Advances In High Temperature (Viscoelastoplastic) Material Modeling for Thermal Structural Analysis



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# OUTLINE

### Background/Philosophy

- Elevated Material Behavior
- Impact on Analysis
- Multiscale Framework/Vision

### • Recent Advances

- Theoretical Modeling/Testing
- Numerical Integration
- Material Characterization



### **Typical High Temperature Applications Demand High Performance Materials**



- Complex Thermomechanical Loading
- Complex Material response requires Time-Dependent/Hereditary Models: Viscoelastic/Viscoplastic
- Comprehensive Characterization (Tensile, Creep, Relaxation) for a variety of material systems



### **Important Phenomenological Observations of Behavior of Metals at High Homologous Temperatures (T/T<sub>m</sub>>0.3)**



Strain-rate sensitivity





Relaxation





#### **Creep-Plasticity Interactions**

**Classic Reason for Introducing Unified Viscoplastic Models** (e.g., GVIPS Class)



Important Phenomenological Observations of Behavior of Metals at High Homologous Temperatures (T/T<sub>m</sub>>0.3) Cyclic Behavior

#### **Stress-controlled**



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### Material Behavior Can Significantly Impact Structural Response (e.g. Recovery Mechanisms)

Applied Compressive Stress/Euler Stress = 0.095 Normalized Initial imperfection – 0.01 Arnold et al., "Creep Buckling of a Cylindrical Shell Under Variable Loading", Jnl of Eng Mech., ASCE, Vol. 115, No. 5, pp. 1054-1074, 1989.





Normalized radial displacement versus normalized time for variable loading histories given in inserts

### Unified Viscoplastic Models Capture Deformation Response in Rocket Engine Nozzle Liners



#### **Nozzle Liner Geometry**



#### Experiment (GRC)



- Severe thermomechanical loading conditions result in irreversible strains
- Unified viscoplastic models successfully predict the experimentally observed deformation trends
  - > Arya and Arnold, AIAA, Vol 30, No. 3, 1992

Prediction Classical Unified (Lockheed) (GRC)





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# **CONSTITUTIVE MODELING**

#### **Structural Mechanics Problem**



Knowledge of the material's <u>life and constitutive</u> <u>behavior</u> is a prerequisite for assessment of component performance/reliability

### Need to <u>concurrently address</u> three important and related areas:

- i) mathematical formulation for the accurate multiaxial representation
   <u>GVIPS Classes</u>
- ii) algorithmic developments for the updating (integrating) of external and internal state variables -<u>FEA User</u>
   <u>Definable Subroutines</u>

iii) parameter estimation -<u>COMPARE</u>

This approach allows one to **overcome** the **two major obstacles** for **practical utilization** of sophisticated time-dependent (hereditary) models:

- 1) lack of efficient and robust integration algorithms FEA Linkage issues
- 2) difficulties associated with characterization of large number of material parameters and appropriate experimental "data content" COMPARE & sensitivities



### **The Desired Vision For Design and Analysis**



# Thermomechanical Testing in Support of Constitutive Model Development

Characterization

Tests

Exploratory Tests

- Identify Fundamental Def & Damage Mechanisms
- Illuminate Salient Material Response Features
  - Isotropic/kinematic Hardening
  - Time Dependent/ Time-Independent
  - Sensitivity Hydrostatic Stress Field
  - Isotropic/Anisotropy Material Symmetry
- Guide Mathematical Structure of Model
- Guides Specimen design/ Test Method Development

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Constitutive Model Deformation & Damage Provide sufficient database to

determine the specific functional forms
 quantify the associated material parameters

Validation

**Tests** 

so as to represent a particular material over a given range of conditions

• Often structural in nature

- Provide prototypical response data which is to be compared with model predictions
- Ideally provide feedback for subsequent model refinement

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# **Experimental Observations**

#### Reversibility

- rate-dependent instantaneous stiffness
- transient creep/relaxation
- limit equilibrium state
- •Theoretical demarcation (Exp. Verified)

#### •Irreversibility

- strain-stress dependent
- honlinearity
- strain rate dependence
- creep with steady-state
- relaxation with finite residual state
- creep/plasticity interaction
- thermal recovery
- nonlinear kinematic/isotropic hardening
- Anelastic recovery during reversal in both quasilinear and fully developed inelastic regions





### Experiments Indicated Existence of Reversible and Irreversible Threshold Surface







### **Experimentally verified for both TIMETAL 21S and Ti-6-4**

**GRCop-84** doesn't appear to exhibit strong viscoelastic response



### **Theoretical/Computational Motivation**

In view of **four + decades** of active research in the area of inelastic behavior modeling, the **need** still exists for an:

Accurate representation of material response details over an extensive domain of time, stress, temperature, loading conditions ...

Assessment						
Technical	Practical Implication					
Non-associative	$\Rightarrow$ Non-uniqueness of solution					
- Nonsymmetric Tangent Stiffness	⇒ Implementation into large scale FEA codes problematic					
- Coupled system of Stiff Diff. Eq.	$\Rightarrow$ Difficult to integrate					
Numerous nonphysical material parameters	$\Rightarrow$ Requires expertise to characterize model					
Single-mechanism models	⇒Qualitatively capable, yet quantitatively limited in response spectrum					



### Utilize Concept of Thermodynamic Internal State Variables to Obtain Constitutive Equations





### **Advantages and Attributes of Potential Formulation**

- Provides a consistent framework for deformation and damage modeling
  - Nonisothermal and/or anisotropic extension straight forward
  - Nonproportional loading histories automatic
  - Automatic satisfaction of the <u>Dissipation Inequity</u> of Thermodynamics
- Eliminates the "ad-hoc" nature of model development
- Provides sufficiently general variational structure.
- Constitutes cornerstone of regularity and bounding (or limit) theorems in plasticity and viscoplasticity.
- Lends itself to robust numerical implementation



### **Physical Mechanisms Underlying The Partitioning of Energy : Complementary Type**



## **General Multimechanism Hereditary Behavior Model of the GVIPS Class**



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### Specific Choice of Energy Potentials and Material Functional Forms

$$\begin{split} \Phi_R &= \Phi_R(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{ij}, \mathbf{q}_{ij}^{(a)}) = \frac{1}{2} (\boldsymbol{\sigma}_s)_{ij} \, \mathbf{E}_{ijkl}^{-1}(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_s)_{kl} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{a=1}^M \mathbf{q}_{ij}^{(a)} [\mathbf{M}_{ijkl}^{(a)}]^{-1} \mathbf{q}_{kl}^{(a)} + \sum_{a=1}^M \mathbf{q}_{ij}^{(a)} \mathbf{p}_{ij}^{(a)} \\ \Phi_{IR} &= \Phi_{IR}(\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{ij}, \boldsymbol{\alpha}_{ij}^{(b)}) = \boldsymbol{\sigma}_{ij} \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{ij}^{vp} + \sum_{a=1}^N \bar{H}_{(b)}(G^{(b)}) \end{split}$$

and

 $\Omega_{R} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{a=1}^{M} \mathbf{q}_{ij}^{(a)} [\boldsymbol{\eta}_{ijkl}^{(a)}]^{-1} \mathbf{q}_{kl}^{(a)}$   $\Omega_{IR} = \Omega_{1}(F) + \sum_{b=1}^{N} \Omega_{2}^{(b)}(G^{(b)})$ Dissipation

b=1

where

$$F = \frac{1}{2\kappa^2} (\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{ij} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}_{ij}) \mathcal{M}_{ijkl} (\boldsymbol{\sigma}_{kl} - \boldsymbol{\alpha}_{kl}) - 1$$
$$G^{(b)} = \frac{1}{2\kappa^2_{(b)}} (\boldsymbol{\alpha}_{ij}^{(b)} \mathcal{M}_{ijkl} \, \boldsymbol{\alpha}_{kl}^{(b)})$$

and the specific functions :

 $r(G^{(b)}) = R_{(b)}[G^{(b)}]^{m_{(b)}}$ 

$$\Omega_1(F) = \int \frac{\kappa^2 F^n}{2\mu} dF \qquad \qquad \Omega_2^{(b)}(G^{(b)}) = \kappa_{(b)}^2 \int \frac{r(G^{(b)})}{h(G^{(b)})} dG^{(b)} \qquad \bar{H}_{(b)} = \kappa_{(b)}^2 \int \frac{1}{h(G^{(b)})} dG^{(b)}$$

$$h_{nonsat}(G^{(b)}) = \frac{H_{(b)}}{[G^{(b)}]^{\beta_{(b)}}}$$

$$h_{sat}(G^{(b)}) = H_{(b)} \left\langle 1 - \sqrt{G^{(b)}} 
ight
angle^{\beta_{(b)}}$$

**Stored Energy** 



### Results Illustrating Recent Improvements Made to the Hardening Functional Form in GVIPS Model

Previous Non-saturating g(G)=H / G<sup>ß</sup>

Current Saturating Form  $g(G)=H(1-G)^{\beta}$ 

$$\mathsf{G} = [\texttt{1/2}(\alpha_{ij}\,\alpha_{ij})/\,\kappa^2_{(b)}]^{0.5}$$

TIMETAL 21S: 650°C Strain Controlled Tensile Single Mechanism





# Comparison of Specific Hardening Forms Under Cyclic Loading



TIMETAL 21S: 650°CStrain Controlled

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### New Saturating Form Does Not Adversely Impact Ability to Represent Creep/Relaxation



• But need at <u>least two</u> mechanisms to capture both creep and relaxation well





# Robust Integration Scheme Key For Efficient Inelastic Finite Element Analysis

**Common approaches for integration of rate equations:** 

1) Non-Iterative: explicit; semi-implicit

No local iterations ☑ less overhead stability problems

2) <u>Iterative</u>: fully-implicit

Requires local iterations 🗹 additional overhead

Unconditional stability

Consistent Tangent Stiffness ☑ Quadratic Convergence of global Newton-Raphson Iterations

### Selected: Backward Euler with Line Search



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### Advantages of Implementation

- Directly applicable for 3-D and sub-space loading(plane strain, axisymmetric, etc)
- Generalized Material Symmetry Operators (which influence flow, hardening, recovery, relaxation spectrum, etc.)
- Efficiency (through explicit algorithmic tangent stiffness)
- Robustness (through "slack" line search)

### **Results Illustrating the Efficiency of The Numerical** Implementation of GVIPS

#### **Backward Euler with Line Search**



**Under cyclic conditions** 





# Key to Accurate Characterization of GVIPS Involves Sufficient "Data Content"

#### **Viscoelastic Material Parameters**

**2+2M** number, i.e.,  $E_s$ , v,  $(M_{(a)}, \rho_{(a)})$ 

#### **Viscoplastic Material Parameters**

- Flow  $\kappa$ ,  $\mu$ , n
- Hardening  $H_b$ ,  $K_b$  and  $\beta$ ,
- Recovery: R<sub>b</sub> and m<sub>b</sub>
- **3 + 5N** irreversible material constants

### **Types of Experimental Tests**

Strain controlled Tensile Tests (multiple rates)
Creep Test (Monotonic and/or step)
Relaxation (Monotonic and/or step)
Cyclic Tests (Fully reversed, ratcheting)
Biaxial Tests (tensile, creep, relaxation, cyclic)



#### **Temperature**

Desire a mixture (rather than numerous of one type) of tests at numerous temperatures

Quality vs. Quantity

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# **COMPARE CORE**



### **Comprehensive Characterization of The Deformation Response of TIMETAL21S**



# Characterization of IN738LC @ 850 °C





### Elastic + 4 Viscoplastic Mechanisms

Final characterized parameters using four Viscoplastic mechanisms for IN738LC $@850^{\circ}$ C						
Material Parameter	Units	Value	Material Parameter	Units	Value	
Е	MPa	$1.5 \times 10^5$	$\beta_1$	-	1 (6)*	
ν	-	0.33	$\beta_2$	-	1 (6)*	
к	MPa	0.1	β <sub>3</sub>	-	1 (6)*	
κ <sub>1</sub>	MPa	61.43	$\beta_4$	-	1 (6)*	
<b>K</b> 2	MPa	64.37	<b>R</b> <sub>1</sub>	1/s	$1.0 \times 10^{-21}$	
<b>K</b> 3	MPa	62.30	<b>R</b> <sub>2</sub>	1/s	$1.0 \times 10^{-21}$	
К4	MPa	75.08	<b>R</b> <sub>3</sub>	1/s	$1.0 \times 10^{-21}$	
n	-	1.486	<b>R</b> <sub>4</sub>	1/s	$1.0 \times 10^{-21}$	
μ	MPa -s	$3.79 \times 10^{14}$	H <sub>1</sub>	MPa	$4.6 \mathrm{x10}^4$	
m1	-	0.001	H <sub>2</sub>	MPa	$5.13 \times 10^4$	
m <sub>2</sub>	-	0.001	H <sub>3</sub>	MPa	8.33x10 <sup>7</sup>	
m <sub>3</sub>	-	0.001	H <sub>4</sub>	MPa	9.458x10 <sup>7</sup>	
m <sub>4</sub>	-	0.001				
* the value between parentheses was determined in the FE simulation of the						

experiment







## Correlation of GRCop-84 Utilizing Multimechanism GVIPS Model



35 30 25 □ 5.E-04 Stress (ksi) 5.E-04 20 ♦ 8.E-05 8.E-05 △ 5.E-05 15 5.E-05 × 6.E-06 6.E-06 10 O 3.E-06 Strain controlled -3.E-06 5 **Tensile Tests** 0 0.005 0.01 0.015 0.02 0.025 0 Strain

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1 VE mechanisms

4 VP mechanisms

# **Structural Verification Testing**

- Ideally should provide feedback for subsequent model refinement
- Provide prototypical response data which is= to be compared with model predictions

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#### **Consequently:**

- Need accurate temperature, strain and load information at a variety of locations - required for any true validation
- Number of cycles to failure (alone) not enough
- Instrumentation incredibly challenging (sever environment)

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# Summary of Advances in Material Modeling (Synergistic Technology)

- Generalized, Fully Associative, Multimechanism, Viscoelastoplastic Model Available
  - Reversible/Irreversible Regimes
  - Spanning wide time, stress, temperature spectrum
  - Nonlinear Hardening with Saturation
  - Ability to capture ratcheting
  - Stiffness and/or Strength Reduction
- Automated Material Model Characterization
  - via COMPARE
  - Materials thus far:
    - Ni based; Cu based; Ti
    - MMC and PMC

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- Implicit Integration Algorithms
  - Directly applicable for 3D/sub-space loading
  - Generalized Material Symmetry Operators (which influence flow, hardening, recovery, relaxation spectrum, etc.)
  - Efficiency (through explicit algorithmic tangent stiffness)
  - Robustness (through "slack" line search)
- Now Commercially Available
  - COMPARE
  - GVIPS via UMATs

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# **Open Channel Software**

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# **Future Work**

- Extend formulation to account for
  - Coupled Nonisothermal Issues
  - Probabilistic Material Behavior
- Characterize additional material systems
- Verify under prototypical loading histories

- Implement softening (damage) mechanisms into COMPARE theory complete
  - Characterize strength/stiffness reduction parameters to account for softening effects

# Thank You

# **Questions?**

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