

# Stabilized Mixed Finite Element Formulation

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## Definitions

**F**: Deformation gradient

**I**: second-order unit tensor

**u**: Displacement

*J*: determinant of the deformation gradient

**C**: Right Cauchy-Green Strain Tensor

$\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})$ : strain energy function

**P**: first Piola-Kirchhoff stress tensor

**S**: second PK stress tensor

$\alpha$ : cracks are represented by a scalar phase-field variable

*p*: Lagrange multiplier, hydrostatic pressure field

$\kappa$ : bulk modulus

$$\kappa = \frac{E}{3(1 - 2\nu)} \quad (0.1)$$

$\mu$ : shear modulus

$$\mu = \frac{E}{2(1 + \nu)} \quad (0.2)$$

$\lambda$ : Lamé modulus

$$\lambda = \frac{\nu E}{(1 + \nu)(1 - 2\nu)} \quad (0.3)$$

$\mathcal{E}_\ell$ : potential energy functional  $w(\alpha)$  is an increasing function representing the specific energy dissipation per unit of volume

$c_w$  is a normalization constant

## 1 Hyperelastic Phase-Field Fracture Models

Deformation Gradient

$$\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{I} + \nabla \otimes \mathbf{u} \quad (1.1)$$

where  $J = \det \mathbf{F}$  and  $\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{F}^T \mathbf{F}$ .

The strain energy function  $\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})$  is defined per unit reference volume such that the first PK and second PK

$$\mathbf{P} = \frac{\partial \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \quad (1.2a)$$

$$\mathbf{S} = 2 \frac{\partial \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{C}} \quad (1.2b)$$

where  $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{F}\mathbf{S}$ .

## 1.1 Phase-Field Fracture Model

For incompressible hyperelastic materials, the strain energy function is defined as ( ? )

$$\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}) = \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F}) + p(J - 1), \quad (1.3)$$

We instead consider a damage dependent relaxation of the incompressibility constraint and the phase-field couples to the strain energy through the modified function

$$\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha) = a(\alpha)\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F}) + a^3(\alpha)\frac{1}{2}\kappa(J - 1)^2 \quad (1.4)$$

where the decreasing stiffness modulation function.

$$a(\alpha) = (1 - \alpha)^2 \quad (1.5)$$

Use Eq. 1.2 to solve for the first Piola-Kirchhoff stress tensor

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P} &= \frac{\partial \widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \left[ a(\alpha)\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F}) + a^3(\alpha)\frac{1}{2}\kappa(J - 1)^2 \right] \\ &= a(\alpha)\frac{\partial \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} + a^3(\alpha)\frac{1}{2}\kappa\frac{\partial (J - 1)^2}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \\ \mathbf{P} &= a(\alpha)\frac{\partial \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} + a^3(\alpha)\kappa(J - 1)\frac{\partial J}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \end{aligned} \quad (1.6)$$

where  $\partial J / \partial \mathbf{F} = J\mathbf{F}^{-T}$ . To circumvent this numerical difficulties, we resort to the classical mixed formulation and introduce the pressure-like field

$$p = -\sqrt{a^3(\alpha)\kappa}(J - 1), \quad (1.7)$$

as an independent variable along with the displacement field.

We first consider the energy functional of a possibly fractured elastic body with isotropic surface energy, this equation is found in Bin2020 Eq. 21. (We drop  $\lambda_b$  which is not a consideration in this formulation)

$$\mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, \alpha) = \int_{\Omega} a(\alpha)\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)d\Omega + \frac{G_c}{c_w} \int_{\Omega} \left( \frac{w(\alpha)}{\ell} + \ell \|\nabla \alpha\|^2 \right) d\Omega \quad (1.8)$$

where  $a(\alpha)$  is a (decreasing) stiffness modulation function and  $w(\alpha)$  is an increasing function representing the specific energy dissipation per unit of volume.

$$a(\alpha) = (1 - \alpha)^2 \quad w(\alpha) = \alpha \quad (1.9)$$

The normalization constant is defined as:

$$c_w = \int_0^1 \sqrt{w(\alpha)} d\alpha \quad (1.10)$$

In the code we have the following definition

$$b(\alpha) = (1 - \alpha)^3$$

Non-modified strain energy function is the compressible Neo-Hookean:

$$\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F}) = \frac{\mu}{2}(I_1 - 3 - 2 \ln J) \quad (1.11)$$

Starting from Eq. 25 in the 2020 Li and Bouklas paper where  $\kappa$  is the bulk modulus

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, p, \Lambda, \alpha) &= \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, \alpha) + \int_\Omega \frac{p^2}{2\kappa} d\Omega + \int_\Omega \Lambda(p + \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}\kappa(J - 1)) d\Omega \quad \lambda = -p/\kappa \\ &= \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, \alpha) + \int_\Omega \frac{p^2}{2\kappa} d\Omega + \int_\Omega -\frac{p}{\kappa}(p + \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}\kappa(J - 1)) d\Omega \\ &= \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, \alpha) + \int_\Omega \frac{p^2}{2\kappa} d\Omega - \int_\Omega \frac{p^2}{K} d\Omega - \int_\Omega \frac{p}{\kappa} \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}\kappa(J - 1) d\Omega \\ \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, p, \alpha) &= \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, \alpha) - \int_\Omega \frac{p^2}{2\kappa} d\Omega - \int_\Omega \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}p(J - 1) d\Omega \end{aligned} \quad (1.12)$$

Substitute in  $\mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, \alpha)$  and substitute Eq. 1.11

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, p, \alpha) &= \int_\Omega a(\alpha) \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F}) d\Omega + \frac{G_c}{c_w} \int_\Omega \left( \frac{w(\alpha)}{\ell} + \ell \|\nabla \alpha\|^2 \right) d\Omega - \int_\Omega \frac{p^2}{2\kappa} d\Omega - \int_\Omega \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}p(J - 1) d\Omega \\ \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, p, \alpha) &= \int_\Omega a(\alpha) \frac{\mu}{2} (I_1 - 3 - 2 \ln J) d\Omega - \int_\Omega \frac{p^2}{2\kappa} d\Omega - \int_\Omega \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}p(J - 1) d\Omega \\ &\quad + \frac{G_c}{c_w} \int_\Omega \left( \frac{w(\alpha)}{\ell} + \ell \|\nabla \alpha\|^2 \right) d\Omega \end{aligned}$$

Note that the last term is the dissipative energy term, defined separately in the code.

## 1.2 Changes for 2D Code Version

In the code we have the following for the energy functional of the energy problem

$$\widetilde{W}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha) = (a(\alpha) + k_\ell) \frac{\mu}{2} (I_c - 3 - 2 \ln J) - b(\alpha)p(J - 1) - \frac{p^2}{2\lambda}$$

where  $\mu$  is the shear modulus and  $\lambda$  is the 1st Lamé parameter.

In my derivation

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$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P} &= \frac{\partial \widetilde{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \\
&= a(\alpha)\mu(\mathbf{F} - \mathbf{F}^{-1}) + b(\alpha)p \frac{\partial \det \mathbf{F}}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \\
\mathbf{P} &= a(\alpha)\mu(\mathbf{F} - \mathbf{F}^{-1}) + b(\alpha)pJ\mathbf{F}^{-1}
\end{aligned}$$

Taking the third component to be zero

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P}_{33} &= a(\alpha)\mu(\mathbf{F}_{33} - \mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1}) + b(\alpha)pJ\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1} = 0 \\
(1 - \alpha)^2\mu(\mathbf{F}_{33} - \mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1}) + (1 - \alpha)^3pJ\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1} &= 0 \\
\mu(\mathbf{F}_{33} - \mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1}) + (1 - \alpha)pJ\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1} &= 0 \\
\mu\mathbf{F}_{33} - \mu\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1} + (1 - \alpha)pJ\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1} &= 0 \\
\mu\mathbf{F}_{33} &= \mu\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1} - (1 - \alpha)pJ\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1} \\
\mu\mathbf{F}_{33} &= [\mu - (1 - \alpha)pJ]\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1} \\
\mathbf{F}_{33}^2 &= \frac{\mu - (1 - \alpha)pJ}{\mu} \\
\mathbf{C}_{33} &= 1 - \frac{(1 - \alpha)pJ}{\mu}
\end{aligned}$$

Treating  $F_{33}$  as an independent unknown, we can state the governing equation

$$\mu(\mathbf{F}_{33} - \mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1}) + (1 - \alpha)pJ\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1} = 0$$

This can be multiplied by its associated test function

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Jason's

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$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P} &= \frac{\partial \widetilde{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \\
&= (a(\alpha) + k_\ell)\mu(\mathbf{F} - \mathbf{F}^{-T}) + b(\alpha)p \frac{\partial \det \mathbf{F}}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \\
\mathbf{P} &= (a(\alpha) + k_\ell)\mu(\mathbf{F} - \mathbf{F}^{-T}) + b(\alpha)pJ\mathbf{F}^{-T}
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(a(\alpha) + k_\ell)\mu(\mathbf{F}_{33} - \mathbf{F}_{33}^{-T}) + b(\alpha)pJ\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-T} &= 0 \\
(a(\alpha) + k_\ell)\mu\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1}\mathbf{F}_{33} &= [(a(\alpha) + k_\ell)\mu - b(\alpha)pJ]\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-1}\mathbf{F}_{33}^{-T} \\
(a(\alpha) + k_\ell)\mu &= [(a(\alpha) + k_\ell)\mu - b(\alpha)pJ](\mathbf{F}_{33}^T\mathbf{F}_{33})^{-1} \\
(a(\alpha) + k_\ell)\mu &= [(a(\alpha) + k_\ell)\mu - b(\alpha)pJ]\mathbf{C}_{33}^{-1} \\
\mathbf{C}_{33} &= \frac{(a(\alpha) + k_\ell)\mu - b(\alpha)pJ}{\mu(a(\alpha) + k_\ell)} \\
\mathbf{C}_{33} &= 1 - \frac{b(\alpha)pJ}{\mu(a(\alpha) + k_\ell)}
\end{aligned}$$

## 2 Stabilized Finite Element Method

### 2.1 Gateaux Derivative

The Gateaux derivative with respect to  $(\mathbf{u}, \alpha)$  in direction  $(\mathbf{v}, \beta)$  under the irreversibility condition  $\dot{\alpha} \geq 0$ .

$$d\mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, \alpha; \mathbf{v}, \beta) \geq 0. \quad (2.1)$$

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Calculation of the Gateaux derivative

$$\begin{aligned} d\mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v})(\alpha, \beta) &= \frac{d}{d\delta} \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v}, \alpha + \delta \beta) \Big|_{\delta=0} \\ &= \frac{d}{d\delta} \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v}, \alpha) \Big|_{\delta=0} + \frac{d}{d\delta} \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, \alpha + \delta \beta) \Big|_{\delta=0} \end{aligned}$$

Starting with the first term:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{d\delta} \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v}, \alpha) \Big|_{\delta=0} &= \frac{d}{d\delta} \left[ \int_{\Omega} \widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{I} + \nabla(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v}), \alpha) d\Omega - \int_{\partial_N \Omega} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_0 \cdot (\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v}) dA \right] \Big|_{\delta=0} \\ &= \left[ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{I} + \nabla(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v}), \alpha)}{d\delta} d\Omega - \int_{\partial_N \Omega} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_0 \cdot \frac{d(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v})}{d\delta} dA \right] \Big|_{\delta=0} \quad \text{chain rule} \\ &= \left[ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{I} + \nabla(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v}), \alpha)}{d(\mathbf{I} + \nabla(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v}))} \frac{d(\mathbf{I} + \nabla(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v}))}{d\delta} d\Omega - \int_{\partial_N \Omega} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_0 \cdot \frac{d(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v})}{d\delta} dA \right] \Big|_{\delta=0} \\ &= \left[ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{I} + \nabla \mathbf{u} + \delta \nabla \mathbf{v}, \alpha)}{d(\mathbf{I} + \nabla \mathbf{u} + \delta \nabla \mathbf{v})} \frac{d(\mathbf{I} + \nabla \mathbf{u} + \delta \nabla \mathbf{v})}{d\delta} d\Omega - \int_{\partial_N \Omega} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{v} dA \right] \Big|_{\delta=0} \\ &= \left[ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{I} + \nabla \mathbf{u} + \delta \nabla \mathbf{v}, \alpha)}{d(\mathbf{I} + \nabla \mathbf{u} + \delta \nabla \mathbf{v})} \nabla \mathbf{v} d\Omega - \int_{\partial_N \Omega} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{v} dA \right] \Big|_{\delta=0} \\ &= \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{I} + \nabla \mathbf{u}, \alpha)}{d(\mathbf{I} + \nabla \mathbf{u})} \nabla \mathbf{v} d\Omega - \int_{\partial_N \Omega} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{v} dA \\ \frac{d}{d\delta} \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u} + \delta \mathbf{v}, \alpha) \Big|_{\delta=0} &= \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\mathbf{F}} \nabla \mathbf{v} d\Omega - \int_{\partial_N \Omega} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{v} dA \end{aligned}$$

Second term:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \frac{d}{d\delta} \mathcal{E}_\ell(\mathbf{u}, \alpha + \delta\beta) \Big|_{\delta=0} \\
&= \frac{d}{d\delta} \left[ \int_{\Omega} \widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha + \delta\beta) d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w} \int_{\Omega} \left( \frac{w(\alpha + \delta\beta)}{\ell} + \ell \|\nabla(\alpha + \delta\beta)\|^2 \right) dV \right] \Big|_{\delta=0} \\
&= \left[ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha + \delta\beta)}{d\delta} d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w} \frac{d}{d\delta} \int_{\Omega} \left( \frac{w(\alpha + \delta\beta)}{\ell} + \ell \|\nabla(\alpha + \delta\beta)\|^2 \right) dV \right] \Big|_{\delta=0} \\
&= \left[ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha + \delta\beta)}{d(\alpha + \delta\beta)} \frac{d(\alpha + \delta\beta)}{d\delta} d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w} \frac{1}{\ell} \int_{\Omega} \frac{dw(\alpha + \delta\beta)}{d\delta} dV + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w} \ell \int_{\Omega} \frac{\|\nabla(\alpha + \delta\beta)\|^2}{d\delta} dV \right] \Big|_{\delta=0} \\
&= \left[ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha + \delta\beta)}{d(\alpha + \delta\beta)} \beta d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w} \frac{1}{\ell} \int_{\Omega} \frac{dw(\alpha + \delta\beta)}{d(\alpha + \delta\beta)} \frac{d(\alpha + \delta\beta)}{d\delta} dV + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w} \ell \int_{\Omega} 2\nabla(\alpha + \delta\beta) \frac{\nabla(\alpha + \delta\beta)}{d\delta} dV \right] \Big|_{\delta=0} \\
&= \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta d\Omega + \left[ \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w} \frac{1}{\ell} \int_{\Omega} \frac{dw(\alpha + \delta\beta)}{d(\alpha + \delta\beta)} \beta dV + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w} \ell \int_{\Omega} 2\nabla(\alpha + \delta\beta) \nabla\beta dV \right] \Big|_{\delta=0} \\
&= \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w} \frac{1}{\ell} \int_{\Omega} \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta dV + 2\ell \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w} \int_{\Omega} \nabla\alpha \cdot \nabla\beta dV \\
&= \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} \left[ \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta + 2\ell^2 (\nabla\alpha \cdot \nabla\beta) \right] dV
\end{aligned}$$

First, consider Eq. 1.7

$$\begin{aligned}
p &= -\sqrt{a^3(\alpha)} \kappa (J - 1) \\
\frac{p}{\kappa} &= -\sqrt{a^3(\alpha)} (J - 1) \\
0 &= -\sqrt{a^3(\alpha)} (J - 1) - \frac{p}{\kappa}
\end{aligned}$$

Multiplying this by test function  $q$  and integrating over volume, we obtain an equation that can be combined with the equations from the Gateaux Derivative.

$$\int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\mathbf{F}} \nabla \mathbf{v} d\Omega - \int_{\partial_N \Omega} \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_0 \cdot \mathbf{v} dA = 0 \quad (2.2a)$$

$$\int_{\Omega} \left( -\sqrt{a^3(\alpha)} (J - 1) - \frac{p}{\kappa} \right) q dV = 0 \quad (2.2b)$$

$$\int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} \left[ \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta + 2\ell^2 (\nabla\alpha \cdot \nabla\beta) \right] dV \geq 0 \quad (2.2c)$$

The strong form

$$\text{Div } \mathbf{P} = 0 \quad \text{in } \Omega \quad (2.3a)$$

$$\mathbf{u} = \tilde{\mathbf{u}}_0 \quad \text{in } \partial_D \Omega \quad (2.3b)$$

$$[\mathbf{FS}] \mathbf{n} = \tilde{\mathbf{g}}_0 \quad \text{on } \partial_N \Omega, \quad (2.3c)$$

where from Eq. 1.6 we can substitute Eq. 1.7

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathbf{P} &= a(\alpha) \frac{\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} + a^3(\alpha) \kappa (J - 1) \frac{\partial J}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \quad \text{where } p = -\sqrt{a^3(\alpha)} \kappa (J - 1) \\
\mathbf{P} &= a(\alpha) \frac{\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} - p \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)} \frac{\partial J}{\partial \mathbf{F}}
\end{aligned}$$

and write the mechanical equilibrium equation in Eq. 2.3:

$$\text{Div} \left[ a(\alpha) \frac{\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} - p \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)} \frac{\partial J}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \right] = 0 \quad (2.4)$$

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Derivation of the KKT condition equations where  $\nabla \beta \cdot \nabla \alpha = \nabla(\beta \nabla \alpha) - \beta \Delta \alpha$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} \left[ \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta + 2\ell^2 (\nabla \alpha \cdot \nabla \beta) \right] dV &\geq 0 \\ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta dV + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} 2\ell^2 (\nabla \alpha \cdot \nabla \beta) dV &\geq 0 \\ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta dV + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} 2\ell^2 (\nabla(\beta \nabla \alpha)) dV - \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} 2\ell^2 (\beta \Delta \alpha) dV &\geq 0 \\ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} \beta dV - \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} 2\ell^2 (\beta \Delta \alpha) dV &\geq 0 \\ \left[ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} \left( \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} - 2\ell^2 \Delta \alpha \right) dV \right] \beta &\geq 0 \\ \int_{\Omega} \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} d\Omega + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \int_{\Omega} \left( \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} - 2\ell^2 \Delta \alpha \right) dV &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

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Grouping terms, we obtain

$$\frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \left( \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} - 2\ell^2 \Delta \alpha \right) \geq 0 \quad \text{in } \Omega \quad (2.5a)$$

$$\dot{\alpha} \geq 0 \quad \text{in } \Omega \quad (2.5b)$$

$$\dot{\alpha} \left[ \frac{d\widetilde{\mathcal{W}}(\mathbf{F}, \alpha)}{d\alpha} + \frac{\mathcal{G}_c}{c_w \ell} \left( \frac{dw(\alpha)}{d\alpha} - 2\ell^2 \Delta \alpha \right) \right] \geq 0 \quad \text{in } \Omega \quad (2.5c)$$

$$(2.5d)$$

Lastly, we have the following, (Neumann?)

$$\frac{\partial \alpha}{\partial \mathbf{n}} \geq 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \dot{\alpha} \frac{\partial \alpha}{\partial \mathbf{n}} = 0 \quad \text{on } \partial \Omega \quad (2.6)$$

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Multiply Eq. 2.4 with weighting function  $\mathbf{v} + (\varpi h^2)/(2\mu)\mathbf{F}^{-T}\nabla q$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \int_{\Omega} \text{Div} \mathbf{P} \cdot \left[ \mathbf{v} + \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \mathbf{F}^{-T} \nabla q \right] dV = 0 \\
& \int_{\Omega} \text{Div} \mathbf{P} \cdot \mathbf{v} dV + \int_{\Omega} \text{Div} \mathbf{P} \cdot \left[ \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \mathbf{F}^{-T} \nabla q \right] dV = 0 \\
& \int_{\Omega} \text{Div} \mathbf{P} \cdot \mathbf{v} dV + \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \sum_{e=1}^{n_{el}} \int_{\Omega^e} \text{Div} \mathbf{P} \cdot (\mathbf{F}^{-T} \nabla q) dV = 0 \\
& \int_{\Omega} \text{Div} \mathbf{P} \cdot \mathbf{v} dV \\
& + \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \sum_{e=1}^{n_{el}} \int_{\Omega^e} \text{Div} \left[ a(\alpha) \frac{\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \right] \cdot (\mathbf{F}^{-T} \nabla q) dV - \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \sum_{e=1}^{n_{el}} \int_{\Omega^e} \text{Div} \left[ p \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)} \frac{\partial J}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \right] \cdot (\mathbf{F}^{-T} \nabla q) dV = 0 \\
& \quad + \quad - \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \sum_{e=1}^{n_{el}} \int_{\Omega^e} \nabla (p \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}) J \mathbf{F}^{-T} \cdot (\mathbf{F}^{-T} \nabla q) dV = 0 \\
& \quad + \quad - \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \sum_{e=1}^{n_{el}} \int_{\Omega^e} \nabla (p \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}) J \mathbf{F}^{-1} \mathbf{F}^{-T} \cdot (\mathbf{F}^{-1} \mathbf{F}^{-T} \nabla q) dV = 0 \\
& \quad + \quad - \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \sum_{e=1}^{n_{el}} \int_{\Omega^e} \nabla (p \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}) J \cdot (\mathbf{C}^{-1} \nabla q) dV = 0 \\
& \quad + \quad - \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \sum_{e=1}^{n_{el}} \int_{\Omega^e} J \mathbf{C}^{-1} : \left[ \nabla (p \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}) \cdot \nabla q \right] dV = 0
\end{aligned}$$

where  $\mathbf{P} = a(\alpha) \frac{\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} - p \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)} \frac{\partial J}{\partial \mathbf{F}}$

We also want to deal with the first term where  $(fg)' = f'g + fg'$

$$\int_{\Omega} \text{Div} \mathbf{P} \cdot \mathbf{v} dV = \int_{\Omega} (\mathbf{F} \cdot \mathbf{v})_{,X} dV - \int_{\Omega} \mathbf{P} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{v}}{\partial X} dV$$

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Leaving

$$\int_{\Omega} \text{Div} \mathbf{P} \cdot \mathbf{v} dV + \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \sum_{e=1}^{n_{el}} \int_{\Omega^e} \text{Div} \left[ a(\alpha) \frac{\mathcal{W}(\mathbf{F})}{\partial \mathbf{F}} \right] \cdot (\mathbf{F}^{-T} \nabla q) dV - \frac{\varpi h^2}{2\mu} \sum_{e=1}^{n_{el}} \int_{\Omega^e} J \mathbf{C}^{-1} : \left[ \nabla (p \sqrt{a^3(\alpha)}) \cdot \nabla q \right] dV \quad (2.7)$$

### 3 Numerical Examples

#### 3.1 Benchmark: Uniaxial Tension of a Hyperelastic Bar

#### 3.2 Revisiting Crack Nucleation in an Elastomer



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