## Guess Two-Thirds of the Average

- Choose a number between 0 and 100.
- A prize of $\$ 5$ will be split equally between all students whose number is closest to $2 / 3$ of the average of the numbers chosen (the mean number).
- What should you choose?
- Write down your answer.
- What is the equilibrium choice?


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- The mean was 7.25 of the 16 numbers chosen. Two-thirds of the mean was 4.83 One person chose 5: and the winner is:

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- One chose 15 (i.e. $2 / 3$ of 22 )

One chose 10 (i.e. $2 / 3$ of 15)
Two people chose 6 or 7 (i.e. $2 / 3$ of 10)
Four people chose $0,1 / 2$, or 1 .

