

Which of the following is true in a Lotka-Volterra predator prey model:

- A. The prey birth rate is constant.
- B. The predator birth rate depends on the # of prey.
- C. The prey death rate depends on the # of predators.
- D. The predator death rate depends on the # of prey.

What is the name of points where neither species changes quantity?

- A. Poincare Points
- B. Equilibrium Points
- C. Null Points
- D. Cooperative Points

Species r and s are represented in a phase plane with r on the horizontal axis and s on the vertical axis. In a portion of the phase plane, $\Delta r > 0$ and $\Delta s < 0$. In that portion of the phase plane

- A. r increases and s increases.
- B. r increases and s decreases.
- C. r decreases and s increases.
- D. r decreases and s decreases.

The basic SIR model for measles is modified to allow for the possibility that the measles are fatal. Which is true about the change in the diagram for the model?

- A. A new group is added to the model but no arrows
- B. A new arrow is added but no new groups
- C. Both a new arrow and a new group are added
- D. The diagram is unchanged.

A group of medical doctors researched ways to increase handwashing by children. They believe they can cut in half the chance children's chance of infection in half as a result. What will be the impact on the threshold population?

- A. Cut the threshold population in half.
- B. Double the threshold population.
- C. No change in the threshold population.
- D. Increase the threshold population by 2%.

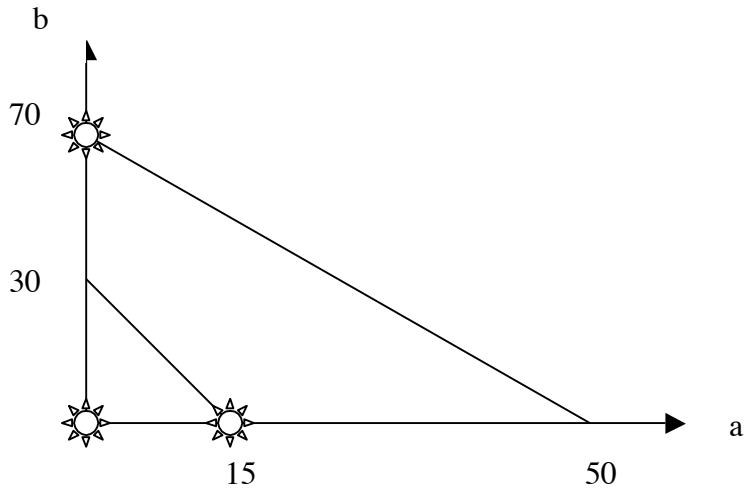
In the basic SIR model, the parameter b is calculated as


- A. $1/(\text{time in } S)$
- B. $1/(\text{time in } I)$
- C. $1/(\text{time in } R)$
- D. chance of infection/#contacts

Suppose species a and b are modeled by the equations

$$\frac{\Delta a}{\Delta t} = 0.7a - 0.014a^2 - 0.01ab$$
$$\frac{\Delta b}{\Delta t} = 0.3b - 0.01b^2 - 0.02ab$$

- Label the skew lines in the phase plane below as $\Delta a = 0$ or $\Delta b = 0$.
- Add arrows to the regions of the diagram
- Interpret the phase plane biologically.



Where  denotes an equilibrium point.