

WHY QUANTUM GAMES?

- Game Theory
 - “Newtonian mechanics” of mathematical social sciences
 - describes Dynamics of two (or more) autonomous agents
- Game theory with Hilbert vector
 - possible cure for difficulty of handling player correlations
 - possible framework for quantum information processing

BASIC ELEMENTS



$A \setminus B$	0	1	
0	1	0	$1-P$
1	0	3	P
	$1-Q$	Q	

choice (probabilities)

- Alice and Bob in search of higher payoff

$\Pi(P, Q)$

- Best Response to Best Response:
Nash Equilibrium

$$(P^*, Q^*) = (0, 0), \quad \Pi^* = 1$$

- Pareto Efficient N.E.

$$(P^*, Q^*) = (1, 1), \quad \Pi^* = 3$$

ROCK-SCISSORS-PAPER GAME

- No dominant strategy
- No apparent Nash E.
- Random play is best for both

A \ B	0	1	2	
0	0	- \ +	+ \ -	P_0
1	+ \ -	0	- \ +	P_1
2	- \ +	+ \ -	0	P_2
	Q_0	Q_1	Q_2	

$$P_0^* = P_1^* = P_2^* = 1/3$$

$$\Pi^* = 0 \quad : \text{Mixed Nash Equilibrium}$$

- Both just break even (Stop telling trivialities...)

CALCULATING PAYOFFS

M_{AB}	0	1	2
0	M_{00}	M_{01}	M_{02}
1	M_{10}	M_{11}	M_{12}
2	M_{20}	M_{21}	M_{22}

P_{AB}	0	1	2
0	P_0Q_0	P_0Q_1	P_0Q_2
1	P_1Q_0	P_1Q_1	P_1Q_2
2	P_2Q_0	P_2Q_1	P_2Q_2

- Payoff Matrix
 M_{AB}

Joint Probability Matrix
 $P_{AB} = P_A Q_B$

- Payoff is calculated as

(Strategy)

$$\Pi = \sum_{A,B} P_{AB} M_{AB}$$

ELEMENTS OF GAME THEORY

- Payoff matrix (game table)

$$M_{AB} \quad L_{AB}$$

- Joint probability (**strategy**)

$$P_{AB} = P_A Q_B$$

- Payoff $\Pi_{Ai} = \sum_{A,B} P_{AB} M_{AB}$

$$\Pi_{Bi} = \sum_{A,B} P_{AB} L_{AB}$$

- Nash Equilibria (**solutions**)

$$\partial_P \Pi_{Ai} |_{(P^*, Q^*)} = 0$$

$$\partial_Q \Pi_{Bi} |_{(P^*, Q^*)} = 0$$

plus "edge solutions"



PD GAME WITH PUNISHER

- A game with Incomplete information on player types

M_{AB}		b=0 90%		b=1 10%	
		A \ B	0	1	0
a=0 90%	0	1	5	-20	-25
	1	0	3	0	3
a=1 10%	0	-1	0	0	-5
	1	0	0	0	0



Undercover
Punisher
[Type 1]

Bayesian update of strategy based on type/strat assumption
 -> Bayesian Nash Equilibrium (Harsanyi's Theory)

MULTI-SECTOR GAME

- Hrsanyi : Type a, b with mixtures $S^{[a]}, T^{[b]}$
- Payoff Matrices for Alice and Bob $M_{AB}^{[ab]}, L_{AB}^{[ab]}$
- Joint strategy with Type Locality assumption

$$P_{AB}^{[ab]} = P_A^{[a]} Q_B^{[b]}$$

- Sector Payoffs

$$\Pi_{Ai}^{[ab]} = \sum_{A,B} P_{AB}^{[ab]} M_{AB}^{[ab]} \quad \Pi_{Bi}^{[ab]} = \sum_{A,B} P_{AB}^{[ab]} L_{AB}^{[ab]}$$

- Total Payoffs $\Pi^{[ab]} = \sum_{a,b} S^{[a]} T^{[b]} \Pi^{[ab]}$

DEFECTS OF CURRENT THEORIES

- **Aesthetic:** Ugly math with underlying probability vector and arbitrary matrix
- **Technical:** Hard to include “player correlation” by its construction
- **Nanotechnological:** Need to handle quantum devices: Spins
- Quantum strategy *aus* unitary vector ?!



$$|\Psi\rangle = U_\alpha U_\beta |\Phi\rangle$$

$$P_{AB} = |\langle AB|\Psi\rangle|^2$$

PLAYER ACTION & PROBABILITY

- Classical Strategy : Individual Probabilities

$$P_A : \text{Alice}, Q_B : \text{Bob} \quad P_{AB} = P_A Q_B$$

- Quantum Strategy : Individual Unitary Actions

$$U_\alpha : \text{Alice}, V_\beta : \text{Bob} \quad P_{AB} = |\langle AB | U_\alpha V_\beta | \Phi \rangle|^2$$

if entanglement present $\neq P_A Q_B$ in general

- When $|\Phi\rangle = |00\rangle$ back to Classical w. identifications

$$P_A = |\langle A | U_\alpha | 0 \rangle|^2 \text{ and } Q_B = |\langle B | V_\beta | 0 \rangle|^2$$

: Play Strategy $P_A(Q_B) = \text{Adjust 'angle' } \alpha(\beta)$

QUANTUM STRATEGY

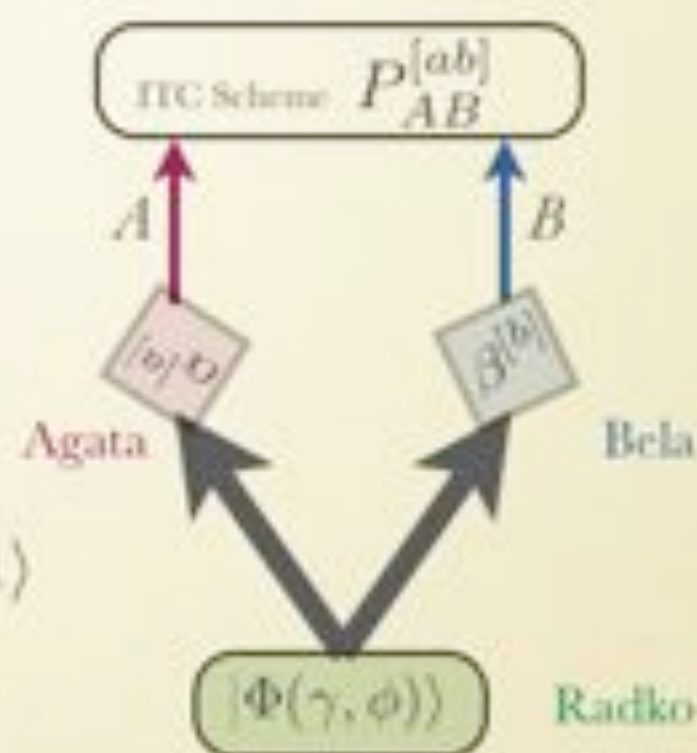
- Implementation

- 1) Pre-game calibration with $|\Phi\rangle = |00\rangle$

- 2) Game play with full entangled state

$$|\Phi\rangle = \cos \frac{\gamma}{2} |00\rangle + e^{i\phi} \sin \frac{\gamma}{2} |11\rangle$$

$$P_{AB} = |\langle AB | U_\alpha V_\beta | \Phi \rangle|^2$$



- Nonlocality:

Action of Alice appears affected by action of Bob

CERECEDA GAME

- A version of **Battle of Sexes Game**

MIL		b=0 50%		b=1 50%	
		A \ B	0	1	0
a=0 50%	0	1 \ 3	0	-1 \ -3	0
	1	0	3 \ 1	0	-3 \ -1
a=1 50%	0	-1 \ -3	0	-3 \ -1	0
	1	0	-3 \ -1	0	-1 \ -3



Multisector **Incomplete Information** extension
 Battle of Sexes / Chicken Game; look for **Bayesian Nash Eq.**

MULTISECTOR QUANTUM GAME

- Type $[a]$, $[b]$ with mixtures $S^{[a]}$, $T^{[b]}$

- Payoff Matrices for Alice and Bob $M_{AB}^{[ab]}$, $L_{AB}^{[ab]}$

- Joint strategy with local actions U_α and V_β
on $\Phi_{\gamma\phi}$ $P_{AB}^{[ab]} = |\langle AB | U_\alpha^{[a]} V_\beta^{[b]} | \Phi_{\gamma\phi} \rangle|^2$

- Sector Payoffs

$$\Pi_{Ai}^{[ab]} = \sum_{A,B} P_{AB}^{[ab]} M_{AB}^{[ab]} \quad \Pi_{Bi}^{[ab]} = \sum_{A,B} P_{AB}^{[ab]} L_{AB}^{[ab]}$$

- Total Payoffs $\Pi^{[ab]} = \sum_{a,b} S^{[a]} T^{[b]} \Pi^{[ab]}$

CLASSICAL AND QUANTUM P_{AB}

- Distribute $P_{AB}^{[ab]}$ get high score

	$Q^{[0]}$		$Q^{[1]}$	
$p^{[0]}$	0.2	0	0.1	0.1
	0.8	0	0.4	0.4
$p^{[1]}$	0	0	0	0
	1	0	0.5	0.5

$$P_{AB} = PQ$$

Classical strategy

Φ	$V^{[0]}$		$V^{[1]}$	
$U^{[0]}$	0.43	0.07	0.07	0.43
1	0.07	0.43	0.43	0.07
$U^{[1]}$	0.07	0.43	0.07	0.43
1	0.43	0.07	0.43	0.07

$$P_{AB} = |\langle UV \Phi \rangle|^2$$

Quantum strategy

CLASSICAL BAYESIAN NASH

- Random play results in Negative Payoff
- Eight Nash E. : examples -->

$$\Pi_{Ai}^* = \Pi_{Bl}^* = 0$$

- Inequitable Split in BoS sector

$$\Pi_{Ai}^{[00]*} = 0, \quad \Pi_{Bl}^{[00]*} = 0$$

$$\Pi_{Ai}^{[00]*} = 3, \quad \Pi_{Bl}^{[00]*} = 1$$

$$\Pi_{Ai}^{[00]*} = 1, \quad \Pi_{Bl}^{[00]*} = 3$$

1	0	1	0
0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0
1	0	1	0

0	1	0	1
0	0	0	0
0	1	0	1
0	0	0	0

$P_{AB}^{[00]}$

QUANTUM BAYESIAN NASH

- Maximally entangled state

$$\gamma = \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \tau = \frac{1}{2} \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{8}$$

$$\beta_0^* - \alpha_0^* = \pi/8$$

$$\beta_1^* - \alpha_0^* = -5\pi/8 \quad \sigma = \frac{1}{2} \sin^2 \frac{\pi}{8}$$

$$\beta_0^* - \alpha_1^* = 3\pi/8$$

τ	σ	σ	τ
σ	τ	τ	σ
σ	τ	σ	τ
τ	σ	τ	σ

$P_{AB}^{(ab)}$

- Beat classical logic

$$\Pi_{Ai}^* = \Pi_{Bi}^* = 4 \frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{2}}$$

- Equitable Split in BoS sector

$$\Pi_{Ai}^{[00]^*} = \Pi_{Bi}^{[00]^*} = 4\tau$$

$$\tau = 0.427$$

$$\sigma = 0.073$$

BELL INEQUALITY

- Gedanken experiment on **dichotomic 2 x 2 system**

Alice spin measured in settings $a = 0, 1$,
 projection $A = 0, 1$ ($s_A = (-1)^A$)

Bob spin measured in settings $b = 0, 1$,
 projection $B = 0, 1$ ($s_B = (-1)^B$)

- With **Local Realism**, $P_{AB}^{[ab]}$ satisfy

$$P_{00}^{[00]} - P_{00}^{[10]} - P_{00}^{[01]} - P_{11}^{[11]} \leq 0$$

$$P_{11}^{[00]} - P_{11}^{[10]} - P_{11}^{[01]} - P_{00}^{[11]} \leq 0$$

BELL & QUANTUM NASH

- Payoff of Cereceda Game

$$\Pi_{Ai} = \frac{1}{4}(P_{00}^{[00]} - P_{00}^{[10]} - P_{00}^{[01]} - P_{11}^{[11]})$$

$$+ \frac{3}{4}(P_{11}^{[00]} - P_{11}^{[10]} - P_{11}^{[01]} - P_{00}^{[11]})$$

$$\Pi_{Bi} = \frac{3}{4}(P_{00}^{[00]} - P_{00}^{[10]} - P_{00}^{[01]} - P_{11}^{[11]})$$

$$+ \frac{1}{4}(P_{11}^{[00]} - P_{11}^{[10]} - P_{11}^{[01]} - P_{00}^{[11]})$$

1		-1	
-1			
			-1

	1		-1
		-1	
-1			

- Positive payoffs are result of nonlocal strategy
- Never achieved with classical strategies

ANATOMY OF QUANTUM MOVE

- Identify $P_1^{[a]} = \sin^2 \alpha^{[a]}$, $Q_1^{[b]} = \sin^2 \beta^{[b]}$

$$P_{00}^{[ab]} = \cos^2 \frac{\gamma}{2} P_0^{[a]} Q_0^{[b]} + \sin^2 \frac{\gamma}{2} P_1^{[a]} Q_1^{[b]} + \cos \phi \sin \gamma \sqrt{P_0^{[a]} P_1^{[a]} Q_0^{[b]} Q_1^{[b]}}$$

$$P_{10}^{[ab]} = \cos^2 \frac{\gamma}{2} P_1^{[a]} Q_0^{[b]} + \sin^2 \frac{\gamma}{2} P_0^{[a]} Q_1^{[b]} - \cos \phi \sin \gamma \sqrt{P_0^{[a]} P_1^{[a]} Q_0^{[b]} Q_1^{[b]}}$$

$$P_{01}^{[ab]} = \cos^2 \frac{\gamma}{2} P_0^{[a]} Q_1^{[b]} + \sin^2 \frac{\gamma}{2} P_1^{[a]} Q_0^{[b]} - \cos \phi \sin \gamma \sqrt{P_0^{[a]} P_1^{[a]} Q_0^{[b]} Q_1^{[b]}}$$

$$P_{11}^{[ab]} = \cos^2 \frac{\gamma}{2} P_1^{[a]} Q_1^{[b]} + \sin^2 \frac{\gamma}{2} P_0^{[a]} Q_0^{[b]} + \cos \phi \sin \gamma \sqrt{P_0^{[a]} P_1^{[a]} Q_0^{[b]} Q_1^{[b]}}$$

- 1st+2nd terms: Game-Symmetrizer / Altruism
- 3rd term: Quantum Interference / Nonlocality

$$|\Phi\rangle = \cos \frac{\gamma}{2} |00\rangle + e^{i\phi} \sin \frac{\gamma}{2} |11\rangle$$

ALTRUISM AND NONLOCALITY

- Altruism most visible in $\gamma = \pi/2, \phi = \pi/2$ case

$$P_{AB}^{[ab]} = \frac{1}{2}P_A^{[a]}Q_B^{[b]} + \frac{1}{2}P_B^{[a]}Q_A^{[b]} \quad (\text{since } M_{AB}^{[ab]} = L_{BA}^{[ab]})$$

$$\Pi_{Ai}^{[ab]} = \Pi_{Bi}^{[ab]} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{A,B} (M_{AB}^{[ab]} + L_{AB}^{[ab]}) P_A^{[a]} Q_B^{[b]}$$

A local, thus classical correlation (“cheap talk”)

- Nonlocal and altruistic in $\gamma = \pi/2, \phi = 0$ case

$$\Pi_{Ai}^{[ab]} = \sum_A M_{AA}^{[ab]} \cos^2(\alpha^{[a]} - \beta^{[b]}) + \sum_{A \neq B} M_{AB}^{[ab]} \sin^2(\alpha^{[a]} - \beta^{[b]})$$

SUMMARY

- In joint probability formalism, Quantum Strategy is a natural extension of Classical Strategy
- Separation of control variable and probability
-> Correlated and Nonlocal Strategies inclusive
- Concept of Control (strategy) and Gain (payoff) to Quantum Information and Quantum Metaphysics
- Quantum entanglement manifest itself in Harsanyi games with Bayesian players

FUTURE DIRECTIONS (GEN)

- Do quantum game experiment!
- N player quantum games
- Application in auction, finance?
- Quantum information processing!
(proper 2-particle control to
enhance desired phenomena)



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