

LME-MPM applied to quasi-brittle fracture

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Highlights

- Fracture mechanics within the MPM is a challenging research field
- The Eigensoftening algorithm is an improvement to simulate quasi-brittle materials
- The LME shape functions together with a NPC time integration enhance the standard MPM
- The Eigensoftening-MPM has been validated against analytical and experimental results