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Modeling interfaces and surfaces using density functional theory and nonequilibrium Green's function method

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Abstract:

This talk will highlight some of the unique features of Atomistix ToolKit and Virtual NanoLab [1] software relevant for simulation of interfaces in general, and metalsemiconductor interfaces in particular. Nonequilibrium Greens function formalism is used to describe the electronic transport properties of such structures. This methods includes all the relevant ingredients required to model realistic metalsemiconductor interfaces and allows for a direct comparison between theory and experiments via IV bias curve simulations [2], for example. Finally, the new oneprobe configuration for reliable simulations of surfaces is also introduced. The central difference to traditional slab calculations is that the surface electronic structure is coupled to the bulk electronic structure through the nonequilibrium Greens function (NEGF) method with physically correct boundary conditions.

References

- [1] Atomistix ToolKit version 2016.4, QuantumWise A/S (www.quantumwise.com).
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