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About

This is a comprehensive but a concise and educational (e-)book aiming at advertising Modelica-based technologies particularly useful for power system modeling applications. Whatever aspect that could be useful has been included, to the best of author's knowledge. We hope that this book is useful not only for power system modelers desiring to get a quick idea about the benefits of employing Modelica but also for those Modelica modelers desiring a starting guide into the world of Power System.

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If you are clearly involved in power-system related activities using the Modelica language, you are highly encouraged to actively improve the state of this book whenever and/or wherever possible. For this reason, this book is available on the platform Overleaf which allows collaborative writing.

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We believe that online Modelica educational materials need to be gathered together and since the idea of having a freely accessible book that is meanwhile sponsored (or to be sponsored) by any one on the basis of pay-as-much-as-you-think-this-book-deserve is inspired by the author of the book "Modelica by Examples", thus, my special appreciation goes to Dr. Michael Tiller, for:

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Figure: A figure of a bond-graph with junctions
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accumulation of expertise and experiences gathered from many modeling
languages. To their credits the following languages should be summarized in
a brief paragraph as their distinguished features have influenced Modelica in a
way or another
CSSL and ACSL (block-diagram) then Simulink
Omola: object-oriented features
Simula
20sim and predecessors
GPROMS and predecessors
VHDL, VHDL-A
Change the variables E and P to i and v to become compatible with later examples.
Name the connector as T
Figure: Example of a generated html-documentation
Example of a constrained type
What we have learnt sofar is a simplified version of the MSL.Electrical.Analog. A
complete electrical network the Chua circuit example
Exercise: Attempt your self to establish a DC library of components with a relevant
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