## Summary of example:

The data file has one trace, which is 1000 ms long and the sampling frequency was 40kHz.

The data file also contains the time and was obtained from the corresponding model by using an IClamp (connected to the middle (0.5) of the soma) with the following parameters:

stim.del=200

stim.dur=500

stim.amp=0.2

The following model parameters were set (the others are default):
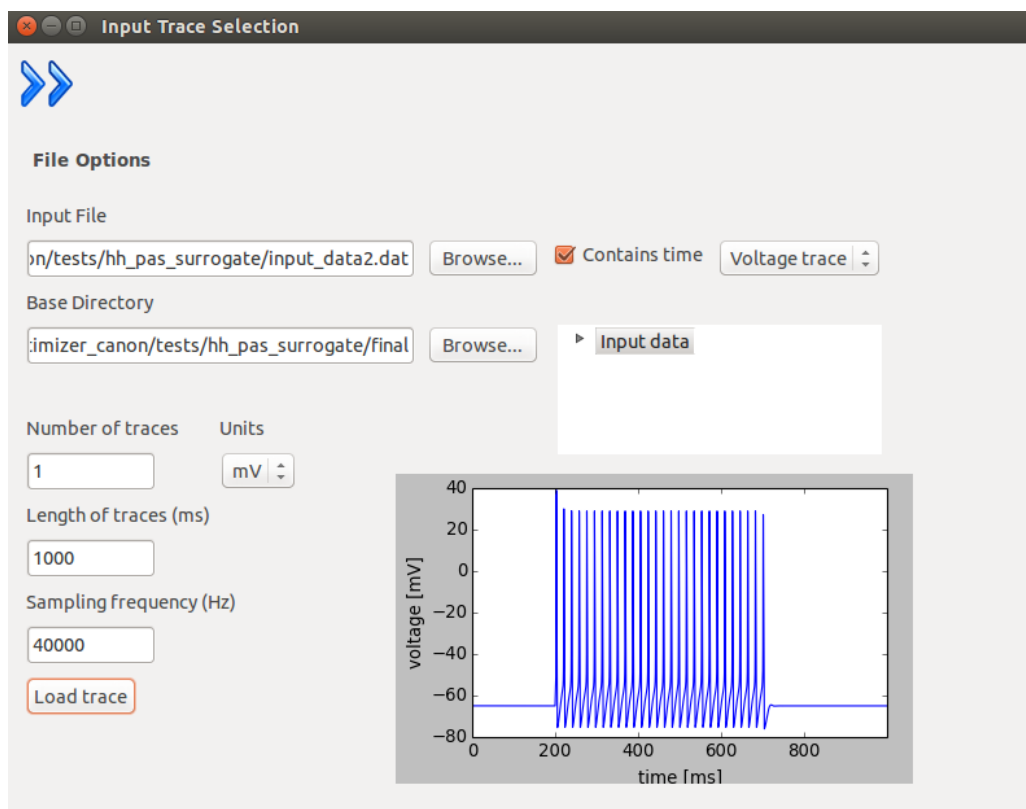
gnabar_hh=0.1

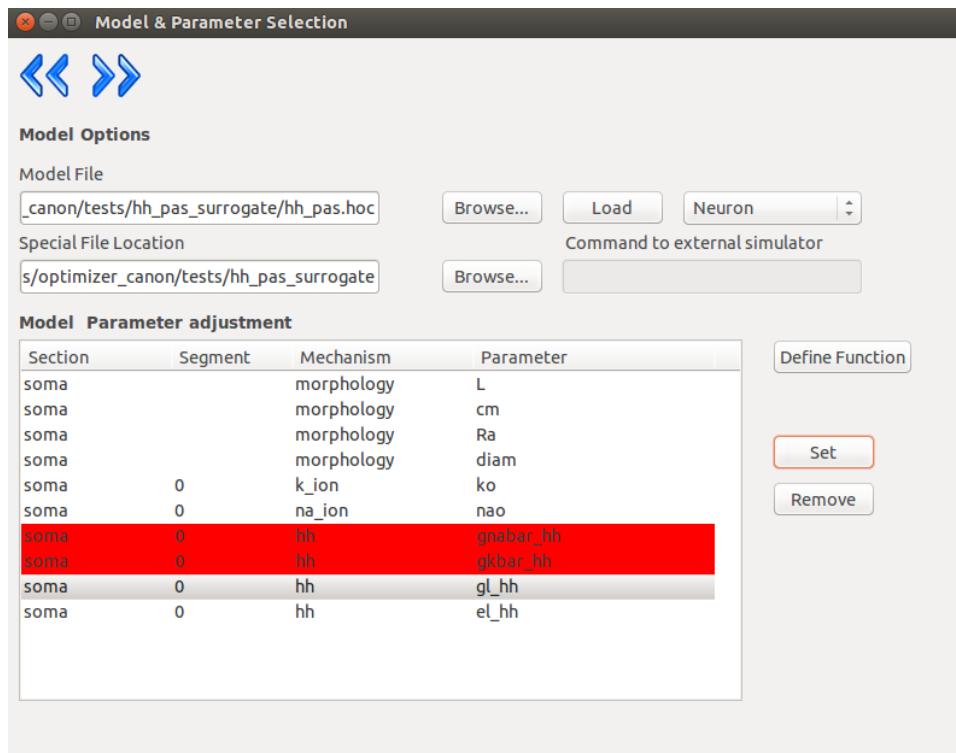gkbar_hh=0.03

gl_hh=0.0001

input file: "input_data2.dat"

model: hh_pas.hoc


## Step-by-step instructions to run the example from the Optimizer GUI:

Run „python optimizer.py -g" to start the GUI



At 'Input File' load the target data, at 'Base Directory' choose the directory where you want to save the results. Fill out all the cells and press 'Load trace'. Go on by pressing the blue arrow.
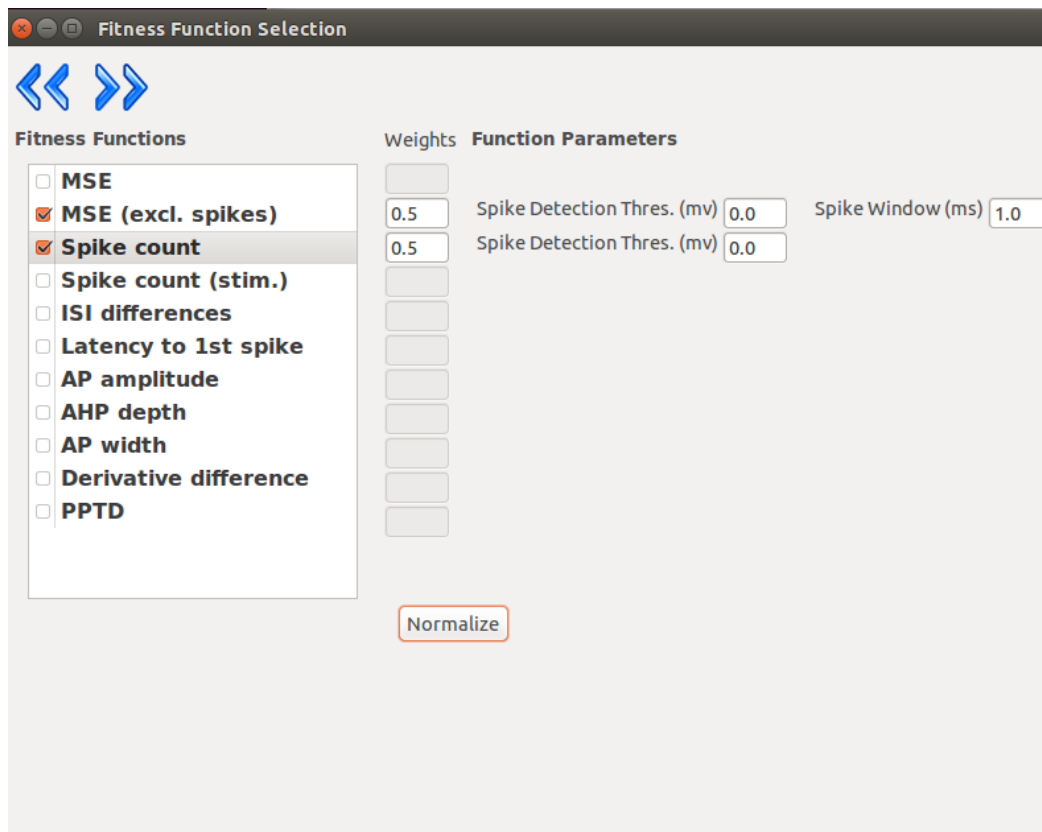
Browse to the model file and load the model. To select a parameter click first on the parameter, then press 'Set'. Repeat it to select a new parameter.

Go on by pressing the right arrow.
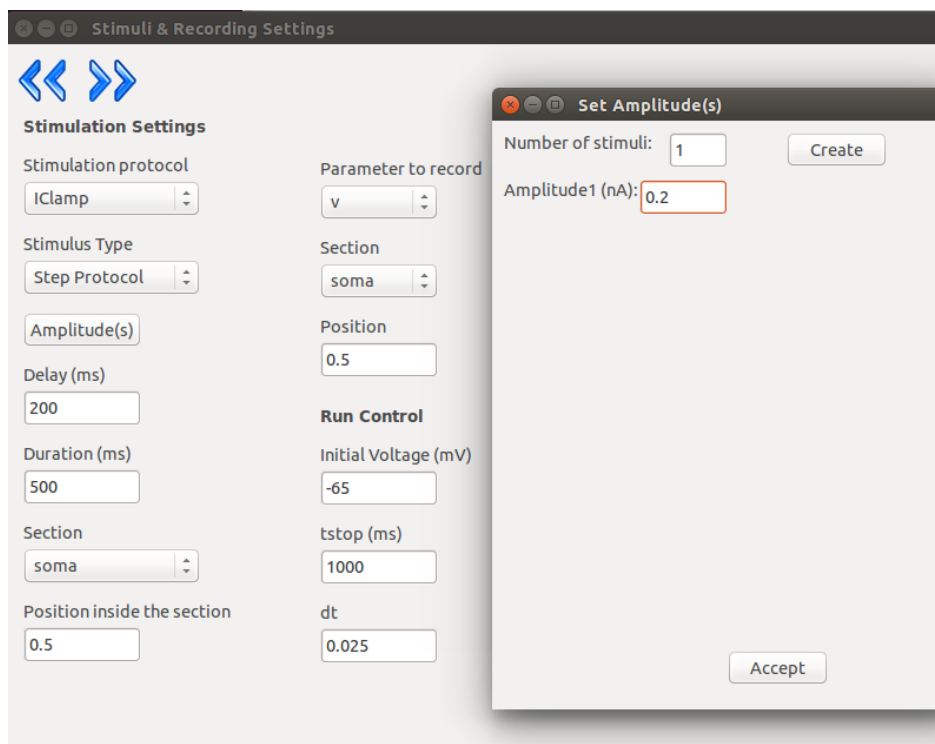


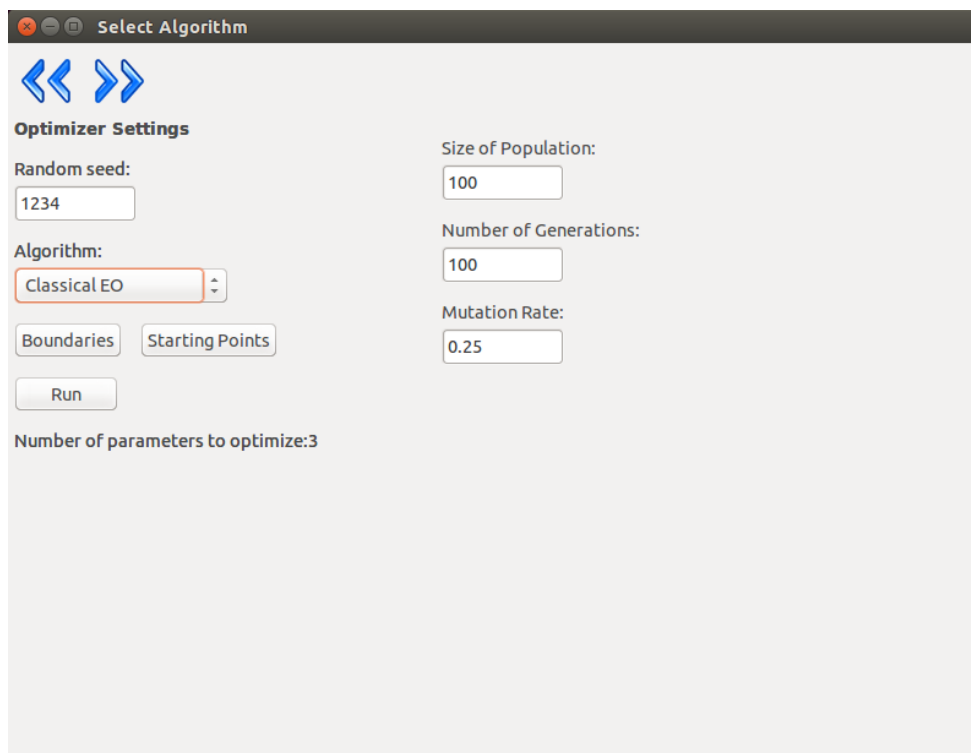Fill in all the cells. Press 'Amplitude(s)' to open the 'Set Amplitude(s) window. Go on by pressing the right arrow.

Choose fitness function(s), and define their weights. Go on by pressing the right arrow.



Select an algorithm, and press the 'Boundaries' button to define the boundaries of the parameters to be optimized:

Press 'Set'.

Start the optimization pressing the 'Run' button.