

## Module - 5 Game Theory

### Game Theory:

The term game represents a competition between two or more parties. A situation is termed as game when it posses the following properties :

- 1) The no of competitors is finite.
- 2) There is a competition between the participants.
- 3) The rules must known to all players.
- 4) The outcome of the game is affected by the choices made by all the players.

Strategy: The term strategy is defined as a complete set of plans of action. The players we consider during the play of the game i.e strategy of a player is the decision rule.

Strategy can be classified as

- 1) pure strategy
- 2) mixed strategy.

Pure strategy: A strategy is called pure if all the players know the rules.

Mixed strategy: The strategy is mixed strategy if the probability of combination of available choices of strategy

## Types of Games:

- 1) 2 person games
- 2) n person games

### 1) 2 person game & n person game:

In two person games the players may have many possible choices to them for each play of the game, but the number of players remain only two. Hence it is called two person game. In case of more than two persons, the game is generally called n person game.

### 2) Zero sum game:

Zero sum game is one in which the sum of the payments to all the competitors is zero, for every possible outcome of the game if sum of the points scored is equal to sum of the points lost.

### 3) Two person zero sum game:

The game with two players where the game of one player is equal to loss of other is known as two person zero sum game. It is also called as rectangular game.

Characteristics of 2 player zero sum game.

- \* Only 2 players participate in the game.
- + Each player has a finite number of strategies to use.
- \* Total pay off to the two players at the

end of each play is zero.

pay-off matrix

player B

		1	2	3	4	.....	m	
		1	$a_{11}$	$a_{12}$	$a_{13}$	$a_{14}$	$\dots$	$a_{1m}$
		2	$a_{21}$	$a_{22}$	$a_{23}$	$a_{24}$	$\dots$	$a_{2m}$
player A		3	1	-	-	-	-	1
		4	;	-	-	-	-	1
		;	-	-	-	-	-	1
		;	-	-	-	-	-	1
		n	$a_{n1}$	-	-	-	-	$a_{nm}$

player A

Ex: 1 2 3

		1	2	3	
		1	4	5	6
player A		2	-7	-8	9
		3	1	2	-3

## Maximin - Minmax principle:

Definition:

Maximin - Minmax:

This principle is used for the selection of optimal strategies by two players. Consider two players A & B. A is a player who wishes to maximize his game while player B wishes to minimize his loss. Since A player would try to maximize his minimum game we obtain for player A a value called maximin value and the corresponding strategy is called maximin strategy. Since the player B wishes to minimize his

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loss, the value is called minimax value which is the minimum of maximum loss. The corresponding strategy is called minmax strategy.

Note: When maximin value is equal to minmax value the corresponding strategy is called optimal strategy, and game and game have "saddle point". The value of the game is given by "saddle point".

Saddle point: A saddle point is a position in the pay off matrix where maximum of row minima considered with minimum of column maximum. The pay off at the saddle point is called the value of the game.

- Solve the game who's pay off matrix is given below

Player B

		B <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>2</sub>	B <sub>3</sub>	B <sub>4</sub>	
		1	3	1	1	
Player A	A <sub>1</sub>	1	-4	-3	1	
	A <sub>2</sub>	0	-4	-3	1	
	A <sub>3</sub>	1	5	-1	1	
	A <sub>4</sub>					

Gain for player A is loss for player B

Step 1: find out the row minimum & column maximum

A <sub>1</sub>	<span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">1</span>	3	<span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">1</span>	1
A <sub>2</sub>	0	-4	-3	-4
A <sub>3</sub>	1	5	-1	-1
	1	5	1	

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Step 2: Find out min max

$\min = \{ \max \} \rightarrow \text{minimum of maximum}$   
 $= 1 \quad \text{among } (1, 5, ,)$

$\max = \{ \min \} \rightarrow \text{maximum of minimum}$   
 $= 1 \quad \text{among } (1, -4, -1)$

$$\therefore \max \min = \min \max$$

$$1 = 1$$

The game has optimal strategy.

Saddle point is 1. Strategy for A = A<sub>1</sub> & A<sub>2</sub>  
 Strategy for B = B<sub>1</sub> & B<sub>2</sub>

- v) Determine which of the following 2 person zero sum games are optimal strategies

	B <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>2</sub>
A <sub>1</sub>	-5	2
A <sub>2</sub>	-7	-4

	B <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>2</sub>
A <sub>1</sub>	1	1
A <sub>2</sub>	4	-3

- a) Step 1: Find out row minima & column maxima.

	B <sub>1</sub>	B <sub>2</sub>	row min
A <sub>1</sub>	-5	2	-5
A <sub>2</sub>	-7	-4	-7

column max      -5      2

Step 2: Find out min max

$\min = \{ \max \} = -5$   
 $\max = \{ \min \} = -5$

Saddle point = -5

Optimal strategy O.S. = [A<sub>1</sub> & B<sub>1</sub>]

b) Step 1: find row min and column max

	$B_1$	$B_2$	Row min
$A_1$	1	1	1
$A_2$	4	-3	-3
Col max	4	1	

$$\text{Step 2: } \min \rightarrow \{\max\} = 1$$

$$\max \rightarrow \{\min\} = 1$$

saddle point = 1

optimal strategies  $A_1, B_1$ , and  $B_2$ .

3) Find saddle pt and value of the game

	$B_1$	$B_2$	$B_3$
$A_1$	15	2	3
$A_2$	6	5	7
$A_3$	-7	4	0

Step 1: find row min and column max

	$B_1$	$B_2$	$B_3$	Row min
$A_1$	15	2	3	2
$A_2$	6	5	7	5
$A_3$	-7	4	0	0
Col max	15	5	7	

$$\text{Step 2: } \min \rightarrow \{\max\} = 5$$

$$\max \rightarrow \{\min\} = 5$$

saddle point = 5

Optimal strategies for A :  $A_2$ ,  
for B :  $B_2$

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	$B_1$	$B_2$	$B_3$	$B_4$	
$A_1$	1	2	1	20	
$A_2$	5	5	4	6	
$A_3$	4	-2	0	-5	

Step 1:

	$B_1$	$B_2$	$B_3$	$B_4$	Row min
$A_1$	1	2	1	20	1
$A_2$	5	5	4	6	4
$A_3$	4	-2	0	-5	-5

Col max 5 5 4 20

Step 2:  $\min \geq \max \Rightarrow 4$   
 $\max \leq \min \Rightarrow 4$ 

saddle point = 4

Optimal strategy for player A :  $A_2, A_3$   
player B :  $B_3, B_4$ 

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	$B_1$	$B_2$	$B_3$	$B_4$	Row min
$A_1$	1	7	3	4	1
$A_2$	5	6	4	5	4
$A_3$	7	2	0	3	0

Col max 7 7 4 5

Step 2:  $\min \geq \max \Rightarrow 4$   
 $\max \leq \min \Rightarrow 4$ 

saddle point = 4

for player A :  $A_1, A_2$ for player B :  $B_3, B_4$

Games without saddle points means mixed strategies

$\alpha \times \alpha$  games without saddle points:

	$b_1$	$b_2$
$a_1$	$a$	$b$
$a_2$	$c$	$d$

$$p_1 = \frac{d - c}{(a+d) - (b+c)}$$

$$p_2 = 1 - p_1$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d - b}{(a+d) - (b+c)}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - q_1$$

$$\nu = \frac{ad - bc}{(a+d) - (b+c)}$$

i)

	$B_1$	$B_2$
$A_1$	8	-3
$A_2$	-3	1

Step 1: Check for saddle point

$B_1, B_2$  row min

$$A_1 \begin{bmatrix} 8 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \quad -3$$

$$A_2 \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad -3$$

$$(v) \max \quad 8 \quad 1$$

$$\min \rightarrow \{ \max \} = 1$$

$$\max \rightarrow \{ \min \} = -3$$

$\min \max \neq \max \min$  No saddle point.

$$\text{Step 2: } p_1 = \frac{d - c}{(a+d) - (b+c)}$$

$$= \frac{1 - (-3)}{(8+1) - (-3-3)} = \frac{4}{9+6} = \frac{4}{15}$$

$$\begin{aligned} p_2 &= 1 - p_1 \\ &= 1 - \frac{4}{15} \\ &= \frac{15-4}{15} = \frac{11}{15} \end{aligned}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d-b}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{4}{15}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - q_1 = \frac{11}{15}$$

$$A = \left( \frac{4}{15}, \frac{11}{15} \right) \quad B = \left( \frac{4}{15}, \frac{11}{15} \right)$$

$$V = \frac{ad-bc}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{(8 \times 1) - (-3 \times -1)}{15} = \frac{8-9}{15} = \frac{-1}{15} \text{ / }.$$

- Note:
- I) the value is positive. It is advantage to player A.
  - II) the value is negative. It is advantage to player B.

2) Determine optimal strategies and value of the game

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Step 1: Check for saddle point

$$\begin{bmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 3 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{row min}$$

(col max) 5 4

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$$\min \{ \max \} = 4$$

$$\max \{ \min \} = 3$$

$\min \max \neq \max \min$  No saddle point

$$\text{Step 2: } p_1 = \frac{d - c}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{4-3}{(9)-(4)} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$p_2 = 1 - p_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{5} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d - b}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - q_1 = 1 - \frac{3}{5} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$A = \left( \frac{1}{5}, \frac{4}{5} \right) \quad B = \left( \frac{3}{5}, \frac{2}{5} \right)$$

$$v = \frac{ad - bc}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{20 - 3}{5} = \frac{17}{5} //$$

'Strategy advantage is for A.

3) Determine mixed strategies and value of the game

		B	
		A	B
A	4	-4	
	-4	4	

=> Step 1: Check for saddle point

row min

4	-4	-4
-4	4	-4

$$(0) \max 4 \quad 4$$

$$\min \{ \max \} = 4$$

$$\max \{ \min \} = -4$$

$\min \max \neq \max \min$  No saddle point.

Step 2:

$$P_1 = \frac{d - c}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{4 - (-4)}{(8) - (-8)} = \frac{8}{16} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P_2 = 1 - P_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d - b}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{8}{16} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - p_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$A = \left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right) \quad B = \left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{ad - bc}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{16 - 16}{16} = \frac{0}{16} = 0$$

34) In a game of matching coins with 2 players suppose player A wins 1 unit of value when there are two heads, win nothing when there are 2 tail tossing coin and lose of  $\frac{1}{2}$  unit of value when there are 1 head and 1 tail. determine the pay off matrix, the best strategies for each player and value of the game.

 $\Rightarrow$ 

$$\begin{matrix} & H & T \\ H & \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\frac{1}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ T & \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

Step 1: Check for saddle point

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1/2 \\ -1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{row min}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1/2 \\ -1/2 & -1/2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{col max } 1 \quad 0$$

$$\min \{ \max \} = 0$$

$$\max \{ \min \} = -1/2 \quad \text{No saddle point}$$

$$\text{Step 2: } p_1 = \frac{d - c}{(a+d) - (b+c)} \rightarrow \frac{0 - (-1/2)}{(1+0) - (-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2})} = \frac{-1/2}{1+1} = \frac{1}{2 \times 2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$p_2 = 1 - p_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d - b}{(a+d) - (b+c)} \rightarrow \frac{1/2 - 1}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - q_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{4} = \frac{3}{4}$$

$$A = \left( \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4} \right) \quad B = \left( \frac{1}{4}, \frac{3}{4} \right)$$

$$V = \frac{ad - bc}{(a+d) - (b+c)} \rightarrow \frac{0 - (-1/2 \times -1/2)}{2} = \frac{-\frac{1}{4}}{2} = -\frac{1}{8}$$

Strategy advantage for B.

(i) Find value of the game

$$A \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -3 \\ -3 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 1: Check for saddle point

row min

6	-3	-3
-3	3	-3

col max 6 3

min{max} = 3

max{min} = -3 minmax ≠ maxmin

∴ No saddle point

Step 2:

$$p_1 = \frac{d-c}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{3 - (-3)}{(9) - (-6)} = \frac{6}{15}$$

$$p_2 = 1 - p_1 = 1 - \frac{6}{15} = \frac{9}{15}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d-b}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{3 - (-2)}{15} = \frac{6}{15}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - q_1 = \frac{9}{15}$$

$$A = \left( \frac{g^a}{15}, \frac{g_3}{15} \right) \quad B = \left( \frac{g^a}{15}, \frac{g_3}{15} \right)$$

$$\nu = \frac{ad - bc}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{18 - 9}{15} = \frac{9}{15} = \frac{3}{5}$$

Strategy advantage is for A

Graphical method for  $2 \times n$  &  $m \times 2$  matrix.

$$\text{B) } A \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & 11 \\ 8 & 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

	$B_1$	$A_2$	$B_2$	Row min
$A_1$	1	3	11	1
$A_2$	8	5	2	2

col max 8 5 11

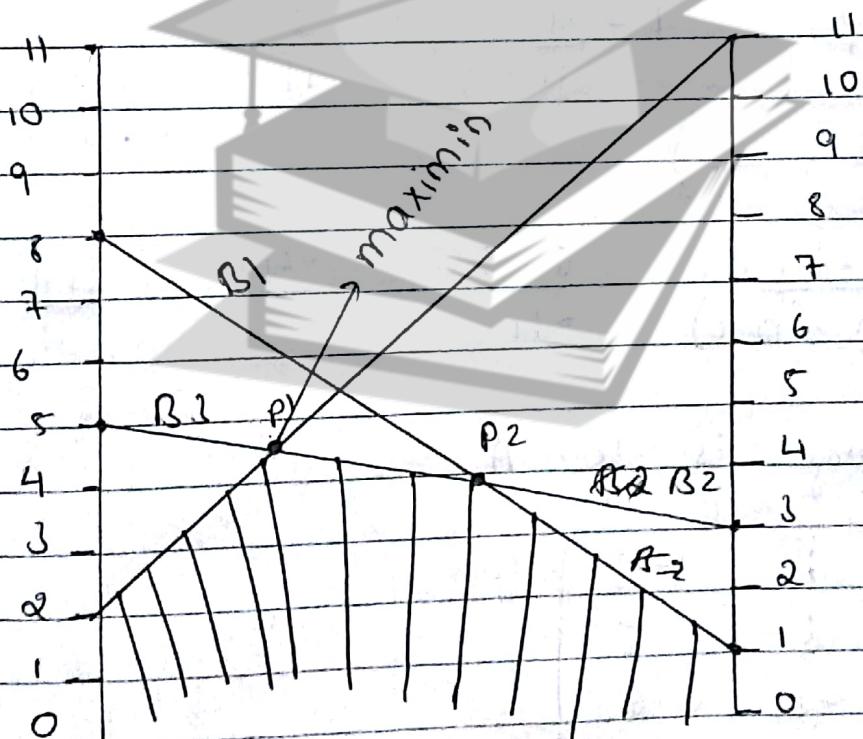
min{max} = 5

max{min} = 2

min{max} ≠ max{min}. No saddle point.

Axix I ( $A_2$ )

Axix II ( $A_1$ )



To find maximin for  $2 \times n$  matrix. Mark the region below the intersection point and find the maximum point. The  $\alpha$  intersection points are  $P_1$  and  $P_2$  and  $P_1$  is the maximum, which corresponds to the columns  $B_2$  and  $B_3$ .

Consider  $B_1$  and  $B_2$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 11 \\ 5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$p_1 = \frac{d - c}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{2 - 5}{5 - 16} = \frac{-3}{-11} = \frac{3}{11}$$

$$p_2 = 1 - p_1 = 1 - \frac{3}{11} = \frac{8}{11}$$

$$A = \left( \frac{3}{11}, \frac{8}{11} \right)$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d - b}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{2 - 11}{-11} = \frac{-9}{-11} = \frac{9}{11}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - p_1 = 1 - \frac{9}{11} = \frac{2}{11}$$

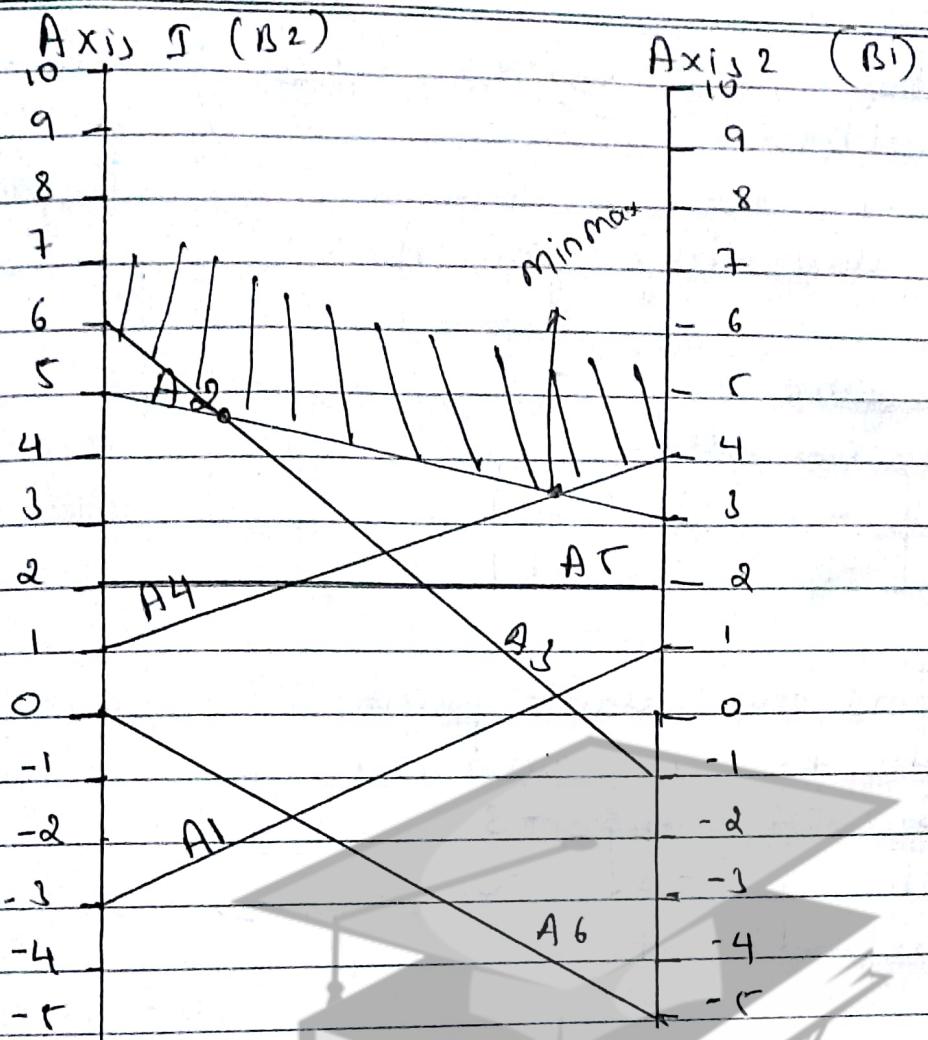
$$B = \left( \frac{9}{11}, \frac{2}{11} \right)$$

$$V = \frac{ad - bc}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{6 - 55}{-11} = \frac{-49}{-11} = \frac{49}{11}$$

Advantage is for A.

a)

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 3 & 5 \\ -1 & 6 \\ 4 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 \\ -5 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



The minmax point is A4 and A2

$$A \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 4 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_1 = \frac{d-c}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{1-4}{4-9} = \frac{-3}{-5} = \frac{3}{5}$$

$$P_2 = 1 - P_1 = 1 - \frac{3}{5} = \frac{5-3}{5} = \frac{2}{5}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d-b}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{-4}{-5} = \frac{4}{5}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - q_1 = 1 - \frac{4}{5} = \frac{5-4}{5} = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$A = \left( \frac{3}{5}, \frac{2}{5} \right) \quad R = \left( \frac{4}{5}, \frac{1}{5} \right)$$

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$$V = \frac{ad - bc}{(a+d) - (b+c)} \rightarrow \frac{3-20}{-5} = \frac{17}{5} / 1$$

Strategy advantage for A

3) For the game

		B		
		A	3	-3
			-1	1
				-3

Step 1 : Find the saddle point.

B1      B2      B3      row min

A1	3	-3	4	-3
A2	-1	1	-3	-3

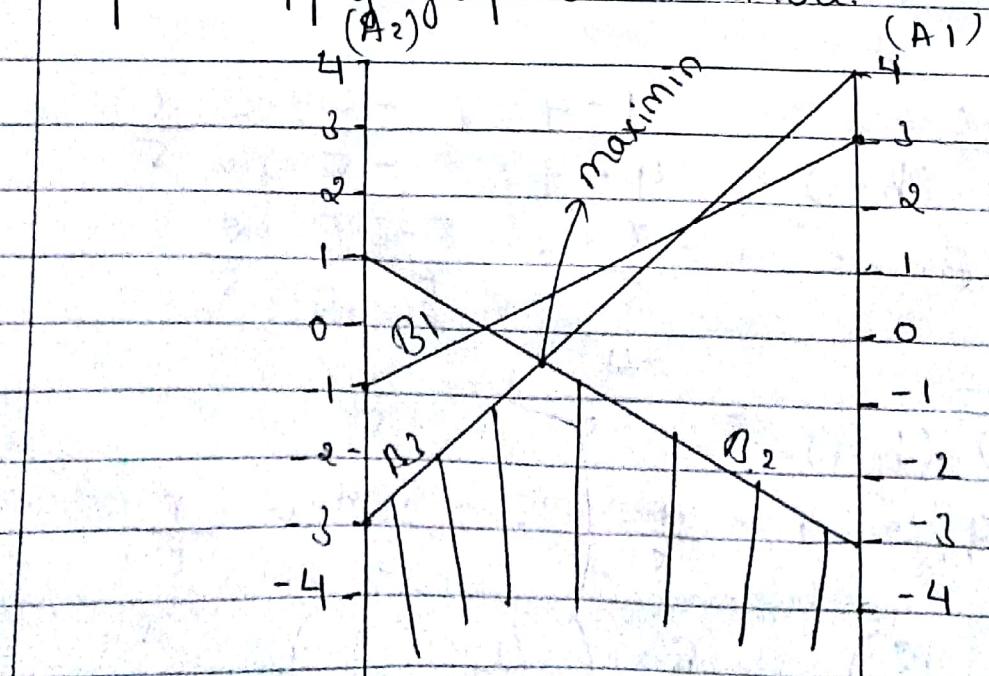
colmax    3    1    4

$$\min \{\max\} = -3$$

$$\max \{\min\} = 1$$

$\min \max \neq \max \min$  No saddle point.

Step 2 : Apply graphical method.



The intersecting lines are B2 and B3

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ -3 & 4 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$p_1 = \frac{d-c}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{-3-1}{(-6)-(5)} = \frac{-4}{-11} = \frac{4}{11}$$

$$p_2 = 1 - p_1 = 1 - \frac{4}{11} = \frac{7}{11}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d-b}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{-3-4}{-11} = \frac{-7}{-11} = \frac{7}{11}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - \frac{7}{11} = \frac{4}{11}$$

$$A\left(\frac{4}{11}, \frac{7}{11}\right) \quad B\left(\frac{7}{11}, \frac{4}{11}\right)$$

$$N = \frac{ad-bc}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{9-4}{-11} = -\frac{5}{11}$$

4)  $\begin{array}{|cc|} \hline & -6 & 7 \\ A & 4 & -5 \\ & -1 & -2 \\ & -2 & 5 \\ & 7 & 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$

Step 1: Find out saddle point  
row min

$$\begin{array}{|cc|} \hline & -6 & 7 \\ 4 & -5 & \\ -1 & -2 & \\ -2 & 5 & \\ 7 & 6 & \\ \hline \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} -6 \\ -5 \\ -2 \\ -2 \\ 6 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

col max      7      7

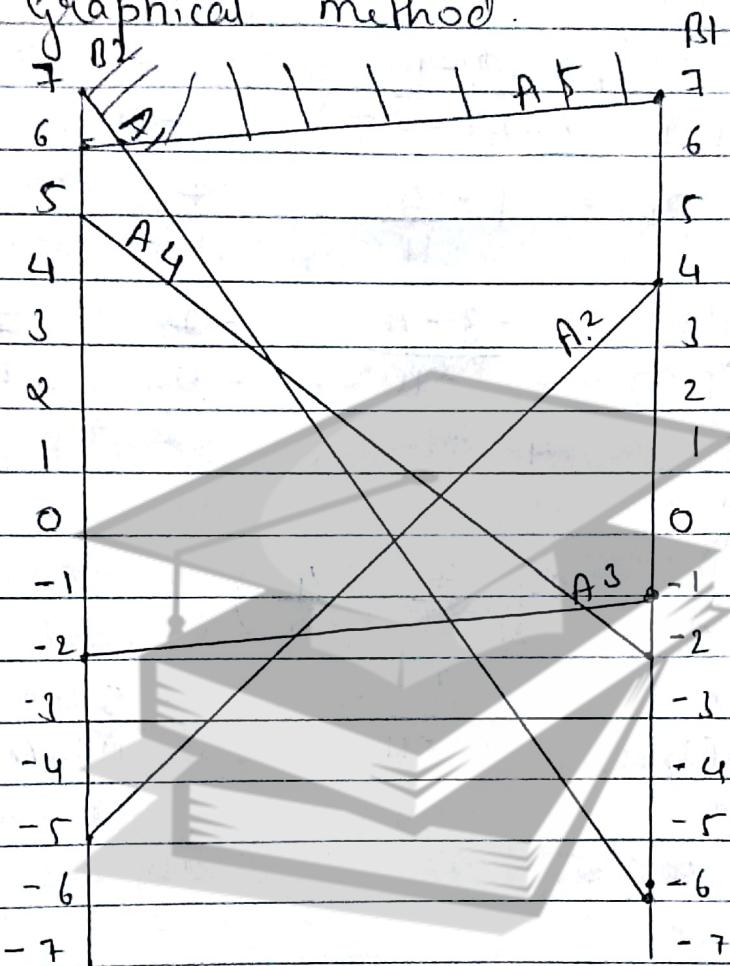
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$$\max\{\min\} = 7$$

$$\min\{\max\} = 6$$

$\max\{\min\} \neq \min\{\max\}$  No saddle point.

Step 2: graphical method.



Q Inception lines are A1 and A5

$$\begin{bmatrix} -6 & 7 \\ 7 & 6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_1 = \frac{d - c}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{6 - 7}{(0) - (14)} = \frac{-1}{-14} = \frac{1}{14}$$

$$P_2 = 1 - P_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{14} = \frac{13}{14}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d-b}{(a+d)-(b+c)}, \quad \frac{6-7}{-14} = \frac{1}{14}$$

$$q_2 = \frac{13}{14}$$

$$A\left(\frac{1}{14}, \frac{13}{14}\right) \quad B\left(\frac{1}{14}, \frac{13}{14}\right)$$

$$N = \frac{ad-bc}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{(-36)-49}{-14} = \frac{85}{14}$$

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$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -3 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 4 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 1: Find saddle point

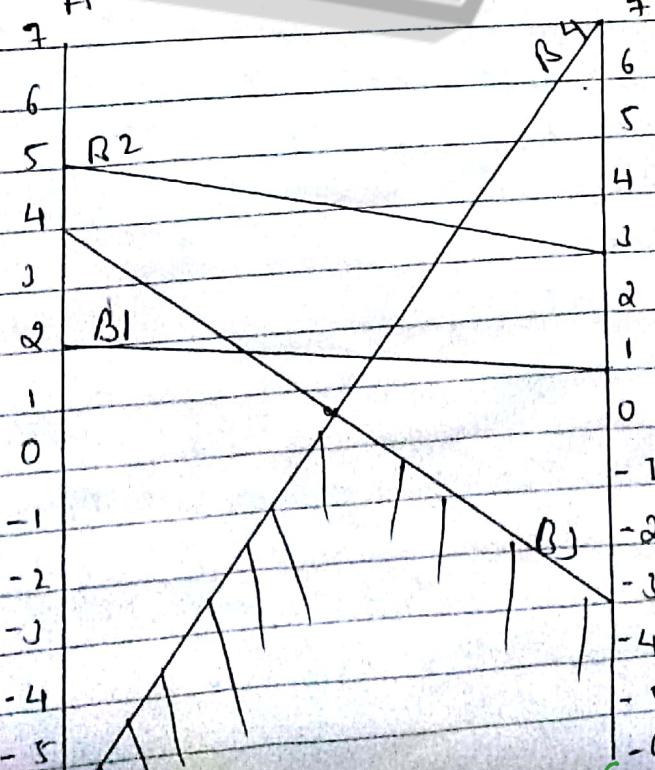
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 & -3 & 7 \\ 2 & 5 & 4 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Row min: } \begin{array}{l} 3 \\ -6 \end{array}$$

$$\text{Col max: } \begin{array}{l} 2 \\ 5 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{l} 4 \\ 7 \end{array}$$

$$\min\{\max\} = 3$$

$$\max\{\min\} = 2$$

$\min\max \neq \max\min$  No saddle point



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Intersecting lines on R<sub>1</sub> and B<sub>2</sub>

$$\begin{bmatrix} -3 & 7 \\ 4 & -6 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_1 = \frac{d-c}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{-6 - 4}{(-3 - 6) - (4 + 4)} = \frac{-10}{-9 - 11} = \frac{10}{20} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P_2 = 1 - P_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d-b}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{-13}{-20} = \frac{13}{20}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - q_1 = 1 - \frac{13}{20} = \frac{7}{20}$$

$$\gamma = \frac{ad-bc}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{+18 - 28}{-20} = \frac{-10}{-20} = \frac{10}{20} = \frac{1}{2}$$

### Dominance Property:

We use the following rules to reduce a given matrix to a  $\alpha \times \alpha$  matrix or  $1 \times 1$  matrix

Rule 1: If all the elements in i<sup>th</sup> row are less than or equal to the corresponding elements of the j<sup>th</sup> row, we say that j<sup>th</sup> strategy dominates i<sup>th</sup> strategy and hence we delete i<sup>th</sup> row

$$R_i \leq R_j \quad \text{delete } R_i$$

Rule 2: If all the elements of the n<sup>th</sup> column are greater than or equals corresponding elements of the m<sup>th</sup> column than we say that m<sup>th</sup> strategy dominates n<sup>th</sup> strategy  
Hence we get delete n<sup>th</sup> strategy.

Rule 3: If row dominance and column dominance cannot reduce a matrix then we take average.

i. If all the elements of the  $i$ th row less than or equals the average of two or more rows than we say that the group of rows dominates  $i$ th row. Hence we delete  $i$ th row.

ii. If all the elements of the  $n$ th columns are greater than or equals the average of two or more columns than we say that group of columns dominants  $n$ th column. Hence we delete  $n$ th column.

- Solve the game by applying dominance

	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$
$a_1$	5	20	-10
$a_2$	10	6	2
$a_3$	20	15	18

	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$
$a_1$	5	20	-10
$a_2$	10	6	2
$a_3$	20	15	18

Step 1: Compare all possible combinations of rows.  
 $a_2 \leq a_3$ , delete  $a_2$ .

Step 2: Compare all possible combinations of columns.

$b_3 \leq b_1$ ,  $b_3$  dominates  $b_1$

delete  $b_1$

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		row min
20	-10	-10
15	18	15

col max 20 18

$$\min\{\max\} = 15$$

$$\max\{\min\} = 18$$

min max ≠ max min No saddle point.

20	-10
15	18

$$P_1 = \frac{d - c}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{18 - 15}{(3+8) - (5)} = \frac{3}{13} = \frac{1}{11}$$

$$P_2 = 1 - P_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{11} = \frac{10}{11}$$

$$P_1 = \frac{d - b}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{18 + 10}{3+3} = \frac{28}{33}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - q_1 = 1 - \frac{28}{33} = \frac{5}{33}$$

$$Y = \frac{ad - bc}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{360 + 150}{33} = \frac{510}{33}$$

Strategy advantage for game A

②)

	b <sub>1</sub>	b <sub>2</sub>	b <sub>3</sub>	b <sub>4</sub>	b <sub>T</sub>
a <sub>1</sub>	2	4	3	8	4
a <sub>2</sub>	5	6	1	7	8
a <sub>3</sub>	6	7	9	8	7
a <sub>4</sub>	4	2	8	4	3

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$\Rightarrow$

	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$	$b_4$	$b_5$
$a_1$	2	4	3	8	4
$a_2$	5	6	3	7	8
$a_3$	6	7	9	8	7
$a_4$	4	2	8	4	5

$a_1 \leq a_3$ ,  $a_1$  is deleted,  $a_1$  is dominating.

$a_4 \leq a_1$ ,  $a_4$  is deleted,  $a_4$  is dominating.

$b_7 \leq b_5$ ,  $b_7$  is deleted,  $b_5$  is dominating.

$b_1 \leq b_5$ ,  $b_1$  is deleted,  $b_5$  is dominating.

$b_4 \leq b_1$ ,  $b_4$  is deleted,  $b_1$  is dominating.

$a_2 \leq a_1$ ,  $a_1$  is deleted       $a_1$  is dominating  
 $b_1 \leq b_3$        $b_1$  is deleted       $b_3$  is dominating.

$$| v = 6 |$$

3)

	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$
$a_1$	1	2	0
$a_2$	2	-3	-2
$a_3$	0	3	-1

4)

	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$
$a_1$	1	2	0
$a_2$	0	-3	-2
$a_3$	0	3	-1

$b_1 > b_3$        $b_3$  is deleted

$a_2 \leq a_1$        $a_2$  is deleted

$b_2 > b_3$        $b_3$  is deleted

$a_3 \leq a_1$        $a_3$  is deleted.

Value of the game is 0.

4) Solve the game using dominance property

	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$	$b_4$
$a_1$	2	-2	4	1
$a_2$	6	1	12	3
$a_3$	-3	2	0	6
$a_4$	2	-3	7	7

	$b_1$	$b_2$	$b_3$	$b_4$
$a_1$	$\alpha$	-2	1	
$a_2$	6	1	12	3
$a_3$	-3	$\alpha$	5	6
$a_4$	$\alpha$	-3	7	7

$a_1 < a_2$  delete  $a_1$

$b_4 > b_2$  delete  $b_4$

$b_1 > b_3$  delete  $b_3$

$a_2 > a_4$  delete  $a_4$

Row min

$$\begin{bmatrix} 6 & 1 \\ -3 & \alpha \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 1 \\ -3 \end{matrix}$$

Col max  $6 \quad \alpha$

$\min\{\max\} = \alpha$

$\max\{\min\} = 1$

$\max\min \neq \min\max$  No saddle point.

$$P_1 = \frac{d - c}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{\alpha - (-3)}{(6 + \alpha) - (1 - 3)} = \frac{5}{8 + 2} = \frac{5}{10} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P_2 = 1 - P_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2} \quad A \left( \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d - b}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{(\alpha - 1)}{10} = \frac{1}{10} \quad B \left( \frac{1}{10}, \frac{9}{10} \right)$$

$$q_2 = 1 - q_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{10} = \frac{9}{10}$$

$$V = \frac{ad - bc}{(a+d) - (b+c)} = \frac{12 + 3}{10} = \frac{15}{10} = \frac{3}{2} //$$

5) The following matrix represents the pay off to  $P_1$  in a rectangular game between two persons  $p_1$  and  $p_2$  by using dominance property reduce the game to  $2 \times 4$  and solve it graphically.

		$P_2$	
		8 15 -4 -2	
$P_1$	19 15 17 16		
	0 20 15 5		

$a_1 < a_2$  delete  $a_1$

		8 15 -4 -2		
	19 15 17 16			
	0 20 15 5			

$b_1 b_2 b_3 b_4$  by rowmin

$a_1$	19	15	17	16	15
$a_2$	0	20	15	5	0

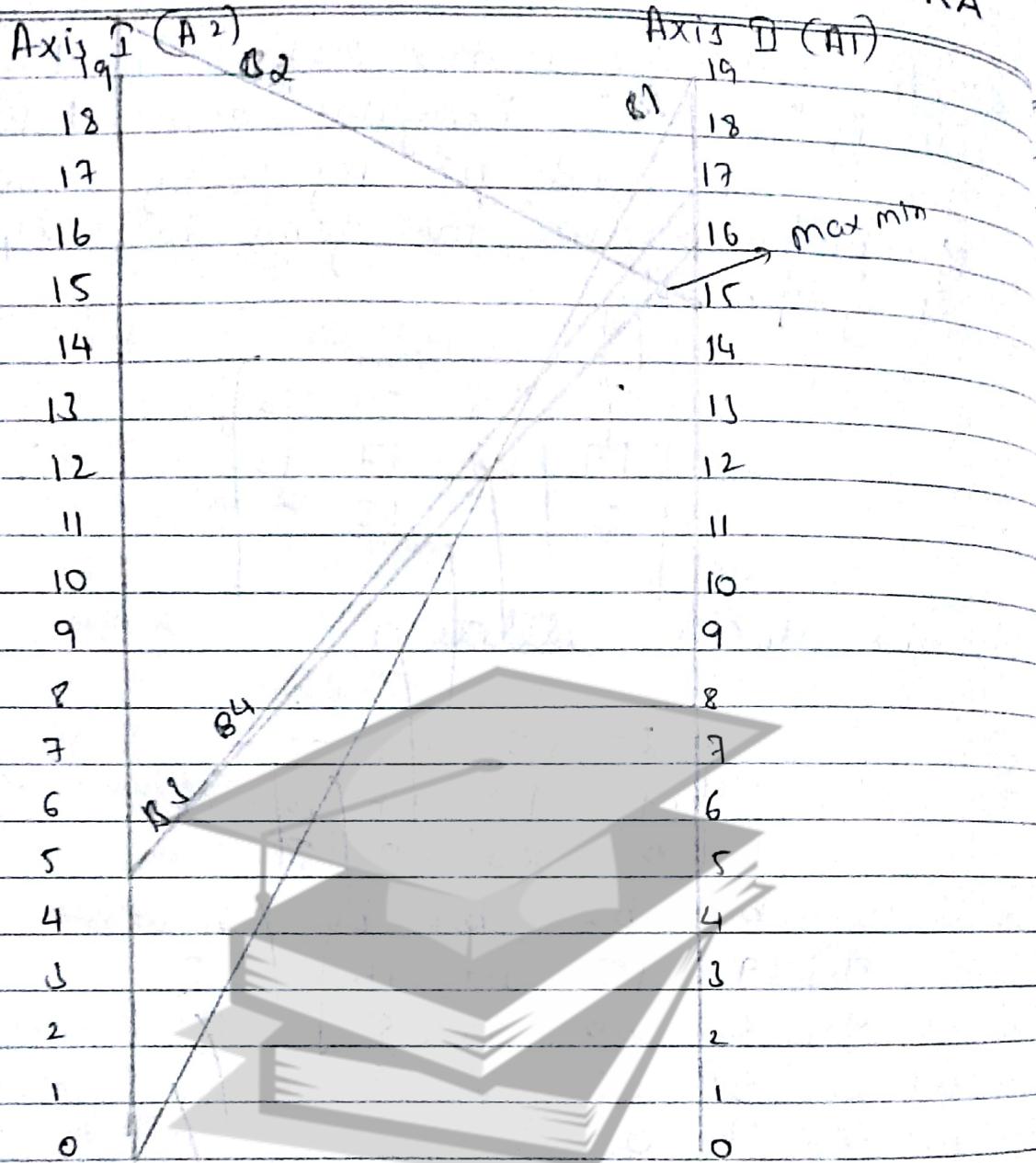
colmax 0 15 5 5

$\min\{\max\} = 0$

$\max\{\min\} = 15$

$\min\max \neq \max\min$  No saddle point

Apply graphical method.



The lines are B<sub>2</sub>, B<sub>2</sub>

$$\begin{bmatrix} 15 & 16 \\ 20 & 15 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_1 = \frac{d-c}{(a+d)-(b+c)} \rightarrow \frac{5-20}{(15+5)-(16+20)} = \frac{-15}{20-36} = \frac{15}{16}$$

$$P_2 = 1 - P_1 \rightarrow 1 - \frac{15}{16} = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$q_1 = \frac{d-b}{(a+d)-(b+c)} \rightarrow \frac{5-16}{-16} = \frac{-11}{-16} = \frac{11}{16}$$

$$q_2 = 1 - q_1 = 1 - \frac{11}{16} = \frac{5}{16}$$

$$V = \frac{ad-bc}{(a+d)-(b+c)} = \frac{(15 \times 5) - (16 \times 20)}{-16} = \frac{245}{16}$$

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