

Physique statistique de la rupture hétérogène (nominalement) fragile Succès et limites actuelles



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Complexity in brittle fracture

 σ_{0}



Stress concentration at preexisting cracks/defects

- Sensitivity to microscopic defects
- ➔ Statistical aspects at the macroscopic scale
- ➔ Size-dependency for strength
- Dominated by extreme events statistics

Continuum engineering approach



A.A. Griffith, Phil. Trans. R. Soc. London (1920)

W. Weibull, Proc. R. Swed. Int. Eng. Res. (1939) 03/22

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Shortcomings in continuum fracture theory...



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On jerky dynamics in cracks



Interfacial cracks

Maloy et al. PRL 2006



Activity in saphir monocrystals at 10mK (CRESST experiment)





On jerky dynamics in cracks

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870 - 877 B

Probability density



6.155

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On jerky dynamics in cracks

1990 A.T.



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Continuum approach : principle



Continuum approach : principle



Formalism



Fracture mechanics Elastic material Speed $_{local} \propto (G - \Gamma)_{local}$ Local shear $\equiv 0$ Spatially-distributed fracture energy due to microstructure disorder Coupling between front corrugation and local energy release/local SIF

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System of two *stochastic* equations (Langevin-like), describing crack propagation

- Quenched noise *explicitly account for the microstructure disorder*
- (Long range) *interaction kernel account for retroaction of front distortion* onto local loading

Path equation

→ Capture the statistics of fracture roughness

Equation of motion

→ Capture the statistical aspects associated with intermittent dynamics

Details

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Variety of universal & predictable scale invariant features, e.g.:

► Distribution of size & duration: $P(A) \sim A^{-\tau} f_A\left(\frac{A}{A_0}\right)$, $P(D) \sim D^{-\alpha} f_D\left(\frac{D}{D_0}\right)$ with known $\tau \approx 1.28$, $\alpha \approx 1.5$, $f_A(u)$, $f_B(u)$ Ertas & Kardar 1994 PRE, Rosso et al. 2009

Average pulse shape:

Laurson et al. Nat. Com. 2013, Dobrinevski et al. EPL 2014, Tiery et al. EPL 2016

Self-affine nature of f and associated roughness exponent $\zeta \approx 0.39$ Rosso et al. PRE 2002, Duemmer & Krauth J.Stat. Mech. 2007

Outline

I. Heterogeneous fracture and elastic line formalism

- > Two key ingredients: interaction kernel H and spatial disorder γ
- ➤ Crack onset ≡ depinning transition
- Jerky dynamics self-adjustment of forcing around critical value
- Variety of universal (and predictable) scale invariant features and scaling laws

II. Confrontation to 2D interfacial fracture experiments

III. Confrontation to 3D fracture

IV. Other avenues for extension



Maloy et al, PRL, 2006

Numerical simulation of the elastic line model



Bares 2014, Pindra & Ponson PRE 2017

100

150

Ζ

200

250

50

Activity map W(x,y)Maloy et al, PRL 2006

Time spent by the front in(x,y)



Activity map W(x,y)Maloy et al, PRL 2006

Time spent by the front in(x,y)

Avalanche definition Zones où W(z,x) < C<W>



Avalanche duration

- = last time spent in avalanche
 - first time in avalanche





Janicevicz et al. PRL 2016

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Beyond scaling features ... kernel refinement and quantitative tests

$$\mu \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \bar{G} - \bar{\Gamma} + \bar{G}H(\{f\}, z) + \gamma(z, f)$$

> 1st order+semi-infinite:
$$H(\{f\}, z) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{f(z', t) - f(z, t)}{(z' - z)^2} dz'$$

Rice JAM (1985):

Recent kernel refinement:

2nd order+semi-infinite Adda Bedia et al. 2006, Leblond et al. EFM 2012:

1st order+thin plate

Legrand et al IJF 2011

Beyond scaling features ... kernel refinement and quantitative tests



Dalmas et al. (JMPS) 2009, Patinet et al. (JMPS) 2013

Outline

- I. Heterogeneous fracture and elastic line formalism
- II. Confrontation to 2D interfacial fracture experiments
 - Many of the (analytically or theoretically) predicted scale invariant features, scaling laws, pulse shapes... verified in (Oslo) 2D interfacial experiment
 - Availability of more refined interaction kernels
 ... describing quantitatively 2D single-defect well-controlled experiments
- III. Confrontation to 3D fracture

IV. Other avenues for futur extension





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Bares PhD, 2013, Bares et al. PRL 2014



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Out-of-plane roughness in 3D fractured solids ... Path equation



Local symmetry principle $K_{II}(M) = 0$

Goldstein & Salganic (1974)

Ramanathan et al. PRL 1997, DB et al. PRL 2006, Bares et al. Front. Phys. 2014

Out-of-plane roughness in 3D fractured solids



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Out-of-plane roughness in 3D fractured solids Path equation vs. fractography (in glass)



Surface simulated from the path equation predicted in the stochastic formalism



J. Barés et al. Front. Phys. (2014)



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4×4µm²

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Prediction *e.g.* on structure function $S(\Delta z) = \left\langle \left(h(z + \Delta z) - h(z) \right)^2 \right\rangle$







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Verified on phase separated glass



Out-of-plane roughness in 3D fractured solids Path equation vs. other fracto. Exp.



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Prediction *e.g.* on structure function 2^{2}

 $S(\Delta z) = \left\langle \left(h(z + \Delta z) - h(z) \right)^2 \right\rangle$ $S \approx A \ell^2 \log(B \Delta z / \ell)$





... And many more reporting selfaffine, rather than logarithmic out-ofplane roughness

Bouchaud EPL 1990, Maloy et al. PRL 1992, Bouchaud JPCM (1997), DB & Bouchaud Phys. Rep (2011)...

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Surface simulated from the path equation predicted in the stochastic formalism



- Roughness slope $\ll 1$
- Roughness scale \gg disorder scale ℓ
- Roughness wavelength \ll geometry/loading scales L
- Principle of local symetry $\Rightarrow K_{II} = 0$

Other difficulty

Physical nature of the disorder term?



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→ Matthias's talk

Not valid here

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- Crackling dynamics also observed in 3D crack gorwth
- > Despite huge fluctuations, $v(t) \sim dE/dt$ > consistent with depinning approach
- Scale invariant feature in qualitative, not quantitative agreement with elastic line formalism
- Same for the morphological scaling feature of out-of-plane roughness
- Both interaction kernel and spatial disorder not easy to interpret in path equation

IV. Other avenues for future extension

Toward elastodynamic line models of fracture



$$\mu \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = \bar{G} - \bar{\Gamma} + \bar{G}H(\{f\}(t)) + \gamma(z, f)$$

Till now elastic line models restricted to slow cracks, with *interaction kernels* derived from elastostaticity

Still many instability/high fluctuations arise at high speed



Transition to mist/hackle fracture surface at high speed



Sharon et al. Nature (1999)

Toward elastodynamic line models of fracture $\mathbf{A} \ \overline{G}$ A priori possible...



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Availibility of elastodynamics kernels Movchan & Willis JMPS 1995, 1997, Ramanathan Fisher PRL 1997

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$$\mathscr{G}(z,t) = \left(\frac{2c_{r}t}{\pi z^{2}} \frac{H(\sqrt{c_{r}^{2} - v_{0}^{2}}t - |z|)}{(\sqrt{c_{r}^{2} - v_{0}^{2}}t^{2} - z^{2})^{1/2}} - \frac{c_{d}t}{\pi z^{2}} \frac{H(\sqrt{c_{d}^{2} - v_{0}^{2}}t - |z|)}{(\sqrt{c_{d}^{2} - v_{0}^{2}}t^{2} - z^{2})^{1/2}}\right)$$
$$- \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_{c_{s}}^{c_{d}} \theta(\eta, cd, cs) \frac{\eta^{2} + v_{0}^{2}}{\eta^{2} - v_{0}^{2}}t \frac{H(\sqrt{\eta^{2} - v_{0}^{2}}t - |z|)}{(\sqrt{\eta^{2} - v_{0}^{2}}t^{2} - z^{2})^{3/2}} d\eta$$
$$\mathscr{O} A. Dubois$$

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Memory → lack of stationary regime Problem of wave reflections in finite width...

In a nutshell:

- Interface growth model and paradigm of depinning transition provide a promising framework to nominally brittle fracture of heterogeneous materials: able to explain crackling dynamics and (out-of-plane) roughness
- Quantitative agreement between theoretical/numerical predictions in situations where microstructure scale < observation zone < structure scale [not so clear otherwise]

A wish: An interaction kernel for finite width?

- Some questions arises when out-of-plane roughness is considered: Meaning of disorder ? Importance of neglected terms?
- A wish: extension to dynamic crack growth using elastodynamic interaction kernels. A priori available, but for infinite/periodic width & the question of finite width all the more important there

Continuum fracture mechanics (LEFM) A complete description



Where ??

Goldstein and Salganik (1974) Cotterell & Rice (1980)

Path selected so that shear stress vanishes

When ?? $G > \Gamma$

At which speed ??

Eshelby (1969), Kostrov (1966) and Freund (1972)

 $A(\boldsymbol{v})G = \Gamma$

« relativistic » factor: $A(v) \sim (1 - v/C_R)$

C_R Rayleigh wave speed



Equation of motion

Ingredients

Elastostatic framework

2D geometry

Non-correlated spatial disorder

 $\frac{\partial f}{\partial t}(M) = G(M) - \Gamma(M)$

Schmittbuhl et al., PRL (1995), Ramanathan et al. PRL, (1997), Bonamy et al PRL, 2008





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Elastic manifold with long range interaction propagating within a random potential

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