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Learning equilibria in monoidal computer (5 dubious statements about outsmarting)

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Is there a logic of social behaviors?

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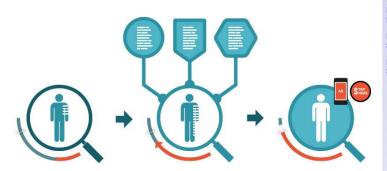
And the herd of swine rushed towards the steep bank and threw themselves in the sea.

Matthew 8:30-37 Mark 5:1-20 Luke 8:27-38

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Artificial Intelligence has been achieved



Not just computers behaving like people but also people behaving like computers **Dubious**

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Working hypotheses

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- math of social interactionsgame theory
- people ⊆ computers⇒ social behaviors ⊆ computations
- logic of social behaviorsgame theory + computation

Trouble: game theory + computation = {



- simple games have complex strategies
 - ► Rabin (1957): BR undecidable
 - ▶ Blass (1972): BR at any hyperarithmetic level

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Trouble: game theory + computation = {



 simple games and regular (FSM implemented) strategies have complex strategy search space

- ▶ Gilboa, Ben-Porath (1980s): BR search unfeasible
- ► Nachbar (1990s): equilibrium undecidable

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Every problem is a game

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Problem (Landau)

Are there infinitely many n such that $n^2 + 1$ is prime?

Game

- ► Alice picks a₁.
- ▶ Bob picks b₁
- Alice picks a₂.
- ▶ Bob picks b₂
- Alice picks a₃.
- Alice wins if $(a_1 + b_1)^2 + 1 = (a_2 + 2)(a_3 + 2)$

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Strategies

If n is the greatest number with n² + 1 prime, then Alice picks a₁ > p,
 — and wins.

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Strategies

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 and wins.
- If there are infinitely many primes $p = n^2 + 1$, then Bob picks b_1 so that $(a_1 + b_1)^2 + 1$ is prime, — and wins.
- Since Landau's Problem is open, we don't know who wins, or how hard it is to win.

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Every problem is a game.

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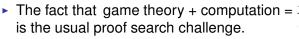
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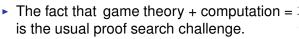


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- It's fun!
- So lets try
 - social behaviors = game theory + computation

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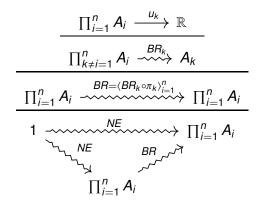
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Game theory in one slide



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Position games

$$\begin{array}{c}
A \times X \xrightarrow{\langle u_k, s_k \rangle} \mathbb{R} \times X \\
A_{-k} \times X \xrightarrow{BR_k} A_k \\
A \times X \xrightarrow{BR = \langle BR_k \circ \pi_k \rangle_{i=1}^n} A \\
X \xrightarrow{NE} A \\
\langle NE, \mathrm{id} \rangle \xrightarrow{A} BR$$

where

$$A = \prod_{i \in n} A_i$$

$$X = \prod_{i=1}^n X_i$$

$$A_{-i} = \prod_{\substack{k \in n \\ k \neq i}} A_k$$

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Utility is a red herring in game theory: only used to derive strategies.

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Game theory is a theory of fixed points of strategies.

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Categories help with strategies.

Definition

Let C be a cartesian category, and $\Delta: C \longrightarrow C$ a commutative monad over it.

The category $\mathcal{S} = \mathcal{S}_{\Delta\mathcal{C}}$ of Δ -strategies over \mathcal{C} consists of

- ▶ players $A = \langle M_A, S_A \rangle \in C^2$
- ▶ strategies $(A \xrightarrow{\Phi} B) \in C(M_A \times S_B, \Delta(M_B \times S_B))$

Category of strategies

Composition

$$\frac{A \xrightarrow{\Phi} B \qquad B \xrightarrow{\Psi} C}{A \xrightarrow{\Phi; \Psi} C}$$

is given by

$$(\Phi; \Psi)_{a\gamma c\gamma'} = \sum_{\beta b} \Phi_{a\beta b\beta} \cdot \Psi_{b\gamma c\gamma'}$$

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Composition

$$\frac{M_A \otimes S_B \xrightarrow{\Phi} M_B \otimes S_B}{M_B \otimes S_C \xrightarrow{\Phi; \Psi} M_C \times S_C}$$

$$M_B \otimes S_C \xrightarrow{\Phi; \Psi} M_C \times S_C$$

=

$$\operatorname{Tr}_{S_B} \left(S_B \otimes M_A \otimes S_C \cong M_A \otimes S_B \otimes S_C \xrightarrow{\Phi \otimes S_C} M_B \otimes S_B \otimes S_C \cong S_B \otimes M_B \otimes S_C \xrightarrow{S_B \otimes \Psi} S_B \otimes M_C \times S_C \right)$$

Games of perfect and complete information

 $S_A = S_B = (\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})^{M_A \times M_B}$

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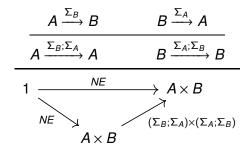
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$$\langle b, \sigma^A \rangle \xrightarrow{\Sigma_A} \langle a, \sigma^A \rangle \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad \forall x \in M_A. \ \sigma_{xb}^A \leq \sigma_{ab}^A$$

$$\langle a, \sigma^B \rangle \xrightarrow{\Sigma_B} \langle b, \sigma^B \rangle \quad \Longleftrightarrow \quad \forall y \in M_B. \ \sigma_{ay}^B \leq \sigma_{ab}^B$$

Nash equilibrium



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$$S_A = P_A \times (\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})^{M_A \times M_B}$$

 $S_B = P_B \times (\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R})^{M_A \times M_B}$

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$$S_A = \mathbb{R}^{M_A \times M_B} \times \Delta S_B$$

$$S_B = \mathbb{R}^{M_A \times M_B} \times \Delta S_A$$

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$$S_A = S_B = \prod_{i=0}^{\infty} \Delta^i (\mathbb{R}^{M_A \times M_B})$$

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 $[A, B] = [M_A \times \Delta[B, A], M_B \times \Delta[B, A]]$ $[B, A] = [M_B \times \Delta[A, B], M_A \times \Delta[A, B]]$

where [X, Y] are Y's strategies against X

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What is the math of outsmarting?

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String diagrams: Types



 $X \otimes A \otimes B \otimes D$

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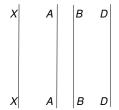
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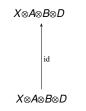
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String diagrams: Identities





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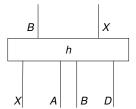
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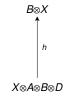
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String diagrams: Operations





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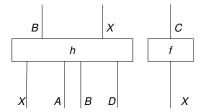
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String diagrams: Parallel composition





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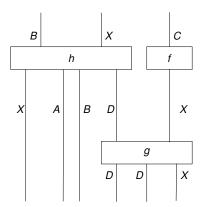
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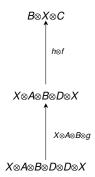
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String diagrams: Sequential composition





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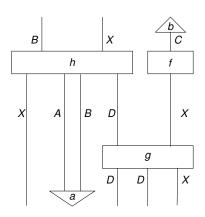
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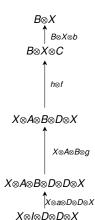
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String diagrams: Values and deletion





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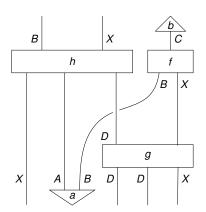
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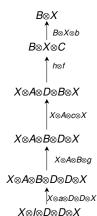
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String diagrams: Symmetry





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- ▶ the *copying* operation $A \stackrel{\delta}{\rightarrow} A \otimes A$, and
- ▶ the *deleting* operation $A \xrightarrow{\top} I$,

which together form a comonoid, i.e. satisfy the equations

$$\delta; (\delta \otimes A) = \delta; (A \otimes \delta)$$
$$\delta; (\tau \otimes A) = \delta; (A \otimes \tau) = \mathrm{id}_A$$

• the *comparison* operation $A \otimes A \stackrel{\varrho}{\to} A$

which is required to be associative and thus makes A into a semigroup.

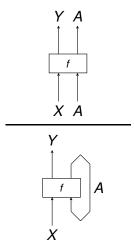
The copying and the comparison operations are further required to satisfy the data distribution conditions

$$(\delta \otimes A)$$
; $(A \otimes \rho) = \rho$; $\delta = (A \otimes \delta)$; $(\rho \otimes A)$ δ ; $\rho = id$

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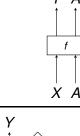
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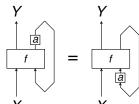


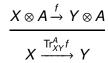
 $\frac{X \otimes A \xrightarrow{f} Y \otimes A}{X \xrightarrow{\mathsf{Tr}_{XY}^A f} Y}$

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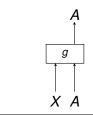
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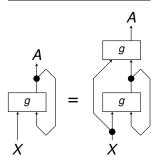




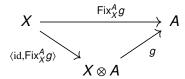


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Strategies as morphisms

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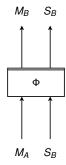
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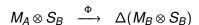
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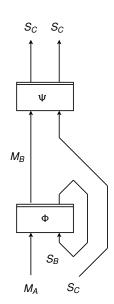




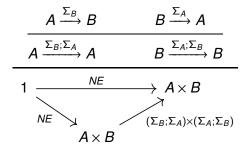
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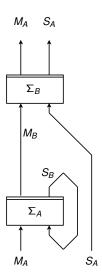
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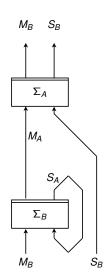
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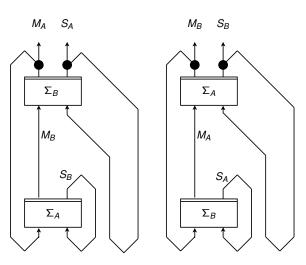
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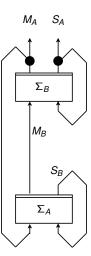
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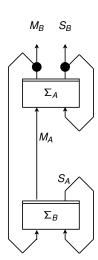
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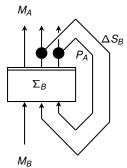
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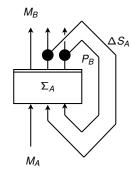
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$$S_A = P_A \times \Delta S_B$$

 $S_B = P_B \times \Delta S_A$

Explicit beliefs equilibrium





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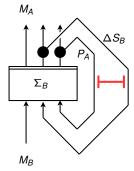
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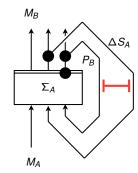
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Outsmarting





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- static types (Harsanyi)
 - play their preferences
 - observe the same
 - cannot agree to disagree (Aumann)
- dynamic types
 - must disagree
 - deceive, posture, mimic...
 - create false posteriors

Equilibrium (even coordinated) consists of individual fixed points and can perpetrate false beliefs.

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Corollary

Outsmarting pumps complexity.

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Simple games require complex computation.

Matching pennies

		0		1
		-1		1
0	1		-1	
		1		-1
1	-1		1	

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Penalty Kick

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Same game

Rules

- repeated infinitely
- ▶ loser has bounded expected payoff

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Alice's reasoning

Suppose that I play

- ▶ 1 with a frequency $p \in [0, 1]$,
- ▶ 0 with a frequency 1 p.

Then

- ▶ $p < \frac{1}{2}$, Bob gets (1 p) p = 1 2p > 0 playing 1,
- ▶ $p > \frac{1}{2}$, Bob gets p (1 p) = 2p 1 > 0 by playing 0,
- $p = \frac{1}{2}$, Bob's gets 1 2p = 2p 1 = 0.

Not losing is easy

Bob's reasoning (same)

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Both players must randomize

If either player's moves are predictable, then the other one can win.

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But what does it mean to randomize?

Suppose that Bob plays

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But what does it mean to randomize?

► Alice predicts that Bob will play 0, and she plays 0.

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But what does it mean to randomize?

Suppose that Bob plays

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- If Alice thinks probabilistically, she notices that a fair coin is as likely to generate the above string as e.g.

or any other sequence of 40 bits.

Probability does not distinguish events

Probabilities

- talk about ensembles
- cannot tell apart individual strings

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Sleeping players

- If the players agree to use only
 - probability theory, and
 - knowledge logic

then they will both commit fixed strategies, and go to sleep.



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Alice wakes up



"Let me look for regularities in Bob's strategy!"

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Trying to win

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0,1,2,3... in the binary notation, concatenated

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General task

Alice must

check every substring for regularities

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But what is regularity?

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01101110010111011111000100110101011111001101 =

$$h(for(i = 0; ; i + +)\{print i\})$$

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Randomness is incompressibility

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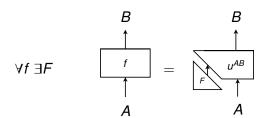
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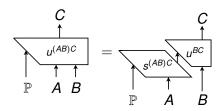
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Strategy for matching pennies

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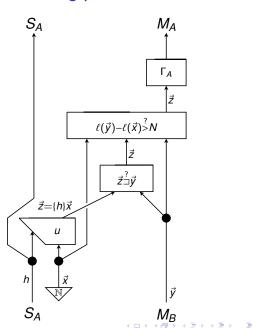
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The *h*-regularity degree of \vec{y} is

$$\sigma_h(\vec{y}) = \max\{n \mid \exists \vec{x}. \ h(\vec{x}) \supseteq \vec{y} \land \ell(\vec{y}) - \ell(\vec{x}) \ge n\}$$

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More precisely, for every \mathcal{L} -detector $h: 2^* \to 2^*$ there is a constant c_h such that for every bitstring \vec{y} holds

$$\sigma_h(\vec{y}) \leq c_h + \sigma_u(\vec{y})$$

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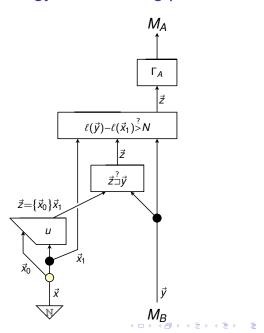
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Proposition

If $\mathcal L$ is a Turing complete language, then there is a universal $\mathcal L$ -detector.

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Winning pennies can be arbitrarily hard. (It requires a universal computer.)

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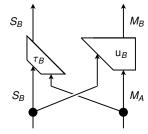
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Learning strategy



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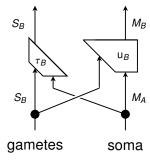
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Adaptation strategy?



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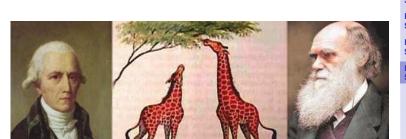
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Hereditary adaptation vs Random mutation



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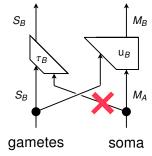
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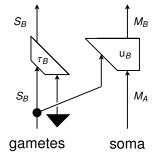
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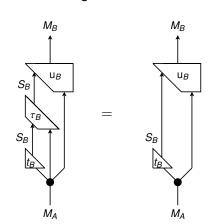
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Proposition Every learning strategy τ_B has a fixed point, i.e. a state

(type) t_B at which nothing more can be learned:



Learning equilibrium

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Corollary

For every learning profile there is a graduate profile, where the players cannot improve their winnings by learning.

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All algorithmic learning strategies reach equilibrium in one step.

Corollary

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 E.g., the epigenetic flows do not present filogenetic adoption of ontogenetic adaptations, but just triggers to express previously developed and stored filogenetic adaptations.

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 - healthy heart is a chaotic system: interferring feedback loops
 - convergence is heart attack: stablility preempts adaptation

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In the long run, ignorance is bliss.