

**LogLinearST** model equation is:

$$\log_{10}(Nt) = \log_{10}(A \times B \times C + 10^{\log_{10}(N_r)})$$

where

$$A = 10^{\log_{10}(N_0)} - 10^{\log_{10}(N_r)}$$

$$B = \exp(-k_{max} \times t)$$

$$C = D / (1 + (D - 1) \times B)$$

with

$$D = \exp(k_{max} \times S1)$$

$t$  is time,  $\log_{10}$  is base 10 logarithm. The parameters to estimate are  $k_{max}$ ,  $S1$ ,  $\log_{10}(N_0)$  and  $\log_{10}(N_r)$ .

The noisy output is defined as:

$$\log_{10}(Nt) = \mathcal{N}(\log_{10}(Nt), \%noise)$$

i.e random number from the normal distribution with mean parameter  $\log_{10}(Nt)$  and standard deviation parameter  $\%noise$ .

### Example of LogLinearST curve

Time unit is mn. Maximal time is 60mn.  $k_{max} = 0.5$ ,  $S1 = 8$ ,  $\log_{10}(N_0) = 6$  and  $\log_{10}(N_r) = 0.5$ .

