

SZLZ105 - Counting of cycles by RAINFLOW and calculation of the damage

Summary:

Transitory linear elastic problem quasi-static in mechanics of the structures.

Calculation of the final damage in an element subjected to a cyclic loading, with a linear elastic behavior.

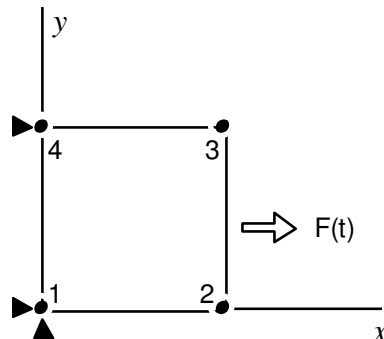
A modeling in plane constraints and a modeling in 3D.

This test validates the method of counting of cycles (RAINFLOW) established in the operator `CALC_FATIGUE` as well as the method of calculating of the damage in imposed constraint (curve of Wöhler) or imposed deformation (curve of Manson-Whetstone sheath). The reference solution is an analytical solution.

It also validates the calculation of the constraints and deformations equivalent using the options `SIEQ_ELGA`, `SIEQ_ELNO`, `EPEQ_ELGA`, `EPEQ_ELNO`, `EPMQ_ELGA` and `EPMQ_ELNO`.

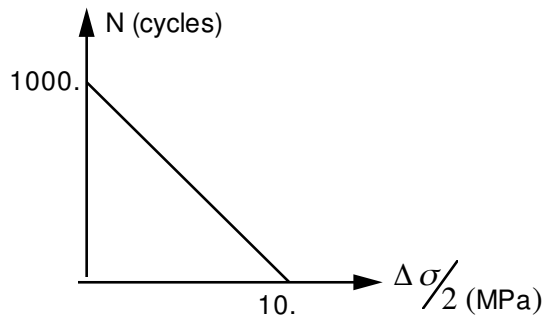
1 Problem of reference

1.1 Geometry

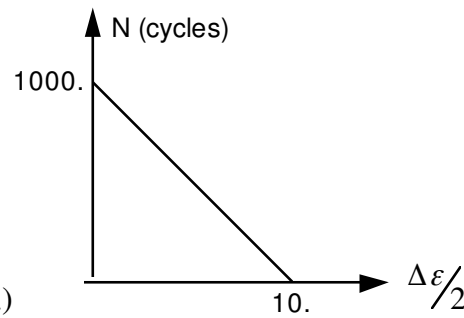


1.2 Material properties

Linear elasticity: $E = 1. MPa$ $\nu = 0.3$



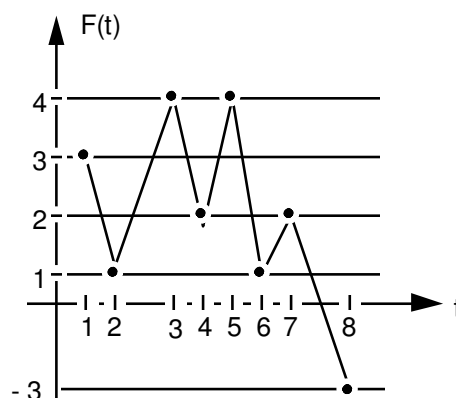
Courbe de Wöhler



Courbe de Manson-Coffin

1.3 Boundary conditions and loadings

- Blocked on face 1–4 according to X - node 1 blocked according to Y .
- In unit simple traction on the face 2–3.
- Loading $F(t)$ in teeth of saw (according to the Article of Downing and Socie 1982) [bib1].



1.4 Initial conditions

Worthless constraints and deformations.

2 Reference solution

2.1 Method of calculating used for the reference solution

Analytical solution

- calculation of the constraints and deformations. For a loading in simple traction, one obtains a homogeneous state of stress uniaxial in any point:

$$\sigma = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \varepsilon = \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \gamma & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \gamma \end{bmatrix}$$

the equivalent sizes are thus $\begin{cases} \sigma_{VMIS} = |\sigma| = \sigma_{TRESCA} \\ \sigma_{VMIS-SG} = \sigma \end{cases}$

$$\text{and } \begin{cases} \varepsilon_{INVA-2} = \frac{2}{3} |\varepsilon - \gamma| \\ \varepsilon_{INVA-2SG} = \frac{2}{3} |\varepsilon - \gamma| * \text{sign} \left[\frac{\varepsilon + 2\gamma}{3} \right] \end{cases}$$

- then manual calculation of the cycles by the method of RAINFLOW, as well as amplitudes of loading ($\frac{\Delta \sigma}{2}$ or $\frac{\Delta \varepsilon}{2}$).

cycles	$\Delta \sigma / 2$	$\Delta \varepsilon_{INVA-2} / 2$
1	1.	0.8667
2	0.5	0.433315
3	1.	0.8667
4	3.5	3.03335

- finally carryforward of these values on the curves of Wöhler or Manson-Whetstone sheath to consider the damage unit at each cycle i , that is to say $Du_i = \frac{1}{N_i}$ (N_i being the number of cycles with rupture for a given amplitude), as well as the cumulated damage $D = \sum_i Du_i$ (linear rule of office plurality TO MINE).

Note:

One will use as equivalent constraint $\sigma_{VMIS-SG}$ and like equivalent deformation $\varepsilon_{INVA-2SG} = \frac{2}{3} |\varepsilon - \gamma| \times \text{sign} \left[\frac{\varepsilon + 2\gamma}{3} \right]$.

2.2 Results of reference

- Being given the values of the parameters of loading used, one obtains simply at the end of the loading (increment 8) $\sigma = -3$. $\varepsilon = -3$. $\gamma = 0.9$ $\varepsilon_{INVA-2} = 2.6$.
- For the calculation of the damage, one obtains:

$$D_{Wöhler} = 4,8133 \cdot 10^{-3} = \sum_{i=1}^4 Du_i$$

$$D_{Manson} = 4,67 \cdot 10^{-3} = \sum_{i=1}^4 Du_i$$

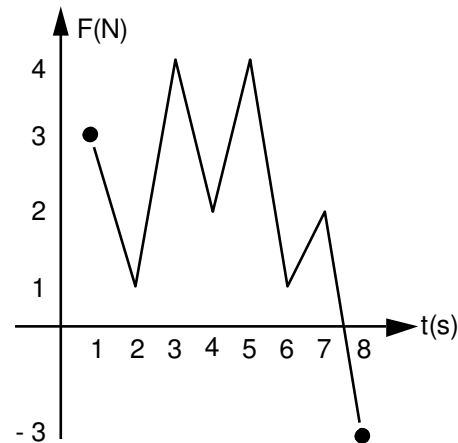
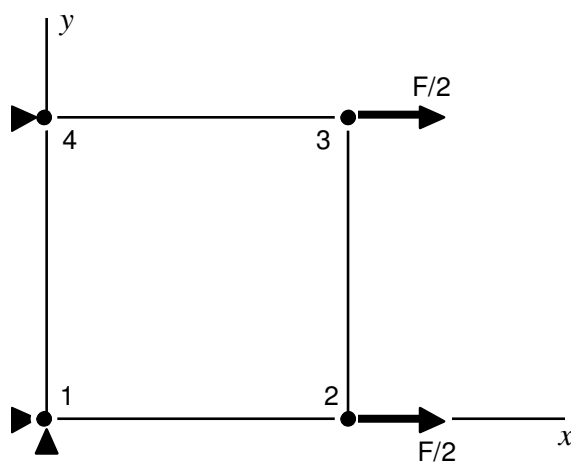
2.3 Bibliographical references

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3 Modeling A

3.1 Characteristics of modeling

Modeling in plane constraints:



3.2 Characteristics of the grid

1 mesh QUAD4.

Square width = 1
thickness = 1

3.3 Sizes tested and results

Identification	Reference
in all nodes at the end of the loading in constraint or deformation	
Wöhler damage	$4.8133 \cdot 10^{-3}$
Damage Manson-Whetstone sheath	$4.6705 \cdot 10^{-3}$
σ	-3.
σ_{VMIS}	3.
σ_{TRESCA}	3.
$\sigma_{VMIS-SG}$	-3.
ε	-3.
γ	0.9
ε_{INVA-2}	2.6
$\varepsilon_{INVA-2-SG}$	-2.6

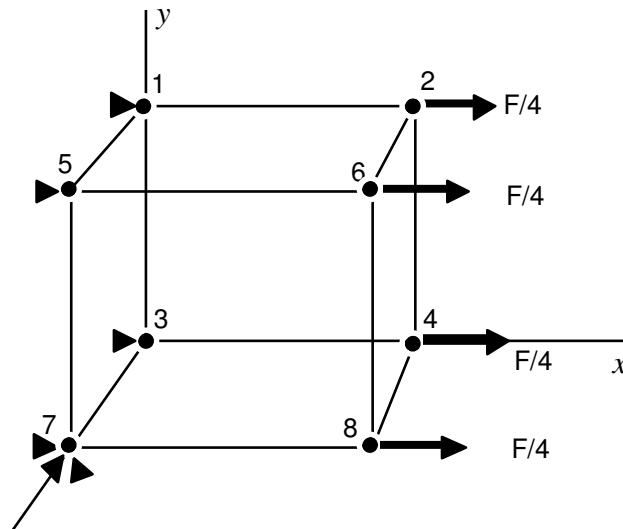
3.4 Remarks

Fast test in time calculation.

4 Modeling B

4.1 Characteristics of modeling

Modeling in 3D :



4.2 Characteristics of the grid

1 mesh HEXA8.
cubic of width = 1

4.3 Sizes tested and results

Identification	Reference
in all nodes at the end of the loading	
Wöhler damage	$4.8133 \cdot 10^{-3}$
Damage Manson-Whetstone sheath	$4.6705 \cdot 10^{-3}$
σ	-3.
σ_{VMIS}	3.
σ_{TRESCA}	3.
$\sigma_{VMIS-SG}$	-3.
ε	-3.
γ	0.9
ε_{INVA-2}	2.6
$\varepsilon_{INVA-2}^{SG}$	-2.6
$(\varepsilon - \varepsilon^{th})_{INVA-2}$	2.6
$(\varepsilon - \varepsilon^{th})_{INVA-2}^{SG}$	-2.6

4.4 Remarks

Same results and reference that in plane constraints.

5 Summary of the results

This test validates the method and the calculation of the damage of Wöhler and Manson-Whetstone sheath.

Results of *Code_Aster* are identical to those obtained analytically.