

Simplest COVID model (Exercise 14)

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# Initial conditions of the state variables (D=deceased)
yini <- c(S = 17.5e6, I = 1e3, R = 0, D = 0) # number of people

# Model parameters
pars <- c(
  b = 0.00000002, # [/ind/d] infection rate constant
  g = 0.07,       # [/d] recovery rate constant
  m = 0.007       # [/d] mortality rate constant
)

# Model function: calculates time-derivatives and other output
SIRmodel <- function(t, state, pars) {
  # t: time, state: state variables, pars: model parameters
  with (as.list(c(state, pars)), {

    # rate expressions [ind/d]
    Infection <- b * I * S # infection rate
    Recovery <- g * I      # recovery rate
    Mortality <- m * I      # mortality rate

    # Time-derivatives: dC/dt = production - consumption [ind/d]
    dSdt <- -Infection
    dIdt <- Infection - Recovery - Mortality
    dRdt <- Recovery
    dDdt <- Mortality

    # return time-derivatives and ordinary variables as a list
    list(c(dSdt, dIdt, dRdt, dDdt), # vector with derivatives
         # (the same order as state variables!)
         Infection = Infection, # other output
         Mortality = Mortality)
  })
}
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require(deSolve) # package with integration methods
# vector of output times
outtimes <- seq(from = 1, to = 100, length.out = 100)
# ode integrates the model
out <- ode(y=yini, parms=pars, func=SIRmodel, times=outtimes)
# plot the model output
plot(out)
```

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(a) →

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# define forcing function based on data
bDATA <- data.frame(time = c(0, 29, 30, 69, 70, 100),
                    b = c(2, 2, 0.2, 0.2, 2, 2)*1e-8)
fbDATA <- approxfun(x=bDATA)
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(b) ←

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# Model function: calculates time-derivatives and other output
SIRmodel2 <- function(t, state, pars, bDyn) {
  # t: time, state: state variables, pars: model parameters
  with (as.list(c(state, pars)), {

    # parameter b is determined by an external forcing function
    b <- bDyn(t)

    # rate expressions [ind/d]
    Infection <- b * I * S # infection rate
    Recovery <- g * I      # recovery rate
    Mortality <- m * I      # mortality rate

    # Time-derivatives: dC/dt = production - consumption [ind/d]
    dSdt <- -Infection
    dIdt <- Infection - Recovery - Mortality
    dRdt <- Recovery
    dDdt <- Mortality

    # return time-derivatives and ordinary variables as a list
    list(c(dSdt, dIdt, dRdt, dDdt), # vector with derivatives
         # (the same order as state variables!)
         Infection = Infection, # other output
         Mortality = Mortality)
  })
}
```

(c) →

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require(deSolve)
# ode integrates the model
out2 <- ode(y=yini, parms=pars, func=SIRmodel2, times=outtimes,
           bDyn=fbDATA) # forcing function included
# plot the model output
plot(out, out2)
```