Modeling the Transmission of Middle East Respirator Syndrome Coronavirus in Republic of Korea

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A. The basic reproduction number $R_0$ of system (1)

Through simple calculation, we can obtain a disease free equilibrium $E_1 = (S_1, 0, 0, 0, R_1)$. Then we use the spectral radius of the next generation matrix (the method proposed by the Van Den Driessche in [1]) to get the expression of $R_0$ of system (1). Firstly, only the infected compartments satisfied by the following system are considered:

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\begin{align*}
\frac{dE}{dt} &= \beta_1 \frac{SA}{N} + \beta_2 \frac{SI}{N} + \beta_3 \frac{SH}{N} - \sigma E, \\
\frac{dA}{dt} &= (1 - \gamma) \sigma E - k_1 A, \\
\frac{dI}{dt} &= \gamma \sigma E - \lambda I, \\
\frac{dH}{dt} &= \gamma \sigma E - \lambda I.
\end{align*}
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And,

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F = \begin{pmatrix}
\beta_1 \frac{SA}{N} + \beta_2 \frac{SI}{N} + \beta_3 \frac{SH}{N} \\
0 \\
0 \\
0 \\
0
\end{pmatrix}, \quad V = \begin{pmatrix}
\sigma E \\
-k_1 A - (1 - \gamma) \sigma E \\
\lambda I - \gamma \sigma E \\
k_2 H + \delta H - \lambda I
\end{pmatrix},
$$

where $F$ denotes the rate of appearance of new infection and $V$ denotes the rate of transfer of individuals. Calculating the derivative of $F$ and $V$ about $x = (E, A, I, H)$, respectively. Then substitute initial data $(S_0, E_0, A_0, I_0, H_0, R_0)$ into variables, we can get:

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F = \begin{pmatrix}
0 & \beta_1 \frac{S_0 A}{N} & \beta_2 \frac{S_0 I}{N} & \beta_3 \frac{S_0 H}{N} \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0
\end{pmatrix}, \quad V = \begin{pmatrix}
\sigma & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
- (1 - \gamma) \sigma & k_1 & 0 & 0 \\
- \sigma \gamma & 0 & \lambda & 0 \\
0 & 0 & - \gamma & \delta + k_2
\end{pmatrix},
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and thus

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FV^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix}
(1 - \gamma) \beta_1 S_0 \\
\gamma \beta_2 S_0 + \gamma \beta_3 S_0 \\
\gamma \beta_2 S_0 + \gamma \beta_3 S_0 \\
(\gamma \beta_2 + k_2) S_0
\end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix}
\frac{\gamma \beta_2 S_0}{\lambda N} \\
\frac{\gamma \beta_2 S_0}{(k_2 + \delta) N} \\
\frac{\gamma \beta_2 S_0}{(k_2 + \delta) N} \\
0
\end{pmatrix},
$$

where $R_0$ is the biggest eigenvalue of matrix $FV^{-1}$ i.e. $R_0 = \rho(FV^{-1})$. The expression of $R_0$ is as follows:

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R_0 = \frac{(1 - \gamma) \beta_1 S_0}{k_1 N} + \frac{\gamma \beta_2 S_0}{\lambda N} + \frac{\gamma \beta_3 S_0}{(k_2 + \delta) N}.
$$
B. The basic reproduction number $R_c$ of system (3)

In this part, we give the expression of $R_c$:

$$R_c = \frac{(1-\gamma)l_1\beta_1 S^0}{(d_1+\sigma)(d_2+k_1)N} + \frac{\gamma\sigma l_2\beta_2 S^0}{(d_1+\sigma)(d_3+\lambda)N} + \frac{\gamma\lambda l_3\beta_3 S^0}{(d_1+\sigma)(d_3+\lambda)(d_4+k_2+\delta)N}.$$

C. The Final Size Relation

The actual situation is that there is no additional confirmed cases reported from July 4, 2015. In this case we are more concerned about the final size of confirmed cases during disease prevalence process [2], when the disease of MERS has already die out, i.e., $E(+\infty) = 0$, $A(+\infty) = 0$, $I(+\infty) = 0$, $H(+\infty) = 0$. Note that all solutions of model (3) remain non-negative and bounded in the set defined by $S(t), E(t), A(t), I(t), H(t), R(t) \geq 0$. It is easy to obtain:

$$\frac{d}{dt}[S(t) + E(t)] = -(\sigma + d_1)E.$$

It is found that $S(t) + E(t)$ is decreasing while $E(t) > 0$. Lower Bound of $S(t) + E(t)$ is 0. However, $E(+\infty) = 0$, so $\lim_{t \to +\infty}(S'(t) + E'(t)) = 0$. For an arbitrary function $x(t)$ with non-negative components, $x_{+\infty} = \lim_{t \to +\infty} x(t)$ and $\mathbf{E} = \int_{0}^{+\infty} x(t)dt$. Apply this equation, we integrate the above equation from $t = 0$ to $+\infty$:

$$E(0) - E(+\infty) + S(0) - S(+\infty) = (\sigma + d_1) \int_{0}^{+\infty} E(t)dt = (\sigma + d_1)\mathbf{E}, \text{ and } E(+\infty) = 0$$

i.e.,

$$\mathbf{E} = \frac{S(0) + E(0) - S(+\infty)}{\sigma + d_1}.$$

Similarly, we have:

$$A(+\infty) - A(0) = (1-\gamma)\sigma \mathbf{E} - (k_1 + d_2)\mathbf{A}, \text{ and } A(+\infty) = 0$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \frac{A(0) + (1-\gamma)\sigma \mathbf{E}}{k_1 + d_2}.$$

$$I(+\infty) - I(0) = \gamma\sigma \mathbf{E} - (\lambda + d_3)\mathbf{I}, \text{ and } I(+\infty) = 0$$

$$\mathbf{I} = \frac{I(0) + \gamma\sigma \mathbf{E}}{\lambda + d_3}.$$

$$H(+\infty) - H(0) = \lambda\mathbf{I} - (k_2 + \delta + d_4)\mathbf{H}, \text{ and } H(+\infty) = 0$$

$$\mathbf{H} = \frac{H(0) + \lambda\mathbf{I}}{k_2 + \delta + d_4}.$$

It is easy to get:

$$\mathbf{A} = \frac{A(0) + (1-\gamma)\sigma \mathbf{E}}{k_1 + d_2} = \frac{(\sigma + d_1)A(0) + \sigma(1-\gamma)[S(0) + E(0) - S(+\infty)]}{(\sigma + d_1)(k_1 + d_2)}.$$
\[ T = \frac{I(0) + \gamma \sigma E}{\lambda + d_3} = \frac{(\sigma + d_1)I(0) + \gamma \sigma [S(0) + E(0) - S(\infty)]}{(\sigma + d_1)(\lambda + d_3)}. \]

\[ \mathcal{R}_0 = \frac{H(0) + \lambda T}{k_2 + \delta + d_4} = \frac{(\sigma + d_1)(\lambda + d_3)H(0) + \lambda(\sigma + d_1)I(0) + \lambda \gamma \sigma [S(0) + E(0) - S(\infty)]}{(\sigma + d_1)(\lambda + d_3)(k_2 + \delta + d_4)}. \]

Integration of the first equation of model (3) from 0 to \( t_1 \), we get:

\[ \ln \frac{S(0)}{S(t_1)} = \int_0^{t_1} \left[ l_1 \beta_1 A(t) + l_2 \beta_2 I(t) + l_3 \beta_3 H(t) \right]/N dt. \]

Letting \( t_1 \to +\infty \), we have:

\[ \ln \frac{S(0)}{S(\infty)} = \frac{1}{N} \left[ \frac{(\sigma + d_1)A(0) + \sigma (1 - \gamma) [S(0) + E(0) - S(\infty)]}{(\sigma + d_1)(k_1 + d_2)} l_1 \beta_1 \right. \]
\[ \left. + \frac{(\sigma + d_1)I(0) + \gamma \sigma [S(0) + E(0) - S(\infty)]}{(\sigma + d_1)(\lambda + d_3)} l_2 \beta_2 \right. \]
\[ \left. + \frac{(\sigma + d_1)(\lambda + d_3)H(0) + \lambda(\sigma + d_1)I(0) + \lambda \gamma \sigma [S(0) + E(0) - S(\infty)]}{(\sigma + d_1)(\lambda + d_3)(k_2 + \delta + d_4)} l_3 \beta_3 \right]. \]

Since \( S(0), A(0), E(0), I(0) \) and \( H(0) \) are known, we obtain a relation about the final size of accumulated confirmed cases.

**References**
