

Report Reinforcement Learning

1) 3 states

STATE 1

$x_i \in \{0,1\}$... i -th suit in player's hand
 $i \in \{1, \dots, 52\}$

$S \in N_0$... hodnotu mého ruky

$X_D \in \{1, \dots, 52\}$... dealerova ukázaná karta

$V_D \in N$... hodnotu dealerovy karty

$a \in \{0,1\}$... 1 akce, 0 stopa

dict = {state: [V, numerická]}

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STATE 2

$S_i \in \{1, \dots, 13\}$ number of i -th suit in player's hand

$R_j \in \{1, \dots, 13\}$ number of j -th rank in player's hand

$M \in N$ value of my hand

S_D suit of dealer's card

R_D rank of dealer's card

STATE 3

$M \in N$ value of my hand

a number of aces in hand

C_m number of cards in hand

V_D value of dealer's card

2) rough estimate of overall number of states

STATE 1

$$\left(\binom{52}{2} + \binom{52}{3} + \binom{52}{4} + \binom{52}{5} + \binom{52}{6} \right) \cdot 20 \cdot 52 \cdot 11 =$$

$$= (1326 + 22100 + 270725 + 258960) \cdot 20 \cdot 52 \cdot 11$$

$$= 32\ 032\ 000\ 000$$

STATE 2

$\binom{n+r-1}{r} \leftarrow \text{combinations with repetition}$

$n=4$ S_i

$$\left(\binom{1+4-1}{1} + \binom{2+4-1}{2} + \binom{3+4-1}{3} + \binom{4+4-1}{4} + \binom{5+4-1}{5} \right) \cdot$$

R_j

$$\left(\binom{1+13-1}{1} + \binom{2+13-1}{2} + \binom{3+13-1}{3} + \binom{4+13-1}{4} + \binom{5+13-1}{5} \right) \cdot 20 \cdot 4 \cdot 13$$

$$= (4+10+20+35+56) \cdot (13+91+455+1320+6798) \cdot 20 \cdot 4 \cdot 13$$

$$= 1\ 169\ 395\ 500$$

STATE 3

M a C V_D

$$20 \cdot 5 \cdot 9 \cdot 10 = 9000$$

Calculations for representations 1 and 2 contain many invalid states so the result is only a rough estimate.

For state 1 we calculate combinations of cards that we can have in hand and multiply this with the all possible values in hand, dealers card and its values.

For state 2 we calculate combinations of suits in hand multiplied by combinations of rank, value of hand, suit of dealers card and rank of dealers card.

For state 3 we multiply possible number of values in player's hand, number of aces in hand, cards in hand and value of dealers hand.

3) I have chosen state 3. Simply for the reason that the other two state representations are too large. It contains the value of the player's hand, number of aces in hand because that information might help us since they can contain two values, number of cards in hand and value of dealer's card. This state does not contain all the information. The simplification is in that we do not know ranks or suits of any of the cards in player's or dealer's hand. We cannot use exact methods like policy or value iteration since we do not have an MDP. Number of episodes and discount factor were chosen based on trial and error method.

6) Comparison of the agents can be found in the repository as various pdfs from averages to moving averages and so on. Estimates of the U/Q values are also in the pdfs.