



Simulation de la rupture ductile : de la microstructure à la structure

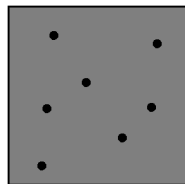
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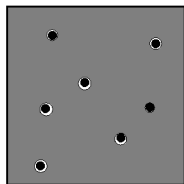
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Micro-mechanisms of ductile failure

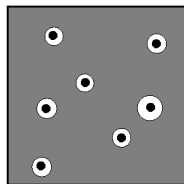
- The three stages of ductile fracture



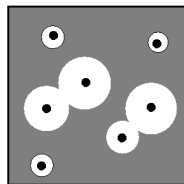
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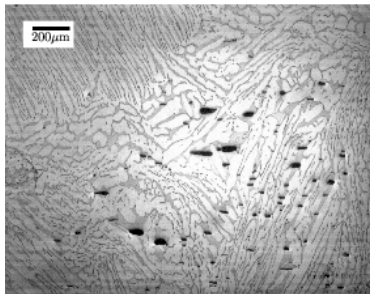
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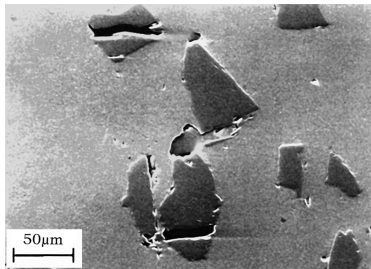
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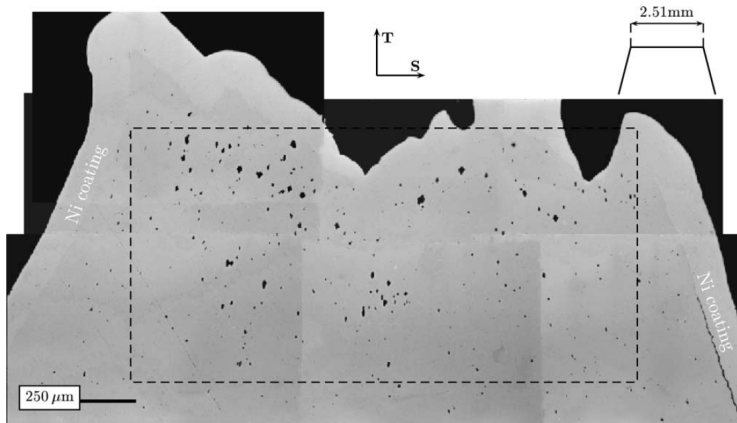
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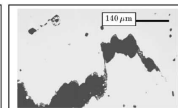
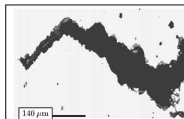
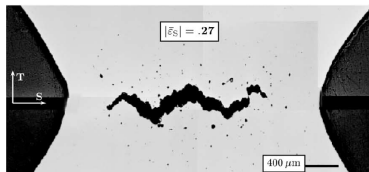
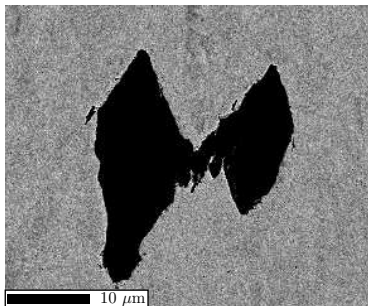
Duplex steel



Al-SiC (coarse)

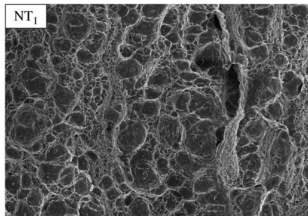
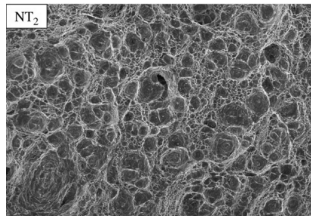
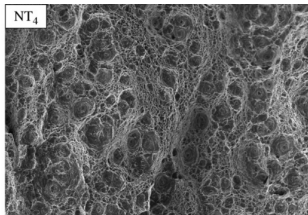
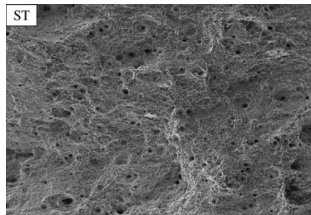


X52 line pipe steel

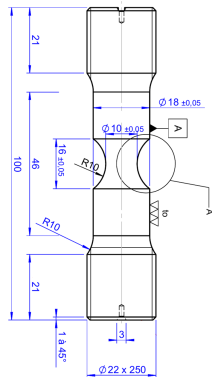


X52 line pipe steel

[Benzerga et al., 2004]



100 μm

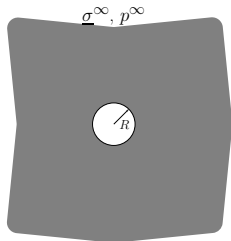


X100 line pipe steel

[Tanguy et al., 2008]

The Rice and Tracey model

- Study of a single cavity within an infinite perfectly plastic medium (von Mises)



- Main result : evolution law for the void radius

$$\frac{\dot{R}}{R} = 0.283 \exp\left(\frac{3}{2} \frac{\sigma_m^\infty}{\sigma_{\text{eq}}^\infty}\right) \dot{p}^\infty$$

- With $\sigma_m = \sigma_{kk}/3$
- Role of both plastic strain p^∞ and stress triaxiality $\sigma_m^\infty/\sigma_{\text{eq}}^\infty$

$$\tau(\underline{\sigma}) = \frac{\sigma_m}{\sigma_{\text{eq}}}$$

- The void growth rate is integrated over the load history :

$$\log(R/R_0) = \int_{\text{history}} dR/R = \int_{p_c}^p \alpha \exp(\beta\tau) dp$$

- Failure occurs when the void growth ration has reached a critical value which is assumed to be a material parameter

$$\frac{R}{R_0} = \frac{R}{R_0} \Big|_c$$

- The model simply represents the three stages of ductile rupture :

nucleation : p_c

growth : $\dot{R}/R = \alpha \exp(\beta\tau) \dot{p}$

coalescence : $R/R_0 = R/R_0|_c$

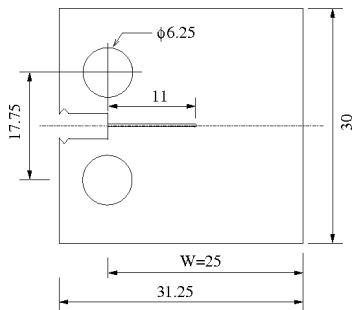
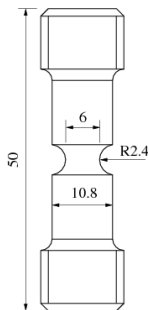
- The model is applied as a post-processing of an elasto-plastic calculation
- Crack advance can be modeled by removing elements for which $R/R_0 \geq R/R_0|_c$
- Main drawback : no coupling between plasticity and damage

[Marini et al., 1985]

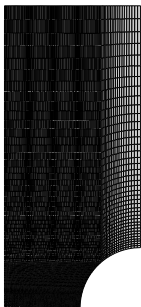
- One considers two types of test specimens/structures

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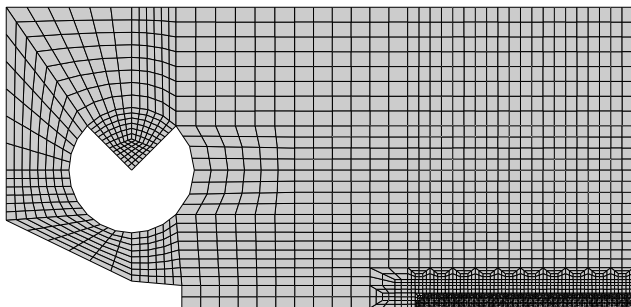
cracked



- FE meshes

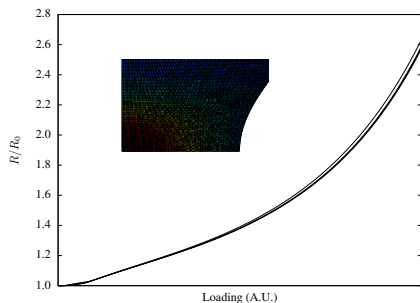


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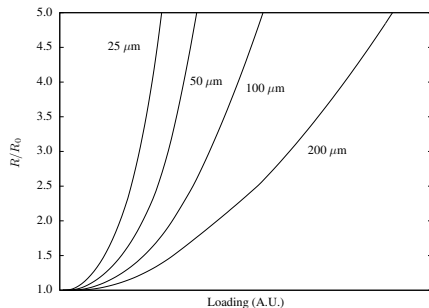


$100\mu\text{m}$

- Simulation for different mesh sizes : 200, 100, 50 and 25 μm .



Notched



Cracked

- Very high stress/strain gradient at crack tip (HRR field)

$$\sigma_{ij} \propto 1/r^{\frac{1}{n+1}} \quad \varepsilon_{ij} \propto 1/r^{\frac{n}{n+1}}$$

- Many models can be developed based on the same guidelines :

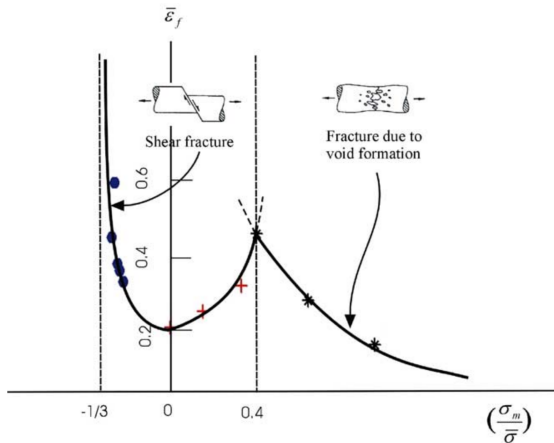
$$\dot{D} = \text{FUNCTION}(\text{stress state}, p) \dot{p}$$

- Failure $D = D_c (= 1)$
- In particular, models now account for the role of the Lode parameter :

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{27}{2} \frac{\det \underline{s}}{\sigma_{\text{eq}}^3} \quad -1 \leq \mathcal{L} \leq 1$$

- Experimental results indicate that ductility is reduced when $\mathcal{L} = 0$, *i.e.* shear/plane strain state ... in particular at low triaxiality

[Defaisse et al., 2018]



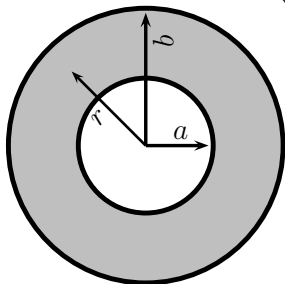
[Bao and Wierzbicki, 2005]

The Gurson model

- Accounting for the coupling between plasticity and damage growth

$$f = \left(\frac{a}{b}\right)^3 \quad V \propto b^3$$

$$V_m \propto b^3 - a^3$$



$\underline{E} \cdot \vec{x}$: imposed

- f : porosity ; damage variable

[Gurson, 1977]

- Rigid material, perfectly plastic (no work hardening)
- Spherical cavity
- Derived based on a micromechanical analysis (upper bound theory)
- Only one damage variable

➡ Results :

- Derivation of a plastic yield surface
- Plastic flow follows normality rule

- Yield surface :

$$\Phi = \frac{\sigma_{\text{eq}}^2}{\sigma_0^2} + 2f \cosh\left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_0}\right) - 1 - f^2 = 0$$

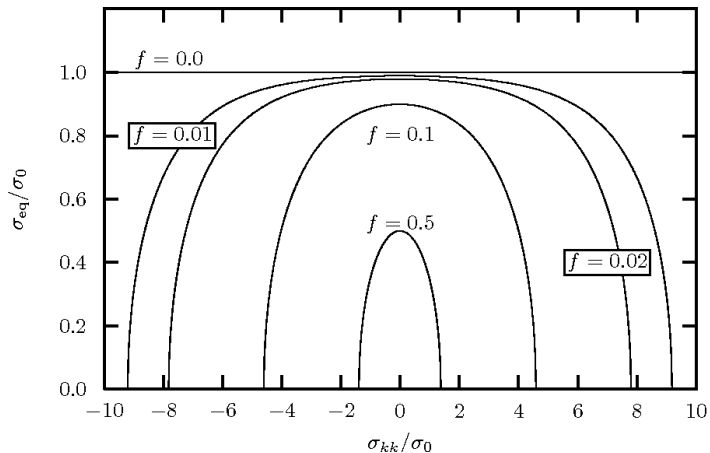
- σ_{eq} von Mises stress ; if $f = 0$ $\Phi \rightarrow$ von Mises
- $\sigma_{kk} = \text{trace } \underline{\sigma}$
- σ_0 matrix yield limit

- f is the only damage variable

$$f = \frac{V - V_m}{V} = 1 - \frac{V_m}{V}$$

where V_m is the matrix volume ; neglecting elastic deformation $V_m = \text{cte}$ so that :

$$\dot{f} = \frac{\dot{V}}{V} - \frac{V - V_m}{V^2} \dot{V} = \frac{V_m}{V} \frac{\dot{V}}{V} = (1 - f) \frac{\dot{V}}{V} = (1 - f) \text{trace}(\underline{\dot{\epsilon}}) \simeq (1 - f) \text{trace}(\underline{\dot{\epsilon}}_p)$$



- Plastic flow using normality rule

$$\dot{\underline{\epsilon}}_p = \dot{\lambda} \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial \underline{\sigma}} = \dot{\lambda} \left[\frac{3}{\sigma_0^2} \underline{s} + \frac{f}{\sigma_0} \sinh \left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_0} \right) \underline{1} \right]$$

- Damage evolution : volume variation

$$\text{trace}(\dot{\underline{\epsilon}}_p) = \dot{\lambda} \frac{3f}{\sigma_0} \sinh \left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_0} \right) \neq 0$$

- Mass conservation (matrix) : $\dot{f} = (1 - f) \text{trace}(\dot{\underline{\epsilon}}_p)$

! Damage rate is controlled by the definition of the yield surface ; no need to add an evolution law for damage.

- Dependence of damage rate on stress state

$\sinh \approx \exp$ $\sigma_0 \approx \sigma_{eq}$ Gurson shows similar trends as R&T



For high damage

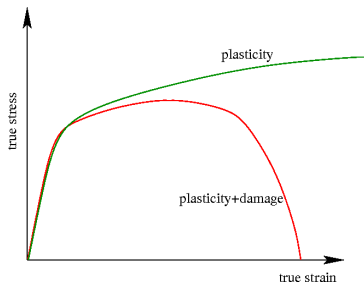
$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_0} < \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_{eq}}$$

- Rupture occurs when the stress state $\underline{\sigma} = \underline{0}$ lies on the yield surface
- Application to the Gurson model
 $\sigma_{\text{eq}} = 0, \sigma_{kk} = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}\Phi &= \frac{0^2}{\sigma_0^2} + 2f \cosh\left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{0}{\sigma_0}\right) - 1 - f^2 \\ &= 2f \cosh(0) - 1 - f^2 \\ &= -(1 - f)^2 = 0\end{aligned}$$



Rupture if $f = 1$



- The Gurson model has some interesting micromechanical basis to describe void growth and its interaction with plasticity
- Cavities are spherical
- it cannot model nucleation (voids are assumed to pre-exist)
- it cannot model coalescence and final rupture
- ➡ *ad hoc* phenomenological modifications of the model : the GTN model

The GTN model

- Account for the elasto-plastic behaviour including isotropic hardening
- Better account for cavity growth

$$\Phi = \frac{\sigma_{eq}^2}{\sigma_f^2} + 2q_1 f \cosh\left(\frac{q_2}{2} \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_f}\right) - 1 - q_1^2 f^2 = 0$$

- σ_f matrix flow stress
- f : volume fraction of cavities in a reference stress state (elastic volume change is not damage)
- Plastic flow using normality : $\dot{\underline{\epsilon}}_p = \lambda \frac{\partial \Phi}{\partial \underline{\sigma}}$
- Damage growth : $\dot{f} = (1 - f)\text{trace}\dot{\underline{\epsilon}}_p$
- Rupture for $f = 1/q_1$ (still to high)
- Usual values for q_1 and q_2 : $q_1 = 1.5$ and $q_2 = 1.0$
- Finite strain formulation

[Tvergaard and Needleman, 1984]

- σ_f function of p (isotropic hardening).
Both σ_f and p are representative of the matrix
- Equality between microscopic plastic dissipation and macroscopic plastic dissipation (HEM)

$$\begin{aligned}(1 - f)\dot{p}\sigma_* &= \dot{\epsilon}_p : \sigma \\ \text{micro} &= \text{macro}\end{aligned}$$



The equivalent scalar plastic strain is not equal to the von Mises plastic strain

$$\dot{p} \neq \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}\dot{\epsilon}_p : \dot{\epsilon}_p} \neq \sqrt{\frac{2}{3}\dot{\epsilon}'_p : \dot{\epsilon}'_p}$$

- Important damage process : new cavities appear

$$\dot{f} = (1 - f)\text{trace}\dot{\underline{\underline{\epsilon}}}_p + \dot{f}_n$$

- $(1 - f)\text{trace}\dot{\underline{\underline{\epsilon}}}_p$: void growth
- \dot{f}_n : nucleation
- Strain controlled nucleation

$$\dot{f}_n = A_n(\dots)\dot{\rho}$$

- (stress controlled nucleation)

- Phenomenological approach

$$\dot{f}_n = A_n(\dots)\dot{p}$$

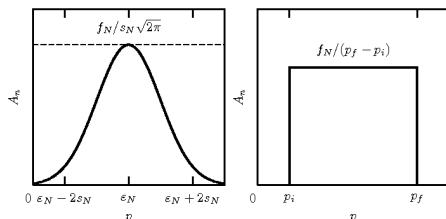
- A_n can be adjusted on macroscopic or microscopic tests (many fitting parameters)

- Example [Chu and Needleman, 1980]

$$A_n = \frac{f_N}{\sqrt{2\pi}S_N} \exp\left(-\frac{(p - \varepsilon_N)^2}{2S_N^2}\right)$$

- One often (too often) finds in the literature :

$$\varepsilon_N = 0.3 \quad \text{et} \quad S_N = 0.1$$



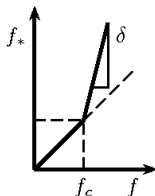
- A_n may depend on the stress state (in particular on the stress triaxiality ratio)
- Some rules :
 - Experimentally determine if nucleation takes place
 - Try to experimentally identify nucleation parameters

- Define an effective porosity f_* to take into account **coalescence**

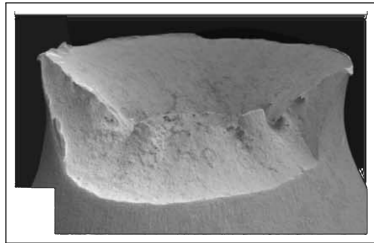
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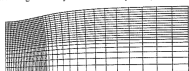
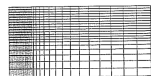
- Simple form f_*

$$f_* = \begin{cases} f & \text{if } f < f_c \\ f_c + \frac{1 - f_c}{f_R - f_c} (f - f_c) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

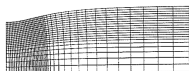


- Rupture : $f_* = 1/q_1$ or $f = f_R$

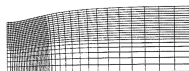




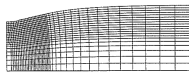
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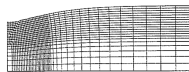
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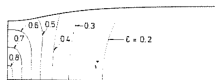
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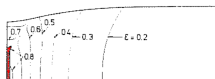
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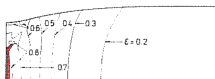
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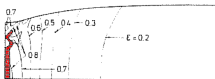
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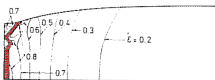
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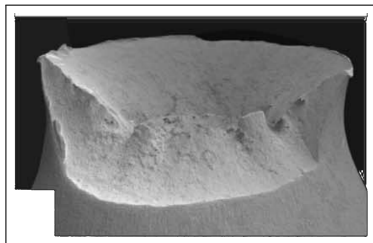
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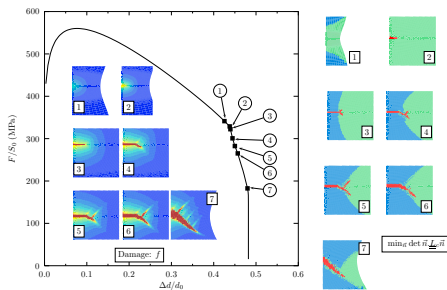
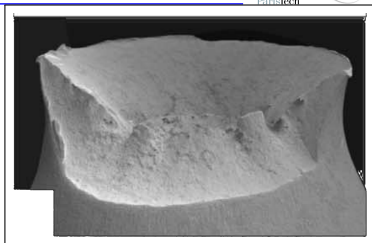
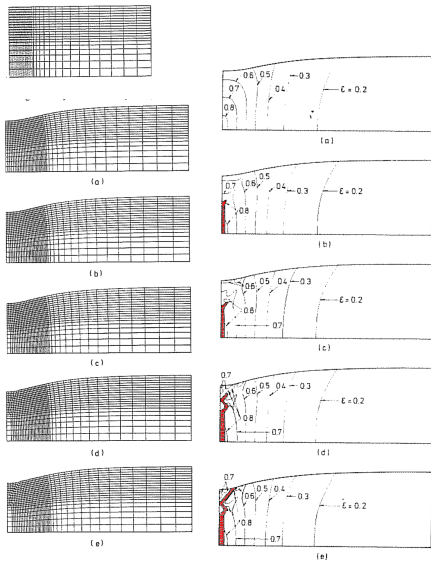
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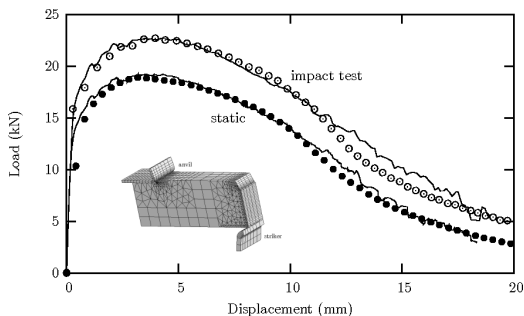
The GTN model : Main result of the 1984 paper



[Besson et al., 2001]

Extensions of the Gurson–Tvergaard–Needleman model

- Case of the rate dependent materials
- $\sigma_f(p) \rightarrow \sigma_f(p, \dot{p})$
- This simple modification is valid for “weakly” rate dependent materials
- Example : Charpy impact test



[Tanguy et al., 2008]

- The behavior of the undamaged materials is such that

$$\dot{\rho} = \dot{\rho}_0 \left(\frac{\sigma_{\text{eq}}}{\sigma_0} \right)^n \quad \text{or} \quad \sigma_{\text{eq}} = \sigma_0 \left(\frac{\dot{\rho}}{\dot{\rho}_0} \right)^m = \sigma_f(\dot{\rho}) \quad m = 1/n$$

- A (possible) corresponding yield function of the porous material is :

$$\Phi = \frac{\sigma_{\text{eq}}^2}{\sigma_f^2} + q_1 f_* \left[h_m \left(\frac{1}{2} q_2 \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_f} \right) + \frac{1-m}{1+m} \frac{1}{h_m \left(\frac{1}{2} q_2 \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_f} \right)} \right] - 1 - q_1^2 \frac{1-m}{1+m} f_*^2 \equiv 0$$

with $m = 1/n$ and

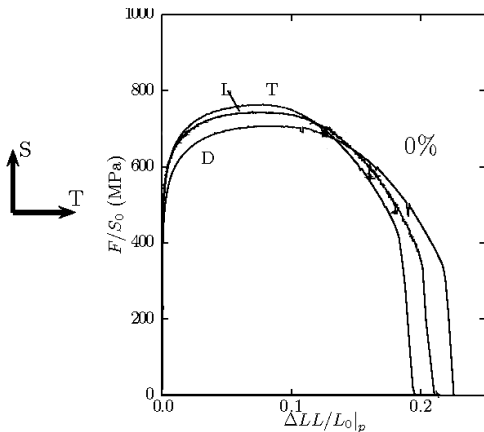
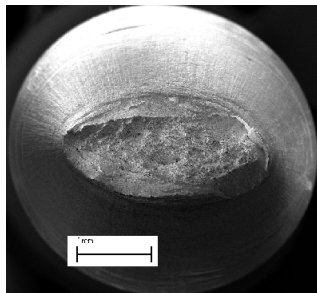
$$h_m(x) = \left(1 + mx^{1+m} \right)^{1/m}$$

- Limit cases : $m \rightarrow 0$: GTN model, $m = 1$: “elliptic model” :

$$\Phi = \sigma_{\text{eq}}^2 + \frac{1}{4} q_1 q_2^2 \sigma_{kk}^2 - (1 - q_1 f_*) \sigma_f^2$$

[Leblond et al., 1994]

- Anisotropic plastic flow — Anisotropic plastic yielding (X100 line pipe steel)



[Shinozaki et al., 2016]

- Extension of the GTN in the case of a matrix obeying the Hill (1948) yield criterion :

$$\sigma_H = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2} (h_{11}s_{11}^2 + h_{22}s_{22}^2 + h_{33}s_{33}^2 + 2h_{12}s_{12}^2 + 2h_{23}s_{23}^2 + 2h_{31}s_{31}^2)} = \sigma_f(p)$$

- Intuition [Brunet and Morestin, 2001, Rivalin et al., 2000]

$$\Phi = \left(\frac{\sigma_H}{\sigma_f} \right)^2 + 2q_1 f_* \cosh \left(\frac{q_2}{2} \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_f} \right) - 1 - q_1^2 f_*^2 = 0$$

- valid as the Gurson derivation applied to a Hill matrix leads to [Benzerga and Besson, 2001] :

$$\Phi = \left(\frac{\sigma_H}{\sigma_0} \right)^2 + 2f \cosh \left(\frac{1}{h} \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_0} \right) - 1 - f^2 = 0 \quad \text{with } h = \sqrt{\frac{8}{5} \frac{h_{11} + h_{22} + h_{33}}{h_{11}h_{22} + h_{11}h_{33} + h_{22}h_{33}} + \frac{4}{5} \left(\frac{1}{h_{12}} + \frac{1}{h_{23}} + \frac{1}{h_{31}} \right)}$$



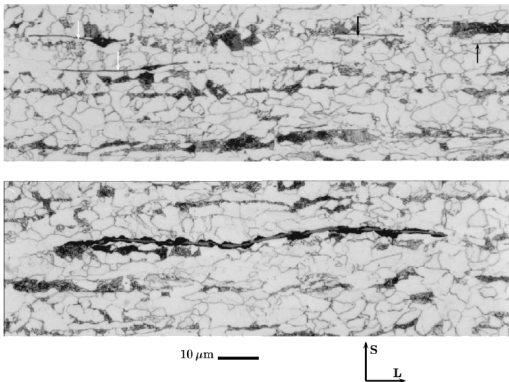
when $f \ll 1$, $\sigma_H \approx \sigma_f$ so that void growth is controlled by $\frac{1}{3} \sigma_{kk} / \sigma_H$; this calls for the definition of an appropriate triaxiality ratio [Shinohara et al., 2016] :

$$\tau_H = \frac{1}{3} \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_H}$$

- ☺ Extension to any stress measure [Bron and Besson, 2006]

$$\Phi = \left(\frac{\text{Your stress measure}}{\sigma_f} \right)^2 + 2q_1 f_* \cosh \left(\frac{q_2}{2} \frac{\sigma_{kk}}{\sigma_f} \right) - 1 - q_1^2 f_*^2 = 0$$

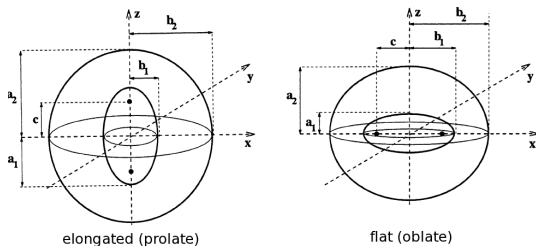
- Inclusions and therefore voids may be elongated (prolate) or flat (oblate)
- How does this affect void growth ?
- Example : X52 steel containing elongated MnS inclusions



[Benzerga et al., 2004]

➔ The Gologanu–Leblond–Devaux model

- Two cofocal axisymmetric ellipsoids (void+cell)



- One extra material variable :

$$S = \log \left(\frac{a_1}{b_1} \right) \quad \begin{cases} S > 0 & \text{elongated voids} \\ S = 0 & \text{spherical voids / i.e. Gurson} \\ S < 0 & \text{flat voids} \end{cases}$$

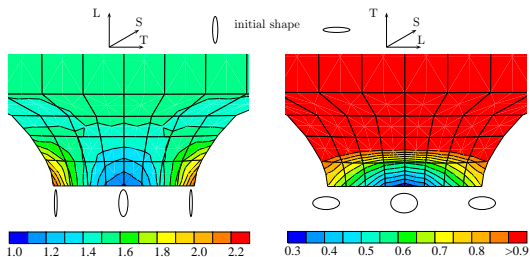
- Void symmetry axis : \vec{e}_z

[Gologanu et al., 1993, Gologanu et al., 1994]

Extensions of the GTN model:

Application of the GLD model

- Contour plots of $w = \exp S$ in the case of a notched bar for elongated and flat cavities



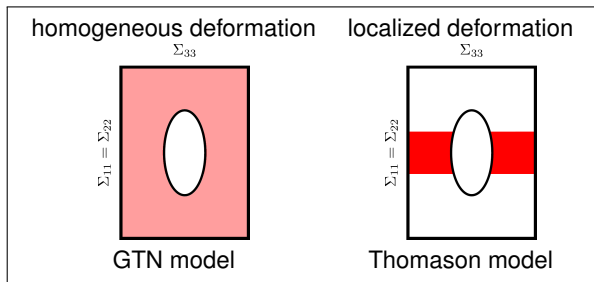
Two drawbacks of the model

- In practice, axisymmetric cavities do not remain axisymmetric. . .and two shape factors are needed
- there is no relative rotation of the cavity axis with respect to the material



Solved : [Danas and Aravas, 2012, Madou and Leblond, 2012a, Madou and Leblond, 2012b, Cao et al., 2015]

- Thomason analysis [Thomason, 1985b, Thomason, 1985a] : two possible deformation modes :

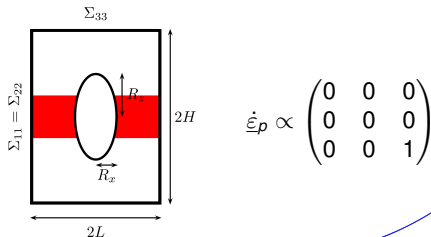


- Condition for coalescence

$$\pi L^2 \Sigma_{33} = \pi(L^2 - R_x^2) C_f \sigma_f$$

with

$$C_f = 0.1 \left(\frac{R_z}{L - R_x} \right)^{-2} + 1.2 \sqrt{L/R_x}$$



Extensions of the GTN model:

Using the Thomason model

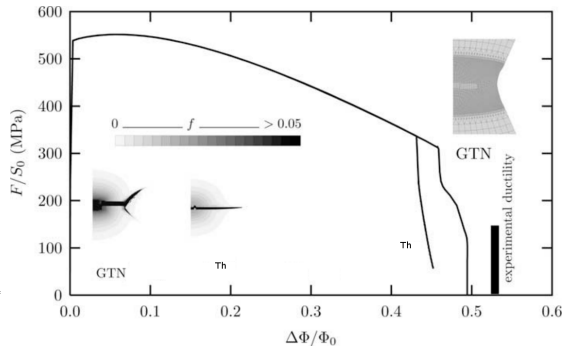
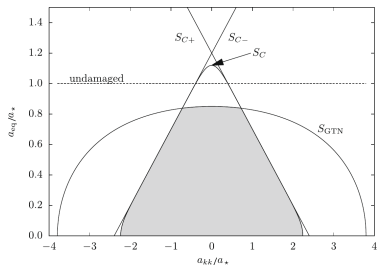


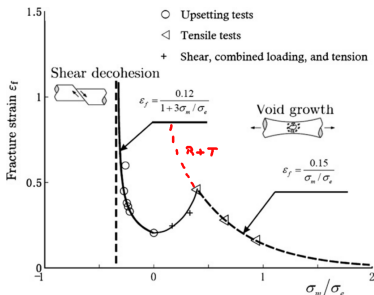
- Use the Thomason model to **detect** coalescence ; $f_c = f$ at the onset of coalescence ; use the GTN model with the f_* function with the evaluated value for f_c [Zhang et al., 2000].
- Search for a coalescence direction over all directions, or directions corresponding to the maximum eigenvalue of $\underline{\sigma}$, $\underline{\varepsilon}_p$ or $\underline{\dot{\varepsilon}}_p$
- Use a simplified version based on yield surface (multi-surface model) [Besson, 2009]

$$\Phi = \frac{2}{3}\sigma_{eq} + \frac{1}{3}|\sigma_{kk}| - C_{th}\sigma_f = 0$$

- Very little use of the model in FE simulations up to now
- Many extensions . . . : hardening [Pardoen and Hutchinson, 2000], shear [Torki et al., 2015], very flat voids [Hure and Barrioz, 2016], . . .

Extensions of the GTN model: Example GTN+Thomason





[Nahshon and Hutchinson, 2008,
 Bao and Wierzbicki, 2004, Mae et al., 2007]

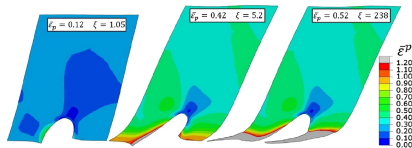
- Low triaxiality ($\tau < 1$) and Lode parameter ($\mathcal{L} = \frac{27}{2} \det \underline{s} / \sigma_{eq}^3$) close to 0 : lower ductilities compared to prediction made from high triaxiality data.

- Additional damage given has :

$$\dot{f}_{sh} = k_w f_w(\mathcal{L}) \underline{s} : \dot{\underline{\varepsilon}}_p / \bar{\sigma}$$

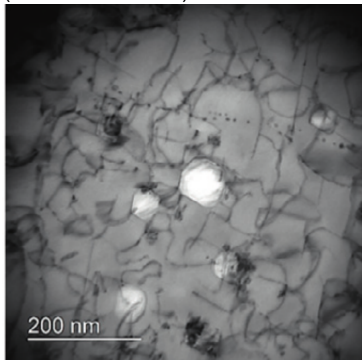
[Nahshon and Hutchinson, 2008]

- The effect of the Lode parameter is validated by unit cell calculations :



[Dunand and Mohr, 2014]

- Nano-voids are created due to irradiation (304 and 306 SS).



[Gallican and Hure, 2017]

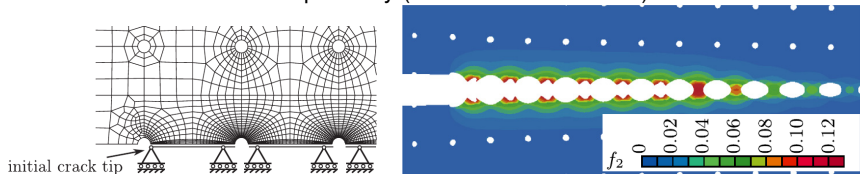
- A yield function can be defined for each slip system s as [Han et al., 2013] :

$$\left(\frac{\tau_s^2}{\tau_{cs}^2} + \alpha \frac{2}{45} \frac{\sigma_{cs}^2}{\tau_{cs}^2} \right) + 2q_1 f \cosh \left(q_2 \sqrt{\frac{3}{20}} \frac{\sigma_m}{\tau_{cs}} \right) - 1 - q_1^2 f^2 = 0$$

- Can be fitted on unit cell simulations
- Alternative solutions in [Paux et al., 2015, Mbiakop et al., 2015], coalescence in [Gallican and Hure, 2017].

What about nucleation ?

- Growth and coalescence = plasticity (continuum mechanics)



[Hütter et al., 2014]

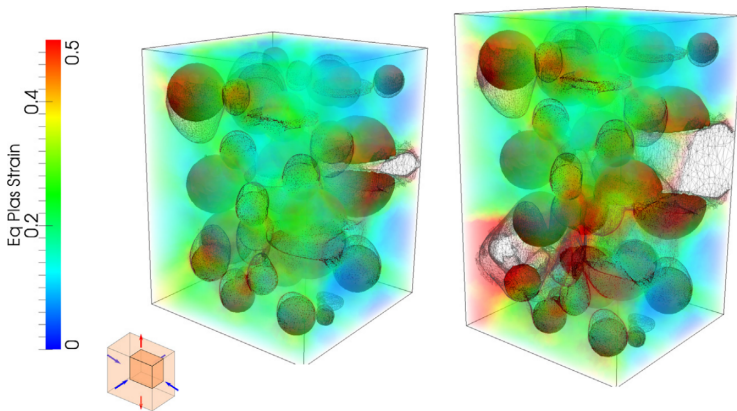
- Modeling of nucleation remains essentially phenomenological
- Evaluation of stresses in the particles leading to damage nucleation [Beremin, 1981] :

$$\sigma_I^p = \Sigma_I + k(\rho, \text{shape})(\Sigma_{\text{eq}} - \sigma_0)$$

- Use estimates of σ_I^p together with a probabilistic distribution of the inclusion failure stress (*e.g.* Weibull like) to derive the nucleation kinetics.
- *In situ* informations obtained by X-ray tomography can help.
- This approach is valid for sizes equal to $\approx 1\mu\text{m}$ and above ... but probably not for nanometric particles.

What about nucleation ?

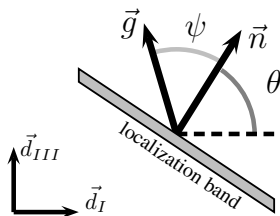
- Simulation of particle cracking and void growth



[Shakoor et al., 2018]

Strain and damage localization

- Damage leads to cracking : *i.e.* localized damage and strain
- Condition for localization [Rice, 1976, Rice, 1980, Rudnicki and Rice, 1975, Needleman and Rice, 1978]



- One assumes an elasto-plastic behavior (rate independent) so that :

$$\underline{\dot{\sigma}} = \underline{\underline{\mathcal{L}}}_t : \underline{D}$$

- Jum across the band

$$[[\underline{D}]]_{\text{band}} \propto \frac{1}{2}(\vec{g} \otimes \vec{n} + \vec{n} \otimes \vec{g})$$

- Equilibrium

$$[[\underline{\dot{\sigma}}]]_{\text{band}} \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{0}$$

- the equilibrium equation is rewritten as :

$$[[\dot{\sigma}]] \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\mathcal{L}}}_t : [[\dot{\epsilon}]] \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{0} \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\mathcal{L}}}_t : (\vec{g} \otimes \vec{n}) \cdot \vec{n} = \vec{0}$$

or using indexes :

$$L_{ijkl} g_k n_l n_j = n_j L_{ijkl} n_l g_k = n_j L_{jikl} n_l g_k = 0_i$$

or introducing a specific second order tensor \underline{A}

$$A_{ik} g_k = 0_i \text{ with } A_{ik} = n_j L_{jikl} n_l$$

- A_{ik} represents a second order tensor \underline{A} and the previous relation can be rewritten as :

$$\underline{A} \cdot \vec{g} = (\vec{n} \cdot \underline{\underline{\mathcal{L}}} \cdot \vec{n}) \cdot \vec{g} = \vec{0}$$

so that :

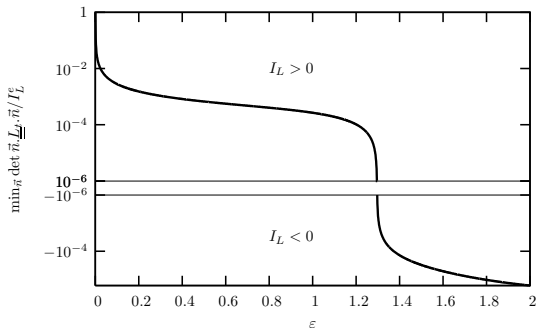
- (i) $\vec{g} = \vec{0}$ (i.e. no jump)
- (ii) $\det(\vec{n} \cdot \underline{\underline{\mathcal{L}}} \cdot \vec{n}) = 0$ and \underline{g} is the eigenvector corresponding to the null eigenvalue.
- (iii) The band thickness is not predicted

- Localization indicator

$$I_L = \min_{\vec{n}, ||\vec{n}||=1} \det \underline{\underline{\mathcal{L}}}_t \cdot \vec{n}$$

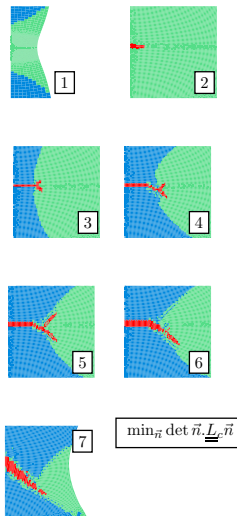
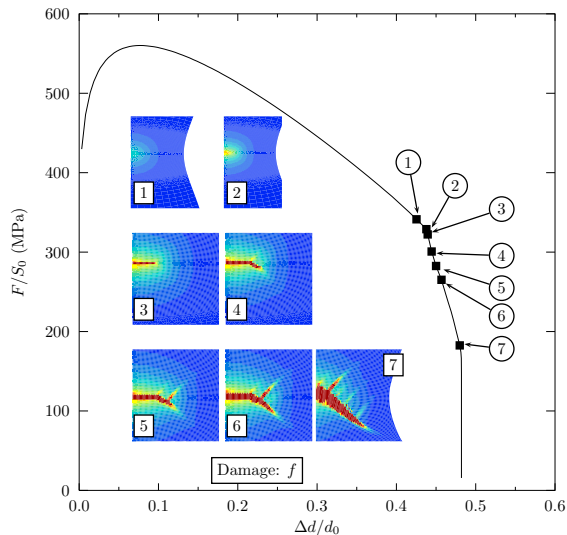
- Localization becomes possible if :

$$I_L < 0$$



[Billardon and Doghri, 1989, Besson et al., 2001]

Strain and damage localization: Analysis of cup-cone formation



Simulation using the finite element method

- GTN model with the following parameters

f_0	q_1	q_2	f_c	f_R	$\sigma_F(p)$ (MPa)
0.001	1.47	1.05	0.05	0.25	$510 + 295(1 - \exp(-9.6p))$

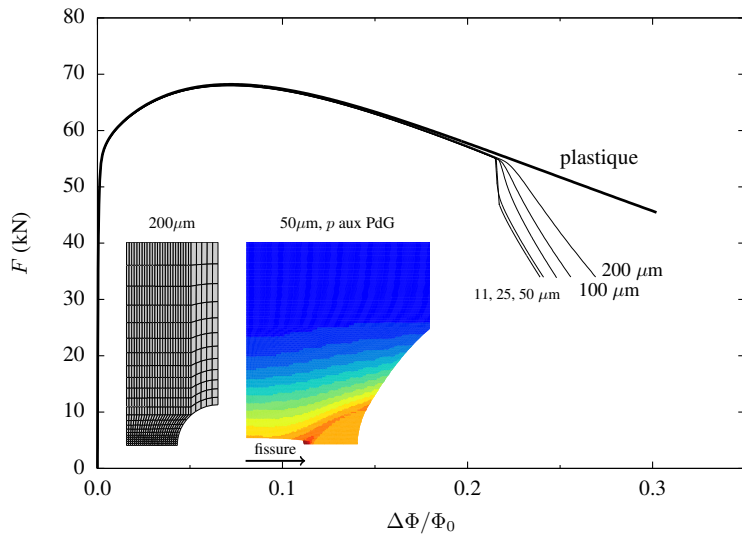
corresponding to a modern construction steel

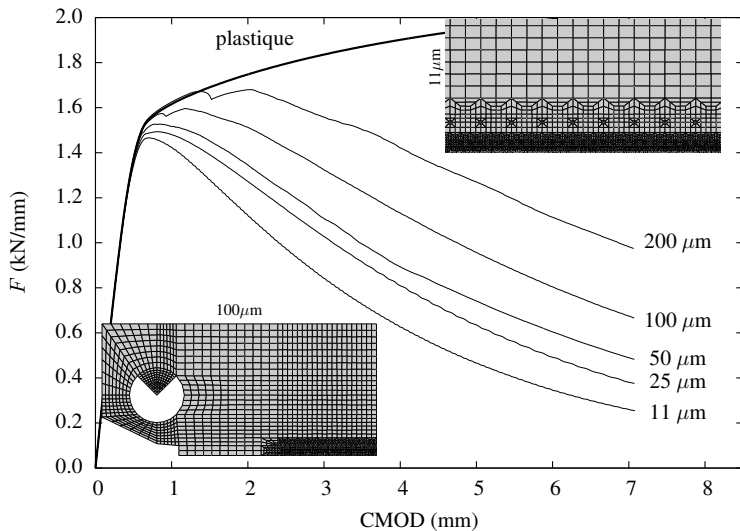
- No nucleation (rupture at high stress triaxiality)

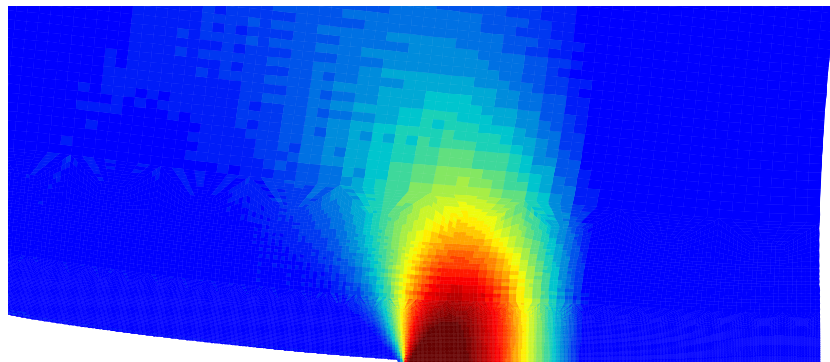


Identification of material parameters is still a open problem

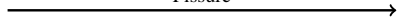
- Simulations : plane strain, bi-linear 4-node elements, B-bar method (pressure control)
- Element removal technique
- Various mesh sizes







Fissure



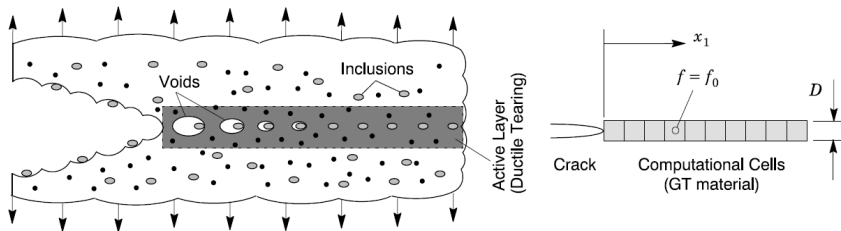
Contrainte d'ouverture (bleu : $\sigma_{22} < 0, \text{MPa}$ rouge : $\sigma_{22} > 1500 \text{ MPa}$)

- Models provide a volumic fracture energy : $w_0 \text{ J.m}^{-3}$
- This energy describes well crack initiation in an uncracked structure
- Fracture is characterized by a surfacic fracture energy : $\gamma_0 \text{ J.m}^{-2}$
- The ratio

$$\Lambda = \gamma_0 / w_0$$

is a material length

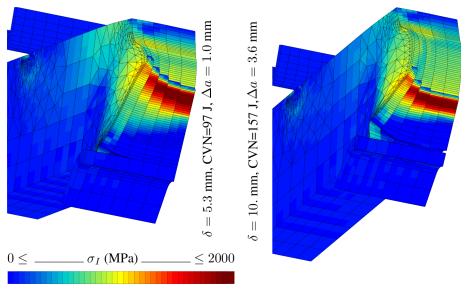
- The material can be “seen” as an arrangement of material cells



[Xia and Shih, 1995, Xia et al., 1995, Ruggieri et al., 1996, Besson et al., 2013]

A first solution

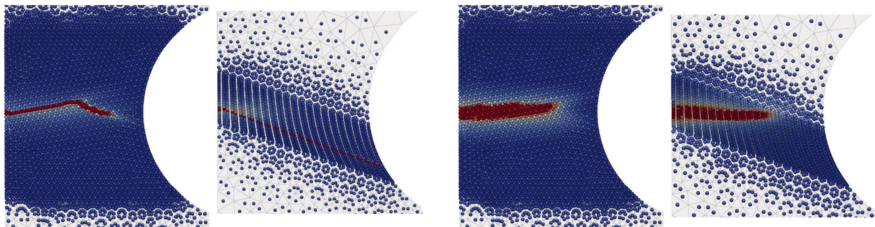
- Use a fixed mesh type : interpolation, size, aspect ratio, orientation
- This solution is very often used (sometimes implicitly...)
- Allows transfer to one geometry to another
- Failed elements can be removed from the calculation
- ☺ Easy to use method
- ☹ Element size is used to (i) discretized the geometry, (ii) determine the fracture energy γ_0



[Tanguy et al., 2005]

- Use enhanced models integrating material internal lengths (so called “non local” models).
- No mesh size dependence

[Zhang et al., 2018, Aldakheel et al., 2018, Enakoutsu et al., 2007, Mediavilla et al., 2006, Feld-Payet et al., 2011]



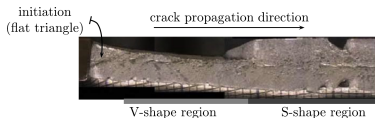
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with material length

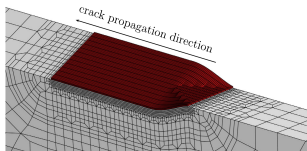
(Zhang, 2018)

- Voir exposé de **Éric Lorentz**

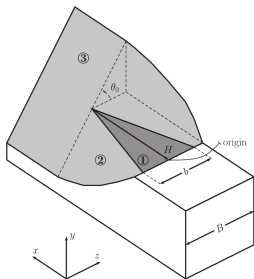
- Flat to slant transition in a steel plate [Besson et al., 2013]



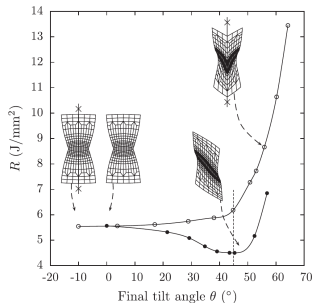
- Mesh design



- Geometry



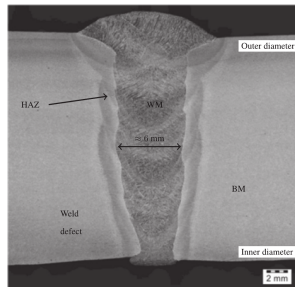
- Analysis of crack propagation depending on the **assumed** tilt angle



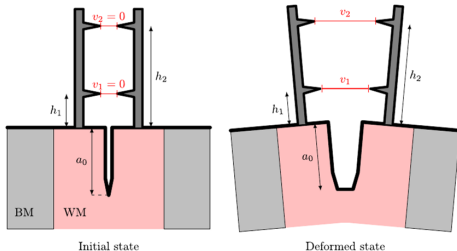
- Full size test on welded pipe (girth weld)



- Weld

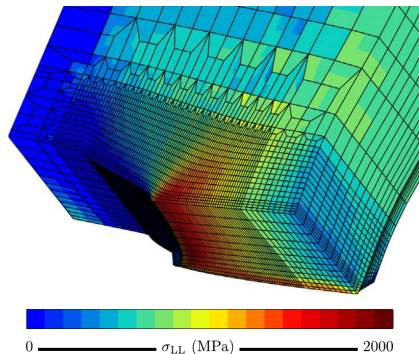
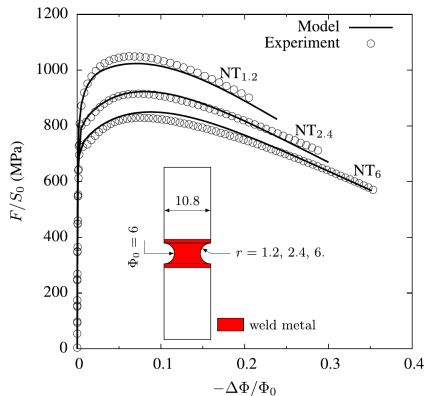


- Crack in the weld metal

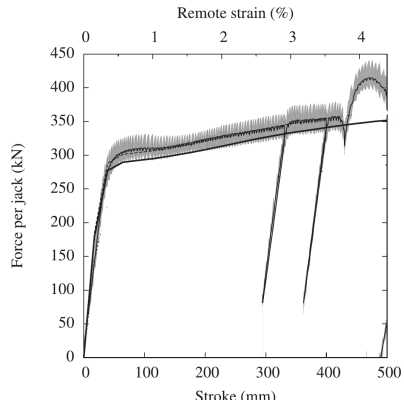


Clips mounted on the pipe

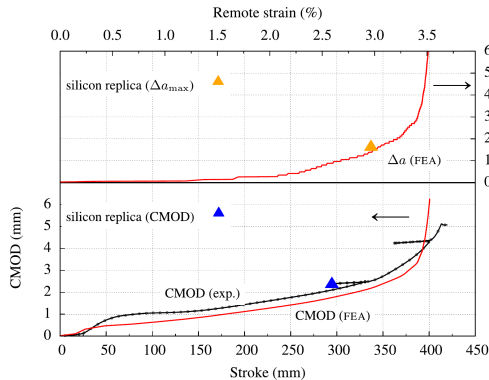
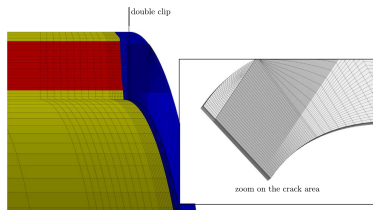
- Material characterization : (BM) plasticity, (WM) plasticity and failure



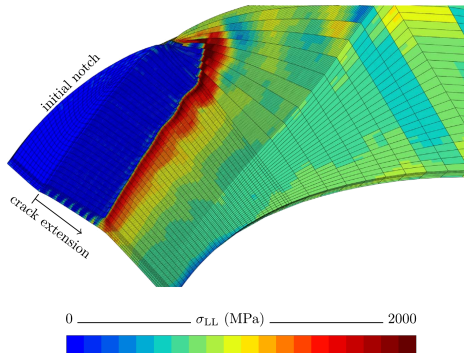
- Testing — Load displacement curve



- Mesh design — CMOD and crack advance



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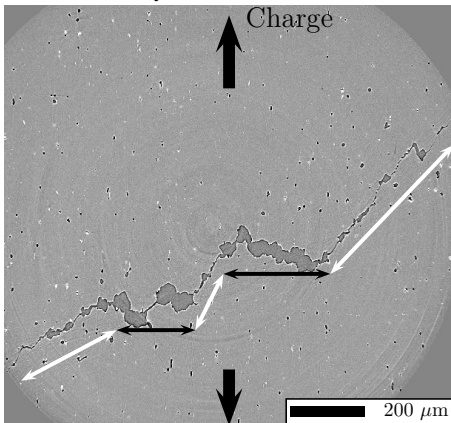
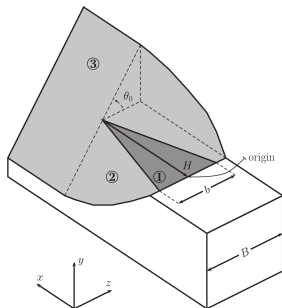
- Simulation used to better interpret full size test . . . and possible help the design of such tests

[Soret et al., 2017]

Conclusions

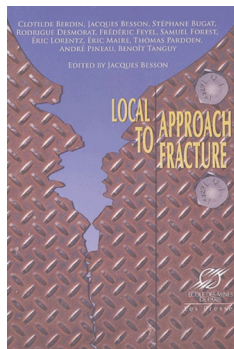
- Models for ductile rupture : many extensions to growth and coalescence of the seminal work of Gurson and Tvergaard—Needleman
- Much less developments concerning void nucleation from inclusions
- Applicability of the models (mainly GTN) to the simulation of specimens and structures
- Dealing with strain/damage localization and damage to crack transition is still a problem
- One possible solution is the use of continuum models with internal lengths
- ... but many other solutions exist (CZM, XFEM+CZM, Thick Level set, Phase field, explicit introduction of discontinuities inside elements ...)

- Flat to slant transition in an aluminum alloy



- **Model** : anisotropy, nucleation, growth, coalescence (internal necking and void sheeting)
- **Simulation** : Crack path change, full 3D, possible two length scales

- 2004 : Ecole d'été CNRS à Roscoff
- MEALOR : Mécanique de l'Endommagement et Approche LOcale de la Rupture !

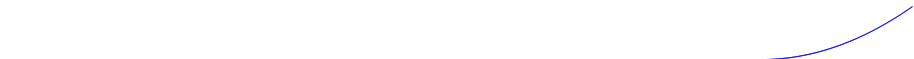


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