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Coexistence in a Ricker Competition Model. Preliminary report.

Many models support the "competitive exclusion principle" in ecology. On the other hand, a significant number of models violate the principle through various dynamic mechanisms. We show that the Ricker competition model with overlapping generations can display non-Lotka/Volterra dynamics. In particular, an increase in interspecific competition can lead to coexistence. (Received February 15, 2005)