

Multiscale modeling and simulation of ductile fracture and fragmentation

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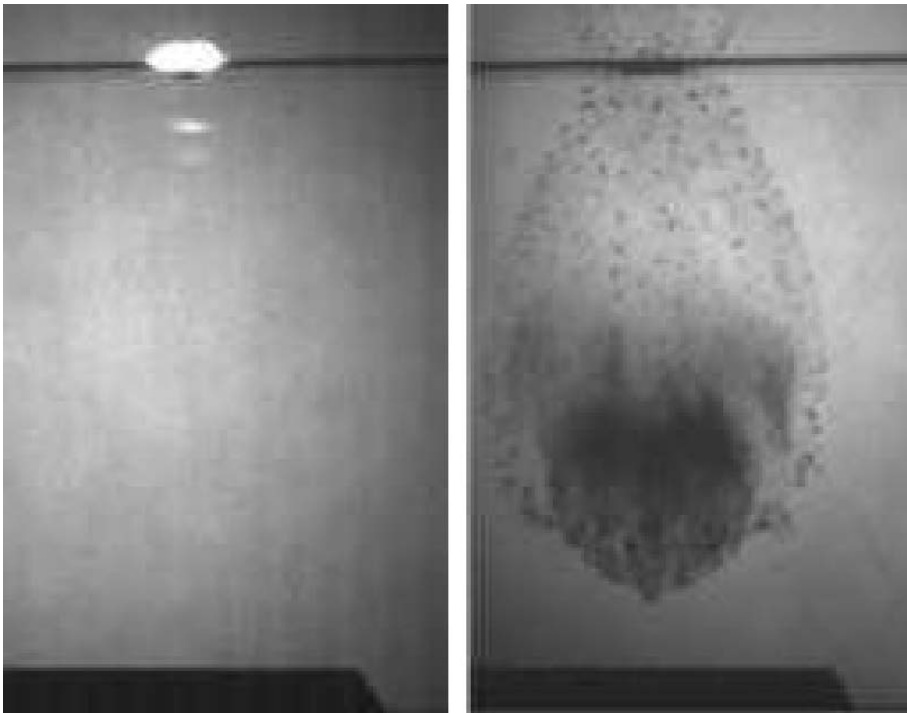
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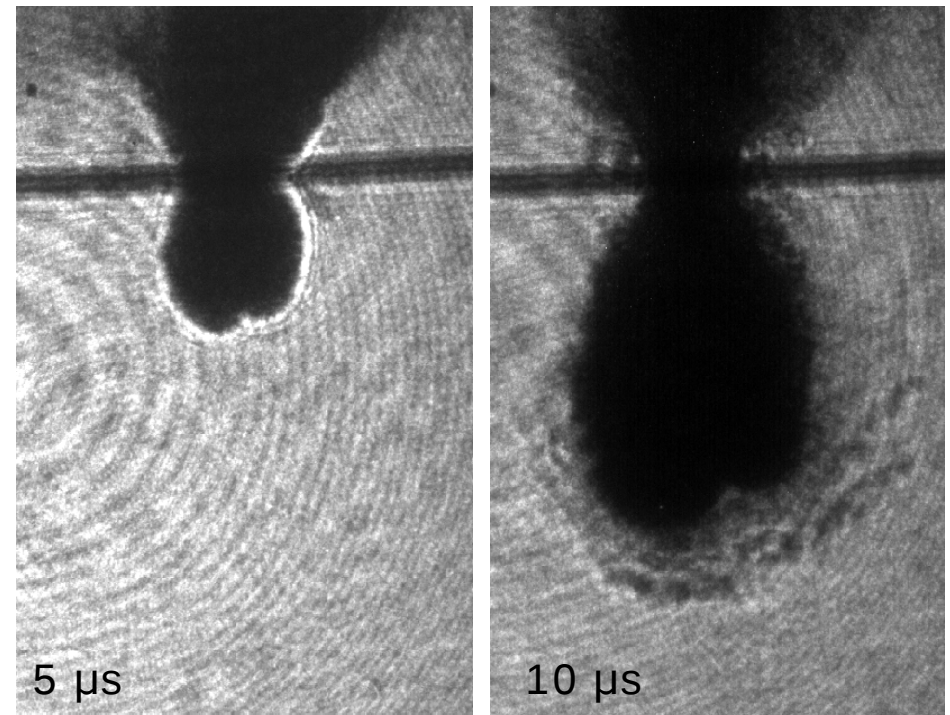
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HVI: Materials at the extreme (XMAT)

How far can we push Computational Mechanics?
(and still be predictive)



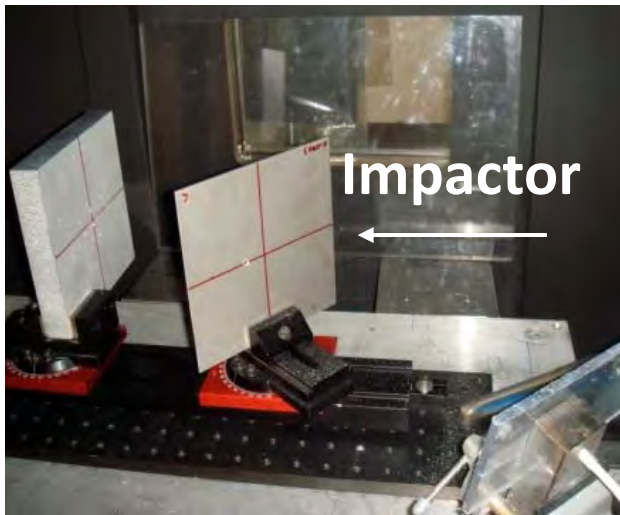
Hypervelocity impact of bumper shield.
a) Initial impact flash. b) Debris cloud
(Ernst-Mach Inst., Freiburg, Germany).



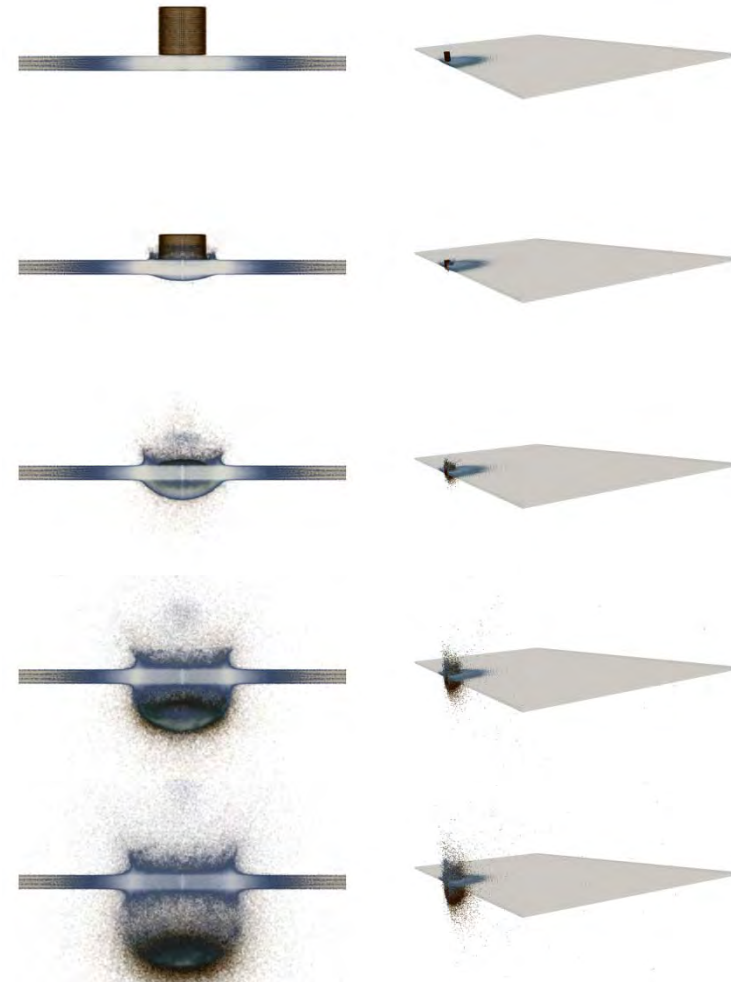
Hypervelocity impact (5.7 Km/s) of
0.96 mm thick aluminum plates by 5.5
mg nylon 6/6 cylinders (Caltech)

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Hypervelocity impact - Simulation



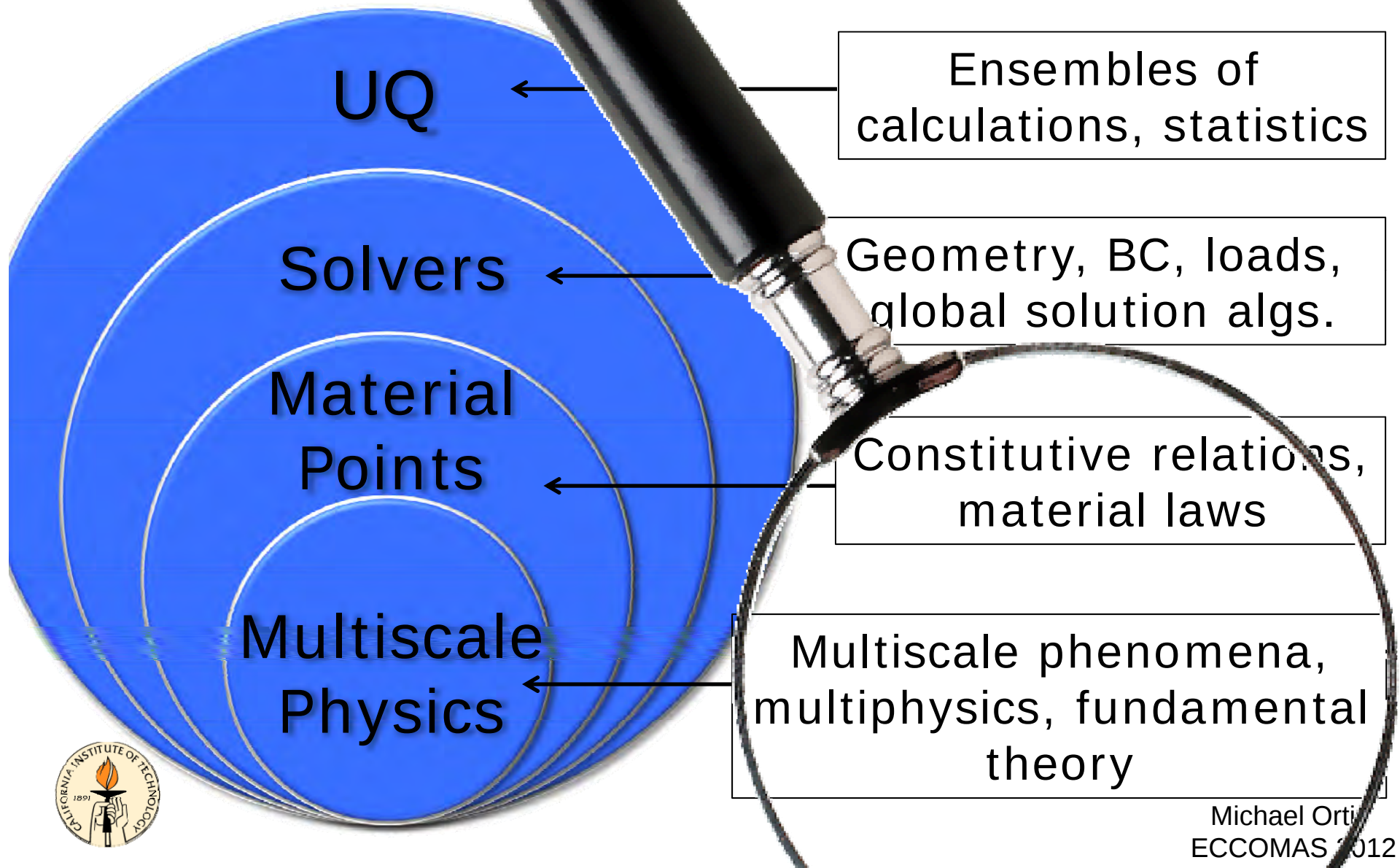
Caltech's hypervelocity
Impact facility



OTM simulation, 5.2 Km/s,
Nylon/Al6061-T6,
20 million points

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Anatomy of a computational campaign



The case for multiscale modeling

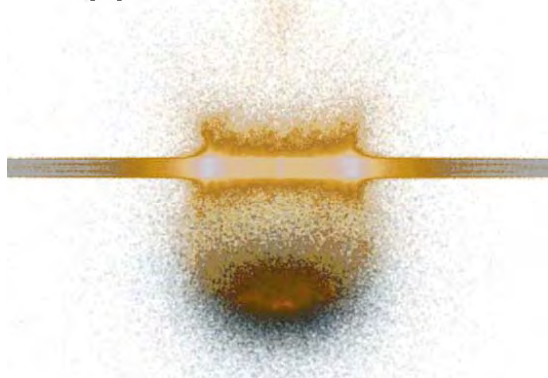
- Material models sit at the core of computational campaigns: ***Predictive bottleneck!***
- Often, the *experimental data* is scarce, noisy, provide partial coverage of conditions of interest
- Often, *empirical models* are unavailable, especially for complex phenomena, or unreliable
- What else? Physics-based ***multiscale modeling!***
- ***Essential difficulty:*** The standard *relaxation* (homogeneization) scheme *does not apply to fracture* (localization, internal length scales...)
- What else? ***Optimal scaling!***



Lecture plan

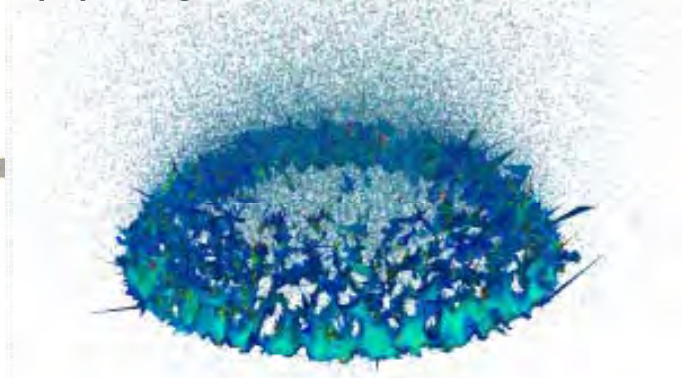
- The application framework: Hypervelocity Impact (HVI) of metallic targets @ 5-10 Km/s
- The computational framework: Optimal transportation meshfree + eigenerosion
- Focus: Multiscale modeling of ductile fracture

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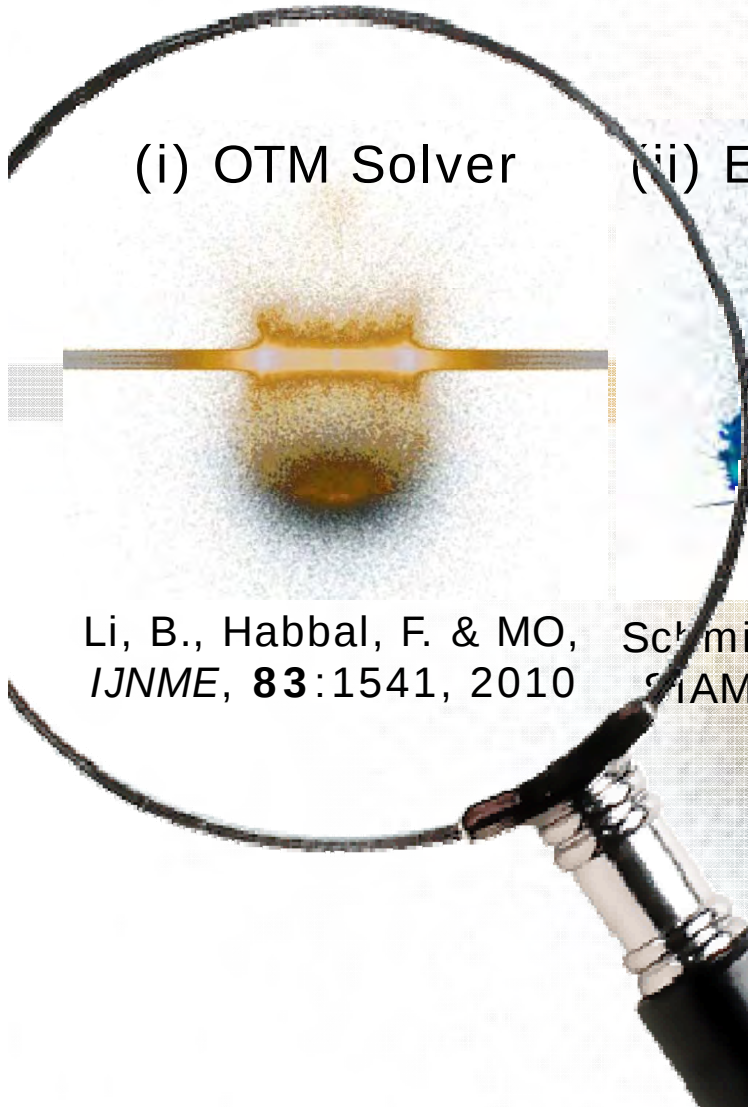
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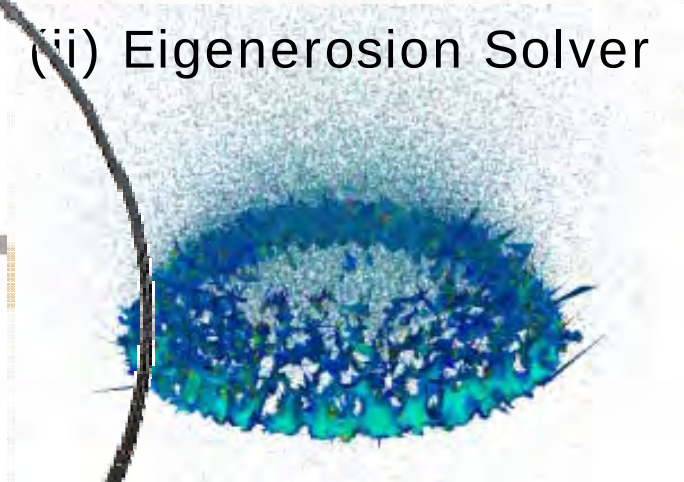
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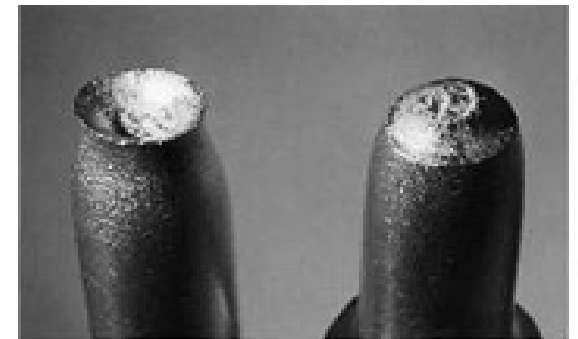
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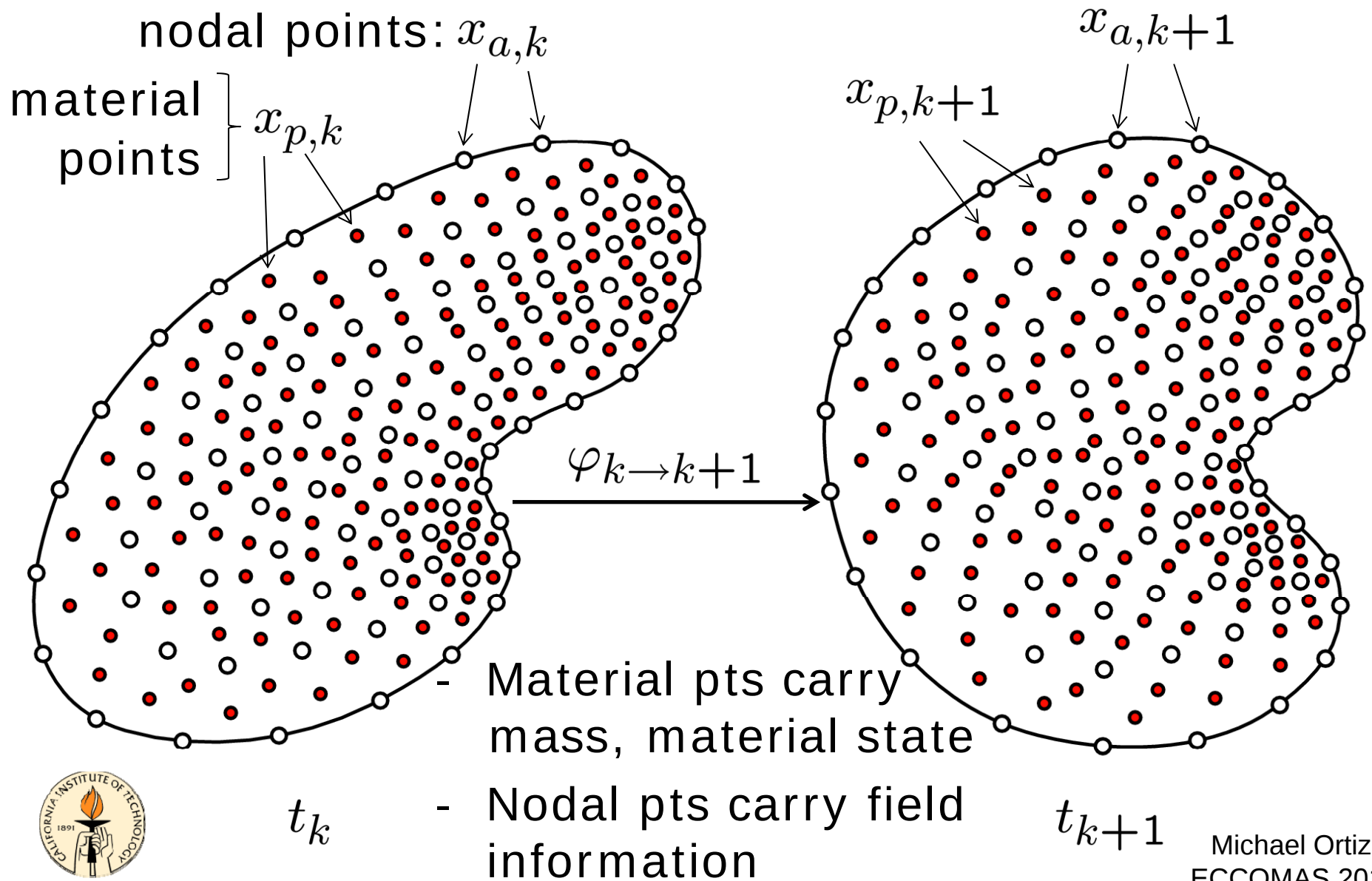
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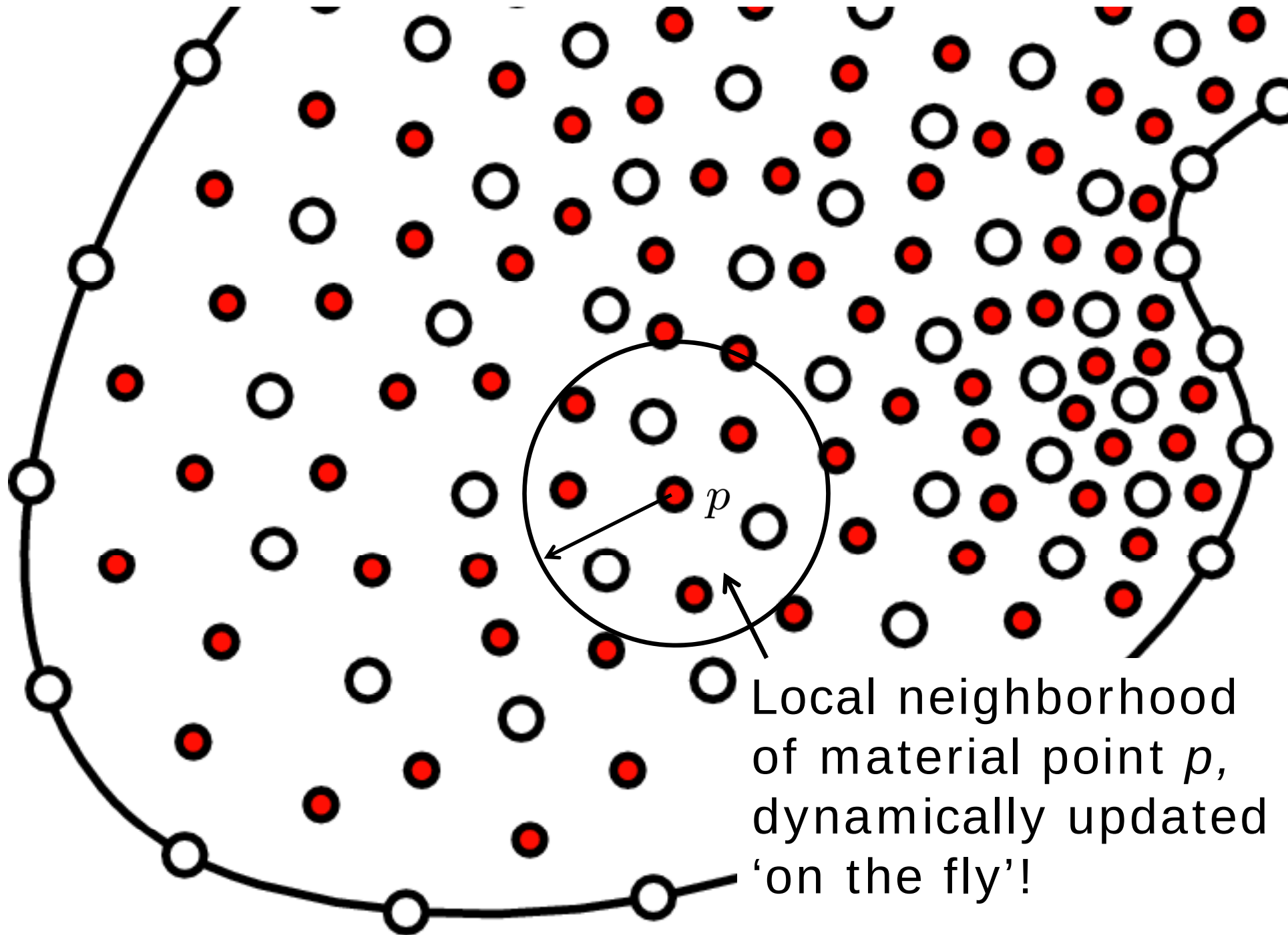
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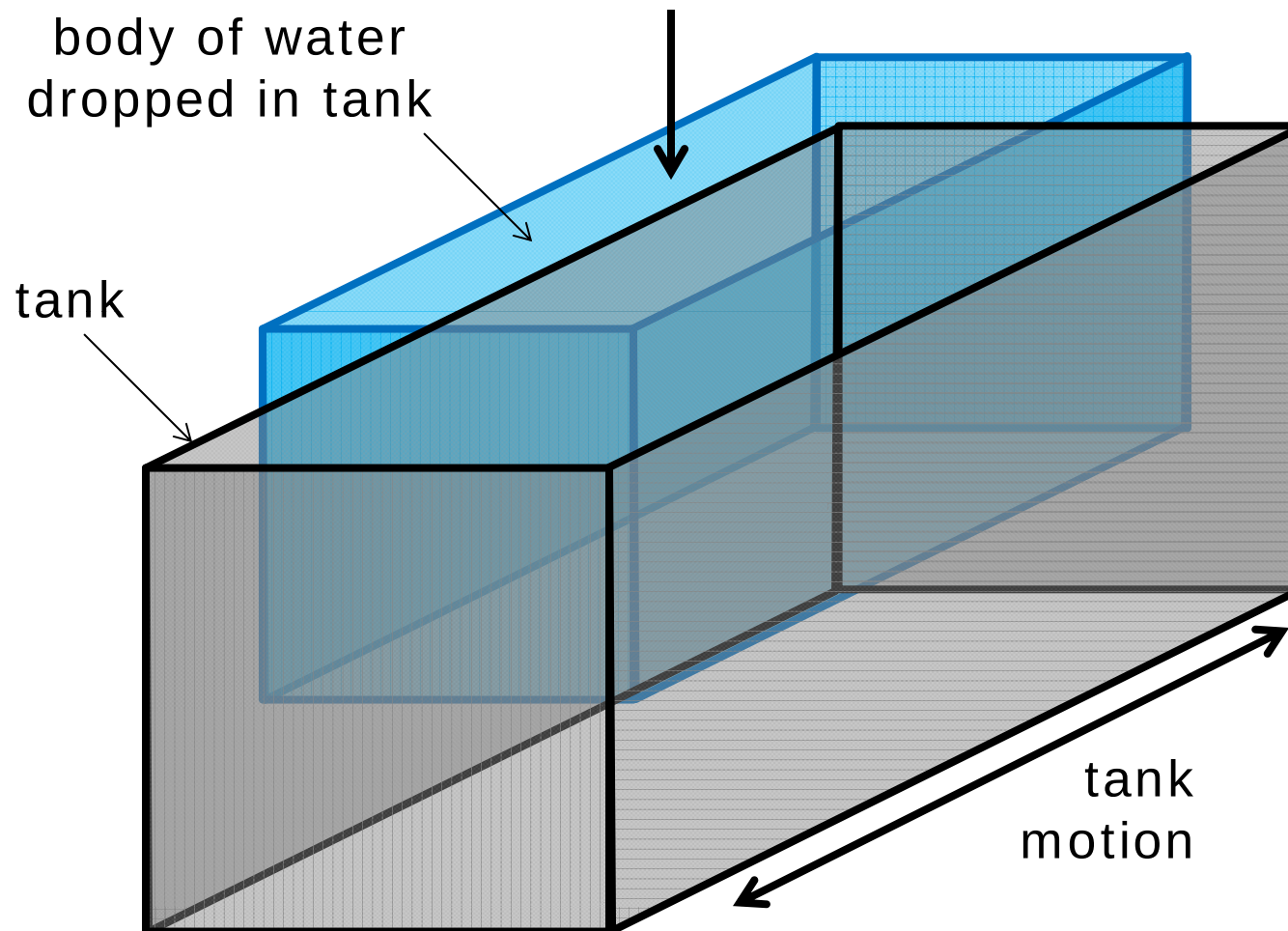
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OTM Solver — Spatial discretization





Example: Water sloshing in tank (free-surface, compressible NS)



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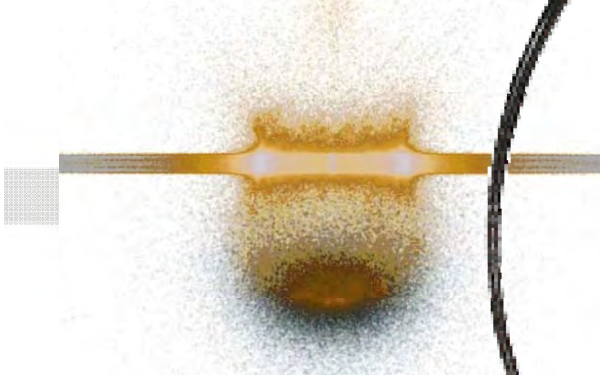
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Solver: Optimal Transportation Meshfree

- *Optimal transportation theory* generates *geometrically-exact* discrete Lagrangians for flow problems (solid, fluid, solid+fluid...)
- Inertial part of discrete Lagrangian measures *distance* between consecutive mass densities (in sense of *Wasserstein*)
- Discrete Hamilton principle of stationary action, *variational time integration scheme*:
 - *Symplectic, time reversible*
 - *Exact momenta conservation properties*
 - *Geometrically-exact mass transport*
 - *Variational convergence, in the sense of Γ -convergence (B. Schmidt, work in progress...)*

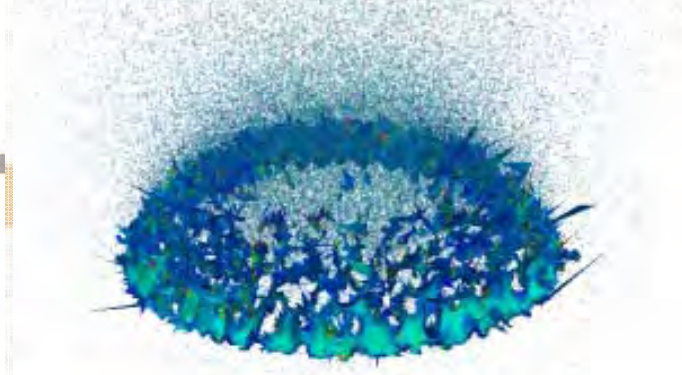
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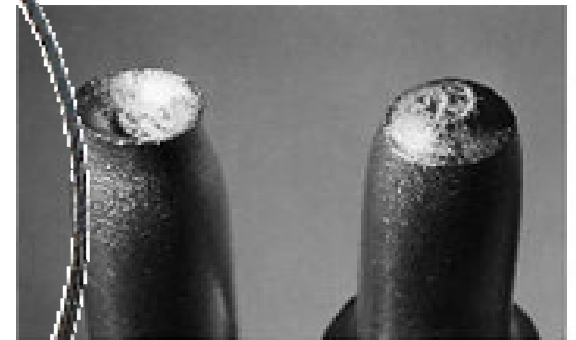
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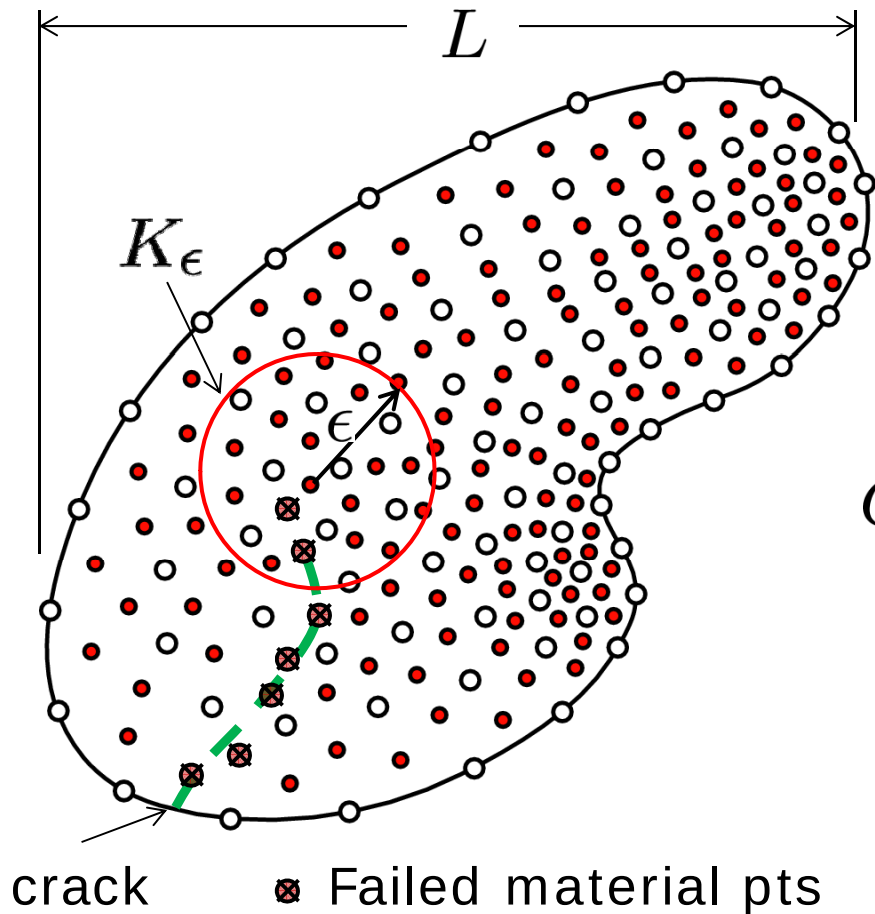
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Fracture – Material-point erosion



Schematic of
 ϵ -neighborhood
construction



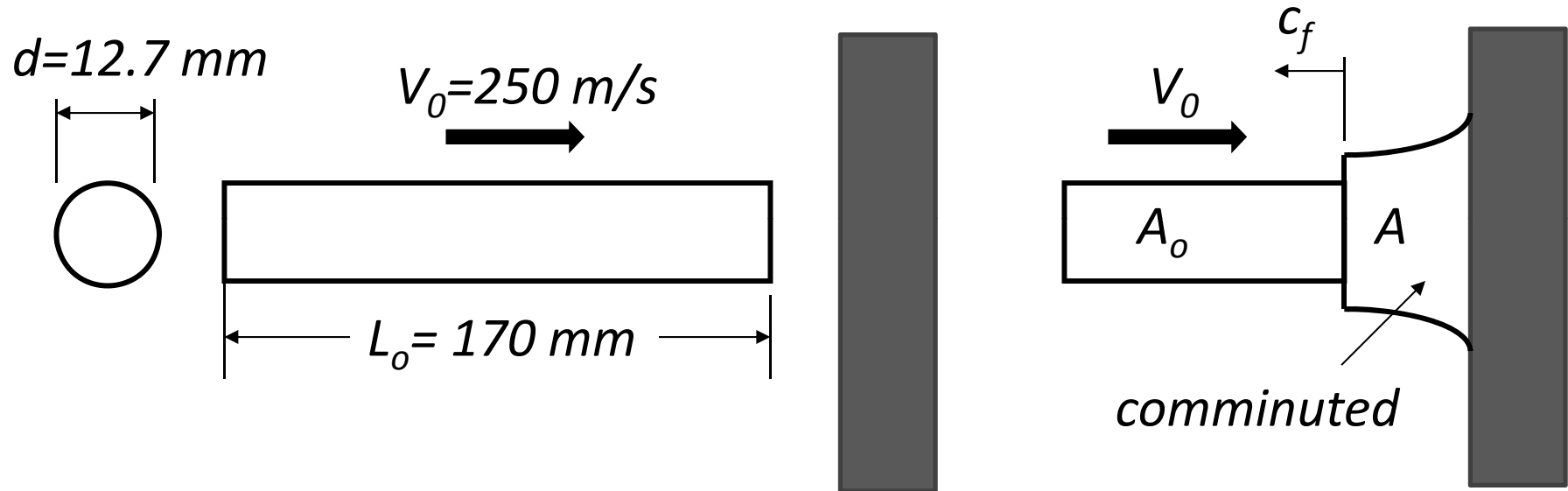
- ϵ -neighborhood construction:
Choose $h \ll \epsilon \ll L$
- Erode material point if

$$G_\epsilon \sim \frac{h^2}{|K_\epsilon|} \int_{K_\epsilon} W(\nabla u) dx \geq G_c$$

- Proof of convergence to Griffith fracture:
 - Schmidt, B., Fraternali, F. & MO, *SIAM J. Multiscale Model. Simul.*, **7**(3):1237-1366, 2009.

Validation – Failure waves in glass rods

- Brittle fracture: $G_c = \text{constant!}$



- $V_o = 225 \text{ m/s}$, $c_f = 3.6 \text{ Km/s}$ (Brar & Bless, 1991)
- $V_o = 250 \text{ m/s}$, $c_f = 3.0 \text{ Km/s}$ (Repetto et al., 2000)
- $V_o = 250 \text{ m/s}$, $c_f = 3.63 \text{ Km/s}$ (present)



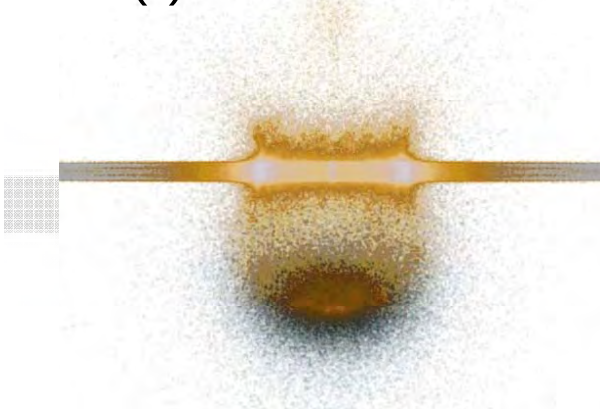
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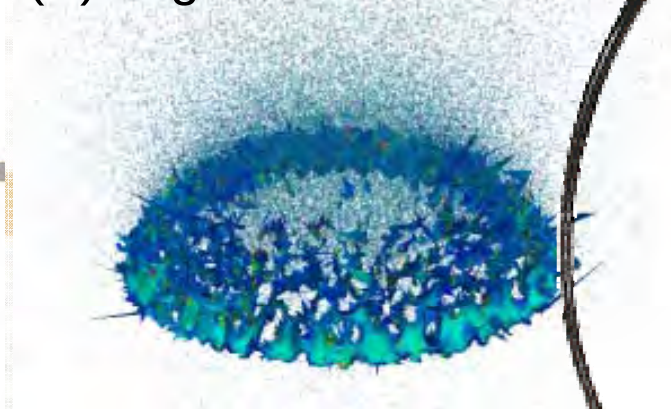
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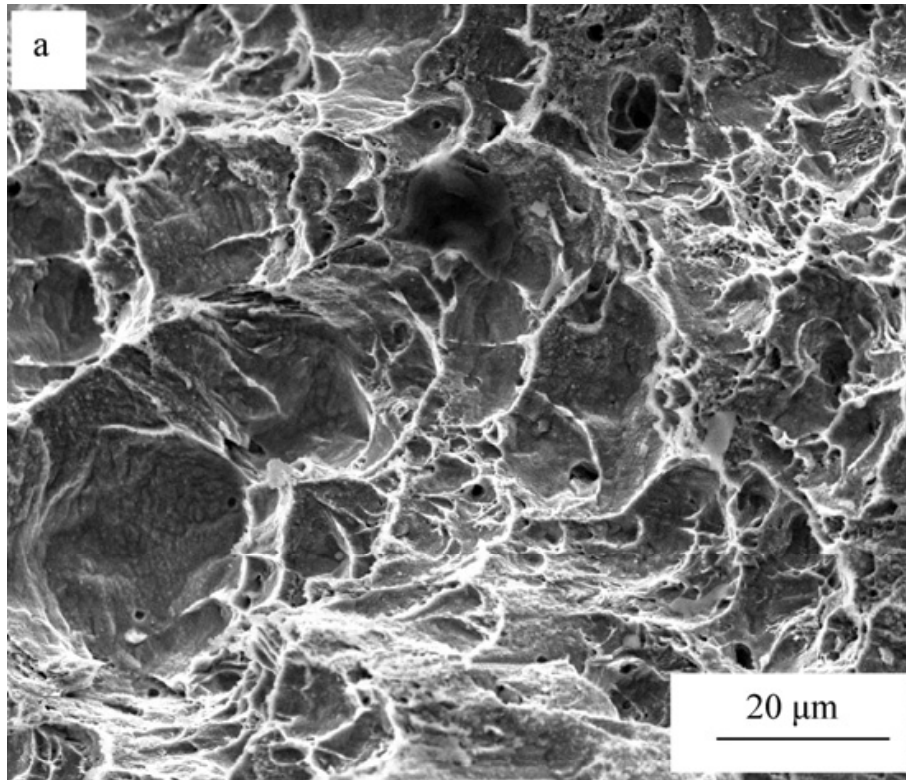
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Ductile fracture – Experimental data

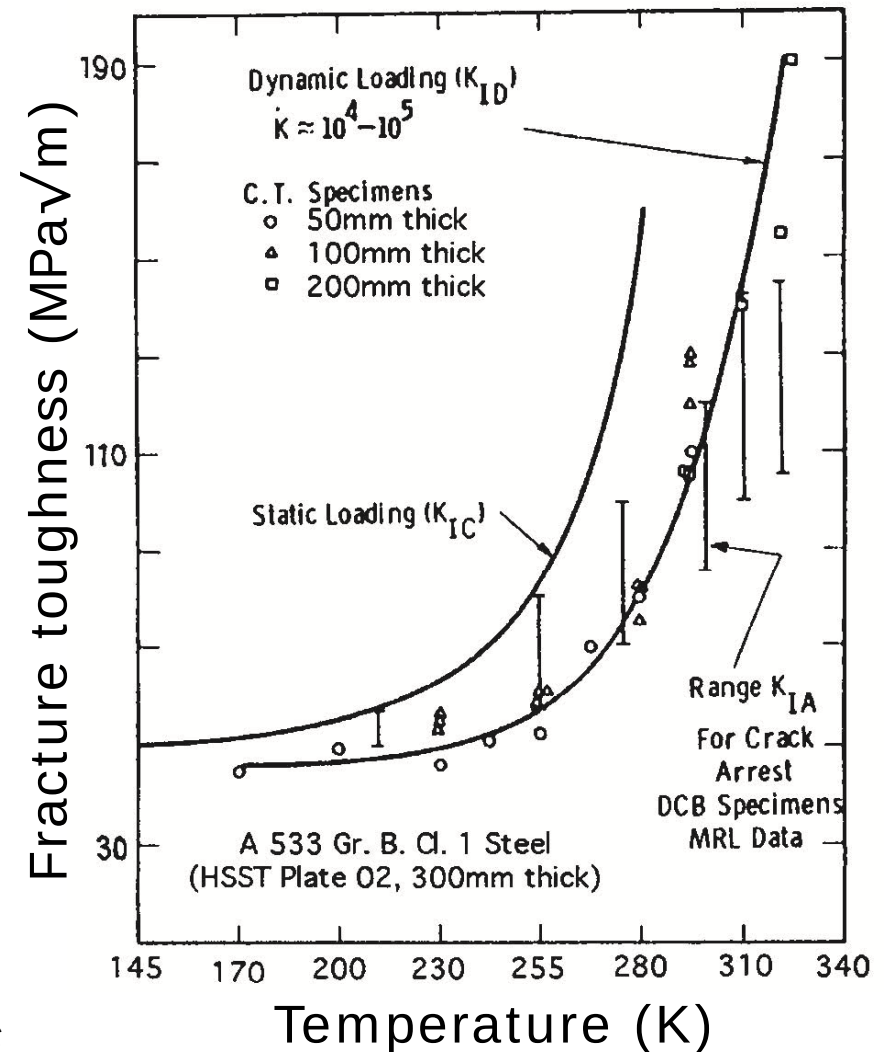


Fracture surface in SA333 steel
(room temp., $d\epsilon/dt = 3 \times 10^{-3} s^{-1}$)

S.V. Kamata, M. Srinivasa and P. R. Rao,
Mater. Sci. Engr. A, **528** (2011) 4141–4146



J. D. Landes, *Metall. Trans. A*, **21A** (1990) 1097–1104.



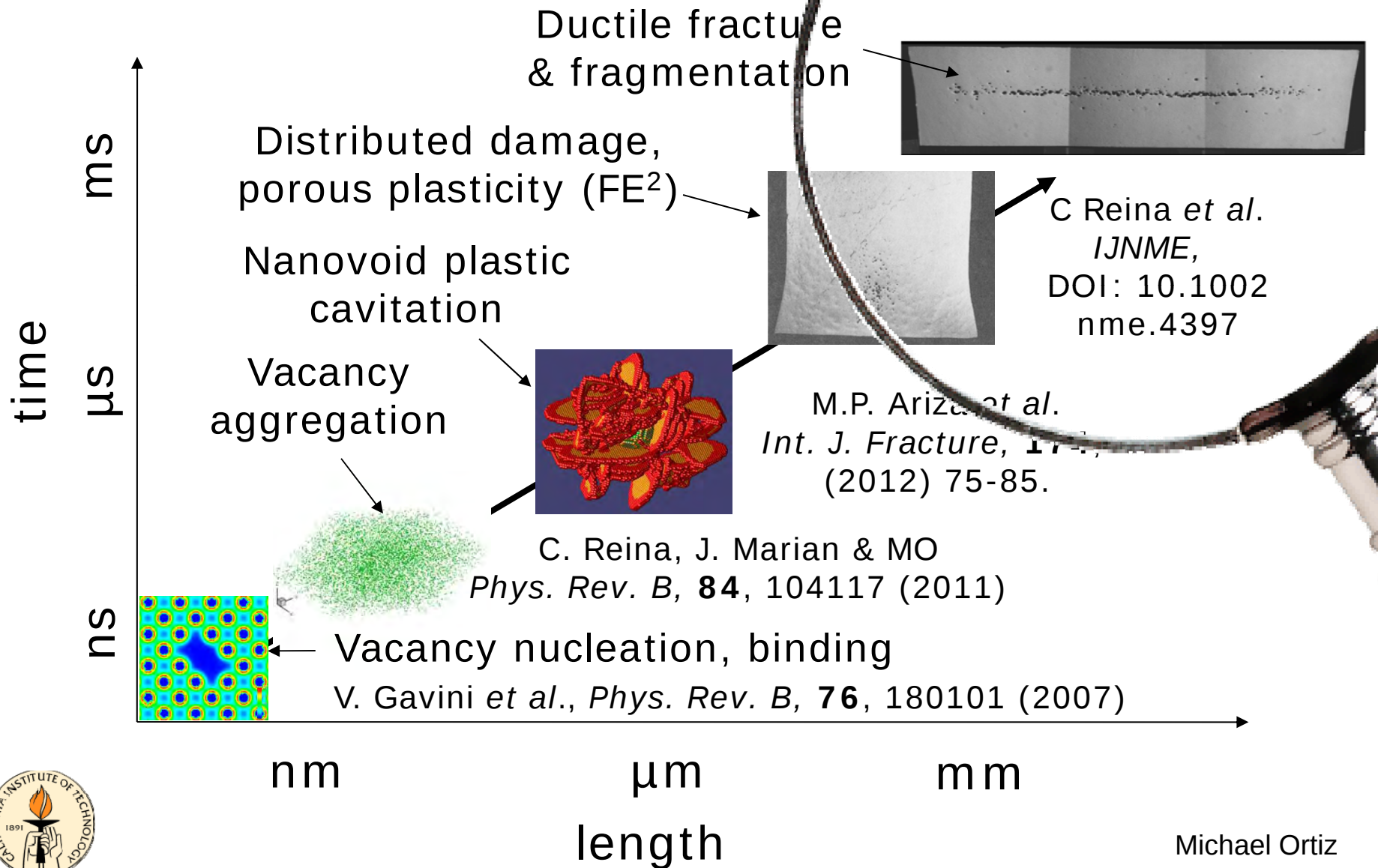
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Ductile fracture – Empirical models?

- *Complex dependence* of specific fracture energy (G_c) on temperature, pressure, rate of deformation, history, processing...
- *Complex coupling* to plasticity, dislocation dynamics, surface energy/phenomena...
- *Paucity of experimental data* in general, especially under extreme conditions...
- *Lack of—poor prospects for—predictive empirical models* (behavior too complex!)...
- What instead? ***Multiscale modeling!***

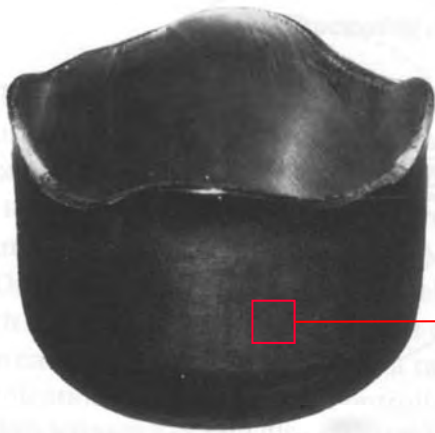


Ductile fracture – Multiscale hierarchy

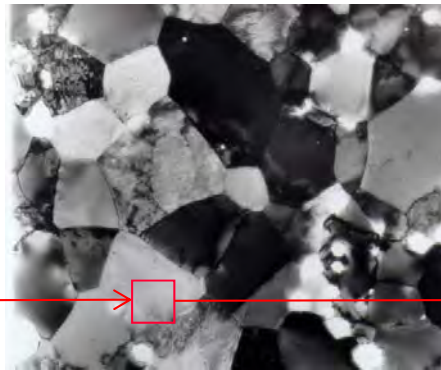


Multiscale - Homogeneization

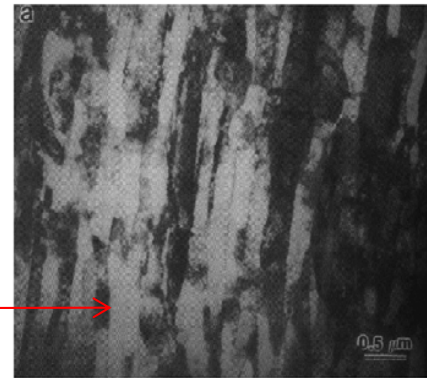
- Effective macroscopic model follows (in some cases) from a 'representative volume' calculation



Macroscopic
problem



Representative volume: Pre-
evaluate all microstructures

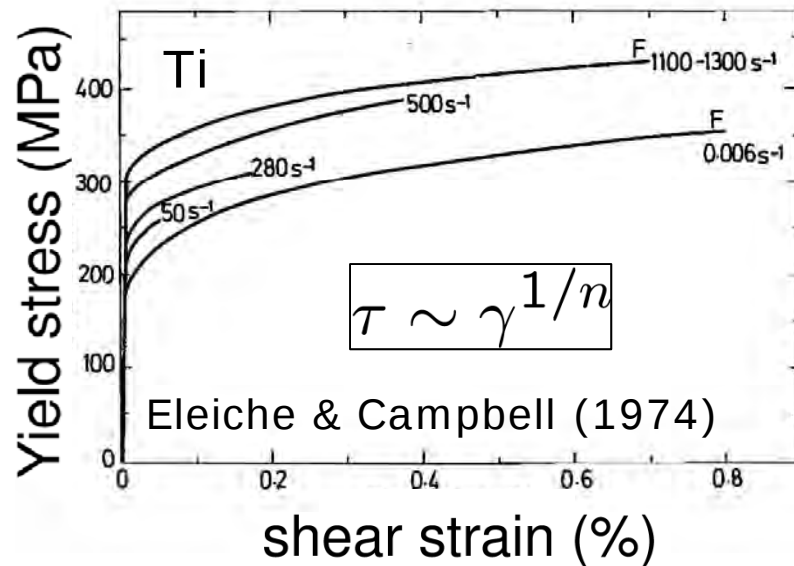


- But:** Relaxation requires superlinear energy growth, 'bulk' energy scaling': In R^d ,

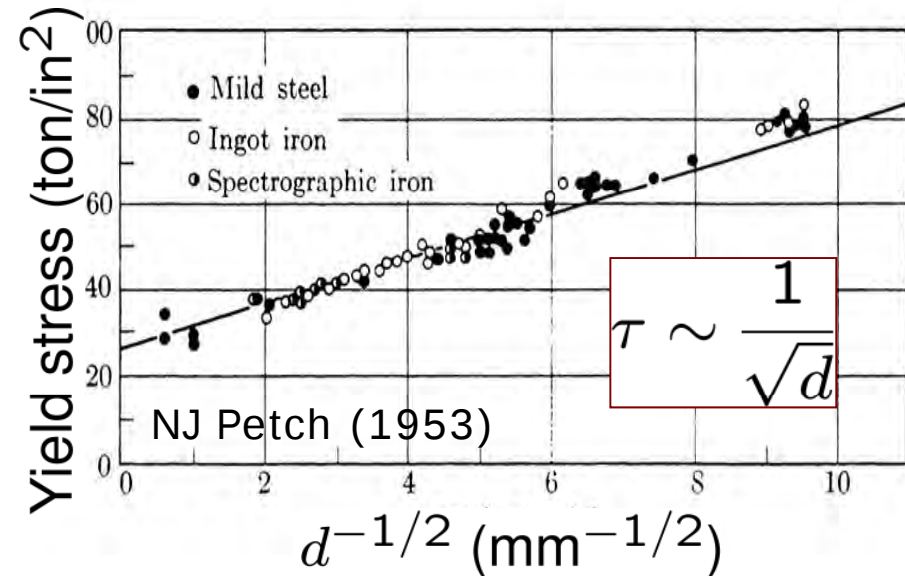
$$(\text{length}) \rightarrow \lambda(\text{length}) \Rightarrow (\text{energy}) \rightarrow \lambda^d(\text{energy})$$



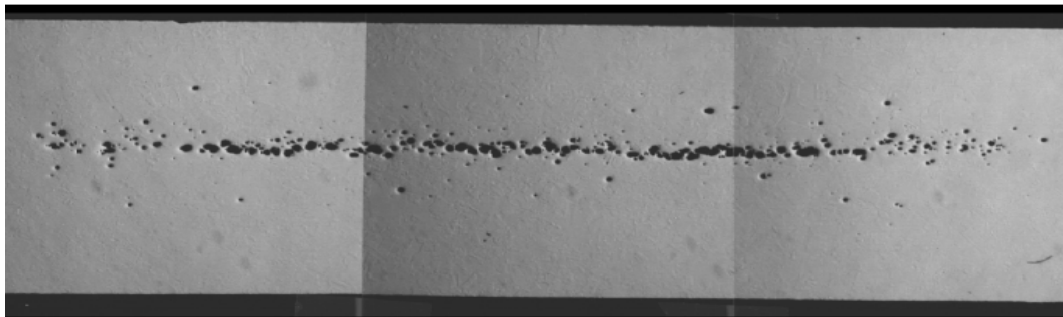
Homogeneization fails for ductile fracture!



Sublinear-energy growth
(necking @ Considère condition)



Internal length scales
(scaling and size effect)



Localization, no 'bulk' energy scaling!

R. Becker
"How Metals Fail",
Sci. & Tech. Rev., LLNL,
July/August 2002

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Ductile fracture – Multiscale modeling?

- Homogeneization fails for ductile fracture due to sub-linear growth of energy and the attendant damage localization (voids sheets)
- What instead? ***Optimal scaling!***
- Suppose: Energy = $E(u, \epsilon_1, \dots, \epsilon_N)$
- Optimal (matching) upper and lower bounds:

$$C_L \epsilon_1^{n_1} \dots \epsilon_N^{n_N} \leq \inf E(\cdot, \epsilon_1, \dots, \epsilon_N) \leq C_U \epsilon_1^{n_1} \dots \epsilon_N^{n_N}$$

- Originally applied to branched microstructures in martensite (Kohn-Müller 92, 94; Conti 00)
- Applications to micromagnetics (Choksi-Kohn-Otto 99), thin films (Belgacem *et al* 00)...



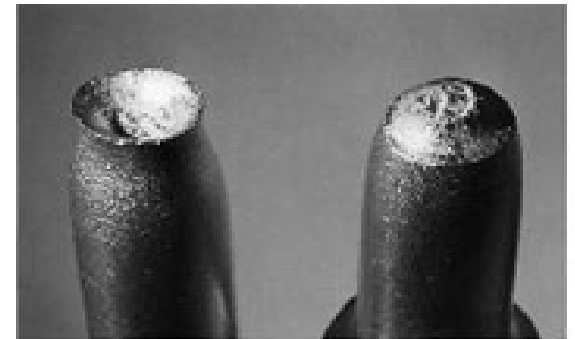
Optimal scaling laws in ductile fracture

- Assumptions of optimal-scaling analysis:
 - Deformation theory of plasticity (finite kinematics)
 - Strain-gradient theory of plasticity
 - Rigid-plastic behavior (negligible elastic strains)
 - Isotropic hardening, no plastic spin

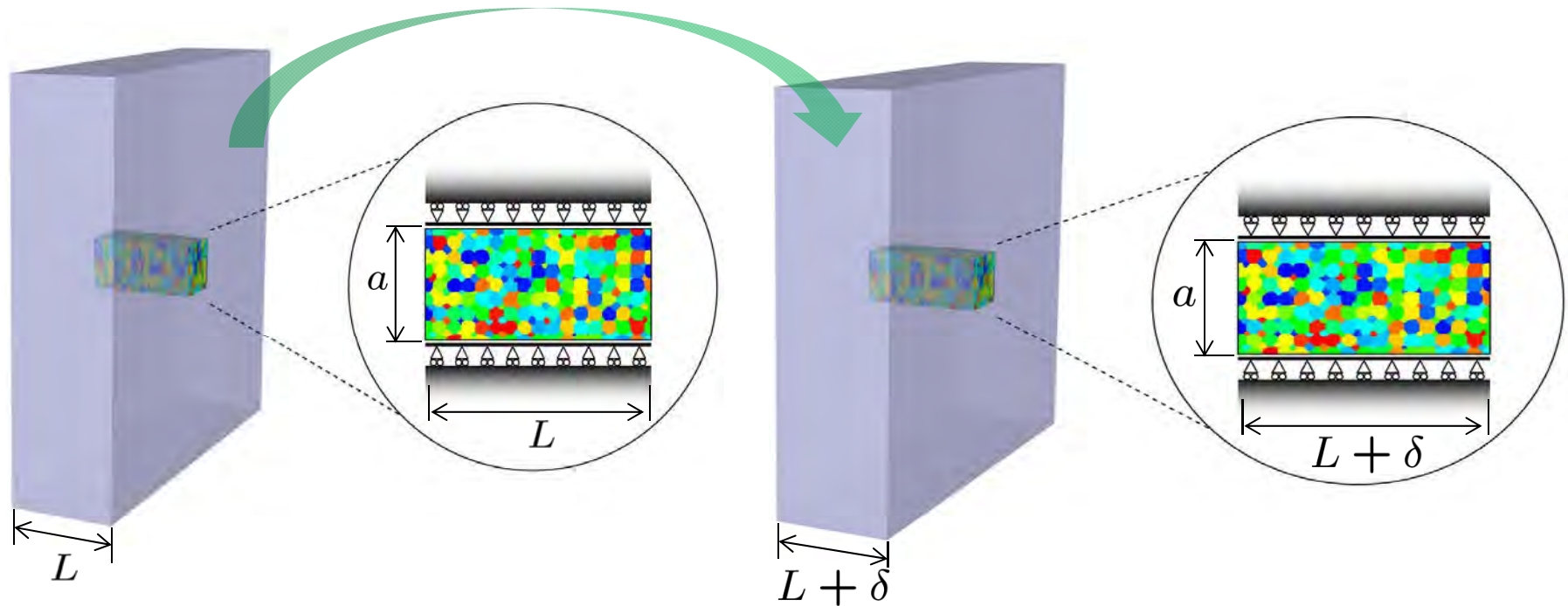
- Assume energy growth of the form:

$$c_L \int_{\Omega} (|F|^p + \epsilon |DF|) dx \leq E \leq c_U \int_{\Omega} (|F|^p + \epsilon |DF|) dx$$

- Assume hardening exponent $n > 1$
- Growth exponent $p = 1/n < 1$
- Necking, localization, fracture...



Optimal scaling laws in ductile fracture



- Geometry, BC: $\Omega = [0, a]^2 \times [0, L]$, $L \rightarrow L + \delta$.

Theorem [L. Fokoua, S. Conti & MO]

$$C_L a^2 \delta^{\frac{1}{2-p}} \epsilon^{\frac{1-p}{2-p}} \leq \inf E \leq C_U a^2 \delta^{\frac{1}{2-p}} \epsilon^{\frac{1-p}{2-p}}$$

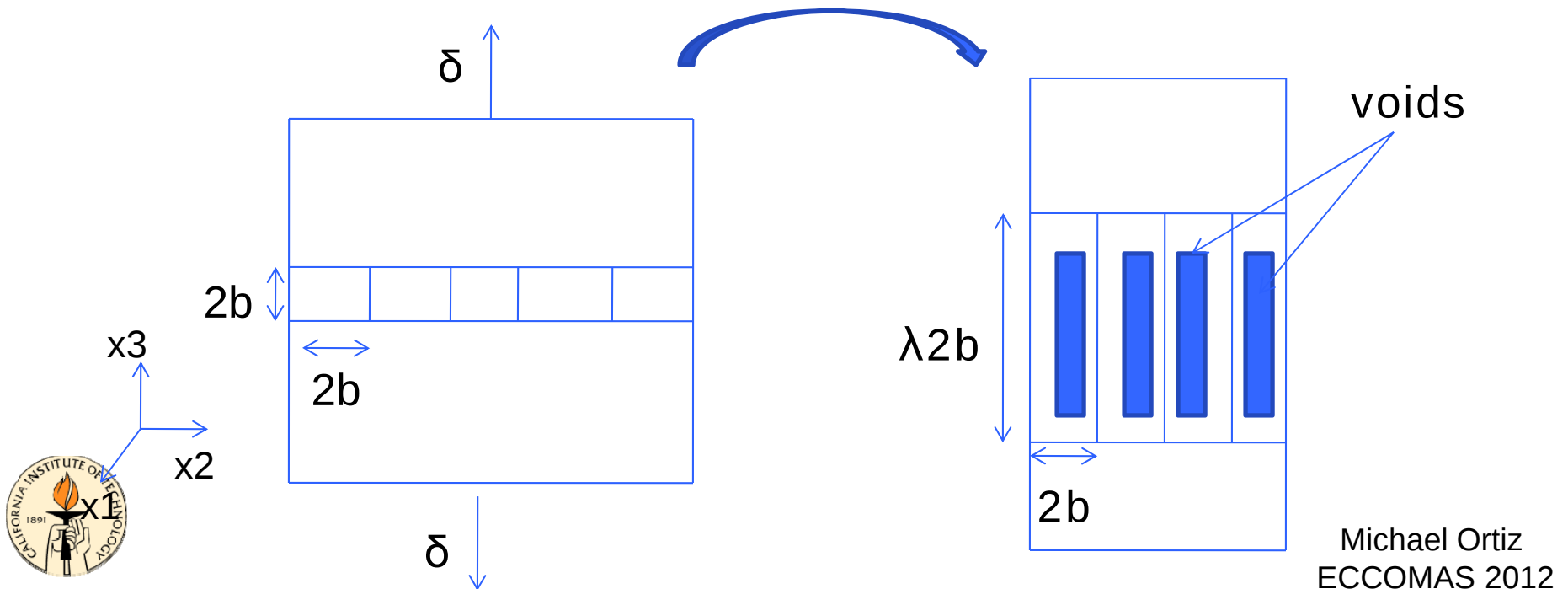


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- Upper bound: *Void-sheet construction!*



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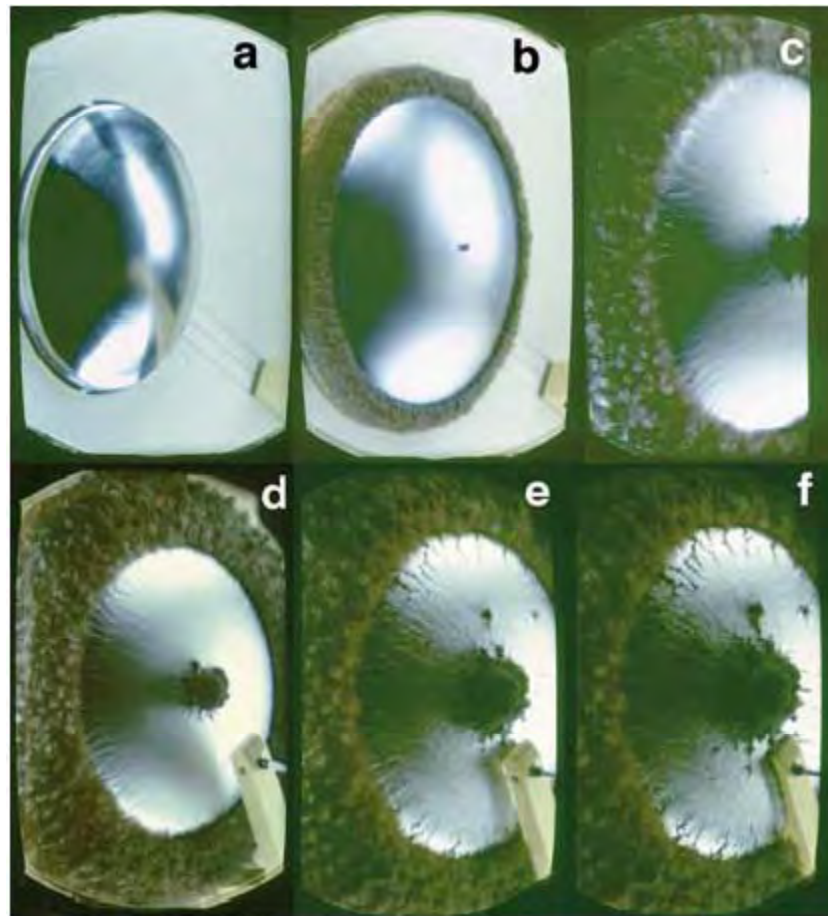
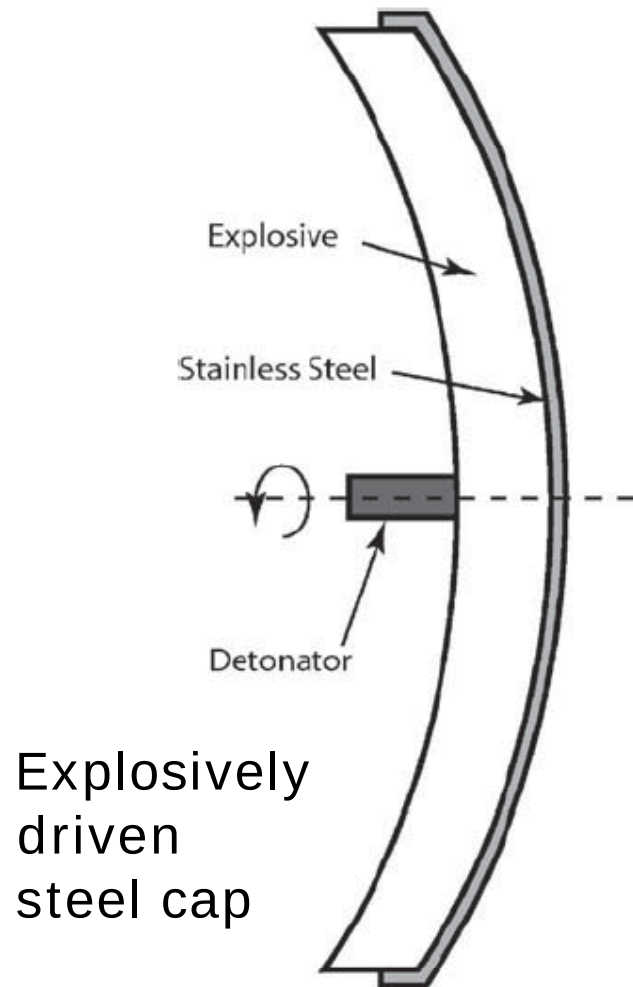
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- Deformation localizes to void sheet (fracture)
- Minimum energy scales with area (fracture)
- Fracture energy obeys power law in opening displacement, with exponent $1/(2-p)$
- Cohesive law: $\sigma \sim \delta^{-(1-p)/(2-p)}$ (non-Griffith!)
- Power dependence on intrinsic length scale ϵ
- *Dependence of G_c on temperature, strain rate, upscaled directly from microscopic plasticity!*



Validation – Explosively driven cap

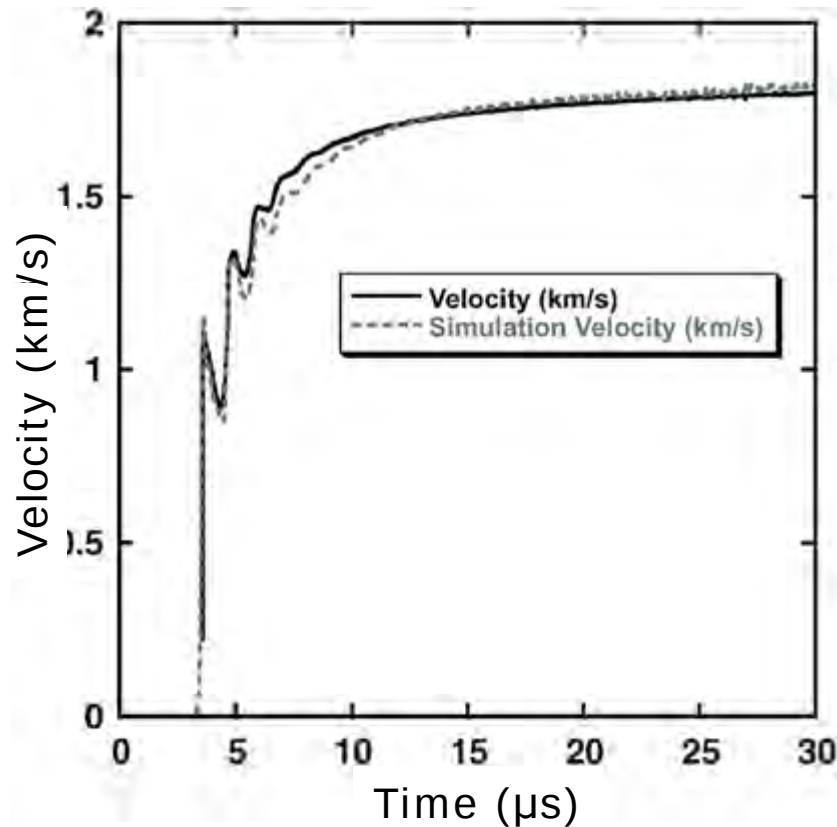


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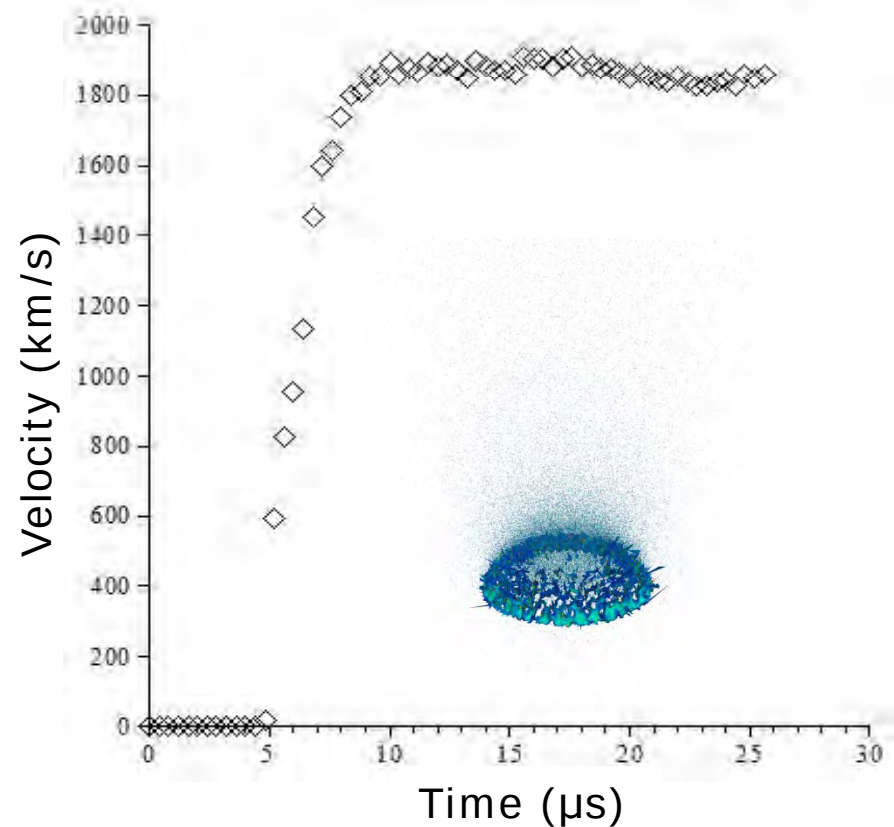
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Experiment



OTM simulation



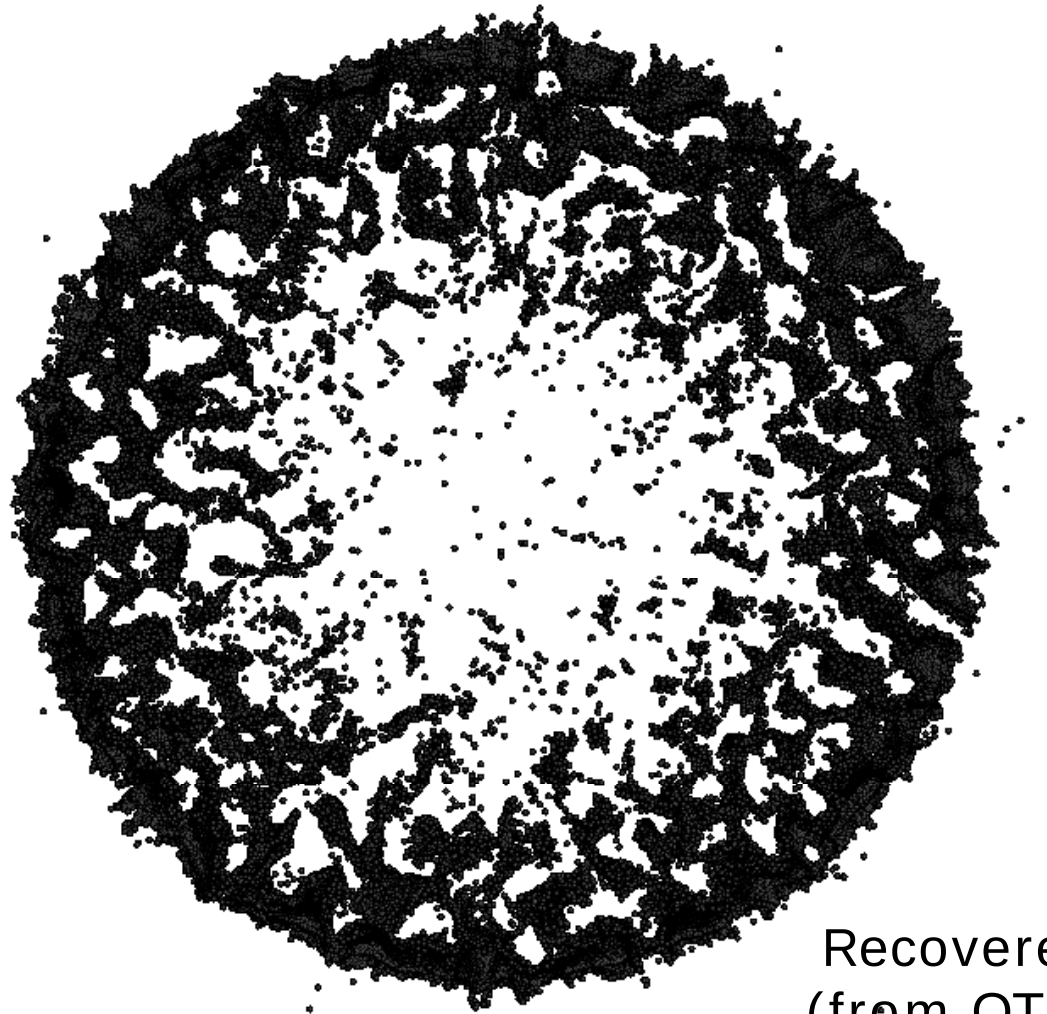
Surface velocity for spot midway between pole and edge



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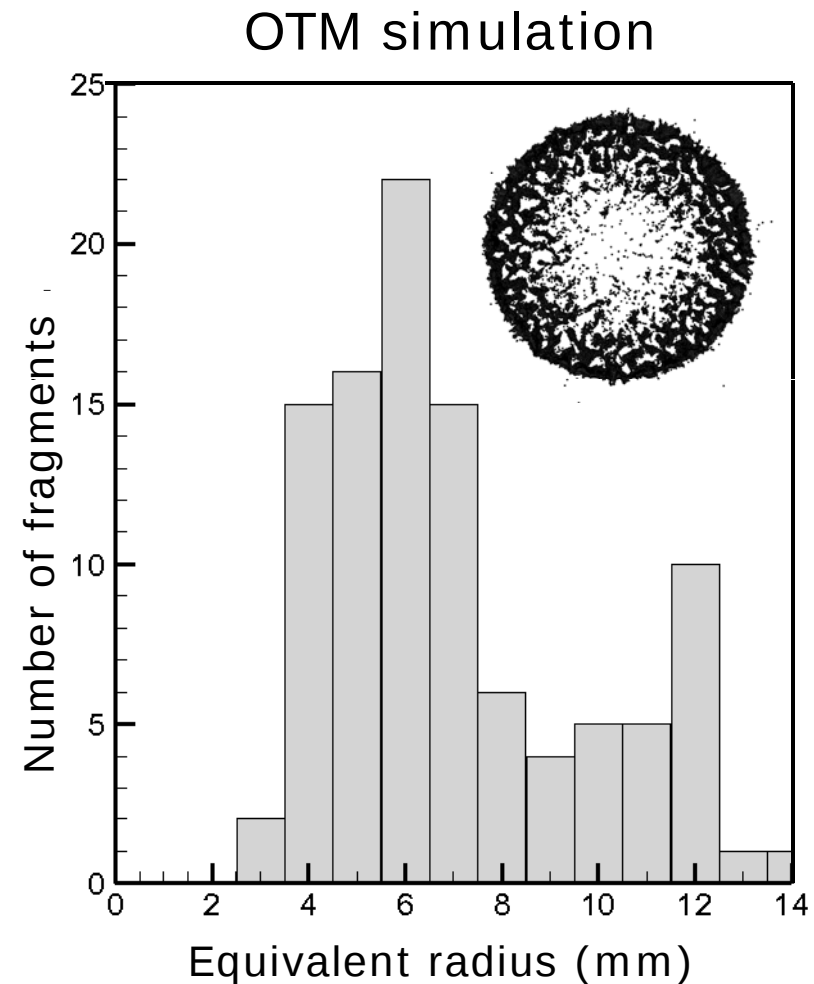
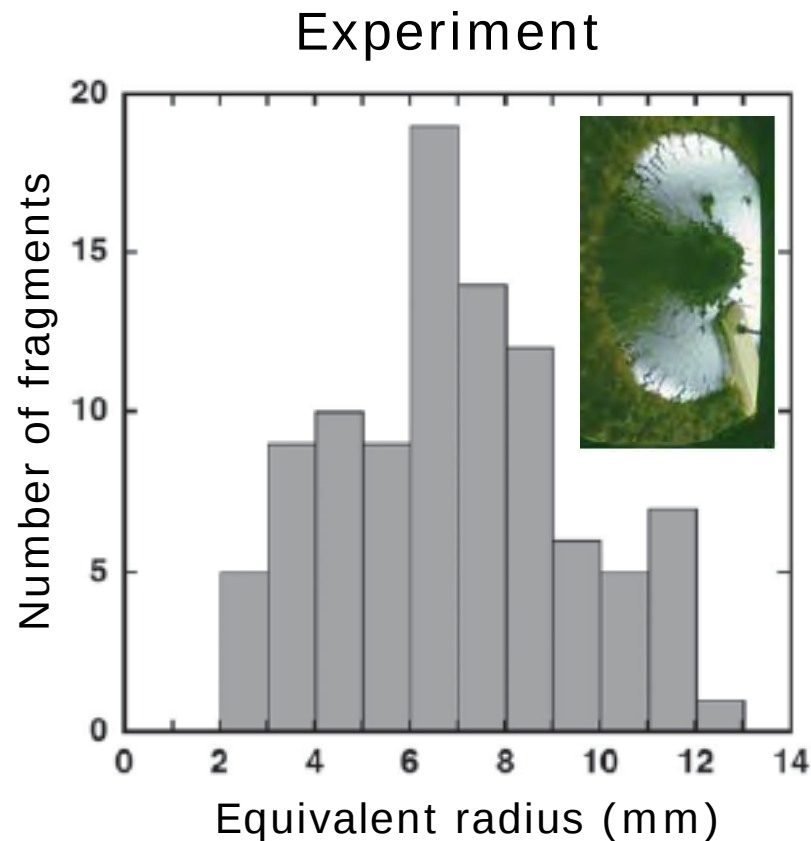
Recovered fragments
(from OTM simulation)



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Histograms of equivalent fragment radii

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Summary

- Modeling of *fracture* under *extreme conditions* requires characterization of fracture energy as function of temperature, pressure, strain rate
- *Deficit* of experimental data, empirical models
- Conventional *homogeneization* (relaxation) scheme *fails* due to sublinear energy growth
- Instead: Effective fracture energy delivered by *optimal scaling* (void-sheet construction)
- Scaling laws indicative of *cohesive behavior* at the macroscale, sensitivity to intrinsic length
- *Temperature and rate-dependence of fracture energy upscaled from microscopic plasticity!*



Thank you!