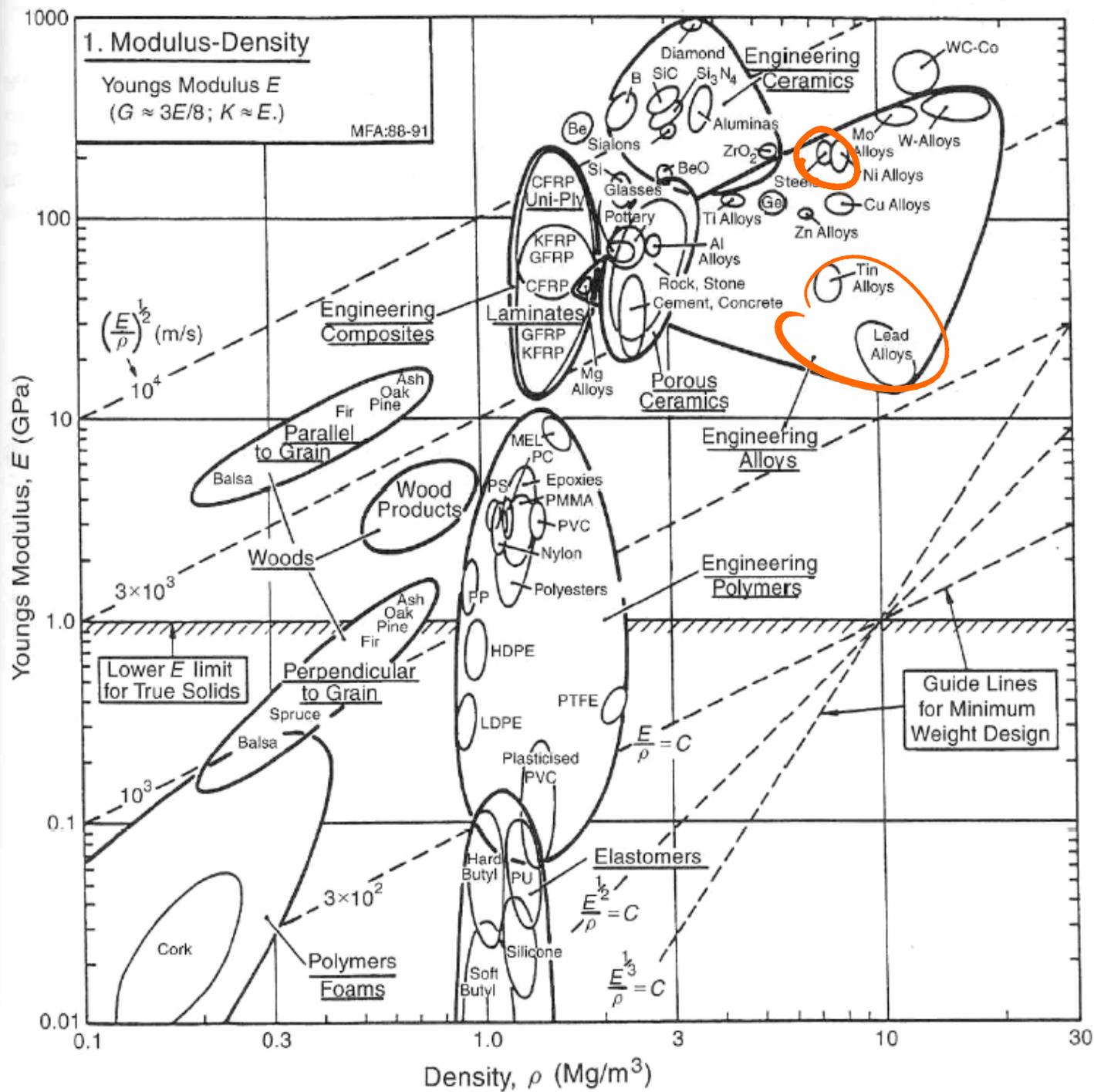
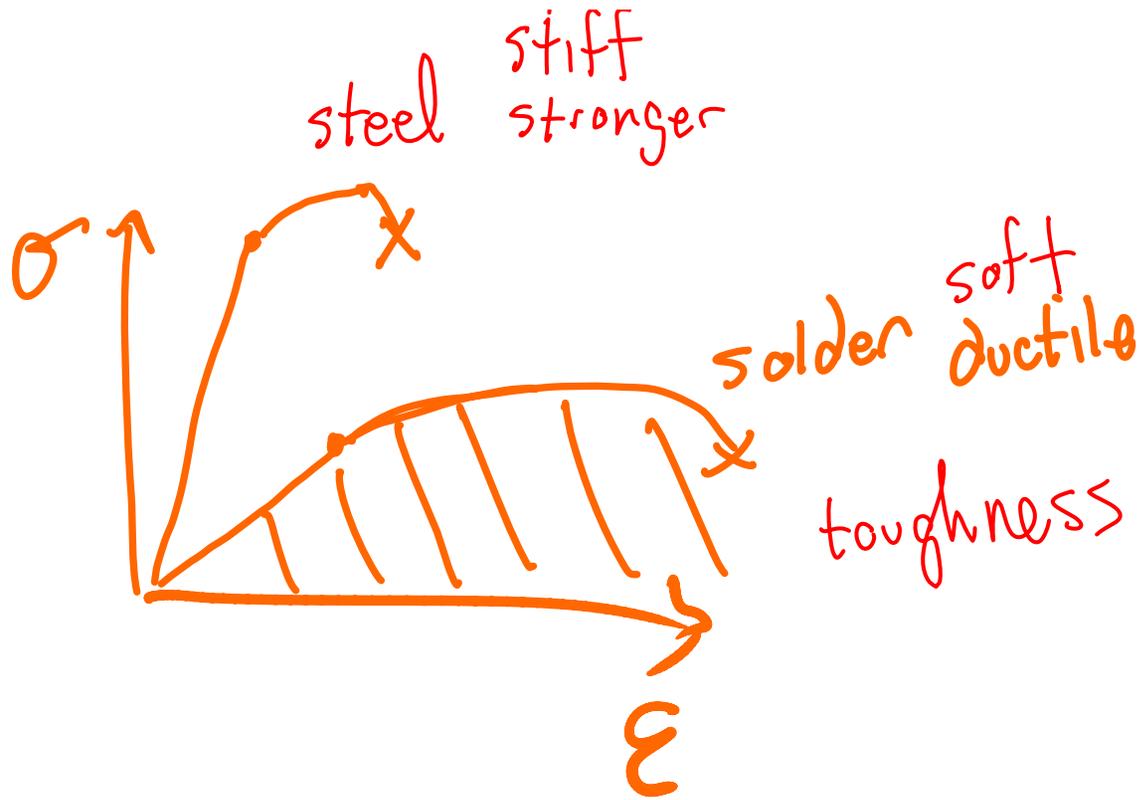


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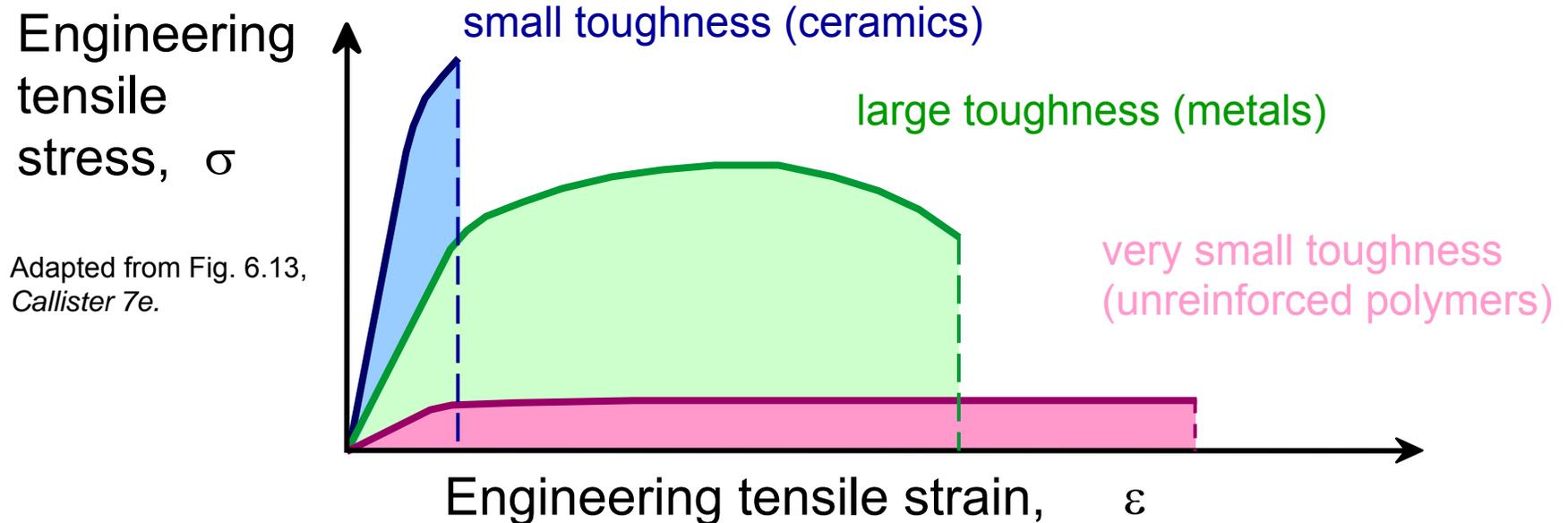
- **A solder joint provides an electrical connection for integrated circuits. However, it is also a component that supports a varying mechanical load. Why are we successful in using solder for microelectronics applications, such as a ball-grid array (BGA), when the soft solder often experiences stresses past its yield point?**





Toughness

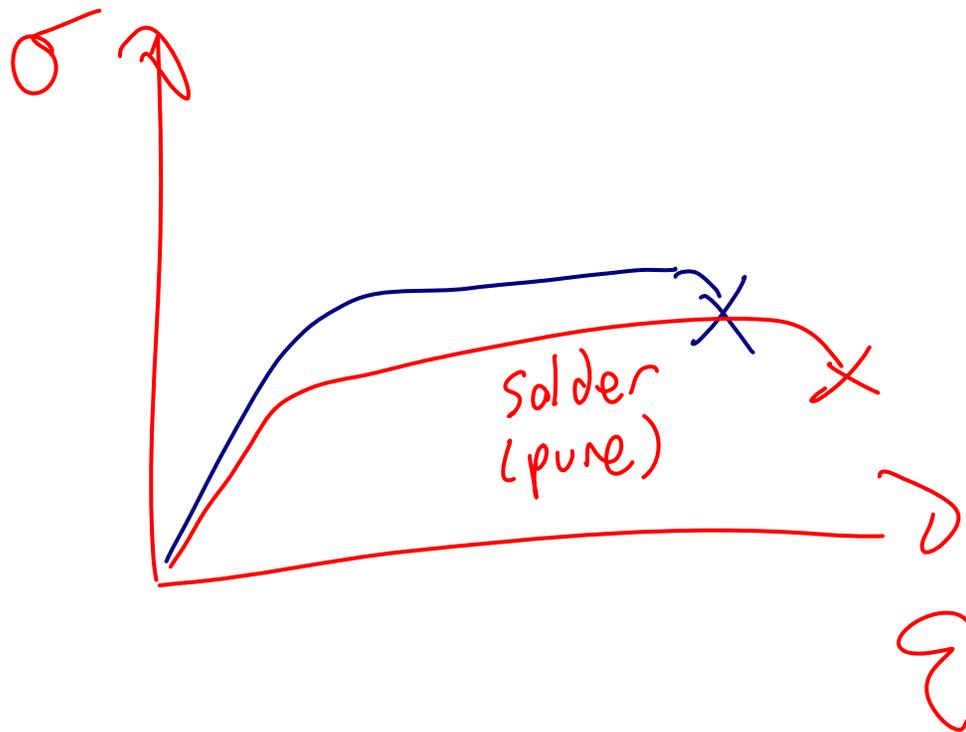
- Energy to break a unit volume of material
- Approximate by the area under the stress-strain curve.



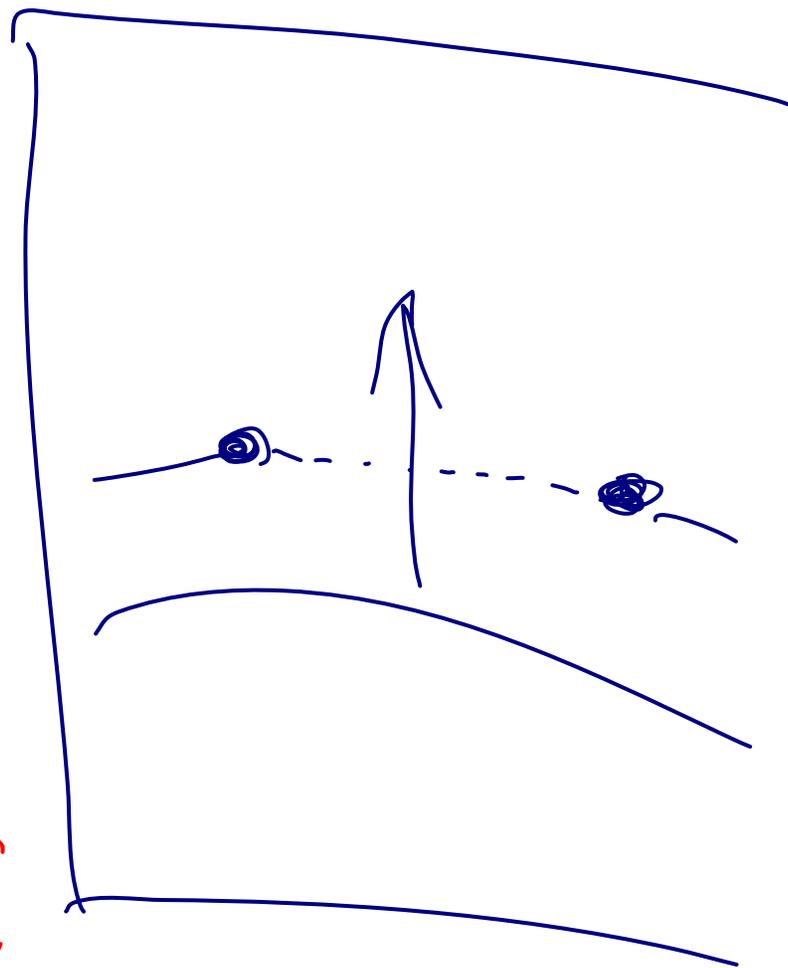
Brittle fracture: elastic energy

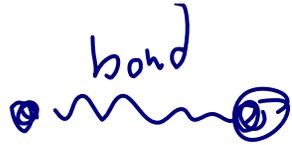
Ductile fracture: elastic + plastic energy

2) hard particles



3) opinion





Chapters 6 & 7

dislocations

- Stress vs. strain curves
- Elastic vs. plastic behavior
- Adjectives to describe mechanical behavior
- Strengthening mechanisms
- Materials

Chapter 8

- **Failure!**
- **Engineers don't like cracks.**
- **People don't like it when engineers don't design properly and things break!**

G-ALYY / 6011 crash in Stromboli (Crew 7/7 & Passengers 14/14)

YY G-ALYY was leased from B.O.A.C. to South African Airways. Flight SA201 was on its way from London to Johannesburg. After a fuel stop in Rome the plane took-off, but only 36 minutes later the radio-contact was interrupted in the area of Stromboli.

The next morning remains were found in the sea. Since the sea was at this place as deep as 1000 meters, no parts of the aircraft could be inspected. Only four days after the crash the Comet flights were again suspended, one of the reasons being the similarities to the YP crash. G-ALYY had only performed 2704 flight hours. A very intensive flight test program was performed in order to find out the reason of the YY and YP crashes, with no special conclusion.

Only after a *very long expensive investigations*, which included the assembly of the remains of

Cause of the accident: design fault

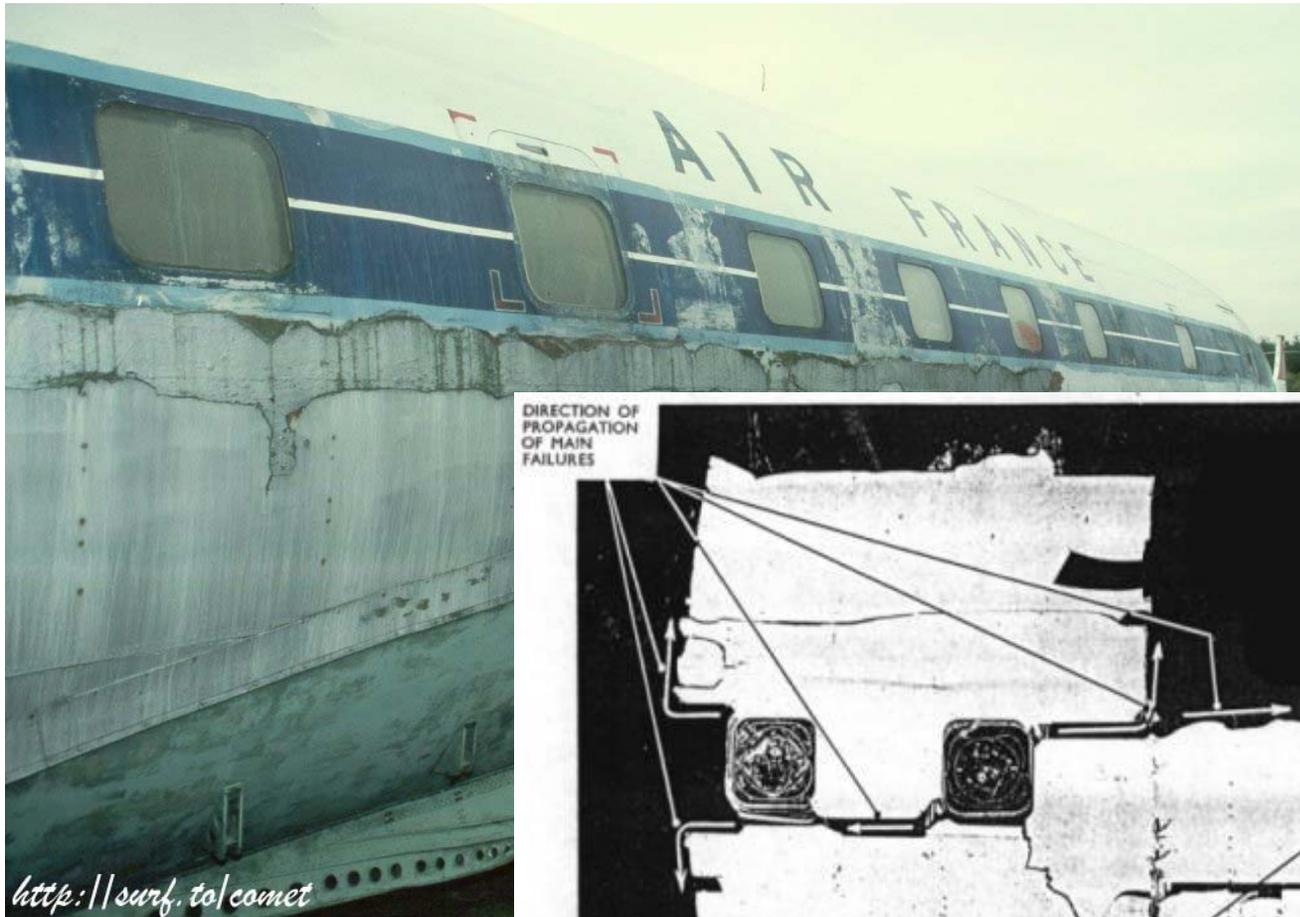




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DIRECTION OF
PROPAGATION
OF MAIN
FAILURES

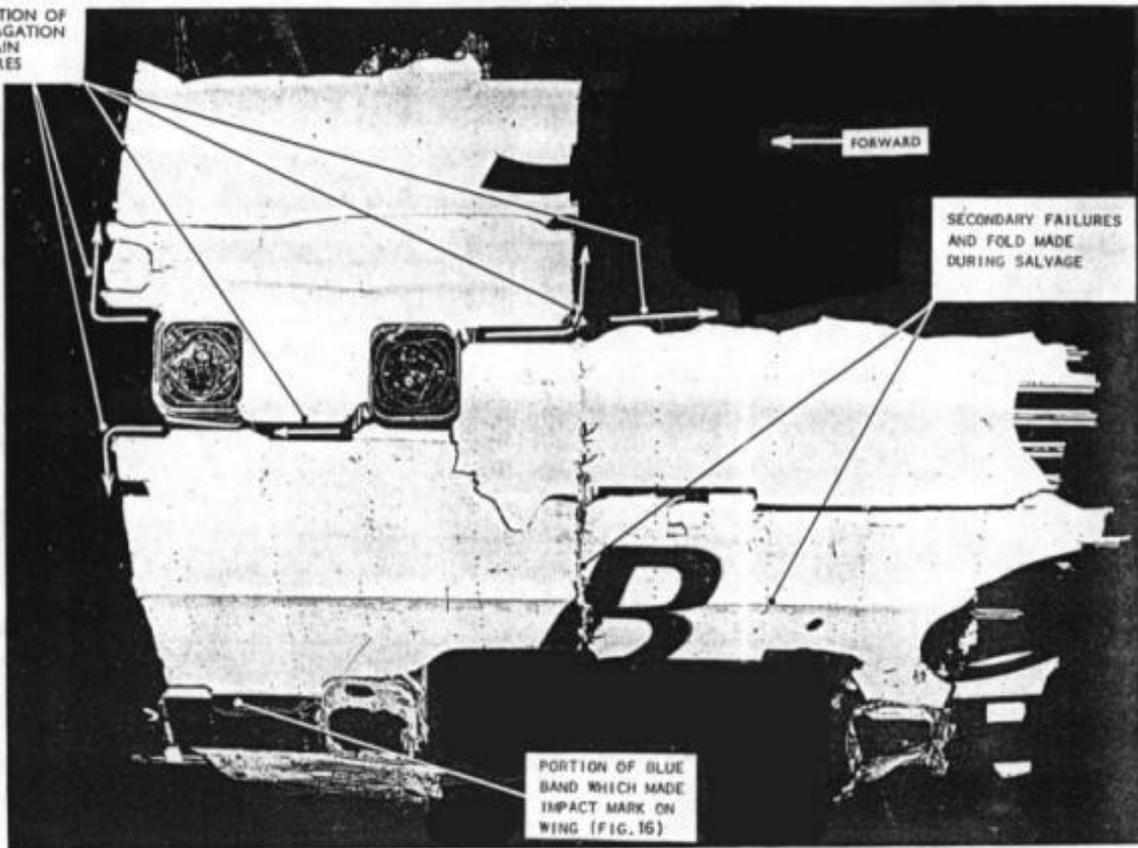


FIG. 12. PHOTOGRAPH OF WRECKAGE AROUND ADF AERIAL WINDOWS—G-ALYP.

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Only after a *very long expensive investigations*, which included the assembly of the remains of the crashed YP and the underwater stress test of the YU Comet which came from B.O.A.C. Finally the fuselage of YU broke up on a sharp edge of the forward escape-hatch. After that this rupture was repaired the tests were restarted, but only shortly afterwards the fuselage broke up. *This time the rupture started at the upper edge of a window and was three meters long.*

The YP and YY crashes were due to metal fatigue, which took place because of the crystalline changes in the fuselage skin. They were amplified by the high speed and altitude the Comets were operated. The metal fatigue resulted in ruptures of the fuselage, this had as a consequence a terrible decompression at 33Kft, tearing up the plane with all known consequences.

Cause of the accident: design fault

Flaws are Stress Concentrators!

Results from crack propagation

- Griffith Crack

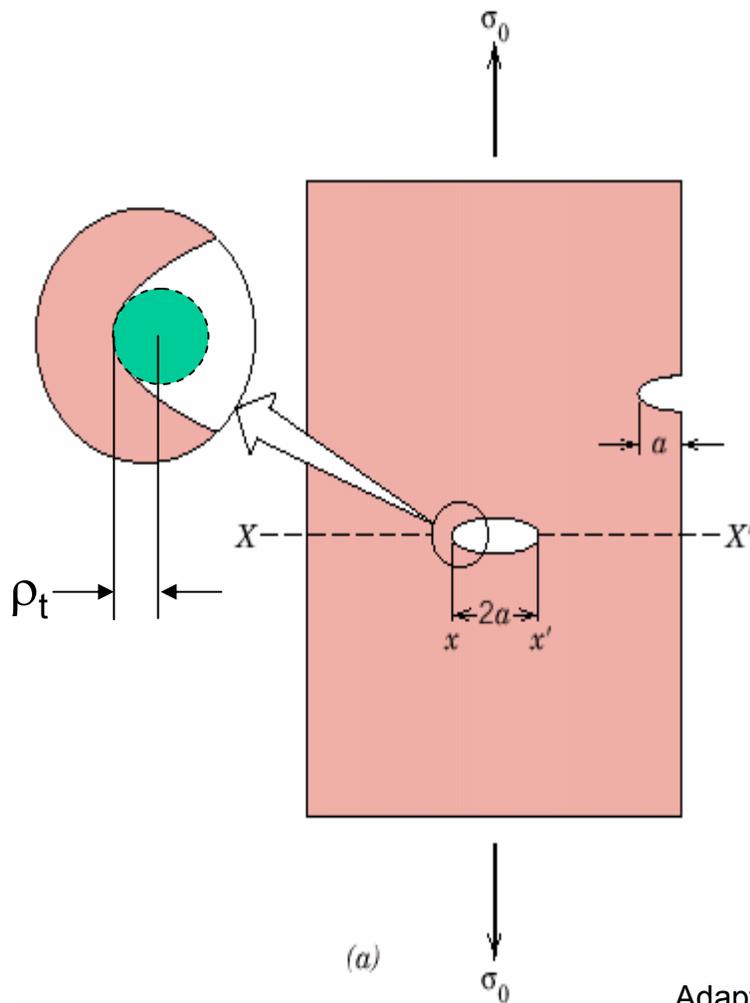
$$\sigma_m = 2\sigma_o \left(\frac{a}{\rho_t} \right)^{1/2} = K_t \sigma_o$$

where

ρ_t = radius of curvature

σ_o = applied stress

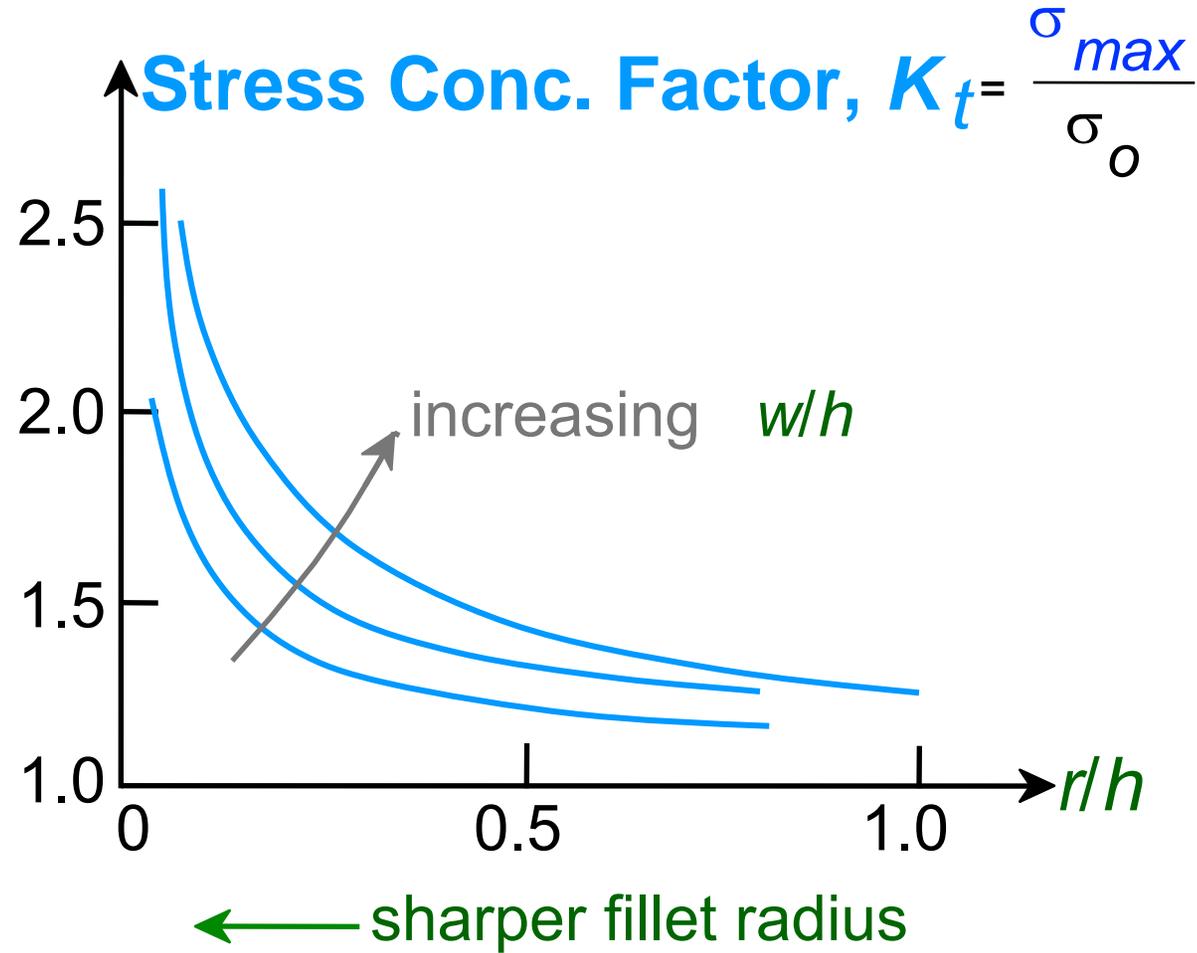
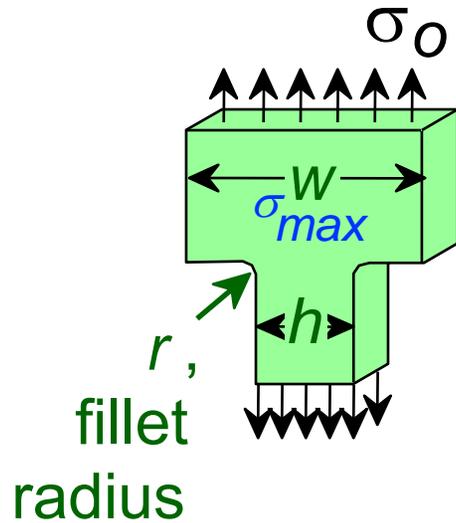
σ_m = stress at crack tip



Adapted from Fig. 8.8(a), *Callister 7e*.

Engineering Fracture Design

- Avoid sharp corners!



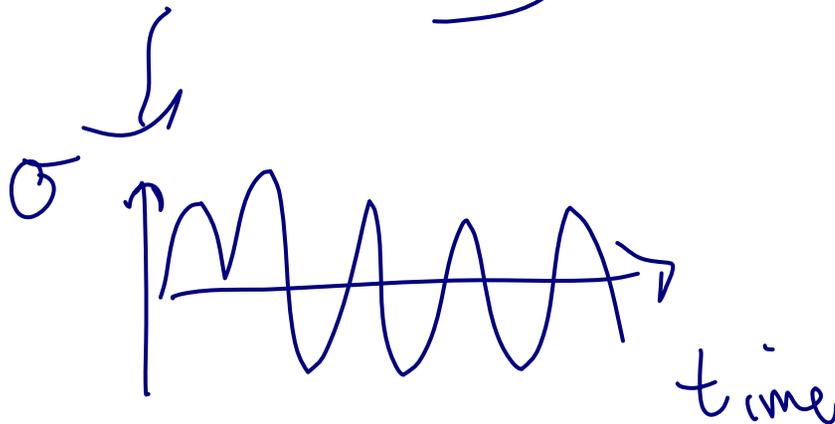
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Fortunately...

- Engineers design things well these days.
- Most things fail by two methods that result in slow accumulation of damage and eventual fracture

- Creep
- Fatigue

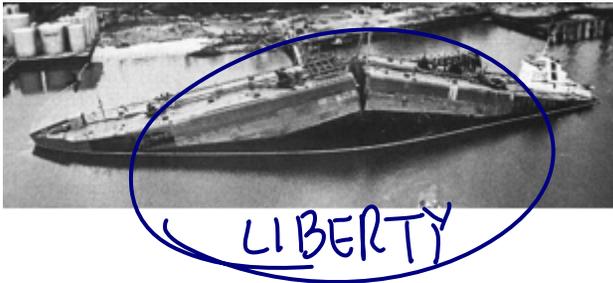
next → constant stress



Chapter 8: Mechanical Failure

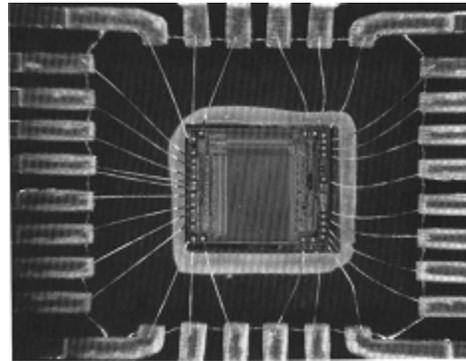
ISSUES TO ADDRESS...

- How do flaws in a material initiate failure?
- How is fracture resistance quantified; how do different material classes compare?
- How do we estimate the stress to fracture?
- How do loading rate, loading history, and temperature affect the failure stress?



**Ship-cyclic loading
from waves.**

Adapted from chapter-opening photograph, Chapter 8, *Callister 7e.* (by Neil Boenzi, *The New York Times.*)



**Computer chip-cyclic
thermal loading.**

Adapted from Fig. 22.30(b), *Callister 7e.* (Fig. 22.30(b) is courtesy of National Semiconductor Corporation.)



**Hip implant-cyclic
loading from walking.**

Adapted from Fig. 22.26(b), *Callister 7e.*

Fracture mechanisms

- Ductile fracture
 - Occurs with plastic deformation
- Brittle fracture
 - Little or no plastic deformation
 - Catastrophic

Ductile vs Brittle Failure

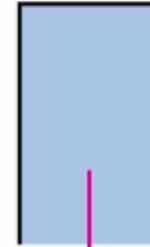
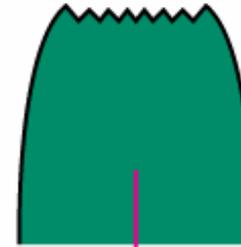
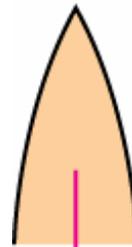
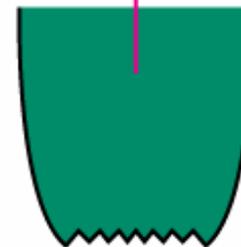
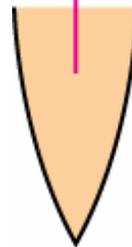
- Classification:

Fracture
behavior:

Very
Ductile

Moderately
Ductile

Brittle



Adapted from Fig. 8.1,
Callister 7e.

%AR or %EL

Large

Moderate

Small

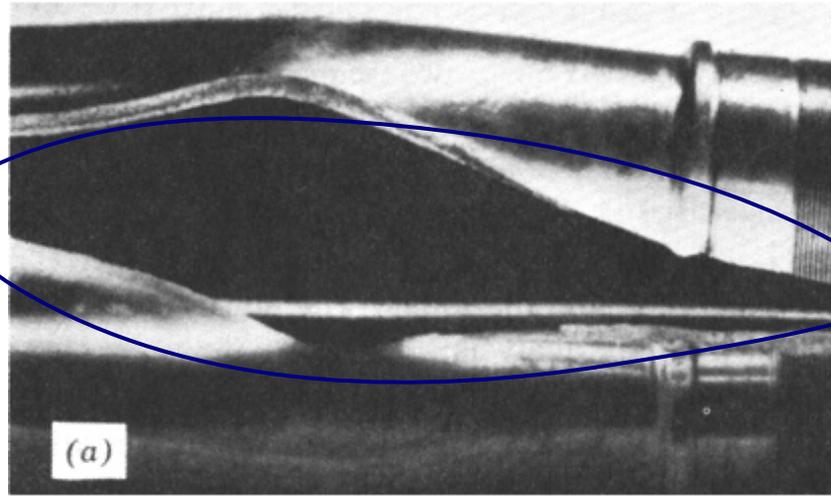
- Ductile fracture is usually desirable!

Ductile:
warning before
fracture

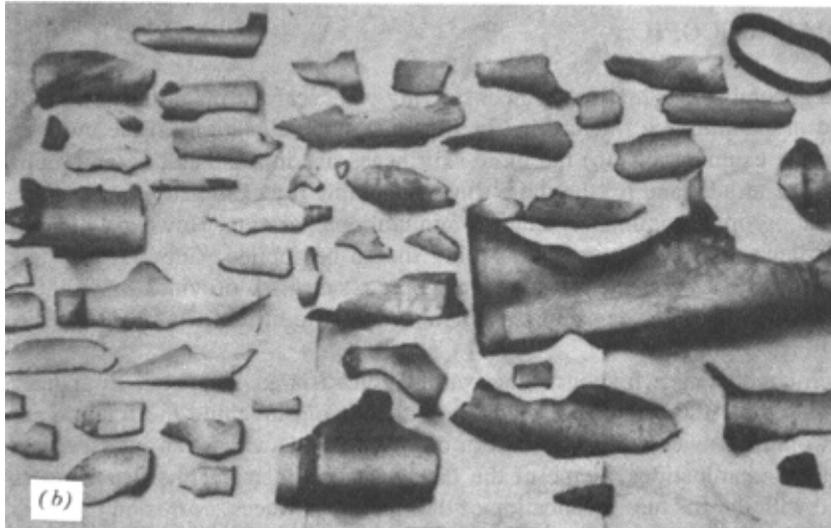
Brittle:
No
warning

Example: Failure of a Pipe

- **Ductile failure:**
 - one piece
 - large deformation



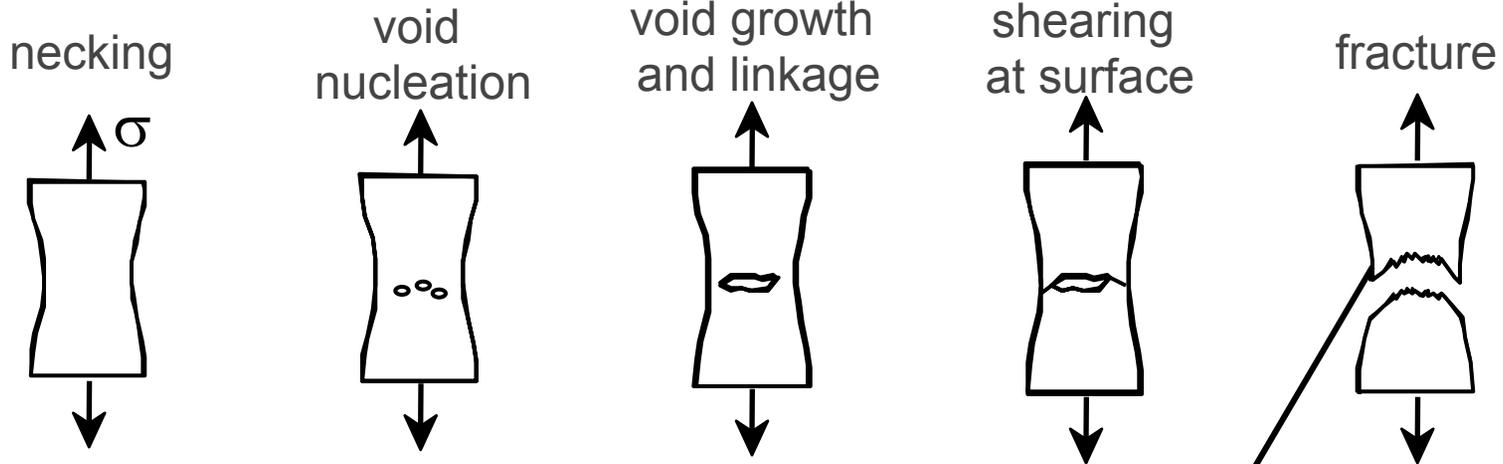
- **Brittle failure:**
 - many pieces
 - small deformation



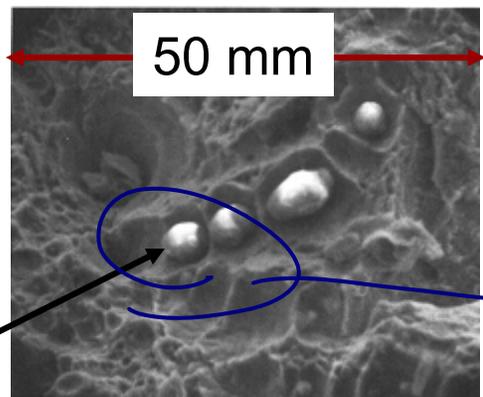
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Moderately Ductile Failure

- Evolution to failure:

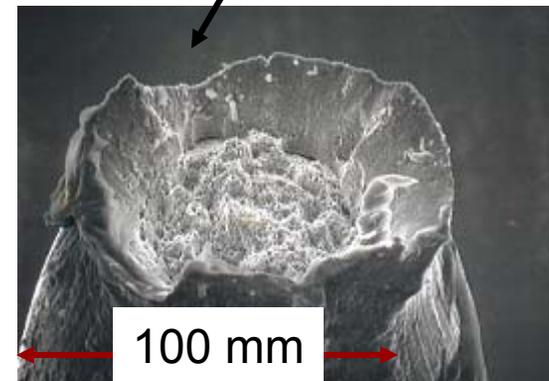


- Resulting fracture surfaces (steel)



particles serve as void nucleation sites.

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Fracture surface of tire cord wire loaded in tension. Courtesy of F. Roehrig, CC Technologies, Dublin, OH. Used with permission.

Ductile vs. Brittle Failure



cup-and-cone fracture

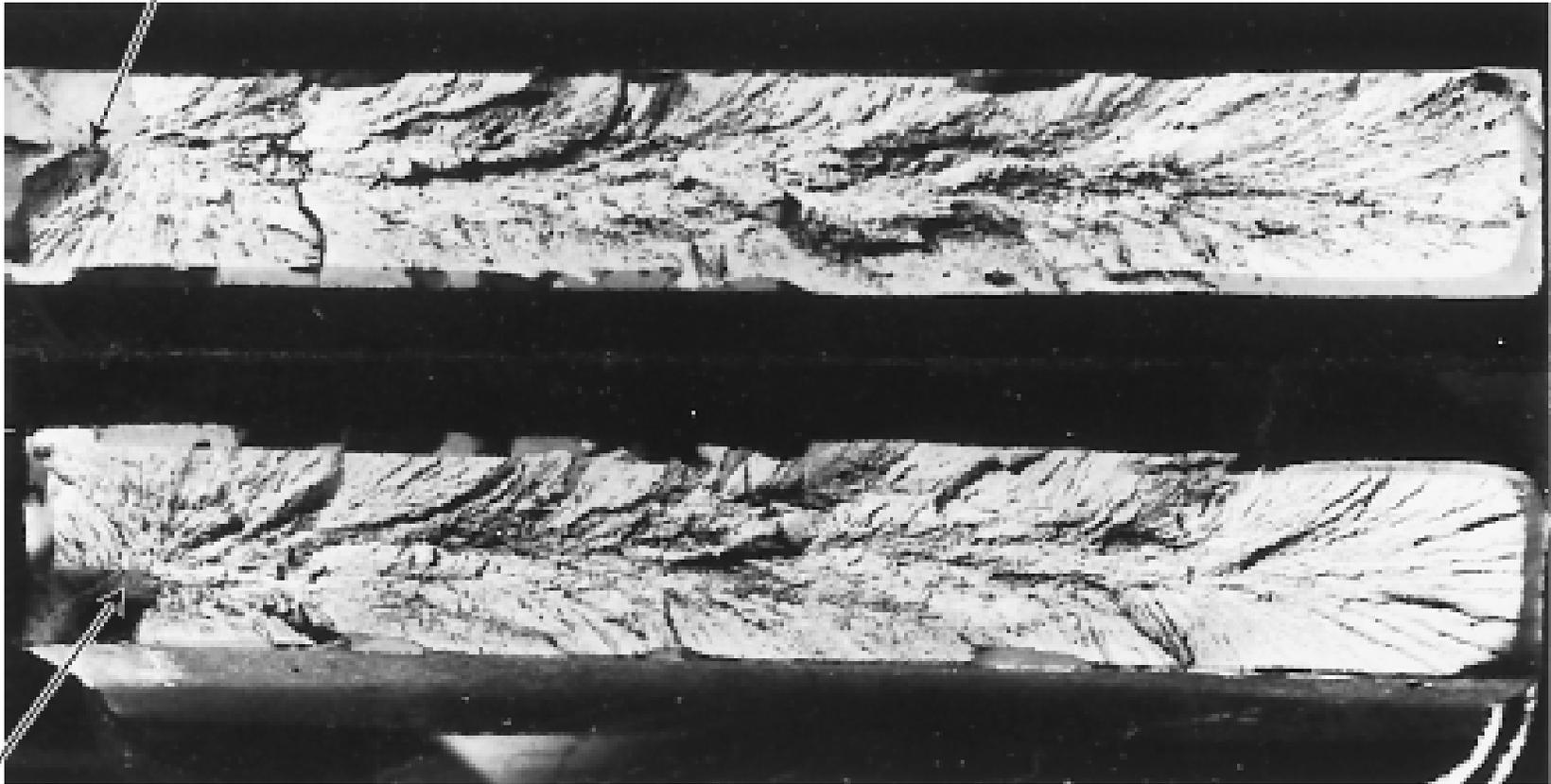


brittle fracture

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Brittle Failure

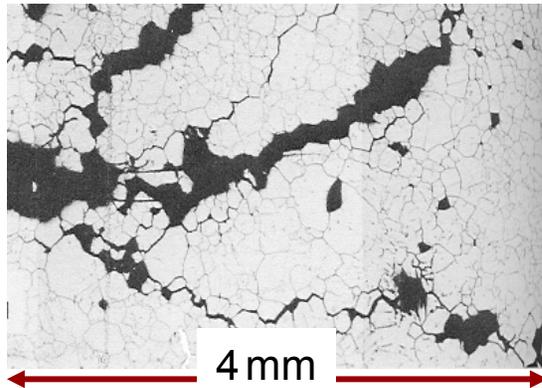
Arrows indicate pt at which failure originated



Adapted from Fig. 8.5(a), *Callister 7e*.

Brittle Fracture Surfaces

- Intergranular
(between grains)



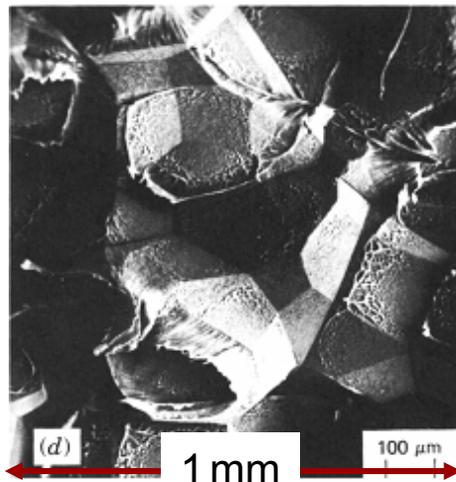
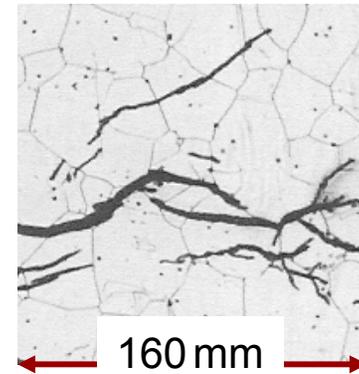
304 S. Steel (metal)

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- Intragranular
(within grains)

316 S. Steel (metal)

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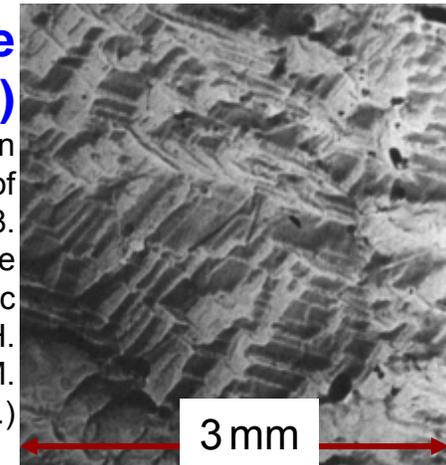


Polypropylene (polymer)

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Al Oxide (ceramic)

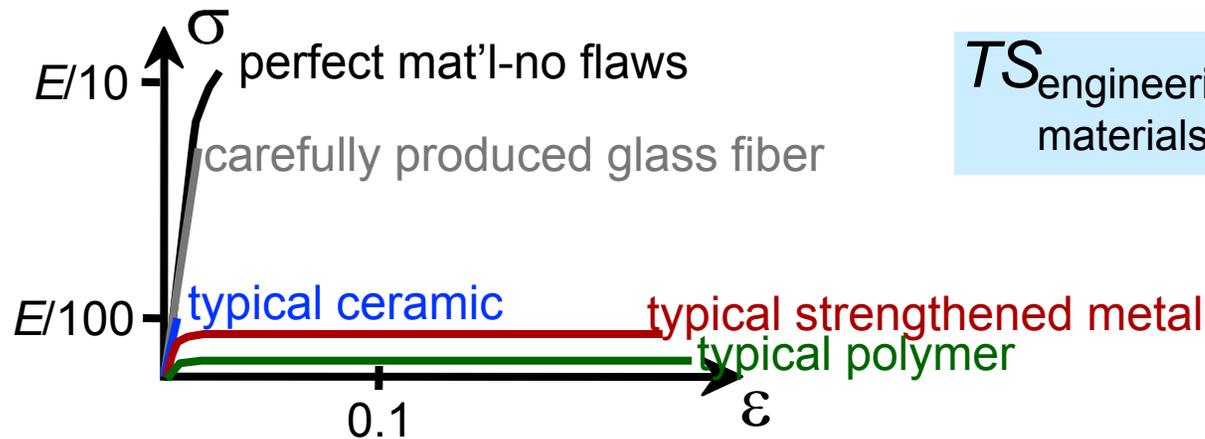
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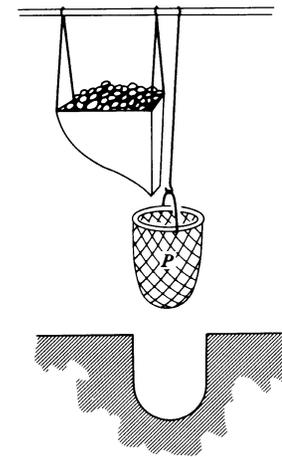
Ideal vs Real Materials

- Stress-strain behavior (Room T):



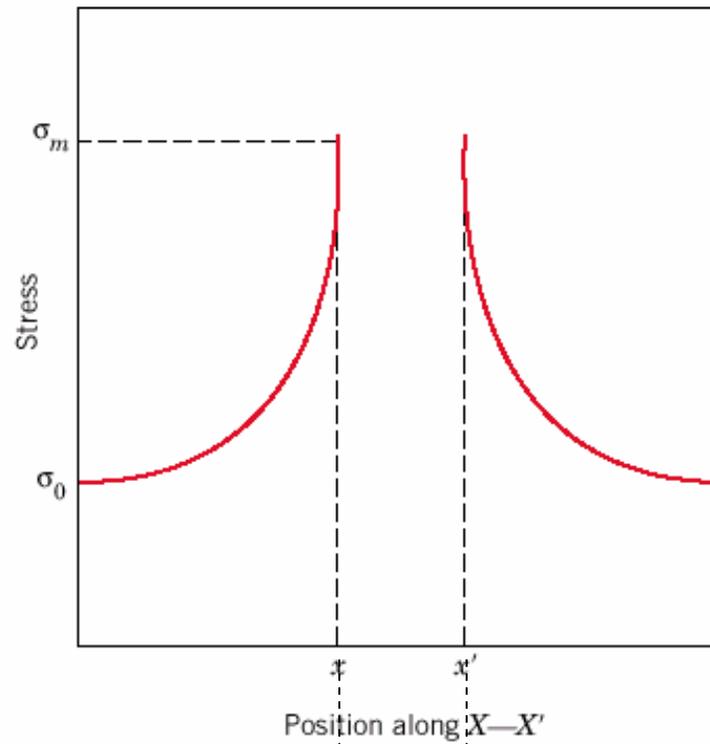
$$TS_{\text{engineering materials}} \ll TS_{\text{perfect materials}}$$

- DaVinci (500 yrs ago!) observed...
 - the longer the wire, the smaller the load for failure.
- Reasons:
 - flaws cause premature failure.
 - Larger samples contain more flaws!

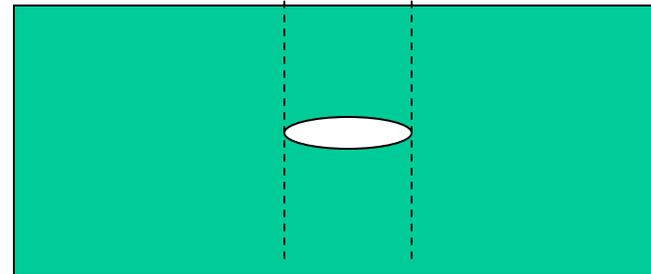


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Concentration of Stress at Crack Tip



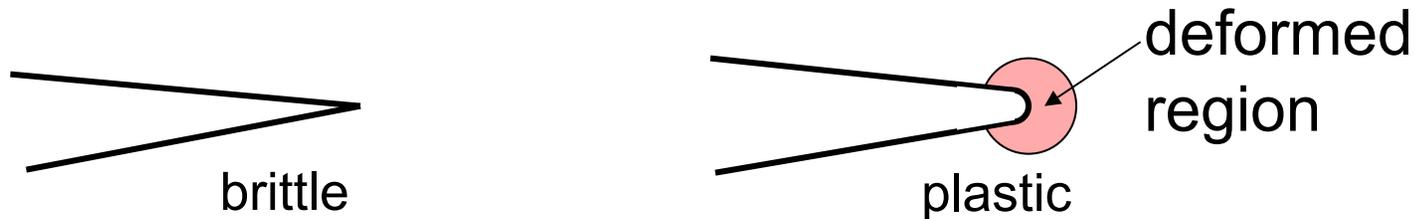
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Crack Propagation

Cracks propagate due to sharpness of crack tip

- A plastic material deforms at the tip, “blunting” the crack.



Energy balance on the crack

- Elastic strain energy-
 - energy stored in material as it is elastically deformed
 - this energy is released when the crack propagates
 - creation of new surfaces requires energy

Metals Ceramic Polymers Composites

When Does a Crack Propagate?

Crack propagates if above **critical stress** *Griffith*

i.e., $\sigma_m > \sigma_c$
 or $K_t > K_c$

$$\sigma_c = \left(\frac{2E\gamma_s}{\pi a} \right)^{1/2}$$

Fracture Toughness

geometrical parameter

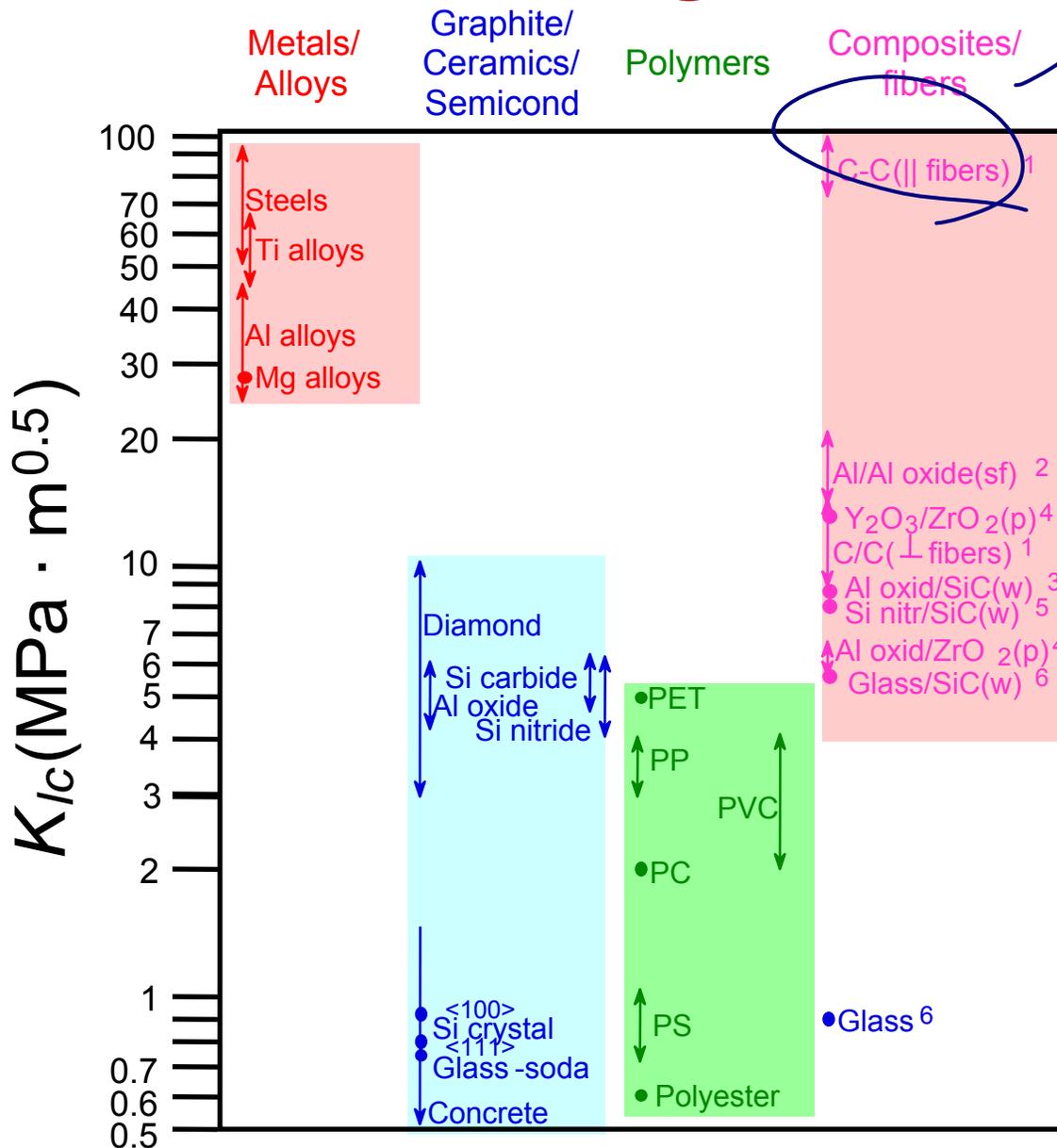
where

- E = modulus of elasticity
- γ_s = specific surface energy
- a = one half length of internal crack

$$K_c = Y\sigma_c \sqrt{\pi a}$$

For ductile => replace γ_s by $\gamma_s + \gamma_p$
 where γ_p is plastic deformation energy

Fracture Toughness



Based on data in Table B5,
Callister 7e.

Composite reinforcement geometry is: f = fibers; sf = short fibers; w = whiskers; p = particles. Addition data as noted (vol. fraction of reinforcement):

1. (55vol%) *ASM Handbook*, Vol. 21, ASM Int., Materials Park, OH (2001) p. 606.
2. (55 vol%) Courtesy J. Cornie, MMC, Inc., Waltham, MA.
3. (30 vol%) P.F. Becher et al., *Fracture Mechanics of Ceramics*, Vol. 7, Plenum Press (1986). pp. 61-73.
4. Courtesy CoorsTek, Golden, CO.
5. (30 vol%) S.T. Buljan et al., "Development of Ceramic Matrix Composites for Application in Technology for Advanced Engines Program", ORNL/Sub/85-22011/2, ORNL, 1992.
6. (20vol%) F.D. Gace et al., *Ceram. Eng. Sci. Proc.*, Vol. 7 (1986) pp. 978-82.

Design Against Crack Growth

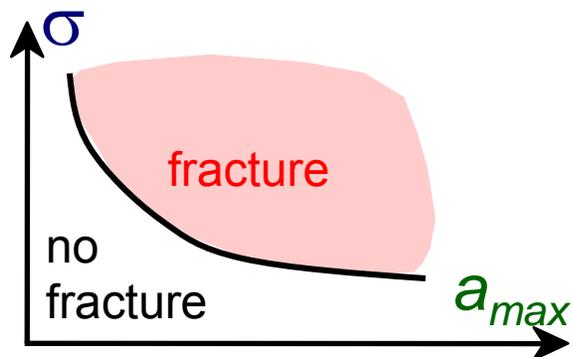
- Crack growth condition:

$$K \geq K_c = Y\sigma\sqrt{\pi a}$$

- Largest, most stressed cracks grow first!

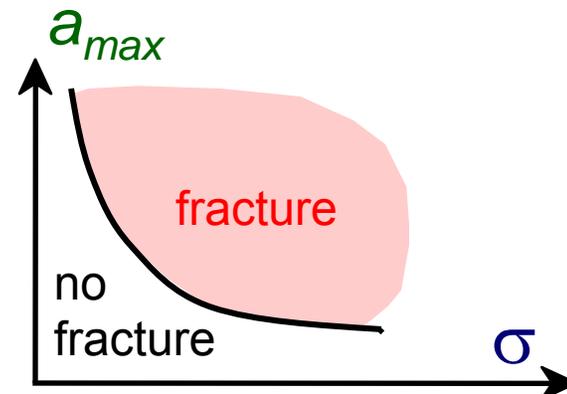
--Result 1: Max. flaw size dictates design stress.

$$\sigma_{design} < \frac{K_c}{Y\sqrt{\pi a_{max}}}$$



--Result 2: Design stress dictates max. flaw size.

$$a_{max} < \frac{1}{\pi} \left(\frac{K_c}{Y\sigma_{design}} \right)^2$$



Design Example: Aircraft Wing

- Material has $K_c = 26 \text{ MPa}\cdot\text{m}^{0.5}$
- Two designs to consider...

Design A

- largest flaw is 9 mm
- failure stress = 112 MPa

Design B

- use same material
- largest flaw is 4 mm
- failure stress = ?

- Use...

$$\sigma_c = \frac{K_c}{Y \sqrt{\pi a_{max}}}$$

Handwritten notes: K_c is labeled "fract toughness" and a_{max} is labeled "max flaw size".

- Key point: Y and K_c are the same in both designs.
- Result:

$$\left(\overset{112 \text{ MPa}}{\sigma_c} \sqrt{\overset{9 \text{ mm}}{a_{max}}} \right)_A = \left(\overset{4 \text{ mm}}{\sigma_c} \sqrt{a_{max}} \right)_B$$

Answer: $(\sigma_c)_B = 168 \text{ MPa}$

- Reducing flaw size pays off!

Engineering Design

- **Great, we can design to prevent brittle behavior**

- **Things still fail**

- **Creep**

- **Fatigue**

- **Next time!**

Ch 8