

# Model checks

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## Initial model simulations

### $R_0$ Check

First estimate  $R_0$  from initial parameters then get equilibrium values of state variables for same parameter set

```
r0.Ag(parameters = init_pars)[3]
```

```
##          R0  
## 6.170588
```

```
r0.Base(init_pars)
```

```
## [1] 6.629723
```

```
r0.pred(init_pars)[3]
```

```
## R0_pred  
## 6.170588
```

```
base.start = c(S = 40*area,  
               E = 0,  
               I = 0,  
               W = 2)
```

```
base_pred.start = c(S = 40*area,  
                   E = 0,  
                   I = 0,  
                   W = 2,  
                   P = 0)
```

```
base_eq <- runsteady(y = base.start, func = base_mod, parms = init_pars)$y
```

```
base_eq
```

```
##          S          E          I          W  
## 200.2263 4590.0820 1147.5205  44.6918
```

```
eq_vals <- runsteady(y = base_pred.start, func = agrochem_mod, parms = init_pars)$y
```

```
eq_vals
```

```
##           S           E           I           W           P
## 200.22631 4590.08204 1147.52051   44.69179   0.00000
```

```
pred_vals <- runsteady(y = base_pred.start, func = pred_mod, parms = init_pars)$y
pred_vals
```

```
##           S           E           I           W           P
## 200.22631 4590.08204 1147.52051   44.69179   0.00000
```

```
pred.start = c(S = 40*area,
               E = 0,
               I = 0,
               W = 2,
               P = 0.1*area)

eq_vals <- runsteady(y = pred.start, func = agrochem_mod, parms = init_pars)$y
eq_vals
```

```
##           S           E           I           W           P
## 286.29019 3748.16267 841.54722   32.77524   16.88034
```

```
pred_vals <- runsteady(y = pred.start, func = pred_mod, parms = init_pars)$y
pred_vals
```

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## 286.29019 3748.16267 841.54722   32.77524   16.88034
```

## $R_0$ and dynamics check

Ensure that equilibrium worm burden is in qualitative agreement with estimates of  $R_0$  (i.e. not getting rampant infection when  $R_0 < 1$ )

```
test_pars <- init_pars

test_r0s <- numeric()
test_ws <- numeric()

pred_r0s <- numeric()
pred_ws <- numeric()

base_r0s <- numeric()
base_ws <- numeric()

for(i in seq(1, 20, 0.1)){
  test_pars["beta"] <- init_pars["beta"]/i
  test_pars["lambda"] <- init_pars["lambda"]/i

  test_r0s[i*10-9] <- r0.Ag(parameters = test_pars)[3]
```

```

test_ws[i*10-9] <- runsteady(y = pred.start, func = agrochem_mod, parms = test_pars)$y["W"]

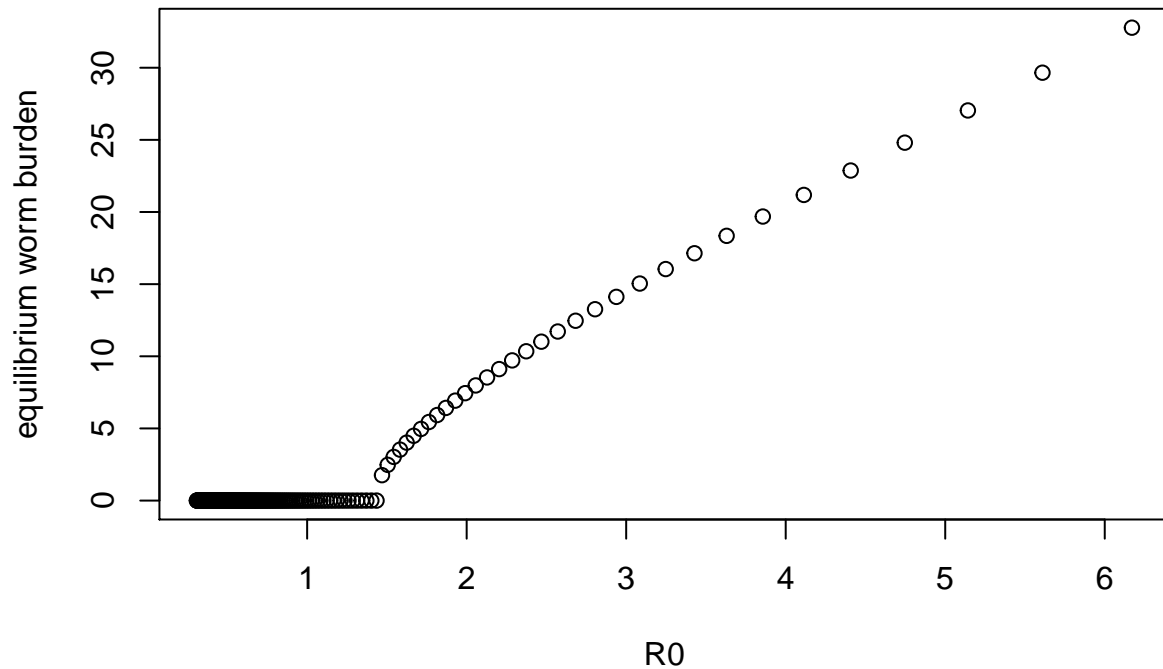
pred_r0s[i*10-9] <- r0.pred(parameters = test_pars)[3]
pred_ws[i*10-9] <- runsteady(y = pred.start, func = pred_mod, parms = test_pars)$y["W"]

base_r0s[i*10-9] <- r0.Base(parameters = test_pars)
base_ws[i*10-9] <- runsteady(y = base.start, func = base_mod, parms = test_pars)$y["W"]

  #print(i*10-9)
}

plot(test_r0s, test_ws,
      xlab = "R0", ylab = "equilibrium worm burden")

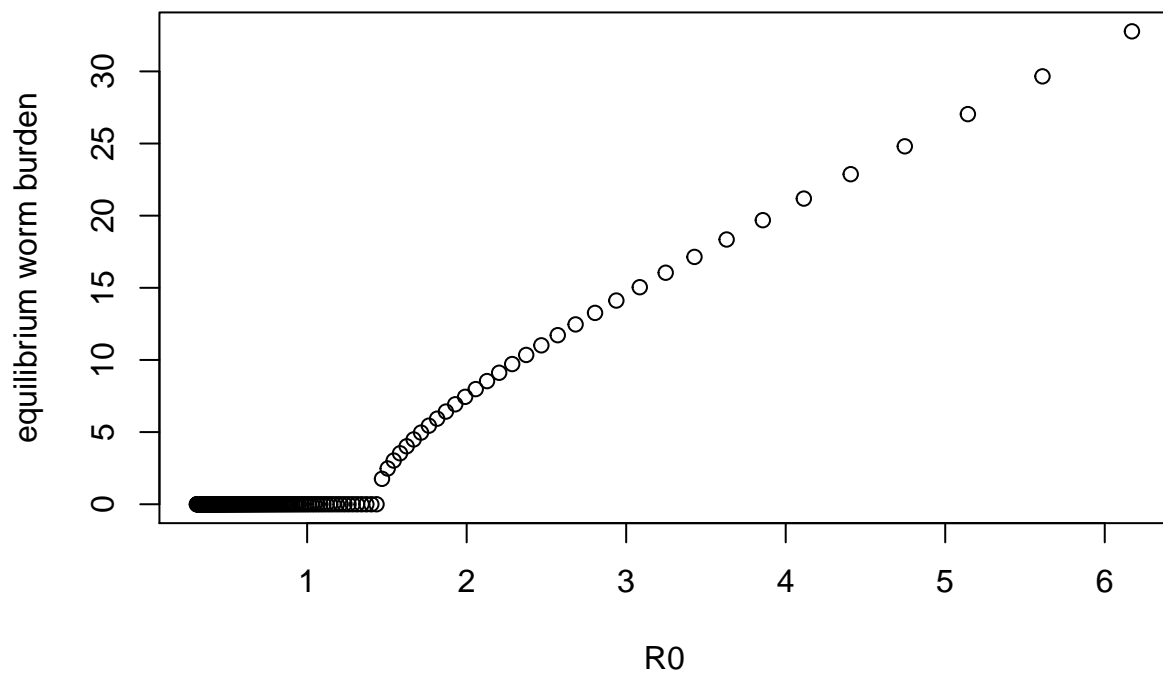
```



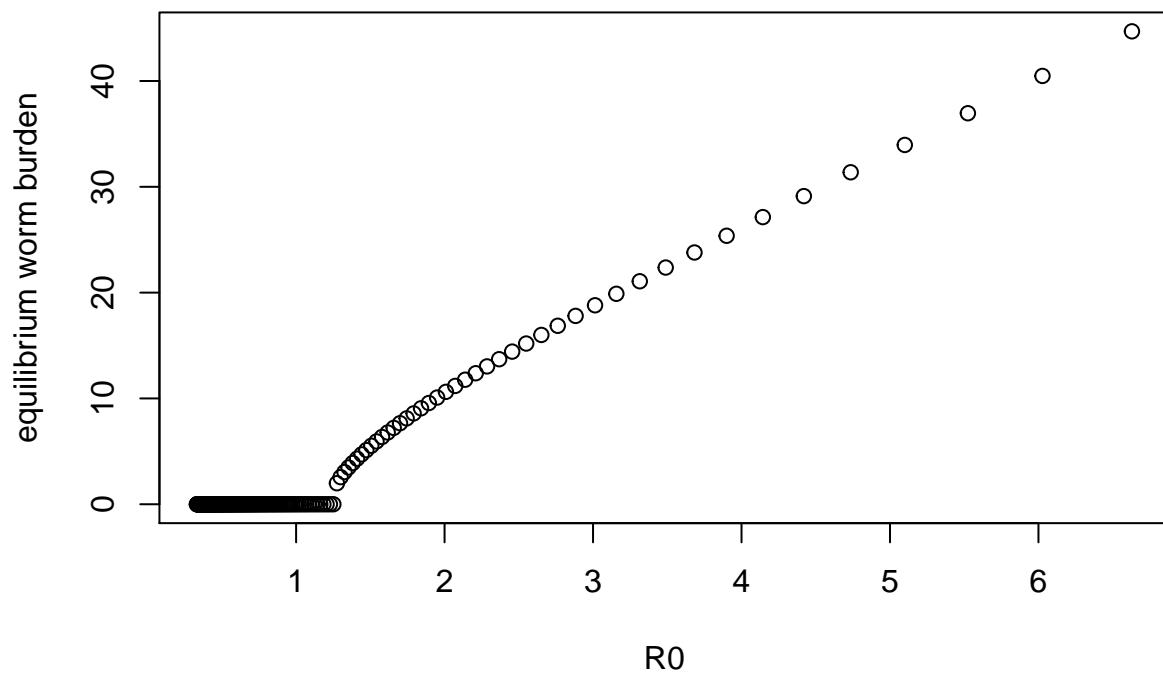
```

plot(pred_r0s, pred_ws,
      xlab = "R0", ylab = "equilibrium worm burden")

```



```
plot(base_r0s, base_ws,  
      xlab = "R0", ylab = "equilibrium worm burden")
```



Looks good. Since  $R_0$  doesn't consider the mating function, it make sense that  $R_0$  has to be slightly above 1 for infection to occur. Furthermore, with the addition of predators, the threshold becomes even higher due to predation on infected and exposed snails that further reduces transmission