

High-fidelity Modelling of Thermal Stress for Additive Manufacturing by Linking Thermal-fluid and Mechanical Models

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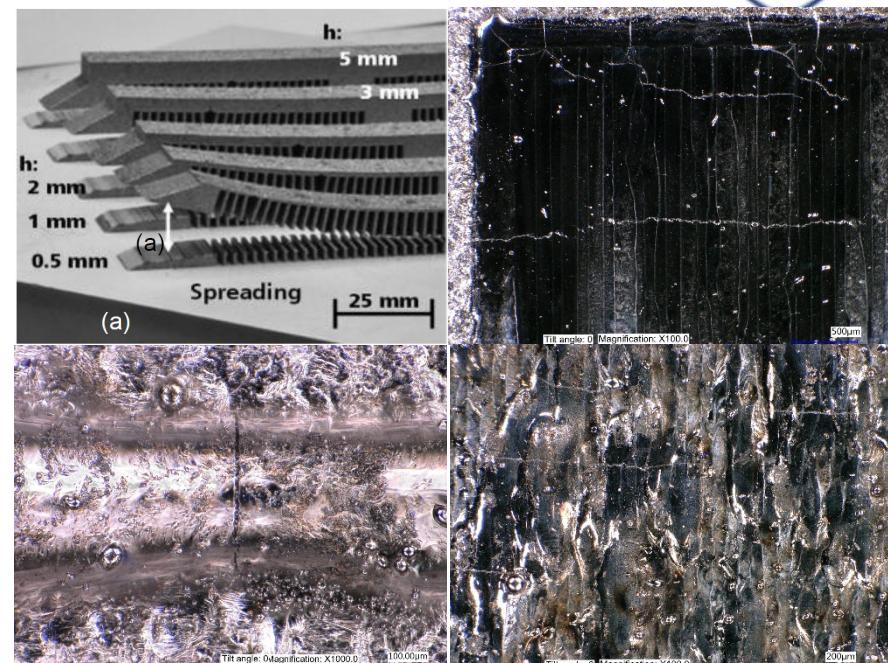
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- Background
- High-fidelity multi-physics modelling
- Results and discussion

Background

Thermal Stress

- The part distortion;
- Loss of geometric tolerance;
- Delamination of layers during depositing;
- Deterioration of the fatigue performance;
- Fracture resistance.



Prediction

- Trial-and-error;
- Assumptions & Analytical calculations;
- Over-simplified Thermal-mechanical simulations.

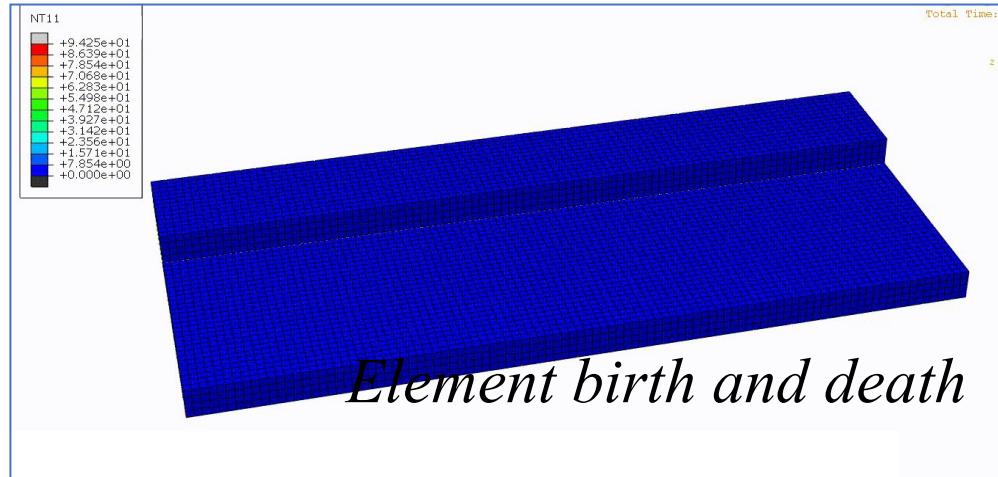
$$\sigma_{maxCorr} = \frac{100\sigma_{maxASTM}}{m \left(\frac{\sigma_{maxASTM}}{\sigma_y} - 0.5^2 \right) + 100} \quad (\text{Schajer, g. S.})$$

$$\sigma_a = c * (\text{HV} + 120) * (\sqrt{\text{area}})^{-\frac{1}{6}} \quad (\text{Y. Murakami})$$

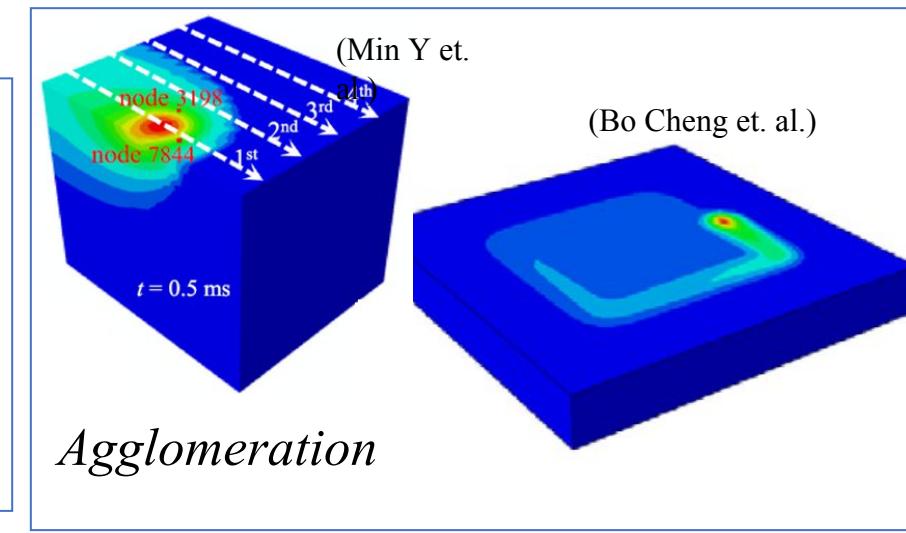
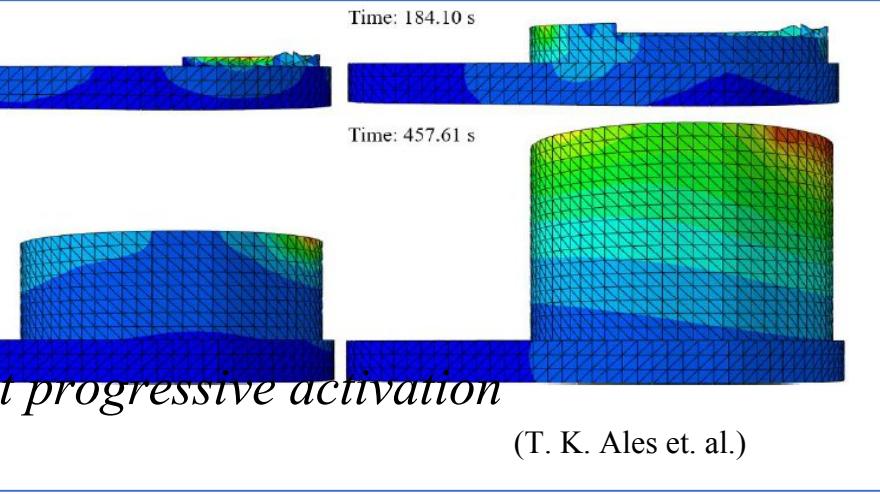
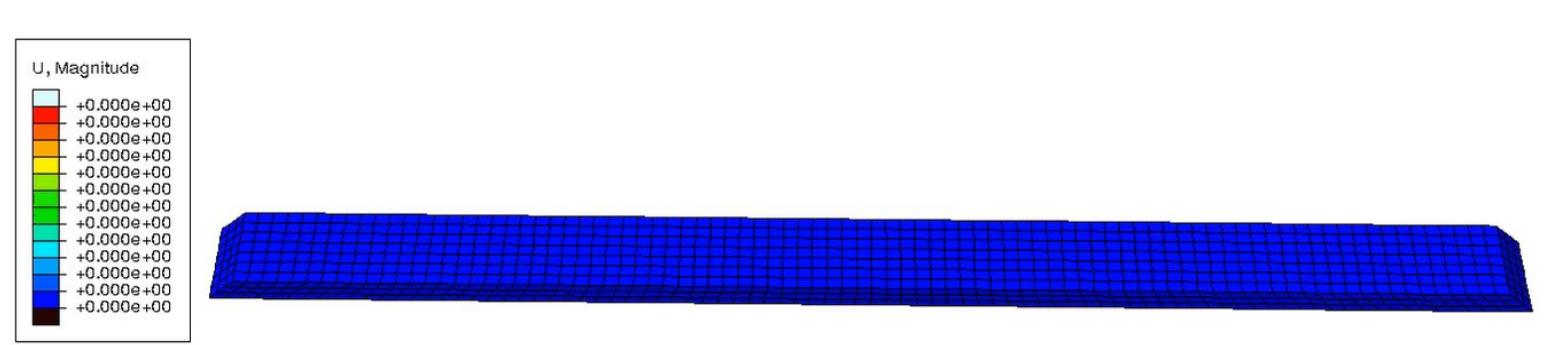
$$\sigma_a = \frac{\Delta K_{th}}{F} * (\pi a)^{-\frac{1}{2}}. \quad (\text{A. Spagnoli})$$

Background Macro-scale (Part scale) modelling

Part distortion prediction & stress concentration

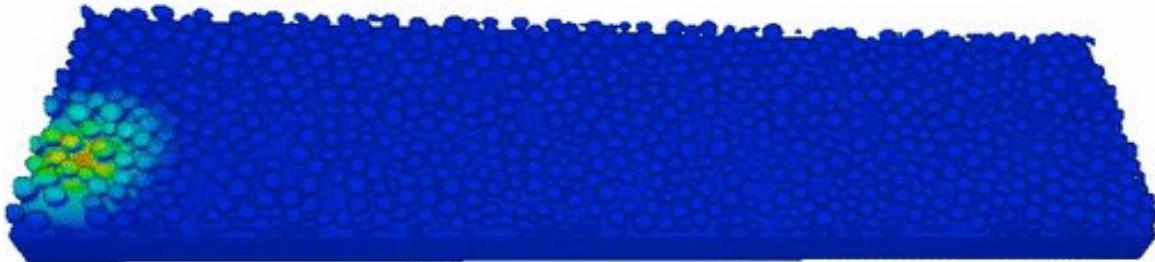


Inherent strain model

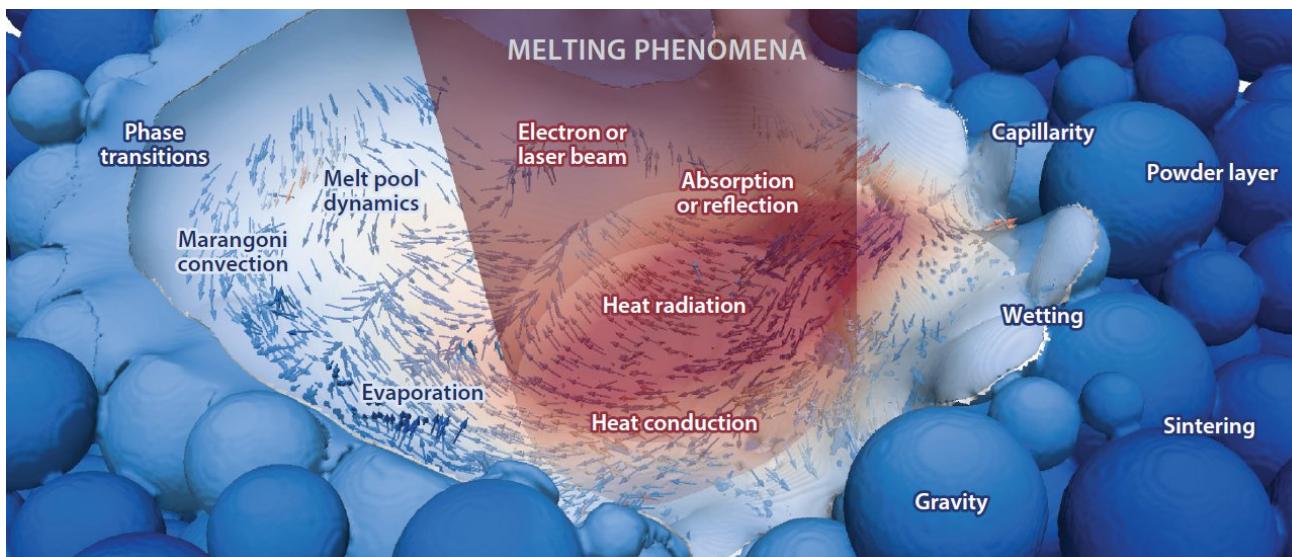


Background Meso-scale (Powder scale) modelling

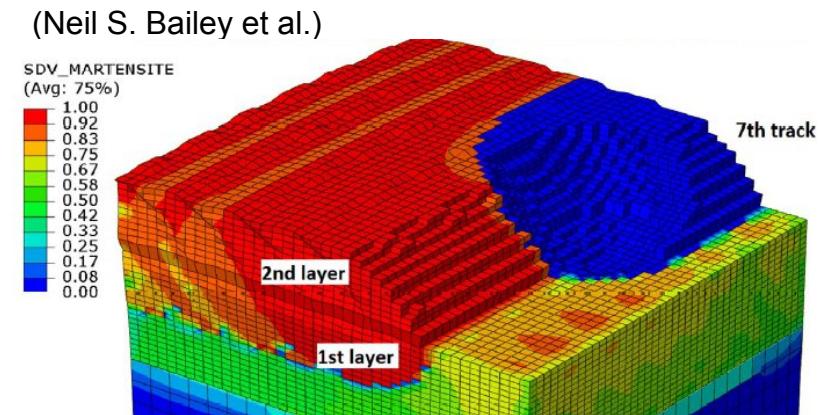
Thermal-fluid flow simulation



Thermal-fluid flow effects (Markl M et. al.)



- ❖ Voids
- ❖ Surface roughness
- ❖ Cracks
- ❖ Grain growth
- ❖ Dislocation

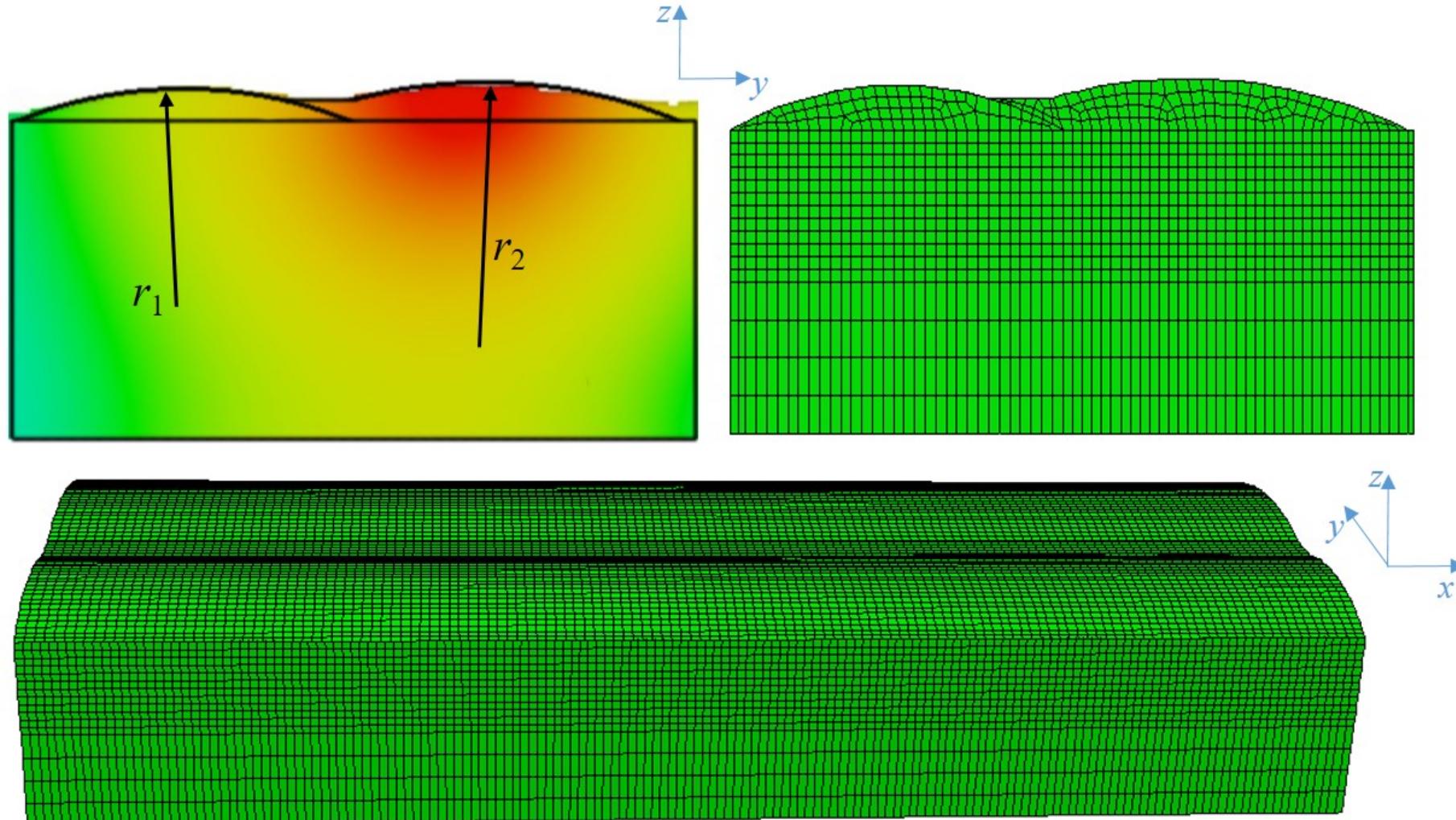


Thermo-mechanical analysis

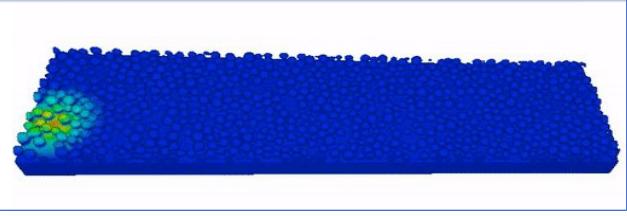
Difficulties & Assumptions

neck morphology & fluid flow

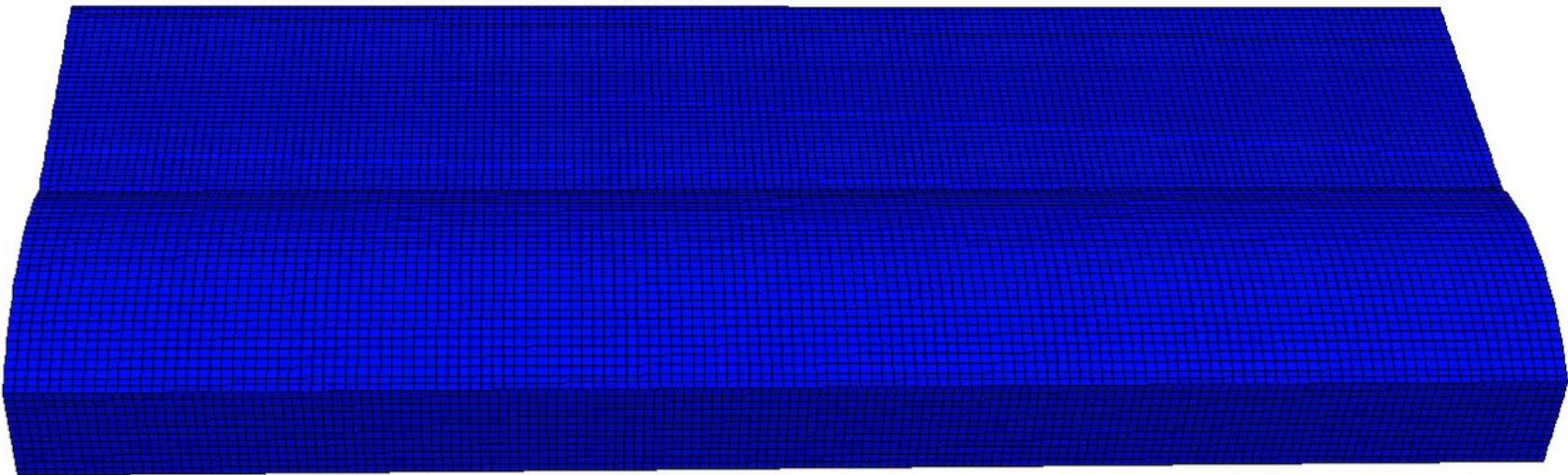
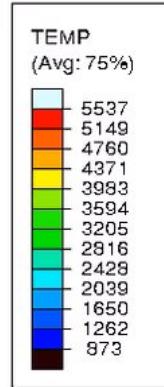
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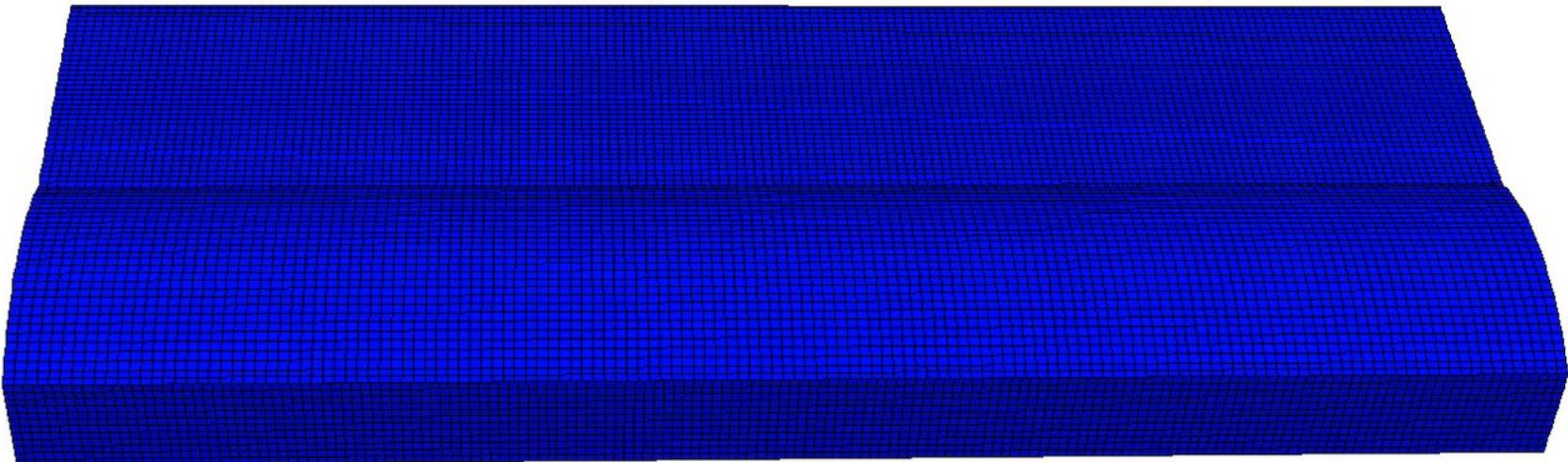
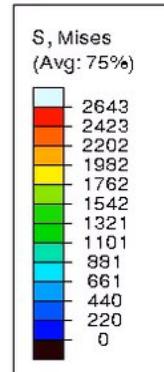
Thermo-mechanical analysis



*Temperature
distribution*



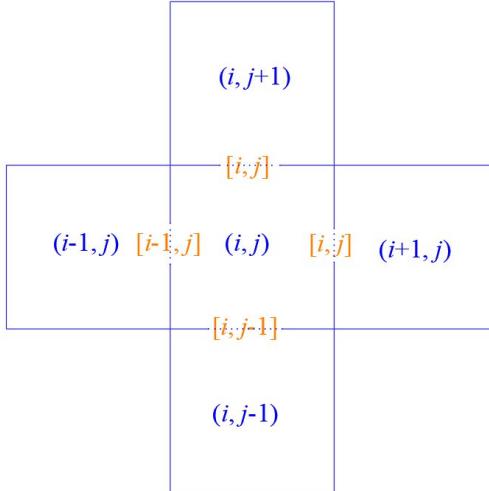
Von-Mises stress



High-fidelity multi-physics modelling

Framework

Governing equations



CFD

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{1}{Vol} \oint f \bar{n}_x \cdot d\bar{A} = \sum_{i,j}^{CV} f_{[i,j]} \bar{n}_{[i,j],x}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{Vol} \oint f \bar{n}_y \cdot d\bar{A} = \sum_{i,j}^{CV} f_{[i,j]} \bar{n}_{[i,j],y}$$

$$f_{[i,j],x} = \frac{1}{2}(f_{(i,j)} + f_{(i+1,j)})$$

$$f_{[i,j],y} = \frac{1}{2}(f_{(i,j)} + f_{(i,j+1)})$$

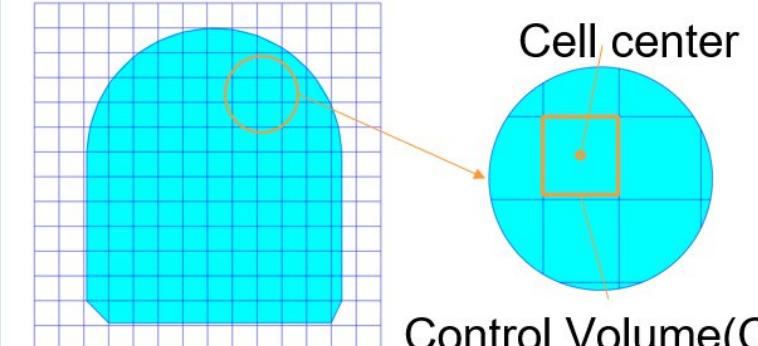
FEM

$$f_{[i,j],x} = Function(f_{(m,n)})$$

$$f_{[i,j],y} = Function(f_{(m,n)})$$

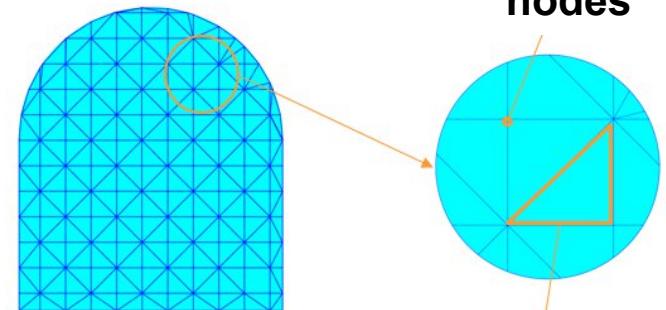
Meshing difference

CFD



Control Volume(CV)
(Euler Cells)

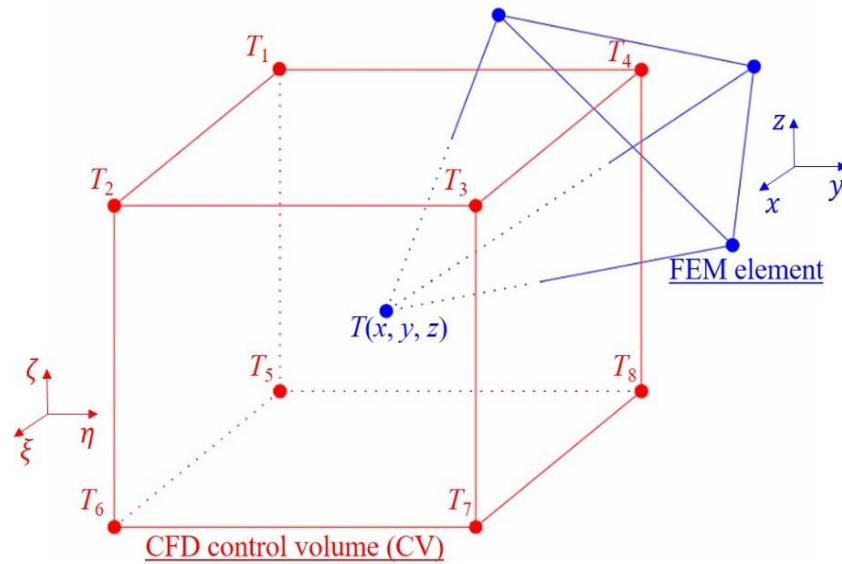
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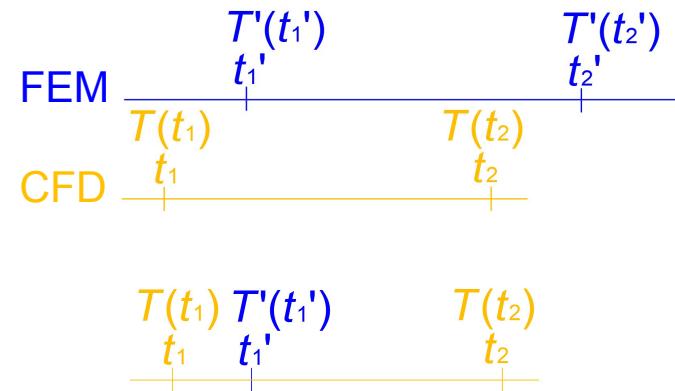
Elements

High-fidelity multi-physics modelling

Spatial interpolation:



Temporal interpolation:



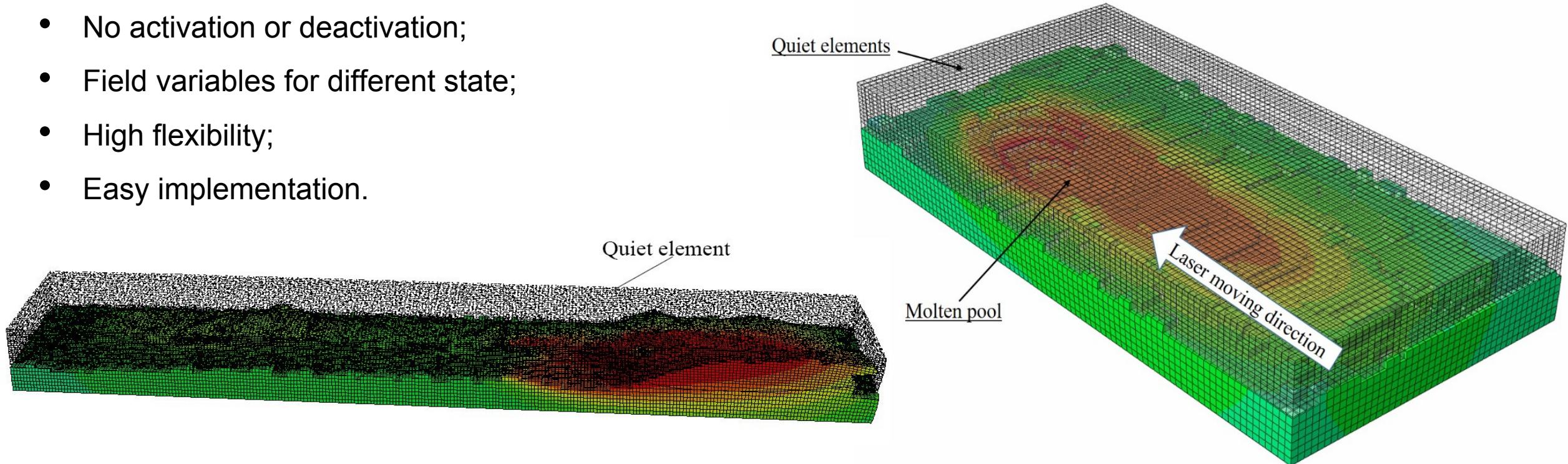
$$T(x,y,z) = \sum_{i=1}^8 N_i(\xi, \eta, \zeta) T_i$$

$$T'(t'_1) = T(t_1) + \frac{T(t_2) - T(t_1)}{t_2 - t_1} (t'_1 - t_1)$$

High-fidelity multi-physics modelling

Quiet element method

- No activation or deactivation;
- Field variables for different state;
- High flexibility;
- Easy implementation.

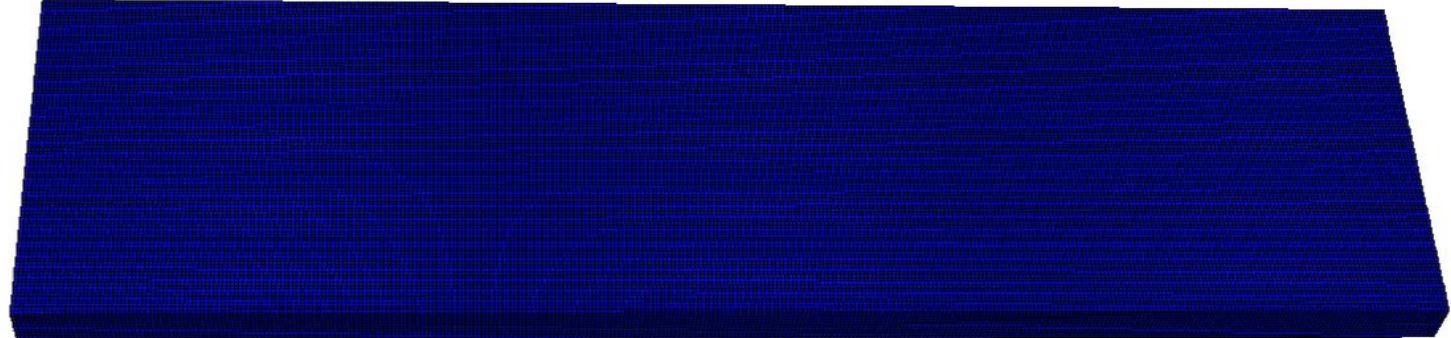
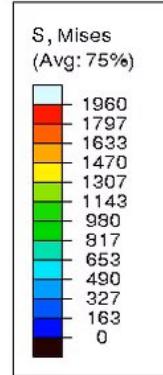


Material states	Young's modulus(Pa)	Poisson ratio	Thermal expansion coefficient(1/K)
Solid	1.32×10^{11}	0.31	9.2×10^{-6}
Liquid	1×10^4	0.001	9.2×10^{-6}
Air	1×10^4	0.001	0

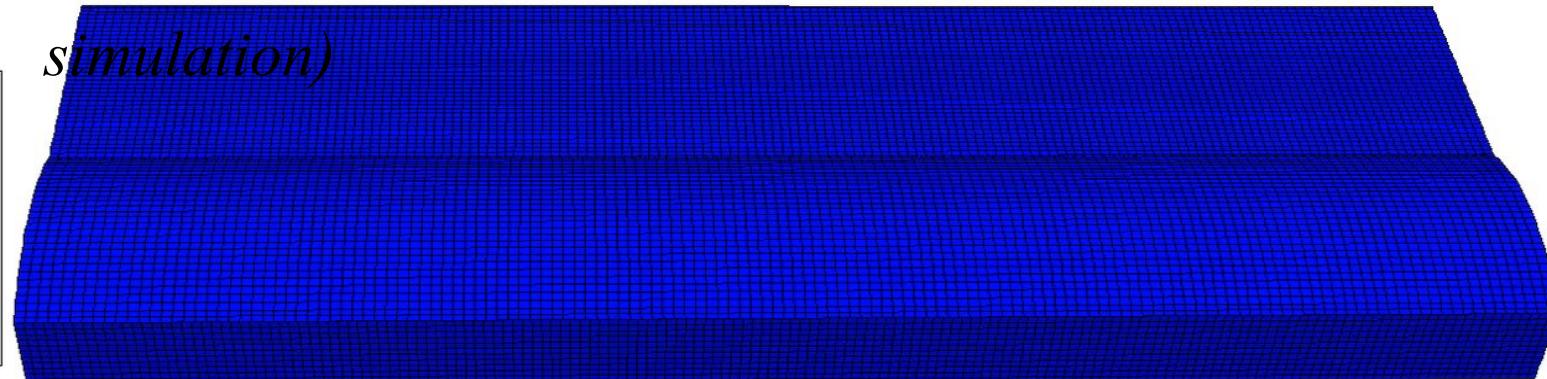
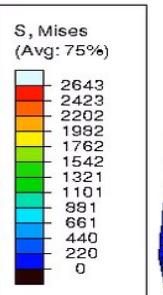
Results and discussion

Temperature mapping result

Von-Mises stress evolution (CFD-FEM simulation)

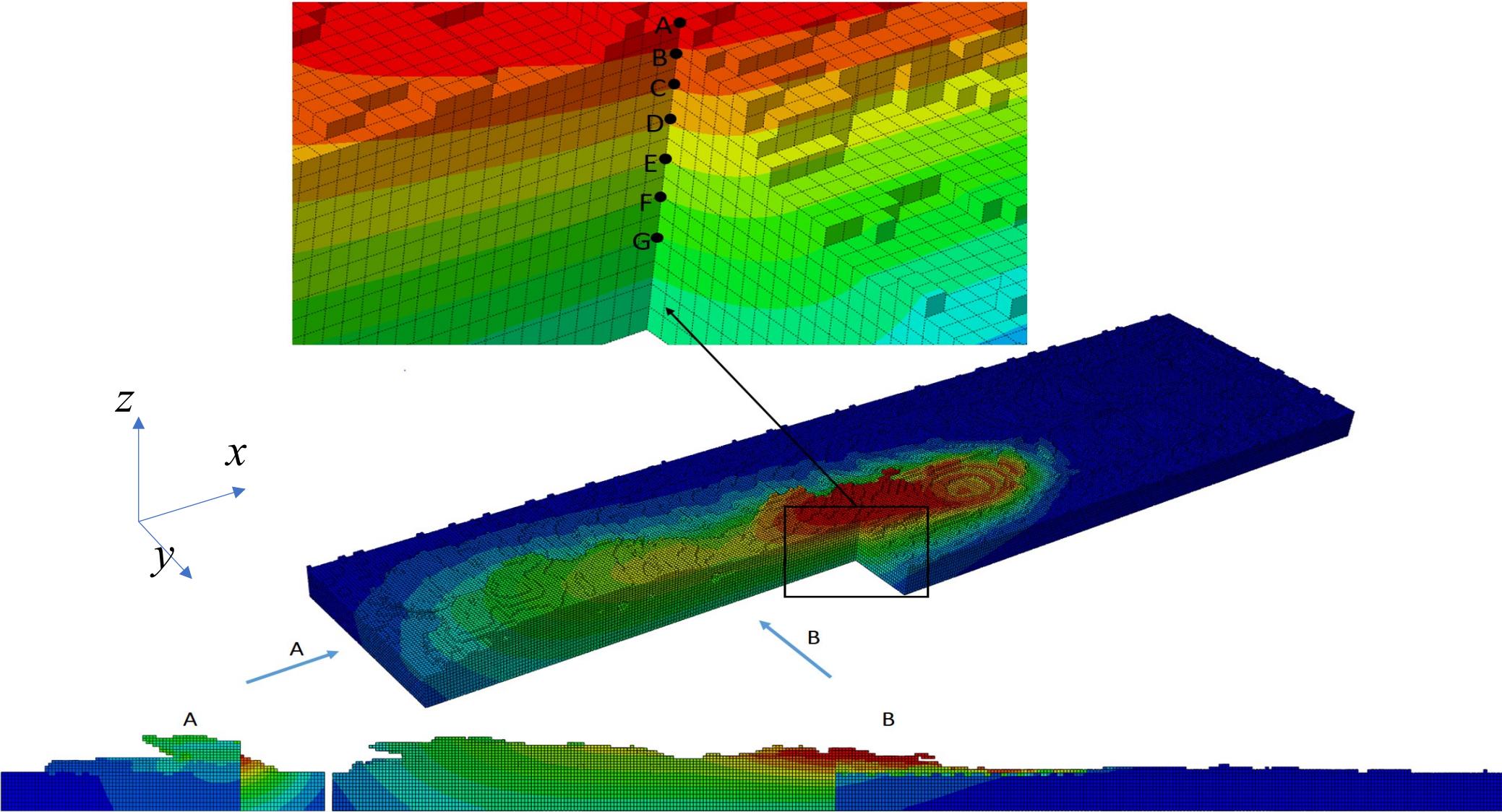


*Mises-stress evolution (thermo-mechanical
simulation)*



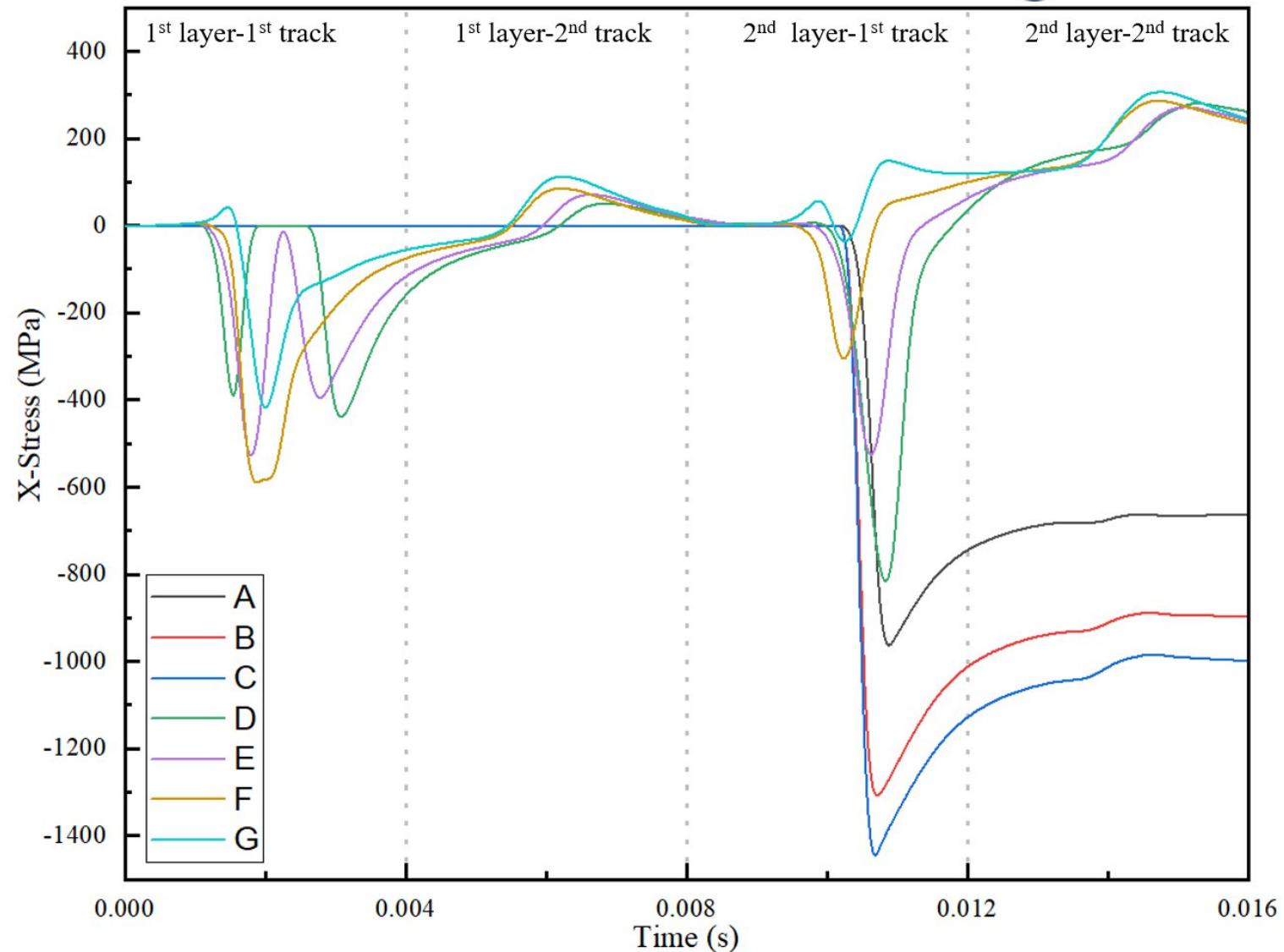
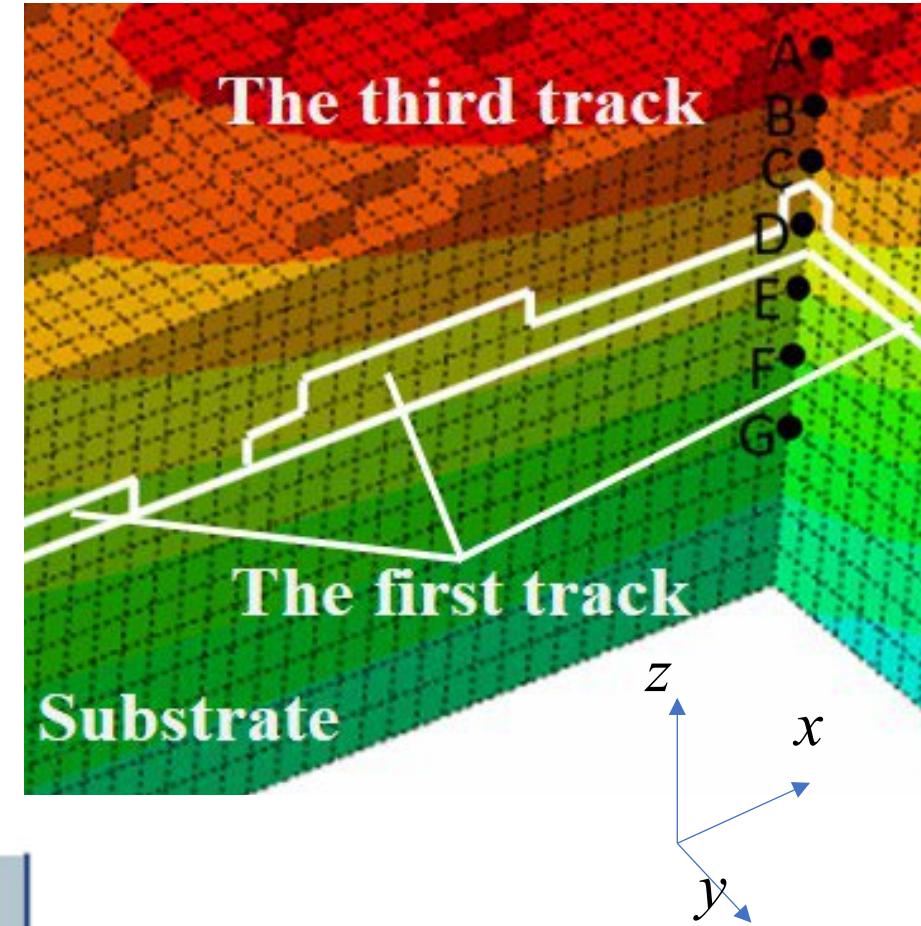
Results and discussion

Temperature distribution & Track morphology



Results and discussion

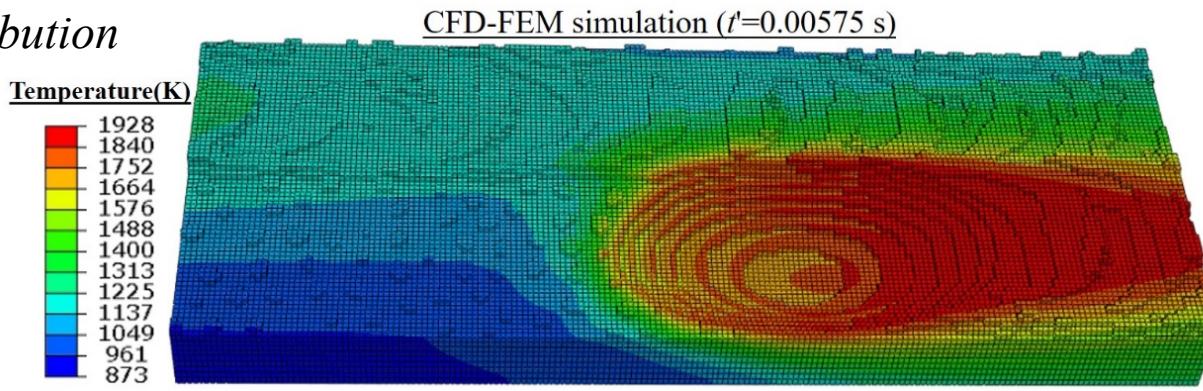
X-X stress component



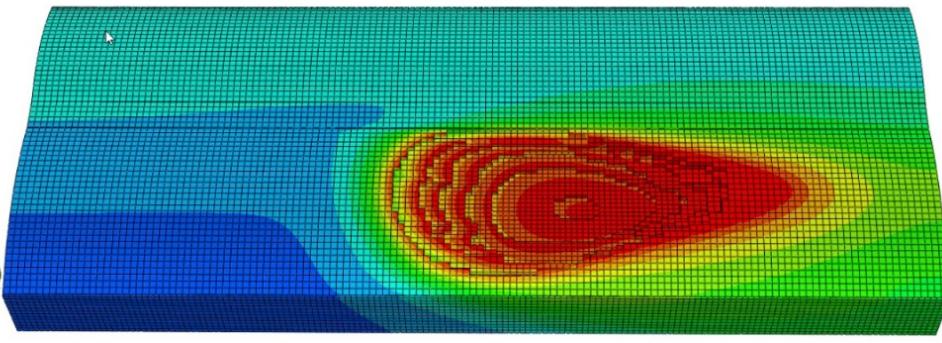
Results and discussion

Comparison

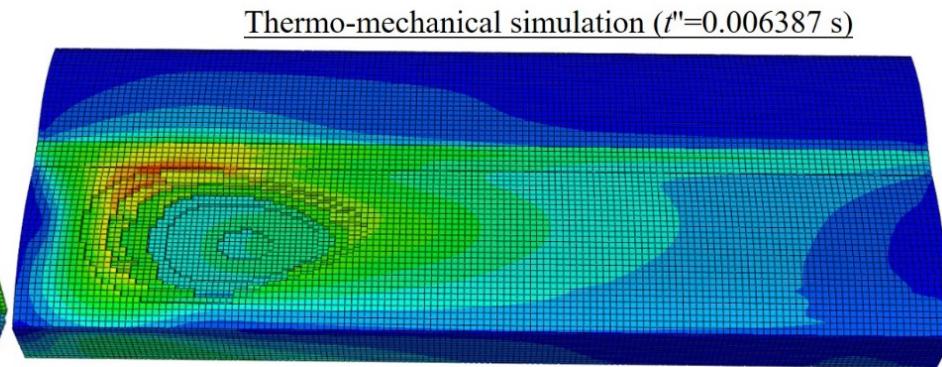
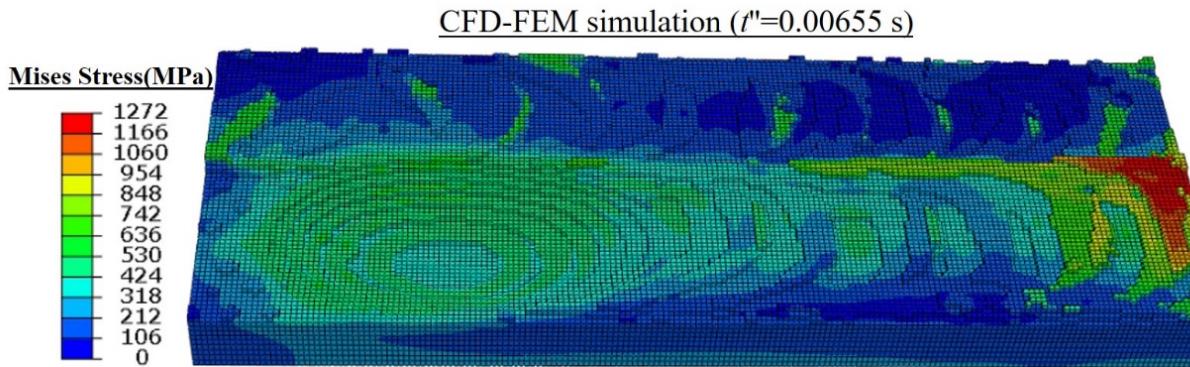
Temperature distribution



Thermo-mechanical simulation ($t'=0.00559$ s)



Von-Mises stress

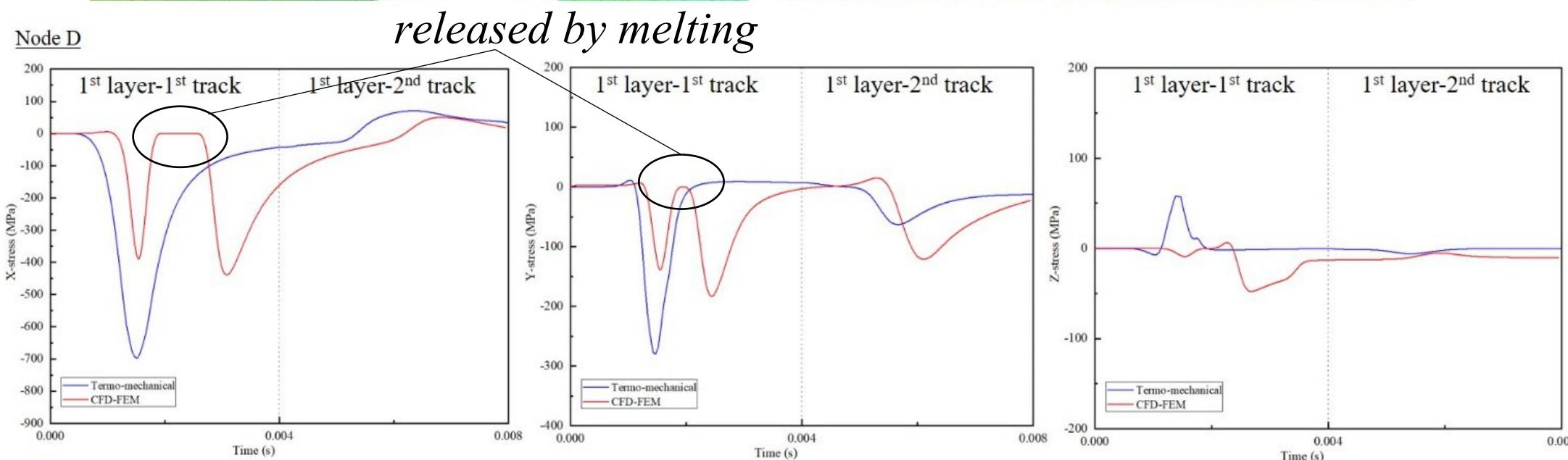
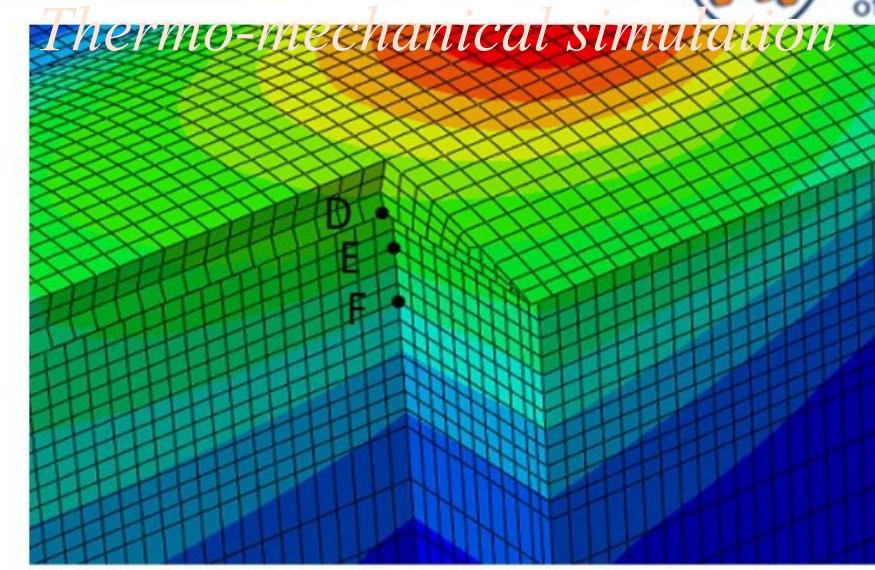
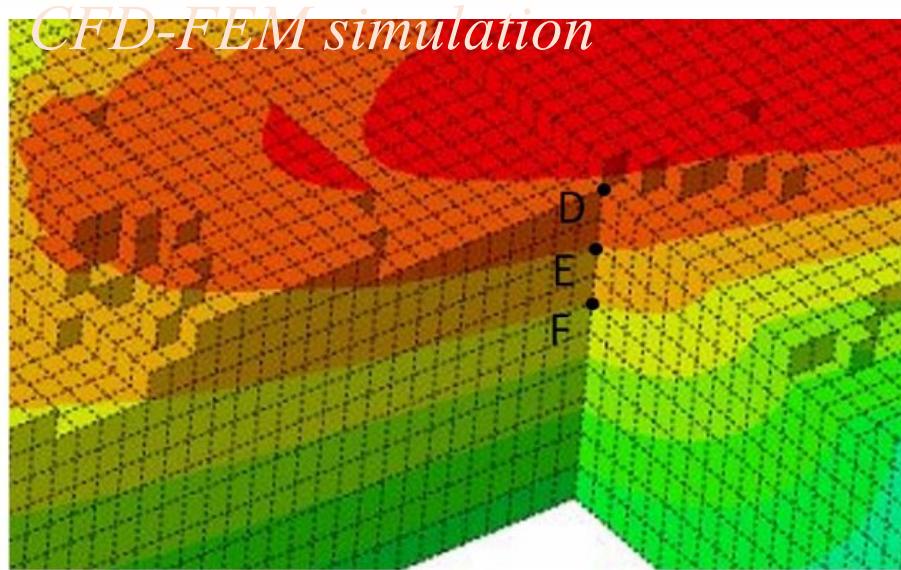


Conclusion *Geometrical features *Peak temperature *Molten pool size *Stress distribution

Results and discussion

Comparison

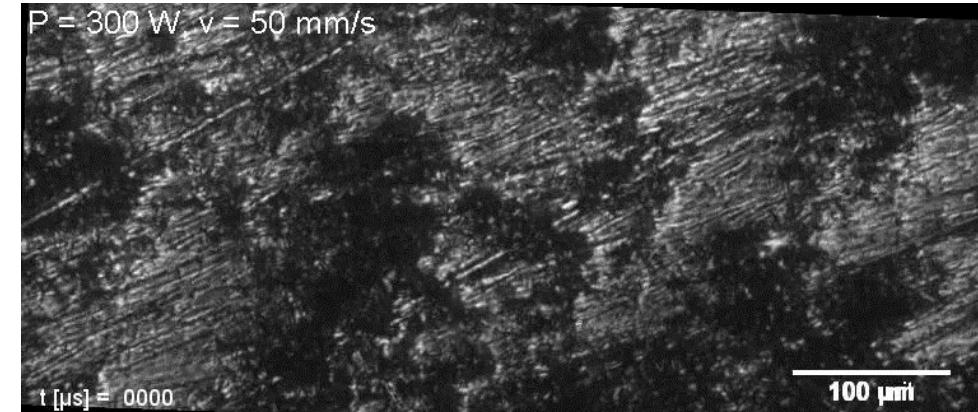
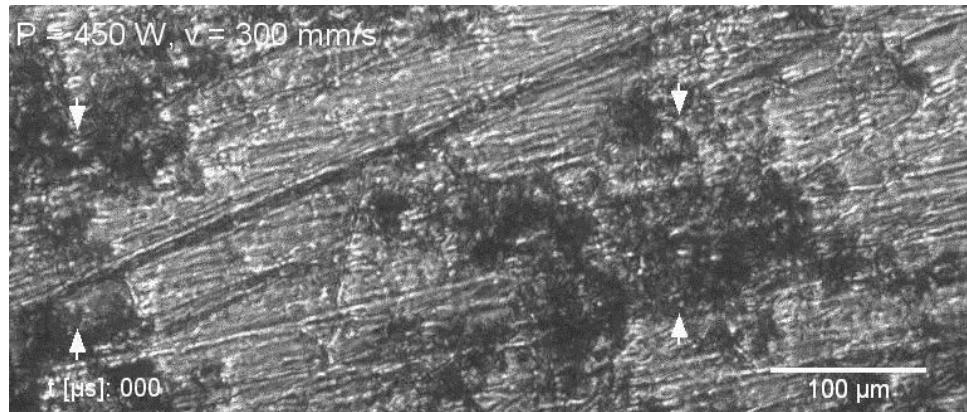
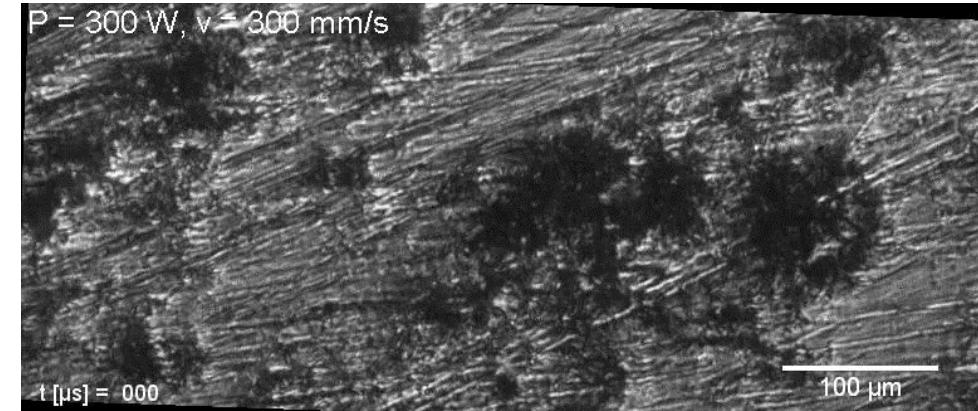
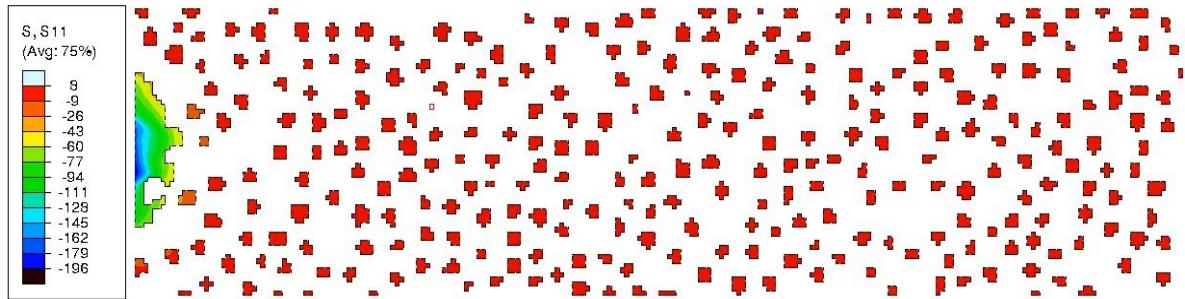
- Magnitude
- Trend



Single track experiments

The experiments are conducted by Vrancken et al.[1] (reuse under CC-BY 4.0 license)

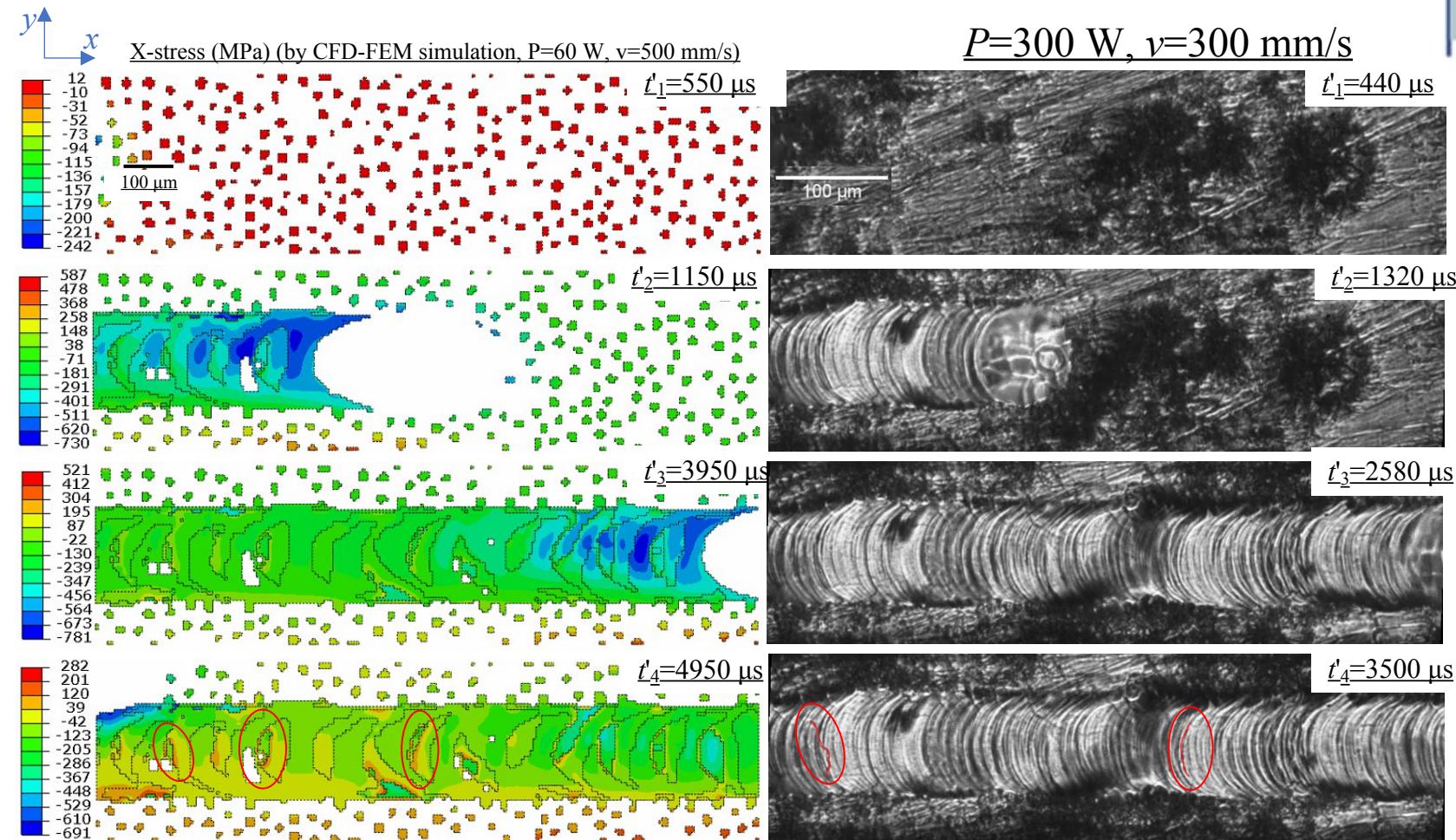
X-stress (MPa) (by CFD-FEM simulation, P=60 W, v=500 mm/s)



Single track experiments

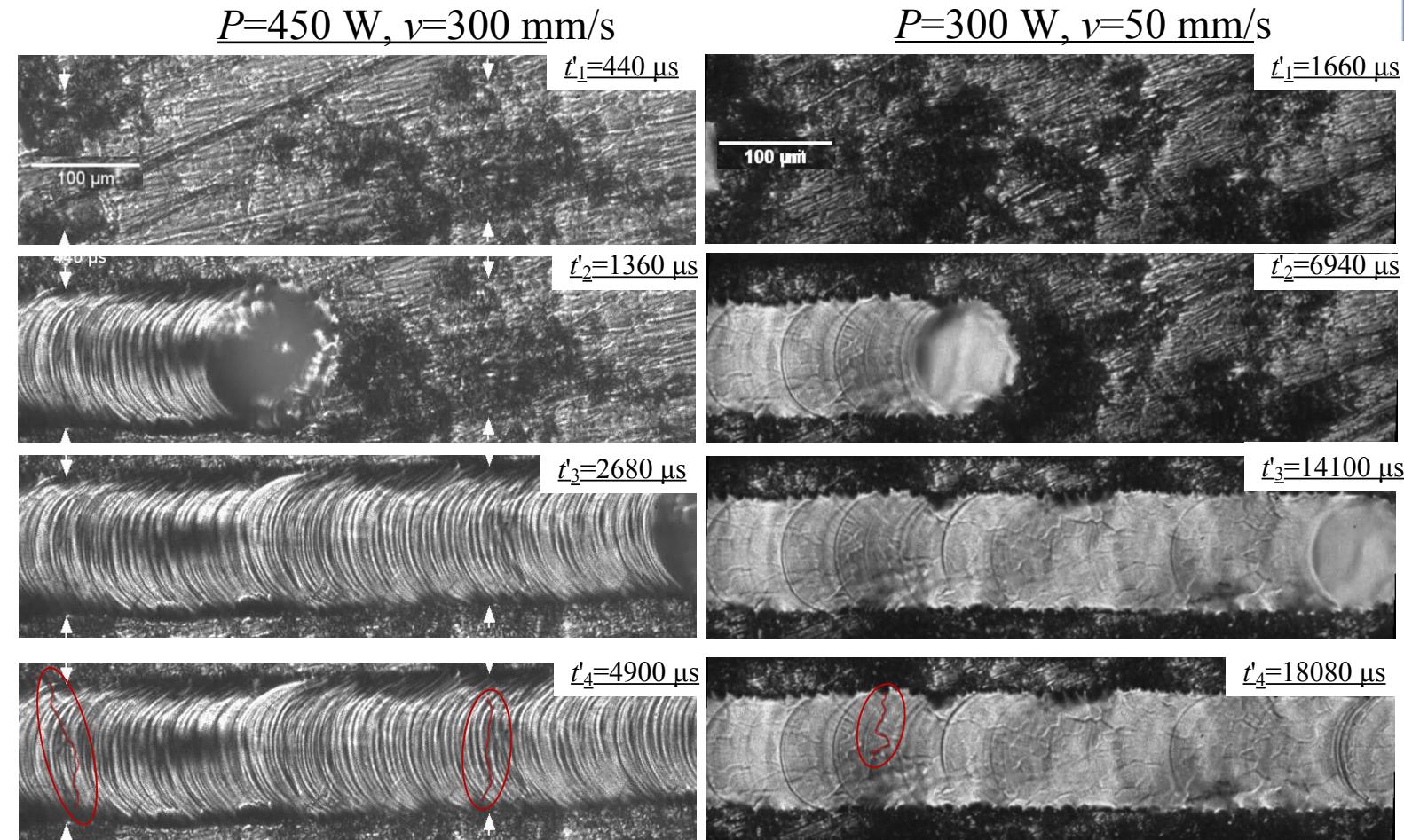
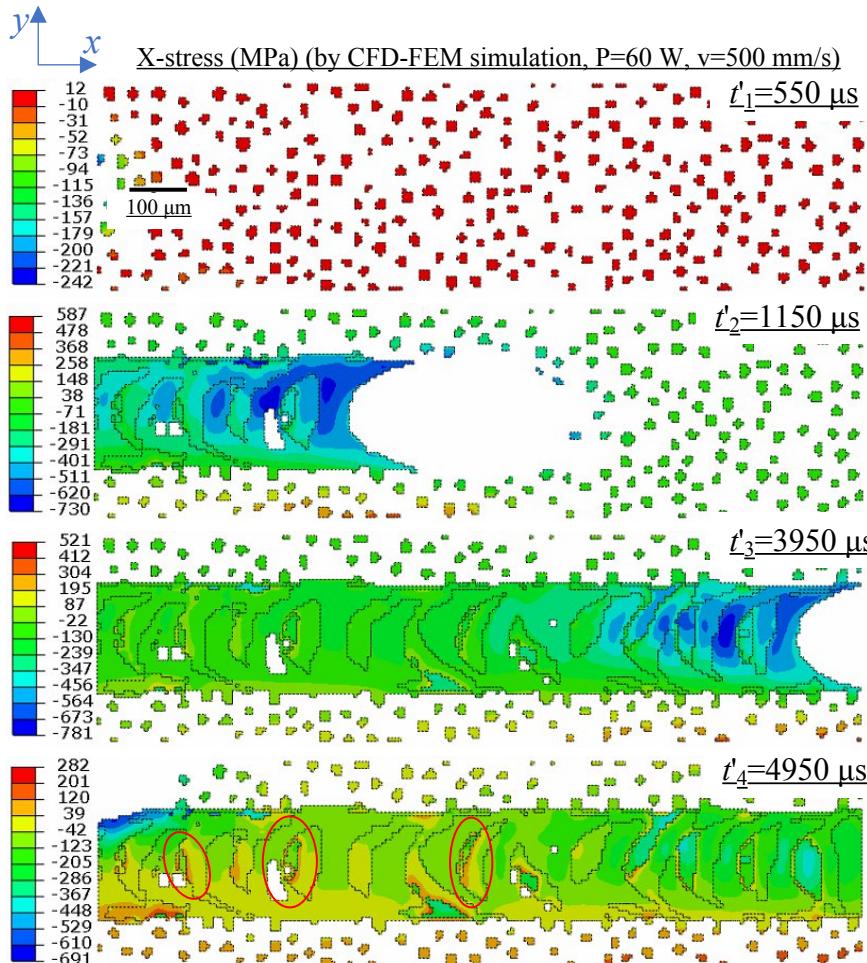
Snapshots in 4 stages

- t_1' -- the heat is ready on the left side;
- t_2' -- the track is being fabricated;
- t_3' -- the track has been formed but the observed region has not cooled down;
- t_4' -- the material has almost cooled down.



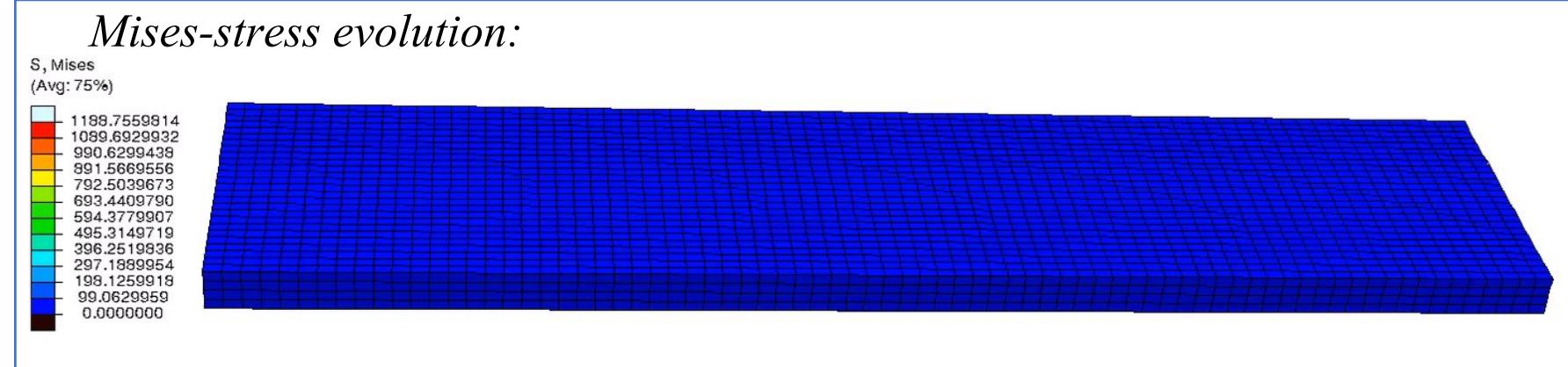
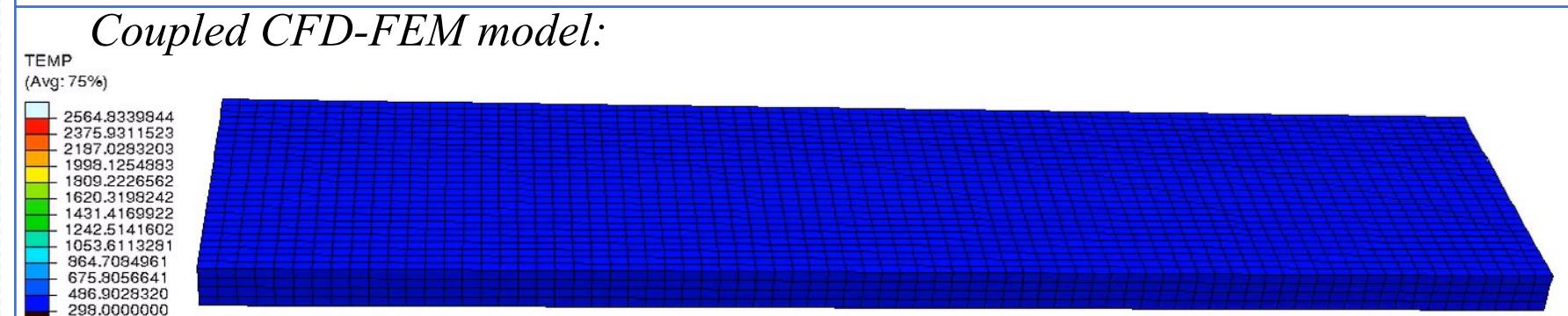
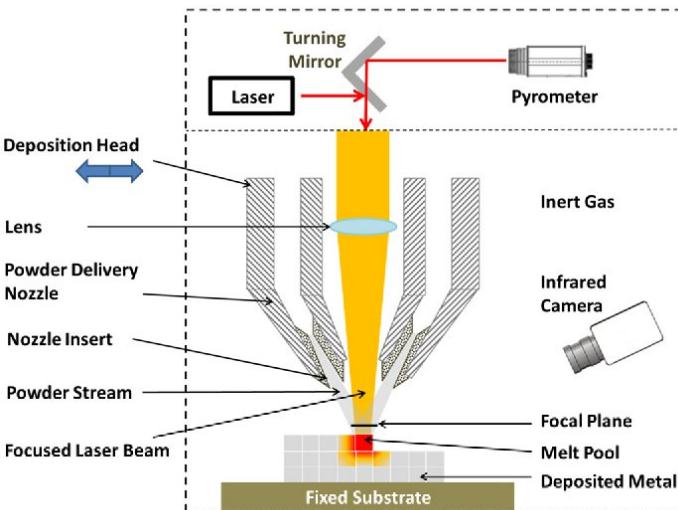
Single track experiments

Snapshots in 4 stages



Other applications

Direct energy deposition



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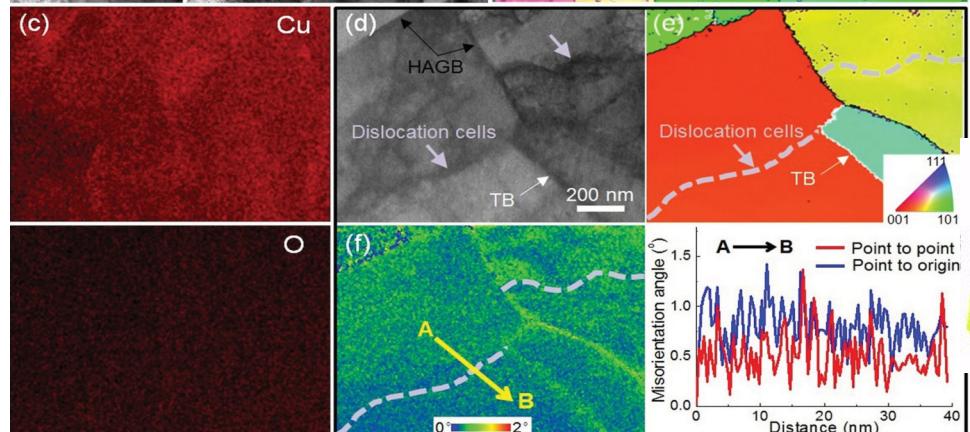
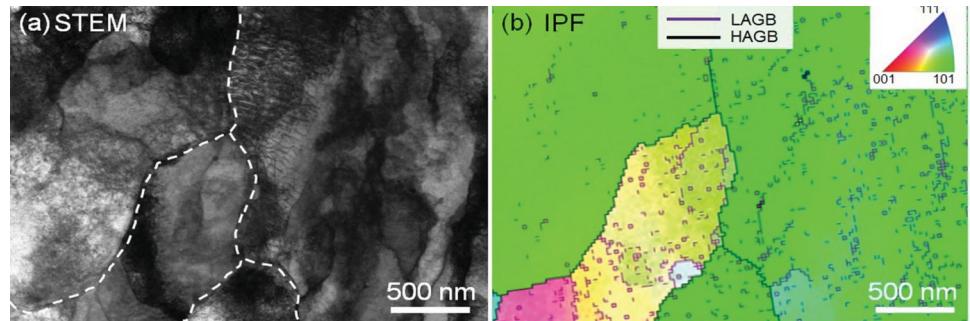
Other applications

Origin of high-density dislocations in additively manufactured metals

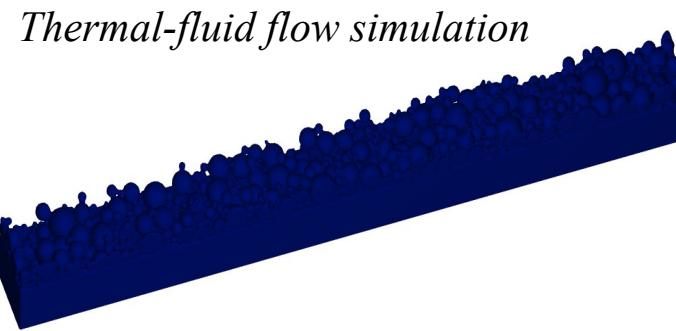
Major finding on the origin:

- ✗ Previously proposed mechanisms (cell solidification or nanoparticle blockage).
- ✓ Repeated compression-tension cycles of thermal stress

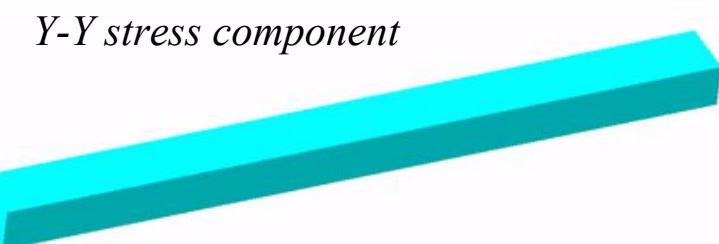
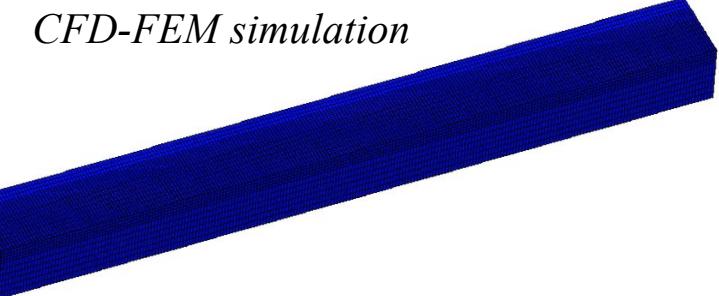
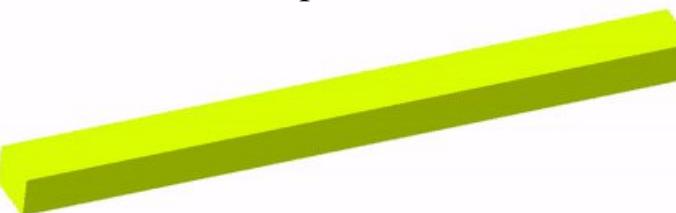
Experiments: high-density dislocations in AMed copper



Simulation of temperature and thermal stress



X-X stress component



Thank you for listening!

Q&A

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