

Designing optimal cell factories: integer programming couples elementary mode analysis with regulation

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Overview

① Introduction

Introduction: Fixed Point Analysis

Given the system of differential equations:

$$y' = f(y)$$

Definition

A *fixed point* y^* is defined by $f(y^*) = 0$.

- Solve the equation $f(y) = 0$
- Analyse eigenvalues of the Jacobian at fixed points.

Now: System with *control parameter* μ .

$$y' = f(y, \mu)$$

How does μ influence the number, location and stability of fixed points?

Elementary flux mode

For $v \in R$