

Advances in Stochastic Peridynamic Theory

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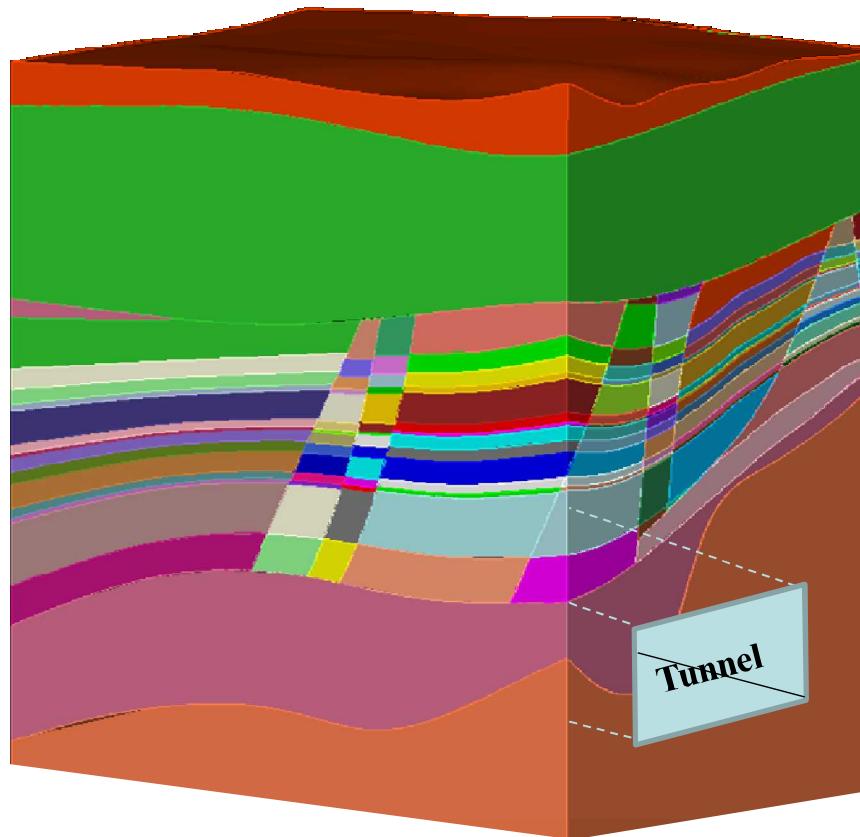
Outline of Presentation

- **Background and Significance**
- **Peridynamic Theory**
- **Stochastic Peridynamic Theory**
- **Geomaterials in Stochastic Peridynamic Theory**
- **Concluding Remarks**



Background and Significance

- The stability of tunnels in hard rock geologies under ground shock loading is of direct consequence to studies of vulnerability or survivability of deeply-buried hard targets.



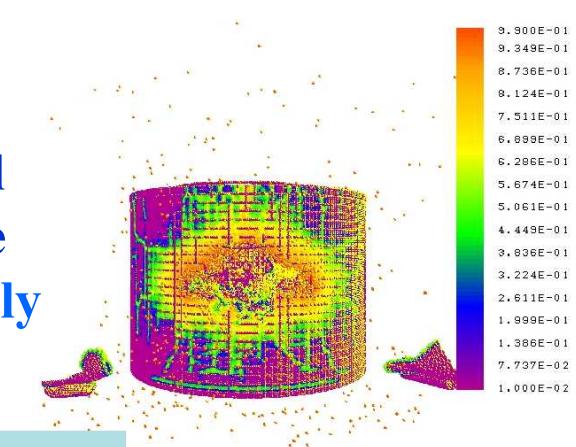
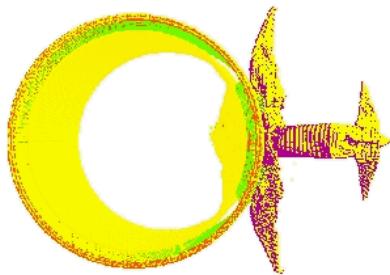
- To meet these challenges, peridynamic theory, the mechanics of random media, and the mechanics of fractal media will be combined.

Peridynamic Theory

- *Peridynamic theory is a theory of continuum mechanics that uses integro-differential equations without spatial derivatives rather than partial differential equations.*
 - Bond-Based Peridynamics¹
 - State-Based Peridynamics²
- **Peridynamic means “near force”.**

Why use peridynamic theory?

The fundamental partial differential equations used in conventional finite element or particle codes **do not apply** at discontinuities.



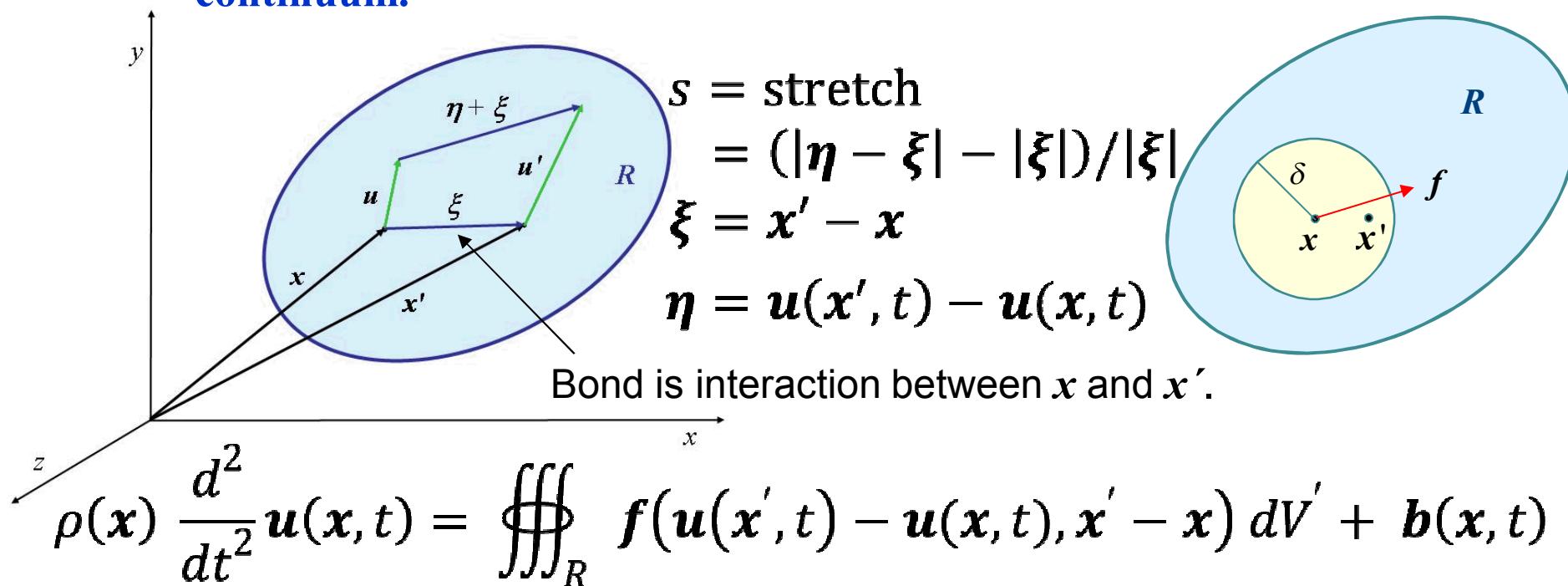
With peridynamics, cracks are part of the solution, not part of the problem.

¹S.A. Silling, “Reformulation of elasticity theory for discontinuities and long-range forces,” *J. Mech. Phys. Solids*, **48** (2000), 175-209.

² S.A. Silling *et al.*, “Peridynamic States and Constitutive Modeling,” *J Elasticity* **88** (2007), 151–184.

The Fundamental Equation of Peridynamic Theory

- In bond-based peridynamics, the force state at a point is given by a functional over the pairwise interactions with all other points in the continuum.



ρ is the density,

t is the time,

R is the computation domain, f is the pairwise force function,

\mathbf{b} is the body force,

x is the position vector,

\mathbf{u} is the displacement vector,

δ is the horizon.

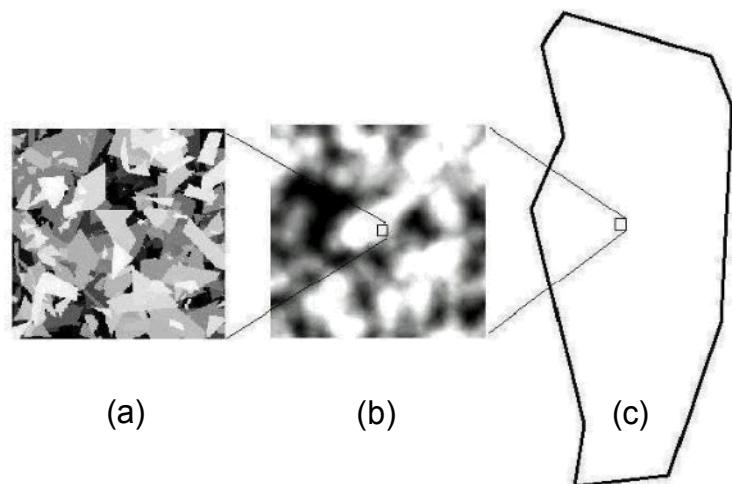
Formulating Stochastic Peridynamics

- **General Approach**

- Develop a stochastic peridynamic theory that combines peridynamic theory with random or fractal material characterization of (geo)materials.
- Verify implementation by studying shock propagation in random or fractal media with joints and faults and effects at boundaries.

- **Three Scales**

- *microscale*: average grain size d (microstructure)
- *mesoscale*: L
 - if not representative volume element (RVE), then inhomogeneous continuum
- *macroscale*: L_{macro}



Separation of scales $d \ll L \ll L_{macro}$ does not hold on wavefronts!



Formulating Stochastic Peridynamics

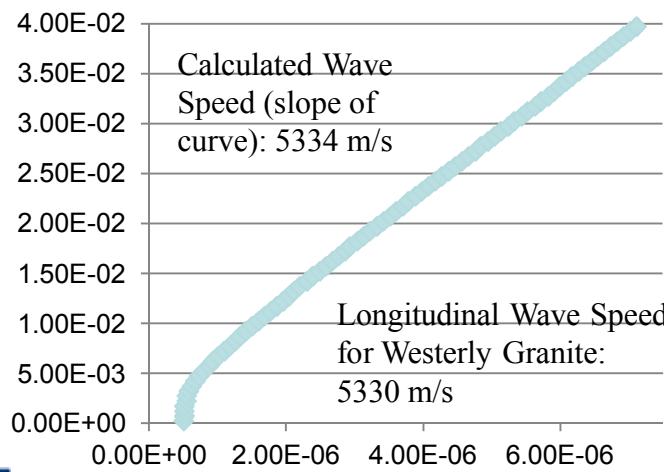
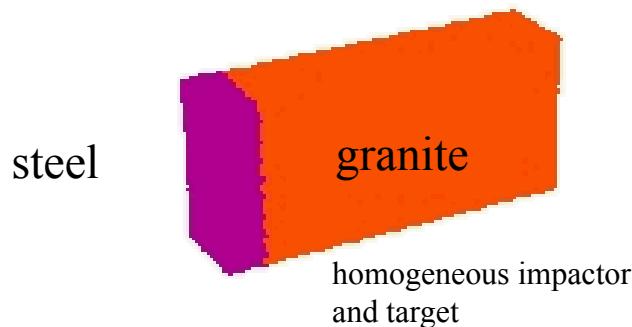
- **Field equation:** $\rho(x, \omega) \frac{d^2}{dt^2} u(x, t) = \iiint_R f(\eta, \xi, \omega) dV'$
- **Randomness enters through the random fields:**
 - density $\rho(x, \omega), \omega \in \Omega$ (sample space)*
 - pairwise force function $f(\eta, \xi, \omega)$ which for microelastic or microplastic materials depends on bulk modulus $K(x, \omega)$ and yield strength $Y(x, \omega)$*
 - critical stretch $s_0(x, \omega)$ (maximum value of stretch s)*
- **Thus, the random medium \mathbf{B} is characterized by:**

$$\mathbf{B} = \{\rho(x, \omega), K(x, \omega), Y(x, \omega), s_0(x, \omega) : x \in \mathbb{E}^3, \omega \in \Omega\}$$

Wave Propagation in Granite

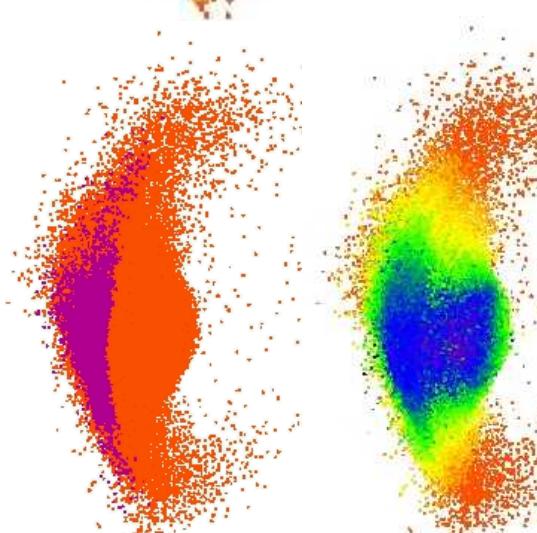
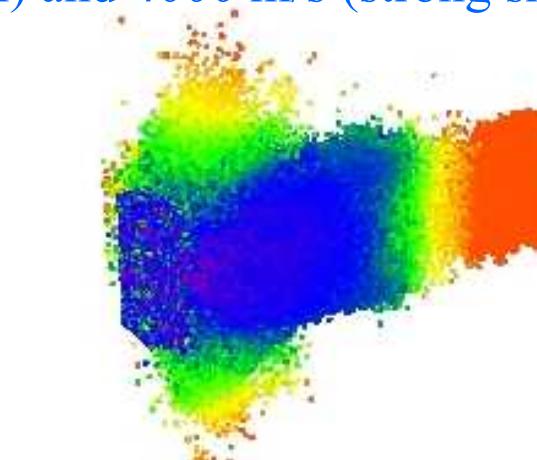
- **Impact Simulations:**

- 0.5-cm x 2-cm x 2-cm steel object impacting a 4-cm x 2-cm x 2-cm Westerly Granite column at 100 m/s (spall) and 4000 m/s (strong shock)



Times at which Tracers First Move

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velocity magnitude at 250 μ s for 100 m/s impact

materials and velocity magnitude at 15.1 μ s for 4000 m/s impact



Wave Propagation in Homogeneous and Heterogeneous Geologic Materials

- **We first permitted these material properties to vary spatially with the sample space via some distribution.**
 - Next 5 slides review work reported for perturbing location of nodes, random fields for some material properties, and jointed media.
- **Then we generated realizations of correlated, random-field properties using the R software.**
 - In reality, each material property is spatially correlated and we must generate the material-property field having some spatial correlation.
 - We can create different random field models depending on the assumed correlation structure and probability distribution.
 - We examine the response of the material domain to the same impact conditions in each model and make comparisons of the reference homogeneous medium case (zero noise) with random-field models, white noise and non-white noise using different spatial correlations.



Heterogeneous Material Simulations

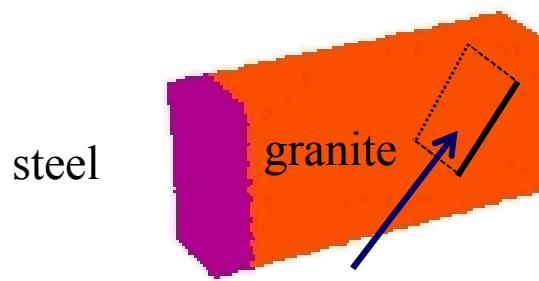
1. Locations of nodes perturbed
2. Bulk modulus from a Weibull population

$$\Psi = \frac{m}{K_0} \left(\frac{K}{K_0} \right)^{m-1} \exp \left[- \left(\frac{K}{K_0} \right)^m \right]$$

K_0 is scale parameter
 m is homogeneity index or shape parameter (larger more homogeneous)

$$\text{mean } \mu = K_0 \Gamma \left(1 + \frac{1}{m} \right) \quad (\Gamma \text{ is gamma function})$$

3. Critical stretch from a Weibull population
4. Jointed homogeneous granite



plane across which bonds are broken



Summary of Results for Wave Speeds (100 m/s impact)

Heterogeneity	Bulk Modulus m	Critical Stretch m	Wave Speed (m/s)
Homogeneous	---	---	5334
Node Locations	---	---	5431
Weibull K	0.5	---	3371
Weibull K	50	---	5317
Weibull s_0	---	0.5	5334
Weibull s_0	---	50	5334
Weibull K and s_0	0.5	0.5	3371
Joint (oblique)*	---	---	5334
Joint (oblique)**	---	---	---

Longitudinal wave speed for Westerly granite is 5.33 km/s.

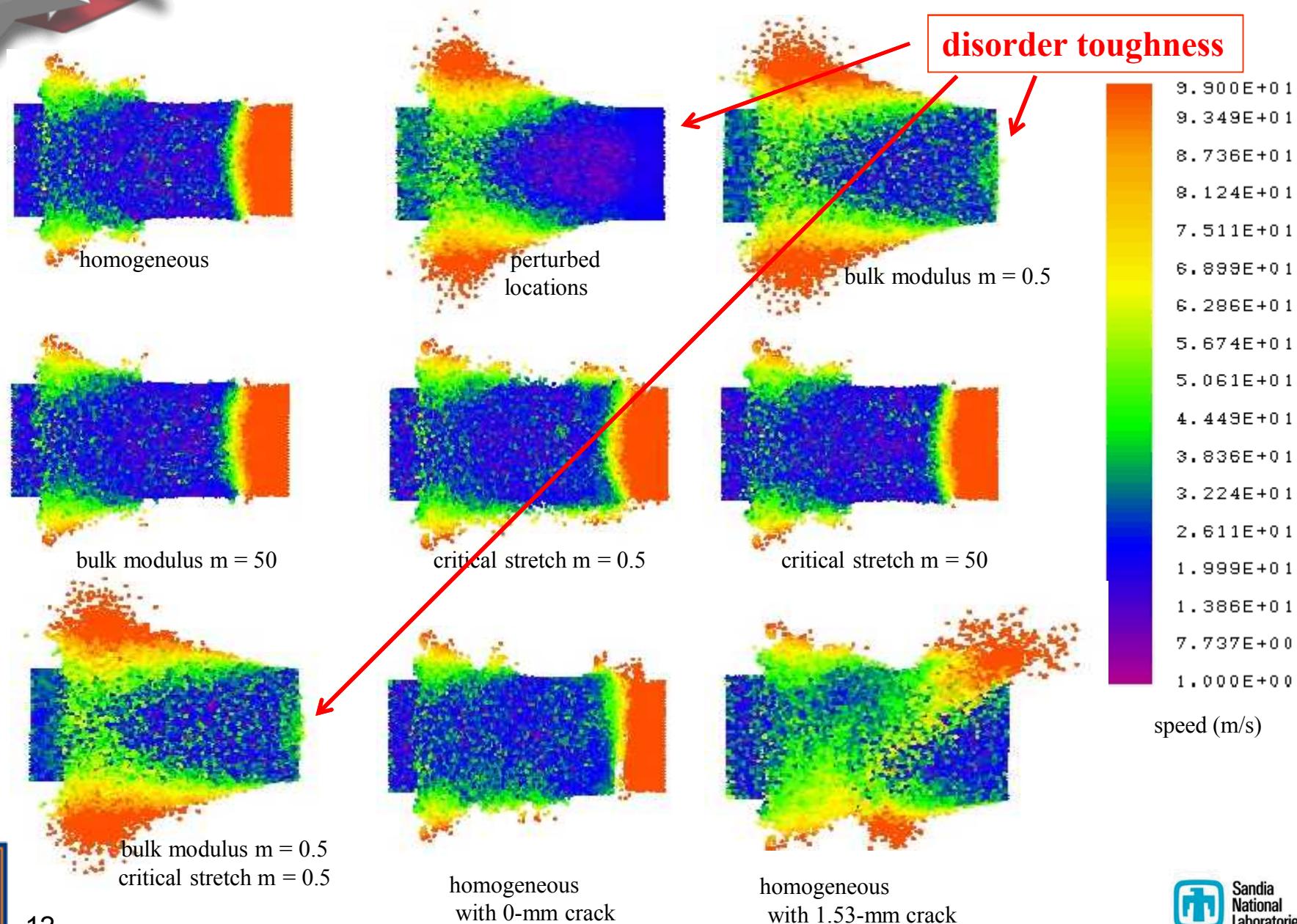
Shock wave speed for 100 m/s impact of steel into Westerly granite is 2241 m/s.

Therefore, not in strong shock regime.

*Crack thickness is zero.

**Crack thickness is 1.53 mm.

Speeds at 100 μ s (100 m/s impact)



Summary of Results for Wave Speeds (4000 m/s impact)

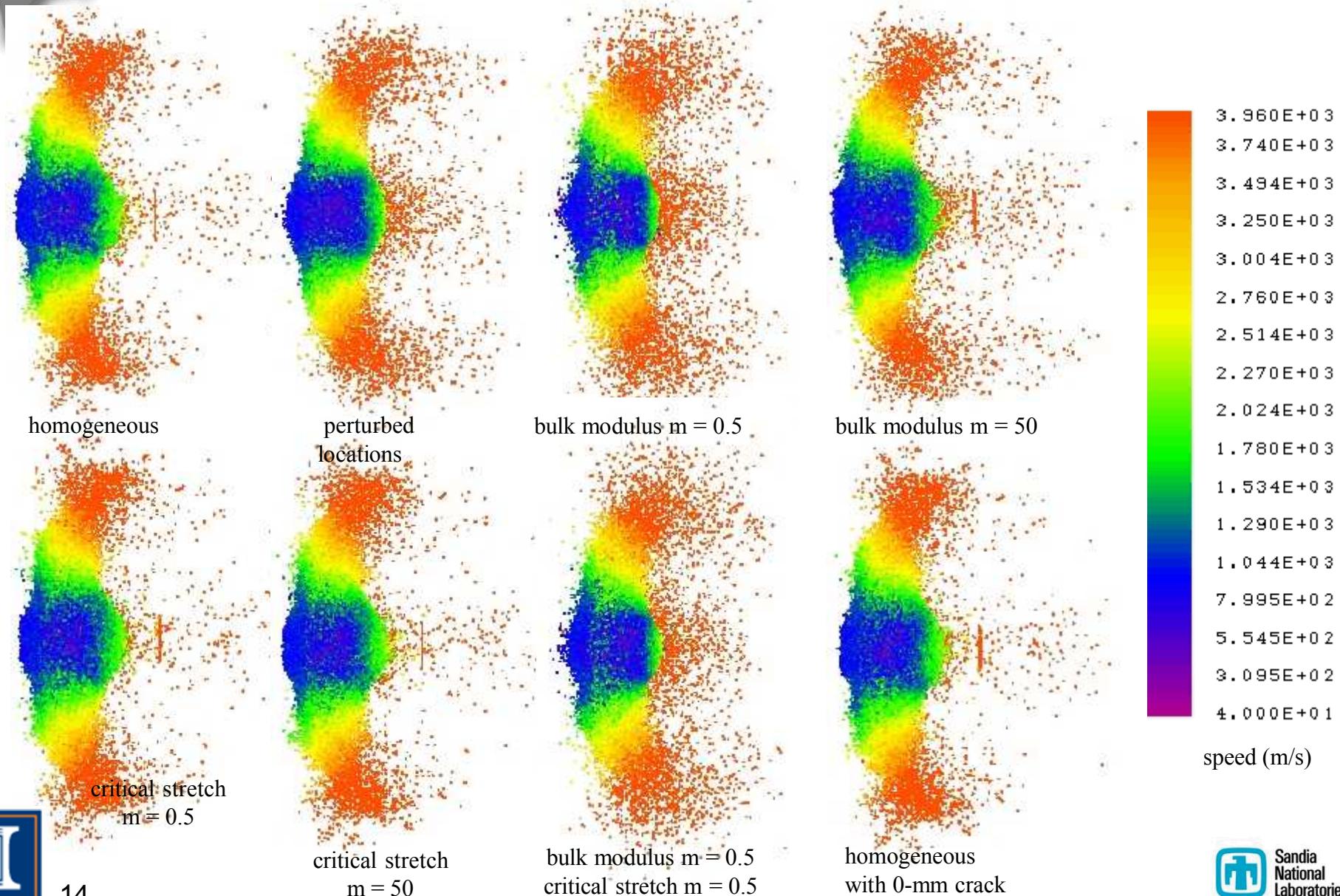
Heterogeneity	Bulk Modulus m	Critical Stretch m	Wave Speed (m/s)
Homogeneous	---	---	6909
Node Locations	---	---	6707
Weibull K	0.5	---	6330
Weibull K	50	---	6937
Weibull s_0	---	0.5	6910
Weibull s_0	---	50	6910
Weibull K and s_0	0.5	0.5	6275
Joint (oblique)*	---	---	6909
Joint (oblique)**	---	---	---

Shock wave speed for 4000 m/s impact of steel into Westerly granite is 6866 m/s.
Obtained from linear Hugoniot $U_{\text{shock}} = 2.10 \text{ km/s} + 1.63 u_{\text{particle}}$ (U and u velocities).

*Crack thickness is zero.

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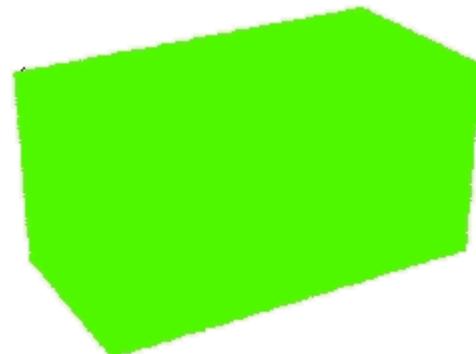
Speeds at 15 μ s (4000 m/s impact)



Density Random Field

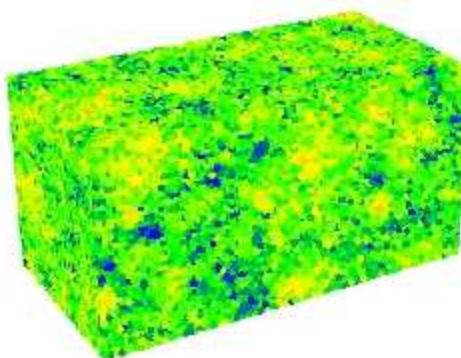
- In the following slides, we show results for impacts at 100 m/s and 4000 m/s for the following cases:

homogeneous
(constant density)



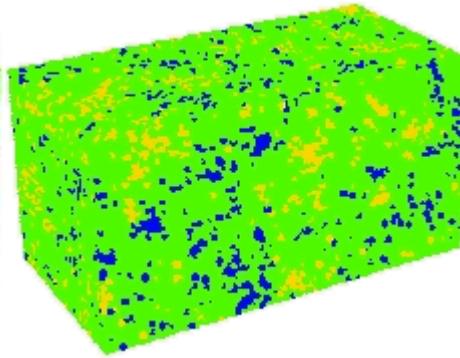
$$\rho_{min} = 2627 \text{ kg/m}^3$$
$$\rho_{max} = 2627 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

correlated Gaussian
random variates
(RVs)



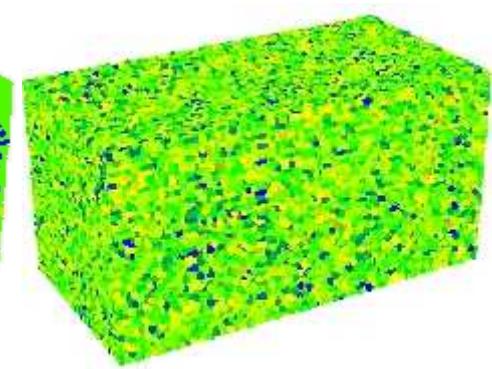
$$\rho_{min} = 857 \text{ kg/m}^3$$
$$\rho_{max} = 4398 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

reduction of correlated
Gaussian
RVs by 1/1000



$$\rho_{min} = 2625 \text{ kg/m}^3$$
$$\rho_{max} = 2629 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

un-correlated
Gaussian RVs



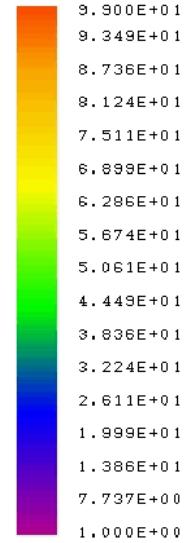
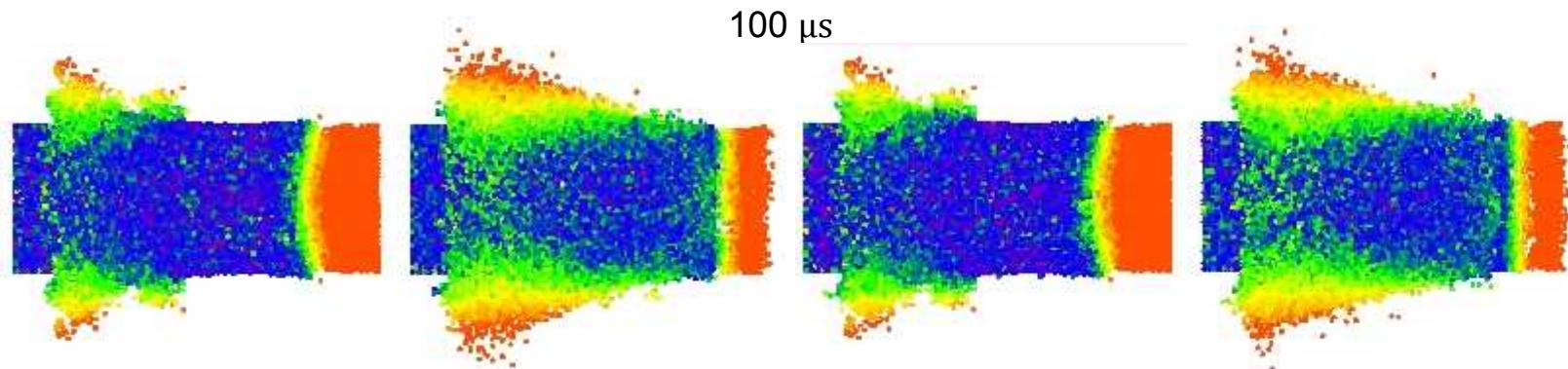
$$\rho_{min} = 1422 \text{ kg/m}^3$$
$$\rho_{max} = 3733 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

Summary of Results for Wave Speeds (100 m/s impact)

Case	Average Density (kg/m ³)	Standard Deviation (kg/m ³)	Wave Speed (m/s)
Homogeneous	2627	---	5333
Correlated	2627	262.7	5198
Correlated (RV/1000)	2627	262.7	5377
Uncorrelated	2627	262.7	5269

Longitudinal wave speed for Westerly granite is 5.33 km/s. Shock wave speed for 100 m/s impact of steel into Westerly granite is 2241 m/s. Therefore, not in strong shock regime.

3% spread in wave speeds.



homogeneous

correlated

correlated (RV/1000)

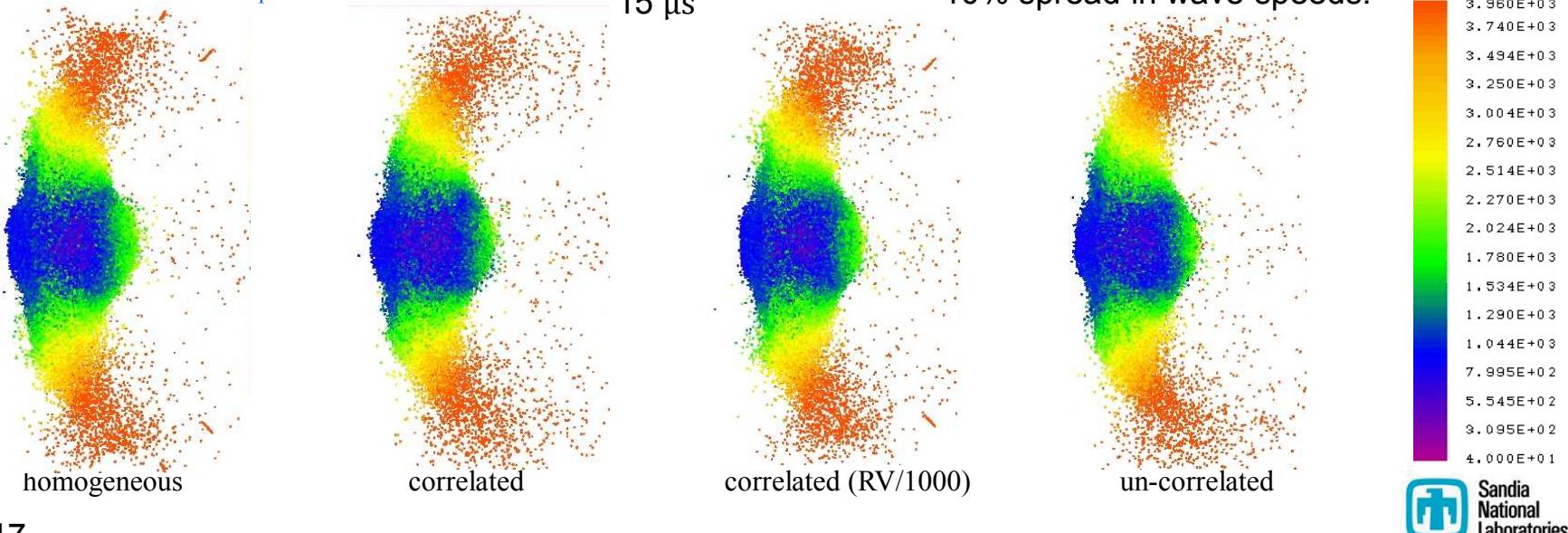
un-correlated



Summary of Results for Wave Speeds (4000 m/s impact)

Case	Average Density (kg/m ³)	Standard Deviation (kg/m ³)	Wave Speed (m/s)
Homogeneous	2627	---	6866
Correlated	2627	262.7	6340
Correlated (RV/1000)	2627	262.7	6973
Uncorrelated	2627	262.7	7050

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Concluding Remarks

- **Principle Conclusion:**
 - Peridynamic theory is a physically reasonable and viable approach to high-impulse loading and modeling fracture and fragmentation phenomena involving geomaterials.
- **The Present:**
 - Results agree well with data and show differences with type and degree of heterogeneity.
 - 100-m/s impacts show phenomenon of disorder toughness with random perturbation of nodes or heterogeneities in bulk modulus. Disorder toughness is not observed with heterogeneities in density.
 - 4000-m/s impacts show significantly less sensitivity to heterogeneities considered and no indication of disorder toughness.
- **The Future:**
 - Continue to develop stochastic peridynamic theory.
 - Develop peridynamic theory of fractal media.
 - Continue studies of wave and shock propagation in random and fractal peridynamic media.
 - Investigate boundary effects from shock loading and tunnel-wall stability.
 - Validate numerical models and identify key parameters.