

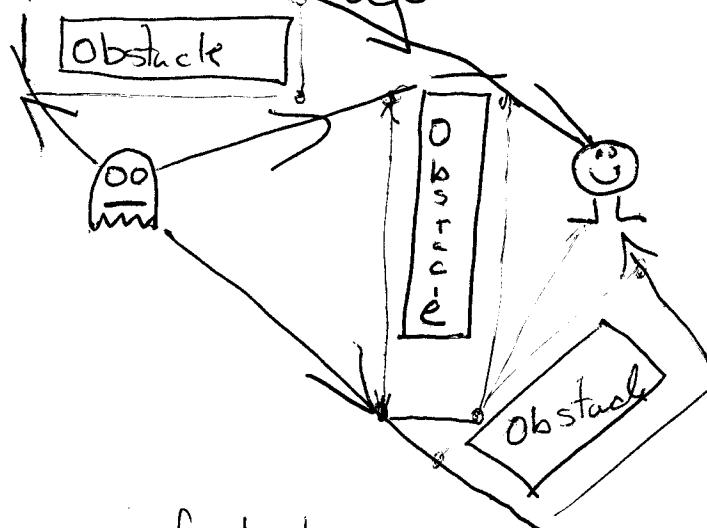
CS 156

Problem Solving Agents

- consider different sequences of actions until find one that achieves a desired goal.

Begin by considering uniformed algorithms. That is agent is given no information about problem other than spec.

Ex) Agent is a monster in a video game



~~Goal~~: Eat player

Problem formulation:
what actions and states to consider to achieve goal.

Process of looking over sequences of actions called search. Solution is an action sequence that achieves goal.

For now will assume environment is static.
i.e., player & obstacles don't move.

Assume Monster knows its initial position
(i.e., its initial state)

Assume Monster knows where obstacles and player are
i.e., environment is observable.