



Interaction entre localisation et endommagement lors de la rupture ductile : mesures tridimensionnelles *in situ*

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The chicken and egg question







Damage softening

Strain localisation

What is the origin of slant fracture?







Approach: Measure damage and strain *in situ* and simultaneously via two novel techniques

Outline





- Materials
- Synchrotron laminography:
 - imaging and damage analysis
- Digital volume correlation: volume strain measurement
- Strain and damage interactions ahead of a notch
 - Different materials
 - Origins?
- In situ damage evolution under shear loading
- Multiscale observations with enhanced resolution

2139 T3/T8 tensile stress stain curves







Application to AA2139-T3

Al-Cu alloy





initial porosity: 0.3% intermetallic content: 0.45%



OPrinciple





- Stick like samples
- Typical diameter 1 mm for µm resolution
- Observation of sheets for ductile tearing not possible!

Ductile fracture: laminography observation

O Principle

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L. Helfen et al., Appl. Phys. Lett. 2005 L. Helfen et al., Appl. Phys. Lett. 2009



- Specimen can be much larger than lateral field of view of detector!
- Major benefit: Possibility to observe *in situ* large thin samples at realistic sizes/ length scales
- Additional artefacts due to missing information
- Available at ESRF (ID15; ID19), KARA (TOPOTOMO; IMAGE-beamline)

In situ laminography

 $O\,\text{end-station}$ and loading device

- Dedicated *in situ* machines as there are specifications on:
 - geometry
 - weight









2 screw loading device Anti-buckling frame specimen

KIT- Laminography device at ESRF ID19/

Aluminium sheet investigated by laminography

- 2139 Al alloy in T3 condition,
- Specimen thickness 1mm
 - ~20 load steps via 2 load screws
 - T-L configuration







- Scan conditions, at ESRF ID19
 - Tilt angle 25 degree
 - Voxel size 0.7 µm
 - Scan time ~12 mins



Investigated ROI



Crack progression (and rolling) direction

notch -1. 200µm void Intermetallic particle

• 2139 T3: 2D section at mid-thickness

*Morgeneyer et al. Scripta Mat. 2011









200µm























































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• 2D section at mid-thickness



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- 2D view in propagation direction ~50µm ahead of notch
 - Laminography aretacts become visible



Crack ⊗ growth





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Zoom: Choice of voids

- 4 voids that will contribute to the final crack
- Investigate: shape change
 - orientation change
 - how they contribution to final crack









View View (a) (c) (b) (d) (b) (d)

4 Voids (at different load steps) before coalescence

- Void in the flat region grows symmetrically
- Voids on slant region rotate and grow towards slant failure



*[T. Ueda *et al.*, 2014, *Acta Mat*]

Void contribution to final fracture



(b) Void(close-surface)



2D sections of laminography data

What does the strain field look like?

*[T. Ueda *et al.*, 2014, *Acta Mat*]

 Voids in the slant regions at the specimen surface do not fully contribute to the crack surface







Strain measurement

Digital (Image) Volume Correlation

- Gray level (2D or) 3D images
- Image 1: $f(\underline{x})$ image 2: $g(\underline{x})$
- Conservation of grey levels

$$f(\underline{x}) \cong g(\underline{x} + \underline{u}(\underline{x}))$$





What if damage sets in?

• Measure $\underline{u}(\underline{x})$?

Global DVC (Correli C8)

F.Hild, S.Roux [Roux et al. Comp. Part A 2008] LMT Cachan



'COMINSIDE' project: 1. Laminography imaging +

2. strain measurement +

3. microstructructural simulation (CEMEF)



[Morgeneyer et al., 2013, Exp. Mech]

Digital Volume Correlation on *in-situ* SRCLaminography data

- Performance assessment: correlation of 2 scans of undeformed material of the same ROI: rigid body motion
- scan centre shifted





Microstructure: aluminium alloy AA 2198-T8





Grain structure (by gallium wetting):



200µm

Particle volume fraction: 0.34% Void volume fraction: < 0.03%

AA 2198 T8







Mechanical experiment + laminography





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Digital volume correlation





Size of the ROI: 1184 x 512 x 992 voxels (830 µm x 360 µm x 700 µm)

32-voxel elements: Less than 0.1% of strain uncertainty Spatial resolution: Twice the element size: 2 x 32 voxel = 45 μm

Voxel length: 0.7 μm











*[Morgeneyer *et al.,* 2014, *Acta Mat.* 69 pp. 78-91] Master Thesis: T. Taillandier-Thomas



200µm Rendered voids in:

Loadstep (1)

























Strain evolution





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Measured vs. simulated field



O AA2198

- Result from 3D FE simulation with ideal bounday conditions using:
 - 1. von Mises plasticity
 - or 2. GTN model
 - (or 3. macroscopic anisotropic model)



Different ROI : closer to the notch





- Getting closer to the notch*
- Assess other strain components





Reminder





• Plane strain direction in a thick sample: thickness direction!



Cuts normal to propagation direction









Bands appearance is favoured by plane strain conditions, i.e. structural effect!

- *In situ* observations at micrometre scale of notch-microstructure interactions are possible via *in situ* synchrotron laminography
- Evolution of (pre-existing) voids can be observed and measured:
 - Symmetric void growth on the flat crack
 - Void reorientation on the slant crack
- For materials with initial image contrast simultaneous strain and damage measurement are possible
 - Uncertainty about 1% strain for AA
- Strain concentration in the slant bands precedes the onset of damage
 - The bands cannot be reproduced with von Mises plasticity or the Gurson model
- Do other materials show a similar slant strain concentration bands ?





AA 2198 T3





• Al-Cu-Li alloy


Strain field far ahead of notch for 2198 T3 Cumulated von Mises strain (0) - (3)0.00e+00 0.003 0.006 1.40e-02 0.009 Direct correlations 400 350 300 [unf] 200 150 100 (4) (5) State (6) (7)(8) (9) crack propagation direction 200 µm

• early strained band despite high work hardening

Strain field far ahead of notch for 2198 T3



Cumulated von Mises strain (0) - (4) 0.00e+00 0.008 0.016 0.024 3.86e-02

Direct correlations







• early strained band despite high work hardening

Strain field far ahead of notch for 2198 T3



Cumulated von Mises strain

Direct correlations







• early strained band despite high work hardening

Strain field far ahead of notch for 2198 T3 Cumulated von Mises strain (0) - (6)0.00e+00 0.01 0.03 0.04 6.61e-02 Direct correlations 350 300 [unf] 200 150 100 (4) (5) State (3) (6) (7) (8) (9) crack propagation direction 200 µm

• early strained band despite high work hardening

Strain field far ahead of notch for 2198 T3 Cumulated von Mises strain

Direct correlations





• early strained band despite high work hardening

Strain field far ahead of notch for 2198 T3 Final fracture



Direct correlations



• early strained band despite high work hardening





Strain field for AA2139 T3

Perspectives: Effect of material (2139 T3)



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2.5

O Effect of strain hardening and initial porosity

Thickness direction,

Crack propagation

• Initial microstructure and incremental strain field



700 µm



Incremental von Mises equivalent strain: $p_{eq}(u_{b-i})$







Incremental strain: $p_{eq}(u_{i-m})$









Incremental strain: $p_{eq}(u_{m-r})$









Incremental strain: $p_{eq}(u_{r-s})$





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Incremental strain: $p_{eq}(u_{s-t})$







Incremental strain: $p_{eq}(u_{t-u})$





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Incremental strain: $p_{eq}(u_{u-v})$





Incremental strain field: 2139 T3



Incremental strain: $p_{eq}(u_{u-v})$







Incremental strain: $p_{eq}(u_{v-w})$









Microstructure: 2139 T3









Microstructure: 2139 T3 at fracture ...









Slant strain bands with intermittent activity precede slant fracture





Strain field for AA2139 T8



max

4.0 %

max

3.8 %

Т3

AA



Morgeneyer et al. JMPS 2016



Buljac et al. Acta Mat 2014



All four materials show early slant concentration bands in the slant fracture region

Ductile failure: Perspectives



- Plasticity needs to be reproduced numerically to predict slant fracture
 - Possible localisation origin:
 - Strain rate effects : Portevin Le Chatelier !
 - Crystal plasticity and texture
 - Other yield behavior / criteria (*e.g.* Mohr Coulomb)???

Portevin Le Chatelier Effect?

- Steel (Interstitial atoms: C, N), Aluminium alloy (Substitutional atoms: Cu, Li, Mg)
- Dynamic strain ageing: interaction between mobile dislocations and solute diffusion
- Macroscopic manifestation:
 - Temperature and strain rate related;
 - Negative strain rate sensitivity (nSRS);
 - Serrated yielding and localized deformation.
- Consequences
 - Unsightly surface marking;
 - Loss of toughness and ductility.







PLC effect in 2139 T3 triggered by interrupted loading



McCormick + Rousselier model simulations



Incremental fields : experiment (equivalent strain)









• Simulations







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Changing loading conditions : shear loading

Experimental Set-up

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Damage mechanism

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Fractography

2 μm Small dimples <u>2.00 κ</u>CaO particle_{FaceB_15} Large dimple^{SE1}

Conclusions on FB600 shear





- Voids nucleate and grow around particles even under shear-dominated loading conditions
- Elongated voids grow along the direction of maximum principal stress (simulation)
- Localization bands form along the direction of maximum shear (simulation)
- Shear localization possible at low void volume fractions (less than 0.02%)





Incrasing resolution

Nucleation/Coalescence observed by enhanced resolution



OESRF ID22, ID16: Magnified Holotomography (P. Cloetens)



Outlook: cooperations welcome!





- Mechatronic in situ machine
 - 10 kN capacity with load cell
 - Tension-compression
 - Various stress states
 - Leading to fast scanning (1h per sample)

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Questions?



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