

Course Title :

Population Dynamics [Environmental Sciences]

Environmental Management and Policy III

(Advanced course of)

The Theory in Bio-Demography

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Background

Oct. 10 and 17

Date	Lecturer	Class hr.	
Sept. 26	KN	2 – 5	
Oct. 3	KN	2 - 4	
Oct. 10	Tak	2 - 4	
Oct. 17	Tak	2 - 4	

TK

- ✓ Application to complex life history
- ✓ Basic population metrics
- ✓ Application to conservation ecology

Concept: From age-structure to stage-structure
 (From human demography to bio-demography)

After revision

Class 2 hr.	10:25 - 11:55	90 min.
Class 3 hr.	13:15 - 14:45	90 min.
Class 4 hr.	15:10 - 16:40	90 min.

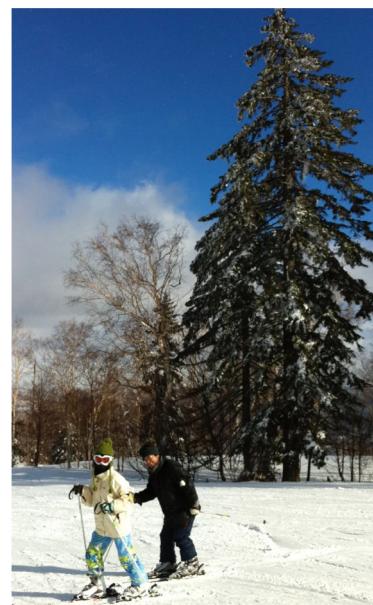
Before revision

Class 2 hr.	10:25 - 12:10	105 min.
Class 3 hr.	13:00 - 14:45	105 min.
Class 4 hr.	14:55 - 16:40	105 min.

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- Born in Hakodate, the southern part of Hokkaido
- Speciality: Mathematical ecology
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Hobbies: Hiking, Skiing, River-fishing



What I am planning this year

The 3rd Meeting of Power Demography

Date: Nov. 20 (Fri), 2020 13:00–17:30.

Place : Online meeting using zoom. <https://taktakada.github.io>

Speakers and titles:

Tak Takada (Hokkaido Univ.) Introductory talk

Hiroshi Tomimatsu (Yamagata Univ.) Population biology of a forest herb
Trillium camschatcense in anthropogenically fragmented and geographically
peripheral habitats

Fumiko Ishihama (NIES) Estimating the extinction risk of "immortal" tree -
simulation analysis using a shoot-dynamics matrix model -

Hiroyuki Yokomizo (NIES) Inter-stage flow matrices: a new population statistic
derived from life history matrices

Richard Shefferson (Univ. of Tokyo) Addressing the importance of individual
history on population dynamics with R package Lefko3

Questions and registration : Tak Takada e-mail: takada@ees.hokudai.ac.jp

Your turn !!!

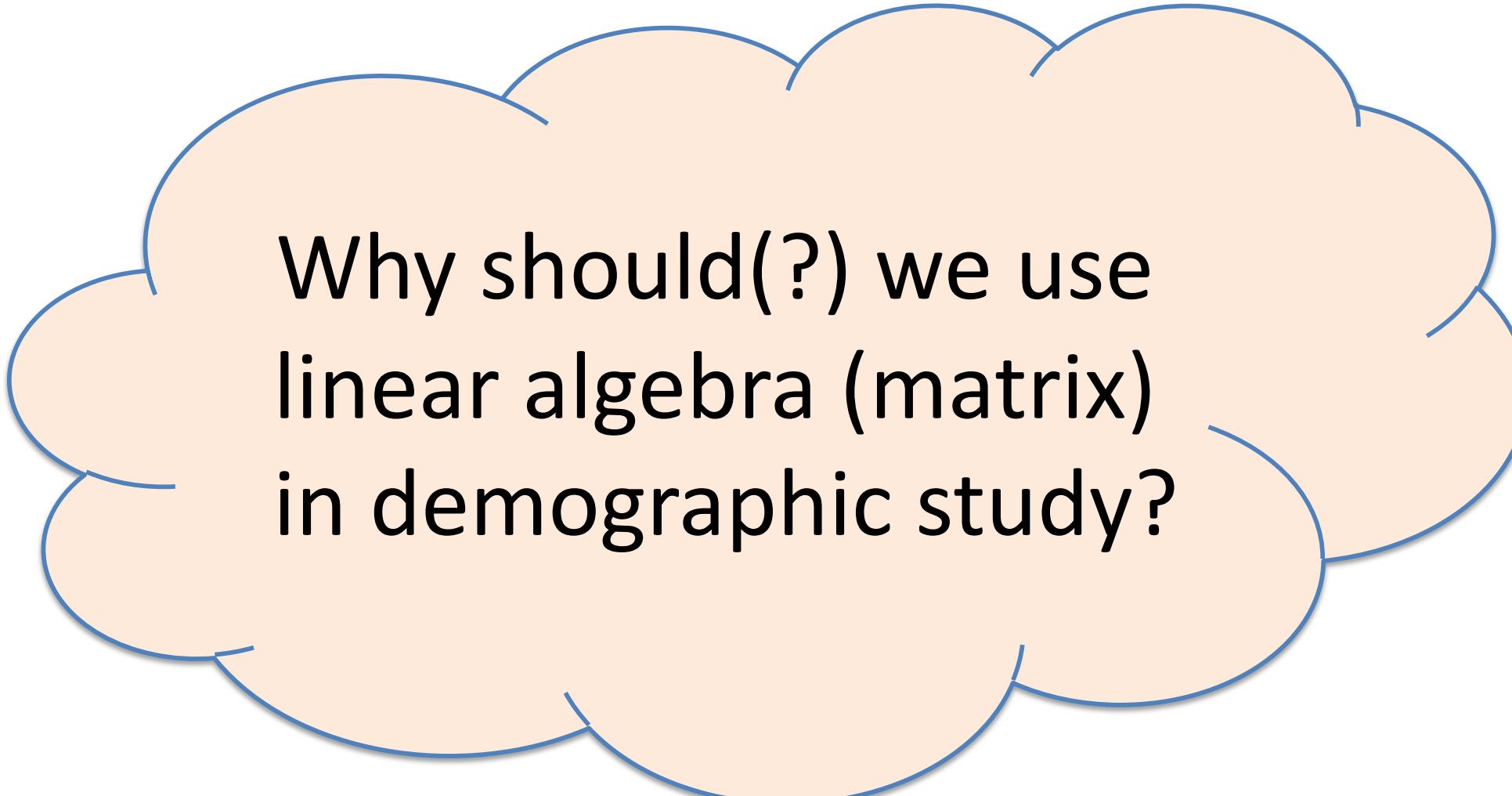
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- Coming from?
- B.M.D course
- Laboratory? What do you study?
- Good at math?

Purpose

- From age-structure to stage-structure
(From human demography to bio-demography)
- How to apply matrix algebra to bio-demography?
- How to obtain the basic population metrics using the matrix?
- How to apply them in conservation ecology?

A little bit math





Why should(?) we use
linear algebra (matrix)
in demographic study?

Answer: History & Theoretical thought
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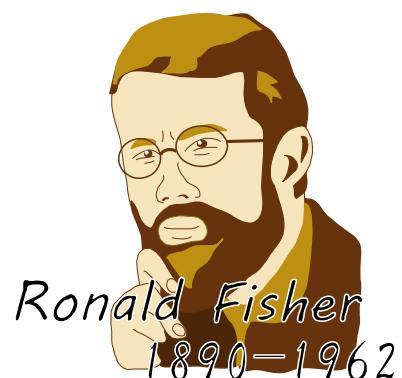
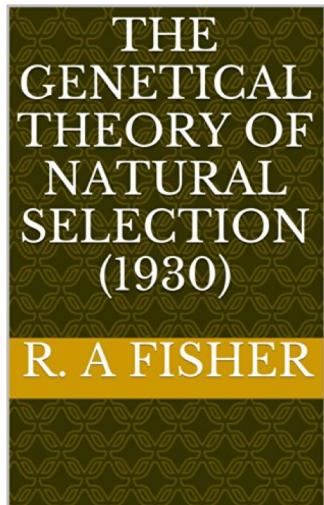
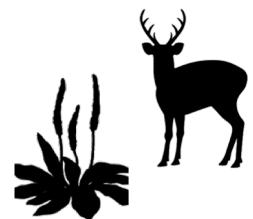
Demography?

Demography is the statistical study of populations, especially human beings. As a very general science, it can analyze any kind of dynamic living population (population dynamics).
(From Wikipedia)



Human demography
Nishimura-sensei

Bio-demography
(Plants and Animals)



One of the most famous textbooks in ecology

He did not use matrix framework

Fundamental theories of population ecology in 1930s

CONTENTS

List of Illustrations

I. The Nature of Inheritance

The consequences of the blending theory, as drawn by Darwin. Difficulties felt by Darwin. Particulate inheritance. Conservation of the variance. Theories of evolution worked by mutations. Is all inheritance particulate? Nature and frequency of observed mutations.

II. The Fundamental Theorem of Natural Selection 22

The life table and the table of reproduction. The Malthusian parameter of population increase. Reproductive value. The genetic element in variance. Natural Selection. The nature of adaptation. Deterioration of the environment. Changes in population. Summary

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THE
GENETICAL
THEORY OF
NATURAL
SELECTION
(1930)

R. A FISHER

III. The

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Euler–Lotka Equation

$$1 = \sum_{i=1}^n b_i l_i \lambda^{-i}$$

reproductive value

$$\frac{v_j}{v_1} = \frac{\lambda^j}{l_j} \sum_{i=j} b_i l_i \lambda^{-i-1}$$

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Who gave birth to this baby?



Nishimura Part



$$1 = b_1 l_1 \lambda^{-1} + \cdots + b_{x-1} l_{x-1} \lambda^{-(x-1)} + \underbrace{b_x l_x \lambda^{-x}}_{\text{Probability that the newborn's parent is age-}x} + b_{x+1} l_{x+1} \lambda^{-(x+1)} + \cdots$$

All sum

Probability that the
newborn's parent is age- x

The name is “Euler–Lotka Equation”, which allows us to obtain λ for given b_x and l_x .

Chronological table

1826 Babbage	Life table	
	<i>A Comparative View of the various Institutions for the Assurance of Lives.</i>	
1910 Sharpe & Lotka	Euler-Lotka equation	Nishimura Part
1912 Frobenius	Peron–Frobenius theorem	
1930 Fisher	Basic theory, Defining “Reproductive value”	
1941 Bernardelli	Age-structured “Leslie model”	
1945 Leslie	Leslie matrix	
1963, 1965 Lefkovitch	Stage-structured “Matrix population model”	
1978 Caswell	Sensitivity analysis (New metrics)	
1986 De Kroon et al.	Elasticity analysis (New metrics)	
2015 Salguero-Gomez et al.	COMPADRE Plant Database	

History of Matrix Population Model

- transition matrix model or projection matrix model

1) Bernardelli (1941), Lewis (1942)

2) Leslie (1945, 1948, 1959, 1966)

Age-structured model “Leslie matrix model”

Drastic change from age-structure to stage-structure

3) Lefkovitch(1963, 1965)

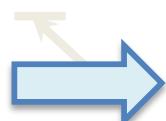
Stage-structured model in a beetle.

4) Theoretical and applied studies have been developed since 1970s.

Schaffer & Samson(1985) Grizzly Lande(1988) Owl

Damman & Cain(1998) Wild ginger Lindborg & Ehrlen(2000) Wild maze

+ Many plant & animal species



Big database

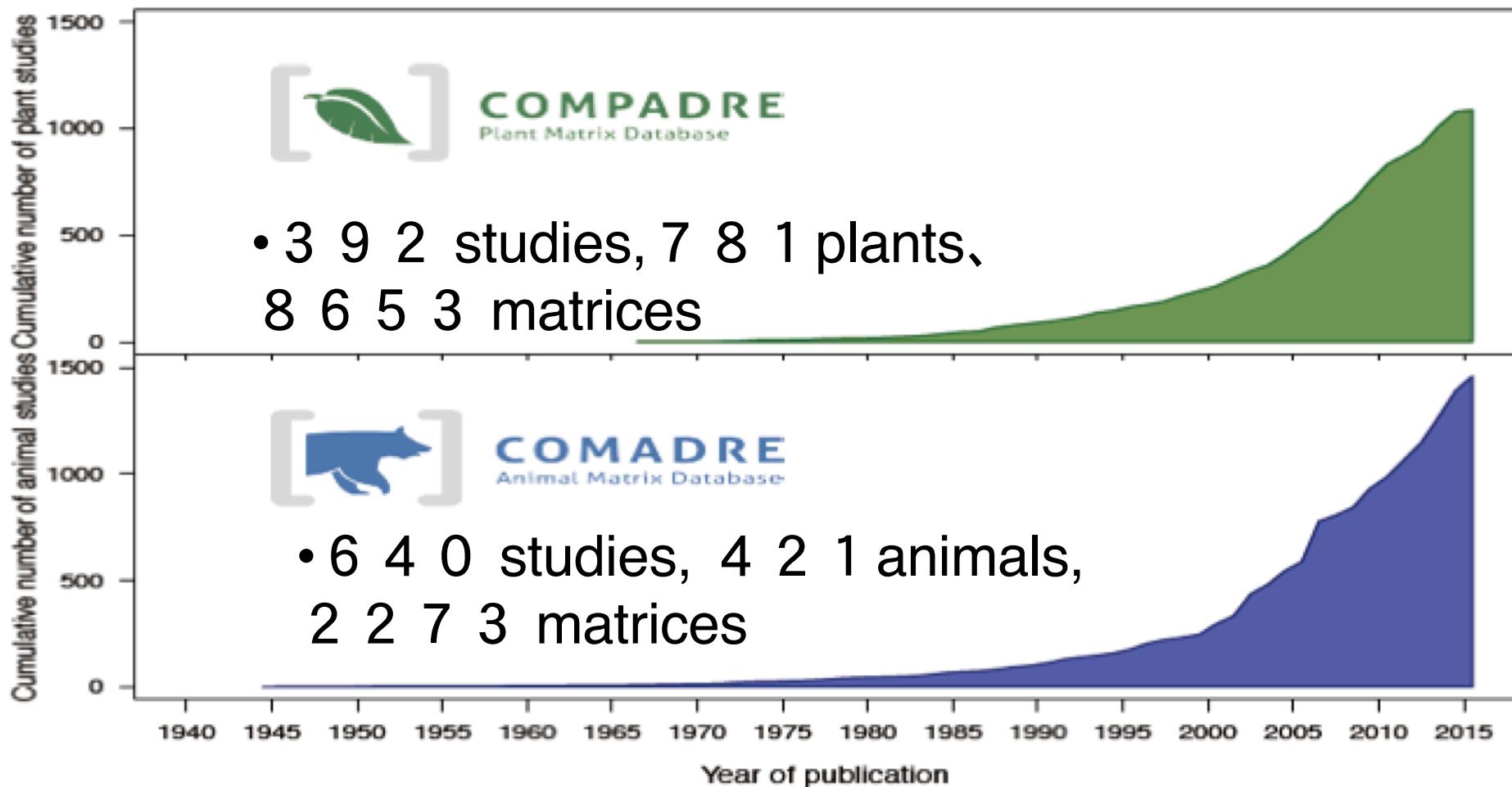
Database of Matrix Population Model

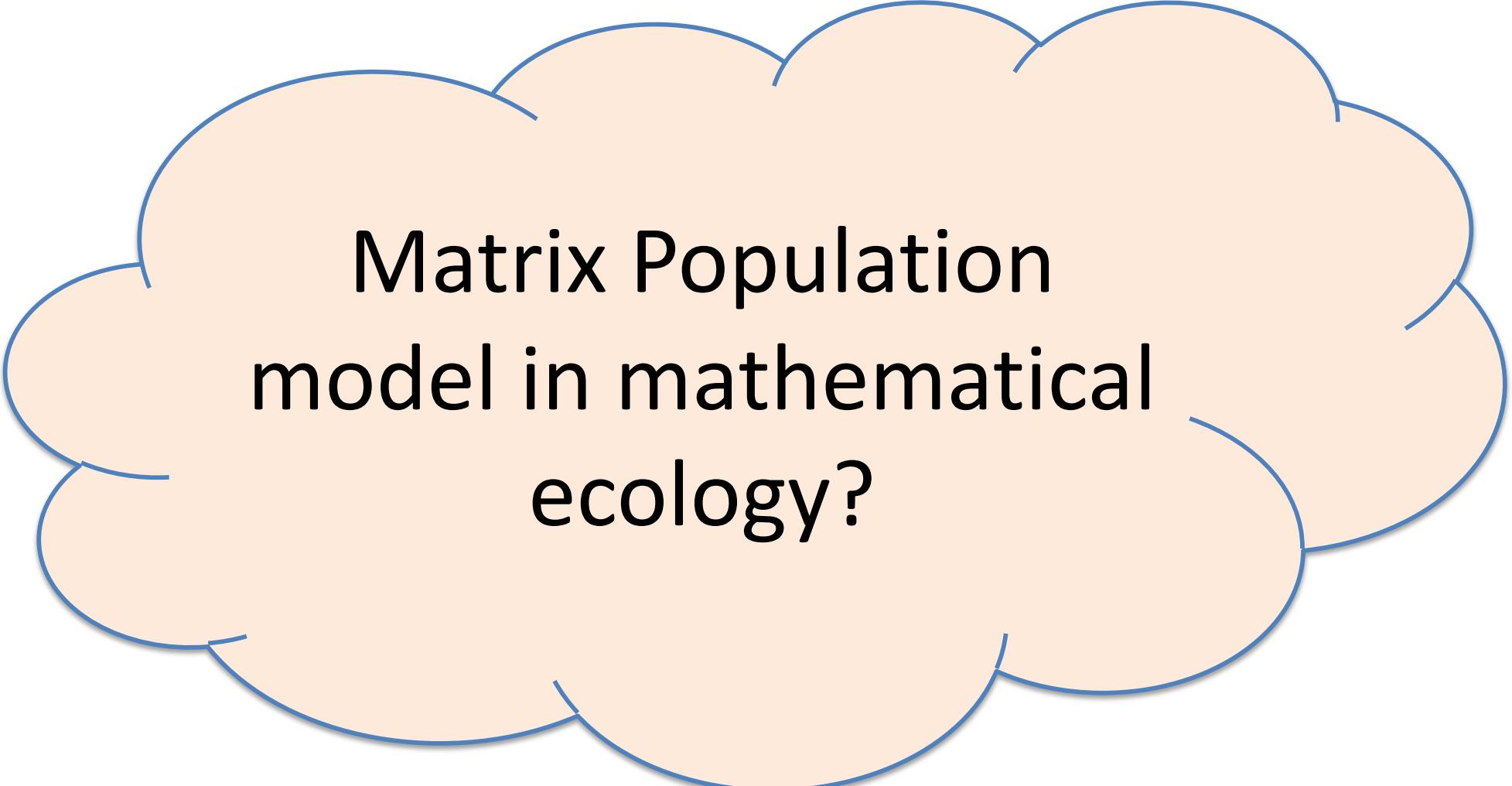
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Salguero-Gómez et al. (2015)

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Salguero-Gómez, Owen Jones et al. (2016)





**Matrix Population
model in mathematical
ecology?**

Mathematical models in ecology

1) Dynamical model:

Malthus model, Logistic model, Lotka-Volterra model,
matrix population model, diffusion equation model,
lattice model, etc.

(To grasp the characteristics of the dynamics)

2) Evolutionary model:

Egg-size model, Leaf expansion and shedding model,
Reproductive schedule model, Foraging strategy model,
Hawk-Dove game, Sex ratio model

(To obtain optimal strategy or evolutionarily stable
strategy)

Classification of dynamical model

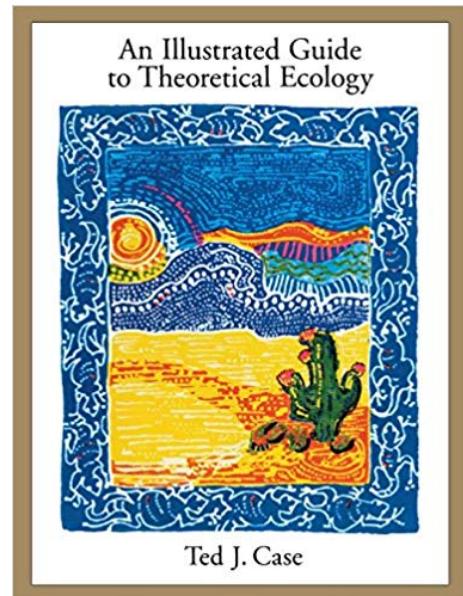
Model	Time	Space	No. of variables	Memo
Malthus model	Conti.	None	1	One species
Logistic model	Conti.	None	1	Density effect
Competition equation	Conti.	None	>1	Multi-species, Competition
Lotka-Volterra model	Conti.	None	>1	Multi-species, Predation
Continuity equation	Conti.	None	1	Size growth and transition
Diffusion equation model	Conti.	Available	1	Diffusion of individuals
Population matrix model	Disc.	None	>1	Transition of life stage
Lattice model	Disc.	Available	1,>1	Spatial dispersion

Classification of evolutionary model

model	strategy	No. of species	memo
Egg-size model	1 var., conti.	1	Optimal
Leaf expansion and shedding model	>1 var., conti.	1	Optimal
Reproductive schedule mode	function, conti.	1	Optimal
Hawk-Dove model	two strategies, discrete	1	E S S
Sex ratio model	1 var., conti.	1	E S S

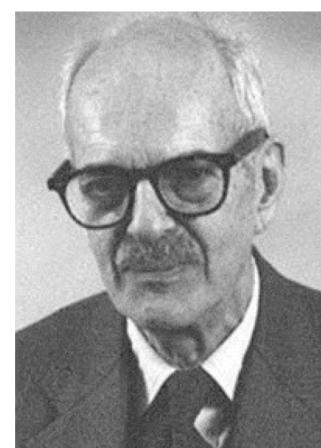
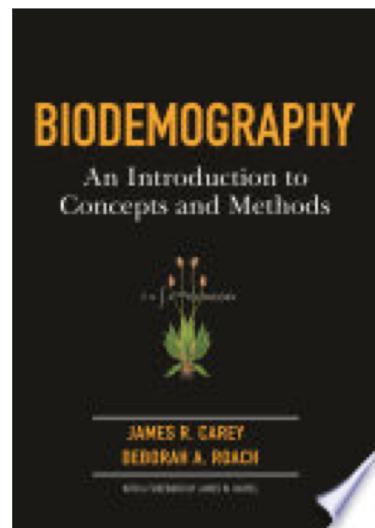
Textbook

Case (2000)
in 3rd & 4th
chapters.



Carey & Roach
(2020)

500pp.
Standard textbook



Keyfitz (1968)

**Matrix
Population
Models** SECOND EDITION

CONSTRUCTION, ANALYSIS, AND INTERPRETATION



Hal Caswell (2001)
720pp.
Standard textbook

Introduction to the
Mathematics of
Populations

Nathan Keyfitz
(1968)

Questions

- (1) There are n numbers, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n . The probability of getting x_i is given by $p(x_i)$. Then, answer the formula of the expectation (average).
- (2) Answer the formula of the determinant of following matrix.

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{pmatrix}$$

- (3) For a given survivorship curve, $l(x)$, answer the formula of remaining lifetime of individuals with age y .
- (4) For a given survivorship ($l(x)$) and age-dependent fertility ($b(x)$), how many children can be expected in the lifetime?



Break time

The 1st Japanese textbook

Introduction to Mathematical biology (1950)

数理生物学概論 (by 小松勇作)

by Yusaku Komatsu (Utokyo, Math.)

- Chap. 1 Population growth
- Chap. 2 Genetics
- Chap. 3 Diffusion in cells
- Chap. 4 neuron model
- Chap. 5 Models on white blood cells and
on circulation of blood in heart

He did not know population matrix model.



Break time

Japanese Society for Mathematical Biology (JSMB)

- Members About 500
- Starting as an informal organization (1989)
Organizing the symposium every year.
- Founding the academic society (2004)
Annual meeting, several awards
Publication of the newsletter