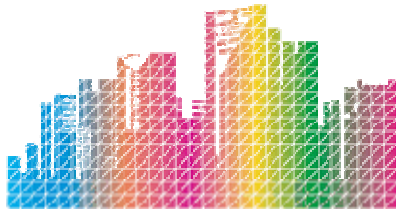


Spatial Randomness in Material Mechanics Models

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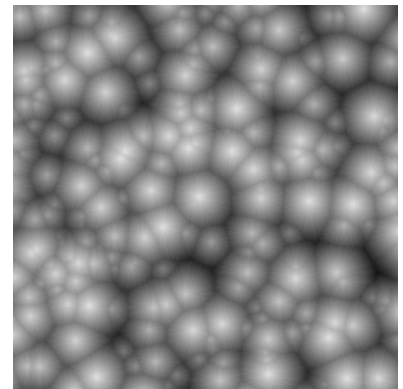
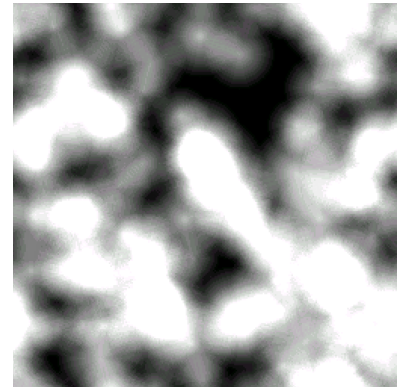
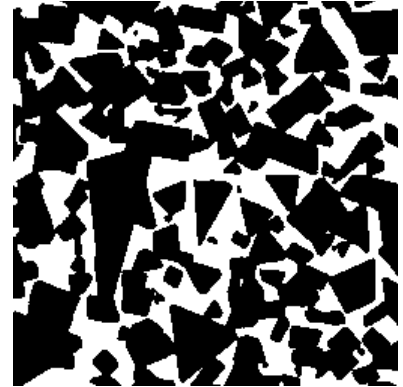
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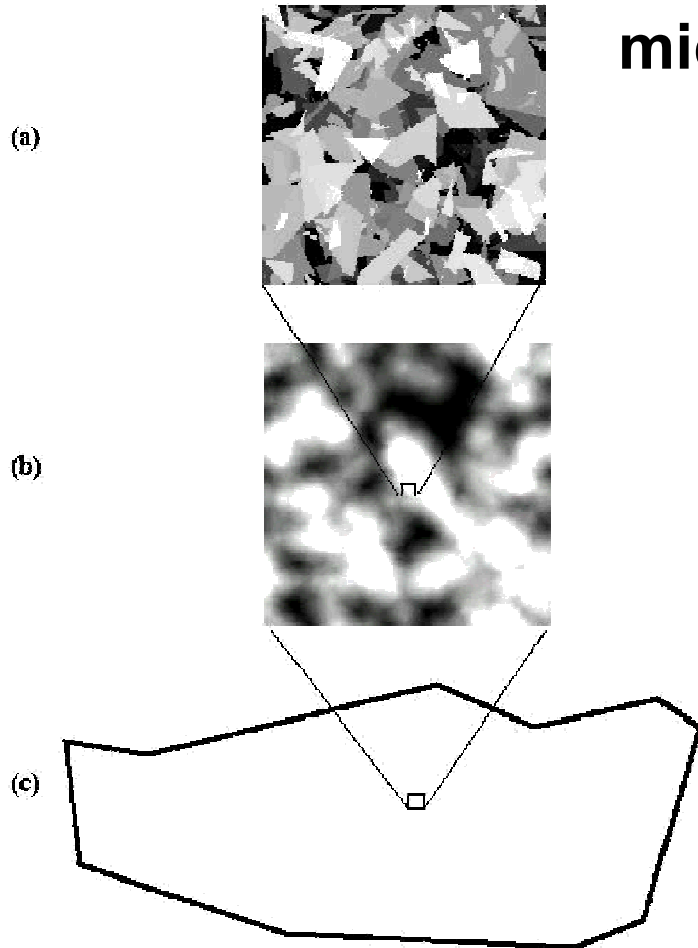
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Outline

- Separation of scales
- Continuum tensor random fields
- Mesoscale properties
- From scalar to tensor-valued random fields
- Spatial correlations from micromechanics
- Concluding remarks



Separation of Scales?



microscale: d

average size of grain
(microstructure)

mesoscale: L

representative volume element (RVE)
statistical volume element (SVE)

macroscale: L_{macro}

Separation of scales

$$d \ll L \ll L_{macro}$$

does not generally hold!

Continuum Tensor Random Field

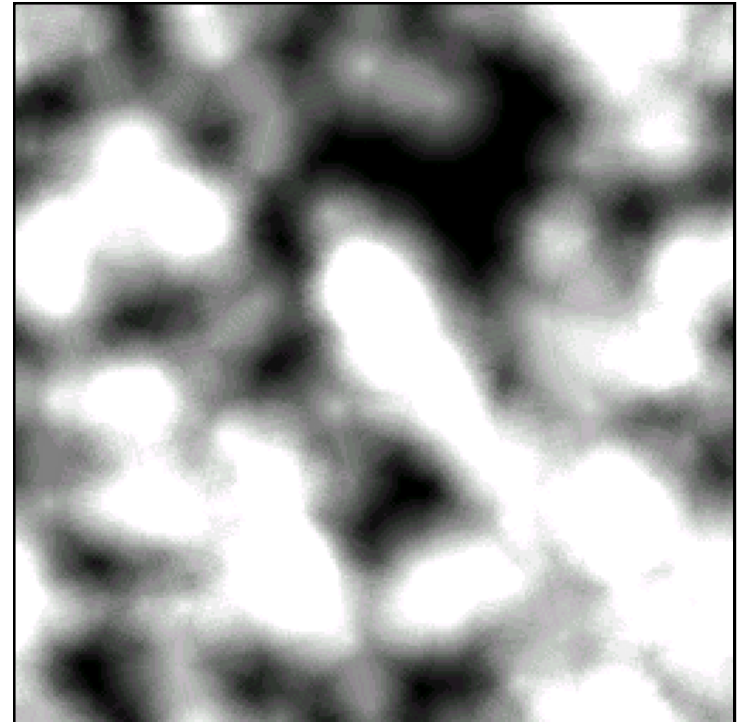
$$\underline{\mathbf{C}}(\omega, \mathbf{x}) = \overline{\underline{\mathbf{C}}} + \underline{\mathbf{C}}'(\omega, \mathbf{x})$$

Can the random field (RF) be assumed **isotropic** (E, ν) and smooth? **No**

Can we assume a **unique** tensor RF with anisotropic realizations? **No**

Can we do **local averaging** of tensor RF for input to stochastic finite elements (SFE)? **No**

Can we assume **correlation functions** of tensor RF w/o reference to micromechanics? **No**

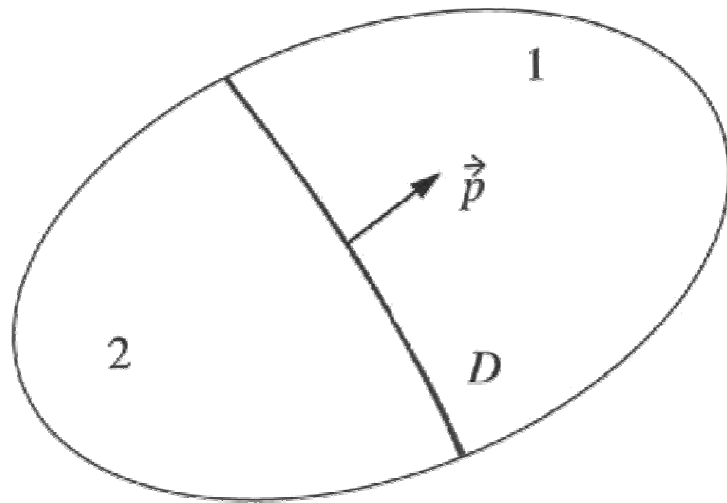


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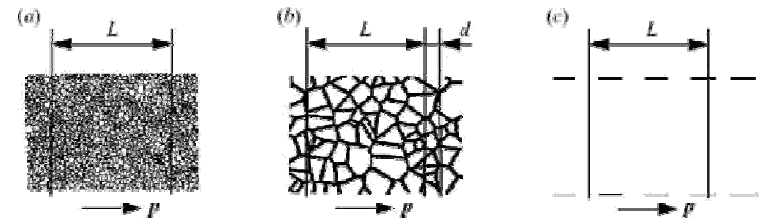
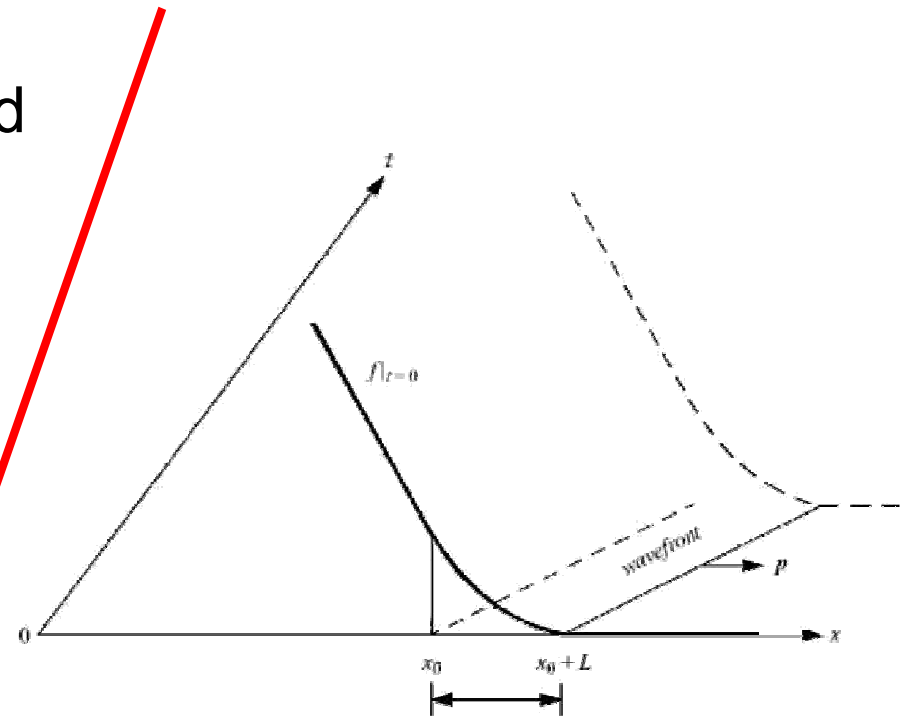
- Random field models
- Uncertainty quantification
- Waves in random media
- FGM ...

Continuum Tensor Random Field

For instance, **wavefront** in continuum mechanics is modeled as a **singular surface**:



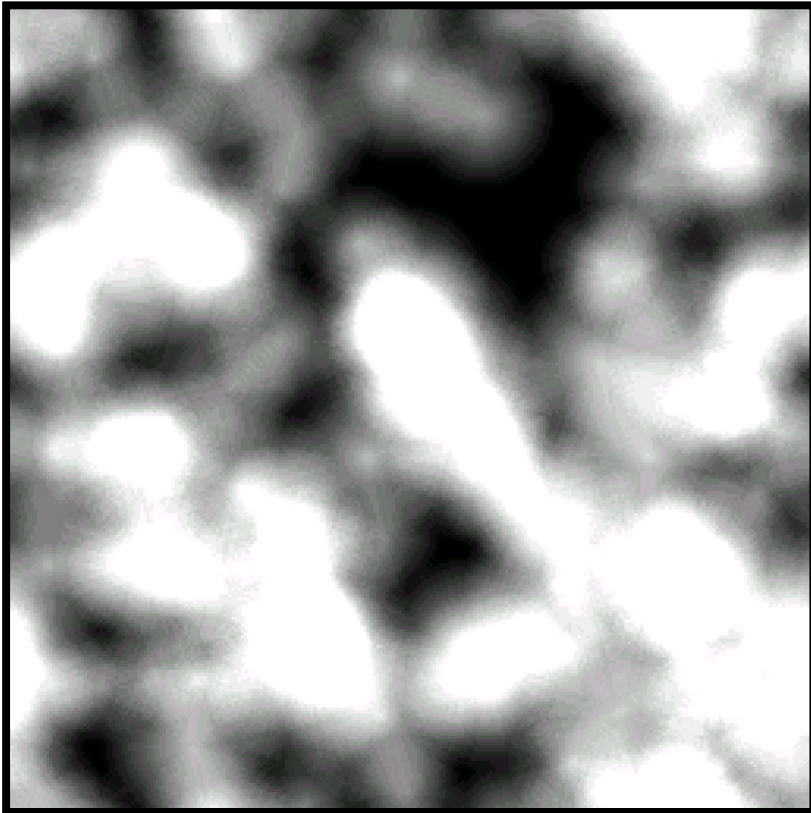
... an idealized model –
homogeneous continuum,
no microstructure



Continuum Tensor Random Field

*** Mesoscale ***

$$\mathbf{C}(\omega, \mathbf{x}) = \overline{\mathbf{C}} + \mathbf{C}'(\omega, \mathbf{x}), \quad \omega \in \Omega$$



What is its scale dependence?

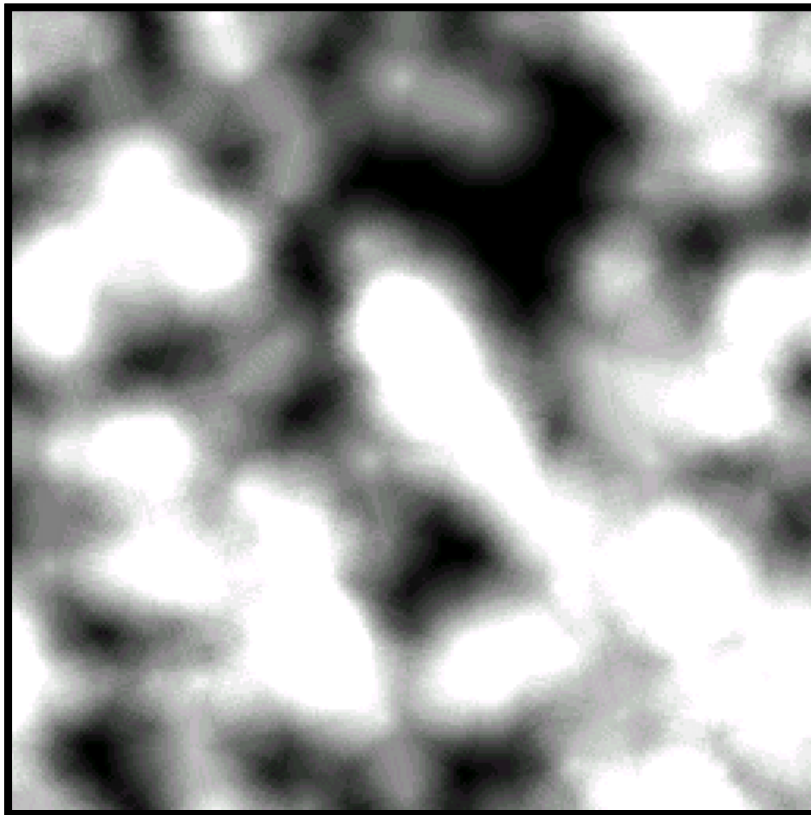
Is it isotropic?

Is it uniquely defined?

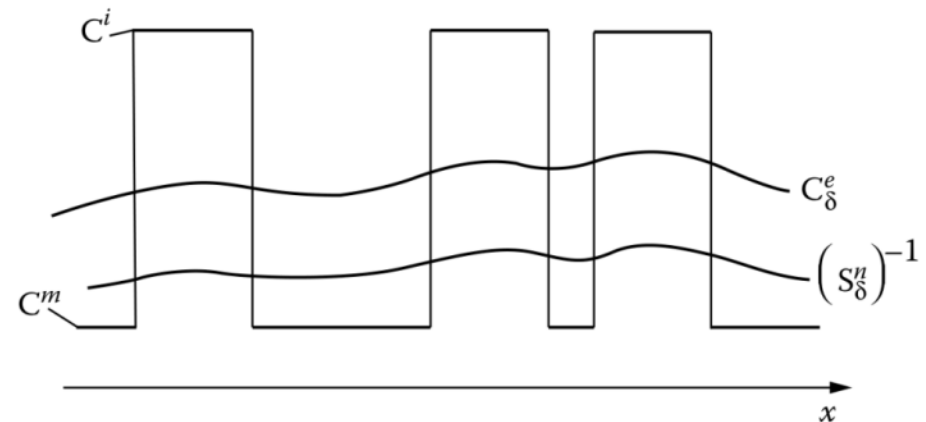
Mesoscale Properties

Local averaging
$$Z_L(\omega, \mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{L^d} \int_{D_L} Z_L(\omega, \mathbf{x}') d\mathbf{x}'$$

is inconsistent with constitutive laws in 2D or 3D



because mechanics involves
boundary value problems...



Mesoscale Properties

Determine mesoscale properties from **Hill-Mandel condition**; for *Cauchy* materials:

$$\overline{\sigma : \varepsilon} = \overline{\sigma} : \overline{\varepsilon} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \int_{\partial B_\delta} (t - \overline{\sigma} \cdot n) \cdot (u - \overline{\varepsilon} \cdot x) dS = 0$$

Equivalence of mechanical and energetic definitions of properties requires...

Uniform boundary conditions (BC): $\forall x \in \partial B_\delta$

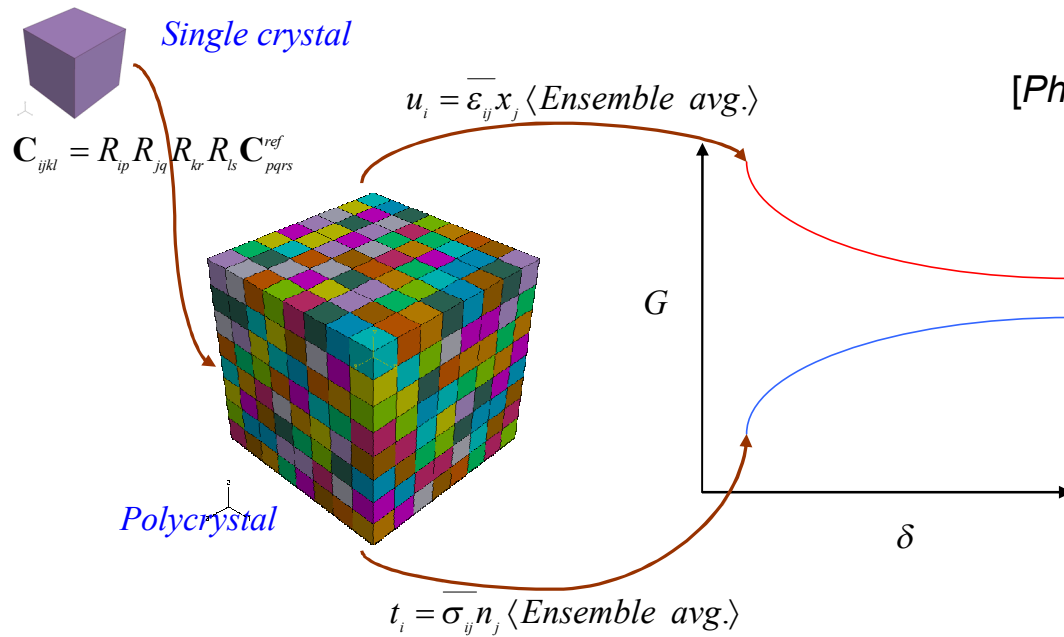
1. Displacement (or *Dirichlet*) BC: $u = \overline{\varepsilon} \cdot x$

2. Traction (or *Neumann*) BC: $t = \overline{\sigma} \cdot n$

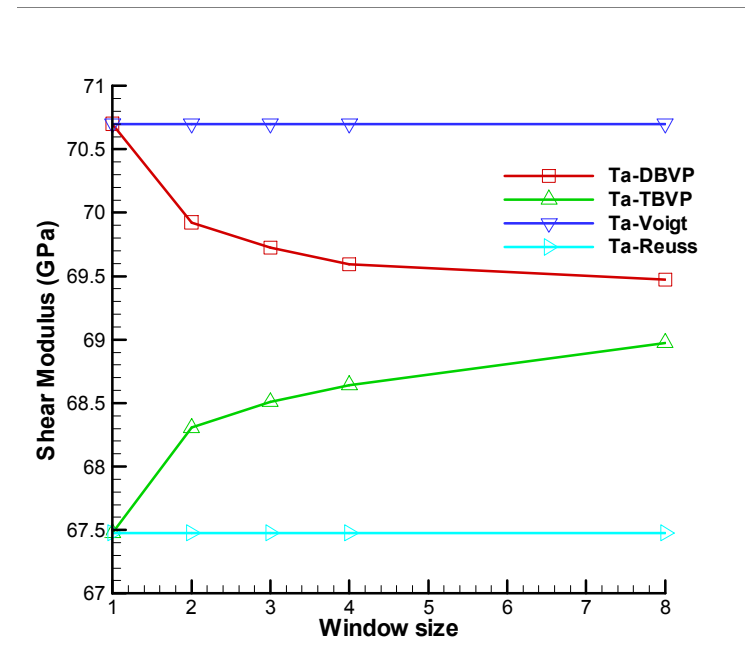
3. Displacement-traction (or mixed-orthogonal) BC: $(t - \overline{\sigma} \cdot n) \cdot (u - \overline{\varepsilon} \cdot x) = 0$

Mesoscale Properties

Scale-dependent homogenization



[Phys. Rev. B, 2008; JMPS, 2008; IJES, 2010]



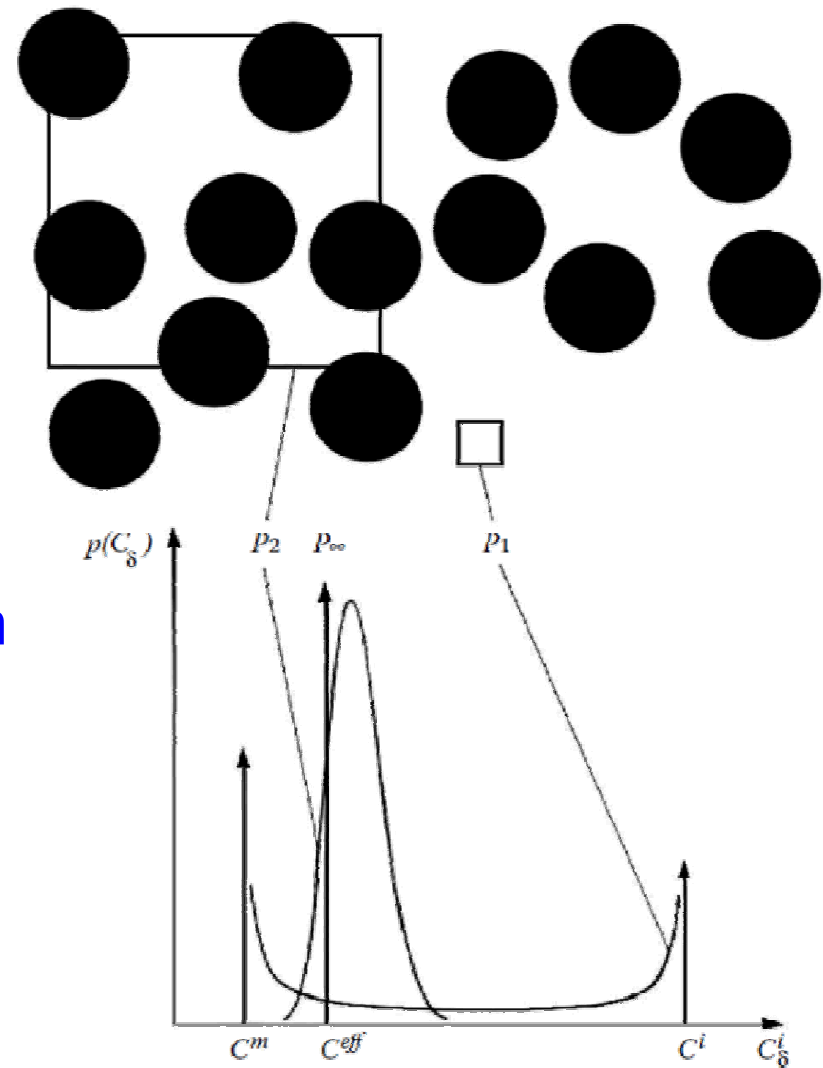
Hierarchy of bounds:

$$\langle \mathbf{S}_1^t \rangle^{-1} \leq \dots \leq \langle \mathbf{S}_{\delta'}^t \rangle^{-1} \leq \langle \mathbf{S}_\delta^t \rangle^{-1} \leq \dots \leq \mathbf{C}_\infty^{eff} \dots \leq \langle \mathbf{C}_\delta^d \rangle \leq \langle \mathbf{C}_{\delta'}^d \rangle \dots \leq \langle \mathbf{C}_1^d \rangle$$

Mesoscale Properties

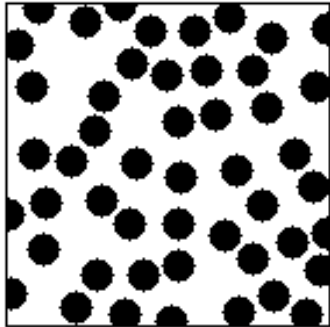
Two-phase composite material

In two-phase media, the
beta probability distribution function
approximates the scale change
for entire range of mesoscales:
from SVE to RVE

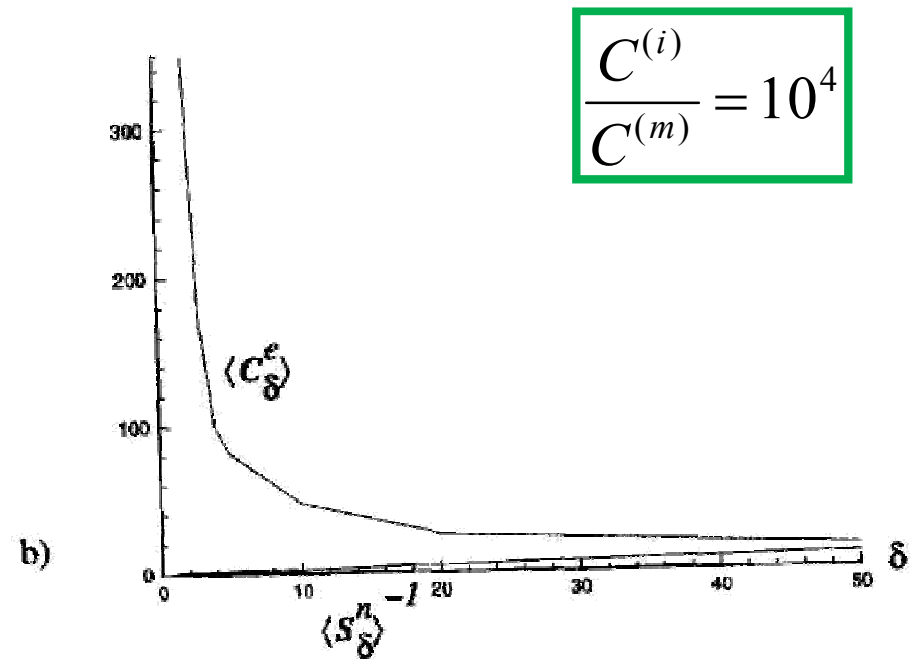
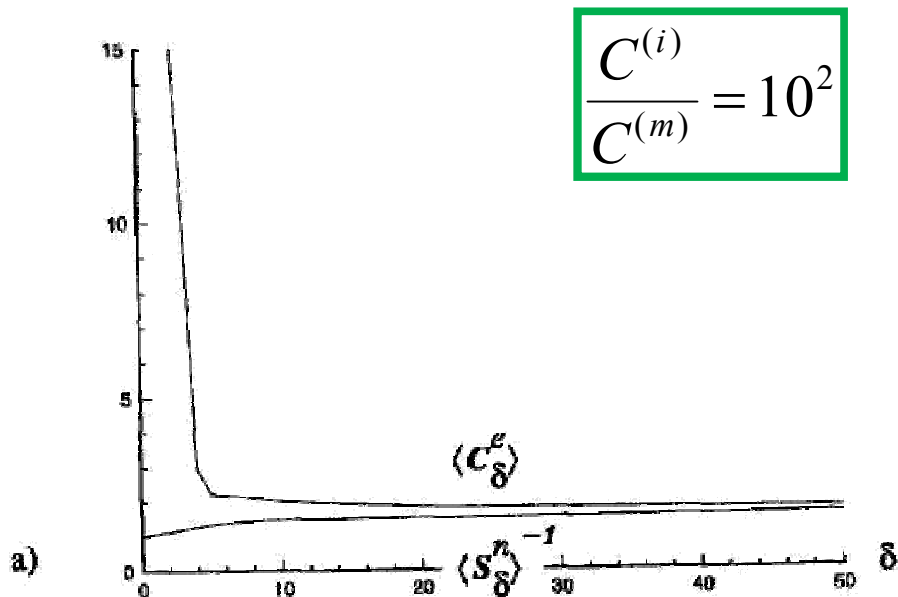


Mesoscale Properties

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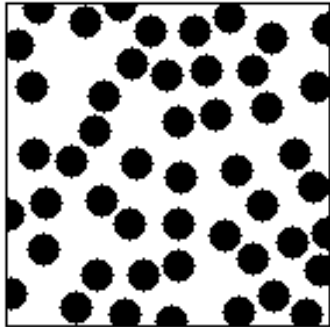


Effect of contrast in C :
stiff inclusions in **soft matrix**

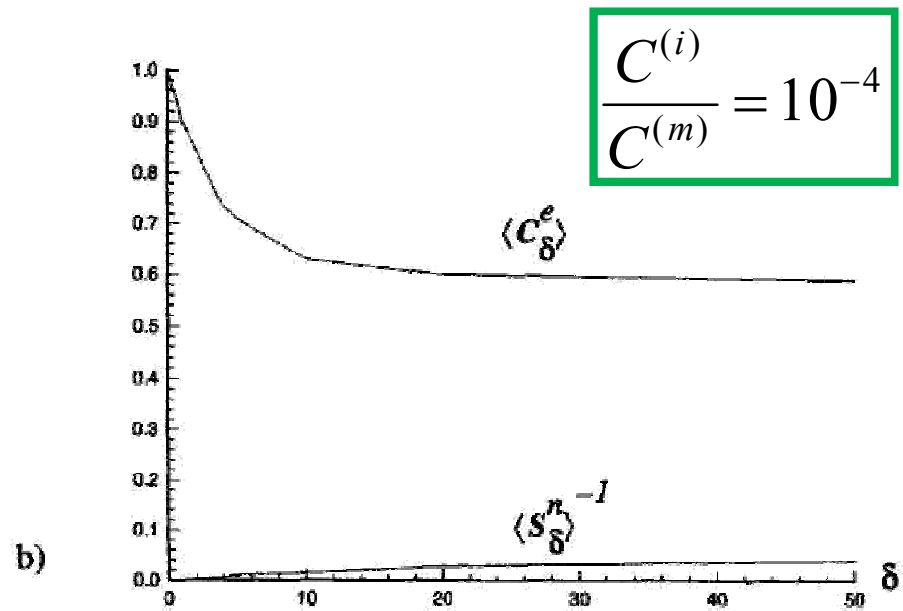
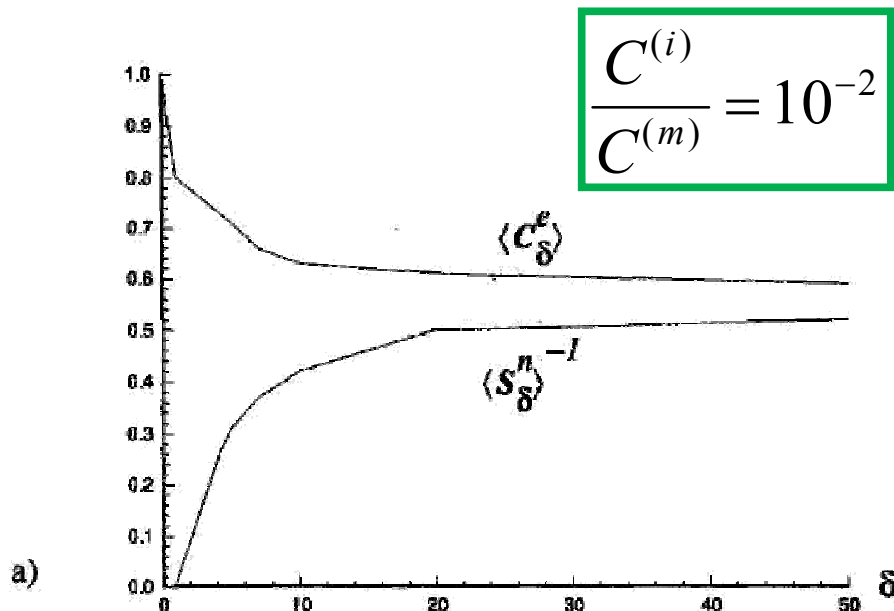


Mesoscale Properties

Two-phase composite material



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Mesoscale Random Fields

Scalar RFs

$$Z : \Omega \times X \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^1, \quad Z(\omega, \mathbf{x}) = z, \quad \mathbf{x} \in X$$

$$F_n(\mathbf{z}_1, \dots, \mathbf{z}_n; \mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_n) = P\{Z(\mathbf{x}_1) \leq \mathbf{z}_1, \dots, Z(\mathbf{x}_n) \leq \mathbf{z}_n\}$$

$$\langle Z(\mathbf{x}) \rangle = \mu, \quad \langle Z(\mathbf{x}_1)Z(\mathbf{x}_1 + \mathbf{x}) \rangle = R_Z(\mathbf{x}) < \infty$$

$$R(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) = \langle [Z(\mathbf{x}_1) - \langle Z(\mathbf{x}_1) \rangle][Z(\mathbf{x}_2) - \langle Z(\mathbf{x}_2) \rangle] \rangle$$

$$\rho(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) = \frac{R(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2)}{\sigma(\mathbf{x}_1)\sigma(\mathbf{x}_2)}$$

$$\rho(\mathbf{x}) = \rho(x), \quad x \equiv \|\mathbf{x}\| = \sqrt{x_i x_i}$$

$$\rho(x) \geq -1/D$$

Mesoscale Random Fields

Constructing correlation functions

Using simpler models, one may construct new, more complex correlation functions:

1. A convex combination of probability distributions is a probability distribution (and the same holds for density functions)
2. A convex combination of correlation functions is a correlation function
3. A finite product of correlation functions is a correlation function

Mesoscale Random Fields

Basic models of correlation functions

$$\rho(x) = \exp[-Ax^\alpha], \quad A > 0, \quad 0 < \alpha \leq 2$$

$$\rho(x) = [1 + Ax^\alpha]^{-1}, \quad A > 0, \quad 0 < \alpha \leq 2$$

$$\rho(x) = \frac{\exp[-Ax^\alpha]}{1 + Bx^\alpha}, \quad A, B > 0, \quad 0 < \alpha, \beta \leq 2$$

$$\rho(x) = \exp\left[-\sum_{s=1}^r Ax^{\alpha_s}\right], \quad A_s > 0, \quad 0 < \alpha_s \leq 2, \quad s = 1, \dots, r$$

$$\rho(x) = \left[-\prod_{s=1}^r (1 + B_s x^{\beta_s})^{l_s}\right], \quad B_s > 0, \quad 0 < \beta_s \leq 2, \quad l_s = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$\rho(x) = \exp[-Ax^\alpha] (\cosh Bx^\alpha)^s, \quad A + B(2l - s) > 0, \quad 0 < \alpha \leq 2, \quad s = 1, \dots, r$$

$$\rho(x) = \frac{(\cosh Bx^\alpha)^s}{1 + Ax^\alpha}, \quad A + B(2l - s) > 0, \quad 0 < \alpha \leq 2, \quad s = 1, \dots, r$$

NOTE: These do not separate **local** from **long-range** effects

Mesoscale Random Fields

Vector RFs

$$\mathbf{Z} : \Omega \times \mathbf{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2, \quad \mathbf{Z}(\omega, \mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{z}, \quad \mathbf{x} \in \mathbf{X}$$

Wide Sense Stationary (WSS)

$$\langle Z_i(\mathbf{x}) \rangle = \mu_i, \quad \langle Z_i(\mathbf{x}_1) Z_j(\mathbf{x}_1 + \mathbf{x}) \rangle = R_{ij}(\mathbf{x}) < \infty$$

$$R_{ij}(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) = \langle [Z_i(\mathbf{x}_1) - \langle Z_i(\mathbf{x}_1) \rangle] [Z_j(\mathbf{x}_2) - \langle Z_j(\mathbf{x}_2) \rangle] \rangle$$

$$\rho_{ij}(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) = \frac{R_{ij}(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2)}{\sigma_i(\mathbf{x}_1) \sigma_j(\mathbf{x}_2)}$$

$$\rho_{ij}(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) = \rho_{ij}(|\mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{x}_2|)$$

Mesoscale Random Fields

Tensor RFs

2nd rank tensor RF correlation:

$$\rho_{ij}^{kl}(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) = \frac{\langle [C_{ij}(\mathbf{x}_1) - \langle C_{ij}(\mathbf{x}_1) \rangle] [C_{kl}(\mathbf{x}_2) - \langle C_{kl}(\mathbf{x}_2) \rangle] \rangle}{\sigma_{ij}(\mathbf{x}_1) \sigma_{kl}(\mathbf{x}_2)}$$

- Stationary RF: $\langle C_{ij}(\mathbf{x}) \rangle = \text{const} \quad \forall \mathbf{x}$

$$\rho_{ij}^{kl}(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) = \rho_{ij}^{kl}(\mathbf{x}) \quad \mathbf{x} = |\mathbf{x}_1 - \mathbf{x}_2|$$

- Isotropic RF: $\langle C_{ij}(\mathbf{x}) \rangle = C \delta_{ij} \quad \forall \mathbf{x} \quad x = \|\mathbf{x}\|$

$$\begin{aligned} \rho_{ij}^{kl}(x) = & K_4(x) \delta_{ij} \delta_{kl} + K_6(x) [\delta_{ik} \delta_{jl} + \delta_{il} \delta_{jk}] \\ & + [K_5(x) - K_6(x)] [n_j n_k \delta_{il} + n_i n_l \delta_{jk} + n_i n_k \delta_{jl} + n_j n_l \delta_{ik}] \\ & + [K_3(x) - K_4(x)] [n_i n_j \delta_{kl} + n_k n_l \delta_{ij}] \\ & + [K_1(x) + K_2(x) - 2K_3(x) - 4K_5(x)] n_i n_j n_k n_l, \end{aligned}$$

Five functions K_i : $K_4 + 2K_6 - K_2 = 0$

Mesoscale Random Fields

Tensor RFs

2nd rank tensor RF correlation:

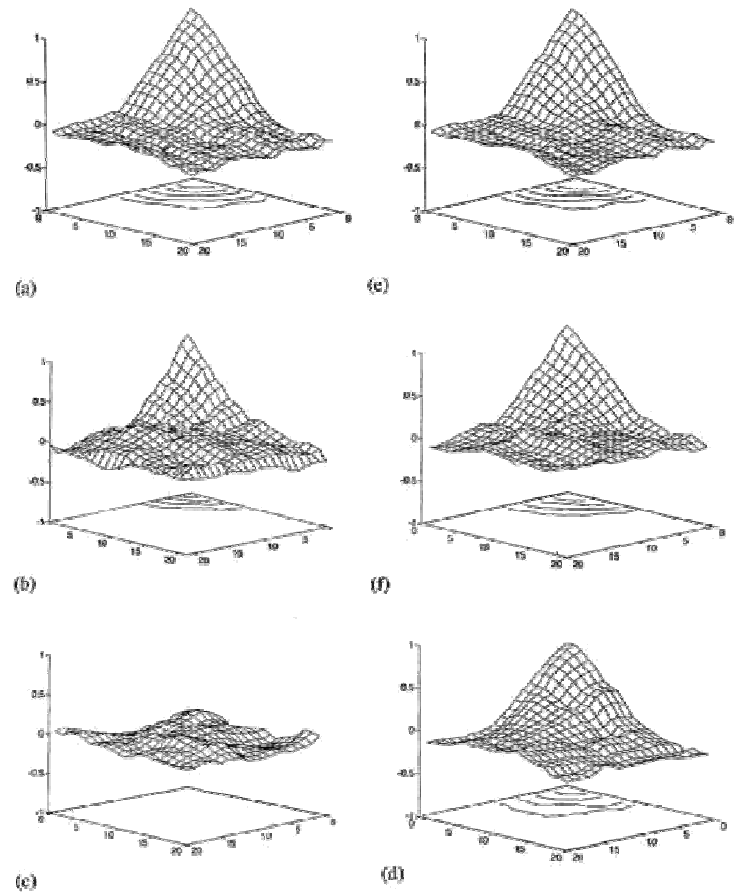
$$\rho_{ij}^{kl}(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) = \frac{\langle [C_{ij}(\mathbf{x}_1) - \langle C_{ij}(\mathbf{x}_1) \rangle] [C_{kl}(\mathbf{x}_2) - \langle C_{kl}(\mathbf{x}_2) \rangle] \rangle}{\sigma_{ij}(\mathbf{x}_1) \sigma_{kl}(\mathbf{x}_2)}$$

Tensor RFs of constitutive responses (from micromechanics)

in **anti-plane elasticity** $\longrightarrow C_{ij}$
of a matrix-inclusion composite

$$R_{ij}^{kl}(\mathbf{x}) = R_1(x_1)R_2(x_2)$$

$$R_{ij}^{kl}(\mathbf{x}) = \prod_{d=1}^D R_d(x_d) \quad D=1,2,3$$



Mesoscale Random Fields

Tensor RFs

4th rank tensor RF correlation:

$$\rho_{ijkl}^{prst}(\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2) = \frac{\langle [C_{ijkl}(\mathbf{x}_1) - \langle C_{ijkl}(\mathbf{x}_1) \rangle] [C_{prst}(\mathbf{x}_2) - \langle C_{prst}(\mathbf{x}_2) \rangle] \rangle}{\sigma_{ijkl}(\mathbf{x}_1) \sigma_{prst}(\mathbf{x}_2)}$$

Tensor RFs of constitutive responses (from micromechanics)

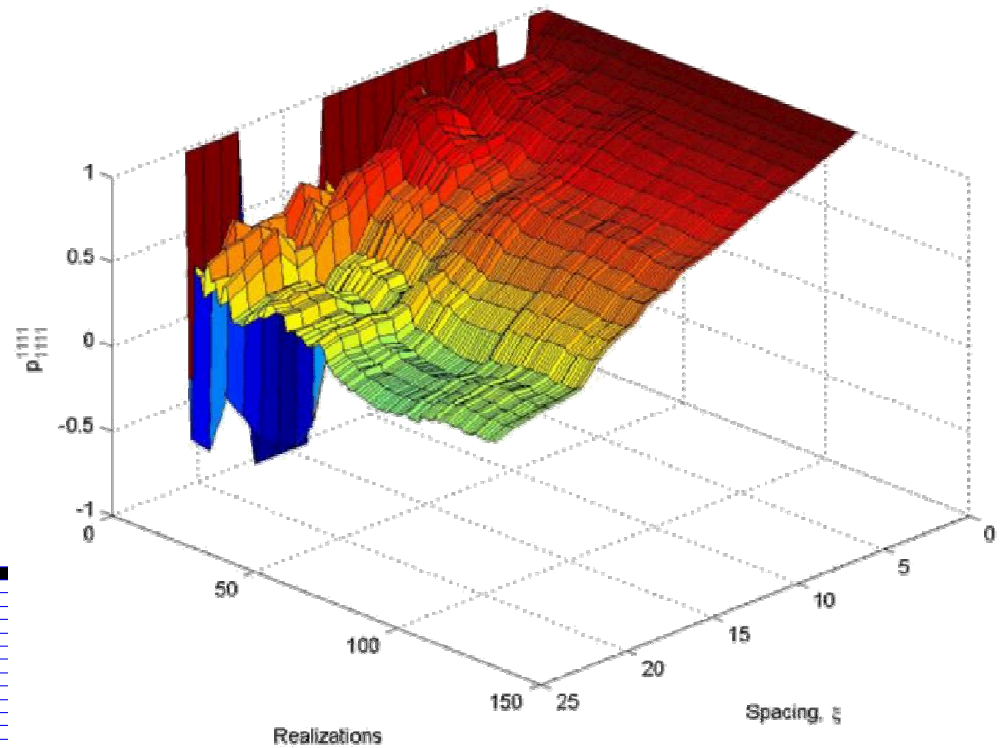
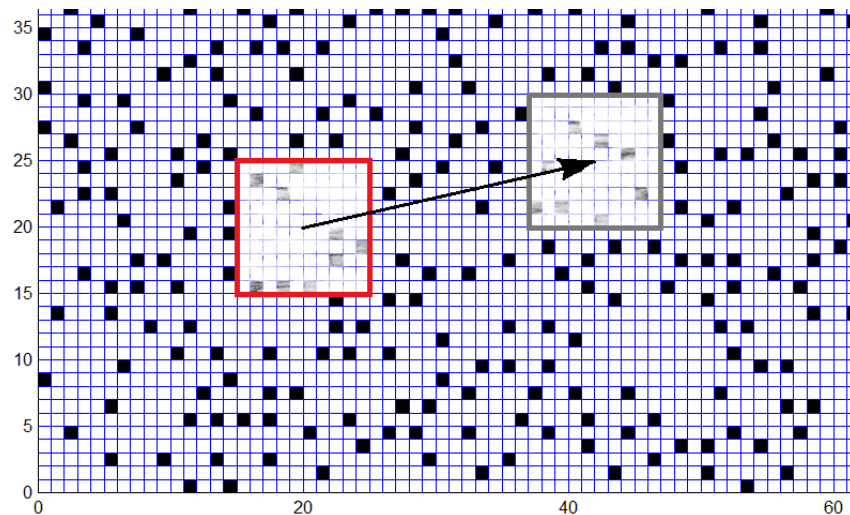
in **2D elasticity** $\longrightarrow$ C_{ijkl}
of a matrix-inclusion composite

$$R_{ijkl}(\mathbf{x}) = \prod_{d=1}^D R_d(x_d) \quad D = 1, 2, 3$$

Spatial Correlations of Random Fields



Sample realization
of random binary checkerboard
at 50/50%



Spatial Correlations of Random Fields

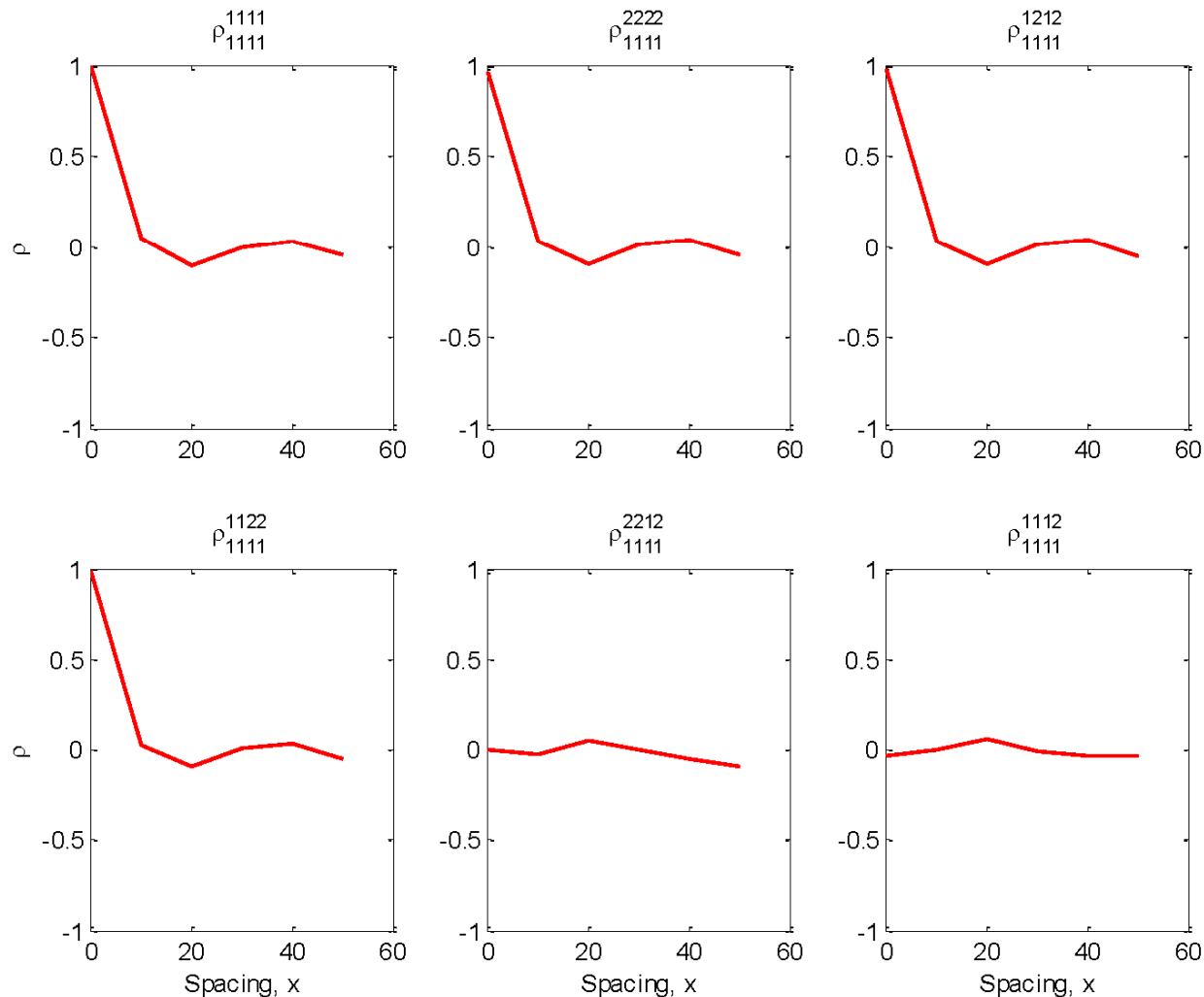
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$$N = 400$$



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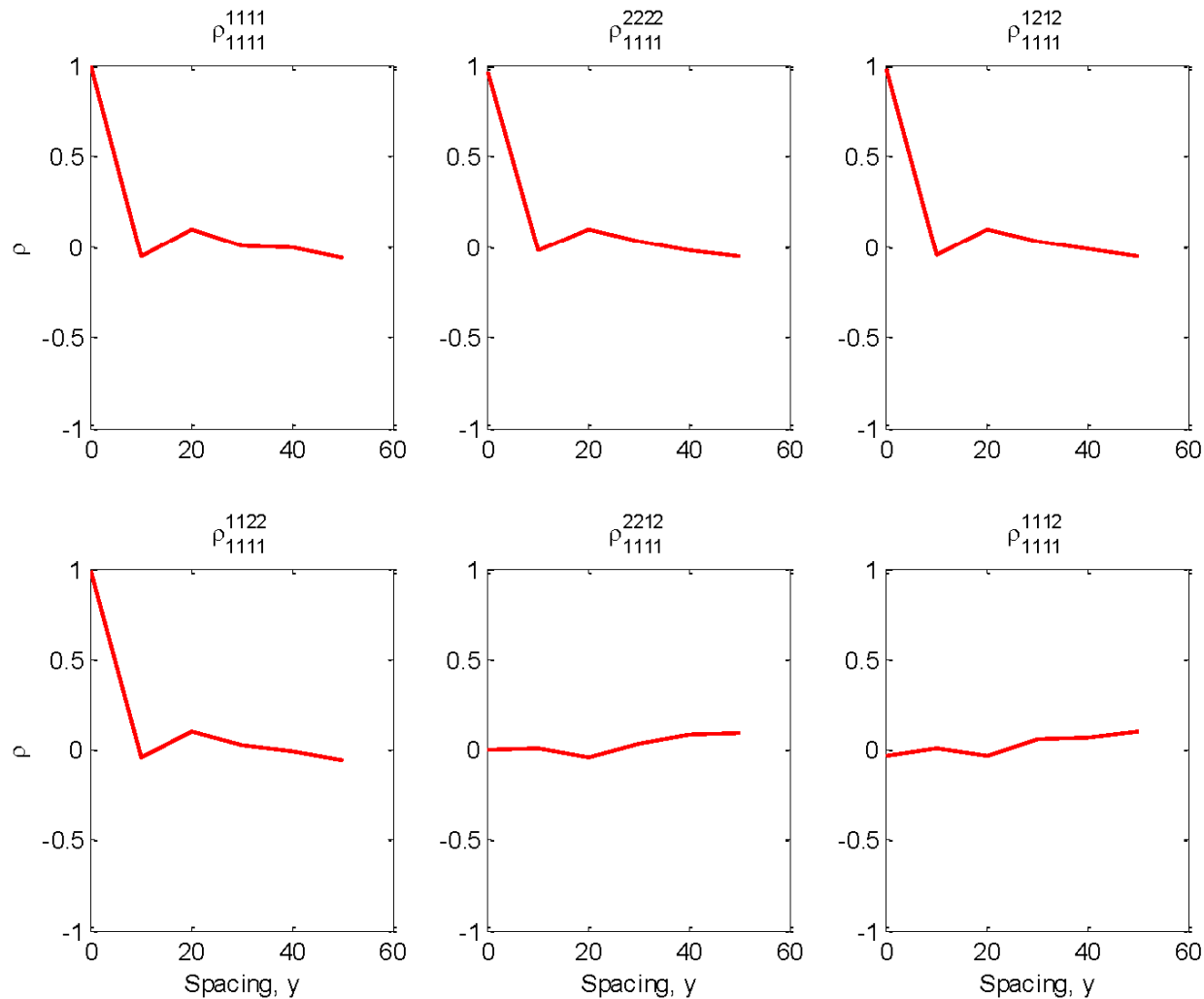
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Concluding Remarks

- **For tensor-type properties of materials, need RFs consistent with mechanics**
- Consistent with mechanics iff mechanical definition of properties = energetic definition of properties (Hill Mandel condition)
- Random fields of properties are functions of microstructure + mesoscale
- Micromechanics analyses lead to counterintuitive results
- Can construct correlation functions from products of basic 1D models
- Can go to: coupled field phenomena, inelastic properties, fractal versus long-range effects...

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ADDITIONAL SLIDES FOLLOW

Dynamics

Determine mesoscale properties from Hill-Mandel condition for dynamics of **Cauchy** materials:

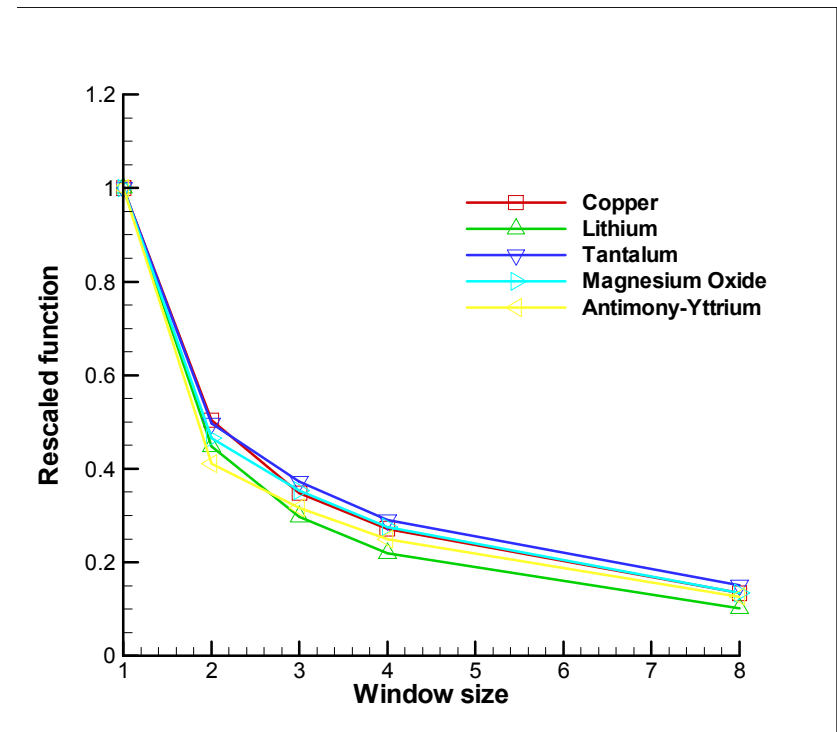
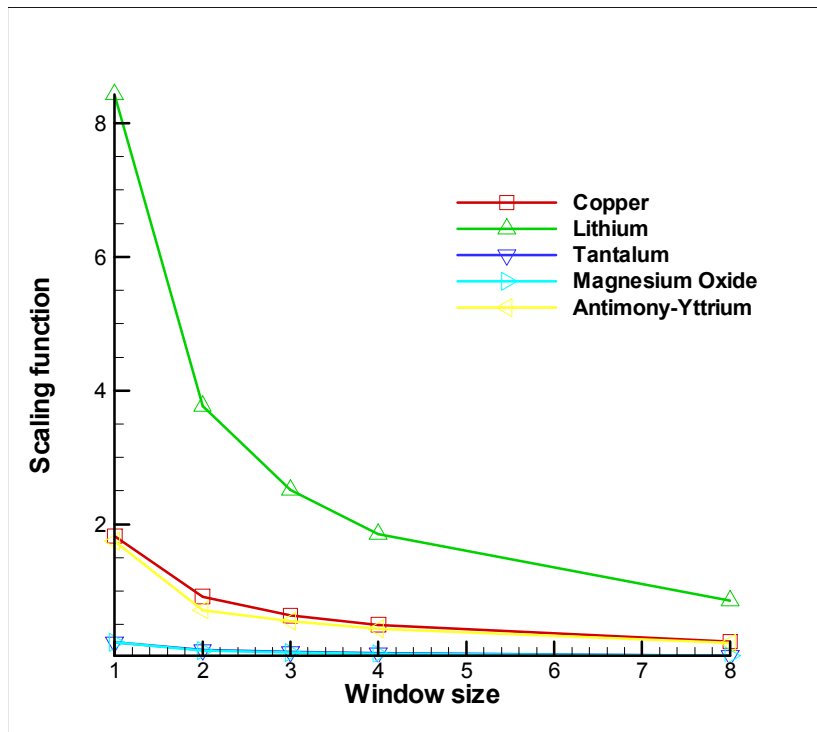
$$\overline{\sigma_{ji} \dot{\epsilon}_{ji}} = \overline{\sigma_{ji}} \overline{\dot{\epsilon}_{ji}} \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \frac{1}{V} \int_S (t_i - \overline{\sigma_{ki}} n_k) (\dot{u}_i - \overline{\dot{\epsilon}_{ij}} x_j) dS - \dot{\overline{k_c}} + (\overline{k_c})^\cdot = 0$$

Determine mesoscale properties from Hill-Mandel condition for dynamics of **Cosserat** materials:

$$\begin{aligned} \overline{\tau_{ji} \dot{\gamma}_{ji}} - \overline{\tau_{ji}} \overline{\dot{\gamma}_{ji}} + \overline{\mu_{ji} \dot{\kappa}_{ji}} - \overline{\mu_{ji}} \overline{\dot{\kappa}_{ji}} = \\ \frac{1}{V} \int_S (t_i - \overline{\tau_{ki}} n_k) (\dot{u}_i - \overline{\dot{u}_{i,j}} x_j) dS + \frac{1}{V} \int_S (m_i - \overline{\mu_{ki}} n_k) (\dot{\phi}_i - \overline{\dot{\phi}_{i,j}} x_j) dS + \\ - \dot{\overline{k_c}} + (\overline{k_c})^\cdot - \dot{\overline{k_m}} + (\overline{k_m})^\cdot \end{aligned}$$

Scale-Dependent Response

3D random polycrystal



Scaling function:
$$f(A, \delta) = \frac{6}{5} \left(\sqrt{A} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{A}} \right)^2 \exp \left[-0.767 (\delta - 1)^{0.504} \right], \quad \delta = N_G^{\frac{1}{3}}$$



Zener anisotropy index

Fractals and Hurst Effect

Two new Gaussian RFs
are able to grasp

fractals

(i.e. roughness)

and **Hurst effect**

(i.e. heavy-tail behavior of
covariance function)

1. **Cauchy** correlation function:

$$\rho(x) = \left(1 + x^\theta\right)^{-\eta/\theta}, \quad \theta \in (0, 2], \quad \eta > 0$$

[Gneiting & Schlather, *SIAM Review*, 2004]

2. **Dagum** correlation function:

$$\rho(x) = 1 - \left(1 + \lambda x^{-\theta}\right)^{-\varepsilon}, \quad \theta < (7 - \varepsilon)(1 + 5\varepsilon), \quad \varepsilon < 7$$

[Porcu *et al.*, PEM 2007, 2011, *Stat. Probab. Lett.*, 2007, *Bernoulli*, 2008]

