

Relaxed Flux Balance Analysis: Recon 3

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Introduction

We consider a biochemical network of m molecular species and n biochemical reactions. The biochemical network is mathematically represented by a stoichiometric matrix $S \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$. In standard notation, flux balance analysis (FBA) is the linear optimisation problem

$$\begin{aligned} \min_v \quad & \rho(v) \equiv c^T v \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & Sv = b, \\ & l \leq v \leq u, \end{aligned}$$

where $c \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is a parameter vector that linearly combines one or more reaction fluxes to form what is termed the objective function, and where a $b_i < 0$, or $b_i > 0$, represents some fixed output, or input, of the i th molecular species.

Every FBA solution must satisfy the constraints, independent of any objective chosen to optimise over the set of constraints. It may occur that the constraints on the FBA problem are not all simultaneously feasible, i.e., the system of inequalities is infeasible. This situation might be caused by an incorrectly specified reaction bound or the absence of a reaction from the stoichiometric matrix, such that a nonzero $b \notin \mathcal{R}(S)$. To resolve the infeasibility, we consider a cardinality optimisation problem that seeks to minimise the number of bounds to relax, the number of fixed outputs to relax, the number of fixed inputs to relax, or a combination of all three, in order to render the problem feasible. The cardinality optimisation problem, termed *relaxed flux balance analysis*, is

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{v,r,p,q} \quad & \lambda \|r\|_0 + \alpha \|p\|_0 + \alpha \|q\|_0 \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & Sv + r = b \\ & l - p \leq v \leq u + q \\ & p, q, r \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

where $p, q \in \mathbb{R}^n$ denote the relaxations of the lower and upper bounds on reaction rates of the reaction rates vector v , and where $r \in \mathbb{R}^m$ denotes a relaxation of the mass balance constraint. Non-negative scalar parameters λ and α can be used to trade off between relaxation of mass balance or bound constraints. A non-negative vector parameter λ can be used to prioritise relaxation of one mass balance constraint over another, e.g. to avoid relaxation of a mass balance constraint on a metabolite that is not desired to be exchanged across the boundary of the system. A non-negative vector parameter α may be used to prioritise relaxation of bounds on some reactions rather than others, e.g., relaxation of bounds on exchange reactions

rather than internal reactions. The optimal choice of parameters depends heavily on the biochemical context. A relaxation of the minimum number of constraints is desirable because ideally one should be able to justify the choice of bounds or choice of metabolites to be exchanged across the boundary of the system by recourse to experimental literature. This task is magnified by the number of constraints proposed to be relaxed.

PROCEDURE: RelaxedFBA applied to Recon3.0model

TIMING: 20 seconds (computation), minutes - days (interpretation)

Recon 3D [[brunk recon nodate](#)] is the latest, most comprehensive, manually curated, genome-scale reconstruction of human metabolism. Recon3D is a reconstruction which currently encompasses ~3300 open reading frames, ~8000 unique metabolites, as well as ~12000 biochemical and transport reactions distributed over nine cellular compartments: cytoplasm [c], lysosome [l], nucleus [n], mitochondrion [m], mitochondrial intermembrane space [i], peroxisome [x], extracellular space [e], Golgi apparatus [g], and endoplasmic reticulum [r] [[thiele protocol 2010](#), [brunk recon nodate](#)]. Recon3.0model is a flux balance analysis model and the largest stoichiometrically and flux consistent subset of Recon3D. That is, no internal reaction in Recon3.0model is mass imbalanced and furthermore, every internal and every external reaction is admits a non-zero steady state flux. In this example, we take Recon3.0model, set the lower bound on the biomass reaction to require the synthesis of biomass yet close all of the external reactions in the model. The resulting model is therefore infeasible, that is, no steady state flux vector satisfies the steady state constraints and the bound constraints for the resulting flux balance analysis problem, irrespective of the objective coefficients, so we use relaxed flux balance analysis to identify the minimal set of external reaction bounds that are required to be relaxed in order to make biomass synthesis feasible.

Load Recon3.0model, unless it is already loaded into the workspace.

```
global CBTDIR

%Load the model if recon3 is available replace the model name.
modelName = 'Recon2.0model.mat';
modelDirectory = getDistributedModelFolder(modelFileName); %Look up the
folder for the distributed Models.
modelName=[modelDirectory filesep modelName]; % Get the full path.
Necessary to be sure, that the right model is loaded
model = readCbModel(modelFileName);
modelOrig = model;
```

Identify the exchange reactions and biomass reaction(s) heuristically and close (a subset) of them

```
model = findSExRxnInd(model,size(model.S,1),1);
```

```
Found biomass reaction: biomass_reaction
Found biomass reaction: biomass_maintenance
Found biomass reaction: biomass_maintenance_noTrTr
ATP demand reaction is not considered an exchange reaction by default. It should be mass balanced:
DM_atp_c_    h2o[c] + atp[c]    ->    h[c] + adp[c] + pi[c]
```

```
if ~any(model.biomassBool)
    error('Could not heuristically identify a biomass reaction')
```

```
end
```

Add a linear objective coefficient corresponding to the biomass reaction

```
model.biomassBool=strcmp(model.rxns,'biomass_reaction');  
model.c(model.biomassBool)=1;
```

Check that biomass production is feasible

```
FBAsolution = optimizeCbModel(model,'max');  
if FBAsolution.stat == 1  
    disp('Relaxed model is feasible');  
    bioMassProductionRate=FBAsolution.x(model.biomassBool);  
    fprintf('%g%s\n', bioMassProductionRate, ' is the biomass production  
rate')  
else  
    disp('Relaxed model is infeasible');  
end
```

```
Relaxed model is feasible  
753.336 is the biomass production rate
```

Remove superfluous biomass reactions and display the size of the reduced model

```
model = removeRxns(model,  
{ 'biomass_maintenance', 'biomass_maintenance_noTrTr' });  
[m,n] = size(model.S);  
fprintf('%6s\t%6s\n', '#mets', '#rxns'); fprintf('%6u\t%6u\t%s\n',m,n,'  
totals.')
```

```
#mets      #rxns  
5835      10598      totals.
```

First close all exchange reactions, except the biomass reaction

```
model.SIntRxnBool(strcmp(model.rxns,'biomass_reaction'))=0;  
model.lb(~model.SIntRxnBool)=0;  
model.ub(~model.SIntRxnBool)=0;
```

Now force the biomass reaction to be active

```
model.lb(model.biomassBool) = 1;  
model.ub(model.biomassBool) = 10;
```

Check if the model is feasible

```
FBAsolution = optimizeCbModel(model,'max', 0, true);  
if FBAsolution.stat == 1  
    disp('Model is feasible. Nothing to do.');
```

```
return
```

```
else  
    disp('Model is infeasible');
```

```
end
```

Model is infeasible

Relaxed flux balance analysis is implemented with the function relaxedFBA

```
% [solution] = relaxedFBA(model, relaxOption)
```

The inputs are a COBRA model and an optional parameter vector

```
% INPUTS:
% model:          COBRA model structure
% relaxOption:    Structure containing the relaxation options:
% * internalRelax:
% * 0 = do not allow to relax bounds on internal reactions
% * 1 = do not allow to relax bounds on internal reactions with finite
bounds
% * 2 = allow to relax bounds on all internal reactions
%
% * exchangeRelax:
%                  * 0 = do not allow to relax bounds on exchange
reactions
%                  * 1 = do not allow to relax bounds on exchange
reactions of the type [0,0]
%                  * 2 = allow to relax bounds on all exchange
reactions
%
% * steadyStateRelax:
%                  * 0 = do not allow to relax the steady state
constraint  $S \cdot v = b$ 
%                  * 1 = allow to relax the steady state constraint
 $S \cdot v = b$ 
%
%                  * toBeUnblockedReactions - n x 1 vector indicating
the reactions to be unblocked (optional)
%                  * toBeUnblockedReactions(i) = 1 : impose v(i) to be
positive
%                  * toBeUnblockedReactions(i) = -1 : impose v(i) to
be negative
%                  * toBeUnblockedReactions(i) = 0 : do not add any
constraint
%
%                  * excludedReactions - n x 1 bool vector indicating
the reactions to be excluded from relaxation (optional)
%                  * excludedReactions(i) = false : allow to relax
bounds on reaction i
%                  * excludedReactions(i) = true : do not allow to
relax bounds on reaction i
%
%                  * excludedMetabolites - m x 1 bool vector indicating
the metabolites to be excluded from relaxation (optional)
```

```
%
%          * excludedMetabolites(i) = false : allow to relax
steady state constraint on metabolite i
%
%          * excludedMetabolites(i) = true : do not allow to
relax steady state constraint on metabolite i
%
%          * lamda - trade-off parameter of relaxation on steady
state constraint
%
%          * alpha - trade-off parameter of relaxation on bounds
%
% Note, excludedReactions and excludedMetabolites override all other
relaxation options.
```

Do not allow to relax bounds on any internal reaction

```
relaxOption.internalRelax = 0;
```

Allow to relax bounds on all exchange reactions

```
relaxOption.exchangeRelax = 2;
```

Do not allow to relax the steady state constraint $S \cdot v = b$

```
relaxOption.steadyStateRelax = 0;
```

Set the tolerance to distinguish between zero and non-zero flux

```
feasTol = getCobraSolverParams('LP', 'feasTol');
relaxOption.epsilon = feasTol/100;%*100;
```

Set the trade-off parameter for relaxation of bounds (advanced user). A larger value of gamma will

```
relaxOption.gamma = 10;
```

Set the trade-off parameter for relaxation on steady state constraint (advanced user)

```
relaxOption.lambda = 10;
```

Call the relaxedFBA function, deal the solution, and set small values to zero

```
tic;
solution = relaxedFBA(model,relaxOption);
timeTaken=toc;
[v,r,p,q] = deal(solution.v,solution.r,solution.p,solution.q);
if 0
    p(p<relaxOption.epsilon) = 0;%lower bound relaxation
    q(q<relaxOption.epsilon) = 0;%upper bound relaxation
    r(r<relaxOption.epsilon) = 0;%steady state constraint relaxation
end
```

The output is a solution structure with a 'stat' field reporting the solver status and a set of fields matching the relaxation of constraints given in the mathematical formulation of the relaxed flux balance problem above.

```
% OUTPUT:
%      solution:      Structure containing the following fields:
%
%                      * stat - status
%                      * 1   = Solution found
%                      * 0   = Infeasible
%                      * -1  = Invalid input
%                      * r   - relaxation on steady state constraints  $S \cdot v = b$ 
%                      * p   - relaxation on lower bound of reactions
%                      * q   - relaxation on upper bound of reactions
%                      * v   - reaction rate
```

Summarise the proposed relaxation solution

```
if solution.stat == 1

    dispCutoff=relaxOption.epsilon;

    fprintf('%s\n', ['Relaxed flux balance analysis problem solved in '
num2str(timeTaken) ' seconds.'])

    fprintf('%u%s\n', nnz(r), ' steady state constraints relaxed');

    fprintf('%u%s\n', nnz(abs(p)>dispCutoff & ~abs(q)>dispCutoff &
model.SIntRxnBool), ' internal only lower bounds relaxed');
    fprintf('%u%s\n', nnz(abs(q)>dispCutoff & ~abs(p)>dispCutoff &
model.SIntRxnBool), ' internal only upper bounds relaxed');
    fprintf('%u%s\n', nnz(abs(p)>dispCutoff & abs(q)>dispCutoff &
model.SIntRxnBool), ' internal lower and upper bounds relaxed');

    fprintf('%u%s\n', nnz(abs(p)>dispCutoff & ~abs(q)>dispCutoff &
~model.SIntRxnBool), ' external only lower bounds relaxed');
    fprintf('%u%s\n', nnz(abs(q)>dispCutoff & ~abs(p)>dispCutoff &
~model.SIntRxnBool), ' external only upper bounds relaxed');
    fprintf('%u%s\n', nnz(abs(p)>dispCutoff & abs(q)>dispCutoff &
~model.SIntRxnBool), ' external lower and upper bounds relaxed');

    fprintf('%u%s\n', nnz(abs(p)>dispCutoff | abs(q)>dispCutoff &
~model.SIntRxnBool), ' external lower or upper bounds relaxed');

    maxUB = max(max(model.ub), -min(model.lb));
    minLB = min(-max(model.ub), min(model.lb));
    intRxnFiniteBound = ((model.ub < maxUB) & (model.lb > minLB));
    fprintf('%u%s\n', nnz(abs(p)>dispCutoff & intRxnFiniteBound), ' finite
lower bounds relaxed');
    fprintf('%u%s\n', nnz(abs(q)>dispCutoff & intRxnFiniteBound), ' finite
upper bounds relaxed');
```

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exRxn00 = ((model.ub == 0) & (model.lb == 0));
fprintf('%u%s\n',nnz(abs(p)>dispCutoff & exRxn00),' lower bounds relaxed
on fixed reactions (lb=ub=0)');
fprintf('%u%s\n',nnz(abs(q)>dispCutoff & exRxn00),' upper bounds relaxed
on fixed reactions (lb=ub=0)');

else
    disp('relaxedFBA problem infeasible, check relaxOption fields');
end

```

```

Relaxed flux balance analysis problem solved in 47.6492 seconds.
0 steady state constraints relaxed
0 internal only lower bounds relaxed
0 internal only upper bounds relaxed
0 internal lower and upper bounds relaxed
497 external only lower bounds relaxed
498 external only upper bounds relaxed
107 external lower and upper bounds relaxed
1102 external lower or upper bounds relaxed
604 finite lower bounds relaxed
605 finite upper bounds relaxed
603 lower bounds relaxed on fixed reactions (lb=ub=0)
605 upper bounds relaxed on fixed reactions (lb=ub=0)

```

TROUBLESHOOTING

Given an infeasible problem,

$$Sv = b,$$

$$l \leq v \leq u,$$

the *relaxed flux balance analysis* problem

$$\begin{aligned}
 \min_{v,r,p,q} \quad & \lambda \|r\|_0 + \gamma \|p\|_0 + \gamma \|q\|_0 \\
 \text{s.t.} \quad & Sv + r = b \\
 & l - p \leq v \leq u + q \\
 & p, q, r \geq 0
 \end{aligned}$$

will always find a solution. However, relaxedFBA offers the user the option to disallow relaxation of some of the constraints. If too many constraints are not allowed to be relaxed, then relaxedFBA will report an infeasible problem. The fields of relaxOption should be reviewed. For example, if relaxation of steady state constraints is not allowed, yet b is nonzero and not in the range of the stoichiometric matrix, then the relaxedFBA problem will be infeasible. To allow the relaxation of the steady state constraint, $S^*v = b$, then use

```
%relaxOption.steadyStateRelax = 1;
```

If relaxedFBA does return a solution, but it is not biochemcially realistic, then again review the fields of relaxOption, to allow or disallow relaxation of certain constraints. For example, to specifically disallow relaxation of the bounds on reaction with model.rxns abbreviation 'myReaction', use

```
%relaxOption.excludedReactions=false(n,1);
```

```
%relaxOption.excludedReactions(strcmp(model.rxns,'myReaction'))=1;
```

To specifically disallow relaxation of the steady state constraint on a molecular species with model.mets abbreviation 'myMetabolite', then use:

```
%relaxOption.excludedMetabolite=false(m,1);
%relaxOption.excludedMetabolite(strcmp(model.mets,'myMetabolite'))=1;
```

Even if the set of relaxations are properly set, in a boolean sense, tweaking of the DCA card trade off parameters can help narrow down to a biochemically realistic solution, by iterating between the biochemical literature and the numerical results from relaxedFBA after tweaking the parameters. This flexibility is provided for the expert user. See relaxFBA_cappedL1.m. A standard set of advanced parameters are:

```
%relaxOption.nbMaxIteration = 1000; %max number of iterations of the
cappedL1 problem
%relaxOption.gamma0 = 0; %trade-off parameter of l0 part of v
%relaxOption.gamma1 = 0; %trade-off parameter of l1 part of v
%relaxOption.lambda0 = 10; %trade-off parameter of l0 part of r
%relaxOption.lambda1 = 0; %trade-off parameter of l1 part of r
%relaxOption.alpha0 = 10; %trade-off parameter of l0 part of p and q
%relaxOption.alpha1 = 0; %trade-off parameter of l1 part of p and q
%relaxOption.theta = 2; %parameter of capped l1 approximation
```

ANTICIPATED RESULTS

relaxedFBA will return a set of steady state constraints, lower bounds, and upper bounds, that are required to be relaxed to ensure that the FBA problem is feasible. It is necessary to analyse the solution biochemically, to see if it makes sense to relax the suggested constraints. The following code will report a summary of the results.

```
if solution.stat == 1
    printFlag=0;
    lineChangeFlag=0;
    if 1
        dispCutoffLower=relaxOption.epsilon;
        dispCutoffUpper=inf;
    else
        %useful for numerical debugging
        dispCutoffLower=-10;
        dispCutoffUpper=10;
    end
    if any(r)
        fprintf('\n%s\n','Steady state constraints relaxed');
        for i=1:m
            if abs(r(i))>dispCutoffLower && abs(r(i))<dispCutoffUpper
                fprintf('%s\n',model.mets{i});
            end
        end
    else
        fprintf('\n%s\n','No steady state constraints relaxed');
```



```

end
if any(p)
    fprintf('%s\n','Lower bounds relaxed');
    for j=1:n
        if abs(p(j))>dispCutoffLower && abs(p(j))<dispCutoffUpper &&
p(j)~=0
            rxnAbbrList=model.rxns(j);
            formulas = printRxnFormula(model, rxnAbbrList, printFlag,
lineChangeFlag);
            fprintf('%6g\t%s',p(j),formulas{1});
        end
    end
else
    fprintf('\n%s\n','No lower bounds relaxed');
end
if any(q)
    fprintf('\n%s\n','Upper bounds relaxed');
    for j=1:n
        if abs(q(j))>dispCutoffLower && abs(q(j))<dispCutoffUpper &&
q(j)~=0
            rxnAbbrList=model.rxns(j);
            formulas = printRxnFormula(model, rxnAbbrList, printFlag,
lineChangeFlag);
            fprintf('%6g\t%s',q(j),formulas{1});
        end
    end
else
    fprintf('\n%s\n','No upper bounds relaxed');
end
end
end

```

No steady state constraints relaxed

Lower bounds relaxed

```

1000    datp[m]    ->
1000    datp[n]    ->
1000    dctp[n]    ->
1000    dgtp[n]    ->
1000    dttp[n]    ->
1000    ethamp[r]   ->
1000    gpi_sig[r]   ->
1000    mem2emgacpail_prot_hs[r] ->
1000    Ser_Gly_Ala_X_Gly[l] ->
1000    10fthf7glu[e] ->
1000    4nph[e]     ->
1000    5adtststerone[e] ->
1000    7dhf[e]     ->
1000    7thf[e]     ->
1000    adp[e]      ->
1000    adprbp[e]   ->
1000    adrnl[e]    ->
1000    ala_D[e]    ->
1000    aqcobal[e]  ->
1000    arachd[e]   ->
1000    ascb_L[e]   ->
1000    atp[e]      ->
1000    bilglcur[e] ->

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1000 biocyt[e] ->
1000 cholate[e] ->
1000 chsterol[e] ->
1000 chtn[e] ->
1000 cmp[e] ->
1000 crmp_hs[e] ->
1000 crn[e] ->
1000 crts1[e] ->
1000 cspg_c[e] ->
1000 dag_hs[e] ->
1000 dheas[e] ->
1000 dlncg[e] ->
0.15 eicostet[e] ->
1000 estrones[e] ->
1000 gbside_hs[e] ->
1000 gchola[e] ->
1000 gluala[e] ->
1000 glygn2[e] ->
1000 glygn4[e] ->
1000 gthrd[e] ->
1000 gtp[e] ->
1000 h2o2[e] ->
1000 ha[e] ->
1000 hdcea[e] ->
1000 i[e] ->
1000 idp[e] ->
1000 imp[e] ->
1000 ksi[e] ->
1000 Lcystin[e] ->
1000 leuktrA4[e] ->
1000 leuktrF4[e] ->
1000 lnlc[e] ->
1000 lnlnc[e] ->
1000 nadp[e] ->
1000 ncam[e] ->
1000 o2s[e] ->
1000 ocdca[e] ->
1000 ocdcea[e] ->
1000 octa[e] ->
1000 pe_hs[e] ->
1000 peplys[e] ->
1000 prostgd2[e] ->
1000 prostge1[e] ->
1000 prostgf2[e] ->
1000 ps_hs[e] ->
1000 ptdca[e] ->
1000 retinol[e] ->
1000 s2l2fn2m2masn[e] ->
1000 spc_hs[e] ->
1000 sphlp[e] ->
1000 sphslp[e] ->
1000 strch1[e] ->
1000 strch2[e] ->
1000 strdnc[e] ->
1000 tag_hs[e] ->
1000 tchola[e] ->
1000 thf[e] ->
1000 thym[e] ->
1000 triodthy[e] ->
1000 ttdca[e] ->
1000 utp[e] ->
1000 vacc[e] ->
1000 whhdca[e] ->
1000 xoltri27[e] ->

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1000    xylt[e] ->
1000    pre_prot[r] ->
1000    4abutn[e] ->
1000    ctp[e] ->
1000    dgmp[e] ->
1000    dha[e] ->
1000    dttp[e] ->
1000    fad[e] ->
1000    fald[e] ->
1000    HC00250[e] ->
1000    HC01361[e] ->
1000    HC01446[e] ->
1000    cpppg1[e] ->
1000    itp[e] ->
1000    udpg[e] ->
1000    HC00955[e] ->
1000    C02470[e] ->
1000    HC00822[e] ->
1000    HC02193[e] ->
1000    HC02195[e] ->
1000    HC02196[e] ->
1000    HC02191[e] ->
1000    HC02194[e] ->
1000    HC02203[e] ->
1000    HC02217[e] ->
1000    malcoa[e] ->
1000    arachcoa[e] ->
1000    CE4722[e] ->
1000    CE4723[e] ->
1000    CE4724[e] ->
1000    CE2839[e] ->
1000    CE2838[e] ->
1000    23cump[e] ->
1000    CE5788[e] ->
1000    CE5798[e] ->
1000    CE5787[e] ->
1000    CE5791[e] ->
1000    CE5867[e] ->
1000    CE4633[e] ->
1000    CE5854[e] ->
1000    udpgal[e] ->
1000    CE0074[e] ->
1000    CE5853[e] ->
1001    20.6508 h2o[c] + 20.7045 atp[c] + 0.38587 glu_L[c] + 0.35261 asp_L[c] + 0.036117 gtp[c] + 0.5056
1000    c10lcoa[c] ->
1000    docol3ac[e] ->
1000    octdececoa[c] ->
1000    tetdec2coa[c] ->
1000    tetdecelcoa[c] ->
1000    5HPET[r] ->
1000    taur[c] ->
1000    pe_hs[r] ->
1000    pmtcoa[r] ->
1000    alaala[e] ->
1000    bglc[e] ->
1000    glygly[e] ->
1000    gum[e] ->
1000    leugly[e] ->
1000    pect[e] ->
1000    psyl[e] ->
1000    slfcys[e] ->
1000    dpcoa[e] ->
1000    ohl[e] ->
1000    q10[e] ->

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1000    Lcystin[c]  ->
1000    ncam[c]    ->
1000    pnto_R[c]   ->
1000    34hpp[e]    ->
1000    3mob[e]     ->
1000    3mop[e]     ->
1000    4mop[e]     ->
1000    aicar[e]    ->
1000    cbasp[e]    ->
1000    2pg[e]      ->
1000    5hoxindoa[e] ->
1000    cholp[e]    ->
1000    cyst_L[e]   ->
1000    dmgly[e]    ->
1000    g3pc[e]     ->
1000    gudac[e]    ->
1000    hcys_L[e]   ->
1000    icit[e]     ->
1000    pep[e]      ->
1000    xtsn[e]     ->
1000    3pg[e]      ->
1000    udpglcur[e] ->
1000    nicrnt[e]   ->
1000    orot5p[e]   ->
1000    glyc3p[e]   ->
1000    acrn[e]     ->
1000    pcrn[e]     ->
1000    lnelccrn[e] ->
1000    odecrn[e]   ->
1000    stcrn[e]    ->
1000    pmtcrn[e]   ->
1000    hdcecrn[e]  ->
1000    15HPET[e]   ->
1000    3mhis[e]    ->
1000    5HPET[e]    ->
1000    7dhchsterol[e] ->
1000    aclys[e]    ->
1000    adpoh[e]    ->
1000    amet[e]     ->
1000    biliverd[e] ->
1000    C02356[e]   ->
1000    CE0955[e]   ->
1000    CE1556[e]   ->
1000    CE2176[e]   ->
1000    CE7082[e]   ->
1000    forglu[e]   ->
1000    HC00900[e]  ->
1000    hmcr[e]     ->
1000    lnlccrn[e]  ->
1000    lthstrl[e]  ->
1000    mev_R[e]    ->
1000    pel2_hs[e]   ->
1000    pel3_hs[e]   ->
1000    pel5_hs[e]   ->
1000    pel61_hs[e] ->
1000    pe224_hs[e] ->
1000    pe226_hs[e] ->
1000    pedh203_hs[e] ->
1000    pelinl_hs[e] ->
1000    peole_hs[e]  ->
1000    pepalm_hs[e] ->
1000    peste_hs[e]  ->
1000    saccrp_L[e] ->
1000    xolest205_hs[e] ->

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1000 3moxytyr[e] ->
1000 5aop[e] ->
1000 alltn[e] ->
1000 CE2510[e] ->
1000 ddca[e] ->
1000 glyc_R[e] ->
1000 Lcyst[e] ->
1000 oaa[e] ->
1000 ttdcea[e] ->
1000 bgly[e] ->
1000 retinal[e] ->
1000 maltttr[e] ->
1000 progly[e] ->
1000 dhbpt[e] ->
1000 alaargcys[e] ->
1000 alaasnleu[e] ->
1000 alahisala[e] ->
1000 alalysthr[e] ->
1000 argalaala[e] ->
1000 argalaphe[e] ->
1000 argalathr[e] ->
1000 argarglys[e] ->
1000 argargmet[e] ->
1000 argcysgly[e] ->
1000 argcysser[e] ->
1000 argglupro[e] ->
1000 argleuphe[e] ->
1000 argphearg[e] ->
1000 argpromet[e] ->
1000 argseraser[e] ->
1000 argtyrval[e] ->
1000 argvalcys[e] ->
1000 argvaltrp[e] ->
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1000 asnpheasp[e] ->
1000 asnphecys[e] ->
1000 asntyrgly[e] ->
1000 asntyryphe[e] ->
1000 aspalaarg[e] ->
1000 aspasnglu[e] ->
1000 aspglupro[e] ->
1000 aspglutrp[e] ->
1000 asphiscys[e] ->
1000 asplysglu[e] ->
1000 aspmetasp[e] ->
1000 aspvalasn[e] ->
1000 cysasnmet[e] ->
1000 cysaspphe[e] ->
1000 cysglnmet[e] ->
1000 cysglutrp[e] ->
1000 cysleuthr[e] ->
1000 cystyrasn[e] ->
1000 glnasngln[e] ->
1000 glnlysllys[e] ->
1000 glnproglu[e] ->
1000 glntrpglu[e] ->
1000 glntyrlau[e] ->
1000 gluargleu[e] ->
1000 gluasnleu[e] ->
1000 glumethis[e] ->
1000 gluthr[e] ->
1000 gluthrlys[e] ->
1000 glutrpala[e] ->
1000 glyhisasn[e] ->

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1000 glyhislyls[e] ->
1000 glylysphe[e] ->
1000 glytyrlyls[e] ->
1000 glyvalhis[e] ->
1000 hisargcys[e] ->
1000 hisargser[e] ->
1000 hiscyscys[e] ->
1000 hisglnala[e] ->
1000 hisglugln[e] ->
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1000 hislysala[e] ->
1000 hislysglu[e] ->
1000 hislysile[e] ->
1000 hislysval[e] ->
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1000 hisphearg[e] ->
1000 histrphis[e] ->
1000 ileargile[e] ->
1000 ileasnhis[e] ->
1000 ileglyarg[e] ->
1000 ileprolys[e] ->
1000 ileserarg[e] ->
1000 iletrptyr[e] ->
1000 leualaarg[e] ->
1000 leuasplys[e] ->
1000 leusertrp[e] ->
1000 lyscyshis[e] ->
1000 lysglnphe[e] ->
1000 lyslysllys[e] ->
1000 lyspheile[e] ->
1000 lystyrile[e] ->
1000 lysvalphe[e] ->
1000 lysvaltrp[e] ->
1000 metargleu[e] ->
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1000 metglntrp[e] ->
1000 metglyarg[e] ->
1000 metmetile[e] ->
1000 metphearg[e] ->
1000 mettrpphe[e] ->
1000 pheasnmet[e] ->
1000 pheasp[e] ->
1000 pheglnphe[e] ->
1000 pheleu[e] ->
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1000 pheleuhis[e] ->
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1000 phepheasn[e] ->
1000 phephethr[e] ->
1000 pheproarg[e] ->
1000 phesertrp[e] ->
1000 phethrlyls[e] ->
1000 phetrpleu[e] ->
1000 phetyr[e] ->
1000 phetyrgln[e] ->
1000 phetyrlyls[e] ->
1000 proargcys[e] ->
1000 proasncys[e] ->
1000 proglulys[e] ->
1000 prophe[e] ->
1000 propoarg[e] ->
1000 propopro[e] ->
1000 provalgln[e] ->

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1000  serargala[e]  ->
1000  serargtrp[e] ->
1000  sercysarg[e] ->
1000  serlyshis[e] ->
1000  serphelys[e] ->
1000  thrnglnglu[e] ->
1000  thrilearg[e]  ->
1000  thrmetarg[e]  ->
1000  thrphearg[e]  ->
1000  thrserarg[e]  ->
1000  thrtyrmet[e]  ->
1000  trpgluleu[e]  ->
1000  trpglupro[e]  ->
1000  trpglutyr[e]  ->
1000  trpglyphe[e]  ->
1000  trpglyval[e]  ->
1000  trpilelys[e]  ->
1000  trpiletrp[e]  ->
1000  trpleuval[e]  ->
1000  trpmetval[e]  ->
1000  trpphe[e]     ->
1000  trpproval[e] ->
1000  trpsertyr[e] ->
1000  trpthrglu[e] ->
1000  trpthrile[e] ->
1000  trpvalasp[e] ->
1000  tyrala[e]     ->
1000  tyralaphe[e] ->
1000  tyrargglu[e] ->
1000  tyrargser[e] ->
1000  tyrcysgly[e] ->
1000  tyrcysthr[e] ->
1000  tyrglu[e]     ->
1000  tyrphetyr[e] ->
1000  tyrvalmet[e] ->
1000  valarggly[e]  ->
1000  valhisasn[e]  ->
1000  valleuphe[e]  ->
1000  vallystyr[e]  ->
1000  valphearg[e]  ->
1000  valprotrp[e]  ->
1000  valserarg[e]  ->
1000  valtrpphe[e]  ->
1000  valtrpval[e]  ->
1000  trpglyasp[e]  ->
1000  hxa[e]        ->
1000  Lhcystin[e]   ->
1000  pe_hs[c]      ->
1000  akc[c]        ->
1000  bandmt[c]     ->
1000  for[c]        ->
1000  mil4p[c]      ->
1000  pchol_hs[c]   ->
1000  C02712[c]     ->
1000  C02528[c]     ->
1000  HC02191[c]    ->
1000  HC02192[c]    ->
1000  HC02197[c]    ->
1000  HC02198[c]    ->
1000  HC02220[c]    ->
1000  Tyr_ggn[c]    ->
1000  c226coa[c]    ->
1000  chol[c]       ->
1000  cholate[c]    ->

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1000    coa[c] ->
1000    crvnc[c] ->
1000    gchola[c] ->
1000    glygn2[c] ->
1000    hdca[c] ->
1000    lnlccoa[c] ->
1000    retfa[c] ->
1000    retinol[c] ->
1000    tchola[c] ->
1000    tdechola[c] ->
1000    thmpp[c] ->
1000    thmtp[c] ->
1000    tmndnccoa[c] ->
1000    vitd3[c] ->
1000    dhcholestanate[c] ->
1000    thcholstoic[c] ->
1000    xol7ah3[c] ->
1000    xol7aone[c] ->
1000    7klitchol[c] ->
1000    dchac[c] ->
1000    CE1273[c] ->
1000    2obut[e] ->
1000    acac[e] ->
1000    but[e] ->
1000    cgly[e] ->
1000    co2[e] ->
1000    cytd[e] ->
1000    dgsn[e] ->
1000    din[e] ->
1000    duri[e] ->
1000    fe3[e] ->
1000    fum[e] ->
1000    glyleu[e] ->
1000    glyphe[e] ->
1000    glypro[e] ->
1000    h[e] ->
1000    h2o[e] ->
1000    ins[e] ->
1000    lac_L[e] ->
1000    lys_L[e] ->
1000    nal[e] ->
1000    o2[e] ->
1000    orn[e] ->
1000    ppi[e] ->
1000    pro_L[e] ->
1000    ser_L[e] ->
1000    so4[e] ->
1000    thymd[e] ->
1000    urea[e] ->
1000    cys_L[e] ->
1000    his_L[e] ->
1000    thr_L[e] ->
1000    gln_L[e] ->
1000    phe_L[e] ->
1000    arg_L[e] ->
1000    nac[e] ->
1000    cit[e] ->
1000    etha[e] ->
1000    fol[e] ->
1000    glyc[e] ->
1000    malt[e] ->
1000    malttr[e] ->
1000    rib_D[e] ->
1000    trp_L[e] ->

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1000 xyl_D[e] ->
1000 34dhpha[e] ->
1000 ppa[e] ->
1000 tre[e] ->
1000 lcts[e] ->
1000 ade[e] ->
1000 etoh[e] ->
1000 phpyr[e] ->
1000 2h3mv[e] ->
1000 2hiv[e] ->
1000 sucsal[e] ->
1000 3ityr_L[e] ->
1000 35dioty[e] ->
1000 13_cis_retn[e] ->
1000 CE1617[e] ->
1000 34dhoxmand[e] ->
1000 CE5643[e] ->
1000 n8aspm[d] ->
1000 13damp[p] ->
1000 12ppd_R[e] ->
1000 xylu_L[e] ->
1000 xylu_D[e] ->
1000 CE0737[e] ->
1000 hdd2crn[e] ->
1000 mlthf[e] ->
1000 sphgn[e] ->
1000 coke[e] ->
1000 hdl_hs[e] ->
1000 HC00005[e] ->
1000 CE2172[e] ->
1000 CE5629[e] ->
1000 gd3_hs[e] ->
1000 gluside_hs[e] ->
1000 gm3_hs[e] ->
1000 cmpacna[e] ->
1000 34dhpac[c] ->
1000 ts3[c] ->
1000 gd3_hs[l] ->
1000 k[g] ->
1000 nal[r] ->
1000 pail_hs[e] ->
1000 CE1243[e] ->
1000 CE5026[e] ->
1000 CE1261[e] ->
1000 gdlb_hs[e] ->
1000 nadh[e] ->
1000 sbt_D[e] ->
1000 12dhchol[c] ->
1000 3dhcdchol[c] ->
1000 3dhchol[c] ->
1000 3dhdchol[c] ->
1000 3dhlchol[c] ->
1000 7dhcdchol[c] ->
1000 7dhchol[c] ->
1000 ca3s[c] ->
1000 coprost[c] ->
1000 dca3s[c] ->
1000 gca3s[c] ->
1000 gcdca3s[c] ->
1000 gdca3s[c] ->
1000 gudca3s[c] ->
1000 hyochol[c] ->
1000 icdchol[c] ->
1000 isochol[c] ->

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1000 lca3s[c] ->
1000 tca3s[c] ->
1000 tcdca3s[c] ->
1000 tdca3s[c] ->
1000 thyochol[c] ->
1000 tudca3s[c] ->
1000 uchol[c] ->
1000 udca3s[c] ->
1000 hyochol[e] ->
1000 amlccs[e] ->
1000 amlcsa[e] ->
1000 am9csa[e] ->
1000 csa[e] ->
1000 fvs[e] ->
1000 glz[e] ->
1000 lvst[e] ->
1000 mhglz[e] ->
1000 nfd[e] ->
1000 nfdoh[e] ->
1000 ptvstlac[e] ->
1000 pvs[e] ->
1000 tlacfvs[e] ->
1000 tmdml[e] ->
1000 tripvs[e] ->
1000 C13856[e] ->
1000 M02956[e] ->
1000 M00241[e] ->
1000 M00008[e] ->
0.05 M00017[e] ->
1000 M00019[e] ->
0.15 M00117[e] ->
1000 M01197[e] ->
0.05 M01207[e] ->
1000 M01235[e] ->
1000 M01238[e] ->
1000 M02560[e] ->
1000 h2co3[e] ->
1000 M02837[e] ->
1000 his_L[c] ->
1000 ile_L[c] ->
1000 leu_L[c] ->
1000 lys_L[c] ->
1000 met_L[c] ->
1000 phe_L[c] ->
1000 thr_L[c] ->
1000 trp_L[c] ->
1000 val_L[c] ->
1000 ala_L[c] ->
1000 arg_L[c] ->
1000 asn_L[c] ->
1000 asp_L[c] ->
1000 cys_L[c] ->
1000 gln_L[c] ->
1000 glu_L[c] ->
1000 pro_L[c] ->
1000 ser_L[c] ->
1000 tyr_L[c] ->
1000 gly[c] ->
1000 4abut[l] ->
1000 CE5026[c] ->
1000 4glu56dihdind[c] ->
1000 dopa[c] ->
1000 srtn[c] ->
1000 adrnl[c] ->

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1000    ach[c] ->
1000    hista[c] ->
1000    nrpphr[c] ->
1000    Lkynr[c] ->
1000    btn[m] ->
Upper bounds relaxed
1000    13_cis_retn[n] ->
1000    datp[m] ->
1000    dgpi_prot_hs[r] ->
1000    dgtp[m] ->
1000    dttp[m] ->
1000    melanin[c] ->
1000    mem2emgacpail_prot_hs[r] ->
1000    10fthf[e] ->
1000    10fthf5glu[e] ->
1000    10fthf6glu[e] ->
1000    13_cis_retnlglc[e] ->
1000    2hb[e] ->
1000    34dhoxpeg[e] ->
1000    34dhphe[e] ->
1000    5adtststerones[e] ->
1000    5dhf[e] ->
1000    5mthf[e] ->
1000    5thf[e] ->
1000    6dhf[e] ->
1000    6thf[e] ->
1000    abt[e] ->
1000    acetone[e] ->
1000    ach[e] ->
0.45    adrn[e] ->
1000    amp[e] ->
0.1     arach[e] ->
1000    arachd[e] ->
1000    bhb[e] ->
1000    bilirub[e] ->
0.5     clpnd[e] ->
1000    crtstrn[e] ->
1000    crvnc[e] ->
1000    dag_hs[e] ->
1000    dhdascb[e] ->
1000    dhf[e] ->
0.2     dlntlcg[e] ->
1000    dopa[e] ->
1000    elaid[e] ->
1000    estradiol[e] ->
1000    fuc_L[e] ->
1000    glyc_S[e] ->
1000    glygn5[e] ->
1000    gmp[e] ->
1000    gsn[e] ->
1000    hco3[e] ->
1000    hdca[e] ->
1000    hdcea[e] ->
0.2     hexc[e] ->
1000    hista[e] ->
1000    hpdca[e] ->
1000    inost[e] ->
1000    ksi_deg1[e] ->
1000    lac_D[e] ->
1000    leuktrC4[e] ->
1000    leuktrD4[e] ->
1000    leuktrE4[e] ->
1000    lgnc[e] ->
1000    lneldc[e] ->

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1000    lnlncg[e] ->
1000    lpchol_hs[e] ->
1000    mag_hs[e] ->
1000    meoh[e] ->
1000    mercplaccys[e] ->
1000    mthgxl[e] ->
1000    nad[e] ->
1000    nrpphr[e] ->
1000    0.1 nrvnc[e] ->
1000    oagd3_hs[e] ->
1000    ocdca[e] ->
1000    pchol_hs[e] ->
1000    pglyc_hs[e] ->
1000    prostge2[e] ->
1000    rbt[e] ->
1000    retfa[e] ->
1000    retn[e] ->
1000    Rtotal[e] ->
1000    Rtotal2[e] ->
1000    Rtotal3[e] ->
1000    s2l2n2m2masn[e] ->
1000    sl_L[e] ->
1000    tchola[e] ->
1000    thmtp[e] ->
1000    thyox_L[e] ->
1000    tmndnc[e] ->
1000    tststerone[e] ->
1000    tsul[e] ->
1000    udp[e] ->
1000    ump[e] ->
1000    urate[e] ->
1000    vitd3[e] ->
1000    whtststerone[e] ->
1000    xolest_hs[e] ->
1000    xolest2_hs[e] ->
1000    acmana[e] ->
1000    ahdt[e] ->
1000    ctp[e] ->
1000    dgtp[e] ->
1000    dtmp[e] ->
1000    glp[e] ->
1000    isomal[e] ->
1000    HC01104[e] ->
1000    HC01444[e] ->
1000    HC01577[e] ->
1000    HC01609[e] ->
1000    HC01700[e] ->
1000    orot[e] ->
1000    prpp[e] ->
1000    so3[e] ->
1000    prostgh2[e] ->
1000    prostgi2[e] ->
1000    HC00004[e] ->
1000    HC00822[e] ->
1000    HC02192[e] ->
1000    HC02193[e] ->
1000    HC02220[e] ->
1000    HC02197[e] ->
1000    HC02198[e] ->
1000    HC02187[e] ->
1000    HC02202[e] ->
1000    HC02204[e] ->
1000    coa[e] ->
1000    CE2250[e] ->

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1000 CE1943[e] ->
 1000 CE2915[e] ->
 1000 CE2916[e] ->
 1000 CE2917[e] ->
 1000 malthp[e] ->
 1000 CE2839[e] ->
 1000 3ump[e] ->
 1000 CE5786[e] ->
 1000 CE5789[e] ->
 1000 CE5797[e] ->
 1000 CE5868[e] ->
 1000 CE5869[e] ->
 1000 CE4881[e] ->
 1000 CE1926[e] ->
 1000 crm_hs[e] ->
 1000 galside_hs[e] ->
 1000 CE1925[e] ->
 1000 3bcrn[e] ->
 1000 3hdececrn[e] ->
 1000 3octdeccrn[e] ->
 1000 3octdecelcrn[e] ->
 1000 c101crn[e] ->
 1000 c10crn[e] ->
 1000 c4dc[e] ->
 1000 c51crn[e] ->
 1000 c8crn[e] ->
 0.25 docosac[e] ->
 1000 tetdec2crn[e] ->
 1000 tetdecelcrn[e] ->
 1000 4abut[n] ->
 1000 dchac[e] ->
 1000 glgchlo[e] ->
 1000 gltcho[e] ->
 1000 gumgchol[e] ->
 1000 gumtchol[e] ->
 1000 pectintchol[e] ->
 1000 psylchol[e] ->
 1000 psyltchol[e] ->
 1000 tdechola[e] ->
 1000 fmn[e] ->
 1000 pan4p[e] ->
 1000 q10h2[e] ->
 1000 5HPET[c] ->
 1000 Lcystin[c] ->
 1000 fol[c] ->
 1000 ncam[c] ->
 1000 5oxpro[e] ->
 1000 ahcys[e] ->
 1000 cholp[e] ->
 1000 cyst_L[e] ->
 1000 dcmp[e] ->
 1000 ethamp[e] ->
 1000 glyald[e] ->
 1000 icit[e] ->
 1000 L2aadp[e] ->
 1000 Lkynr[e] ->
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 1000 hLkynr[e] ->
 1000 nicrnt[e] ->
 1000 argsuc[e] ->
 1000 pcrn[e] ->
 1000 lneldccrn[e] ->
 1000 stcrn[e] ->
 1000 3mtp[e] ->

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1000 15kprostgf2[e] ->
1000 2oxoadp[e] ->
1000 34hpl[e] ->
1000 3hpp[e] ->
1000 3uib[e] ->
1000 56dura[e] ->
1000 acgly[e] ->
1000 acthr_L[e] ->
1000 C02712[e] ->
1000 C05957[e] ->
1000 C06314[e] ->
1000 C06315[e] ->
1000 C11695[e] ->
1000 CE1273[e] ->
1000 CE1556[e] ->
1000 CE2176[e] ->
1000 CE5304[e] ->
1000 CE6031[e] ->
1000 didecaeth[e] ->
1000 diholineth[e] ->
1000 docohxeth[e] ->
1000 docteteth[e] ->
1000 elaidcrn[e] ->
1000 hepdeceth[e] ->
1000 hexdeceeth[e] ->
1000 hexdiac[e] ->
1000 hxcoa[e] ->
1000 lineth[e] ->
1000 lnlccrn[e] ->
1000 milp_D[e] ->
1000 Nacasp[e] ->
1000 oleth[e] ->
1000 pailste_hs[e] ->
1000 pchol2palm_hs[e] ->
1000 pcholn261_hs[e] ->
1000 pcholn28_hs[e] ->
1000 pcholn281_hs[e] ->
1000 pmeth[e] ->
1000 sphmyln180241_hs[e] ->
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1000 sphmyln18115_hs[e] ->
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1000 steeth[e] ->
1000 tmlys[e] ->
1000 trideceth[e] ->
1000 xolest183_hs[e] ->
1000 abt_D[e] ->
1000 glyc2p[e] ->
1000 glyclt[e] ->
1000 phlac[e] ->
1000 pser_L[e] ->
1000 bz[e] ->

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1000 mepi[e] ->
1000 lmncam[e] ->
1000 progly[e] ->
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1000 itp[n] ->
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1000 arghisthr[e] ->
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1000 asnphecys[e] ->
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1000 asphispro[e] ->
1000 asplysglu[e] ->
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1000 cysaspphe[e] ->
1000 cyscys[e] ->
1000 cysglnmet[e] ->
1000 cysgluhis[e] ->
1000 cysglutrp[e] ->
1000 cyssermet[e] ->
1000 glnasngln[e] ->
1000 glnhishis[e] ->
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1000 glnlystrp[e] ->
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1000 hismet[e] ->
1000 hisprolys[e] ->
1000 histrphe[e] ->
1000 ileargile[e] ->
1000 ileasp[e] ->
1000 ileglnglu[e] ->
1000 ileglyarg[e] ->

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1000   ileserarg[e]  ->
1000   leuasnaspe[e] ->
1000   leuleutrp[e] ->
1000   leupro[e]   ->
1000   leuproarg[e] ->
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1000   leutrparg[e] ->
1000   leutyrtyr[e] ->
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1000   lysargleu[e] ->
1000   lysgluglu[e] ->
1000   lyslyslys[e] ->
1000   lyspheile[e] ->
1000   lystrparg[e] ->
1000   lysvalphe[e] ->
1000   methislys[e] ->
1000   metmetile[e] ->
1000   pheasnmet[e] ->
1000   pheglmphe[e] ->
1000   phelysala[e] ->
1000   pheaphe[e]   ->
1000   pheapheasn[e] ->
1000   pheaphethr[e] ->
1000   phesertrp[e] ->
1000   proargasp[e] ->
1000   procys[e]    ->
1000   proglmpro[e] ->
1000   prohis[e]    ->
1000   prohistyr[e] ->
1000   proleuarg[e] ->
1000   prolvspro[e] ->
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1000   protrppls[e] ->
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1000   trpls[e]     ->
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1000   trpprogly[e] ->
1000   trpproleu[e] ->
1000   trpthrtyr[e] ->
1000   trptyrgln[e] ->
1000   trptyrtyr[e] ->
1000   tyralaphe[e] ->
1000   tyrasparg[e] ->
1000   tyrcysgly[e] ->

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1000 tyrleuarg[e] ->
1000 tyrthr[e] ->
1000 tyrtrpphe[e] ->
1000 tyrtyr[e] ->
1000 tyrvalmet[e] ->
1000 valarggly[e] ->
1000 valleuphe[e] ->
1000 valphearg[e] ->
1000 valserarg[e] ->
1000 valtrpphe[e] ->
1000 valtrpval[e] ->
1000 valval[e] ->
1000 homoval[e] ->
1000 pe_hs[c] ->
1000 adprbp[c] ->
1000 mil45p[c] ->
1000 band[c] ->
1000 acgal[e] ->
1000 acnam[e] ->
1000 HC00342[e] ->
1000 pa_hs[e] ->
1000 CE2934[e] ->
1000 HC02191[c] ->
1000 HC02193[c] ->
1000 HC02194[c] ->
1000 HC02195[c] ->
1000 HC02196[c] ->
1000 Tyr_ggn[c] ->
1000 btn[c] ->
1000 coa[c] ->
1000 fad[c] ->
1000 lnlc[c] ->
1000 lnlccoa[c] ->
1000 nad[c] ->
1000 odecoa[c] ->
1000 pmtcoa[c] ->
1000 retinol[c] ->
1000 stcoa[c] ->
1000 tag_hs[c] ->
1000 thf[c] ->
1000 tmndnc[c] ->
1000 dxtrn[e] ->
1000 dhcholestanate[e] ->
1000 thcholstoic[e] ->
1000 xol7ah3[e] ->
1000 xol7ah3[c] ->
1000 xol7aone[e] ->
1000 7klitchol[e] ->
1000 glcn[e] ->
1000 acac[e] ->
1000 adn[e] ->
1000 akc[e] ->
1000 asn_L[e] ->
1000 asp_L[e] ->
1000 co2[e] ->
1000 dad_2[e] ->
1000 dcyt[e] ->
1000 fe2[e] ->
1000 gal[e] ->
1000 glu_L[e] ->
1000 glyb[e] ->
1000 glypro[e] ->
1000 ile_L[e] ->
1000 ins[e] ->

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1000 k[e] ->
1000 lac_L[e] ->
1000 leu_L[e] ->
1000 mal_L[e] ->
1000 met_L[e] ->
1000 no2[e] ->
1000 pi[e] ->
1000 pro_L[e] ->
1000 ser_L[e] ->
1000 succ[e] ->
1000 urea[e] ->
1000 uri[e] ->
1000 val_L[e] ->
1000 pnto_R[e] ->
1000 gly[e] ->
1000 cys_L[e] ->
1000 ala_L[e] ->
1000 thr_L[e] ->
1000 gln_L[e] ->
1000 phe_L[e] ->
1000 tyr_L[e] ->
1000 for[e] ->
1000 nh4[e] ->
1000 ac[e] ->
1000 acgam[e] ->
1000 cit[e] ->
1000 drib[e] ->
1000 fru[e] ->
1000 galt[e] ->
1000 glcr[e] ->
1000 glcur[e] ->
1000 glyc[e] ->
1000 hxan[e] ->
1000 malt[e] ->
1000 ptrc[e] ->
1000 spmd[e] ->
1000 trp_L[e] ->
1000 ura[e] ->
1000 xan[e] ->
1000 ppa[e] ->
1000 pyr[e] ->
1000 btn[e] ->
1000 ade[e] ->
1000 acald[e] ->
1000 gua[e] ->
1000 4abut[e] ->
1000 taur[e] ->
1000 phpyr[e] ->
1000 CE4970[e] ->
1000 CE4968[e] ->
1000 vanillac[e] ->
1000 2m3hvac[e] ->
1000 3h3mglt[e] ->
1000 3mglutac[e] ->
1000 3mgluttr[e] ->
1000 mvlac[e] ->
1000 ethmalac[e] ->
1000 methsucc[e] ->
1000 4ohbut[e] ->
1000 agm[e] ->
1000 T4hcinnm[e] ->
1000 egme[e] ->
1000 HC02020[e] ->
1000 chsterols[e] ->

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1000 CE1401[e] ->
1000 melatn[e] ->
1000 CE4890[e] ->
1000 C09642[e] ->
1000 mhista[e] ->
1000 ppbnng[e] ->
1000 sphings[e] ->
1000 CE1918[e] ->
1000 aact[e] ->
1000 N1aspmd[e] ->
1000 fdp[e] ->
1000 ldl_hs[e] ->
1000 HC00006[e] ->
1000 HC00007[e] ->
1000 HC00008[e] ->
1000 HC00009[e] ->
1000 gluside_hs[e] ->
1000 34dhpe[e] ->
1000 sphlp[n] ->
1000 sphslp[n] ->
1000 gd3_hs[g] ->
1000 nal[g] ->
1000 nal[c] ->
1000 retn[n] ->
1000 Ser_Gly_Ala_X_Gly[r] ->
1000 5cysgly34dhphe[e] ->
1000 galgluside_hs[e] ->
1000 mem2emgacpail_prot_hs[e] ->
1000 glc_D[e] ->
1000 cdca24g[c] ->
1000 cdca3g[c] ->
1000 dca24g[c] ->
1000 hca24g[c] ->
1000 hca6g[c] ->
1000 hyochol[c] ->
1000 lca24g[c] ->
1000 lca3g[c] ->
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1000 3dhcdchol[e] ->
1000 3dhchol[e] ->
1000 3dhdchol[e] ->
1000 3dhlchol[e] ->
1000 7dhcdchol[e] ->
1000 7dhchol[e] ->
1000 ca3s[e] ->
1000 coprost[e] ->
1000 dca3s[e] ->
1000 gca3s[e] ->
1000 gcdca3s[e] ->
1000 gdca3s[e] ->
1000 gudca3s[e] ->
1000 icdchol[e] ->
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1000 lca3s[e] ->
1000 tca3s[e] ->
1000 tcdca3s[e] ->
1000 tdca3s[e] ->
1000 thyochol[e] ->
1000 tudca3s[e] ->
1000 uchol[e] ->
1000 udca3s[e] ->
1000 3ispvs[e] ->
1000 56dhpvs[e] ->
1000 6epvs[e] ->

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1000    6melvst[e] ->
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1000    amlalcs[e] ->
1000    am4n9cs[e] ->
1000    am4ncs[e] ->
1000    crglz[e] ->
1000    deoxfvs[e] ->
1000    dhglz[e] ->
1000    dspvs[e] ->
1000    nfdlac[e] ->
1000    nfdnpy[e] ->
1000    ptvst[e] ->
1000    thrfvs[e] ->
1000    tmdm5[e] ->
1000    M01807[e] ->
1000    M00503[e] ->
1000    M01820[e] ->
1000    M00510[e] ->
1000    M00003[e] ->
1000    M00010[e] ->
0.2    M02457[e] ->
0.05   M03045[e] ->
1000    M02561[e] ->
1000    M01111[e] ->
1000    M01966[e] ->
1000    M01989[e] ->
1000    gpi_sig[e] ->
1000    glu_L[c] ->
1000    tyr_L[c] ->
1000    CE4888[c] ->
1000    4abut[c] ->
1000    kynate[c] ->
1000    tym[c] ->
1000    cbl2[m] ->
1000    protein[c] ->

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Generate a relaxed model and test if it is feasible.

```

if solution.stat == 1
    modelRelaxed=model;
    delta=0;%can be used for debugging, in case more relaxation is necessary
    modelRelaxed.lb = model.lb - p - delta;
    modelRelaxed.ub = model.ub + q + delta;
    modelRelaxed.b = model.b - r;

    FBAsolution = optimizeCbModel(modelRelaxed,'max', 0, true);
    if FBAsolution.stat == 1
        disp('Relaxed model is feasible');
    else
        disp('Relaxed model is infeasible');
        solutionRelaxed = relaxedFBA(modelRelaxed,relaxOption);
    end
end
end

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Relaxed model is feasible

EXPECTED RESULTS

The relaxed model should be feasible. Indicated by 'Relaxed model is feasible'

TROUBLESHOOTING

If the relaxed model is not feasible. If not, there could be a numerical issue due to the numerical tolerance of the linear optimisation solutions or due to the numerical tolerance on the relaxedFBA algorithm, both of which are by default set to the feasibility tolerance for the currently installed solver (typically 1e-6 for a double precision solver like Gurobi). If problems persist, examine the numerical properties of the constraints, esp wrt scaling, or try the dqgMinos solver.

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%changeCobraSolver('dqqMinos','LP')
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