

## Applicable Sets

$$U: \{x \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \mid x < 3\}$$

$$T: \{x \in \mathbb{Z}^+ \mid x < 7\}$$

$$C: U \times U$$

$$F: T \times T$$

$$V: \{\text{true}, \text{false}\}$$

Boolean values

Boolean variables

## System Variables

$$\text{good} \in V$$

$$C_1, C_2 \subseteq C$$

P?

$$\text{over} \in V$$

$$F_1, F_2, F_3 \subseteq F$$

S?

$$\text{next} \in V$$

## System Facts

$$F_3 = F - (F_1 \cup F_2)$$

$$\text{over} \leftrightarrow ((|F_3| = 0) \vee \exists x (x \in \mathcal{P}(C_1) \wedge |x| > 0 \wedge x \in \mathbf{P}) \vee \exists x (x \in \mathcal{P}(C_2) \wedge |x| > 0 \wedge x \in \mathbf{P}))$$

over = "game over"? IFF 1.  $F_3$  is empty, or

2. There exists  $x$  in  $\mathcal{P}(C_1)$  that is  $\neq \emptyset$  and is in  $\mathbf{P}$ , or

3. There exists  $x$  in  $\mathcal{P}(C_2)$  that is  $\neq \emptyset$  and is in  $\mathbf{P}$

there is a subset of  $C_1$  or  $C_2$  that is not null and is in  $\mathbf{P}$

We know that each element of  $\mathbf{P}$  is a subset of  $C$

$C_1$  and  $C_2$  are also subsets of  $C$

start as null sets

## System Initialization

$$\text{good} = \text{false}$$

$$\text{next} = \text{false}$$

true: player 1

false: player 2

$$C_1 = \emptyset$$

$$C_2 = \emptyset$$

$$F_1 = \emptyset$$

$$F_2 = \emptyset$$

leads me to suspect that  $F_1$  and  $F_2$  get "filled up" until all elements of  $F$  are exhausted (suspecting it is like "capturing" positions)

## System States and Behavior

$$\text{NextPlayerMove}(\text{pos} \in F)$$

$$(a, b) = \text{pos}$$

$$c = \lfloor \frac{a-1}{3} \rfloor + 1$$

$$d = \lfloor \frac{b-1}{3} \rfloor + 1$$

$$(\neg \text{over} \wedge \text{next} \wedge \text{pos} \in F_3) \rightarrow (\text{good} = \neg \text{good} \wedge F_1 = F_1 \cup \{\text{pos}\})$$

$$(\neg \text{over} \wedge \neg \text{next} \wedge \text{pos} \in F_3) \rightarrow (\text{good} = \neg \text{good} \wedge F_2 = F_2 \cup \{\text{pos}\})$$

$$(\neg \text{over} \wedge \text{good} \wedge \text{next} \wedge |\mathcal{P}(F_1) \cap \mathbf{S}| > |C_1|) \rightarrow C_1 = C_1 \cup \{(c, d)\}$$

$$(\neg \text{over} \wedge \text{good} \wedge \neg \text{next} \wedge |\mathcal{P}(F_2) \cap \mathbf{S}| > |C_2|) \rightarrow C_2 = C_2 \cup \{(c, d)\}$$

$$(\neg \text{over} \wedge \text{good}) \rightarrow \text{good} = \neg \text{good}$$

Game must not be over

The number of completed patterns will always match the number of "captured quadrants"

If a player's move completes one of these patterns, the "area" or "quadrant" is "captured"

$(a, b)$  is a position (ordered pair)

$a$  and  $b$  are decremented, divided by 3, rounded down, then incremented

If  $\text{pos}$  is a subset of  $F$ , then  $(c, d)$  is a subset of  $C$  because  $1 \leq c \leq 2$  and  $1 \leq d \leq 2$

If "move" is valid, invert good and add  $\text{pos}$  to  $F_i$

These lines occur if good is true, which will be the case after the player makes a "valid" move

$$|\mathcal{P}(F_i) \cap \mathbf{S}| > |C_i|$$

Given that  $F_i$  is all of player 1's "moves":

$$\mathbf{S}: \{(1, 1), (1, 3), (2, 2), (3, 1), (3, 3)\}, A$$

$$\{(4, 4), (4, 6), (5, 5), (6, 4), (6, 6)\}, B$$

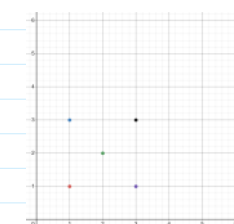
$$\{(1, 5), (2, 4), (2, 5), (2, 6), (3, 5)\}, C$$

$$\{(4, 1), (4, 3), (5, 1), (5, 3), (6, 1), (6, 3)\}, D$$

$\mathcal{P}(F_i) \cap \mathbf{S}$  is the set of all "combinations" of "moves" made by the player that are in this list

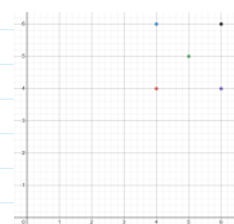
I will label them A, B, C, D:

A



K

B



D

GameOver(over)

result  $\in$  {"B wins", "A wins"}

(over  $\wedge$  next  $\wedge \exists x (x \in P(C_1) \wedge |x| > 0 \wedge x \in P) \rightarrow$  result = "A wins"

(over  $\wedge \neg$ next  $\wedge \exists x (x \in P(C_2) \wedge |x| > 0 \wedge x \in P) \rightarrow$  result = "B wins"

$\neg$ over  $\rightarrow$  (next =  $\neg$ next)

EXAMPLE, .?

$C = \{(1,1), (1,2), (2,1), (2,2)\}$

$C_1 = \{(1,2), (2,1)\}$

↓  
This subset, or "combination"  
exists in P

Therefore GAME OVER?

The game ends when  
both (1,1) and (2,2)

OR

both (1,2) and (2,1)

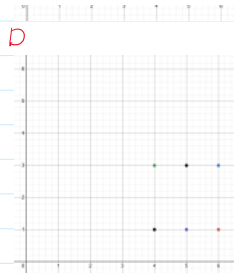
are in either  $C_1$  or  $C_2$   
(OR  $F_3$  is empty)

When diagonally opposite "quadrants"  
are "captured" by the same player

K



D



If (a, b) is in A, (c, d) will be (1,1)

B  $\rightarrow$  (2,2)

K  $\rightarrow$  (1,2)

D  $\rightarrow$  (2,1)

For reference, here are  
the points in C:

