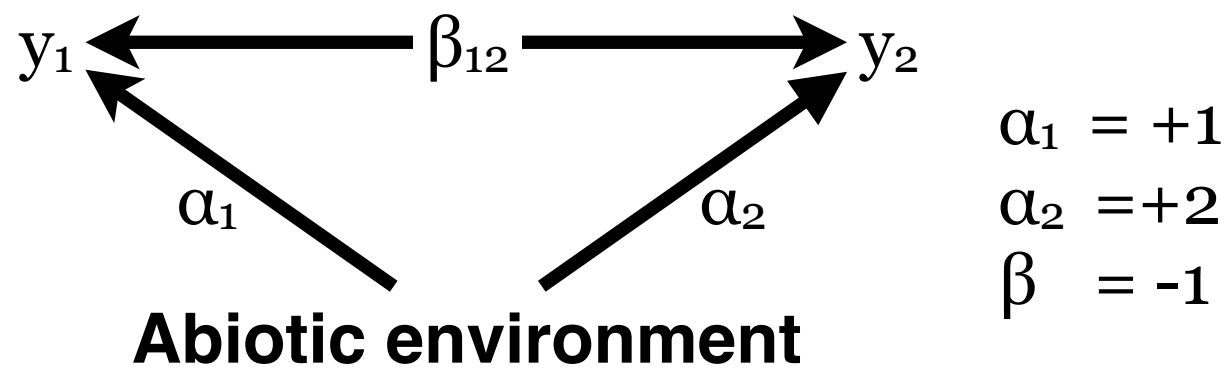


A. Defining a small network



B. Solving the network

$$\begin{aligned} & \alpha_{1y_1} \quad \alpha_{2y_2} \quad \beta_{y_1y_2} \\ P[0 \ 0] &= e^{(+0 \quad +0 \quad +0)} / Z = e^{(0)} / Z \\ P[y_1 \ 0] &= e^{(+1 \quad +0 \quad +0)} / Z = e^{(1)} / Z \\ P[0 \ y_1] &= e^{(+0 \quad +2 \quad +0)} / Z = e^{(2)} / Z \\ P[y_1 y_2] &= e^{(+1 \quad +2 \quad -1)} / Z = e^{(2)} / Z \\ & (e^0 + e^1 + e^2 + e^2) / Z = 1 \end{aligned}$$

C. Expected co-occurrence rates

		Species 1	
		Absent	Present
Species 2	Absent	5%	15%
	Present	40%	40%

D. Expected co-occurrence without competition ( $\beta_{12}=0$ )

		Species 1	
		Absent	Present
Species 2	Absent	3%	9%
	Present	24%	64%