

Construction of Ego-model

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Introduction

A robotic arm which has a fixed camera at the top, sees the world and generate 2-D images. It can see itself, obstacles and other robots.

Why important??

- Robot Motion planning
- Reactive Avoidance
- Positioning
- Unmanned exploration
- > Military applications
- > Factories

Existing Technology

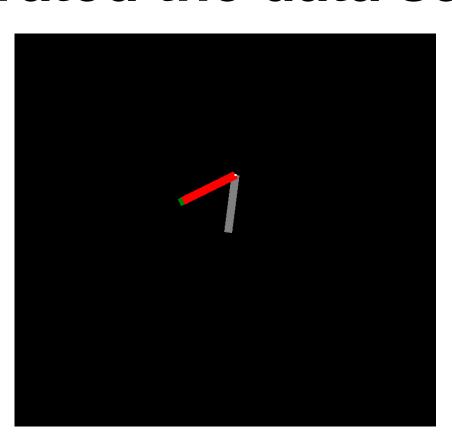
- > Single Color Sensor
- Multi Color sensor with discrete outputs
- > Rover Robots on Mars and Moon

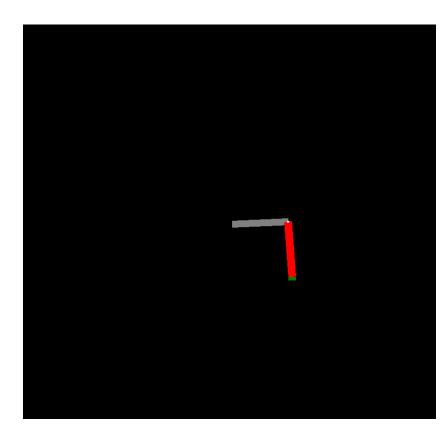


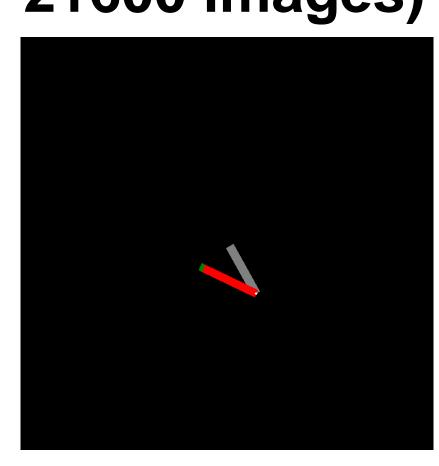
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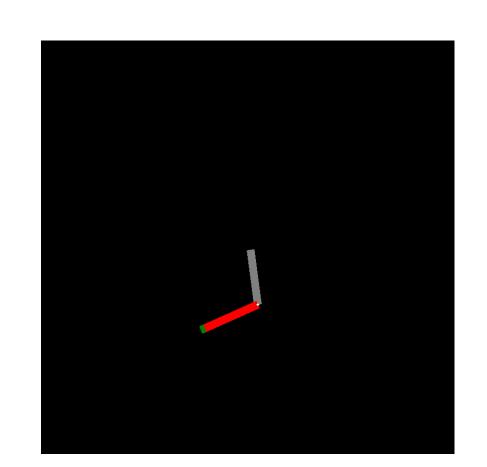
My Contributions

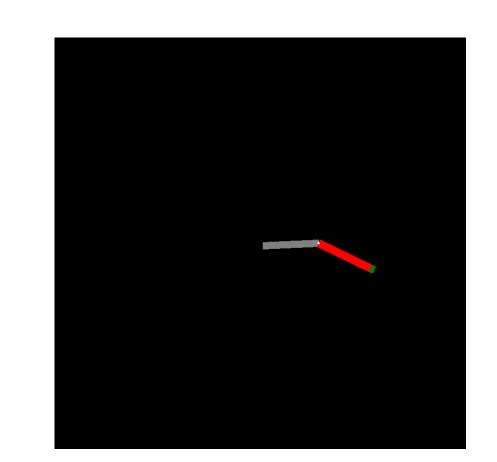
> Generated the data set (3000 random out of 21600 images)



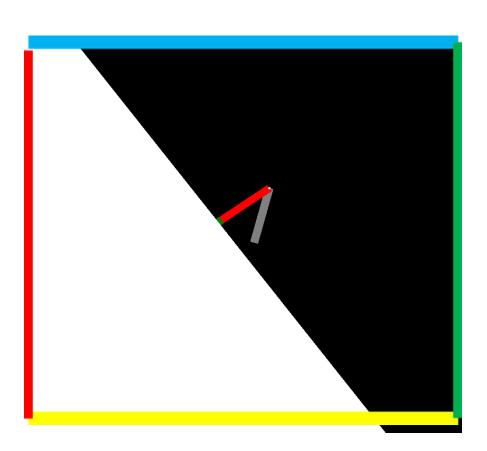


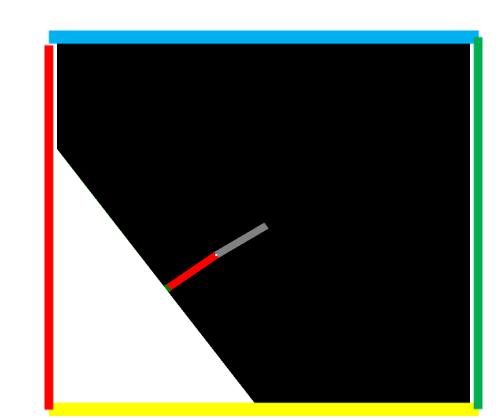


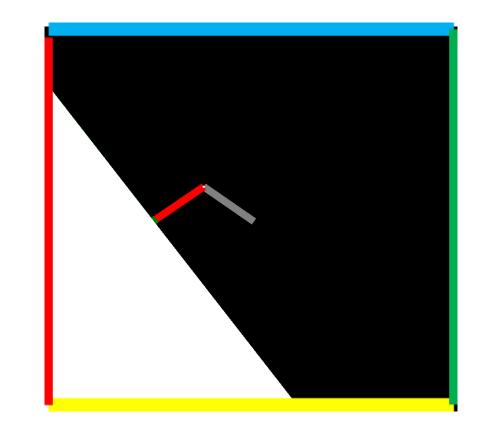


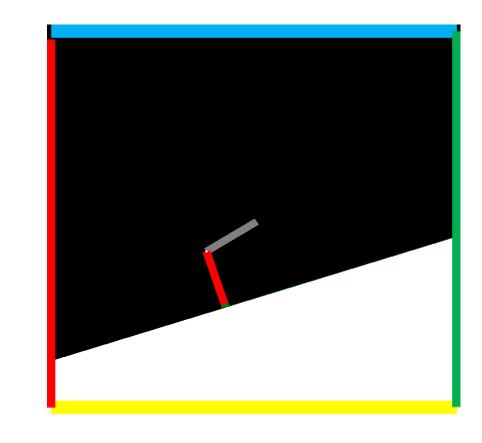


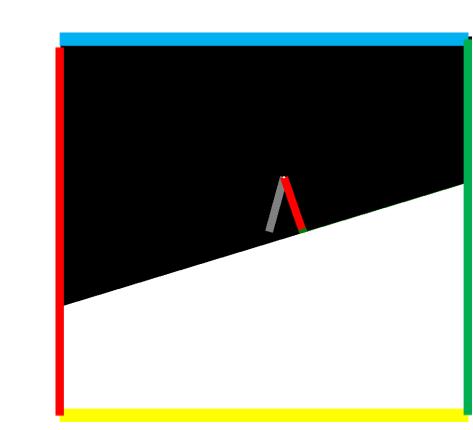
Area of Vision of the robot (3000 out of 21600 images)





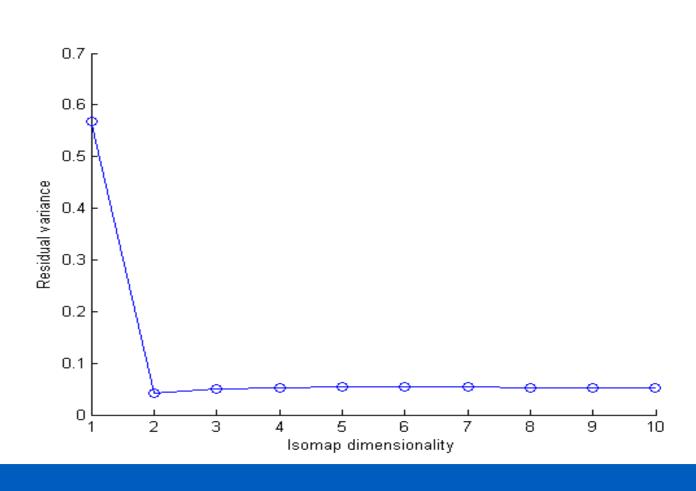




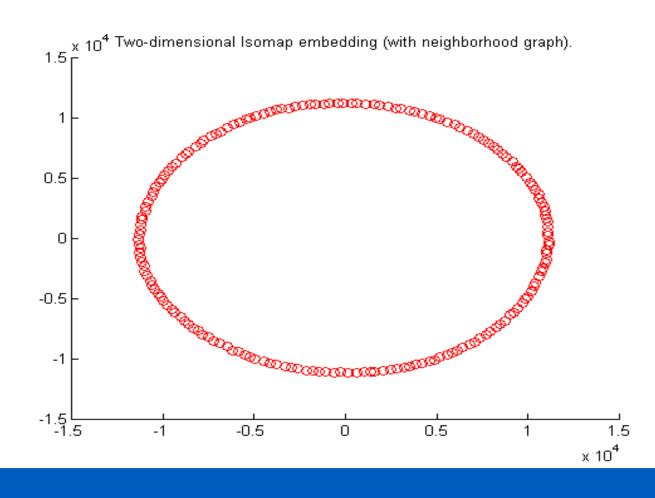


Results And Analysis

1. Scree plot for the robot arm is

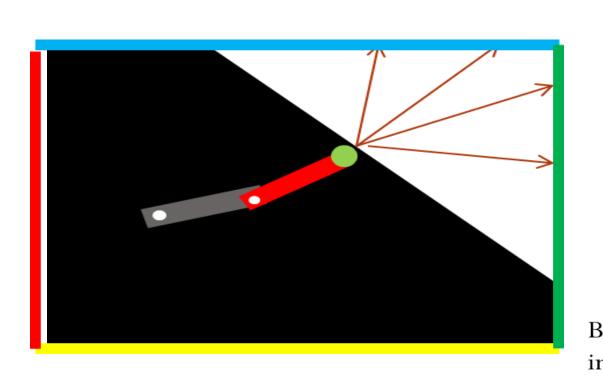


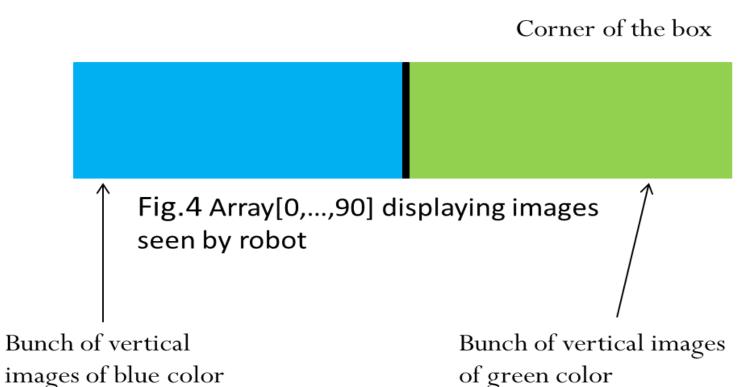
2. Topology will look like:



Approach & Algorithm

Objective



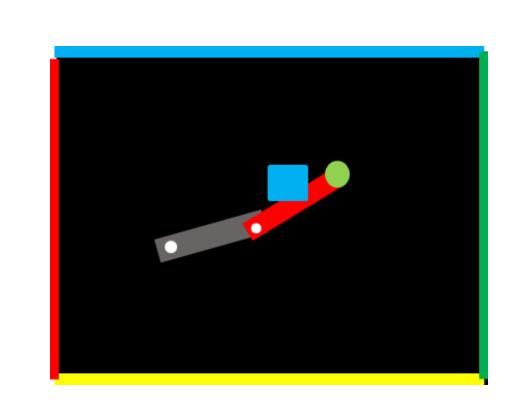


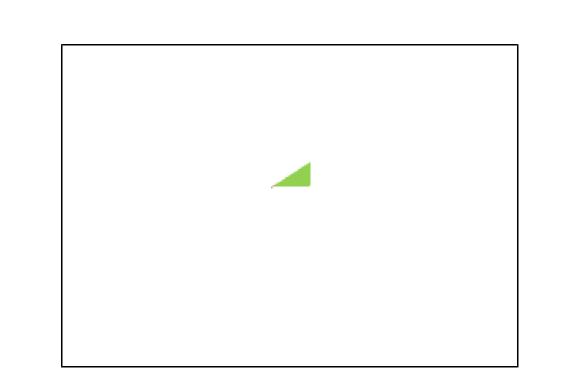
> Sensor Algorithm

- Overlap the robot arm images with the obstacle call it "A".
- Apply following to get :

if (robot arm image = = (A - obstacle image)
 print "Obstacle doesn't hit the robot"
else

display the part hit by obstacle





Future Work

- Path Planning with detection of type of object
- > 2-D Analysis extended to 3-D Analysis
- > Add another robot which shake hand
- > Collaborative work of robots
- > Use of vision to throw a ball to the wall