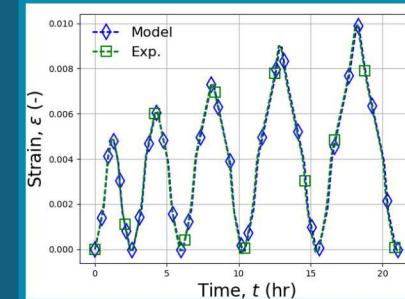
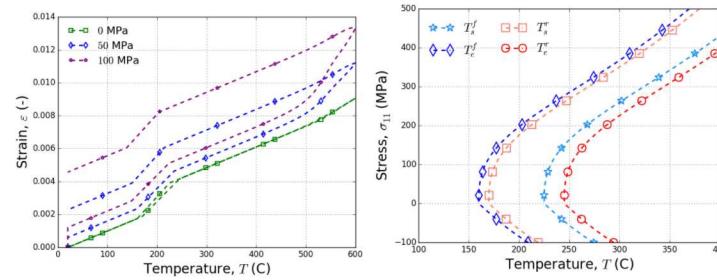


# Glass-Ceramic Material Modeling: Theory, Implementation, and Application



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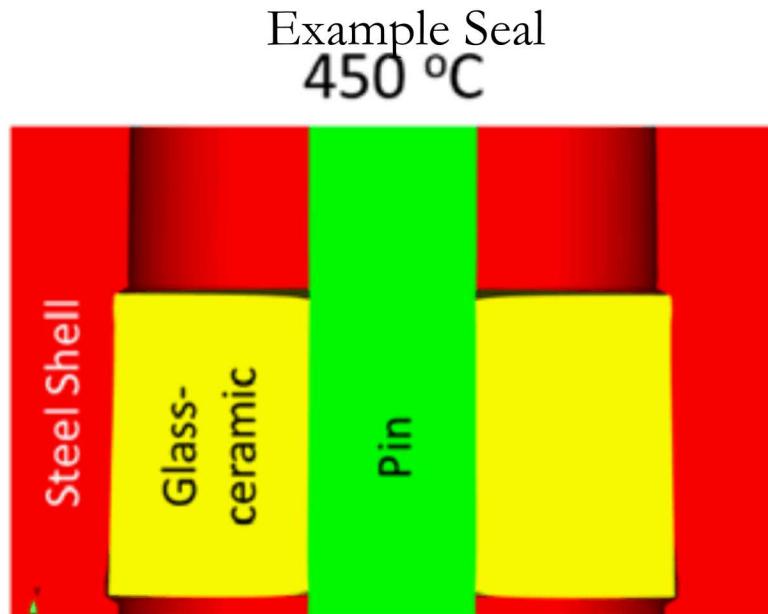
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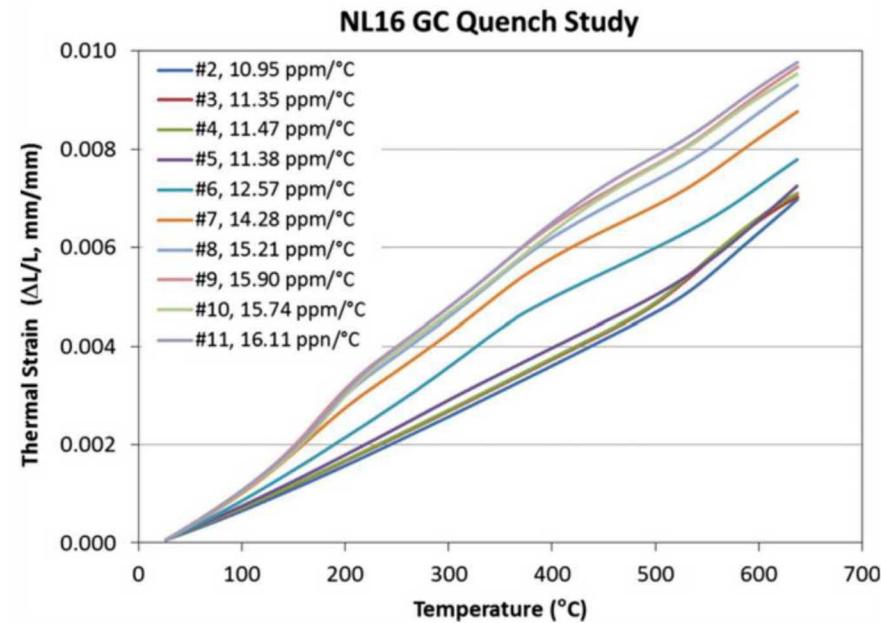


# Glass-ceramic to Metal Seals (GcTMS)

- Variety of industrial applications for glass-ceramics
  - Hermetic glass-ceramic to metal seals (GcTMS)
  - Subject to complex thermomechanical histories
- Need constitutive model for behavior
  - No real existing GC model



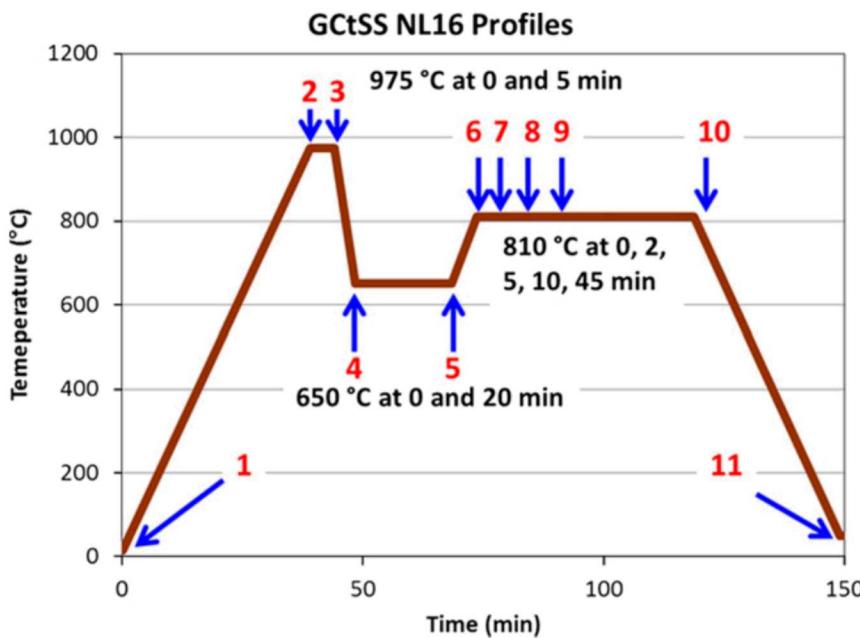
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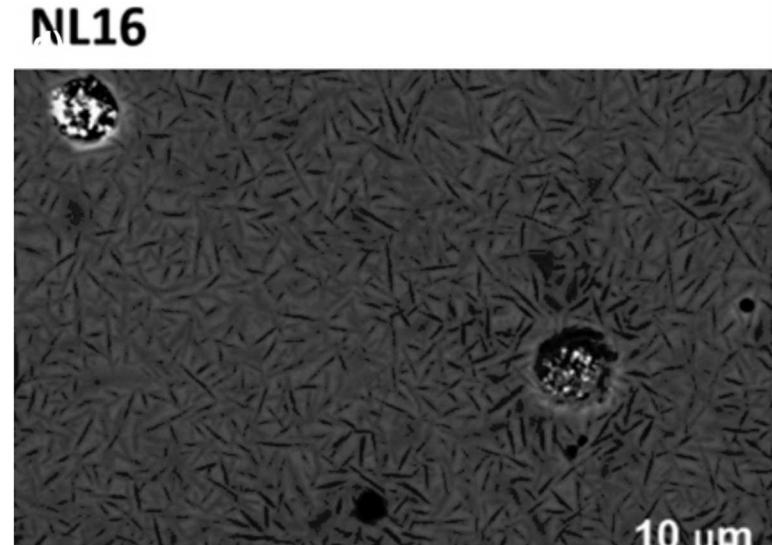
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# Glass-Ceramics – Microstructure

- Glass-ceramics are produced by inducing a ceramic phase(s) in an inorganic base glass
- Advantageous features arise from microstructure
  - Up to 5 constituents
  - Inelasticity from residual glass and silica polymorphs



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Rodriguez *et al.*, 2016, *J Am Ceram Soc*, 99 (11), pp.3726-3733

# Glass-Ceramic Model

- Seek macroscale representation of glass-ceramics via use of internal state variable/continuum thermodynamics theory
  - Thermoviscoelastic theory for response of residual matrix (inorganic base glass)
  - Utilize shape memory alloy (SMA) theory as basis (Lagoudas model) for phase transformations

$$G(\sigma_{ij}, T, t, \xi, \varepsilon_{ij}^t; \delta^i) = G^{\text{te}}(\sigma_{ij}, T, \xi; \delta^i) + G^{\text{in}}(\sigma_{ij}, T, t, \xi, \varepsilon_{ij}^t; \delta^i)$$

$\sigma_{ij}, T, t$	External State Variables
$\xi, \varepsilon_{ij}^t$	Internal State Variables
$\delta^i$	Constituent Volume Fractions

- Rate-independent transformation
  - Utilize  $J_2 - I_1$  transformation function and associated flow rule
  - Combines parts of Qidwai & Lagoudas (IJP, 2000) and Lagoudas *et al.* (IJP, 2012)

$$\phi(X_{ij}) = \gamma_1(J_2) \sqrt{3J_2} - \gamma_2 I_1$$

# Viscoelasticity



- Hereditary integral based formulation
  - Creep – not relaxation – spectra needed for use of Gibbs free energy
  - Shift-factor relates “material” and “laboratory” time

$$t^* = \int_0^t \frac{ds}{a(s)}$$

- Investigate impact of two shift factors
  - WLF – equilibrated shift factor

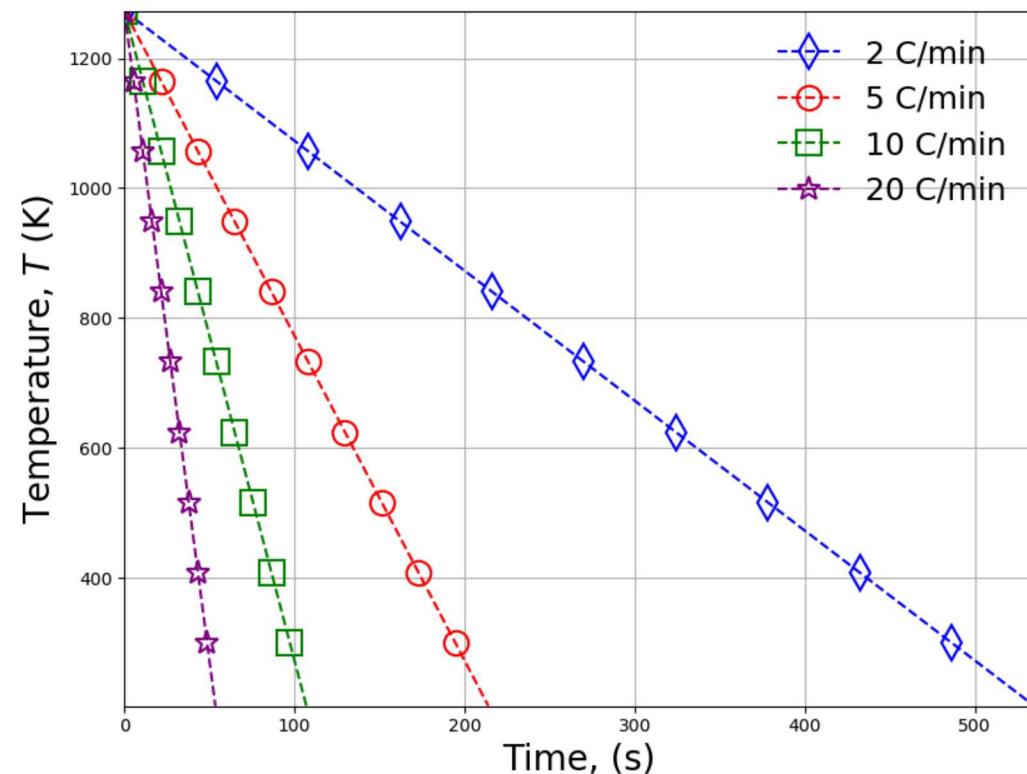
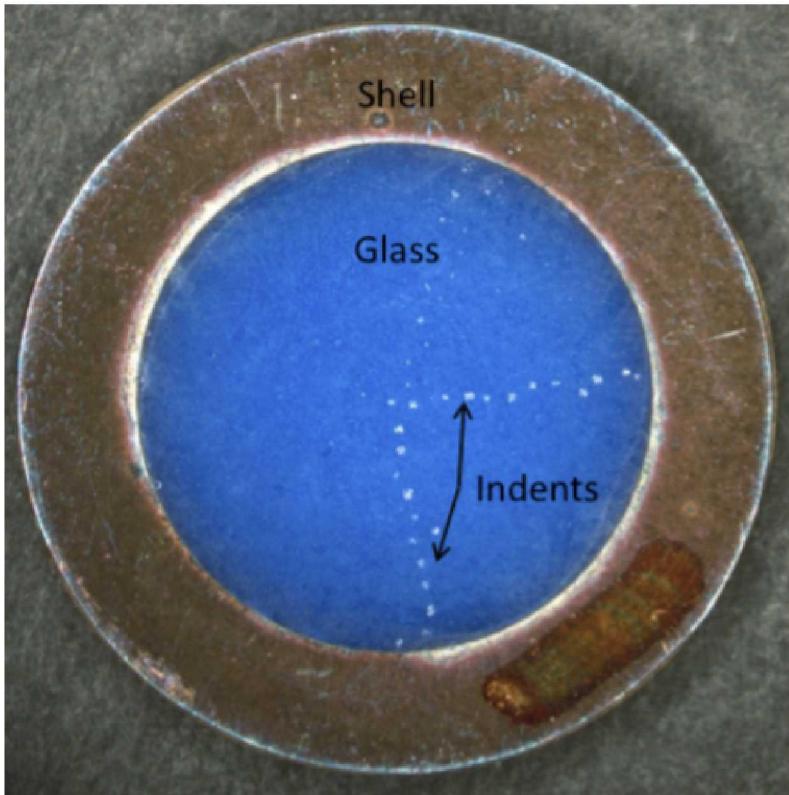
$$\log_{10} a = \frac{-C_1 (T - T_{\text{ref}})}{C_2 + (T - T_{\text{ref}})},$$

- WLF-Lag
  - Incorporate some history dependence
  - Sealing problem exhibits large temperature ranges of interest ( $RT \ll T_g$ )

$$\log_{10} a^{\text{WLF-Lag}} = \frac{-C_1 \left( T - T_{\text{ref}} - \int_0^t (1 - j_v(t^* - s^*, 0)) \frac{\partial T}{\partial s} ds \right)}{C_2 + \left( T - T_{\text{ref}} - \int_0^t (1 - j_v(t^* - s^*, 0)) \frac{\partial T}{\partial s} ds \right)}$$

# Example Problem – Simple Seal

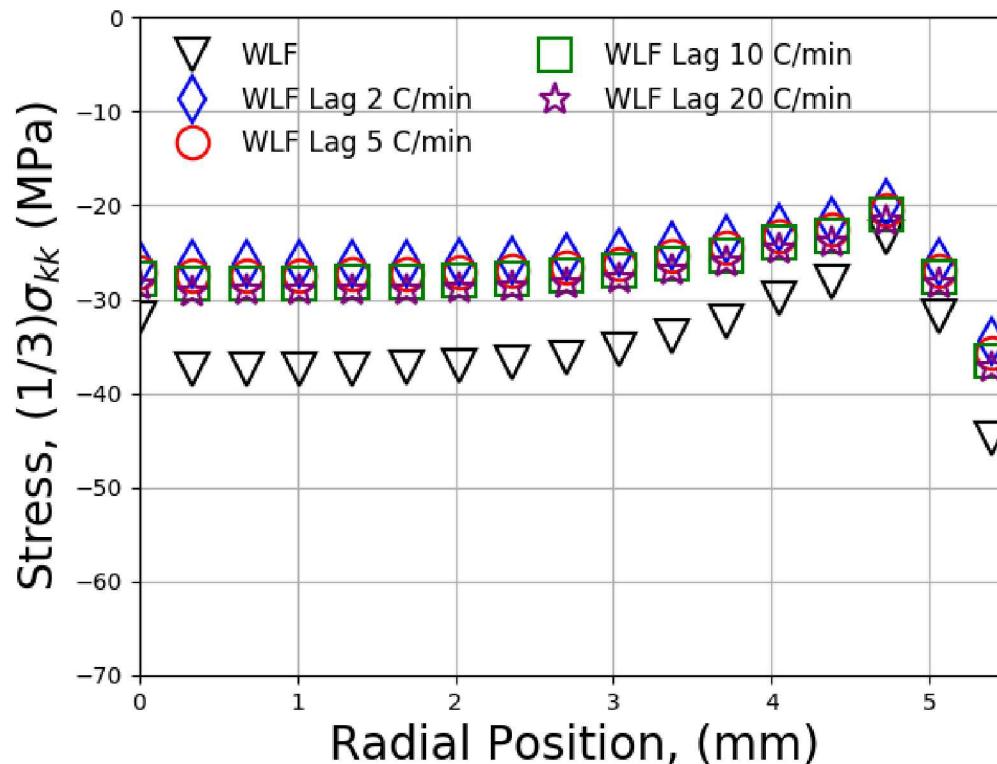
- Simple seal used as representative example problem
  - Common test for prediction and measurement of residual stress
  - GC Seal enclosed in concentric metal (stainless steel) shell
  - Cooled from above  $T_g$  to RT; Representative of sealing process
  - Consider different shift factor forms



# Simple Seal – Pressure



- Look at prediction of residual (hydrostatic) stress through radius
  - Common metric for model validation (tests forthcoming)
  - Residual stresses important for aging and (potentially) fracture
  - See strong impact of model form on final predicted form

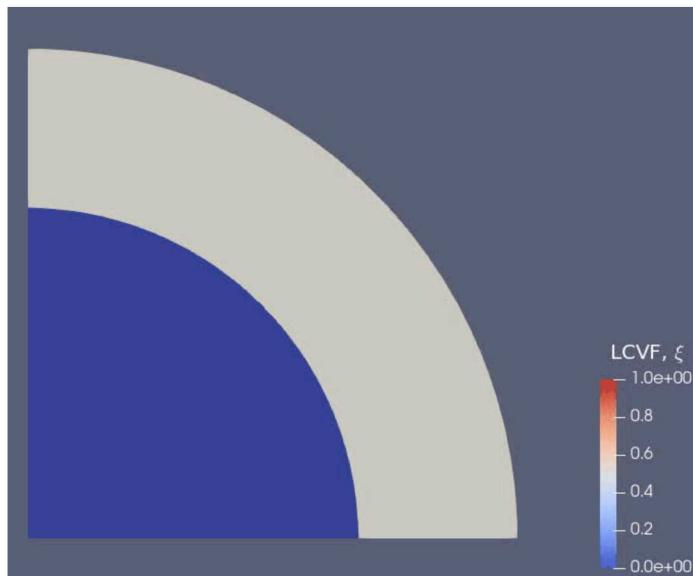


# Simple Seal Results

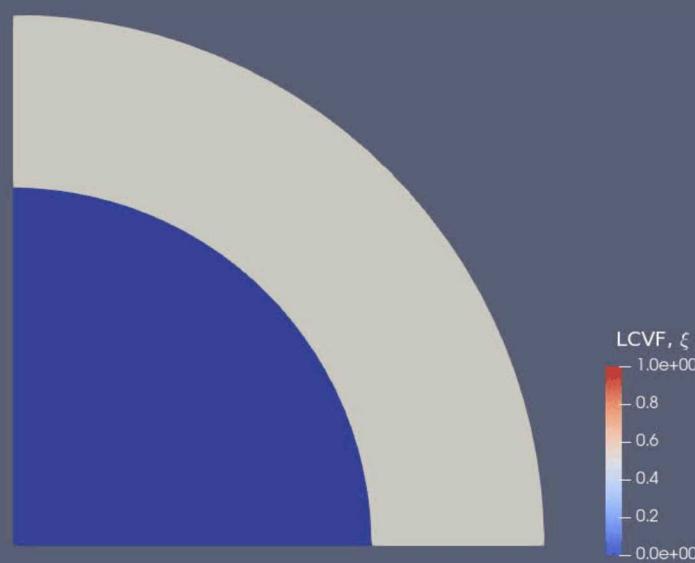
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Hydrostatic Stress

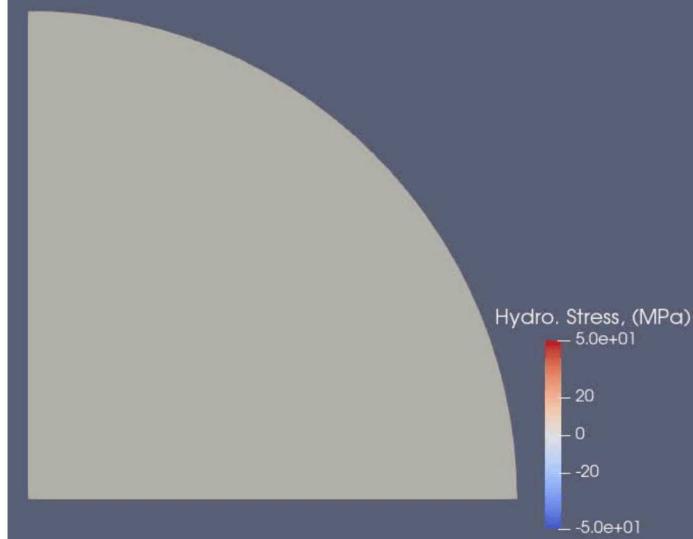
WLF



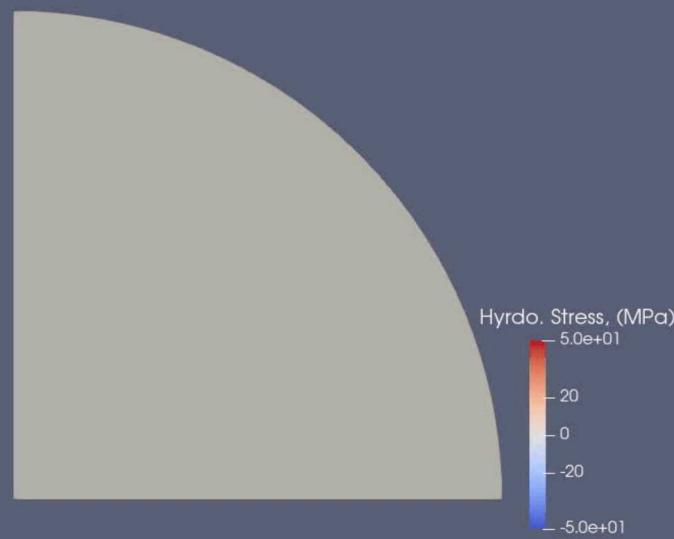
WLF Lag - 2°C/min



Hydro. Stress, (MPa)



Hydro. Stress, (MPa)



# Conclusion and Summary



- Developed new phenomenological constitutive model for glass-ceramic materials
  - Coupled viscoelasticity and phase transformation
  - 3D numerical implementation
- Results show promise for use in modeling seal applications
  - Validation against simple, existing experiments
  - 3D form considered for simple seal case
- Future work
  - Expanded validation exercises
  - Study impact of different flow-rules/shift factors

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# Questions?