# Cooperation increases robustness to ecological disturbance in microbial cross-feeding networks

# **Generating Random Networks**

Functions to calculate Entropy and Assortativity

# 4. Liebig's Law model

Solving the system of ODE

The function "fNewLiebigK" solves the ODE system and gives the population at steady state of the system. The function "fNewLiebig" receives a network and a disturbance value as arguments.

fNewLiebigK[Net\_, Dh\_] := (  $B_{1}[t] \left(-B_{1}[t] \kappa_{1} + Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_{1}[t]}{denK + M_{1}[t]}\right., \frac{nuK M_{2}[t]}{denK + M_{2}[t]}\right., \frac{nuK M_{3}[t]}{denK + M_{3}[t]}\right., \frac{nuK M_{4}[t]}{denK + M_{4}[t]}\right),$  $\frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] - (c_{1,1} + c_{1,2} + c_{1,3} + c_{1,4} + c_{1,5} + Dh) B_{1}[t];$  $dB_2 = B_2[t] \left(-B_2[t] \kappa_2 + Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]$  $\frac{nuK\,M_{4}[t]}{denK+M_{4}[t]}\;,\;\;\frac{nuK\,M_{5}[t]}{denK+M_{5}[t]}\big\}\Big]\Big)-\;\left(c_{2,1}+c_{2,2}+c_{2,3}+c_{2,4}+c_{2,5}+Dh\right)\,B_{2}[t]\,;$  $dB_3 = B_3[t] \left(-B_3[t] \kappa_3 + Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}\right\}\right)$  $\frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]} \text{, } \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} \Big] \Big) - \Big( c_{3,1} + c_{3,2} + c_{3,3} + c_{3,4} + c_{3,5} + \text{Dh} \Big) \text{ B}_{3}[t] \text{;}$  $dB_4 = B_4[t] \left( -B_4[t] \kappa_4 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]} , \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]} , \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right. \right) \right)$  $\frac{nuK \, M_4[t]}{denK + M_4[t]} \, , \, \, \frac{nuK \, M_5[t]}{denK + M_5[t]} \} \Big] \bigg) - \, \Big( c_{4,1} + c_{4,2} + c_{4,3} + c_{4,4} + c_{4,5} + Dh \Big) \, B_4[t] \, ;$ 

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dB_5 = B_5[t] \left( -B_5[t] \kappa_5 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right\} \right) \right)
                                                                                                                  \frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]}, \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} ] - (c_{5,1} + c_{5,2} + c_{5,3} + c_{5,4} + c_{5,5} + \text{Dh}) B_{5}[t];
   dM_1 = -M_1[t] q_1 +
                                      \left( Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK \, M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]} \, , \, \frac{nuK \, M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]} \, , \, \frac{nuK \, M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \, , \, \frac{nuK \, M_4[t]}{denK + M_4[t]} \, , \, \frac{nuK \, M_5[t]}{denK + M_5[t]} \right\} \right] \right)
                                                     (-B_1[t] d_{1,1} - B_2[t] d_{1,2} - B_3[t] d_{1,3} - B_4[t] d_{1,4} - B_5[t] d_{1,4}
                                  \mathsf{B}_{1}[\mathsf{t}] \; \Omega_{1,1} + \mathsf{B}_{2}[\mathsf{t}] \; \Omega_{1,2} + \mathsf{B}_{3}[\mathsf{t}] \; \Omega_{1,3} + \mathsf{B}_{4}[\mathsf{t}] \; \Omega_{1,4} + \mathsf{B}_{5}[\mathsf{t}] \; \Omega_{1,5} \\
dM_{2} = -M_{2}[t] q_{2} + \left(Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_{1}[t]}{denK + M_{1}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{2}[t]}{denK + M_{2}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{3}[t]}{denK + M_{3}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{4}[t]}{denK + M_{4}[t]}, \frac{nuK M_{4}[t]}{denK + M_{4}[t]}
                                                                                                   \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] ) \left( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{2,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{2,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{2,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{2,5} \right) + C_{1}[t] d_{2,1} - C_{2,1}[t] d_{2,2} - C_{3,1}[t] d_{2,3} - C_{4,1}[t] d_{2,4} - C_{5,1}[t] d_{2,5} + C_{5,1}[t
\begin{split} & B_{1}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{2,1} + B_{2}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{2,2} + B_{3}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{2,3} + B_{4}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{2,4} + B_{5}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{2,5}; \\ & dM_{3} = -M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right] \, q_{3} + \left(\text{Min}\left[\left\{\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{1}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{1}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right.\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{1}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right], \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ & \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right.
                                                                                                     \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] ) \left( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{3,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{3,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{3,5} \right) + C_{5}[t] d_{3,5} + C_{5}[t] d_{3,5}
                                  B_1[t] \Omega_{3,1} + B_2[t] \Omega_{3,2} + B_3[t] \Omega_{3,3} + B_4[t] \Omega_{3,4} + B_5[t] \Omega_{3,5};
dM_4 = -M_4[t] q_4 + \left(Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_4[t]}{denK + M_4[t]}\right)
                                                                                                     \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] ) \left( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{4,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \right) + C_{1}[t] d_{4,5} + C_{2}[t] d_{4,5} + C_{3}[t] d_{4,5} + C_{4,5}[t] d_{4,5} + C_{5,5}[t] d_{5,5} + C_{5,5}[t] d_
\begin{split} &B_{1}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{4,1} + B_{2}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{4,2} + B_{3}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{4,3} + B_{4}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{4,4} + B_{5}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{4,5}; \\ &dM_{5} = -M_{5}\left[\text{t}\right] \, q_{5} + \left(\text{Min}\left[\left\{\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{1}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{1}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right.\right., \\ &\left.\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ &\left.\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ &\left.\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ &\left.\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK
                                                                                                      \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \Big\} \Big] \Big) \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,1} - B_{2}[t] \ d_{5,2} - B_{3}[t] \ d_{5,3} - B_{4}[t] \ d_{5,4} - B_{5}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) + C_{5,5} \Big) + C_{5,5} \Big] \Big] \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,1} - B_{2}[t] \ d_{5,2} - B_{3}[t] \ d_{5,3} - B_{4}[t] \ d_{5,4} - B_{5}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) + C_{5,5} \Big] \Big] \Big) \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,1} - B_{2}[t] \ d_{5,2} - B_{3}[t] \ d_{5,3} - B_{4}[t] \ d_{5,4} - B_{5}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) + C_{5,5} \Big] \Big) \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,5} - B_{2}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) + C_{5,5} \Big] \Big] \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,5} - B_{2}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) + C_{5,5} \Big] \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,5} - B_{2}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) \Big] \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,5} - B_{2}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) + C_{5,5} \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) \Big] \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,5} - B_{2}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) \Big] \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) \Big] \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,5} \Big) \Big( - B_{1}[t] \ d_{5,
                                  B_1[t] \Omega_{5,1} + B_2[t] \Omega_{5,2} + B_3[t] \Omega_{5,3} + B_4[t] \Omega_{5,4} + B_5[t] \Omega_{5,5};
   KK = 0.2;
   cc = 0.05;
   qq = 0.3;
   dd = 0.0015;
   OM = 1;
   nu = 200;
   den = 2;
 tmax = 1000;
   par = {
                                  \kappa_1 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_2 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_3 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_4 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_5 \rightarrow KK,
                                    c_{1,1} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[1]][[1]], c_{1,2} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[1]][[2]],
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c_{1,3} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[1]][[3]], c_{1,4} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[1]][[4]], c_{1,5} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[1]][[5]],
    c_{2,1} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[2]][[1]], c_{2,2} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[2]][[2]], c_{2,3} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[2]][[3]],
    c_{2,4} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[2]][[4]], c_{2,5} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[2]][[5]],
    c_{3,1} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[3]][[1]], c_{3,2} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[3]][[2]], c_{3,3} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[3]][[3]],
    c_{3,4} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[3]][[4]], c_{3,5} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[3]][[5]],
    c_{4,1} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[4]][[1]], c_{4,2} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[4]][[2]], c_{4,3} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[4]][[3]],
    c_{4,4} \rightarrow cc \ Net[[4]][[4]], c_{4,5} \rightarrow cc \ Net[[4]][[5]],
    c_{5,1} \rightarrow cc \ \text{Net}[[5]][[1]], c_{5,2} \rightarrow cc \ \text{Net}[[5]][[2]], c_{5,3} \rightarrow cc \ \text{Net}[[5]][[3]],
    c_{5,4} \rightarrow cc \text{ Net}[[5]][[4]], c_{5,5} \rightarrow cc \text{ Net}[[5]][[5]],
    q_1 \rightarrow qq, q_2 \rightarrow qq, q_3 \rightarrow qq, q_4 \rightarrow qq, q_5 \rightarrow qq,
    d_{1,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{2,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{3,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{4,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{5,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,5} \rightarrow dd,
    \Omega_{1,1} \to \text{OM Net}[[1]][[1]], \Omega_{1,2} \to \text{OM Net}[[1]][[2]],
    \Omega_{1,3} \to \text{OM Net}[[1]][[3]], \Omega_{1,4} \to \text{OM Net}[[1]][[4]], \Omega_{1,5} \to \text{OM Net}[[1]][[5]],
    \Omega_{2,1} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[2]][[1]], \Omega_{2,2} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[2]][[2]], \Omega_{2,3} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[2]][[3]],
    \Omega_{2,4} \rightarrow \text{OM Net}[[2]][[4]], \Omega_{2,5} \rightarrow \text{OM Net}[[2]][[5]],
    \Omega_{3,1} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[3]][[1]], \Omega_{3,2} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[3]][[2]], \Omega_{3,3} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[3]][[3]],
    \Omega_{3,4} \to \text{OM Net}[[3]][[4]], \Omega_{3,5} \to \text{OM Net}[[3]][[5]],
    \Omega_{4.1} \rightarrow \text{OM Net}[[4]][[1]], \Omega_{4.2} \rightarrow \text{OM Net}[[4]][[2]], \Omega_{4,3} \rightarrow \text{OM Net}[[4]][[3]],
    \Omega_{4,4} \to \text{OM Net}[[4]][[4]], \Omega_{4,5} \to \text{OM Net}[[4]][[5]],
    \Omega_{5,1} \to \text{OM Net}[[5]][[1]], \Omega_{5,2} \to \text{OM Net}[[5]][[2]], \Omega_{5,3} \to \text{OM Net}[[5]][[3]],
    \Omega_{5,4} \to \text{OM Net}[[5]][[4]], \Omega_{5,5} \to \text{OM Net}[[5]][[5]],
    nuK → nu,
    denK → den
  };
B10 = 1500;
B20 = 1500;
B30 = 1500;
B40 = 1500;
B50 = 1500;
M10 = 10;
M20 = 10;
M30 = 10;
M40 = 10;
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M50 = 10;
sol =
 NDSolve[
  {
     B_1'[t] = dB_1,
     B_2'[t] = dB_2,
     B_3'[t] = dB_3
     B_4'[t] = dB_4,
     B_5'[t] = dB_5,
     M_1'[t] = dM_1,
     M_2'[t] = dM_2,
     M_3'[t] = dM_3,
     M_4'[t] = dM_4,
     M_5'[t] = dM_5,
     B_1[0] = B10,
     B_2[0] = B20,
     B_3[0] = B30,
     B_4[0] = B40,
     B_5[0] = B50,
     M_1[0] = M10,
     M_2[0] = M20,
     M_3[0] = M30,
     M_4[0] = M40,
     M_5[0] = M50
   } /. par,
  \{B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4, B_5, M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4, M_5\},\
  {t, 0, tmax}];
\{B_1[tmax], B_2[tmax], B_3[tmax], B_4[tmax], B_5[tmax],
    M_1[tmax], M_2[tmax], M_3[tmax], M_4[tmax], M_5[tmax]} /. sol /. par
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In[6026]:= NetK = {
           {0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
           {1, 0, 1, 1, 0},
           {1, 0, 1, 0, 1},
           {0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
           \{0, 0, 0, 0, 1\}
         };
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In[6027]:= fNewLiebigK[NetK, 1]
Out[6027] = \{ \{ 660.263, 660.013, 660.013, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.260, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.263, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660.264, 660
                                                                                                                                                      660.513, 2203.19, 4404.07, 4404.9, 2203.19, 3.98377}}
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fNewLiebig[Net_, Dh_] := (
In[6028]:=
                                                                 B_{1}[t] \left(-B_{1}[t] \kappa_{1} + Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_{1}[t]}{denK + M_{1}[t]}\right., \frac{nuK M_{2}[t]}{denK + M_{2}[t]}\right., \frac{nuK M_{3}[t]}{denK + M_{3}[t]}\right., \frac{nuK M_{4}[t]}{denK + M_{4}[t]}\right],
                                                                                                           \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] \bigg) - \bigg( c_{1,1} + c_{1,2} + c_{1,3} + c_{1,4} + c_{1,5} + \text{Dh} \bigg) B_{1}[t];
                                                          dB_2 = B_2[t] \left( -B_2[t] \kappa_2 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right\} \right)
                                                                                                           \frac{nuK\;M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{denK+M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\;\text{,}\;\;\frac{nuK\;M_{5}\left[\text{t}\right]}{denK+M_{5}\left[\text{t}\right]}\big\}\Big]\bigg)\;\text{-}\;\left(c_{2,1}+c_{2,2}+c_{2,3}+c_{2,4}+c_{2,5}+Dh\right)\;B_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]\text{;}
                                                          dB_3 = B_3[t] \left( -B_3[t] \kappa_3 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right\} \right)
                                                                                                           \frac{nuK\,M_{4}[t]}{denK+M_{4}[t]}\;,\;\;\frac{nuK\,M_{5}[t]}{denK+M_{5}[t]}\big\}\Big]\Big)-\;\left(c_{3,1}+c_{3,2}+c_{3,3}+c_{3,4}+c_{3,5}+Dh\right)\,B_{3}[t]\,;
                                                          dB_4 = B_4[t] \left( -B_4[t] \kappa_4 + Min[\{\frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}
                                                                                                           \frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]} , \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} \Big] \Big) - \Big( c_{4,1} + c_{4,2} + c_{4,3} + c_{4,4} + c_{4,5} + \text{Dh} \Big) B_{4}[t];
                                                          dB_5 = B_5[t] \left( -B_5[t] \kappa_5 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right\} \right)
                                                                                                           \frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]} , \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} \Big] \Big) - \Big( c_{5,1} + c_{5,2} + c_{5,3} + c_{5,4} + c_{5,5} + \text{Dh} \Big) B_{5}[t];
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dM_1 = -M_1[t] q_1 +
                       \left(\text{Min}\big[\big\{\frac{\text{nuK}\,M_{1}[t]}{\text{denK}+M_{1}[t]}\,\,,\,\,\frac{\text{nuK}\,M_{2}[t]}{\text{denK}+M_{2}[t]}\,\,,\,\,\frac{\text{nuK}\,M_{3}[t]}{\text{denK}+M_{3}[t]}\,\,,\,\,\frac{\text{nuK}\,M_{4}[t]}{\text{denK}+M_{4}[t]}\,\,,\,\,\frac{\text{nuK}\,M_{5}[t]}{\text{denK}+M_{5}[t]}\big\}\big]\right)
                                (-B_1[t] d_{1,1} - B_2[t] d_{1,2} - B_3[t] d_{1,3} - B_4[t] d_{1,4} - B_5[t] d_{1,5}) +
                    \mathsf{B}_{1}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{1,1} + \mathsf{B}_{2}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{1,2} + \mathsf{B}_{3}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{1,3} + \mathsf{B}_{4}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{1,4} + \mathsf{B}_{5}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{1}
dM_{2} = -M_{2}[t] q_{2} + \left(Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK \ M_{1}[t]}{denK + M_{1}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK \ M_{2}[t]}{denK + M_{2}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK \ M_{3}[t]}{denK + M_{3}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK \ M_{4}[t]}{denK + M_{4}[t]}\right)
                                                             \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \Big\} \Big] \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{2,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{2,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{2,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{2,5} \Big) + C_{1}[t] d_{2,5} \Big] + C_{2,5}[t] d_{2,5} \Big] \Big] \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{2,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{2,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{2,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{2,5} \Big) + C_{2,5}[t] d_{2,5} \Big] \Big] \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{2,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{2,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{2,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{2,5} \Big) + C_{2,5}[t] d_{2,5} \Big] \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{2,5} \Big) + C_{2,5}[t] d_{2,5} \Big] \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{2,5} \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{2,5} \Big) \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{2,5} \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,5} -
                    \mathsf{B}_{1}[\mathsf{t}] \; \Omega_{2,1} + \mathsf{B}_{2}[\mathsf{t}] \; \Omega_{2,2} + \mathsf{B}_{3}[\mathsf{t}] \; \Omega_{2,3} + \mathsf{B}_{4}[\mathsf{t}] \; \Omega_{2,4} + \mathsf{B}_{5}[\mathsf{t}] \; \Omega_{2,5};
 dM_{3} = -M_{3}[t] q_{3} + \left(Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_{1}[t]}{denK + M_{1}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{2}[t]}{denK + M_{2}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{3}[t]}{denK + M_{3}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{4}[t]}{denK + M_{4}[t]}\right)
                                                            \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] ) \left( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{3,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{3,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{3,5} \right) + C_{1}[t] d_{3,1} - C_{2}[t] d_{3,2} - C_{3}[t] d_{3,3} - C_{4}[t] d_{3,4} - C_{5}[t] d_{3,5} + C_{5}[t] d_{3,5}
\begin{split} &B_{1}[t] \; \Omega_{3,1} + B_{2}[t] \; \Omega_{3,2} + B_{3}[t] \; \Omega_{3,3} + B_{4}[t] \; \Omega_{3,4} + B_{5}[t] \; \Omega_{3,5}; \\ &dM_{4} = -M_{4}[t] \; q_{4} + \bigg(Min\Big[\Big\{\frac{nuK \; M_{1}[t]}{denK + \; M_{1}[t]} \; , \; \frac{nuK \; M_{2}[t]}{denK + \; M_{2}[t]} \; , \; \frac{nuK \; M_{3}[t]}{denK + \; M_{3}[t]} \; , \; \frac{nuK \; M_{4}[t]}{denK + \; M_{4}[t]} \; , \end{split}
                                                             \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \Big\} \Big] \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{4,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) + C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big] \Big] \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{4,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) + C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big] \Big) \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{4,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) + C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big] \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{4}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) + C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big] \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{4}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) + C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big] \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{4}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) + C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big] \Big) \Big\} \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) + C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big] \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) + C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) \Big\} \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) + C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) \Big\} \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} - C_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \Big) + C_{5}[t] d_{5}[t] d_
                    B_{1}[t] \; \Omega_{4,1} + B_{2}[t] \; \Omega_{4,2} + B_{3}[t] \; \Omega_{4,3} + B_{4}[t] \; \Omega_{4,4} + B_{5}[t] \; \Omega_{4,5};
dM_5 = -M_5[t] q_5 + \left(Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}\right), \frac{nuK M_4[t]}{denK + M_4[t]}\right)
                                                             \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} ] \bigg) \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \ d_{5,1} - \text{B}_{2}[t] \ d_{5,2} - \text{B}_{3}[t] \ d_{5,3} - \text{B}_{4}[t] \ d_{5,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \ d_{5,5} \right) + C_{5,5} 
                    B_1[t] \Omega_{5,1} + B_2[t] \Omega_{5,2} + B_3[t] \Omega_{5,3} + B_4[t] \Omega_{5,4} + B_5[t] \Omega_{5,5};
   KK = 0.2;
  cc = 0.05;
  qq = 0.3;
   dd = 0.0015;
  OM = 1;
  nu = 200;
  den = 2;
 tmax = 1000;
  par = {
                    \kappa_1 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_2 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_3 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_4 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_5 \rightarrow KK,
                      c_{1,1} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[1]][[1]], c_{1,2} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[1]][[2]],
                    c_{1,3} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[1]][[3]], c_{1,4} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[1]][[4]], c_{1,5} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[1]][[5]],
                    c_{2,1} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[2]][[1]], c_{2,2} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[2]][[2]], c_{2,3} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[2]][[3]],
                      c_{2.4} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[2]][[4]], c_{2.5} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[2]][[5]],
                    c_{3,1} \to \mathsf{cc} \; \mathsf{Net}[[3]][[1]] \;, \; c_{3,2} \to \mathsf{cc} \; \mathsf{Net}[[3]][[2]] \;, \; c_{3,3} \to \mathsf{cc} \; \mathsf{Net}[[3]][[3]] \;,
                      c_{3,4} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[3]][[4]], c_{3,5} \rightarrow cc \, Net[[3]][[5]],
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c_{4,1} \rightarrow cc \ Net[[4]][[1]], c_{4,2} \rightarrow cc \ Net[[4]][[2]], c_{4,3} \rightarrow cc \ Net[[4]][[3]],
    c_{4,4} \rightarrow cc \ Net[[4]][[4]], c_{4,5} \rightarrow cc \ Net[[4]][[5]],
    c_{5,1} \rightarrow cc \ \text{Net}[[5]][[1]], c_{5,2} \rightarrow cc \ \text{Net}[[5]][[2]], c_{5,3} \rightarrow cc \ \text{Net}[[5]][[3]],
    c_{5,4} \rightarrow cc Net[[5]][[4]], c_{5,5} \rightarrow cc Net[[5]][[5]],
    q_1 \rightarrow qq, q_2 \rightarrow qq, q_3 \rightarrow qq, q_4 \rightarrow qq, q_5 \rightarrow qq,
    d_{1,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{2,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{3,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{4,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{5,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,5} \rightarrow dd,
    \Omega_{1,1} \to \text{OM Net}[[1]][[1]], \Omega_{1,2} \to \text{OM Net}[[1]][[2]],
    \Omega_{1,3} \rightarrow \mathsf{OM}\,\mathsf{Net}[[1]][[3]]\,,\,\Omega_{1,4} \rightarrow \mathsf{OM}\,\mathsf{Net}[[1]][[4]]\,,\,\Omega_{1,5} \rightarrow \mathsf{OM}\,\mathsf{Net}[[1]][[5]]\,,
    \Omega_{2,1} \to \text{OM Net}[[2]][[1]], \Omega_{2,2} \to \text{OM Net}[[2]][[2]], \Omega_{2,3} \to \text{OM Net}[[2]][[3]],
    \Omega_{2,4} \rightarrow \mathsf{OM} \ \mathsf{Net}[[2]][[4]], \ \Omega_{2,5} \rightarrow \mathsf{OM} \ \mathsf{Net}[[2]][[5]],
    \Omega_{3,1} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[3]][[1]], \Omega_{3,2} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[3]][[2]], \Omega_{3,3} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[3]][[3]],
    \Omega_{3,4} \to \text{OM Net}[[3]][[4]], \Omega_{3,5} \to \text{OM Net}[[3]][[5]],
    \Omega_{4,1} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[4]][[1]], \Omega_{4,2} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[4]][[2]], \Omega_{4,3} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[4]][[3]],
    \Omega_{4,4} \to \text{OM Net}[[4]][[4]], \Omega_{4,5} \to \text{OM Net}[[4]][[5]],
    \Omega_{5,1} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[5]][[1]], \Omega_{5,2} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[5]][[2]], \Omega_{5,3} \to 0M \text{ Net}[[5]][[3]],
    \Omega_{5,4} \to \text{OM Net}[[5]][[4]], \Omega_{5,5} \to \text{OM Net}[[5]][[5]],
    nuK → nu,
    denK → den
  };
B10 = 1500;
B20 = 1500;
B30 = 1500;
B40 = 1500;
B50 = 1500;
M10 = 10;
M20 = 10;
M30 = 10;
M40 = 10;
M50 = 10;
sol =
  NDSolve[
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B_1'[t] = dB_1,
     B_2'[t] = dB_2,
     B_3'[t] = dB_3
     B_4'[t] = dB_4,
     B_5'[t] = dB_5
     M_1'[t] = dM_1,
     M_2'[t] = dM_2
     M_3'[t] = dM_3,
     M_4'[t] = dM_4,
     M_5'[t] = dM_5,
     B_1[0] = B10,
     B_2[0] = B20,
     B_3[0] = B30,
     B_4[0] = B40,
     B_5[0] = B50,
     M_1[0] = M10,
     M_2[0] = M20,
     M_3[0] = M30,
     M_4[0] = M40,
     M_5[0] = M50
    } /. par,
   \{B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4, B_5, M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4, M_5\},\
   {t, 0, tmax}];
\{B_1[tmax], B_2[tmax], B_3[tmax], B_4[tmax], B_5[tmax],
    M_1[tmax], M_2[tmax], M_3[tmax], M_4[tmax], M_5[tmax]} /. sol /. par;
\label{eq:barder} Min[\{B_1[tmax],\,B_2[tmax],\,B_3[tmax],\,B_4[tmax],\,B_5[tmax]\}\;\text{/. sol /. par]}
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robustnessNewLiebig[NetTop_] := (
In[6029]:=
           n1 = 1;
           n2 = 5000;
           mid = (n1 + n2) / 2;
           While [(n1 \neq mid \&\& n2 \neq mid),
             (If[fNewLiebig[NetTop, mid] < 1, n2 = mid, n1 = mid];
              mid = Floor[N[(n1+n2)/2]];); \{n1, n2, mid\}]; mid
          )
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As an example let's take the following Network

```
In[6030]:= NetK = {
          {0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
          {1, 0, 1, 1, 0},
          {1, 0, 1, 0, 1},
          {0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
          {0,0,0,1}
         };
```

Using the function f we can calculate the smallest value of a bacterial population in the community for a given disturbance vale. For example, let's take Disturbance value 1 and 70:

```
In[6031]:= fNewLiebig[NetK, 1]
Out[6031]= 660.013
In[6032]:= fNewLiebig[NetK, 4]
Out[6032]= 644.992
```

Using the function g3 we can calculate Robustness of the Network:

```
In[6033]:= robustnessNewLiebig[NetK]
Out[6033]= 124
```

We can calculate the (Relative) Entropy and the Assortativity:

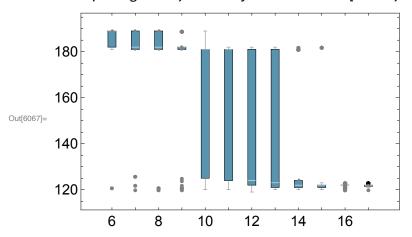
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In[6034]:= RelatEntrop5[NetK]
Out[6034]= 0.960956
In[6035]:= assortativity[NetK]
Out[6035]= -0.113228
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We can calculate the robustness of the previously generated random networks with different number of auxotrophies:

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AuxoComm6Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@hk6];
In[6053]:=
        AuxoComm7Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@hk7];
        AuxoComm8Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk8];
        AuxoComm9Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk9];
        AuxoComm10Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk10];
        AuxoComm11Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk11];
        AuxoComm12Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk12];
        AuxoComm13Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk13];
        AuxoComm14Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk14];
        AuxoComm15Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk15];
        AuxoComm16Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk16];
        AuxoComm17Liebig = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk17];
 In[6051]:= Timing[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk6[[1;; 3]];]
Out[6051]= { 0.575675, Null}
 In[6052]:= Timing[Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebig /@ hk6[[1;; 3]];]]
Out[6052]= { 0.060792, Null}
 IN[6065]:= LikLiebig = {AuxoComm6Liebig, AuxoComm7Liebig, AuxoComm8Liebig, AuxoComm9Liebig,
          AuxoComm10Liebig, AuxoComm11Liebig, AuxoComm12Liebig, AuxoComm13Liebig,
          AuxoComm14Liebig, AuxoComm15Liebig, AuxoComm16Liebig, AuxoComm17Liebig};
 In[6066]:= coco = RGBColor[0.34509803921568627, 0.5803921568627451, 0.6901960784313725]
Out[6066]=
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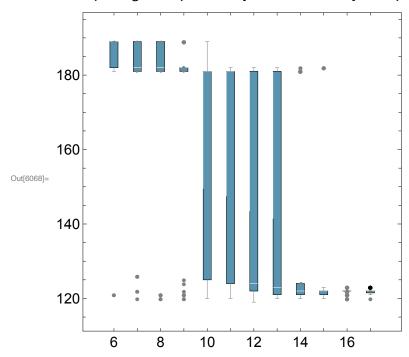
In[6067]:= BoxWhiskerChart[LikLiebig, "Outliers",

 $ChartBaseStyle \rightarrow EdgeForm[Dashing[0.99]], ChartStyle \rightarrow \{\{coco\}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco\}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco\}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco}\}, F$  $\label{eq:ChartLabels} \begin{center} \begin{cent$ BarSpacing → 1.9, FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15]]



In[6068]:= BoxWhiskerChart[LikLiebig, "Outliers",

ChartBaseStyle  $\rightarrow$  EdgeForm[Dashing[0.99]], ChartStyle  $\rightarrow$  {{coco}}, Frame  $\rightarrow$  True,  $\label{eq:ChartLabels} \begin{cases} \begi$  $\texttt{BarSpacing} \rightarrow \texttt{1.9}, \, \texttt{FrameStyle} \rightarrow \texttt{Directive[Black, FontSize} \rightarrow \texttt{15]}, \, \texttt{AspectRatio} \rightarrow \texttt{1]}$ 



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In[ • ]:= AuxoComm8Liebig
Out = = {181, 181, 182, 189, 181, 181, 121, 189, 189, 182, 181, 181, 182, 181, 189, 182, 181, 181,
      181, 121, 181, 181, 182, 182, 181, 189, 182, 121, 189, 182, 181, 121, 182, 189, 189,
      182, 121, 189, 181, 120, 189, 189, 182, 182, 182, 189, 189, 182, 181, 181, 189,
      189, 189, 181, 182, 189, 189, 189, 189, 181, 181, 181, 189, 181, 189, 182, 182,
      181, 189, 189, 182, 181, 181, 120, 189, 189, 189, 189, 182, 181, 182, 181, 189}
    We can study the correlation between Relative entropy and assortativity with Robustness for Networks
    with 7 auxotrophies.
In[@]:= Entropy13 = RelatEntrop5 /@ hk8;
In[@]:= Assort13 = assortativity /@ hk8;
In[*]:= RobustNewSaito8bLieb = AuxoComm8Liebig;
In[@]:= Length[Entropy8]
    Length[Assort8]
    Length[RobustNewSaito8bLieb]
Out[ ]= 100
Out[ ]= 100
Out[ ]= 100
In[@]:= {Min[Entropy8], Max[Entropy8]}
     {Min[Assort8], Max[Assort8]}
Out[\bullet] = \{0.9188, 0.993652\}
Out[\bullet]= {-0.520325, 0.235702}
In[@]:= Position[Entropy8, Min[Entropy8]]
Out[\bullet] = \{ \{54\}, \{91\} \}
In[@]:= RobustNewSaito8bLieb[[#]] & /@ {1, 2, 24}
Out[\circ]= {181, 181, 182}
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In[e]:= {Min[RobustNewSaito8bLieb], {Max[RobustNewSaito8bLieb]}}

 $Out[\circ] = \{120, \{189\}\}$ 

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In[⊕]:= linerobustnessNewSaito25 =
        Fit[Partition[Riffle[Entropy8, RobustNewSaito8bLieb], {2}], {1, x}, x];
     Show[ListPlot[Partition[Riffle[Entropy8, RobustNewSaito8bLieb], {2}],
        Frame → True, FrameLabel → {"Relative Entropy", "Robustness"},
        FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15],
       PlotStyle → {Black, PointSize[Medium]}, PlotRange → {{0.91, 1}, {110, 200}},
       AspectRatio → 0.5], Plot[linerobustnessNewSaito25,
        \{x, 0.91, 1\}, AspectRatio \rightarrow 0.5, PlotStyle \rightarrow Darker[Red]]]
        200
Sobustness Robustness
        180
        160
        140
        120
                        0.94
               0.92
                                  0.96
                                           0.98
                                                     1.00
                          Relative Entropy
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0.92

0.94

0.96

Relative Entropy

```
In[@]:= linerobustnessNewSaito25 =
       Fit[Partition[Riffle[Entropy8, RobustNewSaito8bLieb], {2}], {1, x}, x];
     Show[ListPlot[Partition[Riffle[Entropy8, RobustNewSaito8bLieb], {2}],
       Frame → True, FrameLabel → {"Relative Entropy", "Robustness"},
       FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15],
       PlotStyle → {Black, PointSize[Medium]}, PlotRange → {{0.91, 1}, {110, 200}},
       AspectRatio → 1], Plot[linerobustnessNewSaito25,
       \{x, 0.91, 1\}, PlotStyle \rightarrow Darker[Red], AspectRatio \rightarrow 1]]
        200
        180
Out[*]= Sobnatness
        160
        140
        120
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0.98

1.00

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In[@]:= lineAssoRobrobustnessNewSaito25 =
       Fit[Partition[Riffle[Assort8, RobustNewSaito8bLieb], {2}], {1, x}, x];
     Show[ListPlot[Partition[Riffle[Assort8, RobustNewSaito8bLieb], {2}],
       Frame → True, FrameLabel → {"Assortativity", "Robustness"},
       FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15],
       PlotStyle → {Black, PointSize[Medium]}, PlotRange → {{-0.53, 0.55}, {110, 200}},
       AspectRatio → 0.5], Plot[lineAssoRobrobustnessNewSaito25,
       \{x, -0.53, 0.55\}, AspectRatio \rightarrow 0.5, PlotStyle \rightarrow Darker[Red]]]
        200
        180
Out[*]= Sobustness
        160
        140
        120
                                                          0.2
                                -0.2
                                             0.0
                                                                       0.4
                   -0.4
                                          Assortativity
```

#### In[@]:= lineAssoRobrobustnessNewSaito25 =

Fit[Partition[Riffle[Assort8, RobustNewSaito8bLieb], {2}], {1, x}, x]; Show[ListPlot[Partition[Riffle[Assort8, RobustNewSaito8bLieb], {2}],

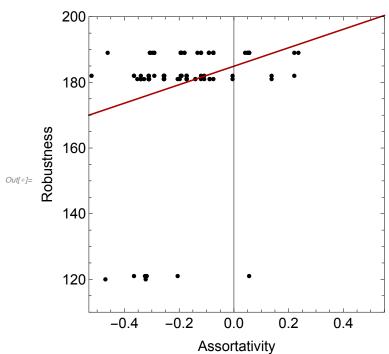
Frame → True, FrameLabel → {"Assortativity", "Robustness"},

FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15],

PlotStyle  $\rightarrow$  {Black, PointSize[Medium]}, PlotRange  $\rightarrow$  {{-0.53, 0.55}, {110, 200}},

AspectRatio → 1], Plot[lineAssoRobrobustnessNewSaito25,

 $\{x, -0.53, 0.55\}$ , AspectRatio  $\rightarrow 1$ , PlotStyle  $\rightarrow$  Darker[Red]]]



#### <code>m[\*]:= SpearmanRankTest[Entropy8, RobustNewSaito8bLieb, "TestDataTable"]</code>

Statistic P-Value Spearman Rank 0.869096 1.01251 × 10<sup>-31</sup>

#### In[@]:= SpearmanRankTest[Assort8, RobustNewSaito8bLieb, "TestDataTable"]

Spearman Rank 0.442665 3.99612×10<sup>-6</sup>

# Solving the system of ODE with Overproduction

```
fNewLiebigOV[Net_, Dh_, coop_] := (
In[6158]:=
                             B_1[t] \left(-B_1[t] \kappa_1 + Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}\right), \frac{nuK M_4[t]}{denK + M_4[t]}\right)
                                                \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] - (c_{1,1} + c_{1,2} + c_{1,3} + c_{1,4} + c_{1,5} + Dh) B_{1}[t];
                          dB_2 = B_2[t] \left(-B_2[t] \kappa_2 + Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}\right]\right)
                                                \frac{nuK\;M_{4}[t]}{denK+M_{4}[t]}\;,\;\;\frac{nuK\;M_{5}[t]}{denK+M_{5}[t]}\big\}\Big]\Big)-\;\left(c_{2,1}+c_{2,2}+c_{2,3}+c_{2,4}+c_{2,5}+Dh\right)\;B_{2}[t]\;;
                          dB_3 = B_3[t] \left( -B_3[t] \kappa_3 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]} , \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]} , \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right. \right) \right)
                                                \frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]}, \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} \Big] - \left( c_{3,1} + c_{3,2} + c_{3,3} + c_{3,4} + c_{3,5} + \text{Dh} \right) B_{3}[t];
                          dB_4 = B_4[t] \left( -B_4[t] \kappa_4 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right\} \right)
                                                \frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]} , \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} \Big] - \Big( c_{4,1} + c_{4,2} + c_{4,3} + c_{4,4} + c_{4,5} + \text{Dh} \Big) B_{4}[t];
                          dB_5 = B_5[t] \left( -B_5[t] \kappa_5 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right\} \right)
                                                \frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]}, \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} \Big] \Big) - \Big( c_{5,1} + c_{5,2} + c_{5,3} + c_{5,4} + c_{5,5} + \text{Dh} \Big) B_{5}[t];
                          dM_1 = -M_1[t] q_1 +
                                 \left( Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK \, M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]} \, , \, \frac{nuK \, M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]} \, , \, \frac{nuK \, M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \, , \, \frac{nuK \, M_4[t]}{denK + M_4[t]} \, , \, \frac{nuK \, M_5[t]}{denK + M_5[t]} \right\} \right] \right)
                                    (-B_1[t] d_{1,1} - B_2[t] d_{1,2} - B_3[t] d_{1,3} - B_4[t] d_{1,4} - B_5[t] d_{1,5})
                                B_1[t] \Omega_{1,1} + B_2[t] \Omega_{1,2} + B_3[t] \Omega_{1,3} + B_4[t] \Omega_{1,4} + B_5[t] \Omega_{1,5};
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dM_2 = -M_2[t] \ q_2 + \left(Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK \ M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}\right., \frac{nuK \ M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}\right., \frac{nuK \ M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}\right., \frac{nuK \ M_4[t]}{denK + M_4[t]}\right.,
                                               \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] ) \left( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{2,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{2,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{2,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{2,5} \right) +
\begin{split} &B_{1}[t]\;\Omega_{2,1}+B_{2}[t]\;\Omega_{2,2}+B_{3}[t]\;\Omega_{2,3}+B_{4}[t]\;\Omega_{2,4}+B_{5}[t]\;\Omega_{2,5};\\ &dM_{3}=-M_{3}[t]\;q_{3}+\left(Min\Big[\Big\{\frac{nuK\;M_{1}[t]}{denK+M_{1}[t]}\;,\;\frac{nuK\;M_{2}[t]}{denK+M_{2}[t]}\;,\;\frac{nuK\;M_{3}[t]}{denK+M_{3}[t]}\;,\;\frac{nuK\;M_{4}[t]}{denK+M_{4}[t]}\;,\\ \end{split}
                                                \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]}  (-B<sub>1</sub>[t] d<sub>3,1</sub> - B<sub>2</sub>[t] d<sub>3,2</sub> - B<sub>3</sub>[t] d<sub>3,3</sub> - B<sub>4</sub>[t] d<sub>3,4</sub> - B<sub>5</sub>[t] d<sub>3,5</sub>) +
                \mathsf{B}_{1}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{3,1} + \mathsf{B}_{2}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{3,2} + \mathsf{B}_{3}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{3,3} + \mathsf{B}_{4}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{3,4} + \mathsf{B}_{5}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{3,5};
dM_4 = -M_4[t] \ q_4 + \left(Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK \ M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}\right., \frac{nuK \ M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}\right., \frac{nuK \ M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}\right., \frac{nuK \ M_4[t]}{denK + M_4[t]}\right),
                                                \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] ) \left( -B_{1}[t] d_{4,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{4,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{4,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{4,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{4,5} \right) + C_{4,5} + C_{5,5} + C_{5,5}
\begin{split} &B_{1}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{4,1} + B_{2}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{4,2} + B_{3}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{4,3} + B_{4}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{4,4} + B_{5}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{4,5}; \\ &dM_{5} = -M_{5}\left[\text{t}\right] \, q_{5} + \left(\text{Min}\left[\left\{\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{1}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{1}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right.\right.\right., \\ &\left.\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ &\left.\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ &\left.\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ &\left.\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ &\left.\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right., \\ &\left.\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{de
                                                \frac{\mathsf{nuK}\,\mathsf{M}_{5}[\texttt{t}]}{\mathsf{denK}\,+\,\mathsf{M}_{5}[\texttt{t}]}\big\}\Big]\bigg)\,\left(-\,\mathsf{B}_{1}[\texttt{t}]\,\,\mathsf{d}_{5,1}\,-\,\mathsf{B}_{2}[\texttt{t}]\,\,\mathsf{d}_{5,2}\,-\,\mathsf{B}_{3}[\texttt{t}]\,\,\mathsf{d}_{5,3}\,-\,\mathsf{B}_{4}[\texttt{t}]\,\,\mathsf{d}_{5,4}\,-\,\mathsf{B}_{5}[\texttt{t}]\,\,\mathsf{d}_{5,5}\right)\,+\,\mathsf{denK}\,+\,\mathsf{M}_{5}[\texttt{t}]}
                B_1[t] \Omega_{5,1} + B_2[t] \Omega_{5,2} + B_3[t] \Omega_{5,3} + B_4[t] \Omega_{5,4} + B_5[t] \Omega_{5,5};
  KK = 0.2;
 cc = 0.05;
 qq = 0.3;
 dd = 0.0015;
 OM = 1;
 nu = 200;
 den = 2;
 op = coop; (*Number of links with overExpression*)
  posNe = Position[Net, 1];
   (*Positions in the matrix where there are links (=1)*)
  RaN = RandomSample[posNe, op];
   (*Random sample of op links that will be overproduced*)
  costincr = 1.3; (*Term multiplying the cost link*)
 overprodincr = 1.15;
   (*Term multiplying the overproduction link*)
 NewNetCost = Net cc;
 Table[NewNetCost[[RaN[[i]][[1]]]][[RaN[[i]][[2]]]] =
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NewNetOvProd = Net OM;
Table[NewNetOvProd[[RaN[[i]]][[1]]]][[RaN[[i]]]] =
    NewNetOvProd[[RaN[[i]][[1]]]][[RaN[[i]][[2]]]] * overprodincr, {i,
    Length[RaN]}];
tmax = 1000;
par = {
    \kappa_1 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_2 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_3 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_4 \rightarrow KK, \kappa_5 \rightarrow KK,
    c_{1,1} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[1]][[1]],
    c_{1,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[1]][[2]], c_{1,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[1]][[3]],
    c_{1,4} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[1]][[4]], c_{1,5} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[1]][[5]],
    c_{2,1} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[2]][[1]], c_{2,2} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[2]][[2]],
    c_{2,3} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[2]][[3]], c_{2,4} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[2]][[4]],
    c_{2,5} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[2]][[5]],
    c_{3,1} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[3]][[1]], c_{3,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[3]][[2]],
    c_{3,3} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[3]][[3]], c_{3,4} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[3]][[4]],
    c_{3.5} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[3]][[5]],
    c_{4,1} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[4]][[1]], c_{4,2} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[4]][[2]],
    c_{4,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[4]][[3]], c_{4,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[4]][[4]],
    c_{4,5} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[4]][[5]],
    c_{5,1} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[5]][[1]], c_{5,2} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[5]][[2]],
    c_{5,3} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[5]][[3]], c_{5,4} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[5]][[4]],
    c_{5,5} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[5]][[5]],
    q_1 \rightarrow qq, q_2 \rightarrow qq, q_3 \rightarrow qq, q_4 \rightarrow qq, q_5 \rightarrow qq,
    d_{1,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{1,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{2,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{2,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{3,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{3,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{4,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{4,5} \rightarrow dd,
    d_{5,1} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,2} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,3} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,4} \rightarrow dd, d_{5,5} \rightarrow dd,
    \Omega_{1,1} \rightarrow \mathsf{NewNetOvProd}[[1]][[1]],
    \Omega_{1,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[1]][[2]], \Omega_{1,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[1]][[3]],
    \Omega_{1,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[1]][[4]], \Omega_{1,5} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[1]][[5]],
    \Omega_{2,1} \rightarrow \mathsf{NewNet0vProd}[[2]][[1]], \Omega_{2,2} \rightarrow \mathsf{NewNet0vProd}[[2]][[2]],
    \Omega_{2,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[2]][[3]], \Omega_{2,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[2]][[4]],
    \Omega_{2,5} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[2]][[5]],
    \Omega_{3,1} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[3]][[1]], \Omega_{3,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[3]][[2]],
    \Omega_{3,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[3]][[3]], \Omega_{3,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[3]][[4]],
    \Omega_{3,5} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[3]][[5]],
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\Omega_{4,1} \rightarrow \mathsf{NewNet0vProd}[[4]][[1]], \Omega_{4,2} \rightarrow \mathsf{NewNet0vProd}[[4]][[2]],
   \Omega_{4,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[4]][[3]], \Omega_{4,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[4]][[4]],
   \Omega_{4,5} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[4]][[5]],
   \Omega_{5,1} \rightarrow \mathsf{NewNetOvProd}[[5]][[1]], \Omega_{5,2} \rightarrow \mathsf{NewNetOvProd}[[5]][[2]],
   \Omega_{5,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[5]][[3]], \Omega_{5,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[5]][[4]],
   \Omega_{5,5} \rightarrow \mathsf{NewNetOvProd}[[5]][[5]],
   nuK → nu,
   denK → den
 };
B10 = 1500;
B20 = 1500;
B30 = 1500;
B40 = 1500;
B50 = 1500;
M10 = 10;
M20 = 10;
M30 = 10;
M40 = 10;
M50 = 10;
sol =
 NDSolve[
      B_1'[t] = dB_1
      B_2'[t] = dB_2
      B_3'[t] = dB_3,
      B_4'[t] = dB_4,
      B_5'[t] = dB_5,
      M_1'[t] = dM_1,
       M_2'[t] = dM_2,
       M_3'[t] = dM_3,
       M_4'[t] = dM_4,
       M_5'[t] = dM_5,
       B_1[0] = B10,
       B_2[0] = B20,
       B_3[0] = B30,
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B_4[0] = B40,
       B_5[0] = B50,
       M_1[0] = M10,
       M_2[0] = M20,
       M_3[0] = M30,
       M_4[0] = M40,
       M_5[0] = M50
     } /. par,
     \{B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4, B_5, M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4, M_5\},\
     {t, 0, tmax}];
  \{B_1[tmax], B_2[tmax], B_3[tmax], B_4[tmax], B_5[tmax],
      M_1[tmax], M_2[tmax], M_3[tmax], M_4[tmax], M_5[tmax]} /. sol /. par;
  Min[\{B_1[tmax], B_2[tmax], B_3[tmax], B_4[tmax], B_5[tmax]\} /. sol /. par]
robustnessNewLiebigOV[NetTop_, coop_] := (
  n1 = 1;
  n2 = 5000;
  mid = (n1 + n2) / 2;
  While [(n1 \neq mid \&\& n2 \neq mid),
   (If[fNewLiebigOV[NetTop, mid, coop] < 1, n2 = mid, n1 = mid];
    mid = Floor[N[(n1+n2)/2]];); {n1, n2, mid}]; mid
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In[6160]:= NetK = {
           {0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
           {1, 0, 1, 1, 0},
           {1, 0, 1, 0, 1},
           {0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
           \{0, 0, 0, 0, 1\}
         };
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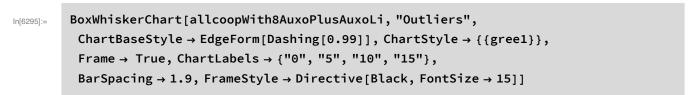
In[6159]:=

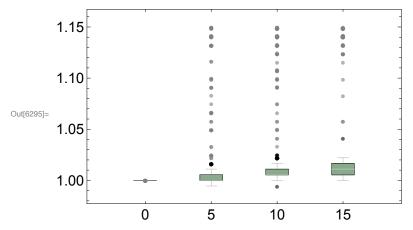
In[6173]:=

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Compare the Robustness with and without (5 links) overproduction (ratio cost/production = 1.3/1.15)
In[6161]:= fNewLiebig[NetK, 1]
Out[6161]= 660.013
In[6165]:= fNewLiebigOV[NetK, 0, 5]
Out[6165]= 764.437
In[6169]:= AuxoComm8Liebig
181, 121, 181, 181, 182, 182, 181, 189, 182, 121, 189, 182, 181, 121, 182, 189, 189,
       182, 121, 189, 181, 120, 189, 189, 182, 182, 182, 189, 189, 182, 181, 181, 189,
       189, 189, 181, 182, 189, 189, 189, 189, 181, 181, 181, 189, 181, 189, 182, 182,
       181, 189, 189, 182, 181, 181, 120, 189, 189, 189, 189, 182, 181, 182, 181, 189}
       coop5to15Li =
In[6170]:=
         {Table[robustnessNewLiebigOV[#, 5], {20}], Table[robustnessNewLiebigOV[#, 10],
            {20}], Table[robustnessNewLiebigOV[#, 15], {20}]} &;
       wf8Li = Parallelize[coop5to15Li/@hk8];
In[6171]:=
       wf8NormalizedLi = N[wf8Li[[#]] / AuxoComm8Liebig[[#]]] & /@ Range[100]
In[6172]:=
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wf8NormalizedWith5CoopLi = wf8NormalizedLi[[#]][[1]] & /@ Range[100]

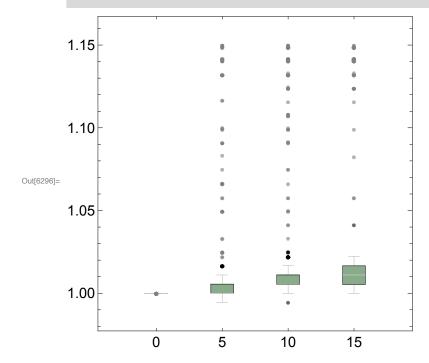
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wf8NormalizedWith10CoopLi = wf8NormalizedLi[[#]][[2]] & /@ Range[100]
In[6174]:=
        wf8NormalizedWith15CoopLi = wf8NormalizedLi[[#]][[3]] & /@ Range[100]
In[6175]:=
        allcoopWith8AuxoLi = {Flatten[wf8NormalizedWith5CoopLi],
In[6176]:=
          Flatten[wf8NormalizedWith10CoopLi], Flatten[wf8NormalizedWith15CoopLi]}
        allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLi = Join[{ConstantArray[1, {2000}]}, allcoopWith8AuxoLi]
In[6177]:=
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In[6296]:=
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BoxWhiskerChart[allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLi, "Outliers",
ChartBaseStyle → EdgeForm[Dashing[0.99]], ChartStyle → {{gree1}},
Frame → True, ChartLabels → {"0", "5", "10", "15"}, BarSpacing → 1.9,
FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15], AspectRatio → 1]
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#### In[6179]:= allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLi // Length

Out[6179]= **4** 

In[6180]:= SignedRankTest[allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLi[[2]], 1] SignedRankTest[allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLi[[3]], 1] SignedRankTest[allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLi[[4]], 1]

Out[6180]=  $2.21714 \times 10^{-163}$ 

Out[6181]=  $2.25974 \times 10^{-295}$ 

Out[6182]= 0.

## Solving the system of ODE Random parametrization

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Knum = 0.2;
In[6620]:=
        ccrnum = 0.05;
        qqrnum = 0.3;
        ddrnum = 0.0015;
        OMrnum = 1;
        nurum = 200;
        den2rum = 2;
        corrpar0 = 10^3;
        corrpar1 = 10 ^ 4;
        corrpar2 = 10^6;
        KKr := RandomVariate[
            GammaDistribution[corrpar0 Sqrt[Knum], (1/corrpar0) Sqrt[Knum]], 1][[1]];
        ccr := RandomVariate[GammaDistribution[corrpar1 Sqrt[ccrnum],
              (1/corrpar1) Sqrt[ccrnum]], 1][[1]];
        qqr := RandomVariate[GammaDistribution[corrpar0 Sqrt[qqrnum],
              (1/corrpar0) Sqrt[qqrnum]], 1][[1]];
        ddr := RandomVariate[GammaDistribution[corrpar1 Sqrt[ddrnum],
              (1 / corrpar1) Sqrt[ddrnum]], 1][[1]];
        OMr := RandomVariate[GammaDistribution[corrpar0 Sqrt[OMrnum],
              (1/corrpar0) Sqrt[OMrnum]], 1][[1]];
        nur := RandomVariate[GammaDistribution[corrpar2 Sqrt[nurum],
              (1/corrpar2) Sqrt[nurum]], 1][[1]];
        denr2 := RandomVariate[GammaDistribution[corrpar2 Sqrt[den2rum],
              (1/corrpar2) Sqrt[den2rum]], 1][[1]];
        parR = Join[Table[KKr, {5}], Table[ccr, {25}],
          Table[qqr, {5}], Table[ddr, {25}], Table[OMr, {25}], {nur}, {denr2}]
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0.0505965, 0.0480712, 0.0487571, 0.0516892, 0.0511037, 0.0493342, 0.0499709,
      0.0520139, 0.0512811, 0.0500806, 0.048457, 0.0504627, 0.0510088, 0.048274,
      0.049034, 0.0489444, 0.0509747, 0.0502627, 0.0509413, 0.0500432, 0.0498128,
       0.0514343, 0.274148, 0.295, 0.29056, 0.3092, 0.304498, 0.00158584, 0.00155599,
      0.00155081, 0.0016041, 0.00146101, 0.00140389, 0.00148479, 0.00149624, 0.00147291,
      0.00158423, 0.0016865, 0.00150169, 0.00155989, 0.00146453, 0.00148963,
      0.0016086, 0.00145168, 0.00146253, 0.00143854, 0.00151936, 0.00158187,
      0.00159033, 0.00161823, 0.0016764, 0.00143317, 0.959485, 0.991248, 0.989999,
      0.962826, 0.994657, 1.01296, 1.111, 1.01255, 0.98884, 0.945443, 1.00391,
      1.00769, 1.03404, 0.962685, 1.02578, 1.01396, 0.973462, 0.973176, 0.952024,
      0.972961, 1.00321, 1.03881, 0.927777, 1.0447, 1.04131, 200.038, 2.00091
      parR = {0.17406491963765225`, 0.19271552318731072`, 0.20101265981745065`,
         0.1993416825951762`, 0.20546747418997402`, 0.05126697346911639`,
         0.050979209585780075`, 0.049250907922295285`, 0.050596494945335864`,
         0.04807123965645414, 0.04875707371061734, 0.05168919593748627,
         0.05110374775894862, 0.04933415213279622, 0.049970862334809504,
         0.052013918924004365`, 0.051281069200719044`, 0.05008059124653844`,
         0.048456986155650895, 0.05046268834028382, 0.05100881647129115,
         0.04827398693541804, 0.049033976435347196, 0.04894443311184237,
         0.05097473744162672, 0.05026272693204548, 0.0509412937337713,
         0.050043183079927396, 0.04981275493116924, 0.05143431351532053,
         0.2741484220752475, 0.29500048735377876, 0.29055979190752795,
         0.30919969983773093, 0.30449818646425864, 0.0015858418050202845,
         0.0015559938026471695`, 0.0015508063247152385`, 0.0016041035713506373`,
         0.0014610080434572011, 0.0014038903176297444, 0.0014847851291227255,
         0.0014962435725992124, 0.0014729115074682852, 0.0015842336090410236,
         0.0016865044671100866, 0.001501687307936476, 0.0015598859023090983,
         0.001464526200480392, 0.0014896327356137065, 0.0016086000253588925,
         0.0014516848408536902, 0.0014625348014891348, 0.0014385370012988826,
         0.0015193617217833212`, 0.0015818702687085818`, 0.0015903285844332212`,
         0.0016182333378202214, 0.0016763973379304588, 0.0014331690573307755,
         0.959484902075753`, 0.9912481178882356`, 0.9899993730630222`,
         0.9628256622169967, 0.9946569905494801, 1.0129632879517105,
         1.1109986104234093, 1.0125450635832367, 0.988840015814362,
         0.94544275526312, 1.003913112496818, 1.0076856430130368,
         1.0340447722669786, 0.9626849557677253, 1.0257791881087754,
         1.013963295639842, 0.9734619708145545, 0.973176386033725,
         0.9520239235604386`, 0.9729607432853318`, 1.0032062732410925`,
         1.0388122539899611, 0.9277774829512535, 1.0446966704519374,
         1.0413148081050696, 200.03791321285763, 2.0009063754198024;
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fNewLiebigR[Net\_, Dh\_] := ( In[6638]:=  $B_1[t] \left(-B_1[t] \kappa_1 + Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}, \frac{nuK M_4[t]}{denK + M_4[t]}, \frac{nu$  $\frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] \bigg) - \bigg( c_{1,1} + c_{1,2} + c_{1,3} + c_{1,4} + c_{1,5} + \text{Dh} \bigg) B_{1}[t];$  $dB_2 = B_2[t] \left(-B_2[t] \kappa_2 + Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}\right]\right)$  $\frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]} , \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} \Big] \Big) - \Big( c_{2,1} + c_{2,2} + c_{2,3} + c_{2,4} + c_{2,5} + \text{Dh} \Big) B_{2}[t];$  $dB_3 = B_3[t] \left( -B_3[t] \kappa_3 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right\} \right)$  $\frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]} \; , \; \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} \Big] \Big) - \Big( c_{3,1} + c_{3,2} + c_{3,3} + c_{3,4} + c_{3,5} + \text{Dh} \Big) \; B_{3}[t] \; ;$  $dB_4 = B_4[t] \left( -B_4[t] \kappa_4 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right. \right) \right)$  $\frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]}, \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} \Big] \Big) - \Big( c_{4,1} + c_{4,2} + c_{4,3} + c_{4,4} + c_{4,5} + \text{Dh} \Big) B_{4}[t];$  $dB_5 = B_5[t] \left( -B_5[t] \kappa_5 + Min \left[ \left\{ \frac{nuK M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}, \frac{nuK M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}, \frac{nuK M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]} \right\} \right)$  $\frac{\text{nuK M}_{4}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{4}[t]} , \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} \Big] \Big) - \Big( c_{5,1} + c_{5,2} + c_{5,3} + c_{5,4} + c_{5,5} + \text{Dh} \Big) B_{5}[t];$  $dM_1 = -M_1[t] q_1 +$  $\left(\operatorname{Min}\left[\left\{\frac{\operatorname{nuK}\operatorname{M}_{1}[t]}{\operatorname{denK}+\operatorname{M}_{1}[t]}\right\}, \frac{\operatorname{nuK}\operatorname{M}_{2}[t]}{\operatorname{denK}+\operatorname{M}_{2}[t]}\right\}, \frac{\operatorname{nuK}\operatorname{M}_{3}[t]}{\operatorname{denK}+\operatorname{M}_{3}[t]}\right\}, \frac{\operatorname{nuK}\operatorname{M}_{4}[t]}{\operatorname{denK}+\operatorname{M}_{4}[t]}\right\}$  $(-B_1[t] d_{1,1} - B_2[t] d_{1,2} - B_3[t] d_{1,3} - B_4[t] d_{1,4} - B_5[t] d_{1,5})$  $\mathsf{B}_{1}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{1,1} + \mathsf{B}_{2}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{1,2} + \mathsf{B}_{3}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{1,3} + \mathsf{B}_{4}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{1,4} + \mathsf{B}_{5}[\mathsf{t}] \ \Omega_{1,5}$  $dM_{2} = -M_{2}[t] q_{2} + \left(Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_{1}[t]}{denK + M_{1}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{2}[t]}{denK + M_{2}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{3}[t]}{denK + M_{3}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{4}[t]}{denK + M_{4}[t]},$  $\frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} ] ) \left( -B_{1}[t] d_{2,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{2,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{2,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{2,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{2,5} \right) + C_{1}[t] d_{2,1} - C_{2,1} + C_{2,2} + C_{3,1} + C_{3,2} + C_{3,1} + C_{3,2} + C_{3,$ 
$$\begin{split} &B_{1}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{2,1} + B_{2}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{2,2} + B_{3}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{2,3} + B_{4}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{2,4} + B_{5}\left[\text{t}\right] \, \Omega_{2,5}; \\ &dM_{3} = -M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right] \, q_{3} + \left(\text{Min}\left[\left\{\frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{1}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{1}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right.\right.\right. \\ &\left. \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{2}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right.\right. \\ &\left. \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{3}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right.\right. \\ &\left. \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right.\right. \\ &\left. \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}{\text{denK} + M_{4}\left[\text{t}\right]}\right. \\ \\ &\left. \frac{\text{nuK} \, M_{4}\left[\text{t}$$
 $\frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \Big\} \Big] \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{3,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{3,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) + C_{1}[t] \Big] \Big] \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{3,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{3,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) + C_{2}[t] \Big] \Big] \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{3,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{3,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) + C_{2}[t] \Big] \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{3,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{3,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) + C_{2}[t] d_{3,5} \Big] \Big] \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{3,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{3,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) + C_{2}[t] d_{3,5} \Big] \Big] \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,5} \Big] \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) + C_{2}[t] d_{3,5} \Big] \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) \Big] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,5} - B_{2}[t] d_{3,5} \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,5} - B_{2}[t] \Big( -B_{1}[t] d_{3,5} - B_{2}[t] \Big) \Big( -B_{1}[t$ 

 $B_1[t] \Omega_{3,1} + B_2[t] \Omega_{3,2} + B_3[t] \Omega_{3,3} + B_4[t] \Omega_{3,4} + B_5[t] \Omega_{3,5};$ 

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dM_4 = -M_4[t] \ q_4 + \left(Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK \ M_1[t]}{denK + M_1[t]}\right., \frac{nuK \ M_2[t]}{denK + M_2[t]}\right., \frac{nuK \ M_3[t]}{denK + M_3[t]}\right., \frac{nuK \ M_4[t]}{denK + M_4[t]}\right.,
                                 \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + \text{M}_{5}[t]} \} ] \bigg) \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,1} - \text{B}_{2}[t] \text{ d}_{4,2} - \text{B}_{3}[t] \text{ d}_{4,3} - \text{B}_{4}[t] \text{ d}_{4,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,1} - \text{B}_{2}[t] \text{ d}_{4,2} - \text{B}_{3}[t] \text{ d}_{4,3} - \text{B}_{4}[t] \text{ d}_{4,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,1} - \text{B}_{2}[t] \text{ d}_{4,2} - \text{B}_{3}[t] \text{ d}_{4,3} - \text{B}_{4}[t] \text{ d}_{4,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,1} - \text{B}_{2}[t] \text{ d}_{4,2} - \text{B}_{3}[t] \text{ d}_{4,3} - \text{B}_{4}[t] \text{ d}_{4,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,1} - \text{B}_{2}[t] \text{ d}_{4,2} - \text{B}_{3}[t] \text{ d}_{4,3} - \text{B}_{4}[t] \text{ d}_{4,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,2} - \text{B}_{2}[t] \text{ d}_{4,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,4} - \text{B}_{5}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B}_{1}[t] \text{ d}_{4,5} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( -\text{B
\begin{split} &B_{1}[t] \; \Omega_{4,1} + B_{2}[t] \; \Omega_{4,2} + B_{3}[t] \; \Omega_{4,3} + B_{4}[t] \; \Omega_{4,4} + B_{5}[t] \; \Omega_{4,5}; \\ &dM_{5} = -M_{5}[t] \; q_{5} + \bigg(Min\Big[\Big\{\frac{nuK \; M_{1}[t]}{denK + M_{1}[t]} \; , \; \frac{nuK \; M_{2}[t]}{denK + M_{2}[t]} \; , \; \frac{nuK \; M_{3}[t]}{denK + M_{3}[t]} \; , \; \frac{nuK \; M_{4}[t]}{denK + M_{4}[t]} \; , \end{split}
                                  \frac{\text{nuK M}_{5}[t]}{\text{denK} + M_{5}[t]} \} ] ) \left( -B_{1}[t] d_{5,1} - B_{2}[t] d_{5,2} - B_{3}[t] d_{5,3} - B_{4}[t] d_{5,4} - B_{5}[t] d_{5,5} \right) + C_{5,5} + C_{5,5}
           B_1[t] \Omega_{5,1} + B_2[t] \Omega_{5,2} + B_3[t] \Omega_{5,3} + B_4[t] \Omega_{5,4} + B_5[t] \Omega_{5,5};
 tmax = 1000;
 par = {
           \kappa_1 \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[1]], \kappa_2 \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[2]], \kappa_3 \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[3]], \kappa_4 \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[4]], \kappa_5 \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[5]],
           c_{1,1} \rightarrow parR[[6]] \times Net[[1]][[1]],
           c_{1,2} \rightarrow parR[[7]] \times Net[[1]][[2]], c_{1,3} \rightarrow parR[[8]] \times Net[[1]][[3]],
           c_{1,4} \rightarrow parR[[9]] \times Net[[1]][[4]], c_{1,5} \rightarrow parR[[10]] \times Net[[1]][[5]],
           c_{2,1} \rightarrow parR[[11]] \times Net[[2]][[1]], c_{2,2} \rightarrow parR[[12]] \times Net[[2]][[2]],
           c_{2,3} \rightarrow parR[[13]] \times Net[[2]][[3]], c_{2,4} \rightarrow parR[[14]] \times Net[[2]][[4]],
           c_{2,5} \rightarrow parR[[15]] \times Net[[2]][[5]],
           c_{3,1} \rightarrow parR[[16]] \times Net[[3]][[1]], c_{3,2} \rightarrow parR[[17]] \times Net[[3]][[2]],
           c_{3,3} \rightarrow parR[[18]] \times Net[[3]][[3]], c_{3,4} \rightarrow parR[[19]] \times Net[[3]][[4]],
           c_{3,5} \rightarrow parR[[20]] \times Net[[3]][[5]],
           c_{4,1} \rightarrow parR[[21]] \times Net[[4]][[1]], c_{4,2} \rightarrow parR[[22]] \times Net[[4]][[2]],
           c_{4,3} \rightarrow parR[[23]] \times Net[[4]][[3]], c_{4,4} \rightarrow parR[[24]] \times Net[[4]][[4]],
           c_{4,5} \rightarrow parR[[25]] \times Net[[4]][[5]],
           c_{5,1} \rightarrow parR[[26]] \times Net[[5]][[1]], c_{5,2} \rightarrow parR[[27]] \times Net[[5]][[2]],
           c_{5,3} \rightarrow parR[[28]] \times Net[[5]][[3]], c_{5,4} \rightarrow parR[[29]] \times Net[[5]][[4]],
           c_{5,5} \rightarrow parR[[30]] \times Net[[5]][[5]],
           q_1 \rightarrow parR[[31]], q_2 \rightarrow parR[[32]],
           q_3 \rightarrow parR[[33]], q_4 \rightarrow parR[[34]], q_5 \rightarrow parR[[35]],
           d_{1,1} \rightarrow parR[[36]], d_{1,2} \rightarrow parR[[37]],
           d_{1,3} \rightarrow parR[[38]], d_{1,4} \rightarrow parR[[39]], d_{1,5} \rightarrow parR[[40]],
           d_{2,1} \rightarrow parR[[41]], d_{2,2} \rightarrow parR[[42]], d_{2,3} \rightarrow parR[[43]],
           d_{2,4} \rightarrow parR[[44]], d_{2,5} \rightarrow parR[[45]],
           d_{3,1} \rightarrow parR[[46]], d_{3,2} \rightarrow parR[[47]], d_{3,3} \rightarrow parR[[48]],
           d_{3,4} \rightarrow parR[[49]], d_{3,5} \rightarrow parR[[50]],
           d_{4,1} \rightarrow parR[[51]], d_{4,2} \rightarrow parR[[52]], d_{4,3} \rightarrow parR[[53]],
           d_{4,4} \rightarrow parR[[54]], d_{4,5} \rightarrow parR[[55]],
           d_{5,1} \rightarrow parR[[56]], d_{5,2} \rightarrow parR[[57]], d_{5,3} \rightarrow parR[[58]],
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d_{5,4} \rightarrow parR[[59]], d_{5,5} \rightarrow parR[[60]],
    \Omega_{1,1} \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[61]] \times \mathsf{Net}[[1]][[1]],
    \Omega_{1,2} \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[62]] \times \mathsf{Net}[[1]][[2]], \Omega_{1,3} \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[63]] \times \mathsf{Net}[[1]][[3]],
    \Omega_{1,4} \rightarrow parR[[64]] \times Net[[1]][[4]], \Omega_{1,5} \rightarrow parR[[65]] \times Net[[1]][[5]],
    \Omega_{2,1} \to parR[[66]] \times Net[[2]][[1]], \Omega_{2,2} \to parR[[67]] \times Net[[2]][[2]],
    \Omega_{2,3} \rightarrow parR[[68]] \times Net[[2]][[3]], \Omega_{2,4} \rightarrow parR[[69]] \times Net[[2]][[4]],
    \Omega_{2,5} \to parR[[70]] \times Net[[2]][[5]],
    \Omega_{3,1} \to parR[[71]] \times Net[[3]][[1]], \Omega_{3,2} \to parR[[72]] \times Net[[3]][[2]],
    \Omega_{3,3} \rightarrow parR[[73]] \times Net[[3]][[3]], \Omega_{3,4} \rightarrow parR[[74]] \times Net[[3]][[4]],
    \Omega_{3,5} \to parR[[75]] \times Net[[3]][[5]],
    \Omega_{4,1} \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[76]] \times \mathsf{Net}[[4]][[1]], \Omega_{4,2} \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[77]] \times \mathsf{Net}[[4]][[2]],
    \Omega_{4,3} \rightarrow parR[[78]] \times Net[[4]][[3]], \Omega_{4,4} \rightarrow parR[[79]] \times Net[[4]][[4]],
    \Omega_{4,5} \to parR[[80]] \times Net[[4]][[5]],
    \Omega_{5,1} \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[81]] \times \mathsf{Net}[[5]][[1]], \Omega_{5,2} \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[82]] \times \mathsf{Net}[[5]][[2]],
    \Omega_{5,3} \to \text{parR}[[83]] \times \text{Net}[[5]][[3]], \Omega_{5,4} \to \text{parR}[[84]] \times \text{Net}[[5]][[4]],
    \Omega_{5,5} \to parR[[85]] \times Net[[5]][[5]],
    nuK \rightarrow parR[[86]],
    denK → parR[[87]]
 };
B10 = 1500;
B20 = 1500;
B30 = 1500;
B40 = 1500;
B50 = 1500;
M10 = 10;
M20 = 10;
M30 = 10;
M40 = 10;
M50 = 10;
sol =
  NDSolve[
    {
       B_1'[t] = dB_1,
       B_2'[t] = dB_2
       B_3'[t] = dB_3
       B_4'[t] = dB_4,
       B_5'[t] = dB_5,
```

```
M_1'[t] = dM_1,
     M_2'[t] = dM_2,
     M_3'[t] = dM_3,
     M_4'[t] = dM_4,
     M_5'[t] = dM_5,
     B_1[0] = B10,
     B_2[0] = B20,
     B_3[0] = B30,
     B_4[0] = B40,
     B_5[0] = B50,
     M_1[0] = M10,
     M_2[0] = M20,
     M_3[0] = M30,
     M_4[0] = M40,
     M_5[0] = M50
   } /. par,
  \{B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4, B_5, M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4, M_5\},\
   {t, 0, tmax}];
\{B_1[tmax], B_2[tmax], B_3[tmax], B_4[tmax], B_5[tmax],
    M_1[tmax], M_2[tmax], M_3[tmax], M_4[tmax], M_5[tmax]} /. sol /. par;
Min[B_1[tmax], B_2[tmax], B_3[tmax], B_4[tmax], B_5[tmax]] /. sol /. par]
```

```
robustnessNewLiebigR[NetTop_] := (
In[6639]:=
           n1 = 1;
           n2 = 5000;
           mid = (n1 + n2) / 2;
           While [(n1 \neq mid \&\& n2 \neq mid),
             (If[fNewLiebigR[NetTop, mid] < 1, n2 = mid, n1 = mid];
              mid = Floor[N[(n1 + n2)/2]];); {n1, n2, mid}]; mid
```

As an example let's take the following Network

```
In[6454]:= NetK = {
          {0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
          {1, 0, 1, 1, 0},
          {1, 0, 1, 0, 1},
          {0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
          {0,0,0,0,1}
         };
```

Using the function fNewSaito we can calculate the smallest value of a bacterial population in the community for a given disturbance vale. For example, let's take Disturbance value 1 and 500:

```
In[6550]:= fNewLiebig[NetK, 0]
Out[6550]= 665.02
In[6431]:= fNewLiebig[NetK, 500]
Out[6431]= -1.939 \times 10^{-53}
In[6640]:= fNewLiebigR[NetK, 0]
Out[6640]= 604.006
In[6641]:= fNewLiebigR[NetK, 500]
Out[6641]= -9.36978 \times 10^{-49}
```

Using the function fNewSaito we can calculate Robustness of the Network:

```
In[6506]:= robustnessNewLiebig[NetK]
Out[6506]= 124
In[6642]:= robustnessNewLiebigR[NetK]
Out[6642]= 116
```

We can calculate the (Relative) Entropy and the Assortativity:

```
In[6281]:= RelatEntrop5[NetK]
Out[6281]= 0.960956
In[6282]:= assortativity[NetK]
Out[6282]= -0.113228
```

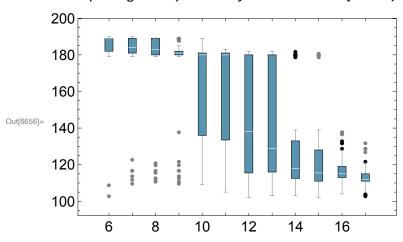
We can calculate the robustness of the previously generated random networks with different number of auxotrophies:

```
AuxoComm6RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk6];
In[6643]:=
        AuxoComm7RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk7];
        AuxoComm8RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk8];
        AuxoComm9RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk9];
        AuxoComm10RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk10];
        AuxoComm11RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk11];
        AuxoComm12RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk12];
        AuxoComm13RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk13];
        AuxoComm14RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk14];
        AuxoComm15RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk15];
        AuxoComm16RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk16];
        AuxoComm17RLi = Parallelize[robustnessNewLiebigR /@ hk17];
```

```
In[6655]:= LikRLi = {AuxoComm6RLi, AuxoComm7RLi, AuxoComm8RLi, AuxoComm9RLi,
          AuxoComm10RLi, AuxoComm11RLi, AuxoComm12RLi, AuxoComm13RLi,
          AuxoComm14RLi, AuxoComm15RLi, AuxoComm16RLi, AuxoComm17RLi);
ln[6470] := coco = RGBColor[0.34509803921568627, 0.5803921568627451, 0.6901960784313725]
Out[6470]=
```

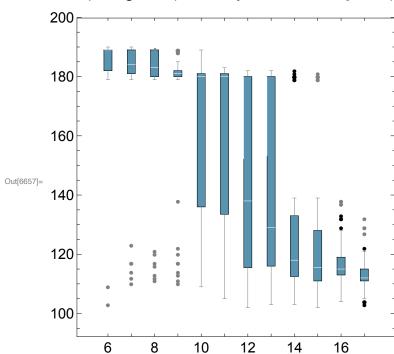
In[6656]:= BoxWhiskerChart[LikRLi, "Outliers",

 $ChartBaseStyle \rightarrow EdgeForm[Dashing[0.99]], ChartStyle \rightarrow \{\{coco\}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco\}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco\}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco}\}, F$  $\label{eq:ChartLabels} \begin{center} \begin{cent$ BarSpacing → 1.9, FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15]]



In[6657]:= BoxWhiskerChart[LikRLi, "Outliers",

 $ChartBaseStyle \rightarrow EdgeForm[Dashing[0.99]], ChartStyle \rightarrow \{\{coco\}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco\}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco\}\}, Frame \rightarrow True, \{coco}\}, F$ ChartLabels  $\rightarrow$  {"6", "", "8", "", "10", "", "12", "", "14", "", "16", ""},  $\texttt{BarSpacing} \rightarrow \texttt{1.9}, \, \texttt{FrameStyle} \rightarrow \texttt{Directive[Black, FontSize} \rightarrow \texttt{15]}, \, \texttt{AspectRatio} \rightarrow \texttt{1]}$ 



In[6395]:= Position[Entropy8, Min[Entropy8]]

Out[6395]=  $\{ \{ 54 \}, \{ 91 \} \}$ 

```
In[6595]:= AuxoComm8RLi
Out[6595]= {181, 181, 182, 189, 181, 181, 121, 189, 189, 182, 181, 181, 182, 181, 189, 182, 181, 181,
        181, 121, 181, 181, 182, 182, 181, 189, 182, 121, 189, 182, 181, 121, 182, 189, 189,
       182, 121, 189, 181, 120, 189, 189, 182, 182, 182, 189, 189, 182, 181, 181, 189,
       189, 189, 181, 182, 189, 189, 189, 189, 181, 181, 181, 189, 181, 189, 182, 182,
        181, 189, 189, 182, 181, 181, 120, 189, 189, 189, 189, 182, 181, 182, 181, 189}
      We can study the correlation between Relative entropy and assortativity with Robustness for Networks
      with 7 auxotrophies.
In[6302]:= Entropy8 = RelatEntrop5 /@ hk8;
In[6303]:= Assort8 = assortativity /@ hk8;
In[6658]:= RobustLiebig8R = AuxoComm8RLi;
In[6659]:= Length[Entropy8]
      Length[Assort8]
      Length[RobustLiebig8R]
Out[6659]= 100
\mathsf{Out}[\mathsf{6660}] = \ 100
Out[6661]= 100
In[6474]:= {Min[Entropy8], Max[Entropy8]}
       {Min[Assort8], Max[Assort8]}
Out[6474]= \{0.9188, 0.993652\}
Out[6475]= \{-0.520325, 0.235702\}
```

```
In[6662]:= RobustLiebig8R[[#]] & /@ {1, 2, 24}
Out[6662]= \{183, 181, 180\}
In[6663]:= {Min[RobustLiebig8R], {Max[RobustLiebig8R]}}
Out[6663]= \{111, \{189\}\}
In[6664]:= linerobustnessLiebig8R =
         Fit[Partition[Riffle[Entropy8, RobustLiebig8R], {2}], {1, x}, x];
       Show[ListPlot[Partition[Riffle[Entropy8, RobustLiebig8R], {2}],
         Frame → True, FrameLabel → {"Relative Entropy", "Robustness"},
         FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15],
         PlotStyle \rightarrow {Black, PointSize[Medium]}, PlotRange \rightarrow {{0.91, 1}, {100, 200}},
         AspectRatio → 0.5], Plot[linerobustnessLiebig8R,
         {x, 0.91, 1}, AspectRatio → 0.5, PlotStyle → Darker[Red]]]
          200
          180
      Robustness
          160
          140
Out[6665]=
          120
          100
                 0.92
                           0.94
                                    0.96
                                              0.98
                                                        1.00
                            Relative Entropy
```

```
In[6672]:= linerobustnessLiebig8R =
         Fit[Partition[Riffle[Entropy8, RobustLiebig8R], {2}], {1, x}, x];
      Show[ListPlot[Partition[Riffle[Entropy8, RobustLiebig8R], {2}],
         Frame → True, FrameLabel → {"Relative Entropy", "Robustness"},
         FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15],
         PlotStyle → {Black, PointSize[Medium]},
         PlotRange \rightarrow \{\{0.91, 1\}, \{100, 200\}\}, AspectRatio <math>\rightarrow 1],
        Plot[linerobustnessLiebig8R, \{x, 0.91, 1\}, AspectRatio \rightarrow 1, PlotStyle \rightarrow Darker[Red]]]
          200
          180
```

Robustness 160 140 120 100 0.92 0.94 0.96 0.98 1.00 Relative Entropy

### In[7530]:= lineAssoRobrobustnessLiebig8R =

Fit[Partition[Riffle[Assort8, RobustLiebig8R], {2}], {1, x}, x];

Show[ListPlot[Partition[Riffle[Assort8, RobustLiebig8R], {2}],

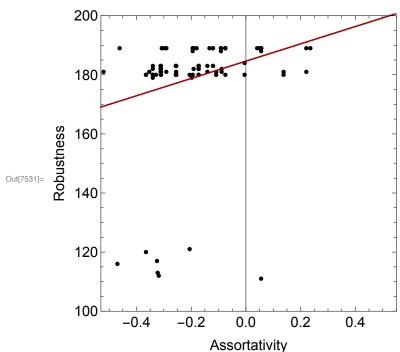
Frame → True, FrameLabel → {"Assortativity", "Robustness"},

FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15],

PlotStyle → {Black, PointSize[Medium]}, PlotRange → {{-0.53, 0.55}, {100, 200}},

AspectRatio → 1], Plot[lineAssoRobrobustnessLiebig8R,

 $\{x, -0.53, 0.55\}$ , AspectRatio  $\rightarrow 1$ , PlotStyle  $\rightarrow$  Darker[Red]]]



#### In[6668]:= SpearmanRankTest[Entropy8, RobustLiebig8R, "TestDataTable"]

Statistic P-Value Out[6668]= Spearman Rank 0.854777 1.14252×10<sup>-29</sup>

In[6669]:= SpearmanRankTest[Assort8, RobustLiebig8R, "TestDataTable"]

Statistic P-Value Spearman Rank | 0.45037 | 2.58156 × 10<sup>-6</sup> Solving the system of ODE with Overproduction Random parametrization

```
parR = {0.17406491963765225`, 0.19271552318731072`, 0.20101265981745065`,
In[6921]:=
          0.1993416825951762`, 0.20546747418997402`, 0.05126697346911639`,
          0.050979209585780075, 0.049250907922295285, 0.050596494945335864,
          0.04807123965645414, 0.04875707371061734, 0.05168919593748627,
          0.05110374775894862, 0.04933415213279622, 0.049970862334809504,
          0.052013918924004365, 0.051281069200719044, 0.05008059124653844,
          0.048456986155650895, 0.05046268834028382, 0.05100881647129115,
          0.04827398693541804, 0.049033976435347196, 0.04894443311184237,
          0.05097473744162672, 0.05026272693204548, 0.0509412937337713,
          0.050043183079927396`, 0.04981275493116924`, 0.05143431351532053`,
          0.2741484220752475, 0.29500048735377876, 0.29055979190752795,
          0.30919969983773093, 0.30449818646425864, 0.0015858418050202845,
          0.0015559938026471695, 0.0015508063247152385, 0.0016041035713506373,
          0.0014610080434572011, 0.0014038903176297444, 0.0014847851291227255,
          0.0014962435725992124, 0.0014729115074682852, 0.0015842336090410236,
          0.0016865044671100866`, 0.001501687307936476`, 0.0015598859023090983`,
          0.001464526200480392, 0.0014896327356137065, 0.0016086000253588925,
          0.0014516848408536902, 0.0014625348014891348, 0.0014385370012988826,
          0.0015193617217833212, 0.0015818702687085818, 0.0015903285844332212,
          0.0016182333378202214, 0.0016763973379304588, 0.0014331690573307755,
          0.959484902075753, 0.9912481178882356, 0.9899993730630222,
          0.9628256622169967, 0.9946569905494801, 1.0129632879517105,
          1.1109986104234093, 1.0125450635832367, 0.988840015814362,
          0.94544275526312, 1.003913112496818, 1.0076856430130368,
          1.0340447722669786, 0.9626849557677253, 1.0257791881087754,
          1.013963295639842, 0.9734619708145545, 0.973176386033725,
          0.9520239235604386, 0.9729607432853318, 1.0032062732410925,
          1.0388122539899611, 0.9277774829512535, 1.0446966704519374,
          1.0413148081050696, 200.03791321285763, 2.0009063754198024;
```

```
fNewLiebigOVR[Net_, Dh_, coop_] := 
In[6922]:=
                          B_{1}[t] \left(-B_{1}[t] \kappa_{1} + Min\left[\left\{\frac{nuK M_{1}[t]}{denK + M_{1}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{2}[t]}{denK + M_{2}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{3}[t]}{denK + M_{3}[t]}\right\}, \frac{nuK M_{4}[t]}{denK + M_{4}[t]}\right)
```

```
op = coop; (*Number of links with overExpression*)
posNe = Position[Net, 1];
(*Positions in the matrix where there are links (=1)*)
RaN = RandomSample[posNe, op];
(*Random sample of op links that will be overproduced*)
costincr = 1.3; (*Term multiplying the cost link*)
overprodincr = 1.15;
(*Term multiplying the overproduction link*)
NewNetCost = Partition[Flatten[Net] x parR[[6;; 30]], {5}];
Table[NewNetCost[[RaN[[i]]][[1]]]][[RaN[[i]]]] =
   NewNetCost[[RaN[[i]]][[1]]]][[RaN[[i]]][[2]]]] * costincr, {i, Length[RaN]}];
NewNetOvProd = Partition[Flatten[Net] x parR[[61;; 85]], {5}];
Table[NewNetOvProd[[RaN[[i]]][[1]]]][[RaN[[i]]]] =
   NewNetOvProd[[RaN[[i]][[1]]]][[RaN[[i]][[2]]]] * overprodincr, {i,
   Length[RaN]}];
tmax = 1000;
par = {
   \kappa_1 \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[1]], \kappa_2 \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[2]], \kappa_3 \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[3]], \kappa_4 \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[4]], \kappa_5 \rightarrow \mathsf{parR}[[5]],
   c_{1,1} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[1]][[1]],
   c_{1,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[1]][[2]], c_{1,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[1]][[3]],
   c_{1,4} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[1]][[4]], c_{1,5} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[1]][[5]],
   c_{2,1} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[2]][[1]], c_{2,2} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[2]][[2]],
   c_{2,3} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[2]][[3]], c_{2,4} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[2]][[4]],
   c_{2,5} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[2]][[5]],
   c_{3,1} \rightarrow \mathsf{NewNetCost}[[3]][[1]], c_{3,2} \rightarrow \mathsf{NewNetCost}[[3]][[2]],
   c_{3,3} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[3]][[3]], c_{3,4} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[3]][[4]],
   c_{3,5} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[3]][[5]],
   c_{4,1} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[4]][[1]], c_{4,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[4]][[2]],
   c_{4,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[4]][[3]], c_{4,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetCost}[[4]][[4]],
   c_{4.5} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[4]][[5]],
   c_{5,1} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[5]][[1]], c_{5,2} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[5]][[2]],
   c_{5,3} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[5]][[3]], c_{5,4} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[5]][[4]],
   c_{5,5} \rightarrow NewNetCost[[5]][[5]],
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r_{1,1} \rightarrow parR[[31]], r_{1,2} \rightarrow parR[[32]],
r_{1,3} \rightarrow parR[[33]], r_{1,4} \rightarrow parR[[34]], r_{1,5} \rightarrow parR[[35]],
r_{2,1} \rightarrow parR[[36]], r_{2,2} \rightarrow parR[[37]], r_{2,3} \rightarrow parR[[38]],
r_{2,4} \rightarrow parR[[39]], r_{2,5} \rightarrow parR[[40]],
r_{3,1} \rightarrow parR[[41]], r_{3,2} \rightarrow parR[[42]], r_{3,3} \rightarrow parR[[43]],
r_{3,4} \rightarrow parR[[44]], r_{3,5} \rightarrow parR[[45]],
r_{4,1} \rightarrow parR[[46]], r_{4,2} \rightarrow parR[[47]], r_{4,3} \rightarrow parR[[48]],
r_{4,4} \rightarrow parR[[49]], r_{4,5} \rightarrow parR[[50]],
r_{5,1} \rightarrow parR[[51]], r_{5,2} \rightarrow parR[[52]], r_{5,3} \rightarrow parR[[53]],
r_{5,4} \rightarrow parR[[54]], r_{5,5} \rightarrow parR[[55]],
q_1 \rightarrow parR[[31]], q_2 \rightarrow parR[[32]],
q_3 \rightarrow parR[[33]], q_4 \rightarrow parR[[34]], q_5 \rightarrow parR[[35]],
d_{1,1} \rightarrow parR[[36]], d_{1,2} \rightarrow parR[[37]],
d_{1,3} \rightarrow parR[[38]], d_{1,4} \rightarrow parR[[39]], d_{1,5} \rightarrow parR[[40]],
d_{2,1} \rightarrow parR[[41]], d_{2,2} \rightarrow parR[[42]], d_{2,3} \rightarrow parR[[43]],
d_{2,4} \rightarrow parR[[44]], d_{2,5} \rightarrow parR[[45]],
d_{3,1} \rightarrow parR[[46]], d_{3,2} \rightarrow parR[[47]], d_{3,3} \rightarrow parR[[48]],
d_{3,4} \rightarrow parR[[49]], d_{3,5} \rightarrow parR[[50]],
d_{4,1} \rightarrow parR[[51]], d_{4,2} \rightarrow parR[[52]], d_{4,3} \rightarrow parR[[53]],
d_{4,4} \rightarrow parR[[54]], d_{4,5} \rightarrow parR[[55]],
d_{5,1} \rightarrow parR[[56]], d_{5,2} \rightarrow parR[[57]], d_{5,3} \rightarrow parR[[58]],
d_{5,4} \rightarrow parR[[59]], d_{5,5} \rightarrow parR[[60]],
\Omega_{1,1} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[1]][[1]],
\Omega_{1,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[1]][[2]], \Omega_{1,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[1]][[3]],
\Omega_{1,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[1]][[4]], \Omega_{1,5} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[1]][[5]],
\Omega_{2,1} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[2]][[1]], \Omega_{2,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[2]][[2]],
\Omega_{2,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[2]][[3]], \Omega_{2,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[2]][[4]],
\Omega_{2,5} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[2]][[5]],
\Omega_{3,1} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[3]][[1]], \Omega_{3,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[3]][[2]],
\Omega_{3,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[3]][[3]], \Omega_{3,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[3]][[4]],
\Omega_{3.5} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[3]][[5]],
\Omega_{4,1} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[4]][[1]], \Omega_{4,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[4]][[2]],
\Omega_{4,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[4]][[3]], \Omega_{4,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[4]][[4]],
\Omega_{4,5} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[4]][[5]],
\Omega_{5,1} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[5]][[1]], \Omega_{5,2} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[5]][[2]],
\Omega_{5,3} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[5]][[3]], \Omega_{5,4} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[5]][[4]],
\Omega_{5,5} \rightarrow \text{NewNetOvProd}[[5]][[5]],
nuK \rightarrow parR[[86]],
denK → parR[[87]]
```

```
};
B10 = 1500;
B20 = 1500;
B30 = 1500;
B40 = 1500;
B50 = 1500;
M10 = 10;
M20 = 10;
M30 = 10;
M40 = 10;
M50 = 10;
sol =
 NDSolve[
     B_1'[t] = dB_1,
     B_2'[t] = dB_2
     B_3'[t] = dB_3,
     B_4'[t] = dB_4,
     B_5'[t] = dB_5,
     M_1'[t] = dM_1,
     M_2'[t] = dM_2,
     M_3'[t] = dM_3,
     M_4'[t] = dM_4
     M_5'[t] = dM_5,
     B_1[0] = B10,
     B_2[0] = B20,
     B_3[0] = B30,
     B_4[0] = B40,
     B_5[0] = B50,
     M_1[0] = M10,
     M_2[0] = M20,
     M_3[0] = M30,
     M_4[0] = M40,
     M_5[0] = M50
    } /. par,
   \{B_1, B_2, B_3, B_4, B_5, M_1, M_2, M_3, M_4, M_5\},\
```

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{t, 0, tmax}];
\{B_1[tmax], B_2[tmax], B_3[tmax], B_4[tmax], B_5[tmax],
    M_1[tmax], M_2[tmax], M_3[tmax], M_4[tmax], M_5[tmax]} /. sol /. par;
Min[B_1[tmax], B_2[tmax], B_3[tmax], B_4[tmax], B_5[tmax]] /. sol /. par]
```

```
robustnessNewLiebigOVR[NetTop_, coop_] := (
In[6923]:=
           n1 = 1;
           n2 = 5000;
           mid = (n1 + n2) / 2;
           While [(n1 \neq mid \&\& n2 \neq mid),
            (If[fNewLiebigOVR[NetTop, mid, coop] < 1, n2 = mid, n1 = mid];
             mid = Floor[N[(n1+n2)/2]];); {n1, n2, mid}]; mid
          )
```

```
In[6924]:= NetK = {
          {0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
          {1, 0, 1, 1, 0},
          {1, 0, 1, 0, 1},
          {0, 1, 0, 1, 0},
          {0, 0, 0, 0, 1}
         };
```

Compare the Robustness with and without (5 links) overproduction (ratio cost/production = 1.3/1.15)

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In[6925]:= fNewLiebigR[NetK, 0]
Out[6925]= 604.006
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In[6932]:=

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In[6926]:= fNewLiebigOVR[NetK, 0, 5]
Out[6926]= 694.357
In[6927]:= robustnessNewLiebigR[NetK]
Out[6927]= 116
In[6928]:= robustnessNewLiebigOVR[NetK, 5]
Out[6928]= 120
In[6929]:= robustnessNewLiebigOVR[NetK, 10]
Out[6929]= 133
       AuxoComm8RLi
```

### 90, 90, 91, 90, 90, 91, 91, 88, 91, 91, 88, 91, 91, 91, 91, 91, 91, 91, 91, 91, 90, 91, 91, 91, 91, 91, 90, 90, 91, 90, 90, 91, 90, 88, 91, 91, 88, 91, 91, 91,

90, 90, 91, 91, 91, 90, 90, 91, 91, 91, 91, 90, 91, 91, 91, 91, 91, 90, 90, 91, 90, 91, 91, 90, 90, 91, 91, 91, 90, 90, 87, 91, 91, 91, 91, 91, 90, 90, 91, 91}

```
coop5to15LiROV =
In[6930]:=
           {Table[robustnessNewLiebigOVR[#, 5], {20}], Table[robustnessNewLiebigOVR[#, 10],
              {20}], Table[robustnessNewLiebigOVR[#, 15], {20}]} &;
```

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wf8LiOVR = Parallelize[coop5to15LiROV /@ hk8];
In[6931]:=
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wf8NormalizedLiOVR = N[wf8LiOVR[[#]] / AuxoComm8RLi[[#]]] & /@ Range[100]

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wf8NormalizedWith5CoopLiOVR = wf8NormalizedLiOVR[[#]][[1]] & /@ Range[100]
In[6933]:=
        wf8NormalizedWith10CoopLiOVR = wf8NormalizedLiOVR[[#]][[2]] & /@ Range[100]
In[6934]:=
        wf8NormalizedWith15CoopLiOVR = wf8NormalizedLiOVR[[#]][[3]] & /@ Range[100]
In[6935]:=
        allcoopWith8AuxoLiOVR = {Flatten[wf8NormalizedWith5CoopLiOVR],
In[6936]:=
           Flatten[wf8NormalizedWith10CoopLiOVR], Flatten[wf8NormalizedWith15CoopLiOVR]}
        allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLiOVR =
In[6937]:=
         Join[{ConstantArray[1, {2000}]}, allcoopWith8AuxoLiOVR]
        BoxWhiskerChart[allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLiOVR, "Outliers",
In[6938]:=
         ChartBaseStyle \rightarrow EdgeForm[Dashing[0.99]], ChartStyle \rightarrow {{gree1}},
         Frame → True, ChartLabels → {"0", "5", "10", "15"},
         BarSpacing → 1.9, FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15]]
       1.15
       1.10
Out[6938]=
       1.05
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1.00

0

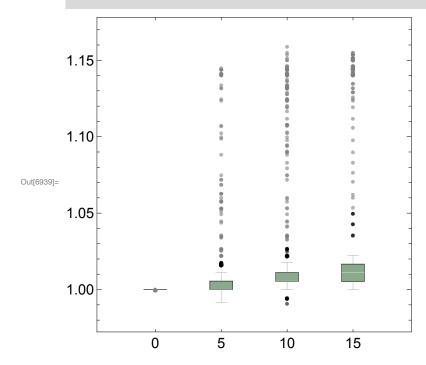
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10

15

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In[6939]:=
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BoxWhiskerChart[allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLiOVR, "Outliers",
ChartBaseStyle → EdgeForm[Dashing[0.99]], ChartStyle → {{gree1}},
Frame → True, ChartLabels → {"0", "5", "10", "15"}, BarSpacing → 1.9,
FrameStyle → Directive[Black, FontSize → 15], AspectRatio → 1]
```



#### In[6940]:= allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLiOVR // Length

Out[6940]= 4

In[6941]:= SignedRankTest[allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLiOVR[[2]], 1] SignedRankTest[allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLiOVR[[3]], 1] SignedRankTest[allcoopWith8AuxoPlusAuxoLiOVR[[4]], 1]

Out[6941]=  $1.93628 \times 10^{-137}$ 

Out[6942]=  $2.80686 \times 10^{-261}$ 

Out[6943]= 0.