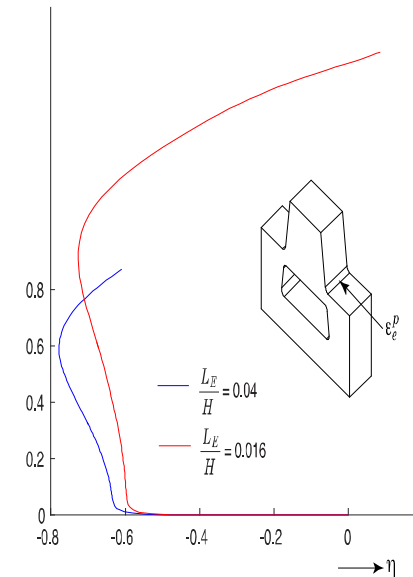
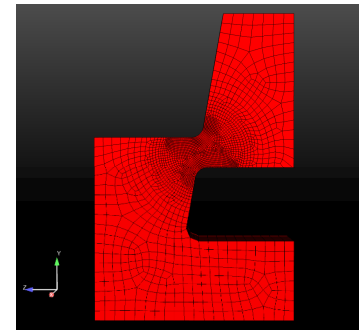
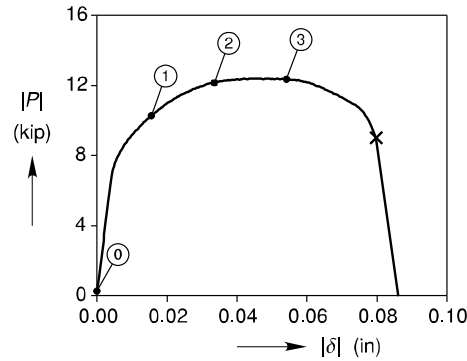
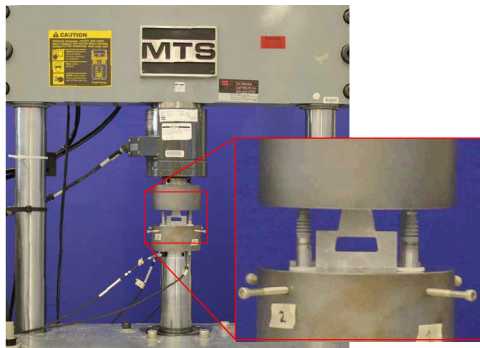


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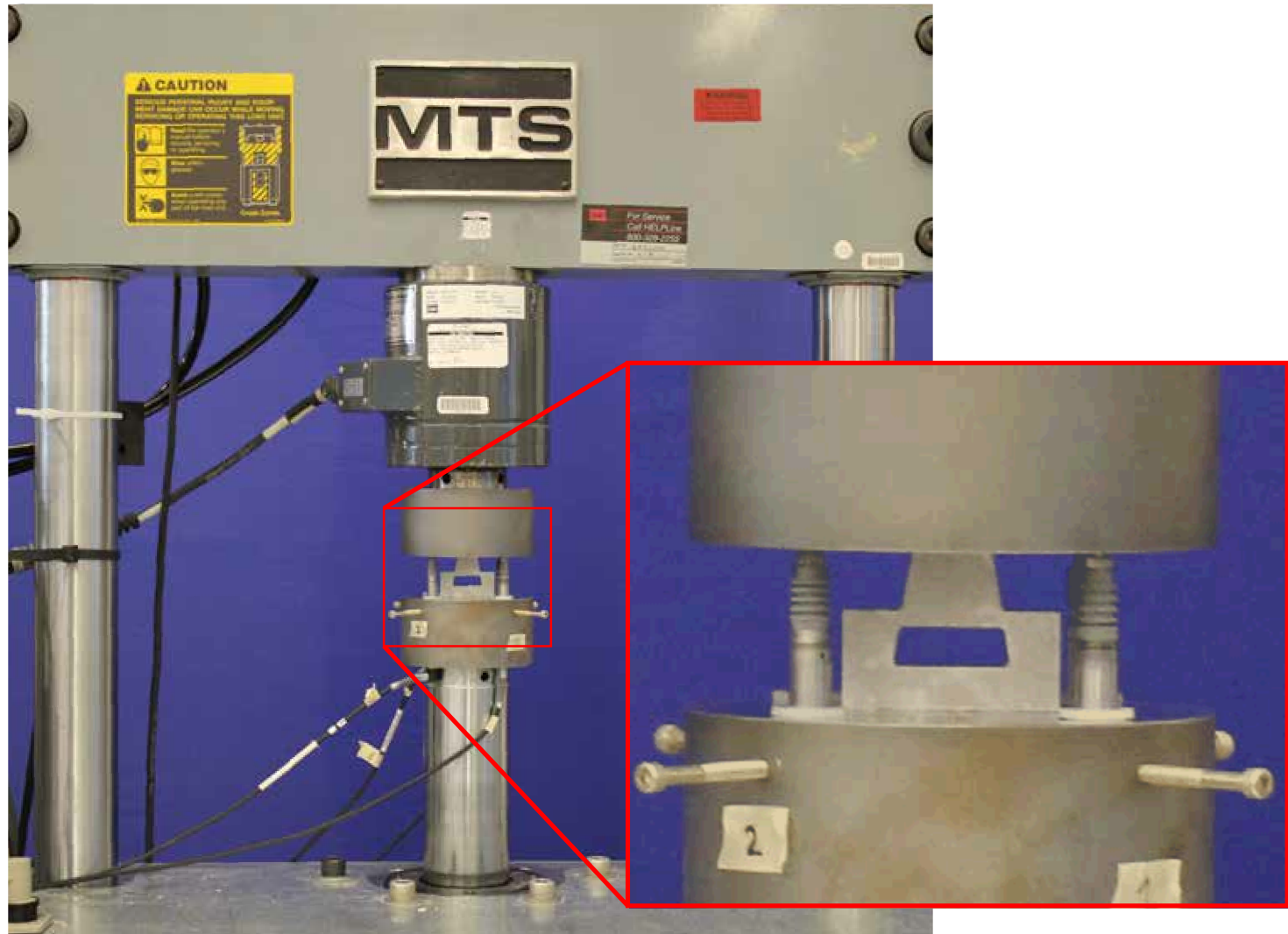


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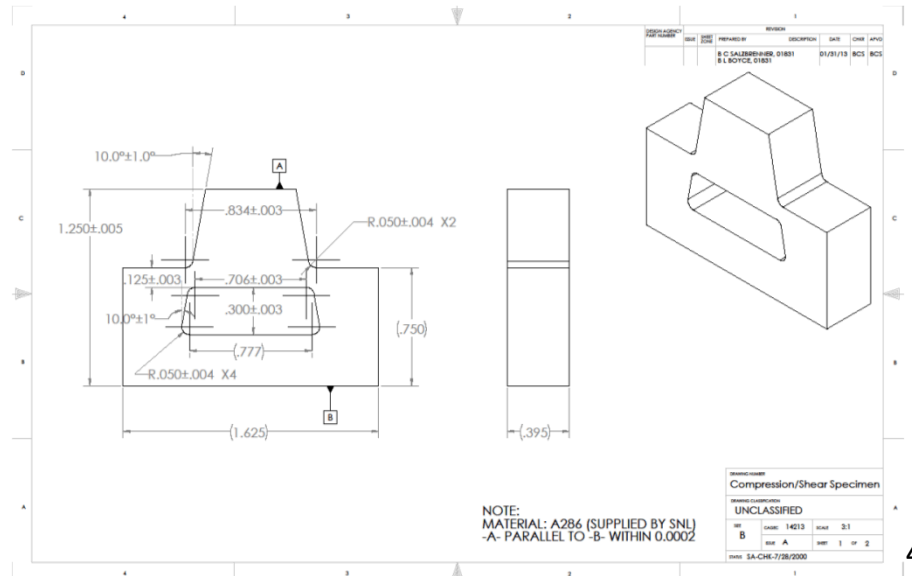
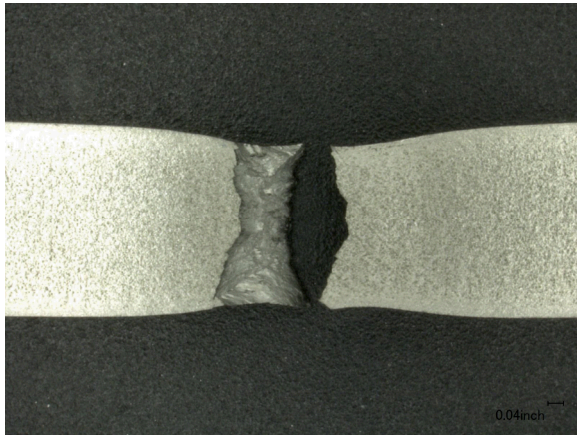
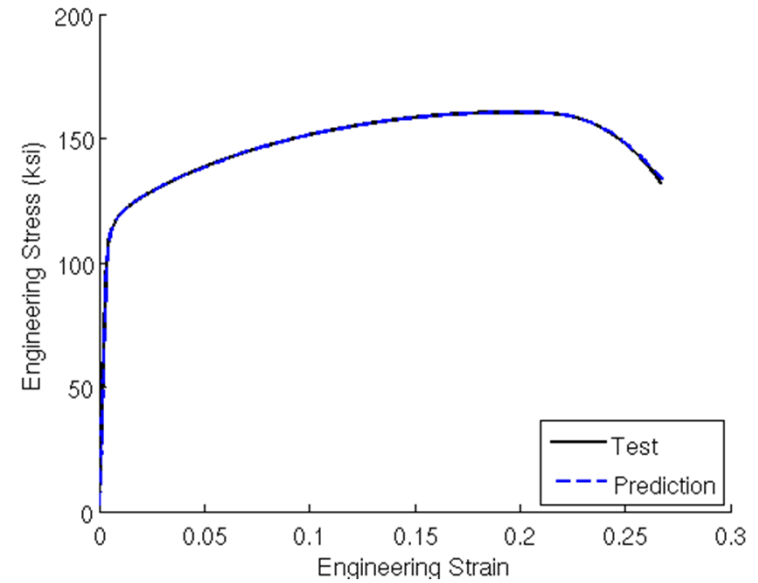
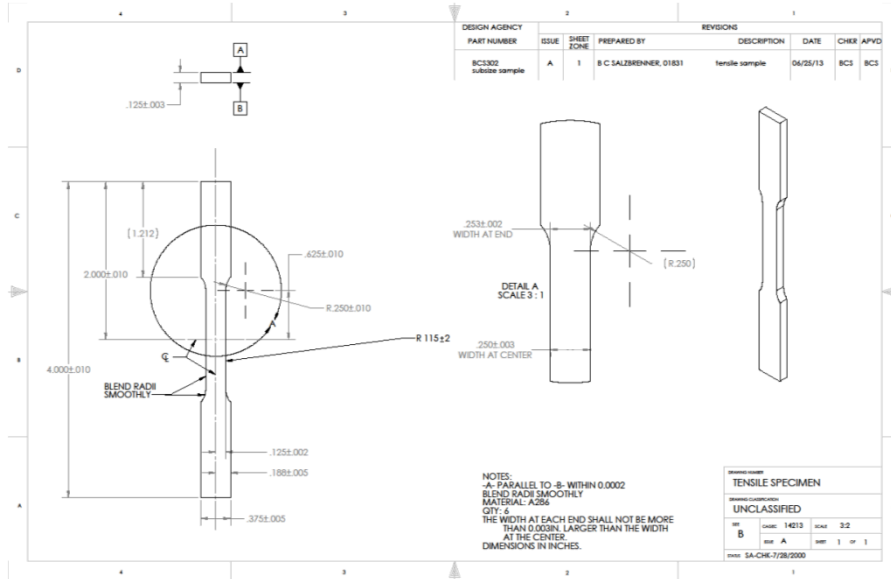
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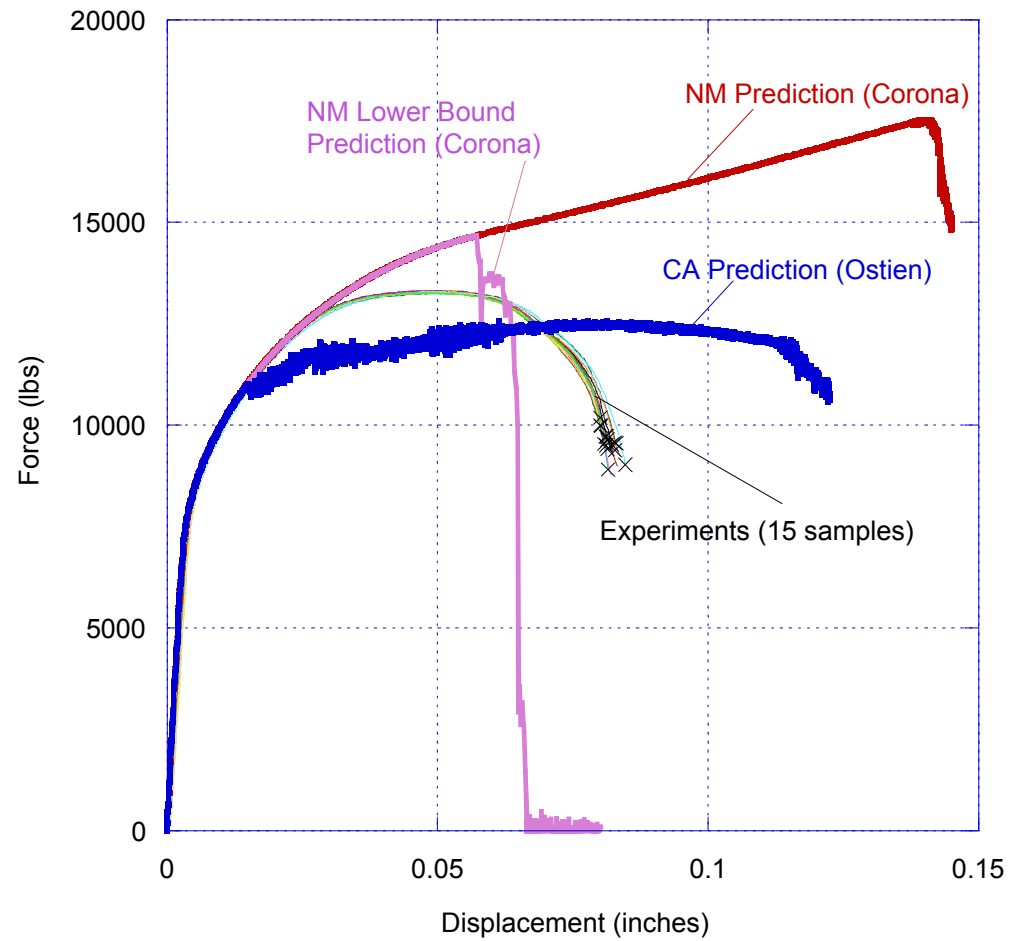
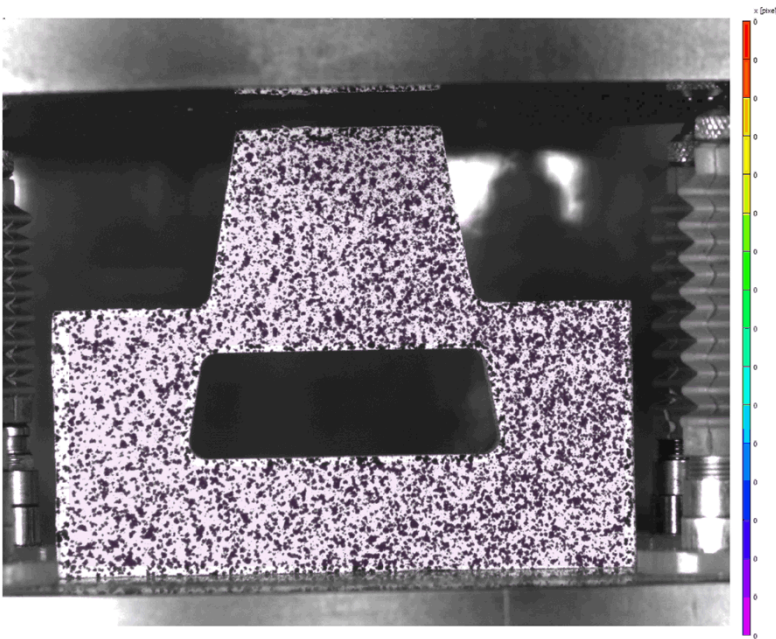
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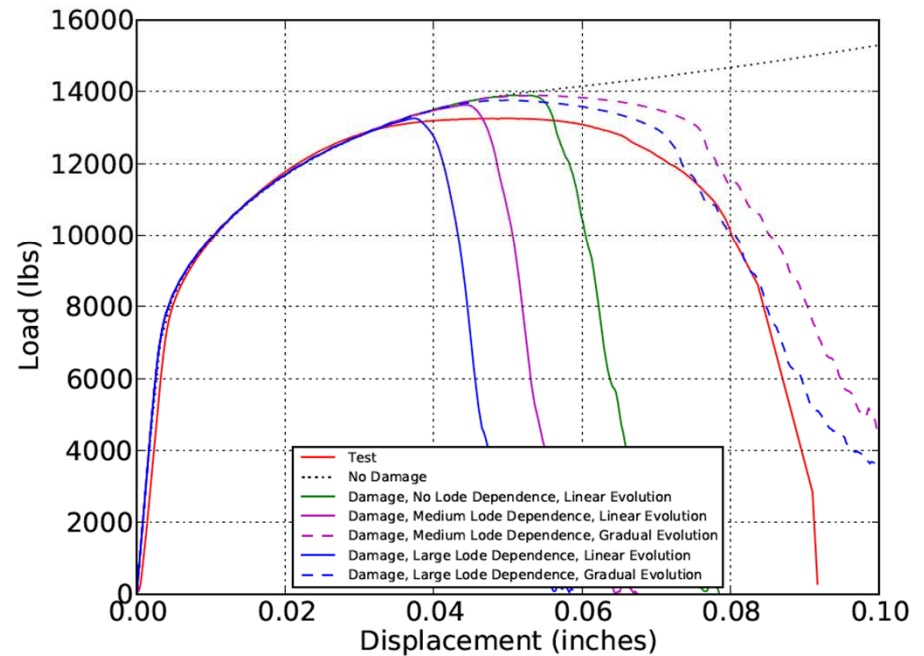
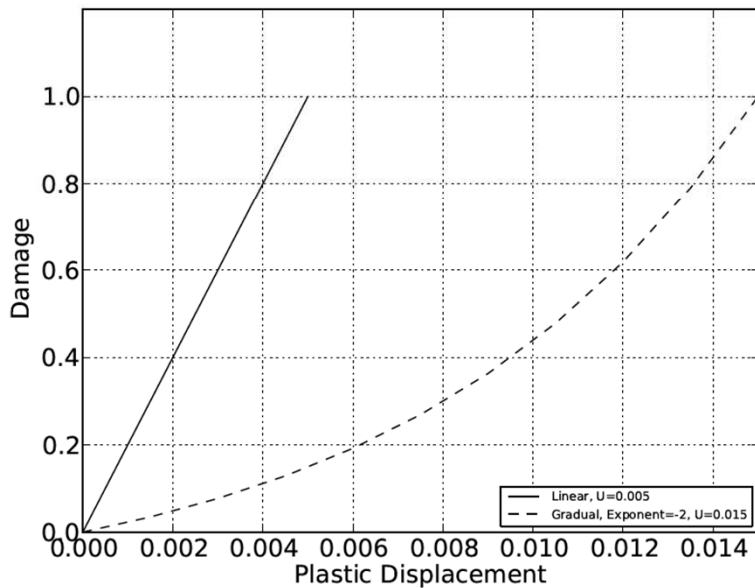
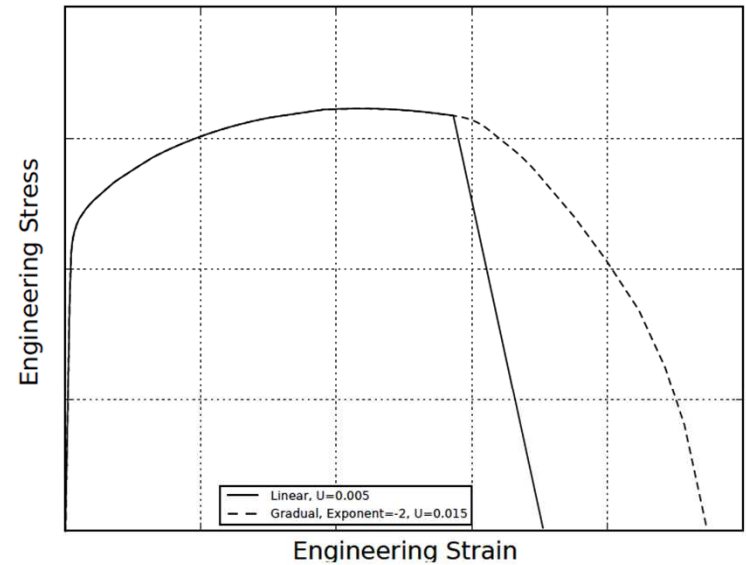
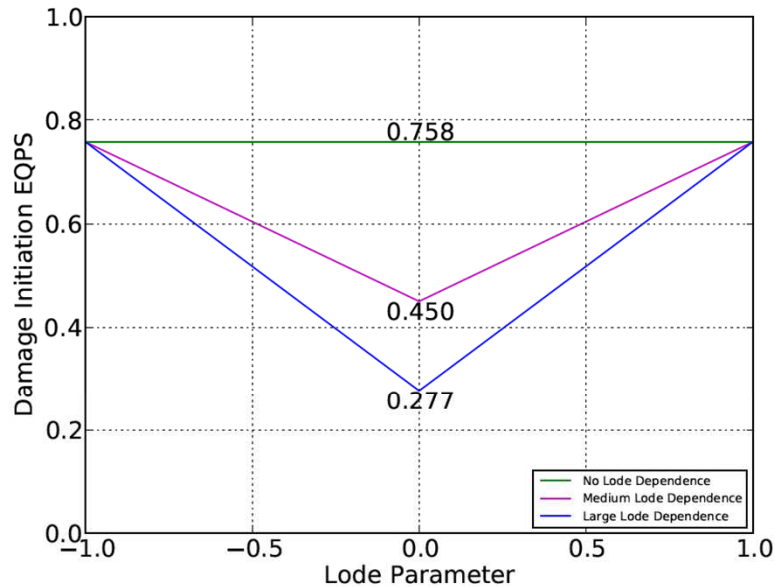
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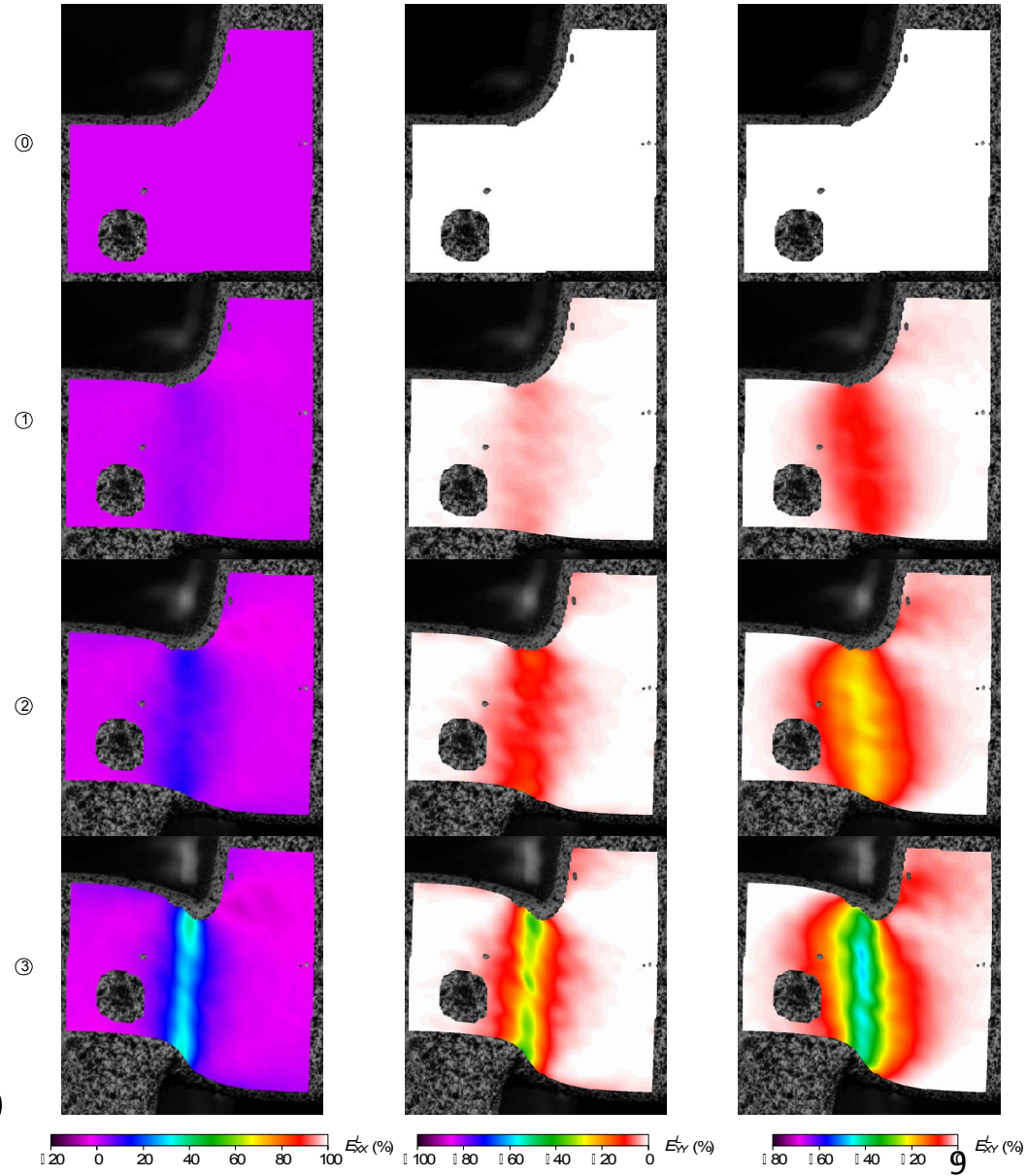
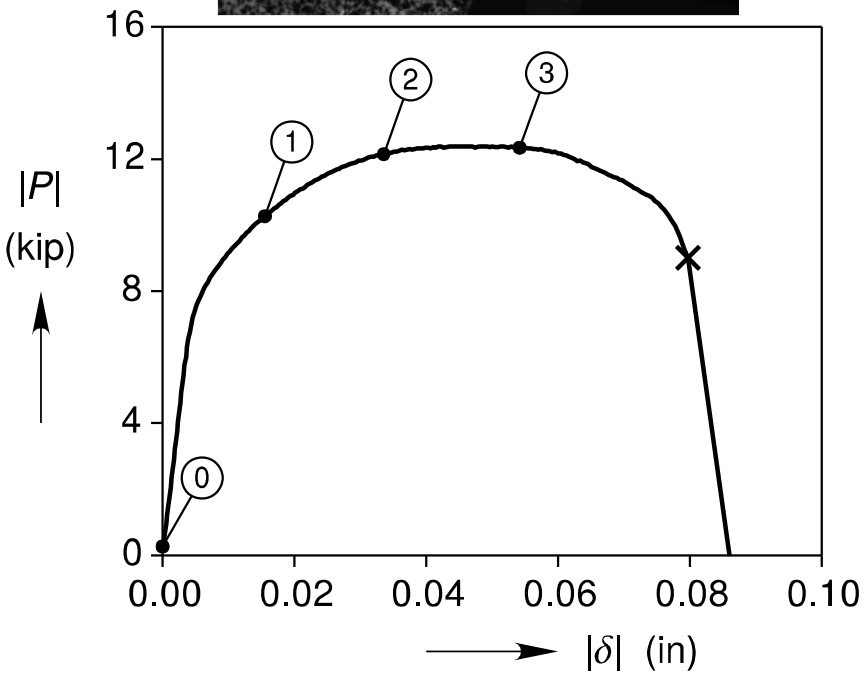
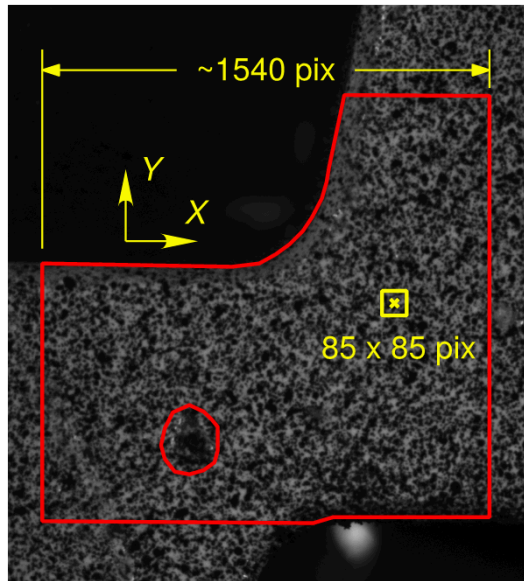
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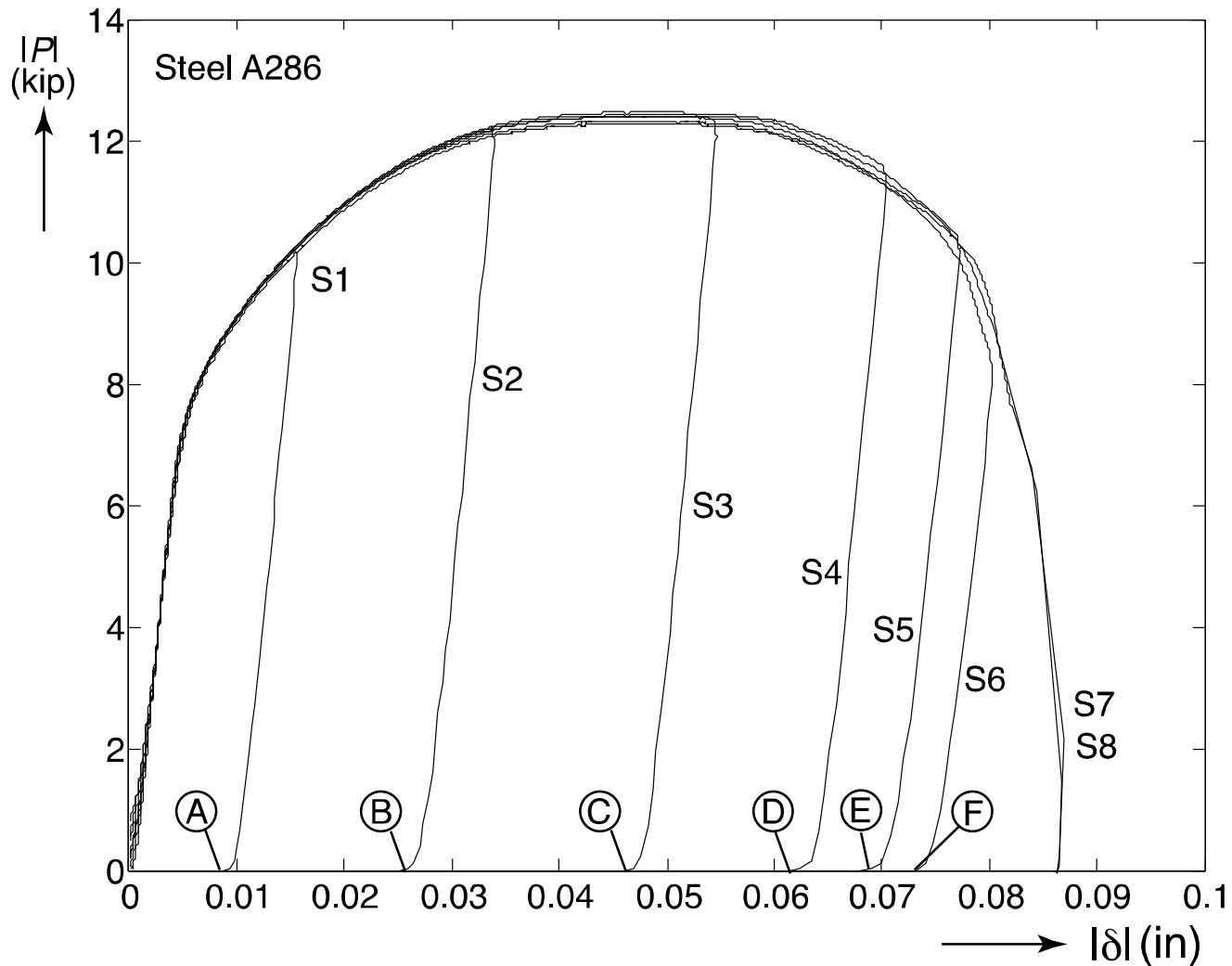
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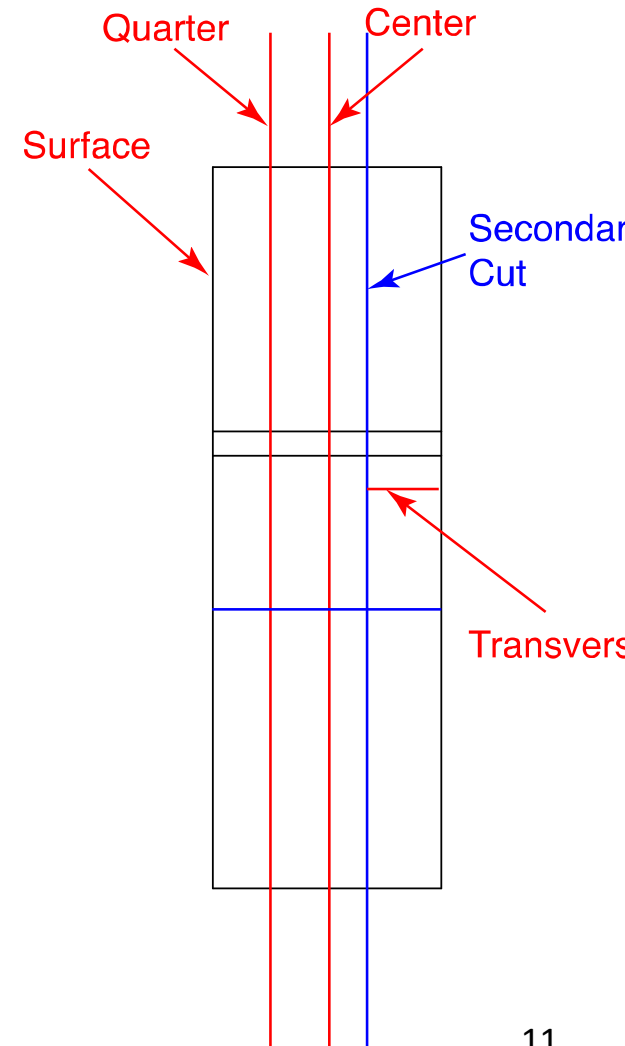
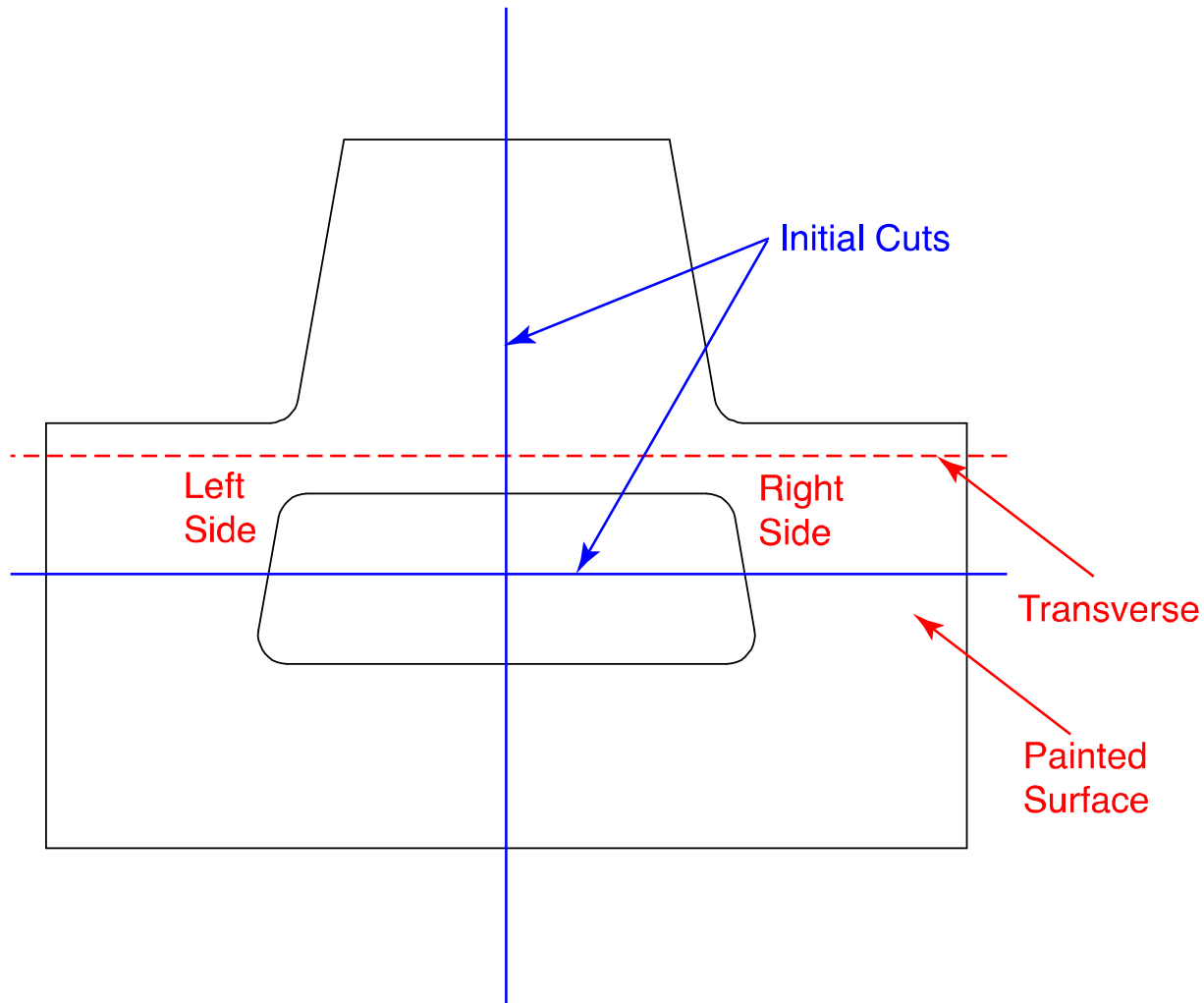
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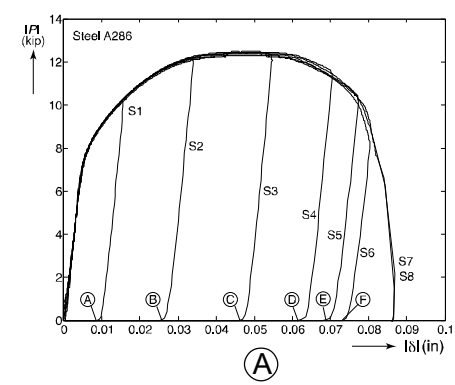
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Specimen Sectioning



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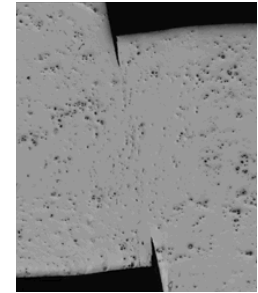
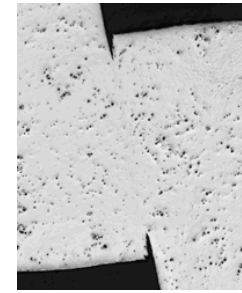
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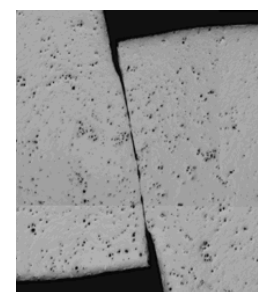
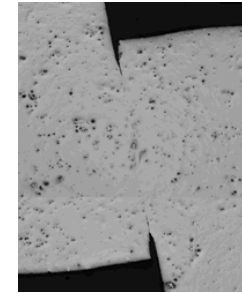
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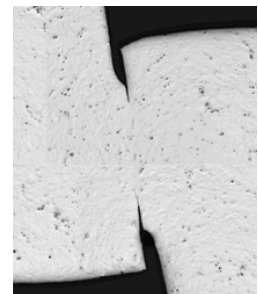
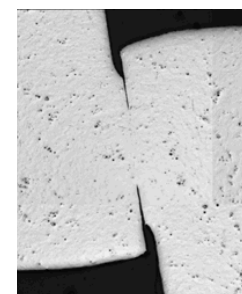
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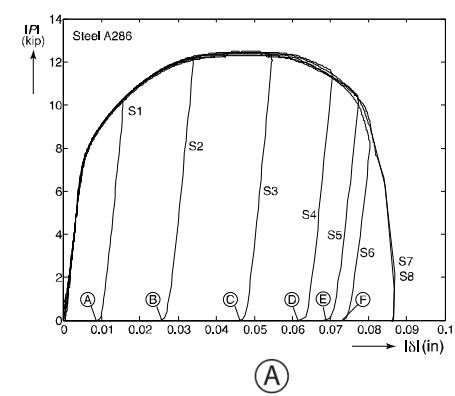
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Surface



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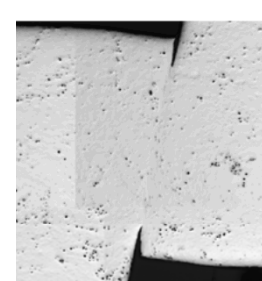
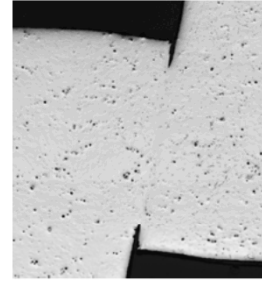
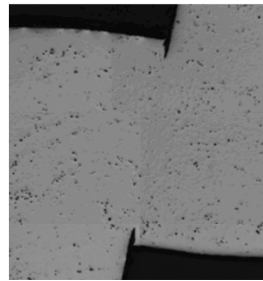
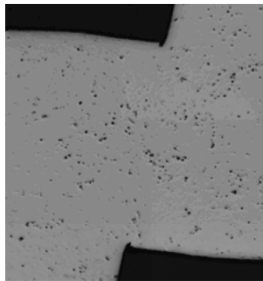
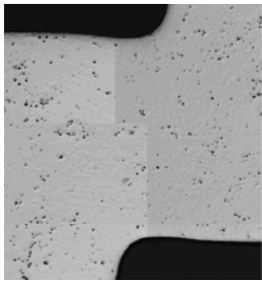
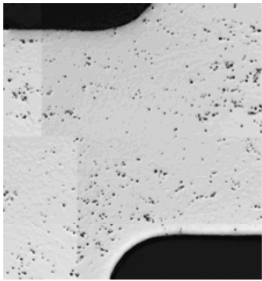
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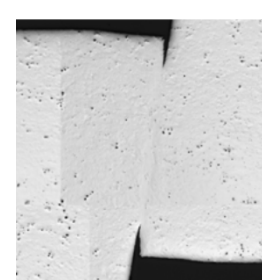
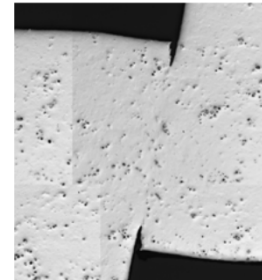
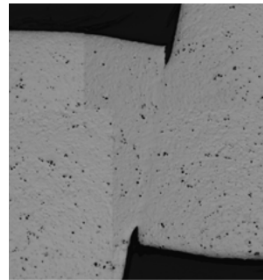
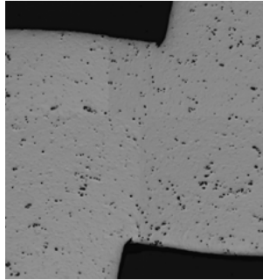
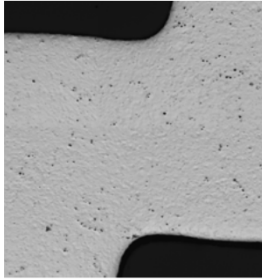
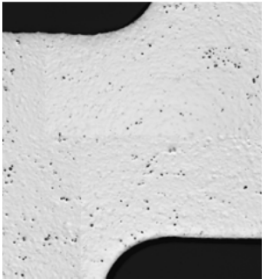
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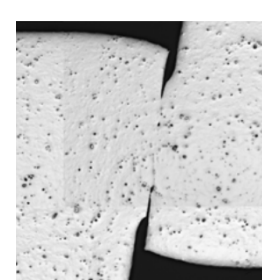
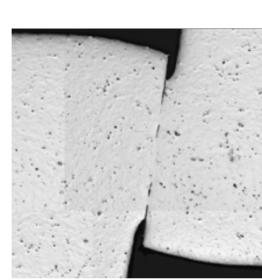
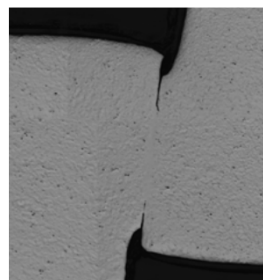
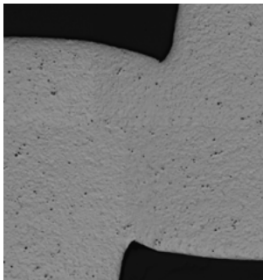
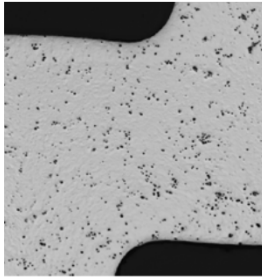
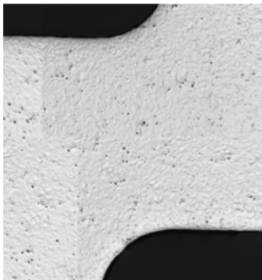
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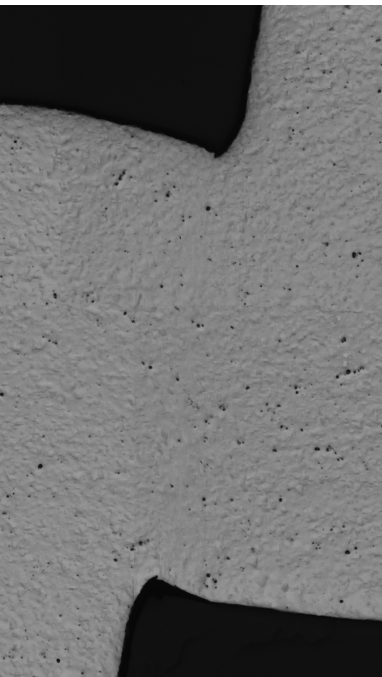
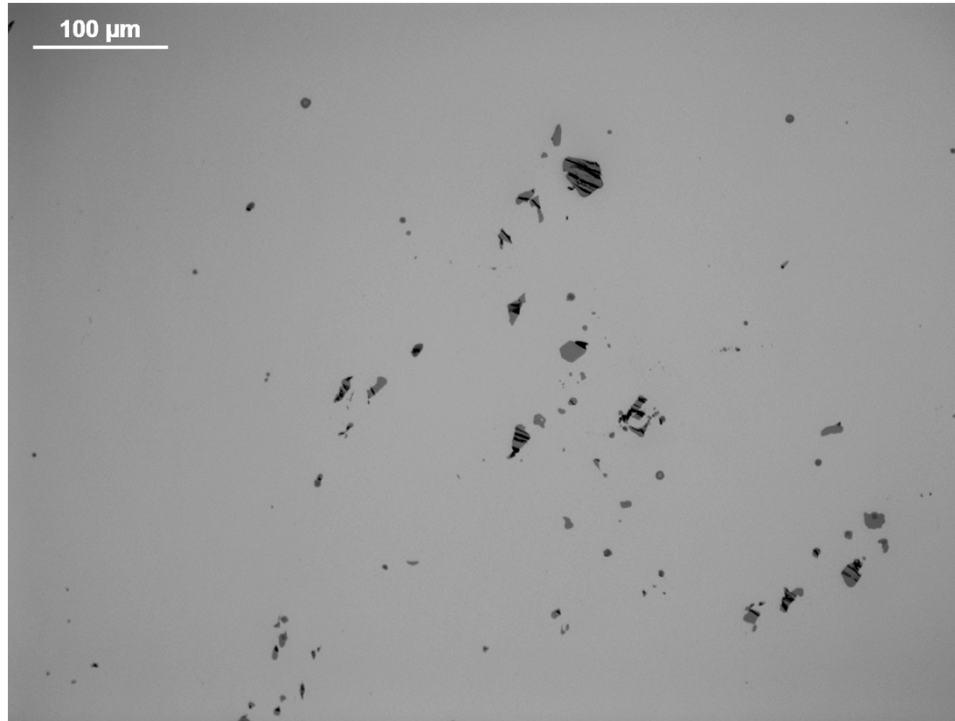
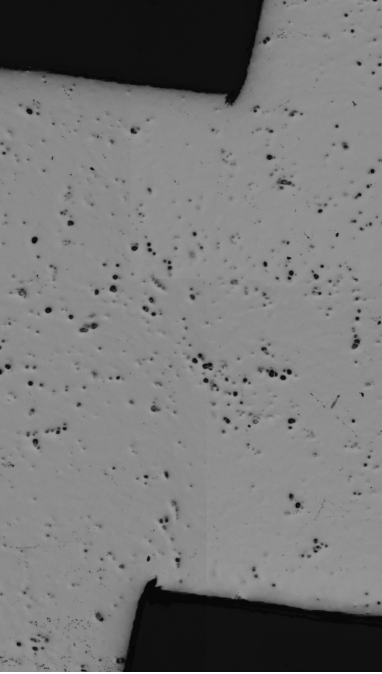
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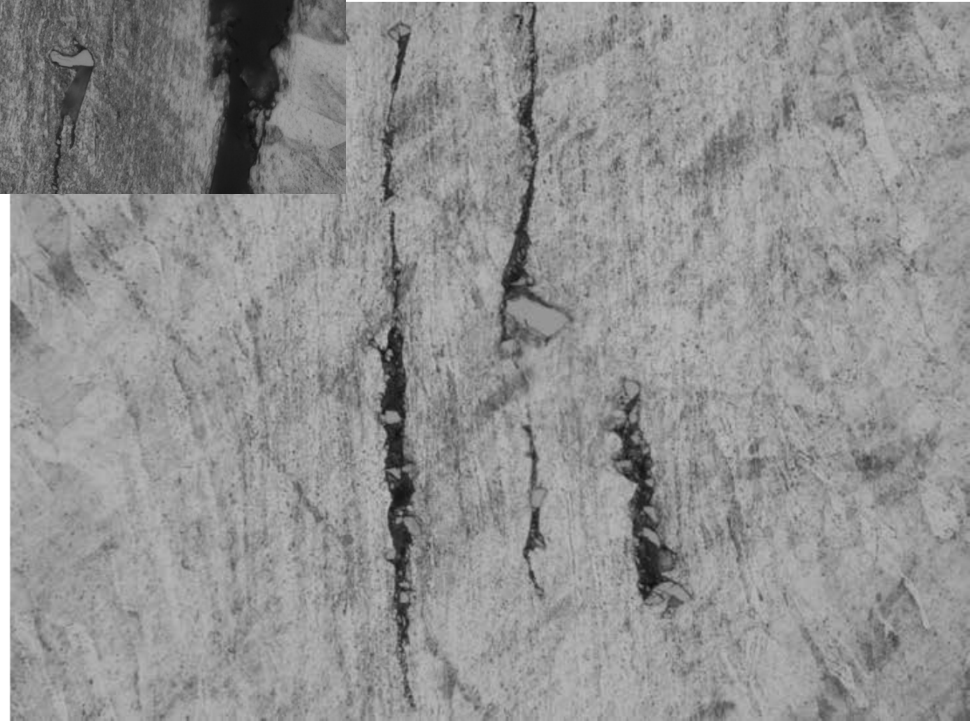
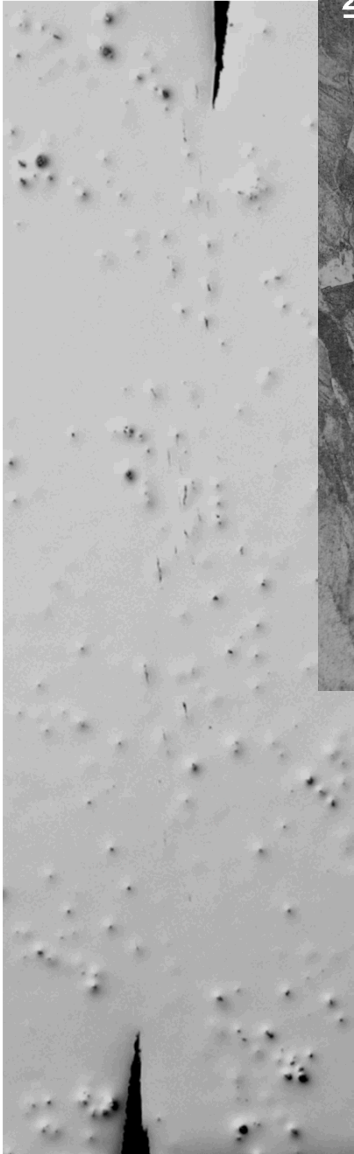
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State of Specimen S3



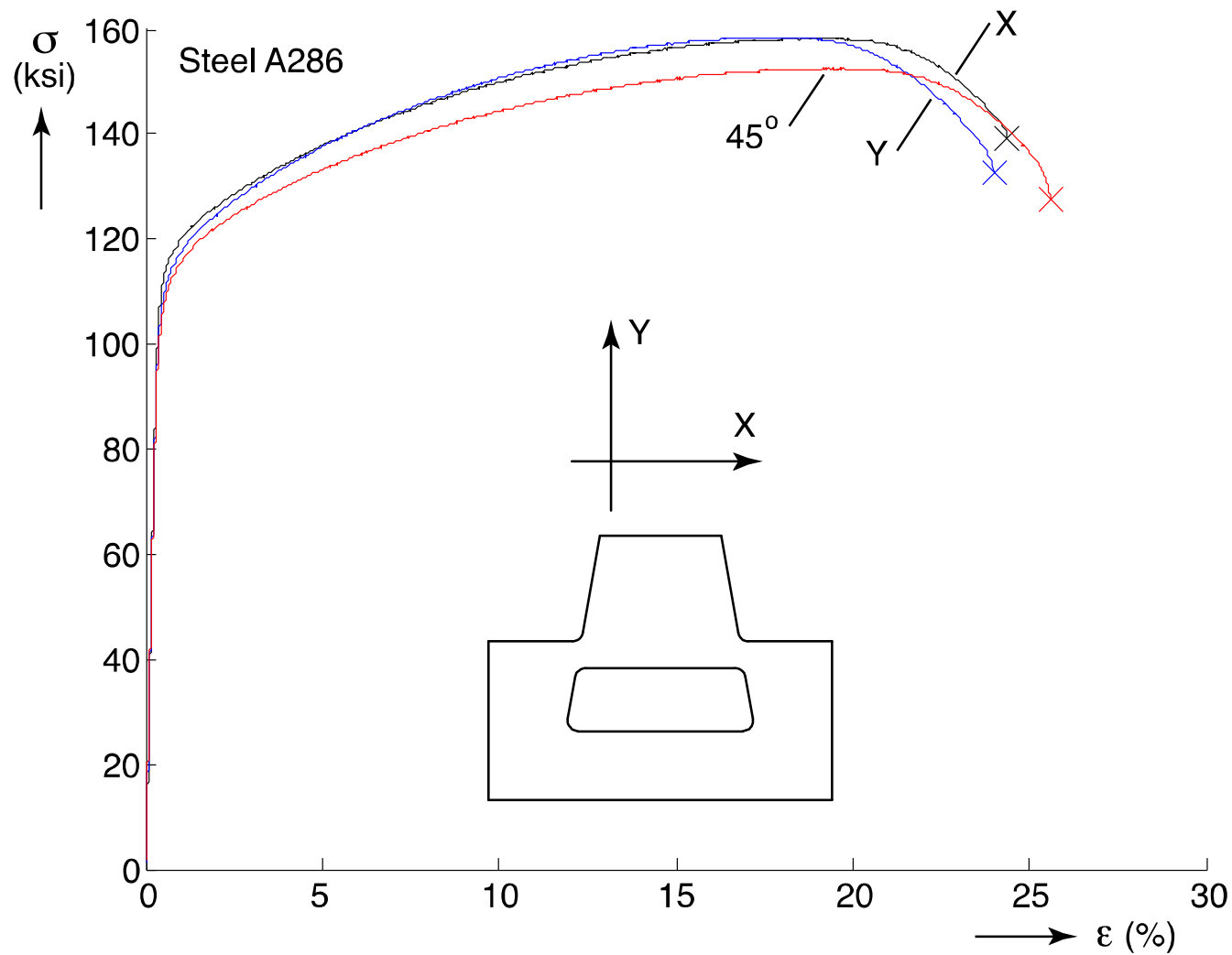
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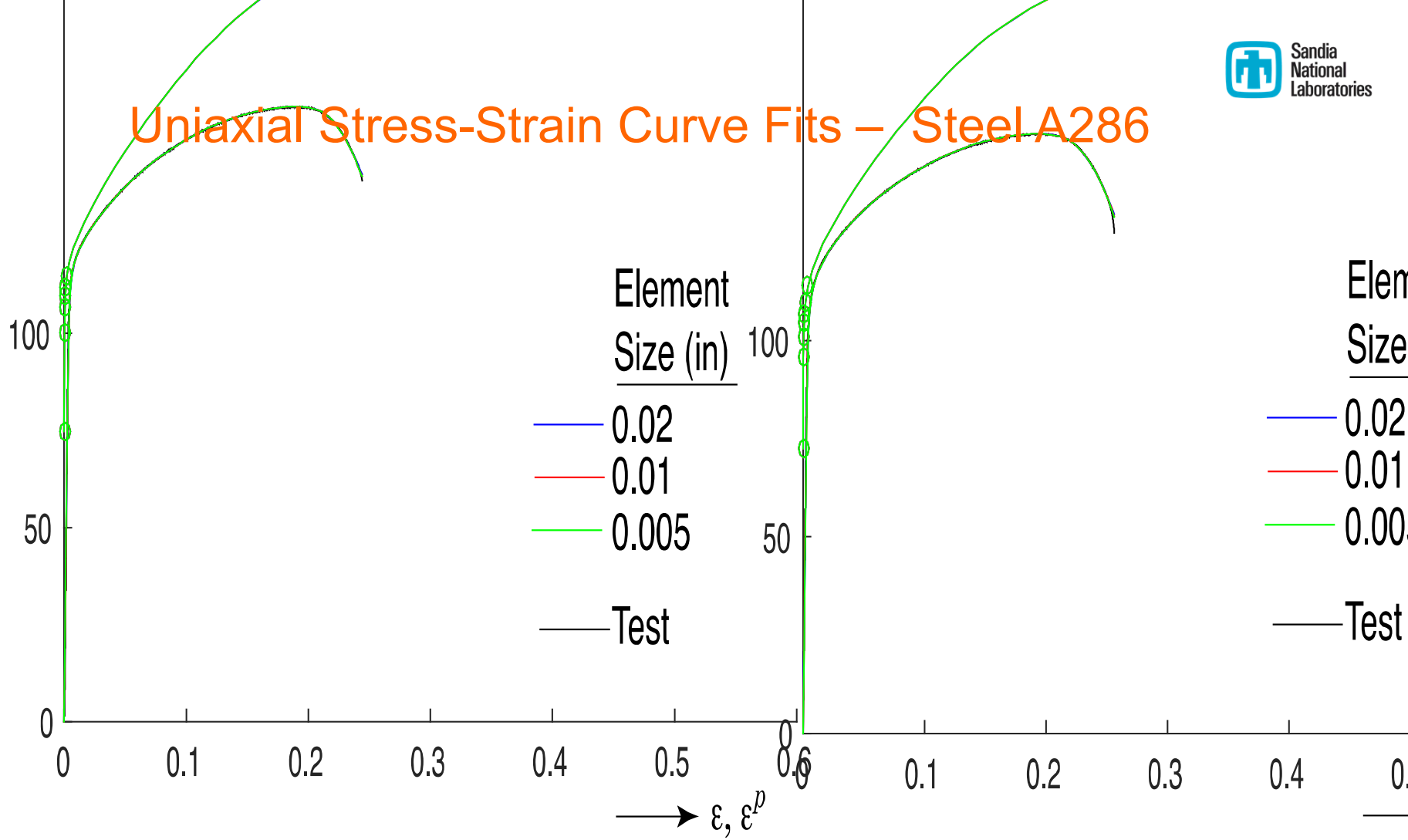
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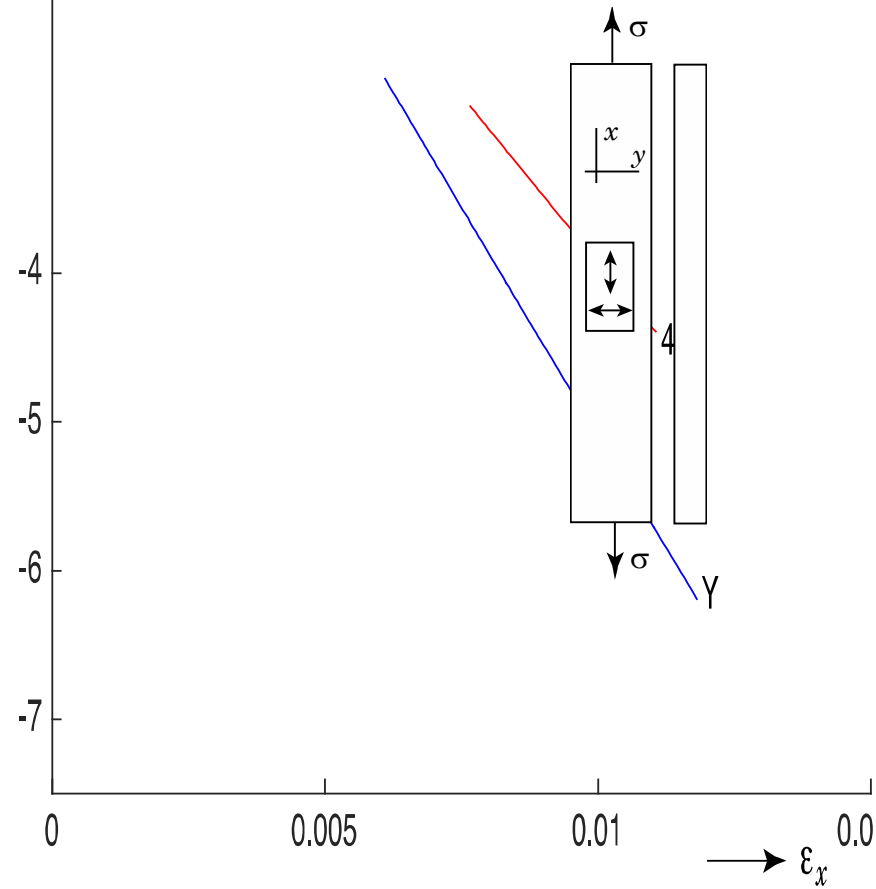
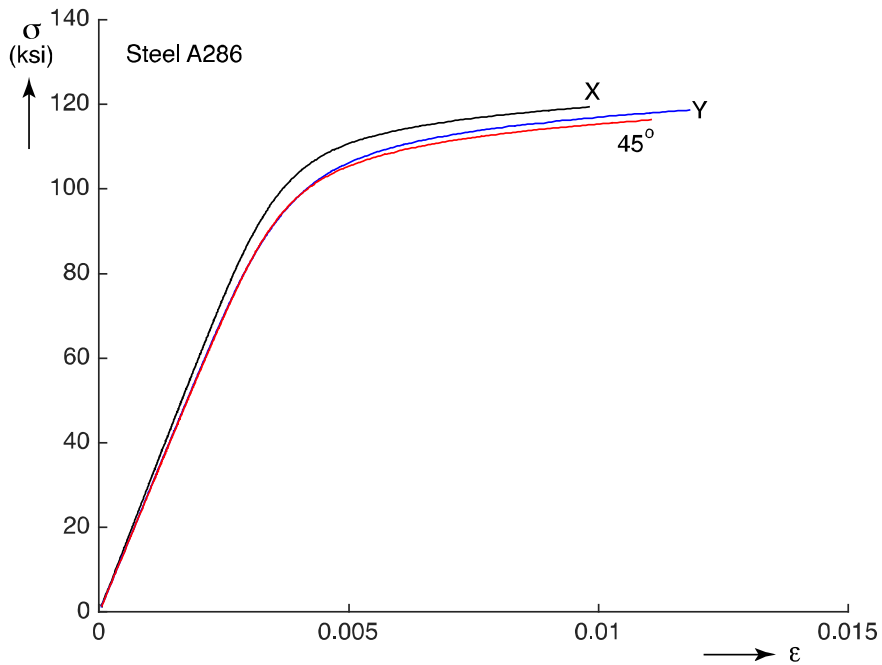
Uniaxial Stress-Strain Curves – Steel A286



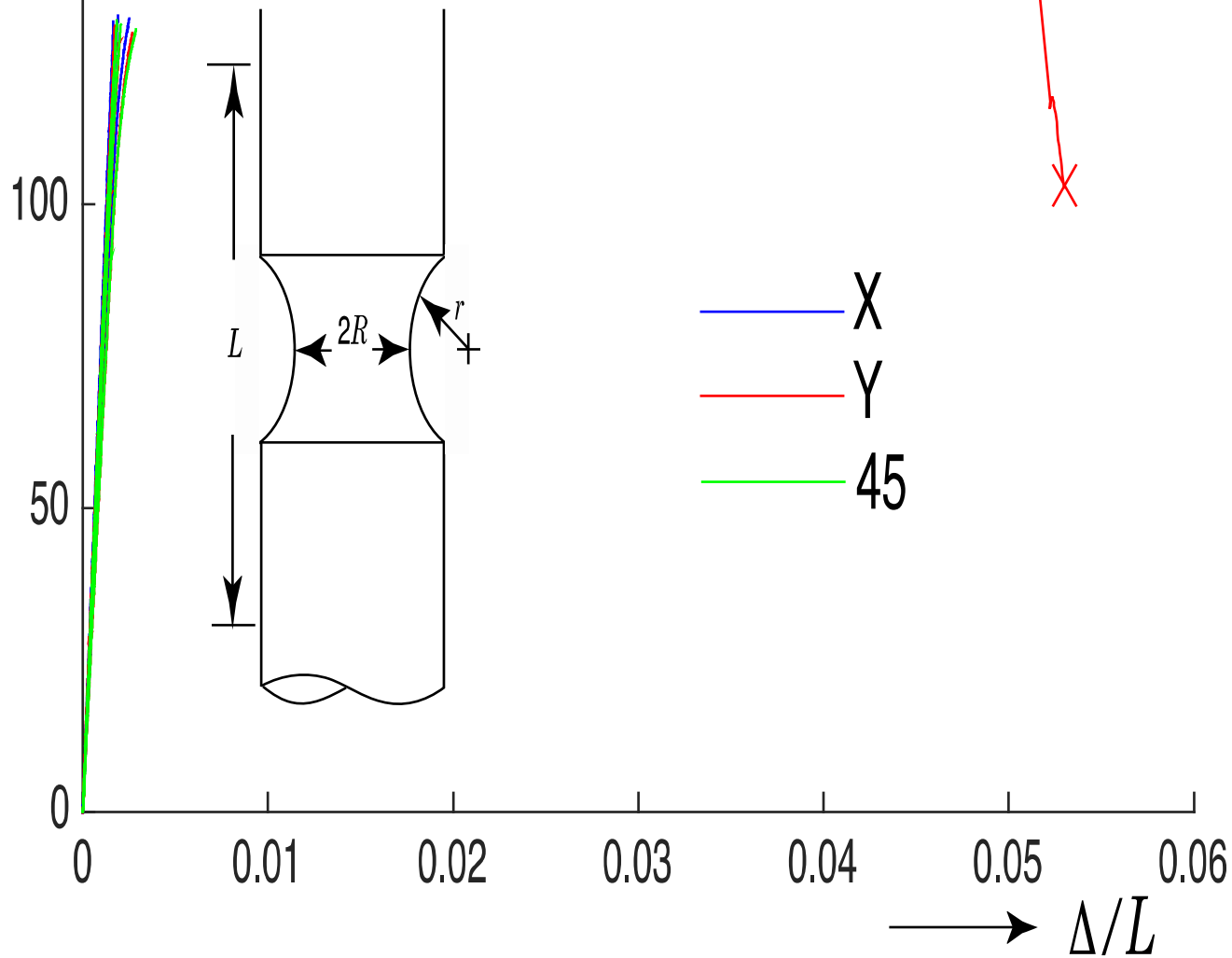
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Strain Gage Measurement in Tension Tests – Steel A286

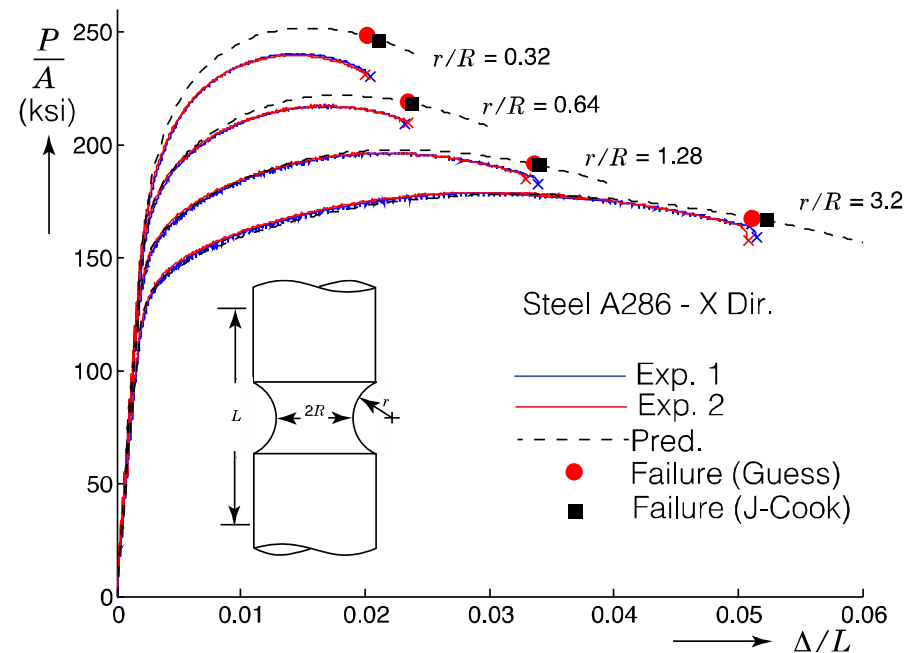
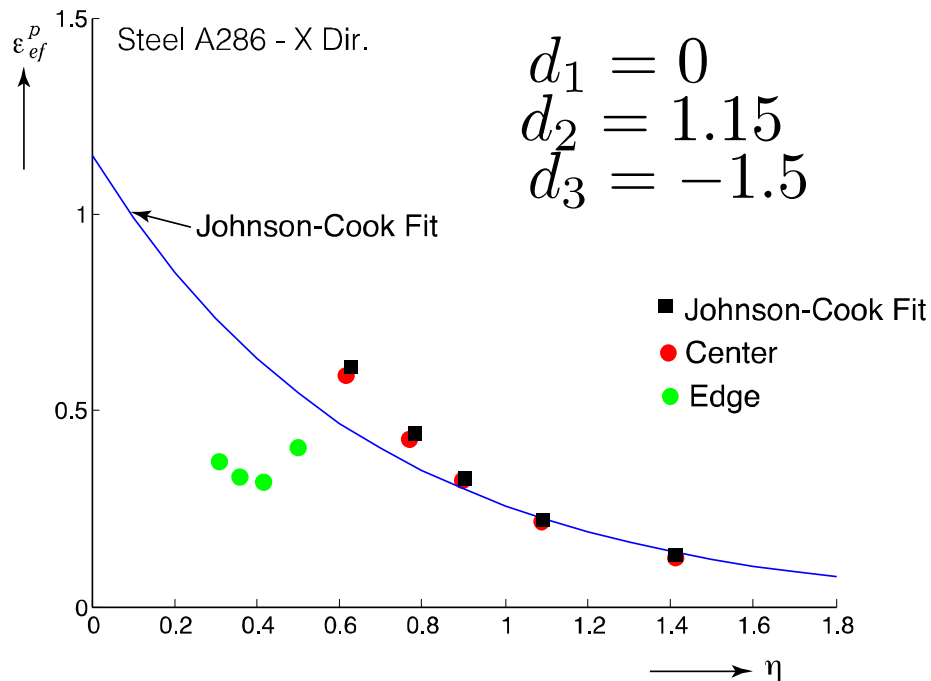


Notched Specimen Tension Tests – Steel A286



Johnson-Cook Failure Calibration

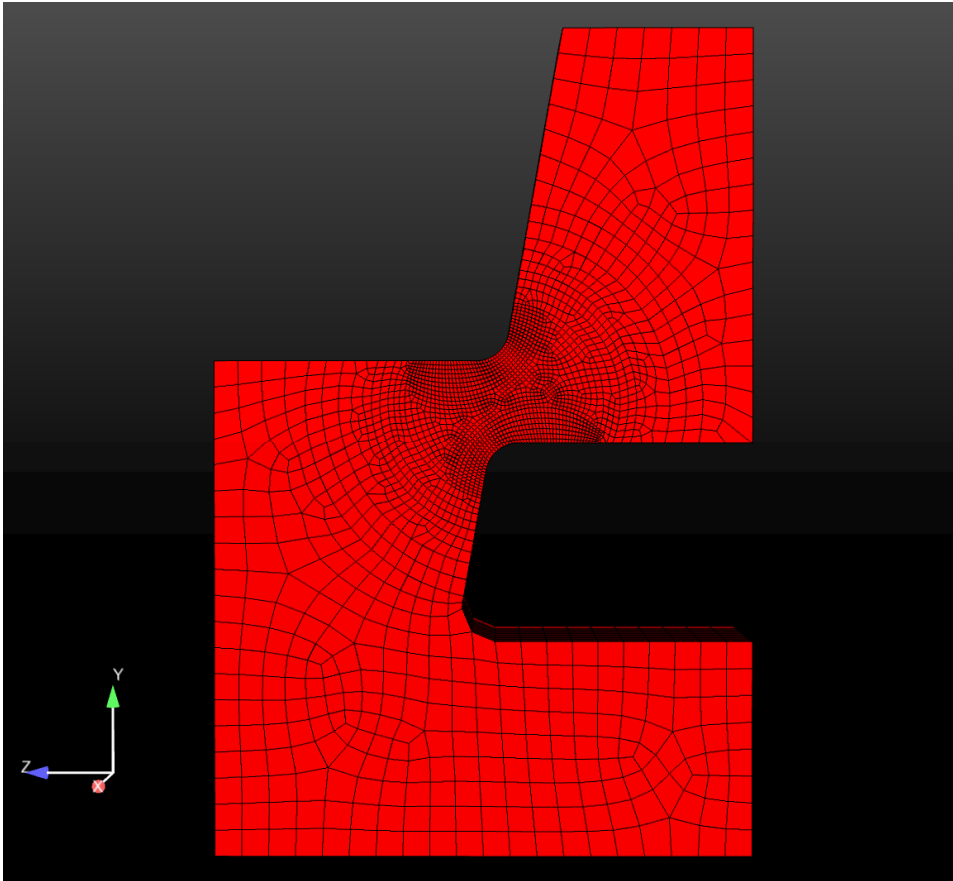
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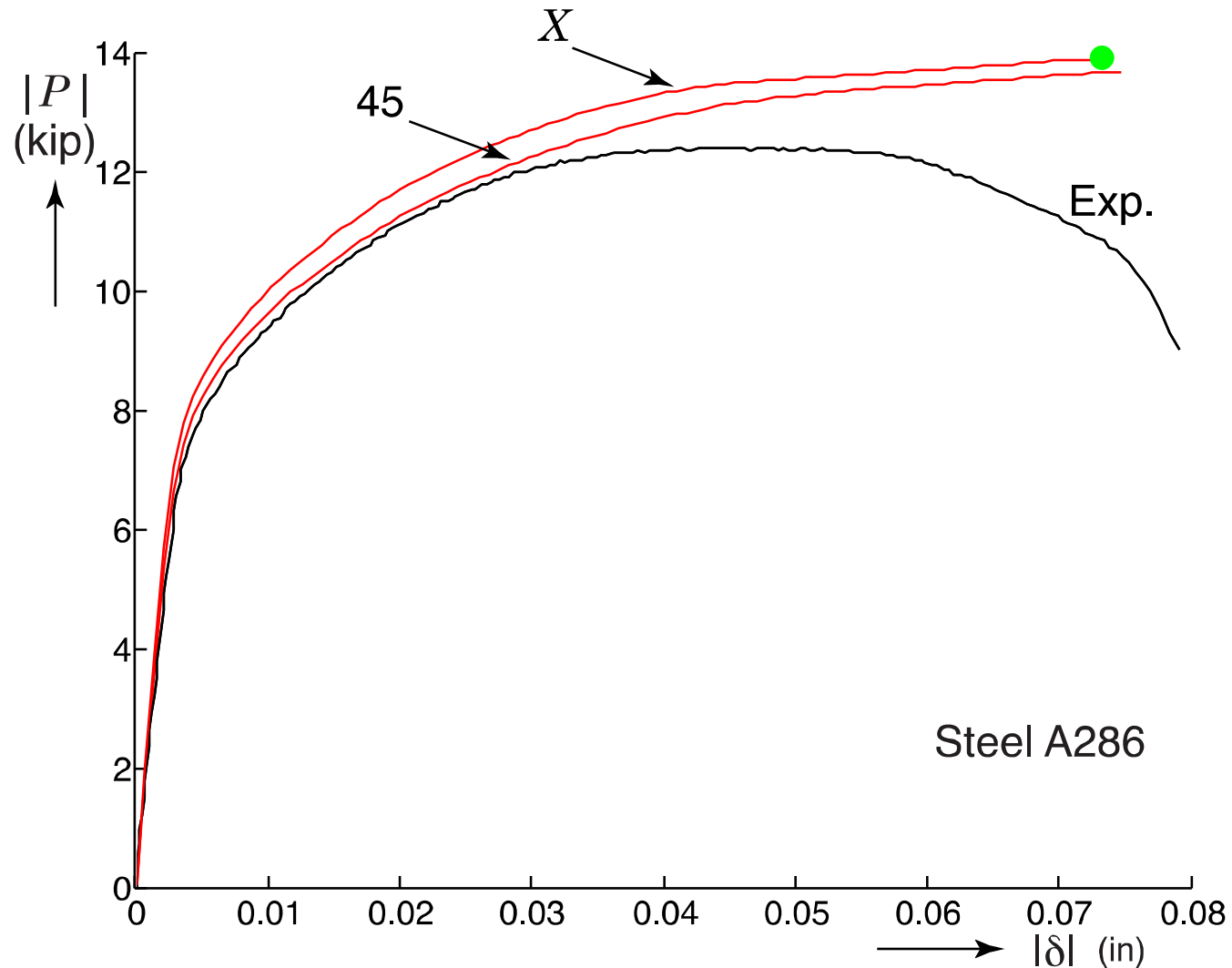
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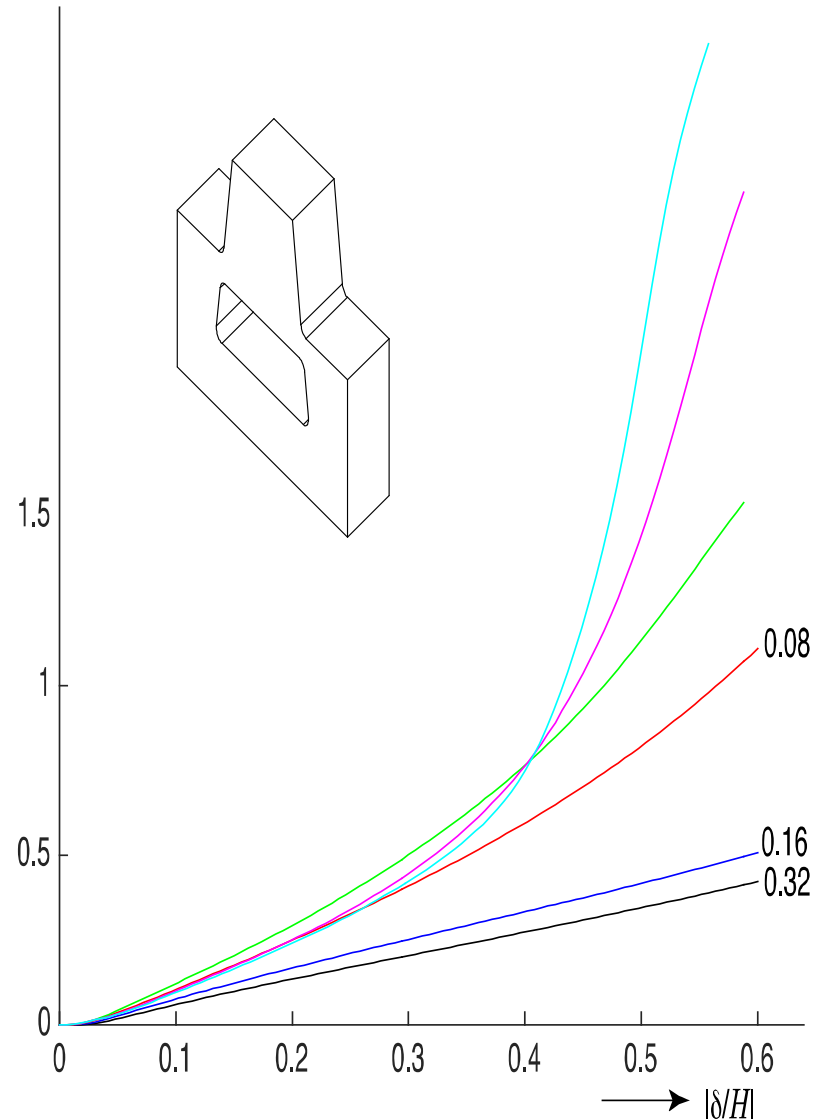
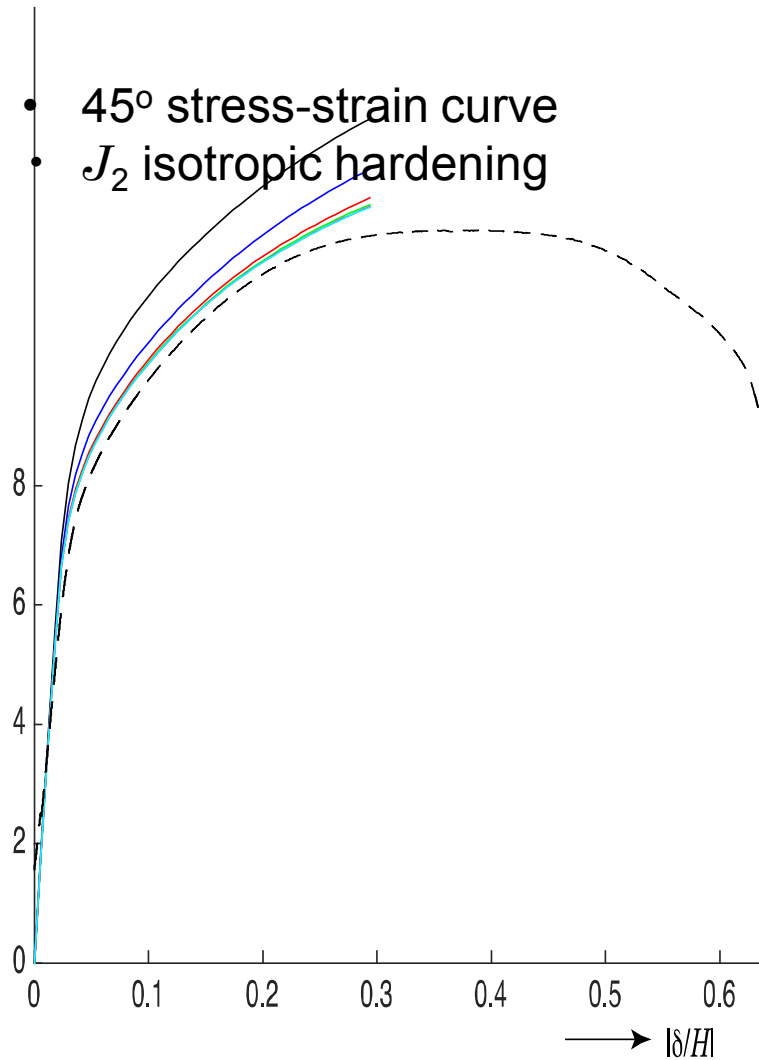


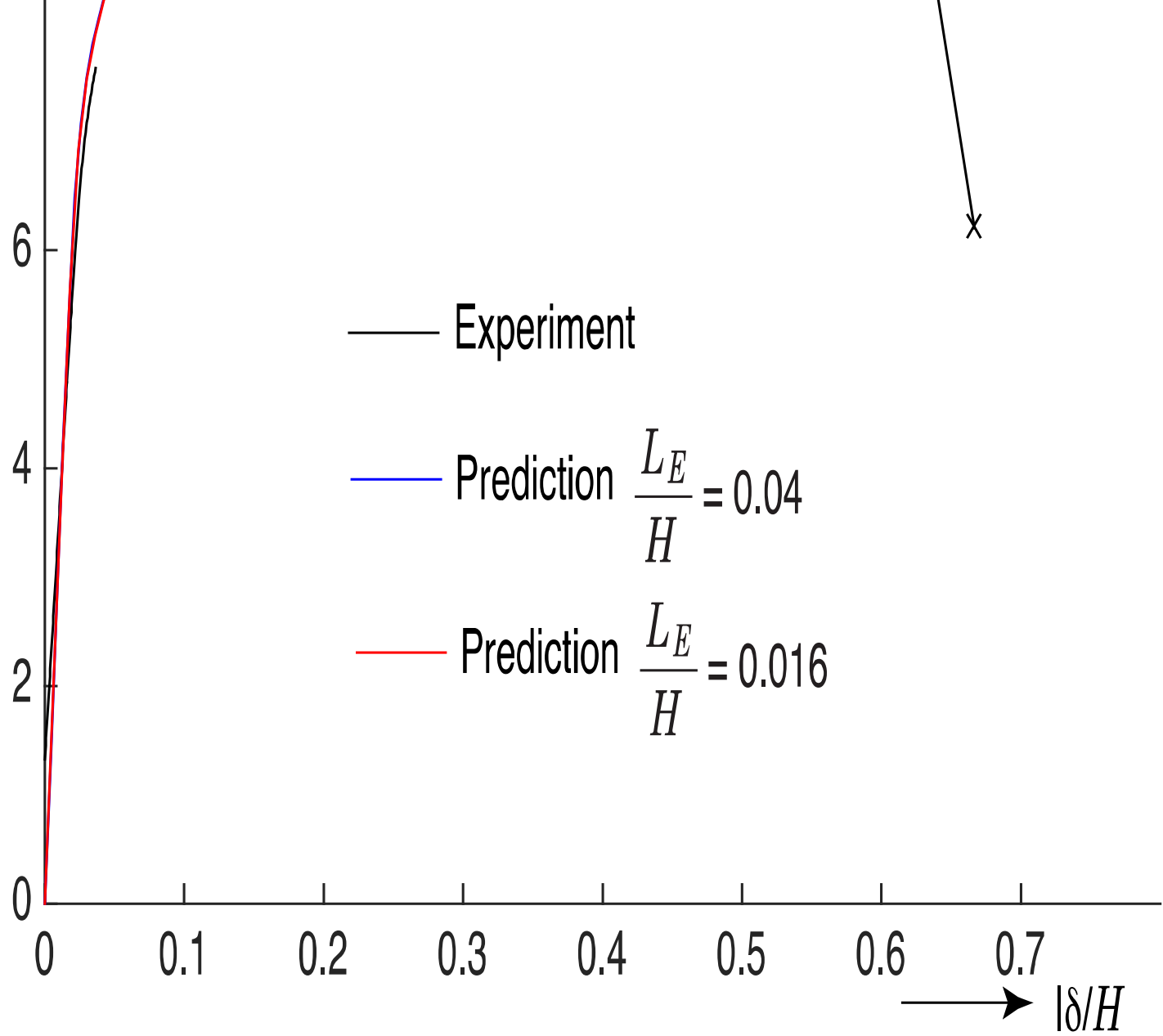
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 J_2 or Hill anisotropic
Johnson-Cook damage

Prediction for Compression Specimen

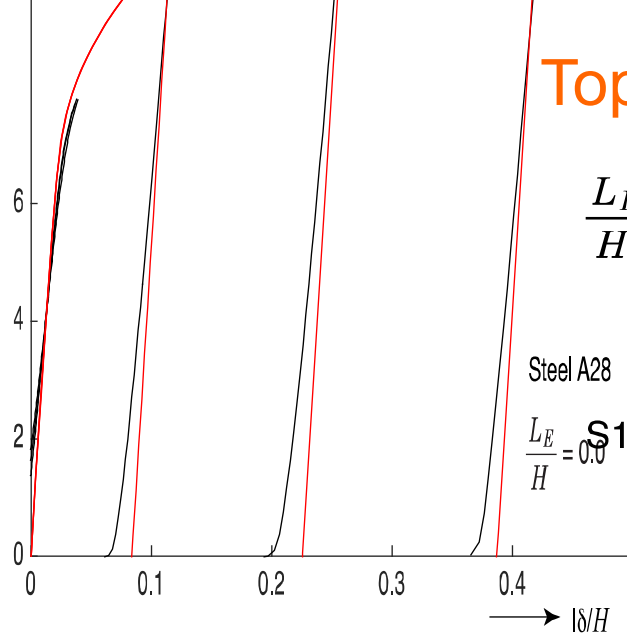


Mesh Convergence Study





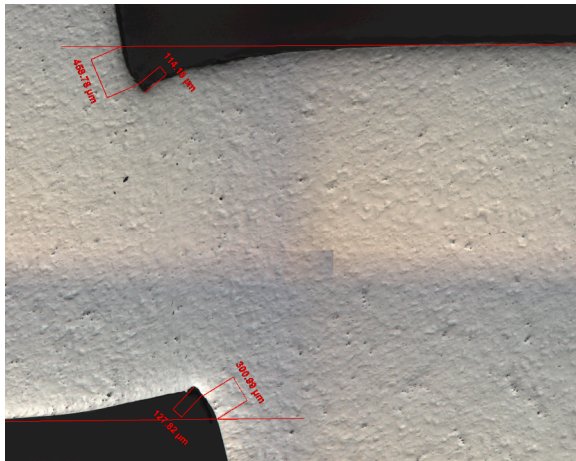
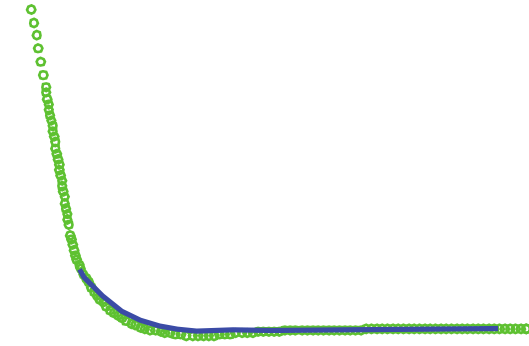
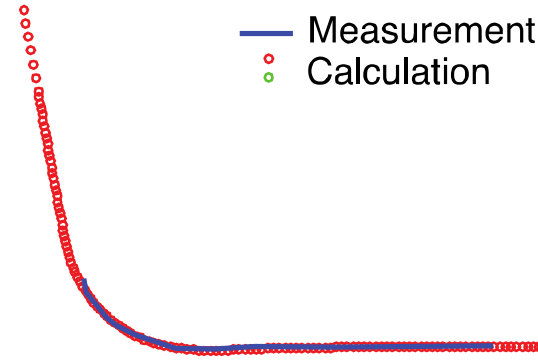
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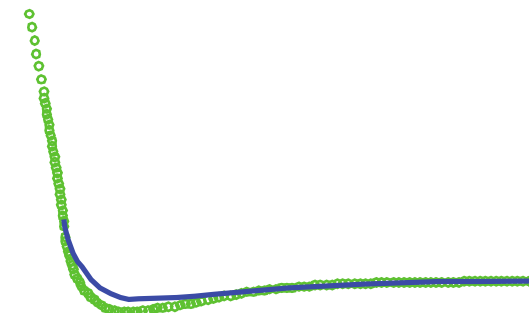
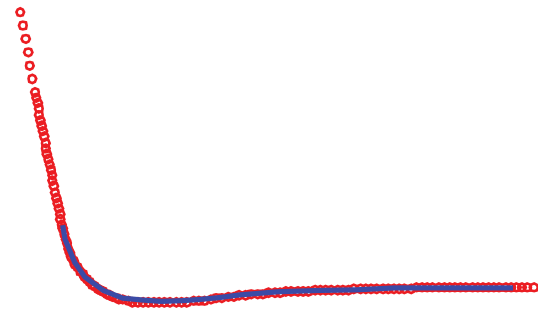
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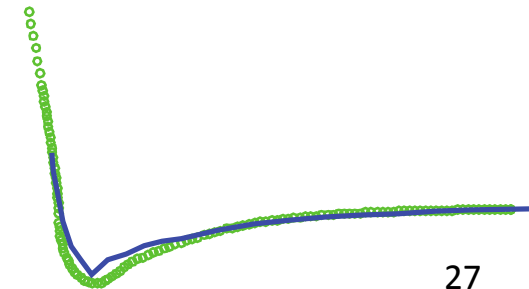
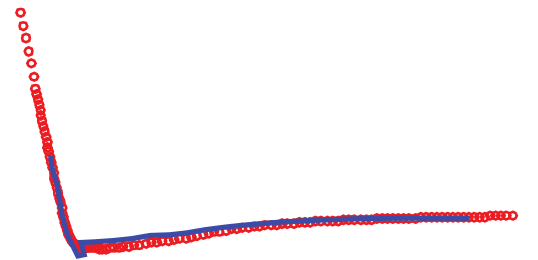
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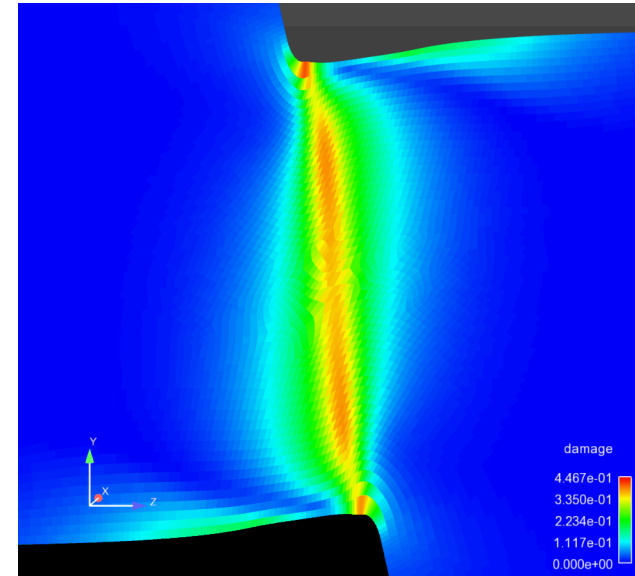
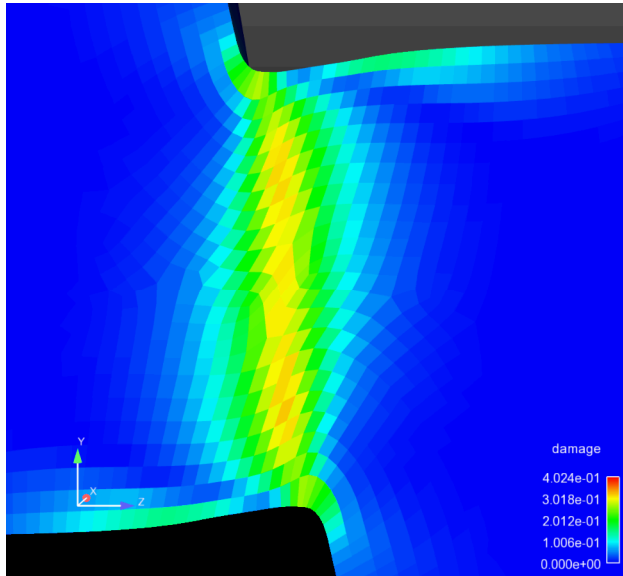


Maps of Johnson-Cook Damage (S3)

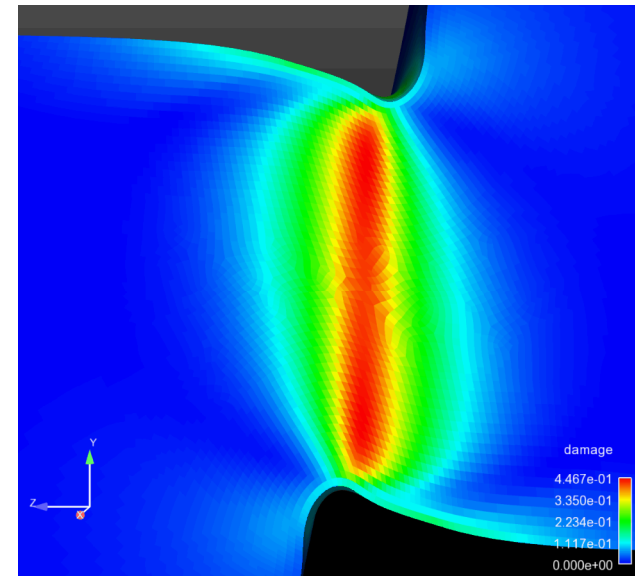
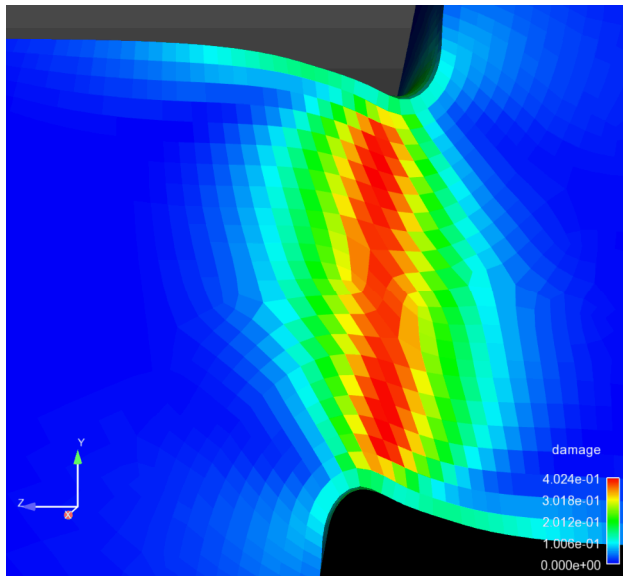
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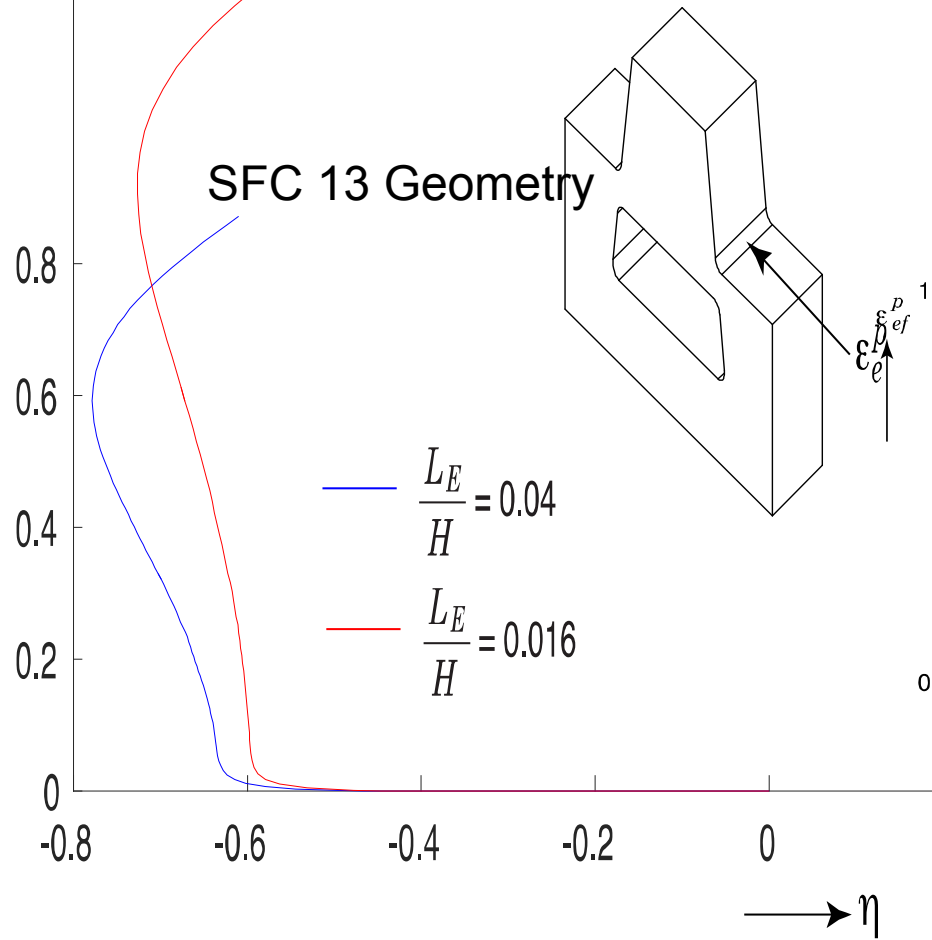
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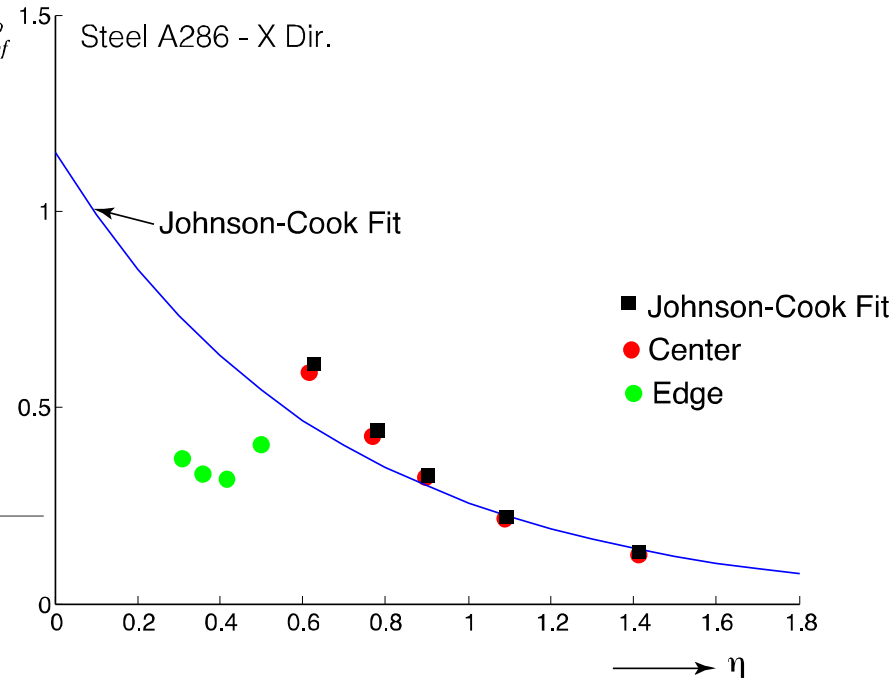
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Triaxiality Comparisons



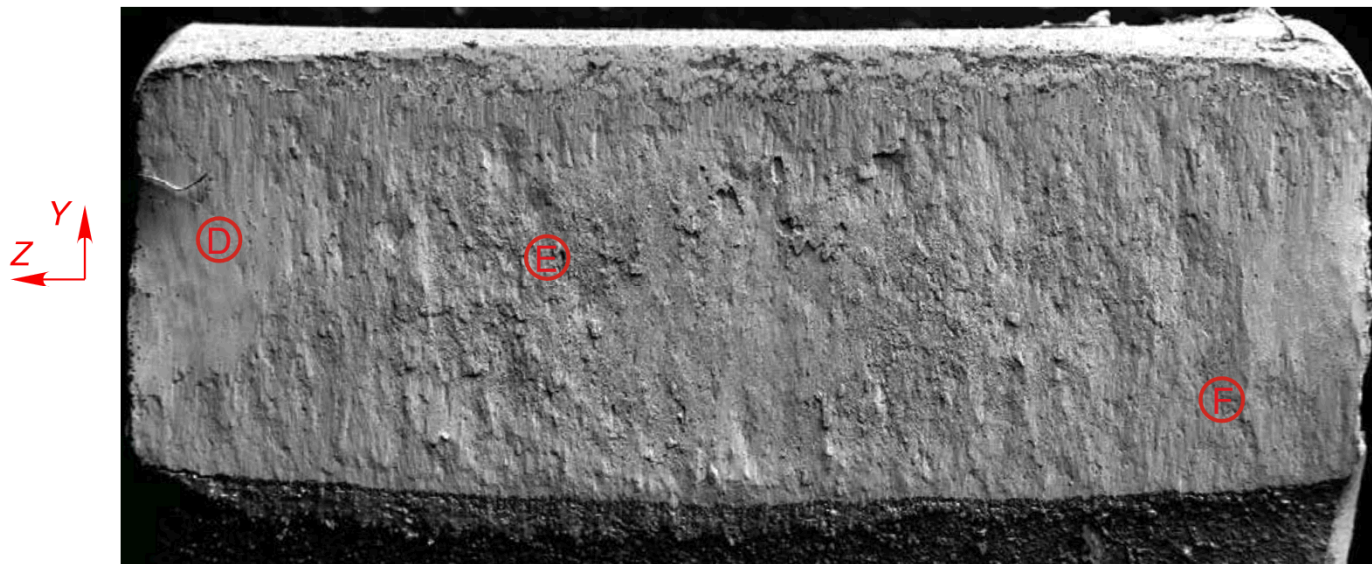
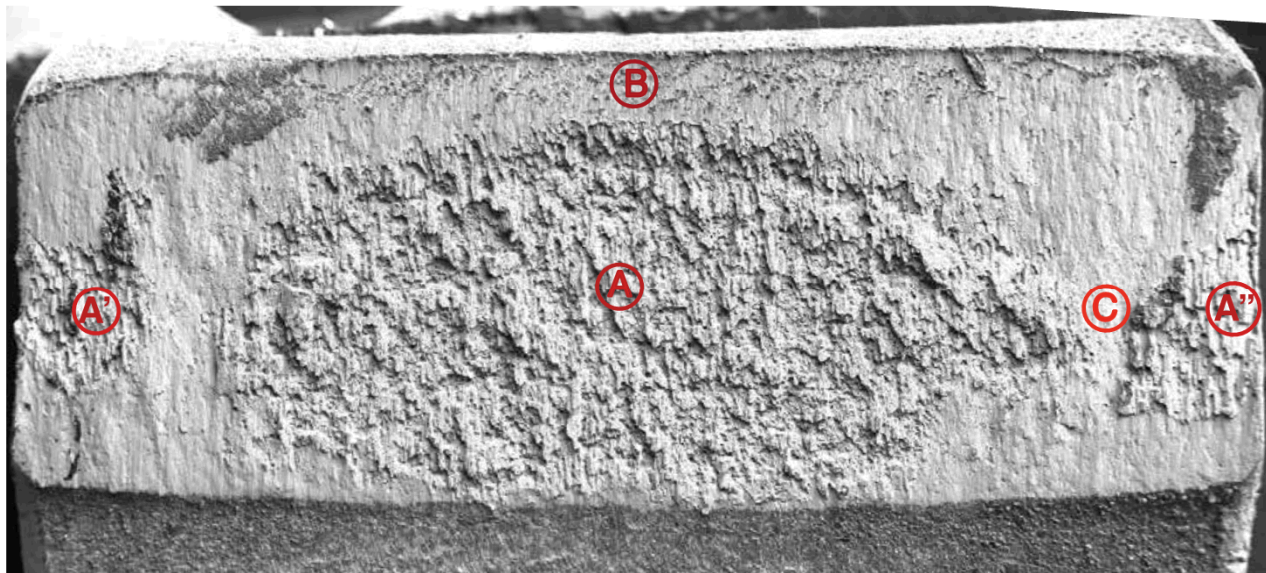
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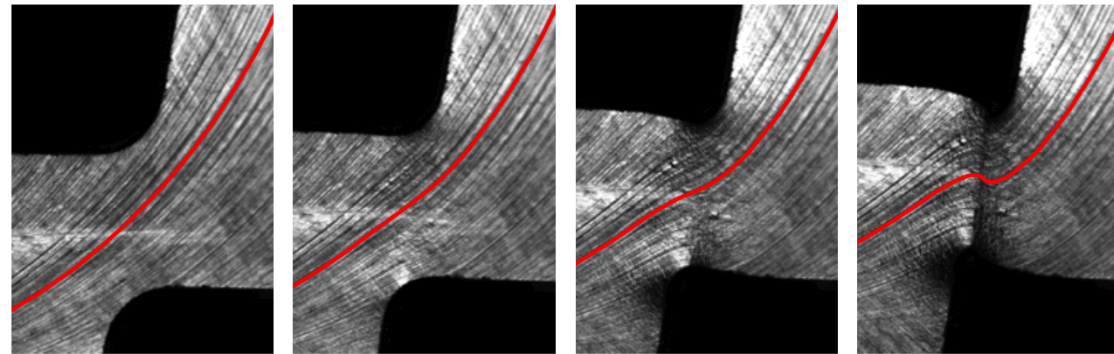
Conclusions

- Initial response (elasticity/yield/early plasticity) captured reasonably well
- The occurrence of the limit load is not captured by the model
 - Damage start not captured by the model
 - Plasticity model may constrain localization
 - Further mesh refinement needed
 - Un-symmetric deformations not captured by symmetric model (not obvious in tests, damage asymmetry seen late).
- Evidence seems to point to the influence of damage eroding load-carrying capacity
 - Cracks at regions with high curvature appeared by limit load
 - Fracture of inclusions leads to mini-cracks in high shear zone
 - How can we capture that?
 - Our material testing has not helped us in this front
 - Supplemental shear tests will be conducted.

Fracture Surfaces for a Steel A286 Specimen



Example of Specimen Deformation for Steel A286 Specimen

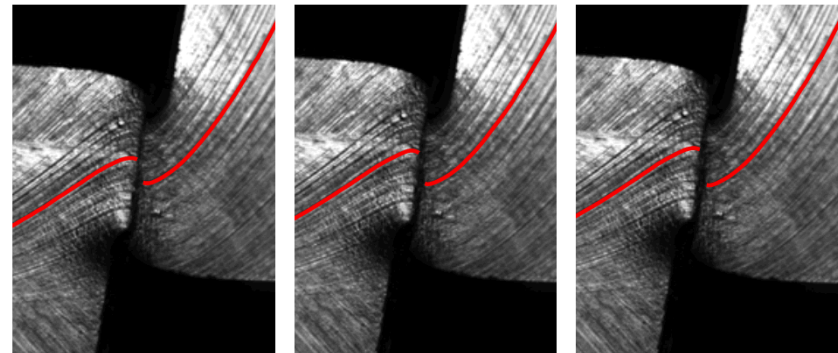


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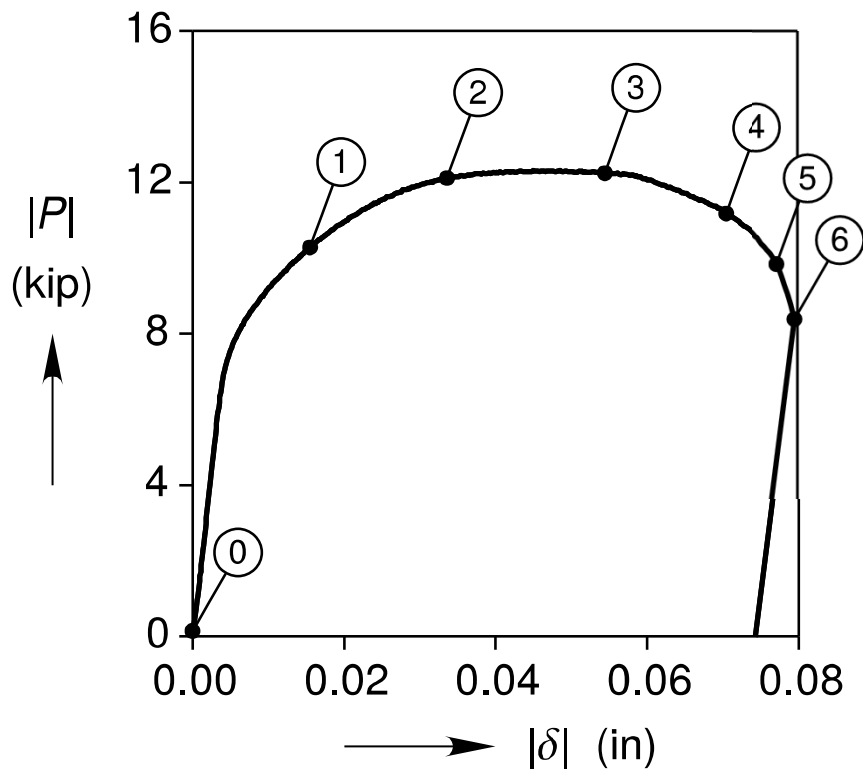
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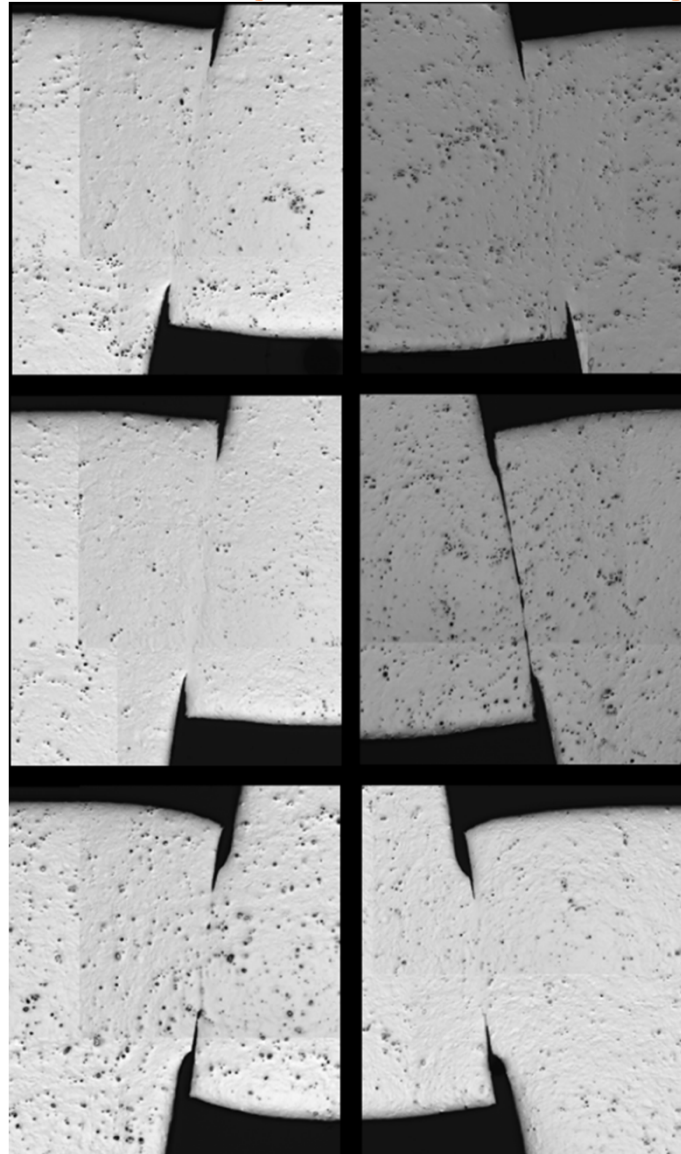
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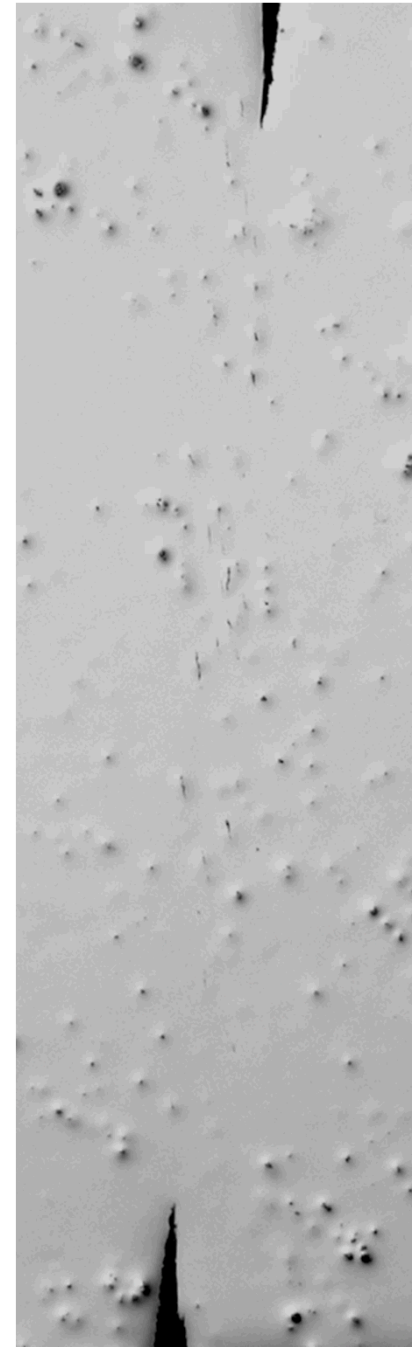
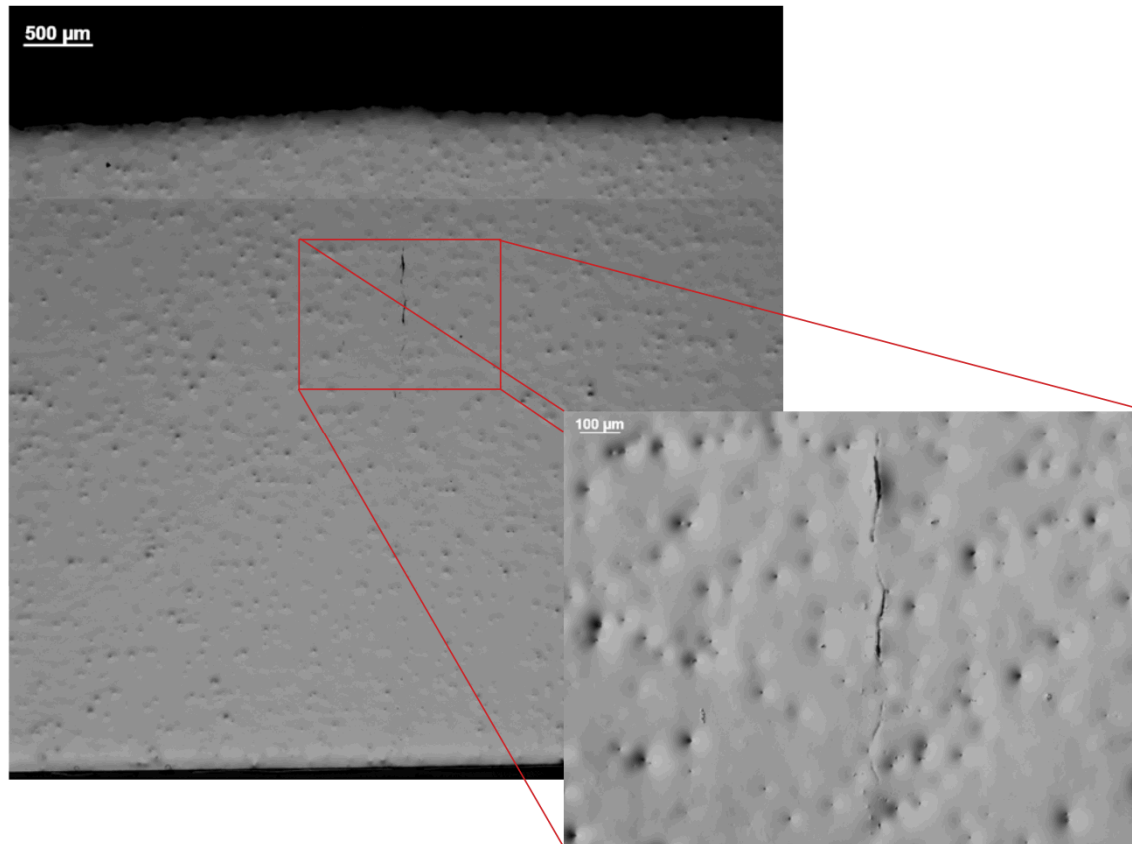


Micrographs for Steel A286 Specimens

Comparison of Left and Right Sides at Highest Displacement



State of Specimen S6

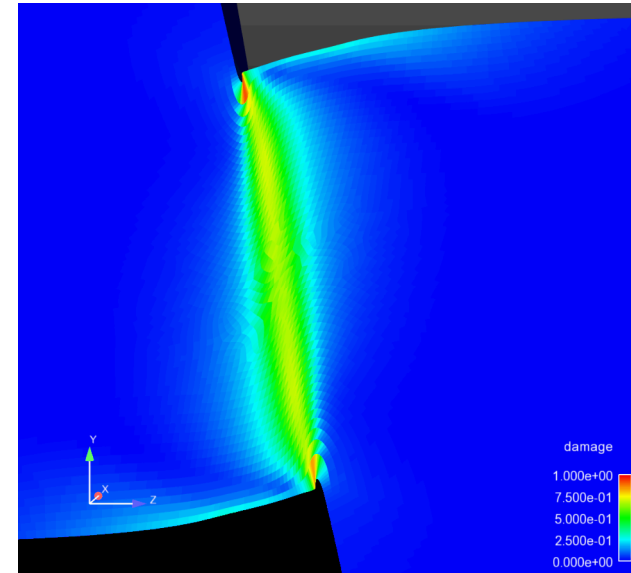
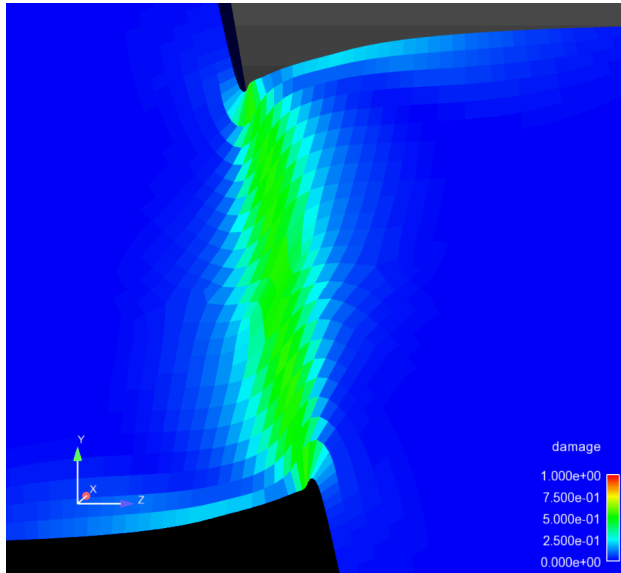


Maps of Johnson-Cook Damage ($\delta/H=0.6$)

$L_E/H=0.04$

$L_E/H=0.016$

Center



Surface

