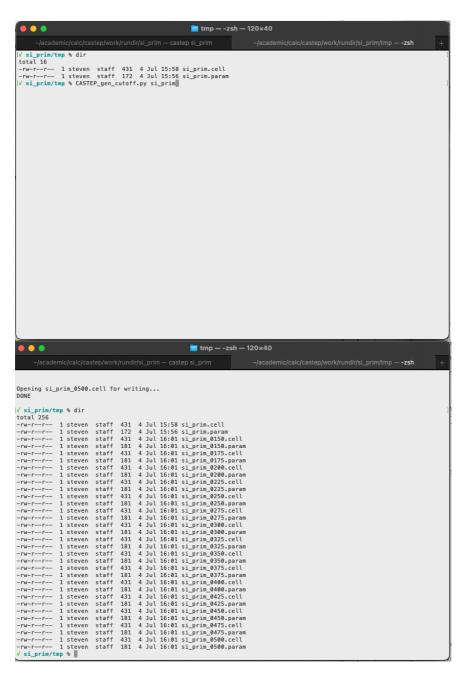
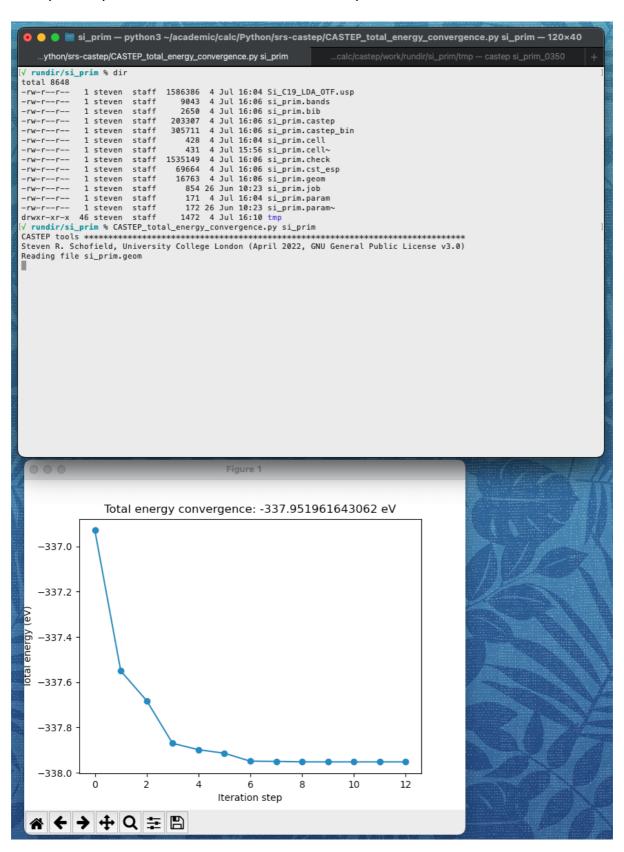
The programme CASTEP_gen_cutoff.py will take a .cell and .param input and generate a set of inputs for different plane wave energy cutoff. The range of cutoff values can be set by editing the CASTEP_gen_curoff.py file.



The file CASTEP_total_energy_convergence.py will read a single geometry optimisation .castep output file and plot the SCF convergence per geometry optimisation step. This is mainly a sanity check the calculation has run correctly.



The CASTEP_multiple_file_convergence.py will read the total energy and bond length from a series of .castep files and generate a text file for plotting with some programme. The .castep files should first all be copied to a single directory and

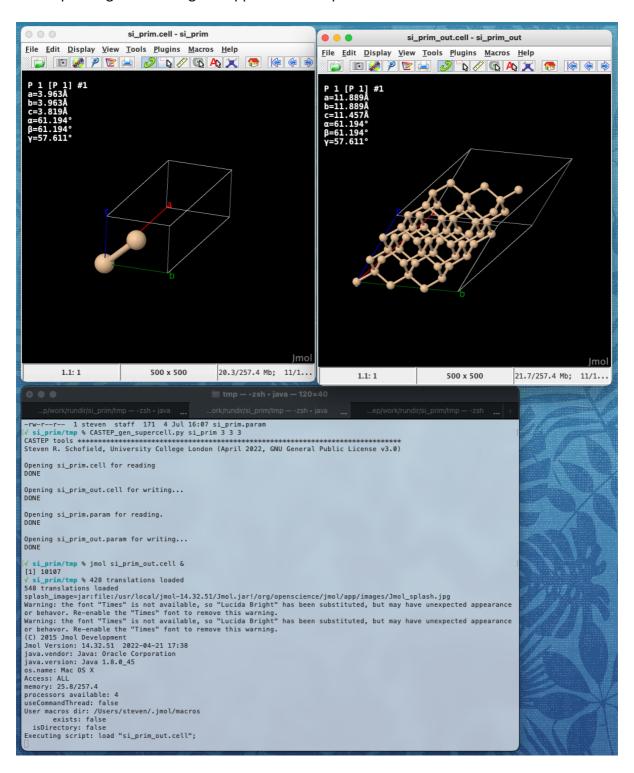
CASTEP_multiple_file_convergence.py should be run from in that directory. The energy should work for any calculation, but the bond-length probably only works properly for the primitive unit cell. This could be modified also to extract other parameters.

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tmp — -zsh — 120×40
      ~/academic/calc/castep/work/rundir/si_prim/tmp/tmp — -zsh
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                              57398
-rw-r--r- 1 steven staff 57398 4 Jul 16:13 si_prim_0450.castep
-rw-r--r- 1 steven staff 31468 4 Jul 16:13 si_prim_0500.castep

√ tmp/tmp % CASTEP_multiple_file_convergence.py

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Wrote output file multiple_file_output.txt :
Filename
                Cutoff
                                TotalE
                                                   Bondlenath
                                                                    Warnings
si_prim_0250
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                                                   2.34081
                250.0
si_prim_0300
                 300.0
                                 -337.982543
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si_prim_0350
si_prim_0400
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                350.0
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                                 -337.983032
                                                   2.34045
                 400.0
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si_prim_0450
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The programme CASTEP_gen_supercell.py reads in a unit cell and generates a new larger one depending on the integers supplied in the input:



The file CASTEP_reorder_coords.py reorders the cell coordinates by z, then y, then z. This is useful after generating a larger cell from a smaller one, for example, and will be useful when working with surfaces.

