

Professor —
Mathematical

market operate

Efficiency

• Exchange Economy

2 individuals

2 "goods"

{ perfectly divisible good (money)

{ indivisible good, one unite unavilably.

{ and individual who own
- - - - - not

good \Rightarrow Seller (C)

\Rightarrow buyer (V)

} money

• allocation

is a complete description of money and the ^{order} of asset

buyer (0, m_b)

seller (1, m_s)

individual good money

\Leftarrow initial allocation

• Feasible allocation

individually rational

total b
 s

utility $v + m_b$
 $c + m_s$

• Judge efficiency

\Rightarrow pareto optimality \Leftarrow

Or : pareto dominated.

An allocation in PO

\hookrightarrow if there exists no alternative allocation

that makes everybody at least as well off

and at least one person strictly better off.

- bilateral trade

bargaining

(i) $v > c$

In any PO _{allocation} buyer has the asset.

$b(c, m_b - t)$ $t = \text{transfer}$.

$s(0, m_s + t)$ $v \geq t \geq c$

surplus

improvement in total utility.

can be distributed in any form.

(ii) $v = c = t$

$\geq PO$

(iii) $v < c$ only PO is the initial allocation.

- multilateral trade

m buyers $v_1 \geq v_2 \geq \dots \geq v_m$

n sellers $c_1 \leq c_2 \leq \dots \leq c_n$

Ex. $v_1 = 10$ $c_1 = 2$ $c_2 = 11$