

RaPIId : a Parameter Identification Toolbox

iTesla Model Validation SW Mock-Up Prototype for WP3.3 and WP3.4 used for
Component Parameter Estimation and Aggregate Model Validation

RaPIId Toolbox User Manual

A Quick start GUIdE for the RaPIId toolbox

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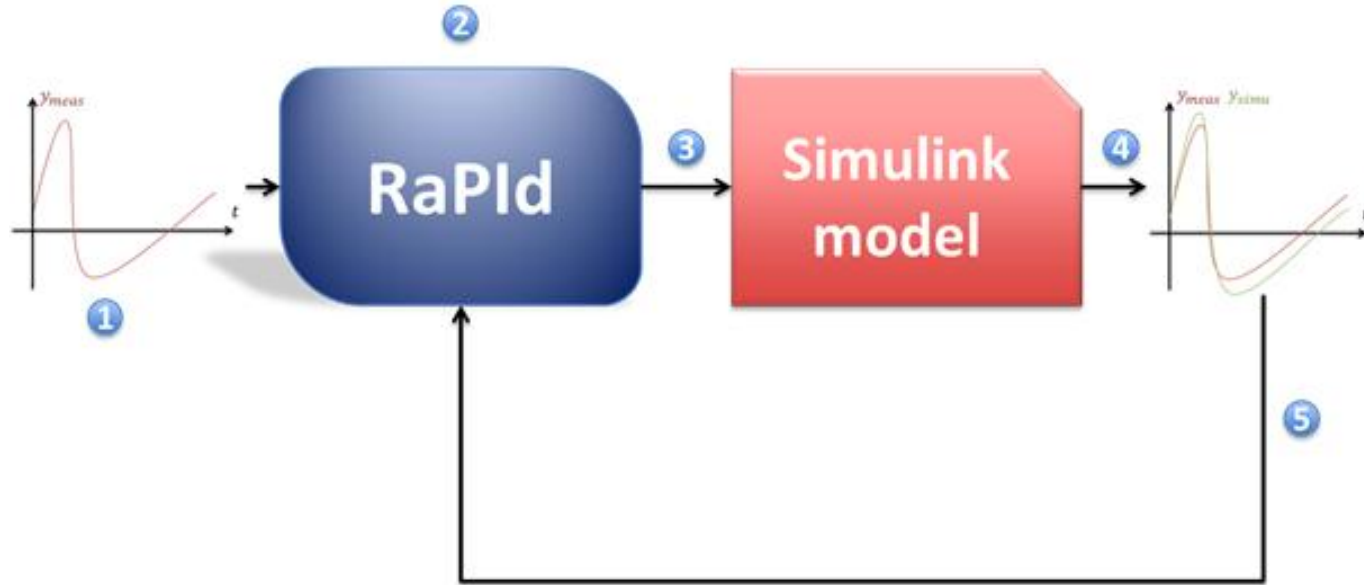
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What is RaPid?

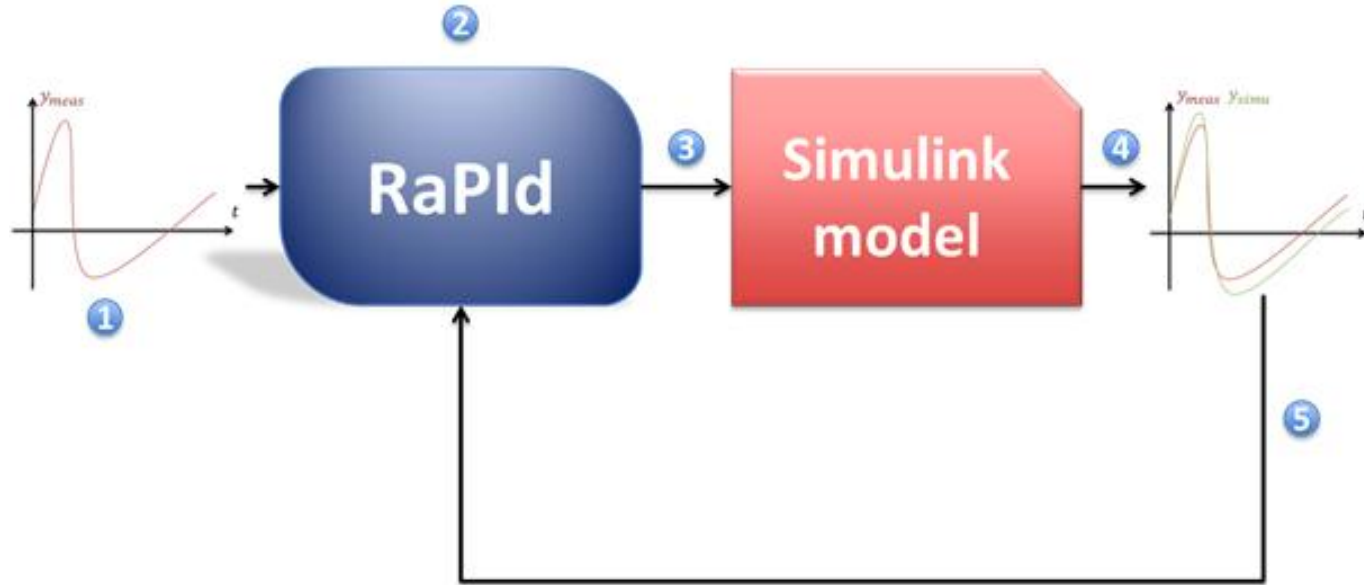
- **RaPid** is a toolbox providing a framework for parameter identification.
- A Modelica model, made available through a Flexible Mock-Unit (i.e. FMU) in the Simulink environment, is characterized by a certain number of parameters whose values can be independently chosen.
- The model is simulated and its outputs are measured.
- **RaPid** attempts to tune the parameters of the model in Simulink so as to obtain the best curve fitting between the outputs of the Simulation and the experimental measurements of the same outputs provided by the user.

What is RaPIId doing?

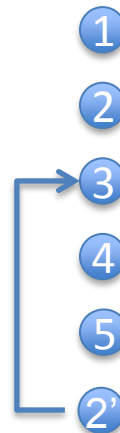


- ① Output (and optionally input) measurements are provided to RaPIId by the user.
- ② At initialisation, a set of parameter is generated randomly or preconfigured in RaPIId.
- ③ The model is simulated with the parameter values given by RaPIId.
- ④ The outputs of the model are recorded and compared to the user-provided measurements.
- ⑤ A fitness function is computed to judge how close the measured data and simulated data are to each other
- ②' Based on the fitness computed in (5) a new set of parameters is computed by RaPIId

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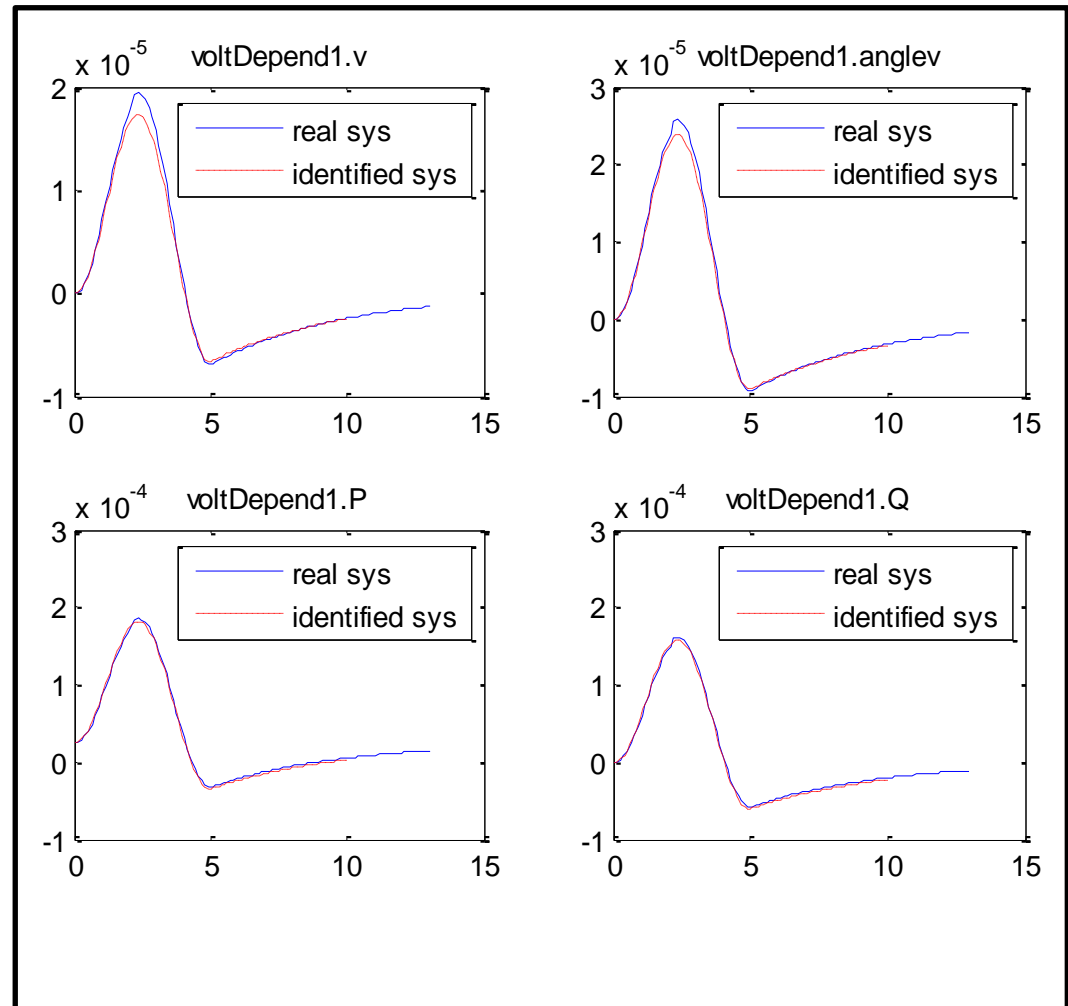


The iterations go on until a minimal fitness or a maximal number of iterations are reached.



Objective

- The model, written in Modelica, is characterised by a vector of parameters
- Find a vector allowing close matching of the Model's output to outputs measured experimentally



Parameter Id for a load characterised by two parameters and four outputs

Requirements

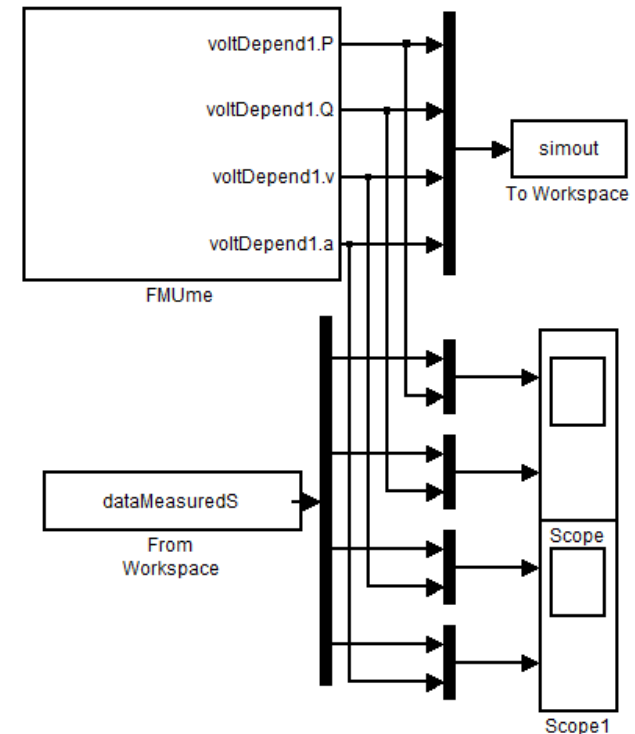
- FMI Toolbox and Matlab must be installed in the 32bit versions.
- The *.fmu container allowing import of the Modelica model in simulink needs to be compatible with Model Exchange (ME).
- If the *.fmu file is generated with Dymola
 - With local license or sharable license of Dymola, the license needs to be in the machine running the FMU
 - A runtime license of Dymola may be needed for FMI to be able to run the simulations in the machine exec the FMU
 - If FMU generated by a "Binary model export license" of Dymola, the FMU will run anywhere
- The output (resp. input) user-provided data needs to be given in a *.mat file. Both time and value for every measured quantity needs to be provided.

Preparation of the Simulink Model

- Warning:
We have experienced some problems when using the Simulink models given as example in the RaPId toolbox on different computers with different versions of the FMI toolbox.
The content describe here was tested with FMI Toolbox 1.5
- You might have to build the model yourself if a problem is encountered when simulating the Simulink model

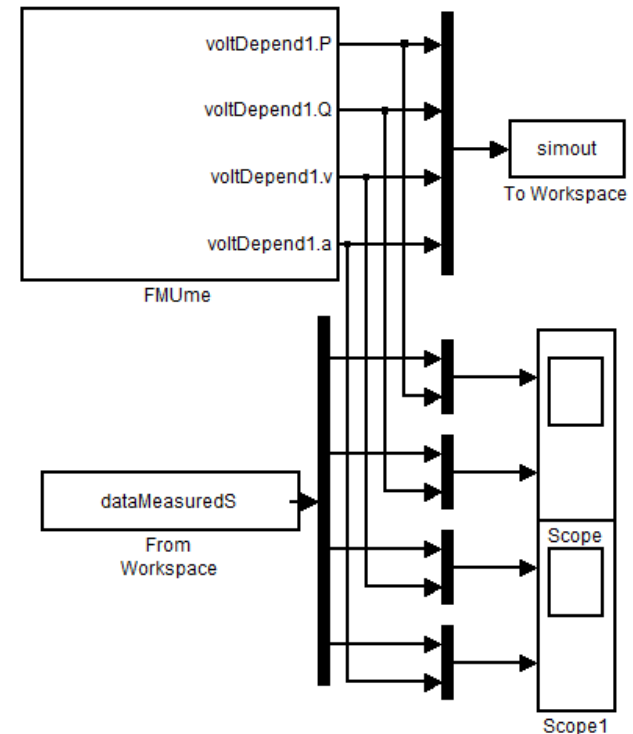
Preparation of the Simulink Model

- The simulink model given in example contains:
 - The FMU me block where the modelica model is loaded
 - A "To Workspace" component saving the simulated output. RaPid will fetch the data saved by this component into workspace
 - A "From Workspace" block allowing to include the measured outputs in the model
 - Scopes plotting both the measured and simulated output while the computation are running. If the scopes are open before starting the toolbox every iteration of the optimisation will be displayed



Preparation of the Simulink Model

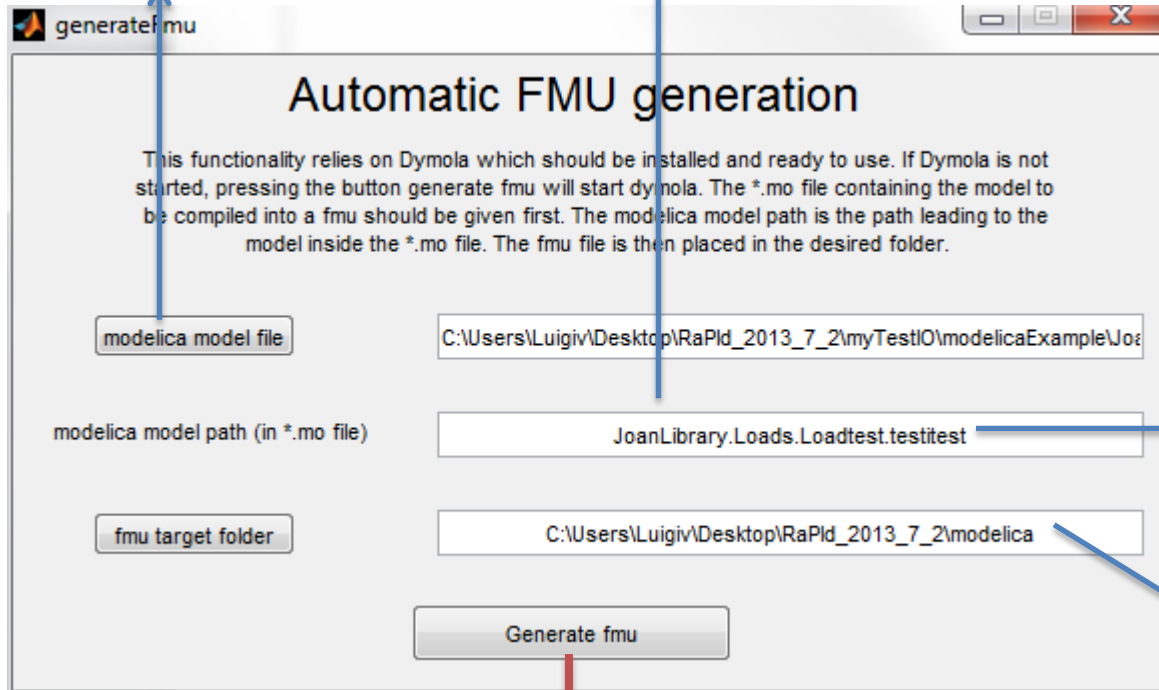
- The toolbox always loads in workspace a struct with time data `dataMeasuredS` based on the data user-provided. This name should normally not be changed from the "From Workspace" component.
- The name of the variable created by the "To Workspace" component can be parametrised in the toolbox
 - i.e. the name of `simout` can be changed, but it must be modified through the GUI in the "path" sub-GUI.
- The number of outputs (4 in this example) may vary. It's for the user to change the settings of the scopes, mux and demux components accordingly.



Generate the FMU

Select the .mo file
containing the Modelica
description for the model

Type the Modelica path to
the model to be used



Automatic FMU generation

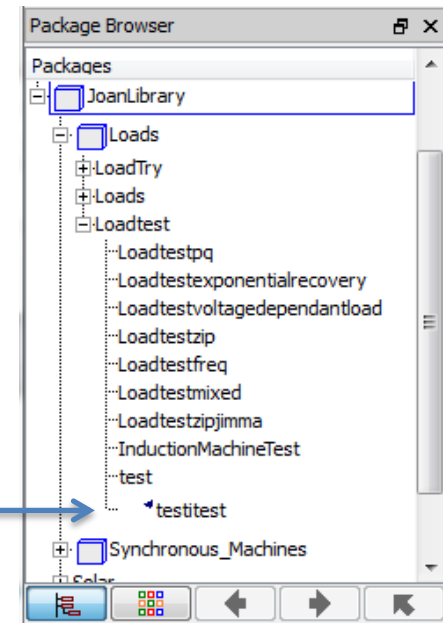
This functionality relies on Dymola which should be installed and ready to use. If Dymola is not started, pressing the button generate fmu will start dymola. The *.mo file containing the model to be compiled into a fmu should be given first. The modelica model path is the path leading to the model inside the *.mo file. The fmu file is then placed in the desired folder.

modelica model file

modelica model path (in *.mo file)

fmu target folder

Generate fmu



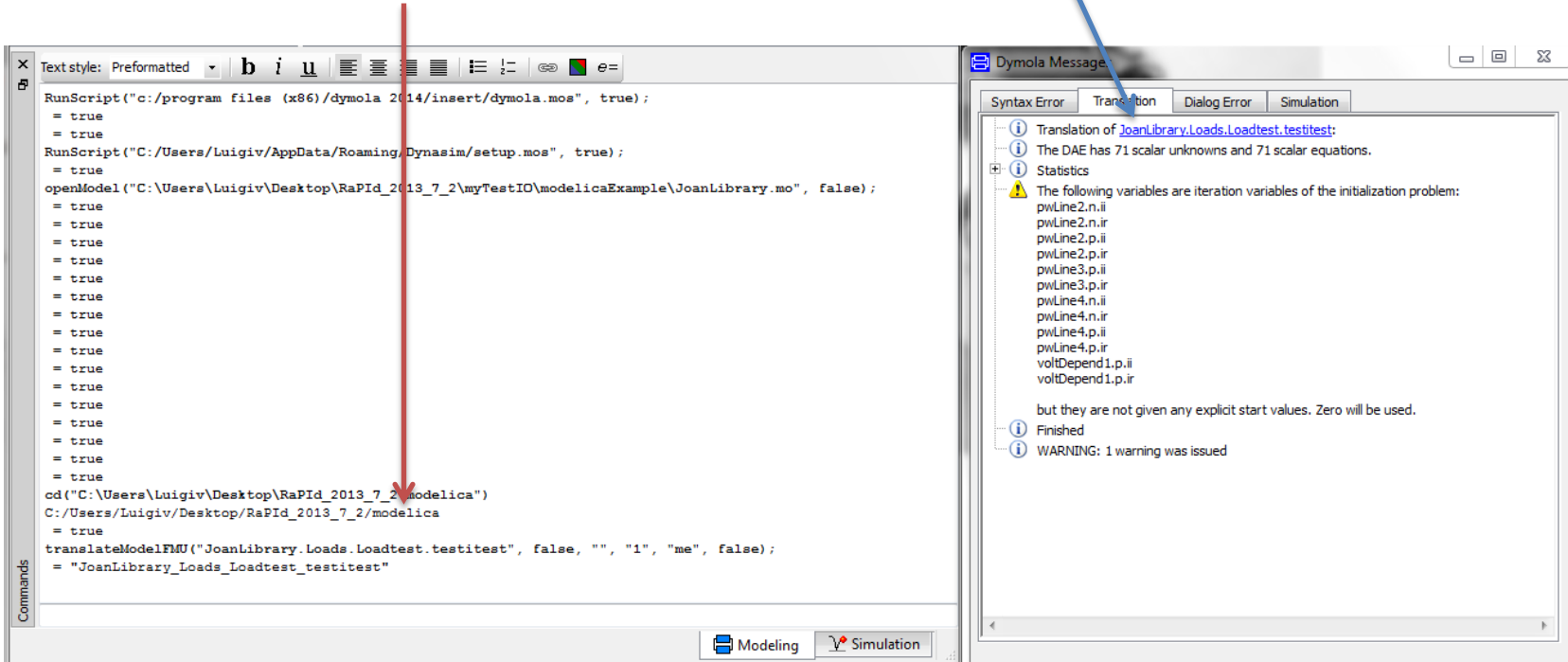
Select the folder where
you want to place the FMU

Click to generate
the FMU

The FMI Toolbox will need to be provided (Load
FMU) with the FMU generated

Generate the FMU

- Dymola will launch automatically and compile the FMU placing it in the selected folder.
- You can check this in the **Dymola translation log** and the **Commands window**.



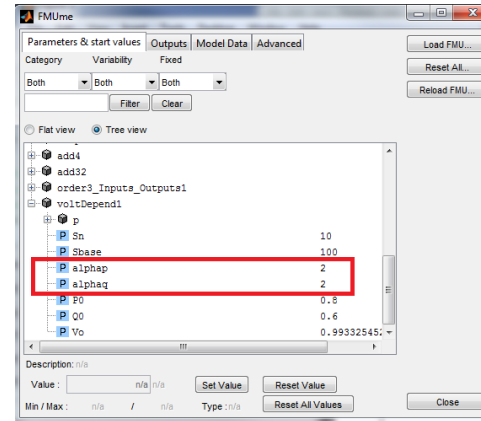
Import the *.fmu in Matlab

- Once the FMI toolbox from Modelon is imported to the matlab path, two blocks are available in Simulink:
 - FMI ME: for model exchange
 - the fmu file only contains the system's equation
 - The standard simulink solvers and settings are used
 - FMI CS: for co simulation
 - Include the solvers' binaries for simulation purposes
 - Corresponds to an external model run with its own solver
- Here we use the ME block
- Import using the "Load fmu" button after clicking on the FMU block in simulink

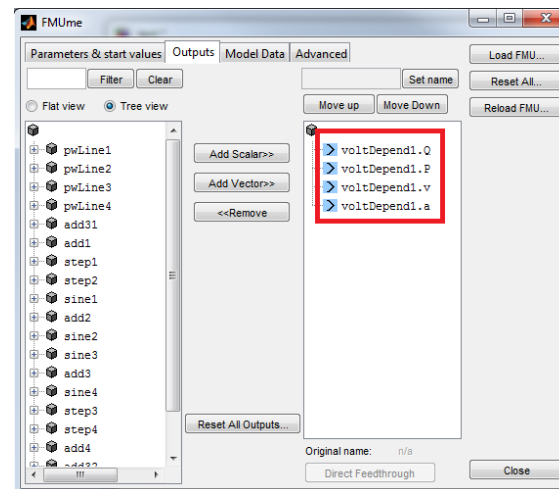
Setting up the *.fmu

In the first tab, note the complete names of the parameters that will be identified.

In this example, we note
voltDepend1.alphap and
voltDepend1.alphaq



In the second tab, select the outputs **in the same order as provided in the measurement data**. These outputs are selected among the all the variables of the modelica model.

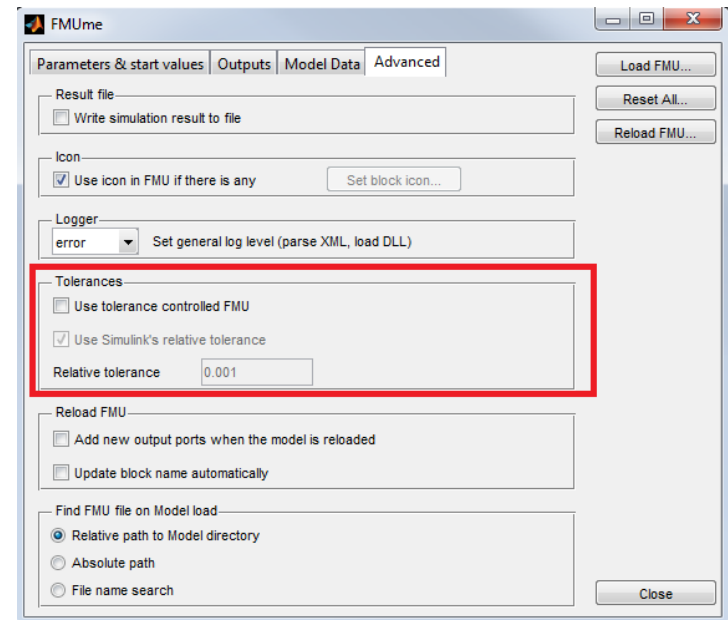


Setting up the *.fmu

Basic Solver Configuration

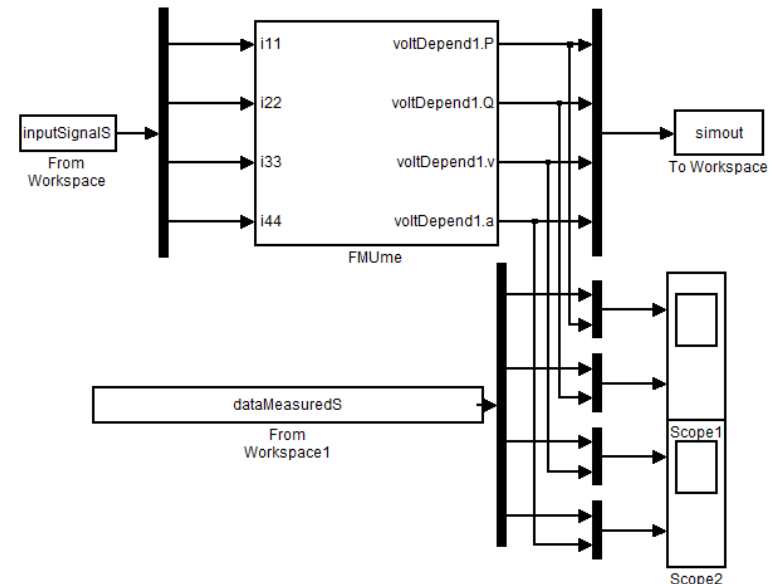
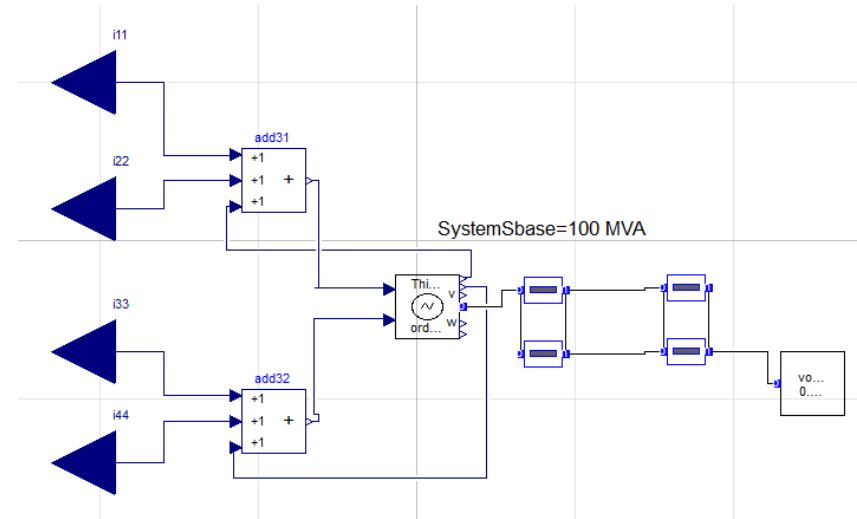
If you will simulate the system with a constant step solver (for example 'ode1'), you need to disable the use of tolerance controlled FMU in the fourth tab.

You can let it enabled as long as you specify a variable step solver in the toolbox (for example ode45). This setting will be showed later on.



Input data

- If the Modelica model contains input ports left unconnected, they will automatically appear as inputs to the FMI block.
- In a second example included with the toolbox, a "From Workspace" is included. It loads a struct with time called InputSignalS, this struct is generated automatically by the GUI based on the data provided by the user.



User-provided data

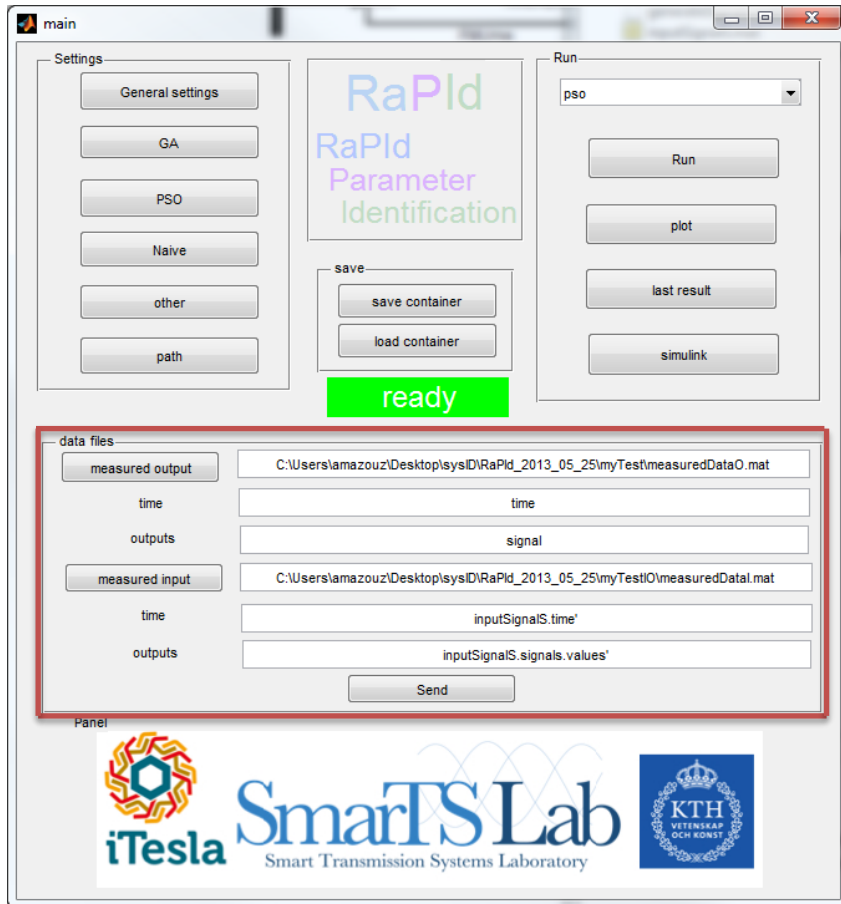
In the GUI, the user points at two files, one containing the measured Output, the second one containing the measured input.

The second one is optional and can be left empty (for output only identification).

Both can also be the same file.

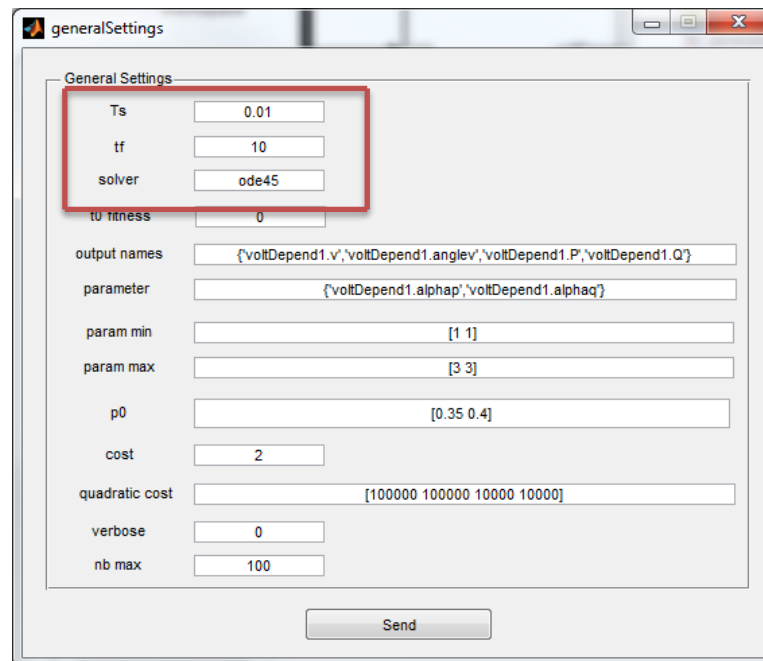
The 'time' and 'output' fields correspond to the command that should be typed to obtain the time vector as a row vector and the outputs a matrix whose rows are the different output signals.

In the example on the left, the file measuredDataO.mat contains a row vector called 'time' and a matrix called 'signal'.



Simulink settings

- The sampling time, final time and solver to be used in simulink should not be entered in the configuration parameter of simulink but in the toolbox's general settings:

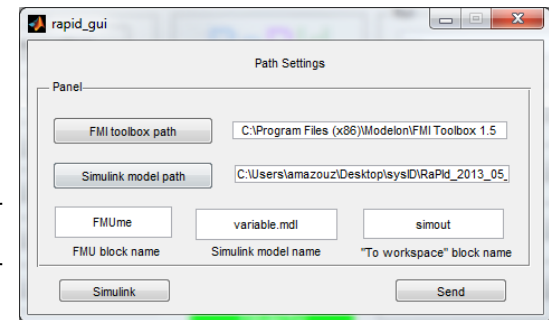


Simulink settings

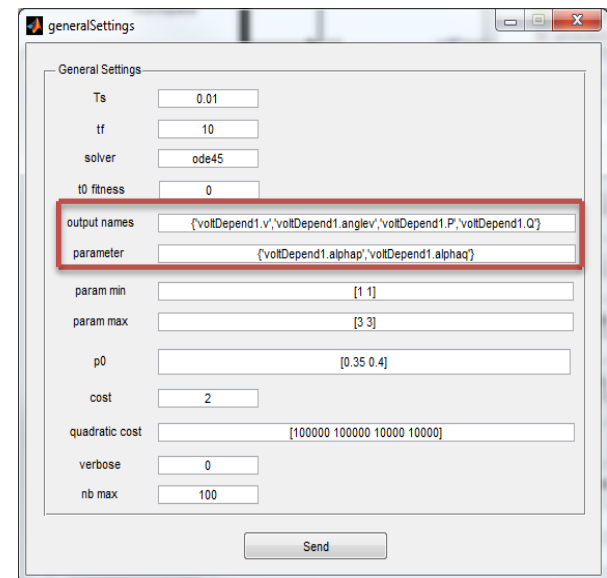
- In the same menu, and in the path settings, some more information about the simulink model must be set.

Paths to the FMI toolbox simulink model

Names of the FMU in the simulink model,
name of the simulink file, name of the variable
containing the output data after simulation



Complete names of the different outputs and
parameters as they appear in the FMU

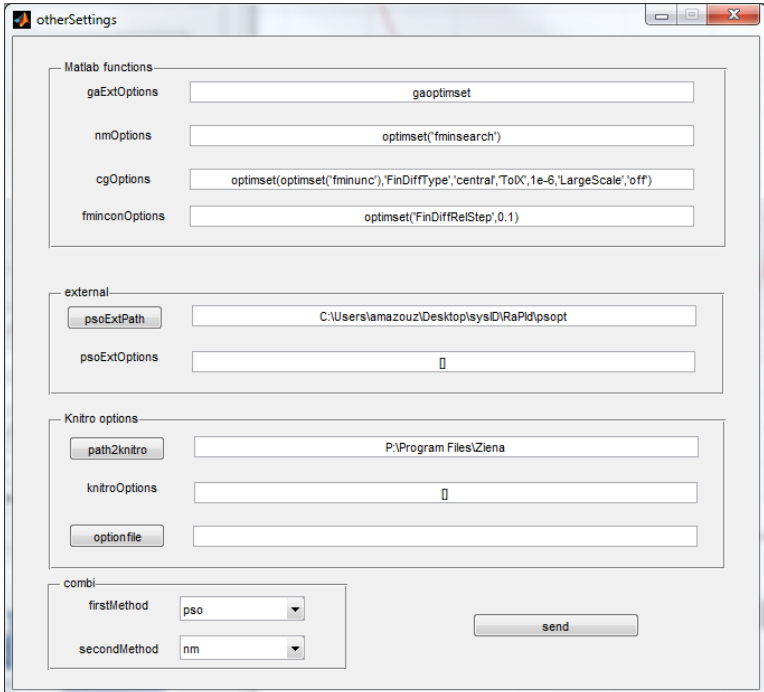


Configure the methods

- Once the simulink model is set up, the different algorithms to be used need to be parametrised
- The menus entitled GA, PSO and Naive correspond three methods we implemented with the toolbox
- In the menu Other can be found the settings to the matlab methods that can be called in the toolbox
- In the main window, a drop-down menu allows selection of the methods:
- pso, ga, naive are implemented in the toolbox, the commented source code can be found in `\core\functions\algoFunctions`
- cg, nm, gaExt, fmincon, respectively call the matlab functions `fminunc`, `fminsearch`, `ga`, `fmincon`
- psoExt and knitro are based on external toolboxes that need to be installed, see <https://code.google.com/p/psomatlab/> and <http://www.ziena.com/knitro.htm>
- Combi uses a combination of two of the methods mentioned here, they are ran one after the other

Settings the algo

- Pso, ga and naive are set-up directly in the gui.
- The external methods (these using matlab or other toolboxes' functions) are set up through the formulation of an optimset
- The comand to get to the so called optimset has to be input in the "other settings" window.



The screenshot shows the 'otherSettings' window with the following sections and fields:

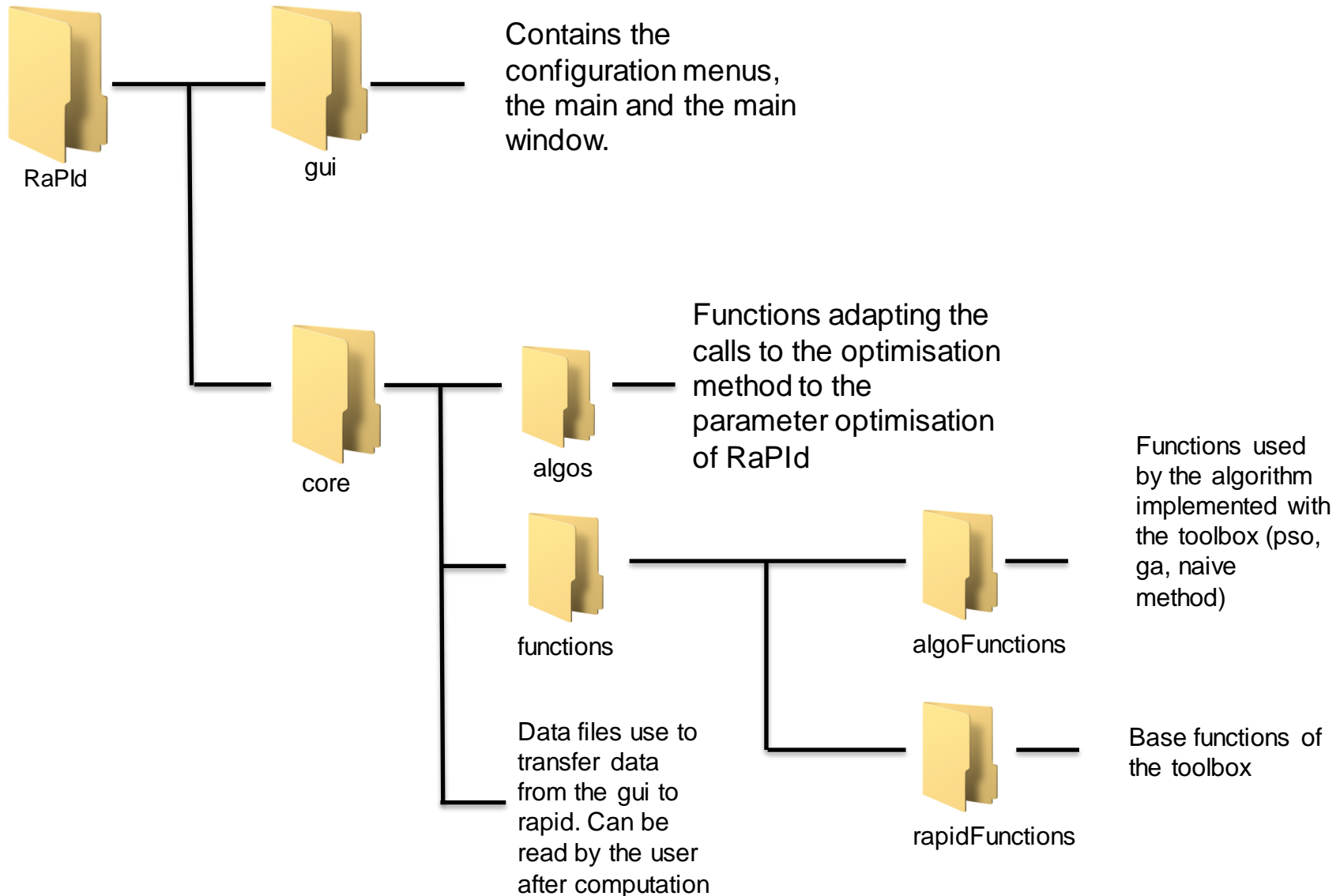
- Matlab functions:**
 - gaExtOptions: gaoptimset
 - nmOptions: optimset('fminsearch')
 - cgOptions: optimset(optimset('fminunc'),'FinDiffType','central','TolX',1e-6,'LargeScale','off')
 - fminconOptions: optimset('FinDiffRelStep',0.1)
- external:**
 - psoExtPath: C:\Users\lamazouz\Desktop\sysID\RaPid\psopt
 - psoExtOptions: []
- Knitro options:**
 - path2knitro: P:\Program Files\Ziena
 - knitroOptions: []
 - option file: (empty field)
- combi:**
 - firstMethod: pso
 - secondMethod: nm

Annotations on the right side of the image point to specific fields:

- ga matlab function (points to gaExtOptions)
- fminsearch matlab function (points to nmOptions)
- fminunc matlab function (points to cgOptions)
- fmincon matlab function (points to fminconOptions)
- pso function from the toolbox posomatlab (points to psoExtPath)
- ktrlink function from the toolbox Knitro (points to path2knitro)

Choice of the two methods in the combination (points to the firstMethod and secondMethod dropdowns)

File Structure



Details of implementation

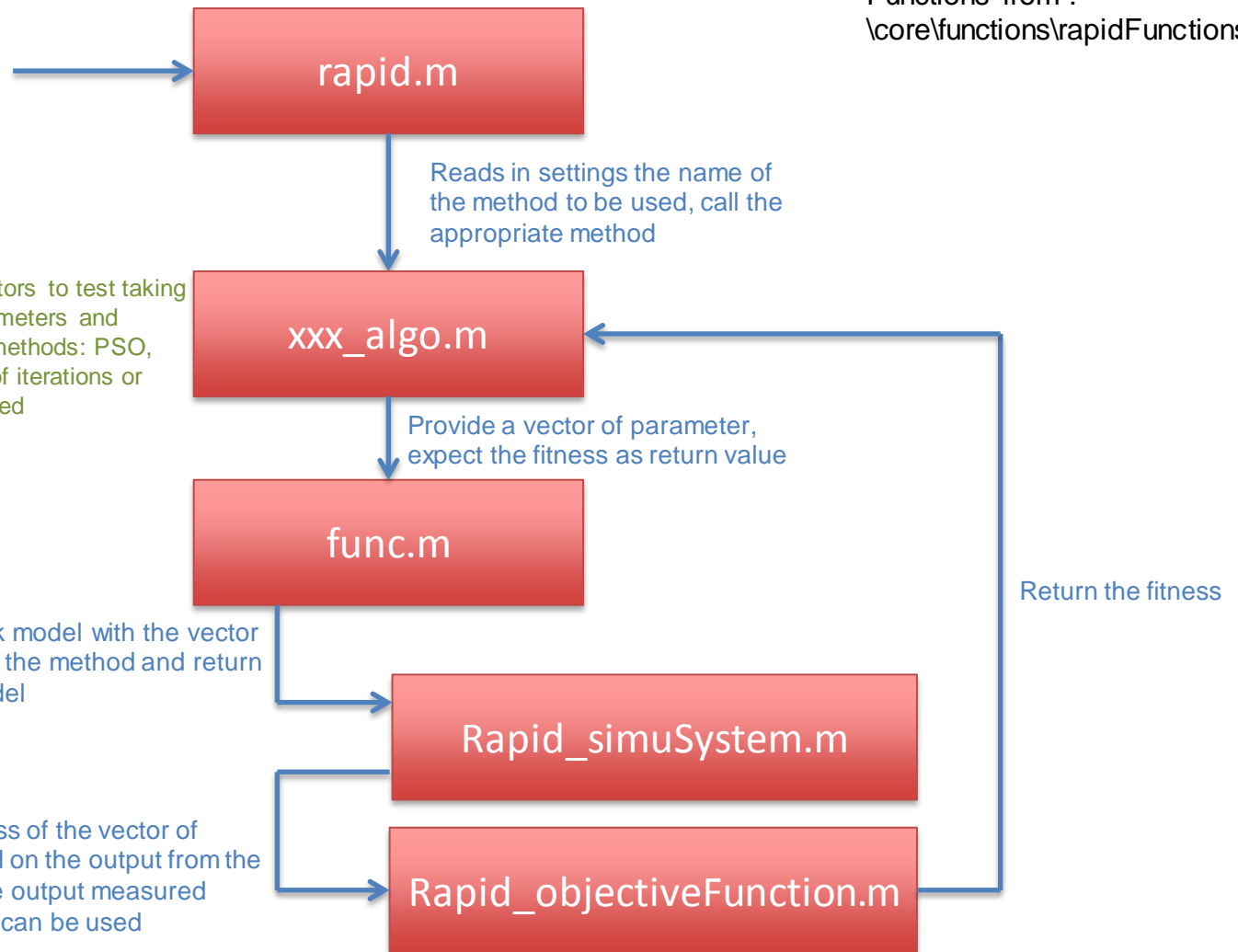
Functions from :
\\core\\functions\\rapidFunctions

Called from the gui or
the command line,
needs to be fed the
settings struct and the
measured data

Generates iteratively parameter vectors to test taking
into account past values of the parameters and
corresponding fitness (example of methods: PSO,
GA, Gradient) stop after a number of iterations or
when a condition on fitness is reached

Simulate the simulink model with the vector
of parameters fed by the method and return
the output of the model

Evaluate the fitness of the vector of
parameters based on the output from the
simulation and the output measured
Several criterions can be used



Running the toolbox

- The user should go through every single menu and make sure all the fields are correctly filled.
- A description of every field can be found in the user manual.
- For more information, every script of the toolbox was commented. Reading the code should help understanding the basic usage.

Investigating the code

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- The gui only save the data entered in the menus inside a struct called settings and saves it to a file, when the "run" from the main window is pressed, the settings object is loaded and given to the main toolbox function called "rapid".
- Everything can be done in command line. The gui code is quite heavy and large, doing things comand line is the right way if the user wants to dig in how things work.
- After changing directory to the RaPIId directory, to run the gui, execute run_gui.m to run comand line execute run_cmd.m
- run_cmd.m can be used with the same philosophy as the gui: let it be like it is, just change the parameters present in the file according to your needs

Running the gui

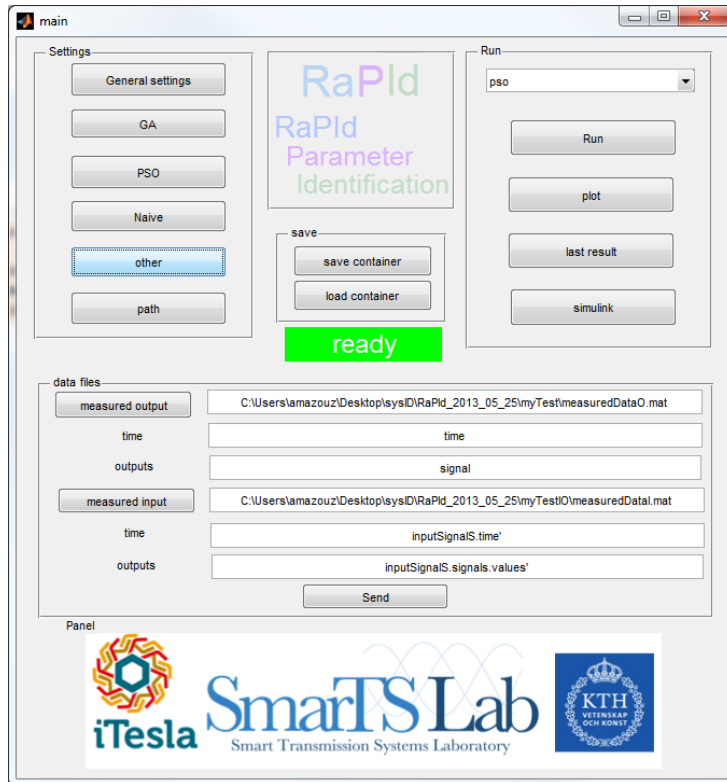
When all menus are filled, press Run.

The green "ready" turns to red. If it goes back to green, the simulation has ended, you can press plot to visualize the simulated and measured outputs.

Press last result to see what were the values found for the parameters.

If a problem occurs, the green space turns to yellow. The message displayed in the console should help finding what went wrong. Most likely a parameter was not entered correctly. *Nothing in the toolbox checks that the parameters you entered are valid.*

Save container allows you to save all the settings and the last solution (if available) in a file that can be loaded later. When a setting is changed. The last result is erased and the settings struct is modified irreversibly. It's good to save a container every time a new kind of simulation is performed.



Adding an objective function

```
function fitness = rapid_objectiveFunction( realRes, simuRes, settings)
%OBJECTIVEFUNCTION compute quadratic criterion
% realRes is data used for matching, from measurments
% simuRes is the data we want to have matching realRes
% the two of them are under the shape [[x[1];y[1]] [x[2];y[2]] ...
% [x[nStep];y[nStep]]]
%
% settings has to contain the fields
% cost: integer, for quadratic cost the value is 2
% objective: struct adapted to the method chose
% if cost = 2, objective contains the field:
% Q: nb_parameters*nb_parameters weight matrix, should take
% into account the respective outputs scaling

switch settings.cost
case 2
    nStep = size(realRes,2);
    nx = size(settings.objective.Q,1);
    Q_ = repmat({settings.objective.Q},1,nStep);
    Q_ = blkdiag(Q_{:});
    fitness = (realRes(:)-simuRes(:))'*Q_*(realRes(:)-simuRes(:));
otherwise
    errorWrongCost
end
end
```

Here the fitness is characterised by one unique matrix Q : $\varphi = \sum_k (y[k] - y_{mes}[k])^T Q (y[k] - y_{mes}[k])$

1. In `rapid_objectiveFunction`, choose a keyword: **case 2**. Add a case to the switch, in the body of the case, compute the fitness of the vector of parameters based on `realRes` and `simuRes`, matrices whose rows are respectively the measured output signals and simulated output signals.
2. `realRes` is in the toolbox an interpolation of the result of the simulation at the time instants given by the measurement data. This allows you to compare measured and simulated data point to point.
3. *Your method will be used for fitness computation if the appropriate keyword is given in **settings.cost***
4. You can define as many elements as needed inside **settings.objective**, in the example here a weight matrix is provided in `settings.objective`

Adding an optimization method

```
function [ sol, historic ] = rapid( settings, systemDescription )
%RAPID main function of the rapid toolbox RaPID

global nbIterations

nbIterations = 0;

% Set-up the simulink model to run between 0 and tf with a step of Ts and
% with the solver given by settings.methodName, the function
% rapid_simuSystem call the simulation in the workspace of rapid.m after
% changing the parameters value through fmuSetValueSimulink
addpath(settings.rapidFolder);
settings.realData = rapid_interpolate(systemDescription,settings);

% choose and launch the desired method for parameter estimation
switch settings.methodName
case 'pso'
    [ sol, historic, settings ] = pso_algo(settings);
case 'ga'
    [ sol, historic, settings ] = ga_algo(settings);
case 'naive'
    sol = naive_algo(settings);
    historic = [];
case 'cg'
    [ sol, historic, settings ] = cg_algo(settings);
case 'nm'
    [ sol, historic, settings ] = nm_algo(settings);
case 'combi'
    settings2 = settings;
    settings2.methodName = settings2.combiOptions.firstMethod;
    [sol1,historic1, settings2] = rapid(settings2,systemDescription);
    settings2.methodName = settings2.combiOptions.secondMethod;
    settings2.p0 = sol1;
    [sol,historic2, settings] = rapid(settings2,systemDescription);
    historic.sol1 = sol1;
    historic.historic1 = historic1;
    historic.historic2 = historic2;
case 'psoExt'
    [ sol, historic, settings ] = psoExt_algo(settings);
case 'gaExt'
    [ sol, historic, settings ] = gaExt_algo(settings);
otherwise
    errorWrongMethodName
end

end
```

Add a case with a new keyword in the function rapid.m
Call your method *methodName_algo*, place it in *_. It takes* the struct *settings* as argument and return the vector solution, an historic containing the data you wish to have as output (useful for debugging) and the setting struct in which you might have added data. (The methods of the toolbox add to the struct the parameter vector as settings.xsol)

Your method can only call the function func(v)
func takes a vector of parameter and returns the fitness associated to this vector.

This assumes that the good settings.cost and settings.objective were declared to use the objective function you desire to evaluate.


func care of simulating the model, saving its output, interpolating the output data and computing the fitness. All fields of the settings struct must however be filled correctly.

Adding an optimization method

What you need to write:

```
function [ sol, other ] = yourMethod_algo(settings)
%KNITRO ALGO applying ktrlink from the KNITRO toolbox to compute the minimum of the
objective
%function defined by the parameter identification problem
% settings must have as a field the initial guess for the parameter
% vector p0, lower and upper bound for the vector of parameters and possibly
% options generated by optimset
options = settings.yourMethod_options;
sol = yourMethod(@func,settings.p0,settings.p_min,settings.p_max,[],options);
end
```

Call to your
function



- 1) The function may output any number of parameters, you can store them in other, they will be saved and accessible after computation
- 2) If your function is on the main folder of RaPid, nothing needs to be done for the path management

The *settings* struct

```
settings =

    rapidFolder: 'C:\Users\amazouz\Desktop\sysID\RaPID'
    path2simulinkModel: 'C:\Users\amazouz\Desktop\sysID\RaPID\model\'
    path2fmiToolbox: 'C:\Program Files (x86)\Modelon\FMI Toolbox 1.4.4'
    modelName: 'test'
    blockName: 'test/FMUme'
    scopeName: 'data_sim'
    Ts: 0.1000
    tf: 0.2000
    fmuOutData: {'voltDepend1.v' 'voltDepend1.anglev'
    'voltDepend1.P' 'voltDepend1.Q'}
    parameterNames: {'voltDepend1.alphap' 'voltDepend1.alphaq'}
    plotOutputs: 1
    p_min: [-1 -1]
    p_max: [3 3]
    verbose: 1
    cost: 2
    objective: [1x1 struct]
    intMethod: 'ode1'
    ga_options: [1x1 struct]
    pso_options: [1x1 struct]
    naive_options: [1x1 struct]
    gaExtOptions: []
    nmOptions: []
    cgOptions: [1x1 struct]
    psoExtPath: 'C:\Users\amazouz\Desktop\sysID\RaPID\psopt'
    psoExtOptions: [1x1 struct]
    combiOptions: [1x1 struct]
    methodName: 'pso'
    p0: [1 1]
    dataT: 't'
    dataY: 'y'
    path2data: 'C:\Users\amazouz\Desktop\sysID\RaPID\dataMeasured.mat'
    strings: [1x1 struct]
    realData: [4x3 double]
```

Characterise the simulation, the measured data
will also be interpolated to fit this specification

Used to label the plots

Restrict the values allowed to the vector of parameters

Objective function identifier and struct containing it's
parameters

Settings specific to each method

Determine the method to be used

Initial guess, used for example for NM or CG

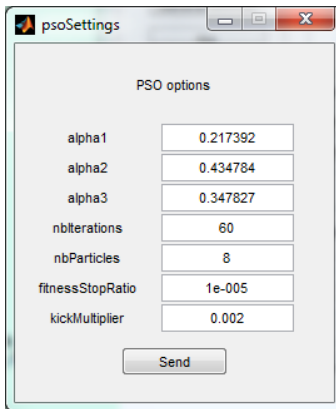
Some gui string generated automatically

Data put here automatically after
interpolation and filtering

Path and variable
names needed to
locate the simulink
model and the file
data.mat used to
store and
communicate data
in between the
gui's components

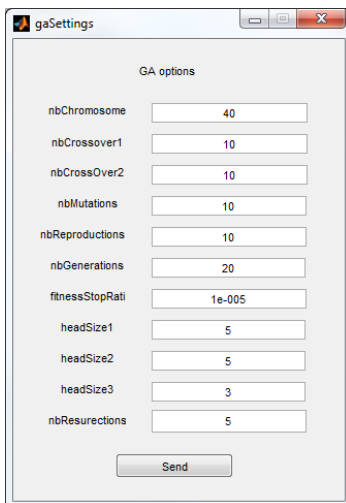
The *settings* struct

- The content of *settings* is either set manually or through the gui:



```
settings.pso_options
ans =

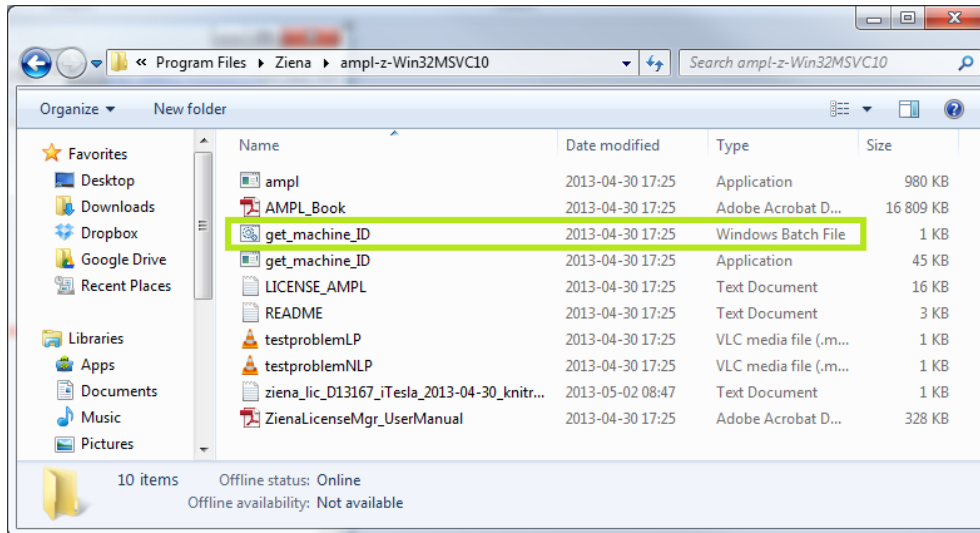
    alpha1: 0.2174
    alpha2: 0.4348
    alpha3: 0.3478
    limit: 60
    nb_particles: 8
    fitnessStopRatio: 1.0000e-005
    kick_multiplier: 0.0020
```



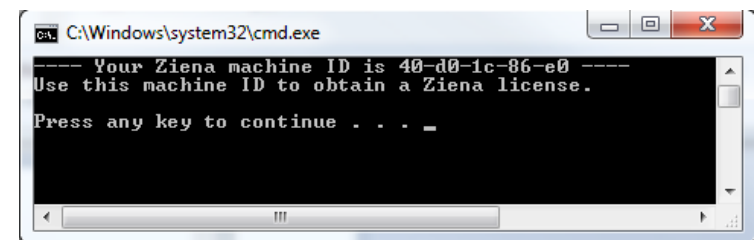
```
settings.ga_options
ans =

    nbCromosomes: 40
    nbCroossOver1: 10
    nbCroossOver2: 10
    nbMutations: 10
    nbReproduction: 10
    limit: 20
    fitnessStopRatio: 1.0000e-005
    headSize1: 5
    headSize2: 5
    headSize3: 3
    nbReinjection: 5
```


KNITRO: license installation



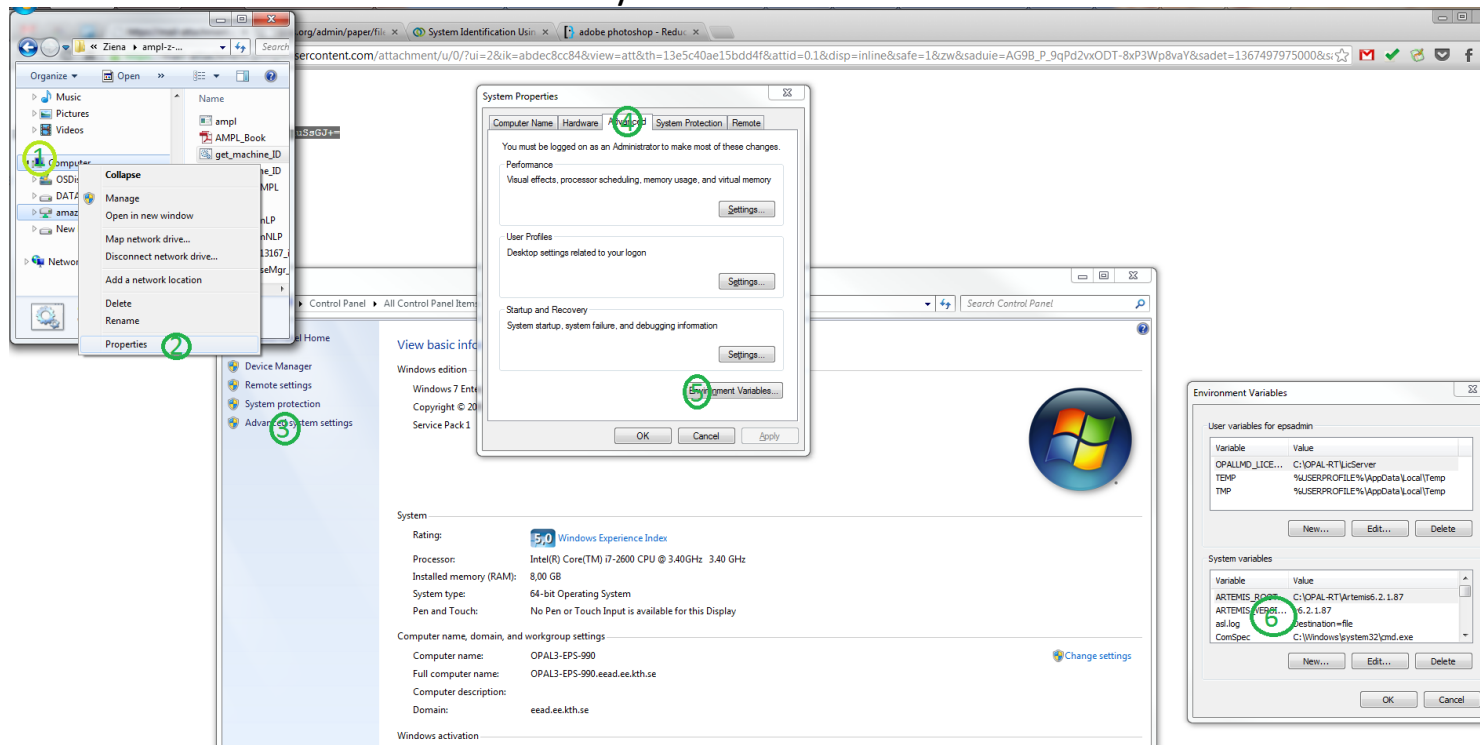
In the knitro folder (that you either took from the toolbox or downloaded), there is a `get_machine_ID` batch file. Run it, you get this:



The picture needs to be sent to :
thibaut.brejon@artelys.com

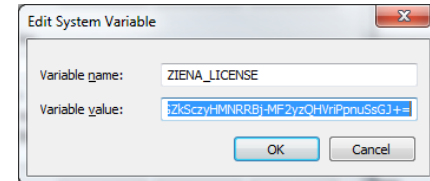
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- This guy at Artleys will send you a *.txt containing something funky
- E.g. : =Pblaetle19HUIZwSGZkSczyHMNRRBj-MF2yzQHVriPpnuSsGJ+=
- We need to change two environment variables
 - rightClickOnComputer>Properties>AdvancedSystemSettings>loginAsAdministrator>Advanced>EnvironmentVariables>SystemVariables

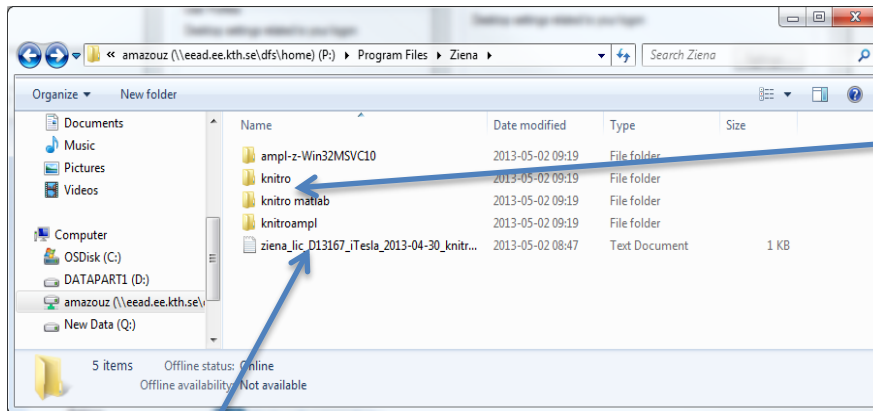


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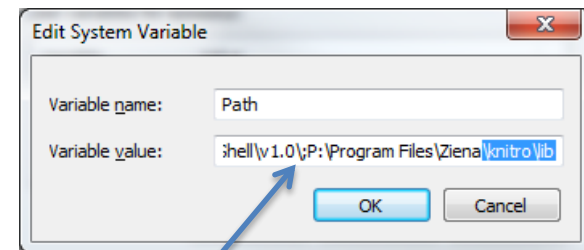
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"knitro" is the one of the 4 folders
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In my case: P:\Program Files\Zie

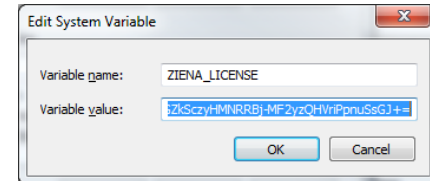


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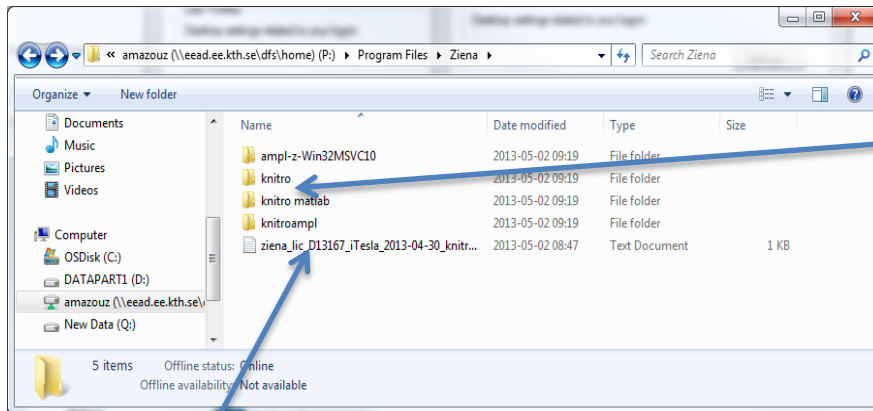
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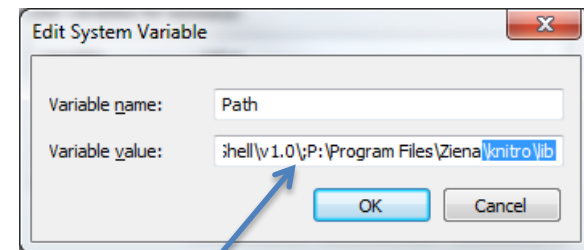
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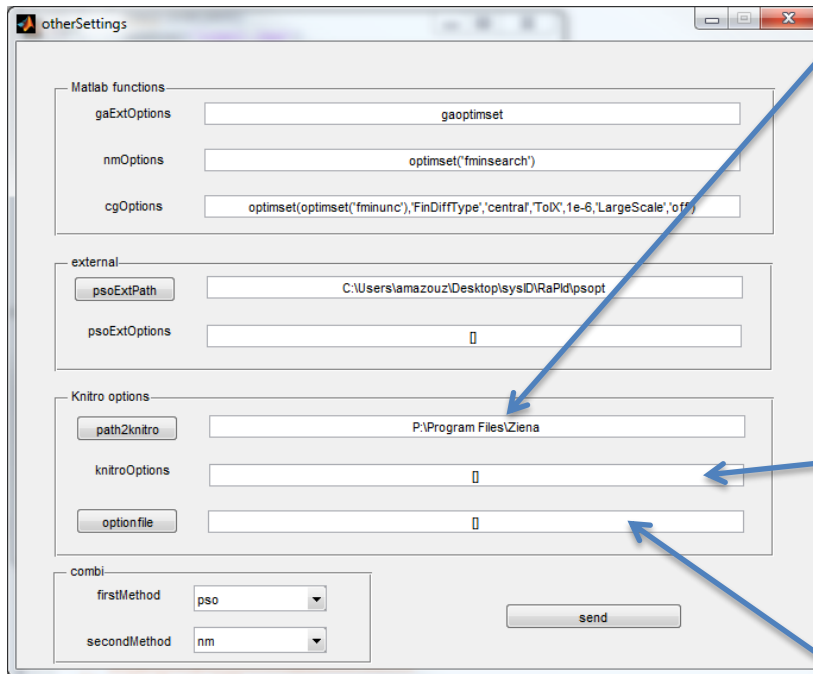


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KNITRO

- The toolbox asks for a path2knitro in "other"



You should select the folder "knitro" that you downloaded

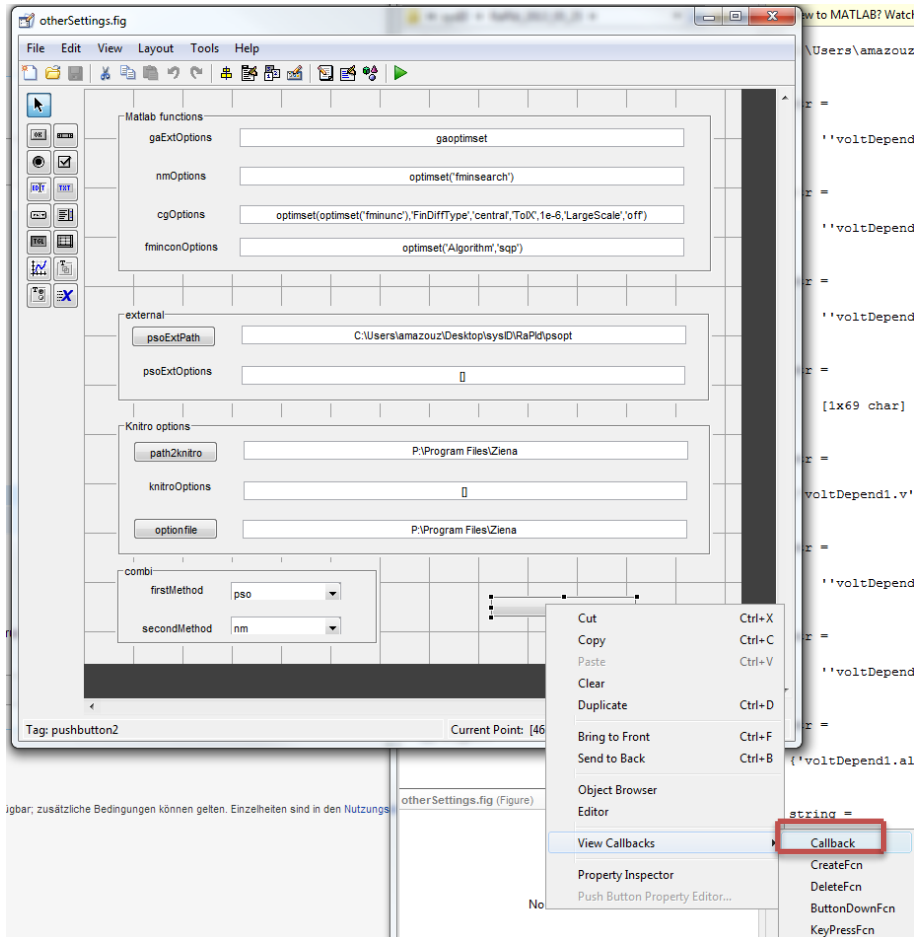
You can give something of the kind
`optimset('parameter','value')`

Name of a file, that you add yourself to the path or, better, put in the Knitro folder, the kind of file is given in the documentation of KNITRO

Some words on the GUI

- A file named *data.mat* is used to communicate data to the different elements of the gui and finally to the toolbox
- data.mat contains :
 - The struct *settings*
 - *sol* , the output of the toolbox at the last use
- **Inside the GUI:** a gui element (a window) is
 - Characterised by fields with an initial value and,
 - Read the file – fill in window: Automatically initialised in the function *windowName_OpeningFcn*
 - *This function reads the settings struct stored in core\data.mat and copy the values of parameters inside the window's fields*
 - Read the window – fill in the file: Updated and closed in the call back of a push button (send or next) *pushbutton1_Callback*
 - *This does the opposite of an OpeningFcn, it reads the content of the window, save it in the settings struct and saves the struct in core\data.mat*

GUI

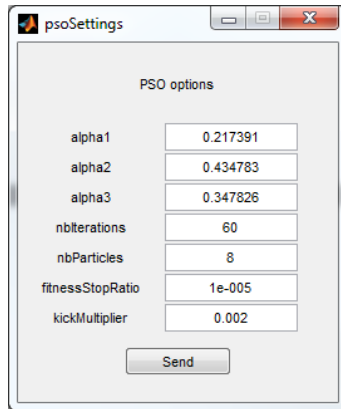


- To summarize, the GUI code operates following the scheme:
 - At initialisation, the *data.mat* file is loaded, the *settings* struct is read and the different fields of the windows are filled with the corresponding values in the struct
 - Upon press event on the *send* button, all the fields of the GUI are read and the settings struct is updated with the new values
- If you want to study what is done in a particular window, open the fig related to this window inside GUIDE (graphical GUI editor) right click on the element you would like to control and click on the callback, this will open the part of the script launched upon interaction with the investigated element (for a button, when the user presses the button...)

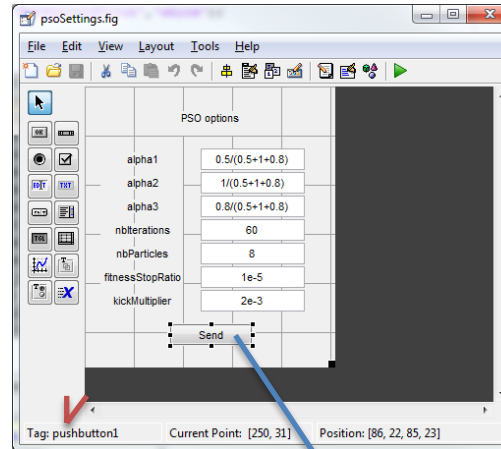
Some words on the GUI

Example:

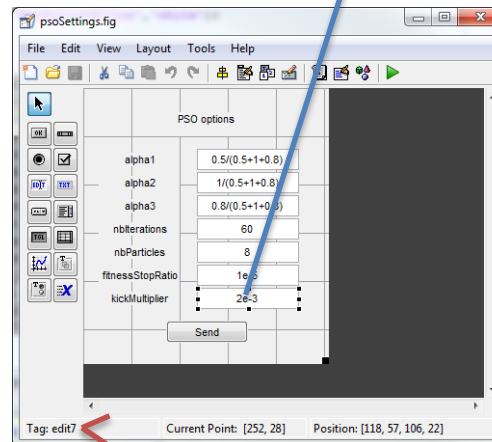
One of the option windows



In the GUIDE
Graphical
editor



Clicking on an
element will show you
its name



Some words on the GUI

Initialisation:

```
% --- Executes just before psoSettings is made visible.
function psoSettings_OpeningFcn(hObject, eventdata, handles, varargin)
% This function has no output args, see OutputFcn.
% hObject    handle to figure
% eventdata  reserved - to be defined in a future version of MATLAB
% handles    structure with handles and user data (see GUIDATA)
% varargin   command line arguments to psoSettings (see VARARGIN)

% Choose default command line output for psoSettings
handles.output = hObject;

% Update handles structure
guidata(hObject, handles);

% UIWAIT makes psoSettings wait for user response (see UIRESUME)
% uiwait(handles.figure1);
load('core\data.mat');
if isfield(settings,'pso_options')
    set(handles.edit1,'String',settings.pso_options.alpha1);
    set(handles.edit2,'String',settings.pso_options.alpha2);
    set(handles.edit3,'String',settings.pso_options.alpha3);
    set(handles.edit4,'String',settings.pso_options.limit);
    set(handles.edit5,'String',settings.pso_options.nb_particles);
    set(handles.edit6,'String',settings.pso_options.fitnessStopRatio);
    set(handles.edit7,'String',settings.pso_options.kick_multiplier);
end
```

Each of the text fields is given the value of the corresponding parameter in the *settings* struct

Some words on the GUI

Update:

This function is called when
the button is clicked

```
% --- Executes on button press in pushbutton1.  
function pushbutton1_Callback(hObject, eventdata, handles)  
% hObject    handle to pushbutton1 (see GCBO)  
% eventdata  reserved - to be defined in a future version of MATLAB  
% handles    structure with handles and user data (see GUIDATA)  
pso_options.alpha1 = eval(get(handles.edit1,'String'));  
pso_options.alpha2 = eval(get(handles.edit2,'String'));  
pso_options.alpha3 = eval(get(handles.edit3,'String'));  
pso_options.limit = eval(get(handles.edit4,'String'));  
pso_options.nb_particles = eval(get(handles.edit5,'String'));  
pso_options.fitnessStopRatio = eval(get(handles.edit6,'String'));  
pso_options.kick_multiplier = eval(get(handles.edit7,'String'));  
load('core\data.mat');  
settings.pso_options = pso_options;  
save('core\data.mat','settings');  
close(gcf)
```

The values from the
GUI are copied in the
settings struct

The data file is loaded

The new data is appended to the loaded struct

The data is saved at the same emplacement

Bug list

- If you give to the GUI bad names for the parameters to fetch in the simulink diagram, FMIttoolbox will make simulink shut down without notice
- Some jpeg files are included in the main window, warnings are displayed in console...
- The fmi toolbox sometimes requires the FMU block to be re-initialised. If that's the case the model won't simulate even out of the toolbox. When this happens, we usually need to restart matlab.
- In the simulink model, if a variable step method is used, set manually a value to simulation>configuration parameters>solve> Max Step Size, otherwise matlab complains a lot in the console

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EXTRA INFO FOR DEVELOPERS AND ADVANCED USERS

Adding new functionalities

- If a new functionality comes with settings to be parametrised or has to be launched by the user (to display the value of a parameter for example), a new window has to be written.
- The files `main.fig` and `main.m` have to be edited to call this new window
- If any data needs to be stored, be sure to do it in the struct settings in `core\data.mat`
- Here every window looks into the settings struct to set it's initial values, if you load a different object `data.mat`, the setting windows will be updated automatically and the next time you run the optimisation the parameters of the new file are used and not some defaults
- If you delete or empty `data.mat`, the interface will be filled with default values, be sure to go through every menus and set good parameters everywhere

Getting Technical

- If you want to get technical. Use the /core/ files.
Show the scripts:
- <open the script run_cmd.m>
 - in run_cmd, all parameters are declared and given a value. They are all stored in a struct called settings. This struct is provided to the main function of the toolbox rapid.
- <open the script core\functions\rapid.m>
 - this script contains a switch which chooses a xxx_algo.m script to run according to the value of settings.methodName

Getting Technical

- `<open fmincon_algo.m>`
 - in the `xxx_algo.m` script, we adapt the call to the algorithm function to the toolbox's use. To do that we use the function `func.m` which yields the fitness of the parameter vector given in input, This is the function of several variables to be minimised in R
- `<open func.m>`
 - this function calls two of the rapid functions
- `<show rapid_simuSystem.m>`
 - Sets the values of the parameters that are currently tested by the algorithm, inside the `fmu` and simulates the system, it takes as an output the result of the simulation

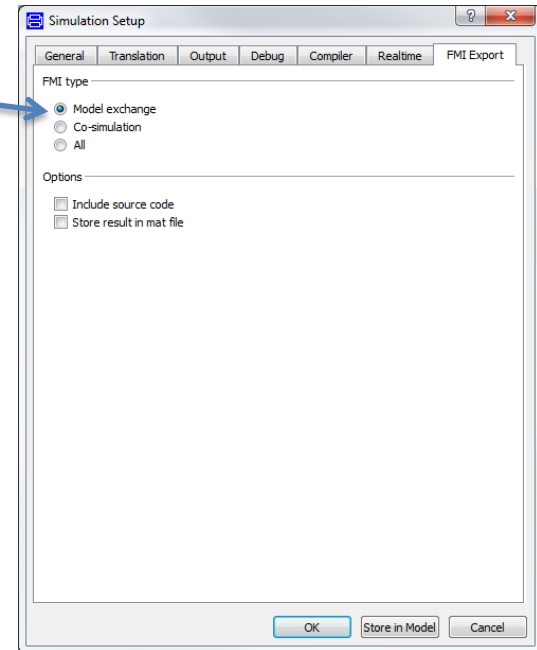
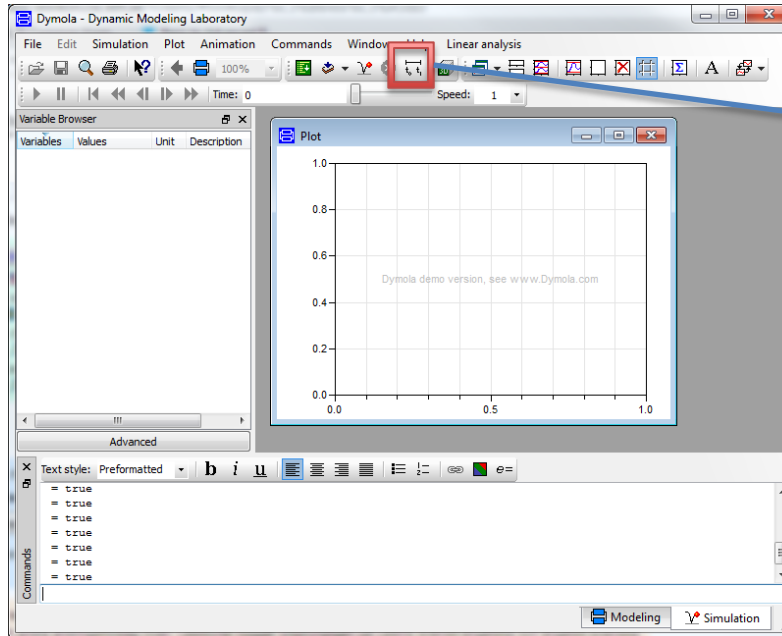
Getting Technical

- `<show rapid_objectiveFunction>`
 - this result is used for the computation of the objective function.
 - Before the computation, the simulated output data is interpolated at the time instant of the measured output data using `rapid_interpolate.m` and then the fitness is computed according to the method chosen through the switch.
 - Then you show the diagram in the slides to see where is the recursion.
- **The files contain quite a bit of comments. Somebody who has some experience programming should spend a bit of time thinking about it looking at the files.**

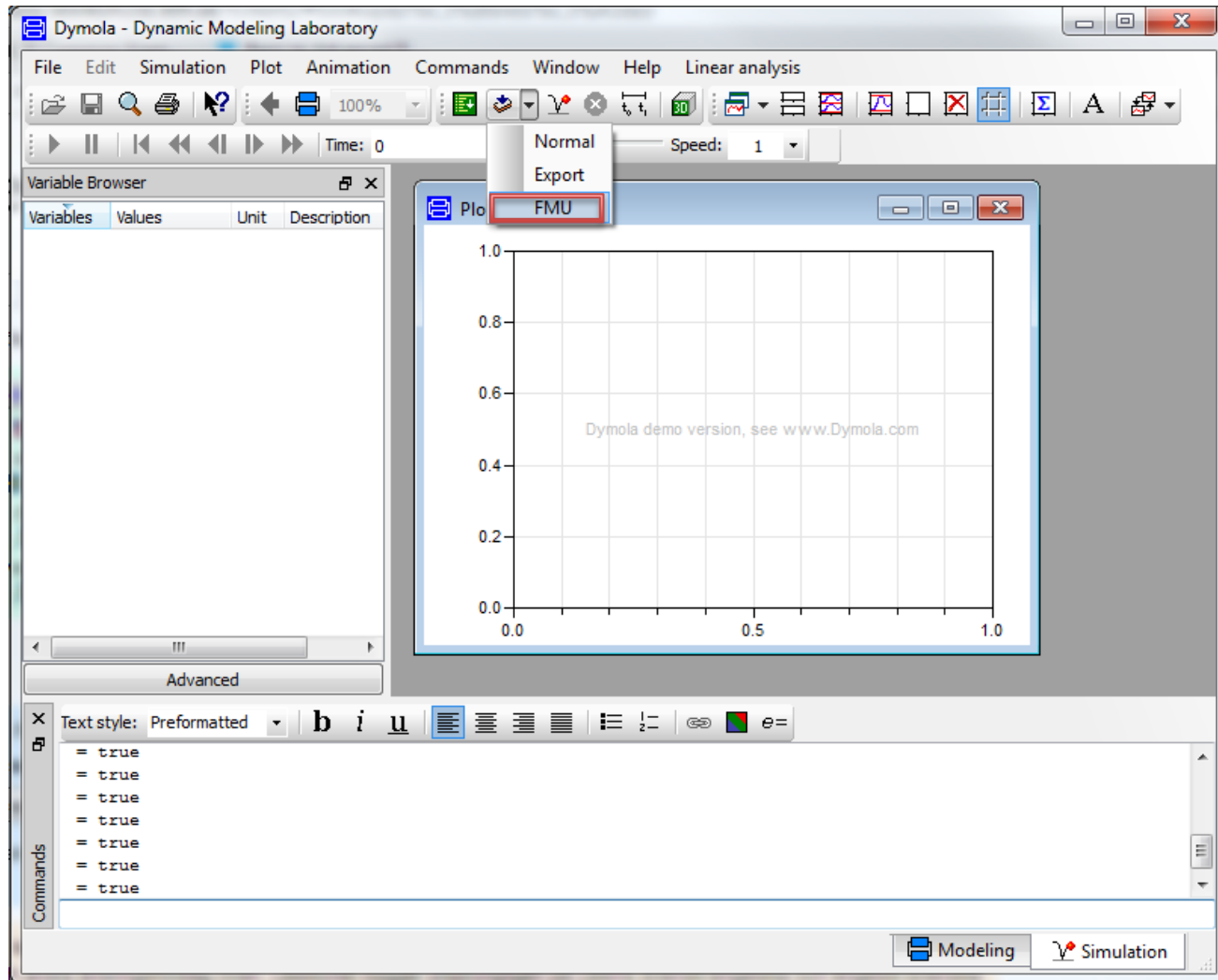
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OPTIONS FOR GENERATING FMUS

Generate the *fmu from Dymola



Generate the *fmu from Dymola



Optional – Advanced

Generate the FMU from JModelica.org

- JModelica.org is an extensible Modelica-based OSS platform, providing facilities for simulation and analysis of Modelica models.
- However, it has the following disadvantages for novice users:
 - It does not provide a user interface
 - It requires some expertise working with Python scripting
 - It requires a correct set up of JModelica
 - ***It does not support the complete Modelica standard definition (e.g. `reinit` commnad used by the DFIG WT is not support -> no FMU can be generated)***
- We illustrate one example here, carried out with JModelica.org-1.8.1

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Generate the FMU from JModelica.org

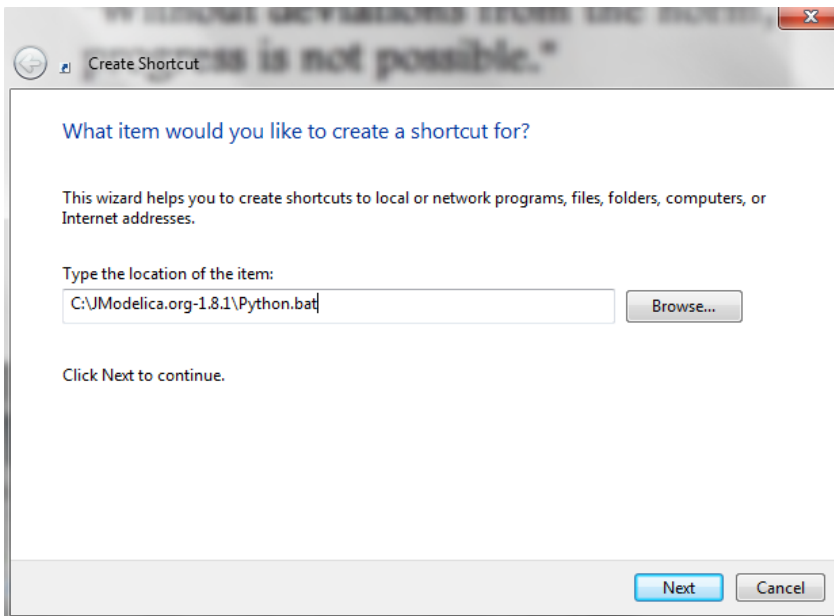
- Setting up an environment to compile FMUs with JModelica
 - Download JModelicaorg-1.8.1:
<http://www.jmodelica.org/downloads/JModelica.org-1.8.1.exe>
 - Download Python(x,y) – an environment for numerical computations using Python
 - <https://code.google.com/p/pythonxy/>
 - Python will include **Spyder**, a development environment for the Python language
 - Open the file C:\JModelica.org-1.8.1\Python.bat with Notepad++ or similar. Make sure you have the following statements:

```
1 @echo off
2 call C:\JModelica.org-1.8.1\setenv.bat
3 C:\Python27\python.exe "C:\Python27\Scripts\spyder"
```

Optional – Advanced

Generate the FMU from JModelica.org

- Shortcut and automatic loading of JModelica
 - Create a shortcut icon in your desktop, and point it to the “C:\JModelica.org-1.8.1\Python.bat” file.
 - Give a name to the shortcut and click on “Finish”
 - You should get a shortcut to launch Spyder with the Jmodelica libraries loaded and enabled



What would you like to name the shortcut?

Type a name for this shortcut:

JModelica-1.8.1

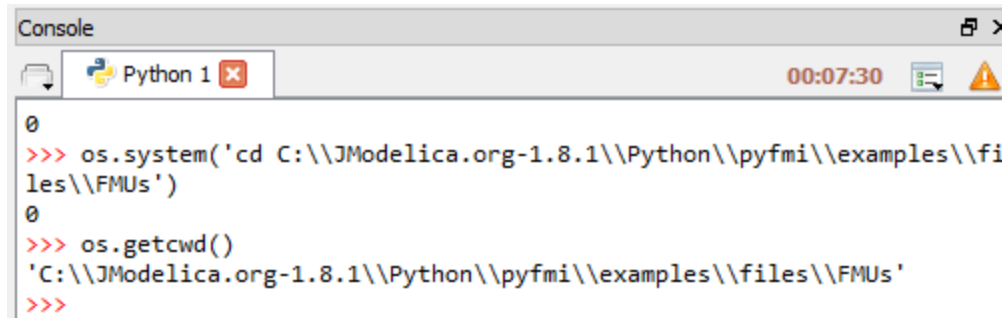
Click Finish to create the shortcut.

Finish

Optional – Advanced

Generate the FMU from JModelica.org

- Compile FMUs from JModelica
 - Go to the directory where you have put the Modelica model you wish to compile through the command prompt in Spyder, and check that you are there



```
Console
Python 1 x 00:07:30
0
>>> os.system('cd C:\\JModelica.org-1.8.1\\Python\\pyfmi\\examples\\fi
les\\FMUs')
0
>>> os.getcwd()
'C:\\JModelica.org-1.8.1\\Python\\pyfmi\\examples\\files\\FMUs'
>>>
```

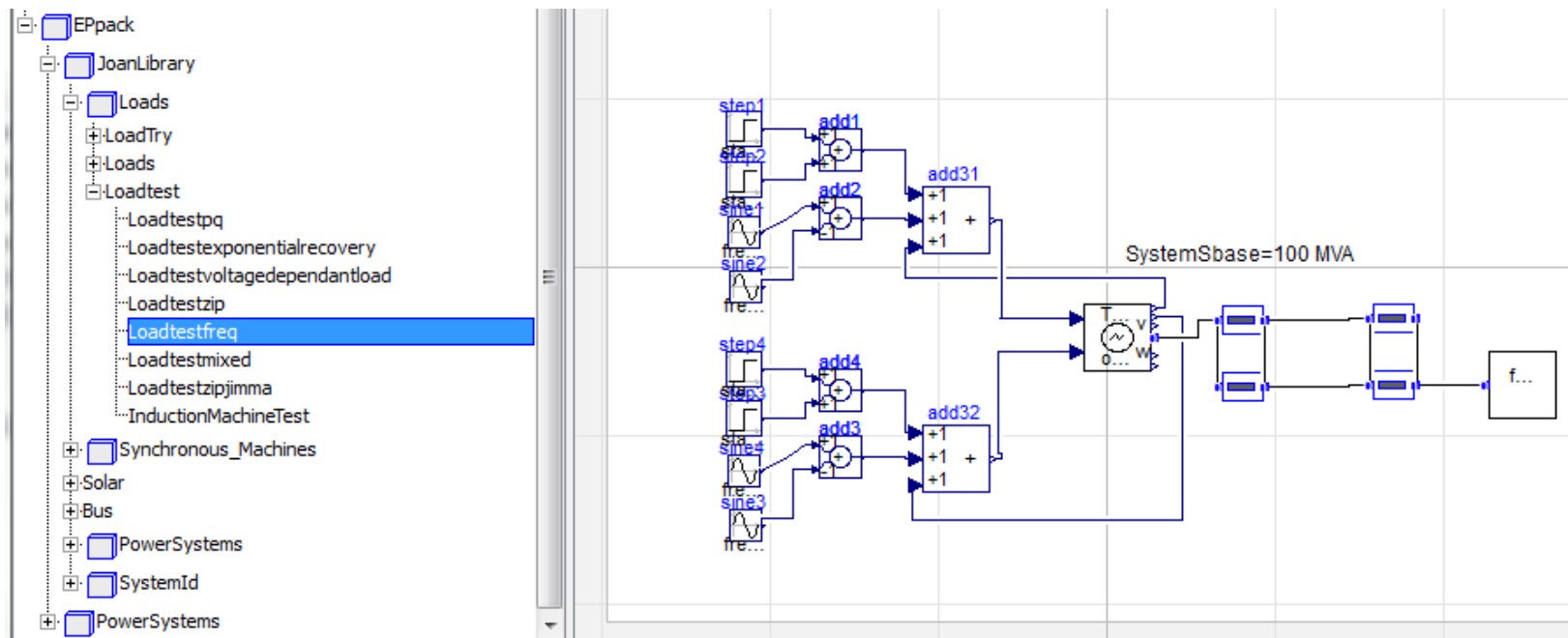
- The following syntax can now be used to compile your FMU, we use it in the next example:

```
# Import the compiler function
from pymodelica import compile_fmu
# Specify Modelica model and model file (.mo or .mop)
model_name = 'myPackage.myModel'
mo_file = 'myModelFile.mo'
# Compile the model and save the return argument, which is the file name of
the FMU
fmu_file = compile_fmu(model_name, mo_file)
```

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Generate the FMU from JModelica.org

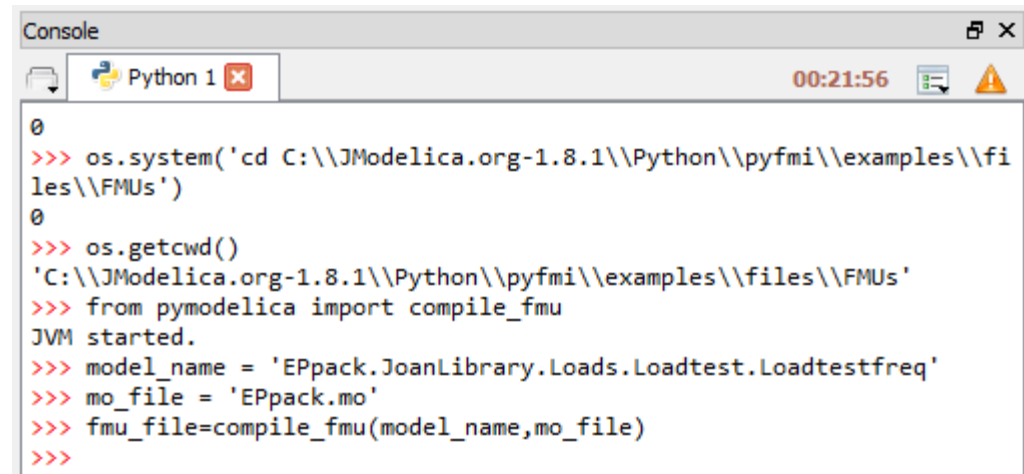
- Compile FMUs from Jmodelica: locating the model name and the file name.
 - We will compile a small test system including a third order generator, lines and a frequency dependent load that can be used for load parameter estimation
 - This model is contained the 'EPpack.mo' package, **this is the file name.**
 - From the hierarchy illustrated in the figure below, one can obtain the **model name:**
`EPpack.JoanLibrary.Loads.Loadtest.Loadtestfreq`



Optional – Advanced

Generate the FMU from JModelica.org

- Compile FMUs from Jmodelica:
Example, part 1 – compiling!
 - Go to the console of Syper and type the commands as shown in the screenshot
 - Browse to your FMU folder, you will find the compiled FMU there



```
Console
Python 1 x
00:21:56

0
>>> os.system('cd C:\\JModelica.org-1.8.1\\Python\\pyfmi\\examples\\files\\FMUs')
0
>>> os.getcwd()
'C:\\JModelica.org-1.8.1\\Python\\pyfmi\\examples\\files\\FMUs'
>>> from pymodelica import compile_fmu
JVM started.
>>> model_name = 'EPpack.JoanLibrary.Loads.Loadtest.Loadtestfreq'
>>> mo_file = 'EPpack.mo'
>>> fmu_file=compile_fmu(model_name,mo_file)
>>>
```

