

## B Banzhaf Power

11. Consider the weighted voting system [10: 6, 5, 4, 2].

- (a) What is the weight of the coalition formed by  $P_1$  and  $P_3$ ?
- (b) Write down all winning coalitions.
- (c) Which players are critical in the coalition  $\{P_1, P_2, P_3\}$ ?
- (d) Find the Banzhaf power distribution of this weighted voting system.

Critical:

$B_1: \text{||||}$   $B_2: \text{|||}$   $B_3: \text{|||}$   $B_4: |$  →

(a)  $6+4 = \boxed{10}$

(b)  $\{P_1, P_2\}$   $\{P_1, P_3\}$

$\{P_1, P_2, P_3\}$   $\{P_1, P_2, P_4\}$   $\{P_1, P_3, P_4\}$

$\{P_2, P_3, P_4\}$   $\{P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4\}$

↑ any pair or group that have 10 or more.

(c)  $P_1$ . If you take  $P_1$  out, then the coalition cannot win.

(d)  $\beta_1 = \frac{5}{12}$   $\beta_2 = \frac{3}{12}$   $\beta_3 = \frac{3}{12}$   $\beta_4 = \frac{1}{12}$

12. Consider the weighted voting system [5: 3, 2, 1, 1].

- (a) What is the weight of the coalition formed by  $P_1$  and  $P_3$ ?
- (b) Which players are critical in the coalition  $\{P_1, P_2, P_3\}$ ?
- (c) Which players are critical in the coalition  $\{P_1, P_3, P_4\}$ ?
- (d) Write down all winning coalitions.
- (e) Find the Banzhaf power distribution of this weighted voting system.

Critical:

$B_1: \text{||||}$   $B_2: \text{|||}$   $B_3: |$   $B_4: |$  →

(a)  $\boxed{4}$

(b)  $P_1$  and  $P_2$

(c)  $P_1, P_3$ , and  $P_4$

(d)  $\{P_1, P_2\}$

$\{P_1, P_2, P_3\}$   $\{P_1, P_2, P_4\}$   $\{P_1, P_3, P_4\}$

$\{P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4\}$

(e)  $\beta_1 = \frac{5}{10}$   $\beta_2 = \frac{3}{10}$   $\beta_3 = \frac{1}{10}$   $\beta_4 = \frac{1}{10}$

13. (a) Find the Banzhaf power distribution of the weighted voting system [6: 5, 2, 1].  
 (b) Find the Banzhaf power distribution of the weighted voting system [3: 2, 1, 1]. Compare your answers in (a) and (b).

(a)  $\{P_1, P_2\} \{P_1, P_3\} \{P_1, P_2, P_3\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow B_1: 111 \quad B_2: 1 \quad B_3: 1 \quad /5 \quad T$   
 $B_1 = 3/5 \quad B_2 = 1/5 \quad B_3 = 1/5$

(b)  $\{P_1, P_2\} \{P_1, P_3\} \{P_1, P_2, P_3\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow B_1: 111 \quad B_2: 1 \quad B_3: 1$   
 $B_1 = 3/5 \quad B_2 = 1/5 \quad B_3 = 1/5 \quad /5 \quad T$

...compare ... they have same distribution.

14. (a) Find the Banzhaf power distribution of the weighted voting system [7: 5, 2, 1].  
 (b) Find the Banzhaf power distribution of the weighted voting system [5: 3, 2, 1]. Compare your answers in (a) and (b).

(a)  $\{P_1, P_2\} \{P_1, P_2, P_3\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow B_1: 11 \quad B_2: 11 \quad B_3: \quad /4 \quad T$   
 $B_1 = 1/2 \quad B_2 = 1/2 \quad B_3 = 0$

↑ reduce

(b)  $\{P_1, P_2\} \{P_1, P_2, P_3\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow B_1: 11 \quad B_2: 11 \quad B_3: \quad /4 \quad T$   
 $B_1 = 1/2 \quad B_2 = 1/2 \quad B_3 = 0$

17. Consider the weighted voting system  $[q: 8, 4, 2, 1]$ . Find the Banzhaf power distribution of this weighted voting system when

- (a)  $q = 8$
- (b)  $q = 9$
- (c)  $q = 10$
- (d)  $q = 12$
- (e)  $q = 14$

(a)  $\{\underline{P_1}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_3}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_4}\}$   
 $\{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_3}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_4}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_3}, \underline{P_4}\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow B_1 = 7 \quad B_2 = 0 \quad B_3 = 0 \quad B_4 = 0$   
 $T = 7$   
 $B_1 = 1 \quad B_2 = B_3 = B_4 = 0$

(b)  $[9: 8, 4, 2, 1]$   $\{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_3}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_4}\}$   
 $\{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_3}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_4}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_3}, \underline{P_4}\}$   
 $\{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_3}, \underline{P_4}\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow B_1 = 7 \quad B_2 = 1 \quad B_3 = 1 \quad B_4 = 1$   
 $T = 7 + 1 + 1 + 1 = 10 //$   
 $B_1 = \frac{7}{10} \quad B_2 = \frac{1}{10} \quad B_3 = \frac{1}{10} \quad B_4 = \frac{1}{10}$

(c)  $[10: 8, 4, 2, 1]$   $\{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_3}\}$   
 $\{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_3}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_4}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_3}, \underline{P_4}\}$   
 $\{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_3}, \underline{P_4}\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow B_1 = 6 \quad B_2 = 2 \quad B_3 = 2 \quad B_4 = 0$   
 $T = 6 + 2 + 2 + 0 = 10 //$   
 $B_1 = \frac{6}{10} = \frac{3}{5} \quad B_2 = \frac{2}{10} = \frac{1}{5} \quad B_3 = \frac{2}{10} = \frac{1}{5} \quad B_4 = 0$

(d)  $[12: 8, 4, 2, 1]$   $\{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_3}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_4}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_3}, \underline{P_4}\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow B_1 = 4 \quad B_2 = 4 \quad B_3 = 0 \quad B_4 = 0$   
 $T = 4 + 4 + 0 + 0 = 8 //$   $B_1 = \frac{4}{8} = \frac{1}{2} \quad B_2 = \frac{4}{8} = \frac{1}{2} \quad B_3 = B_4 = 0$

(e)  $[14: 8, 4, 2, 1]$   $\{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_3}\} \{\underline{P_1}, \underline{P_2}, \underline{P_3}, \underline{P_4}\}$   
 $\hookrightarrow B_1 = 2 \quad B_2 = 2 \quad B_3 = 2 \quad B_4 = 0 \quad T = 6$   
 $B_1 = \frac{1}{3} \quad B_2 = \frac{1}{3} \quad B_3 = \frac{1}{3} \quad B_4 = 0$