Problems related to Identifiability of Linear Compartmental Models:

- 1. Construct a linear compartmental model and write the associated ODE system of equations. Check identifiability in COMBOS.
- 2. We say a graph is strongly connected if there exists a path from each vertex to every other vertex. Construct a strongly connected graph that has:
 - a. 2 vertices
 - b. 3 vertices
 - c. 4 vertices
- 3. For a graph with n vertices, what is the minimal number of edges required for a graph to be strongly connected?
- 4. We say a graph is inductively strongly connected if there exists an ordering of the vertices, starting at vertex 1, such that each induced subgraph with vertex set {1,...,i}, for i=1,...n, is strongly connected. Construct an inductively strongly connected graph that has:
 - a. 2 vertices, 2 edges
 - b. 3 vertices, 4 edges
 - c. 4 vertices, 6 edges
- 5. Construct a graph that is not inductively strongly connected and has:
 - a. 3 vertices
 - b. 4 vertices
- 6. For the models in Problem 4, add an input and output to the first compartment and n leaks. What are the identifiable monomial cycles?
- 7. For the models in Problem 6, try removing leaks and adding inputs/outputs and check identifiability in COMBOS.

Problems related to Identifiability of Nonlinear Models:

8. In the linear 2-compartment model, change the parameter k_{01} to the function $\frac{V_M}{K_M + x_1}$, so that the model is:

$$\dot{x}_{1} = -\left(k_{21} + \frac{V_{M}}{K_{M} + x_{1}}\right)x_{1} + k_{12}x_{2} + u$$
$$\dot{x}_{2} = k_{21}x_{1} - (k_{02} + k_{12})x_{2}$$
$$y = x_{1}$$

Test the identifiability in COMBOS.

- 9. Test the identifiability of the SIR model using COMBOS. What are the identifiable combinations?
- 10. Create your own nonlinear model and try it out in COMBOS.