

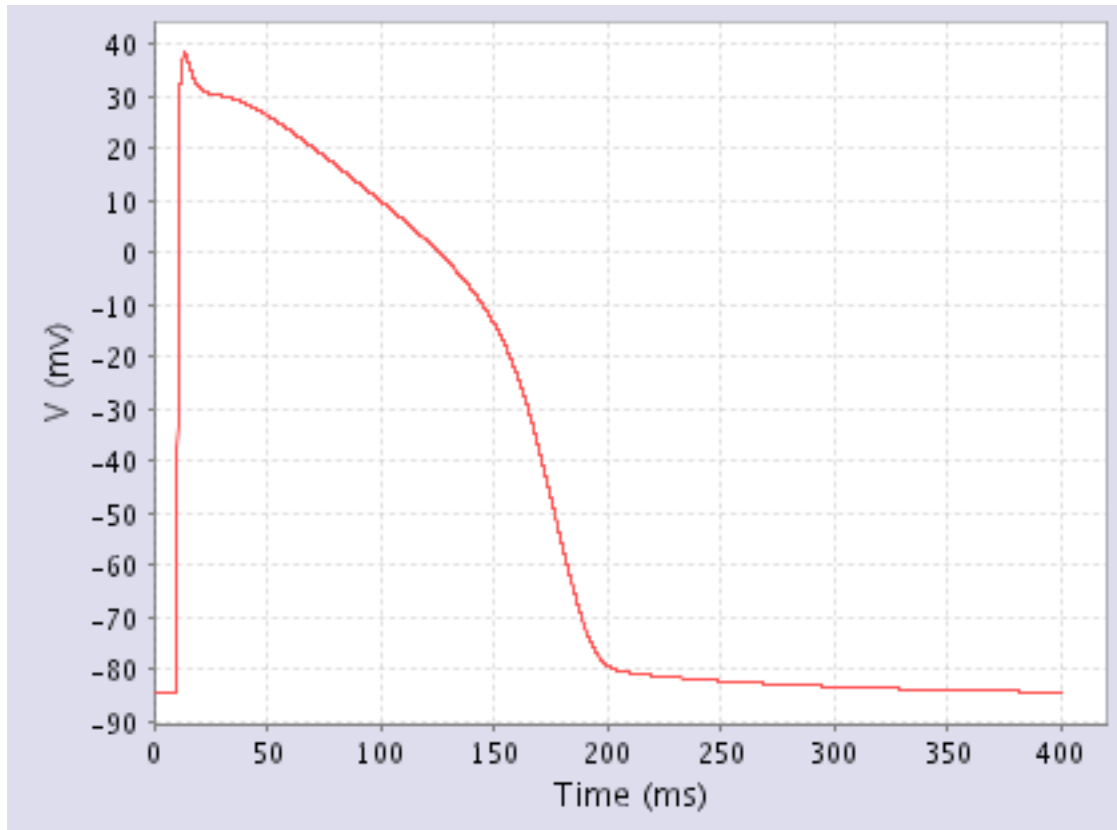
Rabbit Ventricular PB01-ESM

Enhanced Simucore Model Based Upon: Puglisi-Bers Model of Rabbit Ventricular Cardiac Action Potentials, 2001; v. 2.0

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1. Description



Example action potential (BCL = 400 ms).

This model simulates rabbit ventricular action potentials. It is based on Luo-Rudy II model and adds two new outward currents: transient-outward current carried by potassium, and Ca^{2+} -activated Cl^- current carried by chloride. These currents contribute to the characteristic early repolarisation of the rabbit ventricular action potential. In addition, maximal conductance of the slow component of the delayed-rectifier potassium current was decreased by 50% to account for the smaller current amplitudes recorded in rabbit ventricular myocytes.

Abstract excerpt: *"The model reproduces normal rabbit ventricular myocyte currents, Ca transients, and APs. We also changed parameters to simulate data from heart failure (HF) myocytes, including reduced transient outward (I_{to}) and inward rectifying K currents (I_{K1}), enhanced Na/Ca exchange expression, and reduced sarcoplasmic reticulum Ca-ATPase function, but unaltered Ca current density. These changes caused reduced Ca*

transient amplitude and increased AP duration (especially at lower frequency) as observed experimentally."

2. References

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3. Ordering

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