Intake_Rate_OGM

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1 Ontogenetic Growth Model - Intake Rate & Hyperallometric Fecundity

1.1 Derivation - Master Balance Equation (West et al., 2001)

1.1.1 Growth from metabolic energy inflow

- *B* = incoming rate of energy flow, which is the average resting metabolic rate of the whole organism at time *t*
- B_c = the metabolic rate of a single cell
- E_c = the metabolic energy required to create a cell
- N_c = the total number of cells
- \sum_{c} = over all types of tissue, assuming a typical cell as the fundamental unit
- tells us that dedication to growth **AFTER** metabolism is a fundamental axiom of energy/mass conservation equation
- growth is equal to surplus energy because assumed that energy is optimally allocated to

growth after miscellaneous costs

$$B = \sum_{c} \left[N_{c}B_{c} + E_{c} \frac{dN_{c}}{dt} \right]$$

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$$\frac{dN_{c}}{dt} = \frac{B - N_{c}B_{c}}{E_{c}} = \frac{\text{Surplus energy}}{\text{Cost of creating single cell}}$$

$$= \text{multiply by mass of single cell}$$

$$\left(\frac{dN_{c}}{dt} \right) m_{c} = \left(\frac{B - N_{c}B_{c}}{E_{c}} \right) m_{c}$$

$$\frac{dm}{dt} = \left(\frac{Bm_{c}}{E_{c}} \right) - \left(\frac{N_{c}m_{c}B_{c}}{E_{c}} \right)$$

$$\frac{dm}{dt} = \left(\frac{m_{c}}{E_{c}} \right) B - \left(\frac{B_{c}}{E_{c}} \right) m_{tot}$$

$$\text{sub } B = B_{0}m^{3/4}$$

$$\frac{dm}{dt} = \frac{m_{c}}{E_{c}} B_{0}m^{3/4} - \frac{B_{c}}{E_{c}} m_{tot}$$

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$$b = \frac{B_{c}}{E_{c}}$$

$$\frac{dm}{dt} = am^{3/4} - bm$$

1.1.2 Surplus is reduced by efficiency of use (ingestion versus energy flow into branching network)

- $I = \text{consumption rate } \left(\frac{mass}{time}\right)$ $t_I = \text{"characteristic" time period for "sufficient" energy gain}$
- $t_I << t_{growth}$
- Need to tackle this time period, we know $t \propto \kappa m^{\gamma}$ i.e. bigger things can spend longer foraging, thus intake more (absolute not relative)
- But their digestion is then slower
- reasonable bounding of digestion times?
- Timescale at level of digestion is different to timescale of growth
- You may pass a threshold where you are digesting at maximum rate meaning that you are

limited to 3/4 exponent because limited by fractal dimension of capillary network

$$I_{tot} = \int_{t_{start}}^{t_{end}} Idt$$

$$\frac{m_c}{E_c} B_0 m^{3/4} = a m^{3/4}$$

$$\frac{a m^{3/4}}{m} = a m^{\frac{3}{4} - 1}$$

$$\frac{a m^{3/4}}{m} = a m^{-\frac{1}{4}}$$

$$I_{tot} \epsilon \left(a m^{-\frac{1}{4}} \right)$$

1.1.3 Can also introduce loss to reproduction

$$\frac{dm}{dt} = I_{tot} \epsilon \left(am^{-\frac{1}{4}} \right) - bm - cm^{\rho}$$

1.1.4 Objectives

- What data to we have?
 - intake rate
 - digestion rate
 - individual growth rate
- We want to plug into
 - intake rate data
- Fit across whole range of fish