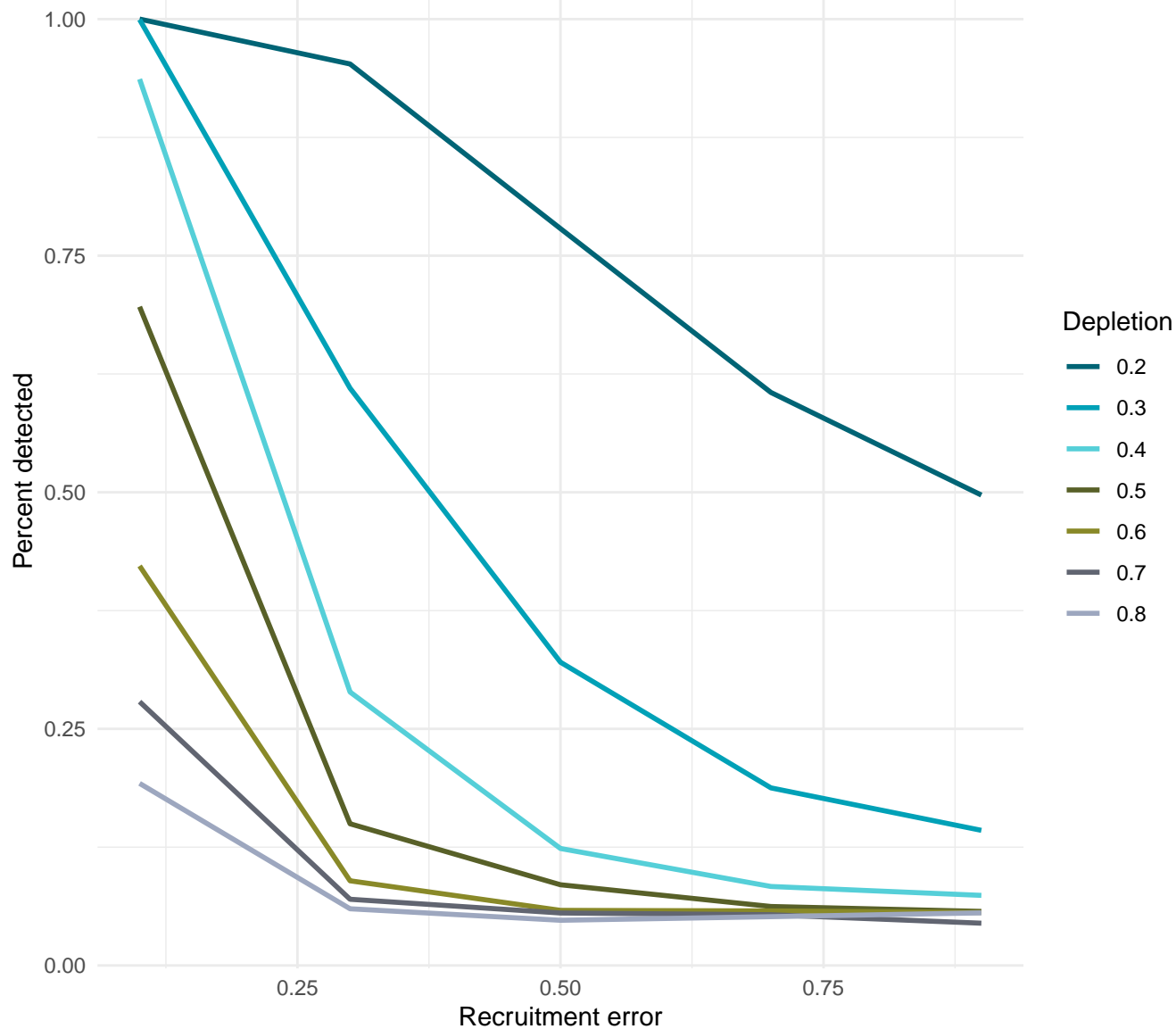


Simulated stock–recruitment steepness = 0.5



Percentage of simulations with a significant Spearman's correlation coefficient as a function of recruitment error. Lines represent the historical depletion of the stock biomass. The spawning biomass time series was generated using a AR(1) process with a autocorrelation coefficient of 0.7.