

Inductance Matrix Calculation of PCB Coils

Introduction

PCB (printed-circuit board) coils are widely used in a variety of industrial applications such as micromotor and microelectronic devices. For an array of PCB coils, it is generally of interest to know the inductive coupling represented by the inductance matrix. This model demonstrates how to use the Magnetic Fields, Currents Only interface to compute the inductance matrix of an array of coils in a multilayer PCB, as shown in Figure 1.

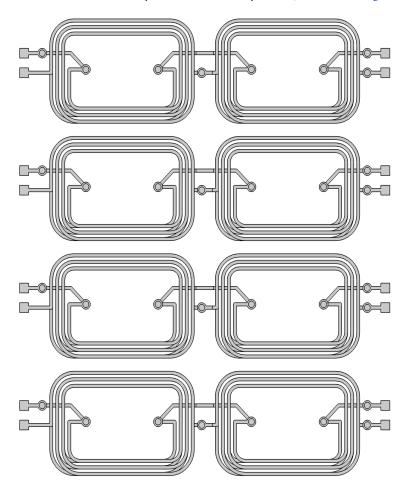


Figure 1: The geometry of PCB coils.

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Model Definition

The geometry of the coils is usually 'open'; the modeling of a closed current loop is not of interest and is also not necessary. The Magnetic Fields, Currents Only interface can model such nondivergence-free currents. For more details, see *Theory for the Magnetic Fields, Currents Only Interface* in the AC/DC Module User's Guide.

The PCB coils are modeled by the Conductor feature, which can be used to easily set up the current sources. The model is solved with a Stationary Source Sweep with Initialization study, which is dedicated to computing the lumped inductance matrix.

Results and Discussion

Figure 2 shows the distribution of the magnetic flux density norm around the PCB coils when the 11th conductor is activated. Figure 3 illustrates the inductance matrix of the PCB coils.

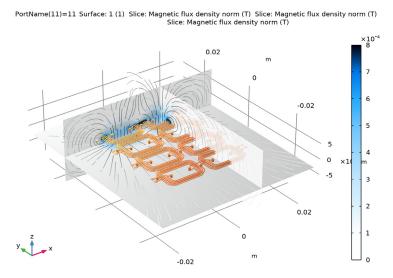


Figure 2: The distribution of the magnetic flux density norm around PCB coils.

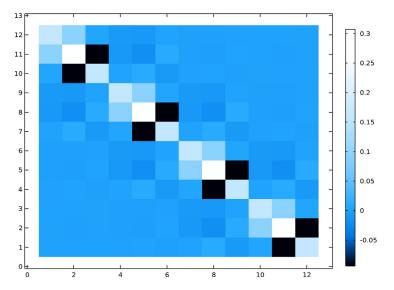


Figure 3: Visualization of the inductance matrix of PCB coils.

Application Library path: ACDC_Module/Inductive_Devices_and_Coils/ inductance_matrix_pcb_coils

Modeling Instructions

From the File menu, choose New.

NEW

In the New window, click 🙆 Model Wizard.

MODEL WIZARD

- I In the Model Wizard window, click 间 3D.
- 2 In the Select Physics tree, select AC/DC>Electromagnetic Fields>Vector Formulations> Magnetic Fields, Currents Only (mfco).
- 3 Click Add.
- 4 Click 🔿 Study.

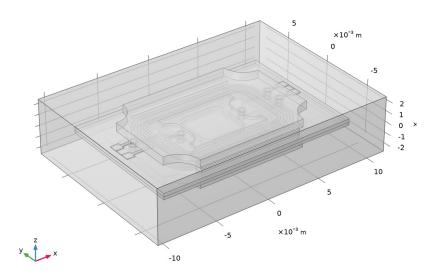
- 5 In the Select Study tree, select Preset Studies for Selected Physics Interfaces> Stationary Source Sweep with Initialization.
- 6 Click 🗹 Done.

GEOMETRY I

- I In the Model Builder window, under Component I (compl) click Geometry I.
- 2 In the Settings window for Geometry, locate the Advanced section.
- 3 From the Geometry representation list, choose CAD kernel.

Import I (imp1)

- I In the Home toolbar, click 🔚 Import.
- 2 In the Settings window for Import, locate the Import section.
- 3 From the Source list, choose COMSOL Multiphysics file.
- 4 In the Filename text field, type inductance_matrix_pcb_coils.mphbin.
- 5 Click Import.
- 6 Click the Transparency button in the Graphics toolbar.



Explicit Selection 1 (sell)
I In the Geometry toolbar, click Selections and choose Explicit Selection.

2 On the object impl, select Domains 4, 5, 8–15, 26–31, and 34–54 only.

Complement Selection 1 (comsell)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 🐐 Selections and choose Complement Selection.
- 2 In the Settings window for Complement Selection, locate the Input Entities section.
- 3 Click + Add.
- 4 In the Add dialog box, select Explicit Selection I in the Selections to invert list.
- 5 Click OK.

Delete Entities I (dell)

- I In the Model Builder window, right-click Geometry I and choose Delete Entities.
- 2 On the object impl, select Domains 1-3, 6, 7, 16-25, 32, and 33 only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Delete Entities, locate the Entities or Objects to Delete section.
- 4 From the Geometric entity level list, choose Domain.
- **5** From the Selection list, choose Complement Selection I.

Array I (arr1)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 💭 Transforms and choose Array.
- 2 Select the object dell only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Array, locate the Size section.
- 4 In the x size text field, type 2.
- 5 Locate the Displacement section. In the x text field, type 16.25[mm].

Block I (blkI)

- I In the **Geometry** toolbar, click 🗍 **Block**.
- 2 In the Settings window for Block, locate the Size and Shape section.
- **3** In the **Width** text field, type 0.01-0.00625+0.0002.
- 4 In the **Depth** text field, type 0.001375.
- 5 In the **Height** text field, type 0.01.
- 6 Locate the Position section. In the x text field, type 0.00625-0.0001.
- **7** In the **y** text field, type 0.001375/2.
- **8** In the **z** text field, type -0.005.

Block 2 (blk2)

- I In the **Geometry** toolbar, click 🗍 **Block**.
- 2 In the Settings window for Block, locate the Size and Shape section.

- 3 In the Width text field, type 0.0025.
- 4 In the **Depth** text field, type 0.001375.
- **5** In the **Height** text field, type **0.01**.
- 6 Locate the **Position** section. In the **x** text field, type 0.0075.
- 7 In the y text field, type -0.001375/2.
- 8 In the z text field, type -0.005.

Difference I (dif1)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 🔲 Booleans and Partitions and choose Difference.
- 2 Select the objects arr1(1,1,1) and arr1(2,1,1) only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Difference, locate the Difference section.
- **4** Find the **Objects to subtract** subsection. Select the **Delivate Selection** toggle button.
- 5 Select the objects **blk1** and **blk2** only.

Split I (spl1)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 🔣 Conversions and choose Split.
- 2 Select the object difl only.

Move I (movI)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 💭 Transforms and choose Move.
- 2 Select the objects spl1(15), spl1(16), spl1(17), spl1(18), spl1(19), spl1(20), spl1(21), spl1(22), spl1(23), spl1(24), spl1(25), spl1(26), spl1(27), spl1(28), spl1(29), spl1(30), spl1(31), spl1(32), spl1(33), spl1(34), spl1(35), spl1(50), spl1(51), spl1(52), spl1(53), spl1(54), spl1(55), spl1(55), spl1(57), and spl1(59) only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Move, locate the Displacement section.
- **4** In the **x** text field, type -0.0025.
- 5 Click 틤 Build Selected.

Extrude I (extI)

- I In the **Geometry** toolbar, click **Extrude**.
- 2 On the object mov1(26), select Boundary 1 only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Extrude, locate the Distances section.
- **4** In the table, enter the following settings:

Distances (m)

(0.01-0.00625+0.0002)-0.0025

Union I (unil)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click i Booleans and Partitions and choose Union.
- 2 Select the objects spl1(1), spl1(10), spl1(11), spl1(12), spl1(13), spl1(14), spl1(2), spl1(3), spl1(4), spl1(5), spl1(6), spl1(6), spl1(7), spl1(8), and spl1(9) only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Union, locate the Selections of Resulting Entities section.
- 4 Select the **Resulting objects selection** check box.

Union 2 (uni2)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 🔲 Booleans and Partitions and choose Union.
- 2 Select the objects ext1, mov1(22), mov1(23), mov1(25), mov1(27), mov1(28), mov1(29), spl1(36), spl1(37), spl1(38), spl1(39), spl1(40), spl1(41), spl1(42), spl1(43), spl1(44), spl1(45), spl1(46), spl1(47), spl1(48), spl1(49), and spl1(58) only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Union, locate the Selections of Resulting Entities section.
- 4 Select the **Resulting objects selection** check box.

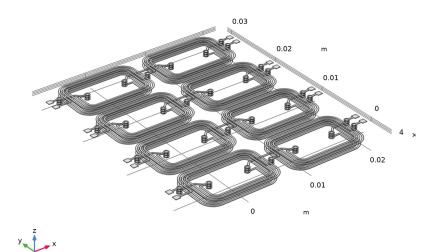
Union 3 (uni3)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click i Booleans and Partitions and choose Union.
- 2 Select the objects mov1(1), mov1(10), mov1(11), mov1(12), mov1(13), mov1(14), mov1(15), mov1(16), mov1(17), mov1(18), mov1(19), mov1(2), mov1(20), mov1(21), mov1(24), mov1(3), mov1(30), mov1(4), mov1(5), mov1(6), mov1(7), mov1(8), and mov1(9) only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Union, locate the Selections of Resulting Entities section.
- 4 Select the **Resulting objects selection** check box.

Array 2 (arr2)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 💭 Transforms and choose Array.
- 2 Click in the Graphics window and then press Ctrl+A to select all objects.
- 3 In the Settings window for Array, locate the Size section.
- **4** In the **y** size text field, type 4.
- 5 Locate the **Displacement** section. In the y text field, type 9[mm].

6 Click 틤 Build Selected.



Coils

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 💭 Transforms and choose Move.
- 2 Click in the Graphics window and then press Ctrl+A to select all objects.
- 3 In the Settings window for Move, locate the Displacement section.
- **4** In the **x** text field, type (0.02225-0.0085)/2.
- **5** In the **y** text field, type (0.031-0.004)/2.
- 6 In the z text field, type (6.500803969E-4-7.508789687E-5)/2.
- **7** Locate the **Selections of Resulting Entities** section. Select the **Resulting objects selection** check box.
- 8 From the Show in physics list, choose All levels.
- 9 In the Label text field, type Coils.

Block 3 (blk3)

- I In the **Geometry** toolbar, click 🗍 **Block**.
- 2 In the Settings window for Block, locate the Size and Shape section.
- 3 In the Width text field, type 5[cm].
- 4 In the **Depth** text field, type 6[cm].

- 5 In the **Height** text field, type 2[cm].
- 6 Locate the Position section. From the Base list, choose Center.

Work Plane I (wp1)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 📥 Work Plane.
- 2 In the Settings window for Work Plane, locate the Plane Definition section.
- **3** In the **z-coordinate** text field, type -2[mm].

Partition Objects 1 (parl)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 📕 Booleans and Partitions and choose Partition Objects.
- 2 Select the object **blk3** only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Partition Objects, locate the Partition Objects section.
- 4 From the **Partition with** list, choose **Work plane**.

Work Plane 2 (wp2)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 📥 Work Plane.
- 2 In the Settings window for Work Plane, locate the Plane Definition section.
- 3 From the Plane list, choose yz-plane.
- **4** In the **x-coordinate** text field, type 7[mm].

Partition Objects 2 (par2)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 📕 Booleans and Partitions and choose Partition Objects.
- 2 Select the object parl only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Partition Objects, locate the Partition Objects section.
- 4 From the Partition with list, choose Work plane.

Work Plane 3 (wp3)

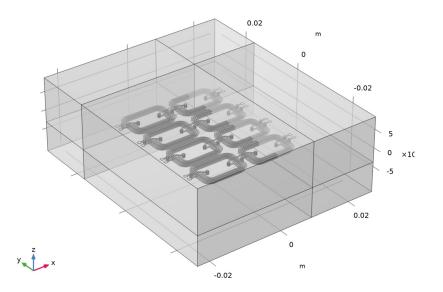
- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 📥 Work Plane.
- 2 In the Settings window for Work Plane, locate the Plane Definition section.
- 3 From the Plane list, choose zx-plane.
- 4 In the **y-coordinate** text field, type 14.25[mm].

Partition Objects 3 (par3)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 💻 Booleans and Partitions and choose Partition Objects.
- 2 Select the object par2 only.
- 3 In the Settings window for Partition Objects, locate the Partition Objects section.
- 4 From the **Partition with** list, choose **Work plane**.

Form Union (fin)

- I In the Geometry toolbar, click 🟢 Build All.
- 2 Click the $\sqrt[1]{}$ Go to Default View button in the Graphics toolbar.



DEFINITIONS

The geometry is now complete. Next, define coil selections for the physics interface to use.

Box I

- I In the Model Builder window, expand the Component I (compl)>Definitions node.
- 2 Right-click Component I (compl)>Definitions>Selections and choose Box.
- 3 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.
- 4 From the Entities list, choose From selections.
- **5** Under **Selections**, click + **Add**.
- 6 In the Add dialog box, select Union I in the Selections list.
- 7 Click OK.
- 8 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- **9** In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- **IO** In the **x maximum** text field, type 10[cm].

- II In the **y maximum** text field, type -9[mm].
- **12** In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **I3** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1 [cm].
- I4 Locate the Output Entities section. From the Include entity if list, choose Entity inside box.

- I In the **Definitions** toolbar, click **here Box**.
- 2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.
- 3 From the Entities list, choose From selections.
- **4** Under Selections, click + Add.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union 2 in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- 8 In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- 9 In the **x maximum** text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y maximum** text field, type -9[mm].
- II In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **12** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1 [cm].
- I3 Locate the Output Entities section. From the Include entity if list, choose Entity inside box.

- I In the **Definitions** toolbar, click **The Box**.
- 2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.
- 3 From the Entities list, choose From selections.
- **4** Under Selections, click + Add.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union 3 in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- 8 In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- 9 In the **x maximum** text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y maximum** text field, type -9[mm].

- II In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **12** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1[cm].
- **I3** Locate the **Output Entities** section. From the **Include entity if** list, choose **Entity inside box**.
- Box 4
- I In the **Definitions** toolbar, click **The Box**.
- 2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.
- 3 From the Entities list, choose From selections.
- 4 Under Selections, click + Add.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union I in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- 8 In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- 9 In the **x maximum** text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y minimum** text field, type -9[mm].
- II In the **y maximum** text field, type 0.
- **12** In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **I3** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1 [cm].
- 14 Locate the Output Entities section. From the Include entity if list, choose Entity inside box.
- Box 5
- I In the **Definitions** toolbar, click **The Box**.
- 2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.
- 3 From the Entities list, choose From selections.
- **4** Under Selections, click + Add.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union 2 in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- 8 In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- 9 In the x maximum text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y minimum** text field, type -9[mm].

- II In the **y maximum** text field, type 0.
- **12** In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **I3** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1 [cm].
- I4 Locate the Output Entities section. From the Include entity if list, choose Entity inside box.

- I In the **Definitions** toolbar, click **here Box**.
- 2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.
- 3 From the Entities list, choose From selections.
- **4** Under Selections, click + Add.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union 3 in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- 8 In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- 9 In the **x maximum** text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y minimum** text field, type -9[mm].
- II In the **y maximum** text field, type 0.
- **12** In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **I3** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1 [cm].
- I4 Locate the Output Entities section. From the Include entity if list, choose Entity inside box.

Box 7

In the **Definitions** toolbar, click **The Box**.

Box 8

In the **Definitions** toolbar, click **The Box**.

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Box 9
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In the Definitions toolbar, click The Box.
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- I In the Model Builder window, click Box 7.
- 2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.
- 3 From the Entities list, choose From selections.

- 4 Under Selections, click + Add.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union I in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- 8 In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- 9 In the **x maximum** text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y minimum** text field, type **0**.
- II In the **y maximum** text field, type 9[mm].
- **12** In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **I3** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1 [cm].
- I4 Locate the Output Entities section. From the Include entity if list, choose Entity inside box.

- I In the Model Builder window, click Box 8.
- 2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.
- 3 From the Entities list, choose From selections.
- **4** Under **Selections**, click + **Add**.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union 2 in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- **8** In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- 9 In the x maximum text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y minimum** text field, type **0**.
- II In the **y maximum** text field, type 9[mm].
- **12** In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **I3** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1 [cm].
- I4 Locate the Output Entities section. From the Include entity if list, choose Entity inside box.

- I In the Model Builder window, click Box 9.
- 2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.

- 3 From the Entities list, choose From selections.
- 4 Under Selections, click + Add.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union 3 in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- 8 In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- 9 In the x maximum text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y minimum** text field, type **0**.
- II In the **y maximum** text field, type 9[mm].
- **12** In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **I3** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1[cm].
- I4 Locate the Output Entities section. From the Include entity if list, choose Entity inside box.

In the **Definitions** toolbar, click **The Box**.

Box 11

In the **Definitions** toolbar, click **The Box**.

Box 12

In the **Definitions** toolbar, click **The Box**.

Box 10

I In the Model Builder window, click Box 10.

2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.

- 3 From the Entities list, choose From selections.
- 4 Under Selections, click + Add.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union I in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- 8 In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- 9 In the x maximum text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y minimum** text field, type **9**[mm].
- II In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].

- **12** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1 [cm].
- **13** Locate the **Output Entities** section. From the **Include entity if** list, choose **Entity inside box**.

- I In the Model Builder window, click Box II.
- 2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.
- 3 From the Entities list, choose From selections.
- 4 Under Selections, click + Add.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union 2 in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- 8 In the **x minimum** text field, type -10[cm].
- 9 In the x maximum text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y minimum** text field, type 9[mm].
- II In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **12** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1 [cm].

- I In the Model Builder window, click Box 12.
- 2 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Input Entities section.
- **3** From the **Entities** list, choose **From selections**.
- 4 Under Selections, click + Add.
- 5 In the Add dialog box, select Union 3 in the Selections list.
- 6 Click OK.
- 7 In the Settings window for Box, locate the Box Limits section.
- **8** In the **x minimum** text field, type 10[cm].
- 9 In the **x maximum** text field, type 10[cm].
- **IO** In the **y minimum** text field, type **9**[mm].
- **II** In the **z minimum** text field, type -1[cm].
- **12** In the **z maximum** text field, type 1 [cm].
- **I3** Locate the **Output Entities** section. From the **Include entity if** list, choose **Entity inside box**.

MAGNETIC FIELDS, CURRENTS ONLY (MFCO)

Conductor I

- I In the Model Builder window, under Component I (compl) right-click Magnetic Fields, Currents Only (mfco) and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- **3** From the **Selection** list, choose **Box I**.

Ground I

In the Physics toolbar, click 🕞 Attributes and choose Ground.

Terminal I

- I In the Model Builder window, click Terminal I.
- **2** Select Boundary 17 only.

Ground I

- I In the Model Builder window, click Ground I.
- **2** Select Boundary 22 only.

Conductor 2

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- **3** From the **Selection** list, choose **Box 2**.

Terminal I

- I In the Model Builder window, expand the Conductor 2 node, then click Terminal I.
- **2** Select Boundary 1347 only.

Conductor 3

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- 3 From the Selection list, choose Box 3.

Ground I

In the Physics toolbar, click 📃 Attributes and choose Ground.

- I In the Model Builder window, click Terminal I.
- 2 Select Boundary 2913 only.

- I In the Model Builder window, click Ground I.
- 2 Select Boundary 2914 only.

Conductor 4

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- 3 From the Selection list, choose Box 4.

Ground I

In the Physics toolbar, click 📃 Attributes and choose Ground.

Terminal I

- I In the Model Builder window, click Terminal I.
- 2 Select Boundary 27 only.

Ground I

- I In the Model Builder window, click Ground I.
- **2** Select Boundary **32** only.

Conductor 5

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- **3** From the **Selection** list, choose **Box 5**.

Terminal I

- I In the Model Builder window, expand the Conductor 5 node, then click Terminal I.
- **2** Select Boundary 1352 only.

Conductor 6

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- **3** From the **Selection** list, choose **Box 6**.

Ground I

In the Physics toolbar, click 📃 Attributes and choose Ground.

- I In the Model Builder window, click Terminal I.
- **2** Select Boundary 2915 only.

- I In the Model Builder window, click Ground I.
- 2 Select Boundary 2916 only.

Conductor 7

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- 3 From the Selection list, choose Box 7.

Ground I

In the Physics toolbar, click 戻 Attributes and choose Ground.

Terminal I

- I In the Model Builder window, click Terminal I.
- 2 Select Boundary 37 only.

Ground I

- I In the Model Builder window, click Ground I.
- 2 Select Boundary 42 only.

Conductor 8

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- 3 From the Selection list, choose Box 8.

Terminal I

- I In the Model Builder window, expand the Conductor 8 node, then click Terminal I.
- 2 Select Boundary 1357 only.

Conductor 9

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- 3 From the Selection list, choose Box 9.

Ground I

In the Physics toolbar, click 📃 Attributes and choose Ground.

- I In the Model Builder window, click Terminal I.
- 2 Select Boundary 2917 only.

I In the Model Builder window, click Ground I.

2 Select Boundary 2918 only.

Conductor 10

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- 3 From the Selection list, choose Box 10.

Ground I

In the Physics toolbar, click 层 Attributes and choose Ground.

Terminal I

- I In the Model Builder window, click Terminal I.
- 2 Select Boundary 47 only.

Ground I

- I In the Model Builder window, click Ground I.
- **2** Select Boundary 52 only.

Conductor 11

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- 3 From the Selection list, choose Box 11.

Terminal I

- I In the Model Builder window, expand the Conductor II node, then click Terminal I.
- 2 Select Boundary 1362 only.

Conductor 12

- I In the Physics toolbar, click 🔚 Domains and choose Conductor.
- 2 In the Settings window for Conductor, locate the Domain Selection section.
- 3 From the Selection list, choose Box 12.

Ground I

In the Physics toolbar, click 📃 Attributes and choose Ground.

- I In the Model Builder window, click Terminal I.
- 2 Select Boundary 2919 only.

I In the Model Builder window, click Ground I.

2 Select Boundary 2920 only.

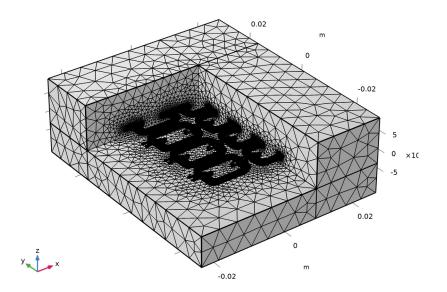
DEFINITIONS

Hide for Physics 1

- I In the Model Builder window, right-click View I and choose Hide for Physics.
- 2 In the Settings window for Hide for Physics, locate the Geometric Entity Selection section.
- **3** From the **Geometric entity level** list, choose **Boundary**.
- **4** Select Boundaries 4, 5, and 7 only.

MESH I

- I In the Model Builder window, under Component I (compl) click Mesh I.
- 2 In the Settings window for Mesh, locate the Physics-Controlled Mesh section.
- **3** From the **Element size** list, choose **Fine**.
- **4** Click the **J Go to Default View** button in the **Graphics** toolbar.
- **5** Click the **Transparency** button in the **Graphics** toolbar.
- 6 Click 📗 Build All.



MATERIALS

Material I (mat1)

- I In the Model Builder window, under Component I (compl) right-click Materials and choose Blank Material.
- 2 In the Settings window for Material, locate the Geometric Entity Selection section.
- **3** From the **Selection** list, choose **Coils**.
- 4 Locate the Material Contents section. In the table, enter the following settings:

Property	Variable	Value	Unit	Property group
Electrical conductivity	sigma_iso ; sigmaii = sigma_iso, sigmaij = 0	6e7	S/m	Basic

STUDY I

In the **Home** toolbar, click **= Compute**.

RESULTS

Cut Plane 1

- I In the Model Builder window, expand the Results>Datasets node, then click Cut Plane I.
- 2 In the Settings window for Cut Plane, locate the Plane Data section.
- 3 In the z-coordinate text field, type -2[mm].

Cut Plane 2

- I In the Model Builder window, click Cut Plane 2.
- 2 In the Settings window for Cut Plane, locate the Plane Data section.
- 3 In the x-coordinate text field, type 7[mm].

Cut Plane 3

- I In the Model Builder window, click Cut Plane 3.
- 2 In the Settings window for Cut Plane, locate the Plane Data section.
- 3 In the y-coordinate text field, type 14.25[mm].

Multislice 1

- I In the Model Builder window, expand the Magnetic Flux Density Norm (mfco) node.
- 2 Right-click Multislice I and choose Delete.

Surface 1

- I In the Model Builder window, right-click Magnetic Flux Density Norm (mfco) and choose Surface.
- 2 In the Settings window for Surface, locate the Expression section.
- **3** In the **Expression** text field, type **1**.

Selection 1

- I Right-click Surface I and choose Selection.
- 2 In the Settings window for Selection, locate the Selection section.
- **3** From the **Selection** list, choose **Coils**.

Material Appearance 1

- I In the Model Builder window, right-click Surface I and choose Material Appearance.
- 2 In the Settings window for Material Appearance, locate the Appearance section.
- **3** From the **Appearance** list, choose **Custom**.
- **4** From the Material type list, choose Copper.

Slice 1

- I In the Model Builder window, right-click Magnetic Flux Density Norm (mfco) and choose Slice.
- 2 In the Settings window for Slice, locate the Plane Data section.
- 3 From the Plane list, choose xy-planes.
- 4 In the Planes text field, type -2[mm].
- **5** Locate the **Coloring and Style** section. From the **Color table** list, choose **JupiterAuroraBorealis**.
- 6 Select the **Reverse color table** check box.
- 7 Locate the Plane Data section. From the Entry method list, choose Coordinates.
- 8 In the z-coordinates text field, type -2[mm].
- 9 Click to expand the Range section. Select the Manual color range check box.
- **IO** In the **Maximum** text field, type 8.0E-4.
- **II** Click the **Transparency** button in the **Graphics** toolbar.

Slice 2

- I Right-click Magnetic Flux Density Norm (mfco) and choose Slice.
- 2 In the Settings window for Slice, locate the Plane Data section.
- **3** From the Entry method list, choose Coordinates.

- 4 In the **x-coordinates** text field, type 7[mm].
- 5 Click to expand the Inherit Style section. From the Plot list, choose Slice 1.

Transparency I

- I Right-click Slice 2 and choose Transparency.
- 2 In the Settings window for Transparency, locate the Transparency section.
- **3** In the **Transparency** text field, type **0.2**.

Slice 3

- I In the Model Builder window, right-click Magnetic Flux Density Norm (mfco) and choose Slice.
- 2 In the Settings window for Slice, locate the Plane Data section.
- **3** From the **Plane** list, choose **zx-planes**.
- 4 From the Entry method list, choose Coordinates.
- 5 In the y-coordinates text field, type 14.25[mm].
- 6 Locate the Inherit Style section. From the Plot list, choose Slice 2.

Transparency I

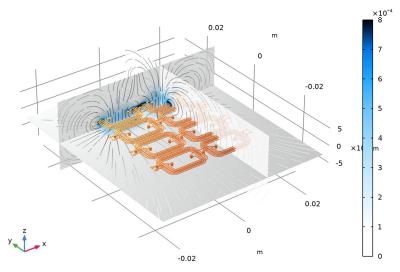
- I Right-click Slice 3 and choose Transparency.
- 2 In the Settings window for Transparency, locate the Transparency section.
- **3** In the **Transparency** text field, type **0.2**.

Magnetic Flux Density Norm (mfco)

- I In the Model Builder window, click Magnetic Flux Density Norm (mfco).
- 2 In the Settings window for 3D Plot Group, locate the Data section.
- 3 From the Parameter value (PortName) list, choose 11.
- 4 Locate the Plot Settings section. Clear the Plot dataset edges check box.
- **5** Locate the **Color Legend** section. Clear the **Show maximum and minimum values** check box.

6 In the Magnetic Flux Density Norm (mfco) toolbar, click 💽 Plot.

PortName(11)=11 Surface: 1 (1) Slice: Magnetic flux density norm (T) Slice: Magnetic flux density norm (T) Slice: Magnetic flux density norm (T)



Inductance (mfco, dset1)

- I In the Model Builder window, expand the Results>Derived Values node, then click Inductance (mfco, dset1).
- 2 In the Settings window for Global Matrix Evaluation, locate the Data section.
- 3 From the Parameter selection (PortName) list, choose First.
- 4 Locate the Expression section. From the Unit list, choose μ H.
- 5 Click **=** Evaluate.

The inductance matrix is shown in the table.

TABLE

- I Go to the Table window.
- 2 Click Table Surface in the window toolbar.

RESULTS

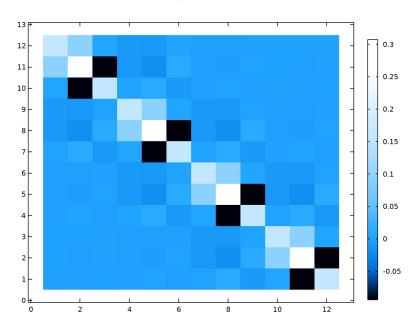
Table Surface 1

- I In the Model Builder window, under Results>2D Plot Group 2 click Table Surface I.
- 2 In the Settings window for Table Surface, locate the Data section.

- 3 From the Data format list, choose Cells.
- **4** Locate the **Coloring and Style** section. From the **Function** list, choose **Discrete**.
- 5 In the 2D Plot Group 2 toolbar, click 🗿 Plot.
- 6 From the Color table list, choose JupiterAuroraBorealis.
- 7 Click to expand the **Title** section. From the **Title type** list, choose **None**.

Inductance Matrix

- I In the Model Builder window, under Results click 2D Plot Group 2.
- **2** In the **Settings** window for **2D Plot Group**, type Inductance Matrix in the **Label** text field.



3 In the **Inductance Matrix** toolbar, click **O Plot**.