

# SUPPLEMENTARY NOTES

for

## Determining the distance to monotonicity of a biological network: a graph-theoretical approach

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### 1 Performances of Algorithm 4

Table 1: Comparison between  $\delta_{low}$  obtained by Algorithm 4 and  $\delta_{low}$  obtained by the simple procedure of iteratively deleting the shortest negative cycles.

	$\delta_{low}$ (short cycle deletion)	$\delta_{low}$ (Algorithm 4)
<i>EGFR</i>	176	<b>186</b>
<i>macrophage</i>	288	<b>302</b>
<i>yeast</i>	40	<b>41</b>
<i>E.coli</i>	336	<b>365</b>

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