

# Derivation of $R_0$ in SIR and SEIR models over a network with 2 vertices

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## 1 The Next generation operator method

$R_0$  is defined as the spectral radius of the 'next generation operator'. To find the next generation operator, we need to first identify the infected and non-infected compartments. Suppose there are  $n$  compartments of which  $m$  are infected. Let  $\bar{x} = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$  where each  $x_i$  denotes the number of individuals in  $i^{th}$  compartment. Let,  $F_i(x)$ , denote the rate of appearance of new infections in compartment  $i$ .  $V_i^-(x)$  be the rate of transfer of individuals into compartment  $i$  by all other means and  $V_i^+(x)$  be the rate of transfer of individuals out of compartment  $i$ .

$$\frac{dx_i}{dt} = F_i(x) - V_i(x) = f(x_i)$$

where  $V_i(x) = V_i^+(x) - V_i^-(x)$ .

We then construct  $\mathcal{F}$  and  $\mathcal{V}$  matrices by taking the partial derivatives of the  $F_i$  with respect to  $x_i$  and similarly for  $\mathcal{V}$  by taking partial derivatives of  $V_i$ . We define  $R_0$  to be the spectral radius of the  $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{V}^{-1}$ .

**Spectral radius of square matrix** It is the largest absolute value of the matrix's eigen value.

### 1.1 Assumptions

1. If  $\bar{x} \geq 0$ , then  $F_i, V_i^+, V_i^- \geq 0 \forall i$
2. If  $\bar{x} = 0$ , then  $V_i^- = 0$
3.  $F_i = 0$  if  $i \geq m$
4. If  $\bar{x} \in X_s$ , where  $X_s$  is set of all Disease Free states. Then  $F_i, V_i^+ = 0$
5. It is assumed that a disease free equilibrium exists and it is a locally asymptotically stable solution of the disease free model. Thus if  $x_0$  denotes a disease free equilibrium of the system, then if  $\mathcal{F}(x)$  is set to zero, then all eigenvalues of  $Df(x_0)$  have negative real parts.

### 1.2 SIR model with birth and death

The following is the derivation of  $R_0$  for SIR model with birth and death.

**Equations**

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dS_1}{dt} &= \lambda(S_1 + I_1 + R_1) - \mu S_1 - \beta_1 S_1 I_1 + \epsilon S_2 - \epsilon S_1 \\ \frac{dI_1}{dt} &= -\mu I_1 + \beta_1 S_1 I_1 + \epsilon I_2 - \epsilon I_1 - \gamma I_1\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dR_1}{dt} = -\mu R_1 + \epsilon R_2 - \epsilon R_1 + \gamma I_1$$

Similarly for City 2

- **For single city in isolation with no transfer rates**

$\epsilon = 0$  ,  $n = 3$  and  $m = 1$

$F_i$  is the rate of apperance of infection at compartment  $i$ , It is enough to consider the  $I$  compartment, Since only  $I$  contributes for the infection.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dI}{dt} &= \beta SI - \gamma I - \mu I \\ F &= \beta SI, V = -\gamma I - \mu I\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dF}{dI} = \beta S, \frac{dV}{dI} = -\gamma - \mu$$

at Disease Free equilibrium  $S1 = N_0$  where  $N_0$  is the initial number of people

$$\left. \frac{dF}{dI} \right|_{DFE} = \beta N_0, \left. \frac{dV}{dI} \right|_{DFE} = -\gamma - \mu$$

$$\mathcal{F} = \left. \frac{dF}{dI} \right|_{DFE}, \mathcal{V} = \left. \frac{dV}{dI} \right|_{DFE}$$

Since  $R_0$  equals the spectral radius of  $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{V}^{-1}$ , We find that

$$R_0 = \frac{\beta N}{(\gamma + \mu)}$$

- **For two cities with transfer rates**

$n = 6$  and  $m = 2$  where  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  are the two infected compartments.

$$\begin{aligned}F_1 &= \beta_1 S_1 I_1, F_2 = \beta_2 S_2 I_2 \\ V_1 &= -\gamma I_1 - \mu I_1 - \epsilon I_1 + \epsilon I_2, V_2 = -\gamma I_2 - \mu I_2 - \epsilon I_2 + \epsilon I_1\end{aligned}$$

Now,

$$\mathcal{F} = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_1 N_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \beta_2 N_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{V} = \begin{bmatrix} -\gamma - \mu - \epsilon & \epsilon \\ \epsilon & -\gamma - \mu - \epsilon \end{bmatrix}$$

The Eigen values of  $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{V}^{-1}$  was calculated using mathematica,

The spectral radius defined as the absolute value of the largest eigen value turns out to be

$$R_0 = \frac{X + \sqrt{X^2 - 4\beta_1\beta_2N_1N_2Y}}{2Y}$$

where  $X = (\beta_1 N_1 + \beta_2 N_2)(\epsilon + \mu + \gamma)$  and  $Y = (2\epsilon\gamma + \gamma^2 + 2\epsilon\mu + 2\mu\gamma + \mu^2)$

### 1.3 SEIR Model

#### Equations

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dS_1}{dt} &= \lambda(S_1 + E_1 + I_1 + R_1) - \mu S_1 - \beta_1 S_1 I_1 + \epsilon S_2 - \epsilon S_1 \\ \frac{dE_1}{dt} &= -\mu E_1 + \beta_1 S_1 I_1 + \epsilon E_2 - \epsilon E_1 - \sigma E_1 \\ \frac{dI_1}{dt} &= \sigma E_1 - \gamma I_1 - \mu I_1 \\ \frac{dR_1}{dt} &= -\mu R_1 + \epsilon R_2 - \epsilon R_1 + \gamma I_1\end{aligned}$$

Similarly for City 2

- **For single city in isolation with no transfer rates**

$\epsilon = 0$  ,  $n = 4$  and  $m = 2$ ,  $E_1$  and  $I_1$  are considered as infective compartments

$$F_1 = \beta_1 S_1 I_1, F_2 = 0$$

$$V_1 = -\mu E_1 - \sigma_1, V_2 = \sigma E_1 - \gamma I_1 - \mu I_1$$

Now, calculating  $\mathcal{F}$  and  $\mathcal{V}$  at DFE  $S_1 = N_1$

$$\mathcal{F} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \beta_1 N_1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{V} = \begin{bmatrix} -\sigma - \mu & 0 \\ \sigma & -\gamma - \mu \end{bmatrix}$$

The Spectral radius of  $\mathcal{F}\mathcal{V}^{-1}$  was calculated using mathematica.

$$R_0 = \frac{\beta_1 N_1 \sigma}{(\gamma + \mu)(\mu + \sigma)}$$

**For two cities with transfer rates**

$n = 8$  and  $m = 4$ ,  $E_1, I_1, E_2$  and  $I_2$  are considered as infective compartments.

$$F_1 = \beta_1 S_1 I_1, F_2 = 0$$

$$F_3 = \beta_2 S_2 I_2, F_4 = 0$$

$$V_1 = -\mu E_1 + \epsilon E_2 - \epsilon E_1 - \sigma_1, V_2 = \sigma E_1 - \gamma I_1 - \mu I_1$$

$$V_3 = -\mu E_2 + \epsilon E_1 - \epsilon E_2 - \sigma_2, V_4 = \sigma E_2 - \gamma I_2 - \mu I_2$$

Now, calculating  $\mathcal{F}$  and  $\mathcal{V}$  at DFE  $S_1 = N_1$  and  $S_2 = I_2$

$$\mathcal{F} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \beta_1 N_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \beta_2 N_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathcal{V} = \begin{bmatrix} -\sigma - \mu - \epsilon & 0 & \epsilon & 0 \\ \sigma & -\gamma - \mu & 0 & 0 \\ \epsilon & 0 & -\sigma - \epsilon - \mu & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sigma & -\mu - \gamma \end{bmatrix}$$

The Spectral radius of  $\mathcal{FV}^{-1}$  was calculated using mathematica.

$$R_0 = \frac{X + \sqrt{X^2 - 4\beta_1\beta_2N_1N_2\sigma^2Y}}{2(\gamma + \mu)Y}$$

where  $X = (\beta_1N_1\sigma + \beta_2N_2\sigma)(\epsilon + \mu + \sigma)$  and  $Y = (2\epsilon\mu + \mu^2 + 2\epsilon\sigma + 2\mu\sigma + \sigma^2)$