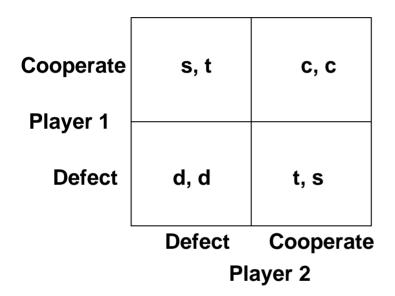
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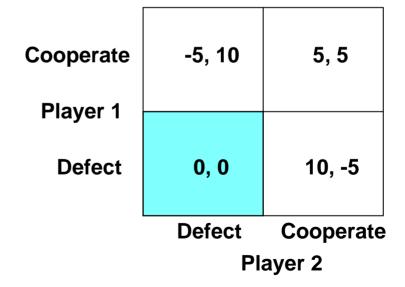


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Prisoner's Dilemma

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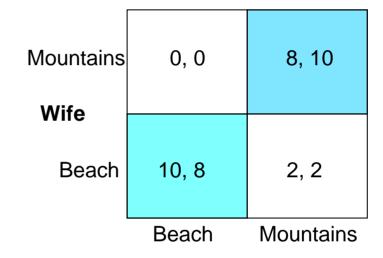




Other games have different payoff structures Chicken and Battle of the Sexes

Back down	0, 10	0, 0
Player 1		
Stand firm	-10, -10	10, 0
5	Stand firm	Back down

Player 2



Husband

What would Putnam predict from low levels of social capital in Mexico?

	Can trust	Can't be too careful	Not sure
February cross section (N = 2,398)	14.0%	83.6%	2.4%
July cross section (N = 1,199)	13.9%	83.6%	2.5%
February panel	13.9%	83.3%	2.7%
July panel (N = 1,277)	14.4%	83.6%	2.0%

Q: Do you believe you can trust most people these days, or do you think you can't be too careful?