

Analysis

Playing Matches											

Match #	Opponent	AB_Custom		AB_Custom_2		AB_Custom_3		AB_Custom_4		AB_Custom_5	
		Won	Lost	Won	Lost	Won	Lost	Won	Lost	Won	Lost
1	Random	188	12	185	15	188	12	187	13	185	15
2	MM_Open	157	43	141	59	149	51	133	67	143	57
3	MM_Center	168	32	174	26	177	23	168	32	170	30
4	MM_Improved	142	58	131	69	128	72	131	69	120	80
5	AB_Open	103	97	103	97	85	115	96	104	94	106
6	AB_Center	99	101	111	89	103	97	99	101	95	105
7	AB_Improved	83	117	92	108	88	112	87	113	76	124

Win Rate:		67.1%		66.9%		65.6%		64.4%		63.1%	

O = number of opponent available moves , P = number of main player available moves

Score functions:

AB_Custom : $2 * P - O$

AB_Custom_2 : $P - O$

AB_Custom_3 : $P - 2 * O$

AB_Custom_4 : P

AB_Custom_5 : $-O$

From different runs, it seem like the first 3 score functions are nearly in the same range of win percentage, trying different sample produce slightly different results, therefore no score function would give an upper hand, I believe investing time in search techniques and optimization will improve the win percentage, but for now, $2 * P - O$ seem to be a good choice.