Exercise sheet 1

Patrick Loiseau, Paul de Kerret

Game Theory, Fall 2016

Exercise 1: Iterative deletion and Nash equilibria in a 2 players game

Consider the following game:

$$\begin{array}{c|ccccc} & L & C & R \\ T & (2,0) & (1,1) & (4,2) \\ M & (3,4) & (1,2) & (2,3) \\ B & (1,3) & (0,2) & (3,0) \\ \end{array}$$

- 1. What strategies survive iterative deletion of strictly dominated strategies?
- 2. Find all (pure strategy) Nash equilibria.
- 3. Is there a NE that Pareto dominates other NE? Give all NE that are Pareto optimal.

Exercise 2: Nash equilibria in a 2 players game with parameters

Consider the following game:

$$\begin{array}{c|cccc} & L & C & R \\ T & (a,1) & (1,0) & (2,b) \\ M & (4,8) & (3,4) & (4,1) \\ B & (1,0) & (0,2) & (8,2) \\ \end{array}$$

 $a, b \in \mathbb{R}$.

Find all (pure strategy) Nash equilibria.

Exercise 3: Iterative deletion and Nash equilibria in a 3 players game

Consider the following game, in which player 1 chooses the row, player 2 the column and player 3 the matrix:

- 1. What strategies survive iterative deletion of strictly dominated strategies?
- 2. Find all (pure strategy) Nash equilibria.