

Solving a Game

[with Freund]

- suppose game **M** played repeatedly
 - Mindy plays using MW
 - on round t , Max chooses **best response**:

$$\mathbf{Q}_t = \arg \max_{\mathbf{Q}} \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{P}_t, \mathbf{Q})$$

- let

$$\bar{\mathbf{P}} = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T \mathbf{P}_t, \quad \bar{\mathbf{Q}} = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T \mathbf{Q}_t$$

- can prove that $\bar{\mathbf{P}}$ and $\bar{\mathbf{Q}}$ are Δ_T -**approximate** minmax and maxmin strategies:

$$\max_{\mathbf{Q}} \mathbf{M}(\bar{\mathbf{P}}, \mathbf{Q}) \leq v + \Delta_T$$

and

$$\min_{\mathbf{P}} \mathbf{M}(\mathbf{P}, \bar{\mathbf{Q}}) \geq v - \Delta_T$$