

Cooperative Game Theory: More Solution concepts

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- The kernel always contains the nucleolus, thus it is non-empty.

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- There are games that have no stable sets [Lucas, 1968].