

Solution-based congestion games

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Abstract. In this paper we develop the theory of potential of cooperative games for semivalues, characterize congestion models that are defined by semivalues, and suggest an application of these results to combinatorial auctions, which may explain the success of the Iowa electronic market.