

## SBML Model Report

# Model name: “Grigolon2018 - Feedback Loop in ARF and IAA Response”



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## 1 General Overview

This is a document in SBML Level 2 Version 3 format. This model was created by the following three authors: Silvia Grigolon<sup>1</sup>, Olivier Martin<sup>2</sup> and Barbara Bravi<sup>3</sup> at June seventh 2017 at 10:42 a. m. Table 1 provides an overview of the quantities of all components of this model.

Table 1: Number of components in this model, which are described in the following sections.

Element	Quantity	Element	Quantity
compartment types	0	compartments	1
species types	0	species	11
events	0	constraints	0
reactions	16	function definitions	0
global parameters	19	unit definitions	0
rules	0	initial assignments	0

## Model Notes

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This model is described in the article: [Responses to auxin signals: an operating principle for dynamical sensitivity yet high resilience](#). Grigolon S, Bravi B, Martin OC. R Soc Open Sci 2018 Jan; 5(1): 172098

Abstract:

Plants depend on the signalling of the phytohormone auxin for their development and for responding to environmental perturbations. The associated biomolecular signalling network involves a negative feedback on Aux/IAA proteins which mediate the influence of auxin (the signal) on the auxin response factor (ARF) transcription factors (the drivers of the response). To probe the role of this feedback, we consider alternative in silico signalling networks implementing different operating principles. By a comparative analysis, we find that the presence of a negative feedback allows the system to have a far larger sensitivity in its dynamical response to auxin and that this sensitivity does not prevent the system from being highly resilient. Given this insight, we build a new biomolecular signalling model for quantitatively describing such Aux/IAA and ARF responses.

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## 2 Unit Definitions

This is an overview of five unit definitions which are all predefined by SBML and not mentioned in the model.

### 2.1 Unit `substance`

**Notes** Mole is the predefined SBML unit for substance.

**Definition** mol

### 2.2 Unit `volume`

**Notes** Litre is the predefined SBML unit for volume.

**Definition** l

### 2.3 Unit `area`

**Notes** Square metre is the predefined SBML unit for area since SBML Level 2 Version 1.

**Definition** m<sup>2</sup>

## 2.4 Unit length

**Notes** Metre is the predefined SBML unit for length since SBML Level 2 Version 1.

**Definition** m

## 2.5 Unit time

**Notes** Second is the predefined SBML unit for time.

**Definition** s

# 3 Compartment

This model contains one compartment.

Table 2: Properties of all compartments.

Id	Name	SBO	Spatial Dimensions	Size	Unit	Constant	Outside
Cell	Cell		3	1	litre	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

## 3.1 Compartment Cell

This is a three dimensional compartment with a constant size of one litre.

**Name** Cell

## 4 Species

This model contains eleven species. The boundary condition of one of these species is set to `true` so that this species' amount cannot be changed by any reaction. Section 7 provides further details and the derived rates of change of each species.

Table 3: Properties of each species.

Id	Name	Compartment	Derived Unit	Constant	Boundary Condition
aux	aux	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
IAAm	IAAm	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
IAAp	IAAp	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ARF	ARF	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
null	null	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
ARFIAA	ARFIAA	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
ARF2	ARF2	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
auxTIR1	auxTIR1	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
auxTIR1IAA	auxTIR1IAA	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
TIR1	TIR1	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
IAAstar	IAAstar	Cell	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

## 5 Parameters

This model contains 19 global parameters.

Table 4: Properties of each parameter.

Id	Name	SBO	Value	Unit	Constant
Sauxin	Sauxin		0.020		✓
muaux	muaux		0.100		✓
lambda1	lambda1		0.480		✓
thetaARF	thetaARF		100.000		✓
thetaARF2	thetaARF2		100.000		✓
thetaARFIAA	thetaARFIAA		100.000		✓
muIAAm	muIAAm		0.003		✓
muIAA	muIAA		0.003		✓
delta	delta		4.000		✓
qa	qa		0.500		✓
qd	qd		0.440		✓
pa	pa		1.000		✓
pd	pd		0.072		✓
ka	ka		$8.2 \cdot 10^{-4}$		✓
kd	kd		0.330		✓
la	la		5.750		✓
ld	ld		0.045		✓
lm	lm		0.900		✓
muIAAstar	muIAAstar		0.100		✓

## 6 Reactions

This model contains 16 reactions. All reactions are listed in the following table and are subsequently described in detail. If a reaction is affected by a modifier, the identifier of this species is written above the reaction arrow.

Table 5: Overview of all reactions

Nº	Id	Name	Reaction Equation	SBO
1	auxin- _production	auxin_production	$\text{null} \rightleftharpoons \text{aux}$	
2	auxin- _degradation	auxin_degradation	$\text{aux} \rightleftharpoons \text{null}$	
3	mRNA_production	mRNA_production	$\text{null} \xrightarrow{\text{ARF, ARF2, ARFIAA}} \text{IAAm}$	
4	mRNA- _degradation	mRNA_degradation	$\text{IAAm} \rightleftharpoons \text{null}$	
5	IAA_degradation	IAA_degradation	$\text{IAAp} \rightleftharpoons \text{null}$	
6	mRNA- _translation	mRNA_translation	$\text{IAAm} \rightleftharpoons \text{IAAm} + \text{IAAp}$	
7	ARF2_formation	ARF2_formation	$2 \text{ARF} \rightleftharpoons \text{ARF2}$	
8	ARF2- _dissociation	ARF2_dissociation	$\text{ARF2} \rightleftharpoons 2 \text{ARF}$	
9	ARFIAA- _formation	ARFIAA_formation	$\text{ARF} + \text{IAAp} \rightleftharpoons \text{ARFIAA}$	
10	ARFIAA- _dissociation	ARFIAA_dissociation	$\text{ARFIAA} \rightleftharpoons \text{ARF} + \text{IAAp}$	
11	auxTIR1- _formation	auxTIR1_formation	$\text{aux} + \text{TIR1} \rightleftharpoons \text{auxTIR1}$	
12	auxTIR1- _dissociation	auxTIR1_dissociation	$\text{auxTIR1} \rightleftharpoons \text{aux} + \text{TIR1}$	

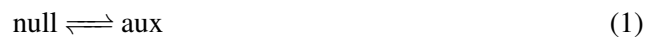
Nº	Id	Name	Reaction Equation	SBO
13	auxTIR1IAA- _formation	auxTIR1IAA_formation	$\text{auxTIR1} + \text{IAAp} \rightleftharpoons \text{auxTIR1IAA}$	
14	auxTIR1IAA- _dissociation	auxTIR1IAA_dissociation	$\text{auxTIR1IAA} \rightleftharpoons \text{auxTIR1} + \text{IAAp}$	
15	IAA- _ubiquitination	IAA_ubiquitination	$\text{auxTIR1IAA} \rightleftharpoons \text{auxTIR1} + \text{IAAstar}$	
16	IAAstar- _degradation	IAAstar_degradation	$\text{IAAstar} \rightleftharpoons \text{null}$	

## 6.1 Reaction `auxin_production`

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming one product.

**Name** `auxin_production`

### Reaction equation



### Reactant

Table 6: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
null	null	

### Product

Table 7: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
aux	aux	

### Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** not available

$$v_1 = S_{\text{auxin}} \quad (2)$$

## 6.2 Reaction `auxin_degradation`

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming one product.

**Name** `auxin_degradation`

### Reaction equation



### Reactant



Table 8: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
aux	aux	

## Product

Table 9: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
null	null	

## Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_2 = [\text{aux}] \cdot \text{muaux} \quad (4)$$

## 6.3 Reaction mRNA\_production

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming one product influenced by three modifiers.

**Name** mRNA\_production

## Reaction equation



## Reactant

Table 10: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
null	null	

## Modifiers

Table 11: Properties of each modifier.

Id	Name	SBO
ARF	ARF	
ARF2	ARF2	
ARFIAA	ARFIAA	

## Product

Table 12: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
IAAm	IAAm	

## Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_3 = [\text{ARF}] \cdot \text{lambda1} \cdot \left( \text{thetaARF} \cdot \left( [\text{ARF}] \cdot \text{thetaARF}^{-1} + [\text{ARF2}] \cdot \text{thetaARF2}^{-1} + [\text{ARFIAA}] \cdot \text{thetaARFIAA}^{-1} + 1 \right) \right)^{-1} \quad (6)$$

## 6.4 Reaction mRNA\_degradation

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming one product.

**Name** mRNA\_degradation

## Reaction equation



## Reactant

Table 13: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
IAAm	IAAm	

## Product

Table 14: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
null	null	

## Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_4 = [\text{IAAm}] \cdot \mu\text{IAAm} \quad (8)$$

## 6.5 Reaction IAA\_degradation

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming one product.

**Name** IAA\_degradation

## Reaction equation



## Reactant

Table 15: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
IAAp	IAAp	

## Product

Table 16: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
null	null	

## Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_5 = [\text{IAAp}] \cdot \text{muIAA} \quad (10)$$

## 6.6 Reaction mRNA\_translation

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming two products.

**Name** mRNA\_translation

### Reaction equation



### Reactant

Table 17: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
IAAm	IAAm	

### Products

Table 18: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
IAAm	IAAm	
IAAp	IAAp	

### Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_6 = \text{delta} \cdot [\text{IAAm}] \quad (12)$$

## 6.7 Reaction ARF2\_formation

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming one product.

**Name** ARF2\_formation

### Reaction equation



## Reactant

Table 19: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
ARF	ARF	

## Product

Table 20: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
ARF2	ARF2	

## Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_7 = [\text{ARF}]^2 \cdot q_a \quad (14)$$

## 6.8 Reaction ARF2\_dissociation

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming one product.

**Name** ARF2\_dissociation

## Reaction equation



## Reactant

Table 21: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
ARF2	ARF2	

## Product

Table 22: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
ARF	ARF	

**Kinetic Law****Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_8 = [\text{ARF}^2] \cdot \text{qd} \quad (16)$$

**6.9 Reaction ARFIAA\_formation**

This is a reversible reaction of two reactants forming one product.

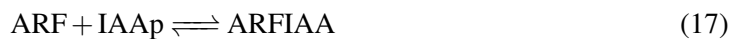
**Name** ARFIAA\_formation**Reaction equation****Reactants**

Table 23: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
ARF	ARF	
IAAp	IAAp	

**Product**

Table 24: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
ARFIAA	ARFIAA	

**Kinetic Law****Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_9 = [\text{ARF}] \cdot [\text{IAAp}] \cdot \text{pa} \quad (18)$$

## 6.10 Reaction ARFIAA\_dissociation

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming two products.

**Name** ARFIAA\_dissociation

### Reaction equation



### Reactant

Table 25: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
ARFIAA	ARFIAA	

### Products

Table 26: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
ARF	ARF	
IAAp	IAAp	

### Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_{10} = [\text{ARFIAA}] \cdot \text{pd} \quad (20)$$

## 6.11 Reaction auxTIR1\_formation

This is a reversible reaction of two reactants forming one product.

**Name** auxTIR1\_formation

### Reaction equation



### Reactants

Table 27: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
aux	aux	
TIR1	TIR1	

## Product

Table 28: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
auxTIR1	auxTIR1	

## Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_{11} = [\text{aux}] \cdot k_a \cdot [\text{TIR1}] \quad (22)$$

## 6.12 Reaction auxTIR1\_dissociation

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming two products.

**Name** auxTIR1\_dissociation

## Reaction equation



## Reactant

Table 29: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
auxTIR1	auxTIR1	

## Products



Table 30: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
aux	aux	
TIR1	TIR1	

### Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_{12} = [\text{auxTIR1}] \cdot k_d \quad (24)$$

### 6.13 Reaction auxTIR1IAA\_formation

This is a reversible reaction of two reactants forming one product.

**Name** auxTIR1IAA\_formation

### Reaction equation



### Reactants

Table 31: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
auxTIR1	auxTIR1	
IAAp	IAAp	

### Product

Table 32: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
auxTIR1IAA	auxTIR1IAA	

### Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_{13} = [\text{auxTIR1}] \cdot [\text{IAAp}] \cdot I_a \quad (26)$$

#### 6.14 Reaction `auxTIR1IAA_dissociation`

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming two products.

**Name** `auxTIR1IAA_dissociation`

##### Reaction equation



##### Reactant

Table 33: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
<code>auxTIR1IAA</code>	<code>auxTIR1IAA</code>	

##### Products

Table 34: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
<code>auxTIR1</code>	<code>auxTIR1</code>	
<code>IAAp</code>	<code>IAAp</code>	

##### Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_{14} = [\text{auxTIR1IAA}] \cdot I_d \quad (28)$$

#### 6.15 Reaction `IAA_ubiquitination`

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming two products.

**Name** `IAA_ubiquitination`

##### Reaction equation



## Reactant

Table 35: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
auxTIR1IAA	auxTIR1IAA	

## Products

Table 36: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
auxTIR1	auxTIR1	
IAAstar	IAAstar	

## Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_{15} = [\text{auxTIR1IAA}] \cdot \text{lm} \quad (30)$$

### 6.16 Reaction IAAstar\_degradation

This is a reversible reaction of one reactant forming one product.

**Name** IAAstar\_degradation

#### Reaction equation



## Reactant

Table 37: Properties of each reactant.

Id	Name	SBO
IAAstar	IAAstar	

## Product

Table 38: Properties of each product.

Id	Name	SBO
null	null	

## Kinetic Law

**Derived unit** contains undeclared units

$$v_{16} = [\text{IAAstar}] \cdot \text{muIAAstar} \quad (32)$$

## 7 Derived Rate Equations

When interpreted as an ordinary differential equation framework, this model implies the following set of equations for the rates of change of each species.

Identifiers for kinetic laws highlighted in gray cannot be verified to evaluate to units of SBML substance per time. As a result, some SBML interpreters may not be able to verify the consistency of the units on quantities in the model. Please check if

- parameters without an unit definition are involved or
- volume correction is necessary because the `hasOnlySubstanceUnits` flag may be set to `false` and `spacialDimensions` > 0 for certain species.

### 7.1 Species aux

**Name** aux

**Initial concentration**  $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

This species takes part in four reactions (as a reactant in `auxin_degradation`, `auxTIR1_formation` and as a product in `auxin_production`, `auxTIR1_dissociation`).

$$\frac{d}{dt}\text{aux} = v_1 + v_{12} - v_2 - v_{11} \quad (33)$$

### 7.2 Species IAAm

**Name** IAAm

**Initial concentration**  $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

This species takes part in four reactions (as a reactant in `mRNA_degradation`, `mRNA_translation` and as a product in `mRNA_production`, `mRNA_translation`).

$$\frac{d}{dt}\text{IAAm} = v_3 + v_6 - v_4 - v_6 \quad (34)$$

### 7.3 Species IAAp

**Name** IAAp

**Initial concentration** 0 mol · l<sup>-1</sup>

This species takes part in six reactions (as a reactant in [IAA\\_degradation](#), [ARFIAA\\_formation](#), [auxTIR1IAA\\_formation](#) and as a product in [mRNA\\_translation](#), [ARFIAA\\_dissociation](#), [auxTIR1IAA\\_dissociation](#)).

$$\frac{d}{dt}\text{IAAp} = v_6 + v_{10} + v_{14} - v_5 - v_9 - v_{13} \quad (35)$$

### 7.4 Species ARF

**Name** ARF

**Initial concentration** 10 mol · l<sup>-1</sup>

This species takes part in five reactions (as a reactant in [ARF2\\_formation](#), [ARFIAA\\_formation](#) and as a product in [ARF2\\_dissociation](#), [ARFIAA\\_dissociation](#) and as a modifier in [mRNA\\_production](#)).

$$\frac{d}{dt}\text{ARF} = 2 v_8 + v_{10} - 2 v_7 - v_9 \quad (36)$$

### 7.5 Species null

**Name** null

**Initial concentration** 0 mol · l<sup>-1</sup>

This species takes part in six reactions (as a reactant in [auxin\\_production](#), [mRNA\\_production](#) and as a product in [auxin\\_degradation](#), [mRNA\\_degradation](#), [IAA\\_degradation](#), [IAAstar\\_degradation](#)), which do not influence its rate of change because this constant species is on the boundary of the reaction system:

$$\frac{d}{dt}\text{null} = 0 \quad (37)$$

### 7.6 Species ARFIAA

**Name** ARFIAA

**Initial concentration** 0 mol · l<sup>-1</sup>

This species takes part in three reactions (as a reactant in [ARFIAA\\_dissociation](#) and as a product in [ARFIAA\\_formation](#) and as a modifier in [mRNA\\_production](#)).

$$\frac{d}{dt}\text{ARFIAA} = v_9 - v_{10} \quad (38)$$

## 7.7 Species ARF2

**Name** ARF2

**Initial concentration** 0 mol · l<sup>-1</sup>

This species takes part in three reactions (as a reactant in [ARF2\\_dissociation](#) and as a product in [ARF2\\_formation](#) and as a modifier in [mRNA\\_production](#)).

$$\frac{d}{dt} \text{ARF2} = v_7 - v_8 \quad (39)$$

## 7.8 Species auxTIR1

**Name** auxTIR1

**Initial concentration** 0 mol · l<sup>-1</sup>

This species takes part in five reactions (as a reactant in [auxTIR1\\_dissociation](#), [auxTIR1IAA\\_formation](#) and as a product in [auxTIR1\\_formation](#), [auxTIR1IAA\\_dissociation](#), [IAA\\_ubiquitination](#)).

$$\frac{d}{dt} \text{auxTIR1} = v_{11} + v_{14} + v_{15} - v_{12} - v_{13} \quad (40)$$

## 7.9 Species auxTIR1IAA

**Name** auxTIR1IAA

**Initial concentration** 0 mol · l<sup>-1</sup>

This species takes part in three reactions (as a reactant in [auxTIR1IAA\\_dissociation](#), [IAA\\_ubiquitination](#) and as a product in [auxTIR1IAA\\_formation](#)).

$$\frac{d}{dt} \text{auxTIR1IAA} = v_{13} - v_{14} - v_{15} \quad (41)$$

## 7.10 Species TIR1

**Name** TIR1

**Initial concentration** 18.51 mol · l<sup>-1</sup>

This species takes part in two reactions (as a reactant in [auxTIR1\\_formation](#) and as a product in [auxTIR1\\_dissociation](#)).

$$\frac{d}{dt} \text{TIR1} = v_{12} - v_{11} \quad (42)$$

## 7.11 Species IAAstar

**Name** IAAstar

**Initial concentration** 0 mol · l<sup>-1</sup>

This species takes part in two reactions (as a reactant in [IAAstar\\_degradation](#) and as a product in [IAA\\_ubiquitination](#)).

$$\frac{d}{dt} \text{IAAstar} = v_{15} - v_{16} \quad (43)$$

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