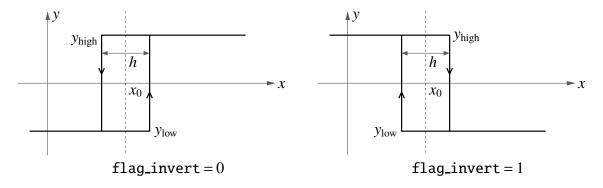
cmprh_1_1.xbe

Attributes

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xbe name=cmprh_1_1 evaluate=yes limit_tstep=yes save_history=yes
# if x > x0 +/- h/2, y = high, else low
# (reverse if flag_inverting=1)
# h is the hysterisis band, centred around x0
Jacobian: variable
input_vars: x
output_vars: y
aux_vars:
iparms:
+ flag_invert=0
  flag_quad=0
sparms:
rparms:
  x0=0
  y_low=0
  y_high=1
  h=0.1
  x_1=0
  x_2=0
  t_1=0
  t_2=0
  epsl=1.0e-6
  delt_min=1.0e-6
  delt_nrml=0.001
  hby2=0
  y_old=0
 y_half=0
stparms:
igparms:
outparms: x y
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Description

cmprh_1_1.xbe is a comparator with hysterisis. Its input-output relationship is shown below.



The parameters delt_min, delt_nrml, and epsl are used for controlling the simulator time steps. Additional time points are forced, depending on the values of delt_min and delt_nrml, when x is within ϵ of the threshold point $(x_0 + h/2 \text{ or } x_0 - h/2)$. This feature allows accurate simulation without having to make the average time step very small. Generally, delt_nrml should be made equal to the typical simulator time step while delt_min should be made much smaller (say, by a factor of 100).

flag_quad decides the type of interpolation used to estimate the cross-over time. If flag_quad is 0, linear interpolation is used; if it is 1, quadratic interpolation is used. For more details, see Ref. [1].

References

1. M.B. Patil, R.D. Korgaonkar, K. Appaiah, "GSEIM: A General-purpose Simulator with Explicit and Implicit Methods," submitted to Sādhanā, also available at https://arxiv.org/abs/2104.06621