

# HW4

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Var 1

## 1 Task 1

### 1.1 matrix 1

1. No strictly dominant strategy
2. No weakly dominant strategy
3. Maximax Strategy max payoff for Player 2:  
(8, 7, 3), max here = 8  $\rightarrow$  we choose strategy 1  
For player 1:  
(4, 5, 4)  $\rightarrow$  strategy 2  
Minimax strategy max payoff for player 2:  
(8, 7, 3)  $\rightarrow$  min here 3  $\rightarrow$  strategy 3  
for player 1:  
(4, 5, 4)  $\rightarrow$  min 4  $\rightarrow$  strategy 1 or 3  
Maximin strategy min payoff for player 2:  
(3, 1, 2)  $\rightarrow$  max here = 3  $\rightarrow$  strategy 1  
min payoff for player 1:  
(3, 2, 1)  $\rightarrow$  strategy 1
4.  $b_2(S_1) = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 1)\}$  and  $b_1(S_2) = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (2, 3)\}$   
 $NE(G) = \{(1, 1)\}$
5.  $b_2(S_1) = \{(1, 1), (2, 2), (3, 1)\}$  with  $u_1 = 4$ ,  $u_1 = 7$  and  $u_1 = 8$   
 $b_1(S_2) = \{(1, 1), (1, 2), (2, 3)\}$  with  $u_2 = 3$ ,  $u_2 = 4$  and  $u_2 = 5$   
 $S_1 = \{(2, 3)\}$  and  $S_2 = \{(3, 1)\}$

### 1.2 matrix 2

1. No strictly dominant strategy
2. No weakly dominant strategy
3. Maximax for player 1 max payoff:  
(3, 4, 4, 4, 4)  $\rightarrow$  strategy 2/3/4/5  
for player 2:  
(4, 3, 4, 3, 3, 4)  $\rightarrow$  strategy 1/3/6  
Maximax strategy for player 1:  
strategy 1  
for player 2:

strategy 2/4/5

minimax strategy for player 1:

(0, 0, 0, 0, 1) → strategy 6

for player 2:

(0, 1, 0, 0, 0, 1) → strategy 2/6

4.  $b_2(S_1) = \{(1, 1), (1, 3), (1, 6), (2, 4), (3, 3), (3, 4), (3, 5), (4, 6), (5, 1), (5, 2), (5, 6)\}$  and

$b_1(S_2) = \{(3, 1), (2, 2), (5, 2), (2, 3), (3, 3), (4, 3), (2, 4), (4, 4), (3, 5), (5, 5), (1, 6), (2, 6)\}$

$NE(G) = \{(5, 2), (3, 3), (2, 4), (3, 5), (1, 6)\}$

5.  $b_2(S_1) = \{(1, 1), (1, 3), (1, 6), (2, 4), (3, 3), (3, 4), (3, 5), (4, 6), (5, 1), (5, 2), (5, 6)\}$

with  $u_1 = 4, u_1 = 3, u_1 = 3, u_1 = 4, u_1 = 3$

$b_1(S_2) = \{(3, 1), (2, 2), (5, 2), (2, 3), (3, 3), (4, 3), (2, 4), (4, 4), (3, 5), (5, 5), (1, 6), (2, 6)\}$

with  $u_2 = 4, u_2 = 2, u_2 = 4, u_2 = 4, u_2 = 4, u_2 = 3$

$S_1 = \{(3, 1), (2, 3), (3, 3), (4, 3), (2, 4), (4, 4), (3, 5), (5, 5)\}$  and

$S_2 = \{(1, 1), (1, 3), (1, 6), (4, 6)\}$

### 1.3 Mixed strategy

With setting the probabilities there exist no mixed strategy equilibrium because probabilities are not in range from 0 to 1 which means there must exist a pure equilibrium:

$b_2(S_1) = \{(1, 1), (2, 3), (3, 3)\}$

$b_1(S_2) = \{(1, 1), (3, 2), (1, 3)\}$

Nash equilibrium is strategy (1, 1) where the first player gets payoff 4 and second player gets 3

## 2 Task 2

### 2.1 Kurnot

$$P = 16 - 2 * (x_1 + x_2)$$

$$C_1 = 7 * x_1$$

$$C_2 = 7 * x_2$$

Solution :

$$x_2 = b_2(x_1)$$

$$\Pi_2 \rightarrow \max$$

$$\Pi_2 = px_2 - C_2 = (p - 7)x_2 = (9 - 2x_1 - 2x_2)x_2 \rightarrow \max$$

$$\frac{\partial \Pi_2}{\partial x_2} = 9 - 2x_1 - 4x_2 = 0$$

$$x_2 = (9 - 2x_1)/4$$

$$x_1 = b_1(x_2)$$

$$\Pi_1 \rightarrow \max$$

$$\Pi_1 = px_1 - C_1 = (p - 7)x_1 = (9 - 2x_1 - 2x_2)x_1 \rightarrow \max$$

$$\frac{\partial \Pi_1}{\partial x_1} = 9 - 4x_1 - 2x_2 = 0$$

$$x_1 = (9 - 2x_2)/4$$

$$\begin{aligned}
x_2 &= (9 - 2x_1)/4, x_1 = (9 - 2x_2)/4 \\
x_1 &= (9 - 9/2 + x_1)/4 = 1.5 \\
x_2 &= 1.5 \\
\Pi_1^* &= (9 - 2 * 1.5 - 2 * 1.5) * 1, 5 = 4.5 = \Pi_2^* \\
NE(G) &= \{1.5, 1.5\} \\
&\text{Stackelberg equilibrium for the first player} \\
\Pi_1 &\rightarrow \max \\
x_2 &= b_2(x_1) \\
\Pi_1 &= (9 - 2x_1 - 2x_1)x_1 \\
x_2 &= (9 - 2x_1)/4 \\
\Pi_1 &= (9 - 2x_1 - 2x_2)x_1 \\
\frac{\partial \Pi_1}{\partial x_1} &= 9 - 4x_1 - 1/2(9 - 4x_1) = -2x_1 + 9/2 = 0 \\
x_1^* &= 2.25 \\
x_2^* &= 1.125 \\
P^* &= 16 - 2 * 3.375 = 8.25 \\
\Pi_1^* &= 1.25 * 2.25 = 2.8125 \\
\Pi_2^* &= 1.25 * 1.125 = 1.5 \\
&\text{Stackelberg equilibrium for the second player} \\
\Pi_2 &\rightarrow \max \\
x_1 &= b_1(x_2) \\
\Pi_2 &= (9 - 2x_1 - 2x_2)x_2 \\
x_1 &= (9 - 2x_2)/4 \\
\Pi_2 &= (9 - 2x_1 - 2x_2)x_2 \\
\frac{\partial \Pi_2}{\partial x_2} &= 9 - 4x_2 - 1/2(9 - 4x_2) = -2x_2 + 9/2 = 0 \\
x_2^* &= 2.25 \\
x_1^* &= 1.125 \\
P^* &= 16 - 2 * 3.375 = 8.25 \\
&\text{The same}
\end{aligned}$$

## 2.2 Bertrand

$$\begin{aligned}
x_1 &= 7 - p_1 + p_2 \\
x_2 &= 8 - p_2 + 2p_1 \\
C_1 &= 4x_1 \\
C_2 &= 2x_2
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\text{Nash equilibrium: For first player} \\
p_2 &= b_2(p_1) \\
\Pi_2 &\rightarrow \max \\
\Pi_2 &= (p_2x_2 - C_2) = (p_2 - 2)(8 - p_2 + 2p_1) \\
\frac{\partial \Pi_2}{\partial p_2} &= 8 - 2p_2 + 2p_1 + 2 = 0 \\
p_2 &= 5 + p_1
\end{aligned}$$

For second player

$$\begin{aligned}
p_1 &= b_1(p_2) \\
\Pi_1 &\rightarrow \max \\
\Pi_1 &= (p_1x_1 - 4x_1) = (p_1 - 4)(7 - p_1 + p_2) \\
\frac{\partial \Pi_1}{\partial p_1} &= 11 - 2p_1 + p_2 = 0 \\
p_1 &= 11/2 + 1/2p_2
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
p_1 &= 3 + 0.5p_1 \\
p_1^* &= 6 \\
p_2^* &= 11 \\
NE(G) &= \{(6, 11)\}
\end{aligned}$$