

## SBML Model Report

# Model name: “Larsen2004\_CalciumSpiking-EnzymeBinding”



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## 1 General Overview

This is a document in SBML Level 2 Version 4 format. This model was created by Vijayalakshmi Chelliah<sup>1</sup> at May fifth 2011 at 12:59 a. m. and last time modified at May 28<sup>th</sup> 2014 at 2:51 a. m. Table 1 shows an overview of the quantities of all components of this model.

Table 1: Number of components in this model, which are described in the following sections.

Element	Quantity	Element	Quantity
compartment types	0	compartments	3
species types	0	species	7
events	0	constraints	0
reactions	0	function definitions	0
global parameters	27	unit definitions	0
rules	7	initial assignments	0

## Model Notes

This a model from the article:

### On the encoding and decoding of calcium signals in hepatocytes

Ann Zahle Larsen, Lars Folke Olsen and Ursula Kummera Biophysical Chemistry Volume 107, Issue 1, 1 January 2004, Pages 83-99 [14871603](#),

### Abstract:

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Many different agonists use calcium as a second messenger. Despite intensive research in intracellular calcium signalling it is an unsolved riddle how the different types of information represented by the different agonists, is encoded using the universal carrier calcium. It is also still not clear how the information encoded is decoded again into the intracellular specific information at the site of enzymes and genes. After the discovery of calcium oscillations, one likely mechanism is that information is encoded in the frequency, amplitude and waveform of the oscillations. This hypothesis has received some experimental support. However, the mechanism of decoding of oscillatory signals is still not known. Here, we study a mechanistic model of calcium oscillations, which is able to reproduce both spiking and bursting calcium oscillations. We use the model to study the decoding of calcium signals on the basis of co-operativity of calcium binding to various proteins. We show that this co-operativity offers a simple way to decode different calcium dynamics into different enzyme activities.

**Note:**

This model corresponds to the improved model eqn 1-7, as described by Larsen et al., 2004 implemented to investigate how the cell can decode different oscillations. This is done by introducing 2 more variables Enzyme and Product in addition to the 5 variables G-alpha, PLC, Ca\_cyt, Ca\_ER and Ca\_mit receptor-operated model described in the first part of the paper. The receptor-operated model is itself a modified version of the model described in Kummer 2000 (PMID:10968983)

## 2 Unit Definitions

This is an overview of five unit definitions which are all predefined by SBML and not mentioned in the model.

### 2.1 Unit substance

**Notes** Mole is the predefined SBML unit for substance.

**Definition** mol

### 2.2 Unit volume

**Notes** Litre is the predefined SBML unit for volume.

**Definition** l

### 2.3 Unit area

**Notes** Square metre is the predefined SBML unit for area since SBML Level 2 Version 1.

**Definition** m<sup>2</sup>

## 2.4 Unit `length`

**Notes** Metre is the predefined SBML unit for `length` since SBML Level 2 Version 1.

**Definition** `m`

## 2.5 Unit `time`

**Notes** Second is the predefined SBML unit for `time`.

**Definition** `s`

# 3 Compartments

This model contains three compartments.

Table 2: Properties of all compartments.

Id	Name	SBO	Spatial Dimensions	Size	Unit	Constant	Outside
cytoplasm	cytoplasm	0000290	3	1	litre	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
ER	ER	0000290	3	1	litre	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
mit	mitochondria	0000290	3	1	litre	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

### 3.1 Compartment `cytoplasm`

This is a three dimensional compartment with a constant size of one litre.

**Name** `cytoplasm`

**SBO:0000290** physical compartment

### 3.2 Compartment `ER`

This is a three dimensional compartment with a constant size of one litre.

**Name** `ER`

**SBO:0000290** physical compartment

### 3.3 Compartment `mit`

This is a three dimensional compartment with a constant size of one litre.

**Name** `mitochondria`

**SBO:0000290** physical compartment

## 4 Species

This model contains seven species. Section 7 provides further details and the derived rates of change of each species.

Table 3: Properties of each species.

Id	Name	Compartment	Derived Unit	Constant	Boundary Condition
G_alpha	G-alpha	cytoplasm	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	$\square$	$\square$
PLC	PLC	cytoplasm	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	$\square$	$\square$
Ca_cyt	Calcium-Cyt	cytoplasm	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	$\square$	$\square$
Ca_ER	Calcium-ER	ER	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	$\square$	$\square$
Ca_mit	Calcium-mit	mit	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	$\square$	$\square$
Enz	Enzyme	cytoplasm	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	$\square$	$\square$
Product	EnzCatlysedProduct	cytoplasm	$\text{mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$	$\square$	$\square$

## 5 Parameters

This model contains 27 global parameters.

Table 4: Properties of each parameter.

Id	Name	SBO	Value	Unit	Constant
k1	k1	0000009	0.01		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k2	k2	0000009	1.65		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k3	k3	0000009	0.64		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
K4	K4	0000009	0.09		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k5	k5	0000009	4.88		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
K6	K6	0000009	1.18		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k7	k7	0000009	2.08		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k8	k8	0000009	32.24		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
K9	K9	0000009	29.09		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k10	k10	0000009	0.70		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
K11	K11	0000009	3.00		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k12	k12	0000009	2.80		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k13	k13	0000009	13.40		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k14	k14	0000009	153.00		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
K15	K15	0000009	0.16		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k16	k16	0000009	7.00		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
K17	K17	0000009	0.05		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k18	k18	0000009	79.00		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
K19	K19	0000009	3.50		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k20	k20	0000009	0.81		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
K21	K21	0000009	4.50		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k_act	k_act	0000363	5.00		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
KM	KM	0000027	0.62		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k_inact	k_inact	0000349	0.40		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
p	p	0000190	4.00		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k_enz	k_enz	0000009	3.00		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
k_rem	k_rem	0000009	3.00		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

## 6 Rules

This is an overview of seven rules.

### 6.1 Rule G\_alpha

Rule G\_alpha is a rate rule for species G\_alpha:

$$\frac{d}{dt}G\_alpha = k1 + k2 \cdot [G\_alpha] - \frac{k3 \cdot [G\_alpha] \cdot [PLC]}{[G\_alpha] + K4} - \frac{k5 \cdot [G\_alpha] \cdot [Ca\_cyt]}{[G\_alpha] + K6} \quad (1)$$

### 6.2 Rule PLC

Rule PLC is a rate rule for species PLC:

$$\frac{d}{dt}PLC = k7 \cdot [G\_alpha] - \frac{k8 \cdot [PLC]}{[PLC] + K9} \quad (2)$$

### 6.3 Rule Ca\_cyt

Rule Ca\_cyt is a rate rule for species Ca\_cyt:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt}Ca\_cyt = & \frac{([Ca\_ER] - [Ca\_cyt]) \cdot k10 \cdot [Ca\_cyt] \cdot [PLC]^4}{[PLC]^4 + K11^4} + k12 \cdot [PLC] \\ & + k13 \cdot [G\_alpha] - \frac{k14 \cdot [Ca\_cyt]}{[Ca\_cyt] + K15} - \frac{k16 \cdot [Ca\_cyt]}{[Ca\_cyt] + K17} \\ & - \frac{k18 \cdot [Ca\_cyt]^8}{K19^8 + [Ca\_cyt]^8} + \frac{([Ca\_mit] - [Ca\_cyt]) \cdot k20 \cdot [Ca\_cyt]}{[Ca\_cyt] + K21} \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

### 6.4 Rule Ca\_ER

Rule Ca\_ER is a rate rule for species Ca\_ER:

$$\frac{d}{dt}Ca\_ER = \frac{([Ca\_ER] - [Ca\_cyt]) \cdot k10 \cdot [Ca\_cyt] \cdot [PLC]^4}{[PLC]^4 + K11^4} + \frac{k16 \cdot [Ca\_cyt]}{[Ca\_cyt] + K17} \quad (4)$$

### 6.5 Rule Ca\_mit

Rule Ca\_mit is a rate rule for species Ca\_mit:

$$\frac{d}{dt}Ca\_mit = \frac{k18 \cdot [Ca\_cyt]^8}{K19^8 + [Ca\_cyt]^8} - \frac{([Ca\_mit] - [Ca\_cyt]) \cdot k20 \cdot [Ca\_cyt]}{[Ca\_cyt] + K21} \quad (5)$$

### 6.6 Rule Enz

Rule Enz is a rate rule for species Enz:

$$\frac{d}{dt}Enz = \frac{k\_act \cdot [Ca\_cyt]^p}{KM^p + [Ca\_cyt]^p} - k\_inact \cdot [Enz] \quad (6)$$

## 6.7 Rule [Product](#)

Rule [Product](#) is a rate rule for species [Product](#):

$$\frac{d}{dt}\text{Product} = k_{\text{enz}} \cdot [\text{Enz}] - k_{\text{rem}} \cdot [\text{Product}] \quad (7)$$

## 7 Derived Rate Equations

When interpreted as an ordinary differential equation framework, this model implies the following set of equations for the rates of change of each species.

### 7.1 Species [G\\_alpha](#)

**Name** [G-alpha](#)

**SBO:0000252** polypeptide chain

**Initial concentration**  $0.01 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

**Involved in rule** [G\\_alpha](#)

One rule which determines this species' quantity.

### 7.2 Species [PLC](#)

**Name** [PLC](#)

**SBO:0000014** enzyme

**Initial amount**  $0.01 \text{ mol}$

**Involved in rule** [PLC](#)

One rule which determines this species' quantity.

### 7.3 Species [Ca\\_cyt](#)

**Name** [Calcium-Cyt](#)

**SBO:0000247** simple chemical

**Initial amount**  $0.01 \text{ mol}$

**Involved in rule** [Ca\\_cyt](#)

One rule which determines this species' quantity.

#### 7.4 Species [Ca\\_ER](#)

**Name** Calcium-ER

**SBO:0000247** simple chemical

**Initial amount** 10 mol

**Involved in rule** [Ca\\_ER](#)

One rule which determines this species' quantity.

#### 7.5 Species [Ca\\_mit](#)

**Name** Calcium-mit

**SBO:0000247** simple chemical

**Initial concentration**  $0.0010 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

**Involved in rule** [Ca\\_mit](#)

One rule which determines this species' quantity.

#### 7.6 Species [Enz](#)

**Name** Enzyme

**SBO:0000014** enzyme

**Initial concentration**  $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

**Involved in rule** [Enz](#)

One rule which determines this species' quantity.

#### 7.7 Species [Product](#)

**Name** EnzCatlysedProduct

**SBO:0000011** product

**Initial concentration**  $0 \text{ mol} \cdot \text{l}^{-1}$

**Involved in rule** [Product](#)

One rule which determines this species' quantity.



## A Glossary of Systems Biology Ontology Terms

**SBO:0000009 kinetic constant:** Numerical parameter that quantifies the velocity of a chemical reaction

**SBO:0000011 product:** Substance that is produced in a reaction. In a chemical equation the Products are the elements or compounds on the right hand side of the reaction equation. A product can be produced and consumed by the same reaction, its global quantity remaining unchanged

**SBO:0000014 enzyme:** A protein that catalyzes a chemical reaction. The word comes from en “a” or “i”) and simo “leave” or “yeas”)

**SBO:0000027 Michaelis constant:** Substrate concentration at which the velocity of reaction is half its maximum. Michaelis constant is an experimental parameter. According to the underlying molecular mechanism it can be interpreted differently in terms of microscopic constants

**SBO:0000190 Hill coefficient:** Empirical parameter created by Archibald Vivian Hill to describe the cooperative binding of oxygen on hemoglobine (Hill (1910). The possible effects of the aggregation of the molecules of haemoglobin on its dissociation curves. J Physiol 40: iv-vii)

**SBO:0000247 simple chemical:** Simple, non-repetitive chemical entity

**SBO:0000252 polypeptide chain:** Naturally occurring macromolecule formed by the repetition of amino-acid residues linked by peptidic bonds. A polypeptide chain is synthesized by the ribosome. CHEBI:1654

**SBO:0000290 physical compartment:** Specific location of space, that can be bounded or not. A physical compartment can have 1, 2 or 3 dimensions

**SBO:0000349 inactivation rate constant:** Kinetic constant describing the rate of an irreversible enzyme inactivation by decay of the active enzyme into its inactive form

**SBO:0000363 activation constant:** Dissociation constant of a potentiator (activator) from a target (e.g. an enzyme) of which it activates the function

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