

Game Theory Project



Game Theory in Cold War

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How did the Cold War Start?



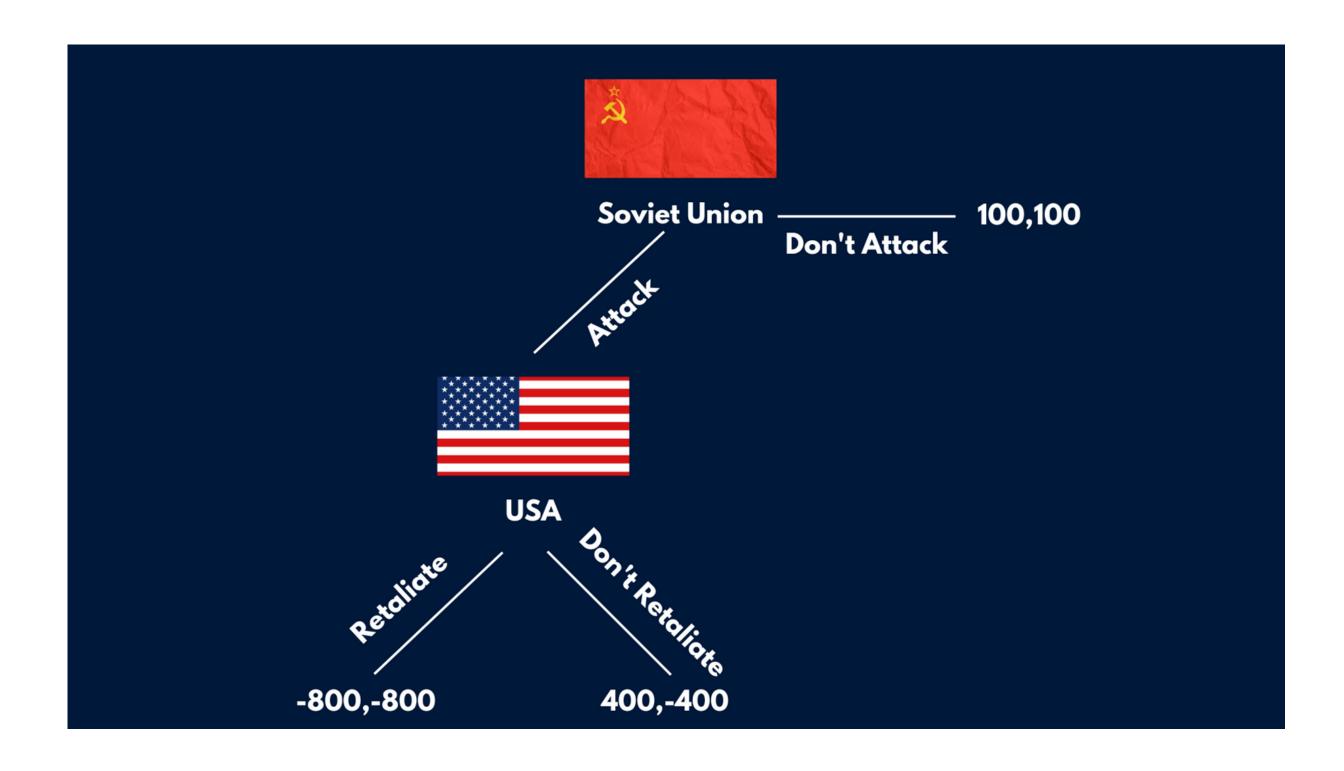


Let's Model the Cold War



Let's Model the Game











- Players = ["SOVIET UNION", "USA"]
- Action Space SOVIET UNION = ["Attack", "Don't Attack"]
- Action Space USA = ["Retaliate", "Don't Retaliate"]



Game in Normal Form



Soviet Union	USA	
	Retaliate	Don't Retaliate
Attack	-800, -800	400, -400
Don't Attack	100, 100	100, 100







- SU = Don't Attack --> Payoff = 100
- SU = Attack --> Payoff = 400 or -800
- US = Don't Retaliate --> Payoff =-400
- US = Retaliate --> Payoff =-800
- So US = Don't Retaliate
- SU = Attack



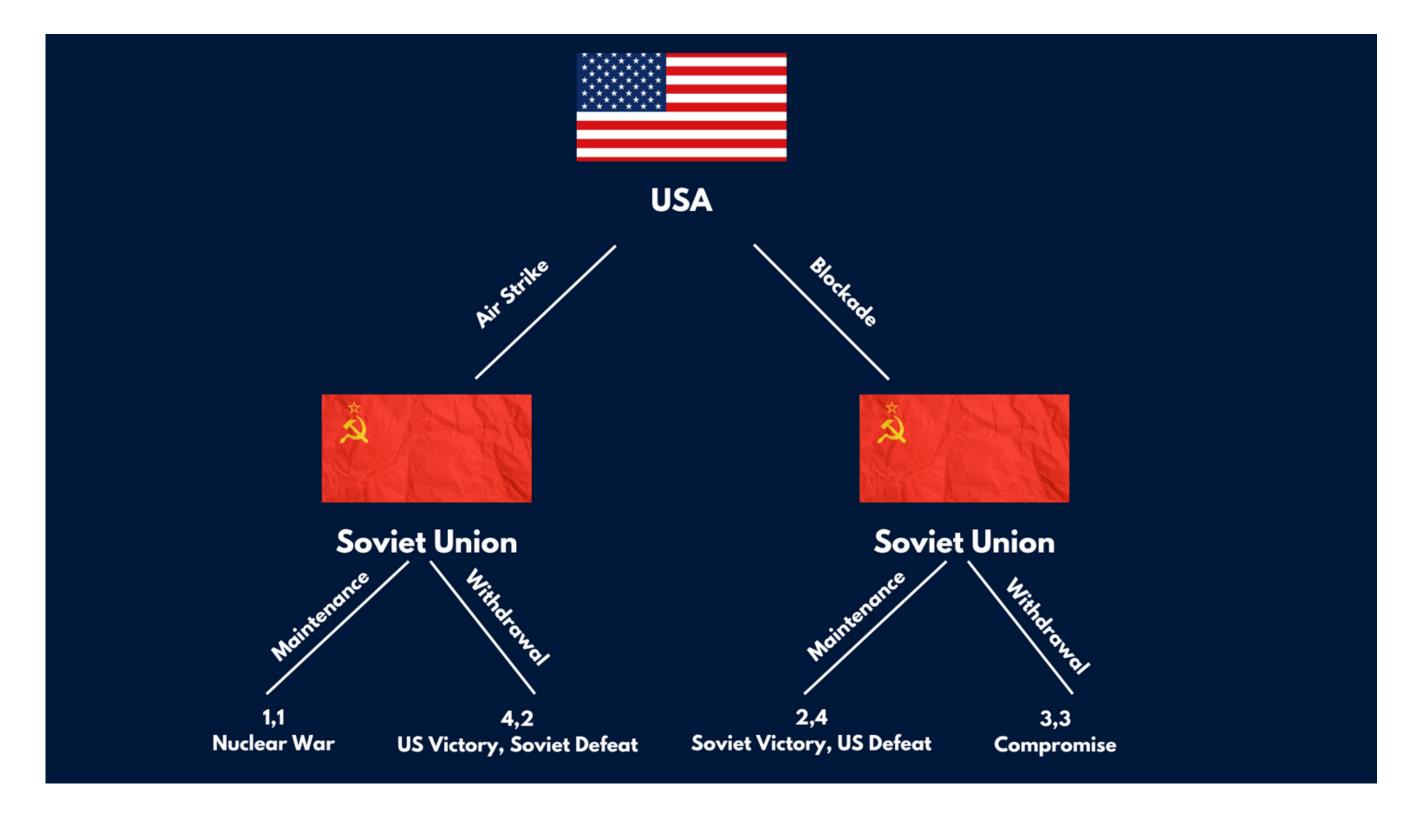


Let's Model the Cuban Missile Crisis



Let's Model the Game











- Players = ["SOVIET UNION", "USA"]
- Action Space SOVIET UNION = ["Withdrawal", "Maintenance"]
- Action Space USA = ["Air Strike", "Blockade"]



Game in Normal Form



Soviet Union	USA	
	Blockade	Air Strike
Withdrawal	(3,3) Compromise	(4,2) US Victory, Soviet Defeat
Maintenance	(2,4) Soviet Victory, US Defeat	(1,1) Nuclear War

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- SU will pick Withdrawal if the US picks Air Strike
- SU will pick Maintenance if the US picks Blockade
- The US will pick Air Strike and SU will pick Withdrawal
- But this didn't happen in real life





Limitations of Game Theory





What if we take Nuclear Weapons out of the equation





Implementation







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SOVIET_UNION = [[-800,400],[100,100]]
    USA = [[-800,-400],[100,100]]
    print("\nThe Game represented in a Normal Game Form below\n")
    print(f"______\n\n{SOVIET_UNION[0][0]},{USA[0][0]} || {SOVIET_UNION[0][1]},{USA[0][1]}")
                    \n\n{SOVIET_UNION[1][0]},{USA[1][0]} || {SOVIET_UNION[1][1]},{USA[1][1]}\n___
    print(f"\nThe Nash Equibliriums are: ({SOVIET_UNION[0][1]},{USA[0][1]}) and ({SOVIET_UNION[1][1]},{USA[1][1]})\n")
12 action_space_usa = ['Retaliate','Not Retaliate']
    action_space_soviet_union = ['Attack','Not Attack']
15 move_USA =''
16 move_SOVIET_UNION = ''
18 SOVIET_UNION_turn = True
19 USA_turn = False
20 is_game_over = False
22 if(SOVIET_UNION_turn and USA_turn==False and is_game_over==False):
        print(f'\nSoviet Union please pick your move\n\nType A or B to pick from the options below\nA - {action_space_soviet_union[0]}\nB - {action_space_soviet_union[1]}\n')
        option=input()
        if option == 'A' or option == 'a':
            move_SOVIET_UNION = action_space_soviet_union[0]
        elif option == 'B' or option == 'b':
            move_SOVIET_UNION = action_space_soviet_union[1]
           print("Invalid Input")
        SOVIET_UNION_turn = False
        USA_turn = True
        print ("SOVIET UNION YOU CHOSE TO", move_SOVIET_UNION)
    if(move_SOVIET_UNION==action_space_soviet_union[1]):
        is_game_over=True
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if(move_SOVIET_UNION==action_space_soviet_union[1]):
         is_game_over=True
   if(SOVIET_UNION_turn == False and USA_turn and is_game_over == False):
        print(f'\nUSA please pick your move SOVIET UNION CHOSE TO {move_SOVIET_UNION} you\n\nType A or B to pick from the options below\nA - {action_space_usa[0]}\nB - {action_s
        option=input()
        if option == 'A' or option == 'a':
            move_USA = action_space_usa[0]
        elif option == 'B' or option == 'b':
            move_USA = action_space_usa[1]
            print("Invalid Input")
        USA turn = False
        is game over = True
        print ("USA YOU CHOSE TO", move_USA)
52 if(is_game_over):
        if (move_SOVIET_UNION==action_space_soviet_union[1]):
            print("\nSOVIET UNION CHOSE NOT TO ATTACK USA HENCE THE GAME IS OVER\nPAYOFFS OF EACH NATION IS LISTED BELOW\n")
            print("SOVIET UNION", SOVIET_UNION[1][1])
            print("USA",USA[1][1])
            print("THE GAME IS OVER! BOTH USA AND SOVIET UNION WON AS THEY DIDNOT ATTACK EACH OTHER\nIT IS A NASH EQUIBLIRIA\n")
        if (move_SOVIET_UNION==action_space_soviet_union[0] and move_USA==action_space_usa[0]):
            print("\nCONGRATULATIONS, YOU TWO JUST STARTED A NUCLEAR WAR DESTROYING EVERYTHING\n\nPAYOFFS OF EACH NATION IS LISTED BELOW\n")
            print("SOVIET UNION",SOVIET_UNION[0][0])
            print("USA",USA[0][0])
            print("\nTHE GAME IS OVER! BOTH USA AND SOVIET UNION LOST AS BOTH NATIONS DESTROYED EVERYTHING\n")
        if (move_SOVIET_UNION==action_space_soviet_union[0] and move_USA==action_space_usa[1]):
            print("\nSOVIET UNION ATTACKED USA BUT USA CONCEDED\n\nPAYOFFS OF EACH NATION IS LISTED BELOW\n")
            print("SOVIET UNION", SOVIET_UNION[0][1])
            print("USA",USA[0][1])
            print("\nTHE GAME IS OVER! SOVIET UNION WON BUT USA LOST\nIT IS A NASH EQAUILIBRIA\n")
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The Game represented in a Normal Game Form below
          || 100,100
100,100
The Nash Equibliriums are: (400,-400) and (100,100)
Soviet Union please pick your move
Type A or B to pick from the options below
A - Attack
B - Not Attack
SOVIET UNION YOU CHOSE TO Not Attack
SOVIET UNION CHOSE NOT TO ATTACK USA HENCE THE GAME IS OVER
PAYOFFS OF EACH NATION IS LISTED BELOW
SOVIET UNION 100
USA 100
THE GAME IS OVER! BOTH USA AND SOVIET UNION WON AS THEY DIDNOT ATTACK EACH OTHER
IT IS A NASH EQUIBLIRIA
PS C:\Users\usman>
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The Game represented in a Normal Game Form below
 -800,-800 || 400,-400
100,100 || 100,100
The Nash Equibliriums are: (400,-400) and (100,100)
Soviet Union please pick your move
Type A or B to pick from the options below
A - Attack
B - Not Attack
SOVIET UNION YOU CHOSE TO Attack
USA please pick your move SOVIET UNION CHOSE TO Attack you
Type A or B to pick from the options below
A - Retaliate
B - Not Retaliate
USA YOU CHOSE TO Not Retaliate
SOVIET UNION ATTACKED USA BUT USA CONCEDED
PAYOFFS OF EACH NATION IS LISTED BELOW
SOVIET UNION 400
USA -400
THE GAME IS OVER! SOVIET UNION WON BUT USA LOST
IT IS A NASH EQAUILIBRIA
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The Game represented in a Normal Game Form below
 -800,-800 || 400,-400
100,100 || 100,100
The Nash Equibliriums are: (400,-400) and (100,100)
Soviet Union please pick your move
Type A or B to pick from the options below
A - Attack
B - Not Attack
SOVIET UNION YOU CHOSE TO Attack
USA please pick your move SOVIET UNION CHOSE TO Attack you
Type A or B to pick from the options below
A - Retaliate
B - Not Retaliate
USA YOU CHOSE TO Retaliate
CONGRATULATIONS, YOU TWO JUST STARTED A NUCLEAR WAR DESTROYING EVERYTHING
PAYOFFS OF EACH NATION IS LISTED BELOW
SOVIET UNION -800
USA -800
THE GAME IS OVER! BOTH USA AND SOVIET UNION LOST AS BOTH NATIONS DESTROYED EVERYTHING
PS C:\Users\usman>
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THANK YOU