

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL: MATHCAD FILE for TWO-STEP SURFACE EECrev MECHANISM

(Es – standard)potentials $f := 10$ f is SW frequency $r := 1..1$

EsI := 0.2 $\Delta E := 0.8$ $dE := 0.004$ $E_{sw} := 0.05$

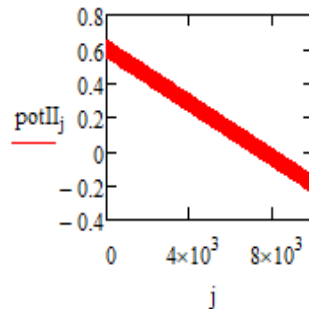
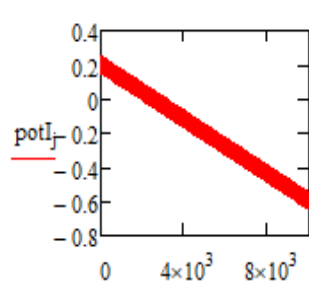
$n := 1$ $\underline{\underline{F}} := 96500$ $\underline{\underline{R}} := 8.314$ $\underline{\underline{T}} := 298.15$

$j := 1.. \frac{\Delta E}{dE} \cdot 50$

$\alpha_1 := 0.5$ $\alpha_2 := 0.5$

$$potI_j := EsI + E_{sw} - \left[\left(\text{ceil} \left(\frac{j}{25} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \right) \cdot dE + \text{if} \left(\frac{\text{ceil} \left(\frac{j}{25} \right)}{2} = \text{ceil} \left(\frac{j}{25} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \right), 1, -1 \right) \cdot E_{sw} + E_{sw} \right) - dE \right]$$

$$potII_j := EsII + E_{sw} - \left[\left(\text{ceil} \left(\frac{j}{25} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \right) \cdot dE + \text{if} \left(\frac{\text{ceil} \left(\frac{j}{25} \right)}{2} = \text{ceil} \left(\frac{j}{25} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \right), 1, -1 \right) \cdot E_{sw} + E_{sw} \right) - dE \right]$$



$$\Phi I_j := n \cdot \frac{F}{R \cdot T} \cdot potI_j \quad \Phi II_j := n \cdot \frac{F}{R \cdot T} \cdot potII_j$$

$x := 0.001$

$$M_j := e^{-\gamma \cdot \frac{j}{50}} - e^{-\gamma \cdot \frac{j+1}{50}}$$

$k_f := 0.1$ $ks1 := 10$ $ks1$ is the standard rate constant of first electrode step

$k_b := 0.1$ $ks2 := 10$ $ks2$ is the standard rate constant of second electrode step

$\gamma := \frac{(k_f + k_b)}{f}$ k_f and k_b are forward and backward constant of chemical reaction
 γ is the dimensionless chemical kinetic parameter

$U := \frac{k_f}{k_b}$ U is the equilibrium constant of follow up chemical reaction

KI is dimensionless kinetic parameter of first electrode step

KII is dimensionless kinetic parameter of second electrode step

M is numerical integration factor

These are the recurrent formulas
for calculating dimensionless currents

$$\Psi_{I_{1,r}} := \text{root} \left[\left[1 + \frac{K_{I_r} \cdot e^{-\alpha_1 \cdot \Phi_{I_1}}}{50} \cdot \left(1 + e^{\Phi_{I_1}} \right) \right] \cdot x - \frac{K_{I_r}}{50} \cdot e^{(1-\alpha_1) \cdot \Phi_{I_1}} \cdot \left[\frac{x \cdot \frac{K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_1}}}{50}}{1 + \frac{K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_1}}}{50} \cdot \left(1 + e^{\Phi_{II_1}} \right)} \right] - K_{I_r} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{I_1}}, x \right]$$

$$\Psi_{II_{1,r}} := \frac{1 \cdot K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_1}}}{50 + 1 \cdot K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_1}} \cdot \left(1 + e^{\Phi_{II_1}} \right)} \cdot \Psi_{I_{1,r}} + \frac{\frac{U \cdot K_{II}}{1+U} \cdot e^{(-\alpha_2) \cdot \Phi_{II_1}} - \frac{K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_1}}}{1} \cdot 0}{50 + K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_1}} \cdot \left(1 + e^{\Phi_{II_1}} \right) + \frac{U \cdot K_{II}}{(1+U) \cdot 50} \cdot e^{(1-\alpha_2) \cdot \Phi_{II_1}} \cdot M_1} + \frac{\frac{1 \cdot \gamma}{1+U} \cdot e^{(1-\alpha_2) \cdot \Phi_{II_1}} \cdot 0}{50 + K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_1}} \cdot \left(1 + e^{\Phi_{II_1}} \right) + \frac{\gamma}{1+U} \cdot e^{(1-\alpha_2) \cdot \Phi_{II_1}} \cdot M_1}$$

$$x := 0.001$$

$$\Psi_{I_{j,r}} := \text{root} \left[x - K_{I_r} \cdot e^{-\alpha_1 \cdot \Phi_{I_j}} \cdot \left[1 - \left[\frac{1}{50} \cdot \left(1 + e^{\Phi_{I_j}} \right) \right] \cdot \left(x + \sum_{i=1}^{j-1} \Psi_{I_{i,r}} \right) + \frac{e^{\Phi_{I_j}}}{50} \cdot \left[\frac{1}{1 + e^{\Phi_{II_j}}} \cdot \left(x + \sum_{i=1}^{j-1} \Psi_{I_{i,r}} \right) - \frac{50}{K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot \left(1 + e^{\Phi_{II_j}} \right)} \cdot \left[K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot \left[\frac{1}{50} \cdot \left(x + \sum_{i=1}^{j-1} \Psi_{I_{i,r}} \right) - \frac{1}{50} \cdot \left(1 + e^{\Phi_{II_j}} \right) \right] \cdot \left[\frac{50 \cdot x}{K_{I_r} \cdot e^{(1-\alpha_1) \cdot \Phi_{I_j}}} - 50 \cdot e^{-\Phi_{I_j}} \cdot \left[1 - \frac{1}{50} \cdot \left(1 + e^{\Phi_{I_j}} \right) \right] \cdot \left(x + \sum_{i=1}^{j-1} \Psi_{I_{i,r}} \right) \right] \right] \right] \right], x \right]$$

$$\Psi_{II_{j,r}} := \frac{0.02 \cdot K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot 1}{1 + 1 \cdot \frac{K_{II}}{50} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot 1 \cdot \left(1 + e^{\Phi_{II_j}} \right)} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^j \Psi_{I_{i,r}} + \frac{0.02 \cdot K_{II} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot 1 - \frac{\frac{1 \cdot K_{II}}{50} \cdot e^{(-\alpha_2) \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot 1}{1} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^{j-1} \left(\Psi_{II_{i,r}} \cdot 1 \right) - \frac{\frac{1 \cdot U \cdot K_{II}}{\gamma \cdot (1+U)} \cdot e^{(1-\alpha_2) \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot 1}{1} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^{j-1} \left(\Psi_{II_{i,r}} \cdot M_i \right) - \frac{1 \cdot \gamma}{1+U} \cdot e^{(1-\alpha_2) \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot 1 \cdot \sum_{i=1}^{j-1} \left(\Psi_{II_{i,r}} \cdot M_i \right)}{1 + \frac{1 \cdot K_{II}}{50} \cdot e^{-\alpha_2 \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot 1 + \frac{1 \cdot U \cdot K_{II}}{\gamma \cdot (1+U)} \cdot e^{(1-\alpha_2) \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot M_1 + \frac{\gamma}{1+U} \cdot e^{(1-\alpha_2) \cdot \Phi_{II_j}} \cdot M_1 \cdot 1}$$

$$\Psi_{j,r} := \Psi_{I_{j,r}} + \Psi_{II_{j,r}}$$

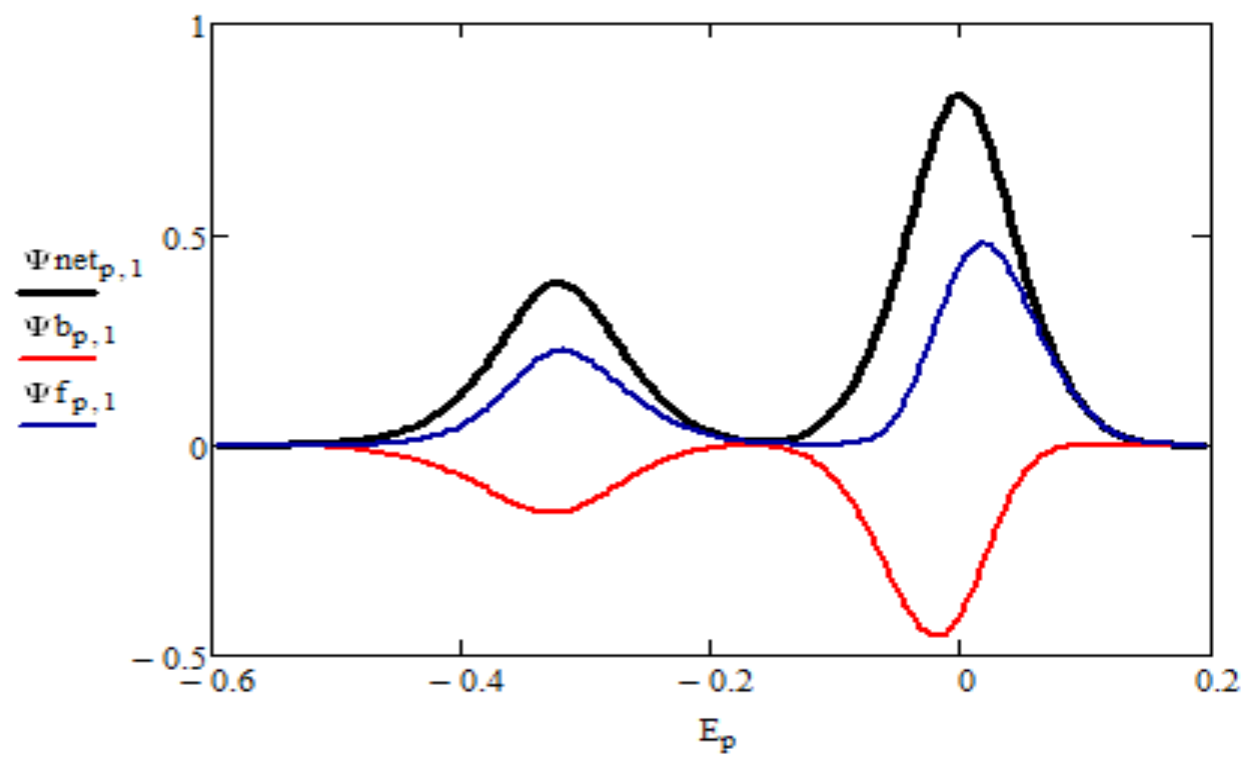
$$p := 1.. \left(\frac{\Delta E}{dE} \right) - 1$$

$$\Psi I f_{p,r} := \Psi I_{(p+1) \cdot 50,r} \quad \Psi I b_{p,r} := \Psi I_{50 \cdot p+2} \quad \Psi I net_{p,r} := \Psi I f_{p,r} - \Psi I b_{p,r}$$

$$\Psi II b_{p,r} := \Psi II_{50 \cdot p+25,1} \quad \Psi II f_{p,r} := \Psi II_{(p+1)} \quad \Psi II net_{p,r} := \Psi II f_{p,r} - \Psi II b_{p,r}$$

$$\Psi b_{p,r} := \Psi_{50 \cdot p+25,r} \quad \Psi f_{p,r} := \Psi_{(p+1) \cdot 50} \quad \Psi net_{p,r} := \Psi f_{p,r} - \Psi b_{p,r}$$

$$E_p := EsI - p \cdot dE$$



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