# An empirical study of fixation for strategies in the Iterated Prisoner's Dilemma

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#### Abstract

The Iterated Prisoner's Dilemma is a well established framework for the study of emergent behaviour. In this paper an extensive numerical study of the evolutionary dynamics of this framework are presented.

Fixation probabilities for Moran processes are obtained for 172 different strategies. This is done in both a standard 200 turn interaction and a noisy setting.

To the authors knowledge this is the largest such study. It allows for insights about the behaviour and performance of strategies with regard to their survival in an evolutionary setting.

#### 1 Introduction

Since the formulation of the Moran Process in [15], this model of evolutionary population dynamics has been used to gain insights about the evolutionary stability of strategies in a number of settings. Similarly since the first Iterated Prisoner's Dilemma (IPD) tournament described in [3] the Prisoner's dilemma has been used to understand the evolution of cooperative behaviour in complex systems.

The analytical models of a Moran process are based on the relative fitness between two strategies and take this to be a fixed value r [17]. This is a valid model for simple strategies of the Prisoner's Dilemma such as to always cooperate or always defect. This manuscript provides a detailed numerical analysis of 164 complex and adaptive strategies for the IPD. In this case the relative fitness of a strategy is dependent on the population distribution.

Further deviations from the analytical model occur when interactions between players are subject to uncertainty. This is referred to as noise and has been considered in the IPD setting in [6, 16, 21].

This work provides answers to the following questions:

- 1. What strategies are good invaders?
- 2. What strategies are good at resisting invasion?
- 3. How does the population size affect these findings?

Figure 1 shows a diagrammatic representation of the Moran process. This process is a stochastic birth death process on a finite population in which the population size stays constant over time. Individuals are **selected** according to a given fitness landscape. Once selected, a given individual is reproduced and similarly another individual is chosen to be removed from the population. In some settings mutation is also considered but without mutation (the case considered in this work) this process will arrive at an absorbing state where the population is entirely made up of a single individual. The probability with which a given strategy is the survivor is called the fixation probability. A more detailed analytic description of this is given in Section 3.

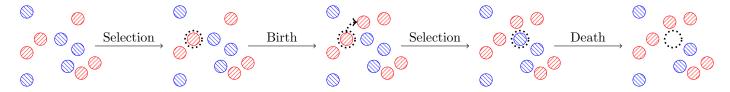


Figure 1: A diagrammatic representation of a Moran process

The Moran process was initially introduced in [15] in a genetic setting. It has since been used in a variety of settings including the understanding of the spread of cooperative behaviour. However, as stated before, these mainly consider non sophisticated strategies. Some work has looked at evolutionary stability of strategies within the Prisoner's Dilemma [11]

but this is not done in the more widely used setting of the Moran process but in terms of infinite population stability. In [5] Moran processes are looked at in a theoretic framework for a small subset of strategies. In [9] machine learning techniques are used to train a strategy capable of resisting invasion and also invade any memory one strategy. Recent work [7] has investigated the effect of memory length on strategy performance and the emergence of cooperation but this is not done in Moran process context and only considers specific cases of memory 2 strategies.

The contribution of this work is a detailed and extensive analysis of absorption probabilities for 164 strategies. These strategies and the numerical simulations are from [19] which is an open source research library written for the study of the IPD. The strategies and simulation frameworks are automatically tested in accordance to best research software practice. The large number of strategies are available thanks to the open source nature of the project with over 40 contributions made by different programmers. Thus by considering Moran processes with population size greater than 2 we are taking in to account the effect of complex population dynamics. By considering sophisticated strategies we are taking in to effect the reputation of a strategy during each interaction.

Section 2 will explain the methodological approach used, Section 3 will validate the methodology by comparing simulated results to analytical results. The main results of this manuscript are presented in Section 4 which will present a detailed analysis of all the data generated. Finally, Section 5 will conclude and offer future avenues for the work presented here.

## 2 Methodology

To carry out this large numerical experiment 164 strategies are used from [19]. These include 161 default strategies in the library at the time (excluding strategies classified as having a long run time and those that make use of the length of the game) as well as the following 3 finite state machine machine strategies [2]:

Appendix A shows all the players in question. More information about each player can be obtained in the documentation for [19]. There are 43 stochastic and 121 deterministic strategies. Their memory depth is shown in Table 1.

Memory Depth	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	9	10	11	12	16	20	40	200	$\infty$
Count	3	31	12	8	2	6	1	1	5	1	1	2	2	2	1	86

Table 1: Memory depth

All strategies are paired and these pairs are used in 1000 repetitions of a Moran process assuming a starting population of (N/2, N/2). This is repeated for even N between 2 and 14. The fixation probability is then estimated for each value of N.

Note that due to the high computational cost of these experiments, for any given interaction between two players within the Moran process the outcome is sampled from a pre computed cache of 1000 match outcomes. This is carried out using an software written for the purpose of this work. This has been implemented in [19] ensuring that it can be used to either reproduce the work or carry out further work.

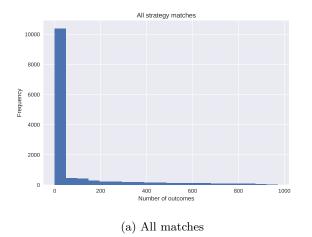
Figure 2 shows the distribution of the number of outcomes between all strategy pairs. Tables 2 shows that 95% of the stochastic matches have less than 788 unique outcomes whilst the maximum number is 971. This ensures that using a set of cached results from 1000 precomputed matches is sufficient for the analysis taking place here.

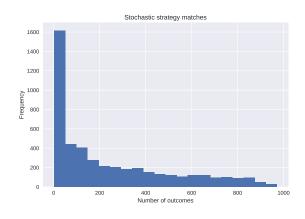
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count	13530.00	count	4753.00
mean	85.98	mean	242.90
$\operatorname{std}$	192.58	$\operatorname{std}$	260.04
$\min$	1.00	$\min$	2.00
25%	1.00	25%	28.00
50%	1.00	50%	139.00
75%	36.00	75%	394.00
95%	595.00	95%	788.00
max	971.00	max	971.00

Table 2: Summary statistics for the number of different match outcomes used as the cached results

(b) Stochastic matches

(a) All matches





(b) Stochastic matches

Figure 2: The distribution of the number of unique outcomes used as the cached results

Section 3 will validate the methodology used here against known theoretic results.

#### 3 Validation

As described in [17] Consider the payoff matrix:

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} a, b \\ c, d \end{pmatrix} \tag{1}$$

The expected payoffs of i players of the first type in a population with N-i players of the second type are given by:

$$F_i = \frac{a(i-1) + b(N-i)}{N-1} \tag{2}$$

$$G_i = \frac{ci + d(N - i - 1)}{N - 1} \tag{3}$$

With an intensity of selection  $\omega$  the fitness of both strategies is given by:

$$f_i = 1 - \omega + \omega F_i \tag{4}$$

$$g_i = 1 - \omega + \omega G_i \tag{5}$$

The transitions within the birth death process that underpins the Moran process are then given by:

$$p_{i,i+1} = \frac{if_i}{if_i + (N-i)g_i} \frac{N-i}{N}$$
 (6)

$$p_{i,i-1} = \frac{(N-i)g_i}{if_i + (N-i)g_i} \frac{i}{N}$$
(7)

$$p_{ii} = 1 - p_{i,i+1} - p_{i,i-1} \tag{8}$$

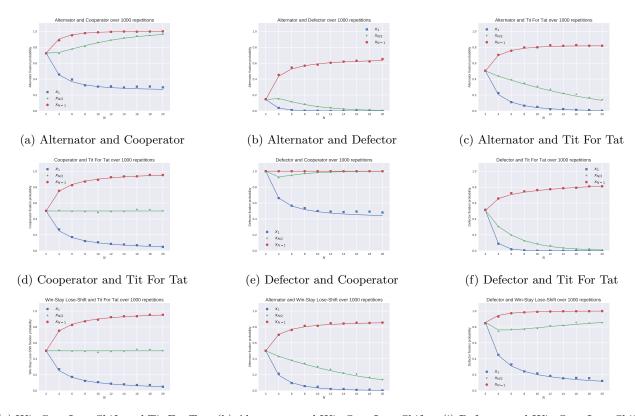
Using this it is a known result that the fixation probability of the first strategy in a population of i individuals of the first type (and N-i individuals of the second. We have:

$$x_{i} = \frac{1 + \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \prod_{k=1}^{j} \gamma_{j}}{1 + \sum_{j=1}^{N-1} \prod_{k=1}^{j} \gamma_{j}}$$
(9)

where:

$$\gamma_j = \frac{p_{j,j-1}}{p_{j,j+1}}$$

Using this comparisons of  $x_1, x_{N/2}, x_{N-1}$  are shown in Figure 16. The points represent the simulated values and the line shows the theoretic value. Note that these are all deterministic strategies and show a perfect match up between the expected value of (9) and the actual Moran process for all strategies pairs.



(g) Win Stay Lose Shift and Tit For Tat (h) Alternator and Win Stay Lose Shift (i) Defector and Win Stay Lose Shift

Figure 3: Comparison of theoretic and actual Moran Process fixation probabilities for **deterministic** strategies

Figure 17 shows the fixation probabilities for stochastic strategies. These are no longer a good match which highlights the weakness of the analytical formulae that relies on the average payoffs. A detailed analysis of the 164 strategies considered, using direct Moran processes will be shown in the next Section.

## 4 Empirical results

This section will outline the data analysis carried out:

- Section 4.1 will consider the specific case of N=2.
- Section 4.2 will investigate the effect of population size on the ability of a strategy to invade another population. This will highlight how complex strategies with long memories outperform simpler strategies.
- Section 4.3 will similarly investigate the ability to defend against an invasion.
- Section 4.4 will investigate the relationship between performance for differing population sizes. This highlights the importance of considering population dynamics over large populations.
- Section 4.5 will calculate the relative fitness of all strategies.

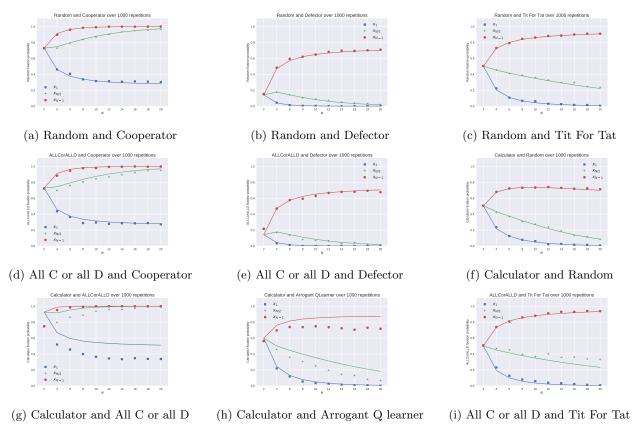


Figure 4: Comparison of theoretic and actual Moran Process fixation probabilities for stochastic strategies

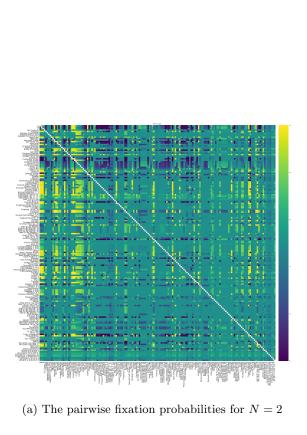
#### 4.1 The special case of N=2

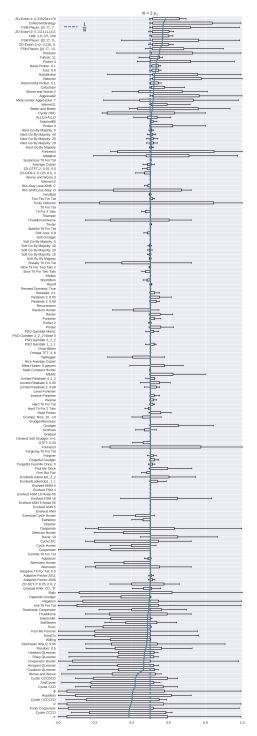
The main fixation probabilities of interest are  $x_1$  and  $x_{N-1}$ , these reflect a strategy's ability to invade or resist invasion. For N=2 these two cases coincide. Figure 5a shows all pairwise fixation probabilities for strategies on the vertical column when being matched against probabilities on the horizontal column. This is summarised in Figure 5b and Table 3.

- 1. The top strategy is an extortionate Zero determinant strategy [18] with parameters l=1 and s=1/4.
- 2. The Collective strategy has a simple handshake mechanism (a cooperation followed by a defection on the first move). It then either cooperates or defects for all rounds [10]. This strategy was specifically designed for Evolutionary processes so it is perhaps also not surprising that it does well here.
- 3. The finite state machine stragegy
- 4. The Feld strategy is the corresponding strategy submitted to Axelrod's first tournament [3]: it punishes defections but otherwise defects with a random probability that decays over time.
- 5. The final strategy in the top five is another extortionate Zero determinant strategy [18] with parameters l=p.

Player	Median $p_1$	Memory Depth	Stochastic
ZD-Extort-4: 0.23529411764705882, 0.25, 1	0.584	1	True
CollectiveStrategy	0.572	$\infty$	False
FSM Player: [(0, 'C', 7, 'C'), (0, 'D', 1, 'C'	0.570	1	False
Feld: 1.0, 0.5, 200	0.568	200	True
ZD-Extort-2: 0.1111111111111111, 0.5	0.568	1	True

Table 3: Summary of top five strategies for N=2





(b) The median fixation probabilities for  ${\cal N}=2$ 

As will be demonstrated in Section 4.4 N=2 is a particular case. In the next sections we will pay close attention to strategies who are strong invaders/resistors and shown diagrammatically in Figure 6.



Figure 6: A single individual will successfully invade the population with probability  $x_1$ . The group of Individuals will successfully resist with probability  $x_{N-1}$ 

#### 4.2 Strong invaders

In this section  $x_i$  will be investigated: the probability of 1 individual of a given type successfully becoming fixated in a population of N-1 other individuals. Figures 7 shows these values for the players along the vertical axis when matched against the players on the horizontal axis. It can be seen that invasion is in general more challenging for N=7 and N=12 in comparison to N=3. This information is summarised in Figure 8 showing the median fixation as well as the neutral fixation for each given scenario.

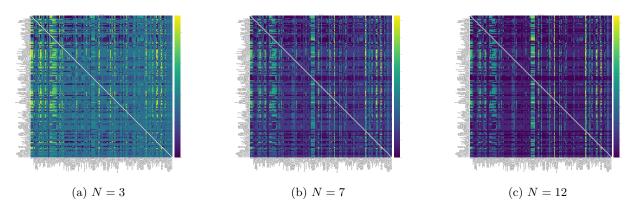


Figure 7: Pairwise fixation probability  $x_1$  of all strategies

For  $N \in \{3, 7, 12\}$  the top five strategies are given in Tables 5.

It can be seen that apart from the Collective strategy, none of the strategies of Table 3 perform well for  $N \in \{3, 7, 12\}$ . The new high performing strategies are:

- Predator, a finite state machine described in [2].
- Prober 4, complex strategy with an initial 20 move sequence of cooperations and defections [13]. This initial sequence serves as some kind of handshake.
- Remorseful Prober, a strategy that will not immediately retaliate when it recognises that the opponent is itself retaliating to a random defection [12].
- Worse and worse 2: plays tit for tat for 20 moves and then defects with with growing probability [13].
- Tester: a strategy submitted to the second of Axelrod's tournaments [4].

As well as noting that the memory length and complexity of these strategies are quite complex it is interesting to note that none of them are akin to memory one strategies. Most are not stochastic.

In the next section the performance in terms of  $x_{N-1}$  will be described: what strategies are particularly good at resisting an invasion.



Figure 8: Median probabilities  $x_1$  of all strategies as well as the neutral fixation probability

Player	Median $p_1$	Memory Depth	Stochastic
CollectiveStrategy	0.403	$\infty$	False
Predator	0.396	9	False
Prober 4	0.368	$\infty$	False
Remorseful Prober: 0.1	0.357	2	True
Worse and Worse 2	0.355	$\infty$	True
	(a) $N =$	3	
Player	Median $p_1$	Memory Depth	Stochastic
Prober 4	0.177	$\infty$	False
CollectiveStrategy	0.170	$\infty$	False
Worse and Worse 2	0.159	$\infty$	True
Predator	0.158	9	False
Remorseful Prober: 0.1	0.146	2	True
	(b) $N =$	7	
Player	Median $p_1$	Memory Depth	Stochastic
Prober 4	0.105	$\infty$	False
Worse and Worse 2	0.093	$\infty$	True
Remorseful Prober: 0.1	0.089	2	True
Predator	0.088	9	False
Tester	0.088	$\infty$	False

(c) N = 12

Table 4: Properties of top five invaders

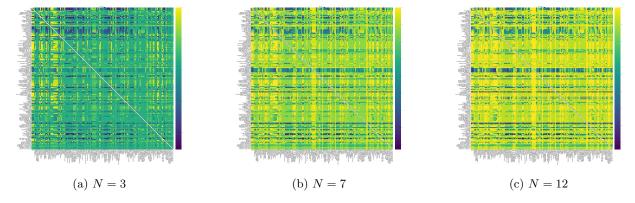


Figure 9: Pairwise fixation probability  $\boldsymbol{x}_{N-1}$  of all strategies

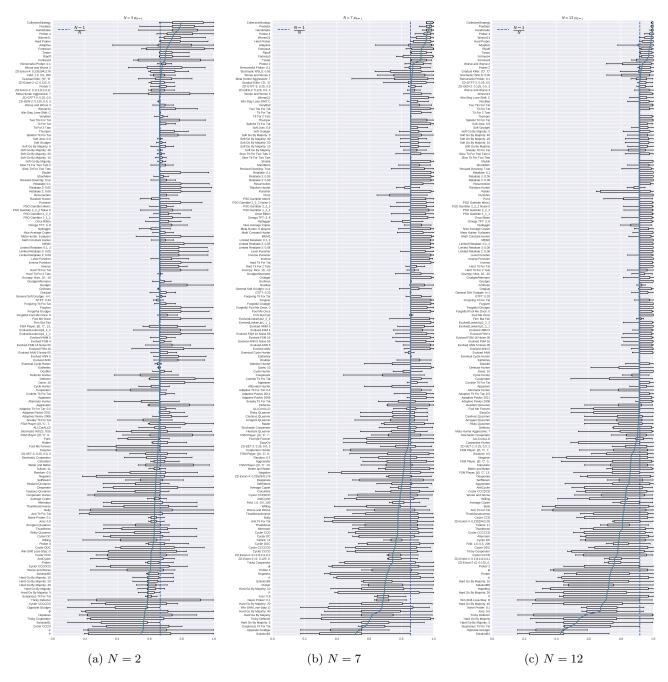


Figure 10: Median probabilities  $x_{N-1}$  of all strategies as well as the neutral fixation probability

Player	Median $p_{N-1}$	Memory Depth	Stochastic
CollectiveStrategy	0.796	$\infty$	False
Predator	0.792	9	False
Handshake	0.779	$\infty$	False
Prober 4	0.752	$\infty$	False
Winner21	0.742	2	False
	(a) N =	= 3	
Player	Median $p_{N-1}$	Memory Depth	Stochastic
CollectiveStrategy	0.983	$\infty$	False
Predator	0.975	9	False
Handshake	0.970	$\infty$	False
Prober 4	0.958	$\infty$	False
Winner21	0.956	2	False
	(b) N =	= 7	
Player	Median $p_{N-1}$	Memory Depth	Stochastic
CollectiveStrategy	0.999	$\infty$	False
Handshake	0.997	$\infty$	False
Predator	0.997	9	False
Prober 4	0.993	$\infty$	False
Winner21	0.988	2	False
	(c) N =	12	

Table 5: Properties of top five strategies resistors

#### 4.3 Strong resistors

#### 4.4 The effect of population size

Figures 11, 12 and 13 show the median rank of each strategy against population size. Note that these ranks are not necessarily integers as group ties are given the average rank.

Tables 6a, 6b and 6c show the correlation coefficients of the ranks in of strategies in differing population size. This is shown graphically in Figure 14. It is immediate to note that how well a strategy performs in any Moran process for N > 2 has little to do with the performance for N = 2.

#### 4.5 Relative fitness

Under the assumption of a constant relative fitness r between two strategies [17] the formula for  $x_i$  (for given N, r is:

$$x_i = x_i(r) = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{r^i}}{1 - \frac{1}{r^N}} \tag{10}$$

Figure 15 shows this function for N = 10 and  $i \in \{1, 5, 10\}$ .

The first and second derivative of (10) is given by equations (11) and (12).

$$\frac{dx_i}{dr} = \frac{r^{N-i-1}}{r^{2N} - 2r^N + 1} \left( -Nr^i + N + ir^N - i \right) \tag{11}$$

$$\frac{d^{2}x_{i}}{dr^{2}} = \frac{r^{N-i-2}}{\left(r^{N}-1\right)^{3}} \left(2N^{2}\left(r^{i}-1\right)+N\left(r^{N}-1\right)\left(N\left(r^{i}-1\right)-2i+r^{i}-1\right)-i\left(i+1\right)\left(r^{N}-1\right)^{2}\right)$$
(12)

Using these, Halley's method [1] can be used to efficiently numerically invert  $x_i(r)$  to obtain a theoretic relative fitness r that gives the calculated  $x_i(r)$  between two strategies for a given N, i.



Figure 11: invade

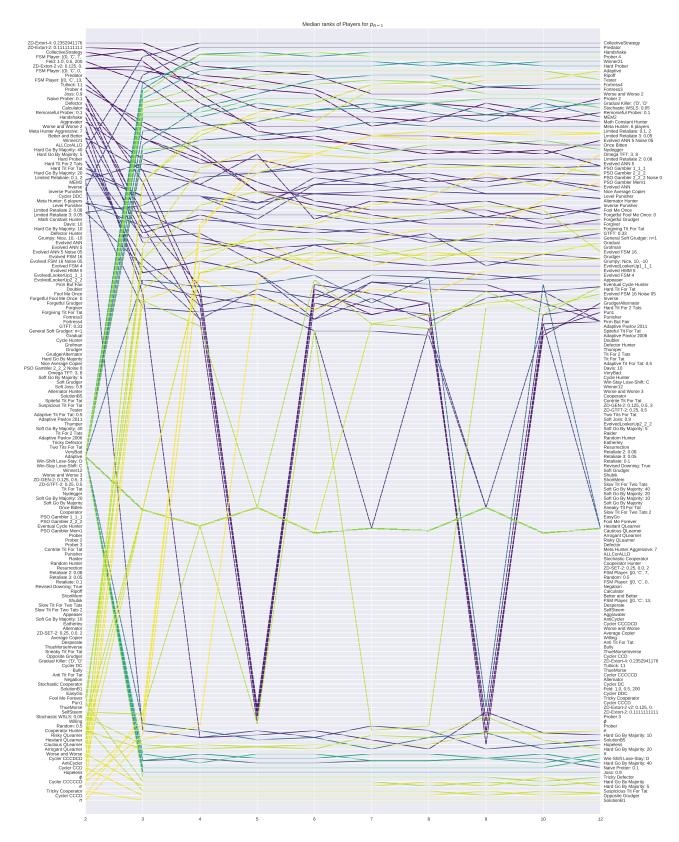


Figure 12: resist

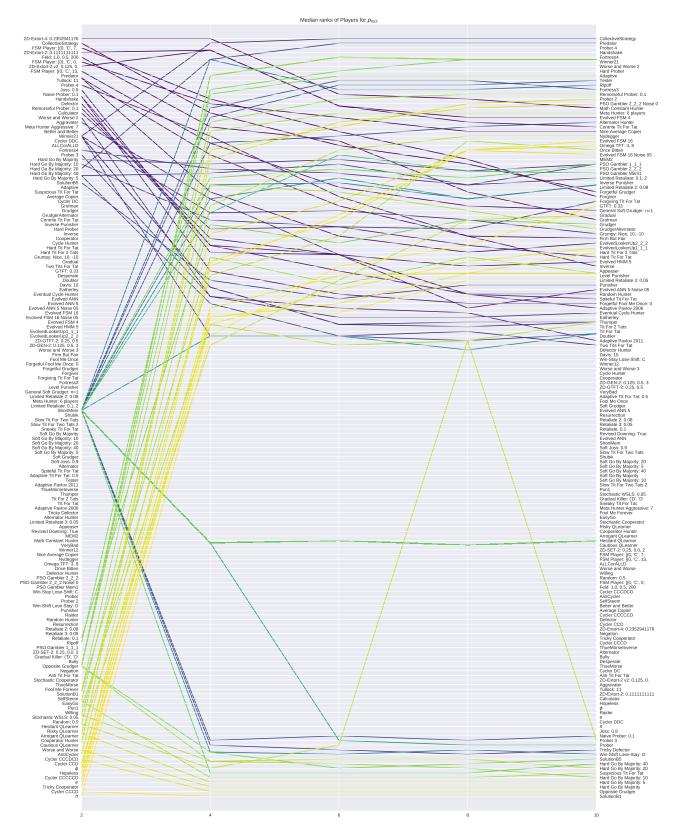


Figure 13: Coexistance

N	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	12
2	1.00	0.44	0.26	0.17	0.15	0.12	0.08	0.08	0.08	0.04
3	0.44	1.00	0.92	0.87	0.87	0.86	0.83	0.83	0.84	0.81
4	0.26	0.92	1.00	0.97	0.96	0.97	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.94
5	0.17	0.87	0.97	1.00	0.98	0.99	0.97	0.98	0.98	0.97
6	0.15	0.87	0.96	0.98	1.00	0.99	0.97	0.97	0.98	0.97
7	0.12	0.86	0.97	0.99	0.99	1.00	0.98	0.98	0.99	0.98
8	0.08	0.83	0.95	0.97	0.97	0.98	1.00	0.97	0.98	0.97
9	0.08	0.83	0.95	0.98	0.97	0.98	0.97	1.00	0.99	0.99
10	0.08	0.84	0.95	0.98	0.98	0.99	0.98	0.99	1.00	0.99
12	0.04	0.81	0.94	0.97	0.97	0.98	0.97	0.99	0.99	1.00
		(a) (	Correlat	ion coe	fficients	for ran	ıks for i	nvasion		
N	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	12
2	1.00	0.61	0.42	0.29	0.35	0.34	0.34	0.21	0.30	0.29
3	0.61	1.00	0.91	0.81	0.87	0.87	0.87	0.76	0.85	0.83
4	0.42	0.91	1.00	0.93	0.98	0.97	0.97	0.89	0.96	0.95
5	0.29	0.81	0.93	1.00	0.93	0.94	0.94	0.96	0.93	0.91
6	0.35	0.87	0.98	0.93	1.00	0.98	0.98	0.92	0.99	0.98
7	0.34	0.87	0.97	0.94	0.98	1.00	1.00	0.92	0.99	0.98
8	0.34	0.87	0.97	0.94	0.98	1.00	1.00	0.91	0.98	0.97
9	0.21	0.76	0.89	0.96	0.92	0.92	0.91	1.00	0.93	0.94
10	0.30	0.85	0.96	0.93	0.99	0.99	0.98	0.93	1.00	0.99
12	0.29	0.83	0.95	0.91	0.98	0.98	0.97	0.94	0.99	1.00

#### (b) Correlation coefficients for ranks for resistance

N	2	4	6	8	10
2	1.00	0.25	0.19	0.12	0.13
4	0.25	1.00	0.99	0.97	0.98
6	0.19	0.99	1.00	0.98	1.00
8	0.12	0.97	0.98	1.00	0.99
10	0.13	0.98	1.00	0.99	1.00

(c) Correlation coefficients for ranks for coexistance

Table 6: Correlation coefficients of rankings by population size

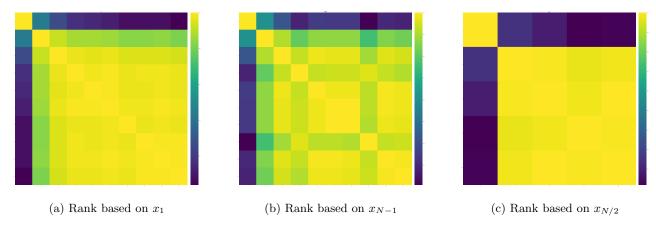


Figure 14: Heatmap of correlation coefficients of rankings by population size

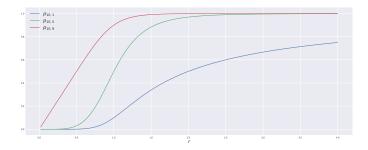
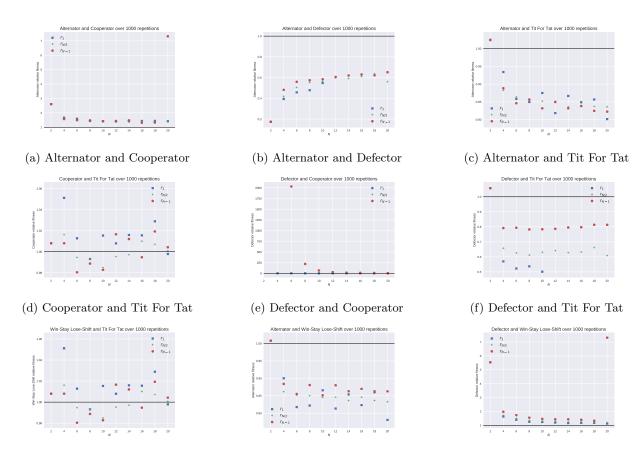


Figure 15:  $x_i(r)$ 



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Figure 16: Estimated relative fitness for **deterministic** strategies

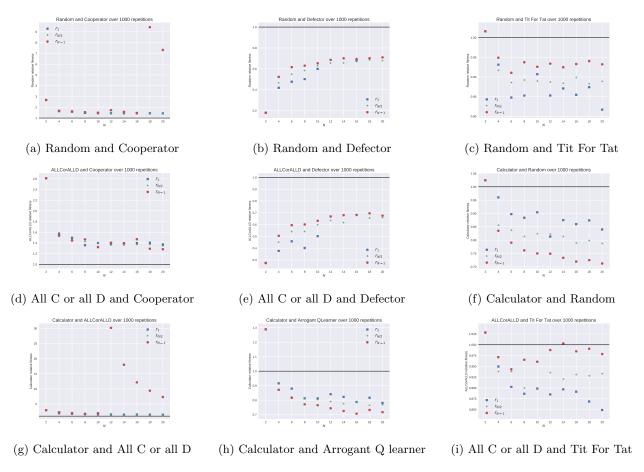


Figure 17: Estimated relative fitness for **stochastic** strategies

#### 5 Conclusion

Further work:

- Spatial structure;
- More than two types in the population;
- Modified Moran processes (Fermi selection);
- Mutation:

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- The pandas and numpy libraries (data manipulation) [14, 20].

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## A List of players

- 1. Hard Tit For Tat
- 2. Negation
- 3. Nice Average Copier
- 4. Nydegger
- 5. Winner21
- 6. Winner12
- 7.  $\pi$
- 8. Win-Shift Lose-Stay: D
- 9. Omega TFT: 3, 8
- 10. Opposite Grudger
- 11. FSM Player: [(0, 'C', 13, 'D'), (0, 'D', 12, 'D'), (1, 'C', 3, 'D'), (1, 'D', 4, 'D'), (2, 'C', 14, 'D'), (2, 'D', 9, 'D'), (3, 'C', 0, 'C'), (3, 'D', 1, 'D'), (4, 'C', 1, 'D'), (4, 'D', 2, 'D'), (5, 'C', 12, 'C'), (5, 'D', 6, 'C'), (6, 'C', 1, 'C'), (6, 'D', 14, 'D'), (7, 'C', 12, 'D'), (7, 'D', 2, 'D'), (8, 'C', 7, 'D'), (8, 'D', 9, 'D'), (9, 'C', 8, 'D'), (9, 'D', 0, 'D'), (10, 'C', 2, 'C'), (10, 'D', 15, 'C'), (11, 'C', 7, 'D'), (11, 'D', 13, 'D'), (12, 'C', 3, 'C'), (12, 'D', 8, 'D'), (13, 'C', 7, 'C'), (13, 'D', 10, 'D'), (14, 'C', 10, 'D'), (14, 'D', 7, 'D'), (15, 'C', 15, 'C'), (15, 'D', 11, 'D')], 1, C
- 12. Once Bitten

- 13. Predator
- 14. FSM Player: [(0, 'C', 0, 'C'), (0, 'D', 3, 'C'), (1, 'C', 5, 'D'), (1, 'D', 0, 'C'), (2, 'C', 3, 'C'), (2, 'D', 2, 'D'), (3, 'C', 4, 'D'), (3, 'D', 6, 'D'), (4, 'C', 3, 'C'), (4, 'D', 1, 'D'), (5, 'C', 6, 'C'), (5, 'D', 3, 'D'), (6, 'C', 6, 'D'), (6, 'D', 6, 'D'), (7, 'C', 7, 'D'), (7, 'D', 5, 'C')], 1, C
- 15. Prober 2
- 16. Prober
- 17. Prober 3
- 18. Tricky Defector
- 19. Tullock: 11
- 20. VeryBad
- 21. Prober 4
- 22. Willing
- 23. Worse and Worse 2
- 24. Pun1
- 25. Two Tits For Tat
- 26. Tricky Cooperator
- 27. PSO Gambler 2\_2\_2
- 28. PSO Gambler  $1_{-}1_{-}1$
- 29. Tit For Tat

- 30. Worse and Worse
- 31. ZD-Extort-2: 0.1111111111111111, 0.5
- 32. Worse and Worse 3
- 33. Win-Stay Lose-Shift: C
- 34. Hard Tit For 2 Tats
- 35. Tit For 2 Tats
- 36. Hard Go By Majority
- 37. Cycle Hunter
- 38. Fool Me Once
- 39. ZD-GTFT-2: 0.25, 0.5
- 40. Adaptive
- 41. Cooperator Hunter
- 42. Forgiving Tit For Tat
- 43. Handshake
- 44. Eventual Cycle Hunter
- 45. Retaliate 3: 0.05
- 46. Forgetful Fool Me Once: 0.05
- 47. Adaptive Tit For Tat: 0.5
- 48. Forgiver
- 49. Revised Downing: True
- 50. Evolved ANN
- 51. Forgetful Grudger

- 52. Hard Go By Majority: 10 76. e 110. SolutionB1 111. Arrogant QLearner 53. PSO Gambler 2\_2\_2 Noise 05 77. Soft Go By Majority 112. Soft Go By Majority: 5 78. Hard Go By Majority: 5 54. Cycler CCCCCD 113. Defector 79. ShortMem 55. Ripoff 114. Level Punisher 80. AntiCycler 56. Aggravater 115. Spiteful Tit For Tat 81. Hesitant QLearner 57. Evolved ANN 5 116. Raider 82. Cycler DC 58. Fortress3 117. Soft Joss: 0.9 83. Evolved FSM 16 59. Hard Go By Majority: 20 118. Meta Hunter: 6 players 84. GTFT: 0.33 60. ZD-GEN-2: 0.125, 0.5, 3 119. Average Copier 85. Slow Tit For Two Tats 61. ALLCorALLD 120. Davis: 10 86. Anti Tit For Tat 62. Hard Prober 121. Limited Retaliate: 0.1, 20 87. Shubik 122. Stochastic Cooperator 63. Evolved ANN 5 Noise 05 88. General Soft Grudger: 123. ZD-Extort-4: 0.23529411764705882, 64. SelfSteem n=1,d=4,c=20.25, 165. Alternator 124.  $\phi$ 89. Soft Grudger 66. Fortress4 125. ZD-SET-2: 0.25, 0.0, 2 90. ZD-Extort-2 v2: 0.125, 0.5, 1 67. Hard Go By Majority: 40 126. Better and Better 91. Soft Go By Majority: 10 68. Cycler CCCD 127. Limited Retaliate 2: 0.08, 15 92. Hopeless 69. Risky QLearner 128. Defector Hunter 93. Adaptive Pavlov 2006 129. Random Hunter 70. FSM Player: [(0, 'C', 7, 'C'), (0, 94. Sneaky Tit For Tat 'D', 1, 'C'), (1, 'C', 11, 'D'), (1, 130. Stochastic WSLS: 0.05 'D', 11, 'D'), (2, 'C', 8, 'D'), (2, 95. Inverse 131. Gradual 'D', 8, 'C'), (3, 'C', 3, 'C'), (3, 'D', 96. Cycler DDC 12, 'D'), (4, 'C', 6, 'C'), (4, 'D', 132. Limited Retaliate 3: 0.05, 20 3, 'C'), (5, 'C', 11, 'C'), (5, 'D', 97. Evolved FSM 16 Noise 05 8, 'D'), (6, 'C', 13, 'D'), (6, 'D', 133. Random: 0.5 14, 'C'), (7, 'C', 4, 'D'), (7, 'D', 98. Adaptive Pavlov 2011 134. Retaliate 2: 0.08 2, 'D'), (8, 'C', 14, 'D'), (8, 'D', 99. Soft Go By Majority: 20 8, 'D'), (9, 'C', 0, 'C'), (9, 'D', 10, 135. Remorseful Prober: 0.1 'D'), (10, 'C', 8, 'C'), (10, 'D', 15, 100. Inverse Punisher 136. Suspicious Tit For Tat 'C'), (11, 'C', 6, 'D'), (11, 'D', 5, 'D'), (12, 'C', 6, 'D'), (12, 'D', 9, 101. PSO Gambler Mem1 137. Bully 'D'), (13, 'C', 9, 'D'), (13, 'D', 8, 138. Desperate 102. SolutionB5 'D'), (14, 'C', 8, 'D'), (14, 'D', 13, 'D'), (15, 'C', 4, 'C'), (15, 'D', 5, 139. Gradual Killer: ('D', 'D', 'D', 'D', 103. Appeaser 'C')], 1, C 'D', 'C', 'C') 104. EvolvedLookerUp2\_2\_2 71. Meta Hunter Aggressive: 7 play-140. Tester 105. Joss: 0.9
- 72. Alternator Hunter
- 73. Evolved FSM 4
- 74. Cycler CCD
- 75. Slow Tit For Two Tats 2
- 106. Cycler CCCDCD
- 107. EvolvedLookerUp1\_1\_1
- 108. Punisher
- 109. Soft Go By Majority: 40

- 141. CollectiveStrategy
- 142. Math Constant Hunter
- 143. Firm But Fair
- 144. Grofman
- 145. Feld: 1.0, 0.5, 200

146. ThueMorse	153. ThueMorseInverse	160. Calculator
147. Cautious QLearner	154. Evolved HMM 5	161 Crumpy Nice 10 10
148. Naive Prober: 0.1	155. GrudgerAlternator	161. Grumpy: Nice, 10, -10
149. Resurrection	156. MEM2	162. Thumper
150. Doubler	157. Retaliate: 0.1	169 Commenter
151. Fool Me Forever	158. Contrite Tit For Tat	163. Cooperator
152. Grudger	159. EasyGo	164. Eatherley