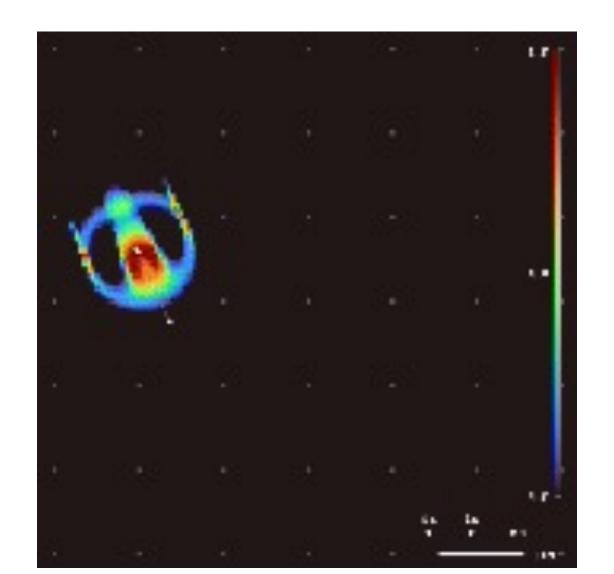
# Research Progress Lenia with Boids

#### Lenia: Continuous Cellular Automaton

Continuous states version of Game of Life

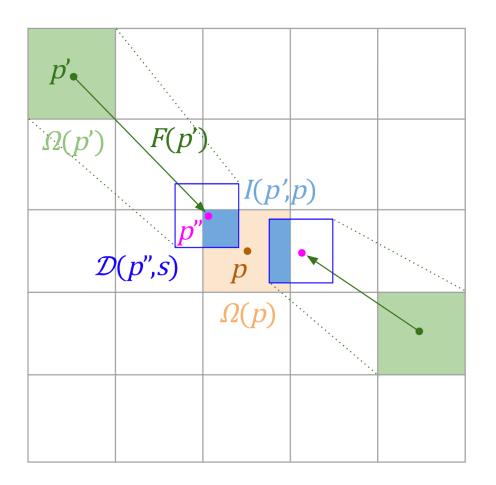


# My Goal

 Implement dynamic, mass-conservative Lenia

# Approach 1: Flow Lenia

#### Mass conservative

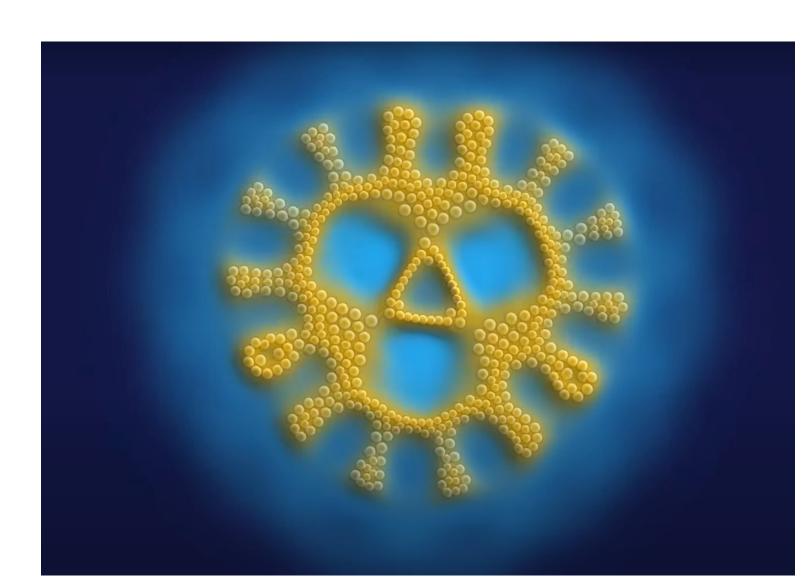




## Approach 2: Particle Lenia

Particle-based Lenia

Make gradient with lenia rules

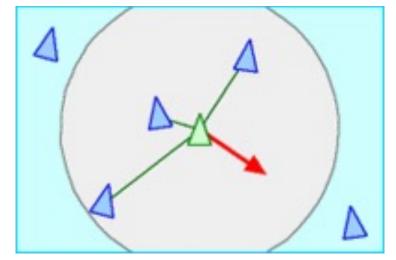


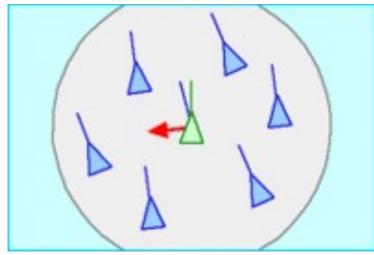
## Boid Model: Flocking Behavior

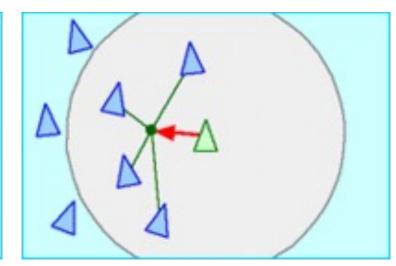
Separation

Alignment

Cohesion





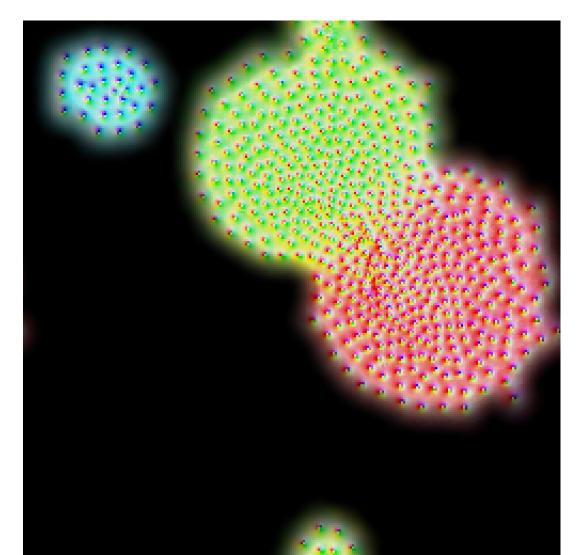


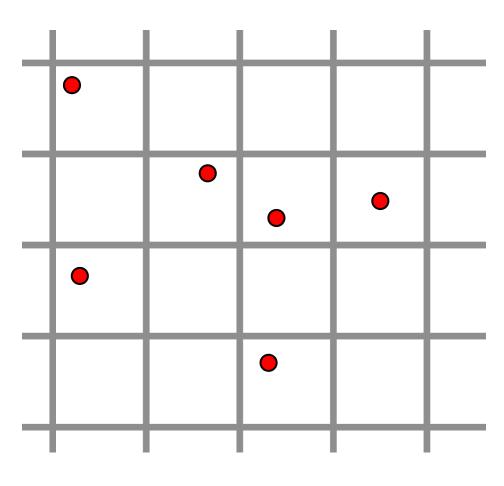
### Method

 Growth determine force, instead of cell value velocity as input

 Force field calculated based on Boids and Lenia rules.

# Current implementation: Per-pixel particle

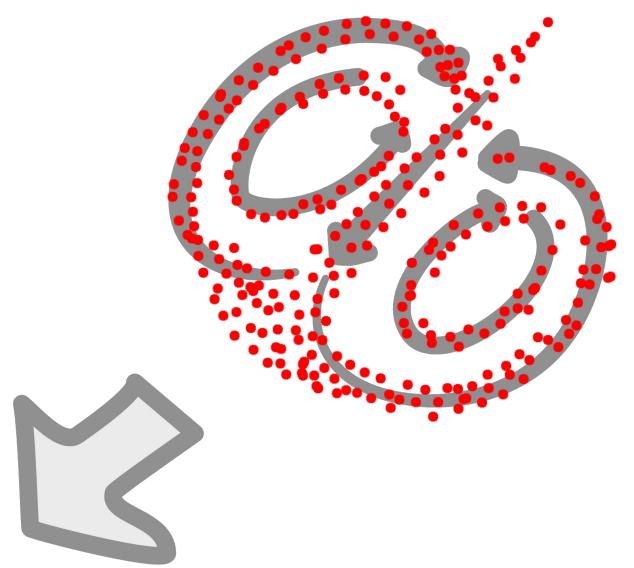




# Future plans

- Re-implement to handle arbitrary Lenia parameters.
- Define "interesting behavior" and use machine learning to find parameters

# Expected outcome



# Thank you