About One Model Strategic Game of Collective Choice

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Abstract — A model of dyadic non-cooperative game $\Gamma(H)$ is discussed in the paper for the set of one and the same players’ strategies. The players make their choice sitting round the table and have the opportunity to coordinate only the meanings of utilities in every situation. Therefore the players’ payoffs are given by $2 \times 2$ matrices. A notion “the equalized situation” in mixed strategies which is at the same time the equilibrium is introduced. The theorem has been proved, which establishes the conditions of existence of an equalized situation in the given game. In the case of the existence algorithm is constructed. If equalized situation doesn’t exist in the game, then there exists the equilibrium situation in the pure strategies and it is possible to find it by analysis of situations. $\Gamma(H)$ game’s with bimatrix $\Gamma$ game in case of two players is given. The players’ conditions of optimal mixed strategies existence in $\Gamma$ game is written. Relevant examples are solved and $\Gamma(H)$ game’s application for finite amount of players’ is discussed.

Index Terms — Game Theory, Non-cooperative Game, Dyadic Game, Strategy, Collective choice, Equilibrium Situation.

1. Introduction

Mathematical methods in the normative theory of making decisions are used for two purposes: for clearing the existing reality and for establishment of its rational behaviour. In the process of making collective choice the new fundamental problems are rising. In the last period of time the problem of democracy has got a lot of interest in social - economic and political sciences and the question is if we can define the correct methods of individual decisions collection in order to get a correct collective choice.

Every collective choice (decission) mainly takes place in the case of different interest of individuals. In this case the process of collective choice is a game. In that case if they can not come to an agreement on choosing strategies (variants, alternatives) the process of making collective choice is a non-cooperative game.

Game theory is a modern field of making decisions [6]. For the time being, non-cooperative, e.i. strategic games for making collective choice strategic modelling is taking place not only in economics, business and management, but in many other fields of science and life. For example, in social field [3], in politics [1,7,8,9], in security [2, 5], in information theory [10] and others.

Suppose there is a collective that consists of n individuals $N = \{1, 2, \ldots, n\}$. Choosing the only element from the set of $A = \{a_1, a_2, \ldots, a_m\}$ strategies is their task of collective choice. In a lot of process of social, economic and political situations the collective choice is led to the choice of one of them from two possible strategies. We’re discussing a case like this and mean that the set of each individ strategies of the collective is the same and it has got the following form $A_i = \{1, 2\}$, $i \in N$. Here the situation in the pure strategies has got the following form $x = \{x_1, x_2, \ldots, x_n\}$, where $x_i \in \{1,2\}$ and $H_i$ is the $i \in N$ player’s utility function. In this case non-cooperative game
The dyadic game is defined as:

\[ \Gamma = (N, \{A_i\}_{i \in N}, \{H_i\}_{i \in N}) \]

where \( H_i : \prod_{i \in N} A_i \to R \) is a dyadic scalar game.

Dyadic games are a significant class of non-cooperative games, where each player has two strategies. In the case of two players, the dyadic game is called the “Prisoner’s Dilemma”. They are used for modelling simple situations in social-political life, where the elements of competition, coordination and cooperation participate in the form of different variants: vote or not, confess or not, sign or not and etc.

Non-cooperative dyadic games have a certain place in the books and articles published in the following fields of study: Game Theory, Biology, Psychology and so on.

In the case of scalar utilities, dyadic games are described in detail for example Vorob'ev's book [12]. In such games, the conditions of Nash's equilibrium existing in a completely mixed strategies are given by analytical relations.

In this paper, special class of dyadic games is discussed, that is to say, we assume that we have a finite set of players \( N = \{1, 2, \ldots, n\} \) sitting at a round table. Each of them has two strategies. Let us discuss the situation when each \( i = 1, 2, \ldots, n \) players' utility (payoff) depends on own strategy and \( i+1 \)-player's strategies (taking \( n+1=1 \)) and they can agree with each other in each situation only about the meanings of payoffs. In this case it is natural to consider that the player’s payoff functions have the following form by matrix:

\[ H_i(x_1, x_2), H(x_2, x_3), \ldots, H_n(x_n, x_1) \]  \hspace{0.5cm} (1)

Hence, we have got strategic \( \Gamma \) game with matrix payoffs \( H_1, H_2, \ldots, H_n \) and we note by \( \Gamma(H) \), where each player’s first strategy is 1, the second strategy is 2.

**2. The main part**

In (1) kind of non-cooperative \( \Gamma(H) \) game with payoffs we determined the conditions of the existence the equilibrium situation in mixed strategies. With the help of such conditions in the case of \( n=2 \) player’s case the equivalency of \( \Gamma(H) \) game’s solution is studied related to the analysis of common \( 2 \times 2 \) bimatrix game, which is given by algebraic form. But generally the analysis of \( 2 \times 2 \) bimatrix game is held by graphical form [12]. The focus is on finding the equilibrium situation in pure strategies in case of two or more players' in \( \Gamma(H) \) game. \( \Gamma(H) \) game’s model we have used for lexicographic games [11]. In the present article using the model of \( \Gamma(H) \) game is studied in an organization of a teaching process. Relevant examples are discussed.

Obviously, in the case of payoffs given by (1), \( \Gamma(H) \) game is a dyadic non-cooperative game, in which each player’s payoff is given by means of a \( 2 \times 2 \) matrix. For \( n=2 \) player’s \( \Gamma(H) \) has the following form:

\[ H_1(x_1, x_2) = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} \end{pmatrix} \]

\[ H_2(x_2, x_1) = \begin{pmatrix} b_{11} & b_{12} \\ b_{21} & b_{22} \end{pmatrix} \]

In this case \( \Gamma \) game (3) is the same as the following bimatrix game

\[ \Gamma = \begin{pmatrix} (a_{11}, b_{11}) & (a_{12}, b_{12}) \\ (a_{21}, b_{21}) & (a_{22}, b_{22}) \end{pmatrix} \] \hspace{0.5cm} (4)

Therefore above stated “Prisoner’s Dilemma” game with strategies \( A_1 = A_2 = \{1\text{-Non Confess, 2\text{-Confess}}\} \)

\[ \Gamma = \begin{pmatrix} (-1,-1) & (-10,0) \\ (0,-10) & (-8,-8) \end{pmatrix} \] \hspace{0.5cm} (5)

is the same as the following \( \Gamma(H) \)

\[ H_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -10 \\ 0 & -8 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -10 \\ 0 & -8 \end{pmatrix} \] \hspace{0.5cm} (6)

Note for players’ \( N = \{1, 2, \ldots, n\} \) in \( \Gamma(H) \) game \( X_i = (p_i, 1 - p_i) \) is the mixed strategy of \( i \in N \) player, where \( p_i \) is first strategy’s choosing probability. The situation in the mixed strategies will be \( X = (X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n) \).

**Definition.** The situation in mixed strategies \( X=(X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n) \) in \( \Gamma(H) \) game is called the equilibrium situation, if

\[ H_i(X) \geq H_i(X_{II}, x_i) \]

for any \( i \in N \), and for any \( x_i \in \{1, 2\} \).

The situation \( X = (X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n) \) in \( \Gamma(H) \) game is called equalized situation, if for any \( i \in N \) the following equation takes place:

\[ H_i(X_{II}, 1) = H_i(X_{II}, 2) \] \hspace{0.5cm} (7)

where \( X_{II, k} = (X_1, \ldots, X_{k-1}, k, X_{k+1}, \ldots, X_n) \).

According to the definition in \( \Gamma(H) \) game the equalized situation is the equilibrium situation in the same game. At the same time, because of the situation \( X = (X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n) \) in completely mixed strategies
(when every \( 0 < p_i < 1, i = 1, \ldots, n \)) in \( \Gamma(H) \) game be equalized, it is necessary and sufficient that for every \( i \in N \) the equation (7) should be taken place (Borov'ev [12]). Therefore, the rational behind the desire and tendency of the players to attain equalized situations, since a tendency towards equalized situation can be viewed as a kind of optimal behavior.

Let the following equation be used for \( i \in N : \Delta x_i H_i(x_{i+1}) = H_i(2,x_{i+1}) - H_i(1,x_{i+1}), \Delta x_i H_i H_i = \Delta x_i H_i(2) - \Delta x_i H_i(1) = H_i(1,1) + H_i(2,2) - H_i(1,2), \) where \( i \in N \) and the sum \( i+1 \) acquired by \( n \)-modulo.

**Theorem.** Dyadic \( \Gamma(H) \) game with payoff matrix has an equalized equilibrium situation in mixed strategies if and only if

\[
F(x_i) = \Delta x_i H_i(1). \Delta x_i H_i(2) \leq 0, i \in N.
\]

Moreover, the mixed strategy of the player \( X_i = (p_i, 1 - p_i), i \in N \) in the equalized situation is defined in the following way:

(i) if \( \Delta x_i H_i(1) \cdot \Delta x_i H_i(2) \leq 0 \) and \( \Delta x_i H_i(1) \neq \Delta x_i H_i(2) \), then

\[
p_{i+1} = \frac{\Delta x_i H_i(2)}{\Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i};
\]

(ii) if \( \Delta x_i H_i(1) = \Delta x_i H_i(2) = 0 \), then

\[p_{i+1} \in [0,1].\]

In other case in \( \Gamma(H) \) game there exists an equilibrium situation in pure strategies.

**Proof.** According the to definition the situation \( X = (X_1, X_2, \ldots, X_n) \) in \( \Gamma(H) \) game is equalized if and only if the following equalities takes place:

\[H_i(1,1)p_{i+1} + H_i(2,1)(1-p_{i+1}) = H_i(1,2)p_{i+1} + H_i(2,2)(1-p_{i+1}), \quad i = 1,2, \ldots, n.\]

Hence one obtains

\[p_{i+1} \cdot \Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i = \Delta x_i H_i(2).\]

Therefore, for the existence of an equalized situation in \( \Gamma(H) \) game it is necessary and sufficient to fulfill one of these two conditions

\[\Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i \neq 0, \quad 0 \leq \frac{\Delta x_i H_i(2)}{\Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i} \leq 1, \quad (8)\]

or

\[\Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i = \Delta x_i H_i(2) = 0. \quad (9)\]

From these conditions, (8) is equal to the following inequalities:

\[\Delta x_i H_i(1) \cdot \Delta x_i H_i(2) \leq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \Delta x_i H_i(1) \neq \Delta x_i H_i(2),\]

but condition (9) is expressed in such way that

\[\Delta x_i H_i(1) = \Delta x_i H_i(2) = 0.\]

In fact, let

\[\Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i = \Delta x_i H_i(2) - \Delta x_i H_i(1) > 0.\]

Then from (8) we get

\[\Delta x_i H_i(1) \leq \Delta x_i H_i(2) - \Delta x_i H_i(1) \]

and \( \Delta x_i H_i(1) \leq 0 \). As in (8) \( \Delta x_i H_i(2) \geq 0 \), therefore

\[\Delta x_i H_i(1) \Delta x_i H_i(2) \leq 0.\]

If \( \Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i < 0 \), then from (3) we get

\[\Delta x_i H_i(1) \geq 0. \quad \text{As in} \quad (3) \Delta x_i H_i(2) \leq 0, \quad \text{therefore}
\]

\[\Delta x_i H_i(1) \Delta x_i H_i(2) \leq 0.\]

Now prove on the contrary. Let

\[\Delta x_i H_i(1) \cdot \Delta x_i H_i(2) \leq 0\]

and

\[\Delta x_i H_i(1) \neq \Delta x_i H_i(2).\]

If here \( \Delta x_i H_i(1) \geq 0 \), then \( \Delta x_i H_i(2) \leq 0 \). Therefore \( \Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i < 0 \) and

\[0 \leq \frac{\Delta x_i H_i(2)}{\Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i}.\]

Let show, that this fraction is not more than 1. Let us suppose that it is more than 1:

\[\frac{\Delta x_i H_i(2)}{\Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i} > 1.\]

According to that fraction

\[\Delta x_i H_i(2) < \Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i \quad \text{or} \quad \Delta x_i H_i(1) < 0.\]

This is controdiction to the assumption \( \Delta x_i H_i(1) \geq 0 \). So, when \( \Delta x_i H_i(1) \geq 0 \), we obtain

\[0 \leq \frac{\Delta x_i H_i(2)}{\Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i} \leq 1.\]

We’ll obtain the same when \( \Delta x_i H_i(1) \leq 0 \) and thus the (8) is fullfilled.

Hence, according to our conditions, in the first case one gets

\[p_{i+1} = \frac{\Delta x_i H_i(2)}{\Delta x_i x_{i+1} H_i};\]

and in the second case \( p_{i+1} \) is any number from \([0,1]\).
3. Practical part

At first let discuss the following examples particular two players’ dyadic \( \Gamma(H) \) game with matrices of payoff. Let, write the necessary formulae for analysis of \( \Gamma(H) \) game. As we see, this game is different from the ordinary non-cooperative game - bimatrix \( \Gamma \) game \( \Gamma(H) \) game’s in \( H_1 \) player \( i = 1 \) chooses the line but \( i = 2 \) player chooses the column. In \( H_2 \) \( i = 2 \) player chooses the line, \( i = 1 \) player chooses the column.

According to our notes for \( \Gamma(H) \) game we write:

\[
F(x_i) = \Delta x_i H_i(1) \cdot \Delta x_i H_i(2) = (H_i(2,1) - H_i(1,1)) \cdot (H_i(2,2) - H_i(1,2)), \quad i = 1, 2;
\]

\[
\Delta x_i, x_{in} H_i = H_i(1,1) + H_i(2,2) - H_i(1,2) - H_i(2,1), \quad i = 1, 2;
\]

\[
p_1 = \frac{H_3(2,2) - H_4(1,2)}{H_2(1,1) + H_2(2,2) - H_2(1,2) - H_2(2,1)}
\]

\[
p_2 = \frac{H_4(2,2) - H_3(1,2)}{H_3(1,1) + H_3(2,2) - H_3(1,2) - H_3(2,1)}.
\]

**Example 1.** \( \Gamma(H) \) game of two players’ has got the following form

\[
H_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}.
\]

Here

\[
F(x_1) = (3-1) \cdot (1-2) = -2 < 0,
\]

\[
F(x_2) = (1-0) \cdot (-2-1) = -3 < 0.
\]

Therefore in the given game there exists the equilibrium situation in the mixed strategies and

\[
p_1 = \frac{-2-1}{0-2-1-1} = \frac{3}{4}, \quad p_2 = \frac{1-2}{0-2-1-1} = \frac{1}{3}.
\]

Hence, in the given game \( i = 1 \) the player’s optimal mixed strategy is \( X^*_i = (3/4, 1/4) \), but \( i = 2 \) the player’s optimal mixed strategy is \( X^*_2 = (1/3, 2/3) \) and in the given dyadic \( \Gamma(H) \) game the equalized and therefore the equilibrium situation is \( X^* = (3/4, 1/4), (1/3, 2/3)) \).

In the given game there also exists the equilibrium situation in pure strategies \( X^{**} = (2,1) \).

**Example 2.** For \( \Gamma(H) \) game we have

\[
F(x_1) = (0 + 1) \cdot (-8 + 10) = 2 > 0,
\]

\[
F(x_2) = (0 + 1) \cdot (-8 + 10) = 2 > 0
\]

and therefore in \( \Gamma(H) \) game there is no equilibrium situation in the mixed strategies. There exists the only equilibrium situation in the pure strategies \( X^* = (2,2) \).

**Example 3.** Let us discuss a four person’s dyadic \( \Gamma(H) \) game with the following payoff matrices

\[
H_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix},
\]

\[
H_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 2 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_4 = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix}.
\]

Let us discuss whether there exists or not an equalized situation in the given game. Let us verify the conditions of Theorem for every \( i = 1, 2, 3, 4 \). Note that

\[
F(x_i) = \Delta x_i H_i(1) \cdot \Delta x_i H_i(2) = \Delta x_i H_i(2,1) \cdot \Delta x_i H_i(1,2).
\]

The meanings of \( F(x_i) \) are:

\[
F(x_1) = (-1) \cdot 2 < 0, \quad F(x_2) = 2 \cdot (-2) < 0,
\]

\[
F(x_3) = (-5) \cdot (-1) > 0, \quad F(x_4) = 1 \cdot (-2) < 0.
\]

Here for \( i = 3 \) the condition of Theorem \( F(x_i) \leq 0 \) is not fulfilled. Thus in the given \( \Gamma(H) \) game there is no equalized situation or equilibrium situation in the mixed strategies. Therefore in the given \( \Gamma(H) \) game there exists the equilibrium situation in the pure strategies. By analyzing all the situation, which amount is 16, we find that \( X^* = (2,2,1,1) \) is the equilibrium situation in \( \Gamma(H) \) game in pure strategies.

The situation \( X^* = (2,2,1,1) \) in the given game can be described as the following way: in \( H_1 \) player \( i = 1 \) chooses the second strategy (the second line), \( i = 2 \) player chooses the second strategy (the second column); in \( H_2 \) player \( i = 2 \) chooses the second strategy (the second line), \( i = 3 \) - the first strategy (the second column); in \( H_3 \) player \( i = 3 \) chooses the first strategy, \( i = 4 \) - the first strategy; in \( H_4 \) \( i = 4 \) chooses the first strategy and \( i = 1 \) the second strategy. Therefore in \( \Gamma(H) \) game players’ payoffs are
\( v_1 = 1, v_2 = 2, v_3 = 3, v_4 = 1. \)

According to the results of the 3-nd and 4-th players agreement. Let

\[
H_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.
\]

Then \( F(x_v) = (-5) \cdot 1 < 0 \). Let’s note the obtained game by \( \Gamma_1(H) \).

Therefore, the condition of Theorem \( F(x_i) < 0, i = 1, 2, 3, 4 \) has been fulfilled and there is an equalized situation in this game.

Now, let us find the mixed strategy of each player in the equalized situation. According to the formula, we can write

\[
p_1 = \frac{\Delta x_1 H_2(2)}{\Delta x_1 x_1 H_4} = -\frac{2}{3}, \quad X^*_1 = (2/3, 1/3),
\]

\[
p_2 = \frac{\Delta x_1 H_2(2)}{\Delta x_2 x_2 H_2} = \frac{2}{3}, \quad X^*_2 = (2/3, 1/3),
\]

\[
p_3 = \frac{\Delta x_2 H_2(2)}{\Delta x_1 x_3 H_2} = -\frac{2}{4}, \quad X^*_3 = (1/2, 1/2),
\]

\[
p_4 = \frac{\Delta x_3 H_2(2)}{\Delta x_3 x_4 H_3} = \frac{1}{6}, \quad X^*_4 = (1/6, 5/6).
\]

In this dyadic \( \Gamma_1(H) \) game, the equalized and therefore the equilibrium situation is the following:

\[
X^* = (2/3, 1/3), \quad (2/3, 1/3), \quad (1/2, 1/2), \quad (1/6, 5/6).
\]

In \( \Gamma_1(H) \) game the players’ payoffs \( v_i (i = 1, 2, 3, 4) \) are equal to:

\[
v_1 = X_1 H_1 X_1^T = (2/3, 1/3) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} (2/3, 1/3)^T = \frac{1}{3},
\]

\[
v_2 = X_2 H_2 X_2^T = (2/3, 1/3) \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \end{pmatrix} (2/3, 1/2)^T = \frac{1}{2},
\]

\[
v_3 = X_3 H_3 X_3^T = (1/2, 1/2) \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ -2 & 2 \end{pmatrix} (1/6, 5/6)^T = \frac{4}{3},
\]

\[
v_4 = X_4 H_4 X_4^T = (1/6, 5/6) \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} (2/3, 1/3)^T = -\frac{1}{3}.
\]

In the same \( \Gamma_1(H) \) game there as well exists the equilibrium situation in pure strategies \( X^* = (2, 2, 1, 1) \), where the players’ payoffs are relatively \( v_1 = 1, v_2 = 2, v_3 = 3, v_4 = 1. \)

The equalized situation in \( \Gamma(H) \) game may exist no only in completely mixed strategies. We shall show it in the following example.

**Example 4.** Let us consider the dyadic \( \Gamma(H) \) game of three players with the following payoff matrices

\[
H_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 5 \\ 6 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 3 \\ 1 & 2 \end{pmatrix}.
\]

Here

\[
F(x_1) = 0 \cdot 0 = 0, \quad F(x_3) = (-2) \cdot 1 < 0,
\]

\[
\Delta x_1 x_2 H_1 = 0, \quad \Delta x_2 x_3 H_2 = 3,
\]

\[
\Delta x_3 H_3(2) = -2, \quad \Delta x_1 H_1(2) = 1 - 1 = 0, \quad \Delta x_2 H_2(2) = 6 - 5 = 1,
\]

\[
\Delta x_3 H_3(2) = 2 - 3 = -1.
\]

According to Theorem we obtain

\[
p_1 = \frac{\Delta x_3 H_3(2)}{\Delta x_3 x_1 H_3} = \frac{1}{2}, \quad X^*_1 = (1/2, 1/2),
\]

\[
p_2 \in [0, 1], \quad X^*_2 = (p, 1 - p),
\]

\[
p_3 = \frac{\Delta x_2 H_2(2)}{\Delta x_2 x_3 H_2} = \frac{1}{3}, \quad X^*_3 = (1/3, 2/3).
\]

In \( \Gamma(H) \) game the equalized situation is the following:

\[
X^* = (1/2, 1/2), \quad (p, 1 - p), \quad (1/3, 2/3)\).\]

The players’ payoffs \( v_i (i = 1, 2, 3) \) are equal to:

\[
v_1 = X_1 H_1 X_1^T = p + 1, \quad v_2 = X_2 H_2 X_2^T = \frac{14}{3},
\]

\[
v_3 = X_3 H_3 X_3^T = \frac{3}{2}.
\]

**Example 5.** In the dyadic scalar \( \Gamma(H) \) game of three players with payoff matrix

\[
H_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 3 & 4 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 \end{pmatrix}
\]

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we have \( F(x_1) = 1 \cdot (-1) < 0 \), \( F(x_2) = 1 \cdot 4 > 0 \), \( F(x_3) = (-2) \cdot (-1) > 0 \). Hence the conditions of Theorem are not fulfilled. The equilibrium situation in pure strategies exists in game

\[ X^* = ((1,0) \equiv 1, (0,1) \equiv 2, (1,0) \equiv 1). \]

So, the players’ payoffs are

\[ v_1 = 1, v_2 = 2, v_3 = 2. \]

\[ X^* \] is not equalized situation in \( \Gamma(H) \).

4. Applications

In an organization of a teaching process of a subject at University we mean the functioning of the organizational \( T \) system, that contains \( S = \{1,2,\ldots,n\} \) group of students and \( P \) - professor. Some individuals (players) who are having different interest take part in \( T \) system. They can choose one or several actions – strategies. Choosing the relevant strategies finally they get some utilities. Players aim is to choose the optimal strategies. Choosing the relevant strategies finally they get the maximal utilities. Thus in mathematical model of the functioning strategies, using them they will get the maximal utilities.

Let consider (10) model in the case of a situation at an exam. Where the number of players is two and where \( i = 1 \) player is a student but \( i = 2 \) player is a professor. In this case each of them will perform both roles as a student and as a professor as well. Let them sit around the round table according to the given row and play (12) model so that one of the students sitting next to each other performs a role of a professor. In this case each of them will perform both roles as a student and as a professor as well.

The question is how we can define (11) game in case of two or more players? For this firstly write (11) as a form of a \( \Gamma(H) \) game, where a student and professor sit around the round table. According to (5) and (6) games’ equivalency \( \Gamma(H) \) game has the following for

\[ H_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, H_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}. \]

Here in \( H_1 \) player \( i = 1 \) (student) chooses a line and \( i = 2 \) (professor) chooses a column, but in \( H_2 \) player \( i = 2 \) chooses a line and \( i = 1 \) chooses a column. In \( \Gamma(H) \) game \( X^* = (1,1) \) and \( X^{**} = (2,2) \) are equilibrium situations in pure strategies. Analogically to the example 1 there exists the equilibrium situation and

\[ p_1 = \frac{-1 + 3}{0 - 1 + 2 + 3} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5, \]

\[ p_2 = \frac{0 + 1}{2 + 0 - 1 + 1} = \frac{1}{2} = 0.5. \]

Therefore \( X^{***} = (0.5,0.5) \). Thus, (11) and (12) games have got one and the same equilibrium situations.

Now, in the situation of an exam for the purpose of students’ optimal behaviour of a group \( S = \{1,2,\ldots,n\} \) let them sit around the round table according to the given row and play (12) model so that one of the students sitting next to each other performs a role of a professor. In this case each of them will perform both roles as a student and as a professor as well.

Let consider three students’ case \( S = \{1,2,3\} \). Begin the play in case when \( i = 1 \) is a student, \( i = 2 \) is a professor. Then

\[ H_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, H_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \]

\[ H_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}. \]

Analogically to 4-th and 5-th examples:

\[ F(x_1) = (1 - 2) \cdot (0 + 1) = -1 < 0, \]
\[ F(x_2) = (-2 - 0) \cdot (-1 + 3) = 0 \]
\[ F(x_3) = (1 - 2) \cdot (0 + 1) = 0 \]
\[ \Delta x_1, x_2 H_1 = 2 - 1 + 1 = 2, \]
\[ \Delta x_2, x_3 H_2 = -1 + 2 + 3 = 4, \]
\[ \Delta x_3, x_1 H_3 = 2 + 0 - 1 + 1 = 2, \]
\[ \Delta x_1 H_1(2) = 0 + 1 = 1, \]
\[ \Delta x_2 H_2(2) = -1 + 3 = 2, \]
\[ \Delta x_3 H_3(2) = 0 + 1 = 1. \]
\[ p_1 = \frac{\Delta x_2 H_3(2)}{\Delta x_3, x_1 H_3} = 0.5, \quad p_2 = \frac{\Delta x_2 H_1(2)}{\Delta x_1, x_2 H_1} = 0.5, \]
\[ p_3 = \frac{\Delta x_2 H_2(2)}{\Delta x_2, x_3 H_2} = \frac{2}{4} = 0.5. \]

Hence \( X^* = (0,5;0,5;0,5) \) is the equilibrium situation in (13) game. Besides, there exists the equilibrium situations in pure strategies \( X^{**} = (1,1,1) \), \( X^{***} = (2,2,2) \).

In case of 4 students \( \Gamma(H) \) game will have the following form:
\[
H_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_2 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix},
\]
\[
H_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad H_4 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -3 \\ -2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}.
\]

There we’ll find players’ optimal strategies analogically to an example 3 game \( \Gamma(H) \) will be defined the same way for any number of students. Overall, it is obvious that a student should study properly otherwise he will not get a positive grade.

5. Conclusion

The dyadic non-cooperative \( \Gamma(H) \) game model which is discussed in this paper can be used in social-economic and political situations for making strategic decisions, where players share a unique set of strategies. The players in \( \Gamma(H) \) game have to sit at a round table and each one has to coordinate each other in the values of utilities in each situation. According to this, we get the following players’ payoff functions:
\[
H_i(x_1, x_2), H_i(x_2, x_3), \ldots, H_i(x_n, x_1),
\]
where \( i \) – player’s payoff, \( i \in N \), depends on his own strategy and \( i+1 \) – player’s strategies (taking \( n+1 \equiv 1 \)).

The term of an equalized situation is introduced for \( \Gamma(H) \) game which is at the same time an equilibrium situation in \( \Gamma(H) \) game. It is shown that in \( \Gamma(H) \) game Nash’s equilibrium situation in the mixed strategies is the equalized situation. The theorem gives the opportunity to find the criterium of the existence of an equilibrium situation of \( \Gamma(H) \) game in the mixed strategies and its finding method. In \( \Gamma(H) \) game it is possible to exist: 1) an equilibrium situation in the mixed and pure strategies; 2) an equilibrium situation only in mixed strategies; 3) an equilibrium situation only in pure strategies. In \( \Gamma(H) \) game in the pure strategies in case of finding equilibrium situation, we are making the situations in the pure strategies and check each of them. In the case of two players \( \Gamma(H) \) game is a 2 \( \times \) 2 bimatrix \( \Gamma \) game. The players’ conditions of optimal mixed strategies existence in \( \Gamma \) game is written.

Relevant examples are solved is and \( \Gamma(H) \) game’s application for finite amount of players’ is discussed.

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