



Création d'un benchmark de fissuration du béton en mode mixte

CARPIUC Benchmark


**Crack Advance, Reorientation, Propagation and Initiation Under
Complex loadings**

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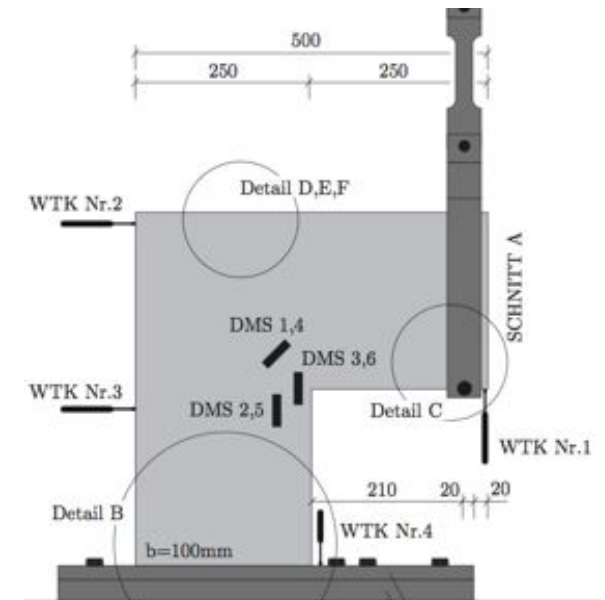
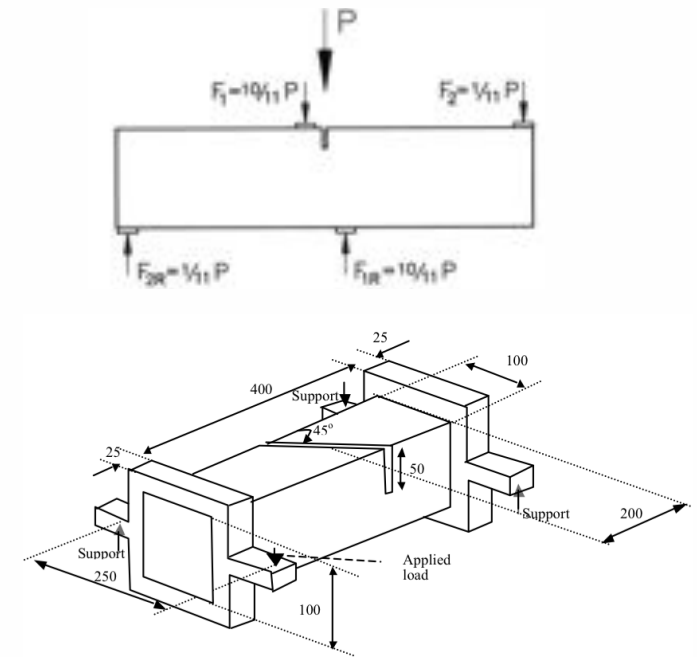
Which tests exist ?

Very few experimental test results for:

- middle-scale specimen
- mixed mode crack propagation
- quasi-fragile materials

Main works on concrete:

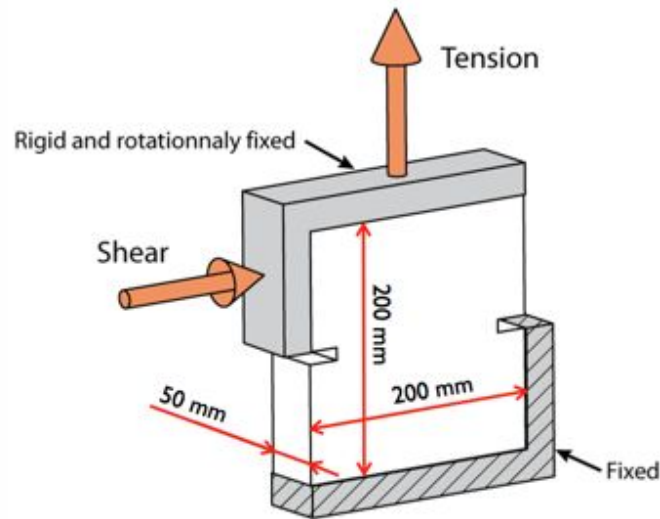
- 1982 Arrea & Ingraffea
- 1992 Nooru-Mohamed
- 1996 Brokenshire
- 2001 Winkler



The Nooru-Mohamed test

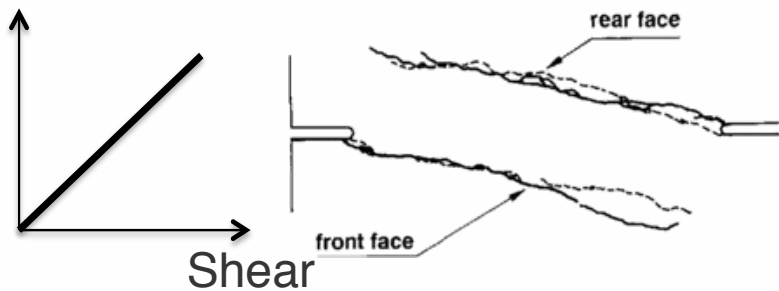
Largest test campaign: [Nooru-Mohamed, 1992]

Principle:

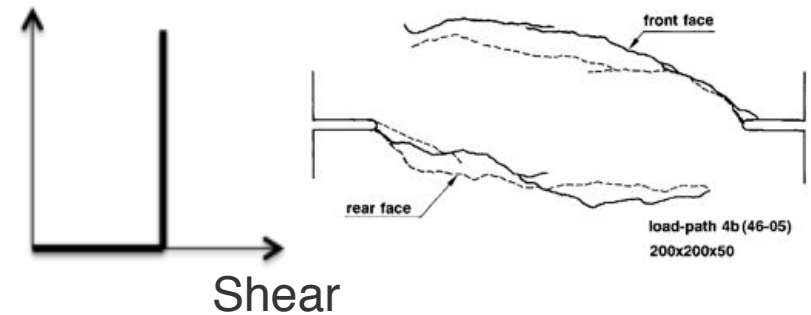


Results:

Tension

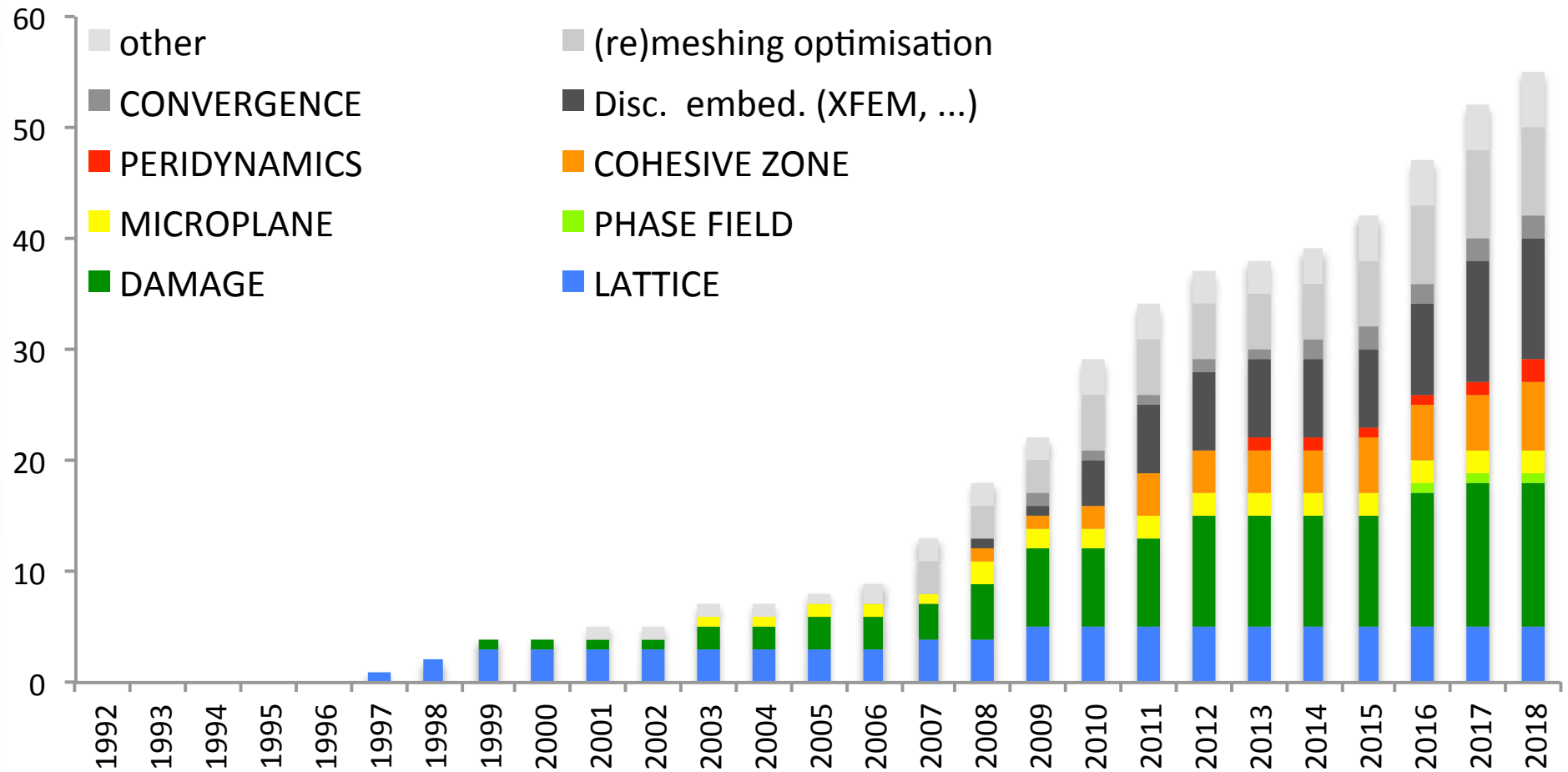


Tension



An 'unofficial' benchmark

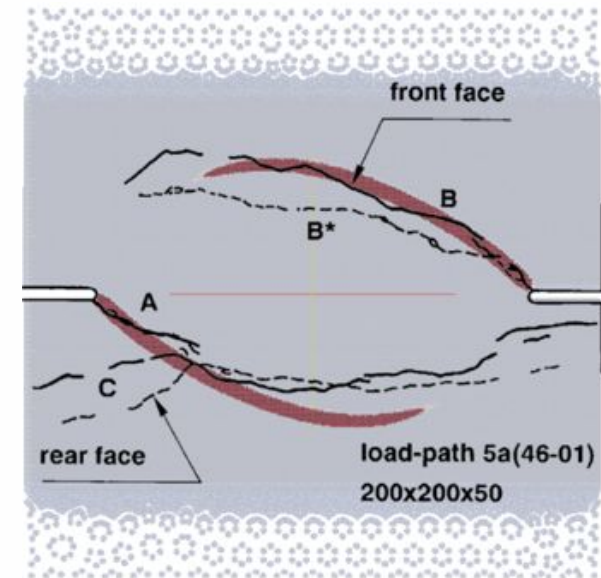
Articles using N-M for validation : both theoretical and numerical



Why so much interest ?

Many advantages

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- Non-trivial crack patterns
- Stable crack propagation
- Important database:
 - Different concrete formulations
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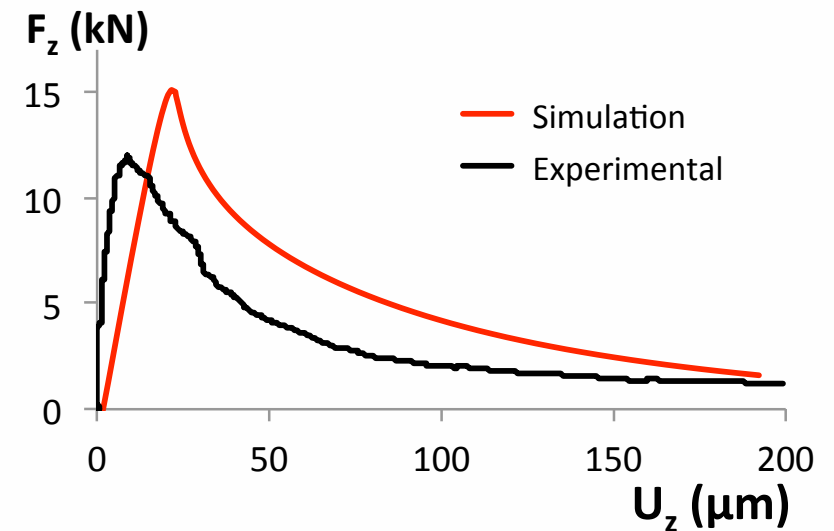
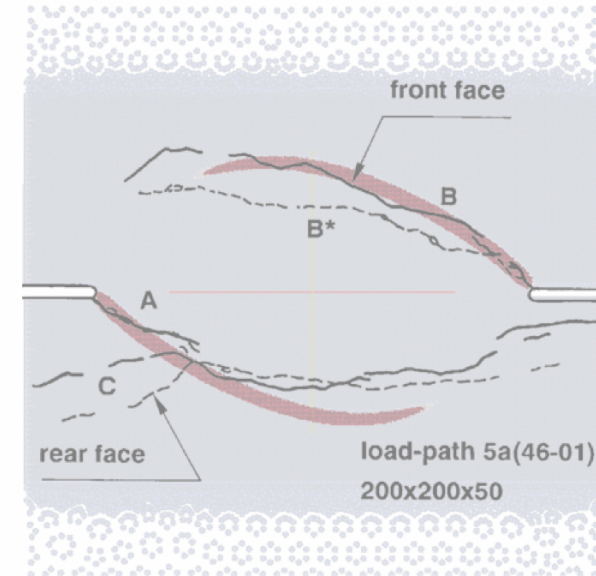
'Great ... but'

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 - Crack propagation
 - Material parameters
 - Measured boundary conditions




Motivation of the new test campaign

Many advantages => main goals

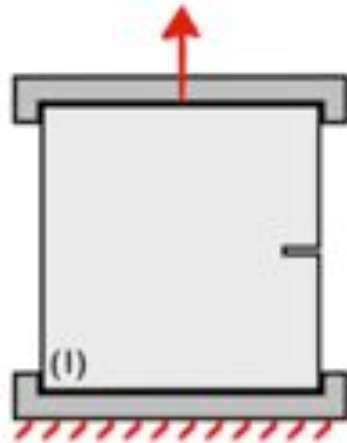
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Some important drawbacks => special attention to

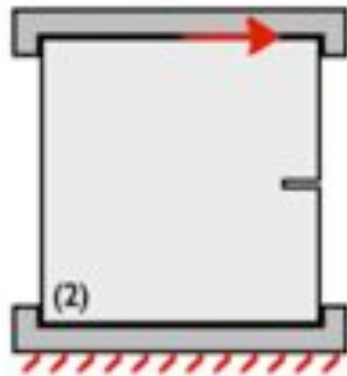
- ~~Inconsistent force-displ. curves~~ => 3D loadcell
- ~~Unavailable data:~~
 - ~~Crack propagation~~ => full-field kinematic measurements
 - ~~Material parameters~~ => standard tests
 - ~~Measured boundary conditions~~ => 3D BC measurements
 - ensures a LONG stable propagation

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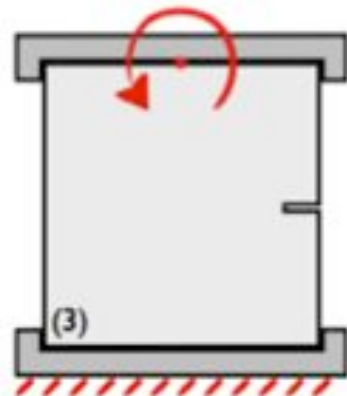
Loading principle



Global tension: crack opening (= Nooru-Mohamed)



Global shear: crack orientation (= Nooru-Mohamed)

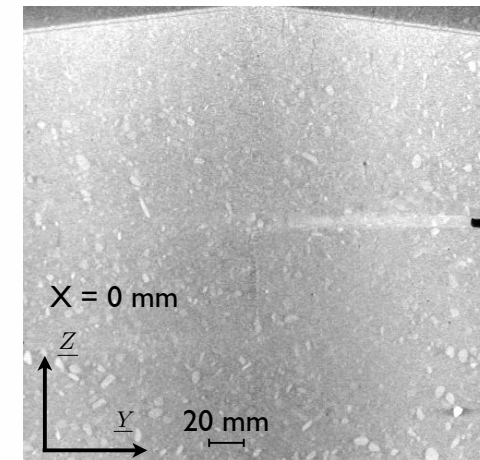
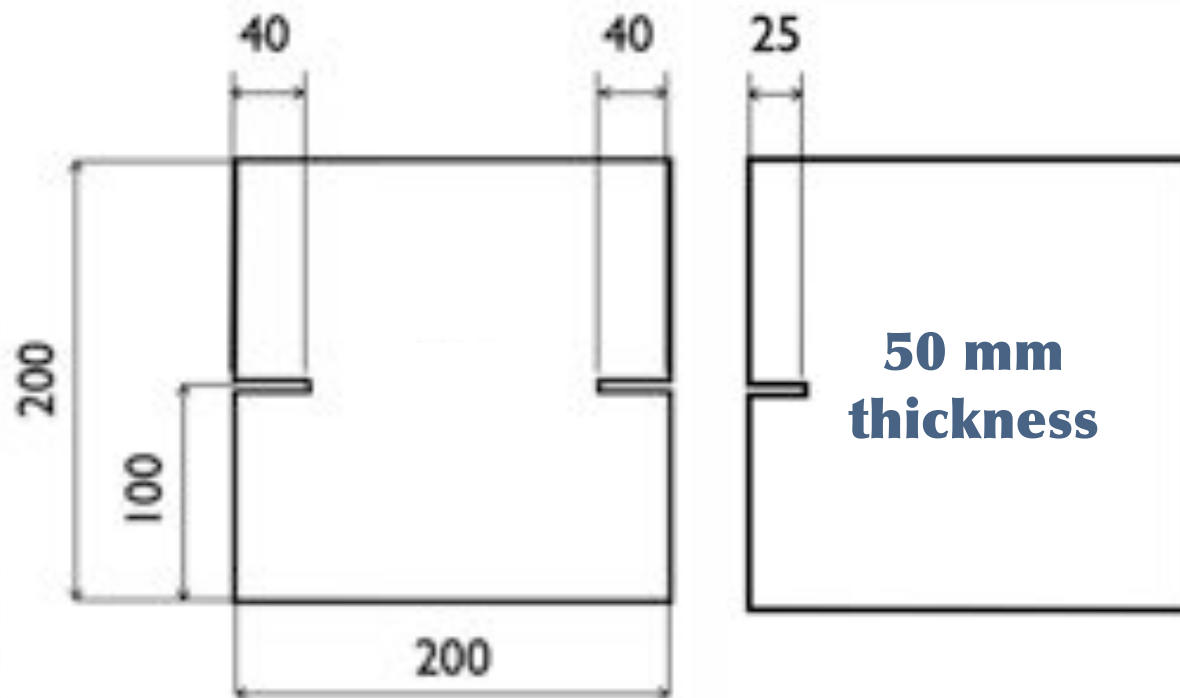


Global rotation: crack stabilisation (\neq Nooru-Mohamed)

Specimens: shape, size and material

VERCORS Mortar, not concrete !

Effective water [kg/m ³]	Cement [kg/m ³]	Sand 0/4 [kg/m ³]	Plasticizer [kg/m ³]
319	611	1235	5.25



slice of a
tomographic image

Specimens: material parameters

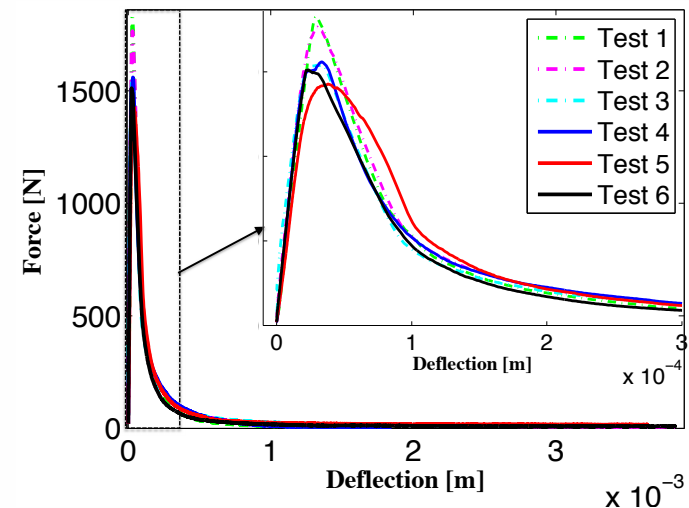
3-point bending tests on 40x40x160 specimens (196-1 NF-EN standard)

	Test 1	Test 2	Test 3	Test 4	Test 5
Load rate	50 N/s	50 N/s	50 N/s	0.5 N/s	0.5 N/s
E [GPa]	17.6	16.4	17.75	20.03	20.04
Mean [GPa]	17.25 ± 0.74			20.035 ± 0.005	
	Test 1	Test 2	Test 3	Test 4	Test 5
Load rate	50 N/s	50 N/s	50 N/s	0.5 N/s	0.5 N/s
F_t [MPa]	4.125	3.275	3.894	3.823	4.33
Mean [MPa]	3.8 ± 0.4			4.1 ± 0.4	

Compression tests on broken specimens at 2400+/-200 N/s (196-1 NF-EN standard)

	Test 1	Test 2	Test 3	Test 4	Test 5
F_c [MPa]	80.31	77.19	76.88	83.59	81.72
Mean [MPa]	79.94 ± 2.9				

3-point bending tests on 70x70x280 specimens (RILEM 1985 standard)



$$G_f = \frac{(W_0 + mg\delta_0)}{A_{lig}} = 114.6 \pm 18.8 \text{ N/m.}$$

Loading: 6 DOF testing machine



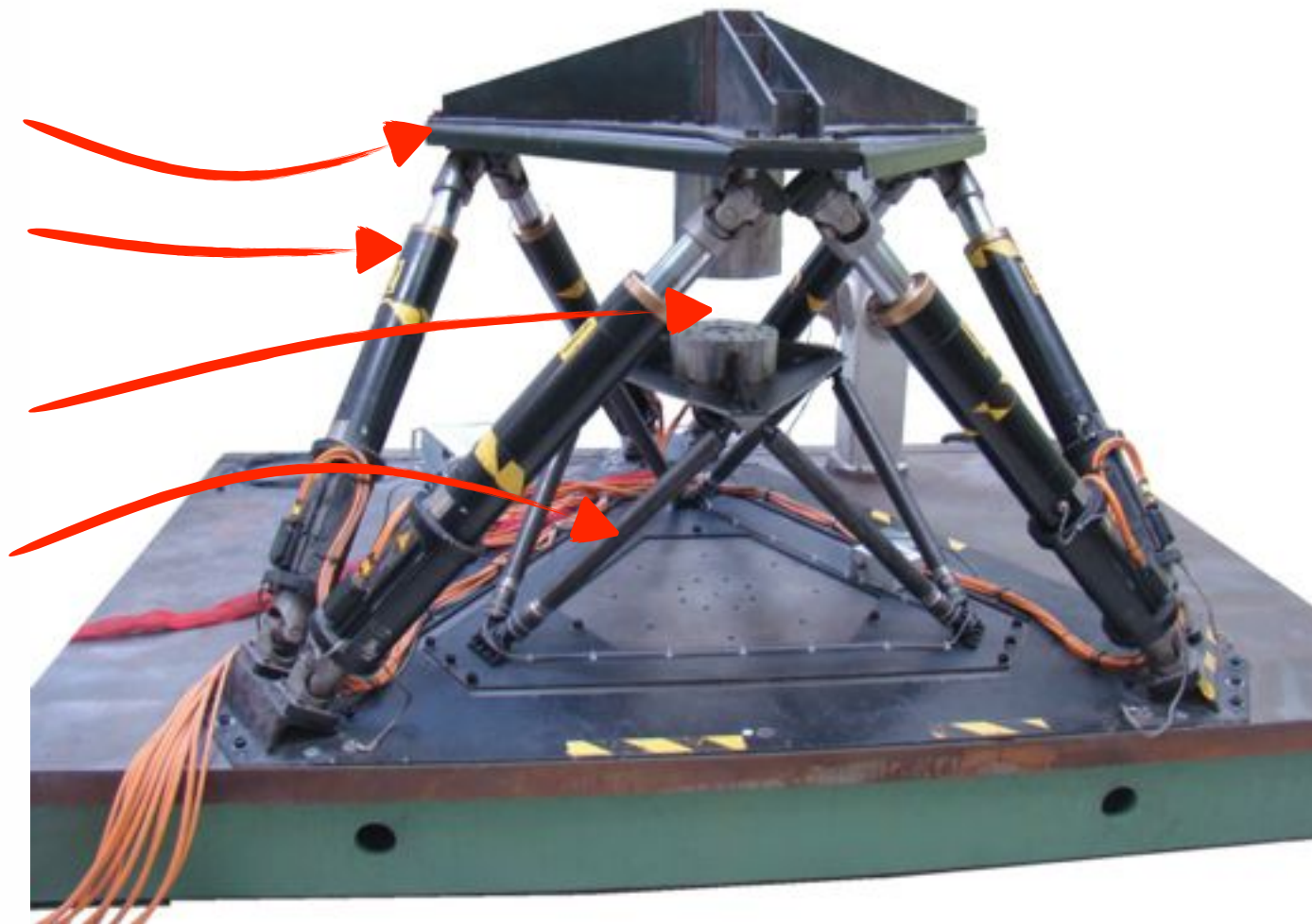
Loading: 6 DOF testing machine

Mobile Platform

Electrical jack

Specimen space

6 DOF Load cell



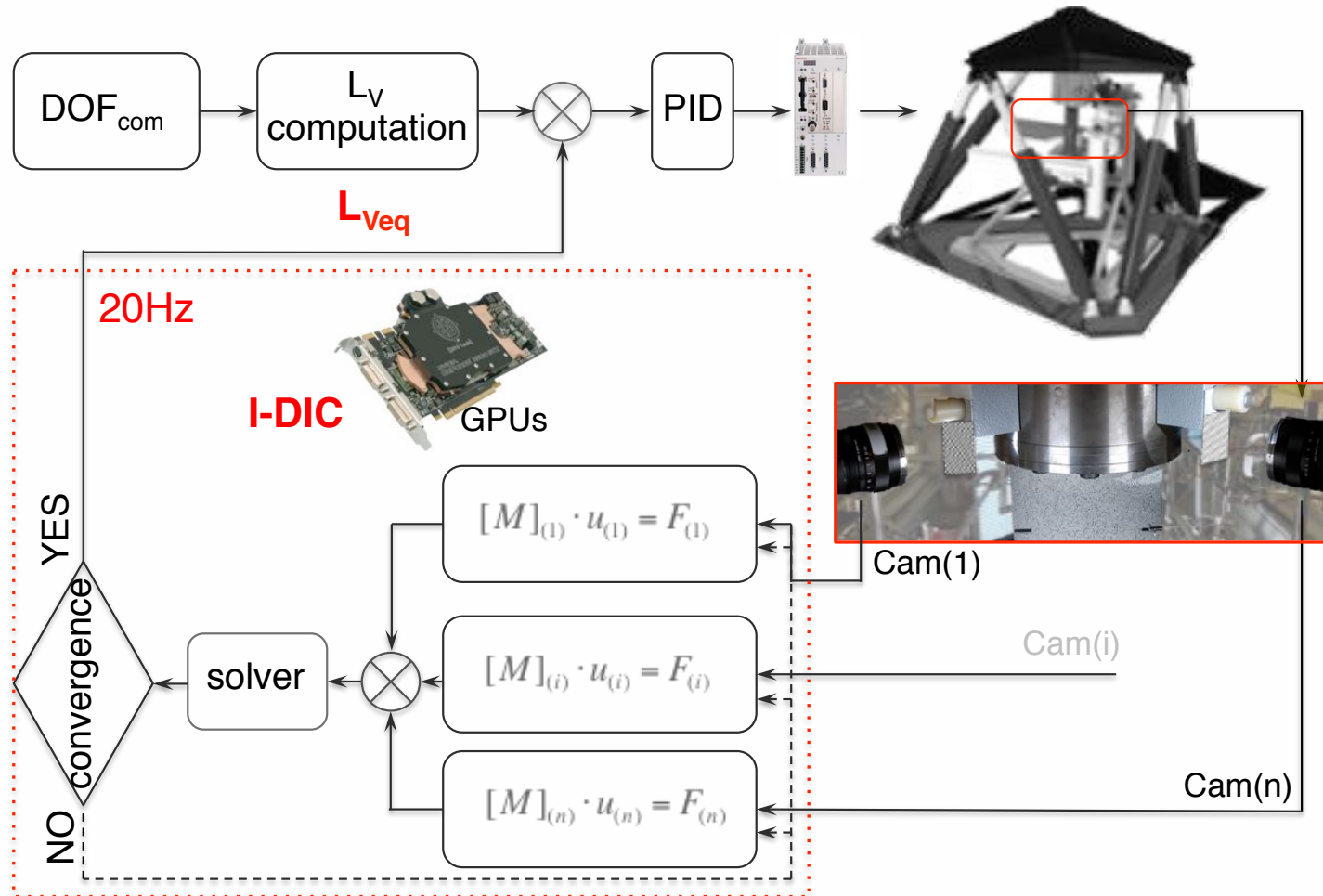
Force capacity ~ 120 kN
Torq. capacity ~ 70 kN.m

Displ. range ~ 500³ mm
Rot. range ~ 45°³

Force uncertainty: ~80 N et ~20 N.m

control loop sampling: 4 ms

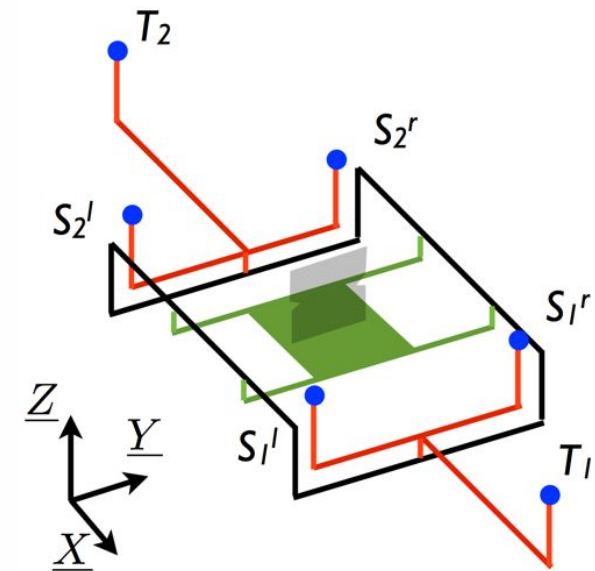
Loading: DIC-based control loop



- **3 CCD cameras @ 20 Hz**
- **Complete computation time (GPU +CPU) < 50 ms**
- **Actuator displacement uncertainty < 1 μm**
- **Machine displacement uncertainty $\sim 1 \mu\text{m}$**

Camera setup

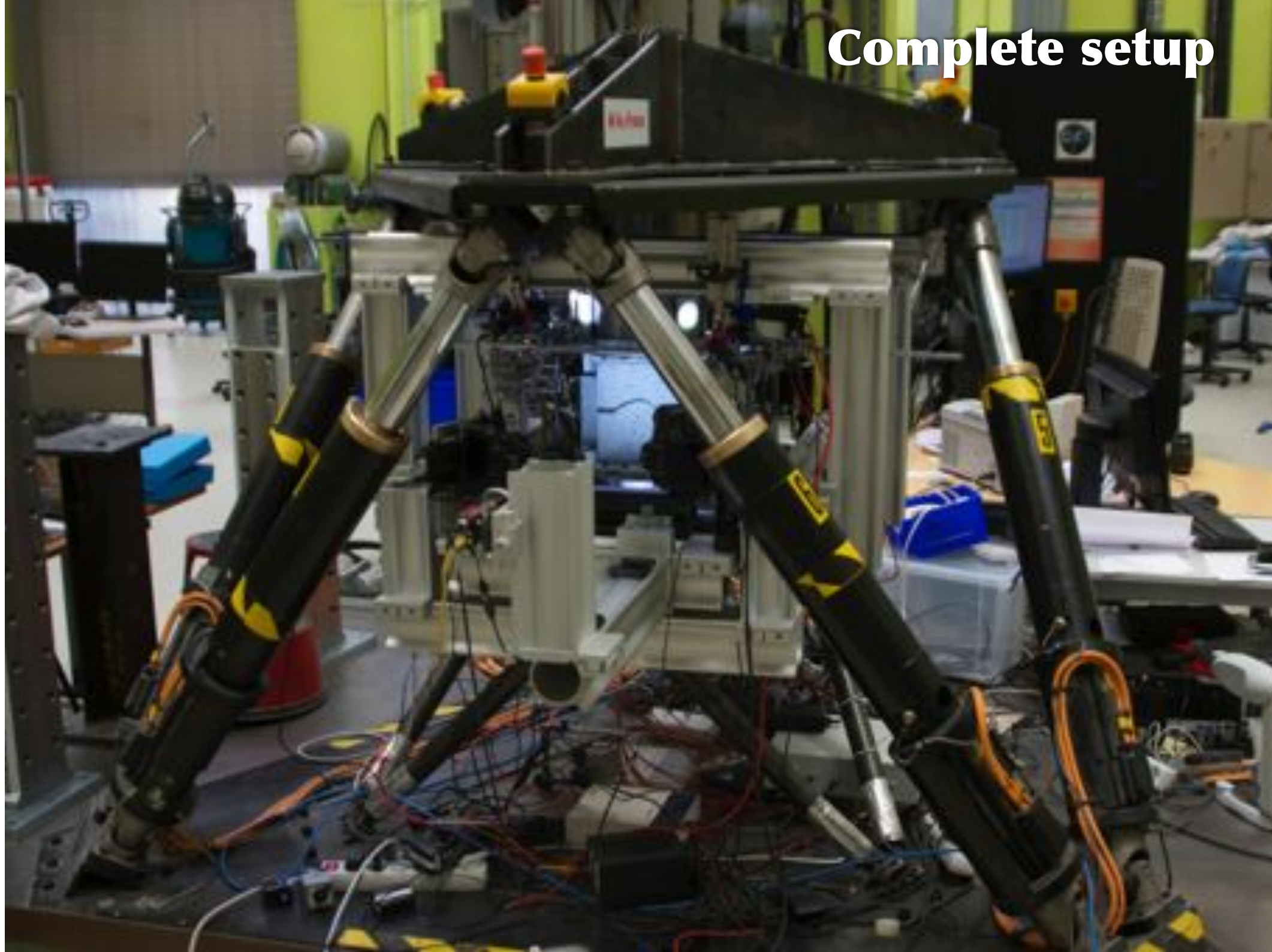
- **DIC : 2 cameras @ 0.2 Hz**
 - T_1
 - T_2
- **Stereo DIC : 4 DSLR cameras @ 0.2 Hz**
 - S_1^l & S_1^r
 - S_2^l & S_2^r
 - (T_1, T_2)
- **Possible measurement :**
 - full field 2D on each face [Tomicevic et al., 2013]
 - full field 2.5D on each face [Beaubier et al., 2014]
 - relative RBM of the plates



2D DIC		
uncertainty	(μm)	(pix)
along Y	2.4	0.018
along Z	1.3	0.010

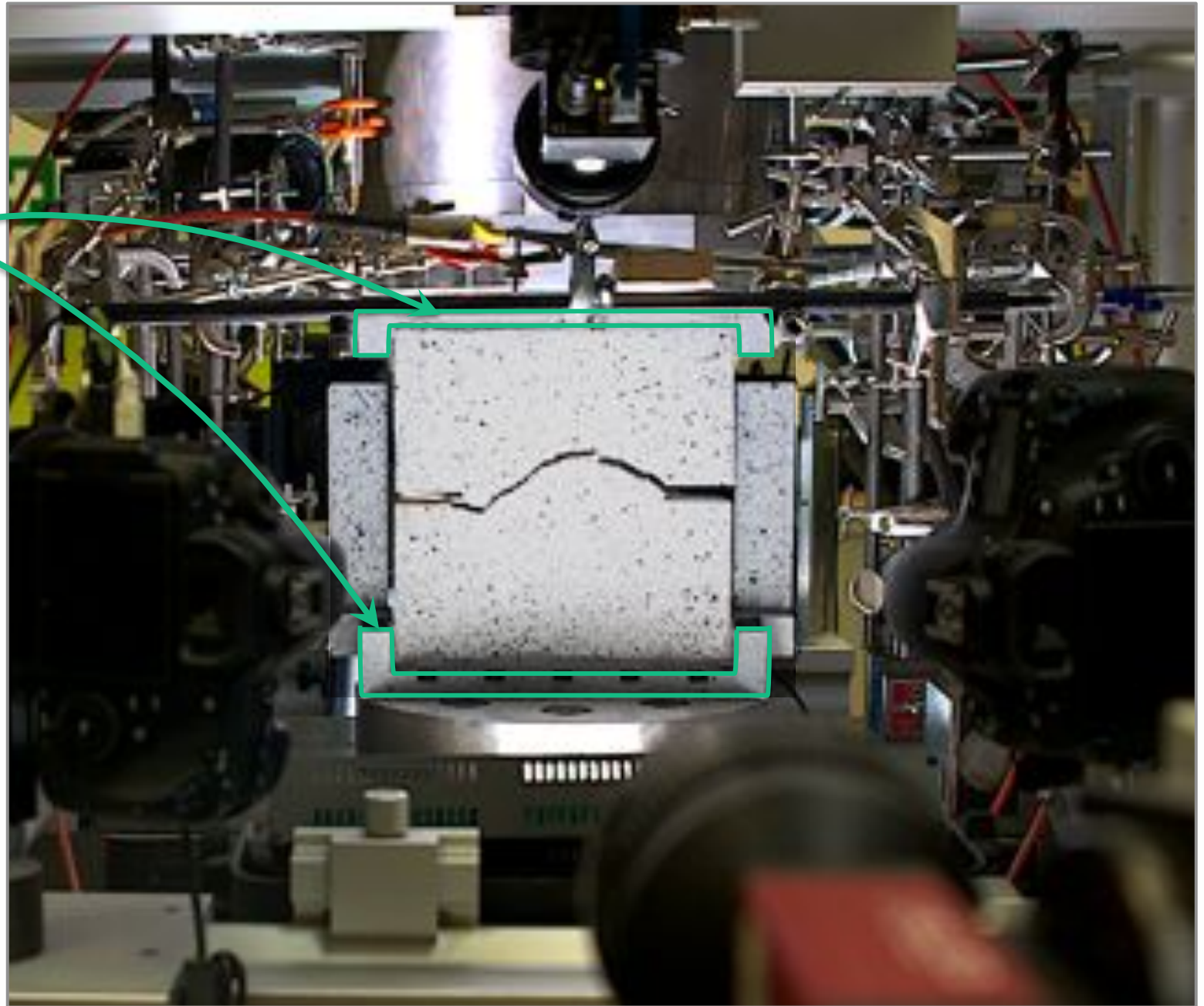
Relative RBM		
uncertainty	Trans (μm)	Rot (10
along X	0.07	0.4
along Y	0.68	7.7
along Z	1.77	1.1

Complete setup

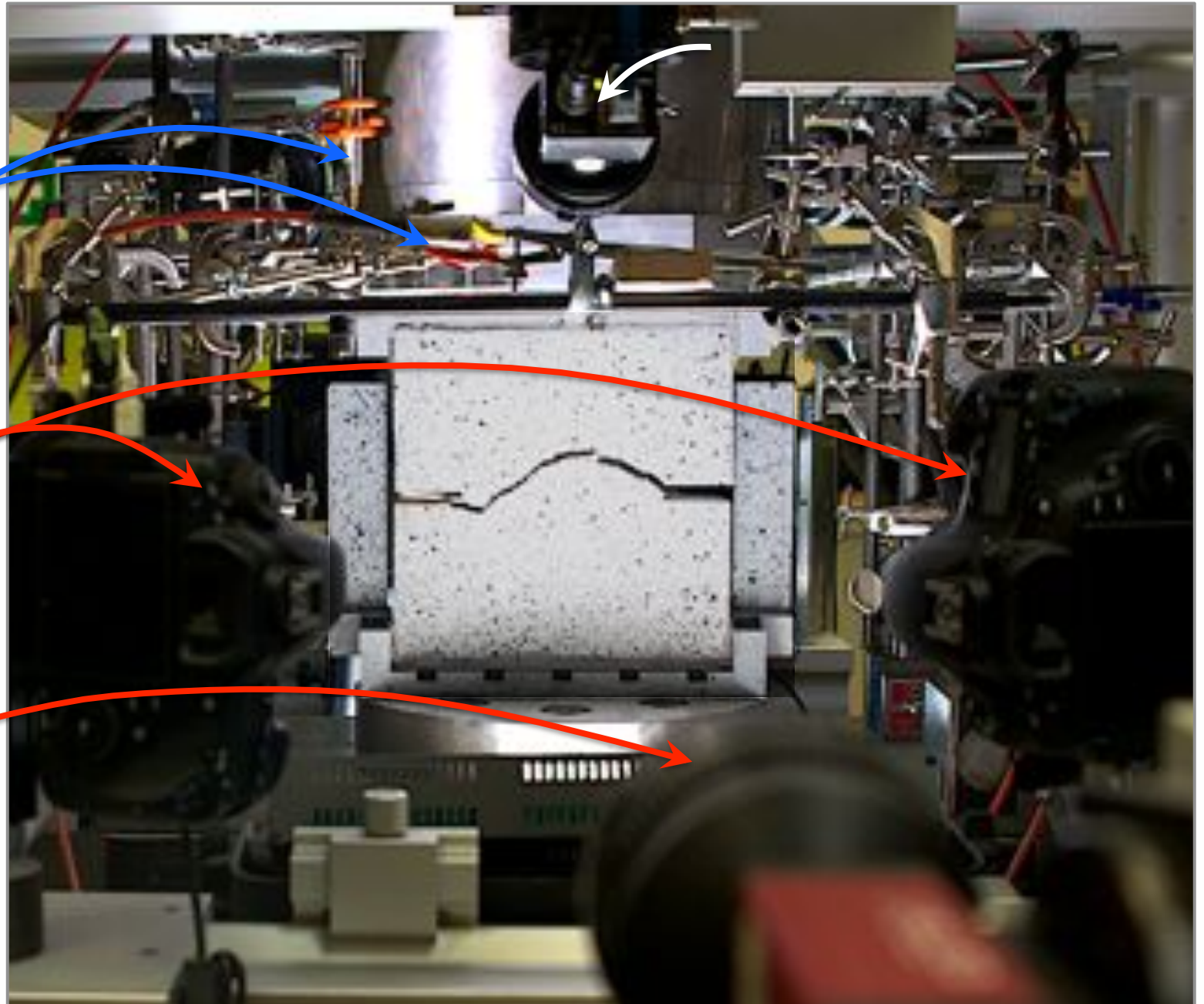


Complete setup

Grips



Complete setup



6 Displacement sensors

Stereo DIC

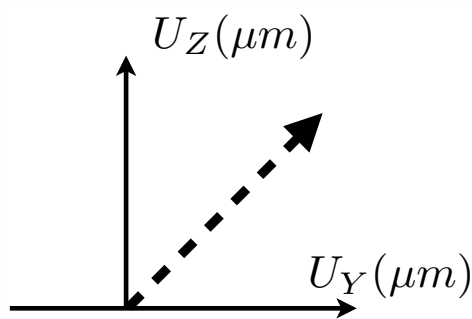
2D DIC

Choosing tests

N-M-like tests (limited to displacement control)

- Validate machine/protocol
- Confirm (force/displacement measurement)
- Enrich (full-field measurement)

prop.

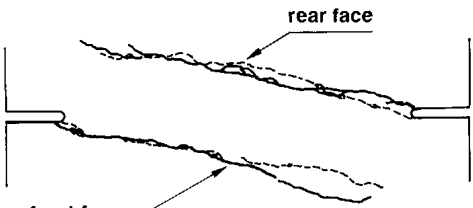


$U_Z(\mu m)$

$U_Y(\mu m)$

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**6a N-M tests
(displ. control)**

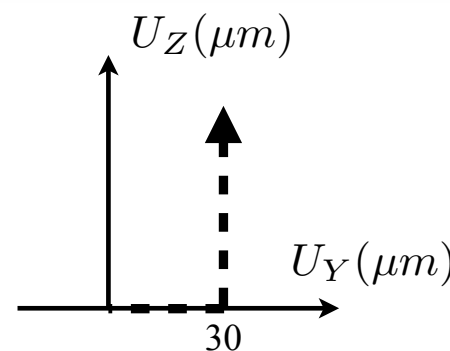


rear face

front face

load-path 6a(47-02)
200x200x50

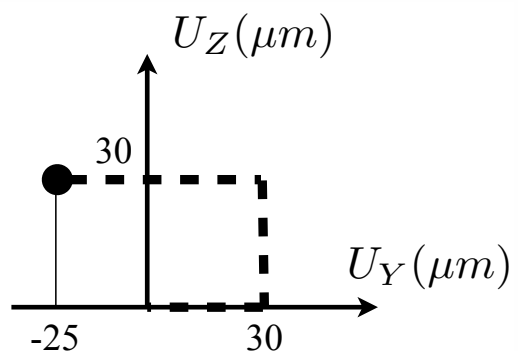
n-prop.



$U_Z(\mu m)$

$U_Y(\mu m)$

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$U_Z(\mu m)$

$U_Y(\mu m)$

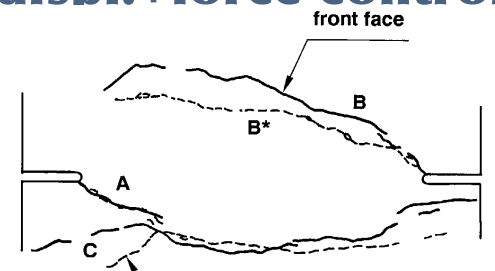
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-25

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**5 N-M tests
(displ.+force control)**

no equivalent



front face

rear face

A

B

B*

C

load-path 5a(46-01)
200x200x50

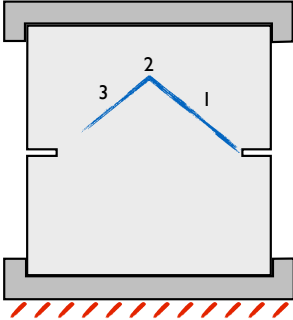
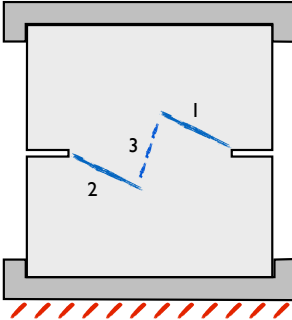
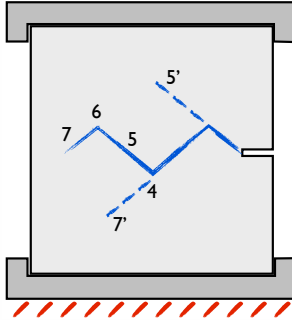


« **CARPIUC** » tests

- Prove testing machine interest: in-plane & out-of-plane DOF are relevant
- Prove testing protocol : stable mode I-II propagation
- Build rich database
 - stable propagation
 - multiple initiation
 - réorientation
 - branching
 - linking

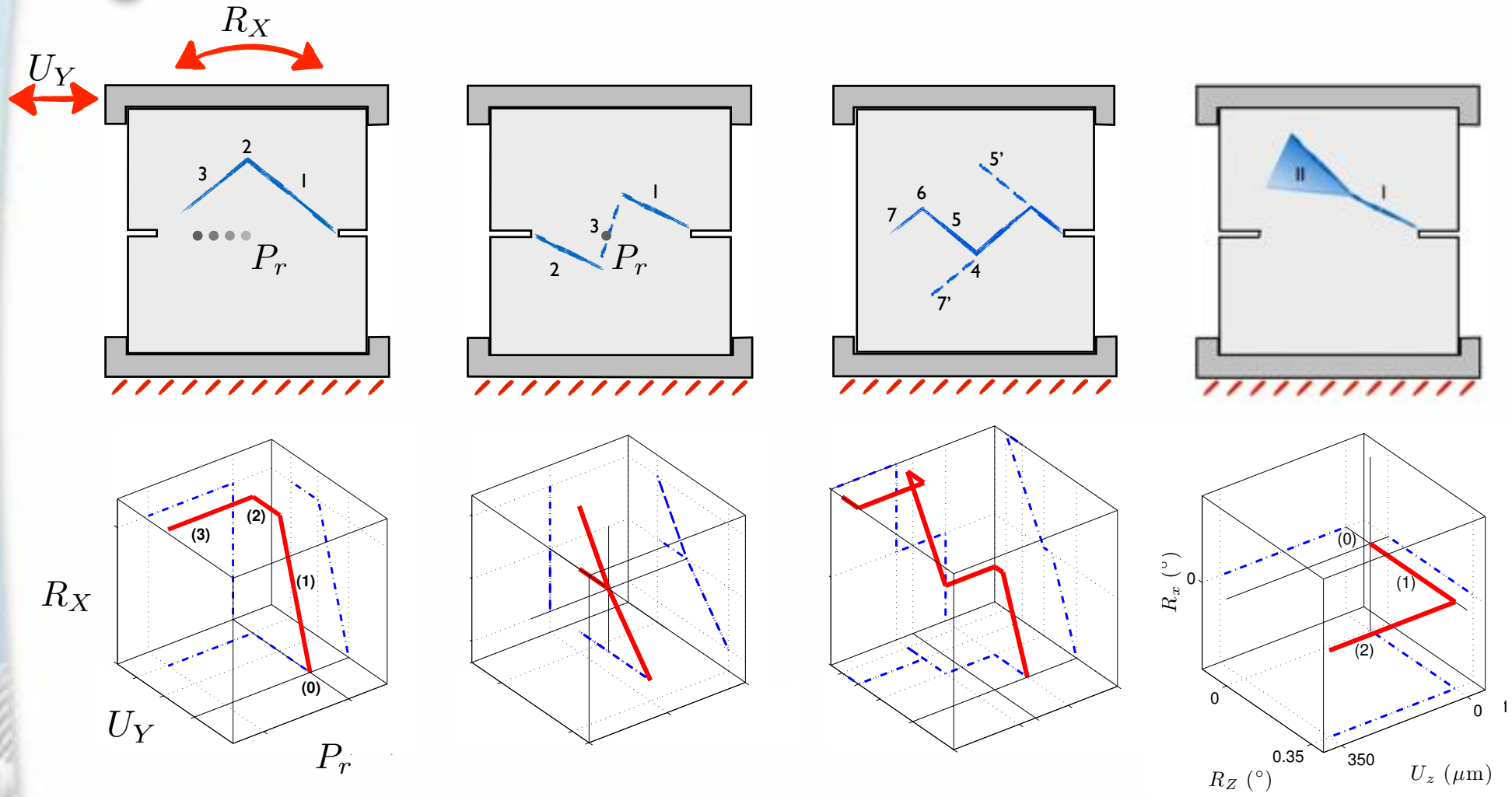
Choosing tests


« CARPIUC » tests : goals

		Test				
		1	2	3	4	
						
Features	I-II	stable	+++	++	+++	+
		reorientation	++	?	+++	
		branching			+++	
		multiple ini.		+++		?
	linking		+++			
III					+++	

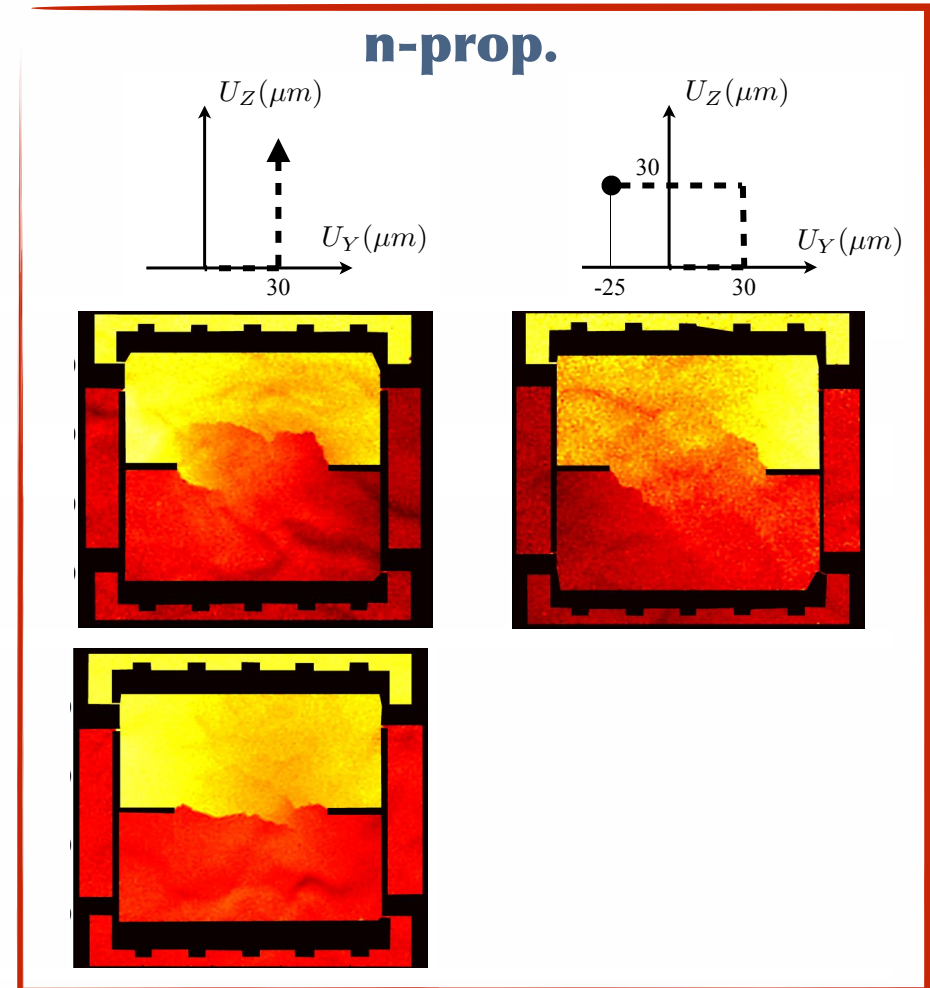
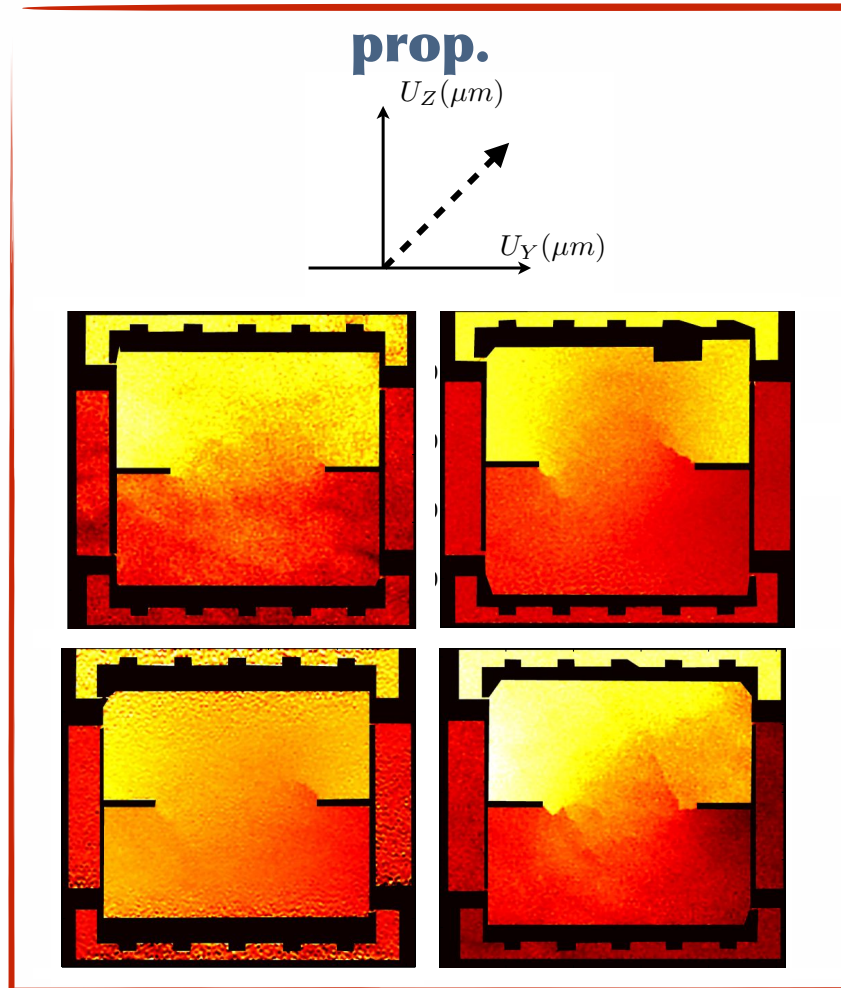
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« CARPIUC » tests : how ?



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N-M-like tests results in a nutshell



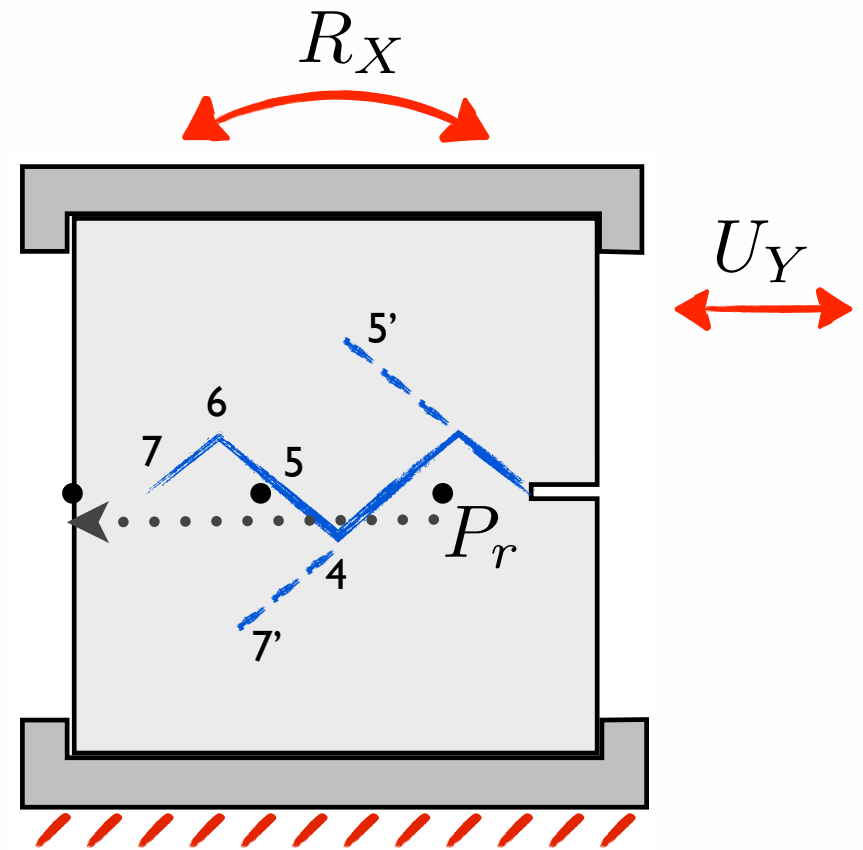
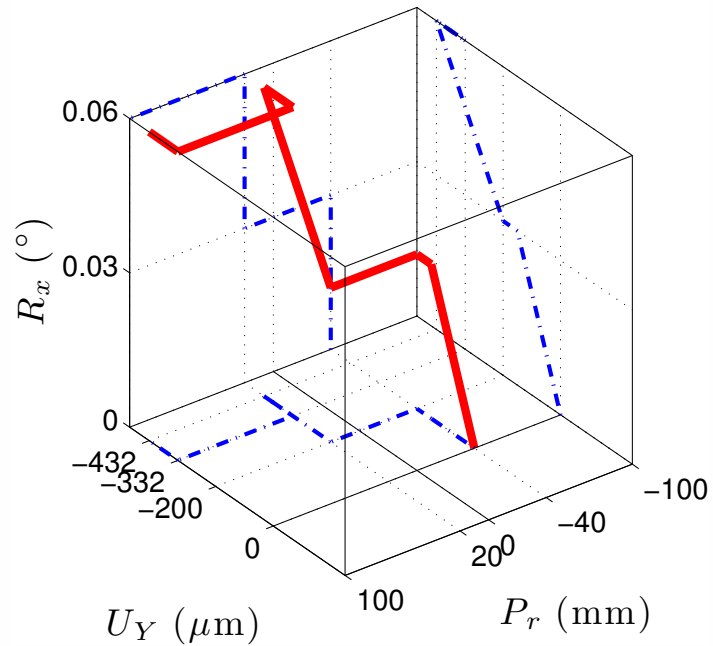
Very early unstable propagation

Surface crack \neq bulk crack

- Surface cracks differ for the same loading
- Surface cracks \neq final cracks
- Apparent ligament \neq stiffness decrease

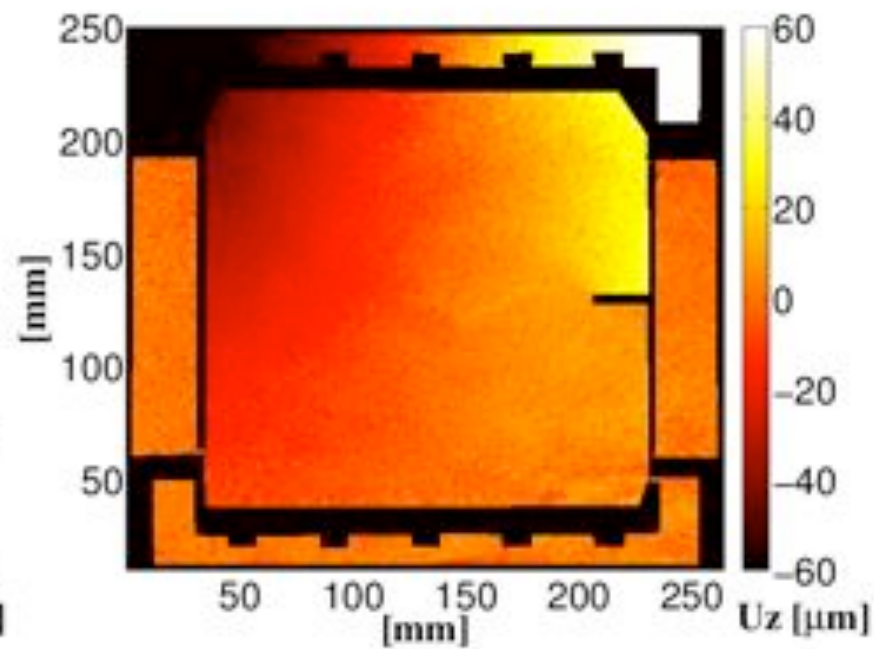
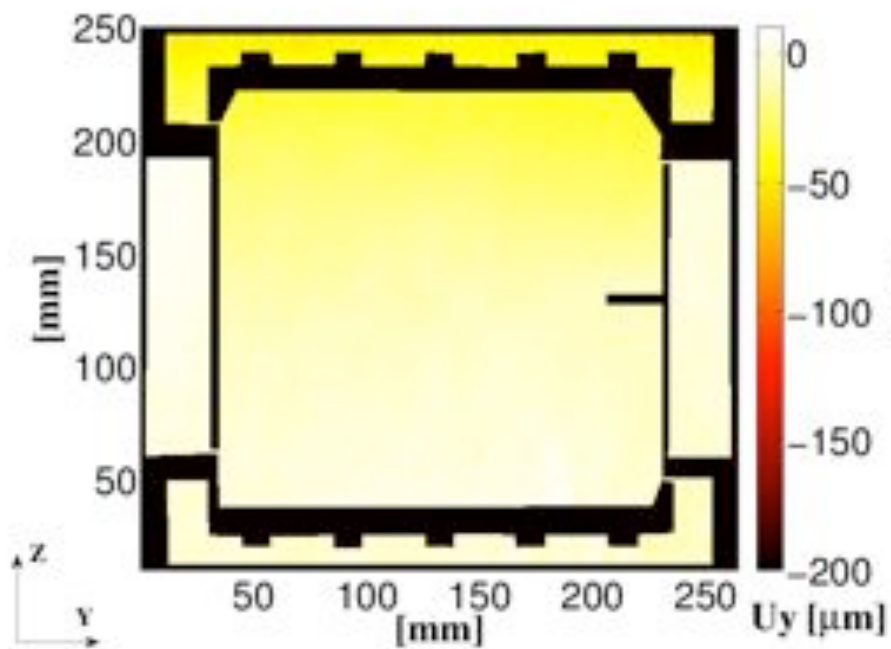
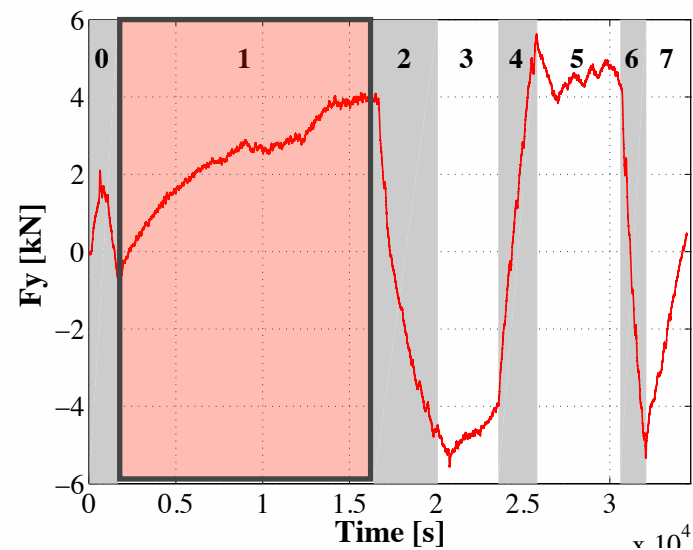
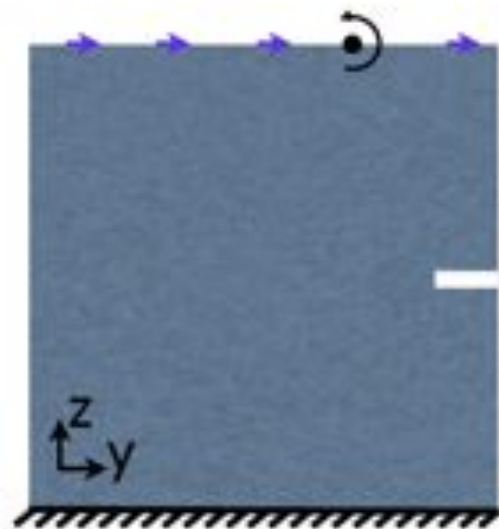
Test 3 : Expected crack path

- Several reorientations
- Possible branching



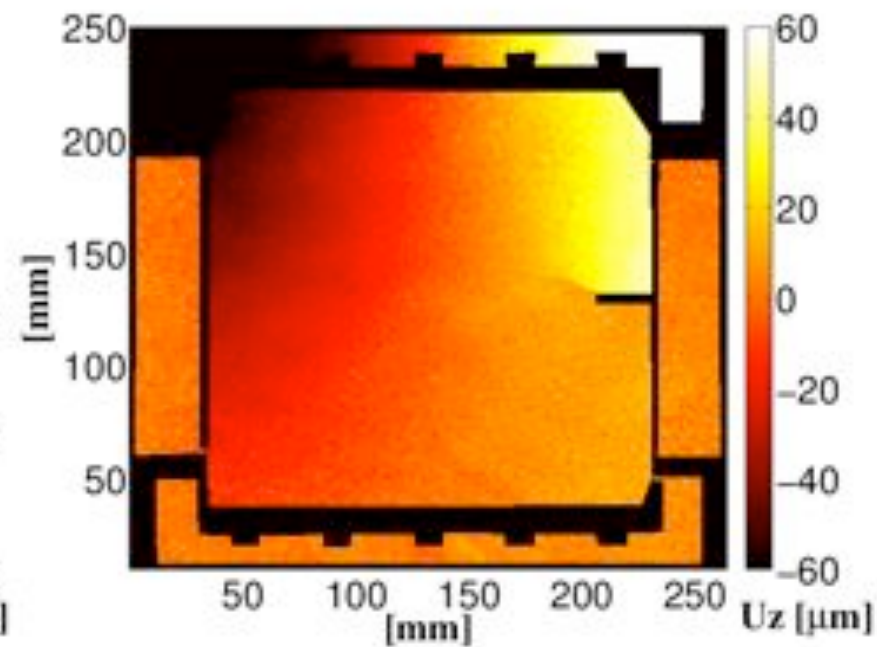
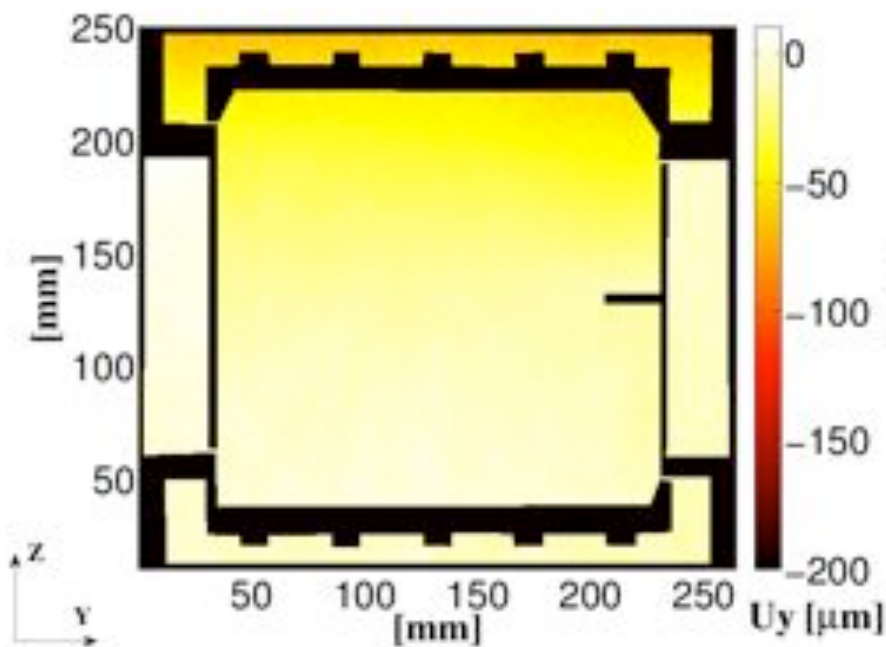
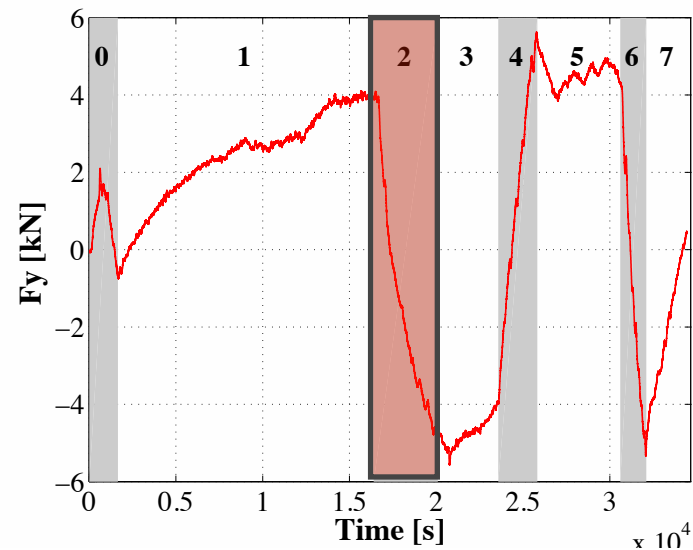
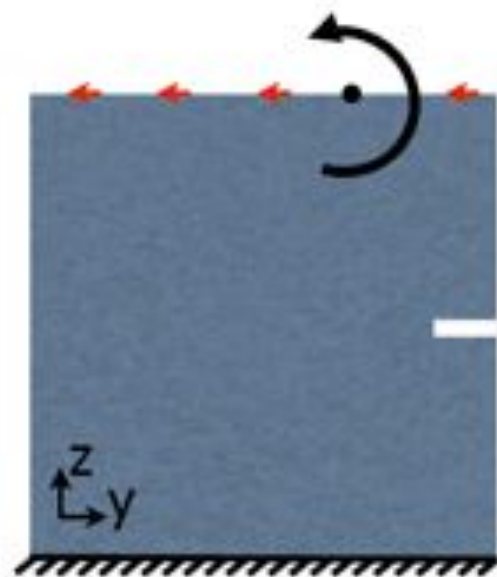
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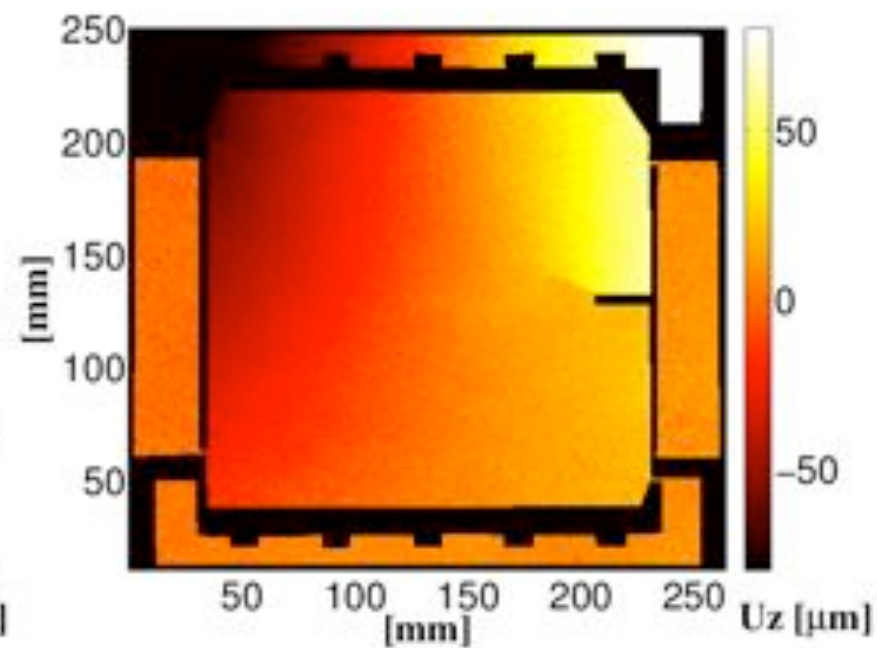
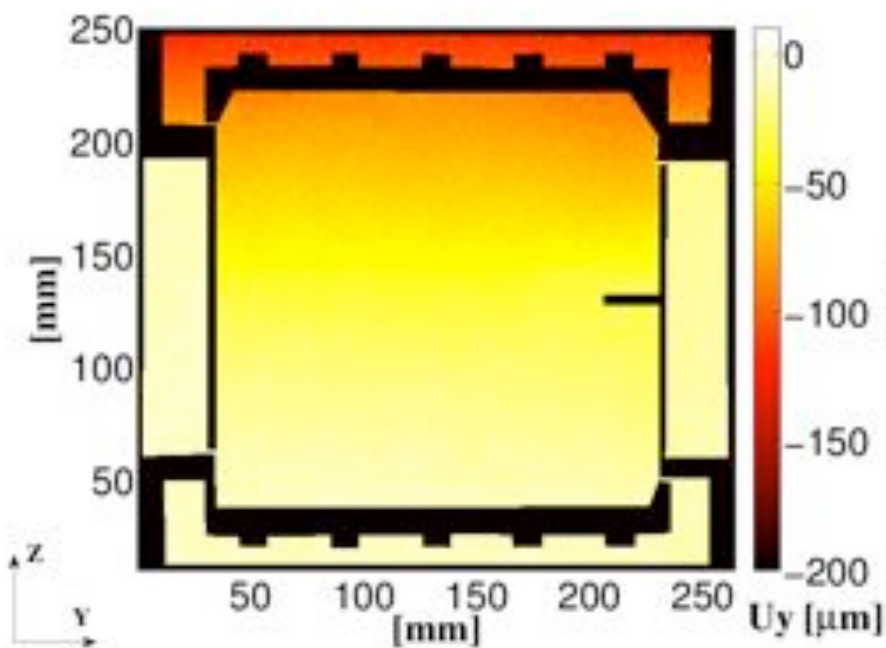
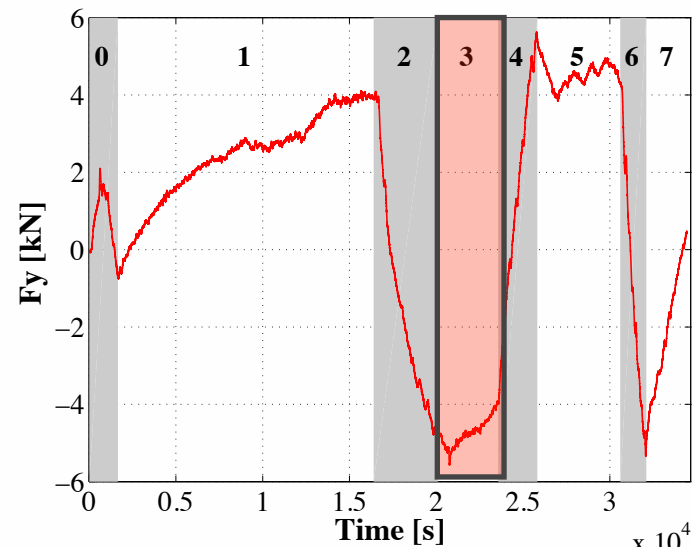
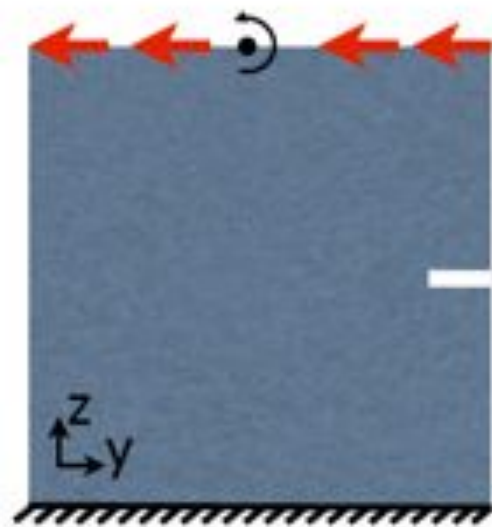
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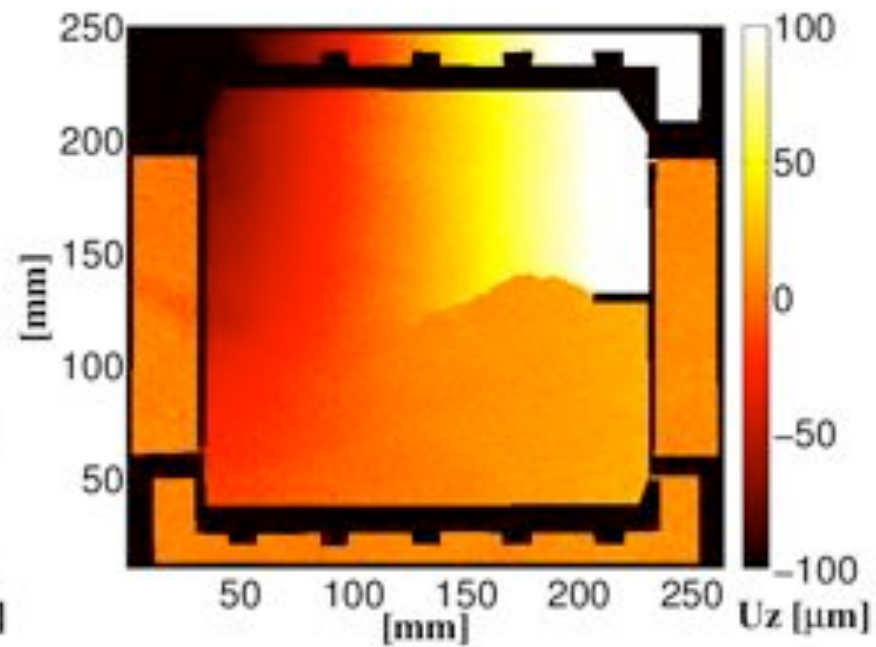
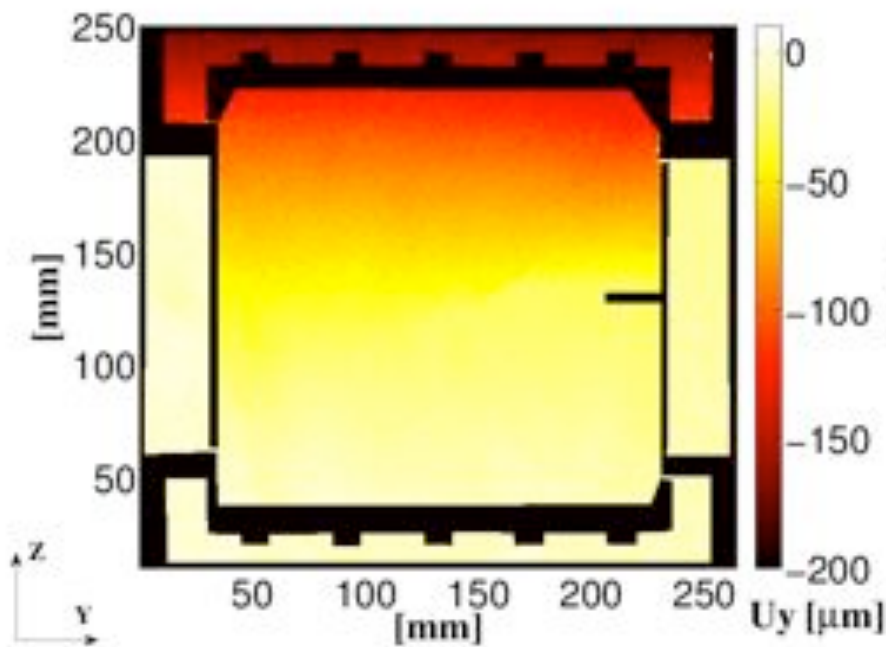
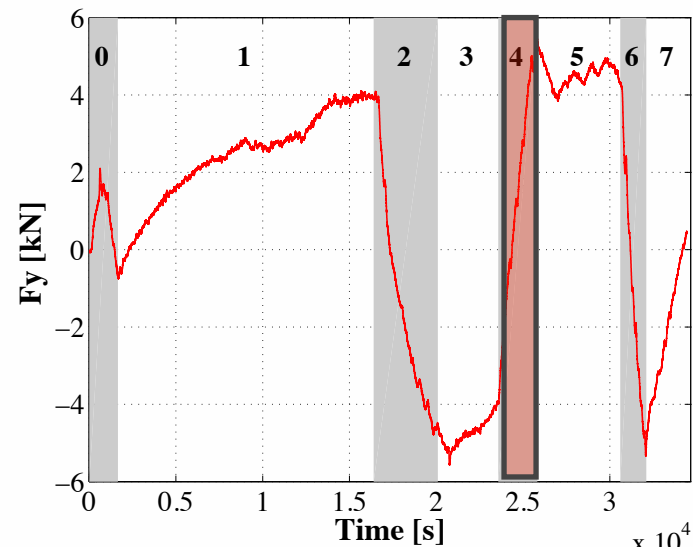
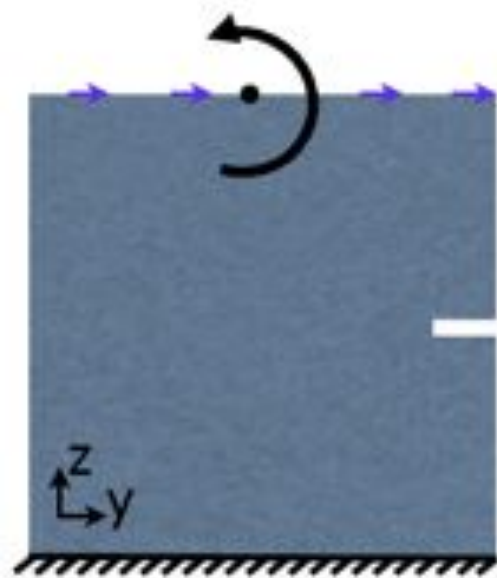
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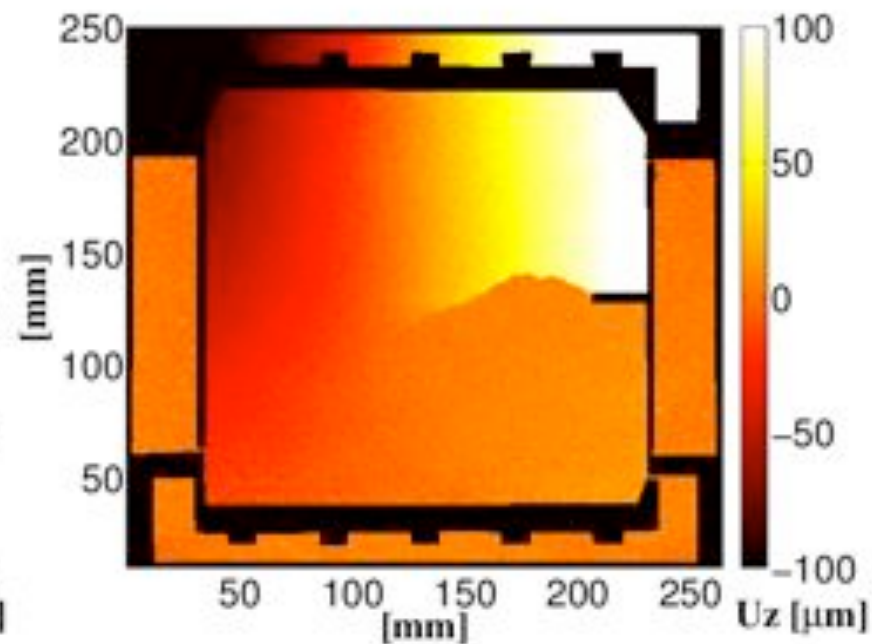
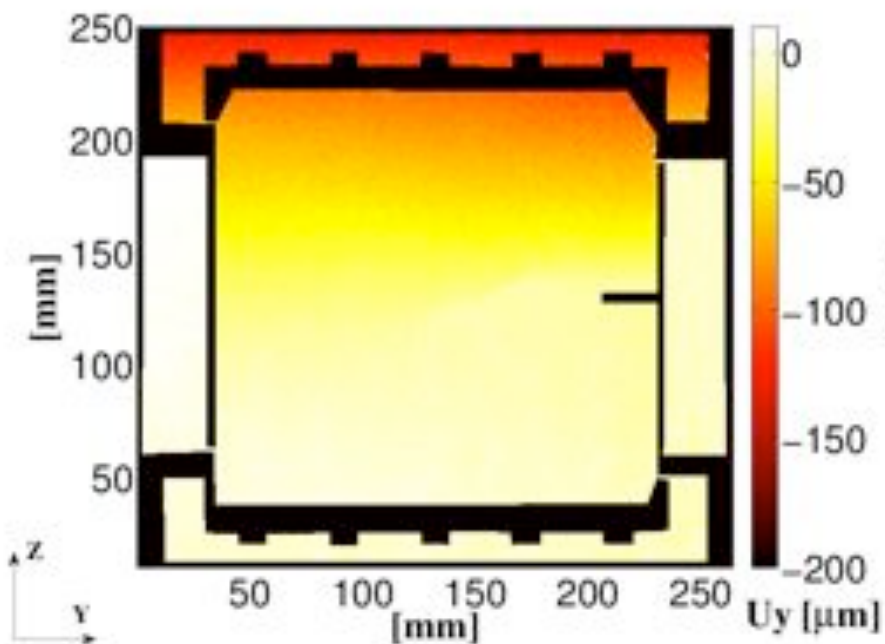
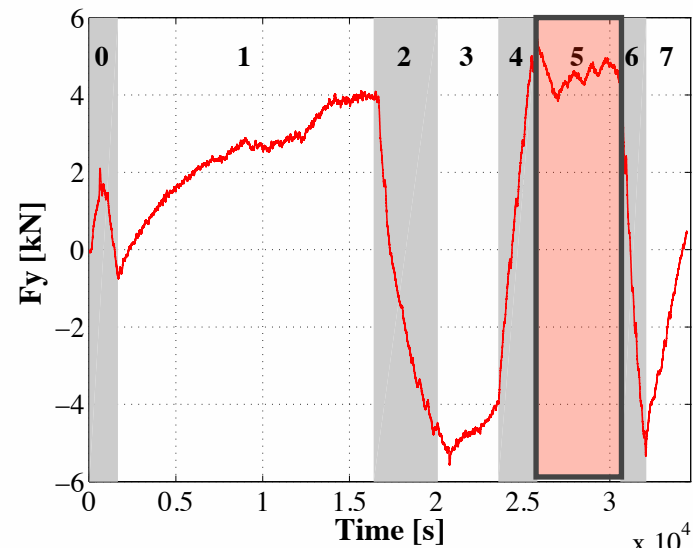
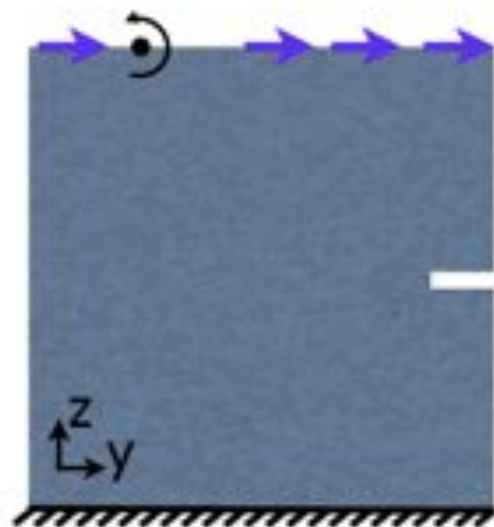
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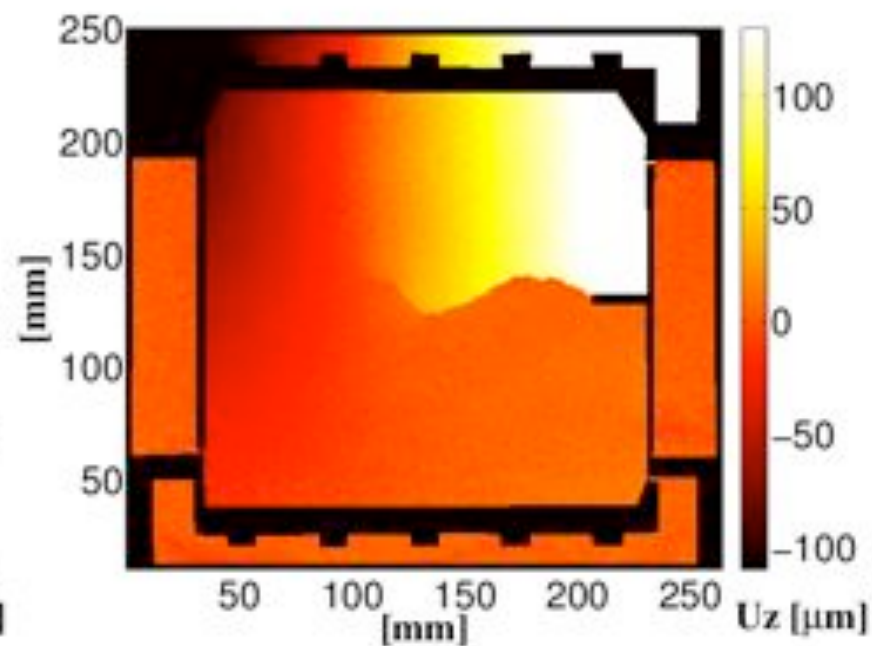
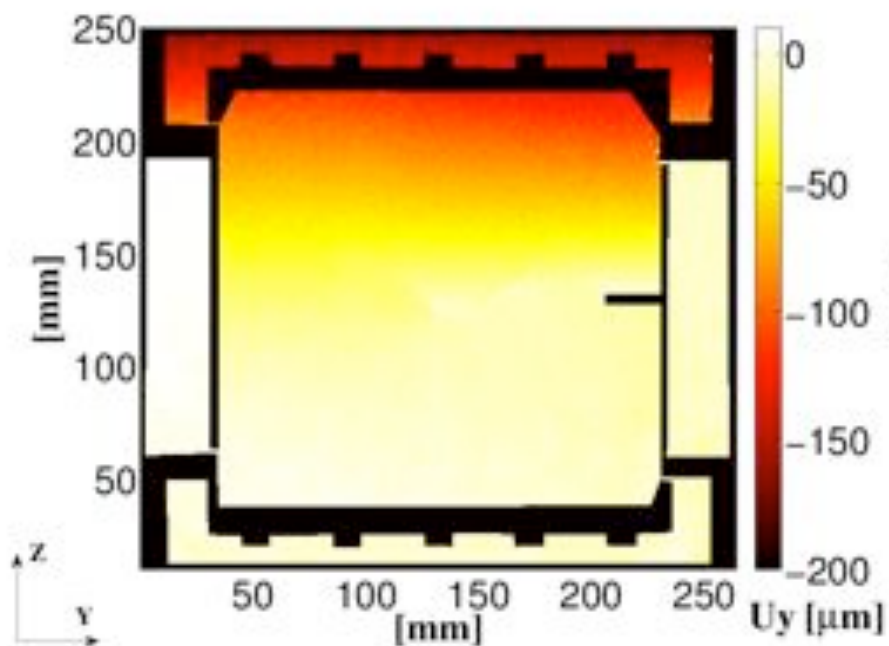
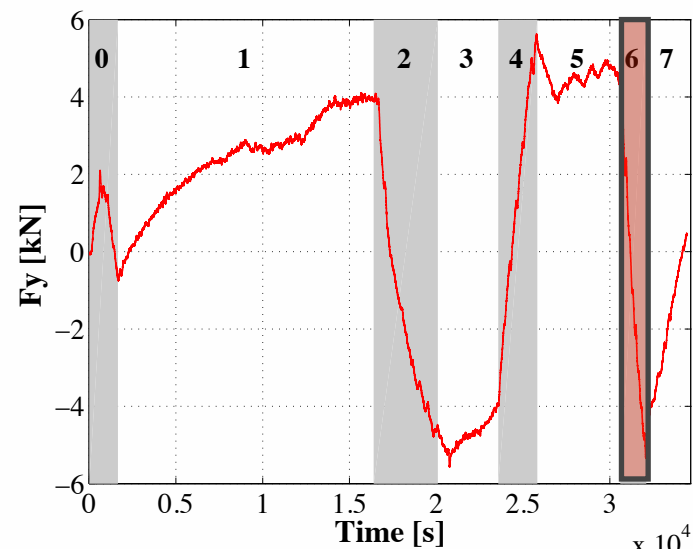
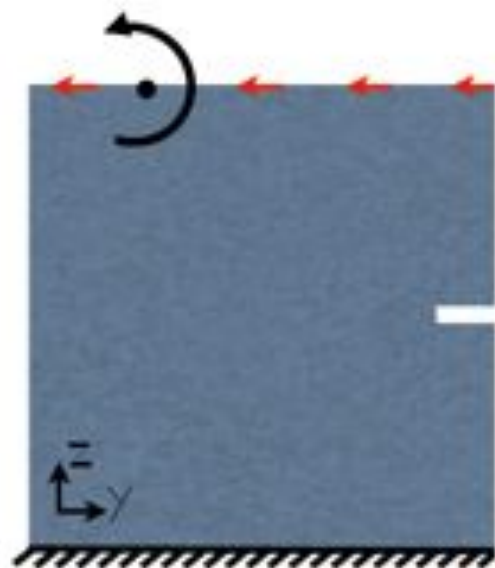
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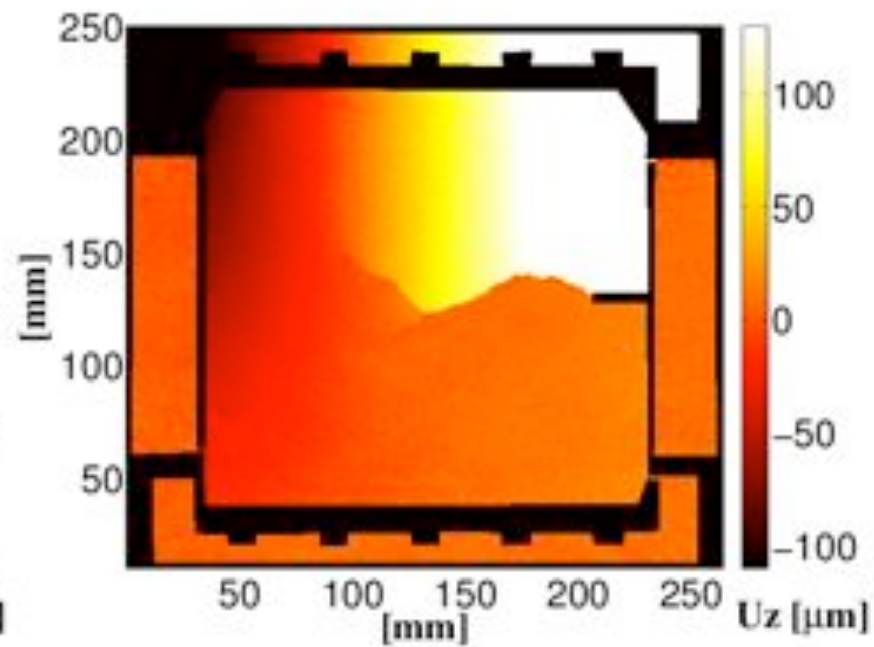
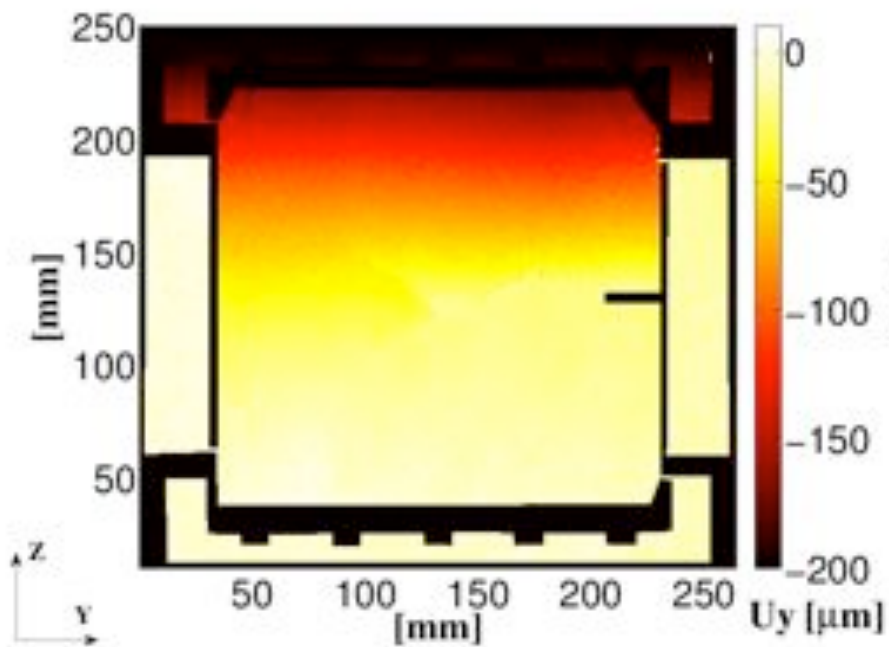
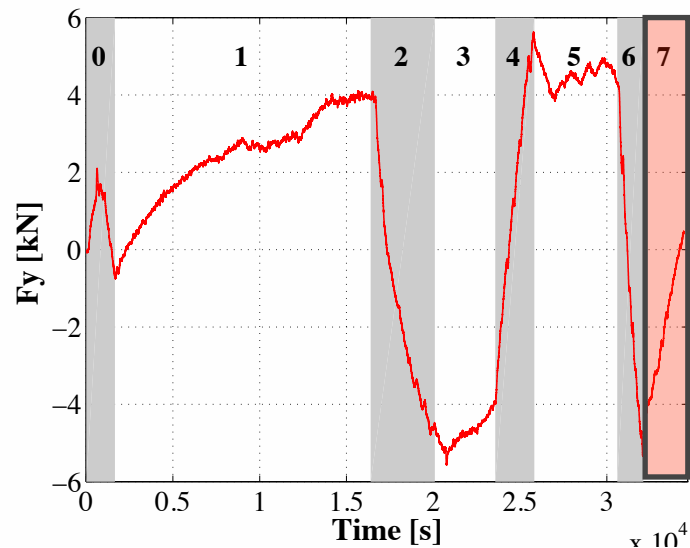
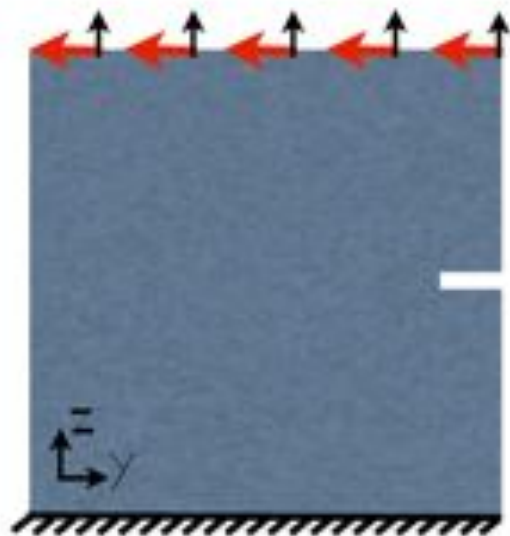
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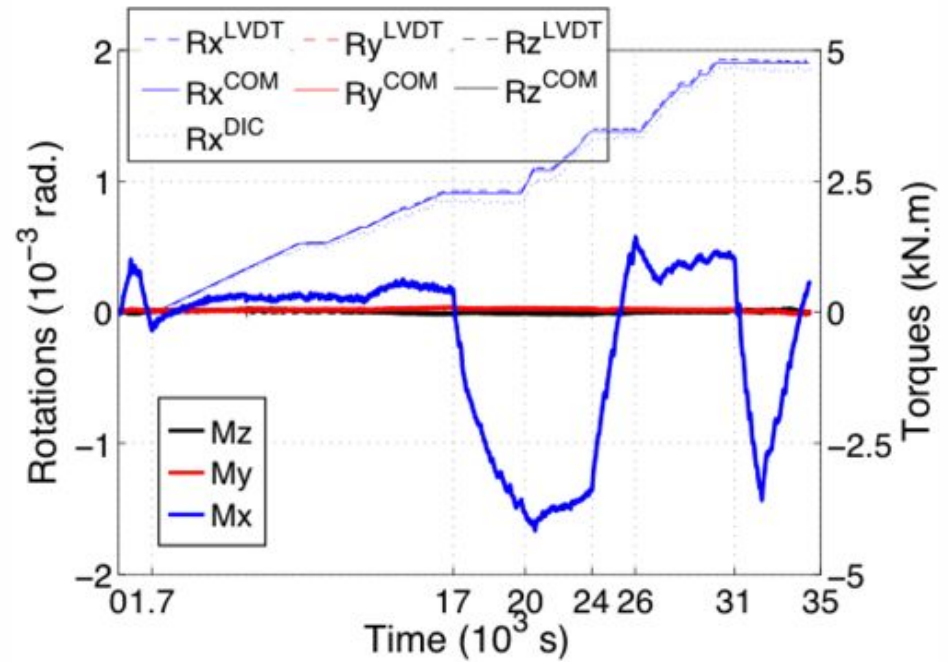
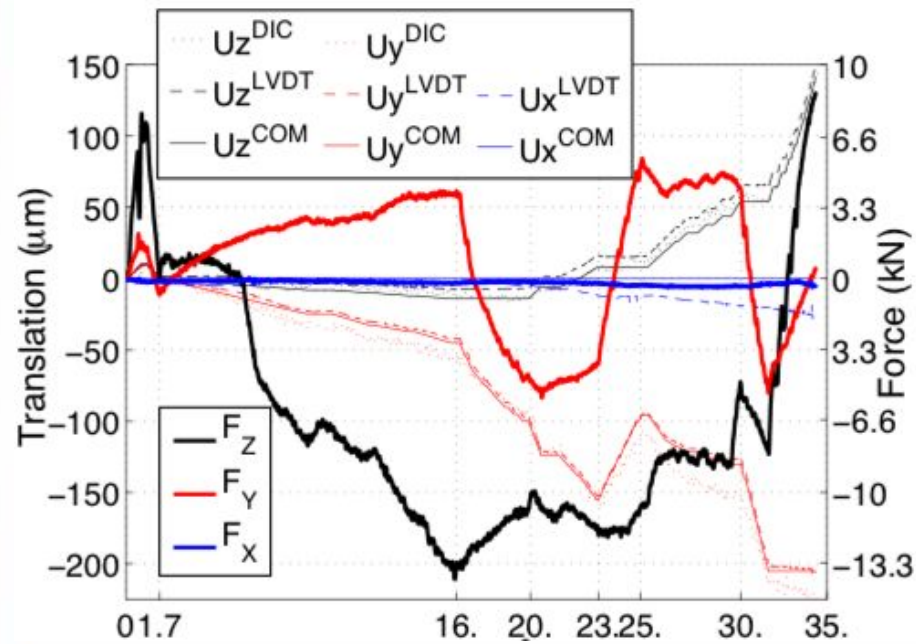


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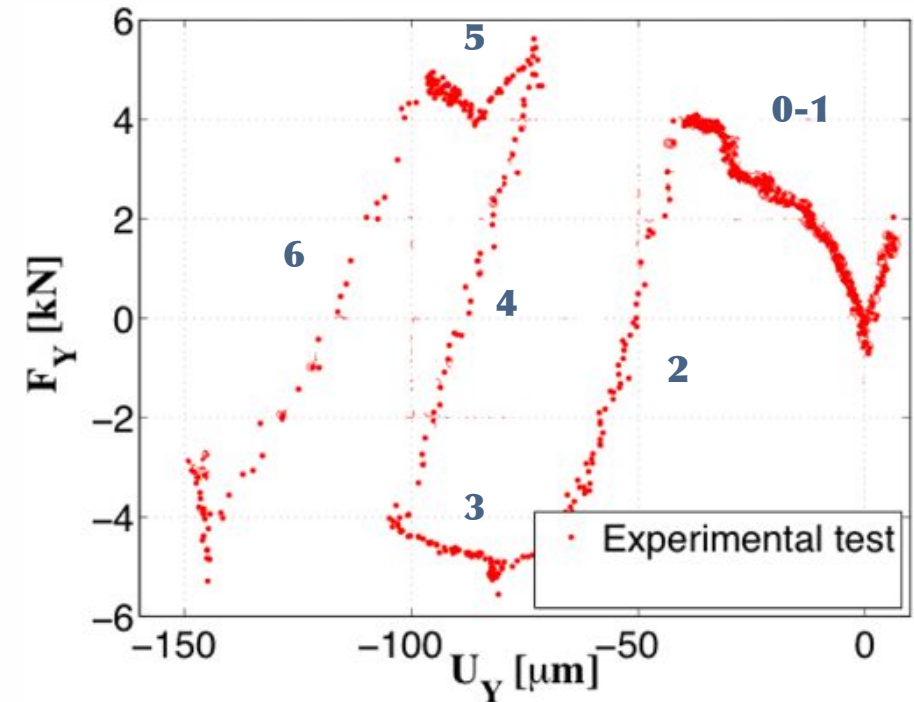
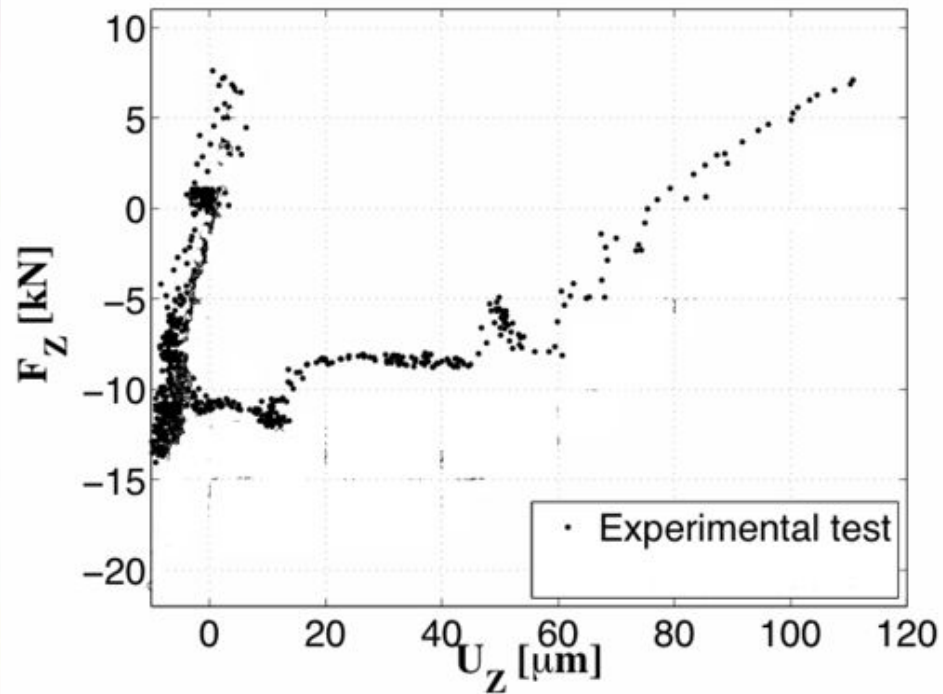


CARPIUC test 3: force & displ.



(Test duration ~ 9h30)

CARPIUC test 3: force vs displ.

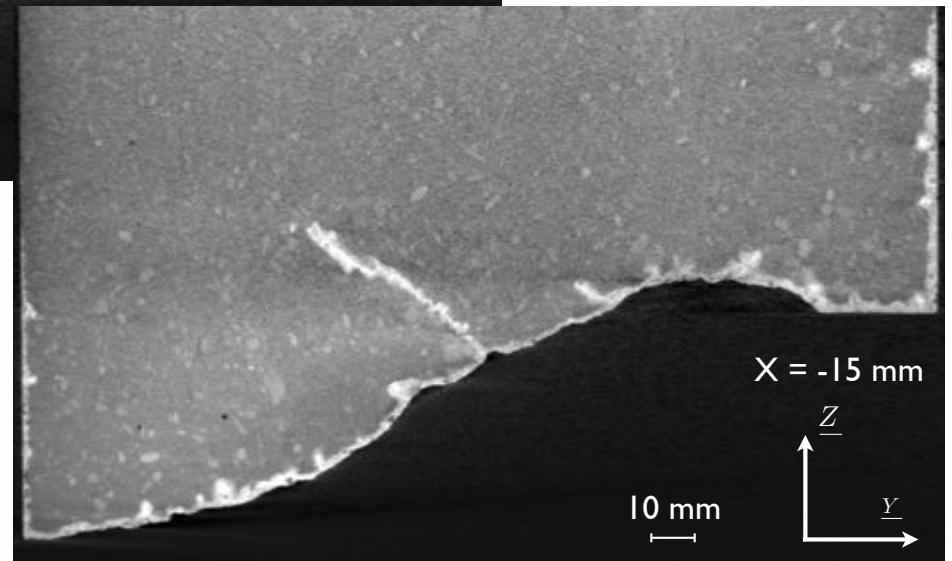
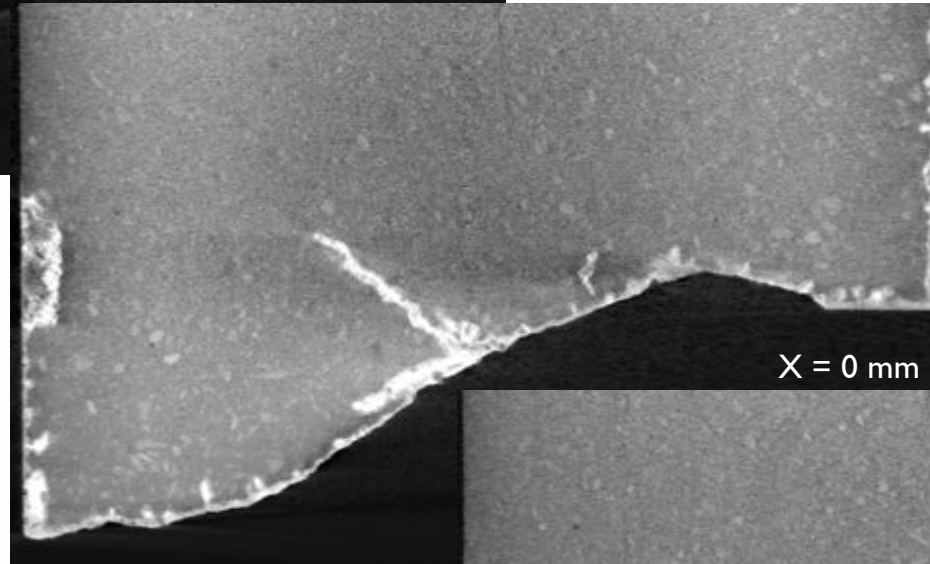
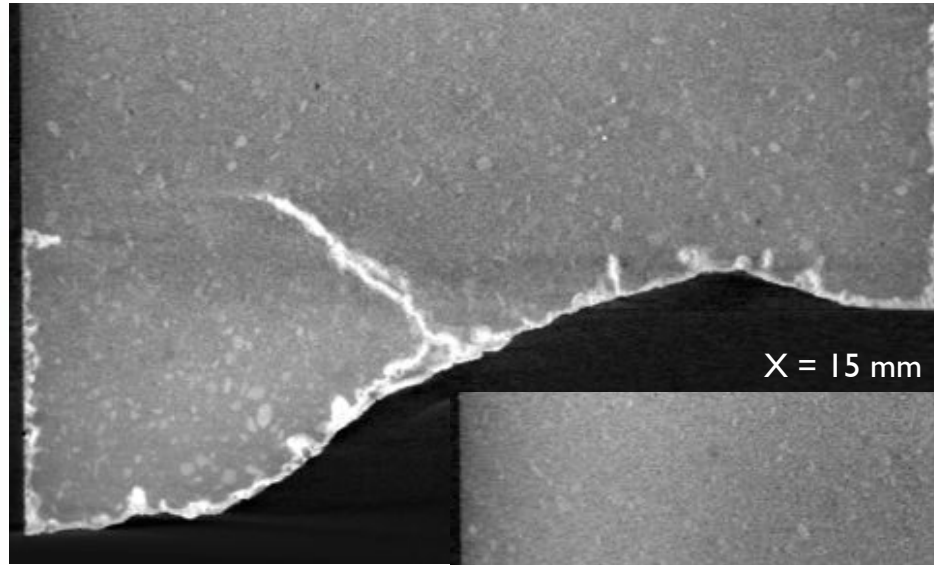


Force-displacement curves:

- loss of stiffness
- crack closure

CARPIUC tests 3: final state

Tomography with zinc iodide



Crack front is not perfectly straight between the 2 faces

CARPIUC test 3: data

Raw:

- **Force: 25.2 Mb**
- **LVDT: 25 Mb**
- **Images from 2 front cameras: 0.1Tb**
- **Images from 4 sides cameras: >1 Tb**

Processed:

- **Mono DIC: 1 Tb**
- **Stereo DIC: not fully processed**
- **Boundary condition from DIC: 6.8 Mb**



Motivation



Experimental protocol

- Principle
- Technical settings
- Loading paths



Experimental campaign results

- N-M-like tests
- CARPIUC tests



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Summary & perspectives

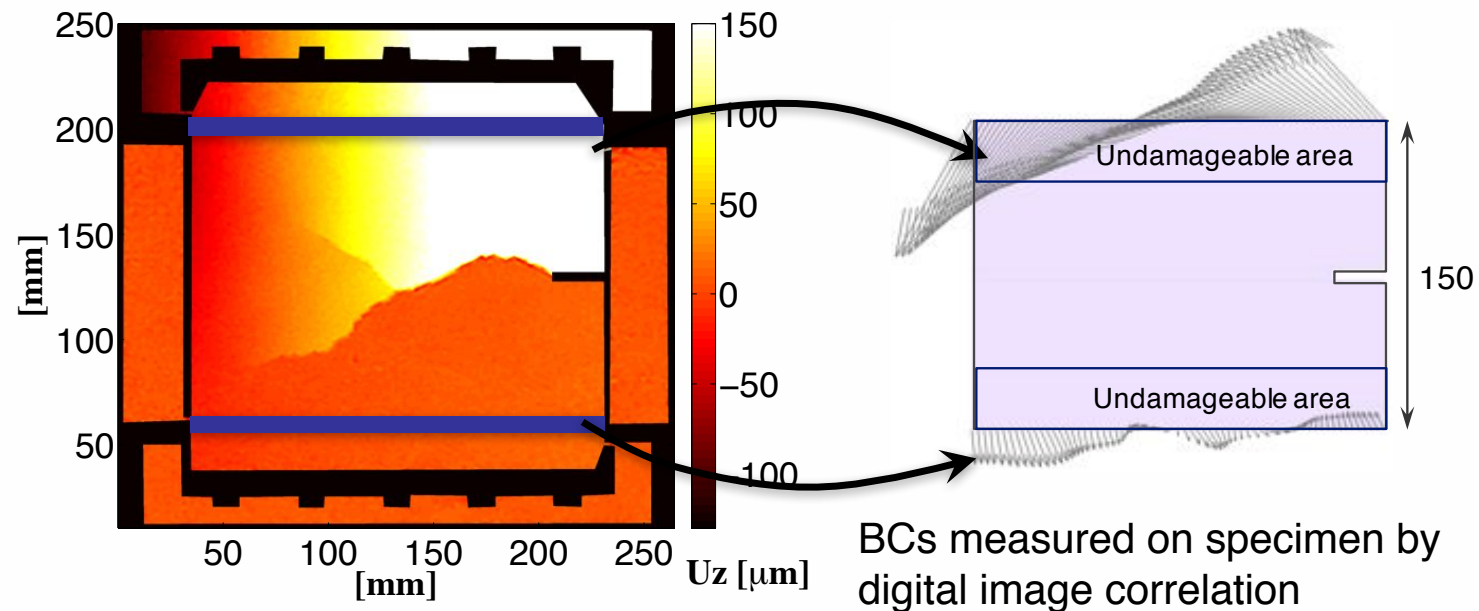
Benchmark principle

Available data for test simulation:

- Specimen geometry
- Standard material parameters
- F-d curves for Gf identification
- Boundary conditions temporal evolution

Available data for checking results:

- Force & torque temporal evolution
- Displacement fields at some specific time steps





Online database



- DOI: identification and citation
- Flexible licensing:
 - Closed
 - Restricted
 - Embargoed
 - Open
- Safe: CERN's LHC cloud infract.



November 2, 2018 Dataset Open Access Edit

Data for mixed mode fracture test 1 (CARPIUC Benchmark)

Poncelet Martin

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The input data consists in specimen geometry, experimentally determined material properties (Young modulus, tensile strength, compressive strength and fracture energy) and the **measured boundary conditions**.

Preview

Concrete mixed mode fracture test
CARPIUC Benchmark
Test 1

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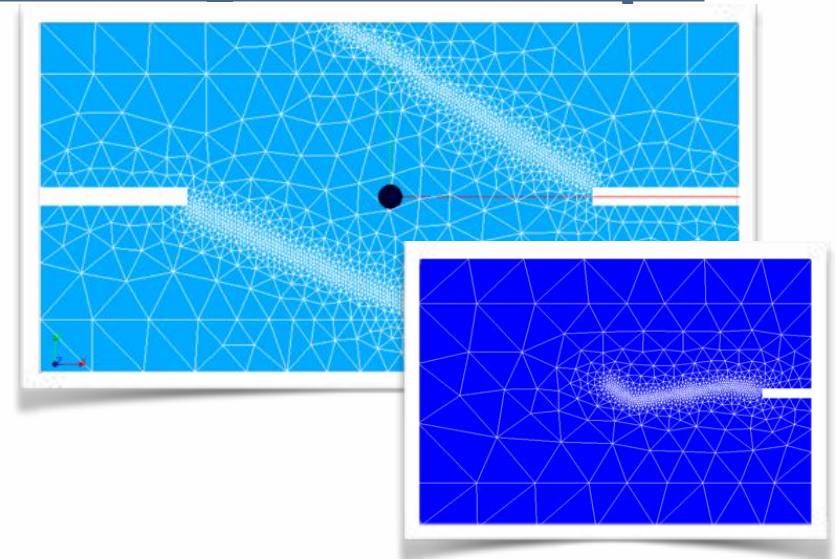
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Additional facts

Code_Aster test-case

- **SSNP168**
 - **Endommagement d'éprouvettes béton de type Nooru-Mohamed**
- **For damage model validation**
- **Proposed optimized 2D meshes**
- **www.code-aster.org/V2/doc/default/fr/man_v/v6/v6.03.168.pdf**



Physical database ;)

- **Samples are still available**
 - **4x416**
 - **7x7x28**
 - **16x32**
- **Kept in PH-balanced water, room temperature**
- **Ask if needed**

*Dear M. Poncelet,
...*

CFRAC17 & CFRAC19 benchmark summary

2017:

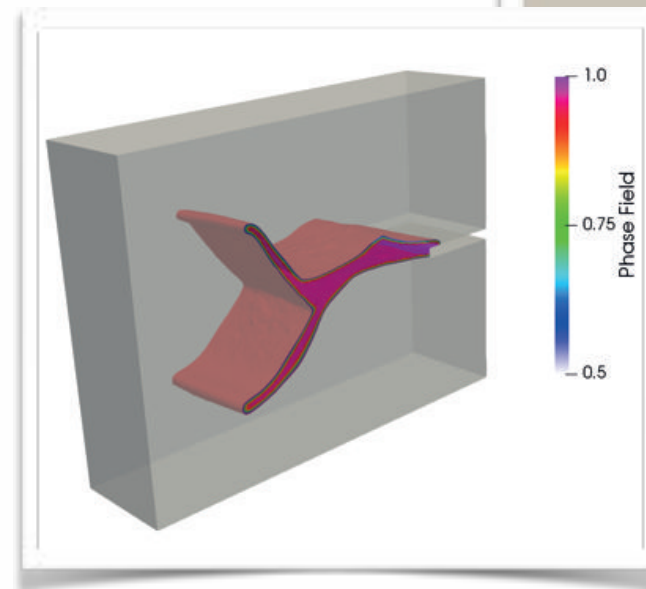
- 7 teams (2 international)
- 6 different approaches:
 - Beam-particle
 - Cohesive zone
 - Microplane
 - Phase field
 - Non-local damage
 - Thick Level Set

2019 (up to now)

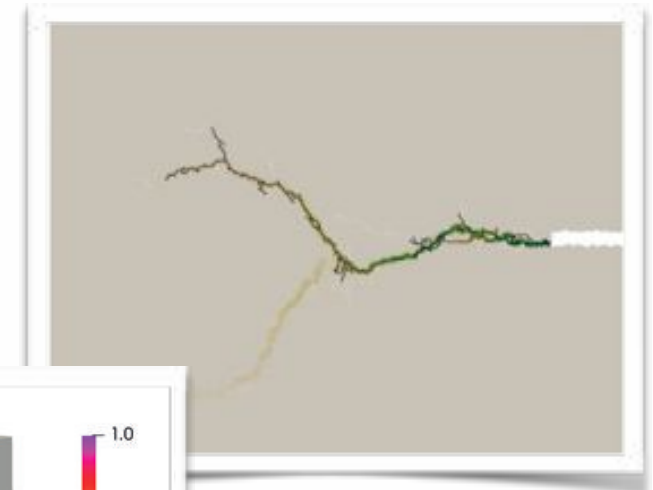
- 1 Phase field (1 team)
- 1st deadline : tomorrow

Keypoints:

- Different values of fracture energy were used to match !
- Simulated Force-Displacement curves roughly agreed
- Crack propagation simulation is not difficult, but other phenomenon are
- Imposing full-field BC is difficult for some codes



Phase-field



Beam-particle



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Summary & perspectives

● **Long term work (2008-2019) from machine design to simulations**

● **Based on a simple idea: « just » improving a well-known test**

● **A lukewarm validation of Nooru-Mohamed results**

● **CARPIUC test validation interest:**

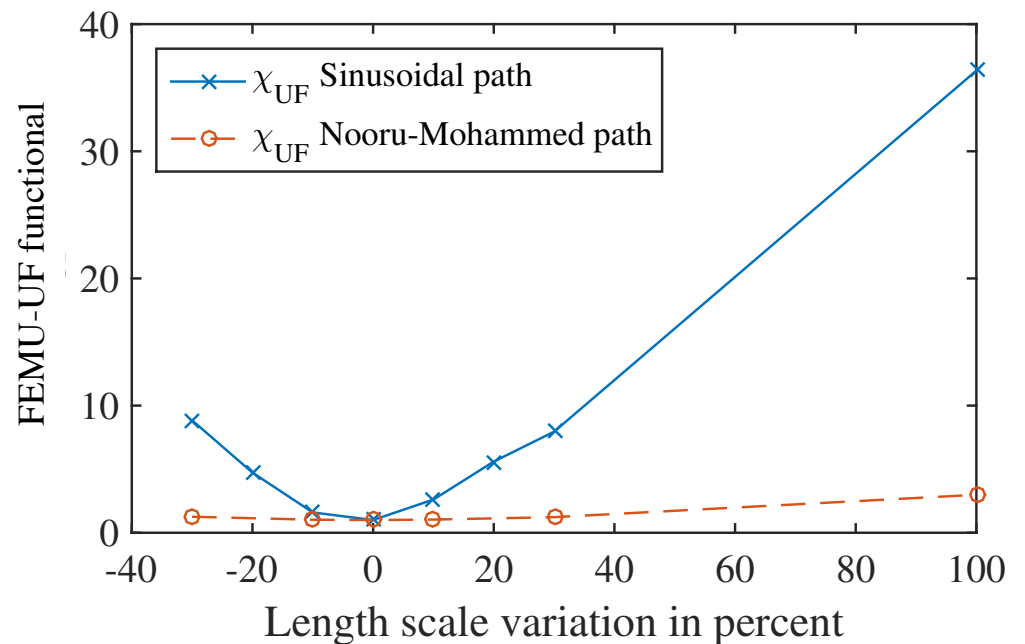
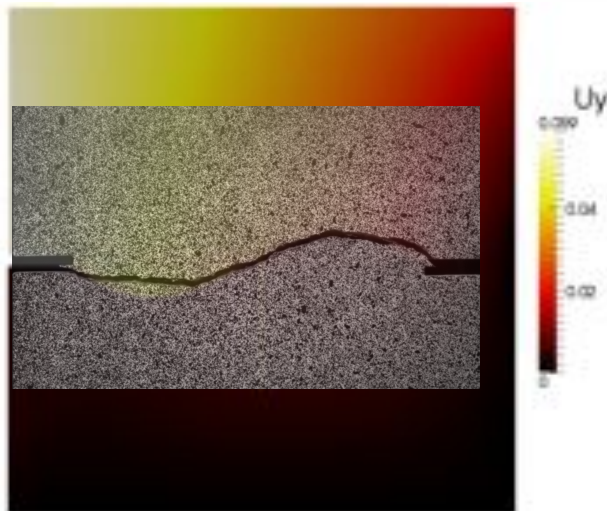
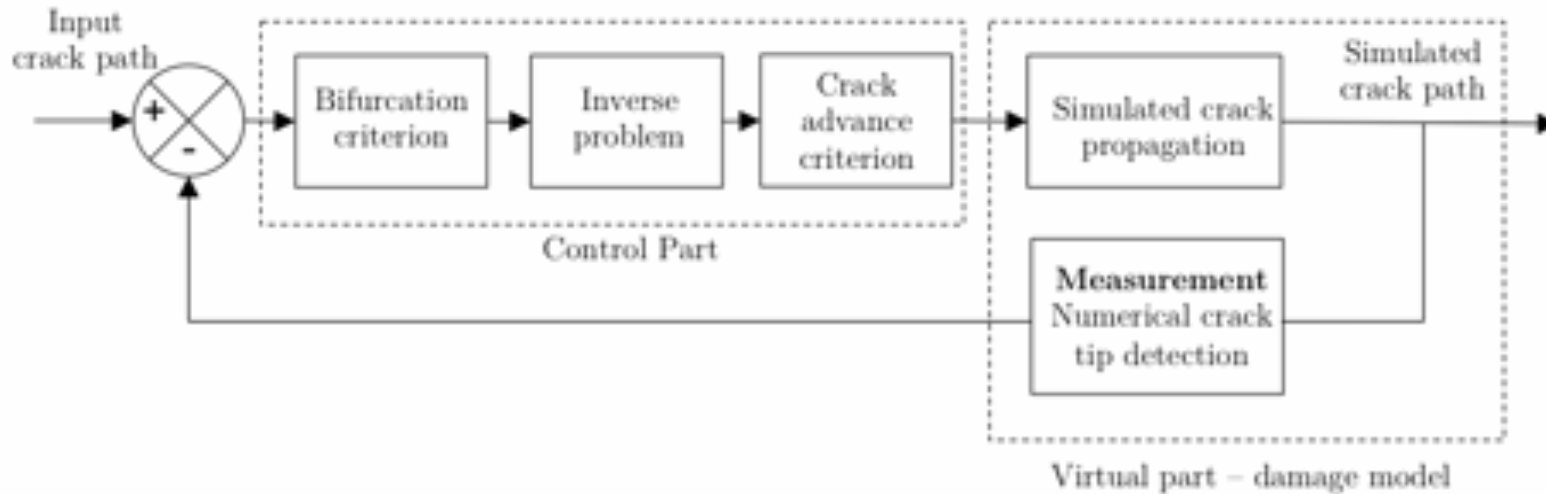
- Restricted material type
- Stupid for propagation simulation
- Rich for other phenomena:
 - reorientation
 - branching
 - link-up

● **Large communication**

- Articles
- Benchmark sessions
- Downloadable data
- Several teams already challenged !

Perspectives: toward hybrid testing

Hybrid testing with real and virtual specimen to have sensitive tests



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Hexapod develop.

Hybrid test

+/- everything ;)

Coding support (GPU ...)

Num. Sim. (D), industr. partner

DIC support

Benchmark co-chairman

X tomography

Test support

Num. Sim (Ph.Field, Lattice)

CIFRE PhD

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