

Model - Structure & Design

STATE VARIABLES

S: susceptible individuals

V: vaccinated individuals

I: infected individuals → what is plotted

R: recovered individuals

→ for all 5 counties (total of 20)

MODEL STRUCTURE

- Deterministic, continuous
- Ordinary Differential equations (ODEs)
- Used package deSolve to model ODEs

MODEL DESIGN

- **Initial S:**
 - For Gaines (total population*unvaccinated - 1)
 - For other counties (total population*unvaccinated)
- **Initial I:**
 - For Gaines it is 1
 - For other counties it is 0
- **Initial R** is 0 for every county
- Contact rates specific to each county
 - intra-county contact rates
 - inter-county contact rates with Gaines
- Constant parameters for recovery rate, vaccination efficiency, baseline transmission rate

Model Parameters

CONSTANT PARAMETERS

λ : Recovery rate

$\lambda = 1/4$ (4 day recovery from $I \rightarrow R$)

ϵ : Vaccine effectiveness

$\epsilon = 0.97$ (3% can still get infected $V \rightarrow I$)

◦ (assumes all vaccinated received 2 doses)

β : Transmission coefficient

$\beta = 1.26$ (base transmission rate, changes depending on county specific contact rates)

CONTACT RATES

c_{gg} : Gaines \rightarrow Gaines = 1.5

c_{dd} : Dawson \rightarrow Dawson = 2

c_{aa} : Andrews \rightarrow Andrews = 2

c_{tt} : Terry \rightarrow Terry = 2

c_{yy} : Yoakum \rightarrow Yoakum = 2

c_{gd} : Gaines \rightarrow Dawson = 0.05

c_{ga} : Gaines \rightarrow Andrews = 0.1

c_{gt} : Gaines \rightarrow Terry = 0.05

c_{gy} : Gaines \rightarrow Yoakum = 0.05

Model Parameters Cont

POPULATION SIZE

- N_g : Gaines County pop size = 23,289
- N_d : Dawson County pop size = 11,660
- N_a : Andrews County pop size = 19,344
- N_t : Terry County pop size = 11,753
- N_y : Yoakum County pop size = 7,436

VACCINATION COVERAGES*

- vacCov_g : Gaines County = 0.8197
- vacCov_d : Dawson County = 0.8808
- vacCov_a : Andrews County = 0.9768
- vacCov_t : Terry County = 0.9552
- vacCov_y : Yoakum County = 0.9250

*used to calculate susceptible/vaccinated initial counts

Flow Diagram and Differential Equations

S-V-I-R Measles Model
(per county)

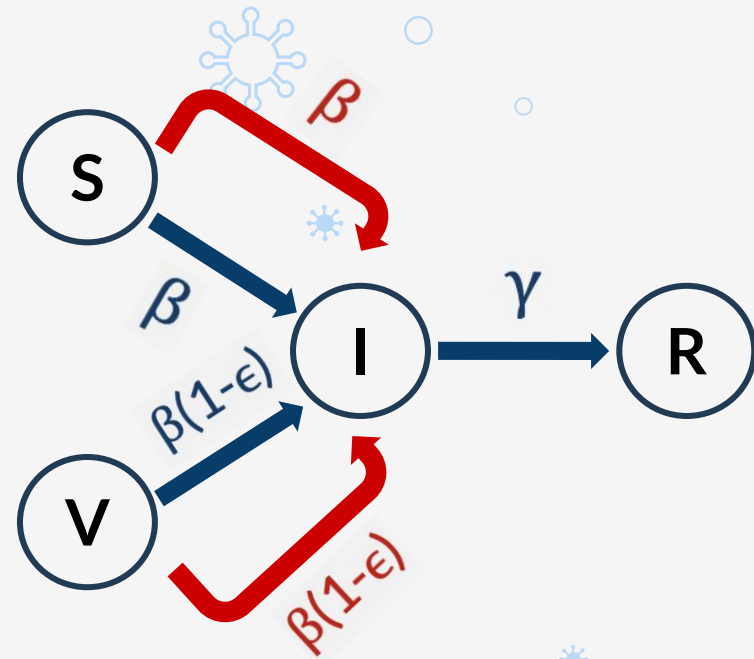
$$\frac{dS_i}{dt} = -\frac{\beta c_{ii} I S_i}{N_i} - \frac{\beta c_{ij} I S_i}{N_j}$$

$$\frac{dV_i}{dt} = -\frac{\beta c_{ii} I V_i (1-\epsilon)}{N_i} - \frac{\beta c_{ij} I V_i (1-\epsilon)}{N_j}$$

$$\frac{dI_i}{dt} = \frac{\beta c_{ii} I S_i}{N_i} + \frac{\beta c_{ii} I V_i (1-\epsilon)}{N_i} - \gamma I_i + \frac{\beta c_{ij} I S_i}{N_j} + \frac{\beta c_{ij} I V_i (1-\epsilon)}{N_j}$$

$$\frac{dR_i}{dt} = \gamma I_i$$

* β multiplied by contact rates!



Blue: All counties (base model)

Red: Only outgroup counties (transmission from Gaines County)

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