

Advanced Fracture Mechanics and Structural Integrity 2020 Advanced Fracture Mechanics and Structural Integrity is organized to cover quantitative descriptions of crack growth and fracture phenomena. The mechanics of fracture are explained, emphasizing elastic-plastic and dependent fracture mechanics. Applications are presented, using examples from power generation, aerospace, marine, and chemical industries. The focus is on predicting the remaining life of structural components and advanced testing methods for structural materials. Numerous examples and chapter problems are provided, along with references to encourage further study. The book is written for use in an advanced graduate course in fracture mechanics or structural integrity.

Fracture and Fatigue Control in Structures 2021 This book introduces the field of fracture mechanics from an applications viewpoint. The focus is on fitness for service, or life extension, of existing structures. Finally, it provides case studies to allow the practicing professional engineer or student to see the applications of fracture mechanics directly to various types of structures.

Introduction to Fracture Mechanics 2022 Introduction to Fracture Mechanics presents an introduction to the origins, formulation and application of fracture mechanics for the design, safe operation and life prediction in structural materials and components. The book introduces the reader on how fracture mechanics works and how it is so different from other forms of analysis that are used to characterize material properties. Chapters cover foundational topics and the use of linear-elastic fracture mechanics, involving both K-based characterizing parameters and energy approaches, and how to characterize the fracture toughness of materials under plane-strain and non plane-strain conditions using the notion of crack-resistance or R-curves. Other sections cover far more complex nonlinear-elastic fracture mechanics based on the use of the stress intensity factor and the crack-tip opening displacement. These topics largely involve continuum mechanics descriptions of crack initiation, slow crack growth, crack instability by overload fracture, and subcritical cracking. Presents how, for a given material, a fracture toughness value can be measured on a laboratory sample and then used directly to predict the failure (by fracture, fatigue, creep, etc.) of a much larger structure in service. Covers the rudiments of fracture mechanics from the perspective of the philosophy underlying the few principles and the many assumptions that form the discipline. Provides readers with a "working knowledge" of fracture mechanics, describing its potency for damage-tolerant design, for preventing failures through appropriate life-prediction strategies, and for quantitative failure analysis (fracture diagnostics).

Deformation and Fracture Mechanics of Engineering Materials 2022 Deformation and Fracture Mechanics of Engineering Materials, Sixth Edition, provides a detailed examination of the mechanical behavior of metals, ceramics, polymers, and their composites. Offering an integrated macroscopic/microscopic approach to the subject, this comprehensive textbook features in-depth explanations, plentiful figures and illustrations, and a full array of student and instructor resources. Divided into two sections, the text first introduces the principles of elastic and plastic deformation, including the plastic deformation response of solids and concepts of stress, strain, and stiffness. The following section demonstrates the application of fracture mechanics and materials science principles in solids, including determining material stiffness, strength, toughness, and time-dependent mechanical response. Now offered as an interactive eBook, this fully-revised edition features a wealth of digital assets. More than three hours of quality video footage helps students understand the practical applications of key topics, supported by hundreds of PowerPoint slides highlighting important information while strengthening student comprehension. Numerous real-world examples and case studies of actual service failures demonstrate the importance of applying fracture mechanics principles in failure analysis. Ideal for college-level courses in metallurgy and materials, mechanical engineering, and civil engineering, this popular is equally valuable for engineers looking to increase their knowledge of the mechanical properties of solids.

Application of Fracture Mechanics to Polymers, Adhesives and Composites 2021 Application of Fracture Mechanics to Polymers, Adhesives and Composites

Fracture Mechanics 2021 Most design engineers are tasked to design against failure, and one of the biggest causes of product failure is of the material due to fatigue/fracture. From leading experts in fracture mechanics, this new text provides new approaches and new applications to advance the understanding of crack initiation and propagation. With applications in composite materials, layered structures, and microelectronic packaging, among others, this timely coverage is an important resource for anyone studying or applying concepts of fracture mechanics. Combining an easily understood mathematical treatment of crack tip fields (chapter 3) provides the basis for applying fracture mechanics in solving practical problems. Unique coverage of bi-material interfacial cracks (chapter 8), with applications to commercially important areas of composite materials, layered structures, and microelectronic packaging. A full chapter (chapter 9) on the cohesive zone model approach, which has been extensively used in recent years to simulate crack propagation. A unified discussion of fracture criteria involving nonlinear/plastic deformations.

Time-Dependent Fracture Mechanics 2019 Intended for engineers, researchers, and graduate students dealing with materials science, structural design, and nondestructive testing and evaluation, this book represents a continuation of the author's "Fracture Mechanics" (1997). It will appeal to a variety of audiences: The discussion of design codes and procedures will be of use to practicing engineers, particularly in the nuclear, aerospace, and pipeline industries; the extensive bibliography and discussion of recent results will make it a useful reference for academic researchers; and graduate students will find the clear explanations and worked examples useful for learning the field. The book begins with a general treatment of fracture mechanics in terms of material properties and loading and provides up-to-date reviews of the ductile-brittle transition in steels and of methods for analyzing the risk of fracture. It then discusses the dynamics of fracture and creep in homogeneous and isotropic media, including discussion of loading-rate characteristics, the behavior of stationary cracks in elastic media under stress, and the propagation of cracks in elastic media, followed by an analysis of creep and crack initiation and propagation, describing, for example, the morphology and incubation times of cracks and growth and the effects of high temperatures. The book concludes with treatments of cycling deformation and fatigue, creep-fatigue fracture, crack initiation and propagation. Problems at the end of each chapter serve to reinforce and test the student's knowledge and to extend some of the discussions in the text. Solutions to half of the problems are provided.

Fatigue and Fracture Mechanics of High Risk Structures 2019 In the preliminary stage of designing new structural hardware that must perform a given mission in a fluctuating load environment, there are several factors the designers should consider. Trade studies for different design configurations should be performed and, based on strength and weight considerations, among others, an optimum configuration selected. The design must be able to withstand the environment in question without failure. Therefore, a comprehensive structural analysis that consists of dynamic, fatigue, and fracture is necessary to ensure the integrity of the structure. During the past few decades, fracture mechanics has become a necessary discipline for the solution of many structural problems. These problems include the prevention of failures resulting from preexisting defects in the parent material, welds or that develop under cyclic loading environment during the life of the structure. The importance of fatigue and fracture in nuclear, pressure vessel, aircraft, and aerospace structural hardware cannot be overemphasized where safety is of utmost concern. This book is of interest to the designer and strength analyst, as well as for the material and process engineer who is concerned with the integrity of the structure under load-varying environments in which fatigue and fracture must be given special attention. The book is a result of years of both academic and industrial experiences that the principal author and co-authors have accumulated through their work with aircraft and aerospace structures.

Fracture Mechanics 2022 - self-contained and well illustrated - complete and comprehensive derivation of mechanical/mathematical relationships with emphasis on issues of practical importance - combines classical subjects of fracture mechanics with modern topics such as microheterogeneous materials, piezoelectric materials, thin films, damage - mechanically and mathematically clear and complete derivations of results

components, also demonstrating the use of fracture mechanics in failure analysis, reinforcement of cracked structures, and remaining life estimation. The characteristics of crack propagation induced by fatigue, stress-corrosion, creep, and absorbed hydrogen are also discussed. The book contains a chapter on the structural integrity analysis of cracked components alongside a real integrity assessment. This book will be especially useful in mechanical, civil, industrial, metallurgical, aeronautical and chemical engineering, and for professional engineers looking for a refresher on the principles. Concisely outlines the underlying fundamentals of fracture mechanics, making physical concepts clear and simple and providing easily understood applied examples. Includes solved problems of the most common calculations, along with step-by-step procedures to perform various methods in fracture mechanics. Demonstrates how to determine stress intensity factors and fracture toughness, estimate crack growth rate, failure load, and other methods and techniques.

Practical Fracture Mechanics in Design 2020 Emphasizing a balanced approach to design that integrates fracture mechanics, materials science, and stress analysis, this work explains the fundamentals of fracture and provides clear definitions, basic formulas and worked examples. Cases highlight fracture mechanics parameters of particular materials and hands-on stress analysis techniques.

Fracture Mechanics Feb 20 2022 Fracture mechanics is a vast and growing field. This book develops the basic elements needed for both fracture research and engineering practice. The emphasis is on continuum mechanics models for energy flows and crack-tip stress- and deformation fields in elastic and elastic-plastic materials. In addition to a brief discussion of computational fracture methods, the text includes practical sections on fracture criteria, fracture toughness testing, and methods for measuring stress intensity factors and energy release rates. Class-tested at Cornell, this book is designed for students, researchers and practitioners interested in understanding and contributing to a diverse and vital field of knowledge.

Fracture Mechanics for Ceramics, Rocks, and Composites 2019

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Fracture Mechanics Jun 26 2022 With its combination of practicality, readability, and rigor that is characteristic of any truly authoritative reference and text, *Fracture Mechanics: Fundamentals and Applications* quickly established itself as the most comprehensive guide to fracture mechanics available. It has been adopted by more than 100 universities and embraced by thousands of professional engineers worldwide. Now in its third edition, the book continues to raise the bar in both scope and coverage. It encompasses theory and applications, linear and nonlinear fracture mechanics, and materials science with a unified, balanced, and in-depth approach. Reflecting the many advances made in the decade since the second edition came about, this indispensable Third Edition now includes: A new chapter on environmental cracking Expanded coverage of weight loss and New material on toughness test methods New problems at the end of the book New material on the failure assessment diagram (FAD) method and updated coverage of crack closure and variable-amplitude fatigue Updated solutions manual In addition to these enhancements, *Fracture Mechanics: Fundamentals and Applications, Third Edition* also includes detailed mathematical derivations in appendices at the end of applicable chapters; recent developments in laboratory testing, application to structures, and computational methods; coverage of micromechanisms of fracture and more than 400 illustrations. This reference continues to be a necessity on the desk of anyone involved with fracture mechanics.

Fracture Mechanics Jul 24 2019 Since the first edition published in 1991, this has been one of the top-selling books in the field. The first and second editions have been used as a required text in over 100 universities worldwide and have become indispensable reference for thousands of professional engineers as well. The third edition reflects recent advances in the field, although

Fracture Mechanics and Crack Growth Sep 17 2021 This book presents recent advances related to the following two topics: how mechanical fields close to material or geometrical singularities such as cracks can be determined; how failure criteria can be established according to the singularity related to these discontinuities. Concerning the determination of mechanical fields close to a crack tip, the first part of the book presents recent traditional methods in order to classify them into two major categories. The first is based on the stress field, such as the Airy function, and the second resolves the problem from functions related to displacement fields. Following this, a new method based on the Hamiltonian system is presented in detail. Local and energetic approaches to fracture are used in order to determine the fracture parameters such as stress intensity factor and energy release rate. The second part of the book describes methodologies to establish the critical fracture loads and the crack growth criteria. Singularities in homogeneous and non-homogeneous problems near crack tips, v-notches, interfaces, etc. associated with the crack initiation and propagation in elastic and elastic-plastic media, allow us to determine the basis of failure criteria. Each phenomenon studied is dealt with according to its own experimental and theoretical modeling, to its use in the criteria of fracture resistance; and finally to its implementation in terms of feasibility and numerical application. Contents 1. Introduction. Part 1: Stress Field Analysis Close to the Crack Tip 2. Review of Continuum Mechanics and the Behavior of Cracks 3. Overview of Fracture Mechanics. 4. Fracture Mechanics. 5. Introduction to the Finite Element Analysis of Cracked Structures. Part 2: Crack Growth 6. Crack Propagation. 7. Crack Growth Prediction in Elements of Steel Structures Submitted to Fatigue. 8. Potential Use of Crack Growth Laws in Fatigue Life Design.

Fracture Mechanics of Cementitious Materials Aug 15 2020 The application of fracture mechanics to cementitious materials allows the investigation of many important factors relating to the durability of these materials. This new book provides a comprehensive and readable exposition of this field, written by two of the world's foremost experts.

Mechanics of Fracture Initiation and Propagation Oct 09 2020 The assessment of crack initiation and/or propagation has been the subject of many discussions on fracture mechanics. Depending on how the chosen failure criterion is combined with the solution of a particular theory of crack growth mechanics, the outcome could vary over a wide range. Modeling of the material damage process could be elusive if the scale level of observation is undefined. The specification of physical dimension alone is not sufficient because time and temperature also play an intimate role. It is only when the latter two variables are fixed that failure predictions can be simplified. The sudden fracture of material with a pre-existing crack is a case in point. Barring changes in the local temperature, the energy released to create a unit surface area of an existing crack can be obtained by considering the change in elastic energy of the system before and after crack extension. Such a quantity has been referred to as the critical energy release rate, G_c . The stress intensity factor, K_{Ic} . Other parameters, such as the crack opening displacement (COD), path-independent J-integral, etc., have been used. Their relation to the fracture process is also based on the energy release concept. These one-parameter approaches, however, are unable singly to account for the failure process of crack initiation, propagation and onset of rapid fracture. A review on the use of G_c , K_{Ic} , COD, J, etc., has been given by Sih [1,2].

Dynamic Fracture Mechanics Jun 22 2019 This volume focuses on the development and analysis of mathematical models of fracture phenomena in dynamic loading conditions.

Fracture Mechanics of Rocks Apr 24 2022 Fracture Mechanics of Rock

Finite Elements in Fracture Mechanics Nov 19 2021 Fracture mechanics has established itself as an important discipline of growing interest to engineers working to assess the safety, reliability and service life of engineering structures and materials. In order to calculate the loading situation around defects, nowadays numerical techniques like finite element method (FEM) have become indispensable tools for a broad range of applications. This present monograph provides an introduction to the essential concepts of fracture mechanics, its main goal being to procure the special techniques for FEM analysis of crack problems, which have to date only been mastered by experts. All kinds of static, dynamic and fatigue fracture problems are treated in two- and three-dimensional elastic and plastic structural components. The usage of the various solution techniques is demonstrated through the analysis of sample problems selected from practical engineering case studies. The primary target group includes graduate students, researchers in

engineers in practice.

Deformation and Fracture Mechanics of Engineering Materials 2022 This edition comprehensively updates the field of fracture mechanics by including details of the latest research programmes. It contains new material on non-metals, design issues and statistical aspects. The application of fracture mechanics to different types of materials is stressed.

Fracture Mechanics 02 2020 Papers of the June 1990 meeting held in Atlanta, Ga. The first volume (47 papers) concentrates on experimental and theoretical aspects of fracture mechanics. Volume two (26 papers) covers numerical and computational approaches. Topics include: ductile fracture, high-temperature and time-dependent fracture.

The Practical Use of Fracture Mechanics 2019 This book is about the use of fracture mechanics for the solution of practical problems; academic rigor is not at issue and dealt with only in as far as it improves insight and understanding; it often concerns secondary errors in engineering. Knowledge of (ignorance of) such basic input as loads and stresses in practical cases may cause errors far overshadowing those introduced by shortcomings of fracture mechanics and necessary approximations; this is amply demonstrated in the text. I have presented more than three 40-hour courses on fracture mechanics and damage tolerance analysis, so that I have probably more experience in teaching the subject than anyone else. I learned more than the students, and became cognizant of difficulties and of the real concerns in applications. In particular I found, how should be explained to appeal to the practicing engineer to demonstrate that his practical problem can indeed be solved with engineering methods. My experience is reflected in the presentations in this book. Sufficient background is provided for an understanding of the issues, but pragmatism. Mathematics cannot be avoided, but they are presented in a way that appeals to insight and intuition, in lieu of formal derivations which would require the mathematical skill of the writer.