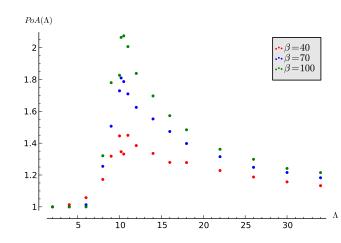
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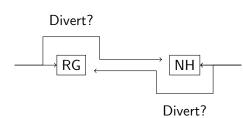
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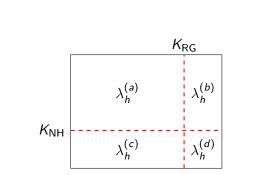
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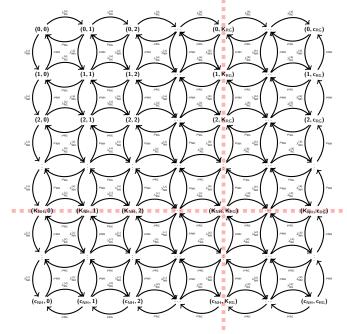
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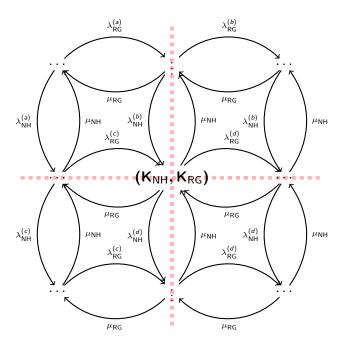
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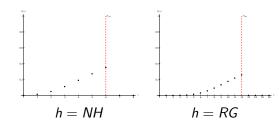




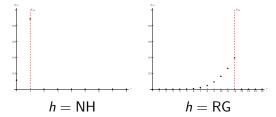




$$(K_{NH}, K_{RG}) = (6, 12)$$
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 $(K_{NH}, K_{RG}) = (1, 12)$:



For all $h \in \{NH, RG\}$ minimise:

$$(U_h-t)^2$$

Subject to:

$$0 \le K_h \le c_h$$
$$K_h \in \mathbb{Z}$$

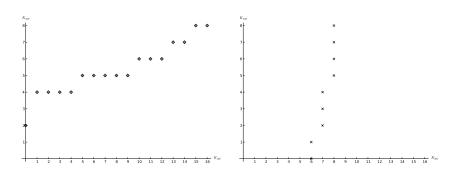
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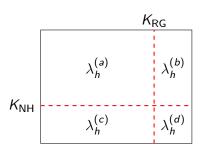
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Theorem.

Let $f_h(k): [1, c_{\bar{h}}] \to [1, c_h]$ be the best response of player $h \in \{NH, RG\}$ to the diversion threshold of $\bar{h} \neq h$ ($\bar{h} \in \{NH, RG\}$).

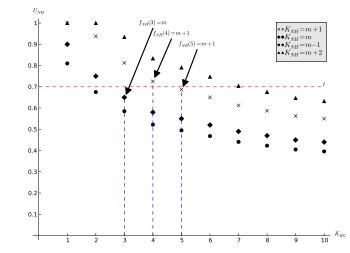
If $f_h(k)$ is a non-decreasing function in k then the game has at least one Nash Equilibrium in Pure Strategies.

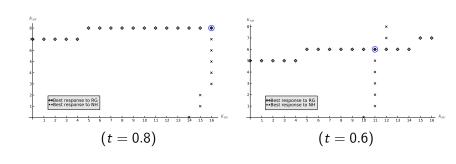




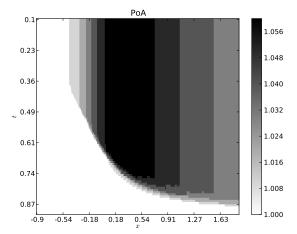
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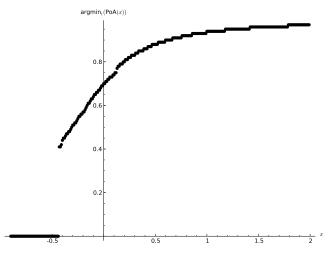
- ▶ If $\lambda_{\text{NH}}^{(a)} \leq \lambda_{\text{NH}}^{(b)}$ and $\lambda_{\text{NH}}^{(c)} \leq \lambda_{\text{NH}}^{(d)}$ then $f_{\text{NH}}(k)$ is a non-decreasing function in k.
- ▶ If $\lambda_{\rm RG}^{(a)} \leq \lambda_{\rm RG}^{(c)}$ and $\lambda_{\rm RG}^{(b)} \leq \lambda_{\rm RG}^{(d)}$ then $f_{\rm RG}(k)$ is a non-decreasing function in k.





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