

Shapley Mappings and Values of Coalition Games

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How Payoffs Are to Be Divided?

Shapley (1953) - a normative concept of fair allocation

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