

Game Control



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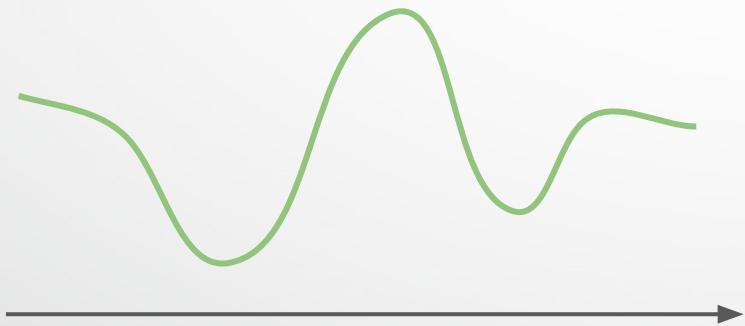


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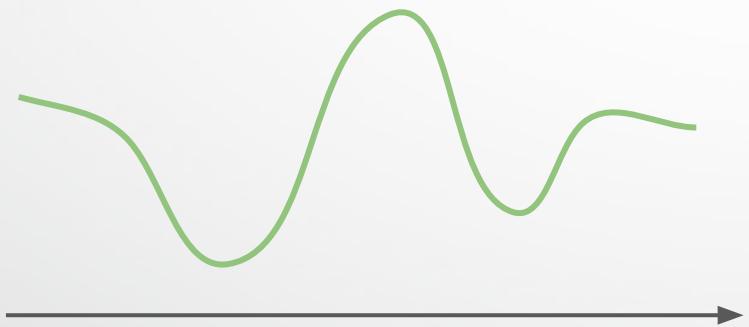


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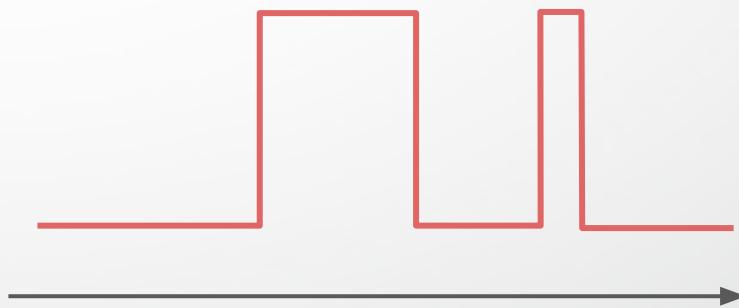




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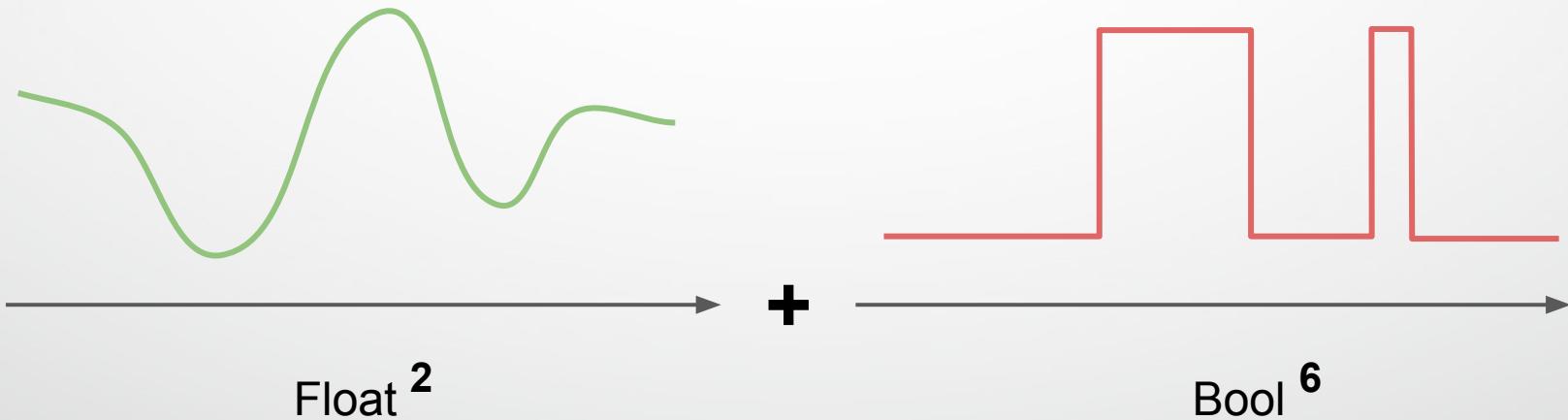


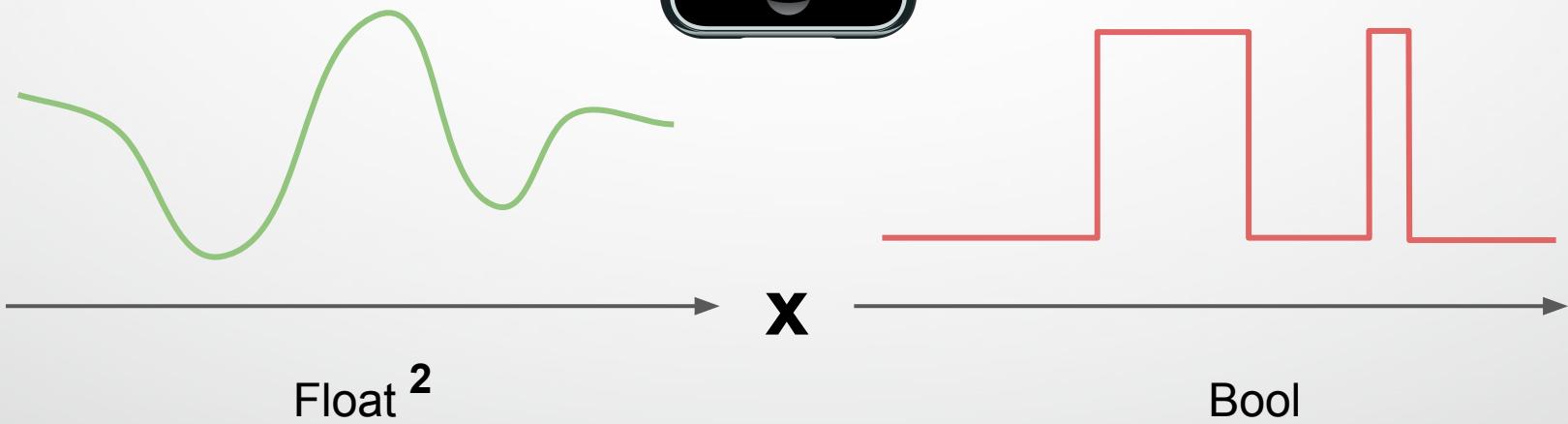
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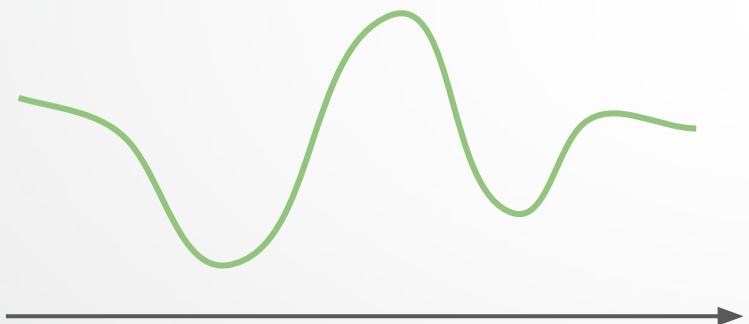


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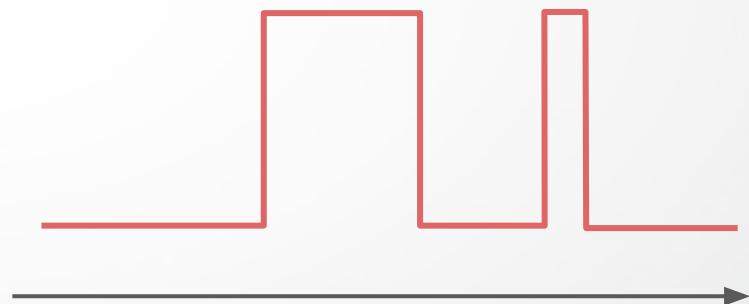




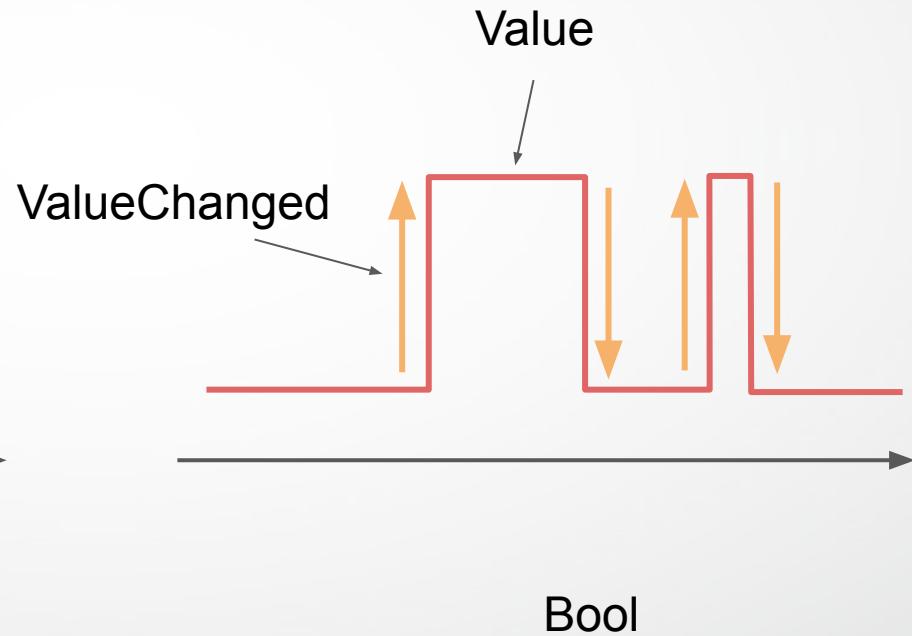
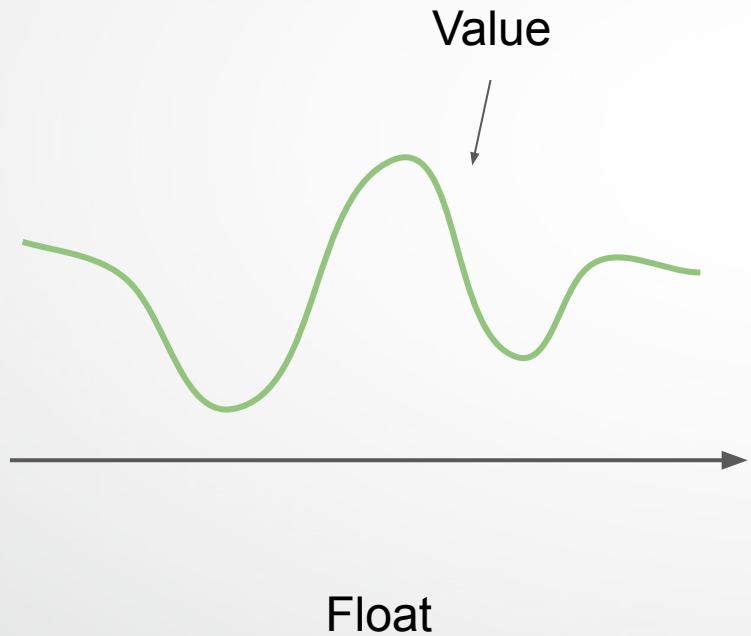


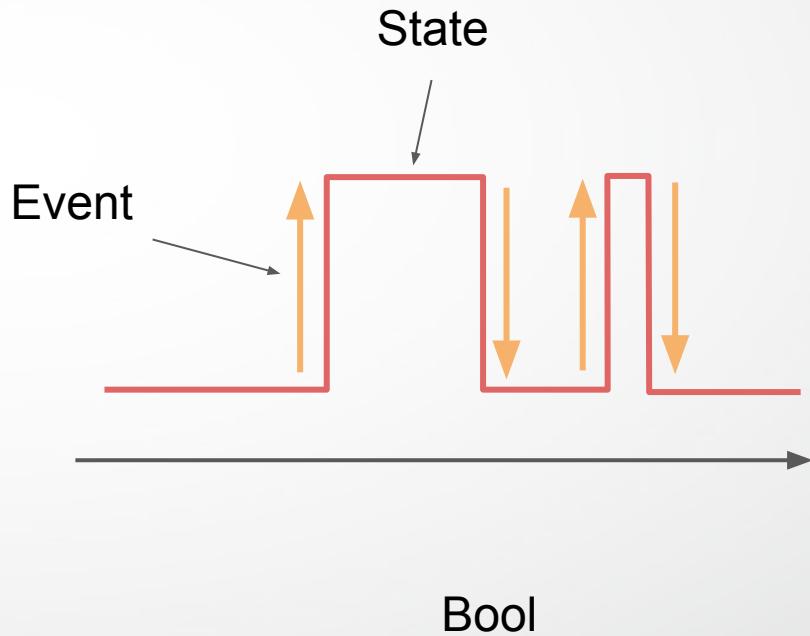
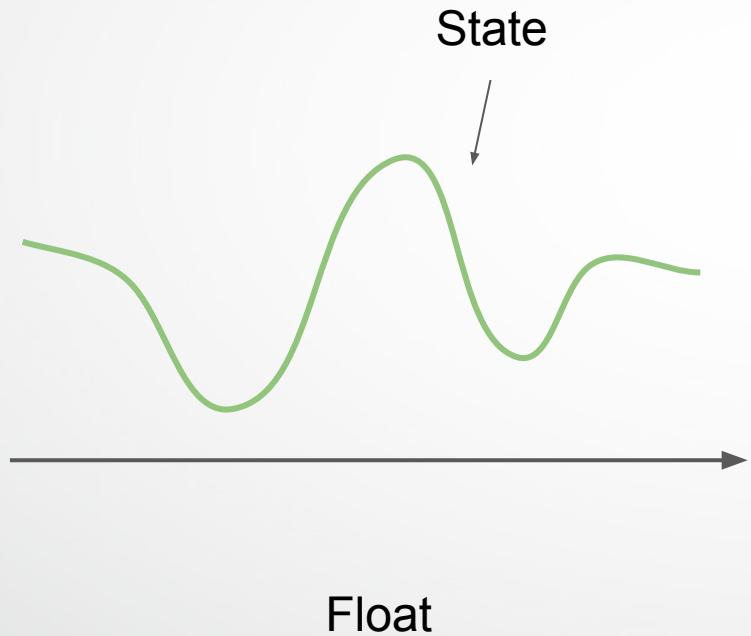


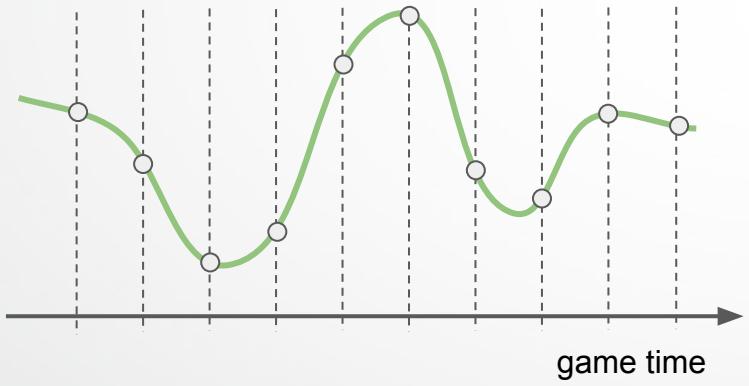
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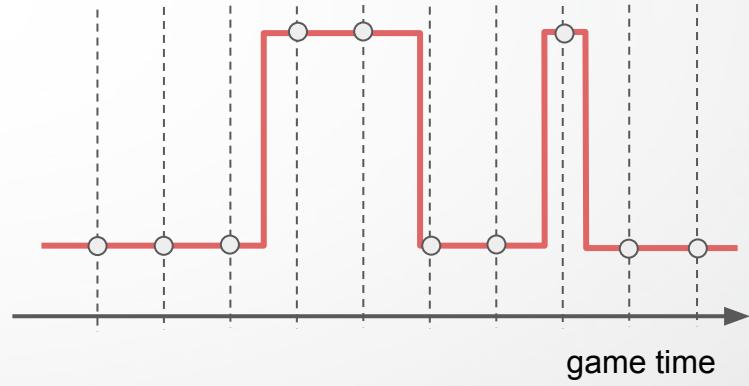
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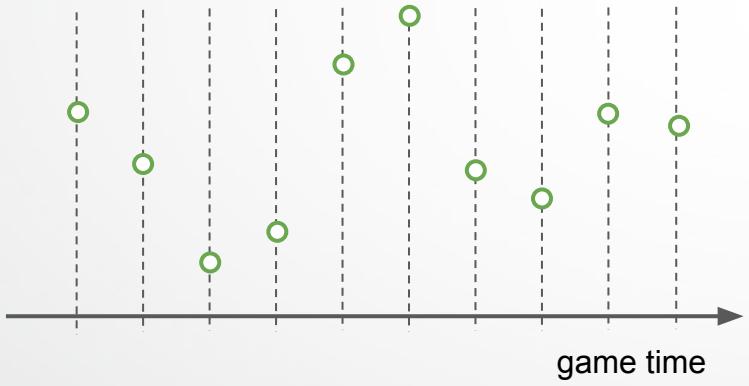




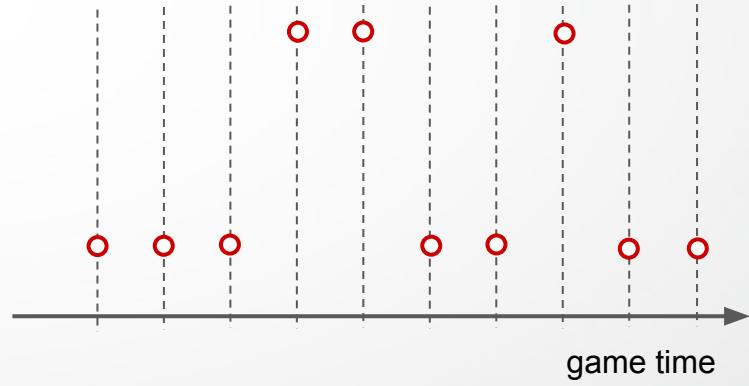
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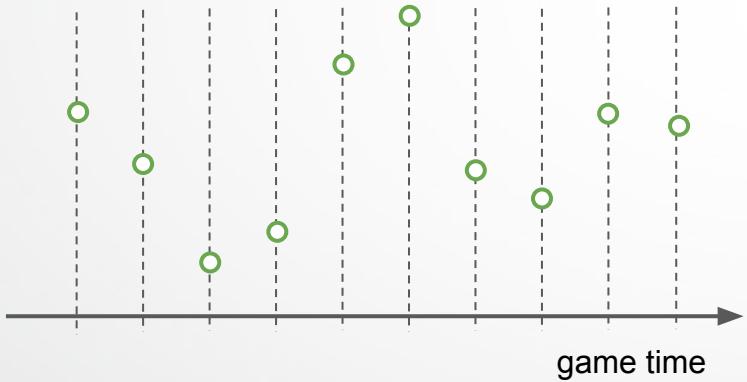


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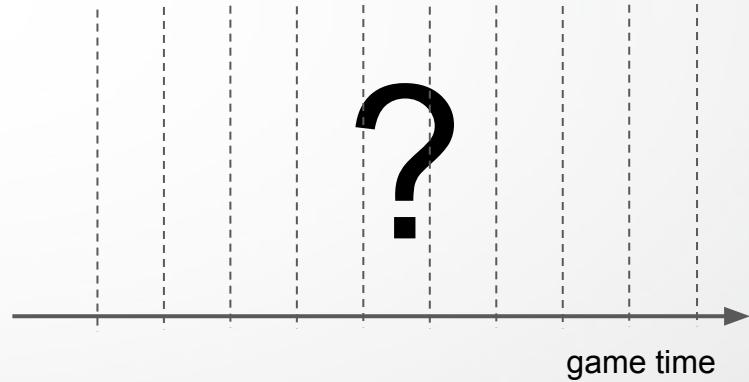
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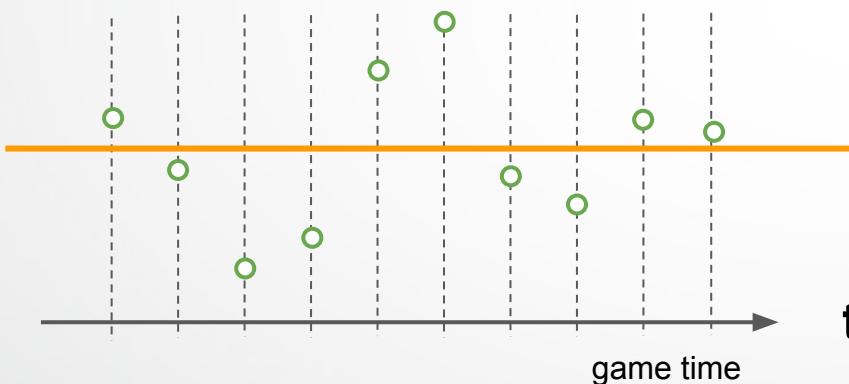


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Value thresholding

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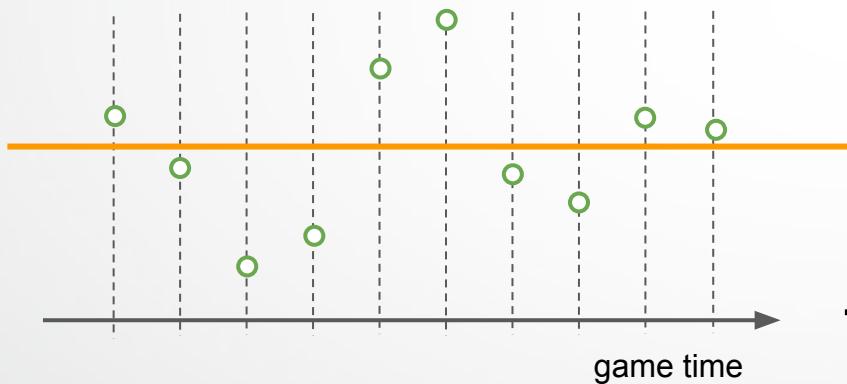
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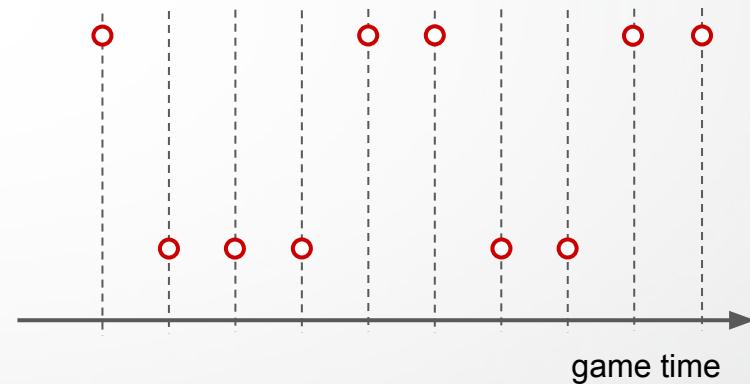
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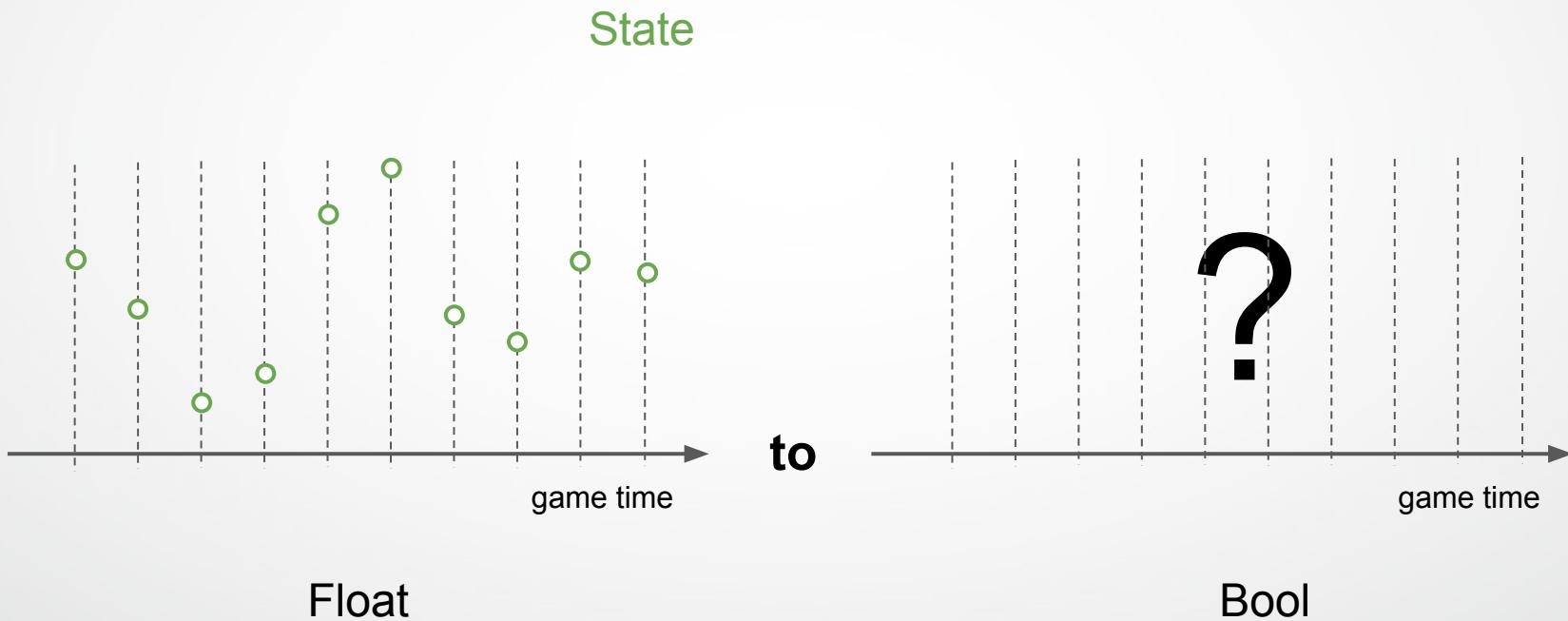
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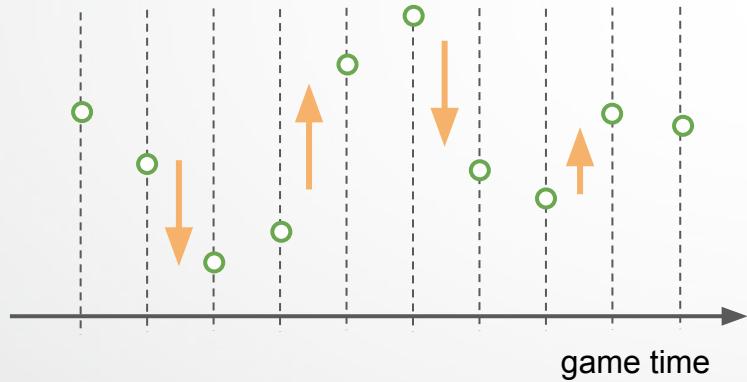


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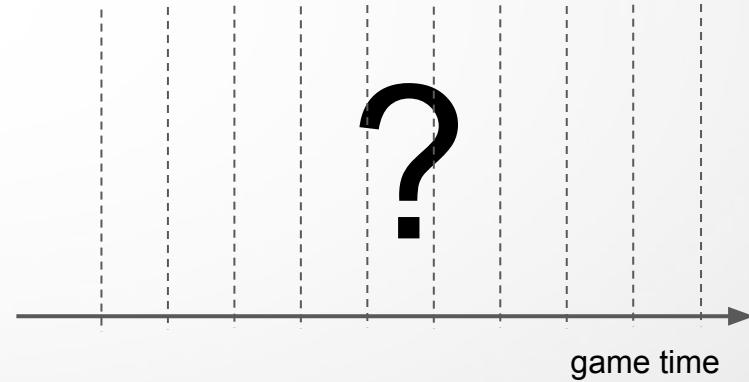


Gradient thresholding

State → Event



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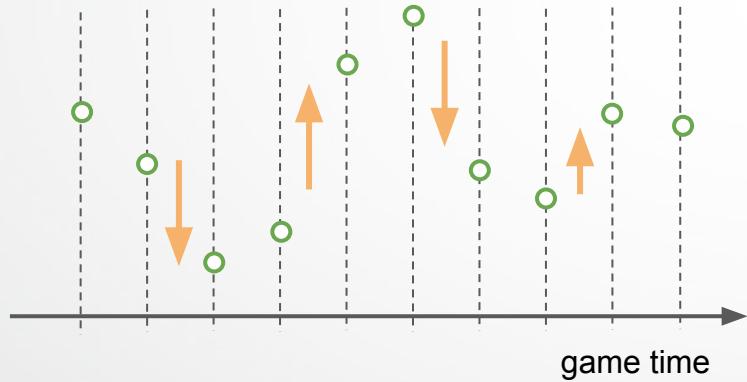


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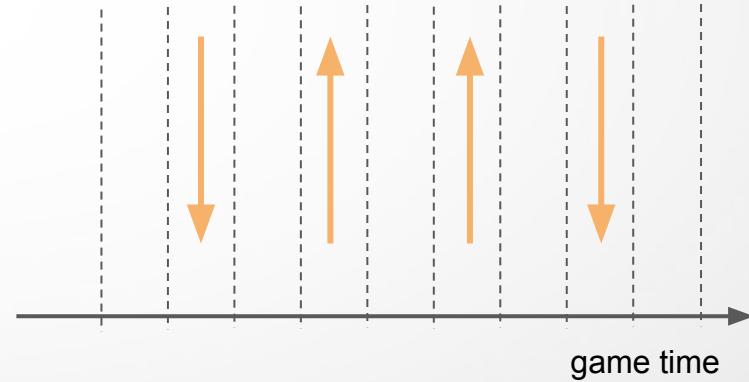
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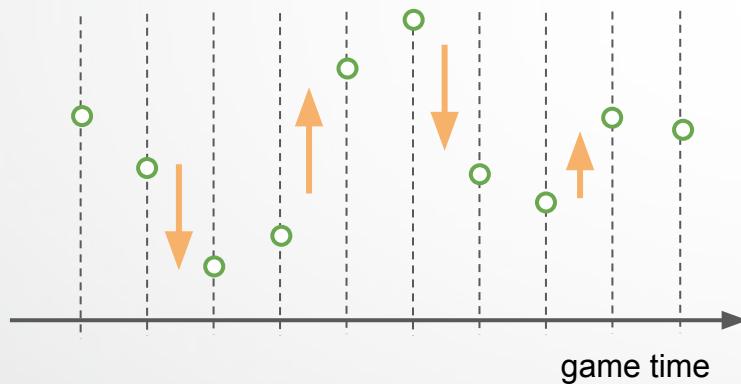


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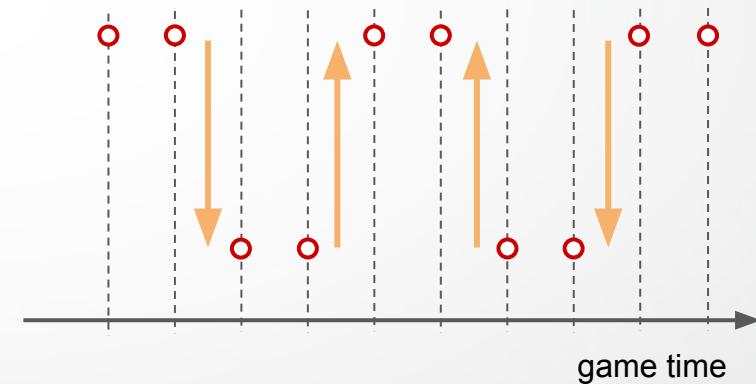
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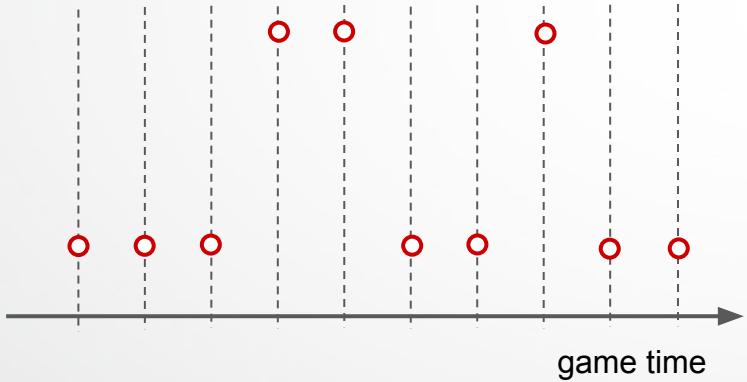
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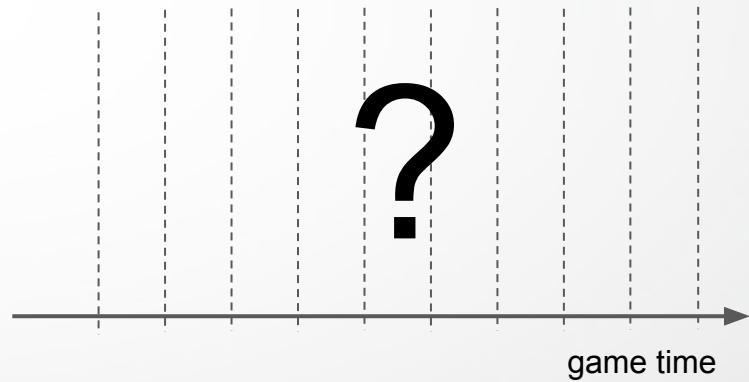
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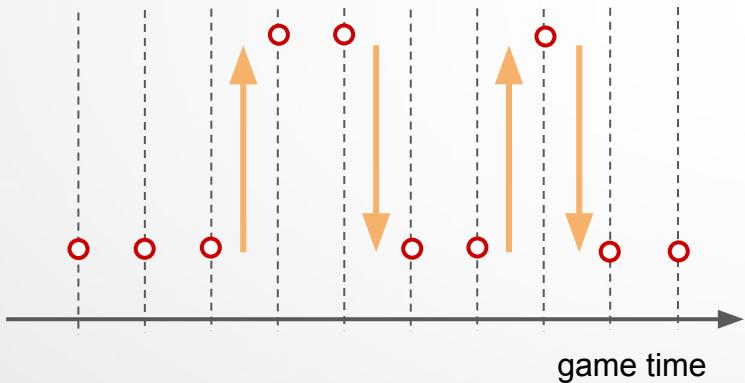
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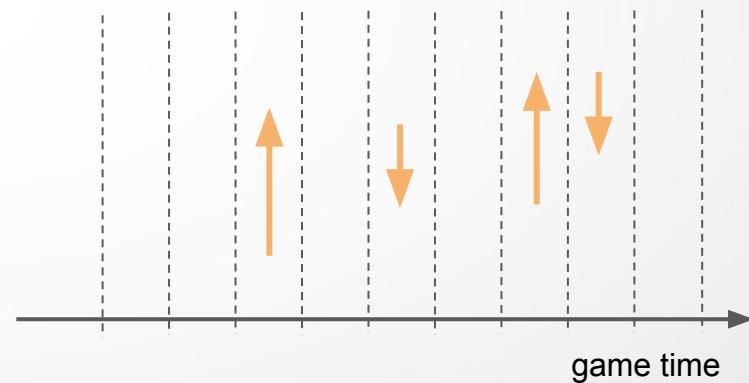
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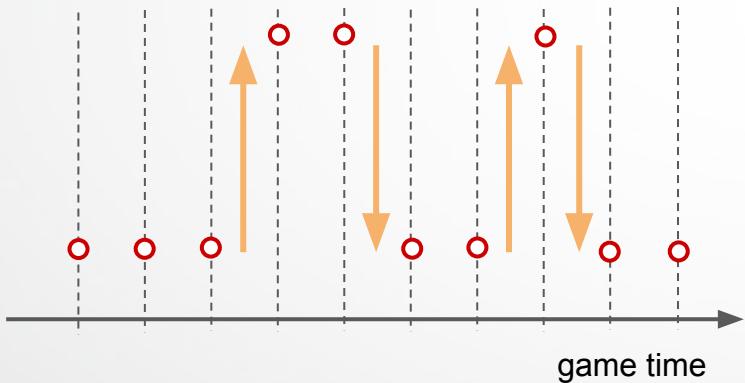
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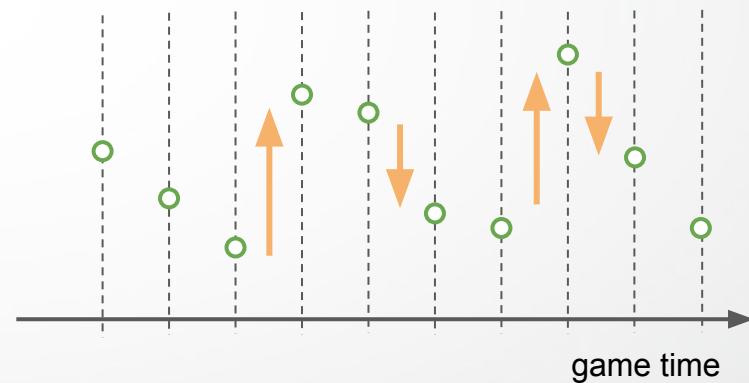


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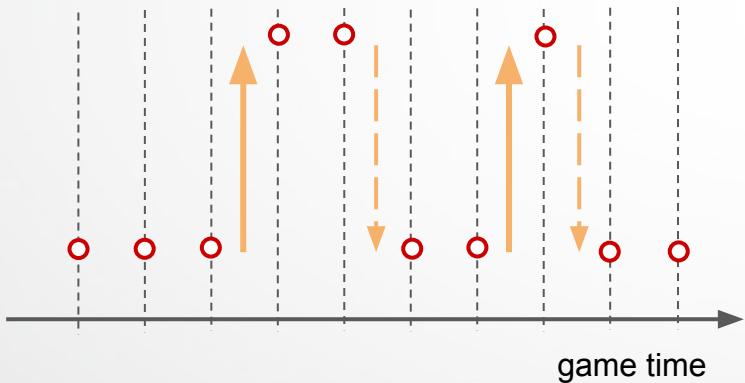
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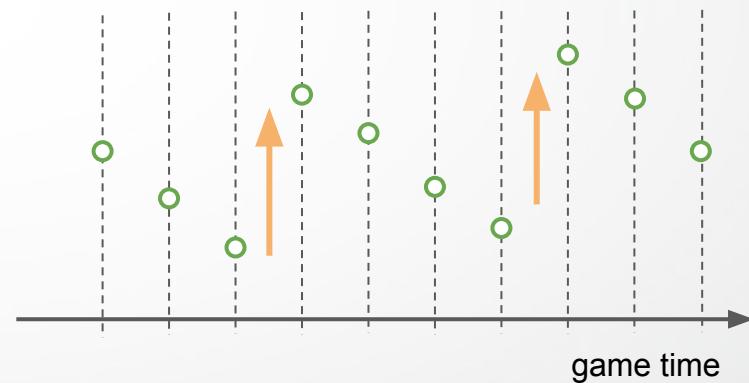


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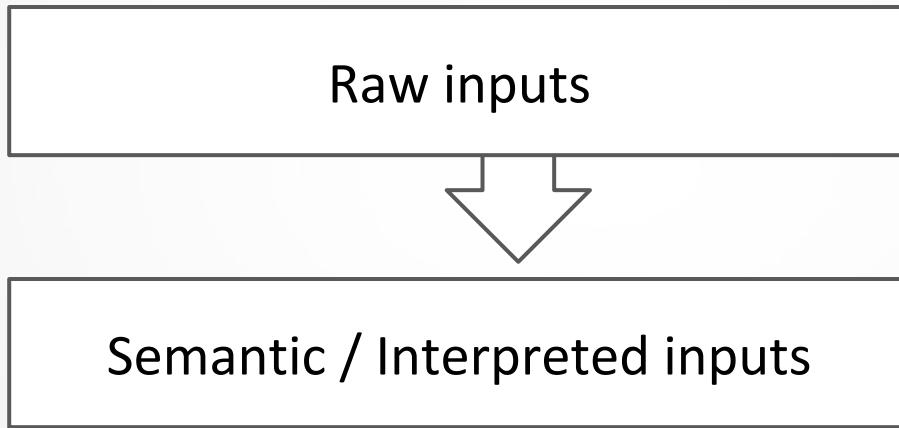


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Raw inputs

X-Axis,
Button A,
Button B

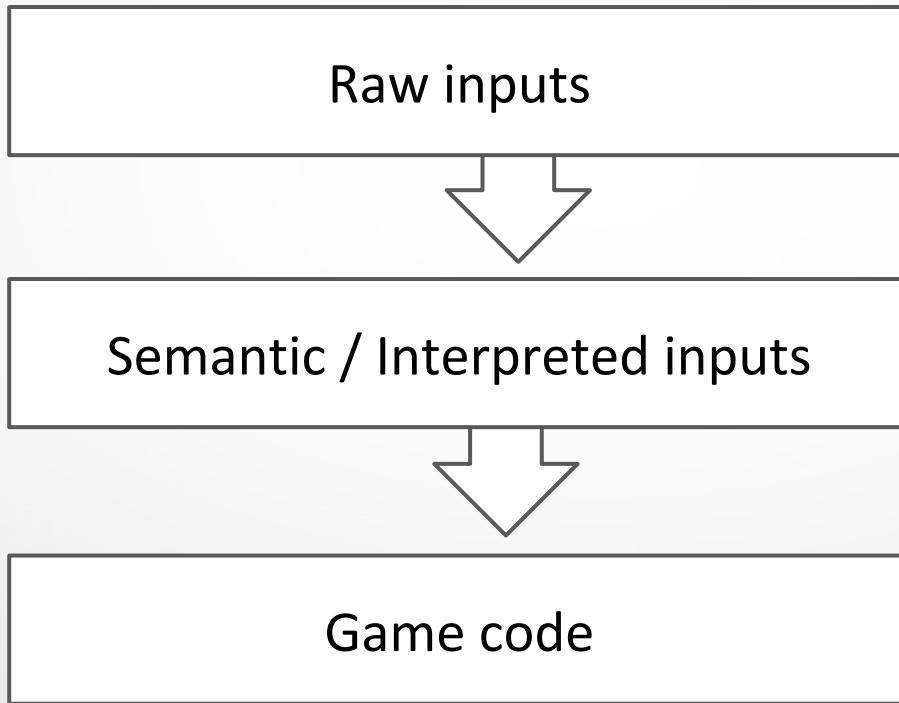




X-Axis,
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MoveHorizontal
Attack
Jump



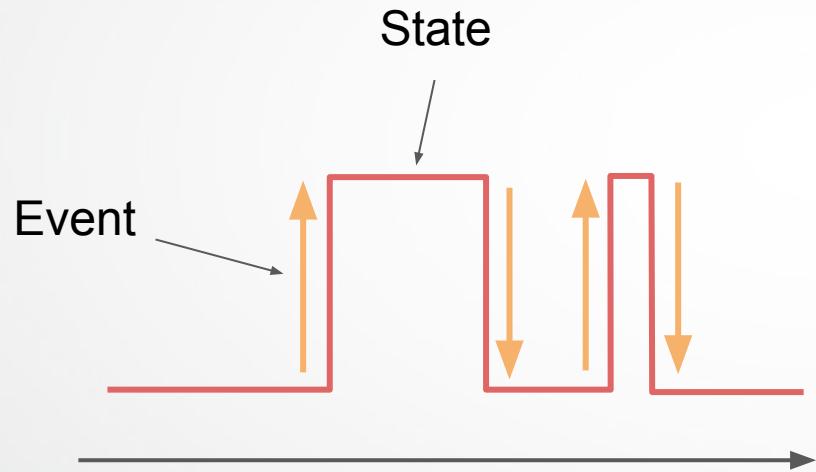


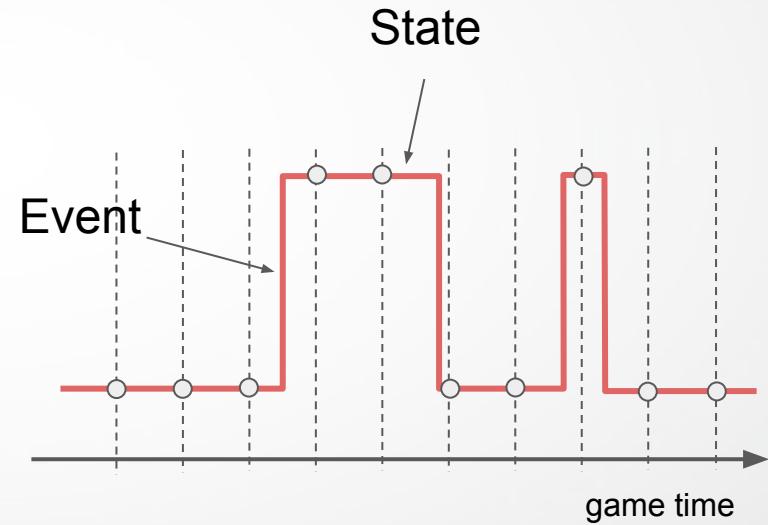
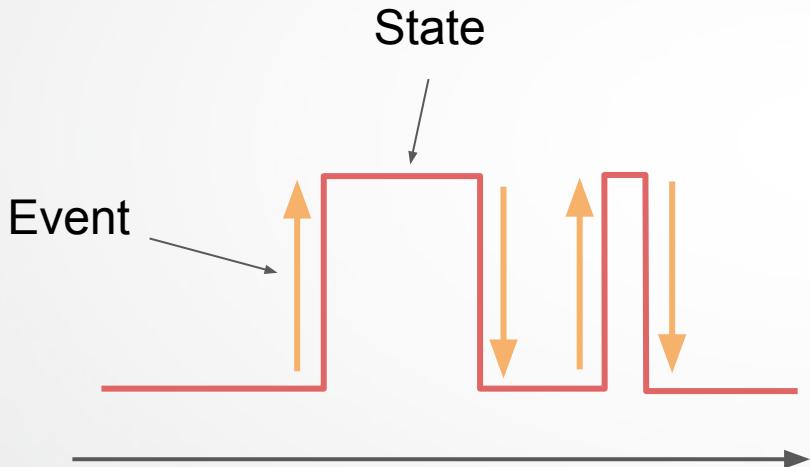
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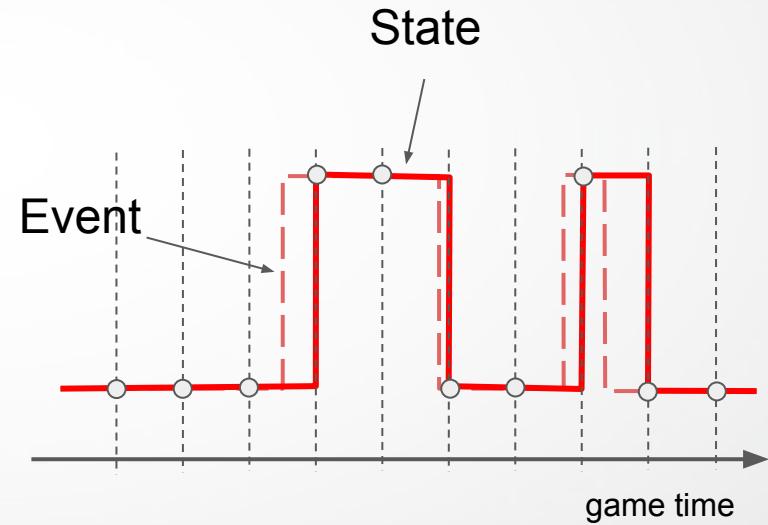
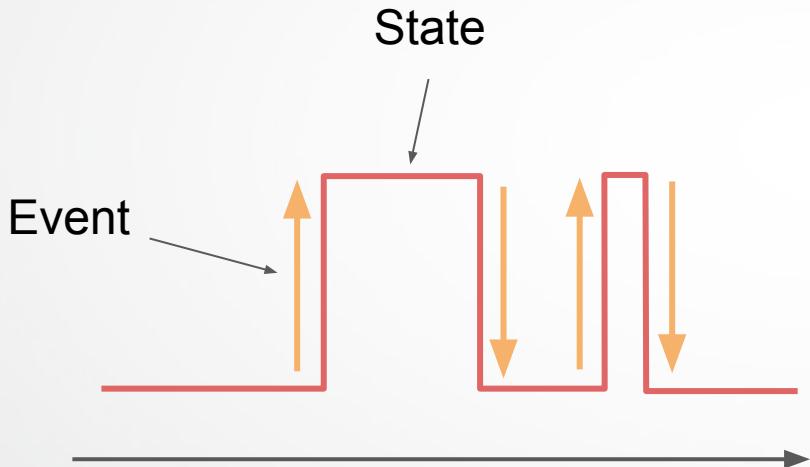
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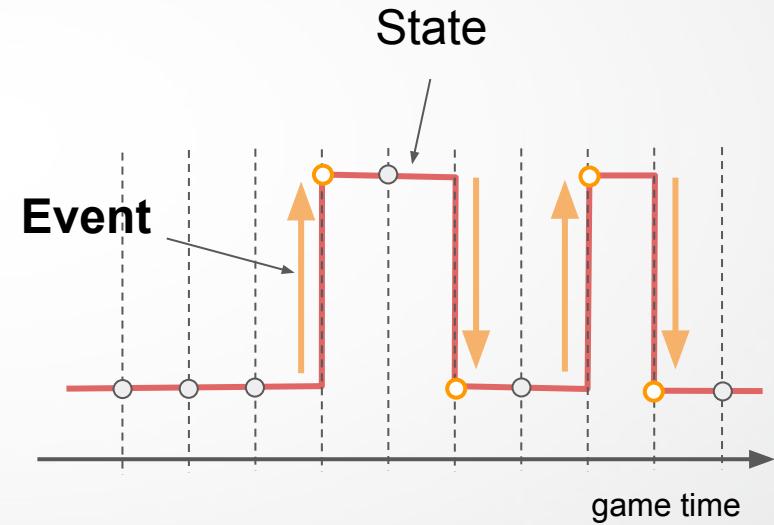
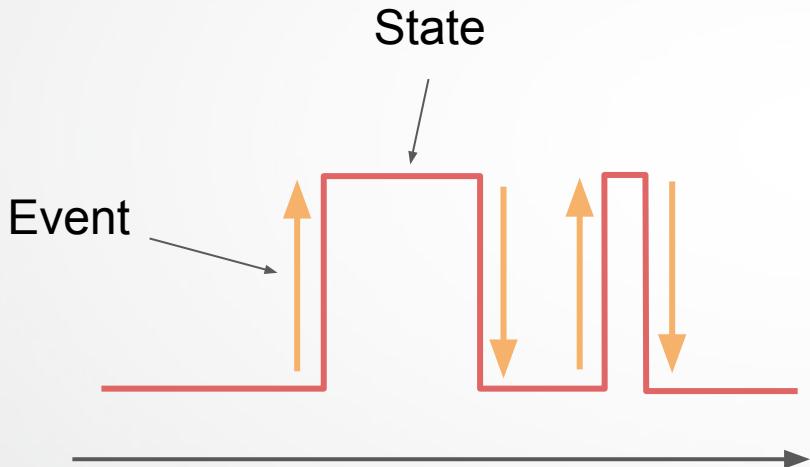
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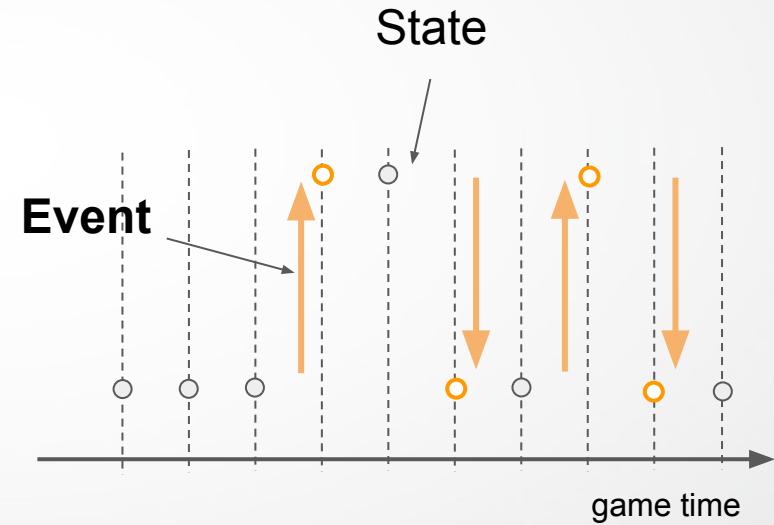
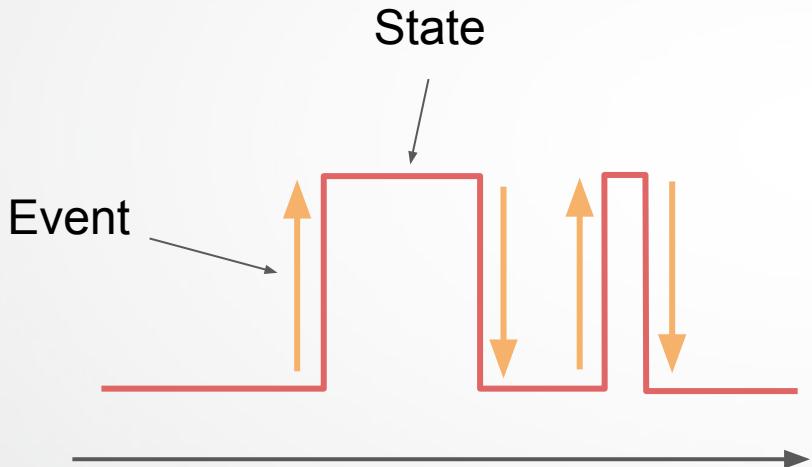


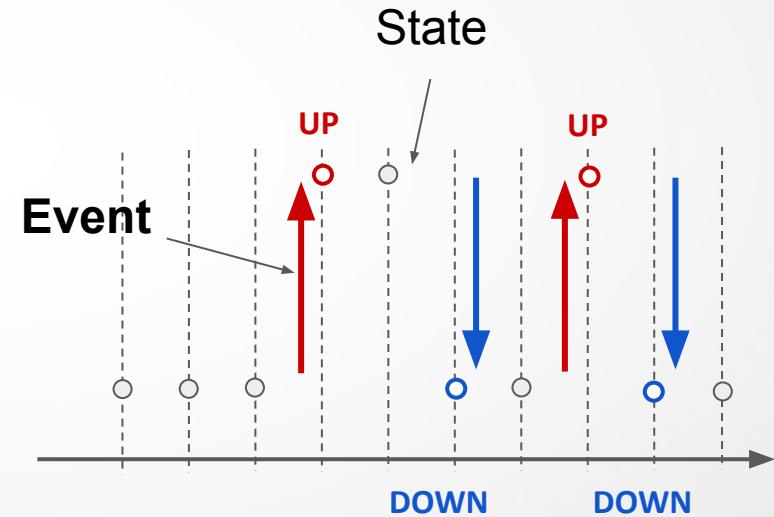
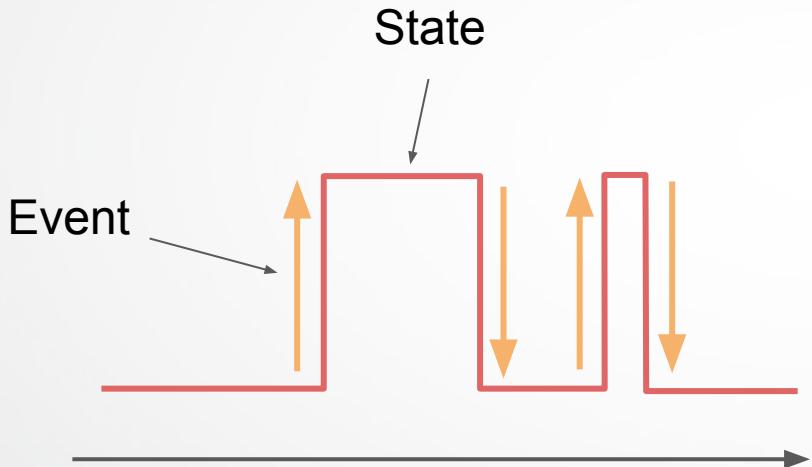


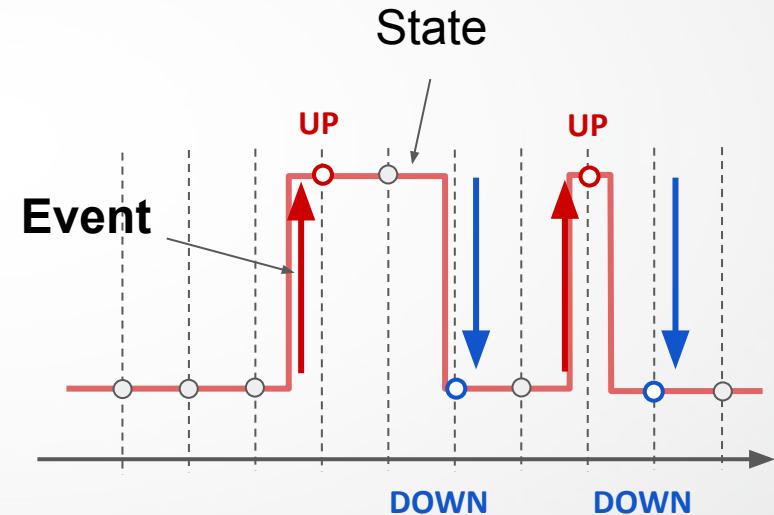
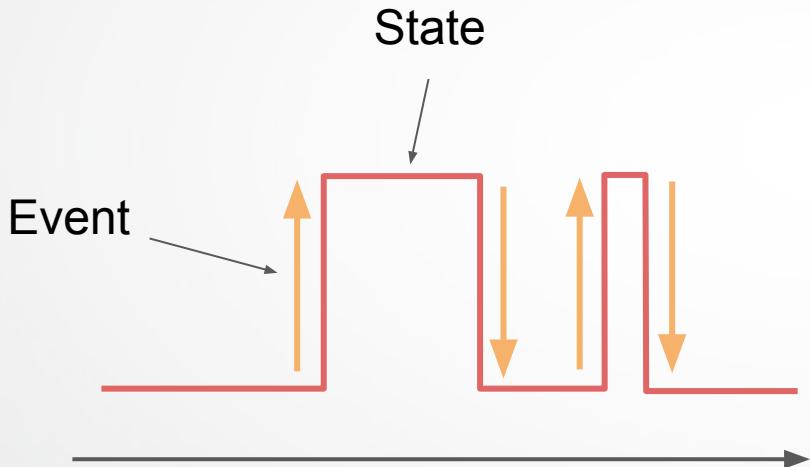














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GetAxisRaw	Returns the value of the virtual axis identified by axisName with no smoothing filtering applied.
GetButton	Returns true while the virtual button identified by buttonName is held down.
GetButtonDown	Returns true during the frame the user pressed down the virtual button identified by buttonName.
GetButtonUp	Returns true the first frame the user releases the virtual button identified by buttonName.
GetJoystickNames	Retrieves a list of input device names corresponding to the index of an Axis configured within Input Manager.
GetKey	Returns true while the user holds down the key identified by name.
GetKeyDown	Returns true during the frame the user starts pressing down the key identified by name.
GetKeyUp	Returns true during the frame the user releases the key identified by name.
GetMouseButton	Returns whether the given mouse button is held down.
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Event triggered in FixedUpdate() or Update() ?



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Event triggered in Update()



Input System Package (in Dev)

Project Settings

Input System Package

Update Mode: Process Events In Dynamic Update

Timeslice Events:

Filter Noise On Current:

Compensate For Screen Or:

Default Deadzone Min: 0.125

Default Deadzone Max: 0.925

Default Button Press Point: 0.5

Default Tap Time: 0.2

Default Slow Tap Time: 0.5

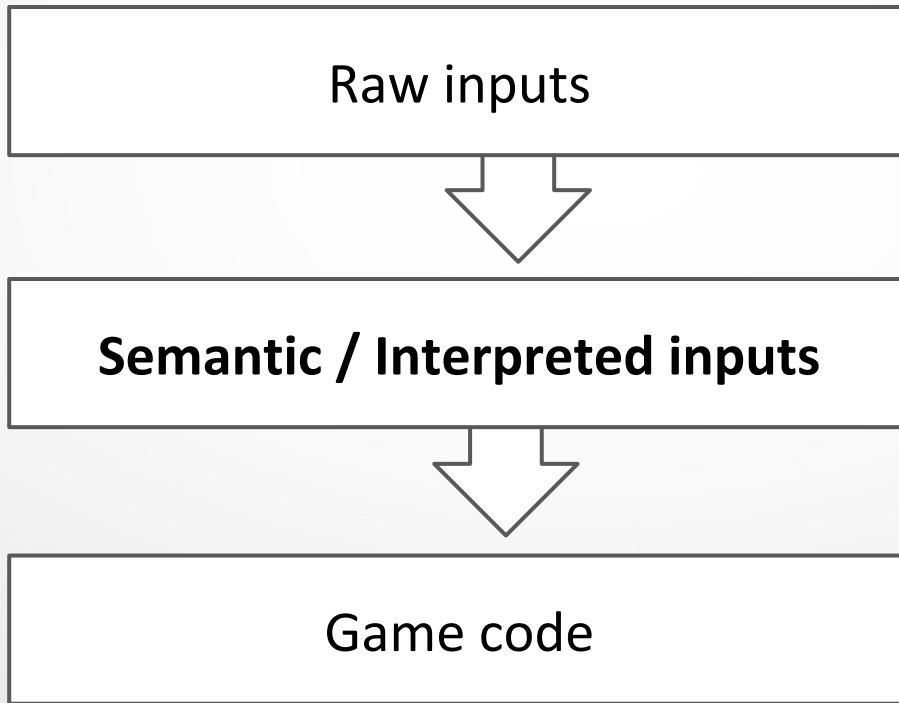
Default Hold Time: 0.4

Tap Radius: 5

Multi Tap Delay Time: 0.75

Leave 'Supported Devices' empty if you want the input system to support all input devices it can recognize. If, however, you are only interested in a certain set of devices, adding them here will narrow the scope of what's presented in the editor and avoid picking up input from devices not relevant to the project.

Supported Devices



X-Axis,
Button A,
Button B

MoveHorizontal
Attack
Jump

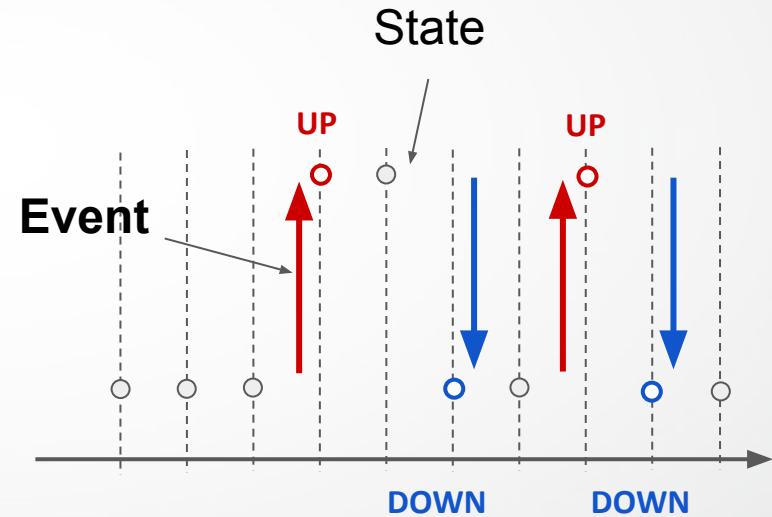
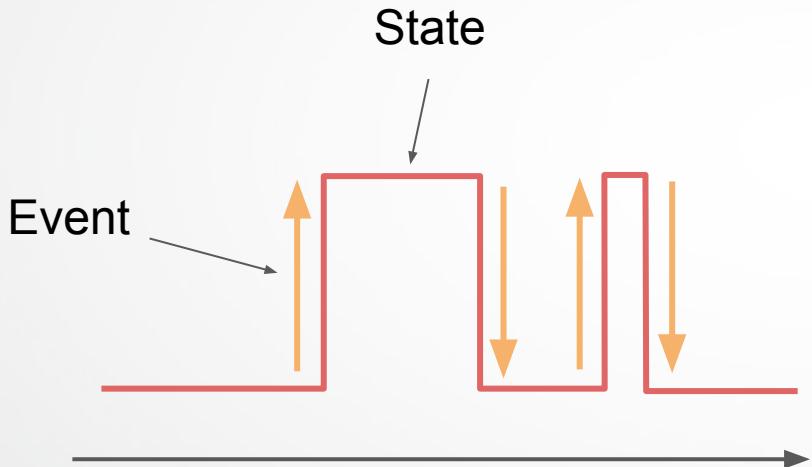
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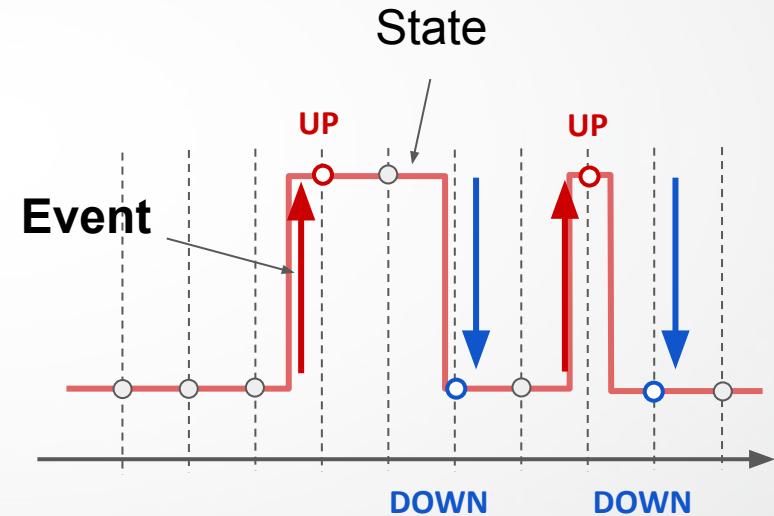
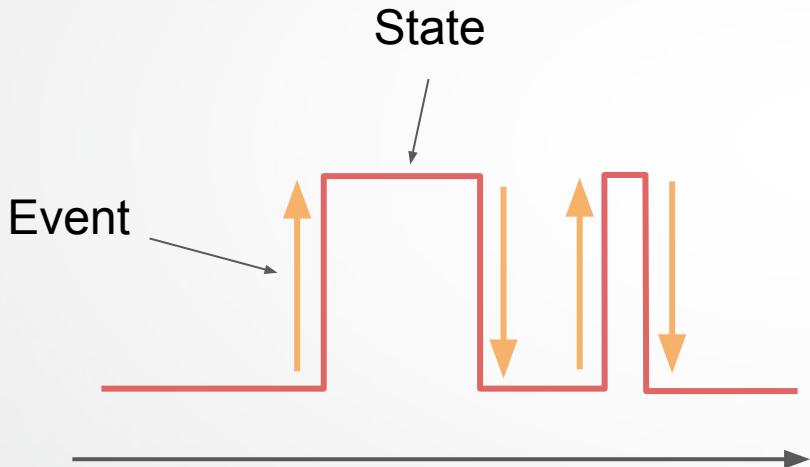


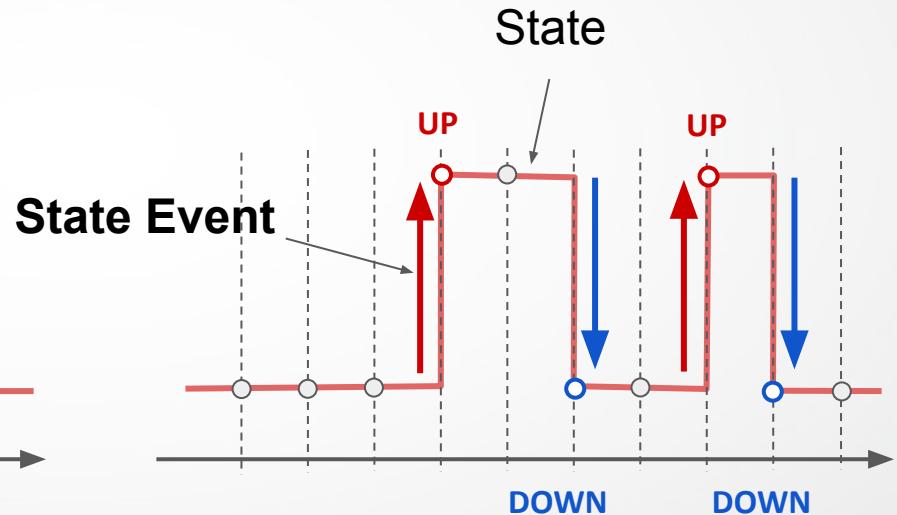
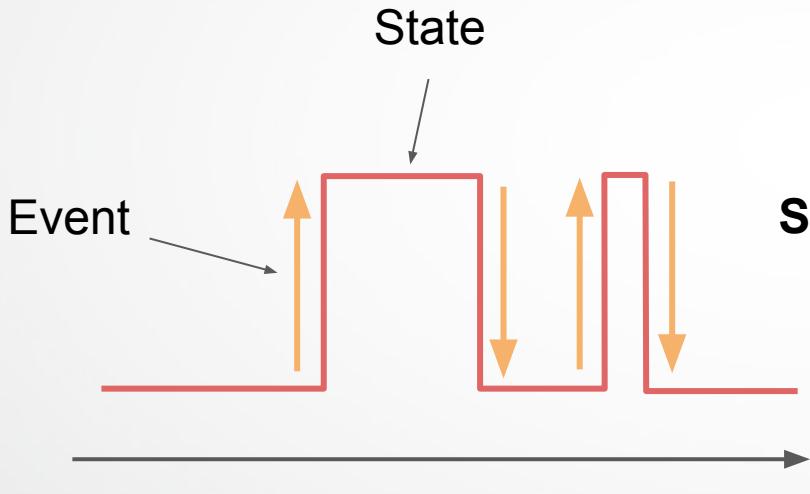


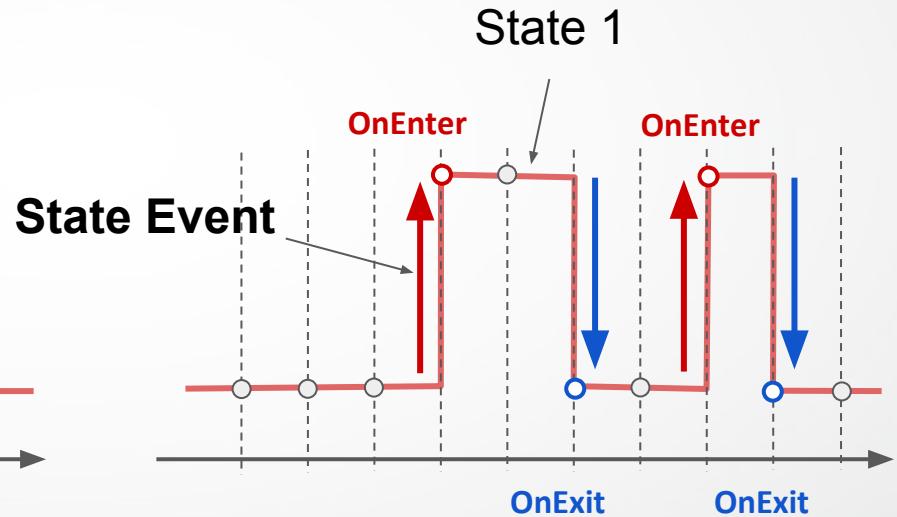
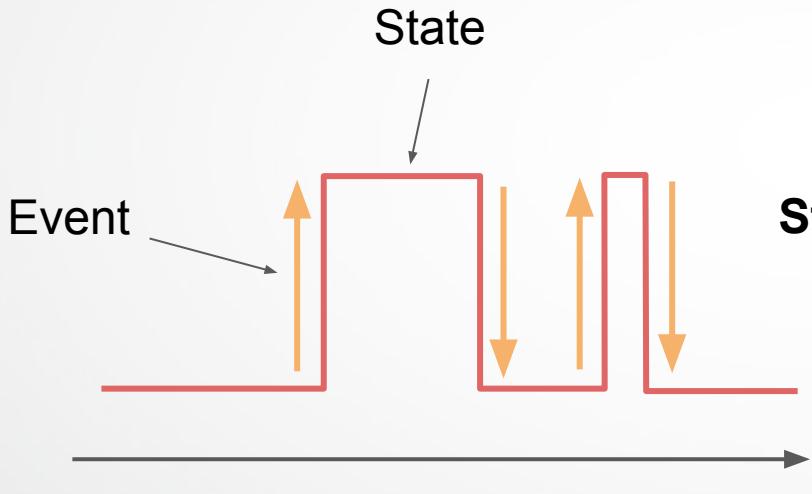
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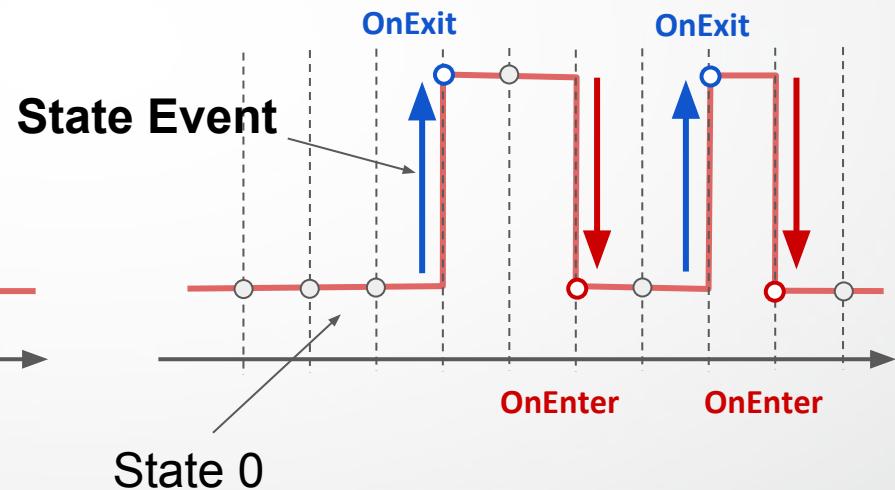
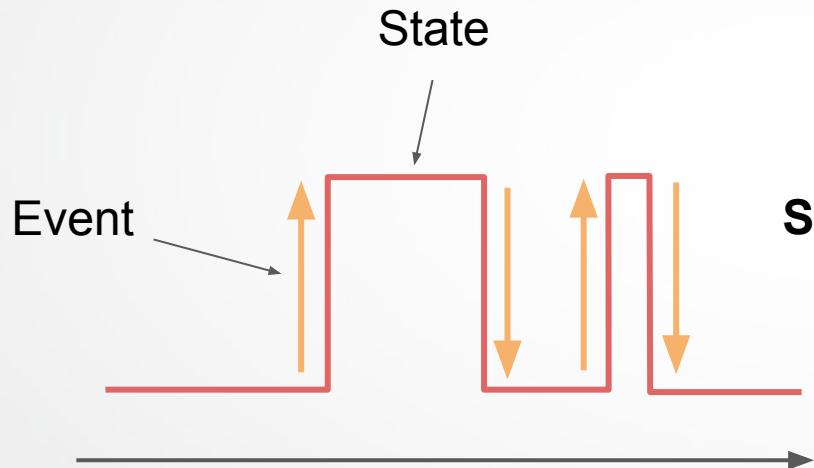
The screenshot shows the Unity Project Settings window with the 'Input Manager' tab selected. The main area displays the 'Input Manager' configuration. A note at the top says: 'This is where you can configure the controls to use with the UnityEngine.Input API. Consider using the new Input System Package instead.' Below this, the 'Axes' section is expanded, showing settings for a horizontal axis named 'Horizontal'. The 'Name' field contains 'Horizontal', which is highlighted with a red rectangle. Other settings for this axis include 'Descriptive Name' (empty), 'Descriptive Negative Name' (empty), 'Negative Button' (empty), 'Positive Button' (empty), 'Alt Negative Button' (empty), 'Alt Positive Button' (empty), 'Gravity' (1000), 'Dead' (0.001), 'Sensitivity' (1000), 'Snap' (checked), 'Invert' (unchecked), 'Type' (Key or Mouse Button), 'Axis' (X axis), and 'Joy Num' (Get Motion from all Joysticks). Other sections like 'Vertical', 'Fire1', 'Fire2', 'Fire3', and 'Jump' are also listed.





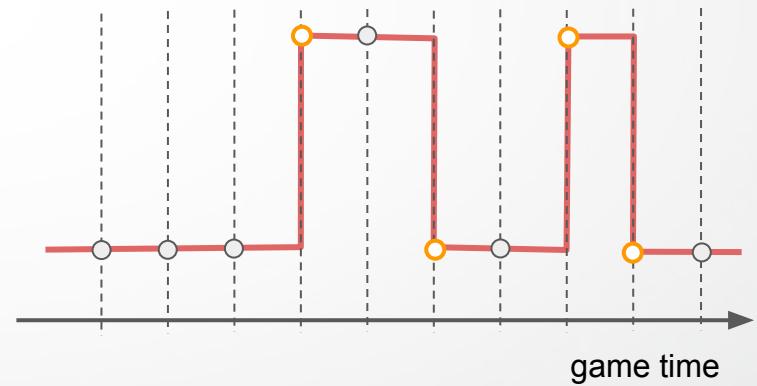


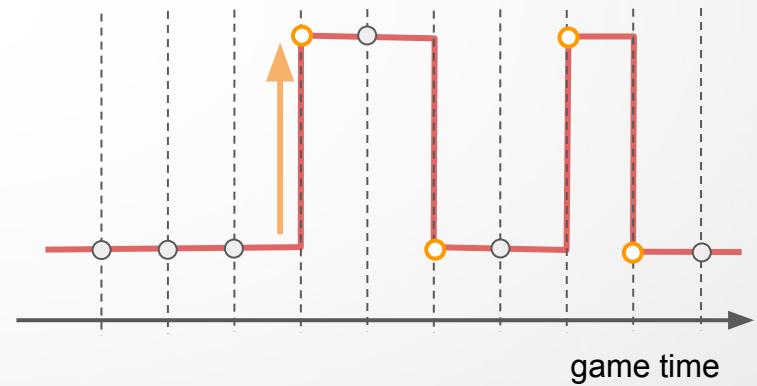


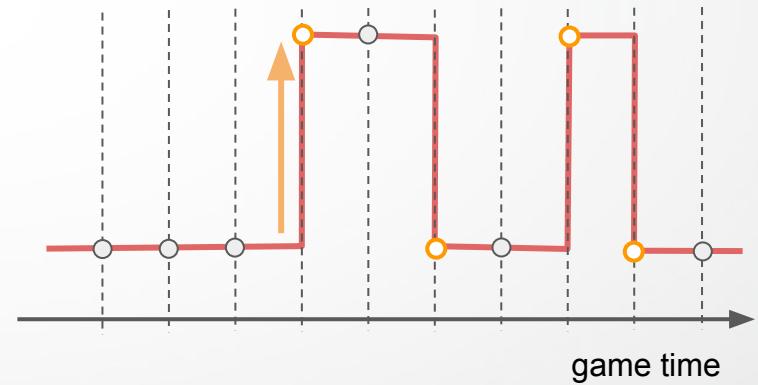
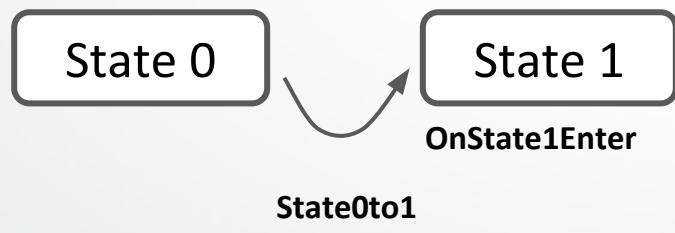


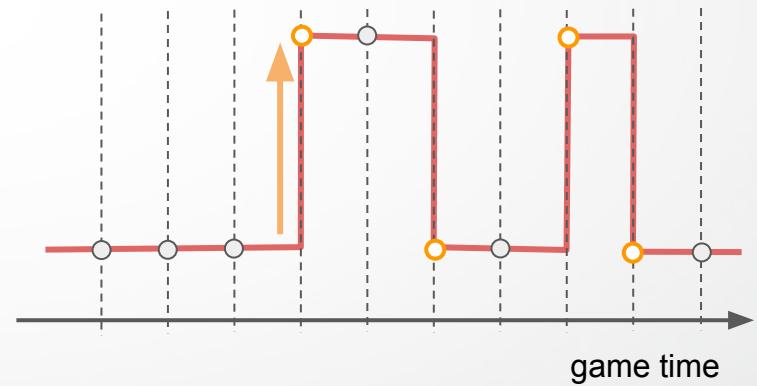
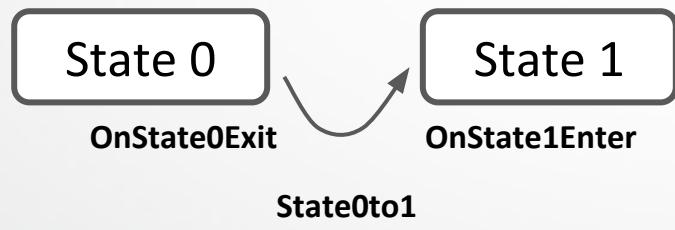
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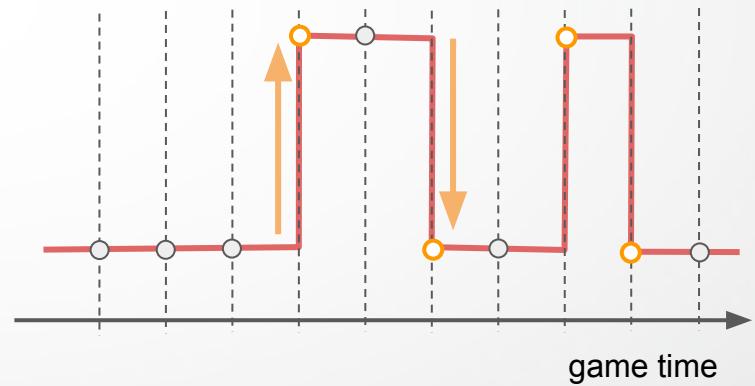
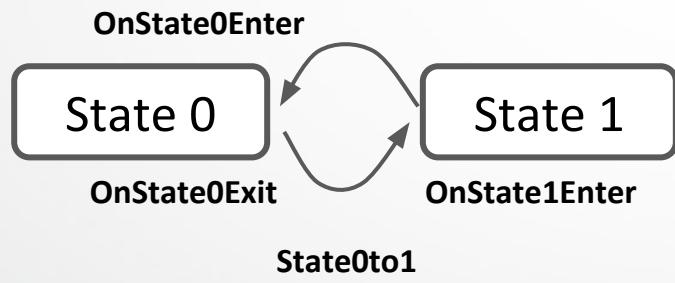
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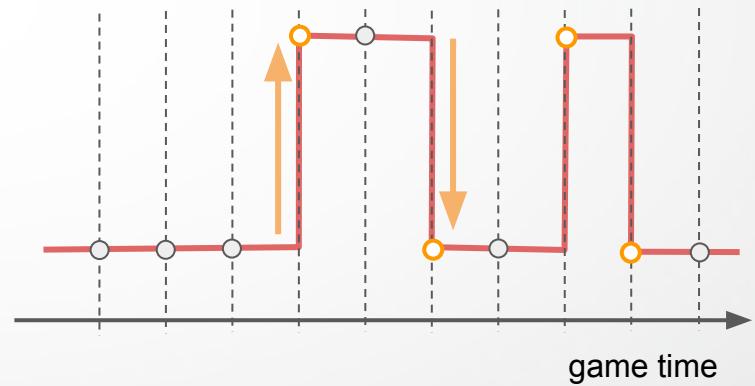
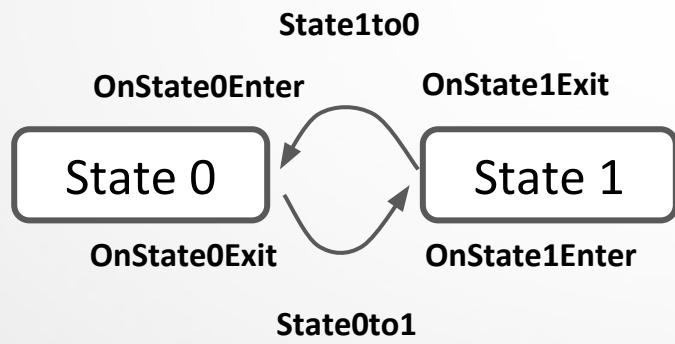












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Normal

Pressed

How many button states ?



Normal

Pressed

onMouseDown

onMouseEnter

onMouseOver



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Normal

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`onMouseDown`

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`onMouseEnter`

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How many button states ?



Normal

Pressed

Highlighted

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onMouseUp

onMouseEnter

onMouseExit

onMouseDrag

onMouseOver

How many button states ?



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Pressed

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Highlighted

`onMouseUpAsButton`

Disabled

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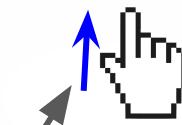
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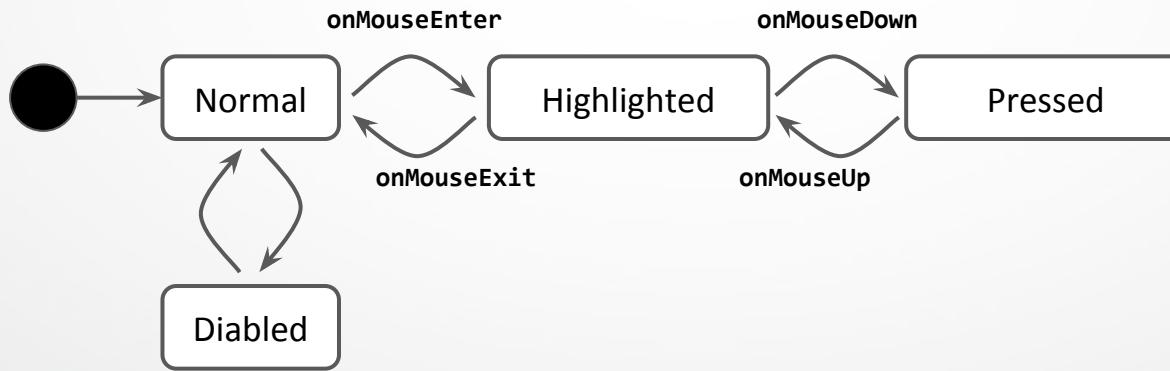
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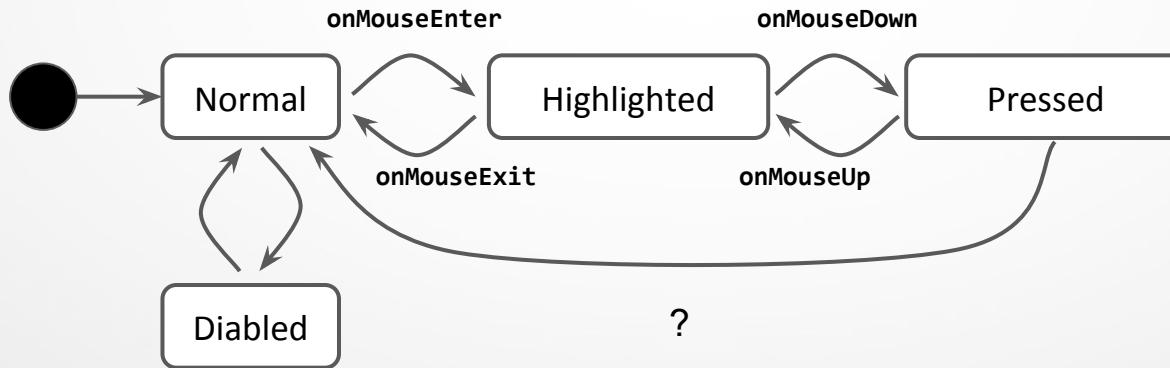
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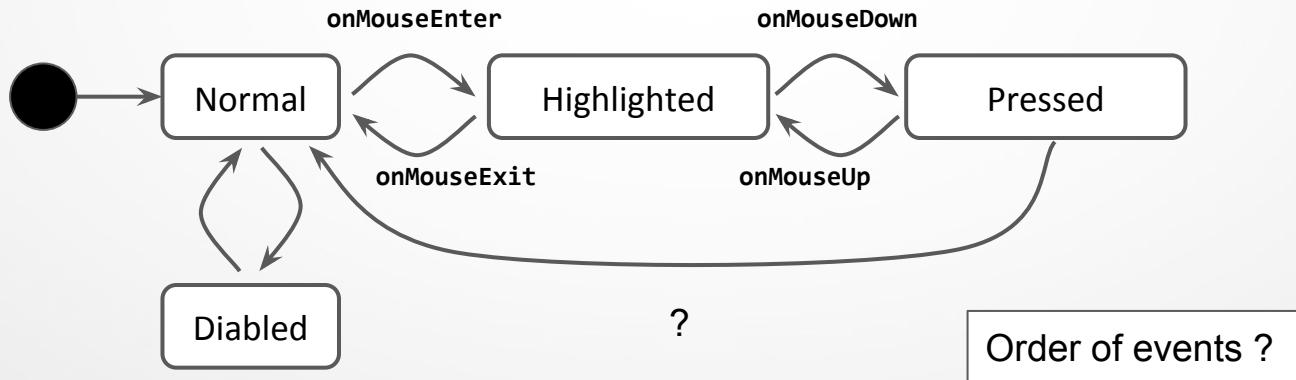
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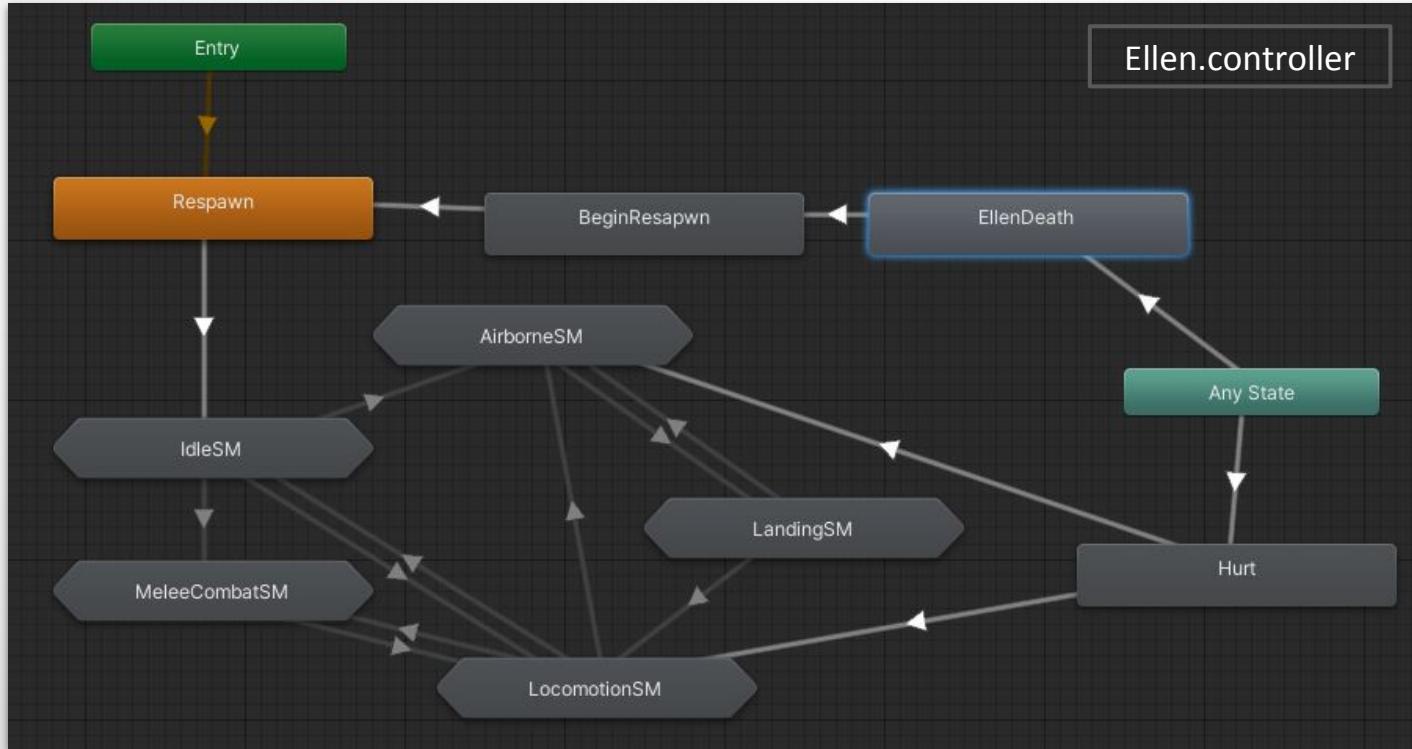


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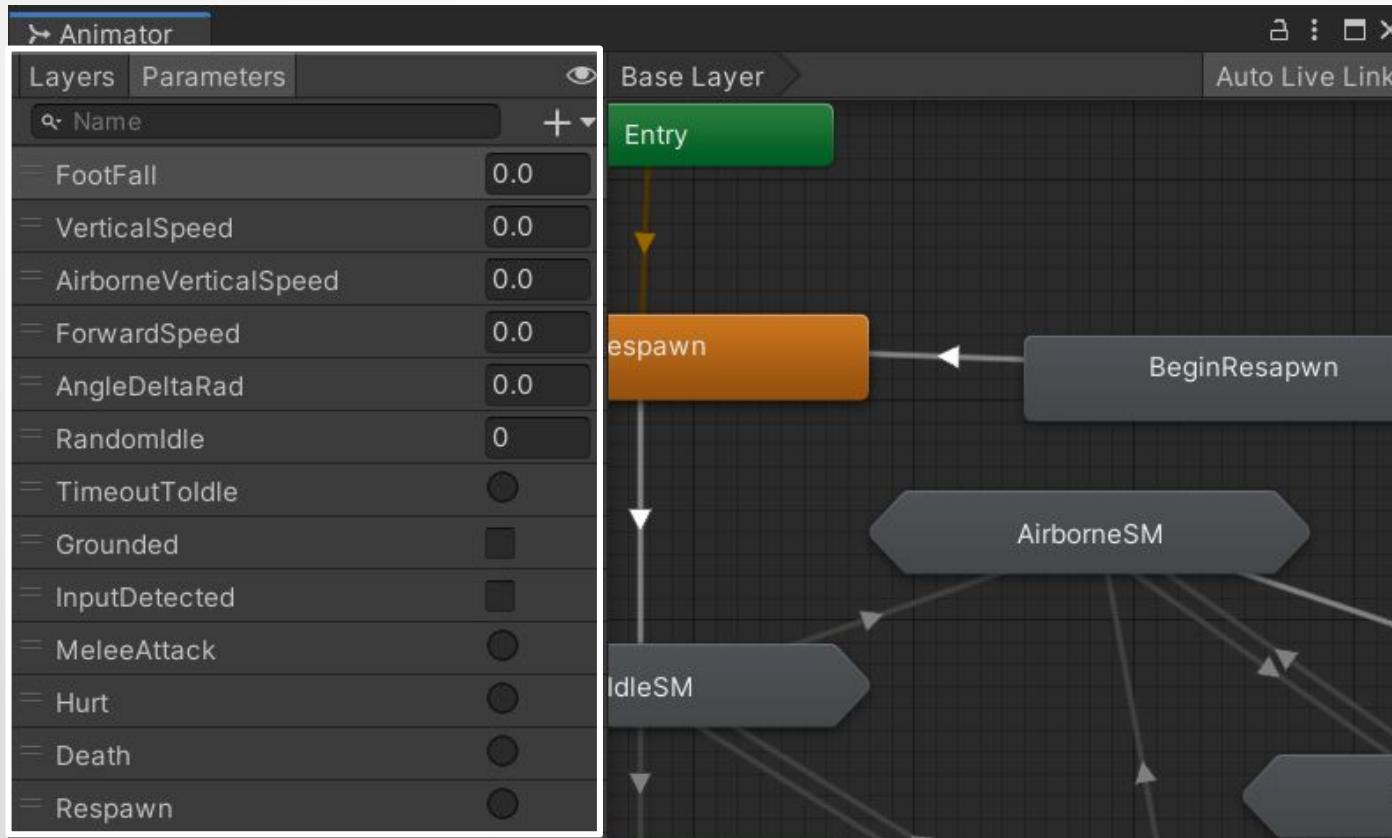


Animator Controller



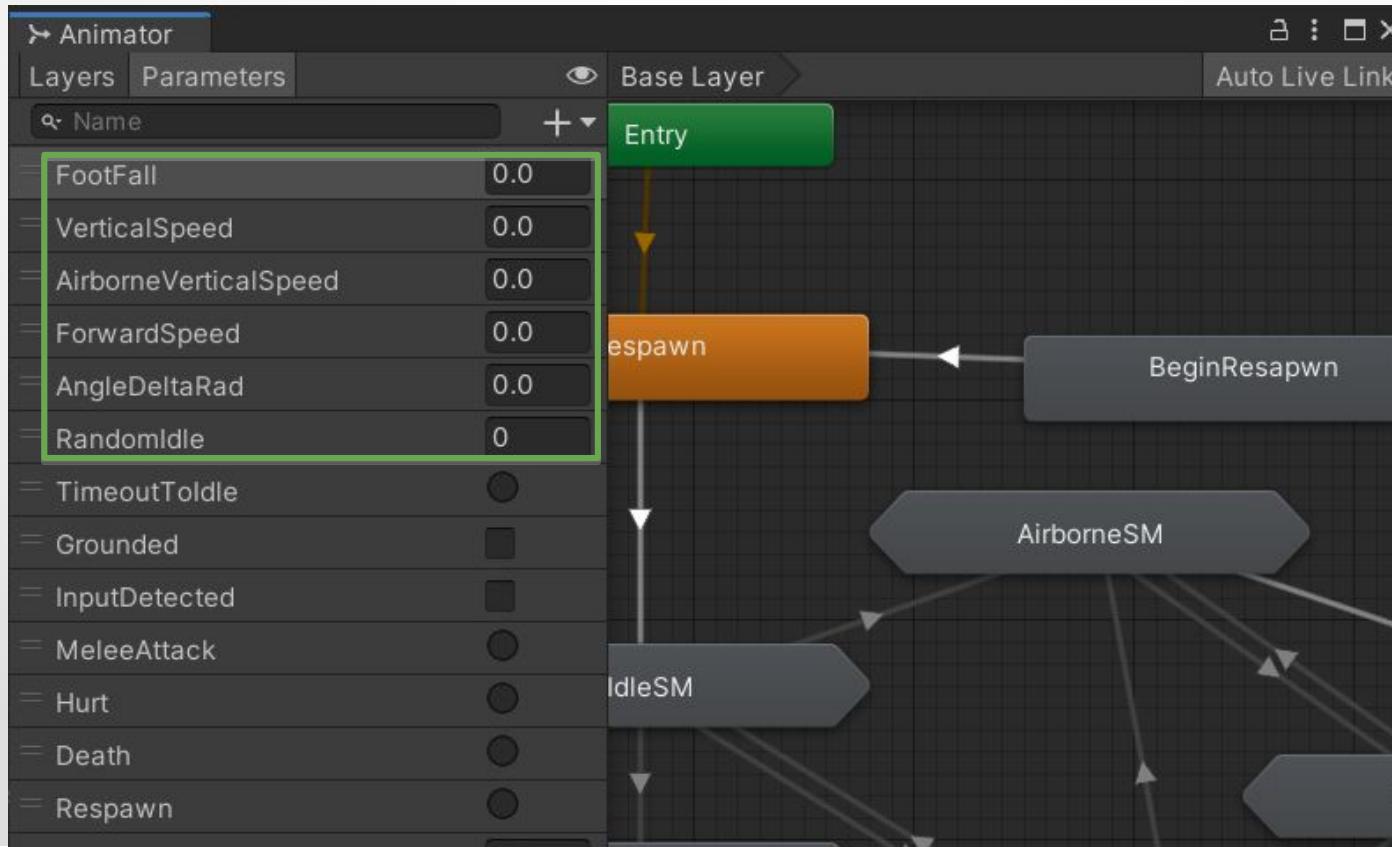


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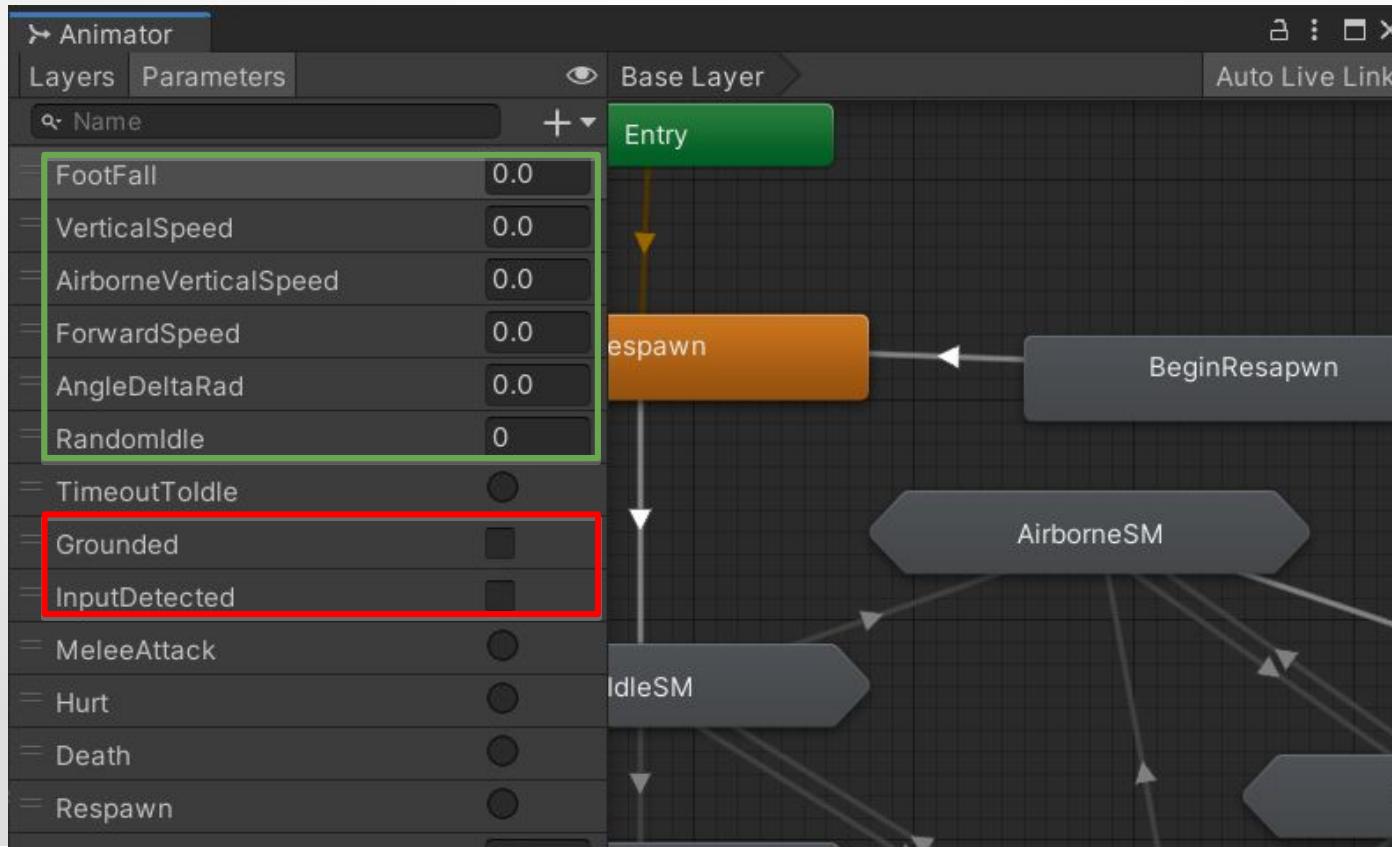


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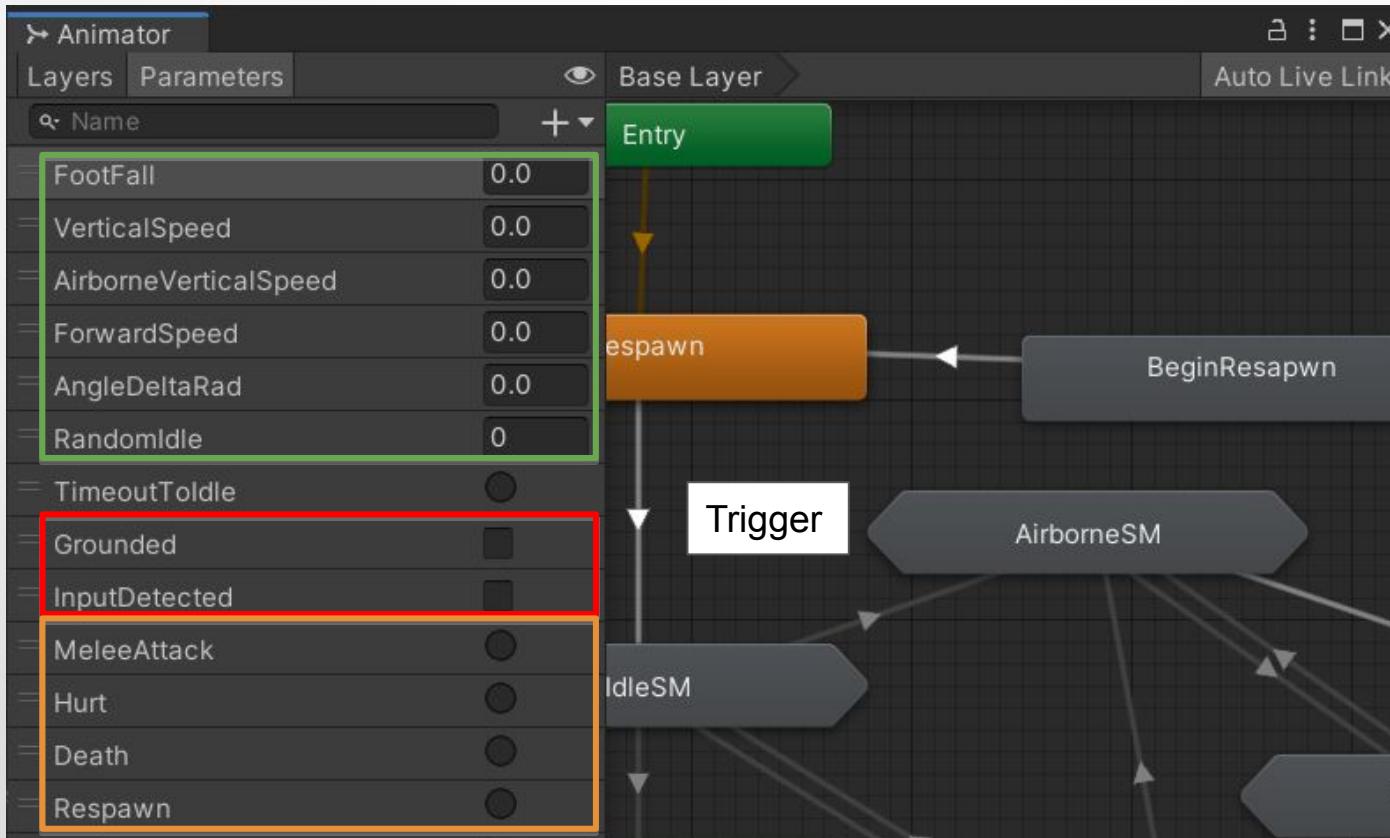


Animator Parameters





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UnityEngine.Animator

[SetBool](#)

Sets the value of the given boolean parameter.

[SetFloat](#)

Send float values to the Animator to affect transitions.

[SetInteger](#)

Sets the value of the given integer parameter.

[SetTrigger](#)

Sets the value of the given trigger parameter.



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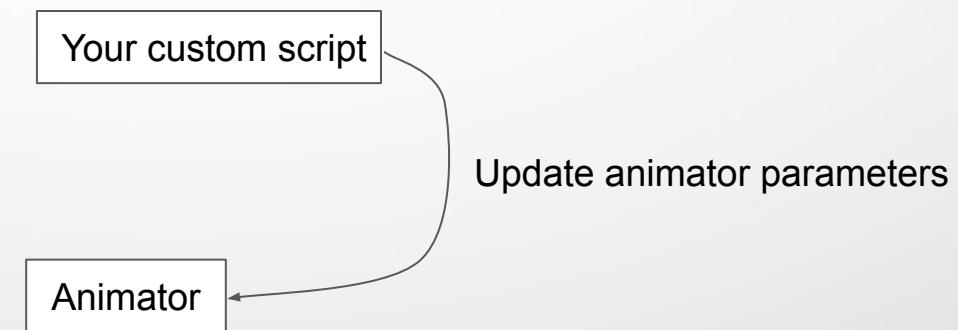
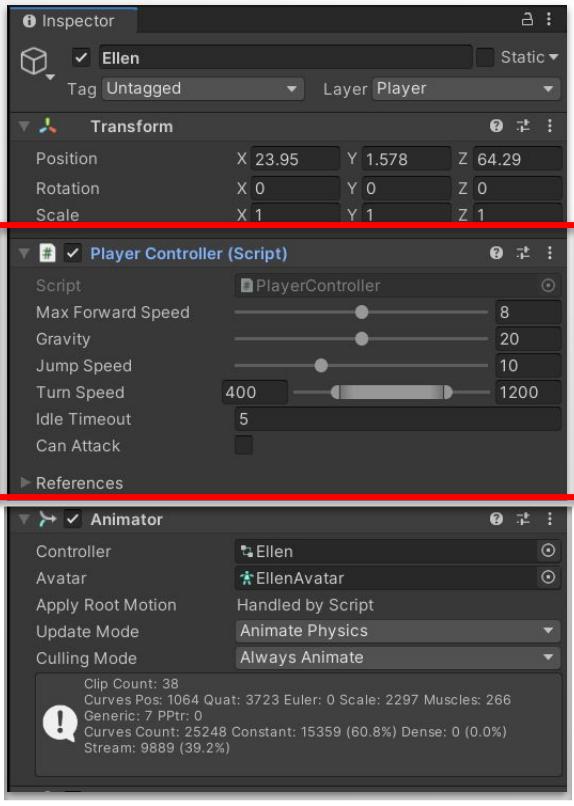
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Animator



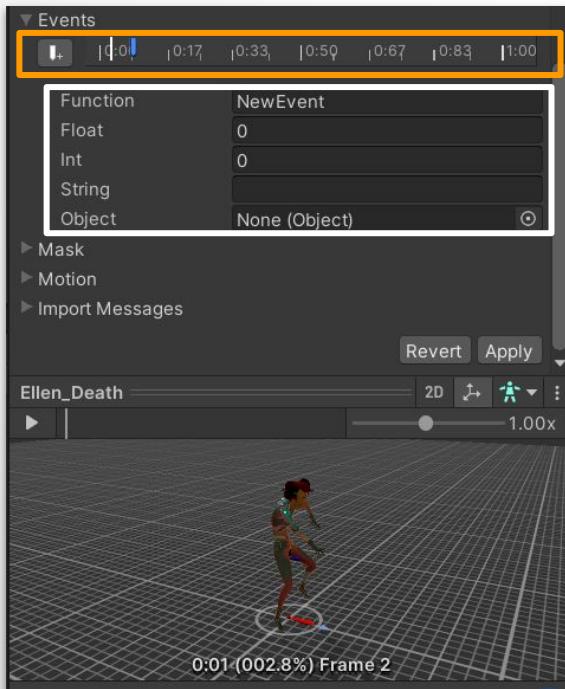
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Animation event

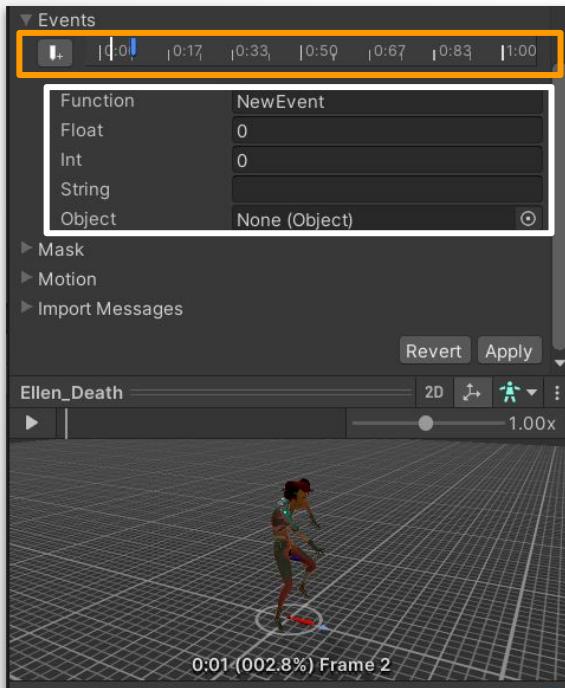
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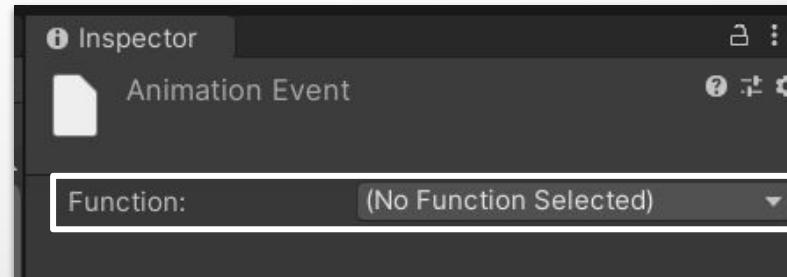
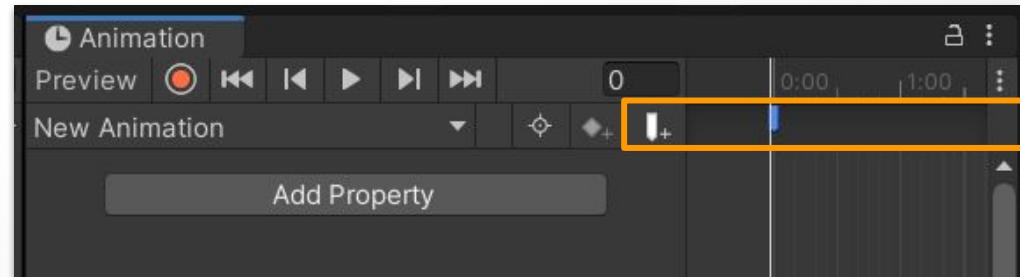


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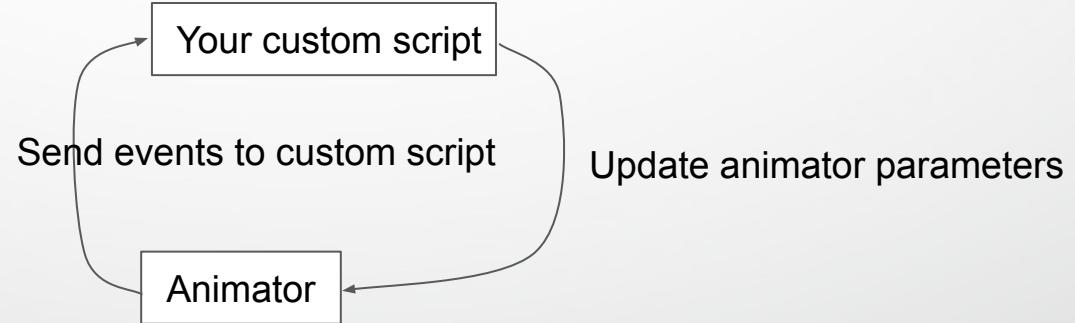
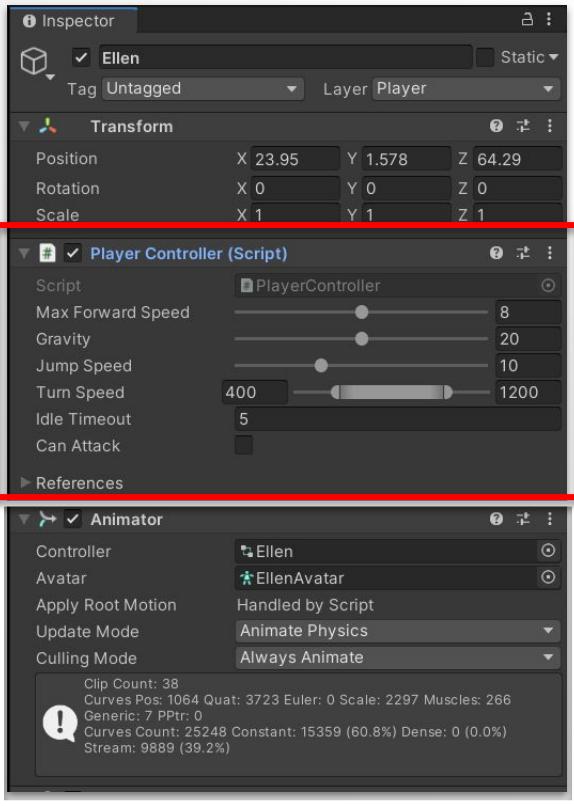


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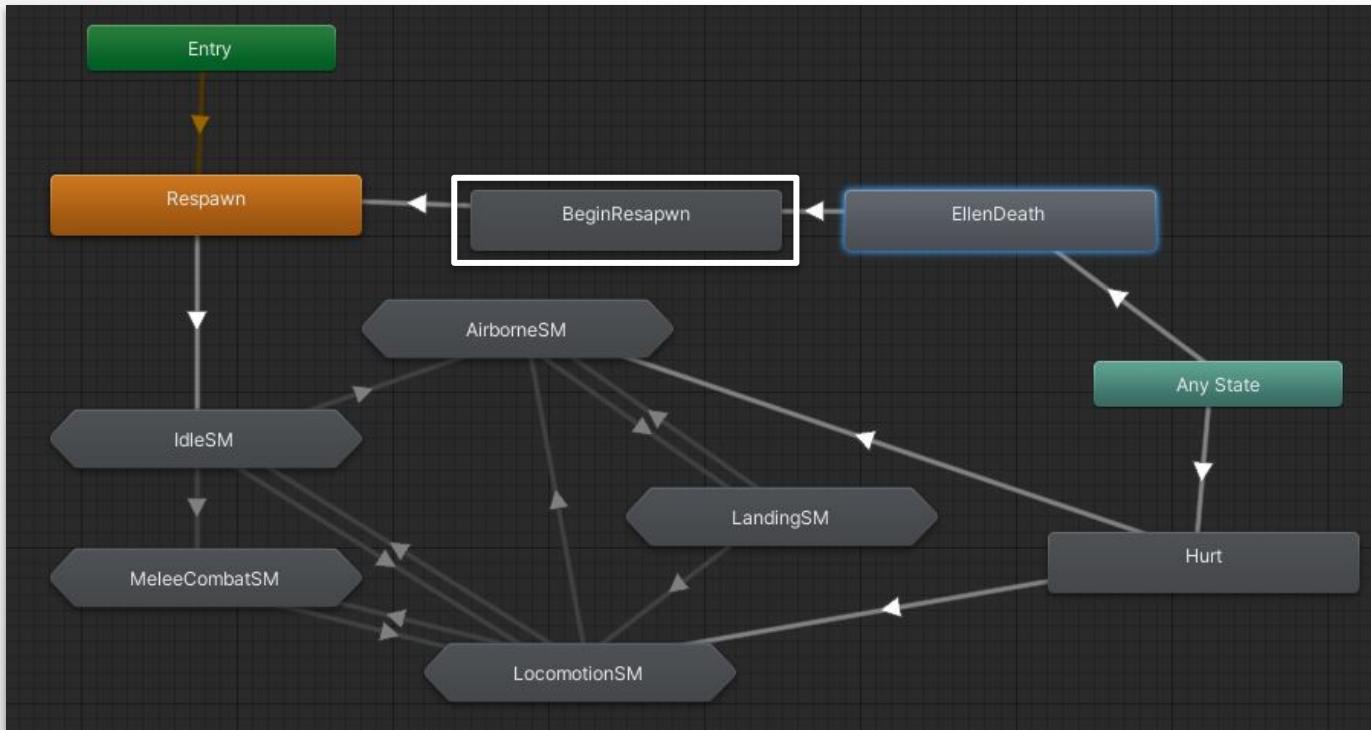


Send animation events to custom script



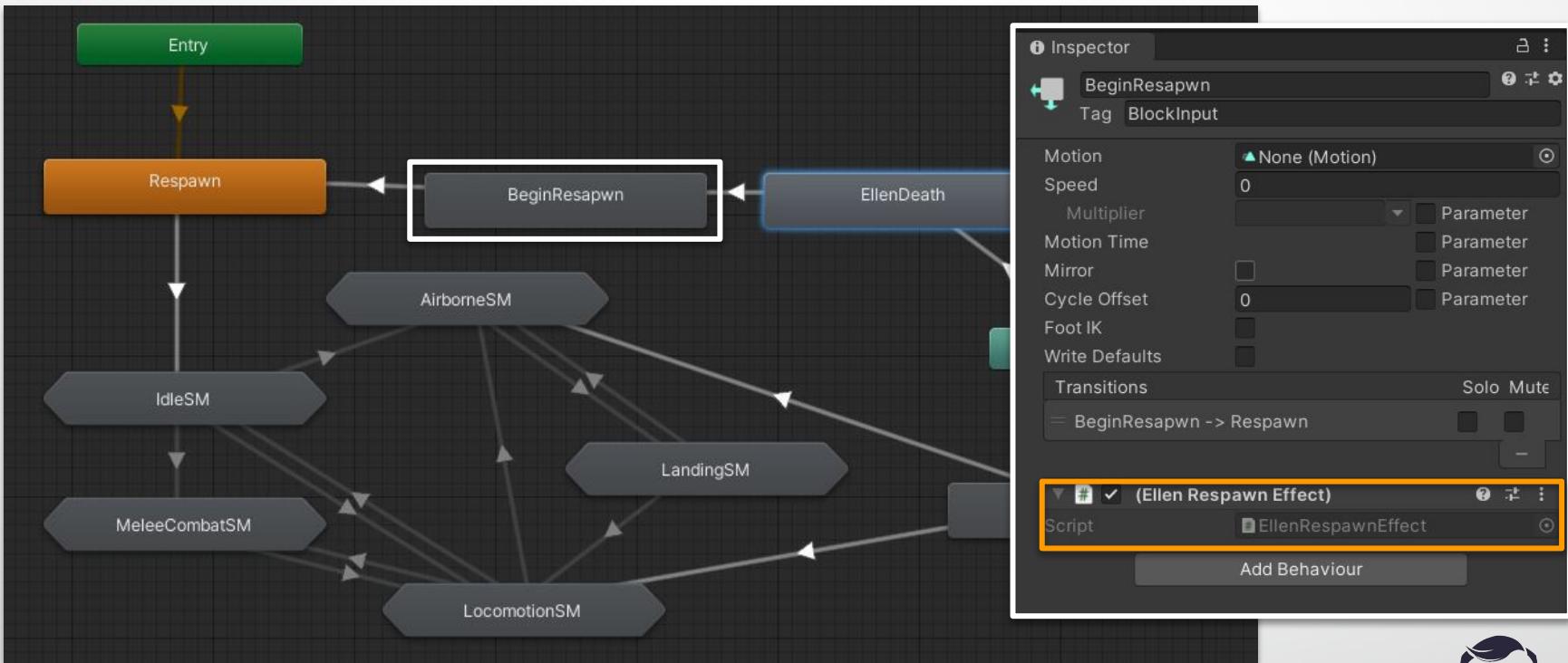


StateMachineBehaviour





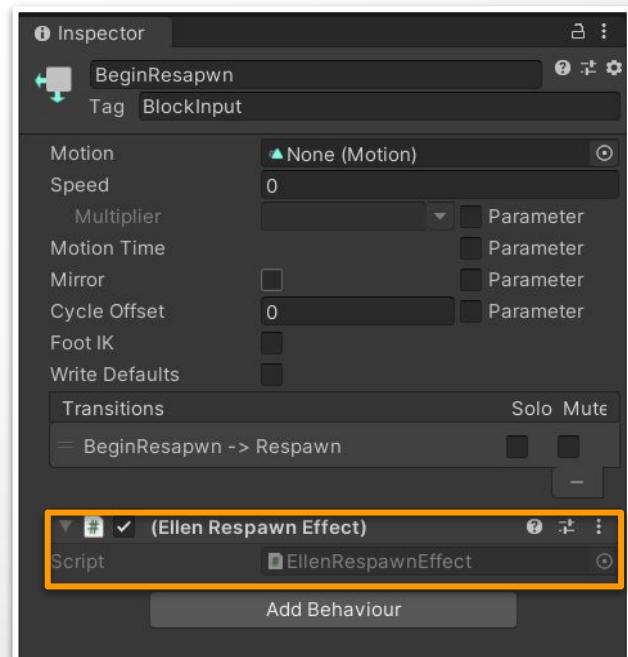
StateMachineBehaviour





StateMachineBehaviour

```
namespace Gamekit3D
{
    public class EllenRespawnEffect : StateMachineBehaviour
    {
        public override void OnStateEnter(
            Animator animator,
            AnimatorStateInfo stateInfo,
            int layerIndex)
        {
            animator.GetComponent<PlayerController>().Respawn();
        }
    }
}
```





Animator Override Controller

Inspector

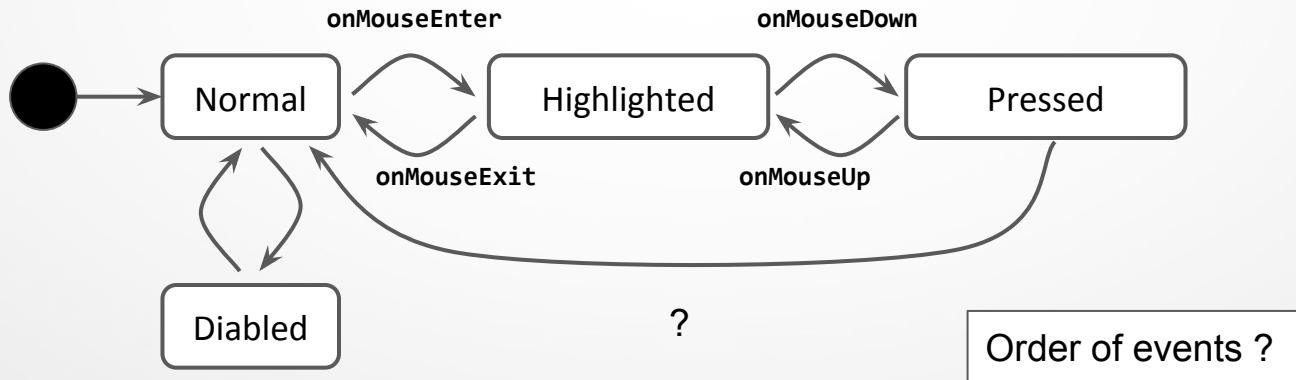
New Animator Override Controller

Controller: Ellen

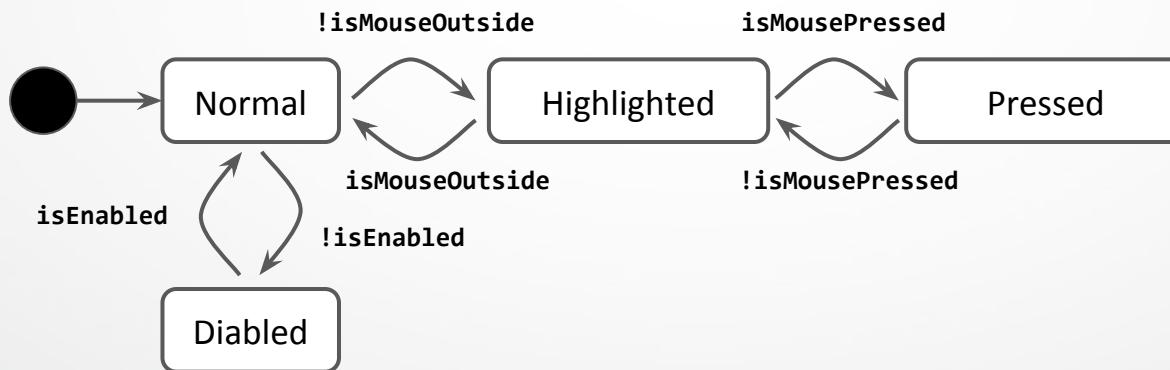
Original	Override
Ellen_Combo1	▲ None (Animation Clip)
Ellen_Combo2	▲ None (Animation Clip)
Ellen_Combo3	▲ None (Animation Clip)
Ellen_Combo4	▲ None (Animation Clip)
Ellen_Death	▲ None (Animation Clip)
Ellen_HitBack	▲ None (Animation Clip)
Ellen_HitBackLeft	▲ None (Animation Clip)
Ellen_HitBackRight	▲ None (Animation Clip)
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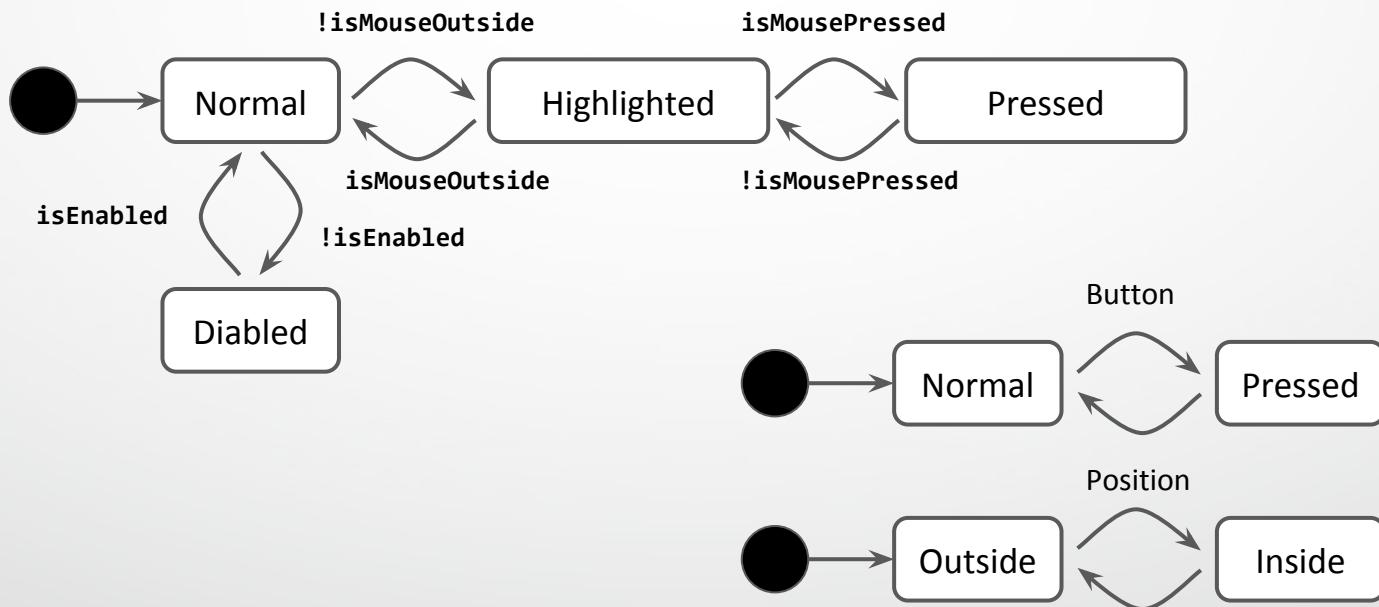
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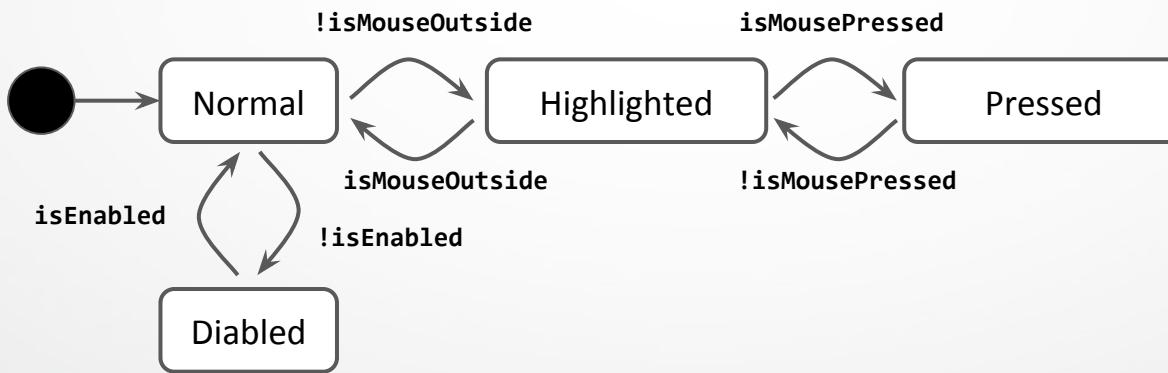
State as triggered event



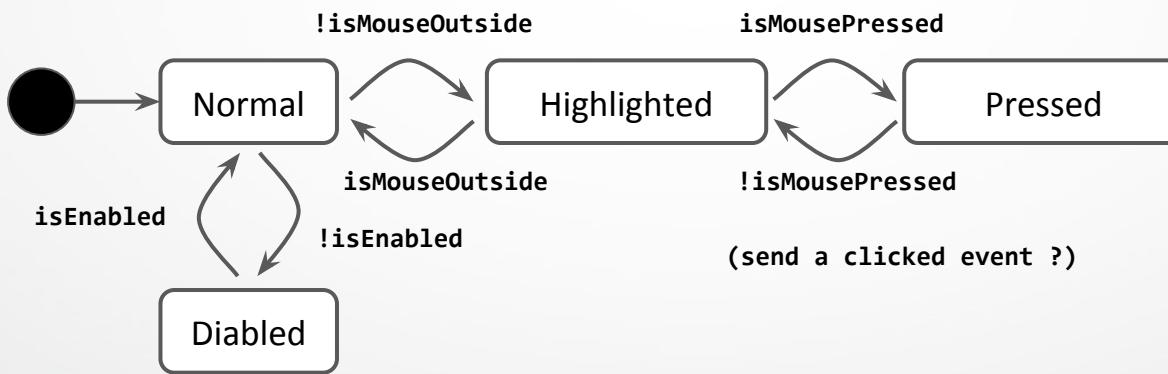
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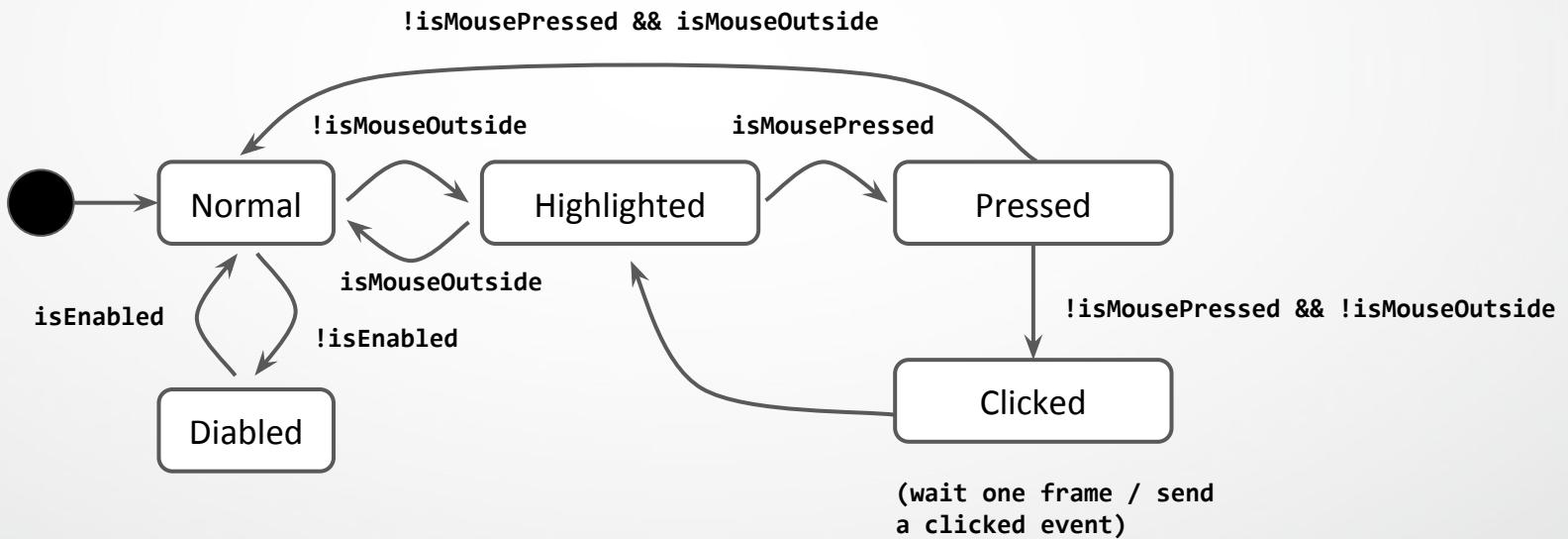
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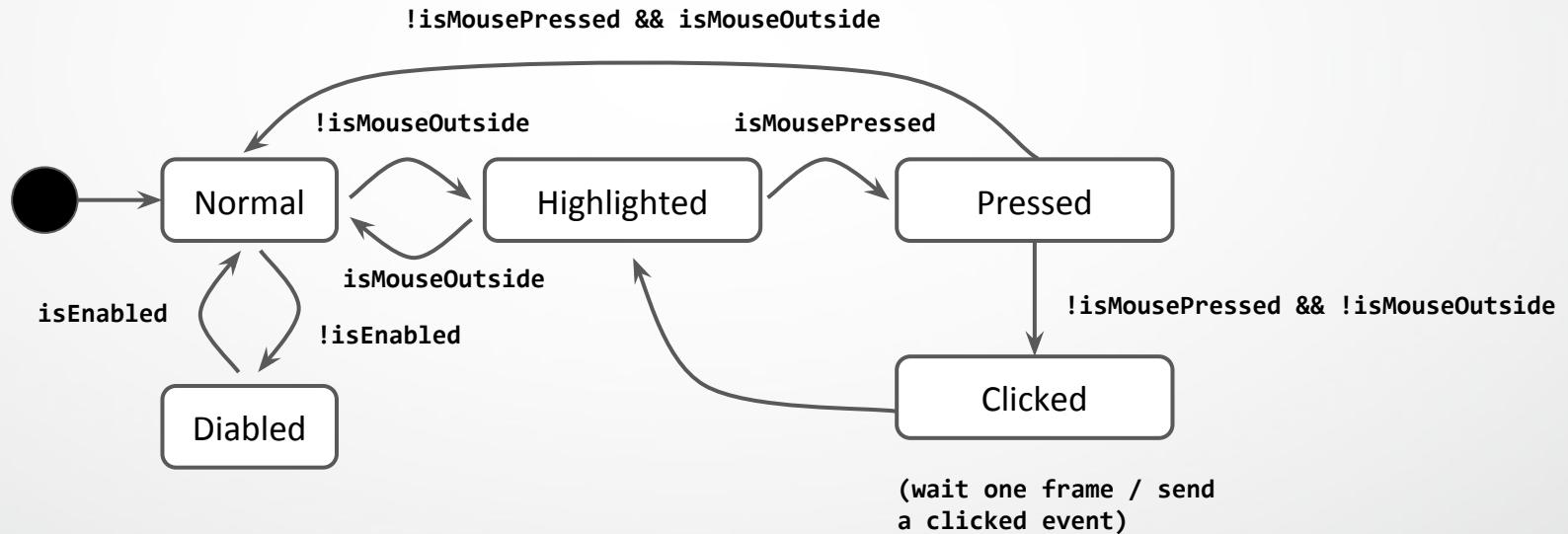
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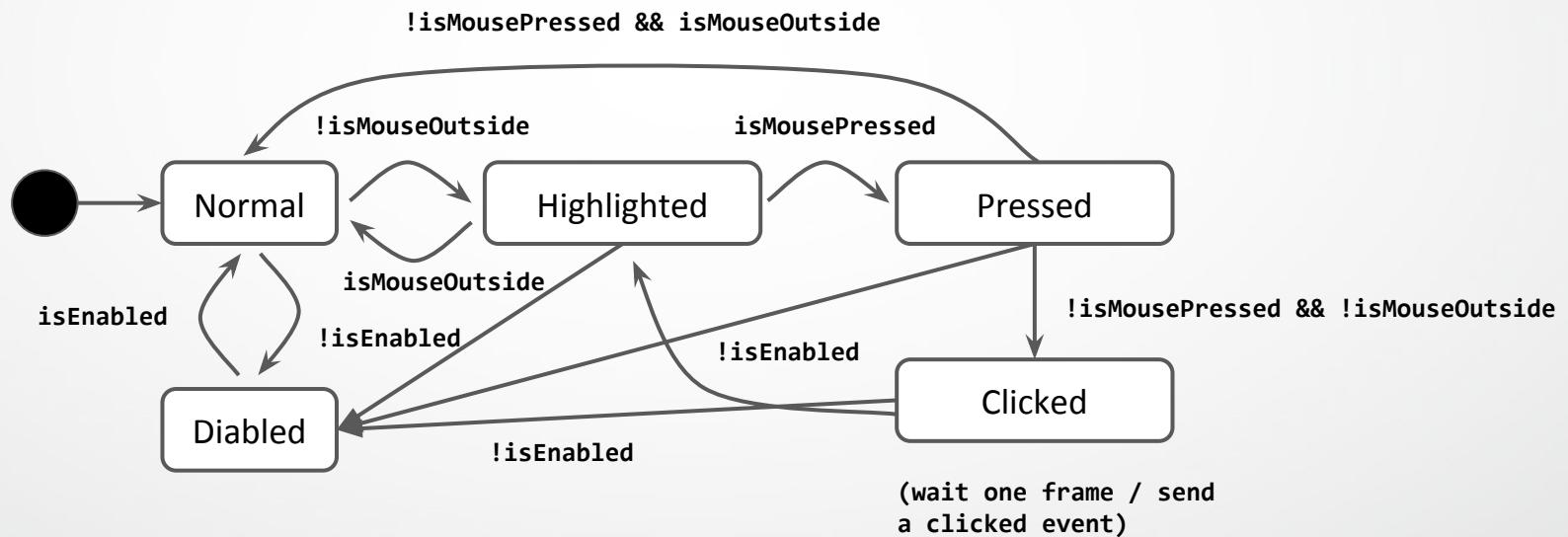
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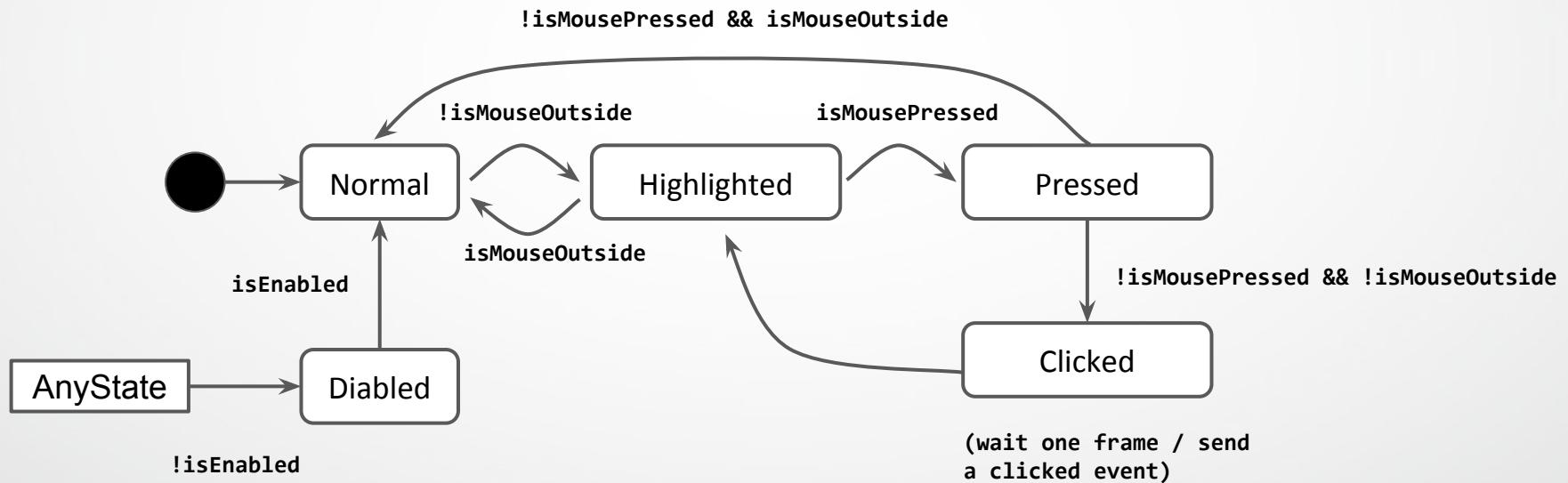
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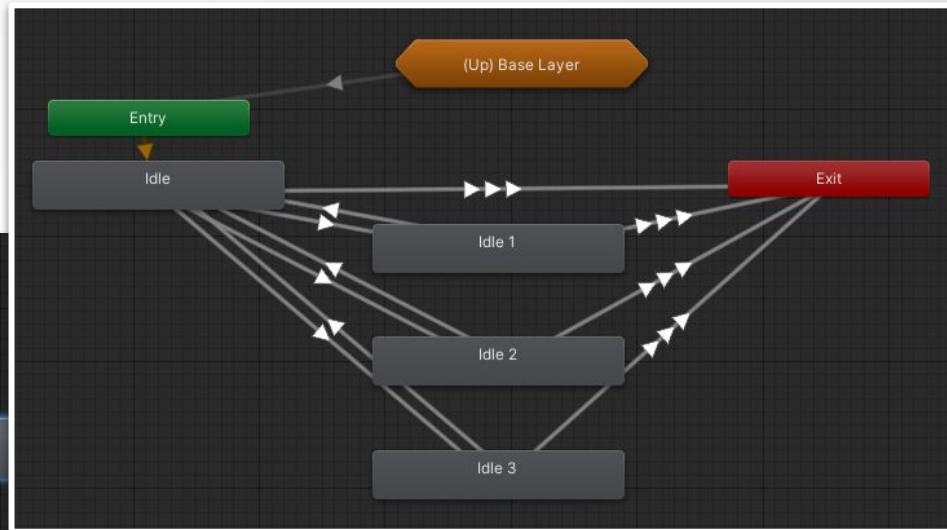
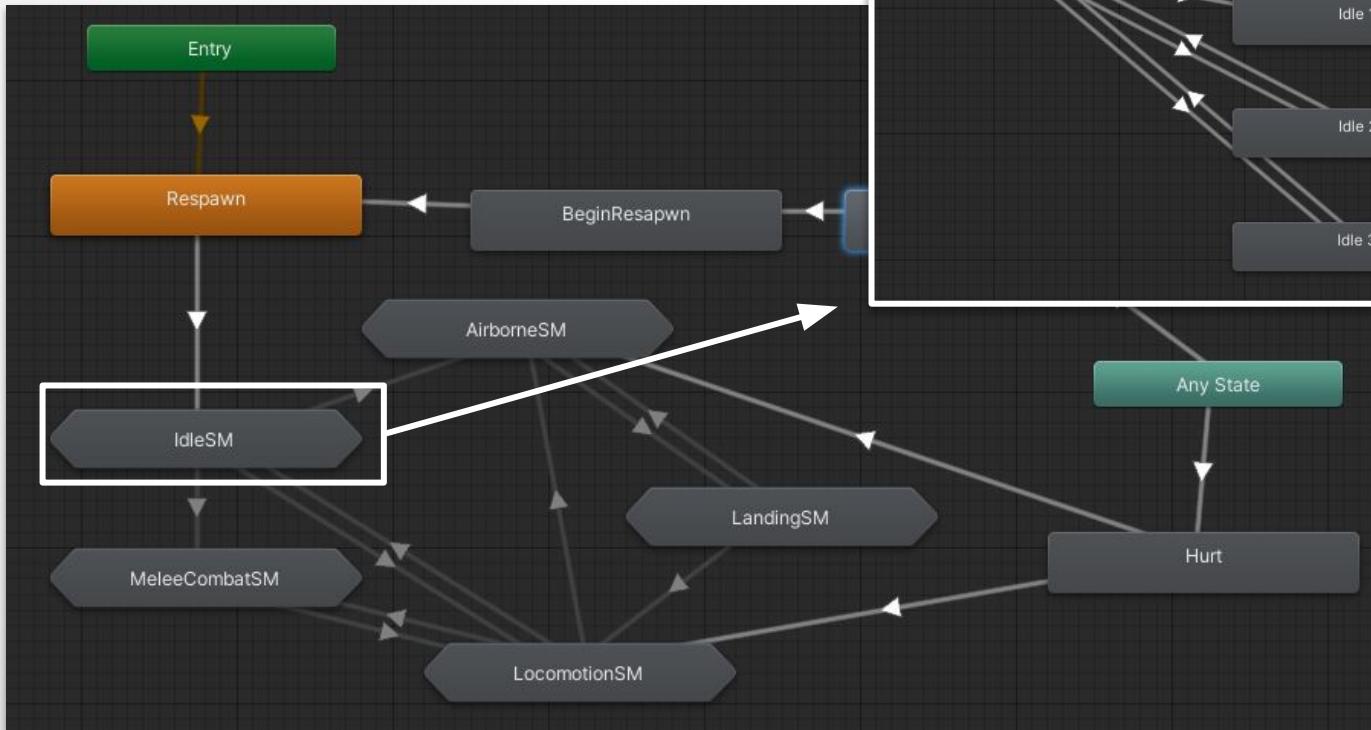


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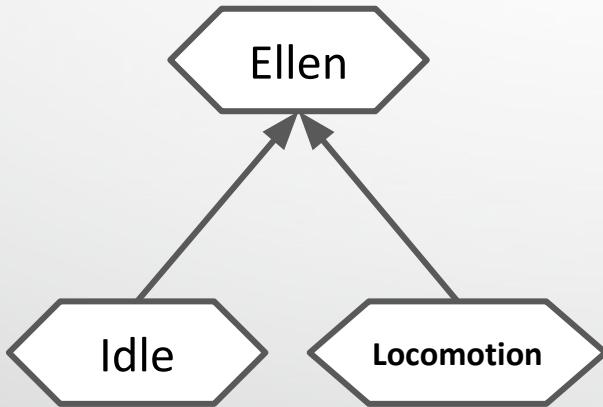




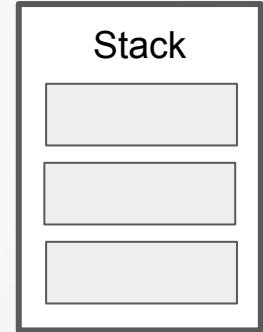
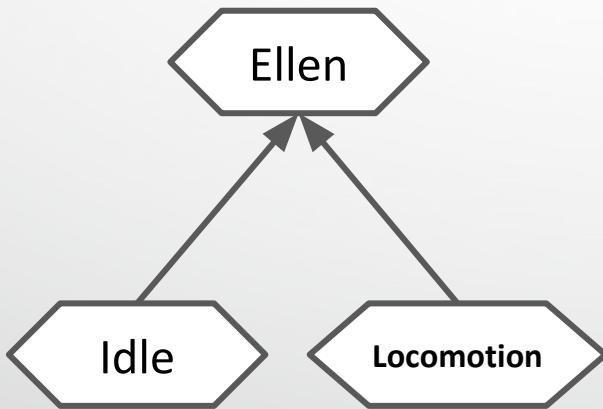
Sub-state machines



Hierarchical state machine

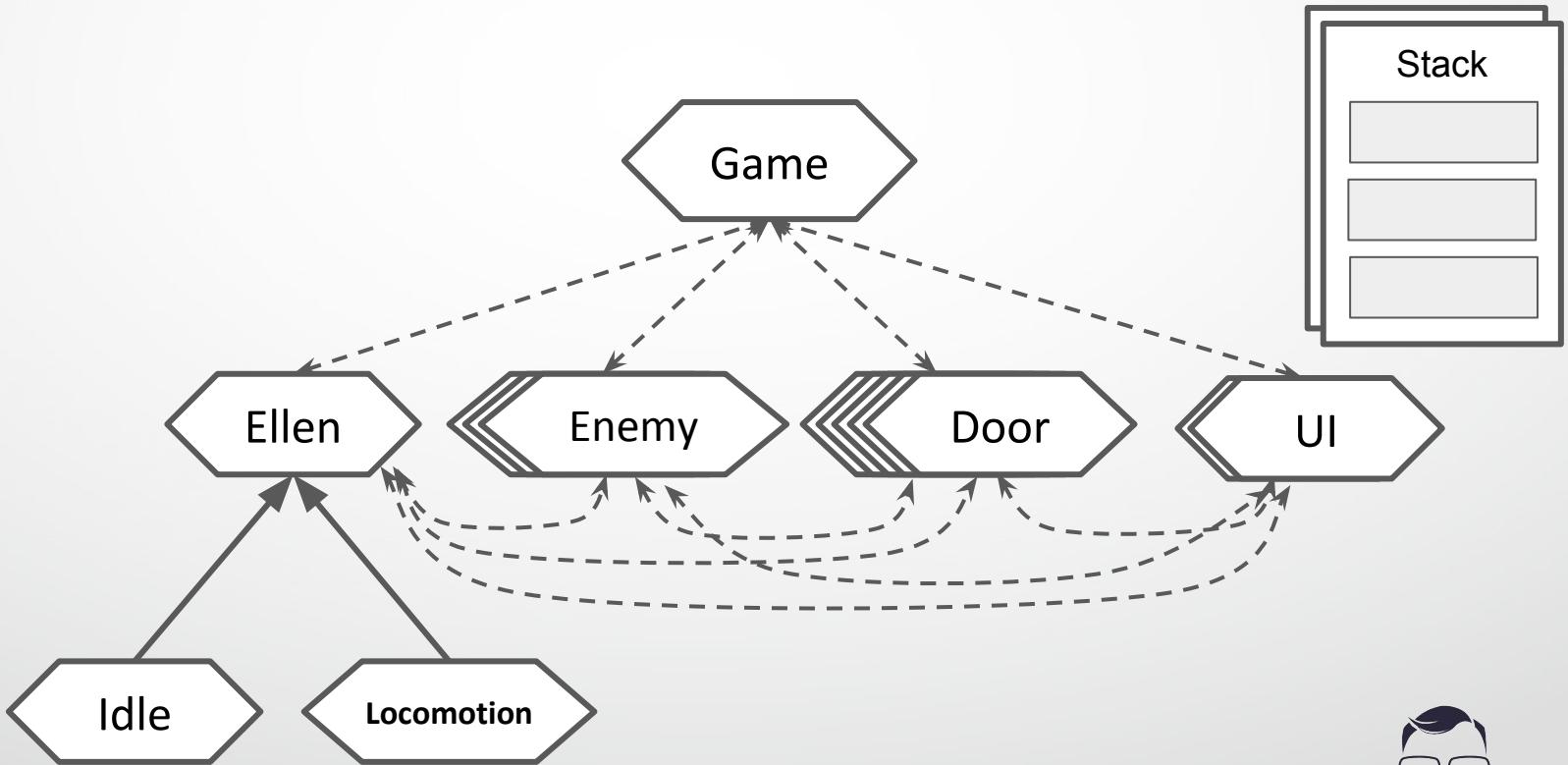


Pushdown automata



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Concurrent state machines



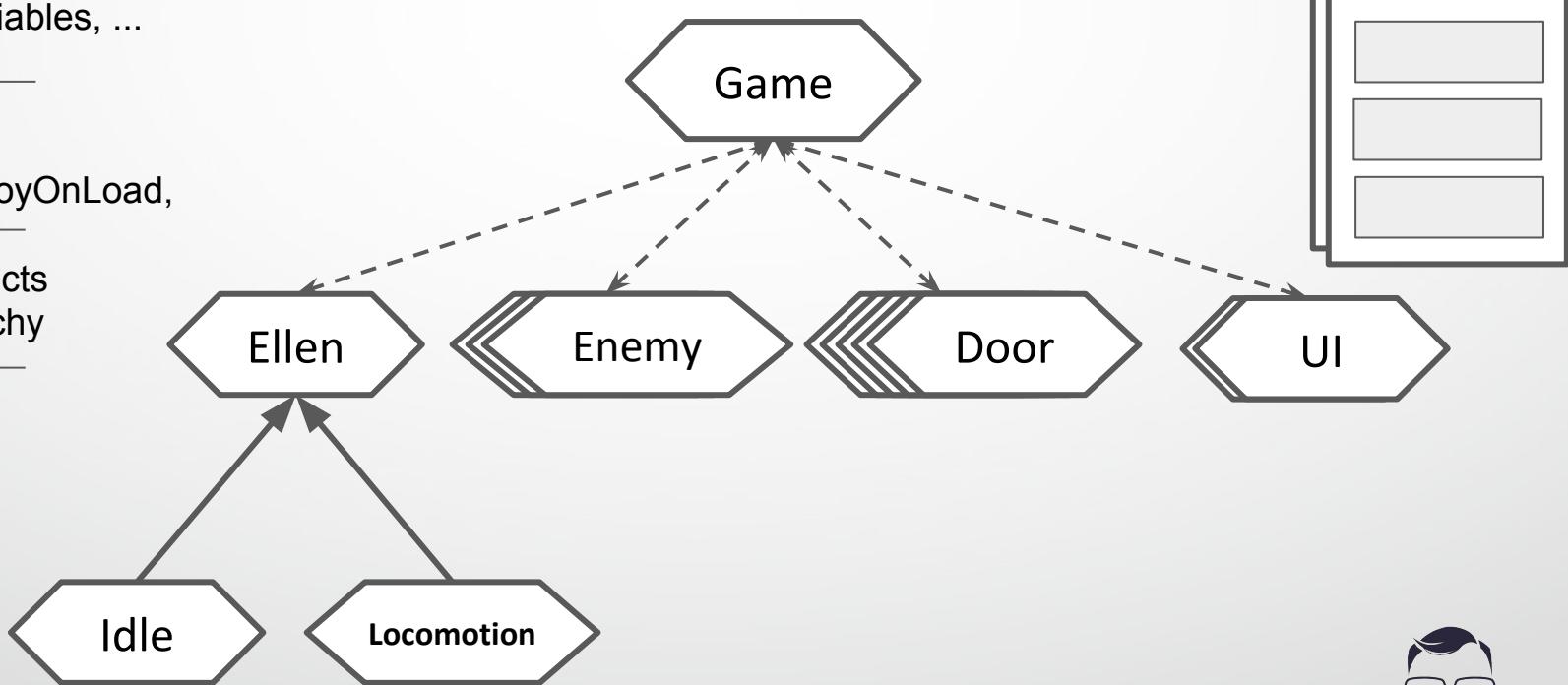
Game state tree / store

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Global variables, ...

Scenes,
DontDestroyOnLoad,

GameObjects
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Animators



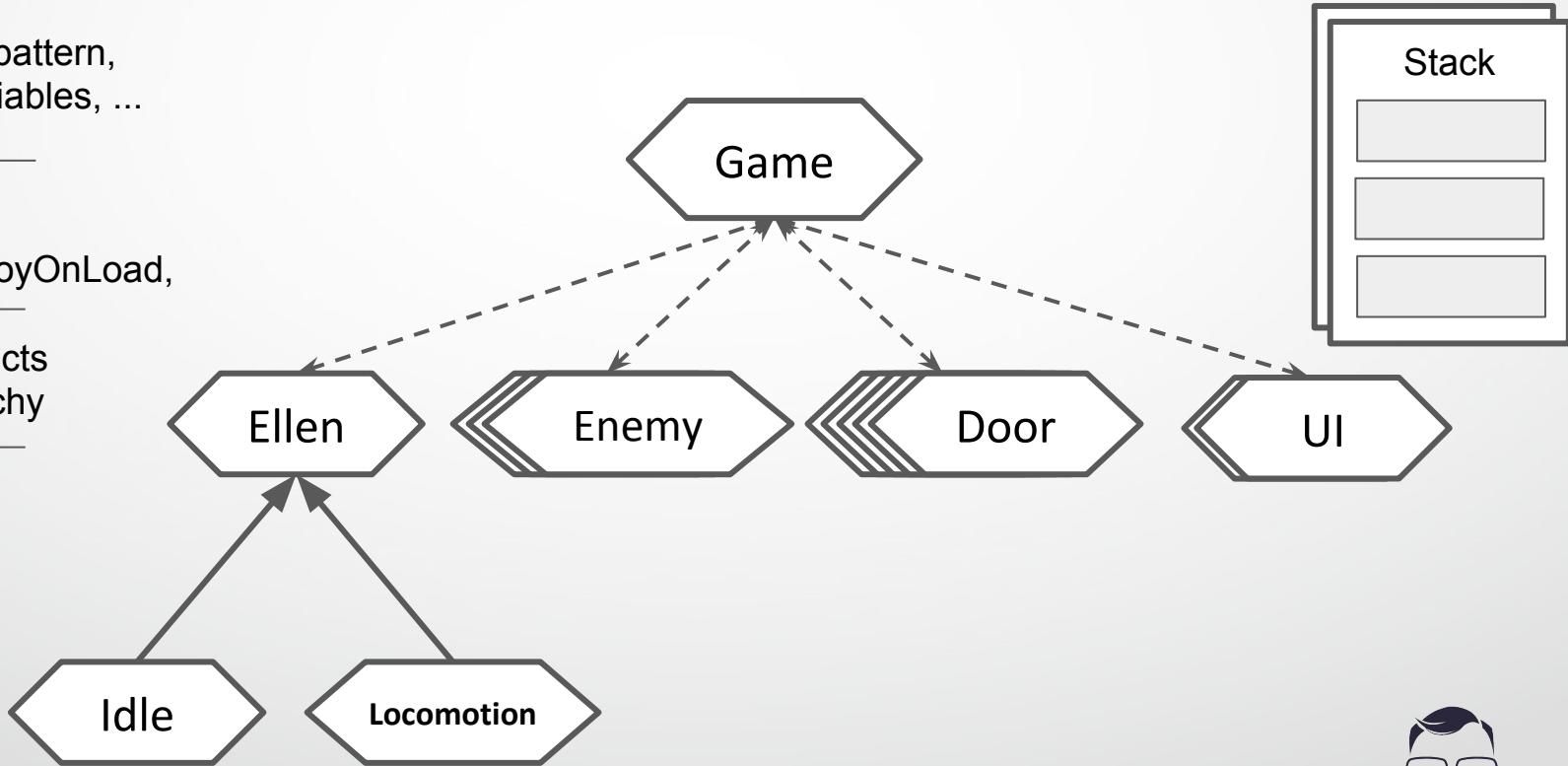
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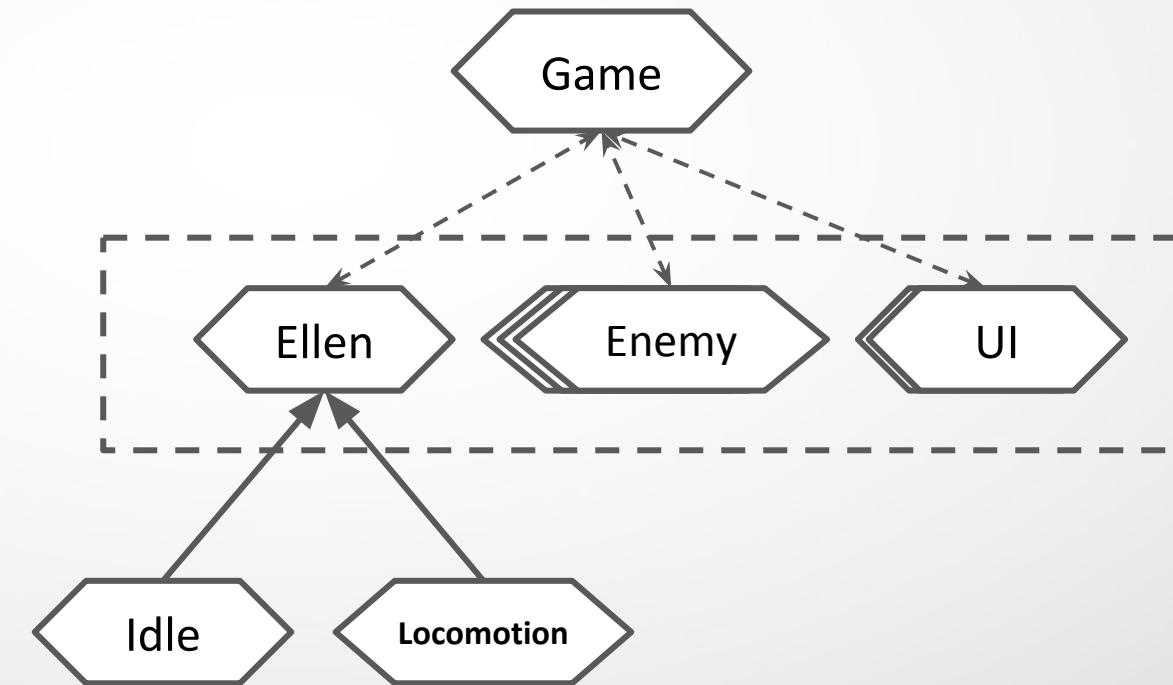
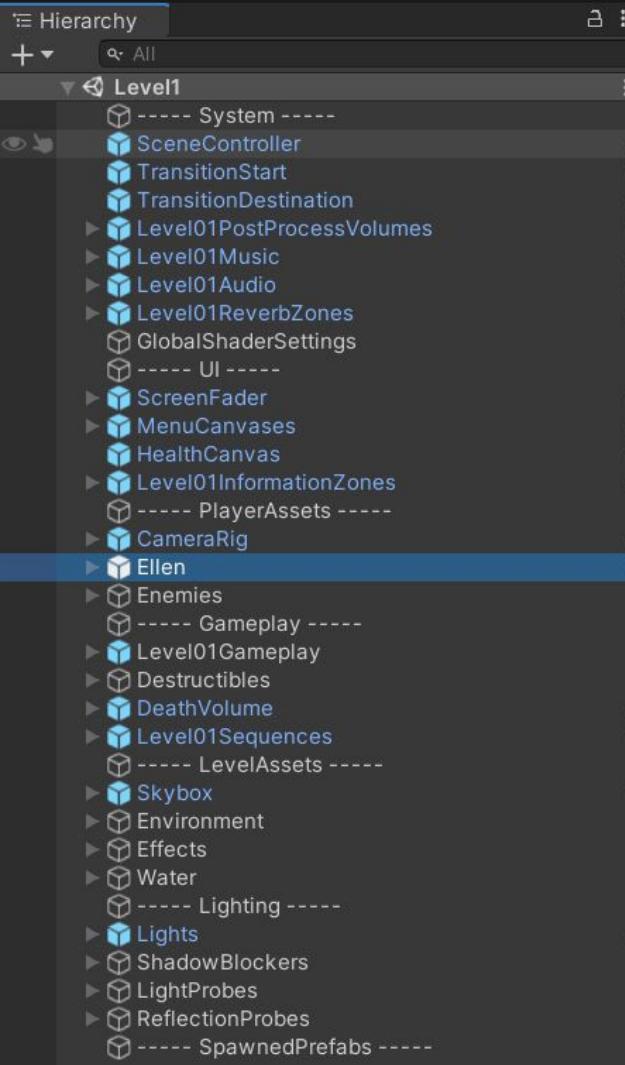
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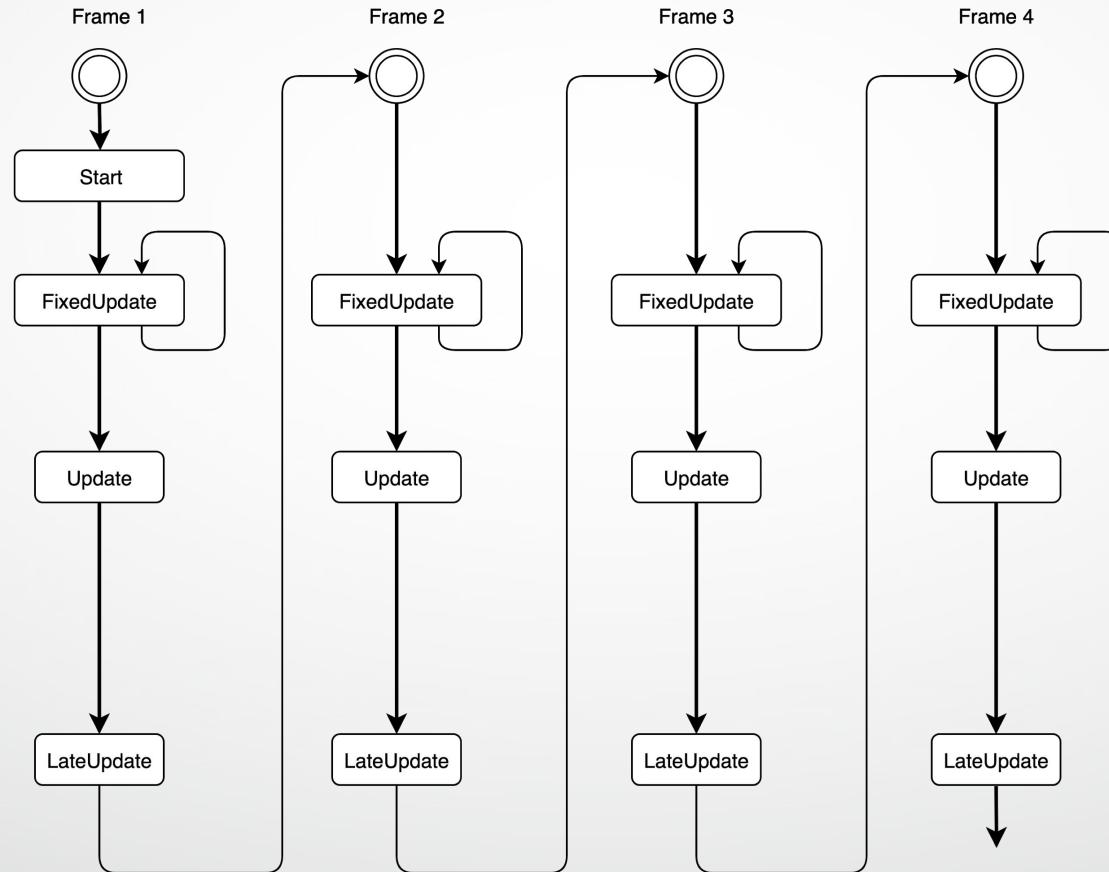
How to “Pause” a game ?





MonoBehaviour.Update() / FixedUpdate()

- Hold the local state
 - enum State { Normal, Pressed, Highlighted, Disabled, Clicked };
 - with other data members
- Update the local state in Update() / FixedUpdate() or Coroutine with a hierarchical approach.
 - only read other objects' states if possible.
 - only receive / send "state events" if unavoidable
- Apply If-else chain, switch or state pattern





Script Execution Order settings

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Add scripts to the custom order and drag them to reorder.

Scripts in the custom order can execute before or after the default time and are executed from top to bottom. All other scripts execute at the default time in the order they are loaded.

(Changing the order of a script may modify the meta data for more than one script.)

Default Time		
= UnityEngine.EventSystems.HoloLensInput	100	-
= LoadBundle	200	-
= UnityEngine.XR.WSA.SpatialMappingBase	250	-
= LoadTextures	300	-
= BuildiOSAppSlices	400	-

+ -

Revert Apply

