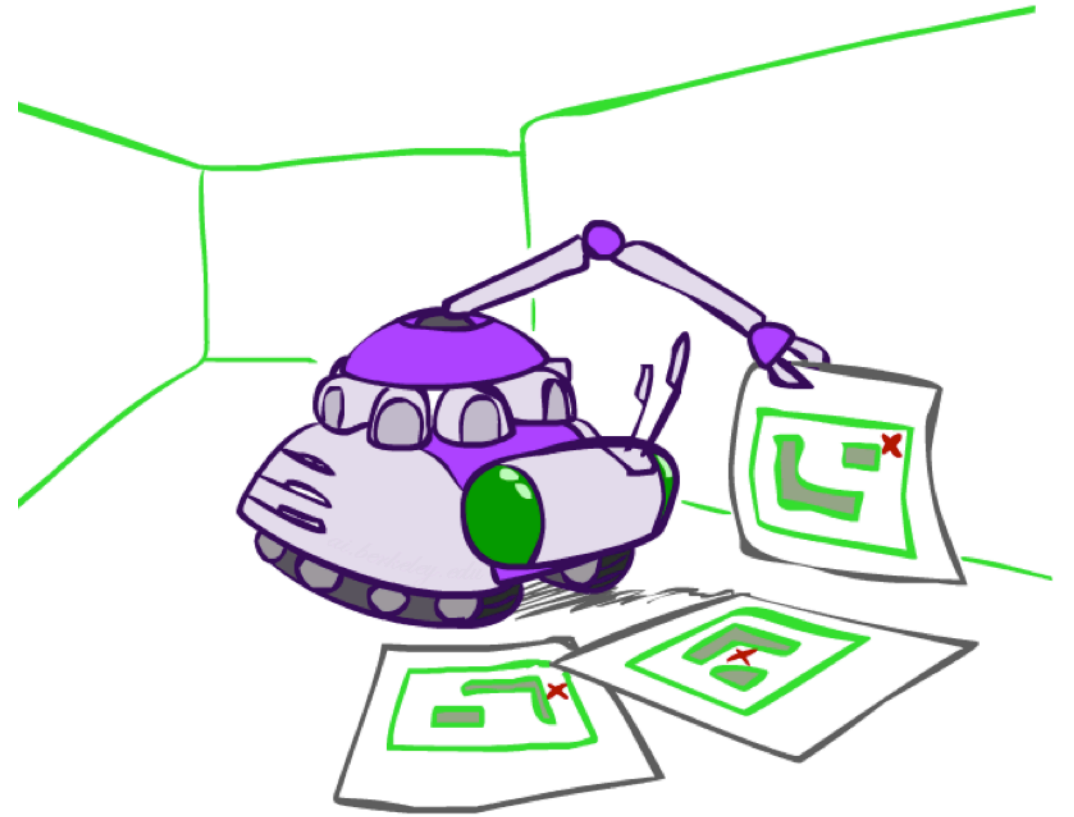
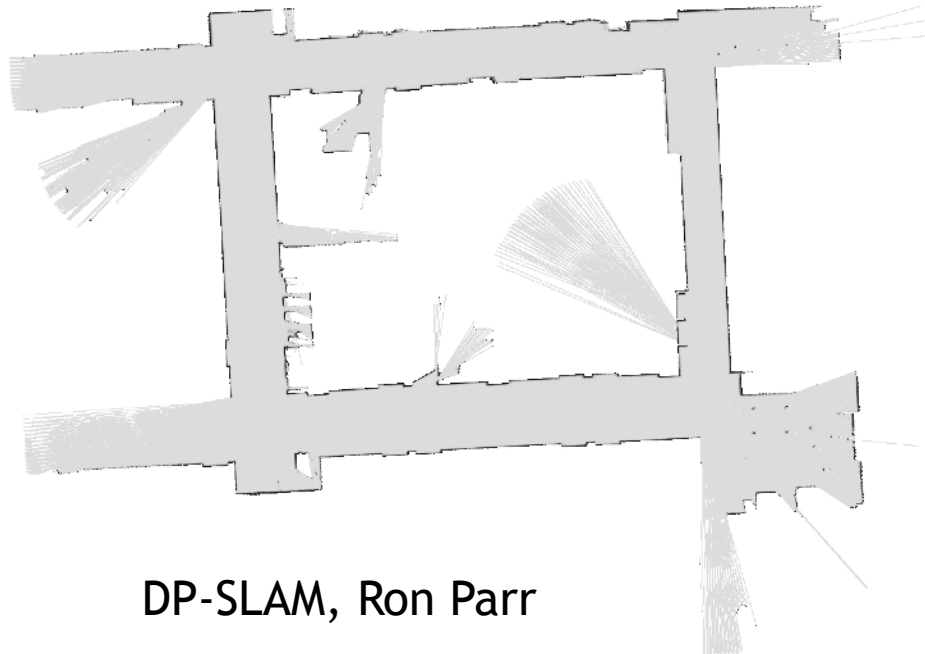
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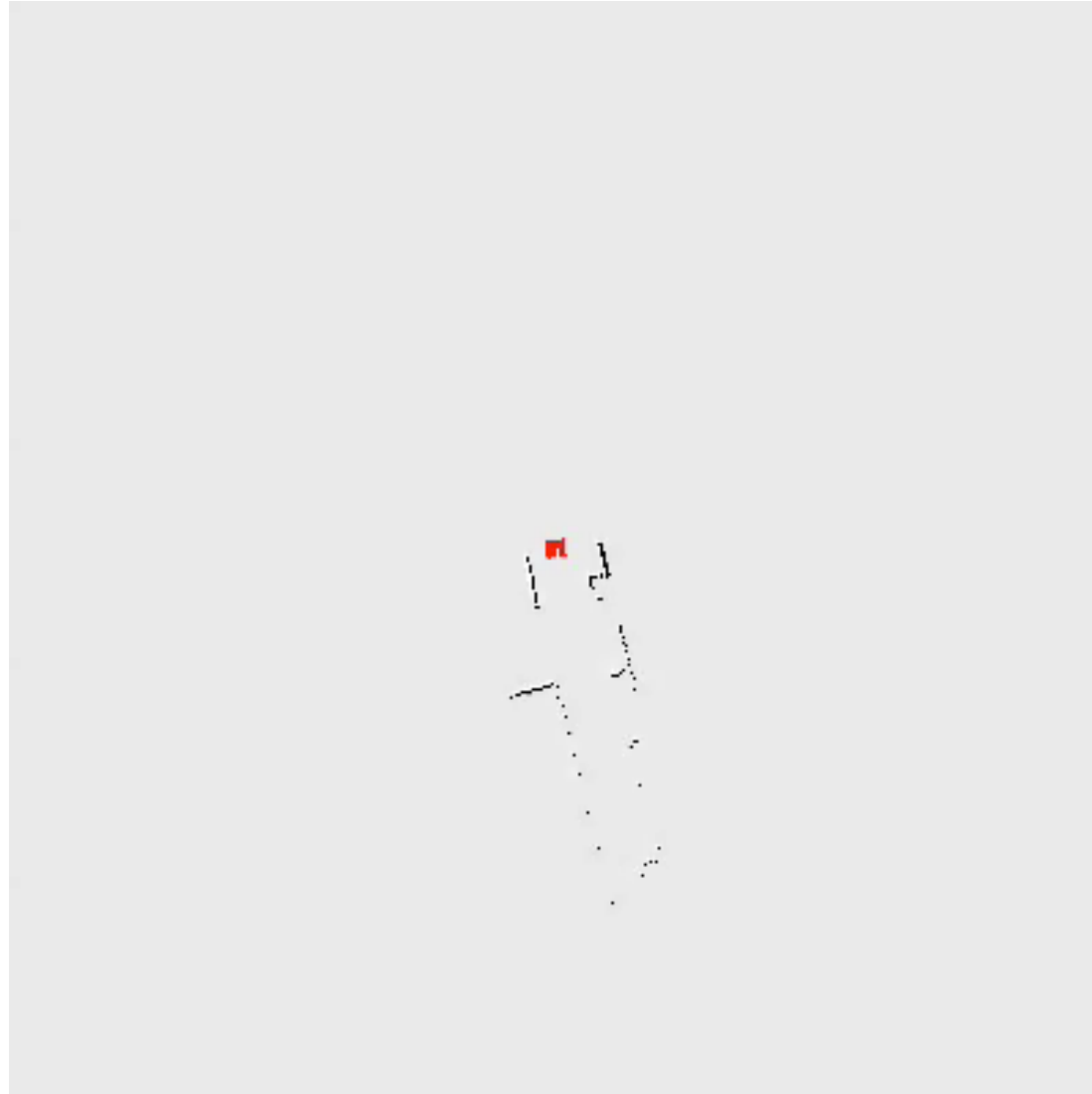
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Robot Mapping

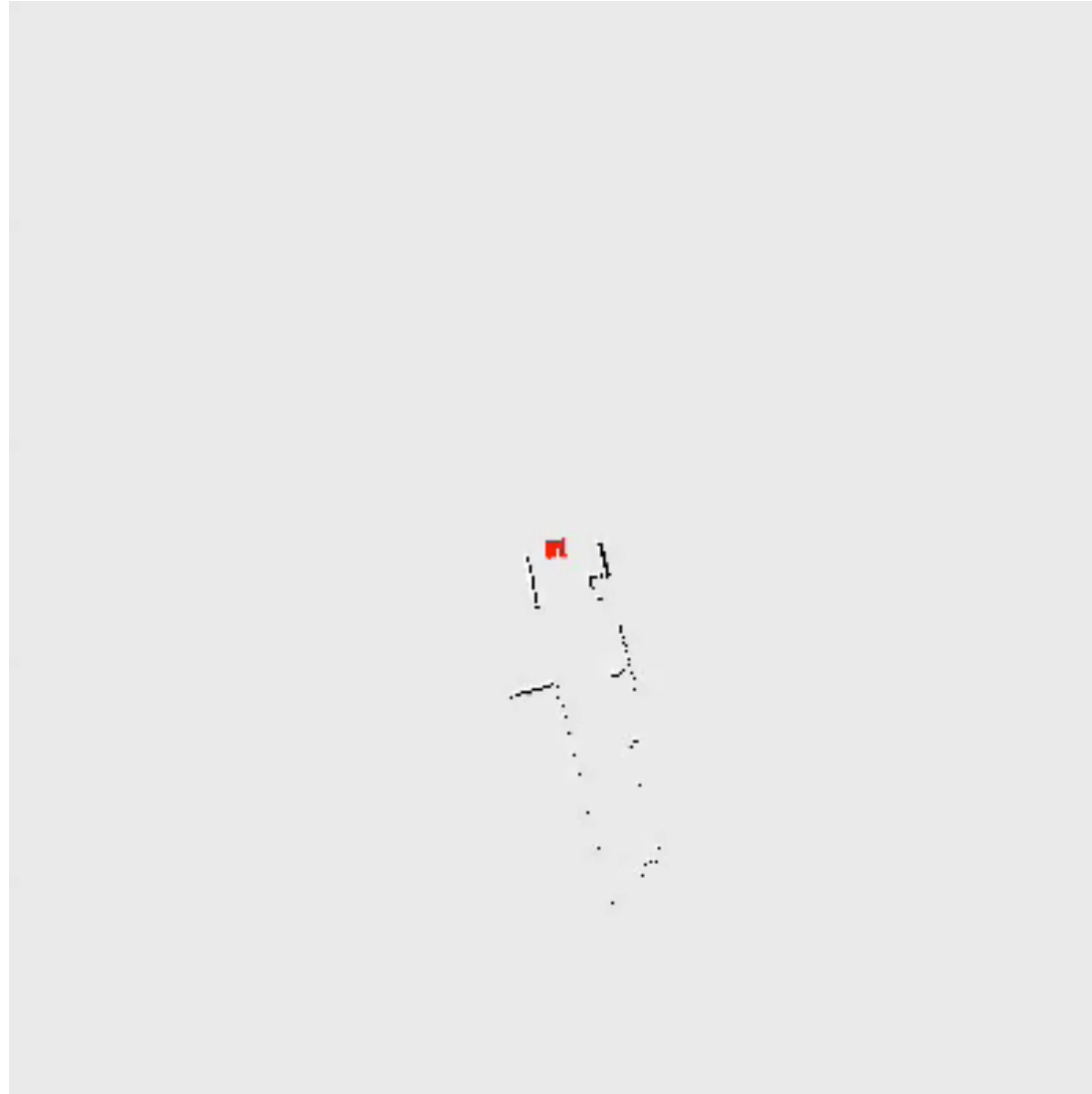
- SLAM: Simultaneous Localization And Mapping
 - We do not know the map or our location
 - State consists of position AND map!
 - Main techniques: Kalman filtering (Gaussian HMMs) and particle methods



Particle Filter SLAM - Video 1

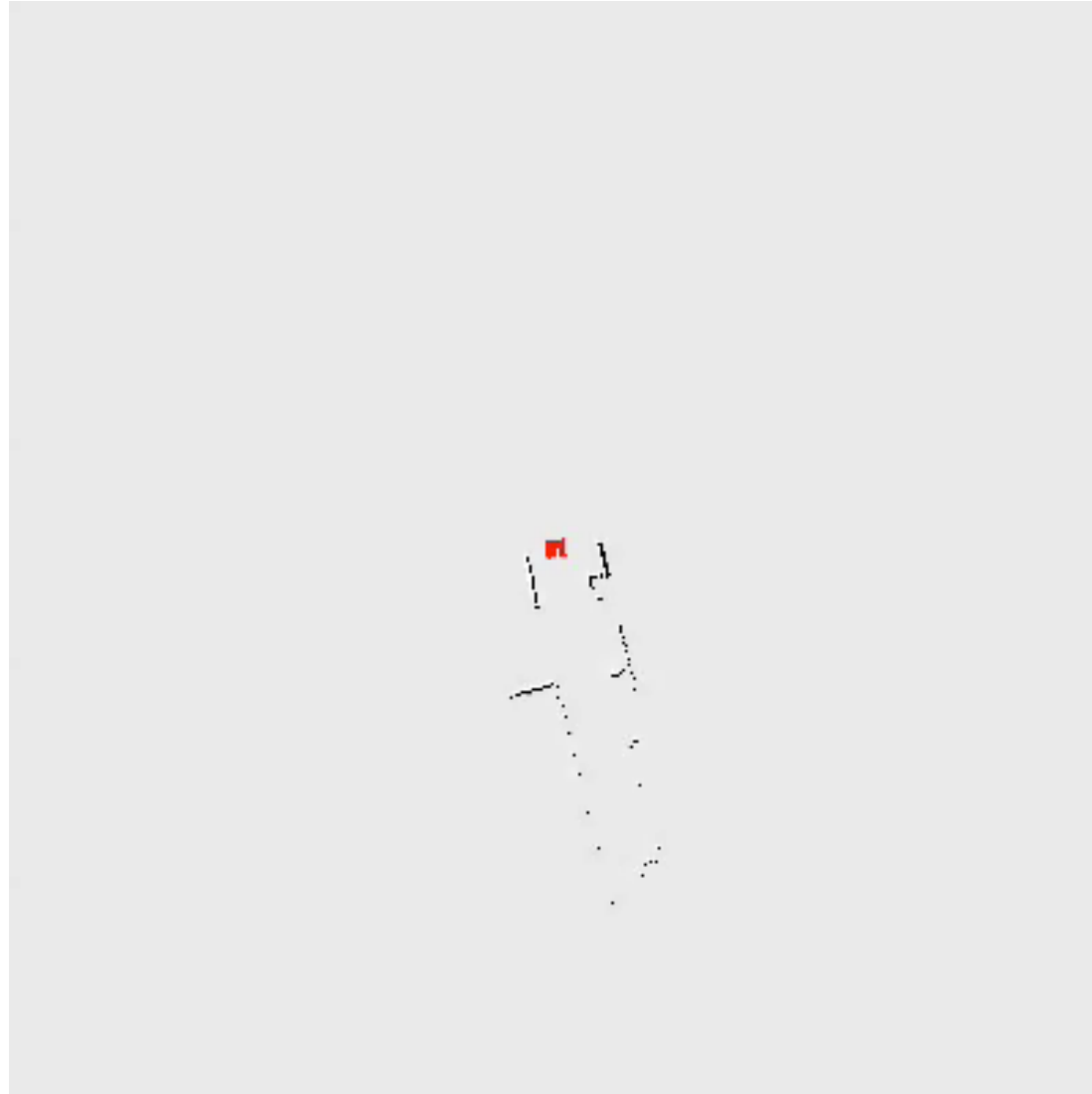


Particle Filter SLAM - Video 1



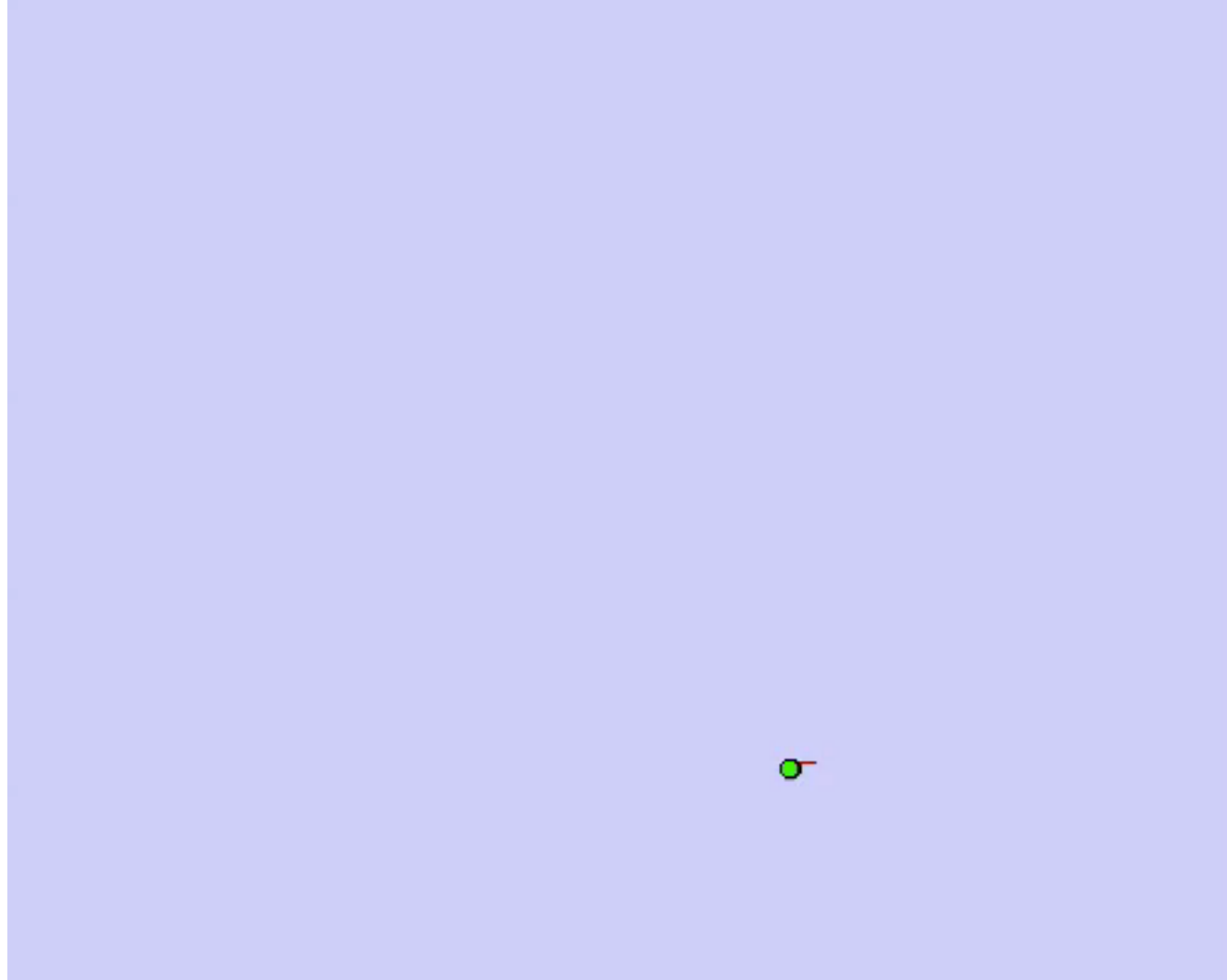
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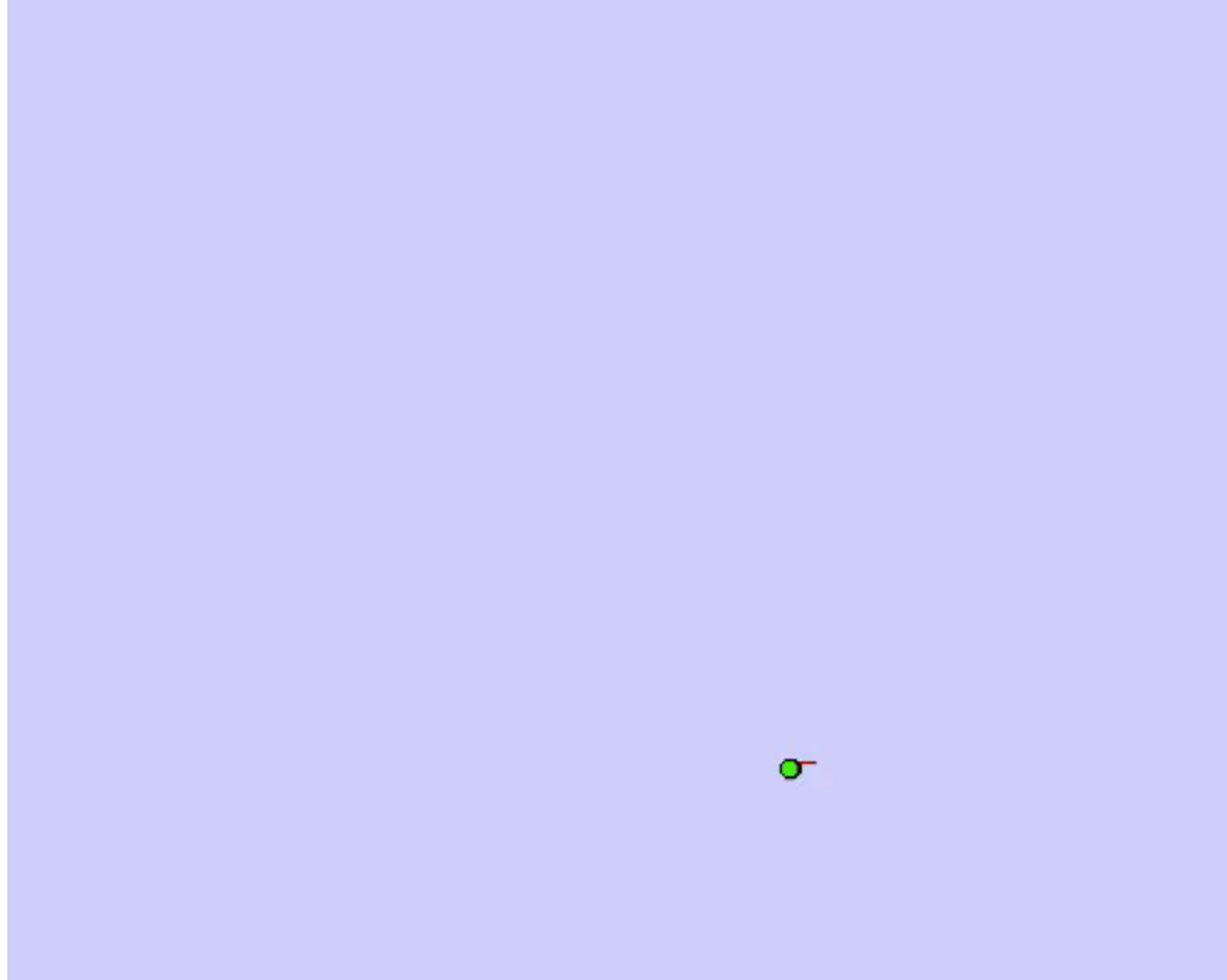


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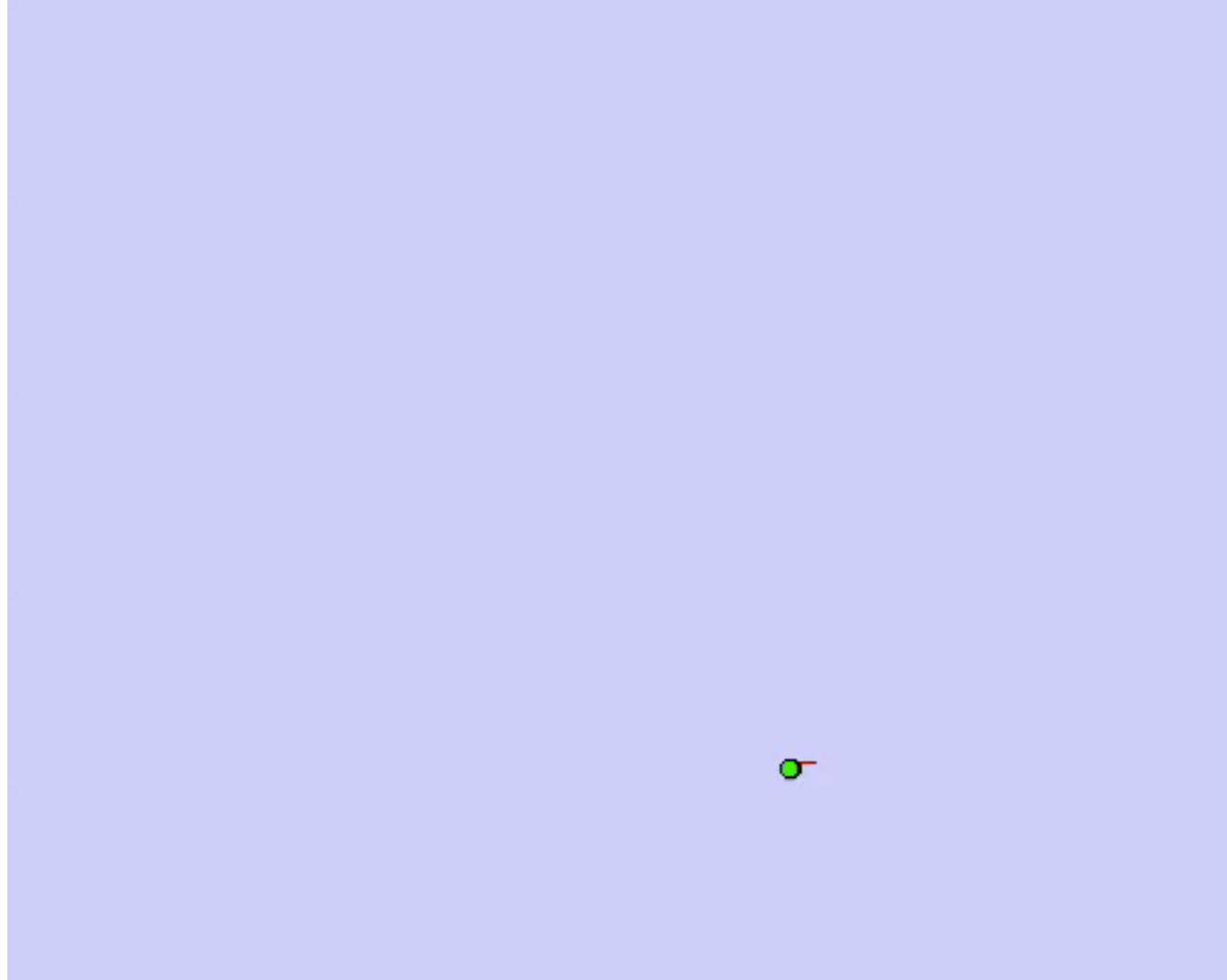
Particle Filter SLAM - Video 2



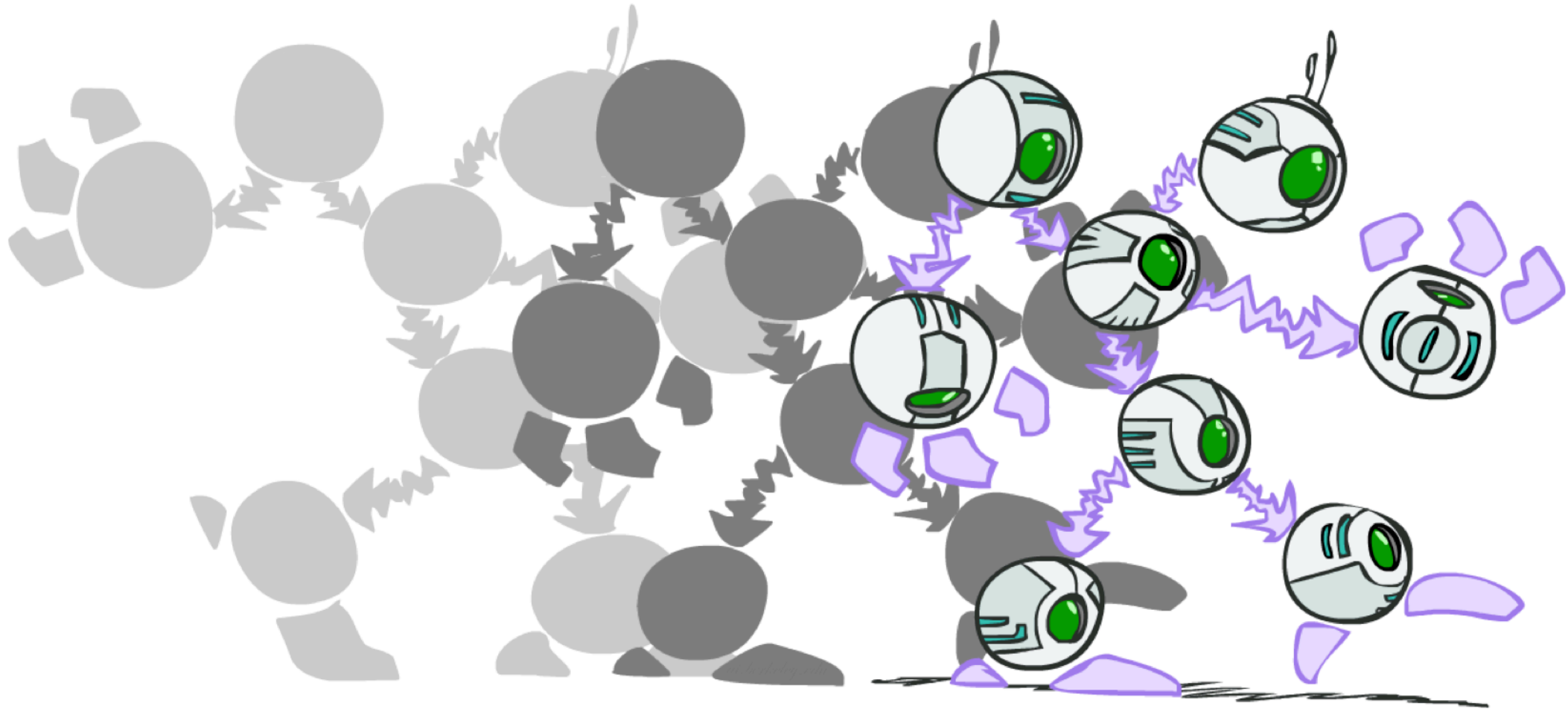
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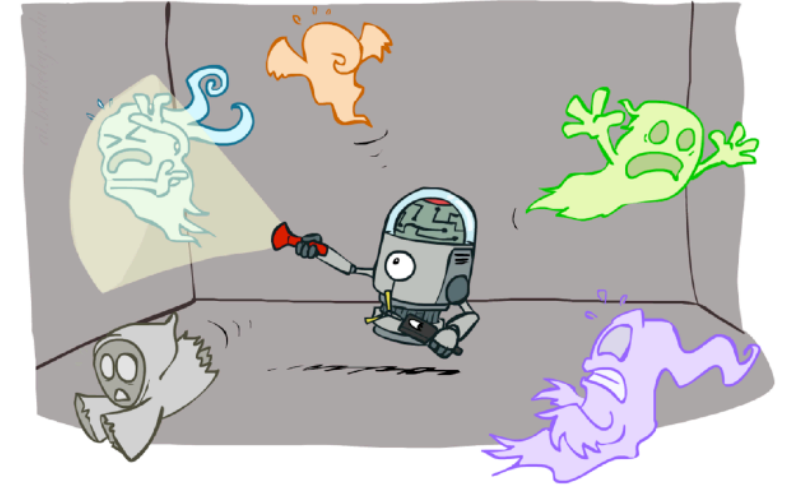
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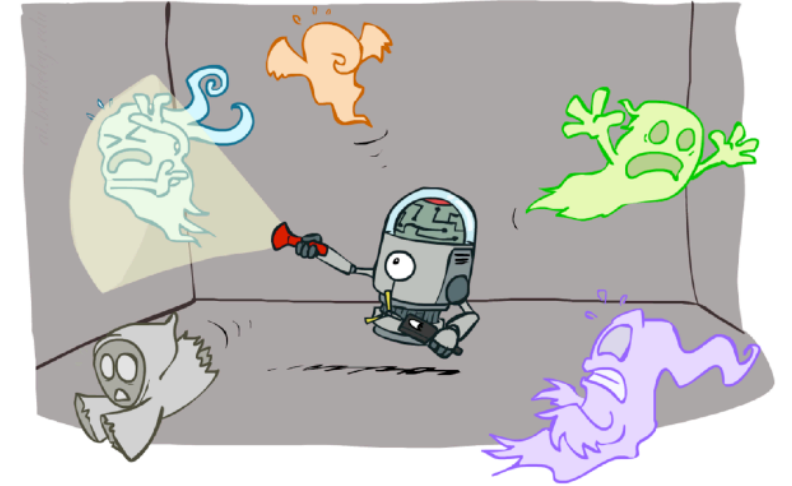
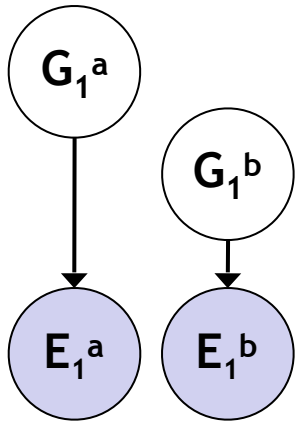


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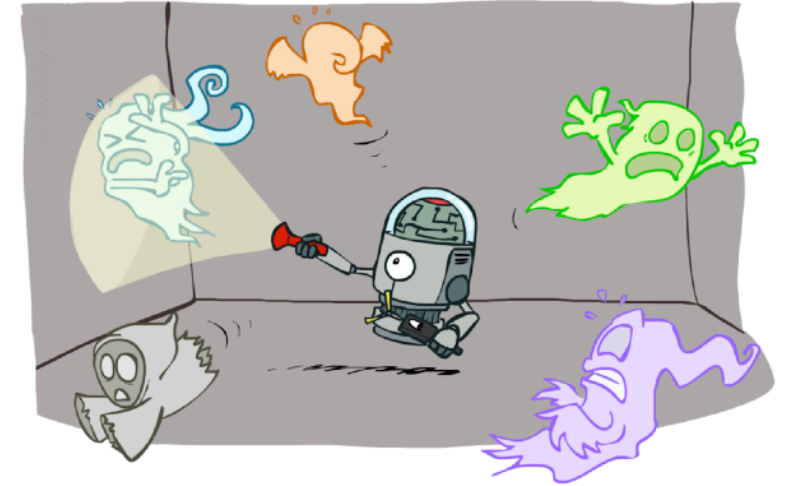
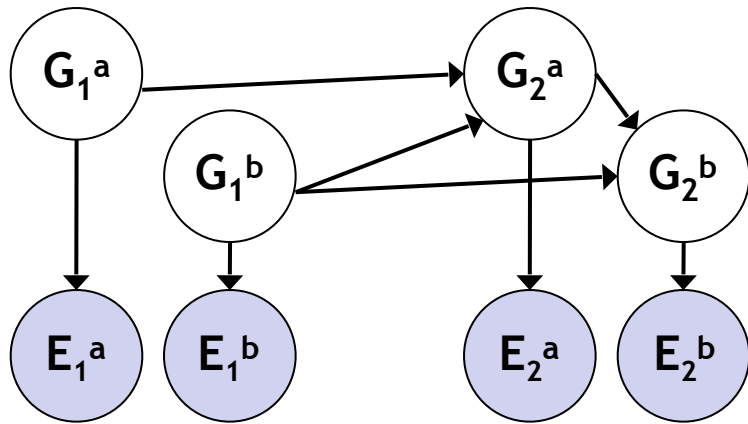


[Demo: pacman sonar ghost DBN model (L15D6)]

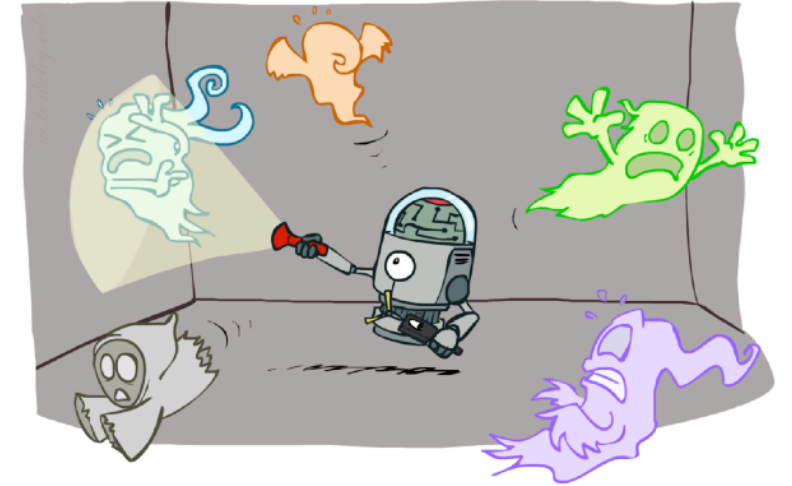
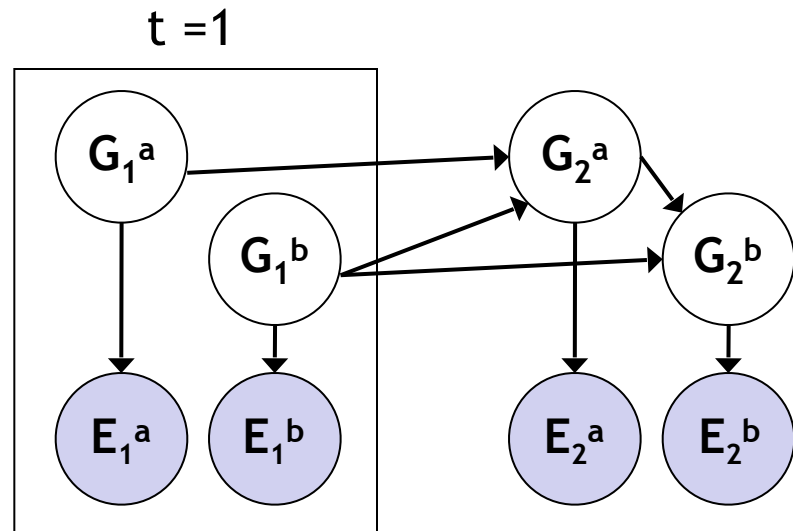
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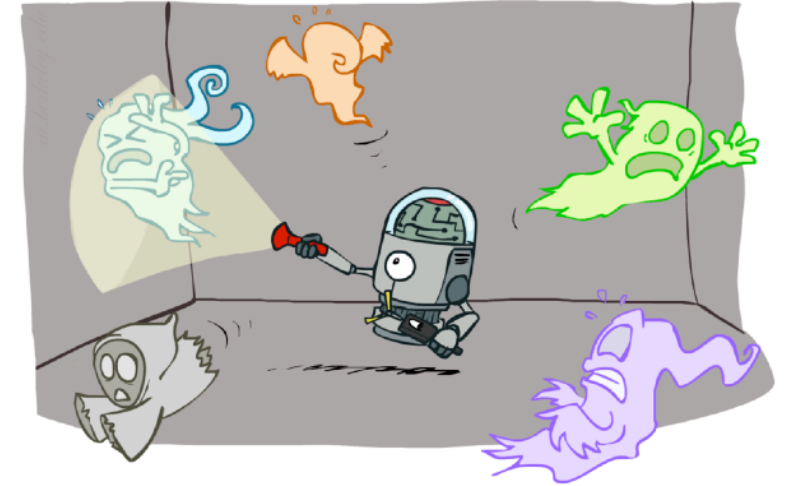
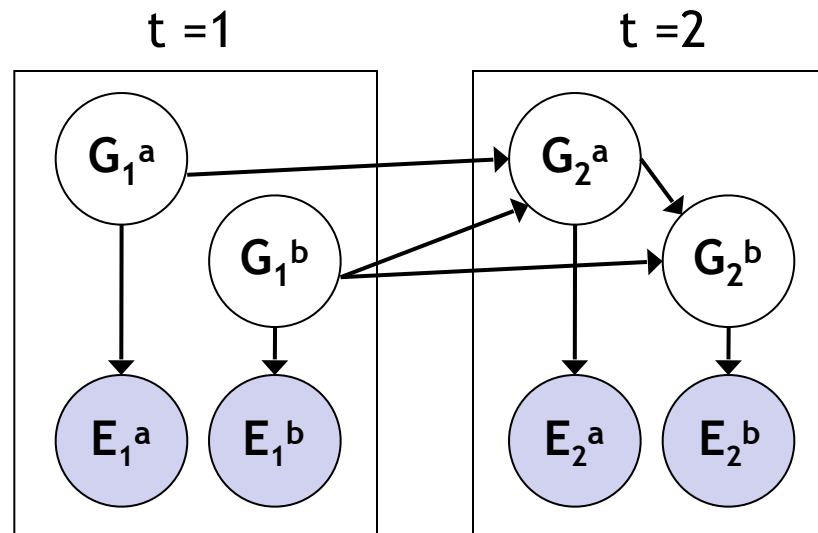
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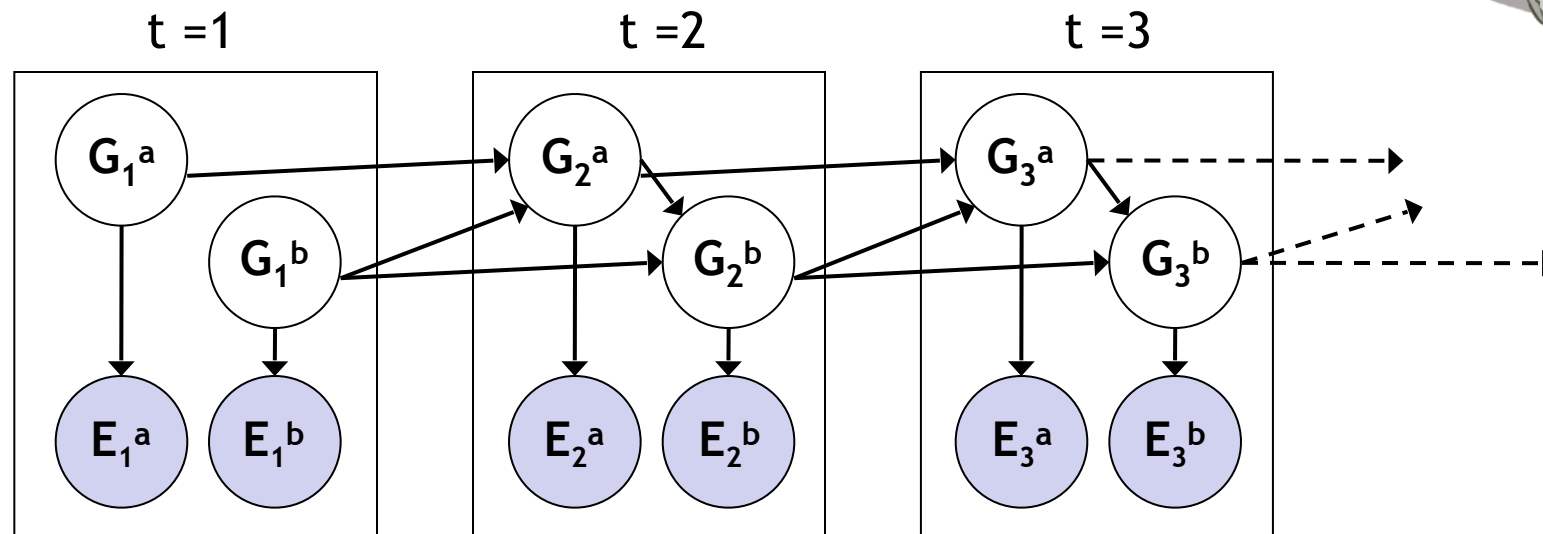
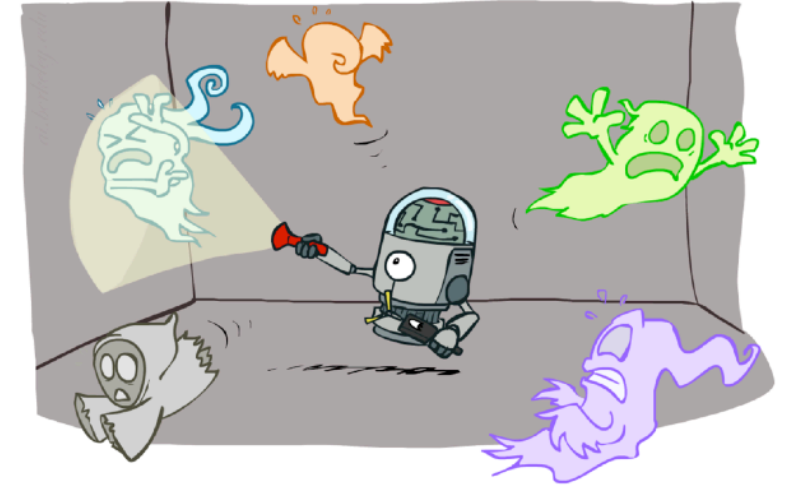
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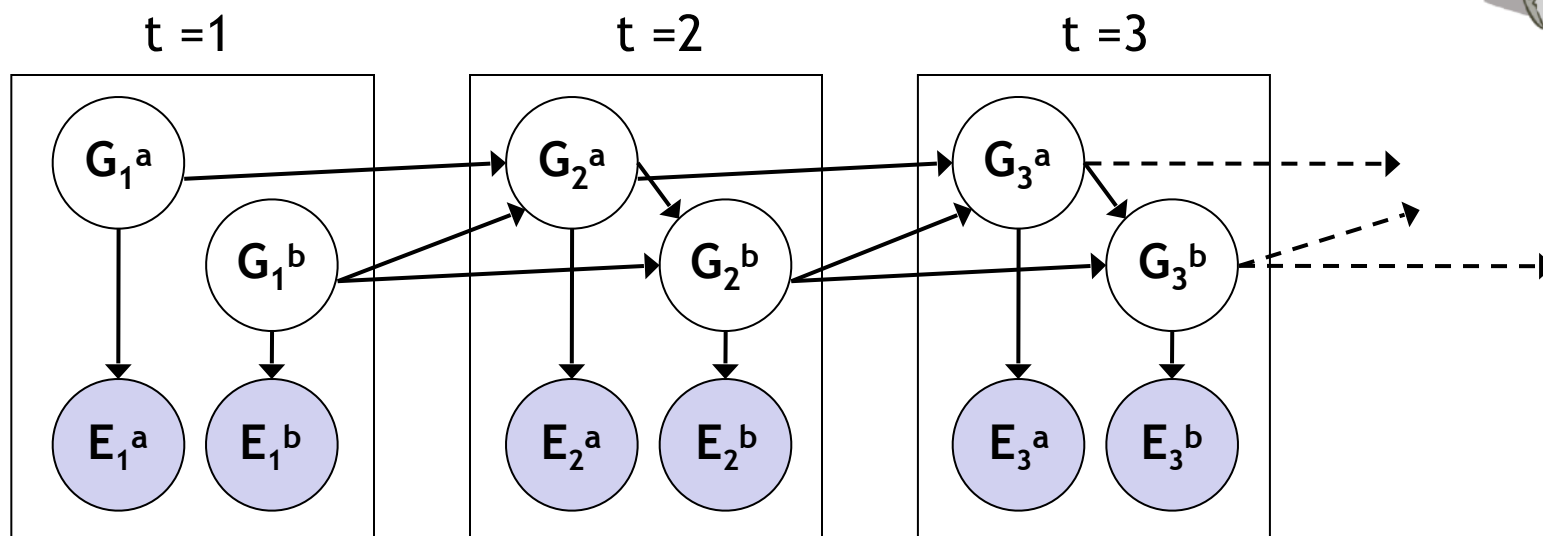
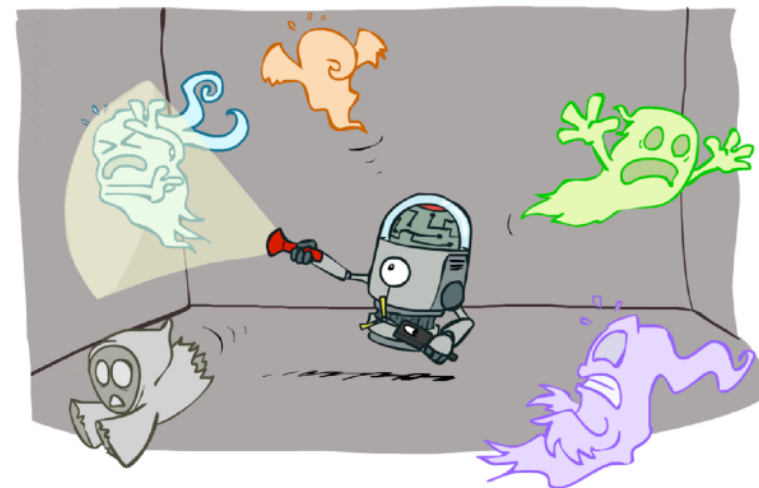


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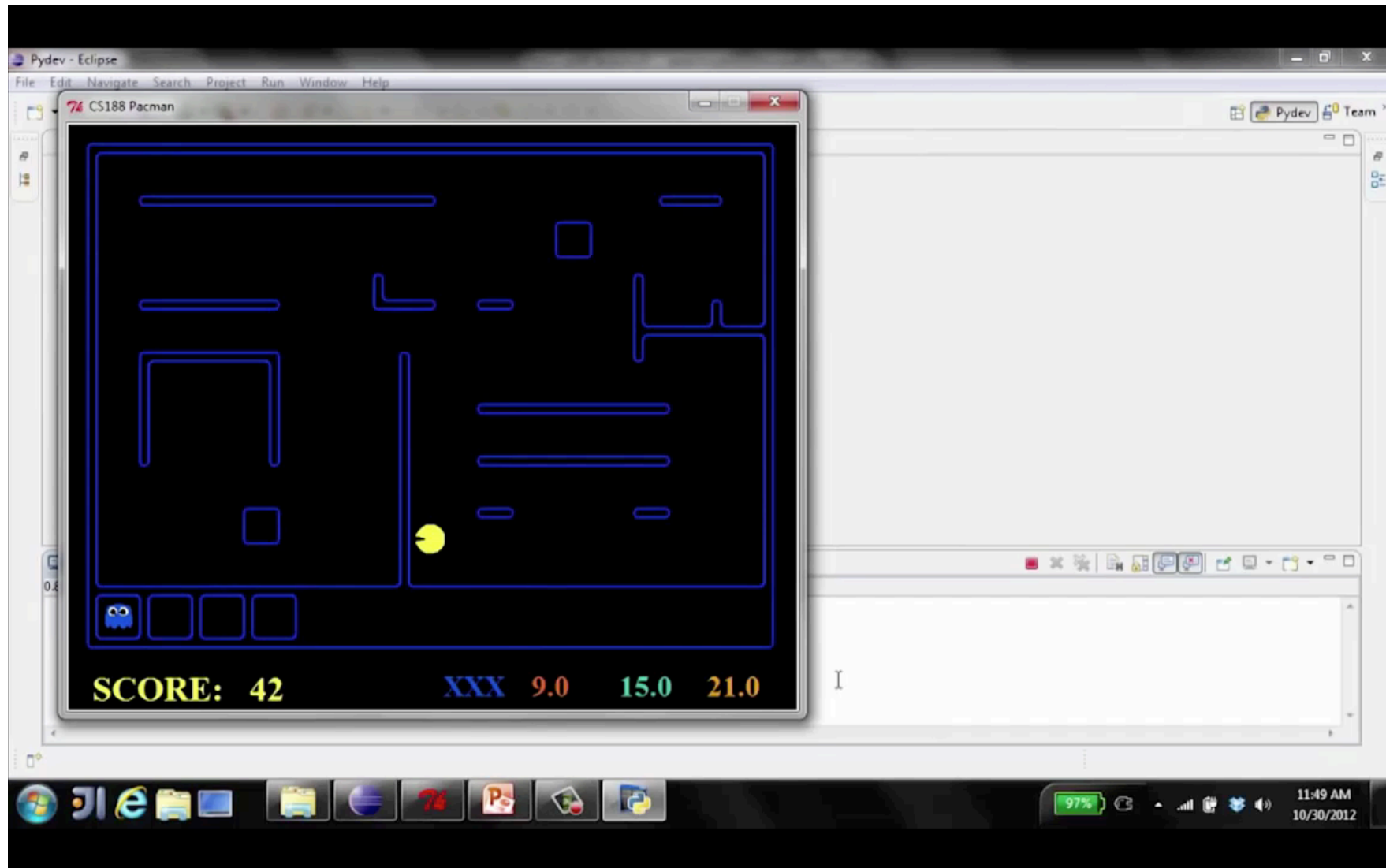
Dynamic Bayes Nets (DBNs)

- We want to track multiple variables over time, using multiple sources of evidence
- Idea: Repeat a fixed Bayes net structure at each time
- Variables from time t can condition on those from $t-1$

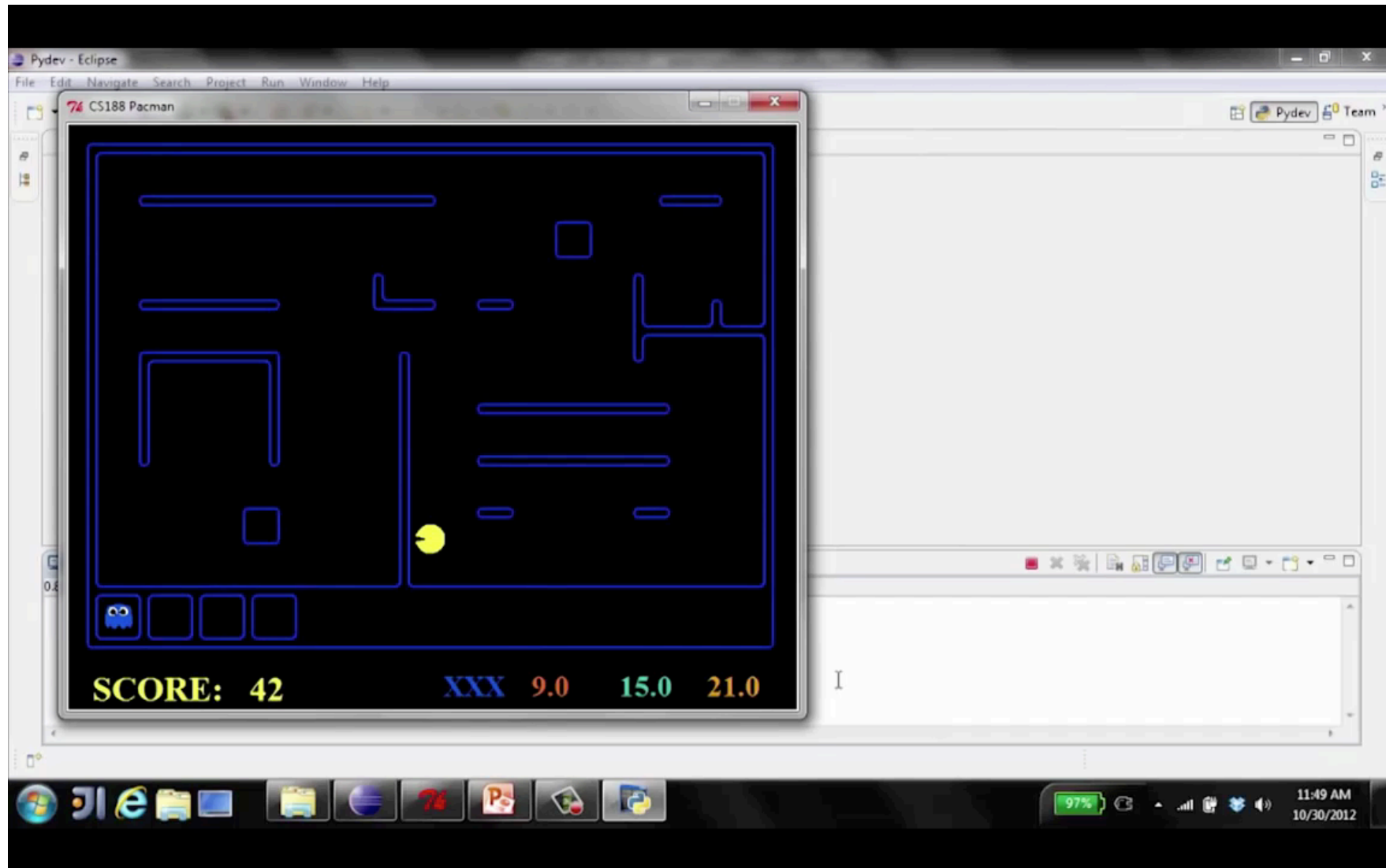


- Dynamic Bayes nets are a generalization of HMMs

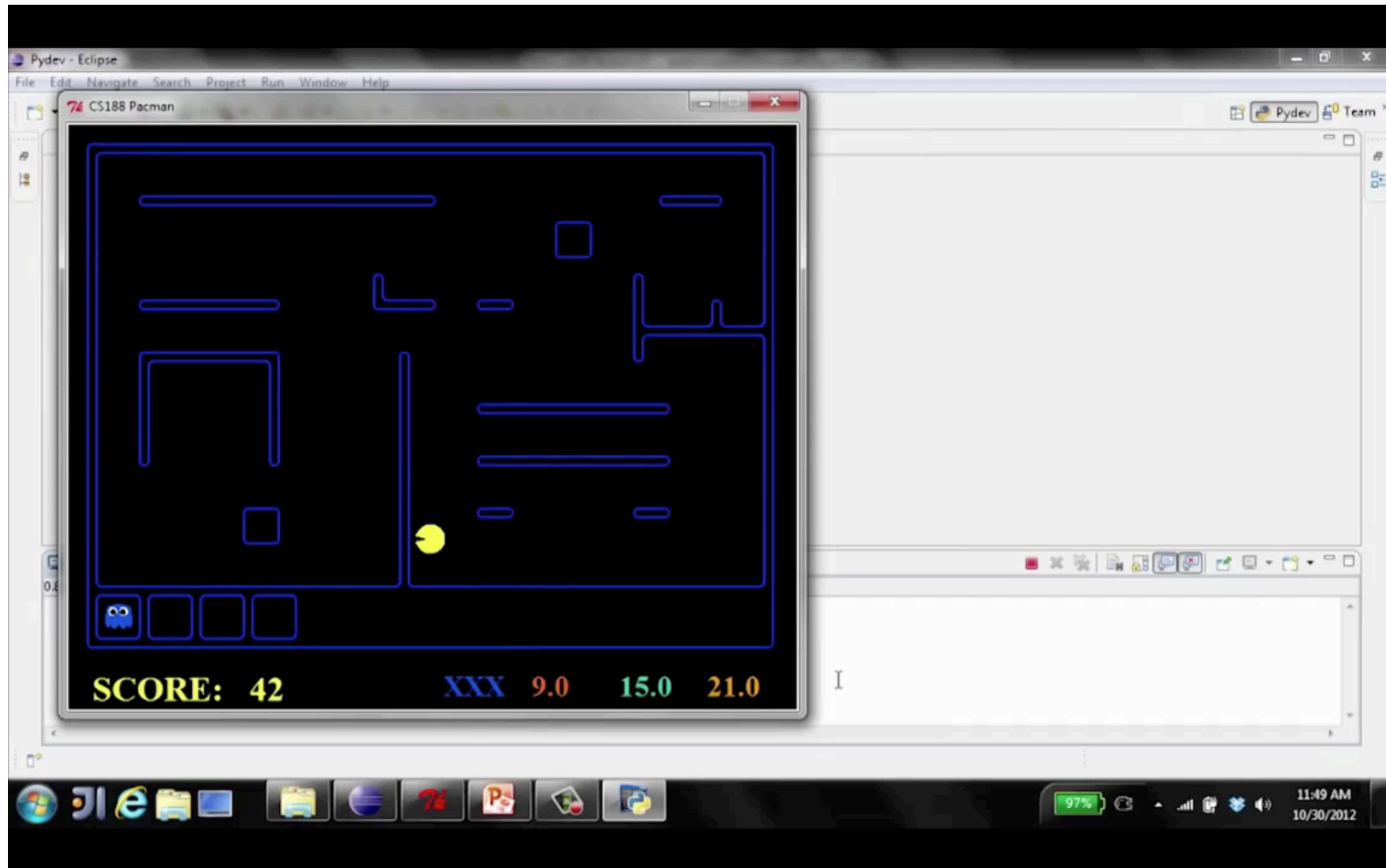
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DBN Particle Filters

- A particle is a complete sample for a time step
- **Initialize:** Generate prior samples for the $t=1$ Bayes net
 - Example particle: $\mathbf{G}_1^a = (3,3)$ $\mathbf{G}_1^b = (5,3)$
- **Elapse time:** Sample a successor for each particle
 - Example successor: $\mathbf{G}_2^a = (2,3)$ $\mathbf{G}_2^b = (6,3)$
- **Observe:** Weight each entire sample by the likelihood of the evidence conditioned on the sample
 - Likelihood: $P(\mathbf{E}_1^a | \mathbf{G}_1^a) * P(\mathbf{E}_1^b | \mathbf{G}_1^b)$
- **Resample:** Select prior samples (tuples of values) in proportion to their likelihood

Most Likely Explanation

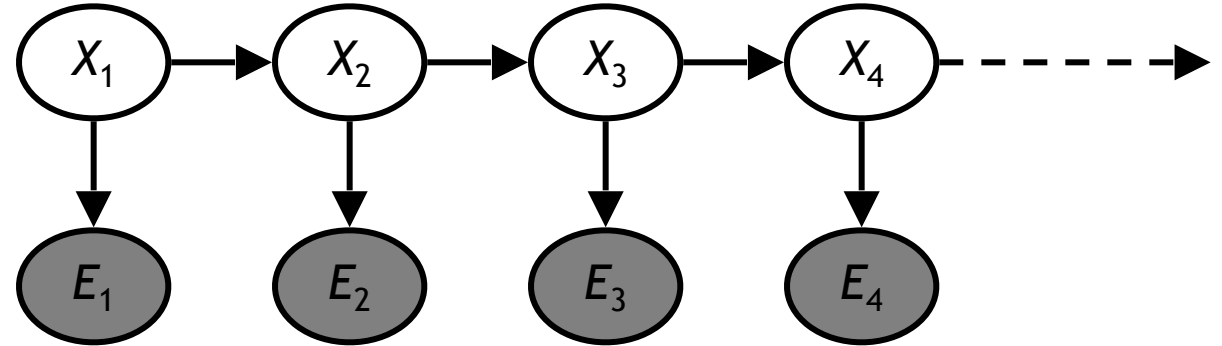


HMMs: MLE Queries

- HMMs defined by
 - States X
 - Observations E
 - Initial distribution:
 - Transitions:
 - Emissions:

- New query: most likely explanation:

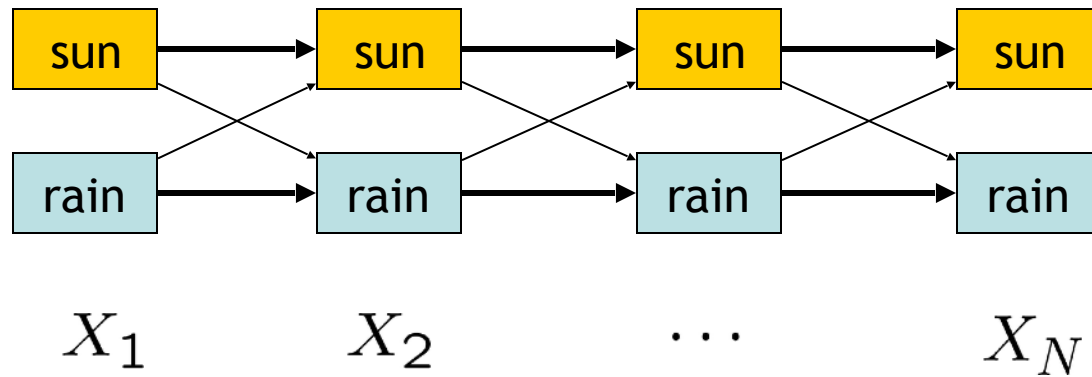
$$P(X_1)$$
$$P(X|X_{-1})$$
$$P(E|X)$$



$$\arg \max_{x_{1:t}} P(x_{1:t}|e_{1:t})$$

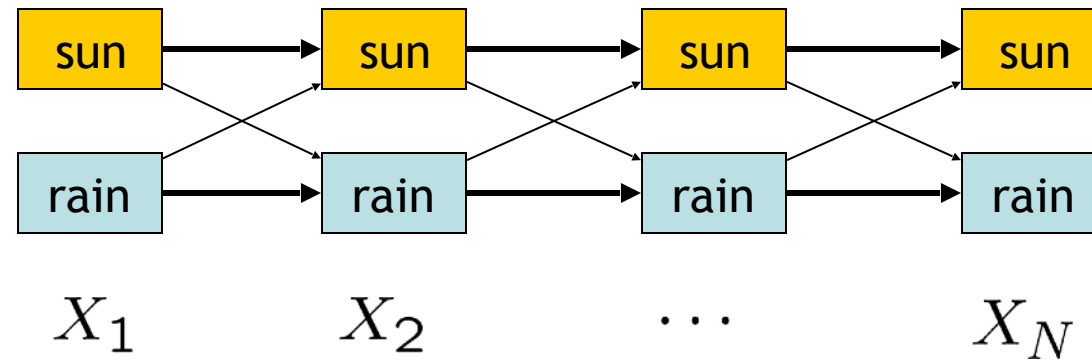
State Trellis

- State trellis: graph of states and transitions over time



- Each arc represents some transition $x_{t-1} \rightarrow x_t$
- Each arc has weight $P(x_t|x_{t-1})P(e_t|x_t)$
- Each path is a sequence of states
- The product of weights on a path is that sequence's probability along with the evidence
- Forward algorithm computes sums of paths, Viterbi computes best paths

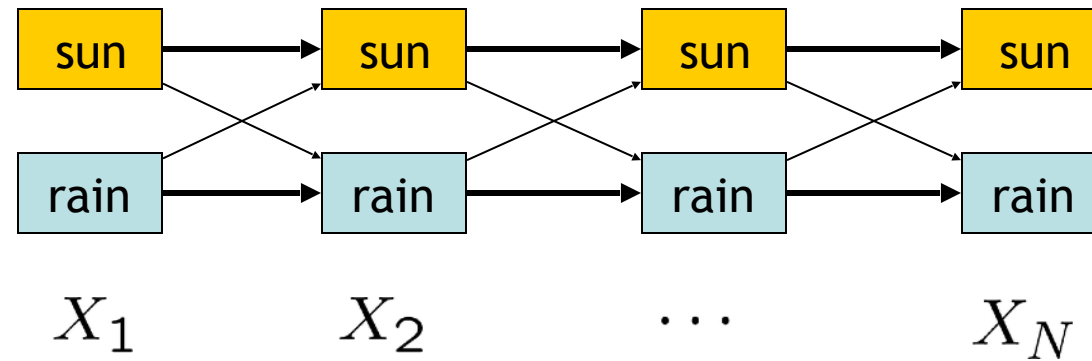
Forward / Viterbi Algorithms



Forward Algorithm (Sum)

$$f_t[x_t] = P(x_t, e_{1:t})$$

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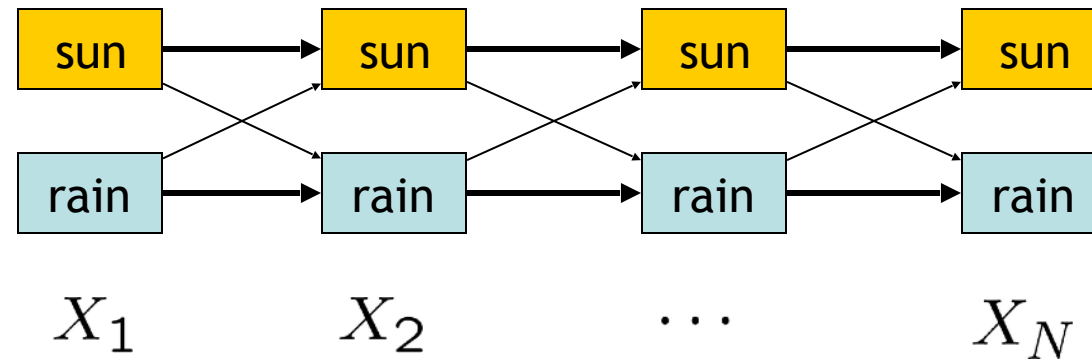


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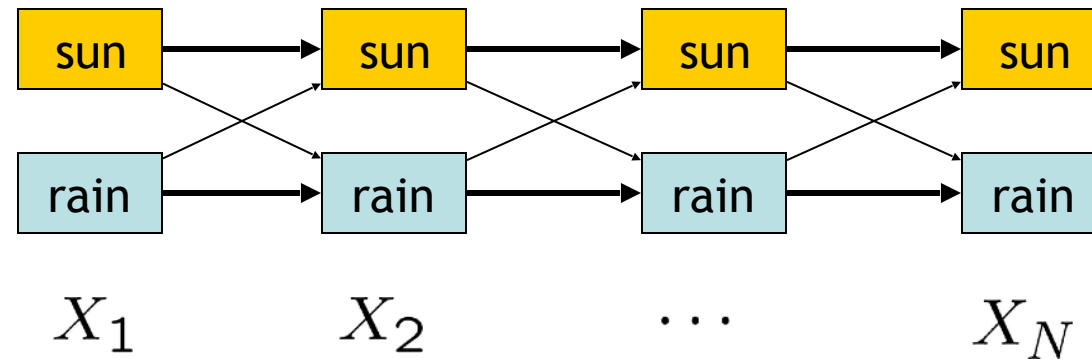
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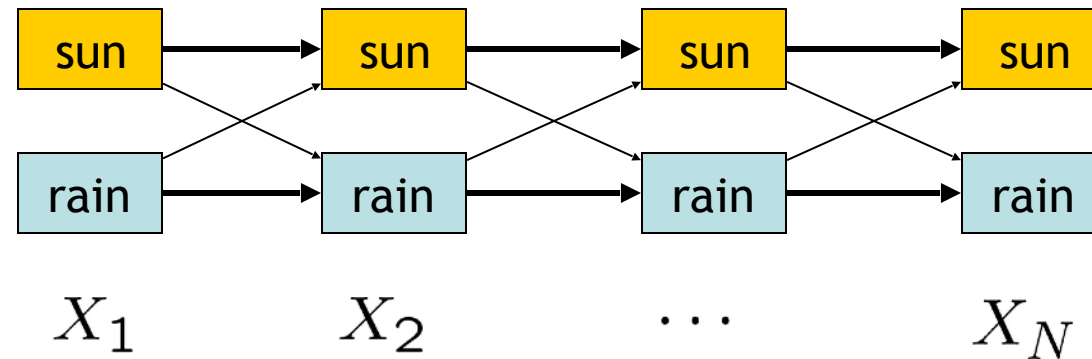
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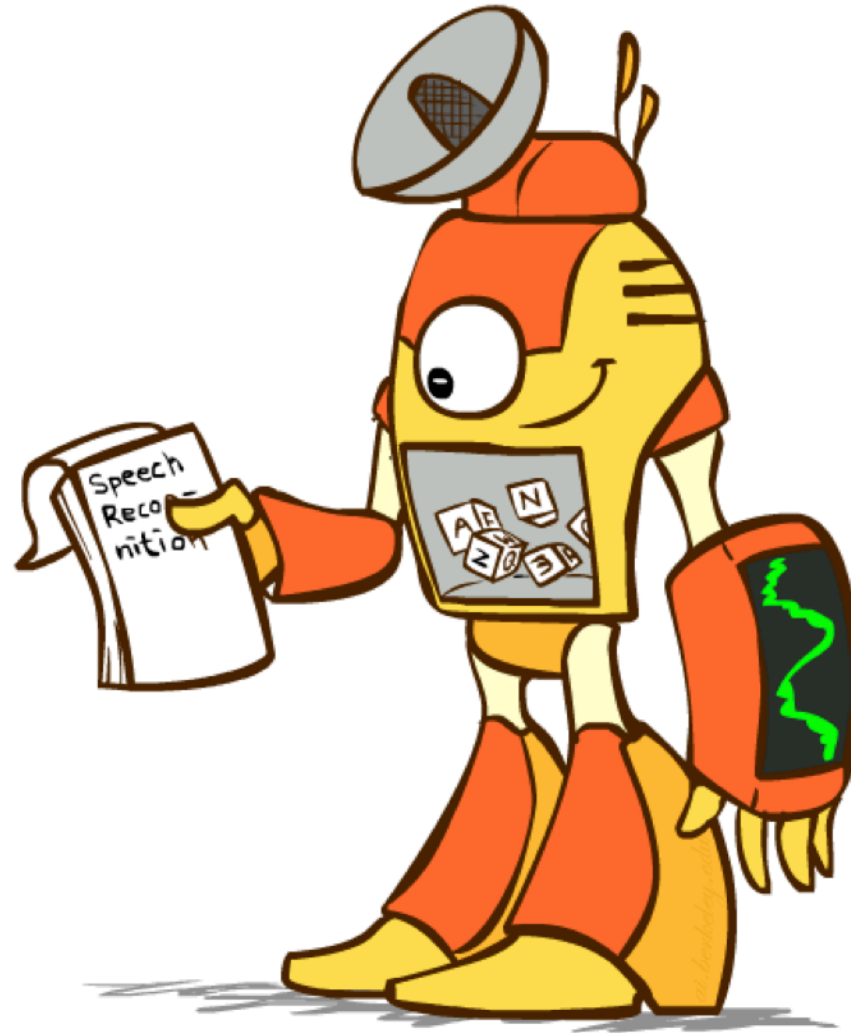
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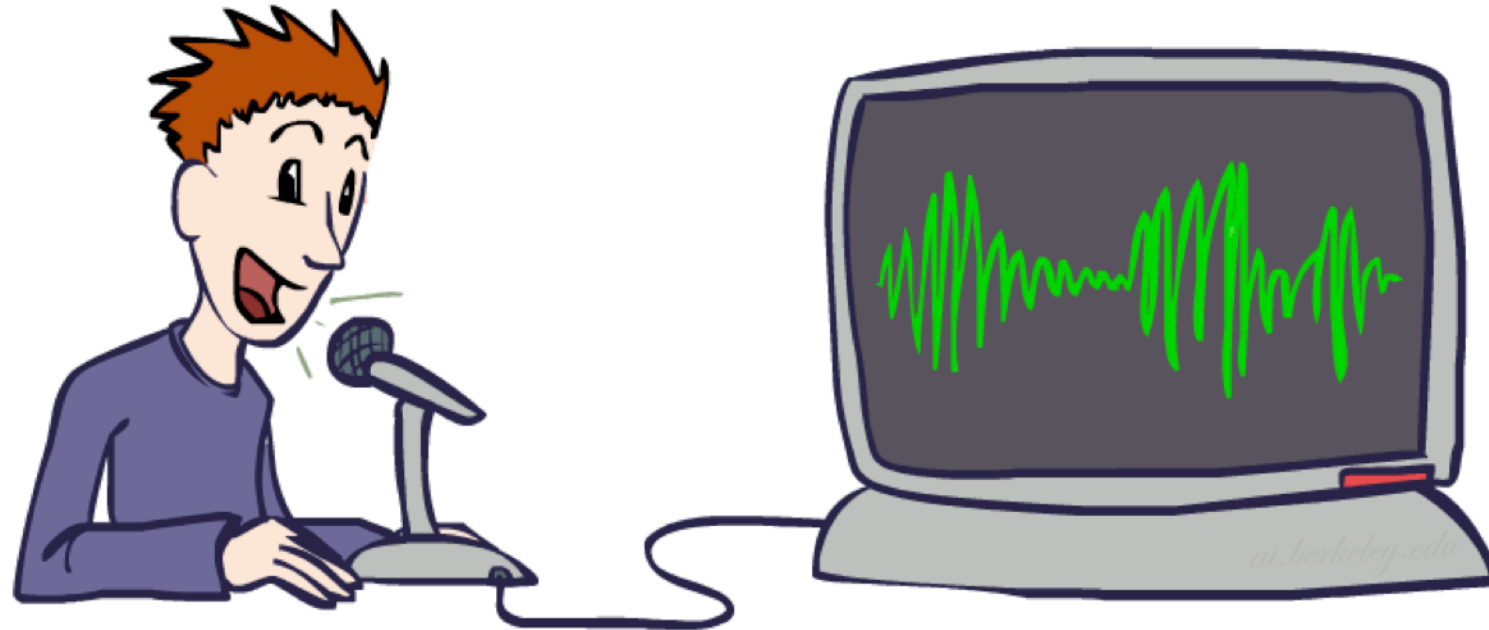
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Speech Recognition

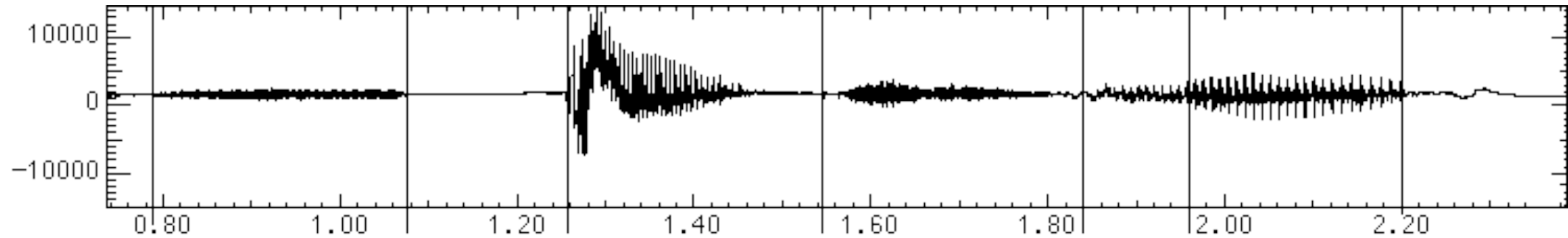


Digitizing Speech



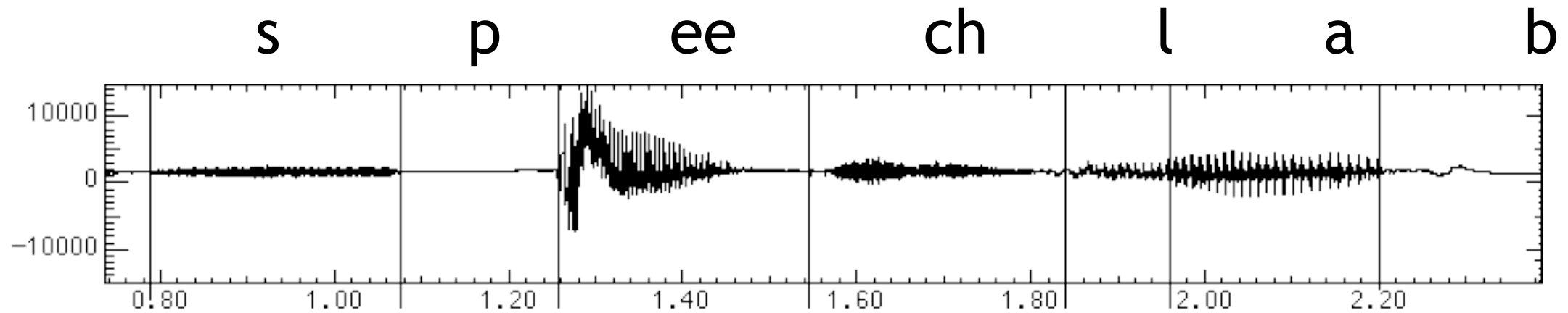
Speech in an Hour

- Speech input is an acoustic waveform



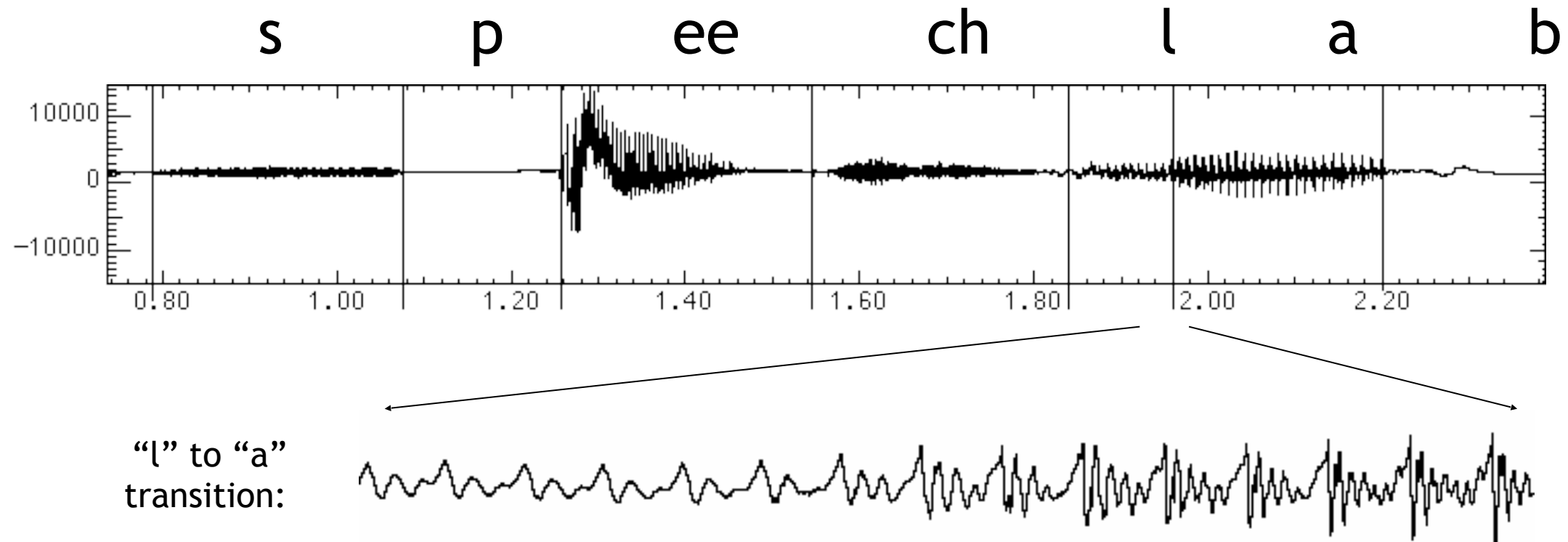
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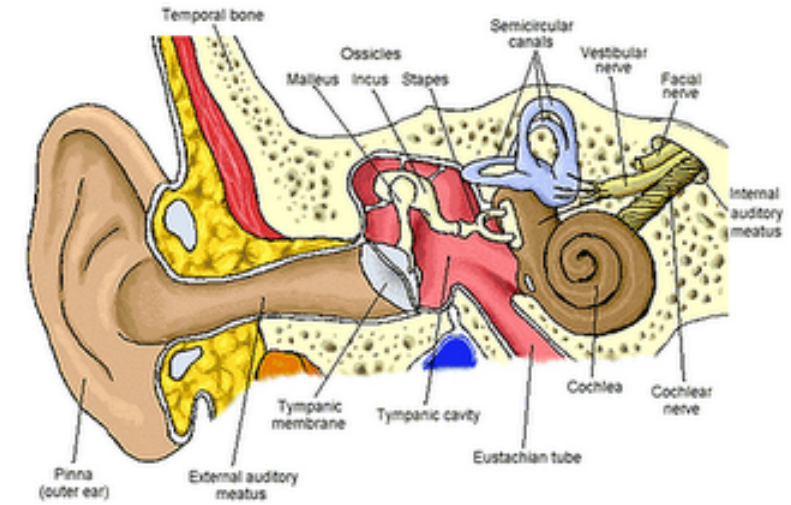
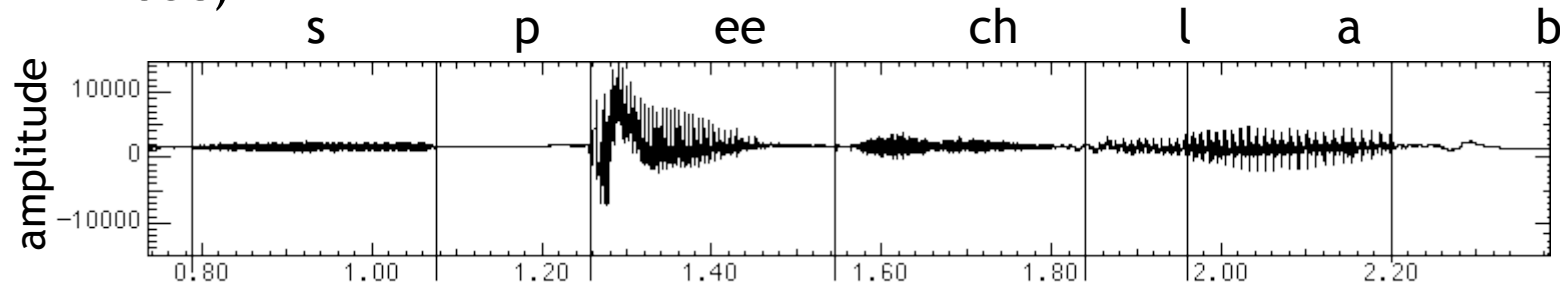
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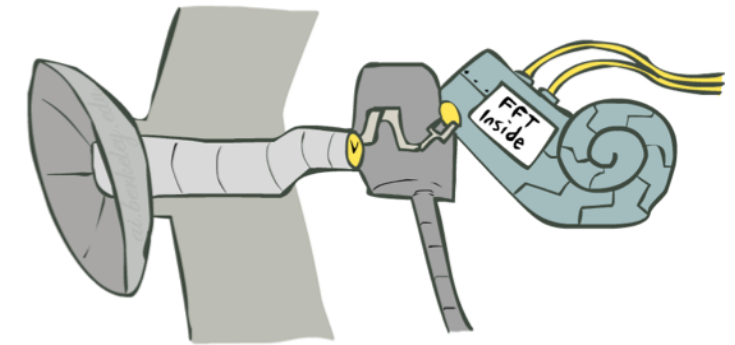
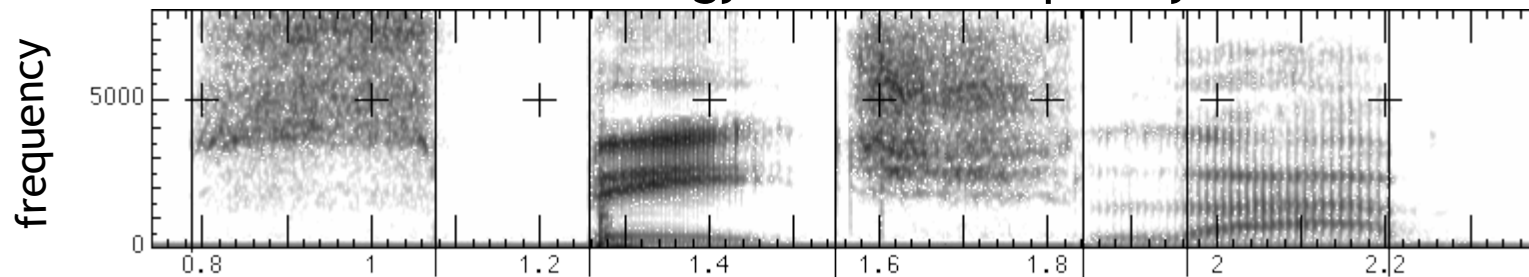


Spectral Analysis

- Frequency gives pitch; amplitude gives volume
 - Sampling at ~8 kHz (phone), ~16 kHz (mic) (kHz=1000 cycles/sec)

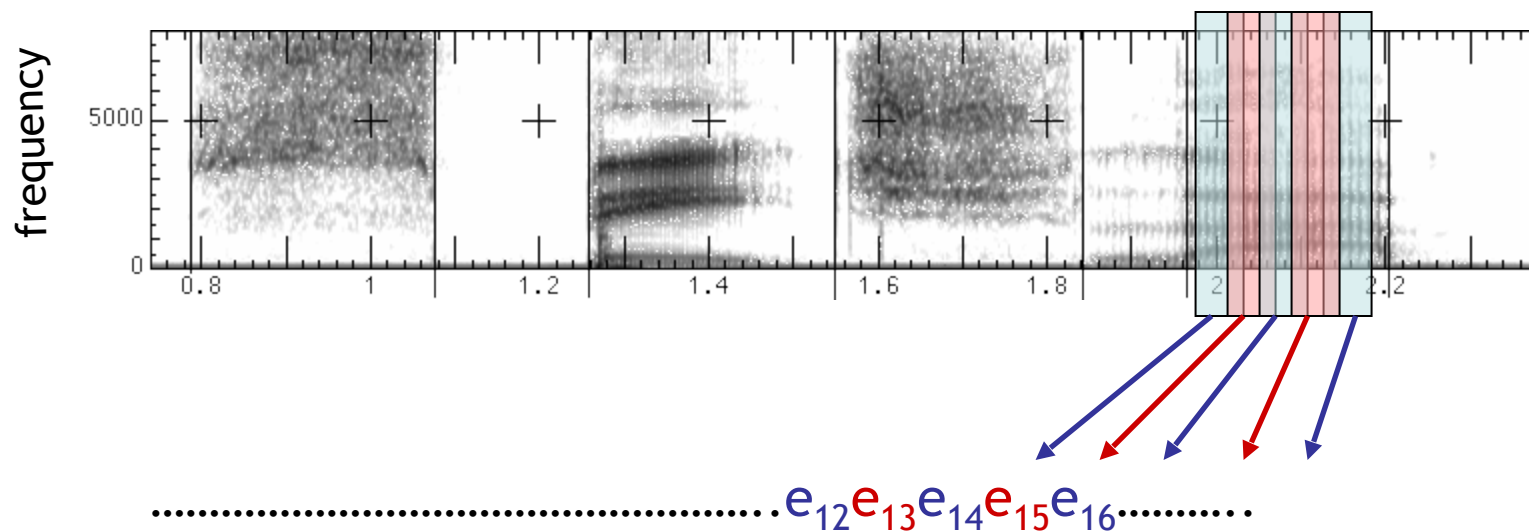


- Fourier transform of wave displayed as a spectrogram
 - Darkness indicates energy at each frequency



Acoustic Feature Sequence

- Time slices are translated into acoustic feature vectors (~39 real numbers per slice)



- These are the observations E , now we need the hidden states X

Speech State Space

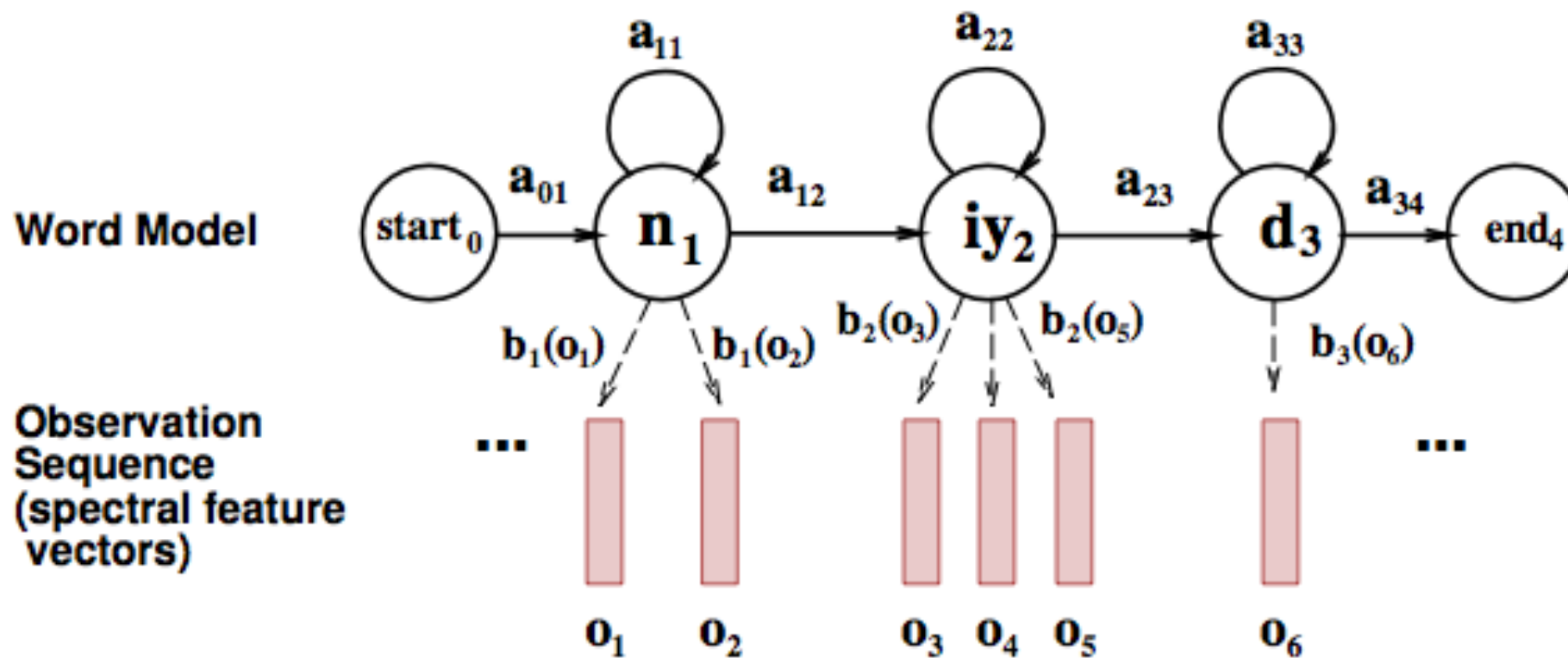
- HMM Specification

- $P(E|X)$ encodes which acoustic vectors are appropriate for each phoneme (each kind of sound)
- $P(X|X')$ encodes how sounds can be strung together

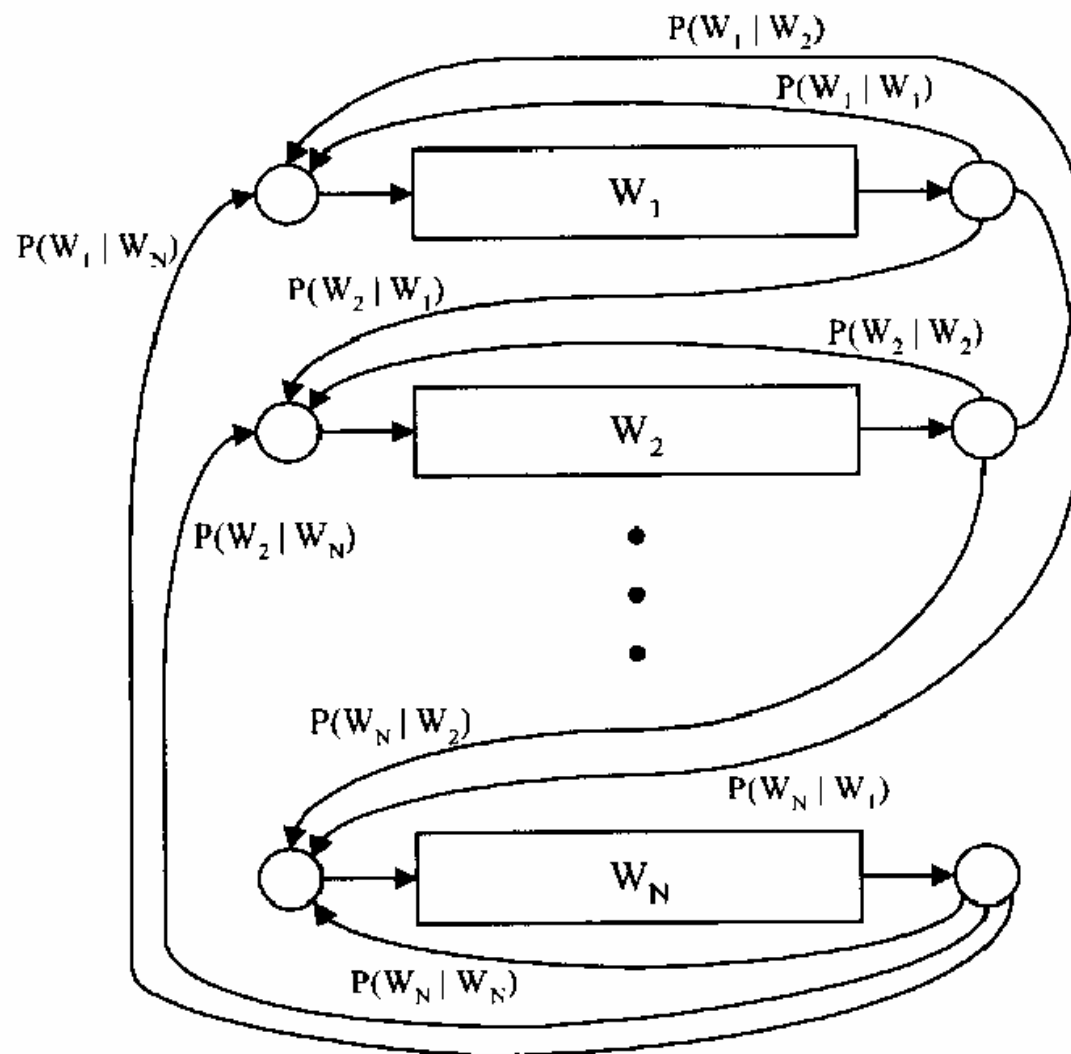
- State Space

- We will have one state for each sound in each word
- Mostly, states advance sound by sound
- Build a little state graph for each word and chain them together to form the state space X

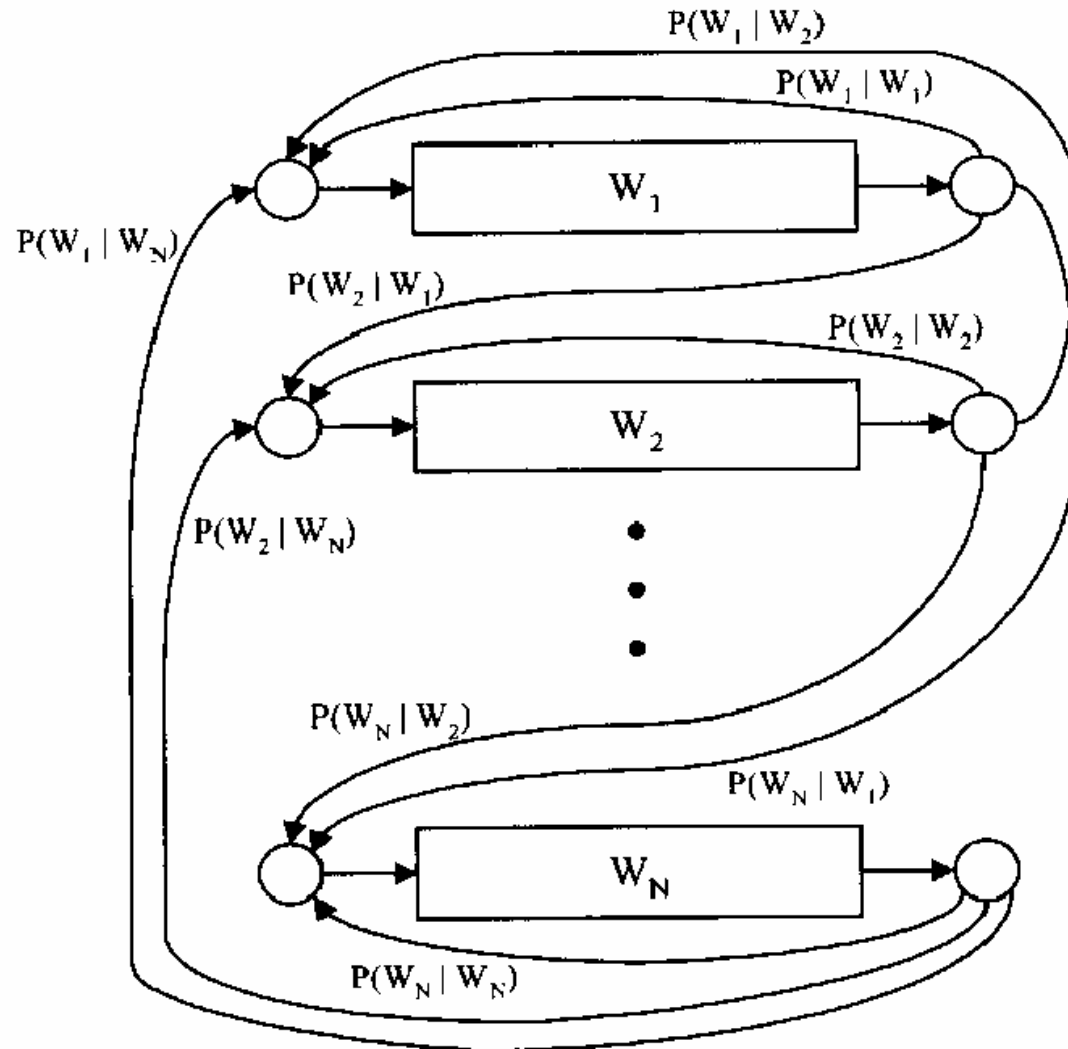
States in a Word



Transitions with a Bigram Model



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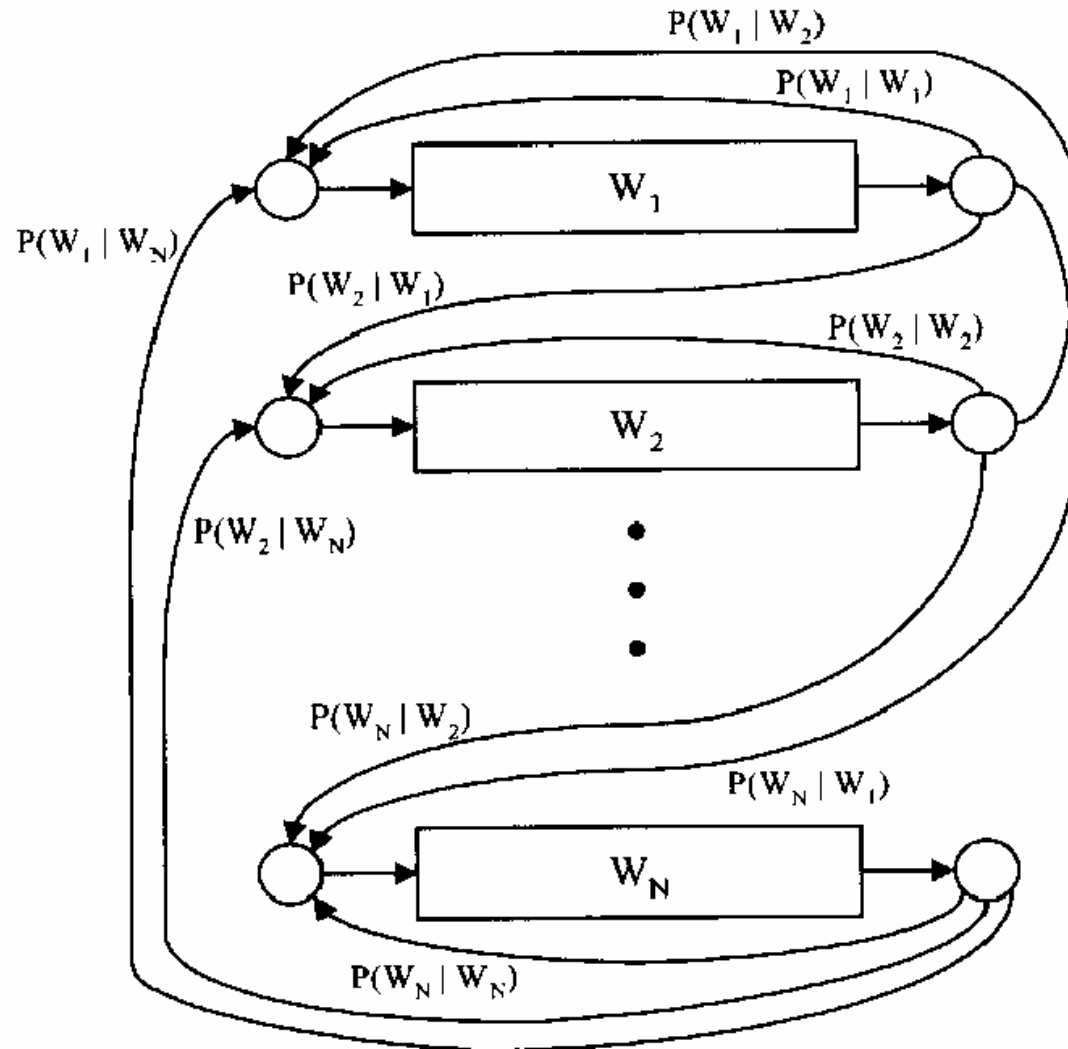


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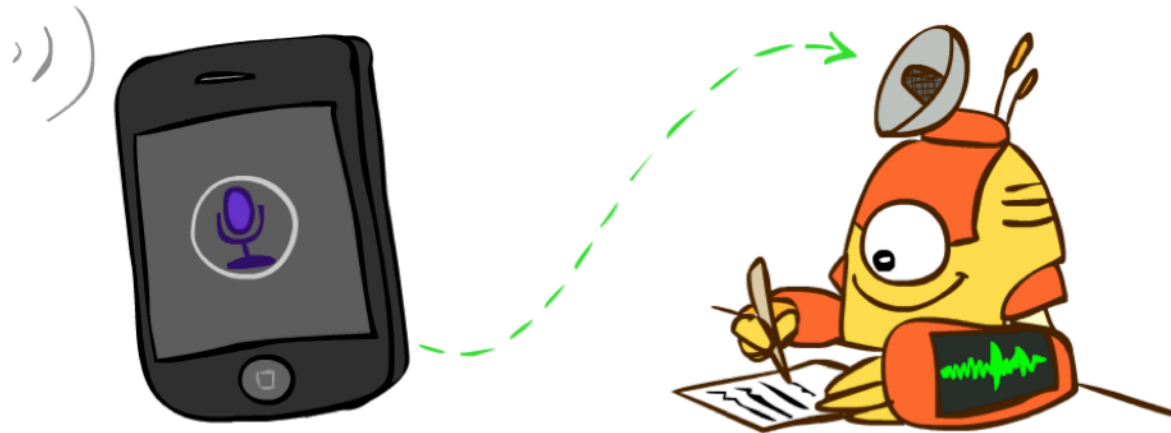
$$= 0.0006$$

Decoding

- Finding the words given the acoustics is an HMM inference problem
- Which state sequence $x_{1:T}$ is most likely given the evidence $e_{1:T}$?

$$x_{1:T}^* = \arg \max_{x_{1:T}} P(x_{1:T} | e_{1:T}) = \arg \max_{x_{1:T}} P(x_{1:T}, e_{1:T})$$

- From the sequence x , we can simply read off the words



Next Time: Bayes' Nets!
