Problem 1b: Levenspiel Plot (6 points)

The following irreversible, liquid-phase reaction $(A + B \rightarrow C + D)$ is carried out in two separate steady-state reactors, a PFR and a CSTR. Both reactors achieve the same conversion $(X_{PFR} = X_{CSTR})$. The Levenspiel plot for this reaction is given below. Is it possible to have a scenario where the volume of the aforementioned CSTR is greater than the volume of the aforementioned PFR (i.e., $V_{CSTR} > V_{PFR}$)?

Respond with yes or no <u>and</u> a short justification or a qualitative graph. Reponses that guess the correct answer without justification will not receive credit.

