

Electrodes

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Introduction

In this notebook we will show different models of the electrodes as well as the interface between the skin and the electrodes.

Connecting 2 wet electrodes

```
load('ecg.mat')
model_name = 'ConnectingWetElectrodes';
open_system(model_name);

%blockHandle = get_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel2/Rep', 'Handle')
%block = get(blockHandle);
```

Potential difference for the same electrodes and skin parameters

```
set_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel2/Rep', 'R', '500')
set_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel1/Rep', 'R', '500')
set_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/Zero', 'Value', '0')
s=sim(model_name)
```

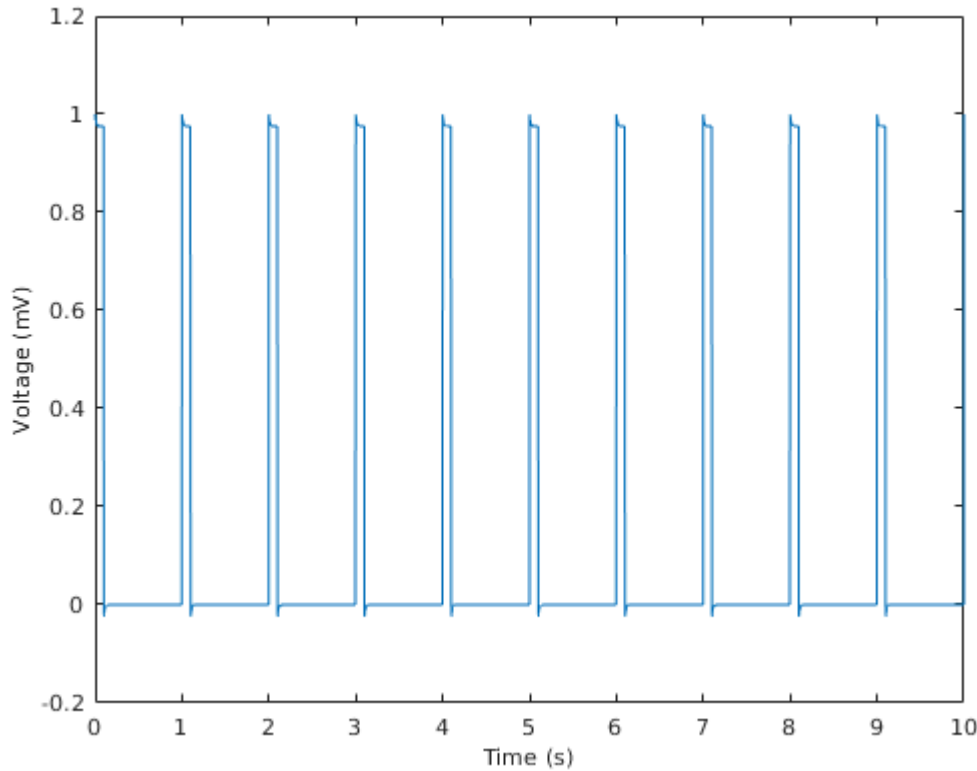
```
s =
  Simulink.SimulationOutput:

      simout: [1x1 timeseries]
      tout: [100001x1 double]

  SimulationMetadata: [1x1 Simulink.SimulationMetadata]
```

```
ErrorMessage: [0x0 char]
```

```
figure
plot(s.simout.Time, s.simout.Data*1000)
xlabel('Time (s)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylabel('Voltage (mV)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylim([-0.2, 1.2])
```



Potential difference for the same electrodes and skin parameters

```
Rep=get_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel2/Rep','R')
```

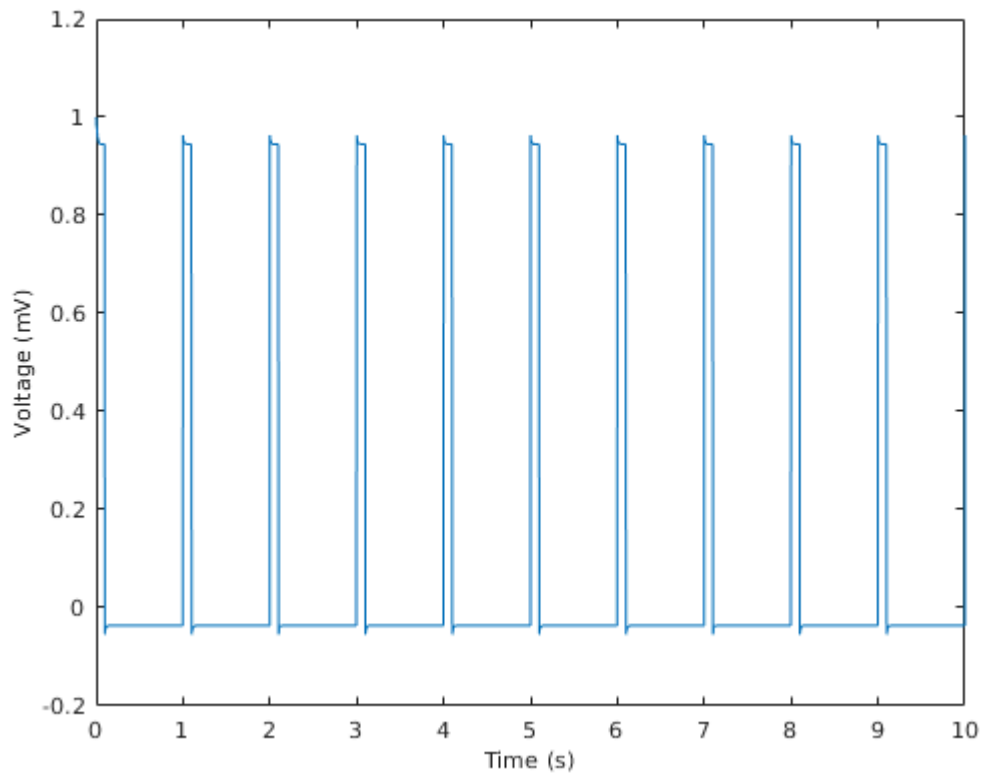
```
Rep =  
'500'
```

```
set_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel2/Rep','R','251')  
s=sim(model_name)
```

```
s =  
Simulink.SimulationOutput:  
  
    simout: [1x1 timeseries]  
    tout: [100001x1 double]  
  
SimulationMetadata: [1x1 Simulink.SimulationMetadata]  
ErrorMessage: [0x0 char]
```

```
figure  
plot(s.simout.Time, s.simout.Data*1000)  
xlabel('Time (s)', 'FontSize', 10)
```

```
ylabel('Voltage (mV)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylim([-0.2, 1.2])
```



After skin abrasion, epidermal resistances are 5kOhm and 10kOhm

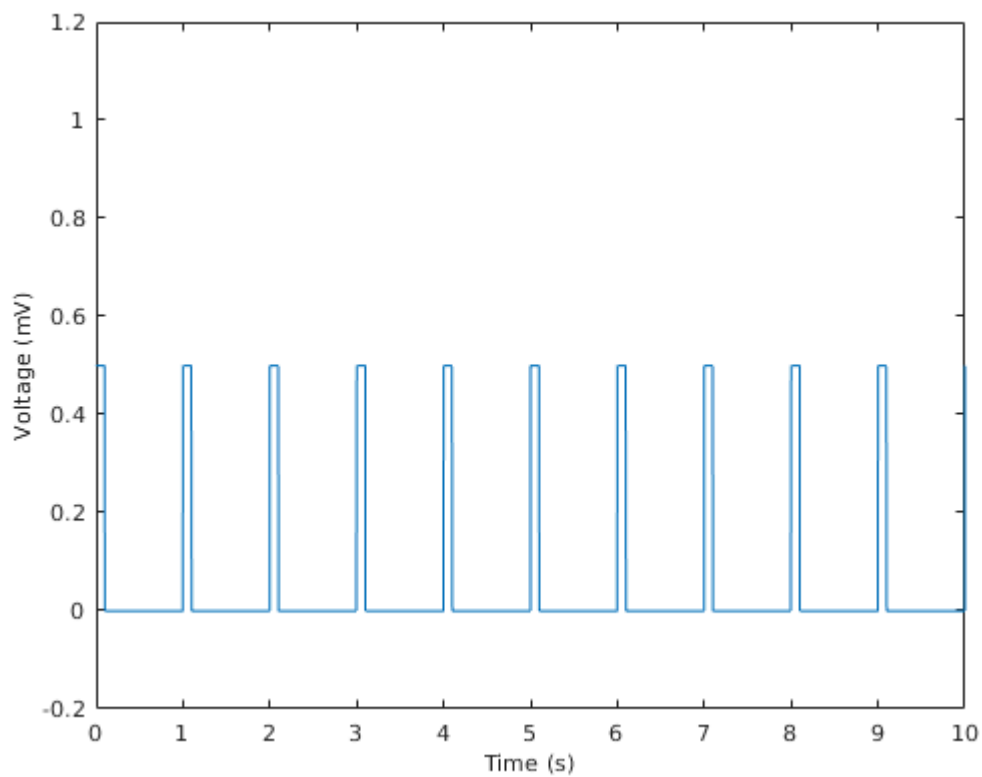
```
%Rep=get_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel2/Rep','R')
set_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel2/Rep','R','5')
set_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel1/Rep','R','10')
s=sim(model_name)
```

```
s =
  Simulink.SimulationOutput:

      simout: [1x1 timeseries]
      tout: [100001x1 double]

  SimulationMetadata: [1x1 Simulink.SimulationMetadata]
  ErrorMessage: [0x0 char]
```

```
figure
plot(s.simout.Time, s.simout.Data*1000)
xlabel('Time (s)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylabel('Voltage (mV)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylim([-0.2, 1.2])
```



After turning on sweat:

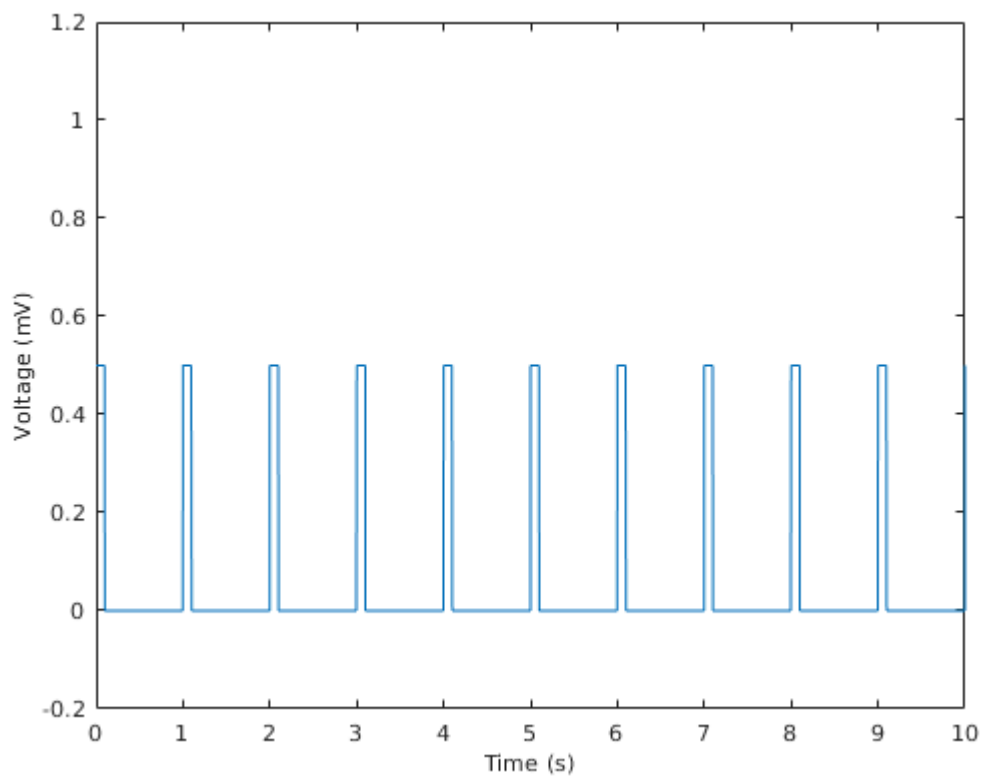
```
%Rep=get_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel2/Rep','R')
set_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel2/Rep','R','500')
set_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/ElectrodeSkinModel1/Rep','R','500')
set_param('ConnectingWetElectrodes/Zero','Value','1')
s=sim(model_name)
```

```
s =
  Simulink.SimulationOutput:

      simout: [1x1 timeseries]
      tout: [100001x1 double]

  SimulationMetadata: [1x1 Simulink.SimulationMetadata]
  ErrorMessage: [0x0 char]
```

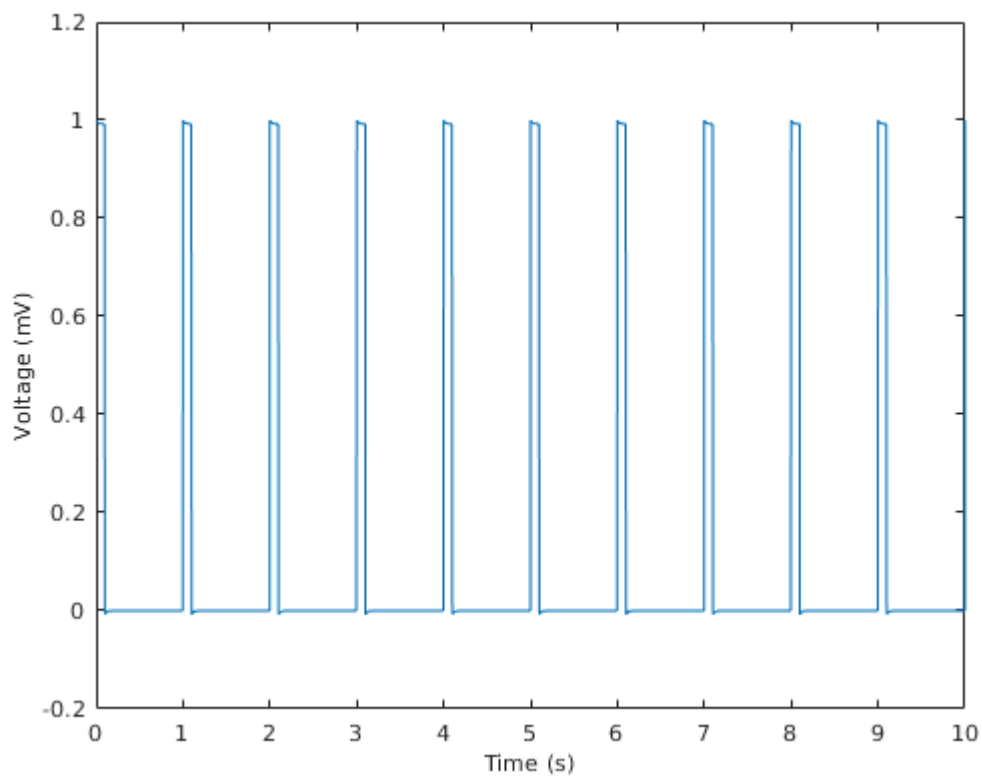
```
figure
plot(s.simout.Time, s.simout.Data*1000)
xlabel('Time (s)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylabel('Voltage (mV)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylim([-0.2, 1.2])
```



Dry electrode

```
model_name = 'ConnectingDryElectrodes';  
open_system(model_name);
```

```
s=sim(model_name);  
figure  
plot(s.simout.Time, s.simout.Data*1000)  
xlabel('Time (s)', 'FontSize', 10)  
ylabel('Voltage (mV)', 'FontSize', 10)  
ylim([-0.2, 1.2])
```

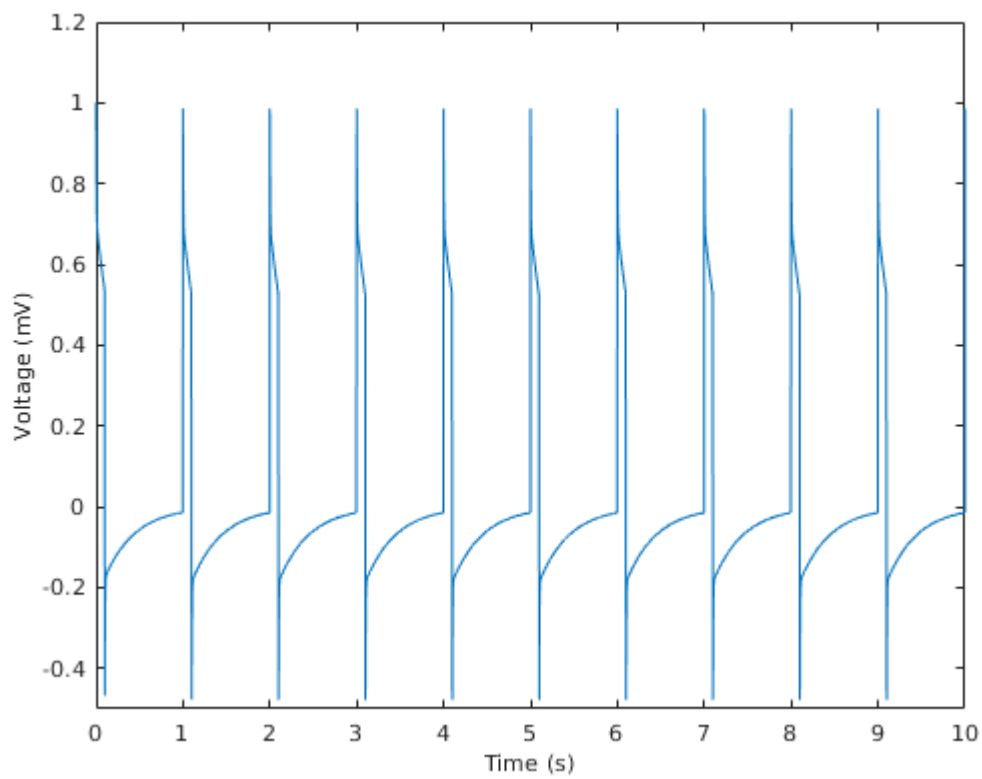


Non-contact electrode

```
model_name = 'ConnectingNoContactElectrodes';
open_system(model_name);
```

Simulation with $R_{in}=1\text{G}\Omega$

```
set_param('ConnectingNoContactElectrodes/Rin','R','1')
s=sim(model_name);
figure
plot(s.simout.Time, s.simout.Data*1000)
xlabel('Time (s)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylabel('Voltage (mV)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylim([-0.5, 1.2])
```



Simulation with $R_{in}=1\text{G}\Omega$

```
set_param('ConnectingNoContactElectrodes/Rin','R','10')
s=sim(model_name);
figure
plot(s.simout.Time, s.simout.Data*1000)
xlabel('Time (s)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylabel('Voltage (mV)', 'FontSize', 10)
ylim([-0.2, 1.2])
```

