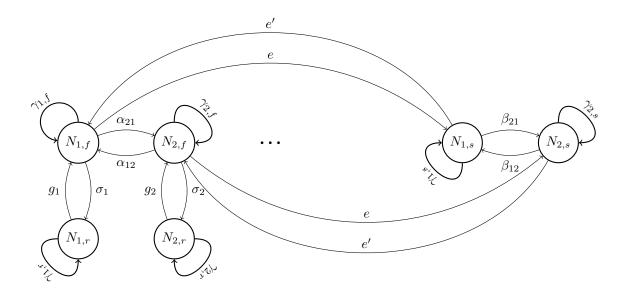
Parameter	Description	Value
$\overline{N_{i,.}}$	Abundance or biomass (?) of species i. Either free-floating $(f)$ , resting $(r)$ or at sea $(s)$	NA
$\alpha_{ij},  \beta_{ij}$	Interaction effect of species j on species i, with $\alpha \ll \beta$	
$\gamma_{i,.}$	intrinsic growth rate/survival $(??)$ of species $i$	
$g_{i}$	germination and resuspension rate of species $i$	
$\sigma_i$	seed production and sedimentation rate of species $i$	
e, e'	exchange rate between coast and ocean	

Table 1: Summary of parameters



There is 2 transfer rates;  $(5S + S^2)$  parameters. Assuming we have 10 species, that's already 152! Seed survival is actually a composite of survival, and resistance to predation, senescence, deep burial (Cacéres et al. 1997)

We have  $\gamma =$