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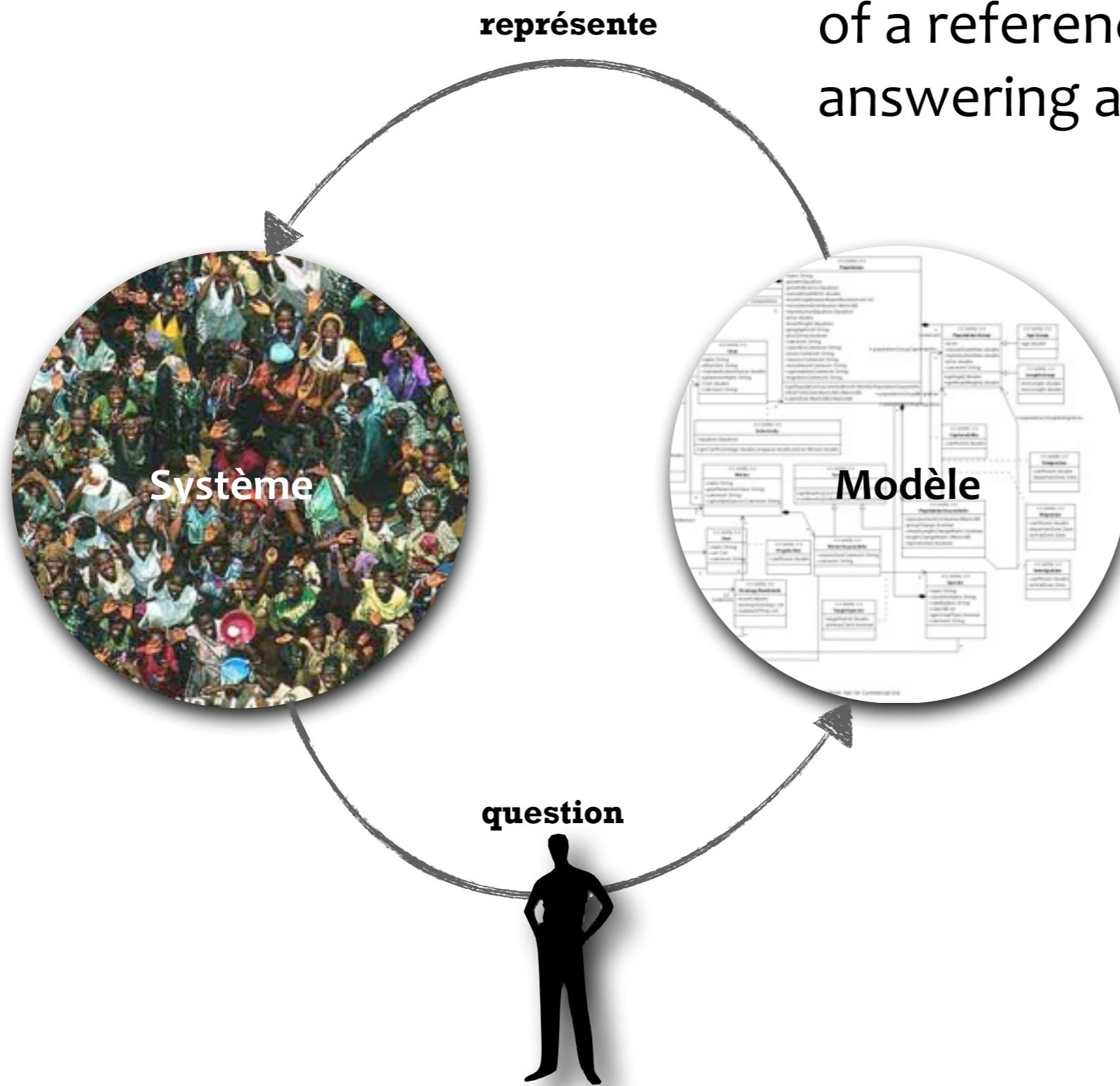
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A Practical Introduction to the GAMA platform



Model

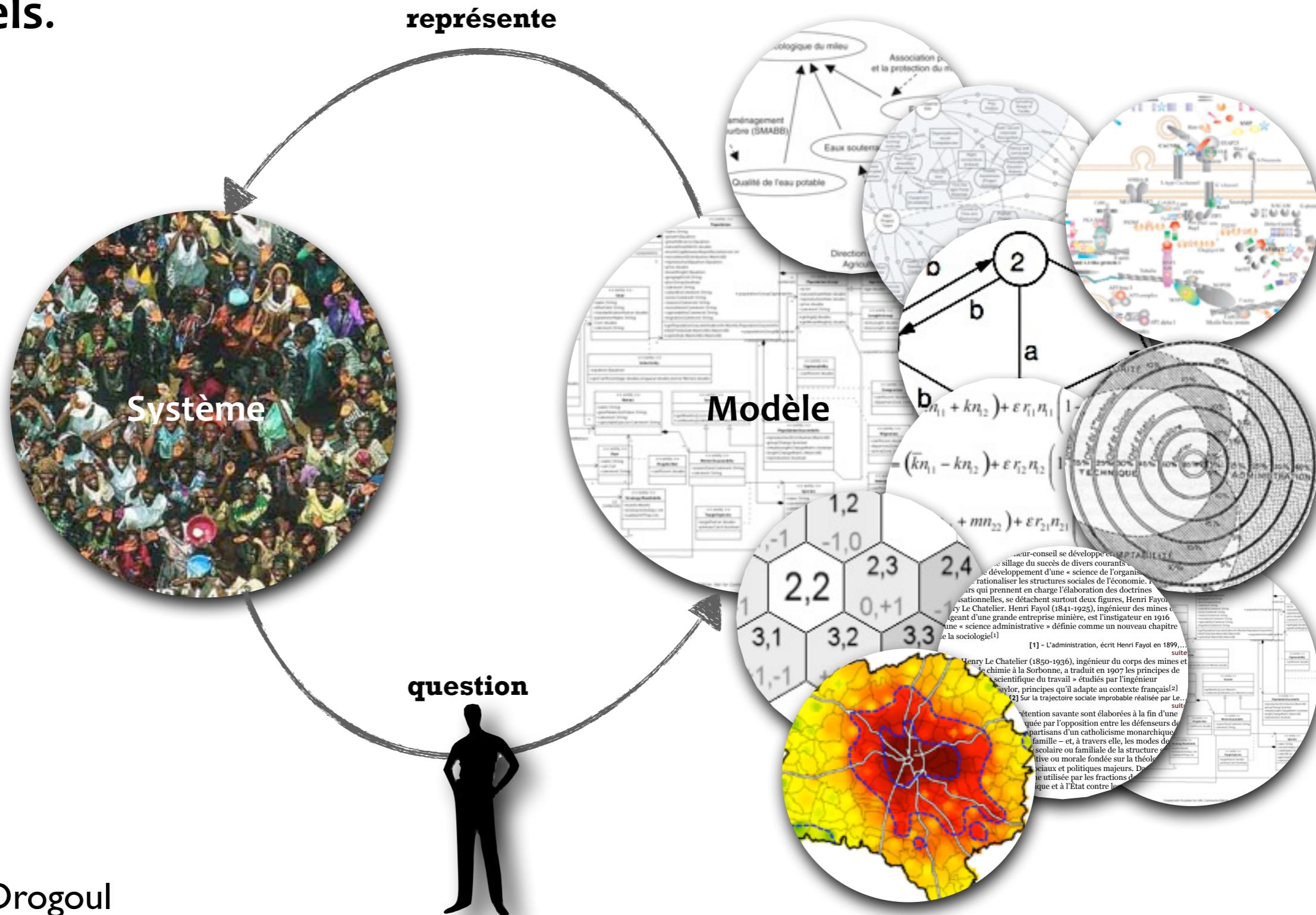


A model is a simplified representation of a reference system, designed to help answering a **question** on this system

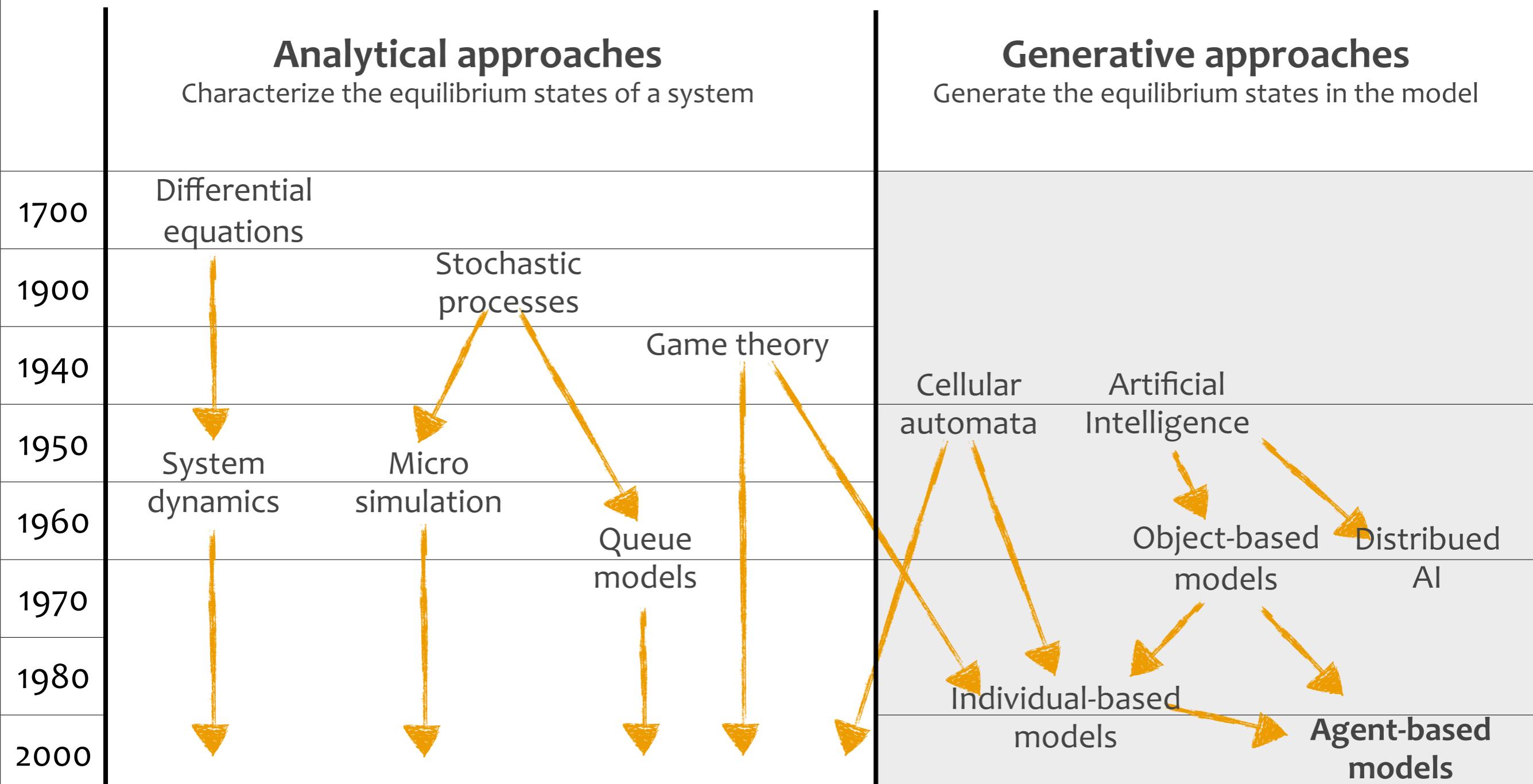
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Representation(s)

Representation can use multiple supports and languages, depending on the question, traditions... They are specified by meta-models.

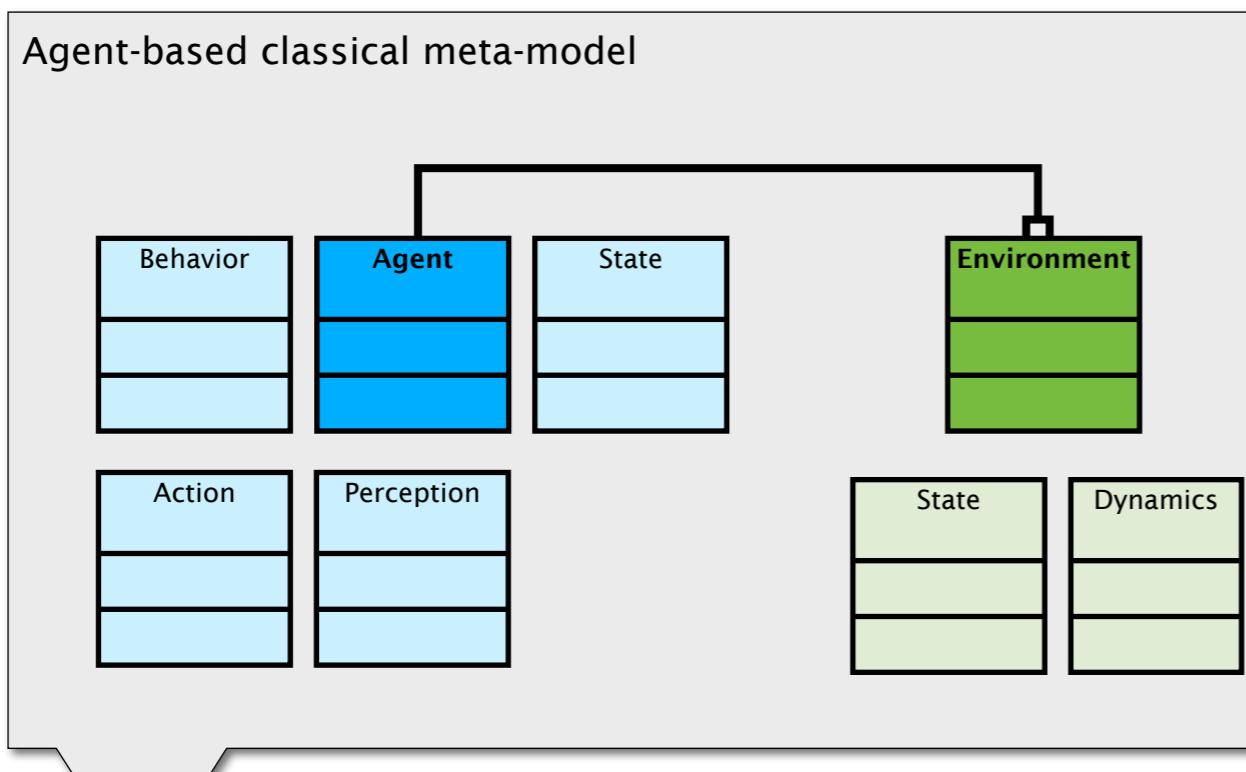


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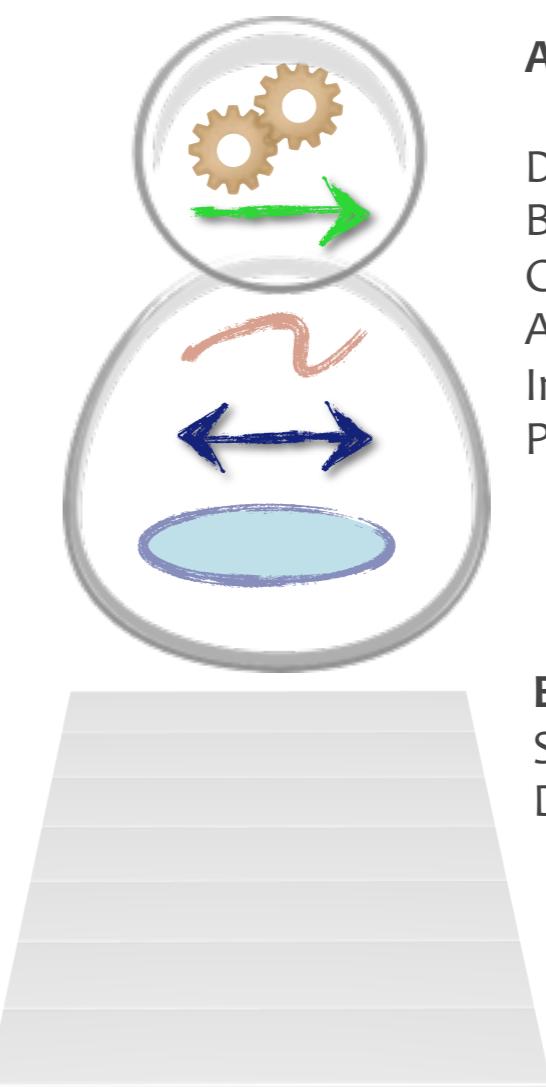
Structure of agent-based models



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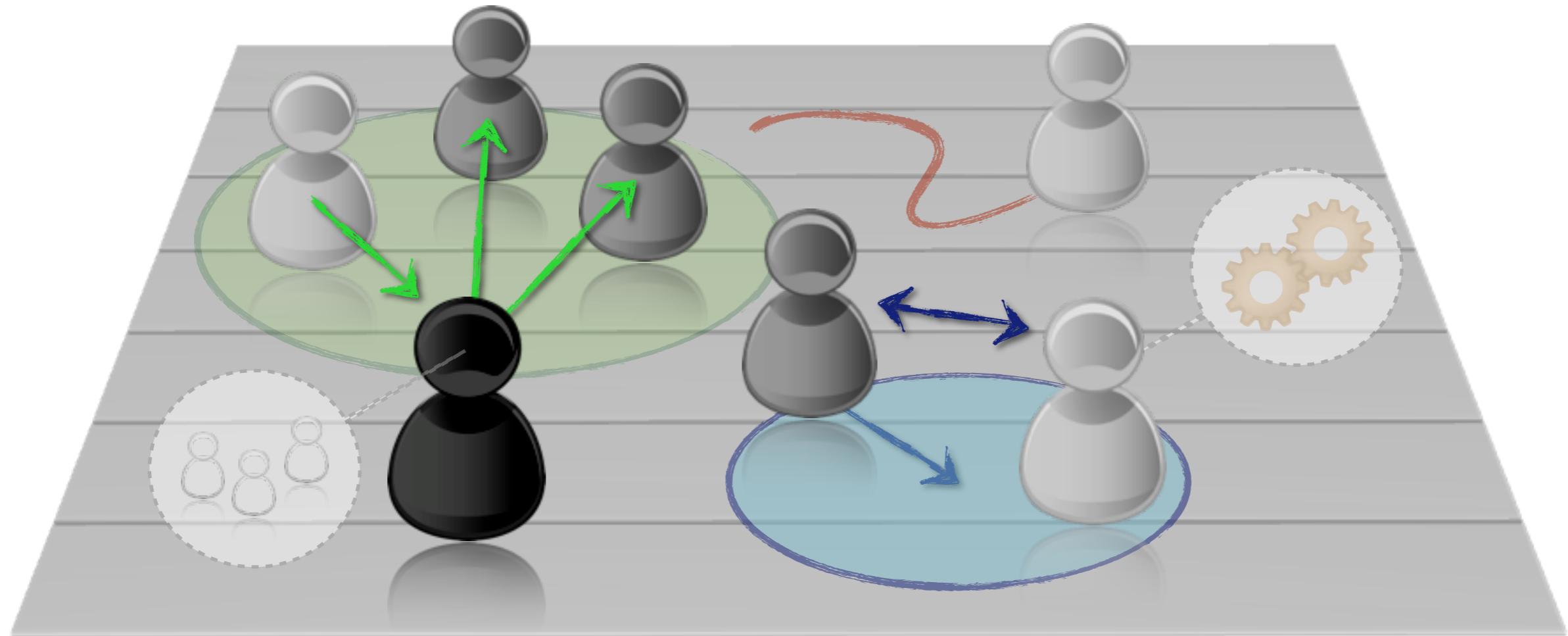
environment width: width_and_height_of_environment height: width_
ities {
  species cells skills: [moving] {
    const speed type: float <- speed_of_agents ;
    rgb color <- [100 + rnd(155),100 + rnd(155), 100 + rnd(15
    float size min: 1 max: 10 <- 4;
    int strength <- 0 ;
    float range min: range_of_agents max: width_and_height_of_env
    cells leader <- self ;
    int heading <- rnd(359) update: leader.heading;
    reflex move {
      do move ;
    }

    reflex change_leader when: (leader != self) and (self dis
      if grow_leader {
        set range of my leader <- (range of my leader) -
      }
    }
  }
}
  
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The agents and their environment constitute a virtual «**micro-world**» that can be **experimented** like a real system (with more freedom)



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Agent-based models

Agent-based models are **versatile** and **heterogeneous**: agents can represent any object or aggregation of objects of the reference system.



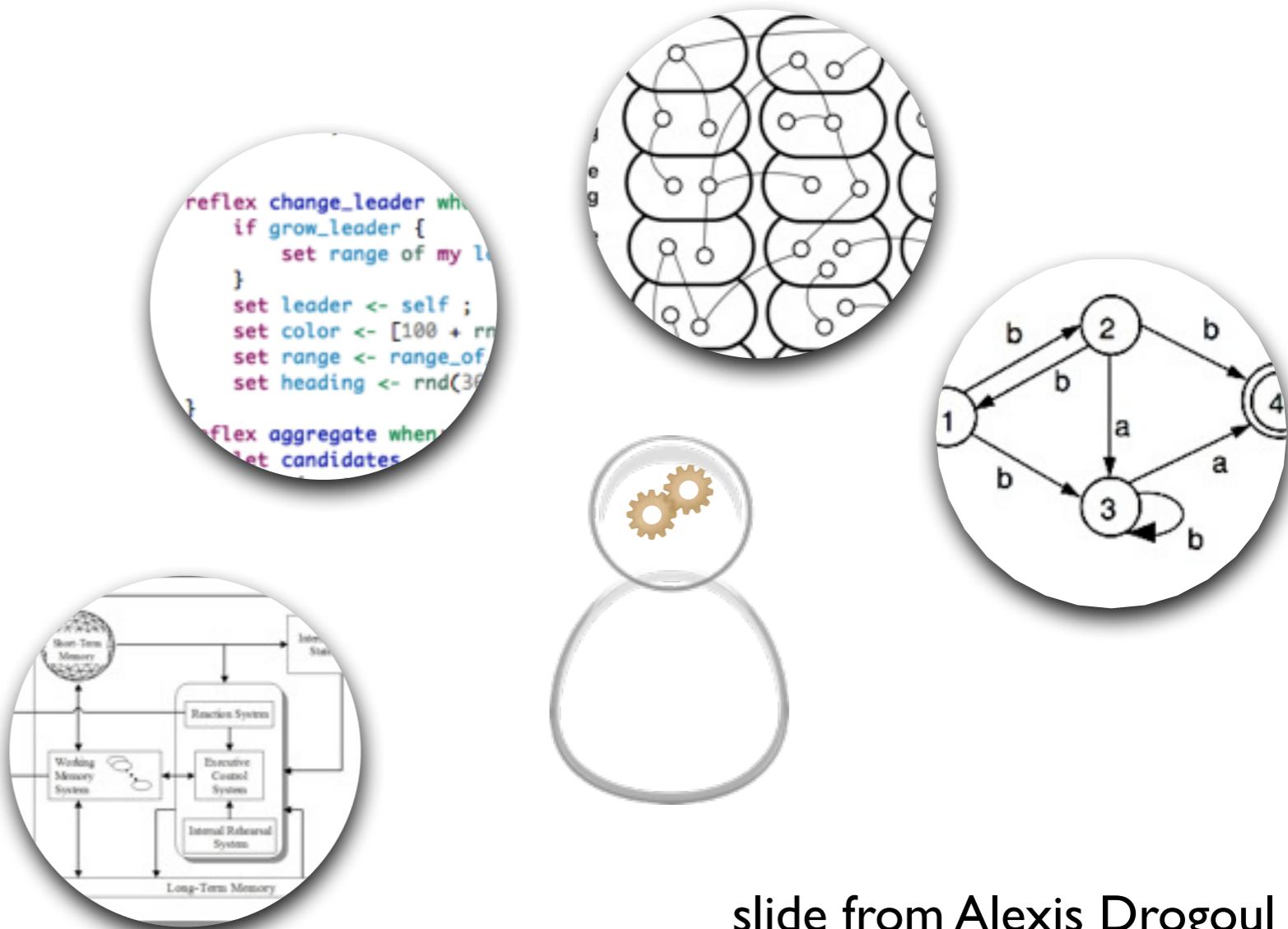
SimPop model
<http://www.simpop.parisgeo.cnrs.fr/>

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Agent behaviors

Agent-based models are **agnostic** : agents can be programmed using any language or decision-making architecture

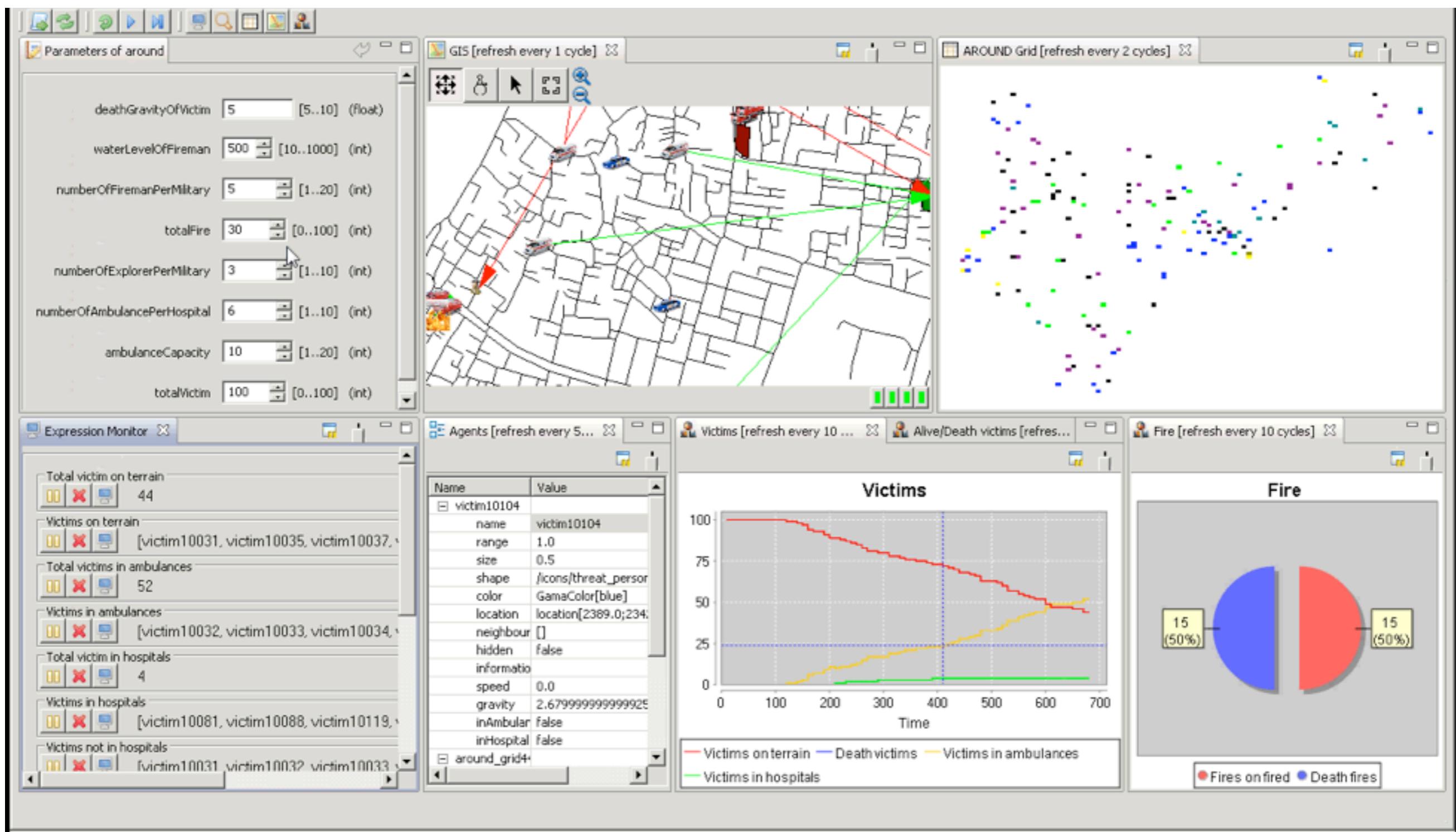
- Any computer program
- Expert systems
- Finite state automata
- Task-based architectures
- Perception-decision-action architectures
- Planning architectures
- Neural networks
- Bayesian networks
- Differential equations



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Miniature laboratories

Agent-based simulations are **miniature laboratories** that support **computational experiments**, which can be interactive



Agent-based models are well adapted to situations where...

1. it is difficult to test hypotheses solely based on observations of the reference system
2. the actors of a reference system are heterogeneous
3. it is possible to identify intermediary levels/organizations that influence the dynamics of the reference system
4. the level of analysis/observation is not fixed
5. changes at the macro-level should be outcomes, and not inputs, of the model

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References: Web

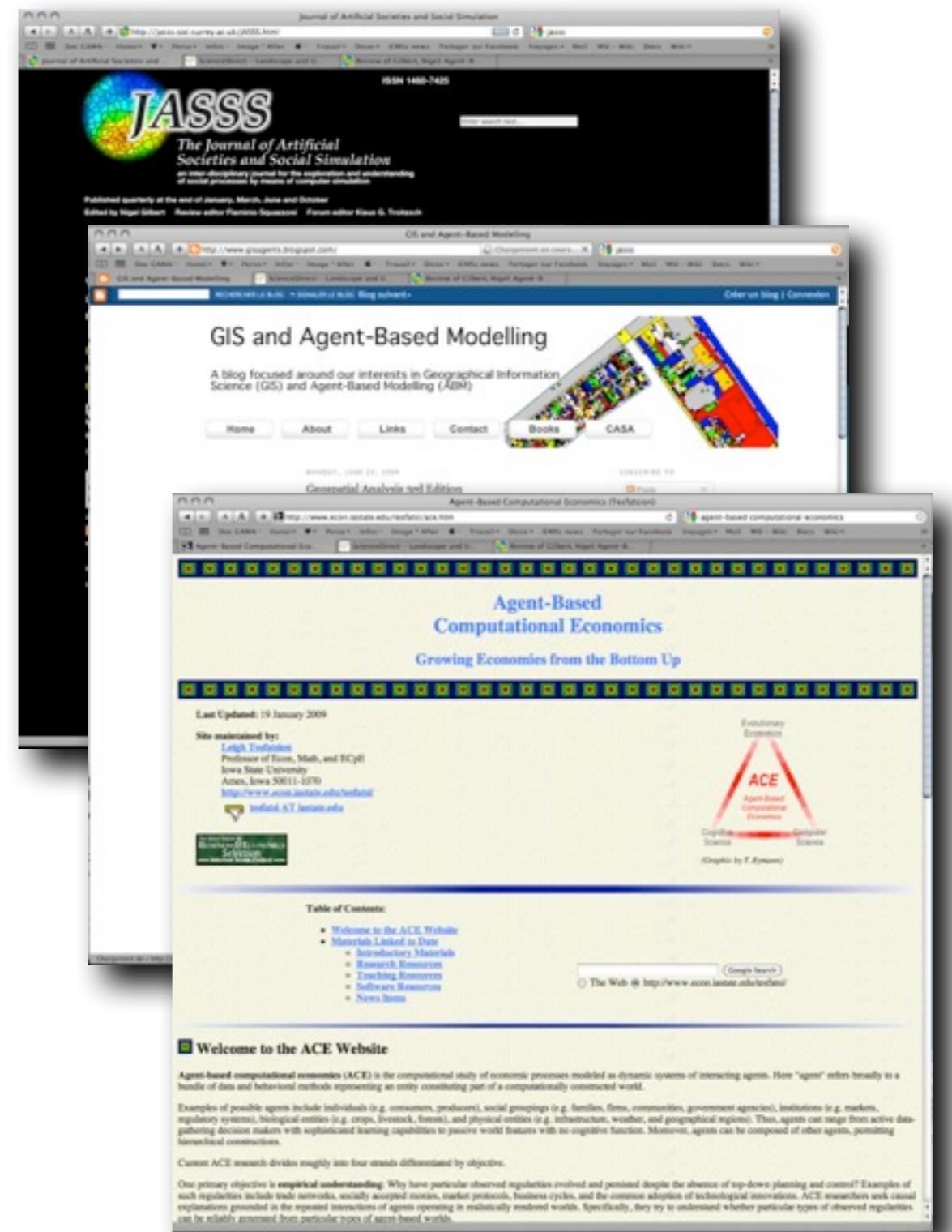
A number of web references are available to go further

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<http://jasss.soc.surrey.ac.uk/>

ACE : Agent-based Computational Economics
<http://www.econ.iastate.edu/tesfatsi/ace.htm>

GisAgents : GIS and Agent-Based Modelling
<http://www.gisagents.blogspot.com/>

OpenABM: Open Agent-Based Modeling Consortium
<http://www.openabm.org/>



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References: books

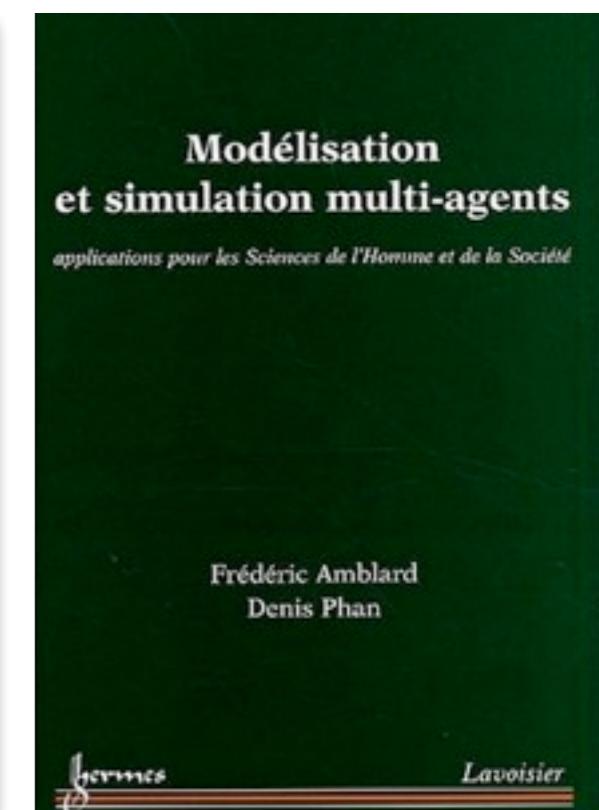
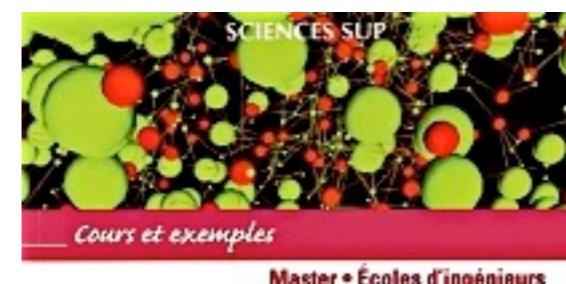
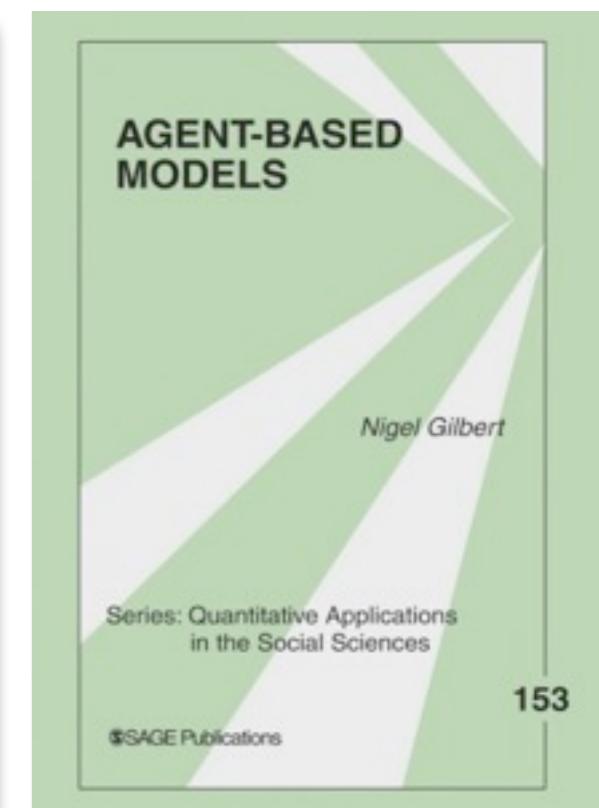
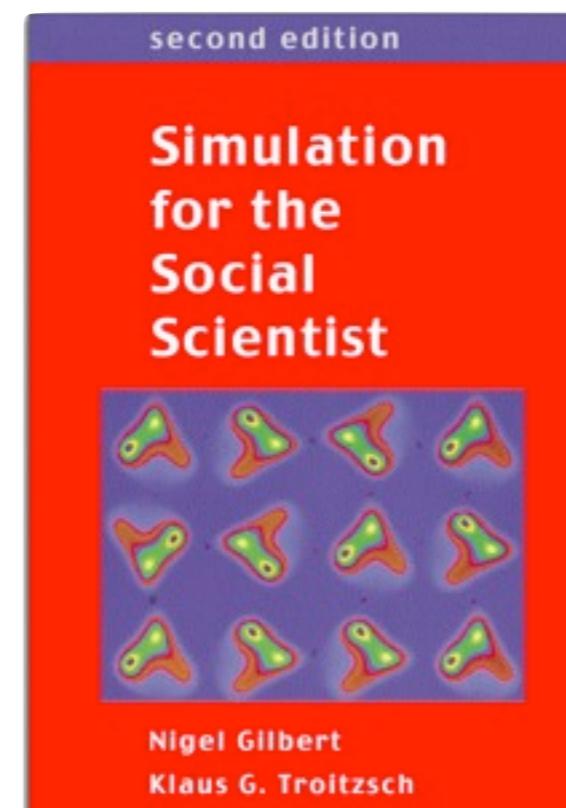
Some books as well (two in English, two in French)

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Simulation for the Social Scientist. Milton Keynes:
 Open University Press, Second Edition.

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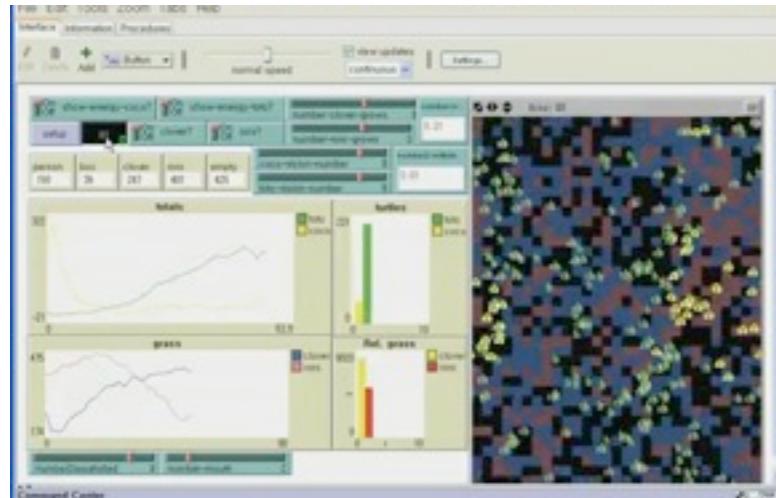
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References: tools

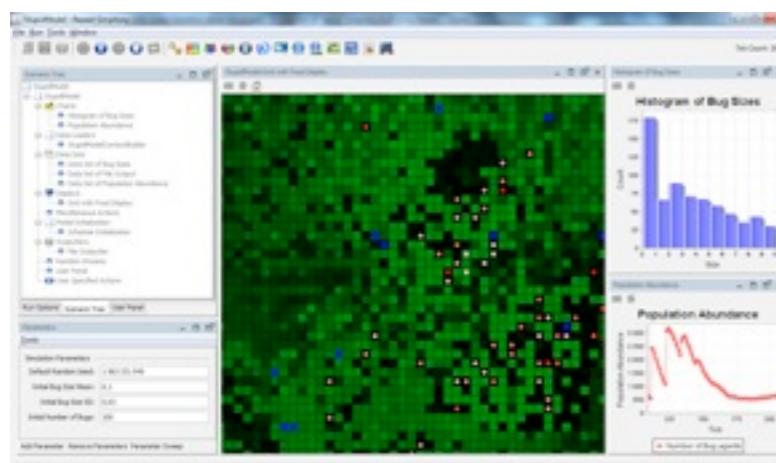
Three open-source free platforms for building and experimenting agent-based models



NetLogo

<http://ccl.northwestern.edu/netlogo/>

Pedagogical tool with a specific modeling language. Numerous examples in various domains. Ideal for beginners, but somehow limited for large models.



Repast Symphony

<http://repast.sourceforge.net/>

Toolbox for agent-based modeling in Java, numerous libraries of connected technologies (statistical analysis, GIS, 3D models, etc.). Requires very good programming skills.



GAMA

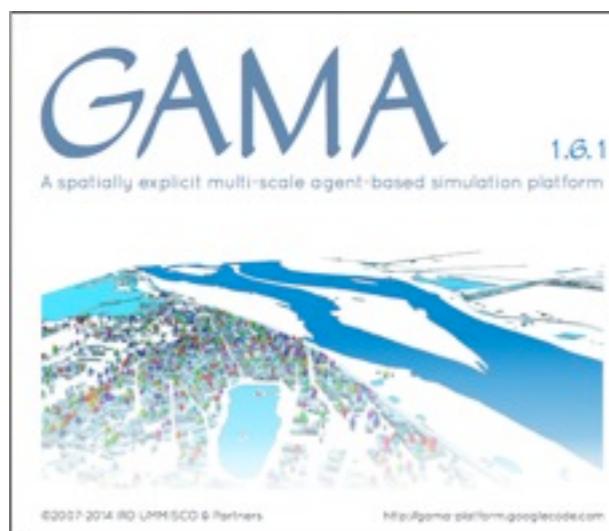
<http://gama-platform.googlecode.com>

A compromise between the two platforms above. Using a dedicated modeling language, this platform pays a great deal of attention to the modeling of the environment and the use of GIS data, while staying open to new technologies through plug-ins.

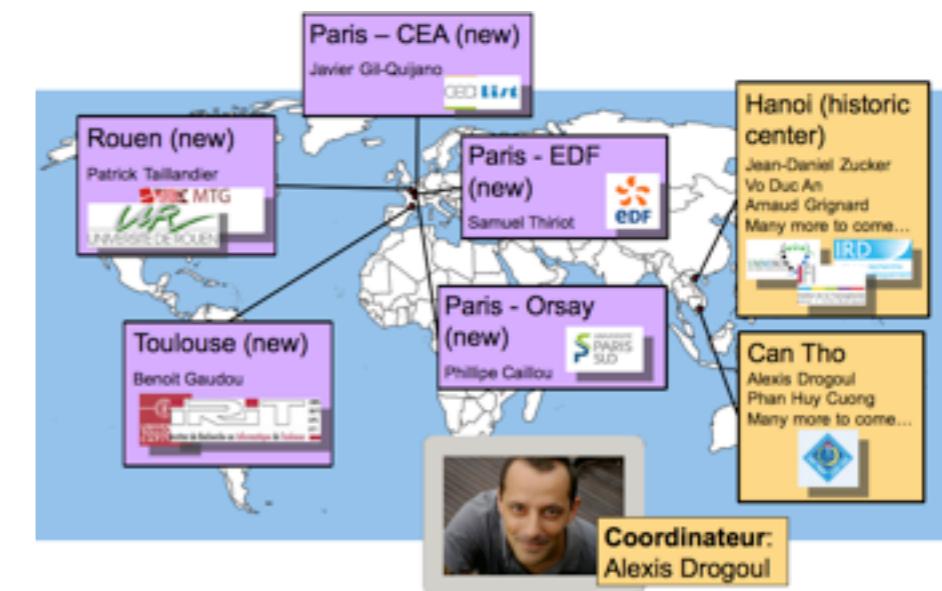
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Generalities on the GAMA platform

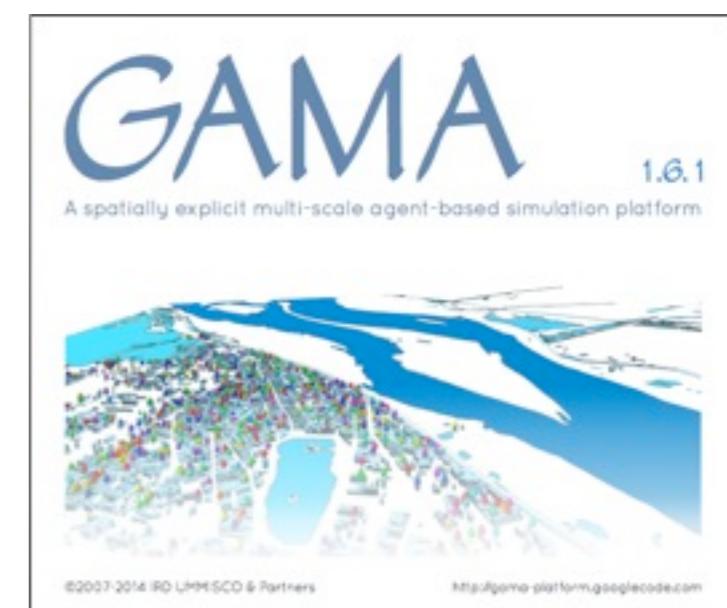
- ❖ Software platform dedicated to building spatially explicit agent-based simulations
 - Developed by a consortium of research team : UMMISCO (IRD - coordinator), DREAMS (Can Tho), IFI (Hanoi), IDEES (Rouen), IRIT (Toulouse), LRI (Orsay), ...
 - Generic : can be used for a wide range of applications
 - Developed under GPL/LGPL license : **open-source**
 - Integrates a complete modeling language (GAML) and an integrated development environment: **allows modelers (even non computer-scientists) to build models quickly and easily**
 - Developed in JAVA : **easy to extend in order to take specific needs into account**
 - Integrates tools to analyze models: parameters space exploration



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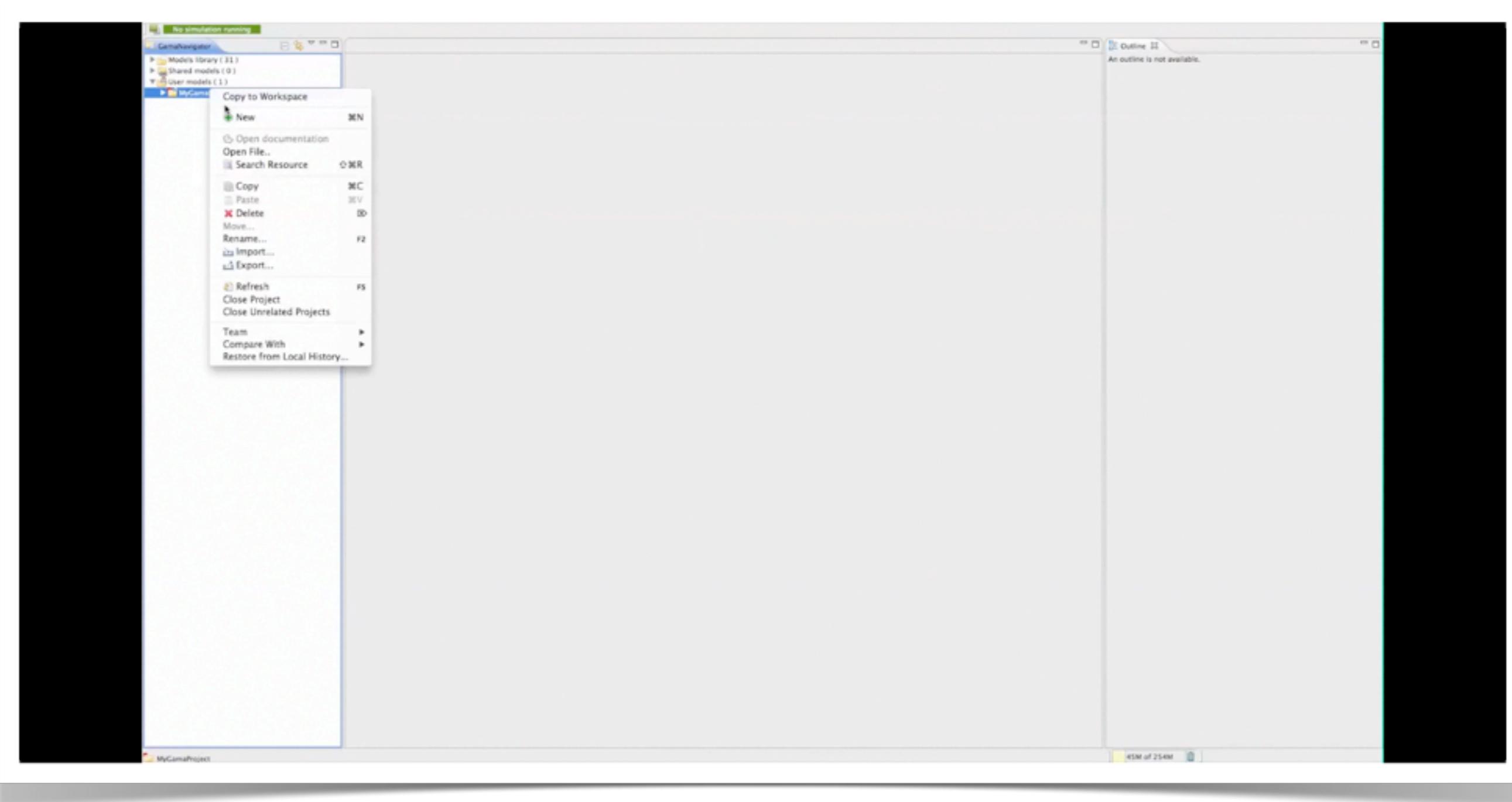


- ❖ Strengths of GAMA vs other Simulation Frameworks (Netlogo, Repast, Cormas, ...)
 - Supports the development of quite complex models
 - Seamless integration of geographic data and GIS tools with agent-based models
 - Integrates a methodological approach to define multi-level models
 - Integrates high-level tools: multi-criteria decision making tools, clustering functions, statistical operators...
 - Easily extensible thanks to its open architecture, which relies on two legacy Java technologies : OSGI plugin framework and Java annotations



Generalities concerning GAMA

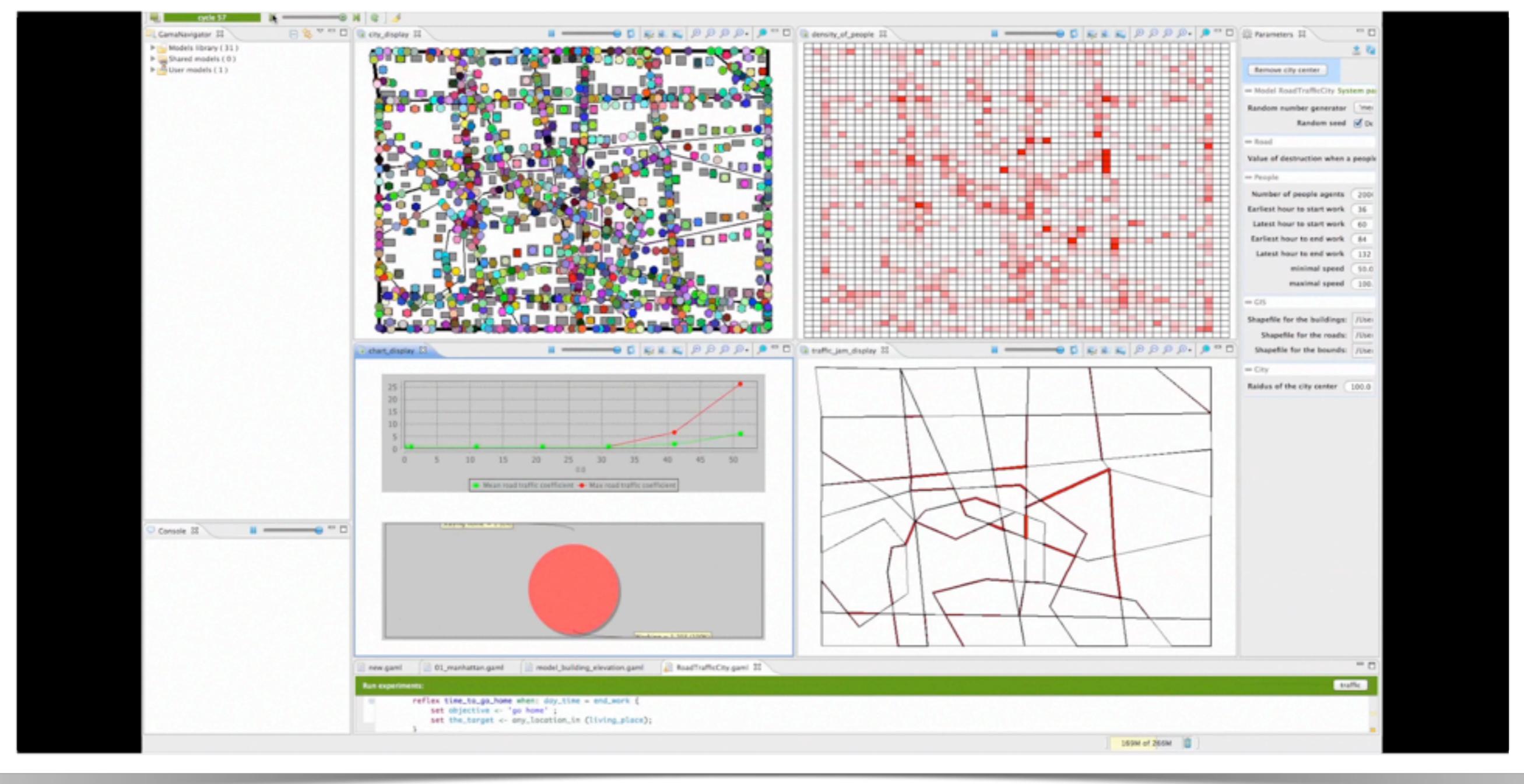
- ❖ GAMA provides a complete Integrated Development environment (IDE) to build models



Dedicated modeling Language (GAML), easy to learn and to extend

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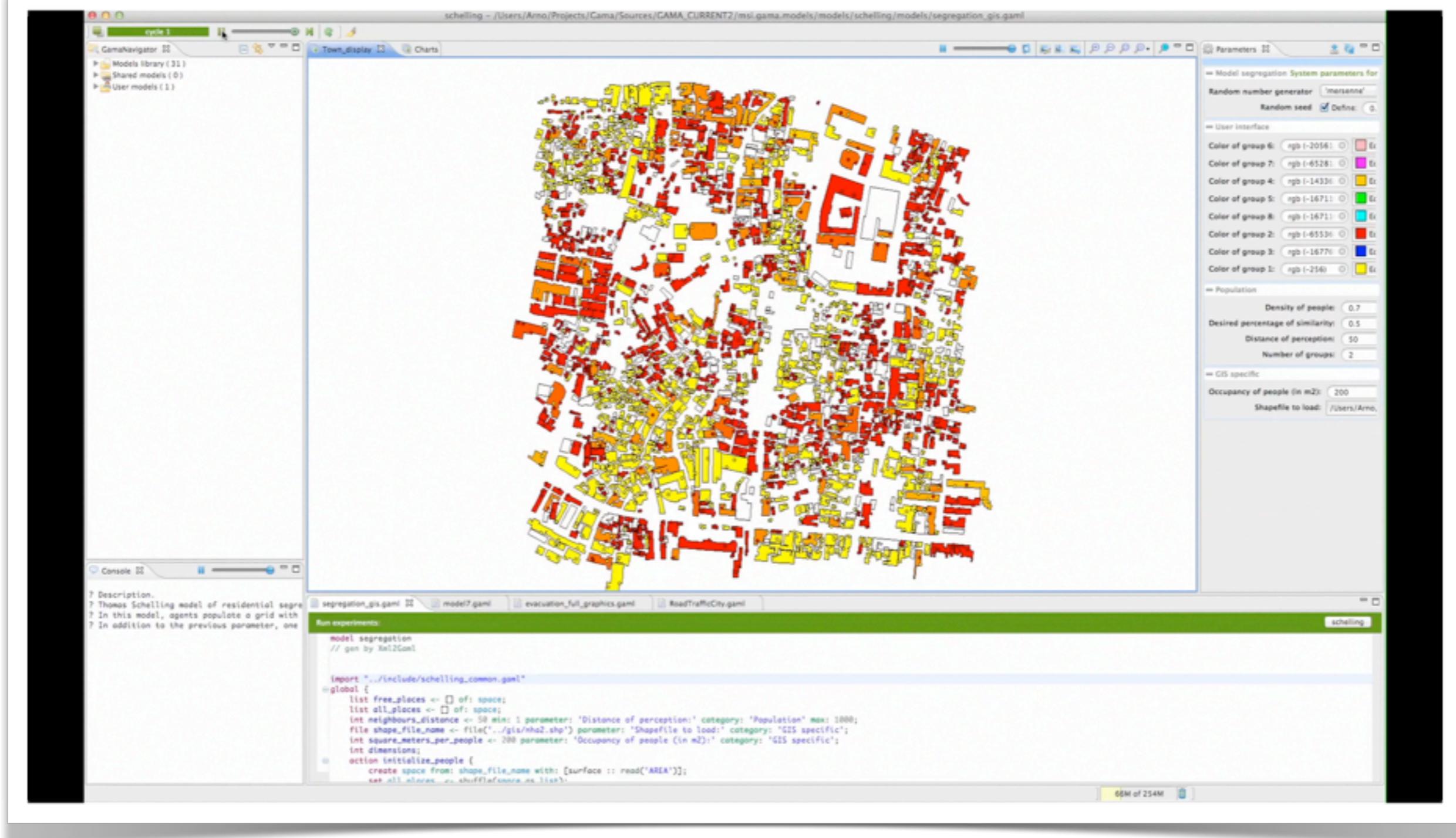
- ❖ Possibility to define as many environments as necessary (3 types of topologies available: continuous, grid and graph)



2D Grid (rectangle, hexagon)
 Continuous environment, torus environment, graphs

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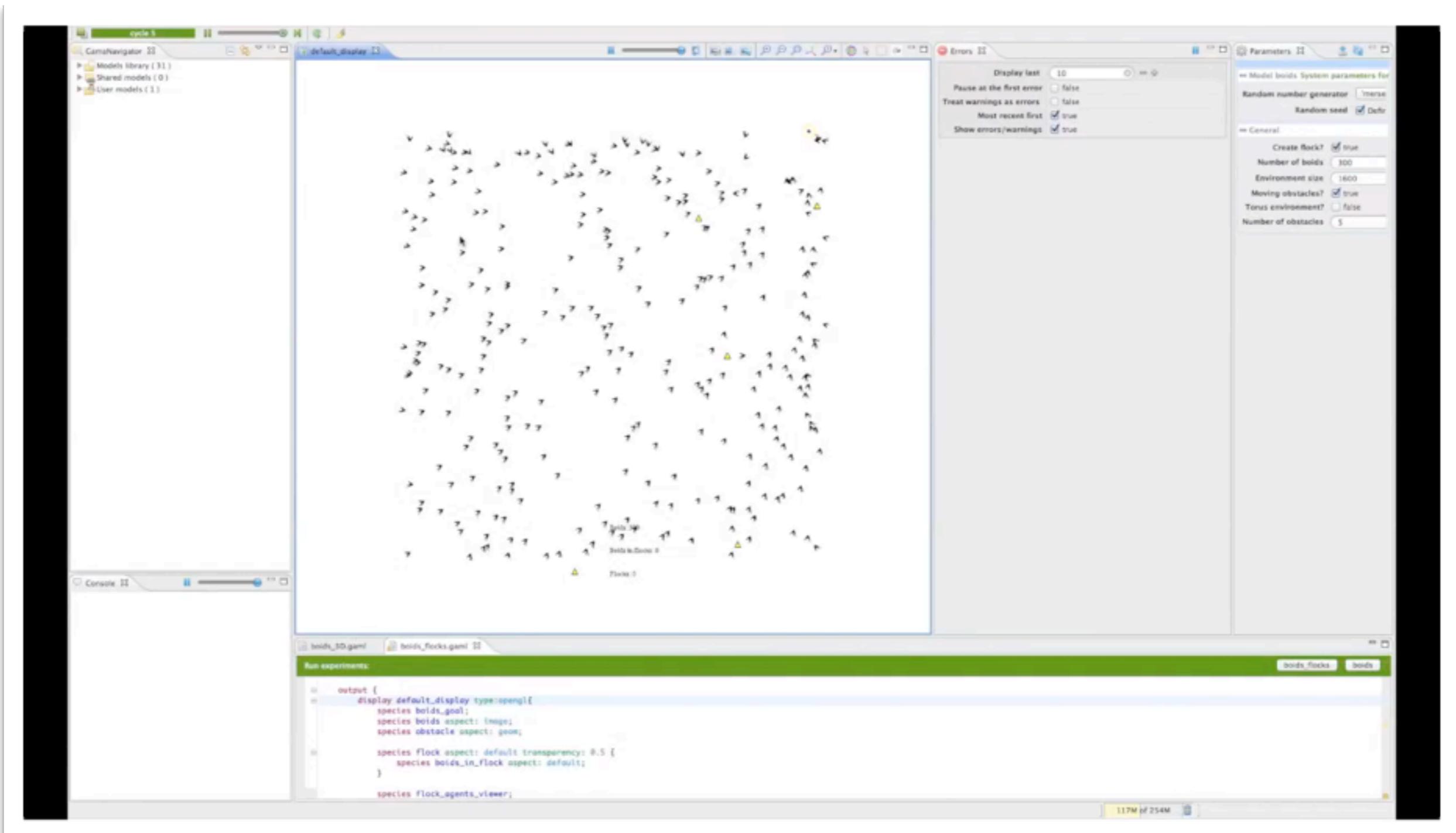
- ❖ Easy integration of GIS data, powerful features to manage GIS data (many spatial operators)



Transparent agentification of 2D/3D GIS data
powerful geometrical operations (union, difference, spatial queries....)

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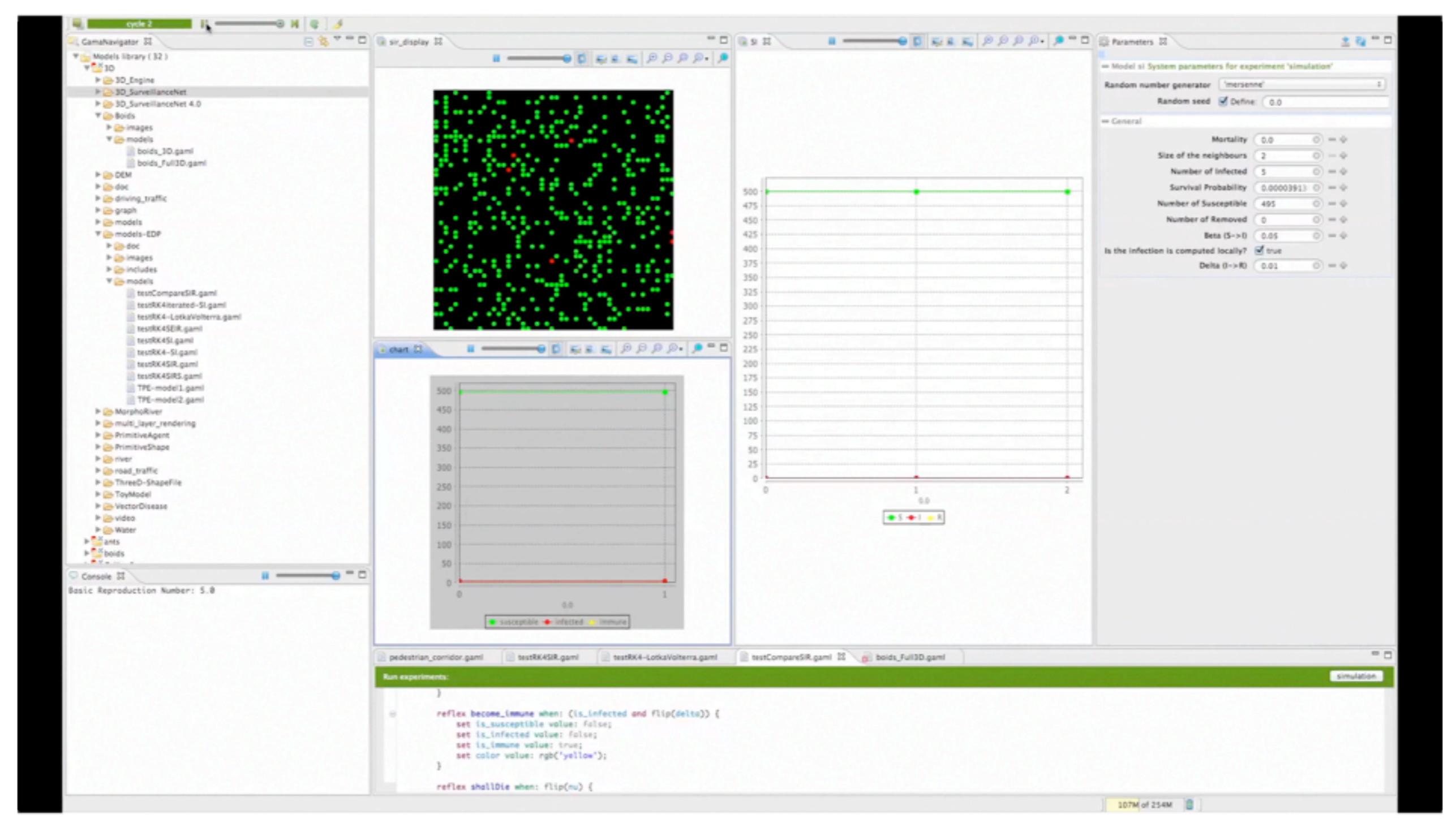
- Allows to define multi-level models



Different level of abstraction, aggregation operators...

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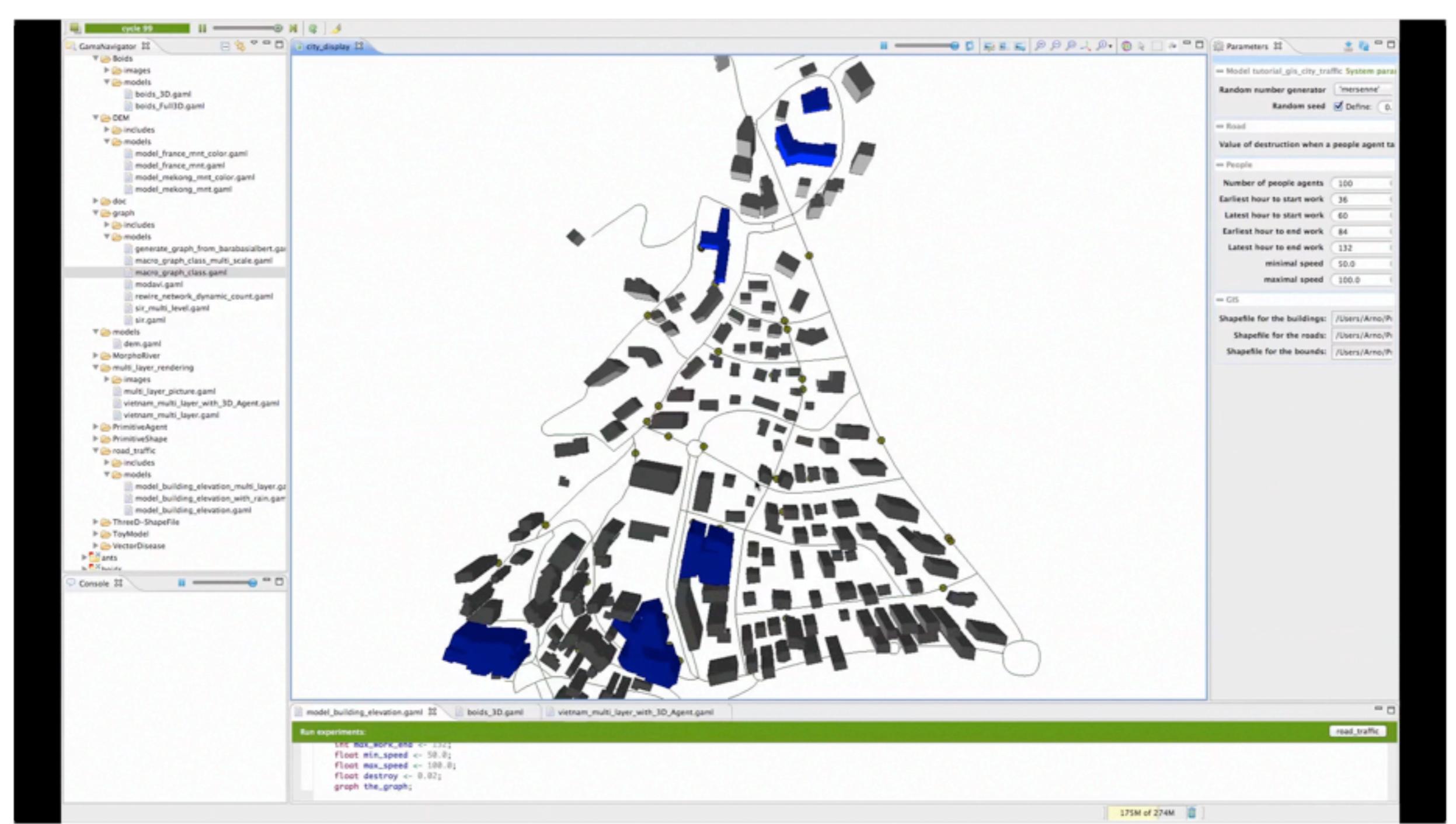
- Allows to use different formalisms to define agent behaviors



Differential equations, Finite state machine, Reflexes,

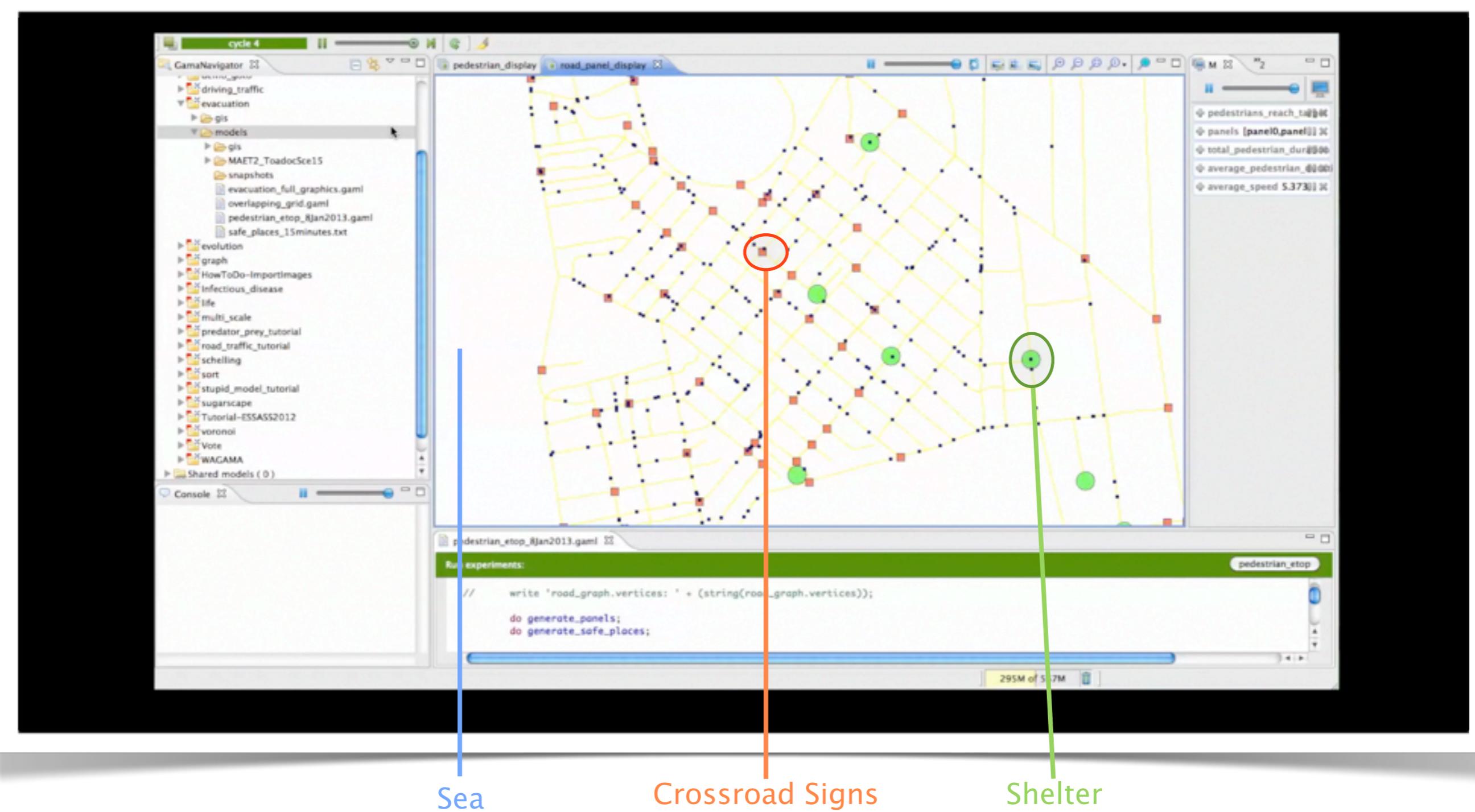
Generalities concerning GAMA

- ❖ Powerful visualization tools allowing to define as many displays as necessary



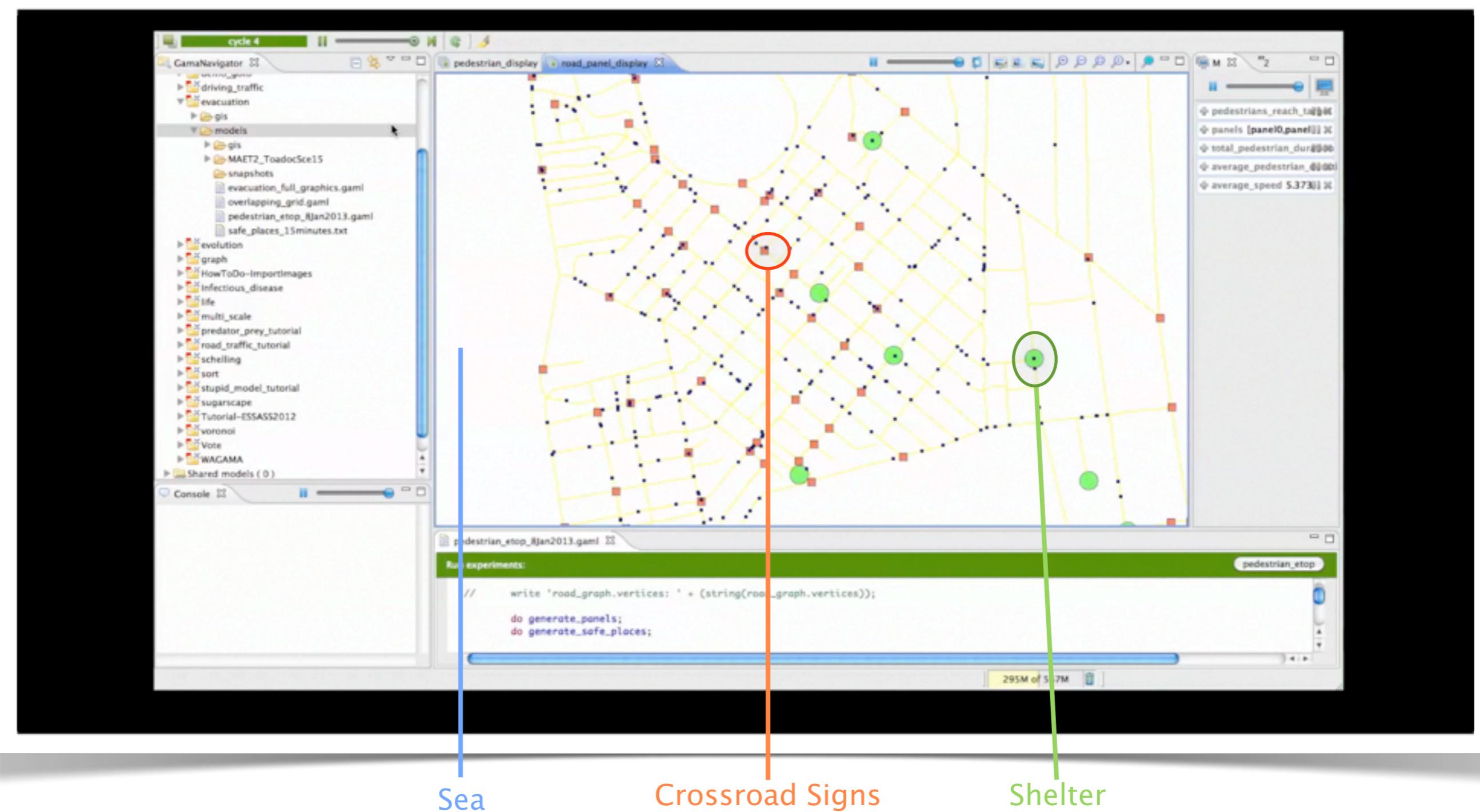
3D display, use of layers, DEM display....

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Example of real models: people evacuation during Tsunami

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Anh T.-N. Nguyen, J-D Zucker, H. M. Nguyen , A Drogoul, Phuong H. N., "Simulation of Emergency Evacuation of Pedestrians along the Road Networks in Nhatrang City" , Computing and Communication Technologies, Research, Innovation, and Vision for the Future, 2012 IEEE RIVF

Example of real models: MIRO 2

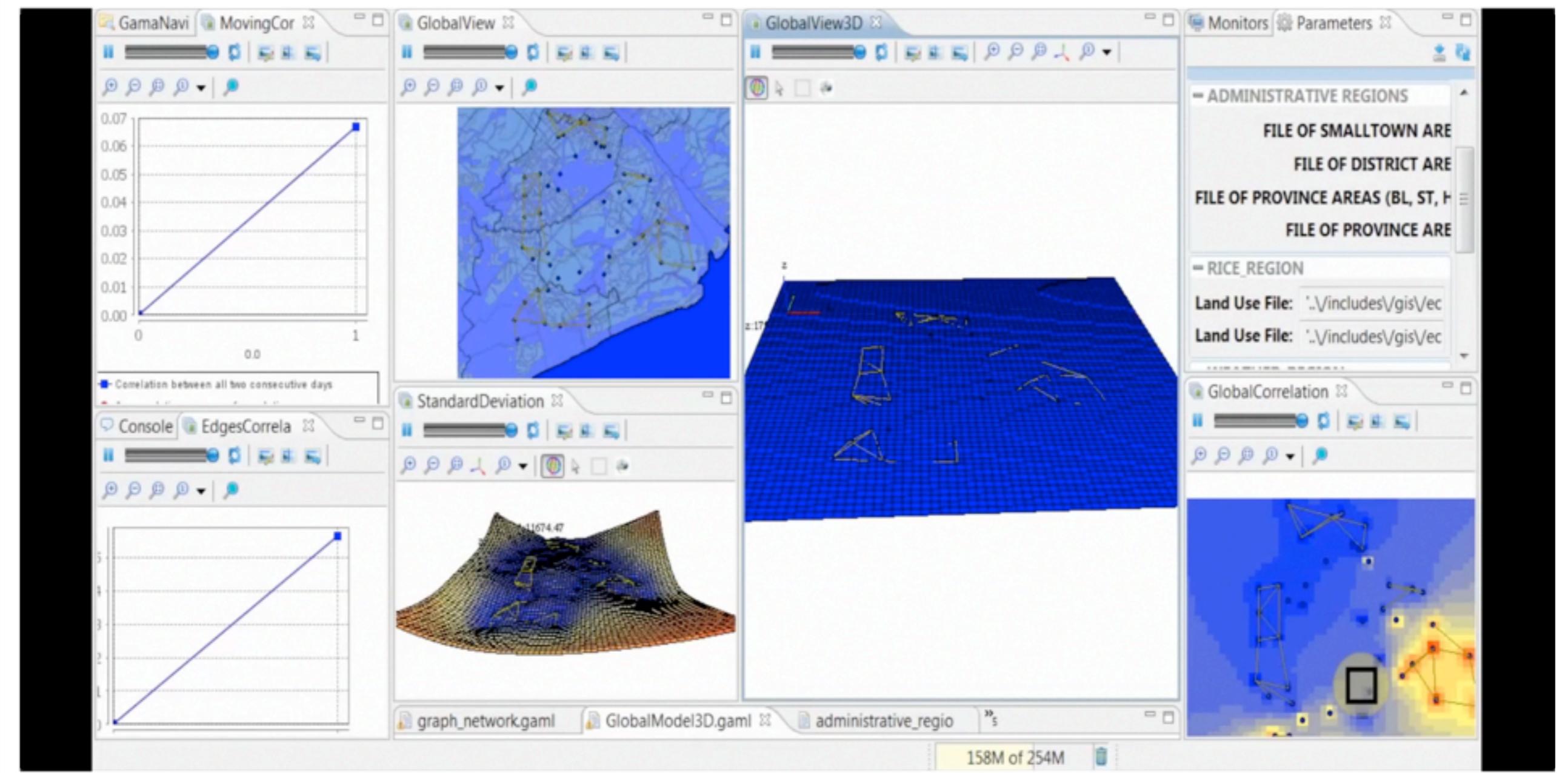
- ❖ **Dijon city, France:** how to improve the individual accessibility to the city in order to better manage urban mobility ?



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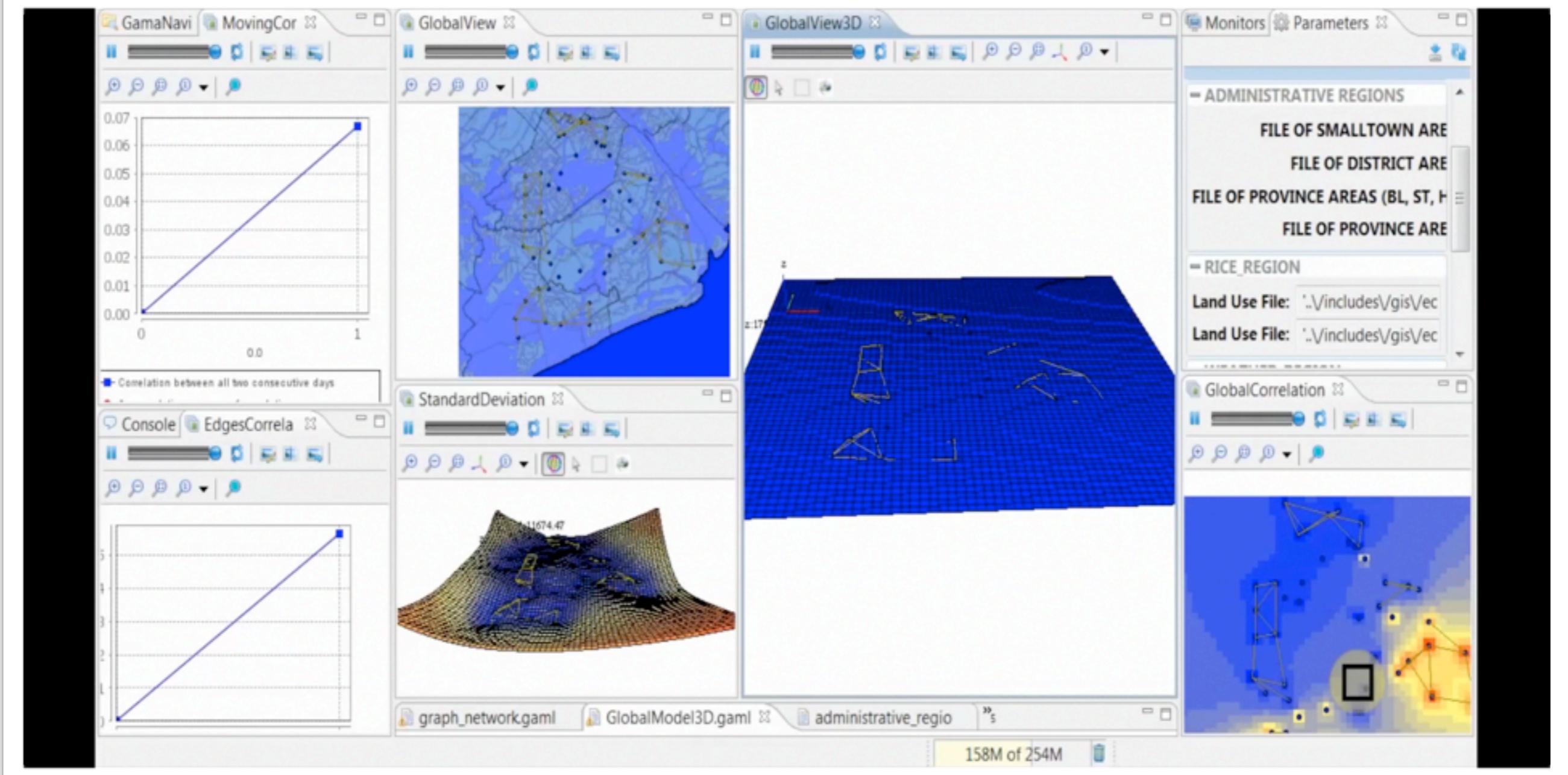
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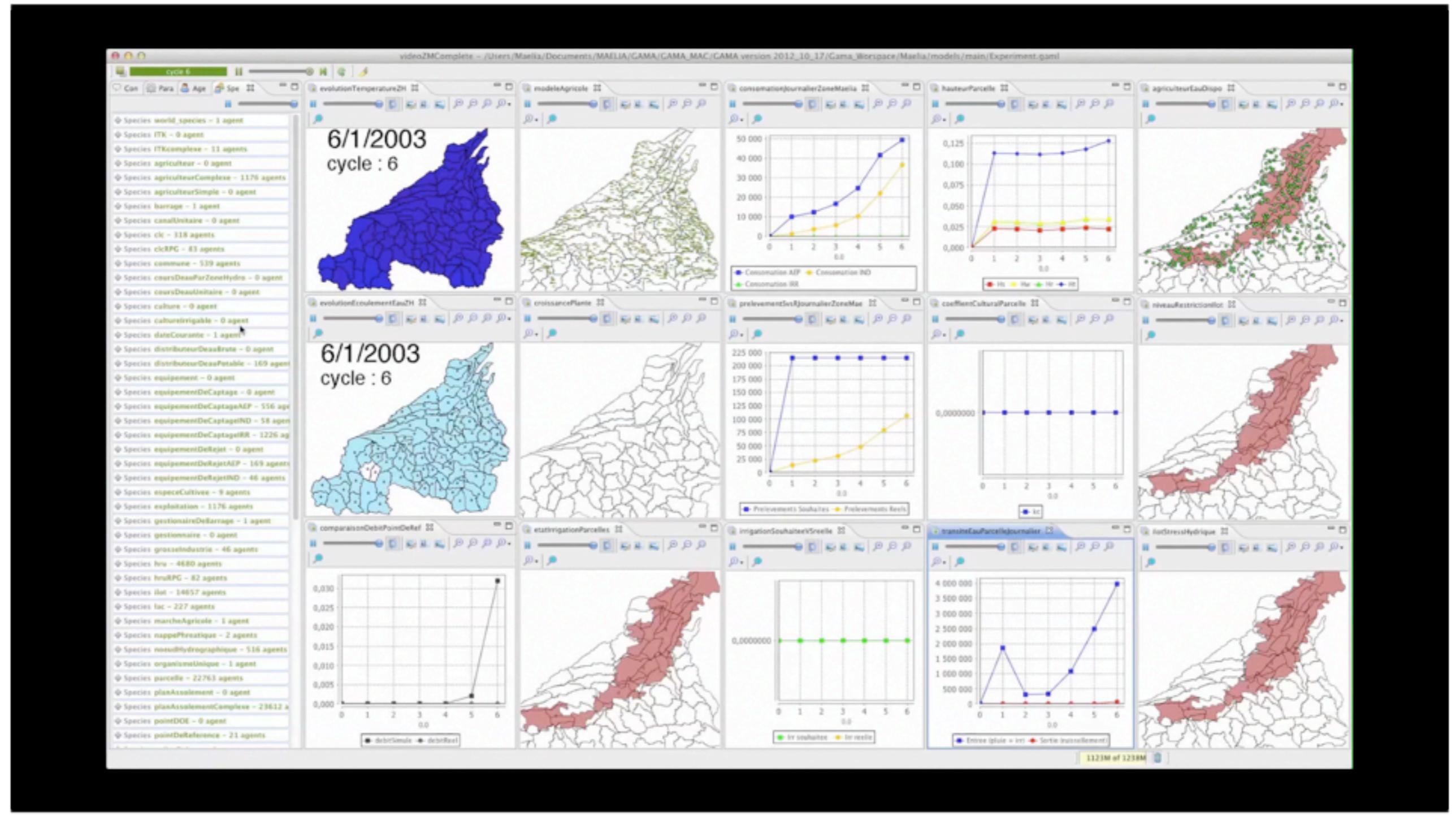
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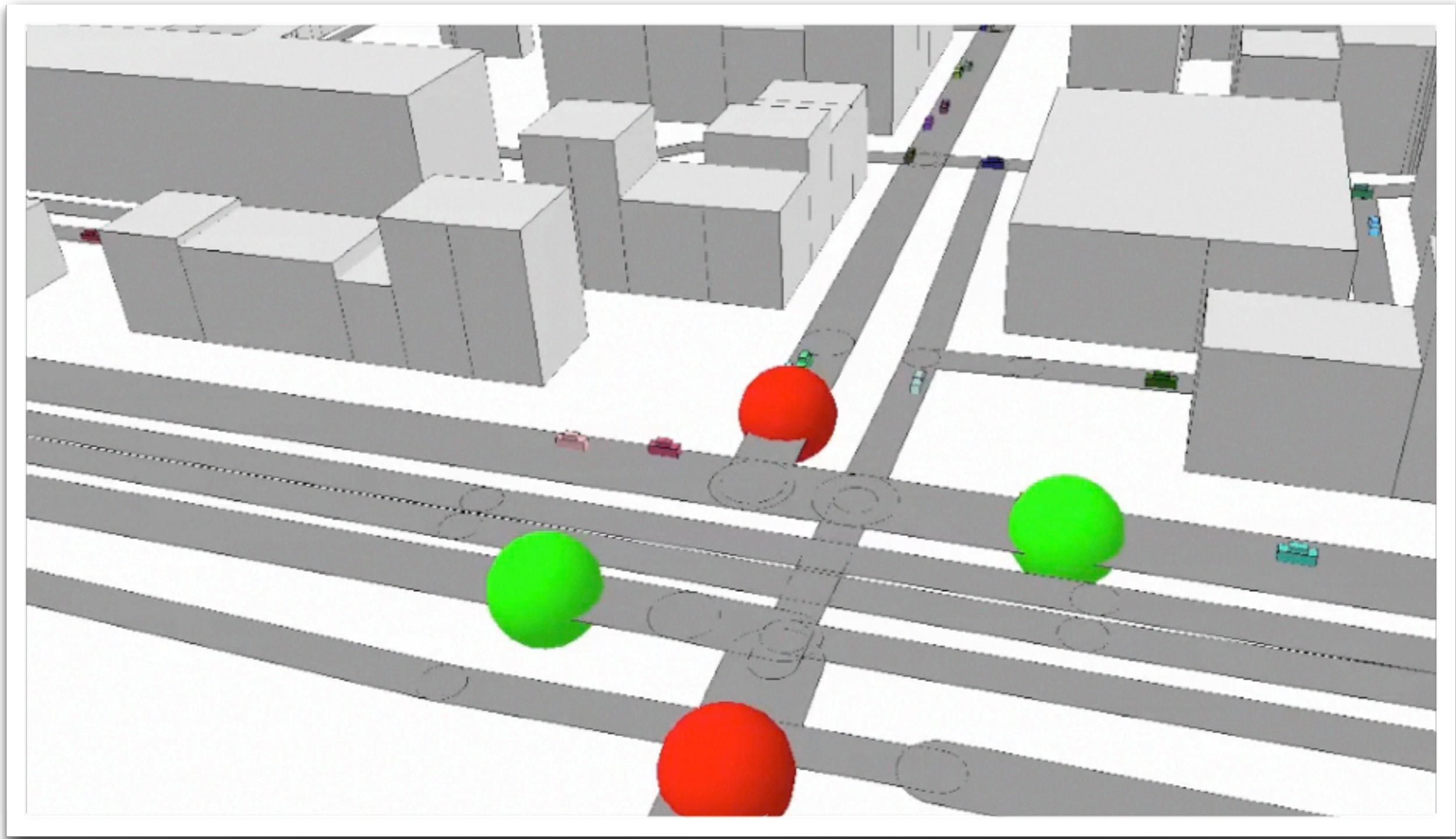
Example of real models : MAELIA

- ❖ Adour-Garonne basin, France: what is the socio-environmental impact of water management norms on water resources?



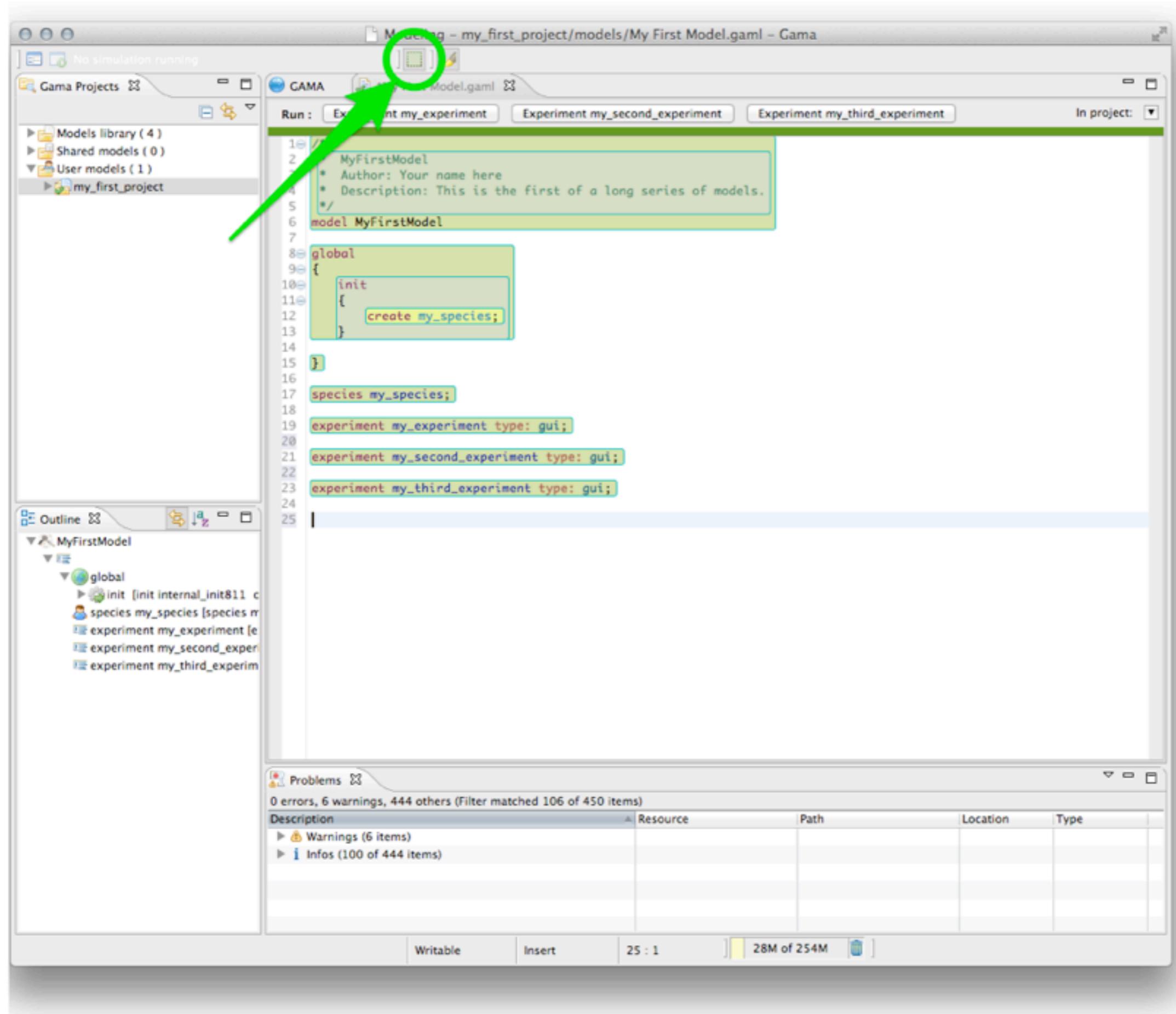
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- ❖ **Rouen, France:** what is the impact of technological hazards on mobility?



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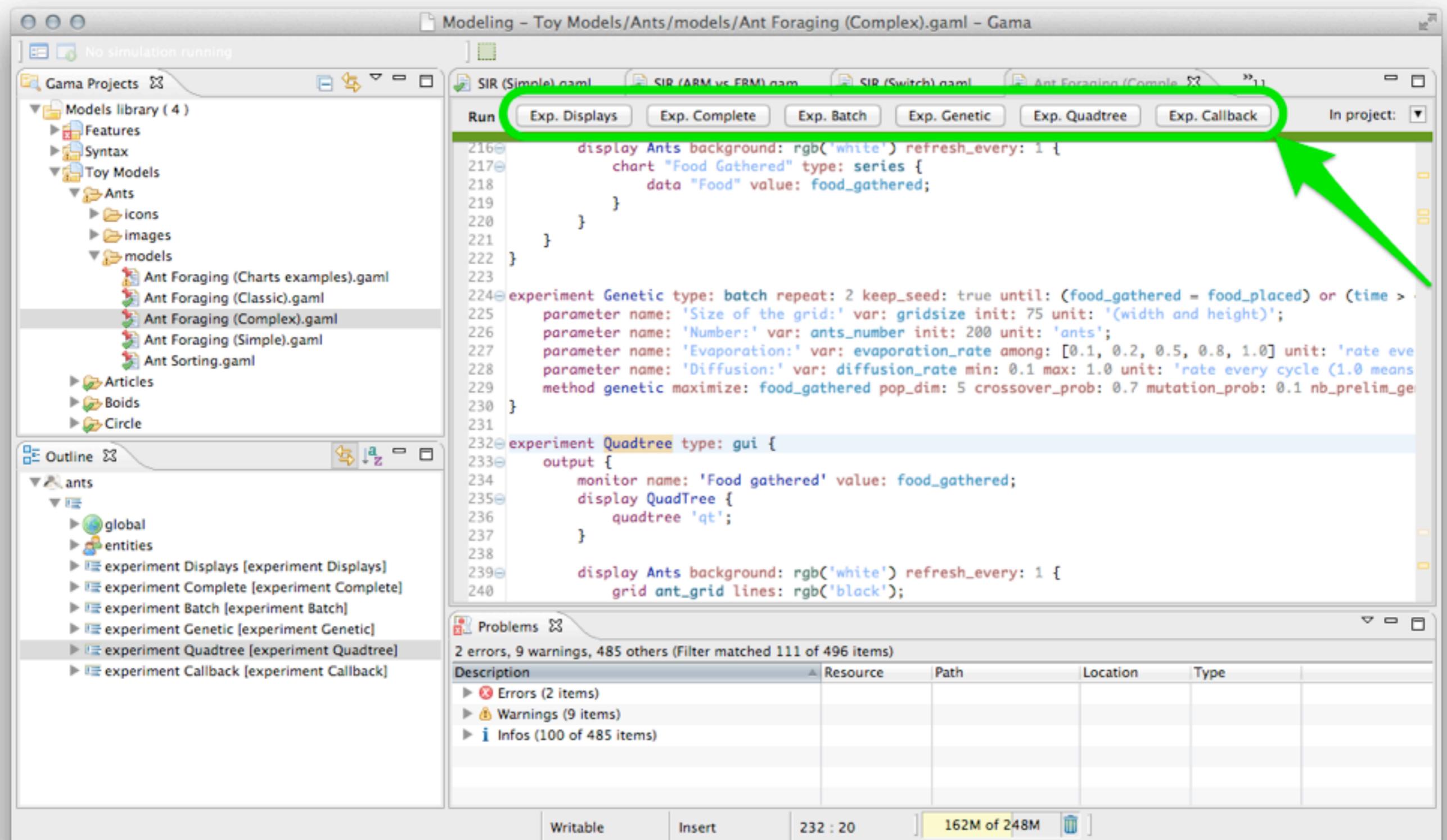
Modeling interface: structural highlighting



Loading an experiment

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Click on the desired **experiment** button to load it: an experiment define a simulation execution context



The experiment buttons only appear when the experiments can be launched safely, i.e. the model does not contain any error

This screenshot shows the Gama 1.6 modeling environment. The main window displays a GAML script for a 'boids' model. A red bar at the top indicates 'Error(s) detected. Impossible to run any experiment'. The code includes various parameters and logic for boid behavior. The 'Outline' view on the right shows the project structure with a folder named 'boids' containing files like 'blablabla.gaml', 'global.gaml', 'entities.gaml', and 'experiment Boids.gaml'. The bottom status bar shows memory usage of 78M of 219M.

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1 model boids
2 blablabla;
3 global torus: torus_environment{
4     int number_of_agents <- 100 min: 1 max: 1000000;
5     int number_of_obstacles <- 5 min: 0;
6     float maximal_speed <- 15.0 min: 0.1 max: 15.0;
7     int cohesion_factor <- 200;
8     int alignment_factor <- 100;
9     float minimal_distance <- 10.0;
10    int maximal_turn <- 90 min: 0 max: 359;
11    int width_and_height_of_environment <- 800;
12    bool torus_environment <- false;
13    bool apply_cohesion <- true ;
14    bool apply_alignment <- true ;
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16    bool apply_goal <- true;
17    bool apply_avoid <- true;
18    bool apply_wind <- true;
19    bool moving_obstacles <- false;
20    int bounds <- int(width_and_height_of_environment / 20) depends_on: width_and_height_of_environment;
21    point wind_vector <- {0,0};
22    int goal_duration <- 30 update: (goal_duration - 1);
23    point goal <- {rnd (width_and_height_of_environment - 2) + 1, rnd (width_and_height_of_environment - 2)};
24    list images of: file <- [file("../images/bird1.png"),file("../im...];
25    int xmin <- bounds depends_on: bounds;
26    int ymin <- bounds depends_on: bounds;
27    int xmax <- (width_and_height_of_environment - bounds);
28    int ymax <- (width_and_height_of_environment - bounds);

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Red: Model with error(s)

This screenshot shows the Gama 1.6 modeling environment with a different model. The main window displays a GAML script for a 'boids' model. A green bar at the top indicates 'Run experiment: Boids'. The code is identical to the one in the first screenshot but has no errors. The 'Outline' view on the right shows the project structure with a folder named 'boids' containing files like 'blablabla.gaml', 'global.gaml', 'entities.gaml', and 'experiment Boids.gaml'. The bottom status bar shows memory usage of 50M of 199M.

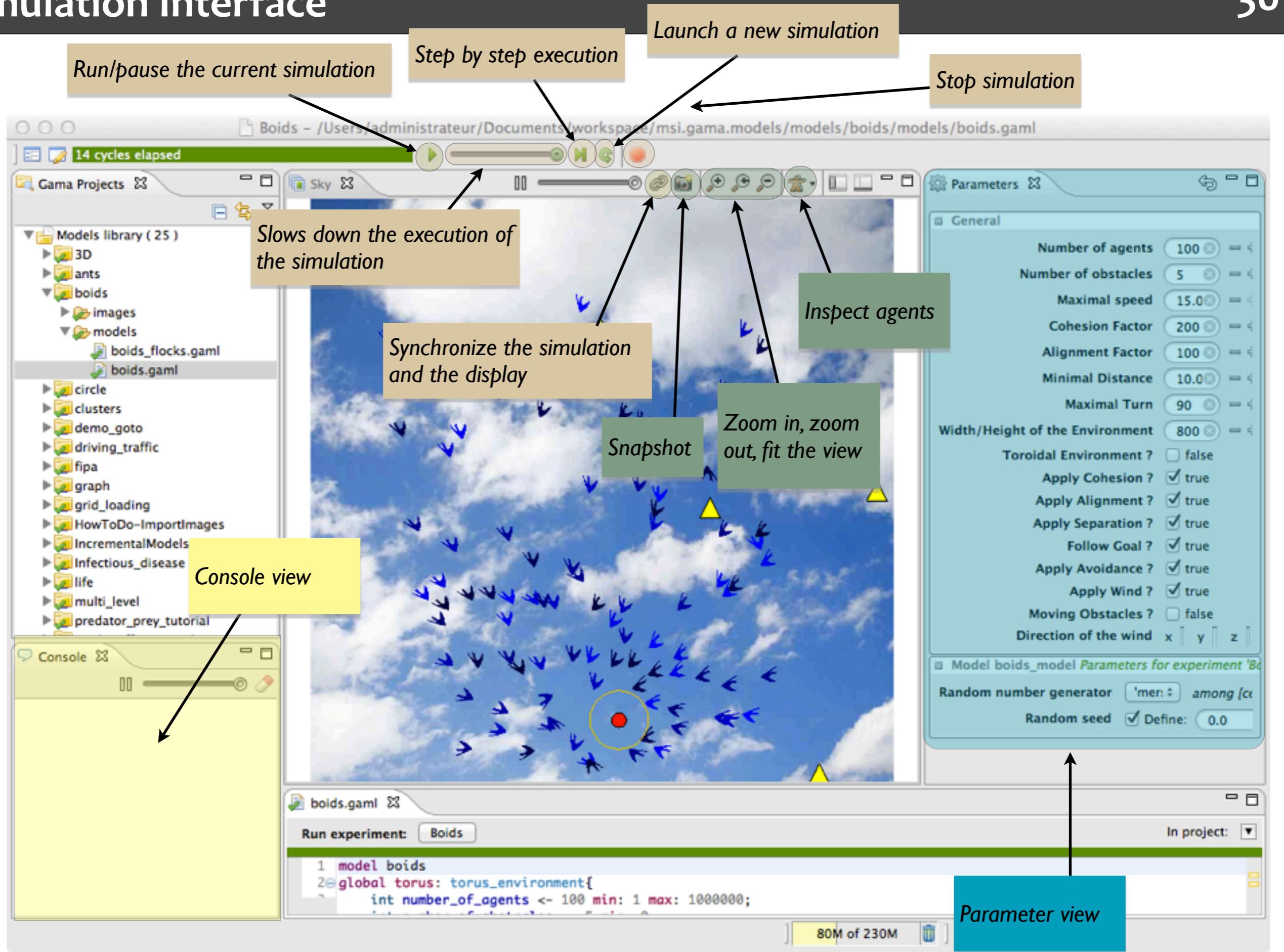
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27    int ymax <- (width_and_height_of_environment - bounds);
28    geometry shape <- square(width_and_height_of_environment);

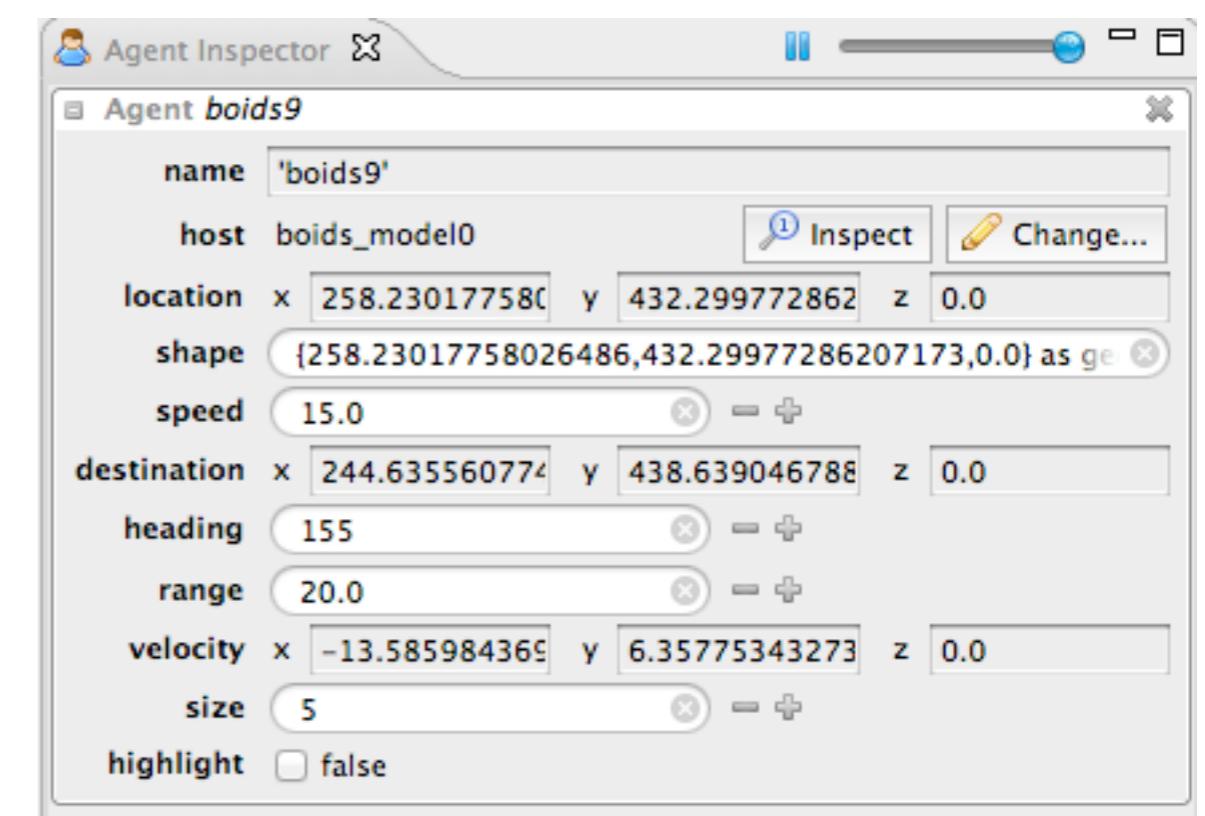
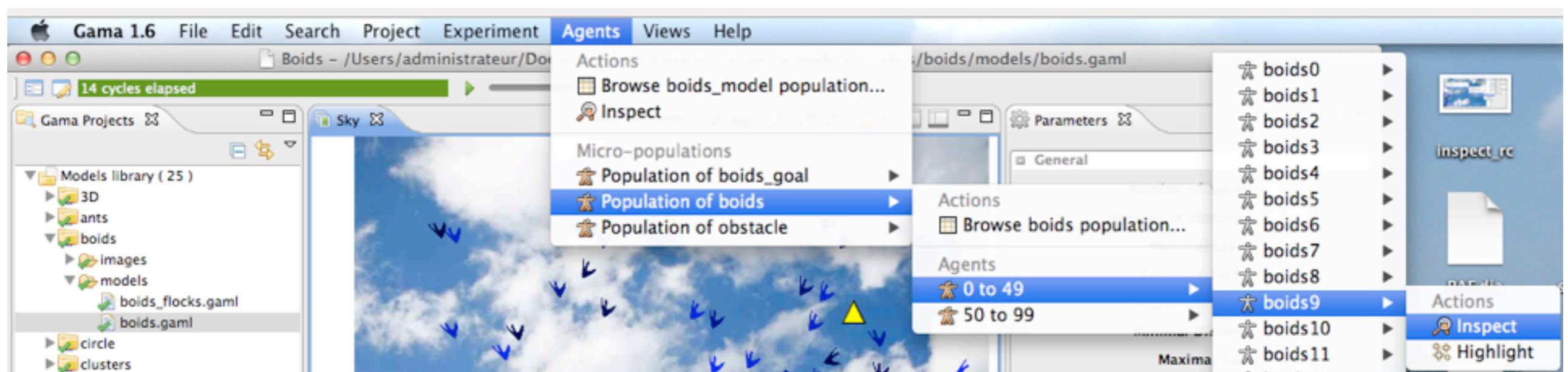
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Green: Model without error(s) : ready to load !

Simulation Interface

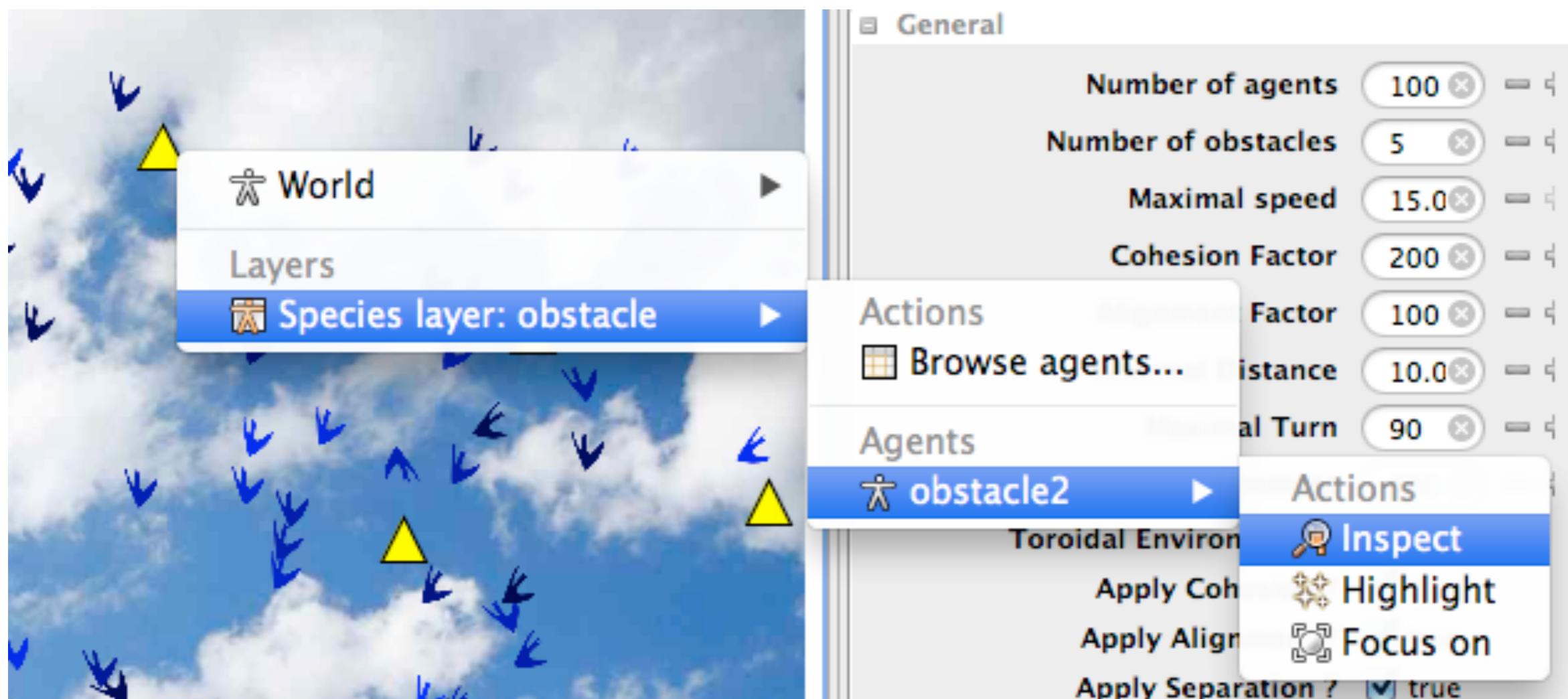


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- It is possible to inspect an agent by right clicking on it (in a display)



Inspector - 3

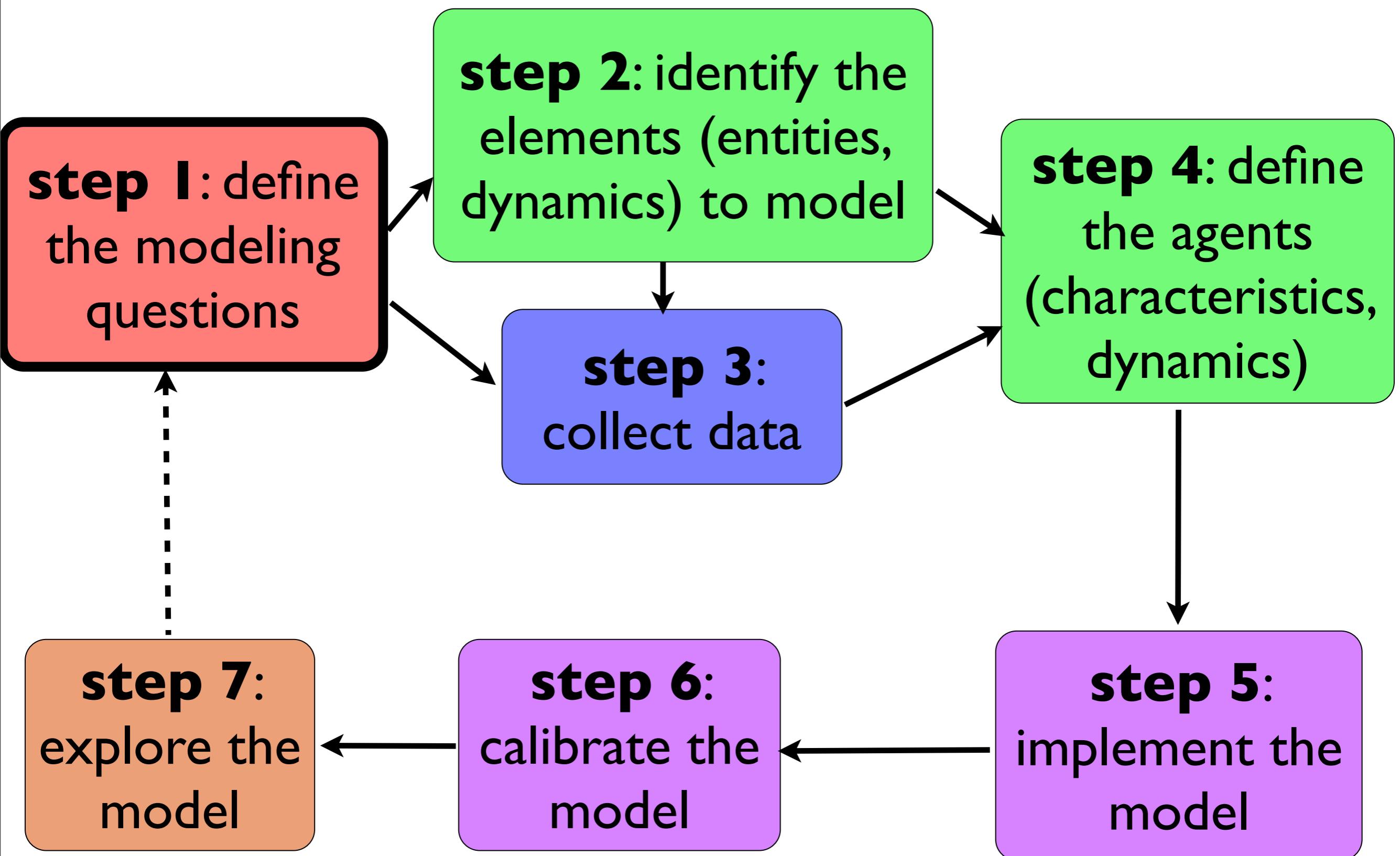
- **Agent browser:** gives information on all agents of a specific species

The screenshot shows the Agent browser interface. At the top, there's a menu bar with 'Agents', 'Views', 'Window', and 'Help'. Below the menu is a toolbar with icons for 'Actions' (Browse, Inspect), 'Micro-populations' (Population of boids_goal, Population of boids, Population of obstacle), and 'Agents' (From 0 to 99). A context menu is open over the 'Population of boids' item, with options like 'Actions' (Browse boids population...) and 'Agents' (From 0 to 99). The main window displays a table titled 'Boids population in macro-agent boids_model0; size: 100 agents'. The table has columns for 'name', 'destination', 'heading', 'host', 'location', and 'range'. The 'Attributes' column on the left lists various agent properties: agents, destination, heading, host, location, members, name, peers, range, shape, size, speed, and velocity. The table contains 100 rows, each representing a boid with a unique name and corresponding values for the other attributes.

	name	destination	heading	host	location	range
'boids0'	{260.0411868...	35	0 as boids_...	{247.7539061...	20.0	
'boids1'	{474.4819529...	56	0 as boids_...	{466.0940594...	20.0	
'boids2'	{388.4401281...	19	0 as boids_...	{374.2573494...	20.0	
'boids3'	{320.5702026...	27	0 as boids_...	{307.2051047...	20.0	
'boids4'	{436.9073390...	3	0 as boids_...	{421.9278960...	20.0	
'boids5'	{304.2211317...	22	0 as boids_...	{290.3133738...	20.0	
'boids6'	{325.9359584...	32	0 as boids_...	{313.2152370...	20.0	
'boids7'	{279.2638894...	12	0 as boids_...	{264.5916754...	20.0	
'boids8'	{255.9775343...	24	0 as boids_...	{242.2743524...	20.0	
'boids9'	{382.6303368...	34	0 as boids_...	{370.1947732...	20.0	
'boids10'	{183.6588568...	26	0 as boids_...	{170.1769461...	20.0	
'boids11'	{351.1341535...	23	0 as boids_...	{337.3265807...	20.0	
'boids12'	{450.3780464...	27	0 as boids_...	{437.0129485...	20.0	
'boids13'	{295.7744747...	13	0 as boids_...	{281.1589238...	20.0	
'boids14'	{127.6563099...	193	0 as boids_...	{142.2718609...	20.0	
'boids15'	{220.5039898...	34	0 as boids_...	{208.0684262...	20.0	
'boids16'	{231.5202628...	24	0 as boids_...	{217.8170809...	20.0	
'boids17'	{413.1355617...	9	0 as boids_...	{398.3202366...	20.0	
'boids18'	{429.5359479...	21	0 as boids_...	{415.5322415...	20.0	
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Every year, the abms flu is spreading in the small city of Olppletto in Corsica !

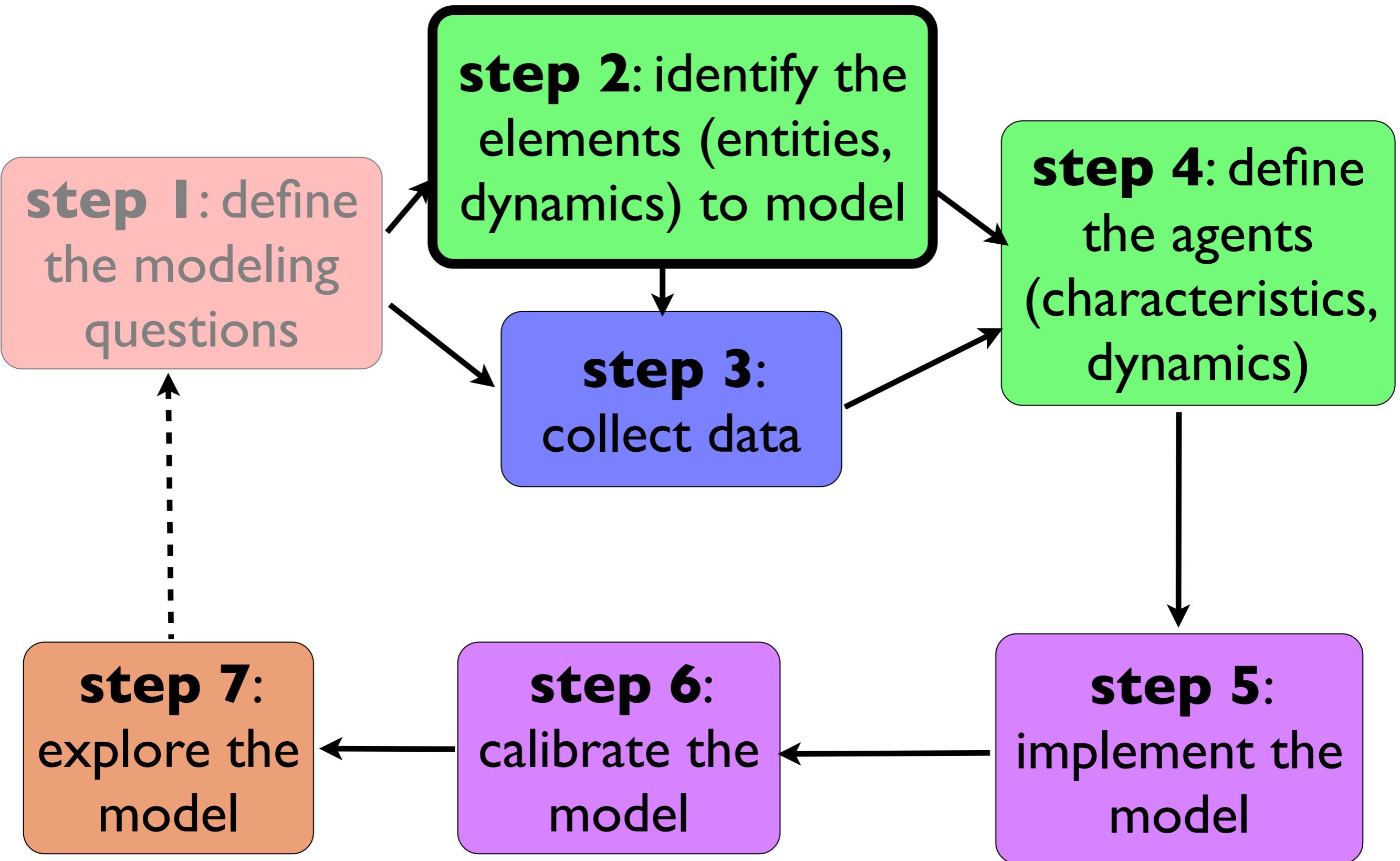




► Questions to answer

- How long before the complete infection of the population of Olppletto?





► Space scale

- City of Olppletto, area = close to 500m x 500m

► Time scale

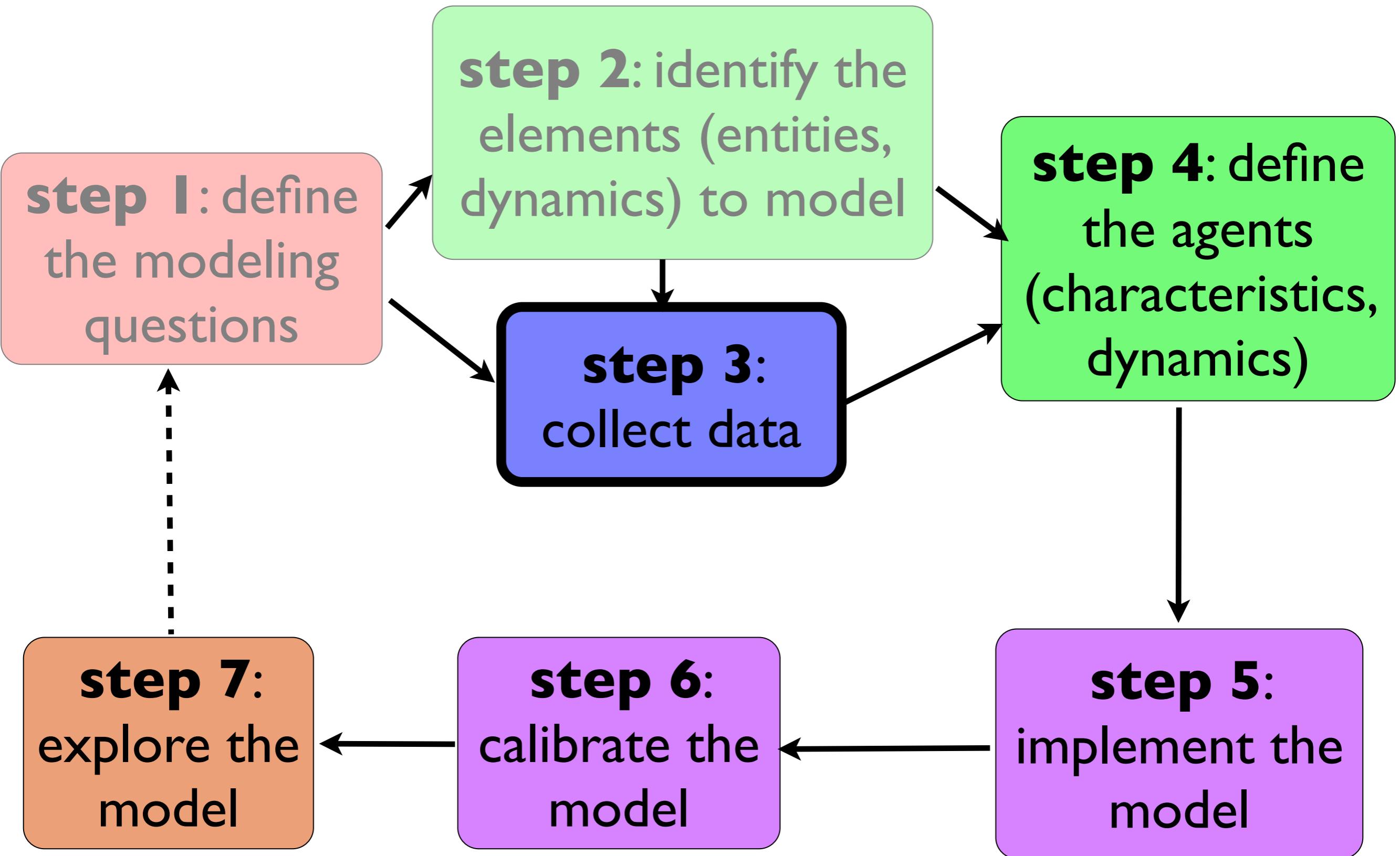
- Several days

► Dynamic to take into account:

- Movement of people
- Disease spreading

► Elements to take into account:

- The people
- The buildings (where they are carrying out activities)
- The roads used for moving



Step 3: data collection

► Data available:

- Shapefile of the roads

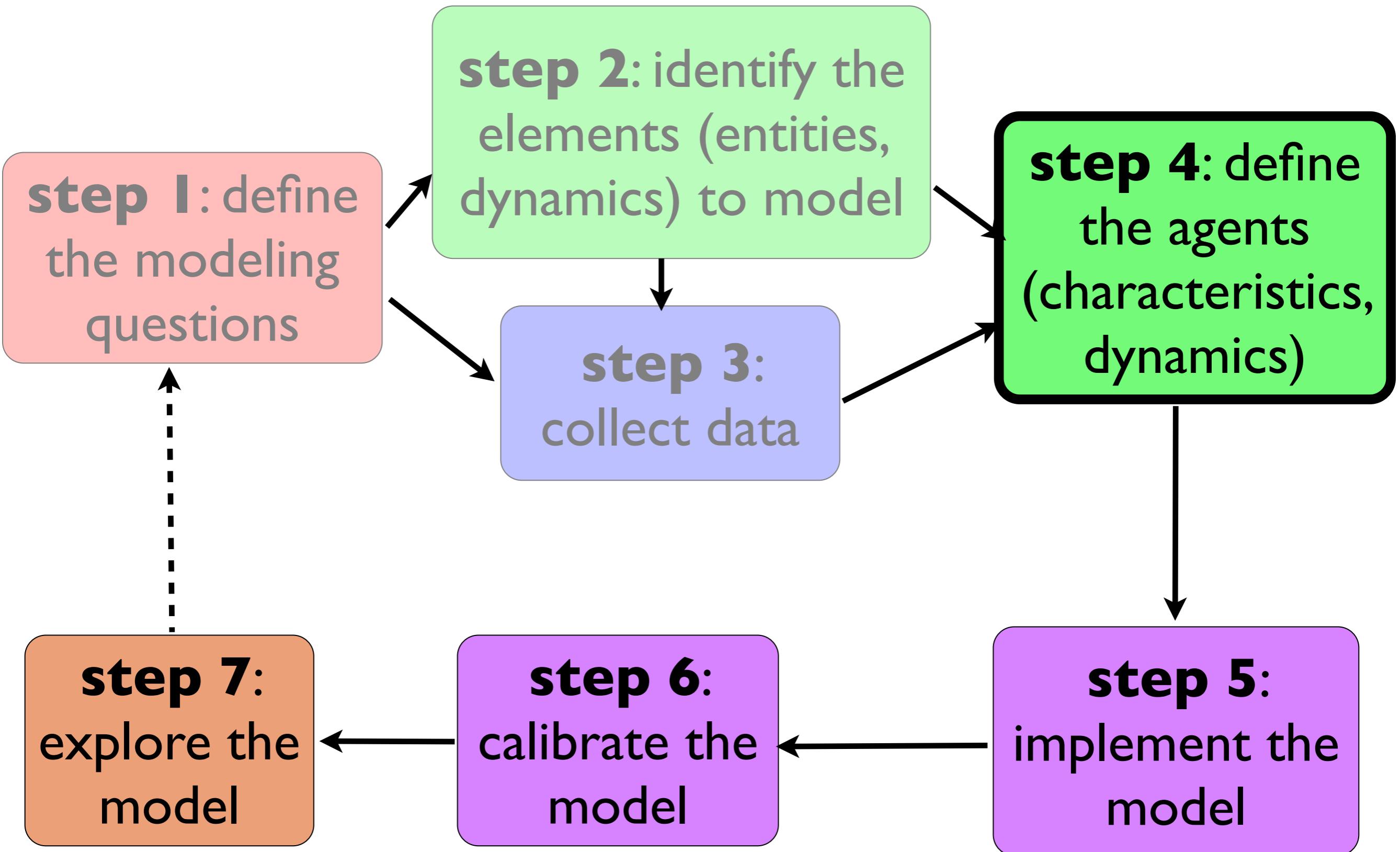


- Shapefile of the buildings



- Number of inhabitants of the Olppetto: 300
- Each inhabitant of the city has at least one friend (type of social network: scale free)
- Mean speed of the inhabitants (while moving on the road) : 5 km/h
- The disease - non lethal - is spreading (by air) from people to people
- Time to cure the disease: more than 100 days
- Infection distance: 2 meters
- Infection probability (when two people are at infection distance) : 0.05/minute

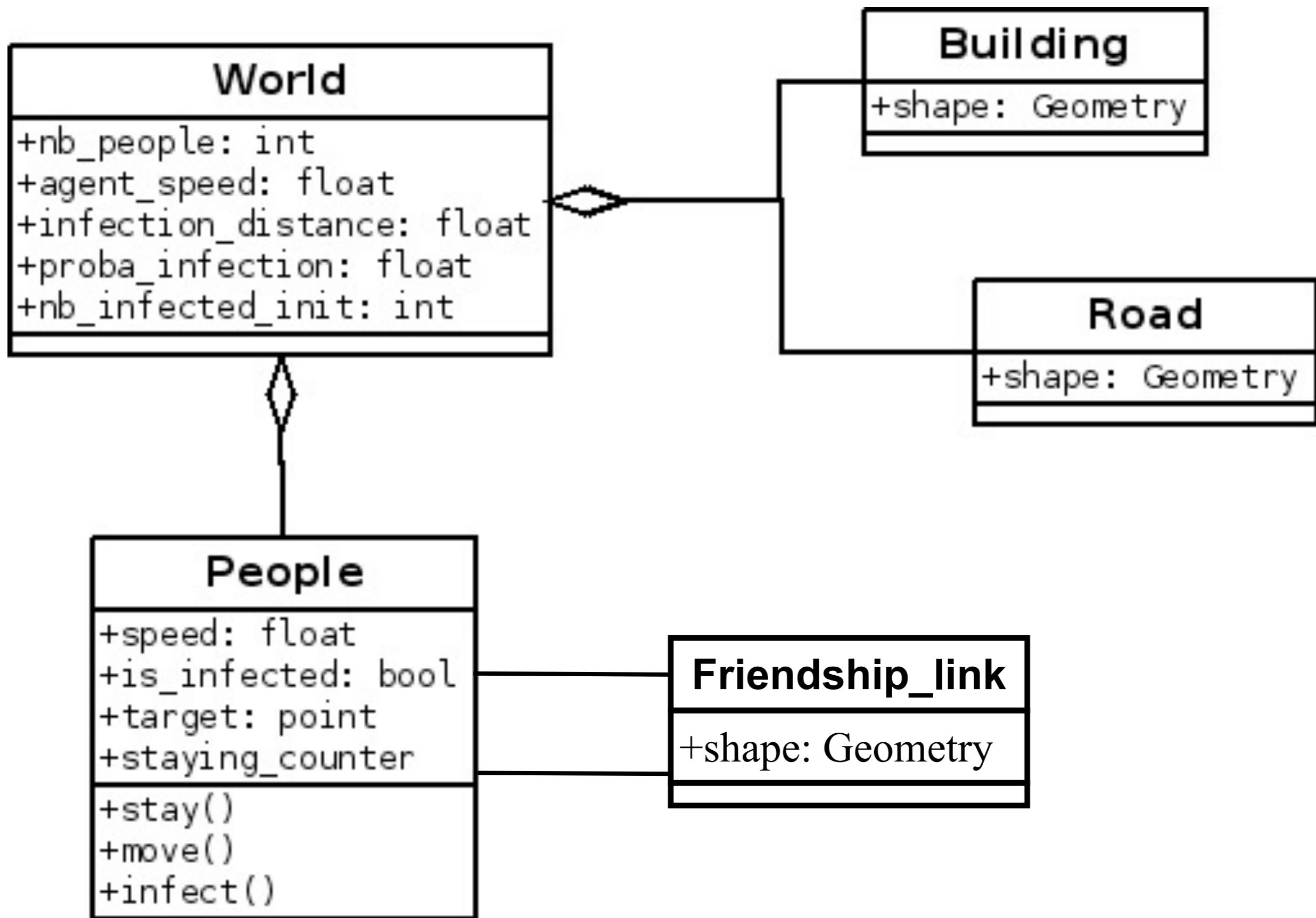
Modeling steps



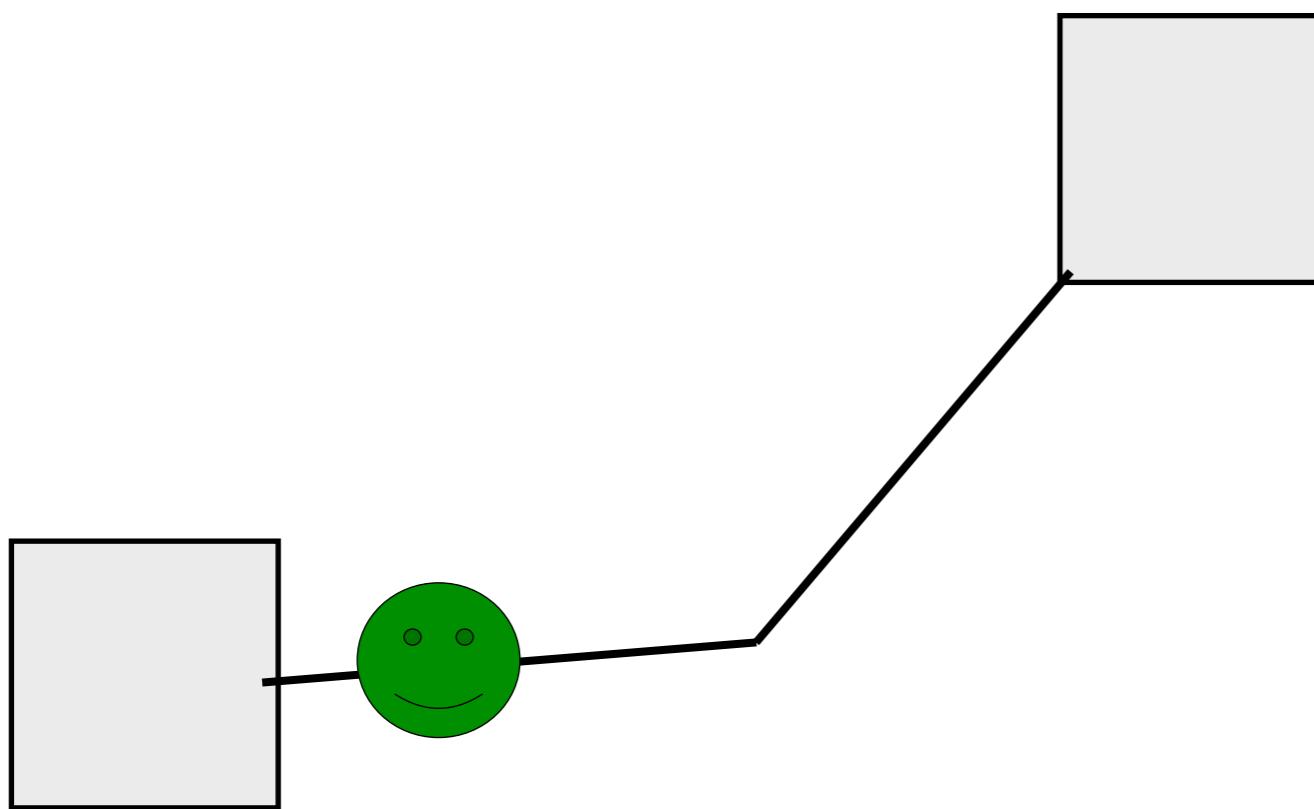
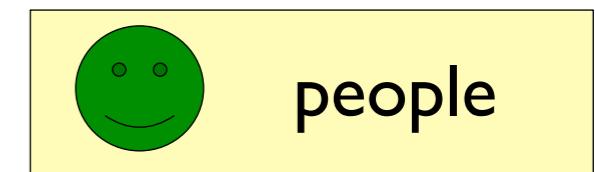
Step 4: Modeling choice

► Modeling choices:

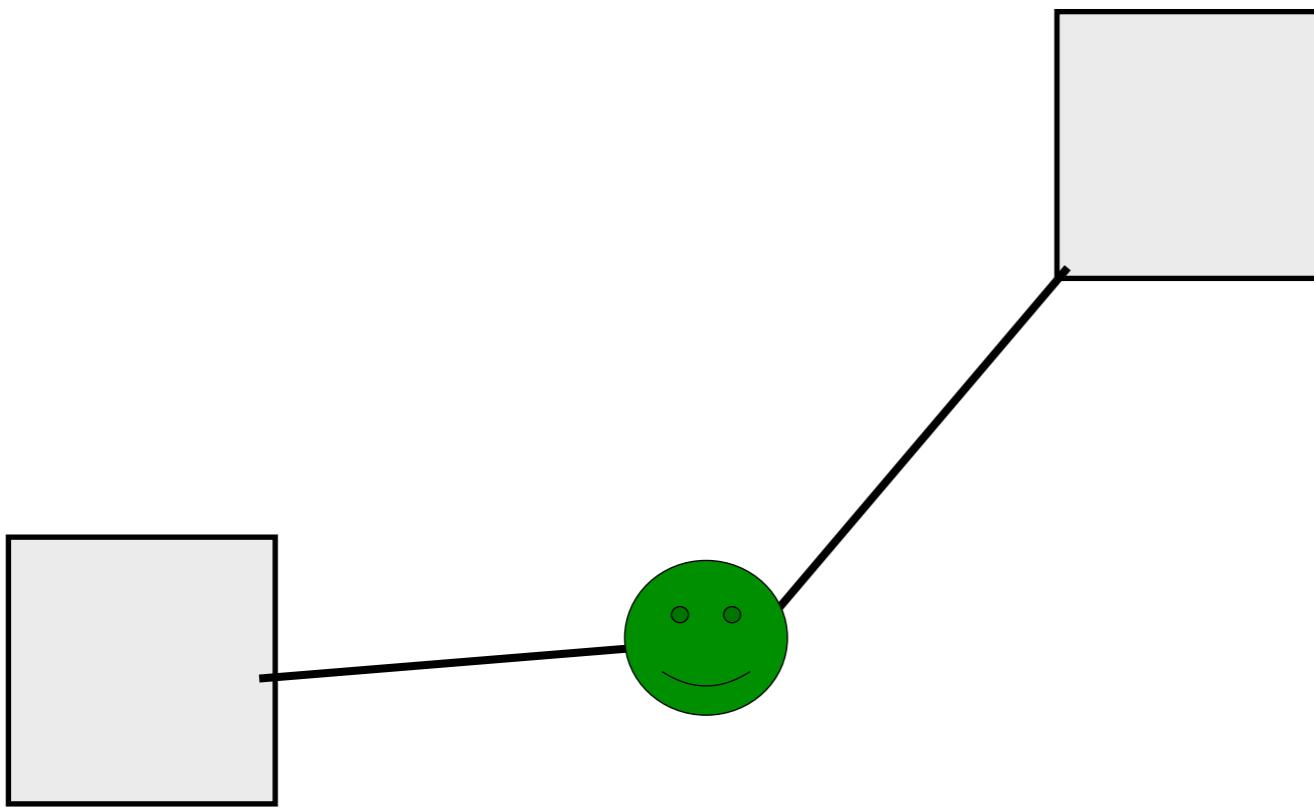
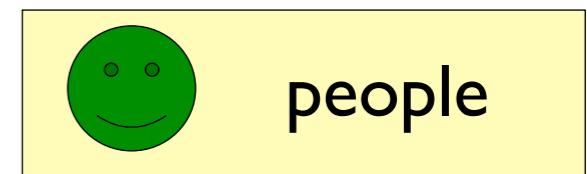
- Simulation step: 1 minute
- People are moving on the roads from building to building,
- Most of time people are moving to meet their friend (i.e. moving toward the building that is the closest to their friend), but not always
- People use the shortest path to move between buildings
- All people have the same speed and move at constant speed
- Each time, people arrived at a building they are staying a certain time
- The staying time depends on the current hour (lower at 9h - go to work - at 12h go to lunch - at 18h - go back home)
- Infected people are never cured



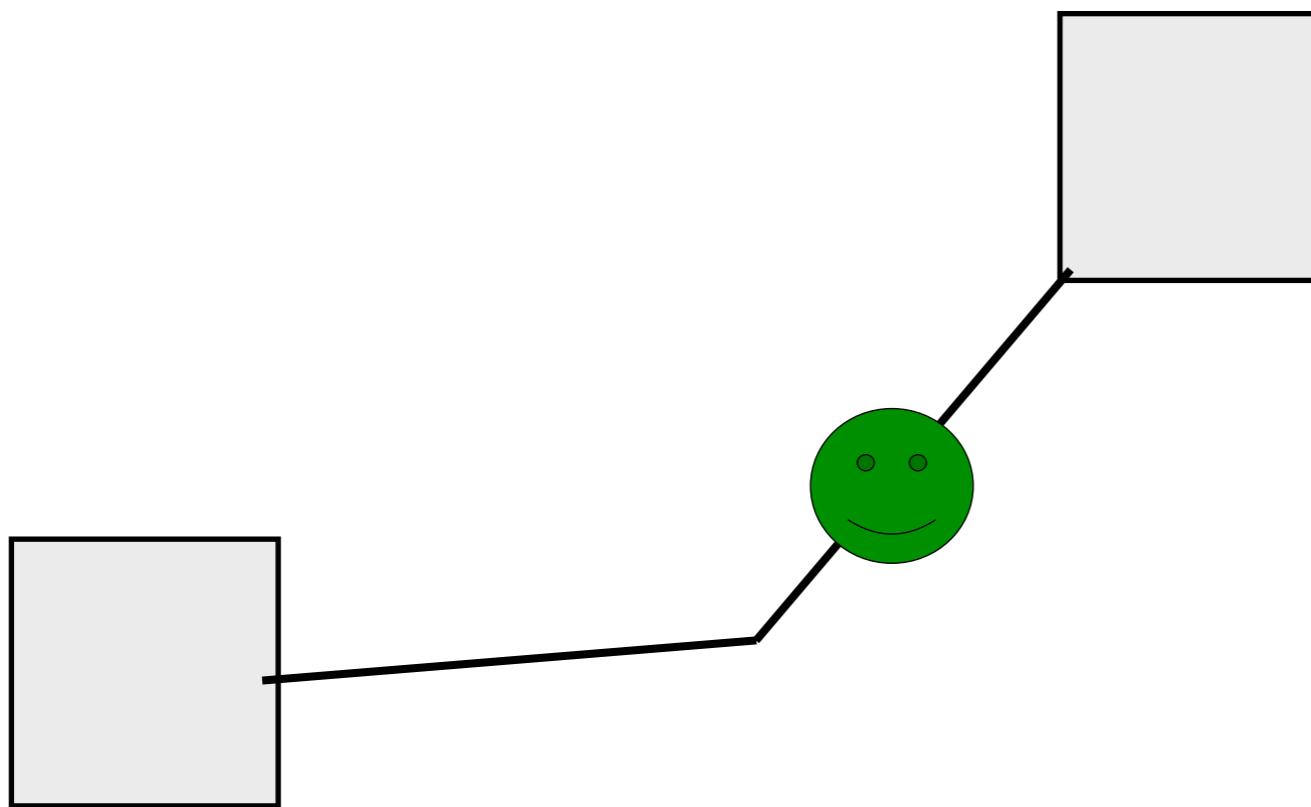
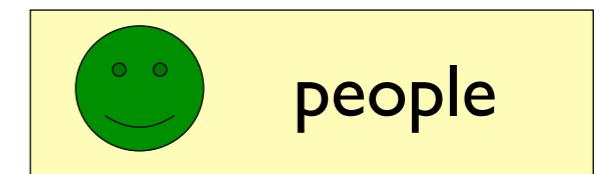
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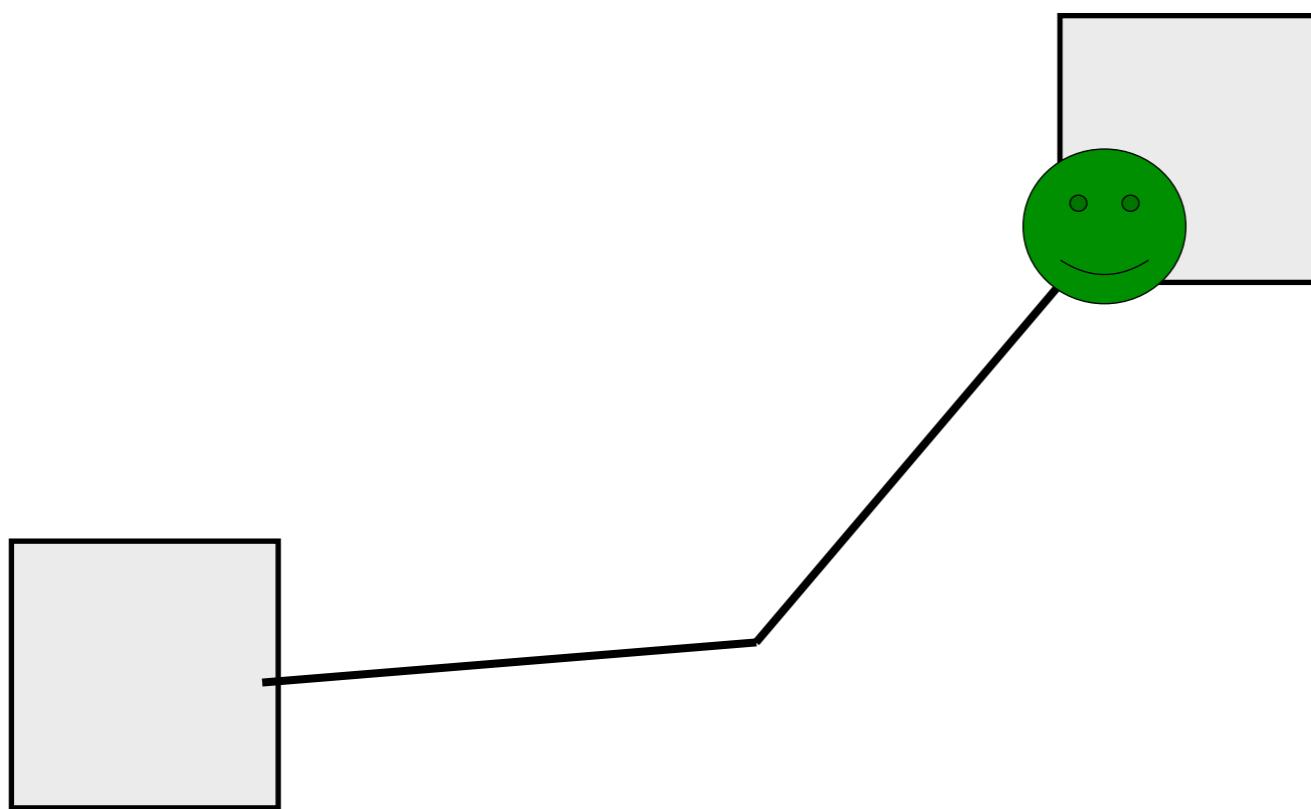
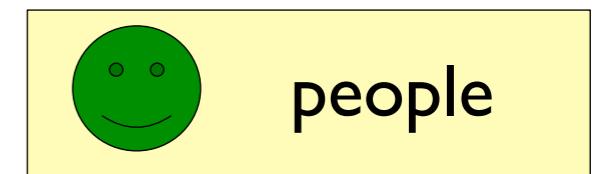
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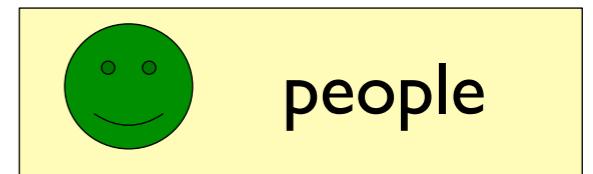
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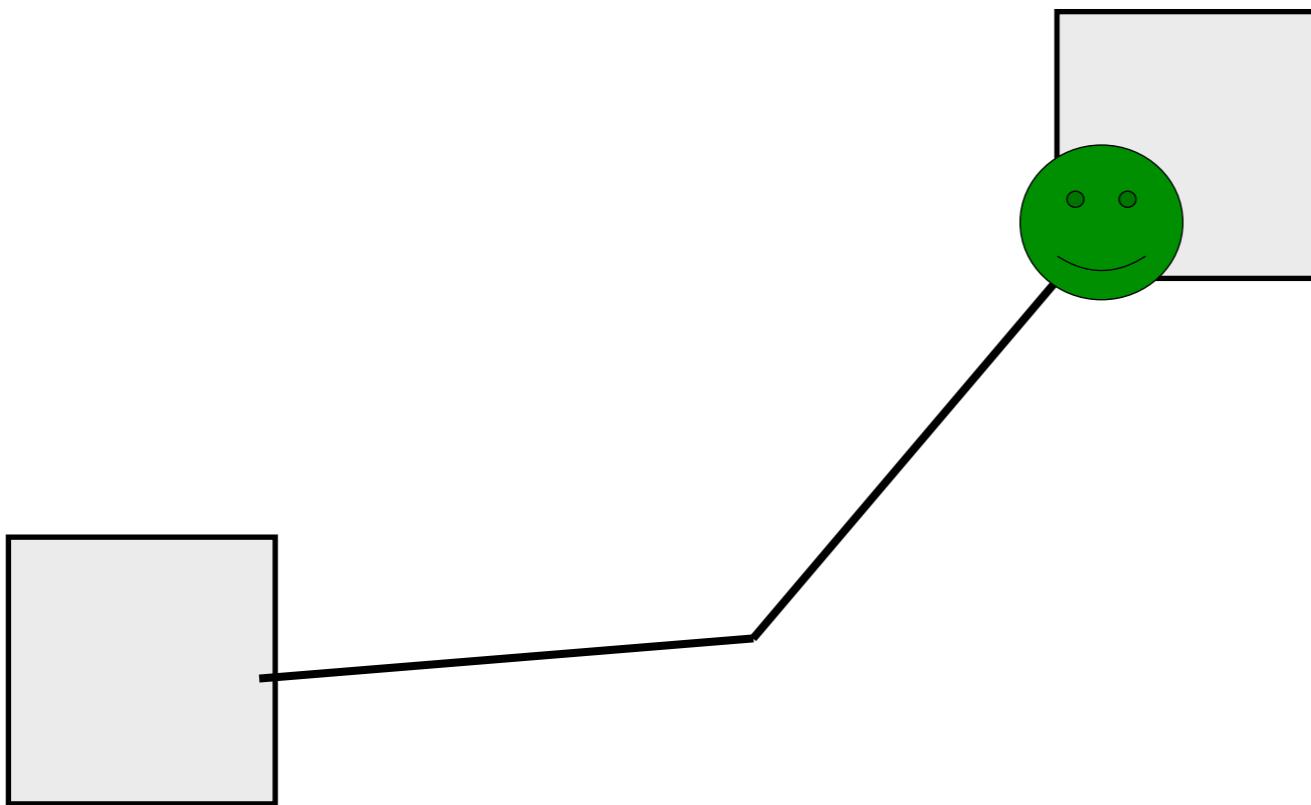


Moving dynamic



Stay for a certain time: at each simulation step, probability to leave:
staying_counter / staying_coeff

with *staying_coeff* depending on the current hour of the day

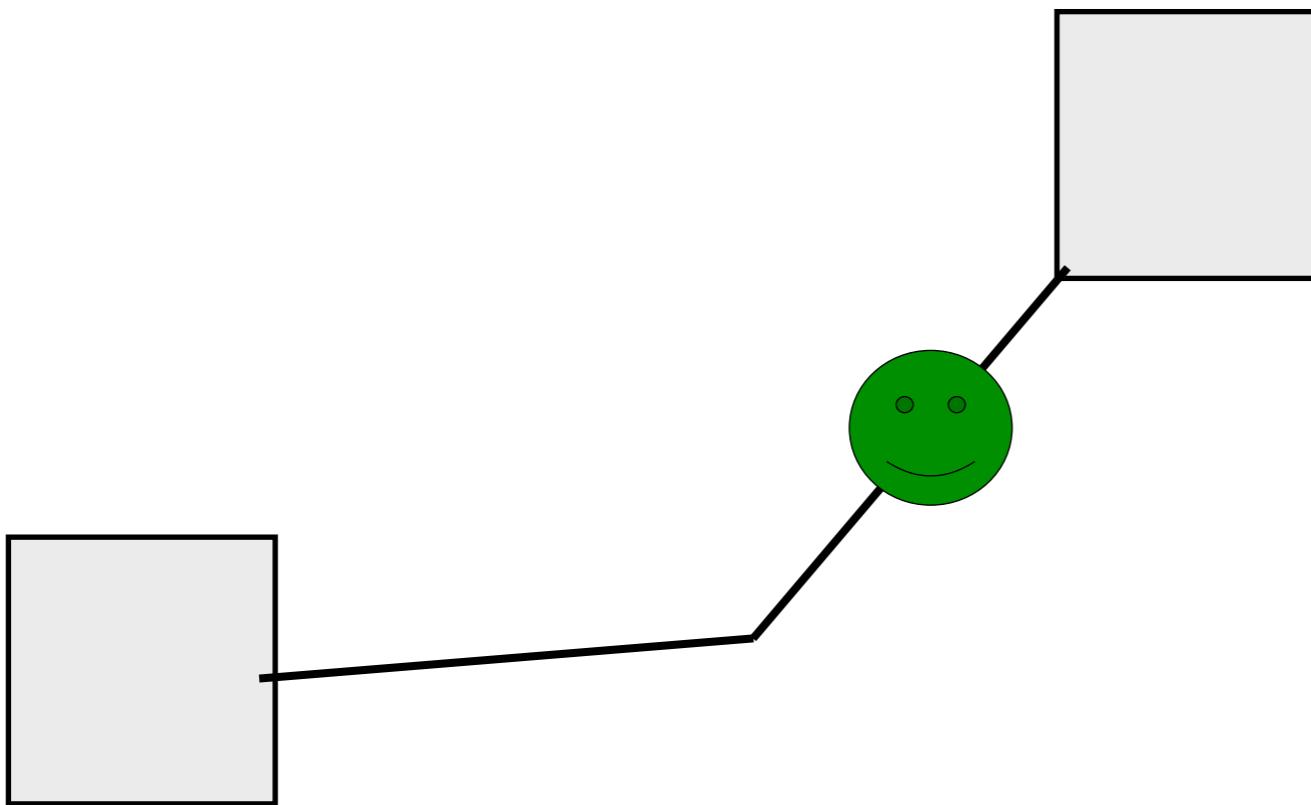


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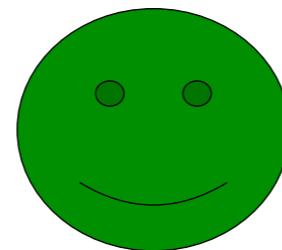
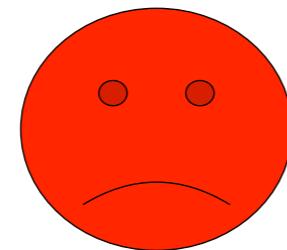
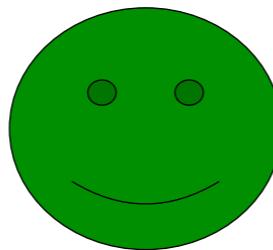
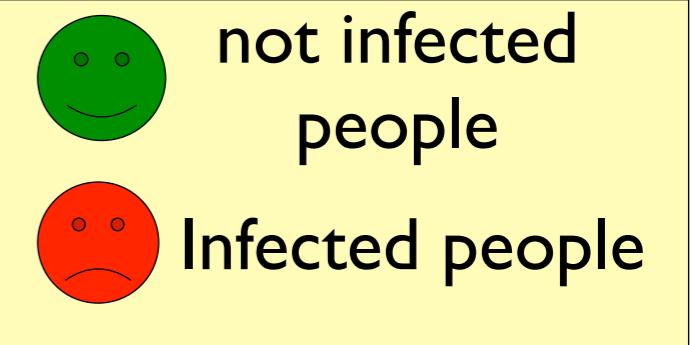


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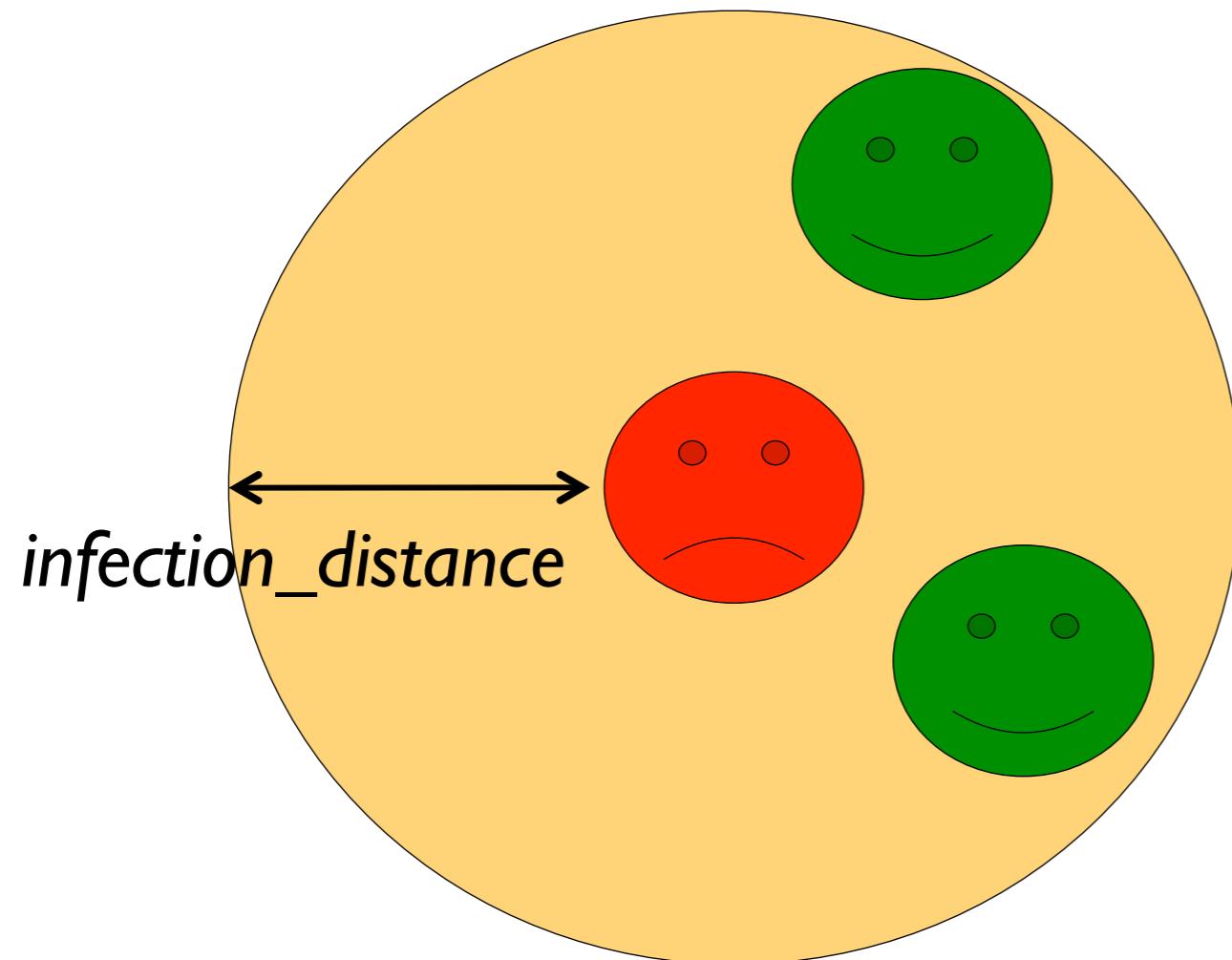
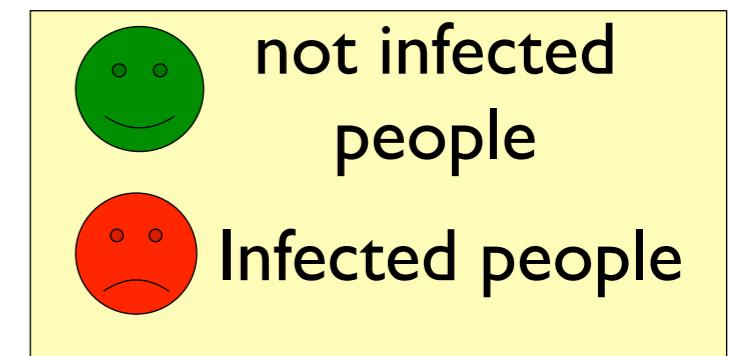
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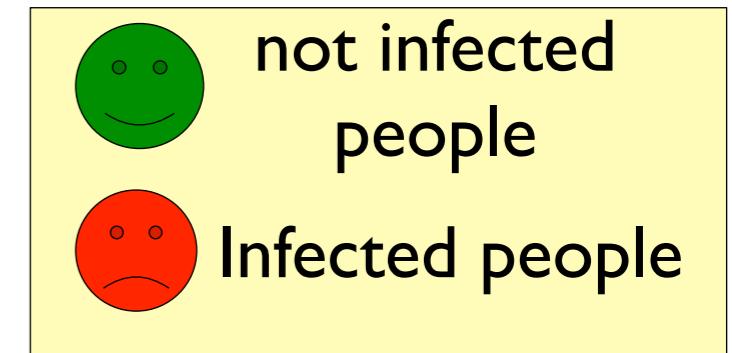
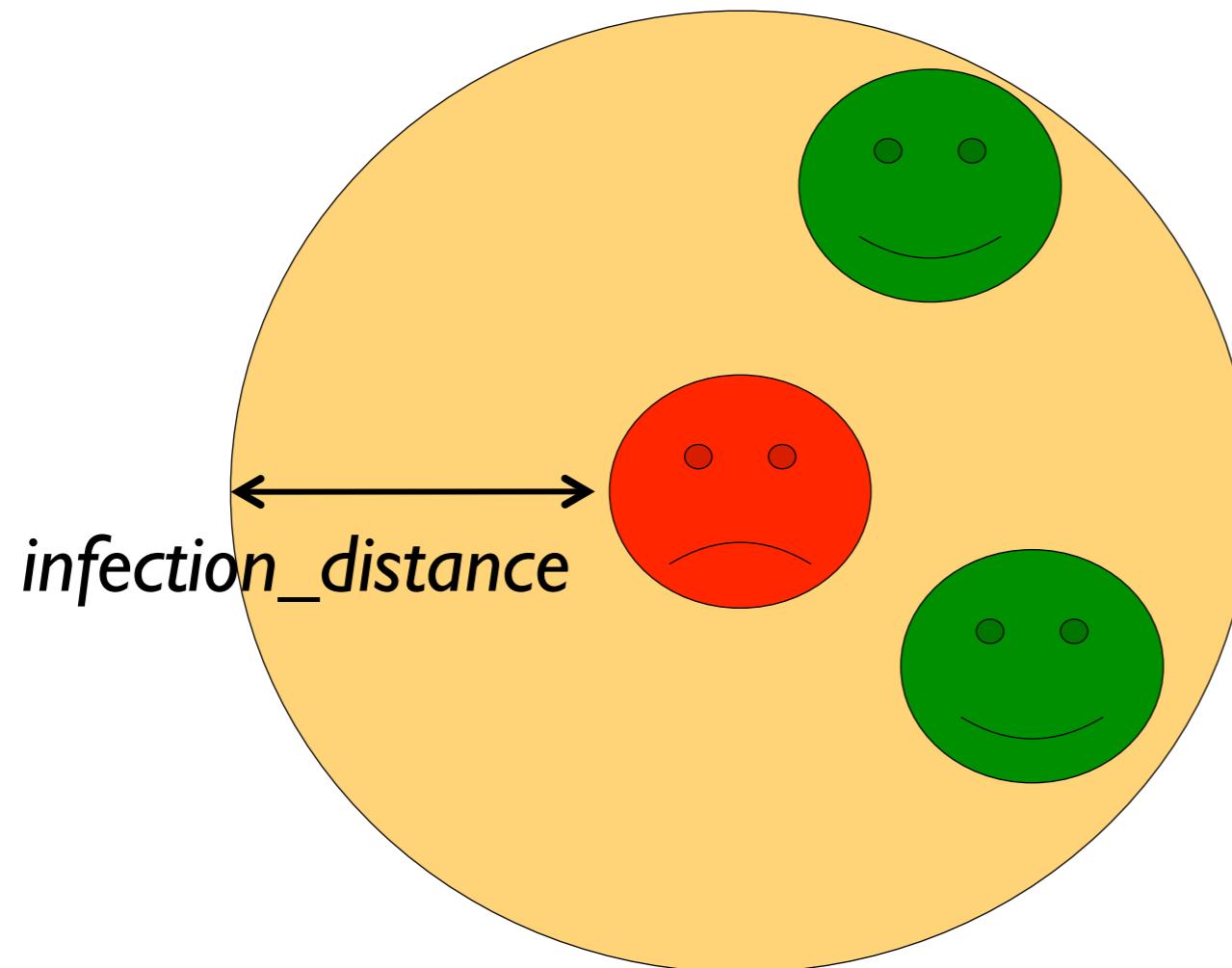
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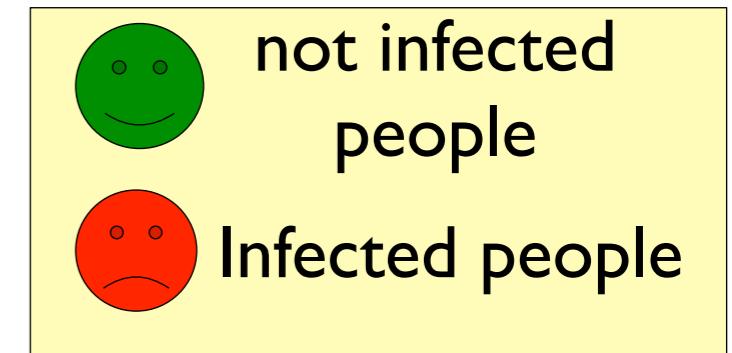
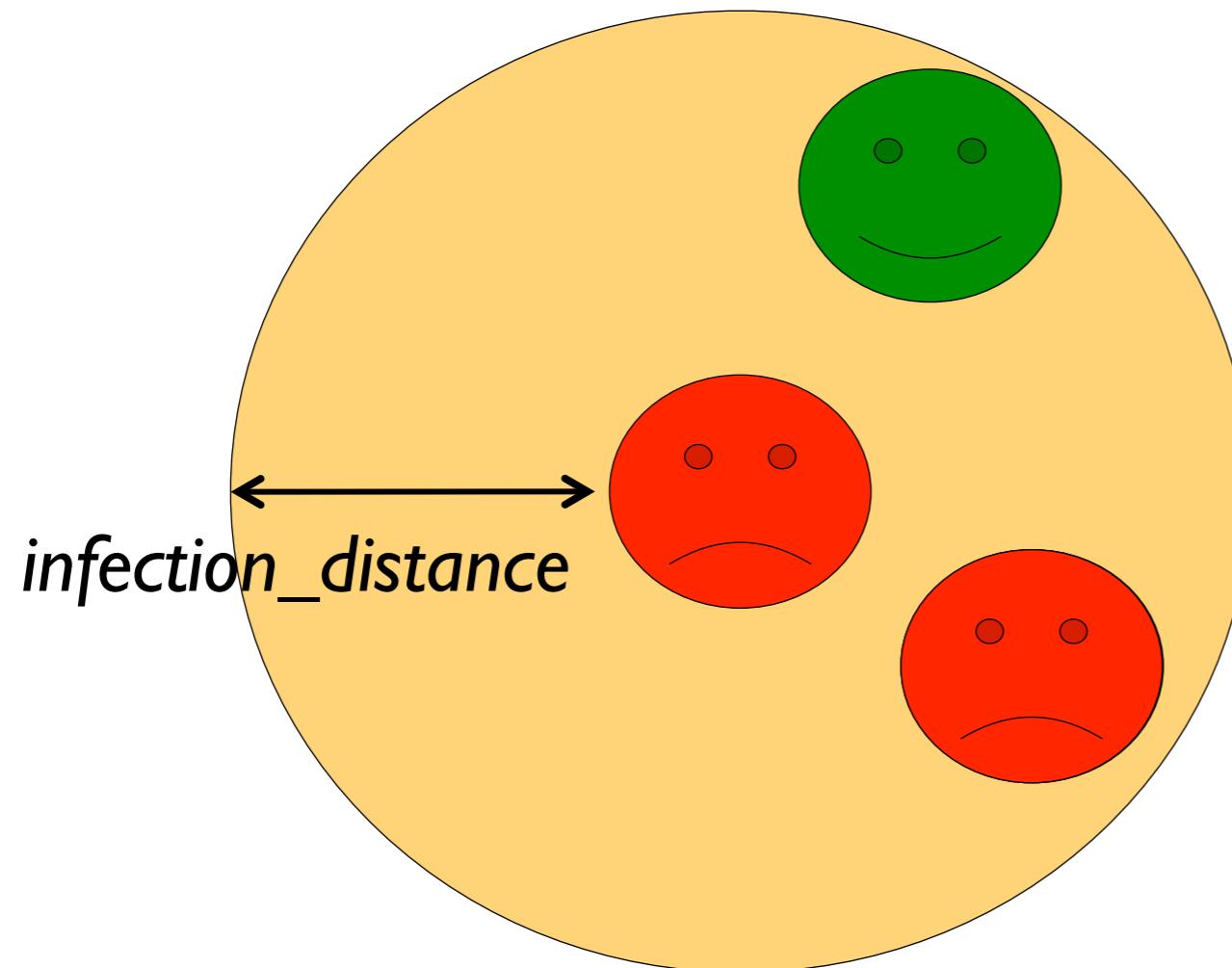


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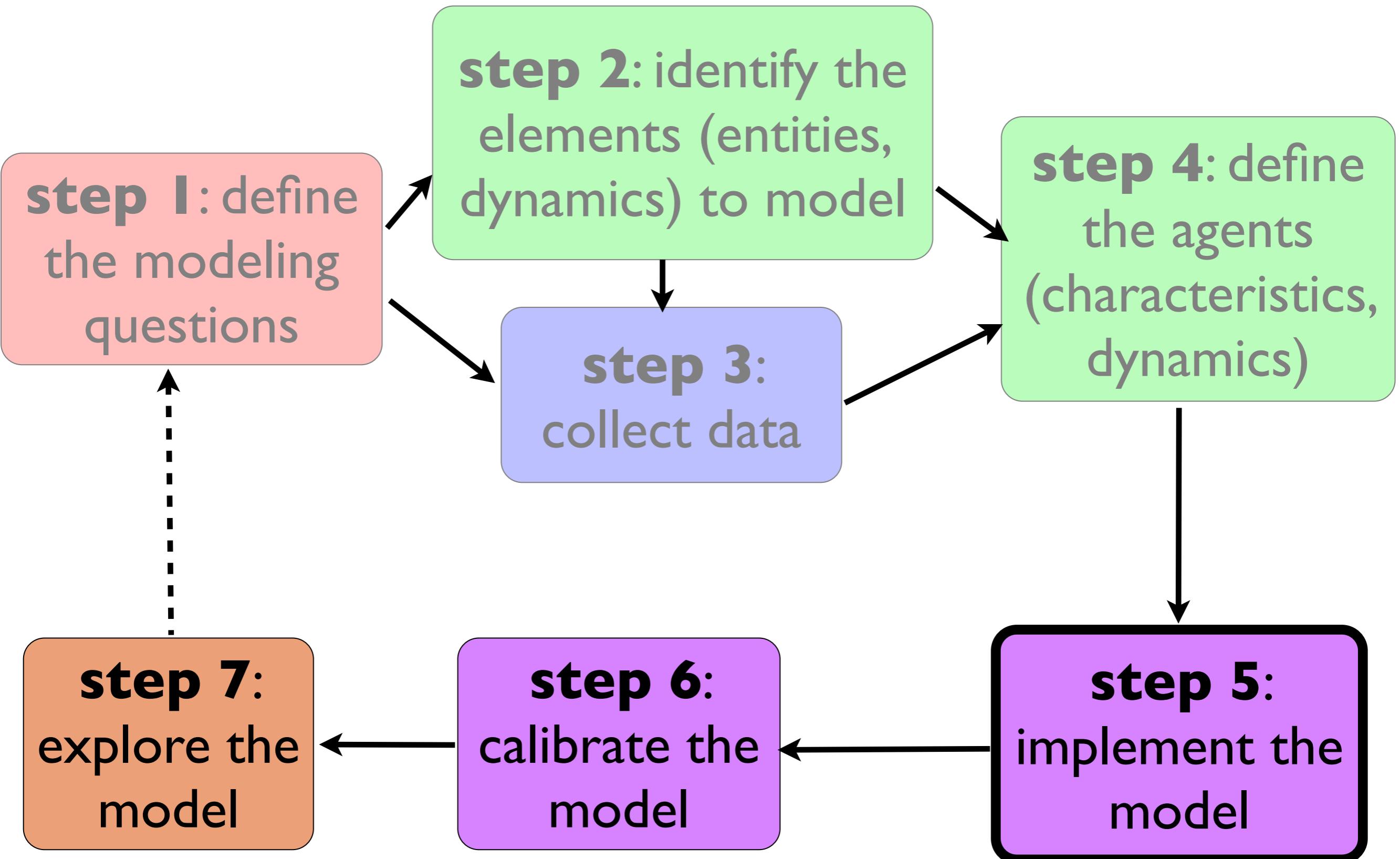
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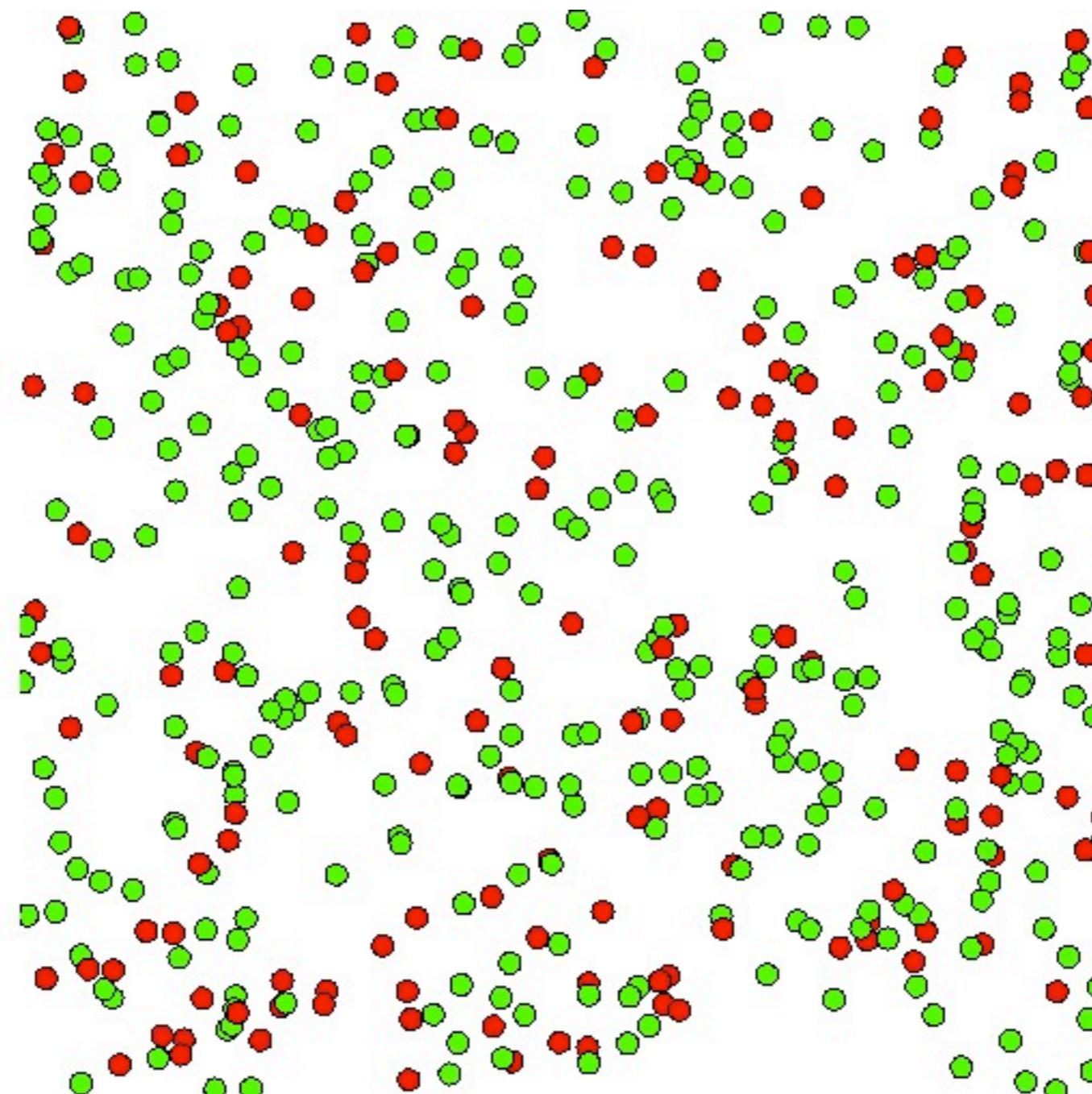


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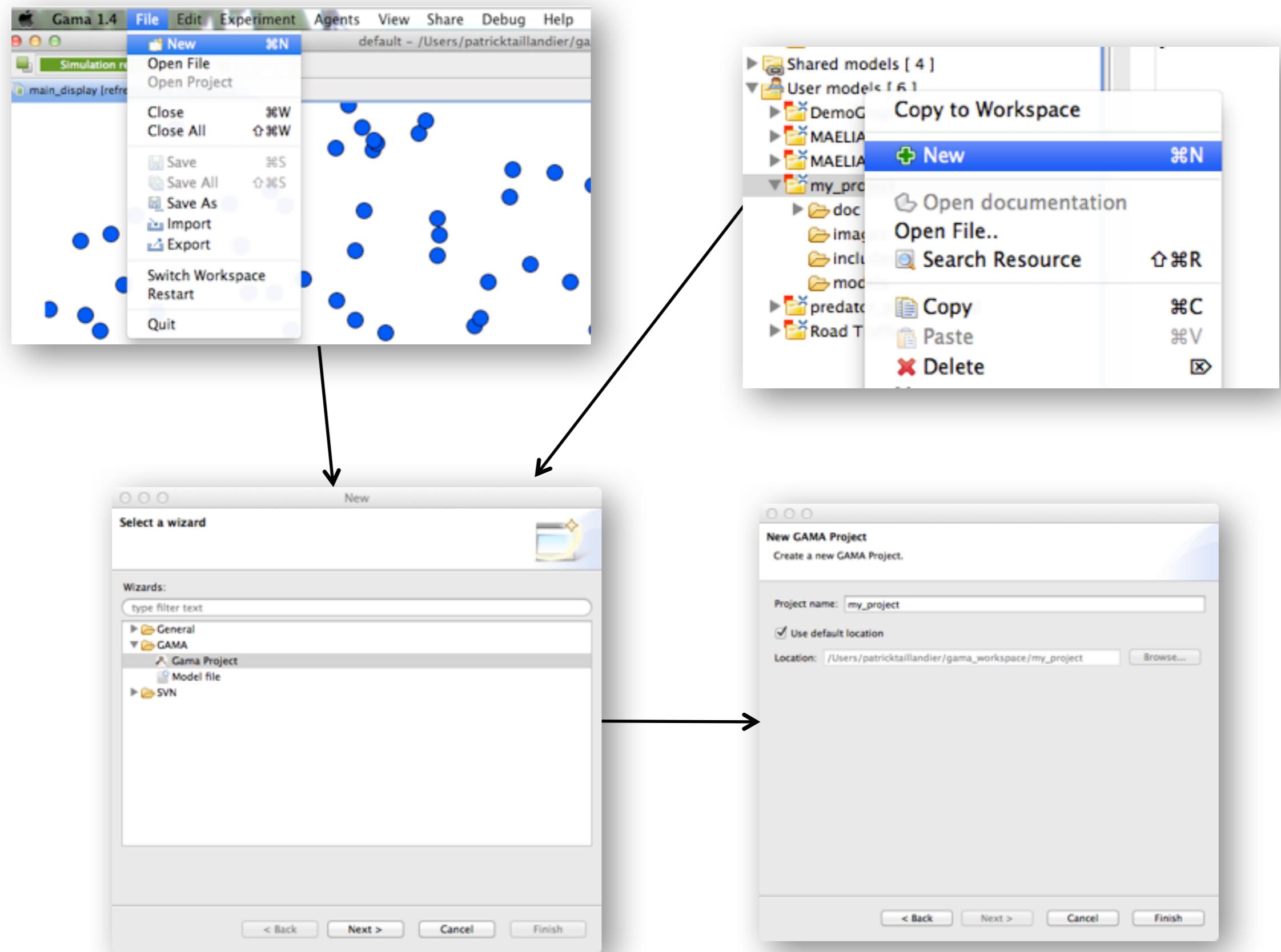
Modeling steps



Definition of the structure of the model and of the basic behaviors of the people agents

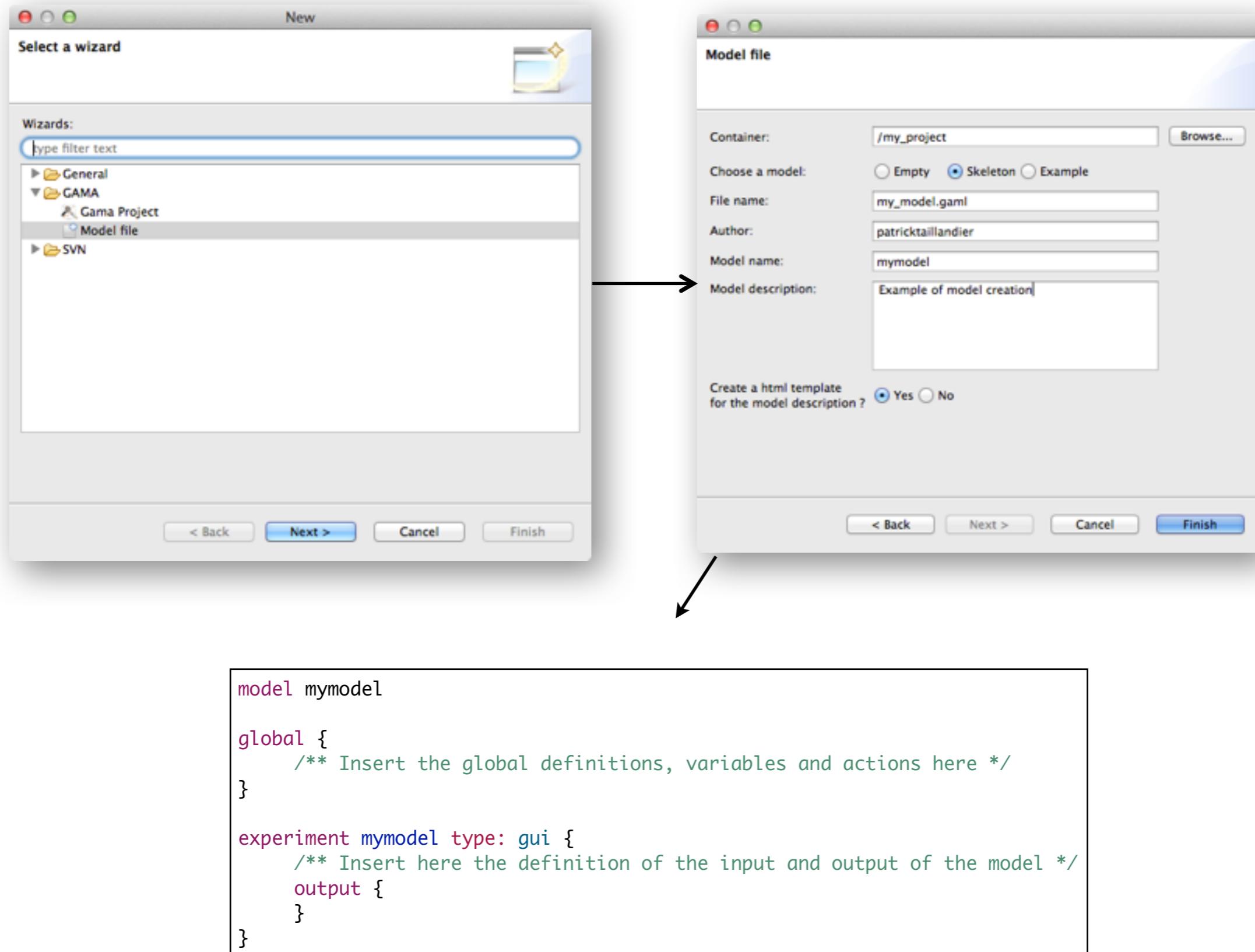


Creation of a new project



Creation of a new model

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❖ 3 types of sections:

- **Global** : global variables, actions, dynamics and initialization.
- **Species and Grid**: agent species. Several species blocks can be defined.
- **Experiment** : simulation execution context, in particular inputs and outputs. Several experiment blocks can be defined.

```
model my_model

global {
    /** Insert the global definitions,
     * variables and actions here
    */
}

species my_species{
    /** Insert here the definition of the
     * species of agents
    */
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
    /** Insert here the definition of the
     * input and output of the model
    */
}
```

2 ways to write commentaries (texts that are not just part of the model but here for information purpose):

- //... : for one line. Example : //this is a commentary
- /* ... */ : can be used for several lines. Example : /* this is as well a commentary */

species and grid block: Species and Grid definition

- To define a species, 3 elements have to be defined :

- the internal state of the agents (attributes - variables)
- their behaviors (methods)
- their display (aspects)

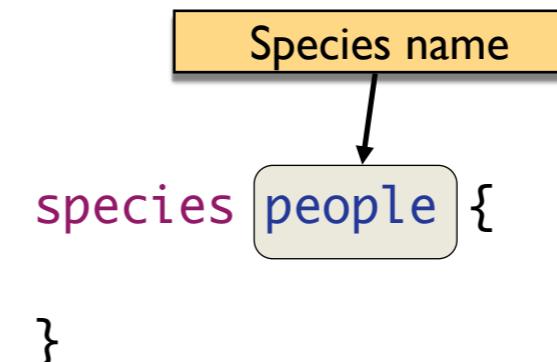
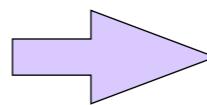
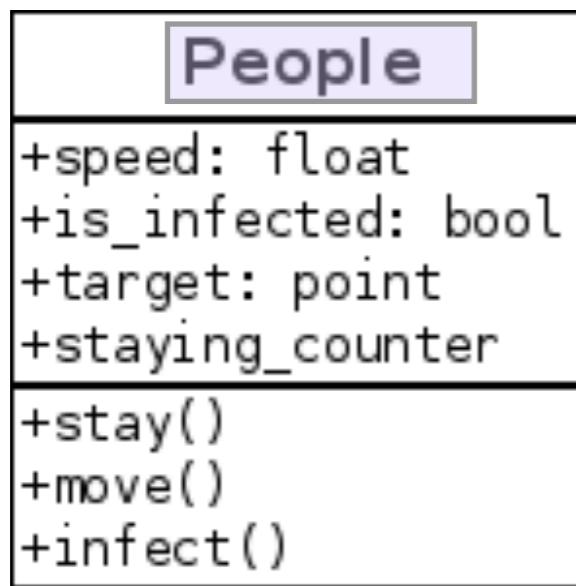
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}

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```

Model : People species



- An agent can have *skills*
- Un *skill* is a module integrating variables and actions coded in Java

```
species people skills: [moving]{  
}  
}  
  
list of skills given to  
the agents
```

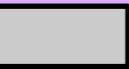
The *people* agents will have some supplementary variables (*speed*, *heading*, *destination*) and actions (*follow*, *goto*, *move*, *wander*)

❖ Variable definition : **variable type** + nom

- **type**: int, float, string, bool (boolean, can be either *true* or *false*), point, list, pair, map, file, matrix, agent species, rgb (Red, Green, Blue - color), graph, path...
- Optional attributes:
 - **<-** : initial value,
 - **update** : value computed at each simulation step
 - **function or -> + {..}** : value computed each time the variable is called
 - **min** : min value
 - **max** : max value

❖ GAMA allows to define **local variables**, i.e. variables that just exist inside a block. These variables are deleted from the computer memory at the end of the block : **variable type** + nom **<- init_value;**

All GAMA agents are provided with some built-in variables :

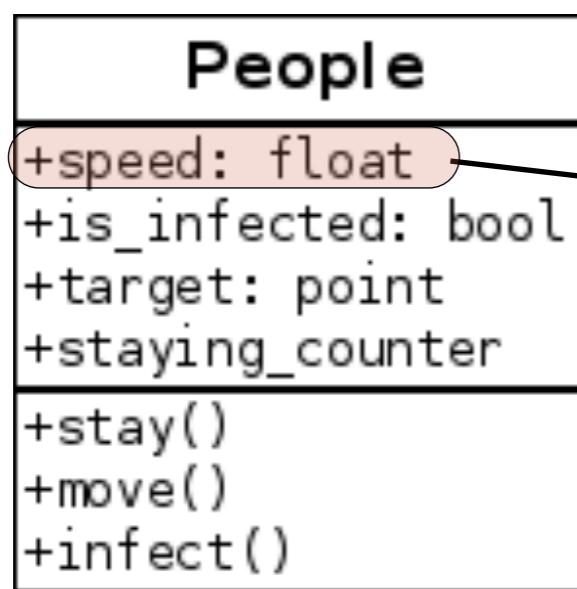
- **name** (string)
- **shape** (geometry) 
- **location** (point) : centroid of its shape

Model : People attributes

People
+speed: float
+is_infected: bool
+target: point
+staying_counter
+stay()
+move()
+infect()

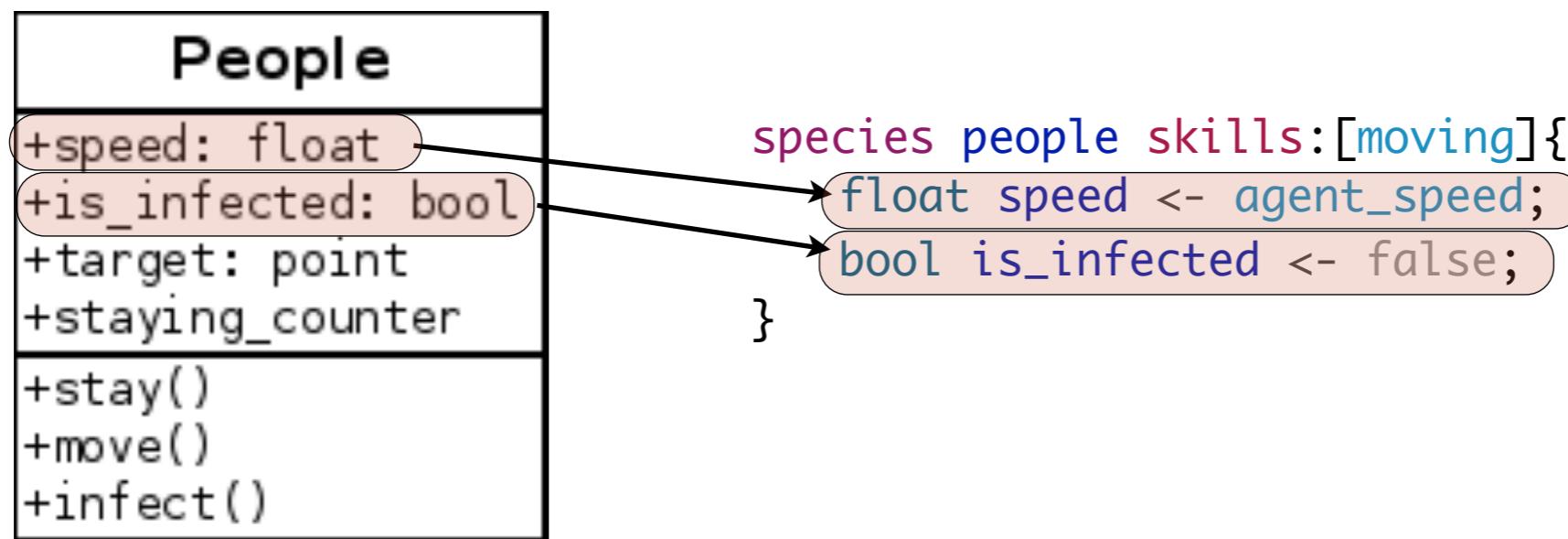
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species people skills:[moving]{  
    float speed <- agent_speed;  
    bool is_infected <- false;  
}
```

Model : People attributes



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- ❖ The **when** facet is optional: if this facet is not defined, the reflex is executed at each simulation step.

Model : People Reflex

```
species people skills:[moving]{
    //variable definition
    reflex move{
        do wander;
    }
    reflex infect when: is_infected{
        ask people at_distance infection_distance {
            if flip(proba_infection) {
                is_infected <- true;
            }
        }
    }
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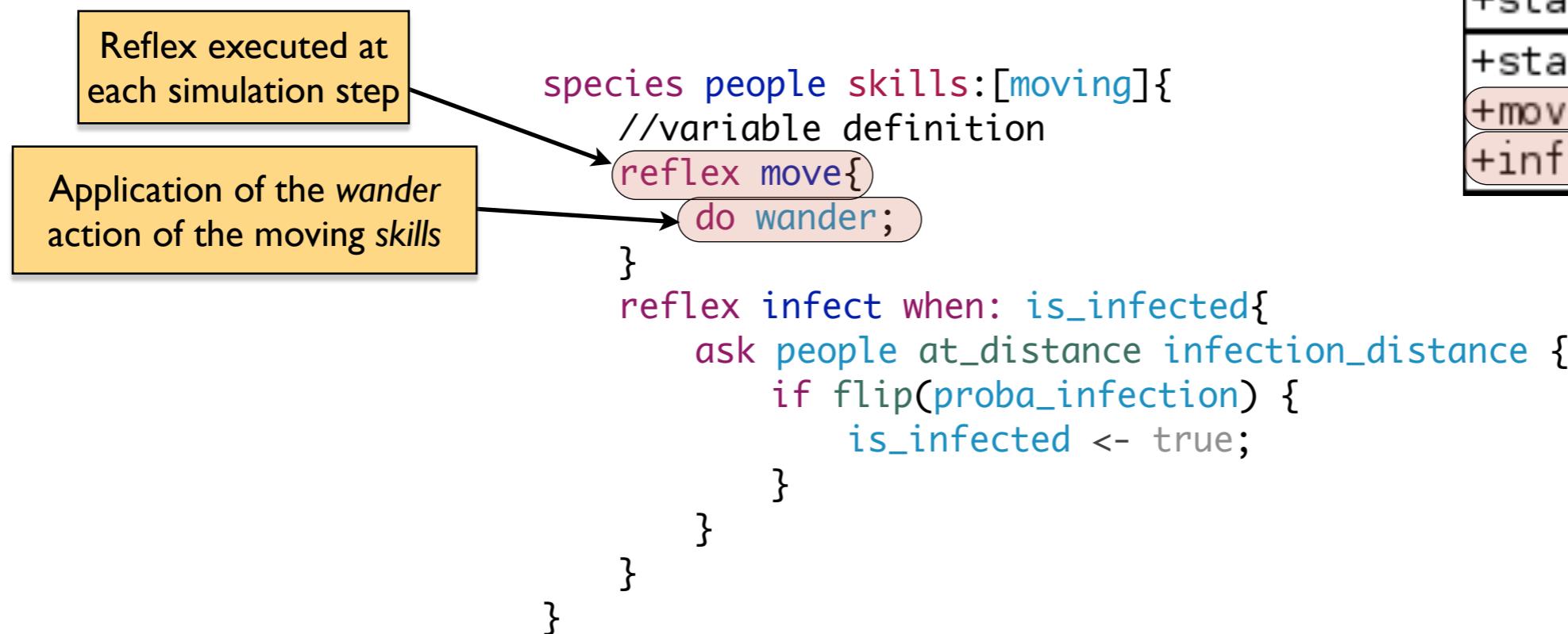
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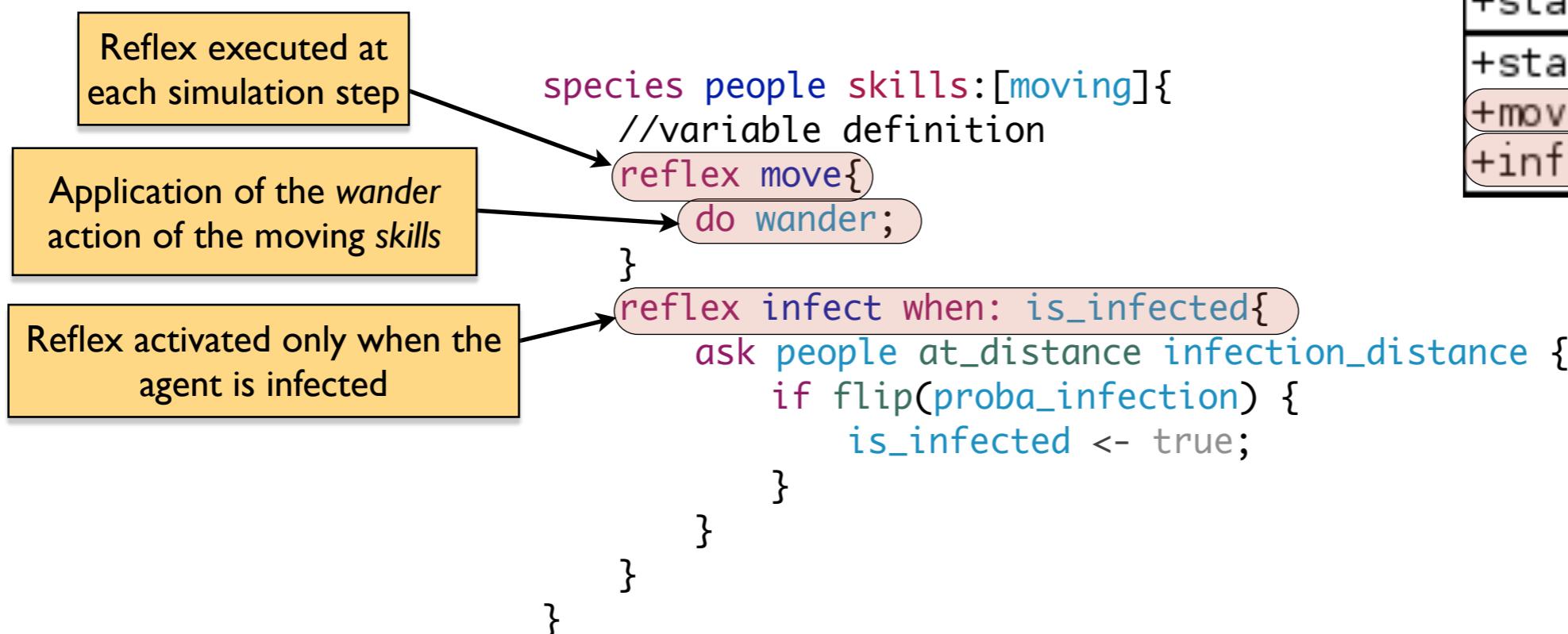
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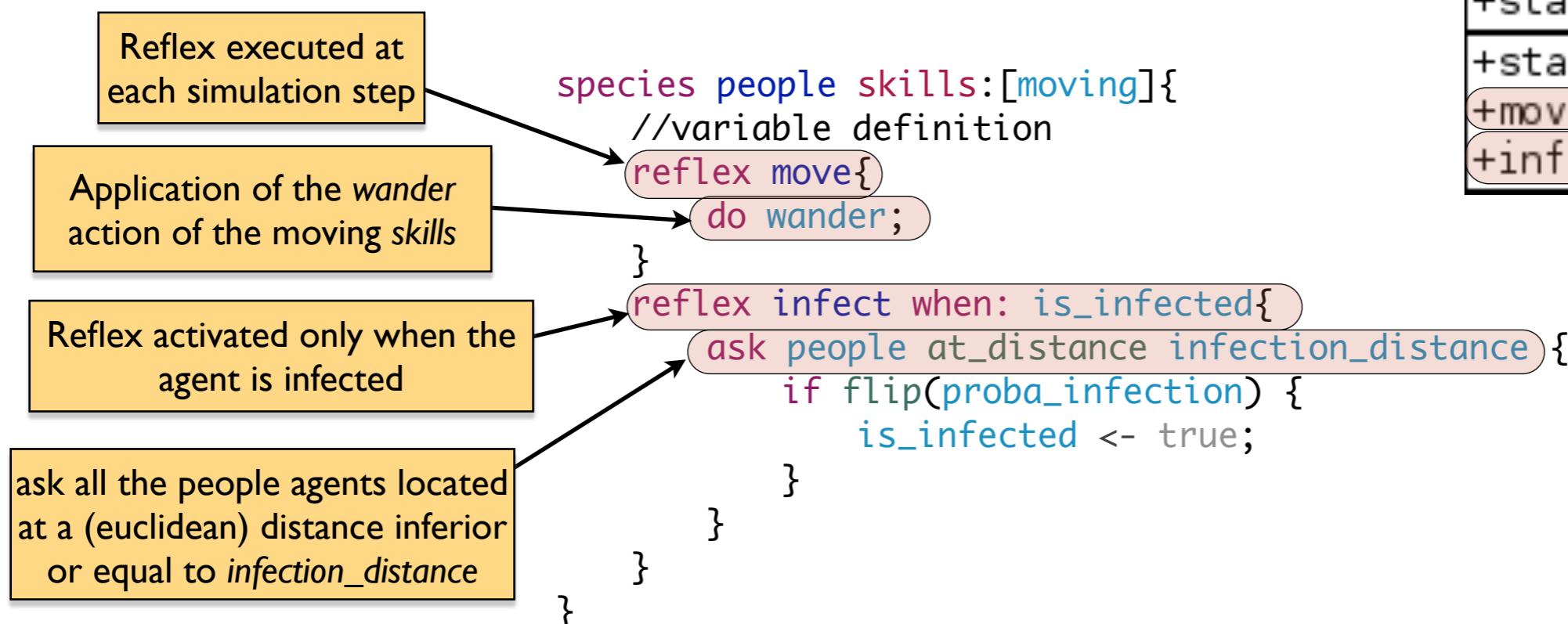
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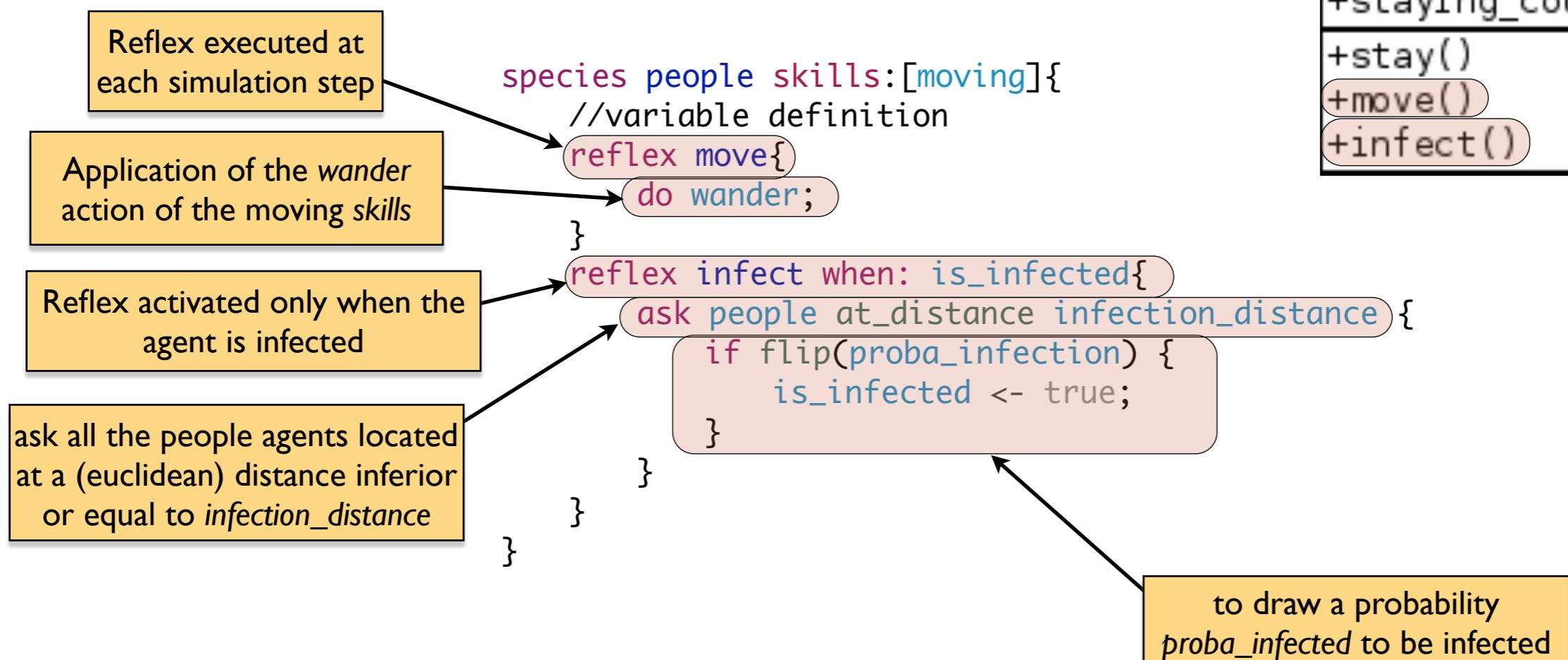
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species block: Species definition - aspect

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- an image: for example, an icon
- a text

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```

Model : aspect circle of the people agents

```
species people {
    ...//variable and reflex definition

    aspect circle {
        draw circle(5) color:is_infected ? #red : #green;
    }
}
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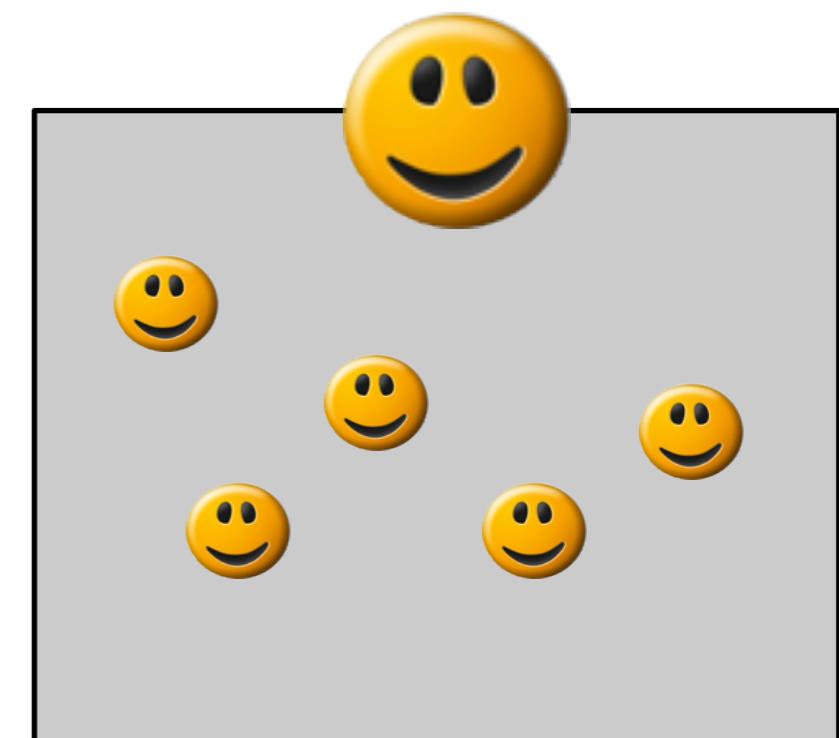
This aspect allow to display each people agent as a red or green (depending on *is_infected*) circle of radius 5m

global block

❖ Global block

- Define a specific agent (called *world*)
- Represent all that is global to the model: variables, actions, reflexes....
- Initialize the simulation (*init* block): when the experiment button is pushed, the world agent is created and then activates its *init* block
- The geometry of the world agent (*shape*) is a rectangle that define the size of the environment in which all the agents are localized. By default the shape of the world agent is a square of 100m size
- Define the nature of the environment: torus or not (by default, not torus)

```
model my_model
  global {
  }
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui {
```



global block

Model :World attributes

```
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```

World

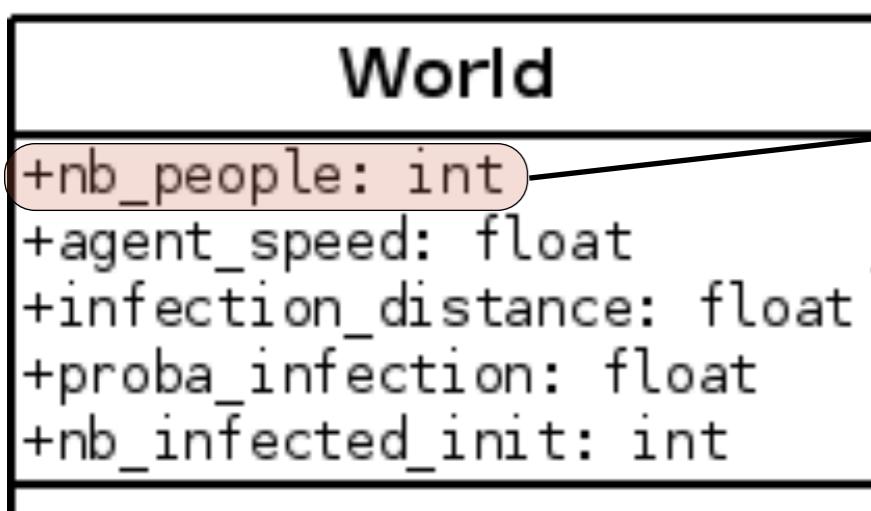
```
+nb_people: int
+agent_speed: float
+infection_distance: float
+proba_infection: float
+nb_infected_init: int
```

```
global {
  int nb_people <- 300;
  float agent_speed <- 5.0 #km/#h;
  float infection_distance <- 2.0 #m;
  float proba_infection <- 0.05;
  int nb_infected_init <- 5;
  float step <- 1 #minutes;
  geometry shape<-square(500 #m);
}
```

The symbol # allows also to
precise the unity of a value

Model :World attributes

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}
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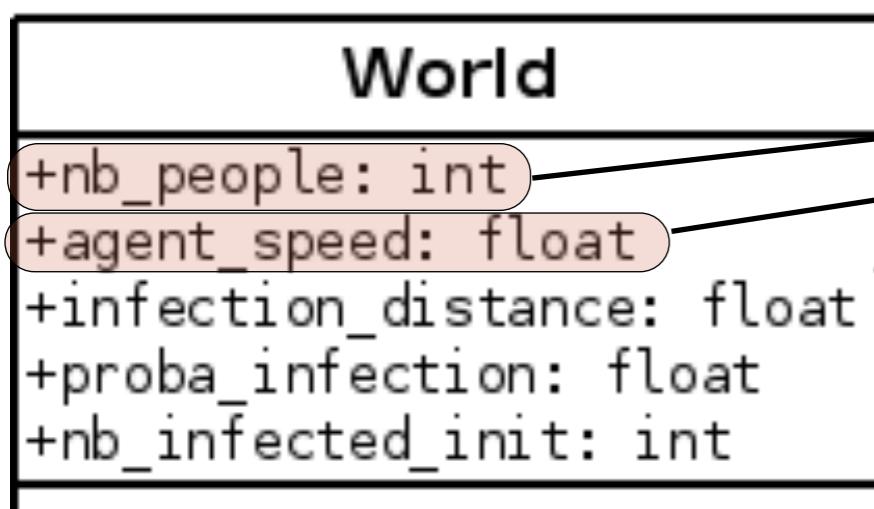


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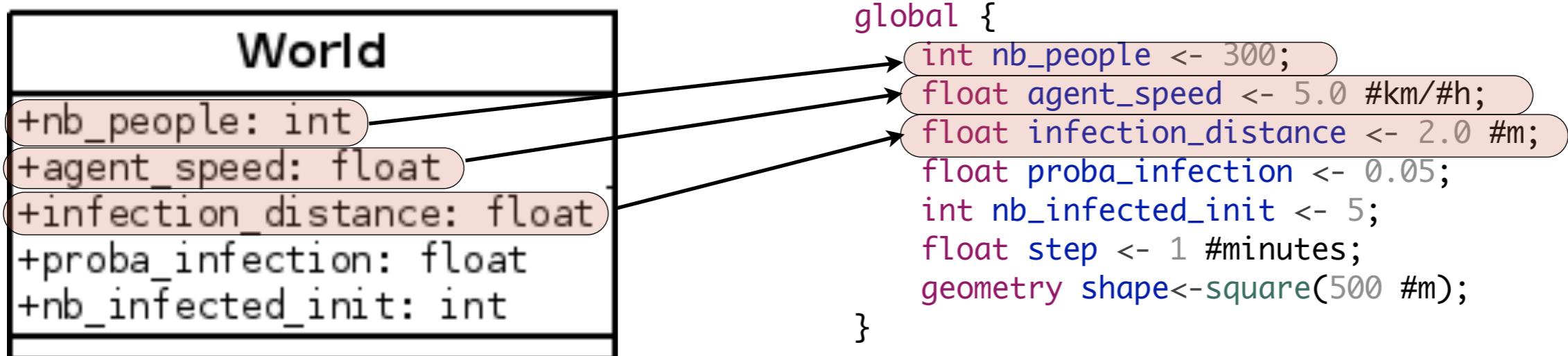


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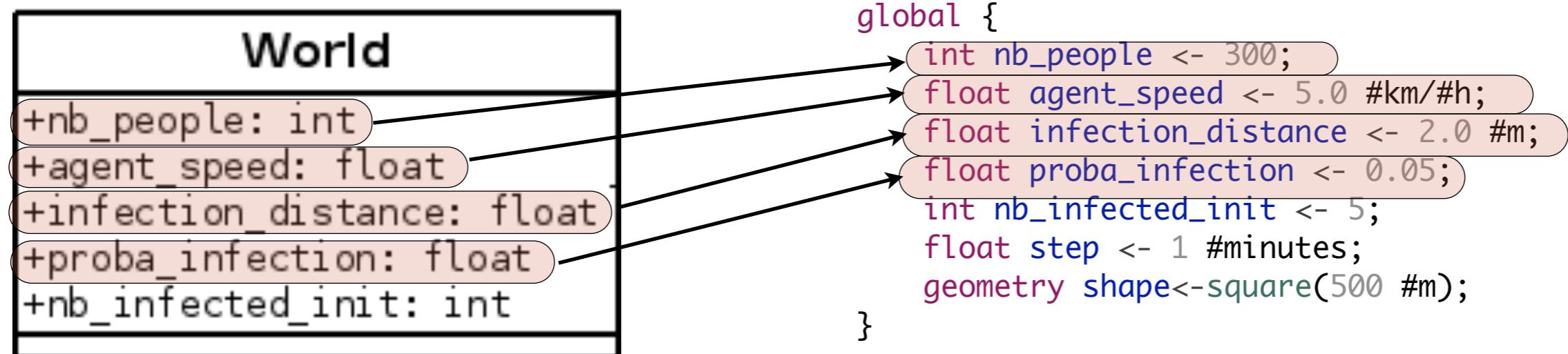
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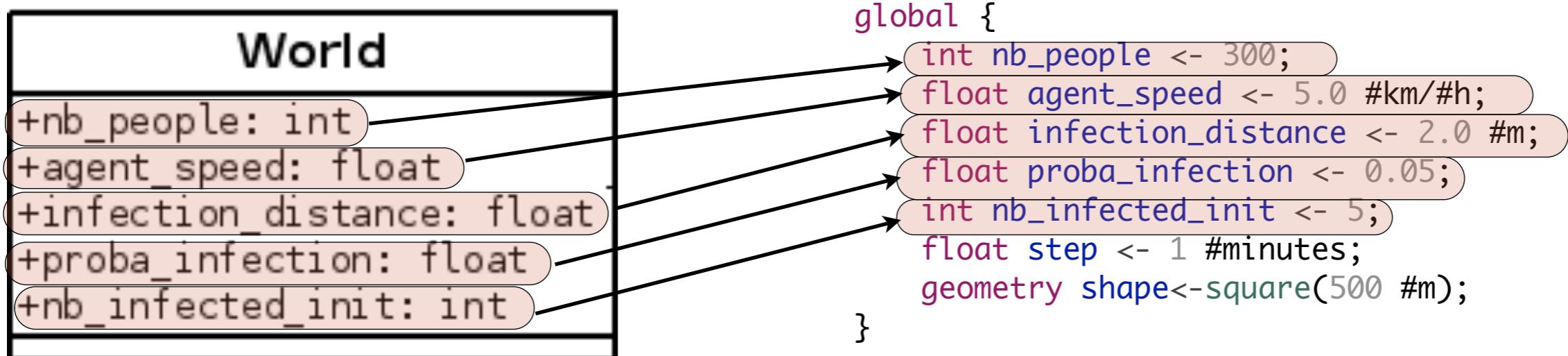
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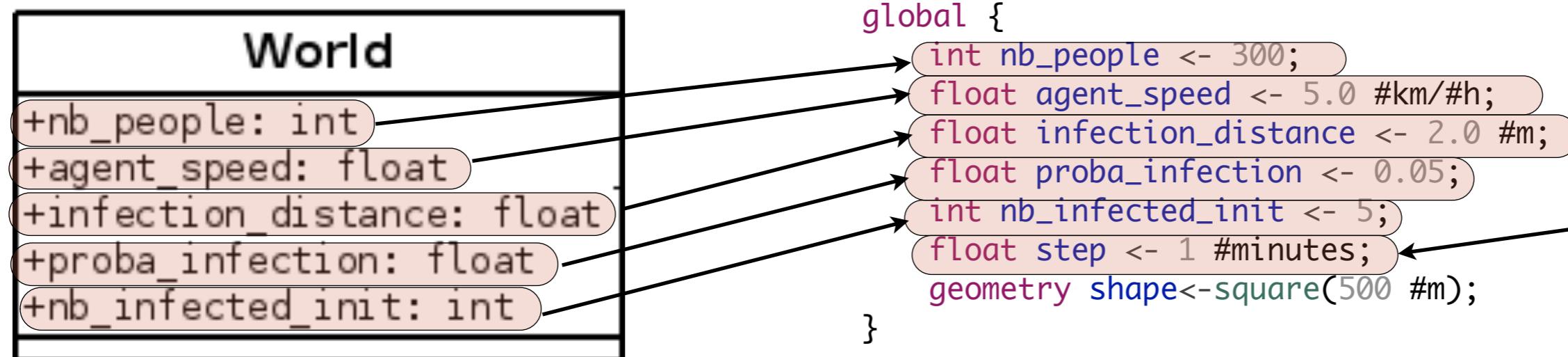
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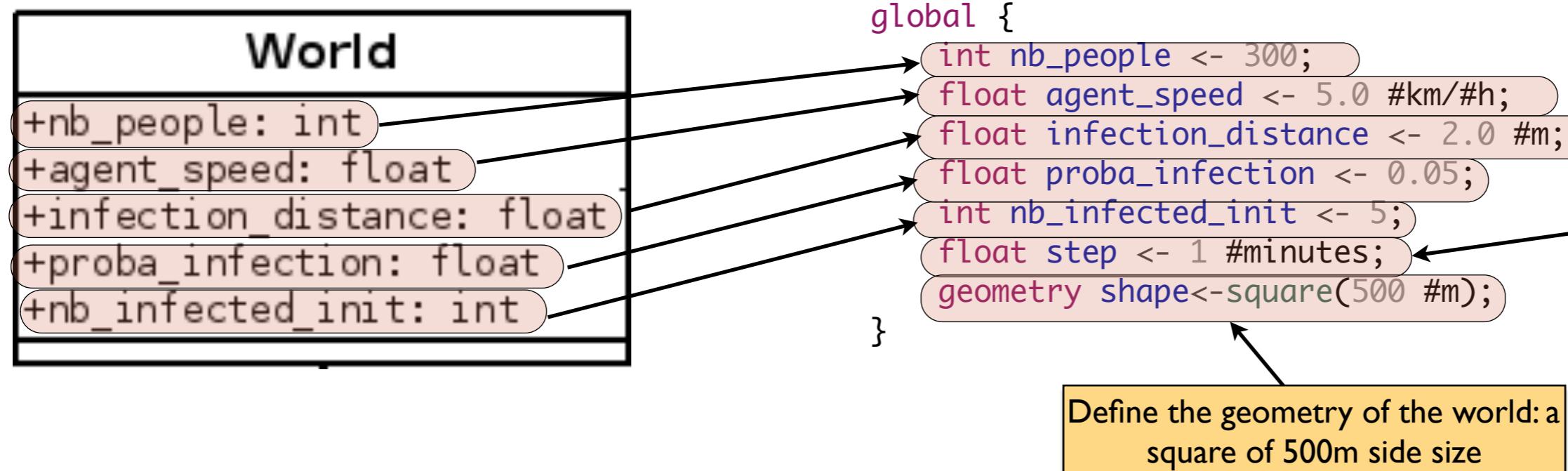


Built-in variable:
define the duration
of simulation step

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Model :World attributes

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❖ Creation of agents : use of the statement: **create species_name +**

- *number* : number of agent to create (*int*, by default, 1)
- *from* : GIS or Raster file (*string ou file*)
- *with* : allows to give initial values to the agent variables
- *returns*: list of created agents



Model :World init

```
global {  
    // world variable definition  
  
    init{  
        create people number:nb_people;  
        ask nb_infected_init among people {  
            is_infected <- true;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Note: By default, agents are **randomly** placed in the environment (except when the facet **from**: + SIG is used)

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Model :World init

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    // world variable definition

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```

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people agents

Ask *nb_infected_init* people
(randomly chosen) to be
infected

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experiment block

- ❖ An *experiment block* define a execution context of simulations
- ❖ Several experiment blocks can be defined
- ❖ Define by : **experiment xp_name type: gui/batch {...}**
 - *gui* : one simulation with graphical interface.
 - *batch* : experiment plan: set of simulations without graphical interface

```

model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}

```

Model : Main experiment

```

experiment main_experiment type: gui {
}

```

experiment block: parameter definition

❖ Parameter :

```
parameter legend var: var_name category: my_cat;
```

- Allow to give to the user the possibility to define the value of a global variable
- *legend: string* to display
- *var_name: reference to a global variable*
- *category: string* (use to better organize the parameters) - optional

```
model my_model

global {}

species my_species{ }

experiment my_model type: gui { }
```

Model : Main experiment

```
experiment main_experiment type:gui{
    parameter "Infection distance" var: infection_distance;
    parameter "Proba infection" var: proba_infection min: 0.0 max: 1.0;
    parameter "Nb people infected at init" var: nb_infected_init ;
}
```



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```

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```

It is possible to define here the min and max values of a parameter



experiment block: output definition

- ❖ The *output* block has to be defined in an *experiment* block
- ❖ It allows to define displays:
 - A refreshing rate can be defined: facet **refresh_every: nb (int)**
 - Each *display* can contain different displays:
 - list of agents : **agents layer_name value: agents aspect: my_aspect;**
 - Agent species (all the agents of the species) : **species my_species aspect: my_aspect**
 - Grids: optimized display of grids: **grid grid_name lines: my_color;**
 - Images: **image layer_name file: image_file;**
 - Texts: **texte layer_name value: my_text;**
 - Charts: see later

Model : experiment

```
experiment main_experiment type: gui {
  ... //parameter definition

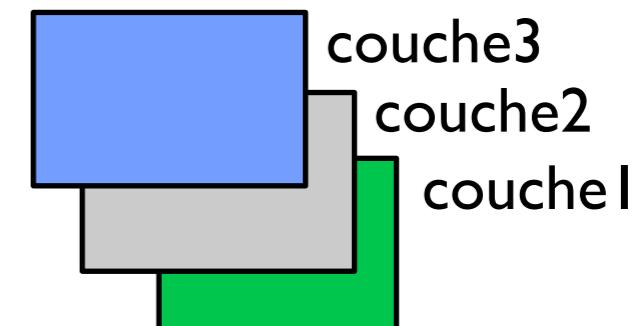
  output {
    display map {
      species people aspect:circle;
    }
  }
}
```

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```



Note: in a *display*, the display order of the layer follows the layer definition

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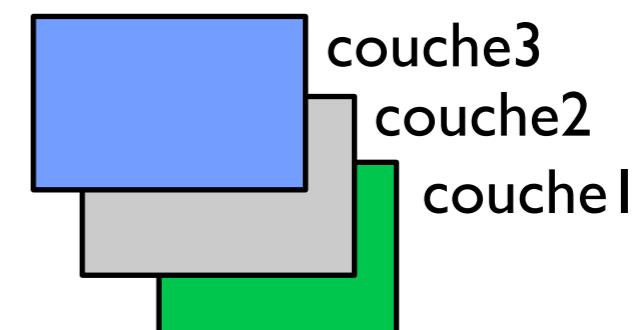
```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{

}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```



Model : experiment

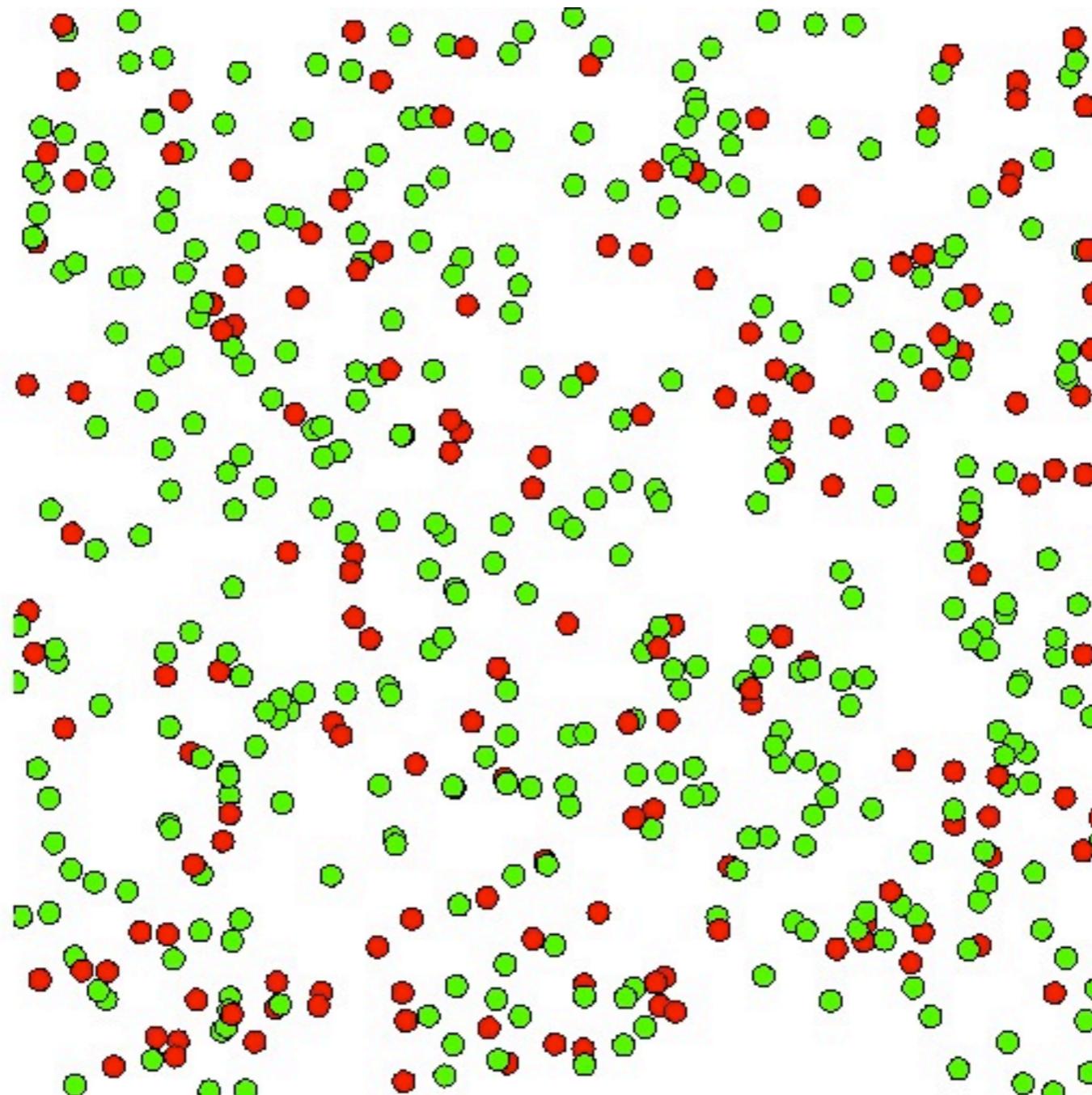
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  ... //parameter definition

  output {
    display map {
      species people aspect:circle;
    }
  }
}
```

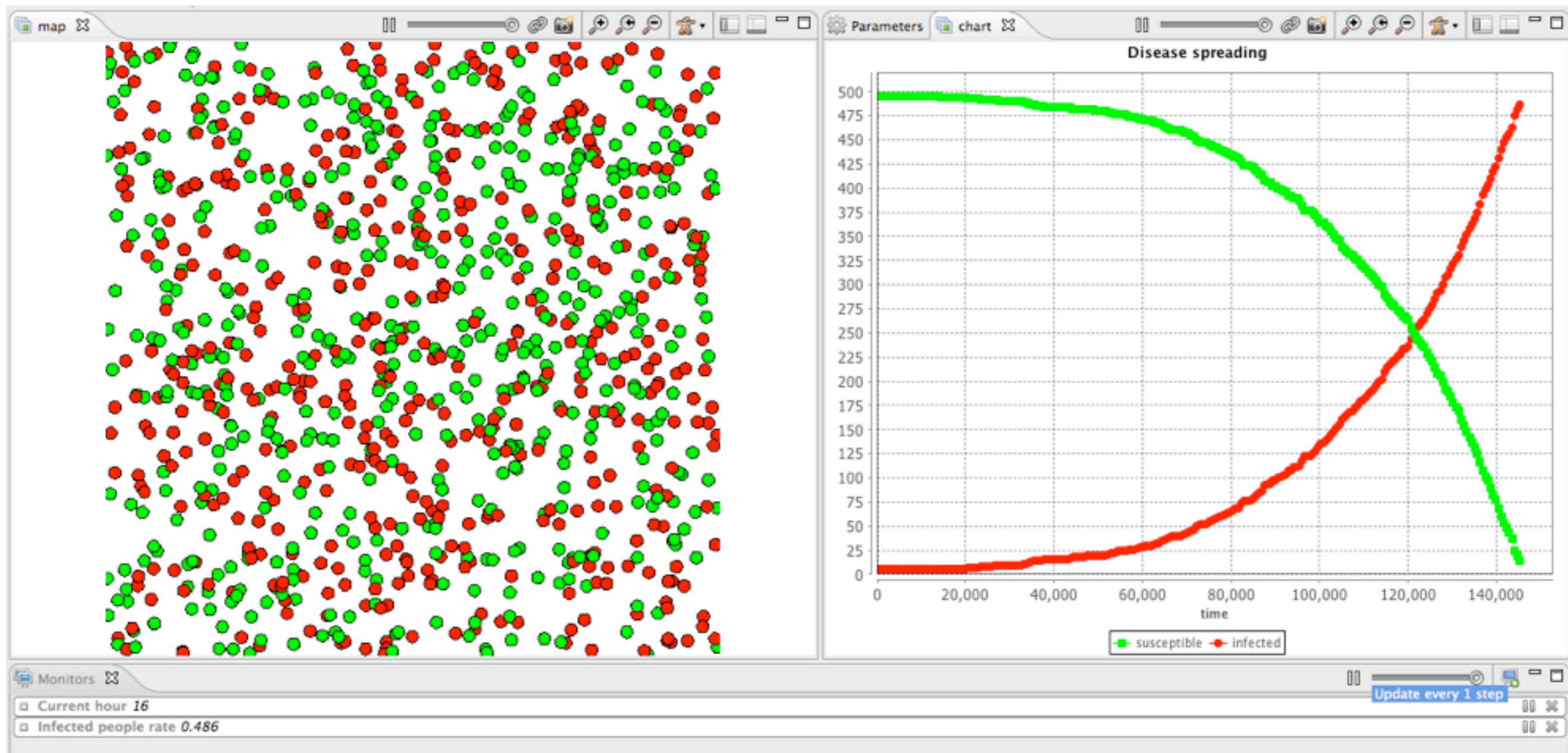
Layer displaying the people agents with their circle aspect

Note: in a *display*, the display order of the layer follows the layer definition

**Model: Time to test the first version
of the model !**



Definition of outputs to follow the system evolution and of a stoping condition



Model :World attributes

```
model my_model
  global {
  }
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```

```
global{
  //... other attributes
  int current_hour update: (cycle / 60) mod 24;
  int nb_people_infected <- nb_infected_init update: people count (each.is_infected);
  int nb_people_not_infected <- nb_people - nb_infected_init update: nb_people - nb_people_infected;
  float infected_rate update: nb_people_infected/nb_people;
  //... init
}
```

Note: The *update* facet allows to recompute the value of the variable at each simulation step

Model :World attributes

```
model my_model
  global {
  }
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui { }
```

In our model 1 cycle = 1 minute (step definition); we compute the current hour of the day by dividing the cycle by 60 (to have the number of hours) and computing its modulo to 24 (to limit its value to 24 hours)

```
global{
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count the number of infected agents among the people agents

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  float infected_rate update: nb_people_infected/nb_people;
  //... init
}
```

count the number of infected agents among the people agents

people not infected: number of people - number of infected people

Note: The *update* facet allows to recompute the value of the variable at each simulation step

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  float infected_rate update: nb_people_infected/nb_people;
  //... init
}
```

The diagram illustrates the dependencies between variables in the global block:

- An arrow points from the box "count the number of infected agents among the people agents" to the line `int nb_people_infected <- nb_infected_init update: people count (each.is_infected);`
- An arrow points from the box "people not infected: number of people - number of infected people" to the line `int nb_people_not_infected <- nb_people - nb_infected_init update: nb_people - nb_people_infected;`
- An arrow points from the box "infected rate: number of infected people divided by the number of people" to the line `float infected_rate update: nb_people_infected/nb_people;`
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Note: The *update* facet allows to recompute the value of the variable at each simulation step

Model : Reflex `end_simulation` of the *world* agent

```
global {  
    //.. variable and init definition  
  
    reflex end_simulation when: infected_rate = 1.0 {  
        do halt;  
    }  
}
```

Model : Reflex `end_simulation` of the *world* agent

```
global {  
    //.. variable and init definition  
  
    reflex end_simulation when: infected_rate = 1.0 {  
        do halt;  
    }  
}
```

Reflex activated when the infected rate is equal to 1.0 (i.e. all people agents are infected) and that stops the simulation



experiment block: monitor definition

- ❖ A monitor is an output allowing to display the current value of an expression
- ❖ The data to display have to be defined inside the **output** block:
monitor legend value: value

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{

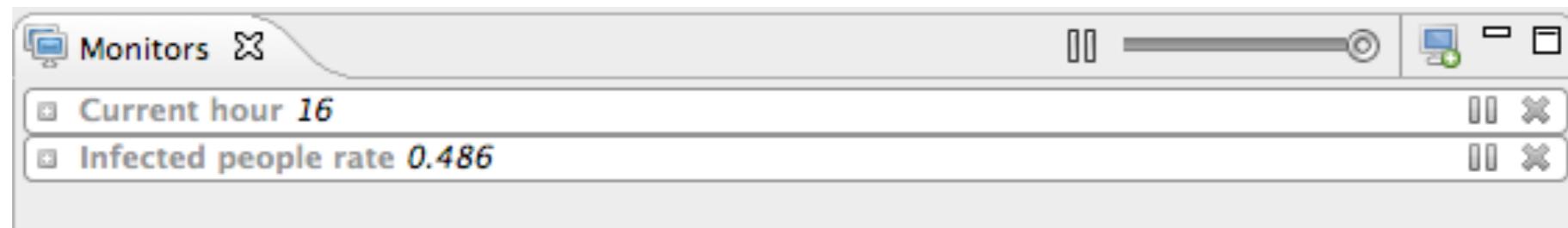
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```

Model : monitor display

```
experiment main_experiment type:gui{
    //...parameters
    output {
        monitor "Current hour" value: current_hour;
        monitor "Infected people rate" value: infected_rate;

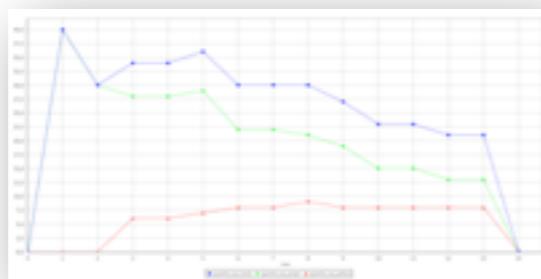
        //...display
    }
}
```



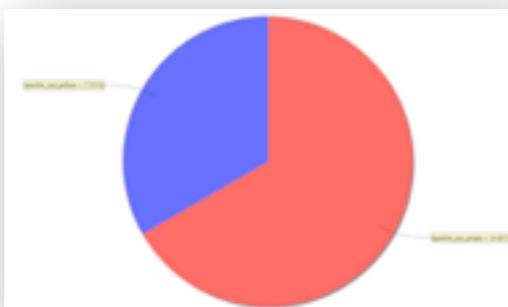
experiment block: chart definition

- ❖ GAMA allows to display several type of charts :

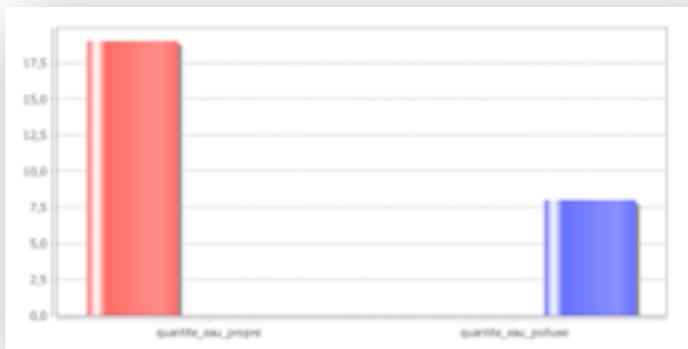
- Series



- Pie



- *Histogram*



- *XY chart*

```

model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}

```

experiment block: chart definition

- ❖ A chart is a layer in a display: **chart legend type:**
chart_type
- ❖ The data to display have to be defined inside the **chart** block:
data legend value: value color: color

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```

Model : chart display

```
experiment main_experiment type:gui{
    //...parameters
    output {
        //...display and monitors

        display chart_display refresh_every: 10 {
            chart "Disease spreading" type: series {
                data "susceptible" value: nb_people_not_infected color: #green;
                data "infected" value: nb_people_infected color: #red;
            }
        }
    }
}
```

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}
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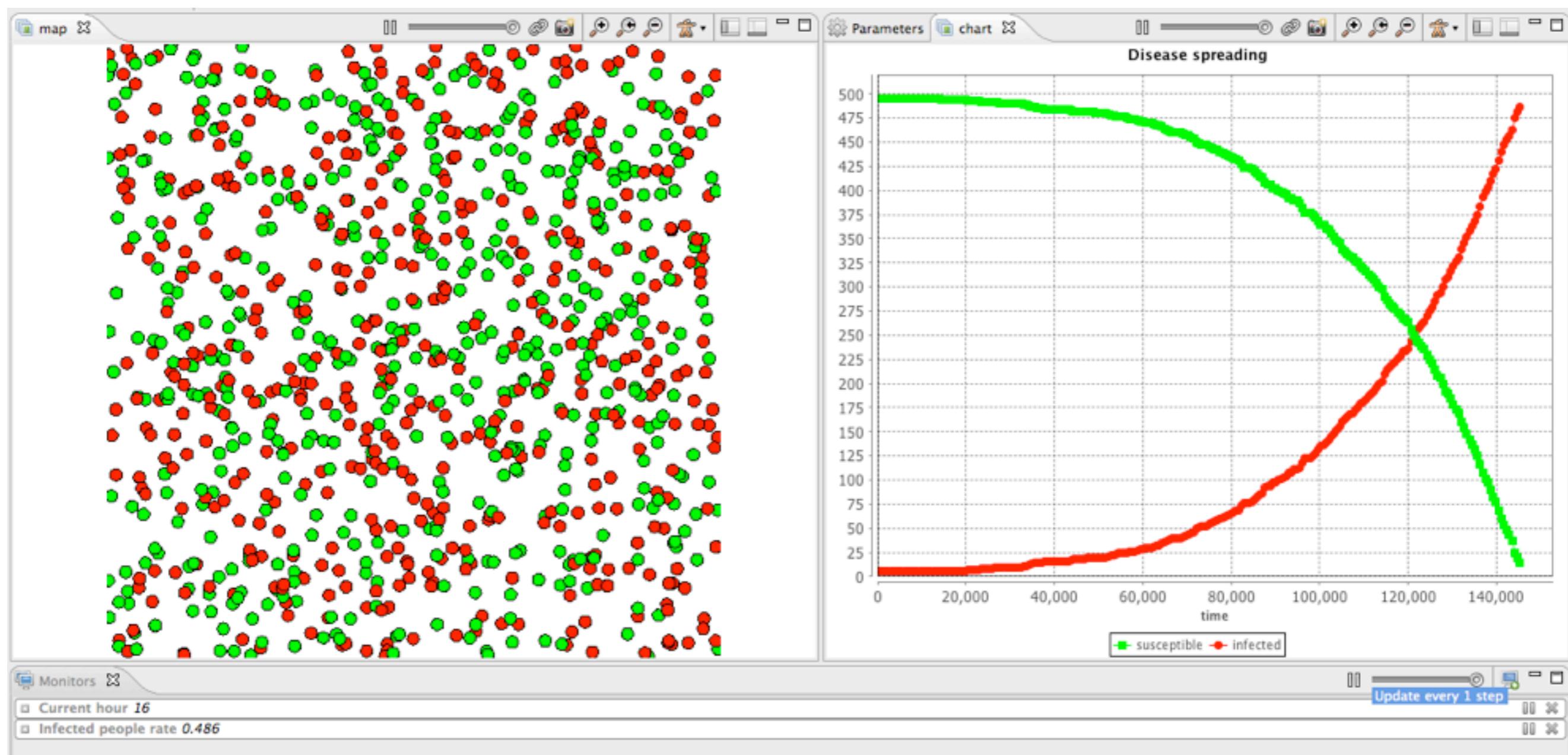
Model : chart display

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    output {
        //...display and monitors

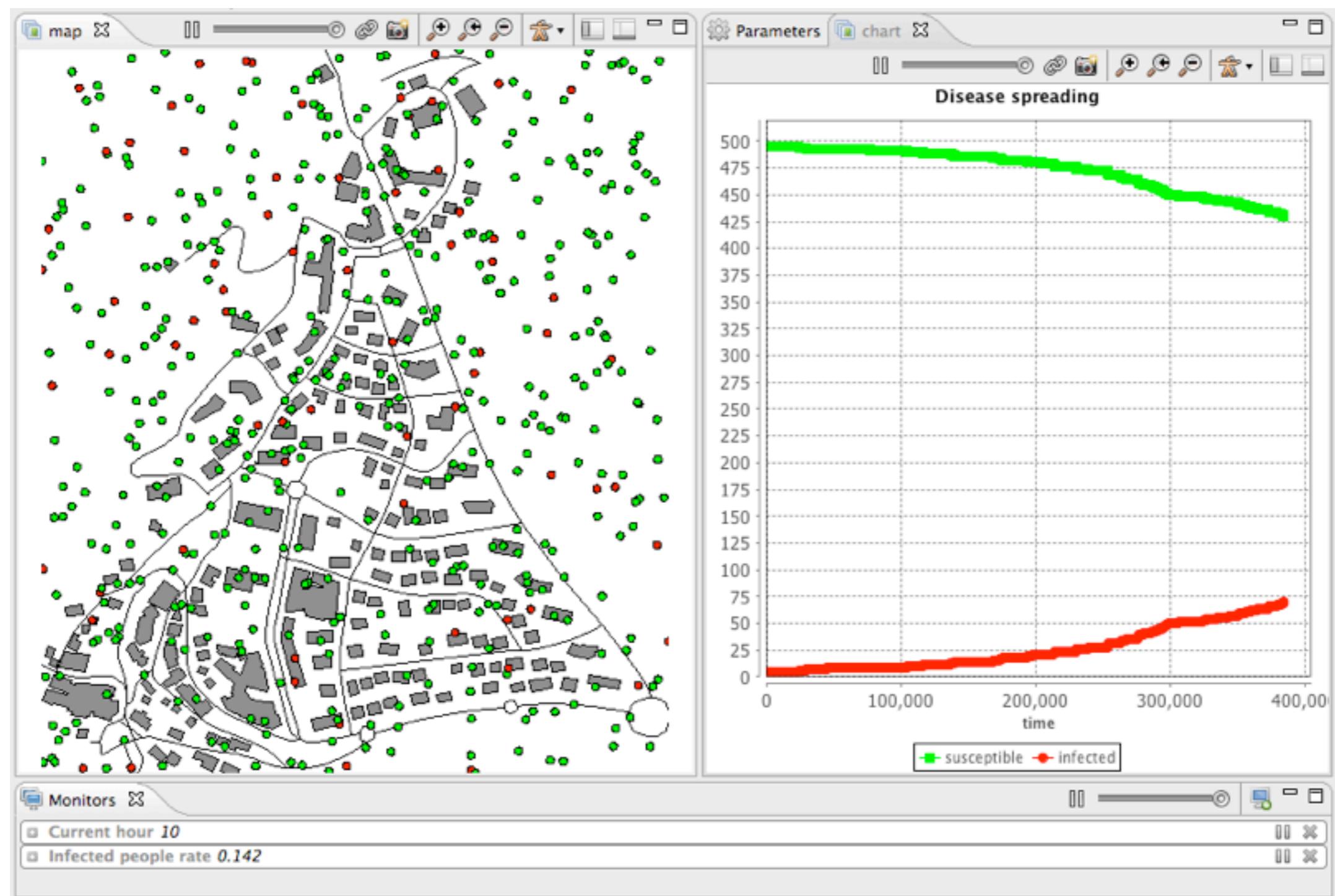
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            }
        }
    }
}
```

A callout box with a black border and yellow background points to the 'refresh_every: 10' line in the code. The text inside the box is 'Display refreshed every 10 simulation steps'.

Model: Time to test the second version of the model !



Loading of Geographical vector data to create buildings and roads

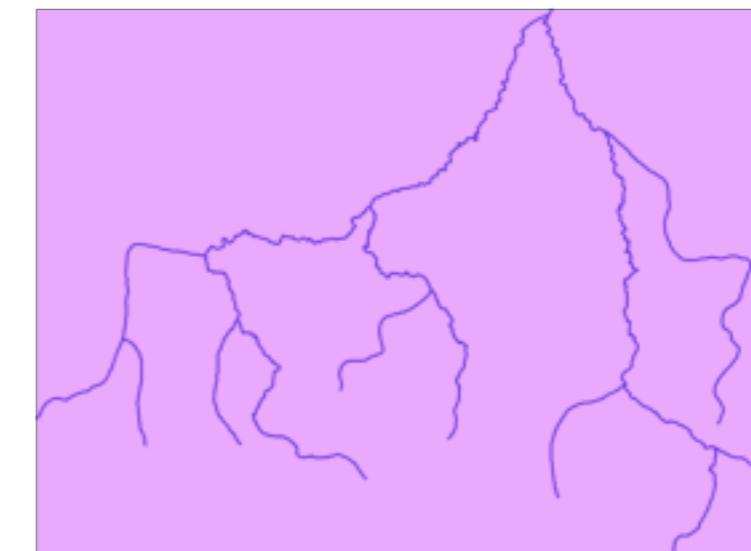
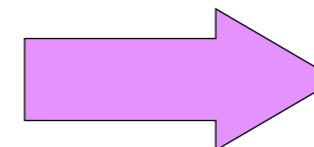
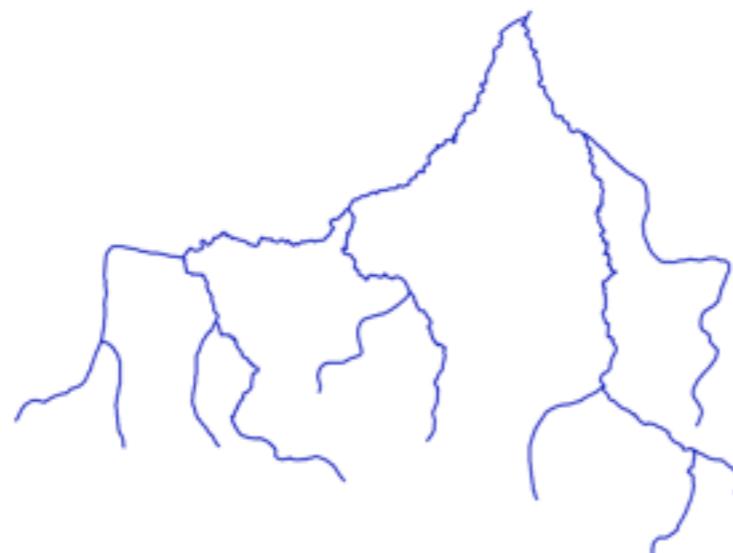


global block

Model :World attributes

```
model my_model
  global {
  }
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```

```
global{
  //... other attributes
  file roads_shapefile <- file("../includes/road.shp");
  file buildings_shapefile <- file("../includes/building.shp");
  geometry shape <- envelope(roads_shapefile);
  //... init
}
```



Environment

global block

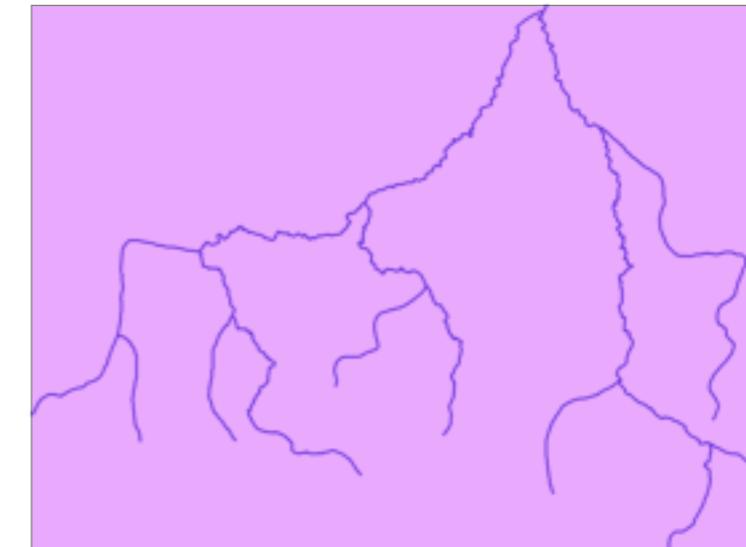
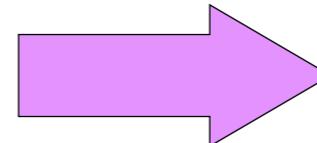
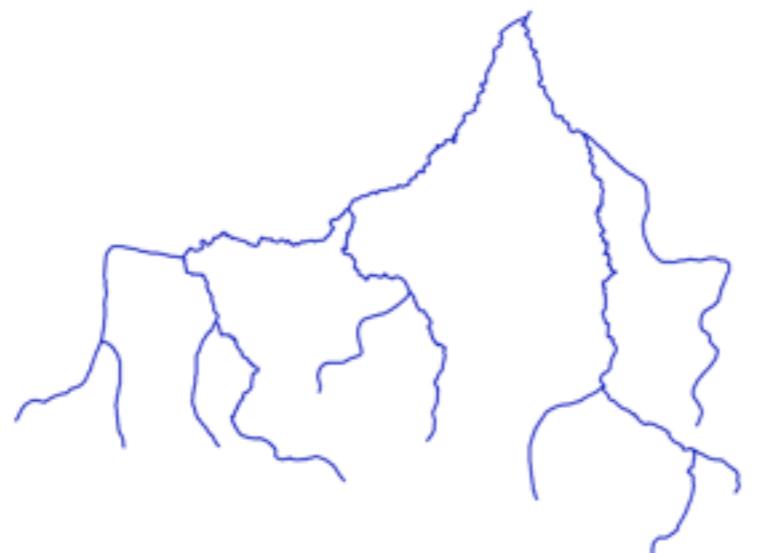
Model :World attributes

```
model my_model
  global {
    }
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui { }
```

Shapefile of the roads



```
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global block

Model :World attributes

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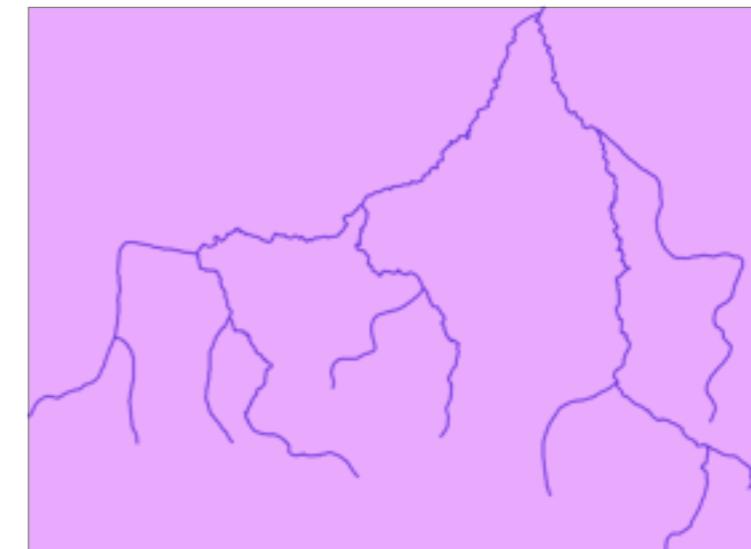
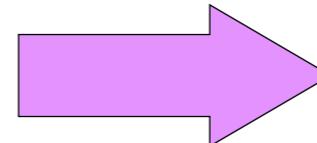
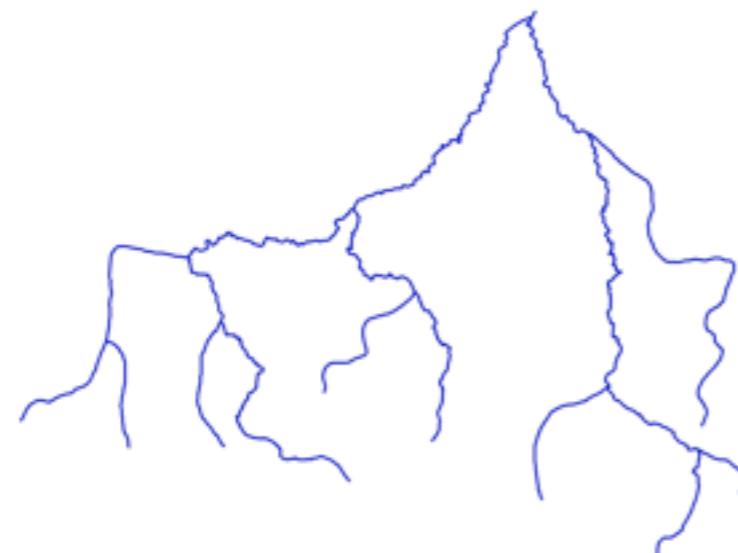
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}

Shapefile of the buildings

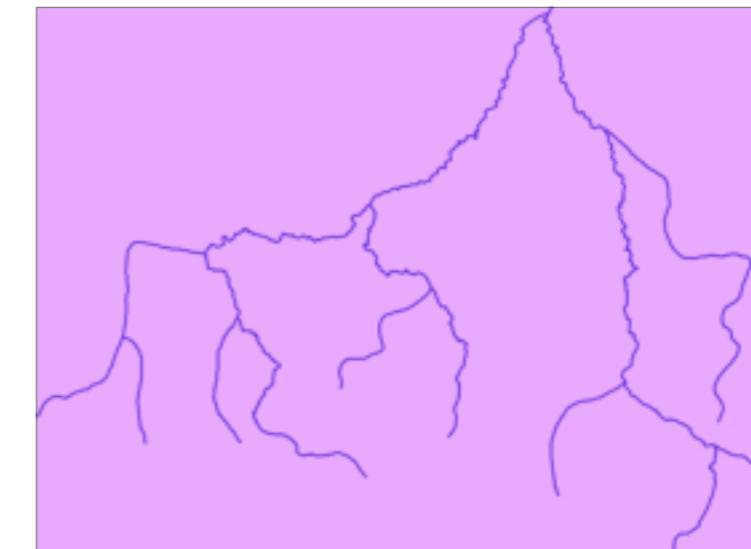
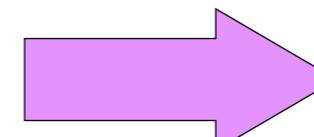
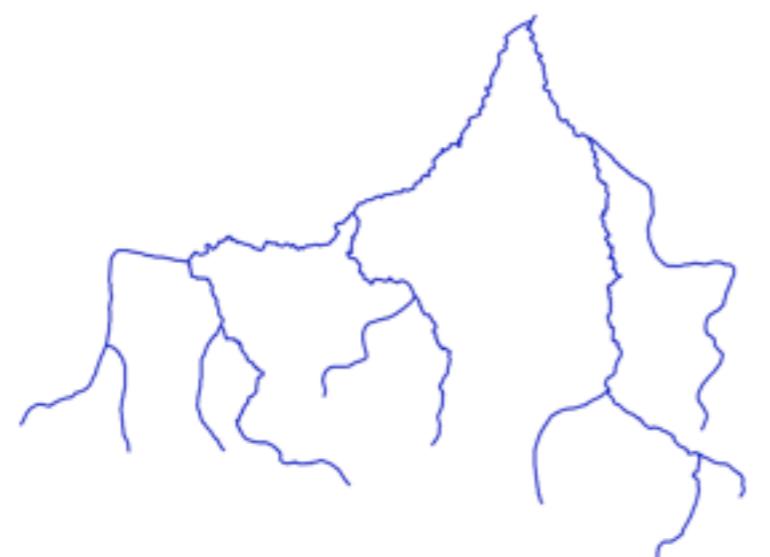
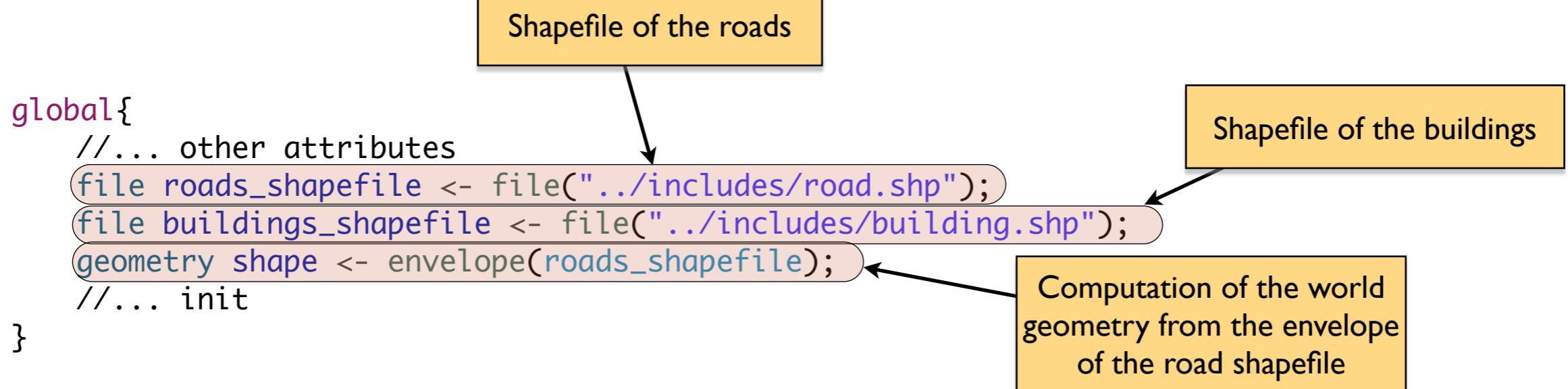


Environment

global block

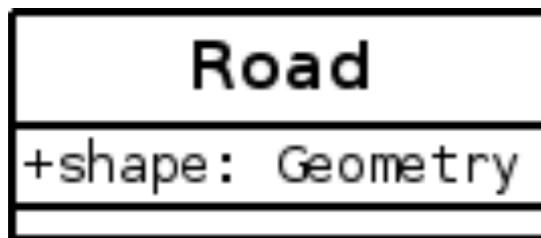
Model :World attributes

```
model my_model
global {
}
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui { }
```



Environment

Model : road and building agents



```
species road {  
    aspect geom {  
        draw shape color: #black;  
    }  
}
```



```
species building {  
    aspect geom {  
        draw shape color: #gray;  
    }  
}
```

```
model my_model  
  
global {  
}  
  
species my_species{  
}  
  
experiment my_model type: gui {  
}
```

Model : road and building agents

```
model my_model

global {

}

species my_species{

}

experiment my_model type: gui {
```



```
species road {
    aspect geom {
        draw shape color: #black;
    }
}
```



```
species building {
    aspect geom {
        draw shape color: #gray;
    }
}
```

Model : road and building agents

```
model my_model

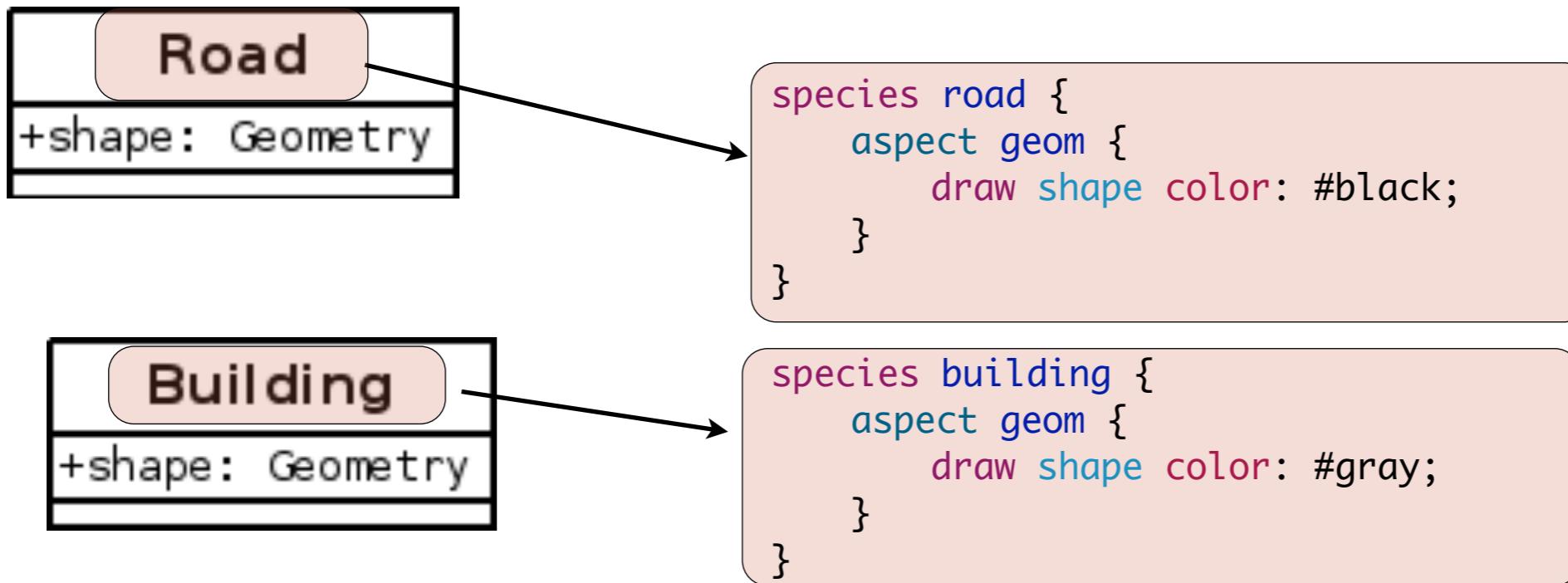
global {

}

species my_species{

}

experiment my_model type: gui {
```



❖ Creation of agents : use of the statement: **create species_name +**

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- *returns*: list of created agents

Model :World init

```
global {
    // world variable definition

    init{
        create road from: roads_shapefile;
        create building from: buildings_shapefile;
        create people number:nb_people {
            building bd <- one_of(building);
            location <- any_location_in(bd);
        }
        ask nb_infected_init among people {
            is_infected <- true;
        }
    }
}
```

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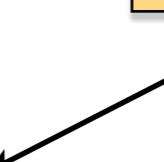
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            building bd <- one_of(building);
            location <- any_location_in(bd);
        }
        ask nb_infected_init among people {
            is_infected <- true;
        }
    }
}
```

Create road agents from the shapefile: each object in the GIS data will become a road agent



Block *global* : agent creation from GIS data

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Model :World init

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    // world variable definition

    init{
        create road from: roads_shapefile;
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        create people number:nb_people {
            building bd <- one_of(building);
            location <- any_location_in(bd);
        }
        ask nb_infected_init among people {
            is_infected <- true;
        }
    }
}
```

Create road agents from the shapefile: each object in the GIS data will become a road agent

Create building agents from the shapefile: each object in the GIS data will become a building agent

Block *global* : agent creation from GIS data

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Model :World init

```
global {
    // world variable definition

    init{
        create road from: roads_shapefile;
        create building from: buildings_shapefile;
        create people number:nb_people {
            building bd <- one_of(building);
            location <- any_location_in(bd);
        }
        ask nb_infected_init among people {
            is_infected <- true;
        }
    }
}
```

Create road agents from the shapefile: each object in the GIS data will become a road agent

Create building agents from the shapefile: each object in the GIS data will become a building agent

Randomly select one of the building

Block *global* : agent creation from GIS data

❖ Creation of agents : use of the statement: **create species_name +**

- *number* : number of agent to create (*int*, by default, 1)
- *from* : GIS or Raster file (*string ou file*)
- *with* : allows to give initial values to the agent variables
- *returns*: list of created agents

Model :World init

```
global {
    // world variable definition

    init{
        create road from: roads_shapefile;
        create building from: buildings_shapefile;
        create people number:nb_people {
            building bd <- one_of(building);
            location <- any_location_in(bd);
        }
        ask nb_infected_init among people {
            is_infected <- true;
        }
    }
}
```

Create road agents from the shapefile: each object in the GIS data will become a road agent

Create building agents from the shapefile: each object in the GIS data will become a building agent

Randomly select one of the building

place the people agent on a random point in the *bd* building

Model : experiment

```
experiment main_experiment type: gui {
    ... //parameter definition

    output {
        ... //monitor definition

        display map {
            species road aspect:geom;
            species building aspect:geom;
            species people aspect:circle;
        }
        ... //chart display definition
    }
}
```

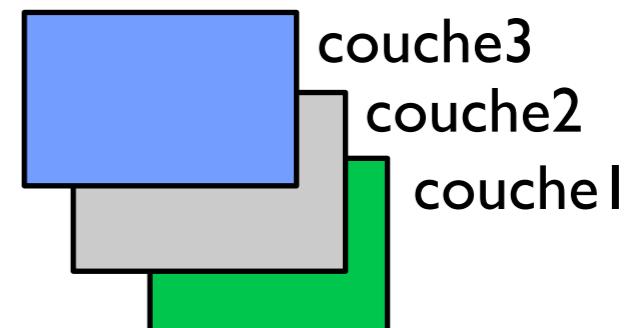
```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{

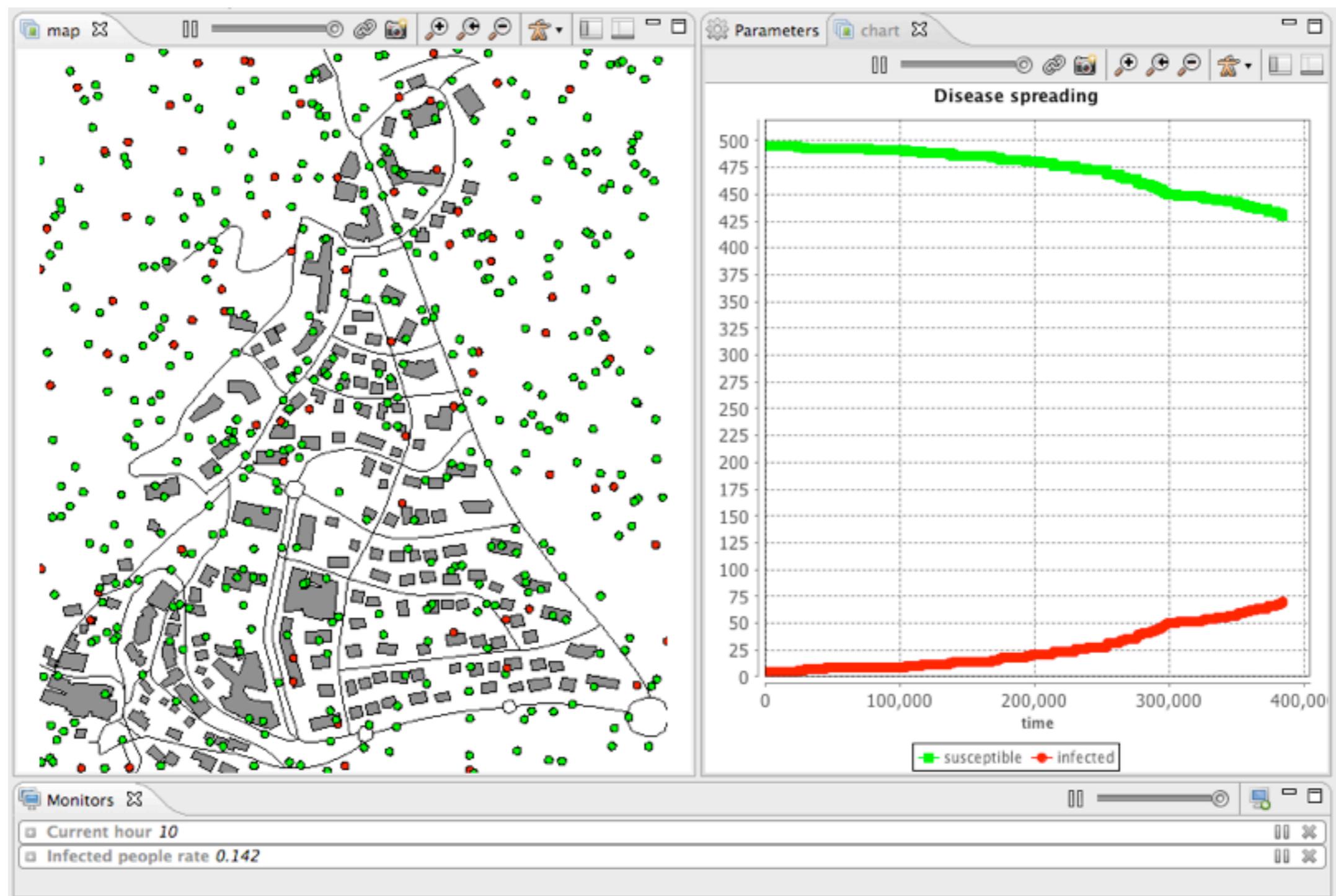
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
```

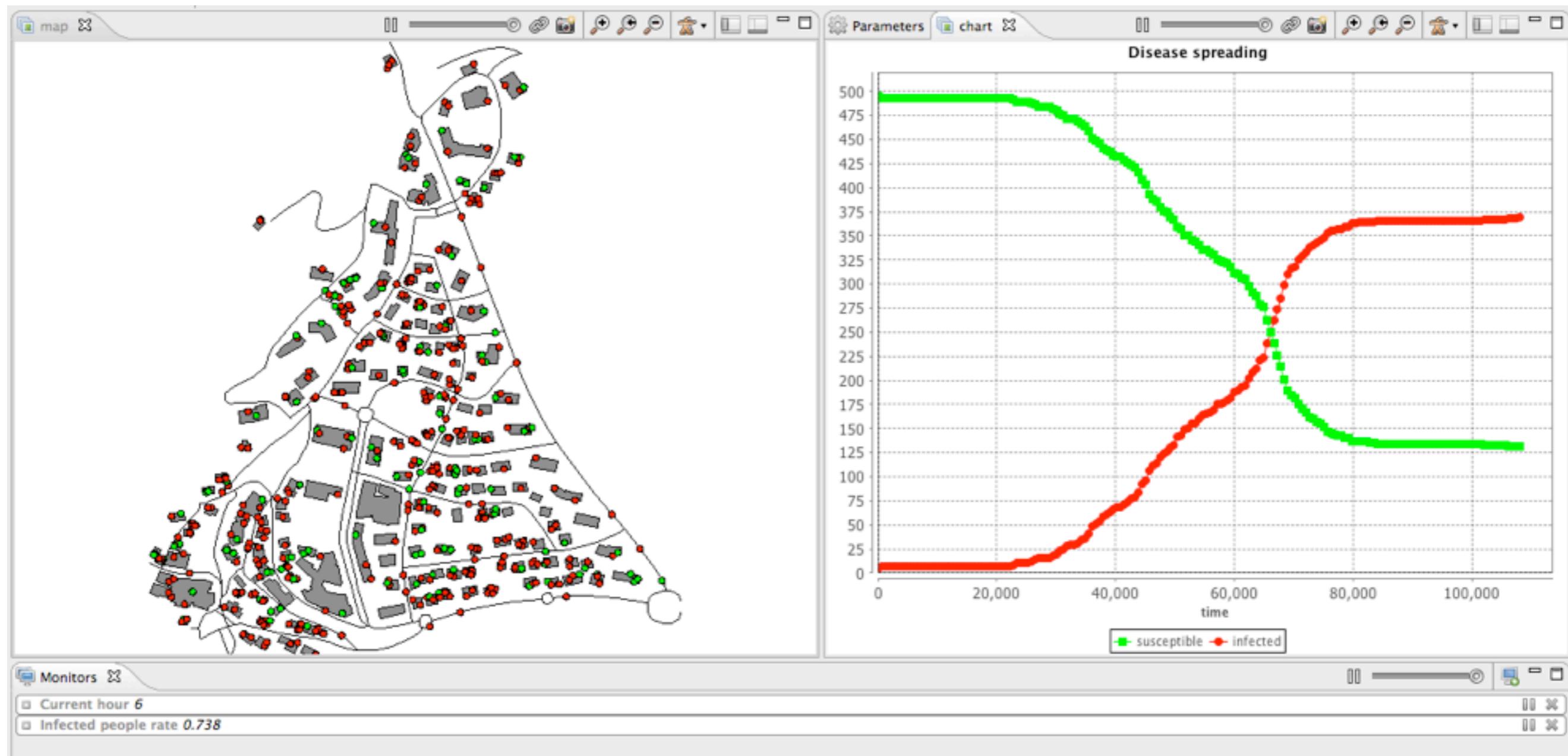


Note: in a *display*, the display order of the layer follows the layer definition

Model: Time to test the third version of the model !



People move from building to building using the road network



Model :World attributes

```
model my_model
  global {
    }
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui { }
```

```
global{
  //... other attributes
  graph road_network;
  float staying_coeff update: 10.0 ^ (1 + min([abs(current_hour - 9), abs(current_hour - 12),
    abs(current_hour - 18)]));
  //... init
}
```

Model :World attributes

```
model my_model
  global {
  }
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui { }
```

```
global{
  //... other attributes
  graph road_network;
  float staying_coeff update: 10.0 ^ (1 + min([abs(current_hour - 9), abs(current_hour - 12),
    abs(current_hour - 18)]));
  //... init
}
```

Graph variable

Model :World attributes

```
model my_model
  global {
  }
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui { }
```

```
global{
  //... other attributes
  graph road_network;
  float staying_coeff update: 10.0 ^ (1 + min([abs(current_hour - 9), abs(current_hour - 12),
    abs(current_hour - 18)]));
  //... init
}
```

Graph variable

value updated at each simulation step: higher when the hour is far from 9h, 12h and 18h

- ❖ GAMA allows to define graph variable and offers many tools to build spatial graphs

Model :World init

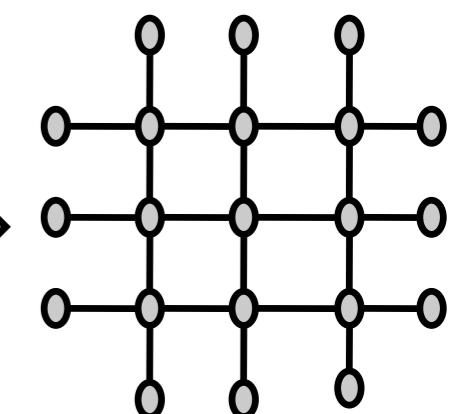
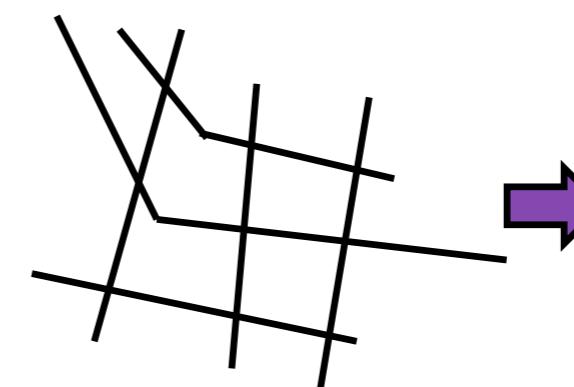
```
global {  
    // world variable definition  
  
    init{  
        create road from: roads_shapefile;  
        road_network <- as_edge_graph(road);  
        create building from: buildings_shapefile;  
        create people number:nb_people {  
            building bd <- one_of(building);  
            location <- any_location_in(bd);  
        }  
        ask nb_infected_init among people {  
            is_infected <- true;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

- ❖ GAMA allows to define graph variable and offers many tools to build spatial graphs

Model :World init

```
global {  
    // world variable definition  
  
    init{  
        create road from: roads_shapefile;  
        road_network <- as_edge_graph(road);  
        create building from: buildings_shapefile;  
        create people number:nb_people {  
            building bd <- one_of(building);  
            location <- any_location_in(bd);  
        }  
        ask nb_infected_init among people {  
            is_infected <- true;  
  
        }  
    }  
}
```

Create a graph from the road geometries (polyline)



Model : People attributes

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```

People
+speed: float
+is_infected: bool
+target: point
+staying_counter
+stay()
+move()
+infect()

```
species people skills:[moving]{
    //...the other attributes
    point target;
    int staying_counter;
    //....
}
```

Model : People attributes

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
```

People
+speed: float
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+target: point
+staying_counter
+stay()
+move()
+infect()

```
species people skills:[moving]{
    //...the other attributes
    point target;
    int staying_counter;
    //...
}
```

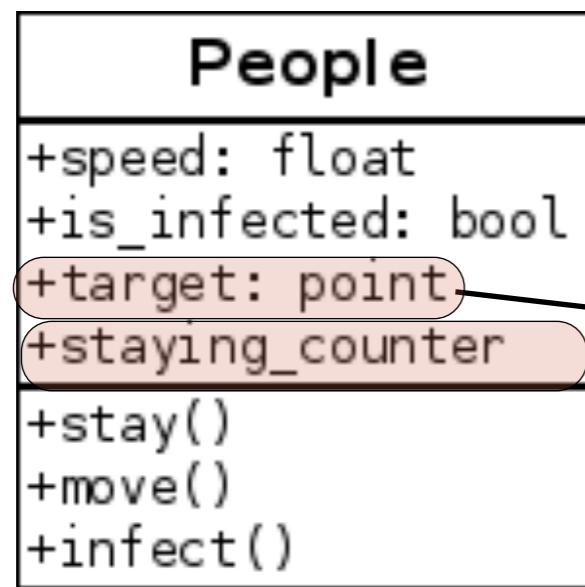
Model : People attributes

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```



```
species people skills:[moving]{
    //...the other attributes
    point target;
    int staying_counter;
    //...
}
```

Model : Some reflexes of people

```

species people skills:[moving]{
    //variable definition
    reflex stay when: target = nil {
        staying_counter <- staying_counter + 1;
        if flip(staying_counter / staying_coeff) {
            target <- any_location_in (one_of(building));
        }
    }

    reflex move when: target != nil{
        do goto target:target on: road_network;
        if (location = target) {
            target <- nil;
            staying_counter <- 0;
        }
    }
}

```

People
+speed: float
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+staying_counter
+stay()
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+infect()

Model : Some reflexes of people

Reflex executed when
the target is nil (i.e. the
agent is not moving)

```
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        }
    }

    reflex move when: target != nil{
        do goto target:target on: road_network;
        if (location = target) {
            target <- nil;
            staying_counter <- 0;
        }
    }
}
```

People
+speed: float
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+staying_counter
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+move()
+infect()

Model : Some reflexes of people

Reflex executed when the target is nil (i.e. the agent is not moving)

Incrementation of the staying counter

```
species people skills:[moving]{  
    //variable definition  
    reflex stay when: target = nil {  
        staying_counter <- staying_counter + 1;  
        if flip(staying_counter / staying_coeff) {  
            target <- any_location_in (one_of(building));  
        }  
    }  
  
    reflex move when: target != nil{  
        do goto target:target on: road_network;  
        if (location = target) {  
            target <- nil;  
            staying_counter <- 0;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

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        }  
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        do goto target:target on: road_network;  
        if (location = target) {  
            target <- nil;  
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        }  
    }  
}
```

Probability staying_counter/staying_coeff to choose a new target (ready to leave)

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+stay()
+move()
+infect()

Reflex executed when the target is nil (i.e. the agent is not moving)

Incrementation of the staying counter

Reflex activated only when the target is not nil

```
species people skills:[moving]{  
    //variable definition  
    reflex stay when: target = nil {  
        staying_counter <- staying_counter + 1;  
        if flip(staying_counter / staying_coeff) {  
            target <- any_location_in (one_of(building));  
        }  
    }  
  
    reflex move when: target != nil{  
        do goto target:target on: road_network;  
        if (location = target) {  
            target <- nil;  
            staying_counter <- 0;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

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        }  
    }  
}
```

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        target <- nil;  
        staying_counter <- 0;  
    }  
}
```

Probability staying_counter/staying_coeff to choose a new target (ready to leave)

Move toward the target along the graph (shortest path computation). Use of the goto action of the moving skill

Model : Some reflexes of people

People
+speed: float
+is_infected: bool
+target: point
+staying_counter
+stay()
+move()
+infect()

Reflex executed when the target is nil (i.e. the agent is not moving)

```
species people skills:[moving]{  
    //variable definition  
    reflex stay when: target = nil {  
        staying_counter <- staying_counter + 1;  
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        }  
    }  
}
```

Incrementation of the staying counter

Reflex activated only when the target is not nil

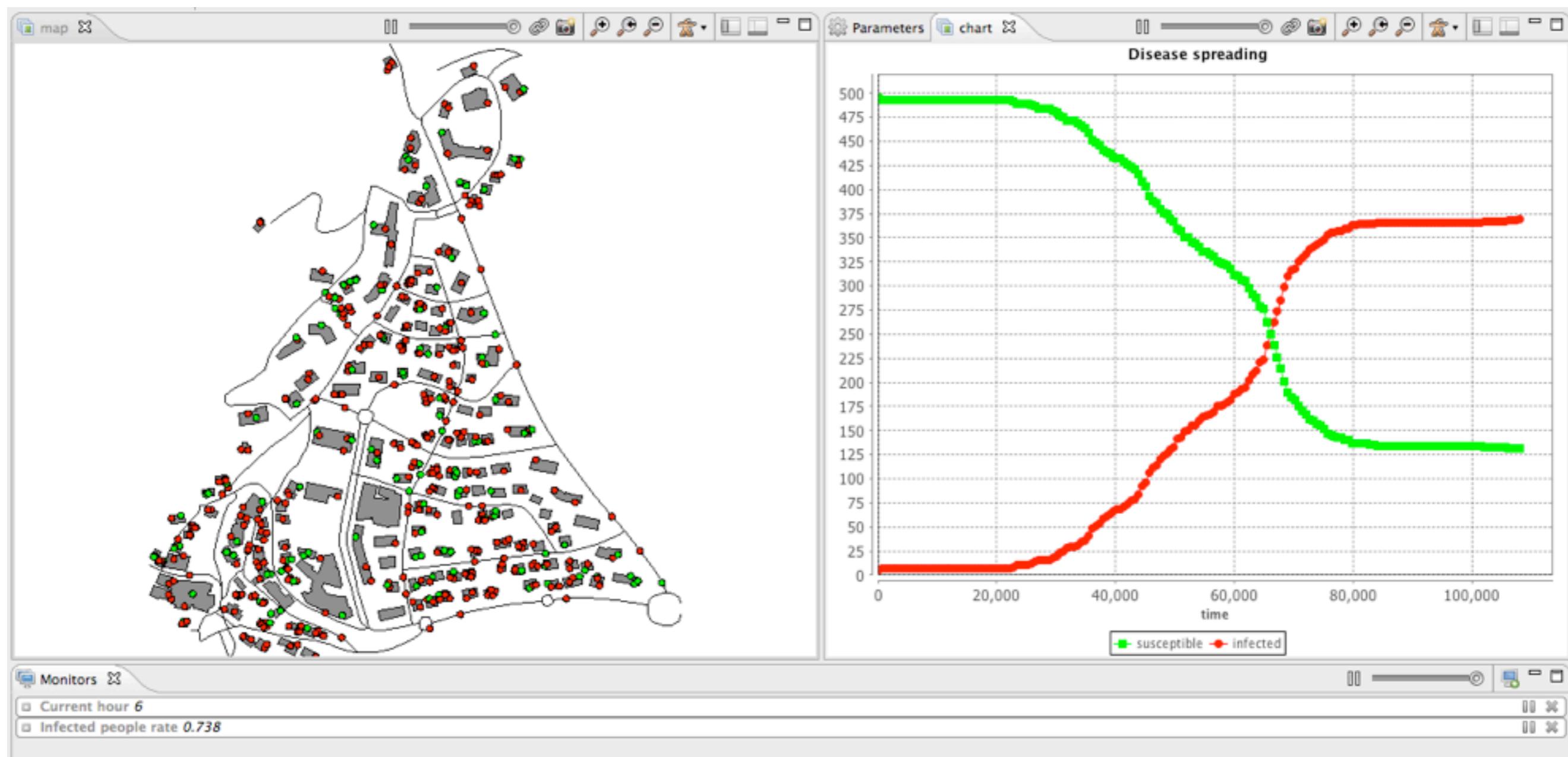
```
reflex move when: target != nil{  
    do goto target:target on: road_network;  
    if (location = target) {  
        target <- nil;  
        staying_counter <- 0;  
    }  
}  
}
```

If the agent reaches its target, set target to nil and staying_counter to 0

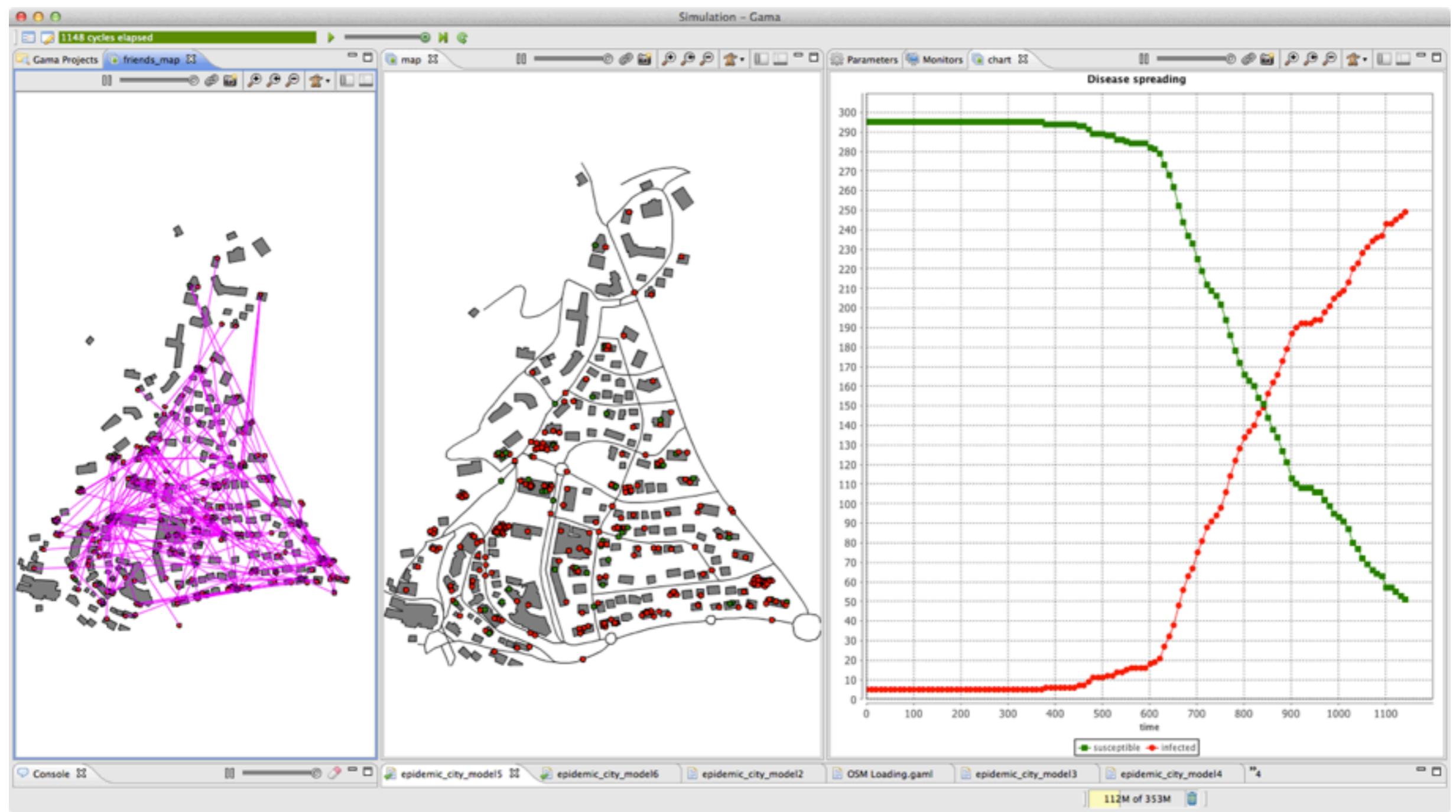
Probability staying_counter/staying_coeff to choose a new target (ready to leave)

Move toward the target along the graph (shortest path computation). Use of the goto action of the moving skill

Model: Time to test the fourth version of the model !



People move (most of time) toward their friend (house)



species block: friendship_link agents

Model : *friendship_link* species

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```

Friendship_link

+shape: Geometry

```
species friendship_link {
    aspect arrow {
        draw shape end_arrow: 5 color: #magenta;
    }
}
```

species block: friendship_link agents

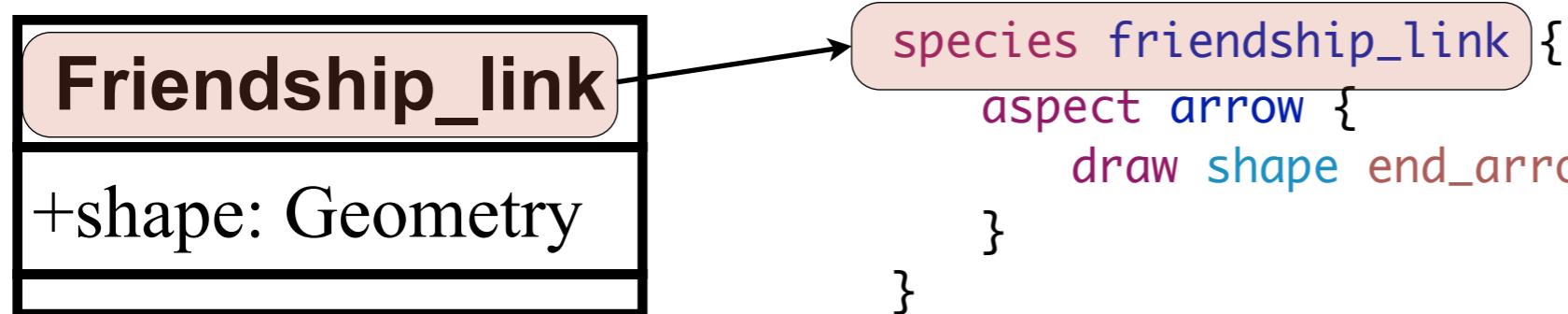
Model : *friendship_link* species

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```



species block: friendship_link agents

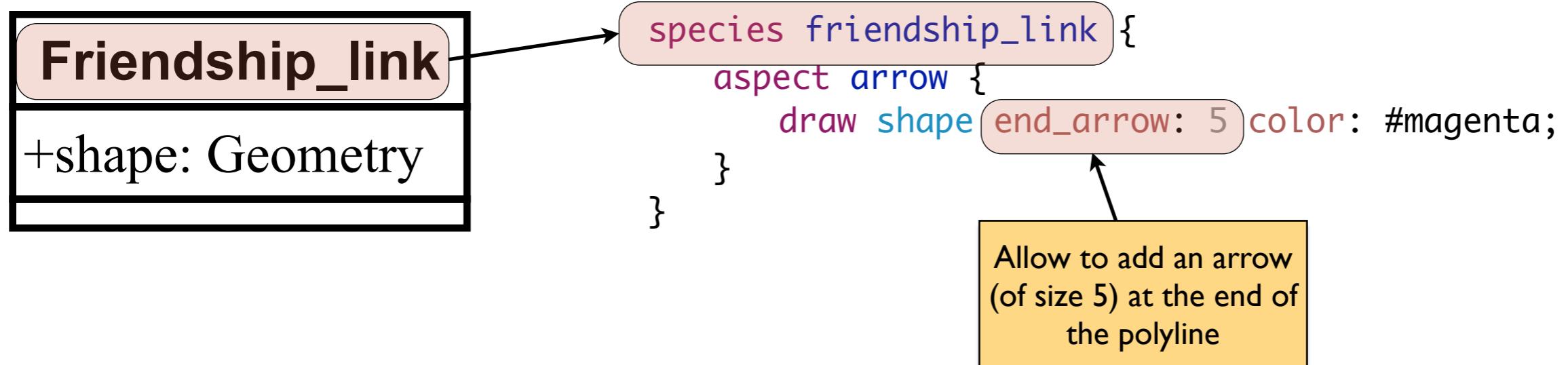
Model : *friendship_link* species

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```



Model :World attributes

```
model my_model  
  global {  
  }  
  
species my_species{  
}  
  
experiment my_model type: gui {  
}
```

```
global{  
  //... other attributes  
  graph friendship_graph;  
  int nb_edges_nodes <- 1;  
  float proba_see_friend <- 0.9;  
  //... init  
}
```

Model :World attributes

```
model my_model
global {
}
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui {
```

```
global{
  //... other attributes
  graph friendship_graph; Graph variable
  int nb_edges_nodes <- 1;
  float proba_see_friend <- 0.9;
  //... init
}
```

Model :World attributes

```
model my_model
  global {
  }
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui { }
```

```
global{
  //... other attributes
  graph friendship_graph;
  int nb_edges_nodes <- 1;
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  //... init
}
```

Graph variable

variable that defines the number of edges from a node in the friendship network

Model :World attributes

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model my_model
global {
}
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui {
```

```
global{
  //... other attributes
  graph friendship_graph;
  int nb_edges_nodes <- 1;
  float proba_see_friend <- 0.9;
  //... init
}
```

Graph variable

variable that defines the number of edges from a node in the friendship network

variable that defines the probability for a people agent to go to see a friend

Block *global* : scale-free graph generation

- ❖ GAMA provides modelers with classic graph generation tools

Model :World init

```
model my_model
global {
}
species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui {
```

```
global {
    // world variable definition

    init {
        create road from: roads_shapefile;
        road_network <- as_edge_graph(road);
        create building from: buildings_shapefile;
        friendship_graph<-generate_barabasi_albert(people,friendship_link,nb_people,nb_edges_nodes,false);
        ask people {
            building bd <- building closest_to self;
            location <- any_location_in(bd);
        }
        ask nb_infected_init among people {
            is_infected <- true;
        }
    }
}
```

Note: there are four ways to built graphs in GAMA :

- by hand (by adding edges/nodes)
- geometric operator (e.g. `as_edge_graph`)
- generator (e.g. `generate_barabasi_albert`)
- loading classic graph files

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```

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global {
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        ask nb_infected_init among people {
            is_infected <- true;
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    }
}
```

Create a scale-free graph (using Barabasi Albert model), *nb_people* people agents will be created and the corresponding number of *friendship_link* agents



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species my_species{
}
experiment my_model type: gui {
```

```
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    // world variable definition

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        create road from: roads_shapefile;
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            building bd <- building closest_to self;
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            is_infected <- true;
        }
    }
}
```

Create a scale-free graph (using Barabasi Albert model), *nb_people* people agents will be created and the corresponding number of *friendship_link* agents

As the *people* agents are already created (by the graph generation operator), we just place the *people* agent in a building (the closest building of their current location)

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Model : Some reflexes of people

People
+speed: float
+is_infected: bool
+target: point
+staying_counter
+stay()
+move()
+infect()

```
species people skills:[moving]{
    //variable definition
    reflex staying when: target = nil {
        staying_counter <- staying_counter + 1;
        if flip(staying_counter / staying_coeff) {
            if (flip(proba_see_friend)) {
                people my_friend <- people(one_of(friendship_graph neighbours_of self));
                target <- any_location_in (building closest_to my_friend);
            } else {
                target <- any_location_in (one_of(building));
            }
        }
    }
    ...
}
```

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                target <- any_location_in (building closest_to my_friend);
            } else {
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            }
        }
    }
    ...
}
```

Probability *proba_see_friend*
to go to see a friend

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                people my_friend <- people(one_of(friendship_graph neighbours_of self));
                target <- any_location_in (building closest_to my_friend);
            } else {
                target <- any_location_in (one_of(building));
            }
        }
    }
    ...
}
```

Probability *proba_see_friend* to go to see a friend

If the agent chooses to see a friend, it chooses one of its friends (from its neighbourhood according to the *friendship_graph*) then it defined its target as a location inside the building that is the closest to its friend

Model : experiment

```
model my_model

global {

}

species my_species{

}

experiment my_model type: gui {
```

```
experiment main_experiment type:gui{
    parameter "Infection distance" var: infection_distance;
    parameter "Proba infection" var: proba_infection min: 0.0 max: 1.0;
    parameter "Nb people infected at init" var: nb_infected_init ;
    parameter "Nb of edges per new nodes" var: nb_edges_nodes min: 1 max: 3 ;
    parameter "Probability to go to see a friend" var: proba_see_friend min: 0.0 max: 1.0 ;

    output {
        // monitor and other displays
        display friends_map {
            species building aspect:geom;
            species people aspect:circle;
            species friendship_link aspect: arrow;
        }
    }
}
```

experiment block: add parameter and new display

Model : experiment

```

model my_model

global {
}

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}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}

```

```

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            species people aspect:circle;
            species friendship_link aspect: arrow;
        }
    }
}

```

Definition of 2 new parameters

experiment block: add parameter and new display

Model : experiment

```

model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{

}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}

```

```

experiment main_experiment type:gui{
    parameter "Infection distance" var: infection_distance;
    parameter "Proba infection" var: proba_infection min: 0.0 max: 1.0;
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    parameter "Nb of edges per new nodes" var: nb_edges_nodes min: 1 max: 3 ;
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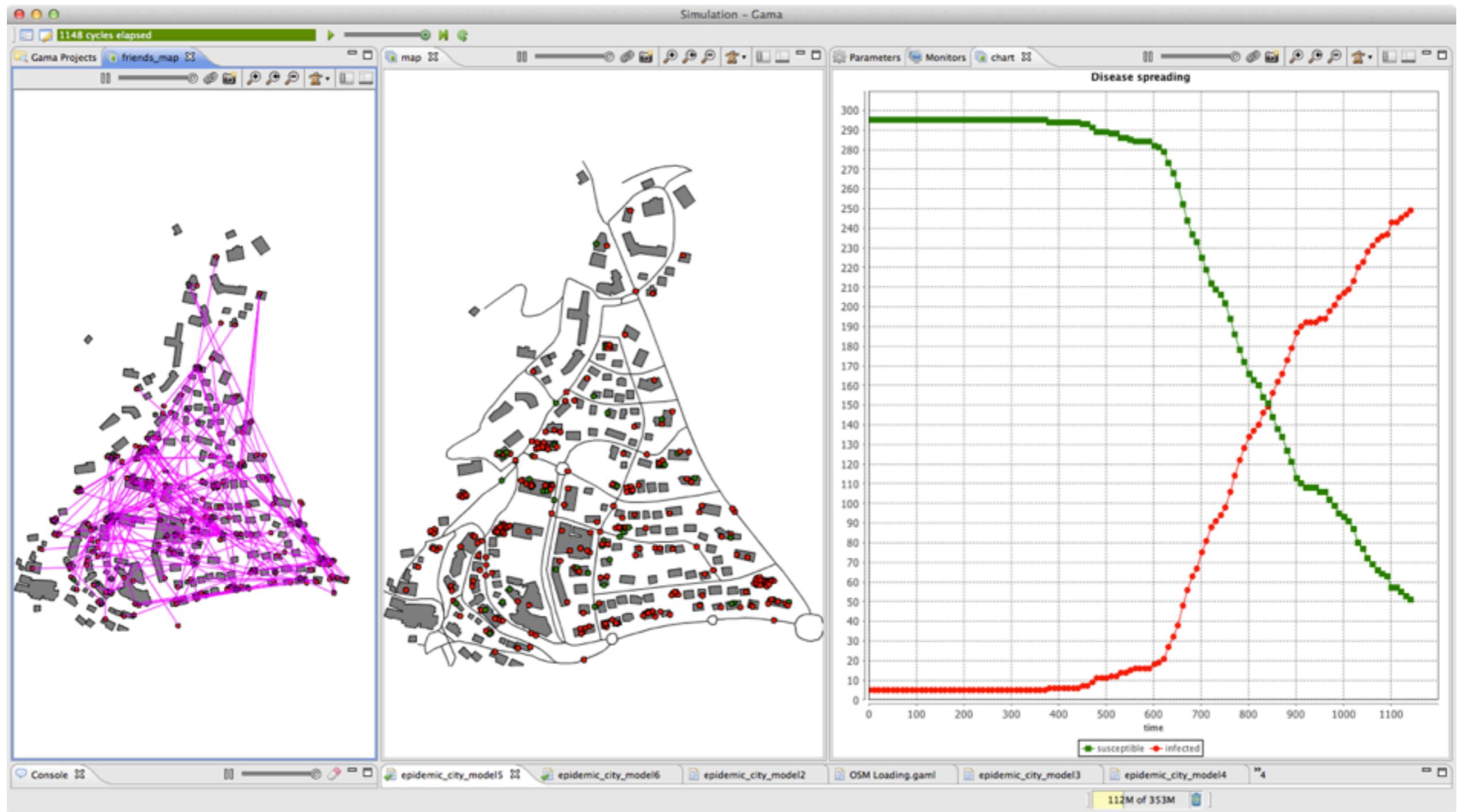
    output {
        // monitor and other displays
        display friends_map {
            species building aspect:geom;
            species people aspect:circle;
            species friendship_link aspect: arrow;
        }
    }
}

```

Definition of 2 new parameters

Definition of a new display with building, people and friendship_link

Model: Time to test the fifth version of the model !



Time to prepare a new experiment for demonstrations !



Model :World attributes

```

global{
    //... other attributes
    bool is_night <- true update: current_hour < 7 or current_hour > 20;

    init {
        create road from: roads_shapefile;
        road_network <- as_edge_graph(road);
        create building from: buildings_shapefile;
        friendship_graph <-generate_barabasi_albert(people,friendship_link, nb_people,
        nb_edges_nodes, false);
        ask people {
            building bd <- building closest_to self;
            location <- any_location_in(bd);
            location <- {location.x,location.y,bd.height};
        }
        ask nb_infected_init among people {
            is_infected <- true;
        }
    }
}

```

```

model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{

}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}

```

global block

Model :World attributes

```

global{
    //... other attributes
    bool is_night <- true update: current_hour < 7 or current_hour > 20;

    init {
        create road from: roads_shapefile;
        road_network <- as_edge_graph(road);
        create building from: buildings_shapefile;
        friendship_graph <-generate_barabasi_albert(people,friendship_link, nb_people,
        nb_edges_nodes, false);
        ask people {
            building bd <- building closest_to self;
            location <- any_location_in(bd);
            location <- {location.x,location.y,bd.height};
        }
        ask nb_infected_init among people {
            is_infected <- true;
        }
    }
}

```

```

model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{

}

experiment my_model type: gui {
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```

New `is_night` variable: if hour < 7 and > 20, then `true`

global block

Model :World attributes

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New `is_night` variable: if hour < 7 and > 20, then `true`

Add a z to the location to put the people agent on the top of the building

Model : road and building agents

```
model my_model

global {

}

species my_species{

}

experiment my_model type: gui {
```

```
species road {
    geometry display_shape <- shape + 2.0;
    //....
    aspect geom3D {
        draw display_shape color: #black depth: 0.1;
    }
}

species building {
    float height <- 20#m + rnd(20) #m;
    //....
    aspect geom3D {
        draw shape color: #gray depth: height texture:[ "../includes/
rooftop.png", "../includes/texture1.jpg" ];
    }
}
```

Model : road and building agents

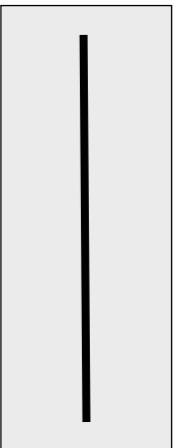
Definition of new variable of type geometry that represent the geometry of the road (polyline) with a buffer of 2m

```

species road {
    geometry display_shape <- shape + 2.0;
    //....
    aspect geom3D {
        draw display_shape color: #black depth: 0.1;
    }
}

species building {
    float height <- 20#m + rnd(20) #m;
    //....
    aspect geom3D {
        draw shape color: #gray depth: height texture:[ "../includes/
rooftop.png", "../includes/texture1.jpg" ];
    }
}

```



```
model my_model
```

```
global {
}
```

```
species my_species{
}
```

```
experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```

Model : road and building agents

Definition of new variable of type geometry that represent the geometry of the road (polyline) with a buffer of 2m

New aspect: draw the display_shape geometry with a depth of 3m

```
species road {
    geometry display_shape <- shape + 2.0;
    //...
    aspect geom3D {
        draw display_shape color: #black depth: 0.1;
    }
}
```

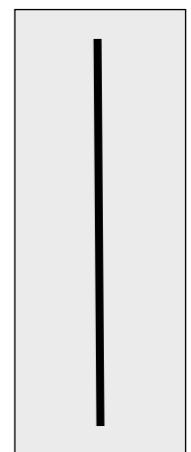
```
species building {
    float height <- 20#m + rnd(20) #m;
    //...
    aspect geom3D {
        draw shape color: #gray depth: height texture:[ "../includes/
            roof_top.png", "../includes/texture1.jpg" ];
    }
}
```

```
model my_model
```

```
global {  
}
```

```
species my_species{  
}
```

```
experiment my_model type: gui {  
}
```



Model : road and building agents

Definition of new variable of type geometry that represent the geometry of the road (polyline) with a buffer of 2m

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species road {
    geometry display_shape <- shape + 2.0;
    //....
```

New aspect: draw the display_shape geometry with a depth of 3m

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    aspect geom3D {
        draw display_shape color: #black depth: 0.1;
    }
}
```

New variable *height*: value between 10 and 10 meters

```
species building {
    float height <- 20#m + rnd(20) #m;
    //....
```

 `aspect geom3D {`

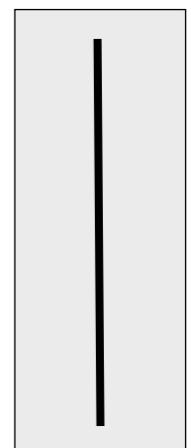
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        draw shape color: #gray depth: height texture:[ "../includes/roof_top.png", "../includes/texture1.jpg" ];
    }
}
```

```
model my_model
```

```
global { }
```

```
species my_species{ }
```

```
experiment my_model type: gui { }
```



Model : road and building agents

Definition of new variable of type geometry that represent the geometry of the road (polyline) with a buffer of 2m

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    //....
```

New aspect: draw the display_shape geometry with a depth of 3m

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    }
}
```

New variable *height*: value between 10 and 10 meters

```
species building {
    float height <- 20#m + rnd(20) #m;
    //....
```

New aspect: draw the shape of the agent with a depth of *height* meters and textures

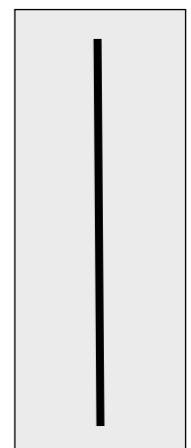
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    }
}
```

```
model my_model
```

```
global {
}
```

```
species my_species{}
```

```
experiment my_model type: gui { }
```



Model : people agents

```
model my_model

global {

}

species my_species{

}

experiment my_model type: gui {
```

```
species people skills:[moving]{
//....
reflex move when: target != nil{
    do goto target:target on: road_network;
    if (location = target) {
        location <- {location.x,location.y,(building closest_to self).height};
        target <- nil;
        staying_counter <- 0;
    }
}
aspect geom3D{
    draw pyramid(5) color: is_infected ? #red : #green;
    draw sphere(2) at: {location.x,location.y,location.z + 5} color: is_infected ? #red : #green;
}
```

Model : people agents

```
model my_model

global {
}

species my_species{
}

experiment my_model type: gui {
}
```

```
species people skills:[moving]{
//....
reflex move when: target != nil{
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}
```

Add a z to the location to put the people agent on the top of the closest building

Model : people agents

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}
```

Add a z to the location to put the people agent on the top of the closest building

New aspect: instead of drawing a circle, draw a pyramid, with a sphere at its top

```
model my_model  
  
global {  
}  
  
species my_species{  
}  
  
experiment my_model type: gui {  
}
```

Model : experiment3D experiment

```
experiment experiment3D type: gui {  
    output {  
        // monitor and other displays  
        display map_3D type: opengl ambient_light: is_night ? 30 : 120{  
            image "../includes/soil.jpg";  
            species road aspect:geom3D;  
            species building aspect:geom3D;  
            species people aspect:geom3D;  
        }  
    }  
}
```

```
model my_model  
  
global {  
}  
  
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```

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```

define a display of type opengl (3D) with an ambient light (darker during night)

Model : experiment3D experiment

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}

experiment my_model type: gui {
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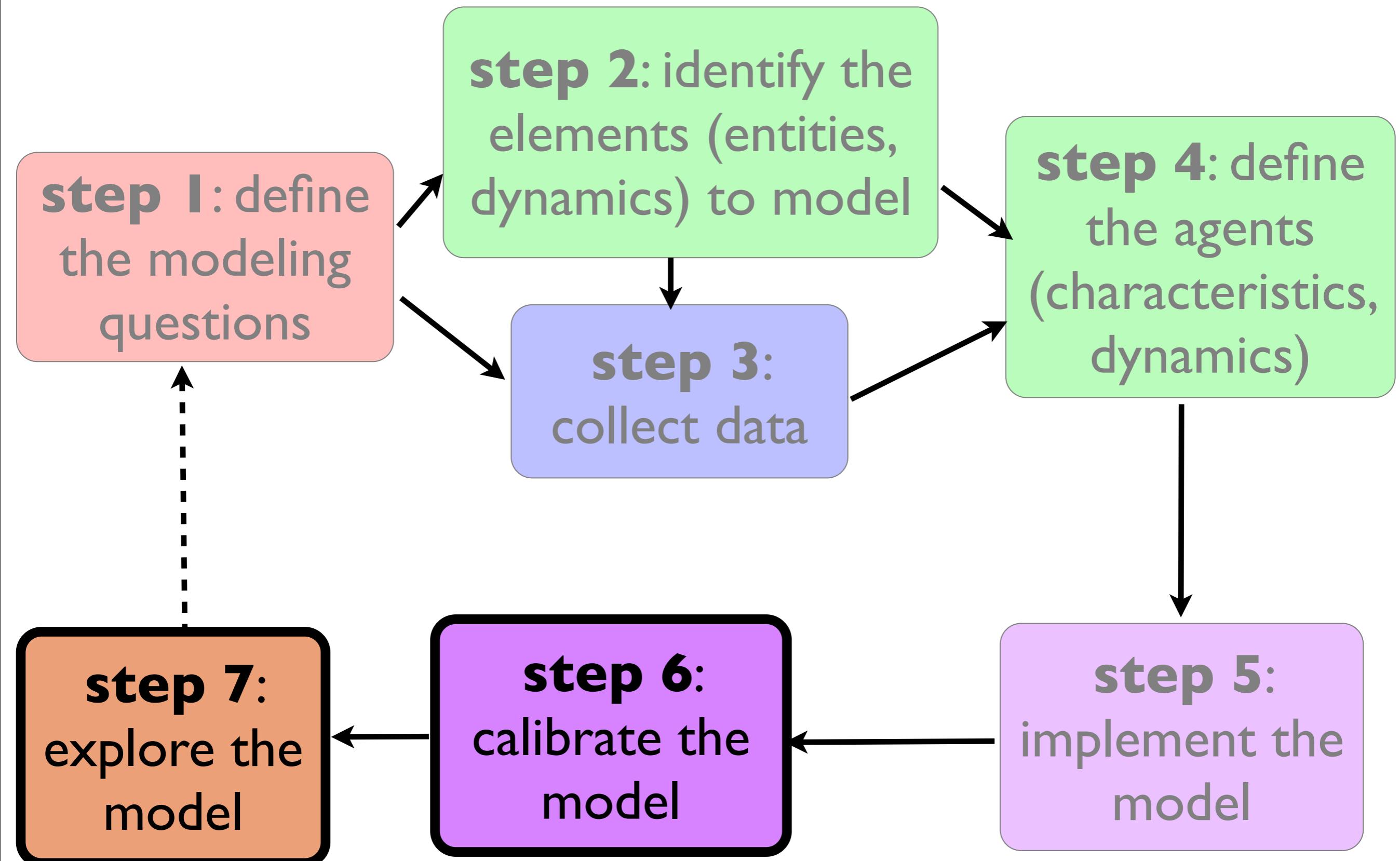
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Add an image... just because it is cool !

Model: Time to test the last version of the model !



Modeling steps



Not this time... but a short demonstration of parameter space exploration features

```
experiment Optimization type: batch keep_seed: true repeat: 2 until: ( time > 24 #h ) {  
    parameter "Nb of edges per new nodes" var: nb_edges_nodes min: 1 max: 3 step: 1 ;  
    parameter "Probability to go to see a friend" var: proba_see_friend min: 0.0 max: 1.0 step: 0.1 ;  
  
    method hill_climbing minimize: infected_rate;  
  
    reflex save_result {  
        save [nb_edges_nodes, proba_see_friend, infected_rate] to: "result.csv" type: "csv";  
    }  
}
```

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Batch experiment: each simulation will be stopped after 24h, and each parameter combination will be tested twice (2 simulations per parameter combination)

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The two parameters to explore
and their possible values

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Use hill-climbing to explore the parameter space. Fitness: infected_rate

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The two parameters to explore and their possible values

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Reflex activated at the end of each simulation that saves the value of the variable *nb_edges_nodes*, *proba_see_friend* and *infected_rate* into a CSV file (a line per simulation)