Assignment 4 Code:

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#include <fstream>
#include <iostream>
#include <random>
#include <ctime>
using namespace std;

class Player
{
private:
    const int * chipDist;
    int numChips;
    Player* leftPlayer;
    Player* rightPlayer;
public:
    Player(){}
    Player(const int* chipDistribution);
    ~Player(){}
    void setLeftPlayer(Player* p);
    Player* getLeftPlayer();
    void setRightPlayer(Player* p);
    Player* getRightPlayer();
    int getNumChips();
    void setNumChips(int nc);
    int addChips(int nc);
    int play(int d1, int d2, int d3);
    int eachPlay(int d);

};

// Part 1 - Creating Classes
// A.
// a.
Player::Player(const int* chipDistribution)
{
    chipDist = chipDistribution;
}

// b.
void Player::setLeftPlayer(Player *p)
{
    leftPlayer = p;
}

Player* Player::getLeftPlayer()
{
    return leftPlayer;
}

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49  // c.
50  void Player::setRightPlayer(Player *p)
51  {
52      rightPlayer = p;
53  }
54
55  Player* Player::getRightPlayer()
56  {
57      return rightPlayer;
58  }
59
60  // d.
61  int Player::getNumChips()
62  {
63      return numChips;
64  }
65
66  void Player::setNumChips(int nc)
67  {
68      numChips = nc;
69  }
70
71  // e.
72  int Player::addChips(int nc)
73  {
74      setNumChips(getNumChips() + nc);
75      return getNumChips();
76  }
77
78  // f.
79  int Player::play(int d1, int d2, int d3)
80  {
81
82      int num = getNumChips();
83      int centerChips = 0;
84      if(num >= 1)
85          centerChips += eachPlay(d1);
86      if(num >= 2)
87          centerChips += eachPlay(d2);
88      if(num >= 3)
89          centerChips += eachPlay(d3);
90
91      return centerChips;
92  }
93
94  int Player::eachPlay(int d)
95  {
96      int centerChips = 0;
97      if(chipDist[d] == 1)
98      {
99          this->addChips(-1);
100         leftPlayer->addChips(1);
101         //cout<<"Move chip to left"<<endl;
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102     }
103     else if(chipDist[d] == 2)
104     {
105         this->addChips(-1);
106         centerChips++;
107         //cout<<"Move chip to center"<<endl;
108     }
109     else if(chipDist[d] == 3)
110     {
111         this->addChips(-1);
112         rightPlayer->addChips(1);
113         //cout<<"Move chip to right"<<endl;
114     }
115     return centerChips;
116 }
117 
118 
119 // B.
120 // a.
121 class Game
122 {
123 private:
124     int numP;
125     Player** players;
126     long seed;
127     int* chip_count;
128     mt19937 mt_rand;
129 
130 public:
131     Game(int numPlayers, const int* chipDistribution, long seed);
132     virtual ~Game();
133     int countPlayersWithChips();
134     int playRound(int startingPlayer);
135     const int* playGame(const int* startingChips, int maxRounds);
136 };
137 
138 Game::Game(int numPlayers, const int* chipDistribution, long seed)
139 {
140     numP = numPlayers;
141     this->seed = seed;
142     players = new Player* [numP];
143     chip_count = new int[numP];
144 
145     // set Chip Distribution for each player
146     for(int i = 0; i < numPlayers; i++)
147     {
148         players[i] = new Player(chipDistribution);
149     }
150 
151     // set left player and right player for each player
152     for(int i = 0; i < numPlayers; i++)
153     {
154         int leftIndex = (i + 1 + numPlayers) % numPlayers;
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155         int rightIndex = (i - 1 + numPlayers) % numPlayers;
156 
157         players[i]->setLeftPlayer(players[leftIndex]);
158         players[i]->setRightPlayer(players[rightIndex]);
159 
160     }
161     mt19937 mt_rand(seed);
162 }
163 
164 
165 // b.
166 Game::~Game()
167 {
168 
169     for(int i = 0; i < numP; i++)
170     {
171         delete players[i];
172     }
173 
174     delete [] players;
175     delete [] chip_count;
176 }
177 
178 // c.
179 int Game::countPlayersWithChips()
180 {
181     int cnt = 0;
182     for(int i = 0; i < numP; i++)
183     {
184         if(players[i]->getNumChips() > 0)
185             cnt++;
186     }
187     return cnt;
188 }
189 
190 // d.
191 int Game::playRound(int startingPlayer)
192 {
193     int cnt = 0;
194     uniform_int_distribution<int> dis_unif(0, 5);
195     for(int i = 0; i < numP; i++)
196     {
197         int index = (i + startingPlayer) % numP;
198 
199         int d1 = dis_unif(mt_rand);
200         int d2 = dis_unif(mt_rand);
201         int d3 = dis_unif(mt_rand);
202         cnt += players[index]->play(d1, d2, d3);
203     }
204     return cnt;
205 }
206 
207 const int* Game::playGame(const int *startingChips, int maxRounds)
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{

    uniform_int_distribution<int> dis_unif(0, numP);
    int startPlayer = dis_unif(mt_rand);
    for(int i = 0; i < numP; i++)
    {
        players[i]->setNumChips(startingChips[i]);
        chip_count[i] = startingChips[i];
    }

    int chip_center = 0;

    for(int i = 0; i < maxRounds; i++)
    {
        chip_center += playRound(startPlayer);
        if(countPlayersWithChips() == 1)
        {
            break;
        }
    }


    // when the game is concluded
    if(countPlayersWithChips() == 1)
    {
        for(int i = 0; i < numP; i++)
        {
            chip_count[i] = players[i]->getNumChips();
            if(players[i] -> getNumChips() > 0)
                players[i] -> addChips(chip_center);
        }
    }

    return chip_count;
}

void SimulateGame(const char* desc
                  , int numPlayers
                  , const int* chipDistribution
                  , long seed
                  , const int* startingChips
                  , int maxRounds
                  , ostream& outputStream)
{

    // create the game object
    Game game(numPlayers, chipDistribution, seed);

    // initialize our expected chips array
    double* expectedChips= new double[numPlayers];
    for (int i = 0; i < numPlayers; i++) {
        expectedChips[i] = 0;
    }
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261
262     double roundsWithWinner = 0;
263     // run 100000 simulations
264     for (int s = 0; s < 100000; s++) {
265
266         // play a single game
267         const int* playerChips = game.playGame(startingChips, maxRounds);
268
269         // keep track of chips held at end of game
270         for (int i = 0; i < numPlayers; i++) {
271             expectedChips[i] += playerChips[i];
272         }
273
274         // was there a single winner?
275         if (game.countPlayersWithChips() == 1) {
276             roundsWithWinner += 1;
277         }
278
279         // for simulation iterations of 100, 1000, 10000 and 100000, write the output
280         if ((s + 1) == 100 || (s + 1) == 1000 || (s + 1) == 10000 || (s + 1) == 100000)
281  {
282             cout << desc << ',' << (s + 1) << endl;
283             outputStream << desc << ',' << (s + 1) << ',' << (roundsWithWinner/(s+1));
284             for (int i = 0; i < numPlayers; i++) {
285                 double ev = expectedChips[i] / (s + 1);
286                 outputStream << ',' << ev;
287             }
288             outputStream << endl;
289         }
290
291     }
292 }
293
294
295 int main()
296 {
297     ofstream outfile;
298
299     // open the file
300     outfile.open("lcr_output.csv");
301
302     // write a header
303     outfile << "Game,MaxRounds,RoundsWithWinner" ;
304     for (int i = 0; i < 9; i++) {
305         outfile << ",Player" << (i + 1);
306     }
307     outfile << endl;
308
309     // standard game
310     int chipDistribution[] = { 0,0,0,1,2,3 };
311     int playerChips[] = { 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10, 10};
312     SimulateGame("standard", 9, chipDistribution, (long)time(0), playerChips, 100, outf
313 ile);
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314
315     // standard game - one player has more
316     int playerChipsTilted[] = { 5, 5, 5, 5, 50, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5 };
317     SimulateGame("standard-tilted", 9, chipDistribution, (long)time(0), playerChipsTilt
318 ed, 100, outfile);
319
320     // game with greater chance of passing but no center
321     int chipDistributionNoCenter[] = { 0,0,1,1,3,3 };
322     SimulateGame("nocenter", 9, chipDistributionNoCenter, (long)time(0), playerChips, 100
323 , outfile);
324
325     SimulateGame("nocenter-tilted", 9, chipDistributionNoCenter, (long)time(0), playerC
326 hipsTilted, 100, outfile);
327
328     // game with greater chance of passing but no 'holding'
329     int chipDistributionNoHold[] = { 1,1,2,2,3,3 };
330     SimulateGame("nohold", 9, chipDistributionNoHold, (long)time(0), playerChips, 100,
331 outfile);
332
333     SimulateGame("nohold-tilted", 9, chipDistributionNoHold, (long)time(0), playerChips
    Tilted, 100, outfile);


    // close the file
    outfile.close();

    return 0;
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lcr_output.csv

Game	MaxRounds	RoundsWith	Player1	Player2	Player3	Player4	Player5	Player6	Player7	Player8	Player9
standard	100	0.93	0.89	0.86	0.9	0.83	0.79	0.82	0.77	0.79	0.86
standard	1000	0.929	0.859	0.856	0.846	0.867	0.827	0.847	0.826	0.824	0.824
standard	10000	0.9185	0.9629	0.9493	0.9429	0.9434	0.941	0.9454	0.9454	0.9393	0.9469
standard	100000	0.91715	0.96719	0.96245	0.96209	0.95786	0.96007	0.9606	0.96149	0.95963	0.95492
standard-tilted	100	0.96	0.2	0.21	0.29	0.25	14.16	0.28	0.24	0.22	0.23
standard-tilted	1000	0.955	0.245	0.264	0.292	0.344	13.261	0.313	0.27	0.254	0.251
standard-tilted	10000	0.9629	0.2086	0.2235	0.2568	0.3261	13.3756	0.2742	0.225	0.2104	0.2076
standard-tilted	100000	0.96118	0.21737	0.23372	0.26883	0.33179	13.2976	0.28475	0.23722	0.21756	0.21255
nocenter	100	0	10.24	11.47	8.24	7.65	10.71	10.77	11.09	10.27	9.56
nocenter	1000	0	10.456	9.551	9.848	9.782	9.875	10.588	10.181	10.421	9.298
nocenter	10000	0	10.0622	9.9741	9.9671	9.9332	10.0115	10.0738	10.0541	9.9827	9.9413
nocenter	100000	0	10.0792	10.0226	9.97776	9.98694	10.0044	10.0039	10.0282	9.97074	9.92619
nocenter-tilted	100	0	5.31	6.25	6.58	8.17	37.41	9.73	6.65	4.95	4.95
nocenter-tilted	1000	0	5.632	5.278	6.435	8.342	38.317	9.111	6.34	5.506	5.039
nocenter-tilted	10000	0	5.4725	5.5241	6.4034	8.526	38.4153	8.3556	6.3394	5.6432	5.3205
nocenter-tilted	100000	0	5.44319	5.6143	6.3839	8.52091	38.2718	8.51219	6.39255	5.62751	5.23368
nohold	100	0.78	2.33	2.24	2.34	2.28	2.32	2.38	2.28	2.28	2.29
nohold	1000	0.757	2.545	2.529	2.528	2.537	2.535	2.54	2.527	2.532	2.52
nohold	10000	0.7522	2.5937	2.5813	2.5826	2.5861	2.5764	2.5844	2.5746	2.5838	2.5768
nohold	100000	0.7554	2.56498	2.5517	2.55044	2.55043	2.55091	2.54964	2.54789	2.54761	2.54096
nohold-tilted	100	0.94	0.32	0.31	0.31	0.41	22.72	0.34	0.32	0.3	0.31
nohold-tilted	1000	0.94	0.314	0.331	0.34	0.376	22.287	0.336	0.312	0.305	0.305
nohold-tilted	10000	0.9371	0.3264	0.3408	0.3588	0.3851	22.5399	0.3473	0.3233	0.3207	0.3204
nohold-tilted	100000	0.93843	0.31986	0.33211	0.35373	0.37755	22.4434	0.3443	0.31664	0.31308	0.31393

Q1.

From the table above, I notice that the standard-tilted game resulted in the most single -player winners, where a player has much more chips than others, and also there is equal possibility to move to left, center or right. Intuitively, compared to non-tilted games, I think if the difference of chips among all the players is larger, it will be more likely to have one player left when all the others owning less chips finished all the moves. In addition, nocenter games have no possibility of ending with a winner. Also, nohold games are more volatile since every roll dice would lead to a move, which brings more uncertainty.

Thus, the standard-tilted game tends to have more rounds with a winner.

Q2.

In order to judge how quickly the simulated runs converge into stable expected values, we need figure out after how many times of simulations, the expected values tend to be steady. From the table above, I notice that the nohold-tilted game converges the quickest, since the expected values tend to be steady with 1000 times of simulations and are almost same to those with 100000 times of simulations in the nohold-tilted game. Similarly, the standard game converges the slowest, since the expected values are constanly increase in this case even with 100000 times of simulations. As for the reason the convergence time differ, I think first, there is more possibility to move, either left, center or right in the nohold games, which accelerates the convergence rate. Besides, tilted games set less chips for almost all the players except one with much more. Those with less chips will sit out the round quicker. Thus, nohold-tilted game converges most quickly while standard game converges slowest.