This function takes three inputs

x - a set of parameters t - the number of time-steps you wish to simulate data - actual data that you are attempting to fit

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function f = sliroutput(x,t,data)
% set up transmission constants
k_{infections} = x(1);
k_{fatality} = x(2);
k recover = x(3);
k_{lockdown} = x(4);
k vac = .3;
% set up initial conditions
ic\_susc = x(5);
ic lockdown = x(6);
ic_inf = x(7);
ic\_rec = x(8);
ic_fatality = x(9);
% Set up SIRD within-population transmission matrix
A = [1-(k_infections + k_lockdown + k_vac) 0.4 0 0 0;
    k lockdown 0.6 0.4 0 0;
    k_infections 0 1-(0.4+k_fatality + k_recover) 0 0;
    k vac 0 k recover 1 0;
    0 0 k_fatality 0 1];
B = zeros(5,1);
% Set up the vector of initial conditions
x0 = [ic_susc, ic_lockdown, ic_inf, ic_rec, ic_fatality];
% simulate the SIRD model for t time-steps
sys sir base = ss(A,B,eye(5),zeros(5,1),1);
y = lsim(sys\_sir\_base, zeros(t,1), linspace(0,t-1,t),x0);
% return a "cost". This is the quantitity that you want your model to
% minimize. Basically, this should encapsulate the difference between
 your
% modeled data and the true data. Norms and distances will be useful
% Hint: This is a central part of this case study! choices here will
have
% a big impact!
y2 = y(:, [4,5]);
y3 = cumsum(y2);
f = norm(data - y3); % norm of distance.
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end

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Not enough input arguments.

Error in sliroutput (line 9)
k_infections = x(1);
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