# Coarse-grained OpenMM Documentation

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## OPENMM SIMULATION() PROTOCOLS FOR COARSE GRAINED MODELING

```
This page details the functions in cg_openmm/src/build/cg_build.py.
build.cq build.add new elements (cgmodel, list of masses)
     Adds new coarse grained particle types to OpenMM
     cgmodel: CGModel() class object
     list_of_masses: List of masses for the particles we want to add to OpenMM
build.cg_build.build_mm_force(sigma, epsilon, charge, num_beads, cut-
                                         off=Quantity(value=1, unit=nanometer))
     Build an OpenMM 'Force' for the non-bonded interactions in our model.
     sigma: Non-bonded bead Lennard-Jones interaction distances, (float * simtk.unit.distance)
     epsilon: Non-bonded bead Lennard-Jones interaction strength, (float * simtk.unit.energy)
     charge: Charge for all beads (float * simtk.unit.charge)
     cutoff: Cutoff distance for nonbonded interactions (float * simtk.unit.distance)
     num beads: Total number of beads in our coarse grained model (integer)
build.cq build.build mm simulation (topology, system, positions,
                                                perature=Quantity(value=300.0,
                                                unit=kelvin),
                                                                             simula-
                                                tion_time_step=None,
                                                                                  to-
                                                tal_simulation_time=Quantity(value=1.0,
                                                unit=picosecond),
                                                                                 out-
                                                put_pdb='output.pdb',
                                                                                 out-
                                                put_data='output.dat',
                                                print frequency=100)
     Construct an OpenMM simulation object for our coarse grained model.
     topology: OpenMM topology object
     system: OpenMM system object
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positions: Array containing the positions of all beads in the coarse grained model (np.array(
      'num_beads' x 3, (float * simtk.unit.distance))
     temperature: Simulation temperature (float * simtk.unit.temperature)
     simulation_time_step: Simulation integration time step (float * simtk.unit.time )
     total_simulation_time: Total simulation time ( float * simtk.unit.time )
     output data: Name of output file where we will write the data from this simulation (string)
     print frequency: Number of simulation steps to skip when writing data to 'output data' (
     integer)
build.cg_build.build_system(cgmodel)
     Builds an OpenMM System() class object, given a CGModel() class object as input.
     cgmodel: CGModel() class object
     system: OpenMM System() class object
build.cg build.build topology (cgmodel)
     Construct an OpenMM topology for our coarse grained model
     polymer_length: Number of monomers in our coarse grained model (integer)
     backbone_length: Number of backbone beads on individual monomers in our coarse grained
     model, (integer)
     sidechain_length: Number of sidechain beads on individual monomers in our coarse grained
     model, (integer)
```

### OPENMM SIMULATION TOOLS FOR COARSE GRAINED MODELING

This page details the functions in cg\_openmm/src/simulation/.

# 2.1 Replica exchange simulation tools for coarse grained modeling

#### 2.2 General simulation tools for coarse grained modeling

simulation.tools.get\_simulation\_time\_step(topology, system, positions,

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temperature, time_step_list,
                                                           total simulation time)
     Determine a valid simulation time step for our coarse grained model.
     simulation: OpenMM simulation object
     time_step_list: List of time steps for which to attempt a simulation in OpenMM.
     time_step: A time step that was successful for our simulation object.
simulation.tools.minimize_structure(topology, system, positions, tem-
                                                  perature=Quantity(value=0.0,
                                                  unit=kelvin),
                                                                              simula-
                                                  tion_time_step=None,
                                                                                   to-
                                                  tal_simulation_time=Quantity(value=1.0,
                                                  unit=picosecond),
                                                                                  out-
                                                  put pdb='minimum.pdb',
                                                                                  out-
                                                  put data='minimization.dat',
                                                  print frequency=10)
     Construct an OpenMM simulation object for our coarse grained model.
     topology: OpenMM topology object
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system: OpenMM system object
positions: Array containing the positions of all beads in the coarse grained model (np.array('num\_beads' x 3, (float \* simtk.unit.distance))
temperature: Simulation temperature (float \* simtk.unit.temperature)
simulation\_time\_step: Simulation integration time step (float \* simtk.unit.time)
output\_data: Name of output file where we will write the data from this simulation (string)
print\_frequency: Number of simulation steps to skip when writing data to 'output\_data' (integer)

## UTILITIES FOR COARSE GRAINED MODELING IN OPENMM

This page details the functionality of utilities in cg\_openmm/src/utilities/util.py.

```
utilities.util.distance (positions_1, positions_2)
    Construct a matrix of the distances between all particles.
    positions_1: Positions for a particle (np.array(length = 3))
    positions_2: Positions for a particle (np.array(length = 3))
    distance (float * unit)

utilities.util.get_box_vectors (box_size)
    Assign all side lengths for simulation box.

box_size: Simulation box length (float * simtk.unit.length)

utilities.util.set_box_vectors (system, box_size)
    Build a simulation box.

system: OpenMM system object

box_size: Simulation box length (float * simtk.unit.length)
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