

## Selection

Consider two species  $X, Y$  with reproductive rates + death rates + growth rates of  $a, b$ :

$$\dot{x} = ax \quad \dot{y} = by$$

If  $a, b$  constant  $x = x_0 e^{at}$   $y = y_0 e^{bt}$

Let  $\rho = \frac{x}{y}$  be  $\text{Reproduction rate}$ :

$$\dot{\rho} = \frac{\dot{x}y - x\dot{y}}{y^2} = \frac{axy - bxy}{y^2} = (a-b) \frac{x}{y} = (a-b)\rho$$

So if  $a > b$   $\rho \rightarrow \infty$  if  $a < b$   $\rho \rightarrow 0$   
 $X$  wins  $Y$  wins

Let's keep total pop constant: say

~~$x+y=1$~~  for  $x, y$  relative

abundance

$$\dot{x} = x(a-\phi) \quad \dot{y} = y(b-\phi)$$

pick  $\phi$  so that  $x+y=1$  for all time

$$x+y=1 \Rightarrow \dot{x}+\dot{y}=0$$

$$\Rightarrow xa+yb-(x+y)\phi=0 \quad \text{but } x+y=1$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = (xa+yb) \leftarrow \text{mean growth rate}$$

so since  $x+y=1 \Rightarrow y=1-x$  so

$$\phi = ax + b(1-x)$$

$$\text{and } \dot{x} = x(a-\phi) = x(a-ax-b(1-x)) \\ = x(1-x)(a-b)$$

so if  $a > b$  then  $x \rightarrow 1$  if  $a < b$   $x \rightarrow 0$

More generally  $f_i = \text{"fitness"}$

$$x_i = \frac{x_i f_i}{\sum x_i f_i}$$

$$\phi = \frac{\sum x_i f_i}{\sum x_i} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{suppose} \\ \text{mean} \\ \text{fitness} \end{matrix} \quad \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = 1$$

$$\text{Then } \dot{x}_i = x_i(f_i - \phi)$$

Recall that if  $x_i = \text{prob of } i$  Then

$\sum x_i f_i = \text{mean } f_i$  (Weighted sum)

If you fitness < mean die,  
> mean grow!

$$\text{Verify } \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \sum_{i=1}^n x_i f_i - \phi \sum_{i=1}^n x_i = \phi - \phi \cdot 1 = 0$$

$$\text{Suppose } \dot{x} = aX^c - \phi x \quad \phi = aX^c + bY^c \\ y = bY^c - \phi y \quad \text{to keep } x+y=1$$

$$\dot{x} = x(1-x) [aX^{c-1} - b(1-X)^{c-1}]$$

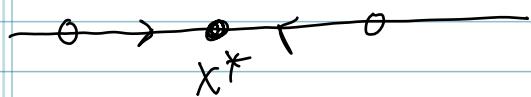
If  $c < 1$  Slower than exponential  
 $c > 1$  greater

Verify 3 fixed points  $x=0, x=1$

and  $\alpha x^{c-1} = b(1-x)^{c-1}$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\alpha}{b}\right)^{\frac{1}{c-1}} x = (1-x) \rightarrow x = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{\alpha}{b}\right)^{\frac{1}{c-1}}}$$

$c < 1$  Neither win



$c > 1$  one or other win



$c > 1$  favors whoever was bigger to start  
 $c < 1$  " survival of all

Now let's look at evolutionary games

Game Theory invented by John von Neumann  
 & Oskar Morgenstern

John Nash - "Nash equilibrium"

1 page paper in PNAS 1950  
 Nobel prize Economics 1994

By then he was ~~mentally ill~~ mentally ill

Evolutionary game theory does not rely on rationality, rather

individuals employ strategies that are fixed, interact & the payoffs are added up. (payoff matrices)

Example two phenotypes A, B

A can move, B cannot

A has a cost to move e.g. using energy, but gains so support fitness of A is 1.1 + B (1)

Then A wins & eventually takes over

(cf. earlier)

Suppose fitness is density dependent.

Like if there are lots of A or B around moving doesn't do much good, so then fitness

B > fitness A.

$X_A = \frac{1}{\text{freq}}$  of A     $X_B = \text{fitness freq of B}$

$$\vec{x} = (x_A, x_B)$$

$$\dot{x}_A = x_A (f_A(\vec{x}) - \phi) \quad \phi = x_A f_A(\vec{x}) + x_B f_B(\vec{x})$$

$$\dot{x}_B = x_B (f_B(\vec{x}) - \phi)$$

Let  $x = x_A$   $1-x = x_B$  Then:  $f_A(x) = f_A(x)$   
 $f_B(x) = f_B(x)$

$$\dot{x} = x(1-x)[f_A(x) - f_B(x)]$$

Equilibrium  $x=0, x=1, x^* \quad f_A(x^*) = f_B(x^*)$

Stability:  $0 + \bar{x}$

$$\dot{y} = [(1-\bar{x})[f_A(\bar{x}) - f_B(\bar{x})] - x[f_A(\bar{x}) - f_B(\bar{x})] \\ + \bar{x}(1-\bar{x})[f'_A(\bar{x}) - f'_B(\bar{x})]]y$$

$$\bar{x} = 0$$

$$\dot{y} = [f_A(0) - f_B(0)]y \quad \text{if } f_A(0) < f_B(0)$$

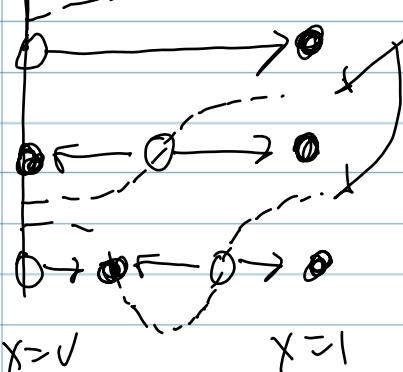
$$\bar{x} = 1 \quad \dot{y} = [f_B(1) - f_A(1)]y \quad \text{Stable if } f_A(1) > f_B(1)$$

$$x = x^*$$

$$\dot{y} = x^*(1-x^*)[f'_A(x^*) - f'_B(x^*)]y$$

stable if  $f'_A(x^*) < f'_B(x^*)$

$$f'_{A,B}(x) = f_A'(x) - f_B'(x)$$



Two player game.

Strategies are A + B

When A plays A <sup>A b J M</sup> get payoff a

When A plays B A gets b, B gets c

When B plays B A, b J M get d

$$\begin{array}{cc} & \begin{matrix} A & B \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} A & \end{matrix} & \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \\ B & \end{array}$$

Let  $X_A$  = freq playing A

$X_B$  = freq playing B

If play A expected payoff is

$$f_A = a X_A + b X_B$$

$$f_B = c X_A + d X_B$$

$$f_A(x) = ax + b(1-x)$$

$$f_B(x) = cx + d(1-x)$$

$$f_A(x) - f_B(x) = (a-b-c+d)x + b-d$$

$$x = x(1-x) [(a-b-c+d)x + b-d]$$

There are five possibilities for the two strategies

$a > c$     $b > d$  (strategy A pays better no matter what)

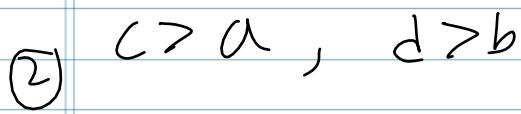
A dominates B



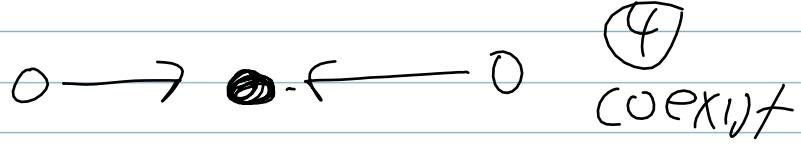
$a > c$     $d > b$    ③



B dominates A



$a < c$     $b > d$



⑤

$a = c$     $b = d$



① No matter what, it is best to play A  
payoff for playing A is always better

② Payoff for B always better

③ Always best to play same strategy as other player ("Nash equilibrium" more later)

Note  $x^* = \frac{(d-b)}{a-c+d-b} \in (0,1)$

④  $x^* = \frac{b-d}{b-d+c-a} \in (0,1)$

Homework due Friday Nov 5

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(2) - ~~Find equilibria and stability for~~  
 Consider the epidemic model with vital dynamics:

$$\dot{S} = S(N-S) - \beta IS + \gamma R$$

$$\dot{I} = -\delta I + \beta IS - \nu I$$

$$\dot{R} = \nu I - \gamma R - \delta R$$

$\delta$  = death rate.

(a) Show  $\frac{d}{dt}(S+I+R) = S(N-(S+I+R))$

and conclude that  $S+I+R \rightarrow N$  as  
 $t \rightarrow \infty$

(b) Since  $S+I+R \rightarrow N$  set  $R = N - (S+I)$   
 use this to reduce the model to  
 2 variables  $S, I$

(c) Find equilibria & stability ~~to~~  
 What is the reproductive rate  $\sigma$ ?

(3) -  $\dot{x} = (ax^{r-1})x$  Here  $\sigma$  Fitness is  $ax^{r-1}, by^{r-1}$

$$\dot{y} = (by^{r-1})y \quad \text{Let } \phi = ax^{r-1} + by^{r-1}$$

$$+ \text{ consider } \dot{x} = x[ax^{r-1} - \phi], \dot{y} = y[by^{r-1} - \phi]$$

Study equilibria & stability for  $0 \leq r < \infty$

## HAWK/DOVE

Dove is bad name since two doves will fight to death!

But in many scenarios, animals are more likely to display & threaten than to actually fight

In H/D Hawks fight while doves posture & one will retreat

The gain is  $G$  & the cost of battle is  $C$

	$\frac{G-C}{2}$ "a"	$G$ "b"
a hawk receives	$0$ "c"	$\frac{G}{2}$ "d"

Let's look - if  $C > G$  then it hurts a lot when hawk meets hawk, but still could be good in low densities of Hawks since gains are high when meeting dove

If  $C < G$  then it is always better to be a hawk Let  $x = \text{Hawk} + 1-x = \text{dove}$

so  $\dot{x} = x(1-x)$

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= x(1-x) \left[ \left( \frac{G-C}{2} - G - 0 + \frac{G}{2} \right)x + G - \frac{G}{2} \right] \\ &= x(1-x) \left[ -\frac{C}{2}x + \frac{G}{2} \right]\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore G \geq C$

$x^* = \frac{G}{C} \in (0,1)$

## multi player games

"Battle of the sexes"

Parental responsibility.

Game is played against Females since they produce few large gametes + males many small.

Females are more committed so far males a better strategy could be to desert.

Female counter strategy w "coyness" to invest in long engagement. So rather than going through second long engagement, males might stay home. Thus w/ lots of coy females, faithful might be best. But as more males become faithful females might want to be "fast" + this would lead to more "philandering" males + so on!

Two types of males:  $E_1$  philandering  $E_2$  faithful

Two types of female:  $F_1$  coy  $F_2$  fast

C = parental investment G = successful strategy  
 $E$  = engagement, costly both

Faithful male + coy female  $G - \frac{C}{2} - E$  for both since share duty

Faithful male + fast female  $G - \frac{C}{2}$  (Srip Engagemen  
Philander male + fast female  $G$  for him  $G - C$  for her!

Philander male + coy female 0

Let  $x = \text{faithful male}$   $1-x = \text{philan}$   
 $y = \text{coy female}$   $1-y = \cancel{\text{coy}} \text{ fast}$

Average fitness for ~~fast~~ fast male

$$[(G - \frac{C}{2} - E)y + (G - \frac{C}{2})(1-y)]x + \cancel{\text{Fitness for faithful}} \text{ philan } \phi_M$$

$$\textcircled{Q}: [0 \cdot y + (G - \cancel{C})(1-y)] \cancel{\phi}(1-x)$$

Average fitness for ~~coy~~ coy male  $\omega$ :

$$[(G - \frac{C}{2} - E)x + 0 \cancel{(1-x)}] \cancel{\text{coy}} y +$$

$$[(G - \frac{C}{2})x + (G - C)(1-x)](1-y)$$

$$\dot{x} = x [(G - \frac{C}{2} - E)y + (G - \frac{C}{2})(1-y) - \phi_M]$$

$$\dot{y} = y [(G - \frac{C}{2} - E)x - \phi_F]$$

You guys can simulate this for HW!

- $0 < E < G < C < 2(G-E)$

Enzyme kinetics, mass & pseudosteady state hypothesis

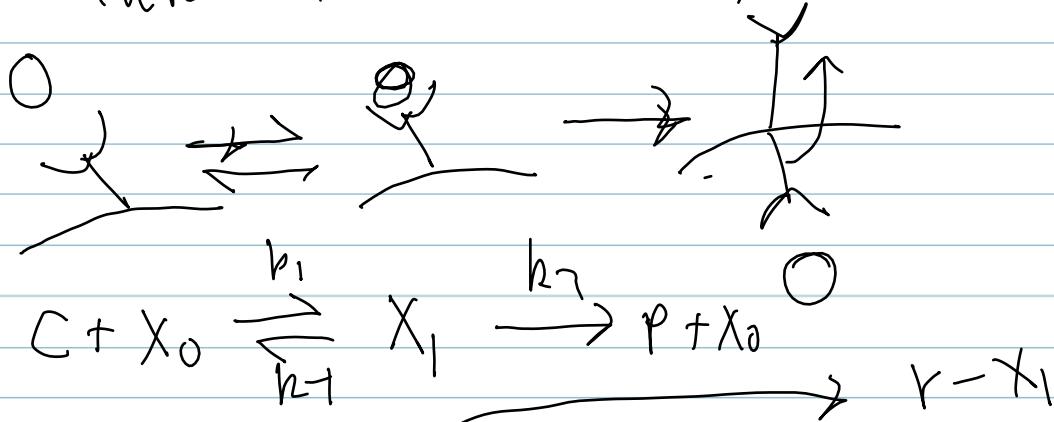
In chemostat model we assumed

$$r(C) = \frac{k_{max} C}{k_m + C}$$

Where does  $M_u$  come from?

Nutrients have to bind to external receptors to be brought inside cell & then the receptors are recycled

$C$  = nutrient  $X_0$  = unoccupied receptor  
 $X_1$  = nutrient-receptor complex,  $P$  = internalized nutrient



$$\frac{dc}{dt} = -k_1 C X_0 + k_1 X_1$$

$$\frac{dx_0}{dt} = -k_1 C X_0 + k_1 X_1 + k_2 X_1$$

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = k_1 C X_0 - k_1 X_1 - k_2 X_1$$

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = k_2 X_1$$

$$N_1 \text{ re } \frac{d(X_0 + X_1)}{dt} = 0 \Rightarrow X_0 + X_1 = r \quad \text{total receptor}$$

$$\frac{dc}{dt} = -h_1 cr + (h_{-1} + h_1 c) X_1$$

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} = h_1 rc - (h_{-1} + h_2 + h_1 c) X_1$$

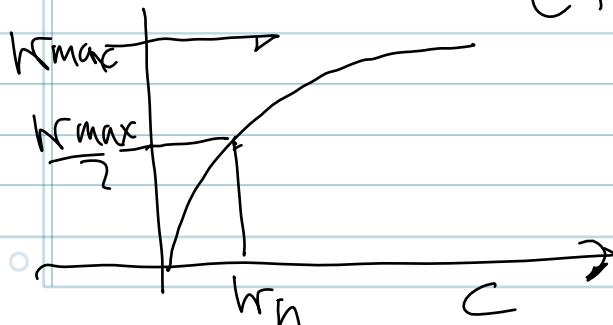
one can justify the following that we will not prove it. Since we have few receptors compared to  $C$ ,  $X_0$  is rapidly completely bound to  $C$  to form  $X_1$ , so

$$\frac{dx_1}{dt} \approx 0 \quad \text{after a brief transient.}$$

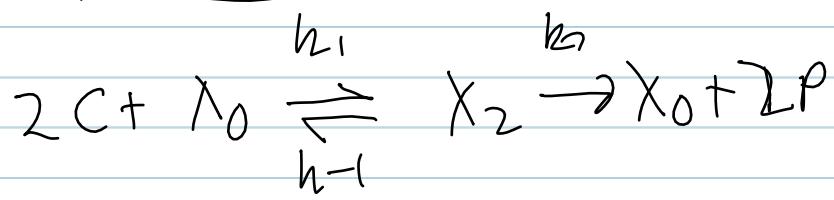
$$\Rightarrow h_1 rc - (h_{-1} + h_2 + h_1 c) X_1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow X_1 = \frac{h_1 rc}{h_1 c + h_2 + h_{-1}} = \frac{rc}{c + \frac{h_2 + h_{-1}}{h_1}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{dc}{dt} &= -h_1 cr + (h_1 + h_{-1}c) \frac{rc}{c + \frac{h_2 + h_{-1}}{h_1}} \\ &= -\frac{h_2 rc}{c + \frac{h_2 + h_{-1}}{h_1}} = -\frac{k_{max} c}{c + k_n} \end{aligned}$$



## Sigmoidal kinetics



$$X_2 + X_0 = r$$

$$\frac{dc}{dt} = -k_1 c^2 X_0 + k_{-1} \lambda_2$$

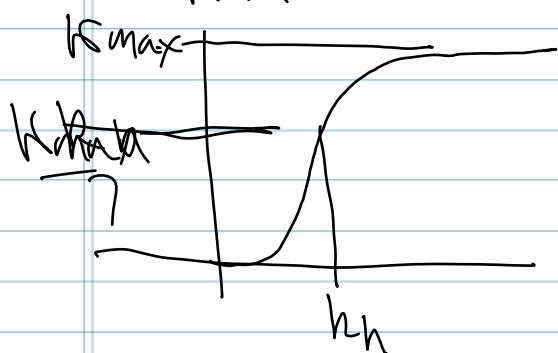
$$\frac{dx_0}{dt} = -k_1 c^2 X_0 + k_{-1} \lambda_2 + k_2 X_2$$

$$\text{set } \frac{dx_2}{dt} = k_1 X_0 c^2 - k_{-1} \lambda_2 - k_2 X_2$$

$$\text{set } \frac{dx_2}{dt} = 0 + X_2 + X_0 = r$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dc}{dt} = -\frac{k_{\max} c^2}{k_n^2 + c^2}$$

$$k_{\max} = k_2 r \quad k_n = \sqrt{\frac{k_{-1} + k_2}{k_1}}$$



## Genetic Molecular switch

(Collins et al)



Gene 1 makes product  $P_1$ , which suppresses Gene 2 + vice versa

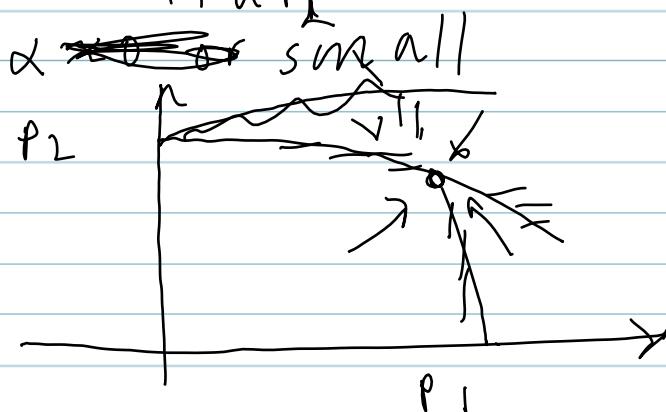
$$\frac{dP_1}{dt} = \frac{A_1}{1 + \alpha_1 P_2^2} - M_1 P_1$$

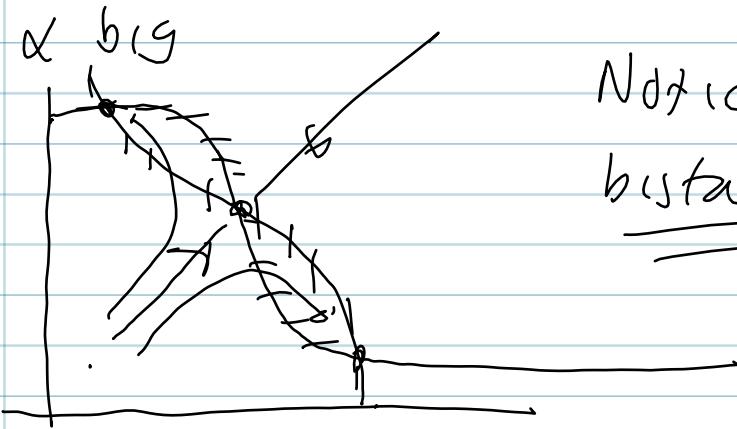
← Production      ← Decay  
                        ↓  
                        ↓ Suppression

$$\frac{dP_2}{dt} = \frac{A_2}{1 + \alpha_2 P_1^2} - M_2 P_2$$

Let's make life simple  $A = A_1 = A_2$   
 $\alpha_1 = \alpha_2$   
make it all dimensions less  $M_1 = M_2 = M$

$$\frac{dP_1}{dt} = \frac{A}{1 + \alpha P_2^2} - P_1 \quad \frac{dP_2}{dt} = \frac{A}{1 + \alpha P_1^2} - P_2$$





Notice we have  
bistability now

If you change  $A_1$  or  $A_2$  you shift to make one or the other more likely.

One more example That is pretty hard

Let  $X_1, X_2, X_3$  produce products

$Y_1, Y_2, Y_3$  +  ~~$Y_1$~~   $Y_1$  suppresses  
 $Y_2, Y_3$  suppresses  $X_3$   $Y_3$  suppresses  $X_1$

Now we built into a bacteria + generated oscillations.

$$\dot{X}_1 = \frac{A}{1+Y_3^2} - X_1 \quad \dot{Y}_1 = \beta [X_1 - Y_1]$$

$$\dot{X}_2 = \frac{A}{1+Y_1^2} - X_2 \quad \dot{Y}_2 = \beta [X_2 - Y_2]$$

$$\dot{X}_3 = \frac{A}{1+Y_2^2} - X_3 \quad \dot{Y}_3 = \beta [X_3 - Y_3]$$

How to analyze this?

Tricky but simple when you know  
the trick since we can exploit symmetry  
Save for grad course!

## Homework

① Simulate Rock paper scissors with

when playing

R ~~P~~

P

S

R gets	0	-a	1
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P gets	1	0	-a
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S gets	-a	1	0
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as follows:

Let  $x = \text{Rock}$ ,  $y = \text{Paper}$ ,  $z = \text{Scissors}$   
 Note  $z = 1 - x - y$

(a) What is rock's average payoff?

What is scissors, paper's average payoff

call these  $f_x, f_y, f_z$

Let  $\phi = x f_x + y f_y + z f_z$  be the

average fitness of all

$$(b) \dot{x} = x (f_x - \phi)$$

$$\dot{y} = y (f_y - \phi)$$

$$\text{Substitute } z = 1 - x - y$$



This is a two-dimensional system

(c) Start with  $x = .2, y = .3$  ) you may

+ solve equations for:  $a = 1, a = .9, a = .1$

) have to solve for a while

(d) Sketch the solution in the X-Y phase plane. I will provide an XPP file if you want to use it.

② Let's consider the Hawk-Dove game again

	Hawk	Dove	Mixed
Hawk	$\frac{b-c}{2}$	b	$p \left( \frac{b-c}{2} \right) + (1-p)b$
Dove	0	$\frac{b}{2}$	*
Mixed	$p \left( \frac{b-c}{2} \right) + (1-p)0$	*	*

The Mixed strategy is as follows. With probability  $p$ , it takes the Hawk strategy & with prob  $1-p$  it takes the Dove strategy. Hawk  
So, for example when ~~Mixed~~ plays Mixed it receives  $p \cdot \frac{b-c}{2} + (1-p)b$ .

When Mixed plays Hawk, it receives

$$p \left( \frac{b-c}{2} \right) + (1-p) 0$$

$\uparrow$                    $\uparrow$   
 playing      playing  
 as hawk    as dove

Try to fill in the rest of these values.

Note Mixed vs mixed is tricky

There are 4 scenarios that you have to keep track of. For example mixed playing as Hawk vs

Mixed playing as Dove occurs at a rate  $2p(1-p)$  (8) To 2 U

Here because the first can be dove, second hawk or hawk/dove.

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