

0.0.1 $\langle \Delta H_{SD} \rangle$ Derivation

The equation $H = -q(1 - q)$ defines a constant of motion for the SD part of the game, where q is the fraction of players in the 4th strategy. Using the transition probabilities of the different process we can derive an expression for the expected change in H within the simplex.

Where $i, j, k, N - i - j - k$ are the players playing R, P, S, and the 4th strategy respectively.

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta H &= H(t+1) - H(t), \\ \Delta H &= -x_{t+1}(1 - x_{t+1}) - (-x_t(1 - x_t)) \\ \Delta H &= -x_{t+1}(1 - x_{t+1}) + x_t(1 - x_t) \\ \Delta H &= x_t(1 - x_t) - x_{t+1}(1 - x_{t+1})\end{aligned}$$

$$\langle \Delta H \rangle = \sum_{i,j,k} (H_s - H_{s'}) T^{s \rightarrow s'}, \quad s \text{ is a particular state in the simplex.}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \Delta H_{SD} \rangle &= \frac{6}{N^5} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[(N - i - j - k)(1 - N + i + j + k)(T^{R+} + T^{P+} + T^{S+} + T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}) \right. \\ &\quad - (N - i - j - k + 1)(-N + i + j + k)T^{R+} \\ &\quad - (N - i - j - k + 1)(-N + i + j + k)T^{P+} \\ &\quad - (N - i - j - k - 1)(2 - N + i + j + k)T^{+R} \\ &\quad - (N - i - j - k - 1)(2 - N + i + j + k)T^{+P} \\ &\quad \left. - (N - i - j - k - 1)(2 - N + i + j + k)T^{+S} \right] \quad (1)\end{aligned}$$

The terms with transitions within the RPS simplex can be ignored as q would not change between these states, therefore the term $H_s - H_{s'} = 0$

$p = N - i - j - k$, the number of players playing the 4th strategy.

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \Delta H_{SD} \rangle &= \frac{6}{N^5} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[p(1-p)(T^{R+} + T^{P+} + T^{S+} + T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}) \right. \\ &\quad - (p+1)(-p)(T^{R+} + T^{P+} + T^{S+}) \\ &\quad \left. - (p-1)(2-p)(T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}) \right]\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\langle \Delta H_{SD} \rangle &= \frac{6}{N^5} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[T^{R+} (p(1-p) + p(p+1)) + T^{+R} (p(1-p) - (p-1)(2-p)) \right. \\ &\quad + T^{P+} (p(1-p) + p(p+1)) + T^{+P} (p(1-p) - (p-1)(2-p)) \\ &\quad \left. + T^{S+} (p(1-p) + p(p+1)) + T^{+S} (p(1-p) - (p-1)(2-p)) \right] \\ &= \frac{6}{N^5} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[2p (T^{R+} + T^{P+} + T^{S+}) + (p - p^2 - (3p - p^2 - 2))(T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}) \right] \\ &= \frac{6}{N^5} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[2p (T^{R+} + T^{P+} + T^{S+}) + (2 - 2p)(T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}) \right]\end{aligned}$$

$$\langle \Delta H_{SD} \rangle = \frac{12}{N^5} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[p (T^{R+} + T^{P+} + T^{S+}) + (1-p)(T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}) \right]$$

$$\langle \Delta H_{SD} \rangle = \frac{12}{N^5} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} p \left[(T^{R+} - T^{+R}) + (T^{P+} - T^{+P}) + (T^{S+} - T^{+S}) \right] + T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S} \quad (2)$$

The continuous limit, where $x = i/N$, $y = j/N$, $z = k/N$, and $q = p/N$, $p = Nq$ and $q = 1 - x - y - z$ leads to:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \Delta H_{SD} \rangle &= \frac{12}{N^2} \int_0^1 dx \int_0^{1-x} dy \int_0^{1-x-y} dz \left[Nq [(T^{R+} - T^{+R}) + (T^{P+} - T^{+P}) + (T^{S+} - T^{+S})] \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Finally,

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \Delta H_{SD} \rangle &= \frac{12}{N} \int_0^1 dx \int_0^{1-x} dy \int_0^{1-x-y} dz \left[q [(T^{R+} - T^{+R}) + (T^{P+} - T^{+P}) + (T^{S+} - T^{+S})] \right] \\ &\quad + \frac{12}{N^2} \int_0^1 dx \int_0^{1-x} dy \int_0^{1-x-y} dz [T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}] \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

This can then be solved numerically and the critical population values can be found where $\langle \Delta H_{SD} \rangle = 0$.

Critical N found matches nicely with the simulated versions. Numerical integration in python code ./augRps.py, shows change of sign as expected. Matches nicely with the approximated values for the Moran process. The specific expression for Moran process is very long. Computed numerically and solved with scipy.integrate (reference scipy) Maybe can plot the simulated critical population sizes against the analytical on the same graph.

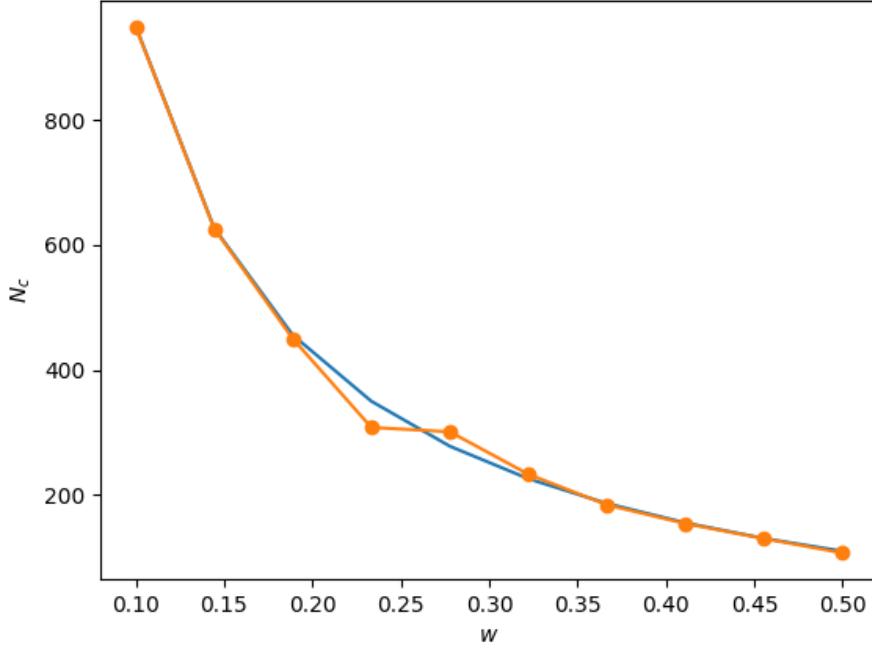


Figure 1: Comparison of simulated critical population sizes against the derived expected change in H for Moran process. Small deviations due to stochasticity in the simulations. $\gamma = 0.2, \beta = 0.1$ standard RPS.

0.0.2 $\langle \Delta H_{RPS} \rangle$ Derivation

$\langle \Delta H \rangle$ within the RPS plane $H = -xyz$.

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle \Delta H_{RPS} \rangle &= \frac{2}{N^6} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[ijk(T^{RP} + T^{RS} + T^{R+} + T^{PR} + T^{PS} + T^{P+} \right. \\
&\quad + T^{SR} + T^{SP} + T^{S+} + T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}) \\
&\quad - k(i-1)(j+1)T^{RP} - (i-1)j(k+1)T^{RS} - jk(i-1)T^{R+} \\
&\quad - k(i+1)(j-1)T^{PR} - i(j-1)(k+1)T^{PS} - ik(j-1)T^{P+} \\
&\quad - (i+1)j(k-1)T^{SR} - i(j+1)(k-1)T^{SP} - ij(k-1)T^{S+} \\
&\quad \left. - jk(i+1)T^{+R} - ik(j+1)T^{+P} - ij(k+1)T^{+S} \right] \\
\langle \Delta H_{RPS} \rangle &= \frac{2}{N^6} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[k(j-i)(T^{RP} - T^{PR}) + j(k-i)(T^{RS} - T^{SR}) + i(j-k)(T^{SP} - T^{PS}) \right. \\
&\quad + k(T^{RP} + T^{PR}) + j(T^{RS} + T^{SR}) + i(T^{SP} + T^{PS}) \\
&\quad \left. + jk(T^{R+} - T^{+R}) + ik(T^{P+} - T^{+P}) + ij(T^{S+} - T^{+S}) \right]
\end{aligned} \tag{4}$$

Compared to the derivation of simply the RPS case in [?], this has the additional terms including the difference in transition probabilities in and out of the 4th strategy.

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle \Delta H_{RPS} \rangle &= \frac{2}{N^3} \int_0^1 dx \int_0^{1-x} dy \int_0^{1-x-y} dz \left[N^2 z(y-x)(T^{RP} - T^{PR}) + N^2 y(z-x)(T^{RS} - T^{SR}) \right. \\
&\quad + N^2 x(y-z)(T^{SP} - T^{PS}) \\
&\quad + Nz(T^{RP} + T^{PR}) + Ny(T^{RS} + T^{SR}) + Nx(T^{SP} + T^{PS}) \\
&\quad \left. + N^2 xz(T^{P+} - T^{+P}) + N^2 yz(T^{R+} - T^{+R}) + N^2 xy(T^{S+} - T^{+S}) \right] \\
\langle \Delta H_{RPS} \rangle &= \frac{2}{N} \int_0^1 dx \int_0^{1-x} dy \int_0^{1-x-y} dz \left[z(y-x)(T^{RP} - T^{PR}) + y(z-x)(T^{RS} - T^{SR}) \right. \\
&\quad + x(y-z)(T^{SP} - T^{PS}) + xz(T^{P+} - T^{+P}) + yz(T^{R+} - T^{+R}) + xy(T^{S+} - T^{+S}) \\
&\quad \left. + \frac{2}{N^2} \int_0^1 dx \int_0^{1-x} dy \int_0^{1-x-y} dz \left[z(T^{RP} + T^{PR}) + y(T^{RS} + T^{SR}) + x(T^{SP} + T^{PS}) \right] \right]
\end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

Rough figures of rps and SD delta H values.

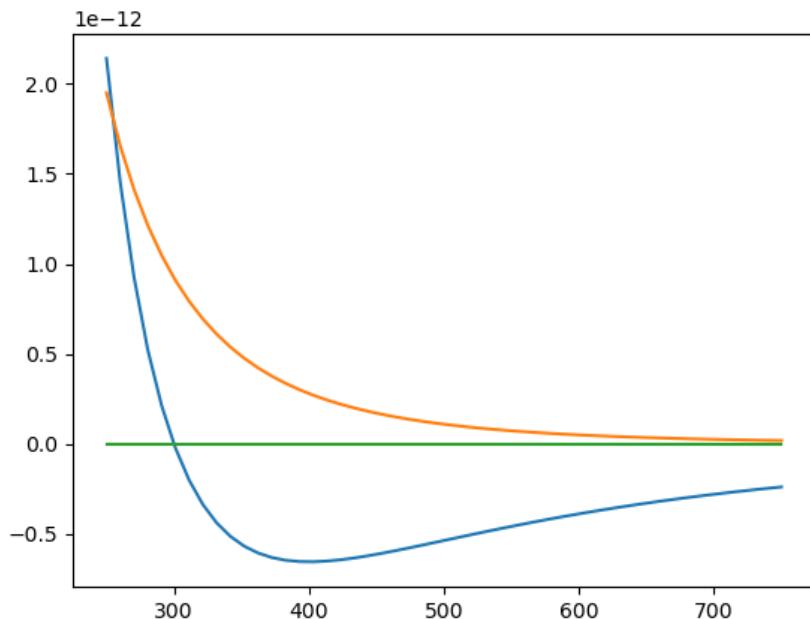


Figure 2: Blue - SD

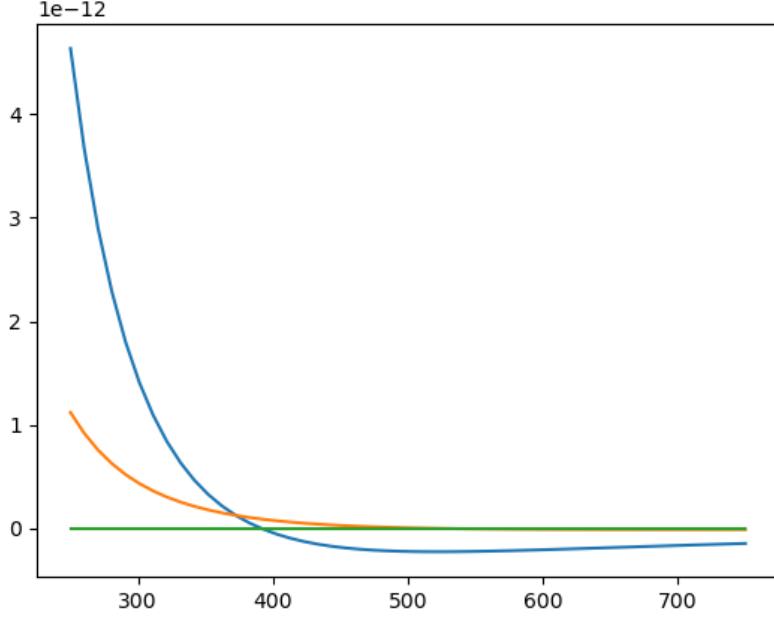


Figure 3: Double reversal case. Blue - SD

0.0.3 $\langle \Delta H_4 \rangle$ Derivation

All 4 strategies, $H = -xyz(1 - x - y - z)$, Therefore $\langle \Delta H_4 \rangle$ for the population counts can be defined as:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \Delta H_4 \rangle &= \frac{6}{N^7} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[ijk(N-i-j-k)(T^{RP} + T^{RS} + T^{R+} + T^{PR} + T^{PS} + T^{P+} \right. \\ &\quad + T^{SR} + T^{SP} + T^{S+} + T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}) - (i-1)(j+1)k(N-i-j-k)T^{RP} \\ &\quad - (i-1)j(k+1)(N-i-j-k)T^{RS} - (i-1)jk(N-i-j-k+1)T^{R+} \\ &\quad - (i+1)(j-1)k(N-i-j-k)T^{PR} - i(j-1)(k+1)(N-i-j-k)T^{PS} \\ &\quad - i(j-1)k(N-i-j-k+1)T^{P+} - (i+1)j(k-1)(N-i-j-k)T^{SR} \\ &\quad - i(j+1)(k-1)(N-i-j-k)T^{SP} - ij(k-1)(N-i-j-k+1)T^{S+} \\ &\quad \left. - (i+1)jk(N-1-i-j-k)T^{+R} - i(j+1)k(N-1-i-j-k)T^{+P} - ij(k+1)(N-1-i-j-k)T^{+S} \right] \end{aligned} \quad (6)$$

Normalization $\frac{6}{N^7}$, as its over the whole simplex (pyramid volume $1/6$) and triple summation, (N^3) , then 4 populations N^4 .

Let $p = N - i - j - k$ (4th strategy count):

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle \Delta H_4 \rangle = & \frac{6}{N^7} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[ijkp(T^{RP} + T^{RS} + T^{R+} + T^{PR} + T^{PS} + T^{P+} \right. \\
& + T^{SR} + T^{SP} + T^{S+} + T^{+R} + T^{+P} + T^{+S}) - (i-1)(j+1)kpT^{RP} \\
& - (i-1)j(k+1)pT^{RS} - (i-1)jk(p+1)T^{R+} \\
& - (i+1)(j-1)kpT^{PR} - i(j-1)(k+1)pT^{PS} \\
& - i(j-1)k(p+1)T^{P+} - (i+1)j(k-1)pT^{SR} \\
& - i(j+1)(k-1)pT^{SP} - ij(k-1)(p+1)T^{S+} \\
& \left. - (i+1)jk(p-1)T^{+R} - i(j+1)k(p-1)T^{+P} - ij(k+1)(p-1)T^{+S} \right]
\end{aligned} \tag{7}$$

Looking at one pair of transitions in and out of the same state. ($R \rightarrow P, P \rightarrow R$) this can be rewritten as before for $\langle \Delta H_{RPS} \rangle$ as differences of transition probabilities in and out of a state.

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle \Delta H_4 \rangle = & \frac{6}{N^7} \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{N-i} \sum_{k=1}^{N-i-j} \left[kp(j-i)(T^{RP} - T^{PR}) + jp(k-i)(T^{RS} - T^{SR}) \right. \\
& + ip(j-k)(T^{SP} - T^{PS}) + kp(T^{RP} + T^{PR}) + jp(T^{RS} + T^{SR}) \\
& + ip(T^{SP} + T^{PS}) + jk(p-i)(T^{R+} - T^{+R}) + ik(p-j)(T^{P+} - T^{+P}) \\
& \left. + ij(p-k)(T^{S+} - T^{+S}) + jk(T^{R+} + T^{+R}) + ik(T^{P+} + T^{+P}) + ij(T^{S+} + T^{+S}) \right]
\end{aligned} \tag{8}$$

As before, converting this to the integral form where $x = i/N, y = j/N, z = k/N$ and $q = p/N, p = Nq$ where $q = 1 - x - y - z$ leads to:

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle \Delta H_4 \rangle = & \frac{6}{N^4} \int_0^1 dx \int_0^{1-x} dy \int_0^{1-x-y} dz \left[N^3 zq(y-x)(T^{RP} - T^{PR}) + N^3 yq(z-x)(T^{RS} - T^{SR}) \right. \\
& + N^3 xq(y-z)(T^{SP} - T^{PS}) + N^2 zq(T^{RP} + T^{PR}) + N^2 yq(T^{RS} + T^{SR}) + N^2 xq(T^{SP} + T^{PS}) \\
& + N^3 yz(q-x)(T^{R+} - T^{+R}) + N^3 xz(q-y)(T^{P+} - T^{+P}) + N^3 xy(q-z)(T^{S+} - T^{+S}) \\
& \left. + N^2 yz(T^{R+} + T^{+R}) + N^2 xz(T^{P+} + T^{+P}) + N^2 xy(T^{S+} + T^{+S}) \right]
\end{aligned} \tag{9}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\langle \Delta H_4 \rangle = & \frac{6}{N} \int_0^1 dx \int_0^{1-x} dy \int_0^{1-x-y} dz \left[zq(y-x)(T^{RP} - T^{PR}) + yq(z-x)(T^{RS} - T^{SR}) + xq(y-z)(T^{SP} - T^{PS}) \right. \\
& + yz(q-x)(T^{R+} - T^{+R}) + xz(q-y)(T^{P+} - T^{+P}) + xy(q-z)(T^{S+} - T^{+S}) \\
& + \frac{6}{N^2} \int_0^1 dx \int_0^{1-x} dy \int_0^{1-x-y} dz \left[zq(T^{RP} + T^{PR}) + yq(T^{RS} + T^{SR}) + xq(T^{SP} + T^{PS}) \right. \\
& \left. + yz(T^{R+} + T^{+R}) + xz(T^{P+} + T^{+P}) + xy(T^{S+} + T^{+S}) \right]
\end{aligned} \tag{10}$$

Final derivation of $\langle \Delta H_4 \rangle$. There are clear similarities to the other two expected values $\langle \Delta H_{SD} \rangle, \langle \Delta RPS \rangle$ with some terms missing due to the different observation variable H used but they can all be rewritten in terms of differences of transition probabilities into and out of state (e.g. $(T^{RP} - T^{PR})$) in an integral scaled by $1/N$ plus positive terms in a second integral scaled by $1/N^2$.

0.0.4 Graphical comparison of H

Compare the 3 together on same plot for some of the interesting cases.

$\langle \Delta H_4 \rangle$ seems to have a sign change when either the RPS or SD game does or both, double check the code copy of the formula, and see if theres a pattern as one does not seem obvious at the moment.