

# Documentation for MontpInv\_sequential (MATLAB version)

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MontpInv\_sequential is a software aiming to represent narrow structures of the subsurface, such as fractures or preferential flowpaths for instance, based on electrical data and a discrete modelling approach.

This software is a sequential (i.e. step by step) inversion procedure that incorporates an adaptation of the forward model obtained with ERT\_DDP\_2.5D software (Caballero-Sanz et al., 2017). Codes are written in MATLAB but call a C++ executable. For any questions concerning the installation and operation of the codes, please contact the authors.

The software is related to several folders described hereafter, and the script called **mainExecutable.m** is the one that must be run to start inversion.

The folders related to the software are organized as follows:

- **Documentation:** contains documentation and articles related to the software
- **ElectricalResistivity:** contains the C++ source files
- **FieldData:** contains the field files that are necessary to run the code
- **Input:** contains two folders containing the input files that are necessary to run ERT\_DDP\_2.5D with the DFN setting and the EPM setting
- **Inversion:** contains the codes corresponding to the inversion simulator
- **Output:** contains the output files that are generated by the C++ code
- **PostProcessing:** contains the codes that are processing the outputs generated by the C++ code
- **Results:** contains the output files of the inversion scheme

More information about the content of the Input, ElectricalResistivity, Output and PostProcessing folders are provided in the documentation of ERT\_DDP\_2.5D (Caballero-Sanz et al., 2017).

**Caution :** all the files described are adapted to a specific study site, a remediation of a contaminated aquifer which characteristics are detailed in Lévy et al., 2022.

## 1 Description of the FieldData files

### 1.1 *data\_xxzz\_R4.txt*

This file contains the coordinates of the electrodes. Each row corresponds to a quadrupole, i.e. to four electrodes giving one apparent electrical resistivity value. Each column corresponds to a coordinate, x refers to the distance to the surface, y refers to the depth. Columns 1 to 4 contain the x values of electrodes called A, B, M and N. Columns 5 to 8 contain the y values of electrodes A, B, M and N.

### 1.2 *R3.txt* and *R4.txt*

These text files contain the apparent electrical resistivity values collected on field, respectively, before injection (*R3.txt*) and one day after the injection (*R4.txt*) of the reagent. They are column vectors, each row correspond to a quadrupole measurement.

## 2 Description of the Inversion files

- **addFracture.m**: creates a new fracture in DFN.txt
- **changeFracture.m**: modifies the model parameters at each iteration of the inversion procedure
- **deleteFracture.m**: deletes fractures that do not lower the misfit value
- **fwdEPM.m**: calculates the forward EPM model with ERT\_DDP\_2.5D
- **mainInversion.m**: contains the sequential architecture for calling the various codes implementing the inversion scheme
- **procedure.m**: calculates the forward DFN model with ERT\_DDP\_2.5D, filters the data as described in the related article and calculates the misfit value

## 3 Description of the PostProcessing files

- **Farum\_elecConfig.m**: defines the coordinates of the electrodes by quadrupole

- **Farum\_index.m**: indexes the quadrupole
- **InverseFourierPotential.m**: calculates the inverse Fourier potential
- **Inverse\_Pot.m**: calculates the inverse Fourier potential
- **mainEPM.m**: inverts the outputs from the C++ code
- **pre\_mainDFN.m**: preparatory function to the forward simulator with a DFN setting
- **mainDFN.m**: inverts the outputs from the C++ code

## 4 Description of the Results files

These files are obtained at the end of the inversion procedure. An example of the results obtained are provides in the `example_inv_Farum` folder.

- **DFN\_final.txt**: saves the model parameters of each fracture found
- **tabResults.txt**: saves the output of the global search inversion function and its computing time for each fracture found
- **computingTime.txt**: saves the bulk computing time to obtain the final model in seconds
- **deletedFrac.txt**: saves the iteration corresponding to a deleted fracture

## References

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