

# Extreme Deformation and Failure of Metals by Pulsed Lasers

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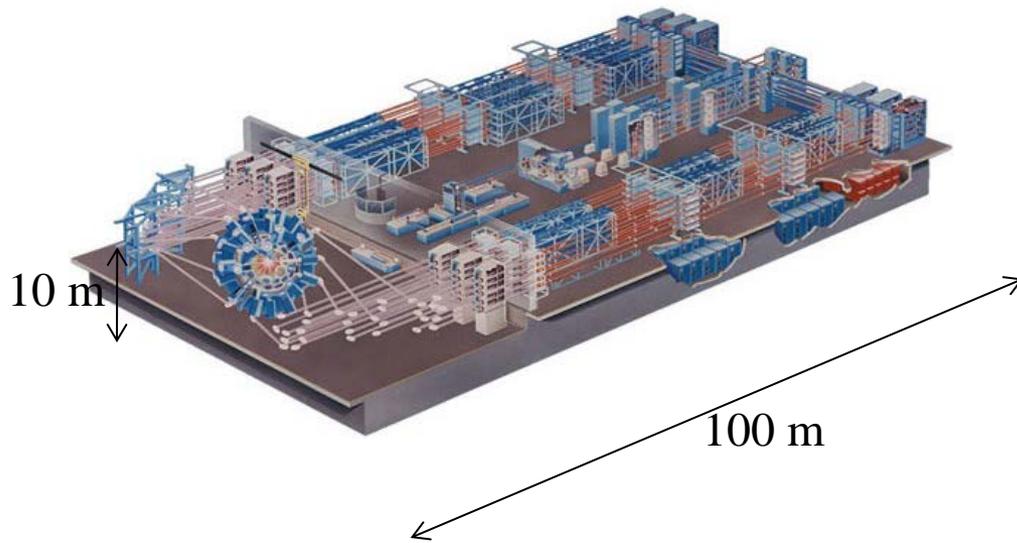
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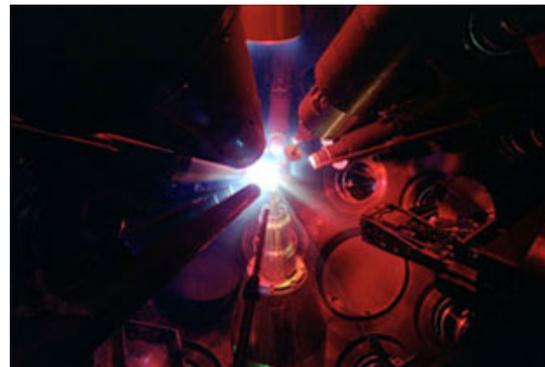
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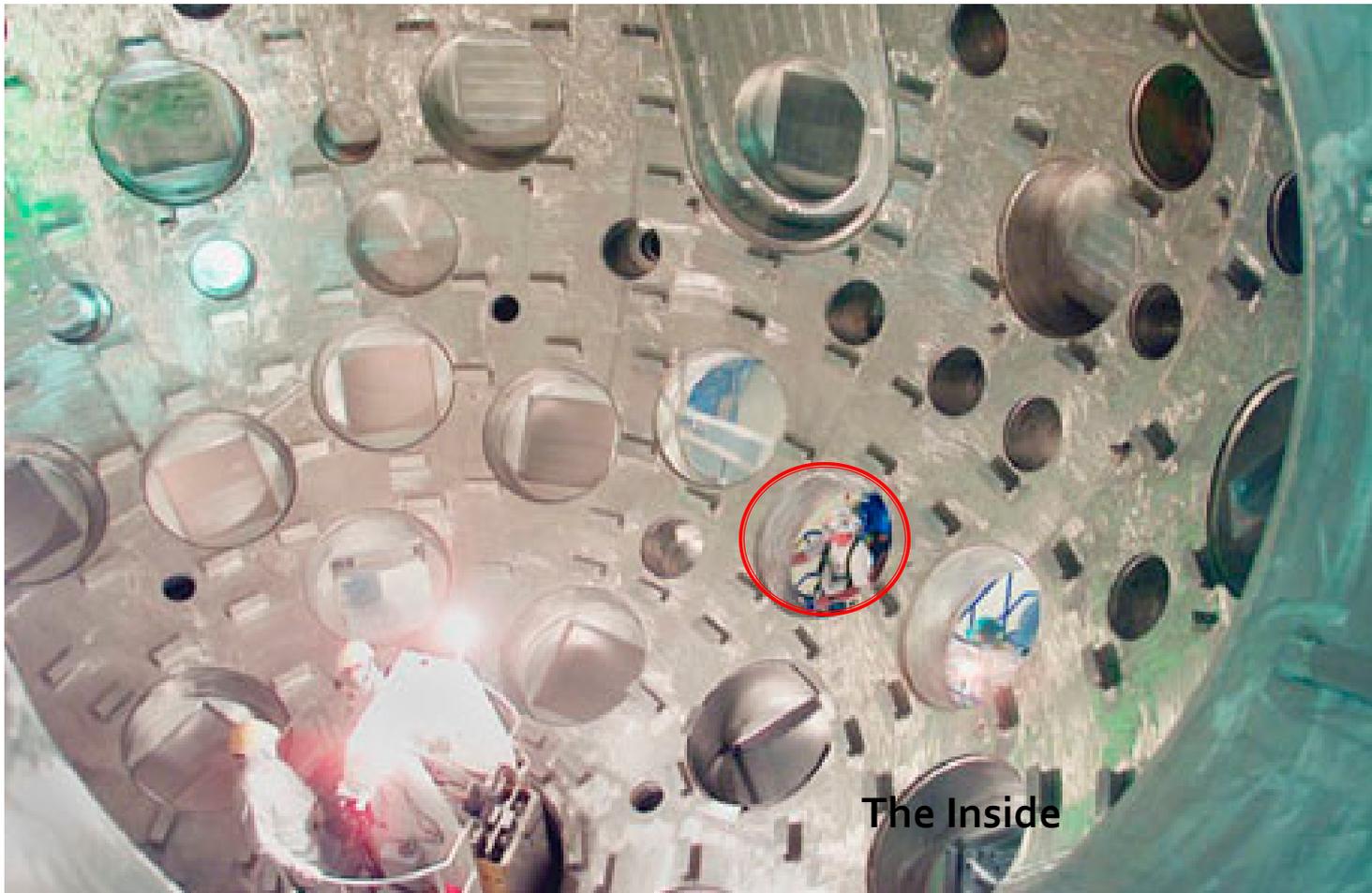
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- 60 laser beams
- Energy up to 40,000 J
- 351 nm wavelength



# THE OMEGA TARGET CHAMBER

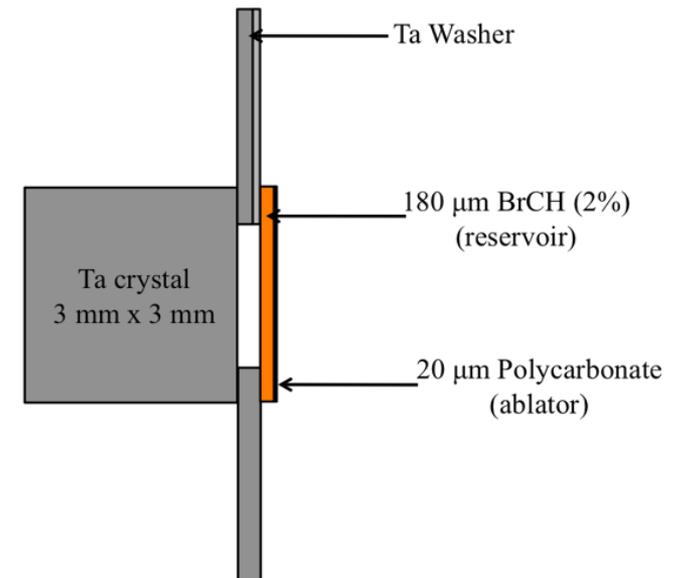
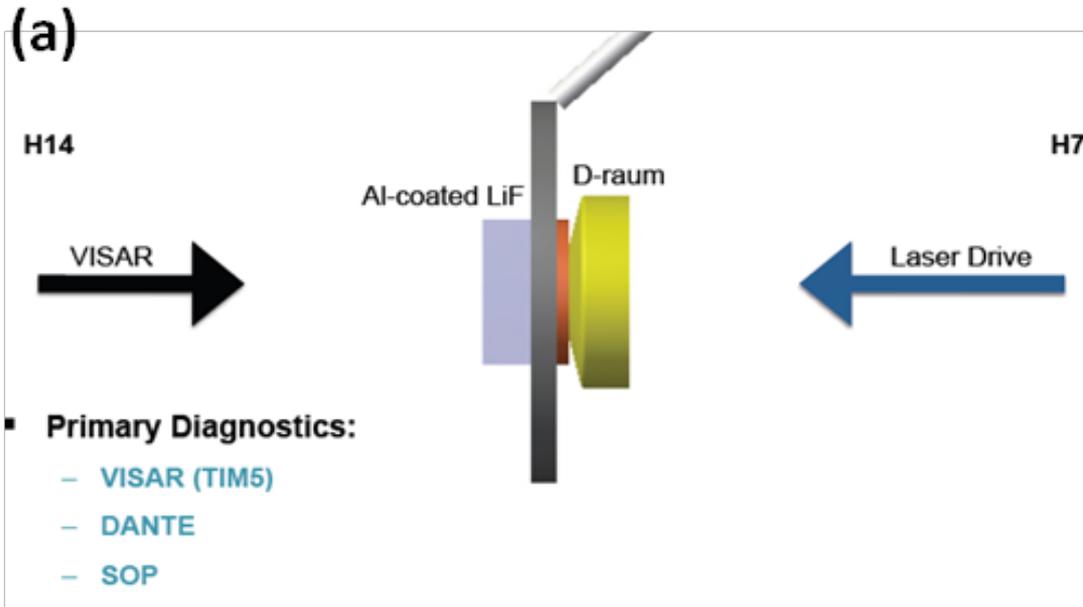
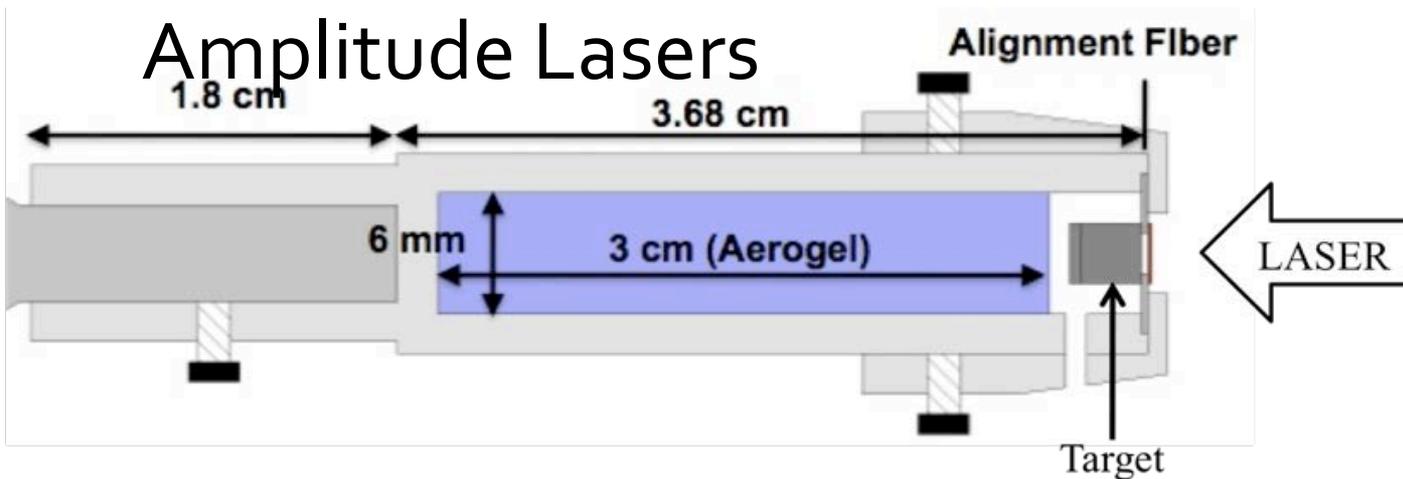


The Inside

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# Recovery Fixture and Diagnostics for High Amplitude Lasers



# Fundamental Questions

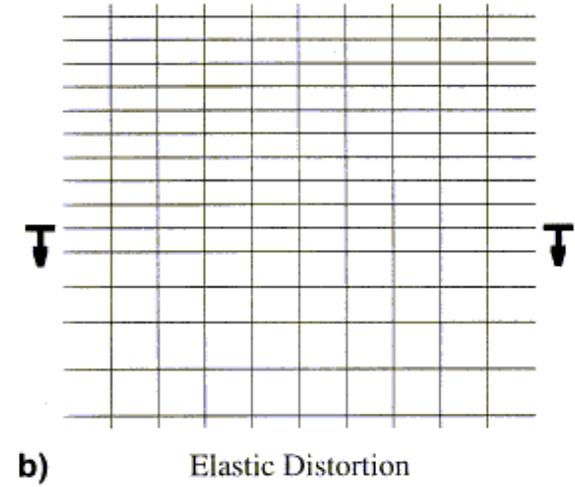
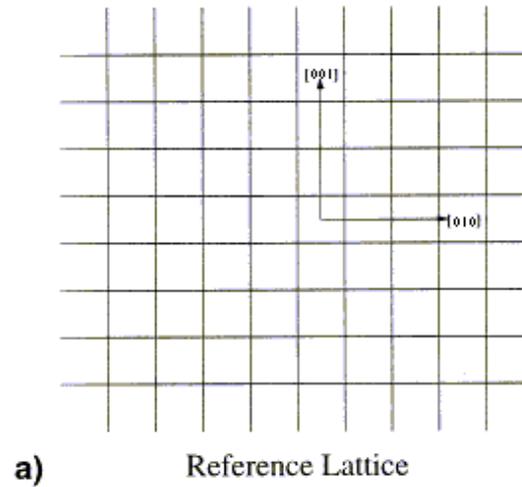
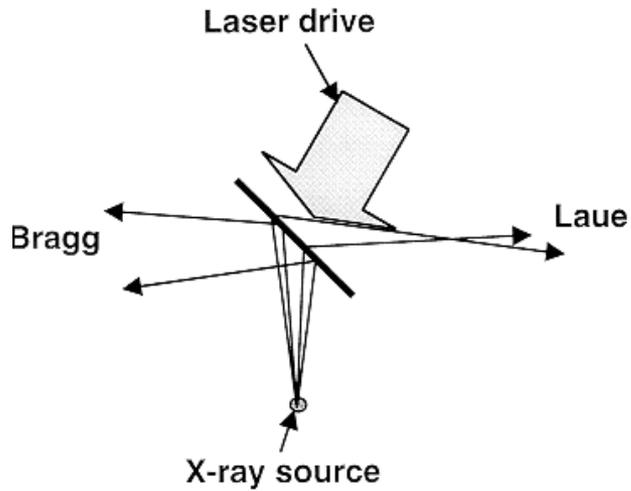
- Strength under extreme strain rates and pressures
- Dislocations in shock compression: homogeneous generation v. multiplication
- The slip/twinning transition
- Void nucleation and growth: defects and kinetics
- The search for the elusive supersonic dislocation

Lasers: time:  $\sim 1$  ns strain rate:  $\sim 10^9$  s $^{-1}$

Molecular dynamics: time : ps strain rate:  $10^9$  s $^{-1}$



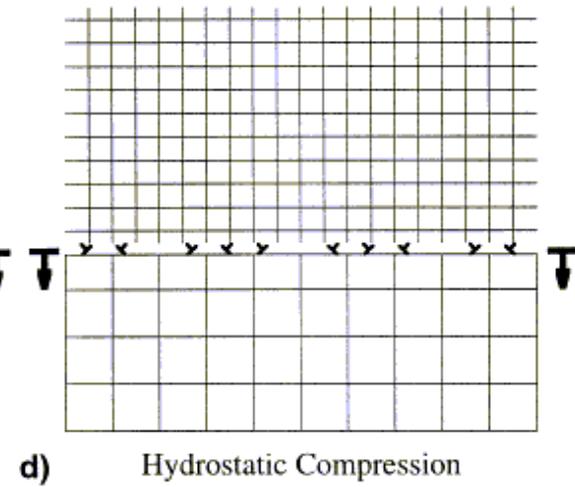
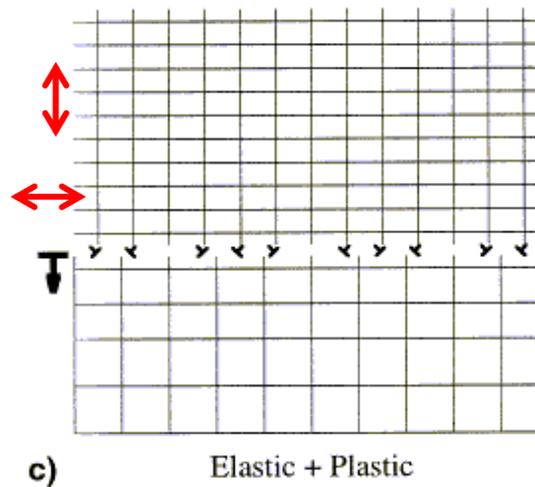
# Strength under Extreme Compression



Bragg  $\varepsilon_2 = -0.030$

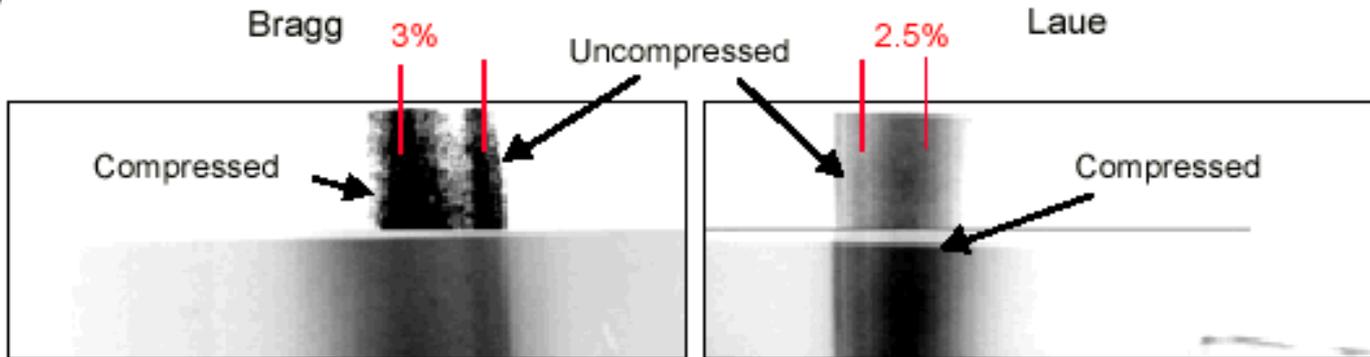
Laue  $\varepsilon_1 = -0.025$

Pressure = 18 GPa

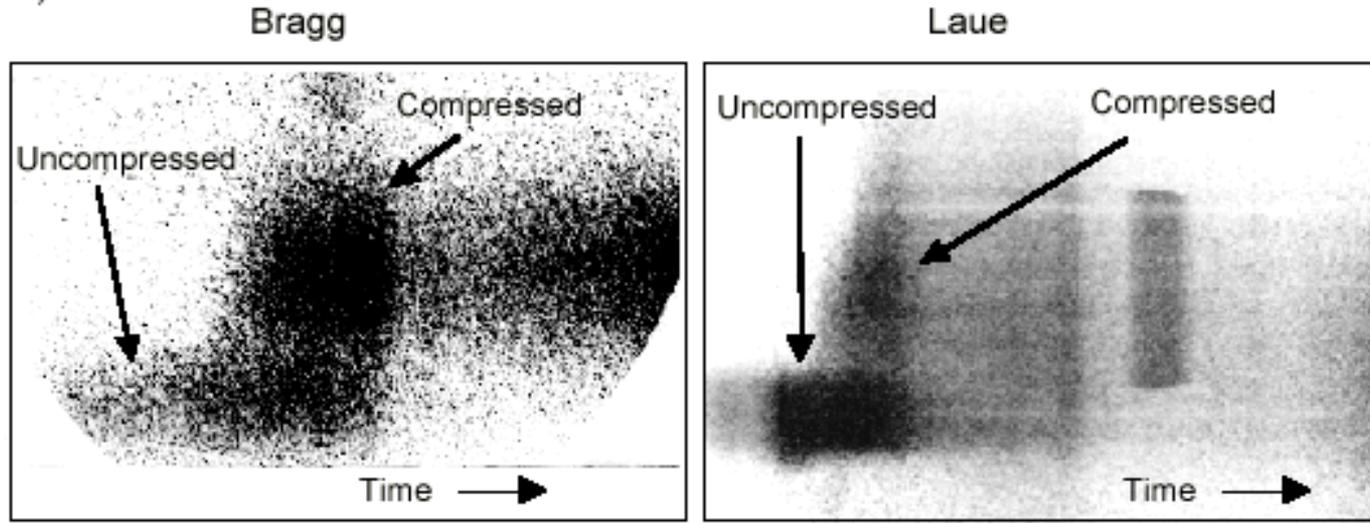


# X Ray Diffraction: Bragg(reflection ) and Laue (transmission)

a) time-integrated diffraction data



b) time-resolved diffraction data



Meyers, Wark, Remington, Ravichandran et al., Acta Mat, 2001



$$(\sigma_{12})_f = (\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2) G = 435 \text{ MPa}$$

# Strength through Diffraction during Shock Compression

$$\gamma = \frac{\pi}{2} - \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{1 + \epsilon_1}{1 + \epsilon_2} \right)$$

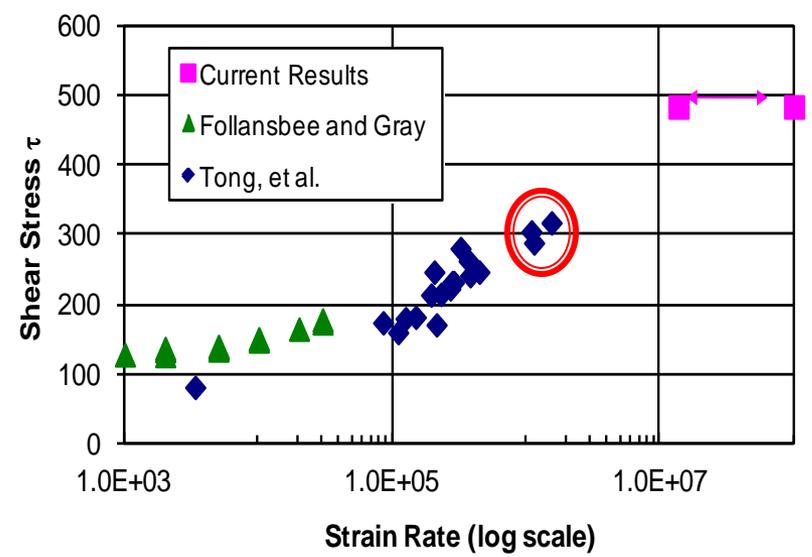
$$\dot{\epsilon} = \frac{\epsilon}{t_f} = \frac{\frac{2}{3} \ln \left( \frac{V}{V_0} \right)}{t_f}$$

$$(\sigma_{12})_f = \gamma G = (\epsilon_1 - \epsilon_2) G = 435 \text{ MPa}$$

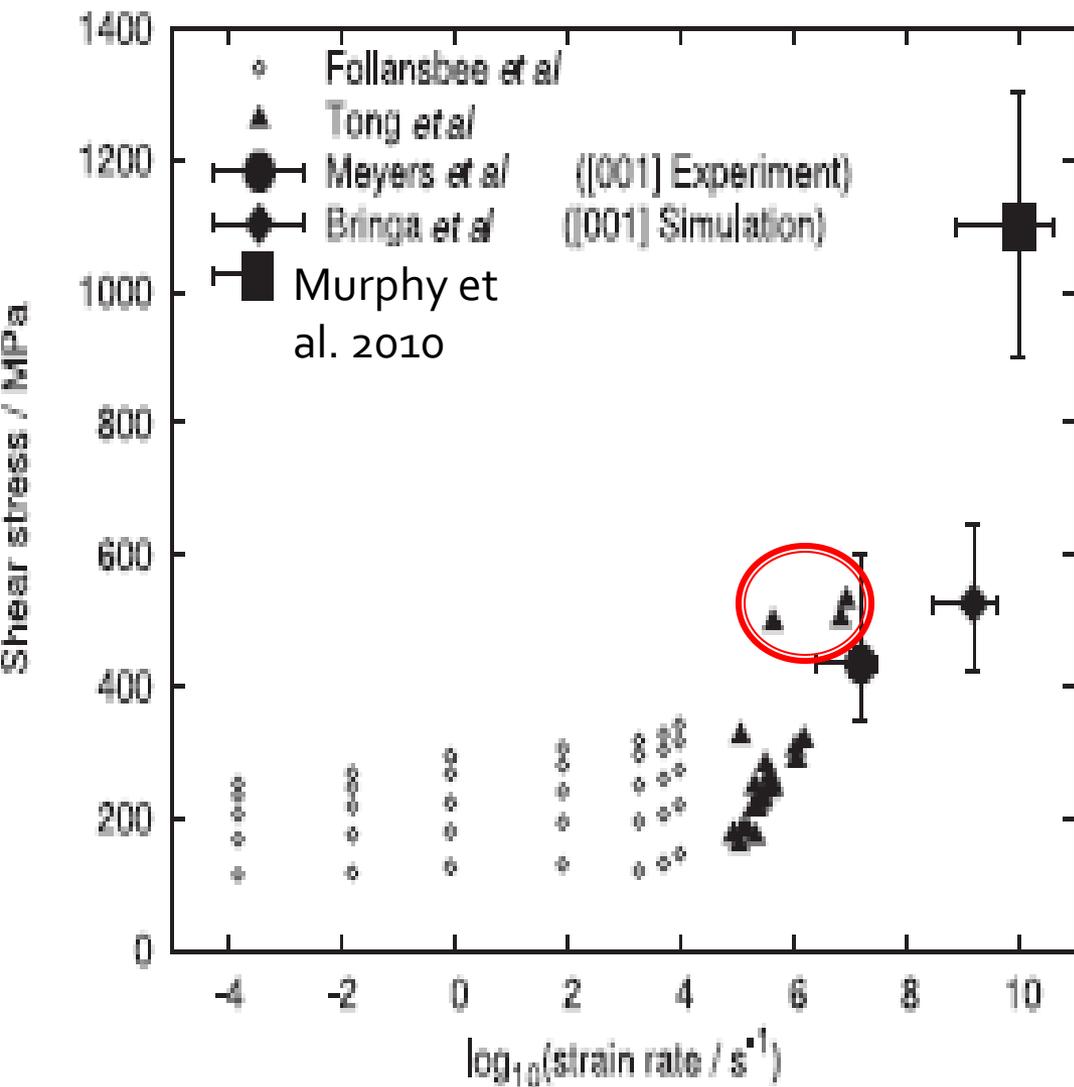
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Copper Shear Strength



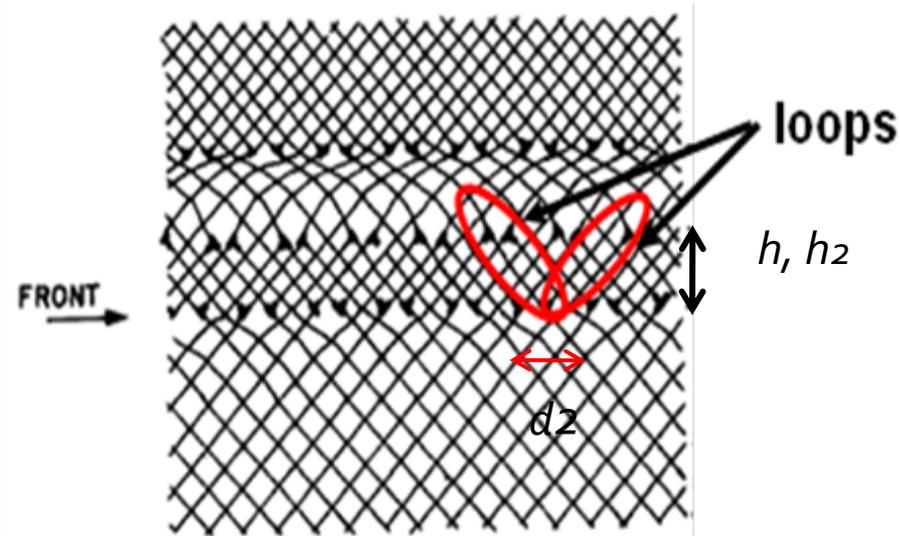
# Highest Strain Rate for [001] Cu; $P \sim 100$ GPa



W.J. Murphy, A. Higginbotham, G. Kimminau, B. Barbreil, E.M. Bringa, J. Hawreliak, R. Kodama, M. Koenig, W. McBarron, **M.A. Meyers**, B. Nagler, N. Ozaki, N. Park, **B. Remington**, S. Rothman, S. M. Vinko, T. Whitcher and J.S. Wark, *J Phys : Condens. Matter*, 22 (2010), 065404.



# Dislocation Generation



$$P = \frac{C_0^2 \left\{ 1 - \left\{ 1 - \sqrt{2} \left[ \frac{0.8 b_0^2 (1-\nu) \rho}{2\pi^2} \right]^{1/3} \right\}^3 \right\}}{V_0 \left\{ 1 - S \left\{ 1 - \sqrt{2} \left[ \frac{0.8 b_0^2 (1-\nu) \rho}{2\pi^2} \right]^{1/3} \right\}^3 \right\}^2}$$

$$\sigma_{11} \approx \frac{Gb}{2\pi(1-\nu)} \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{nd_2^2} \rightarrow \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} = 0$$

$$\sigma_{22} \approx \frac{Gb}{2\pi(1-\nu)} (-2h^2) \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{nd_2^2} \rightarrow \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3} = 0$$

$$\sigma_{12} \approx \frac{Gb}{2\pi(1-\nu)} \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{n^2 d_2^2} h \rightarrow \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} = \frac{\pi^4}{90}$$

$$h = \frac{0.8(1-\nu)}{\pi^2 b} d_2^2$$

$$\rho = \frac{2}{d_2 h}$$

Moving dislocations

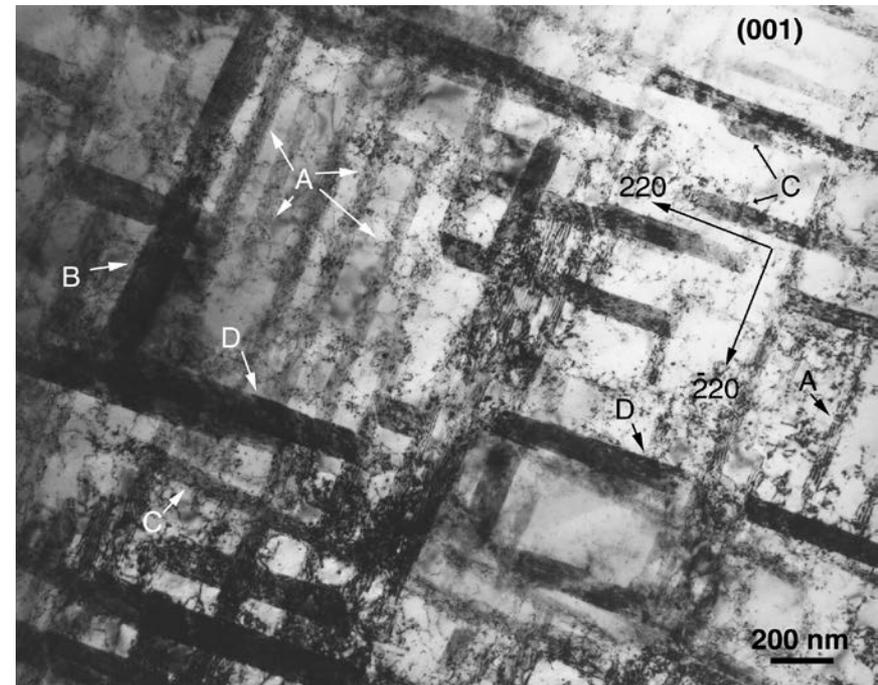
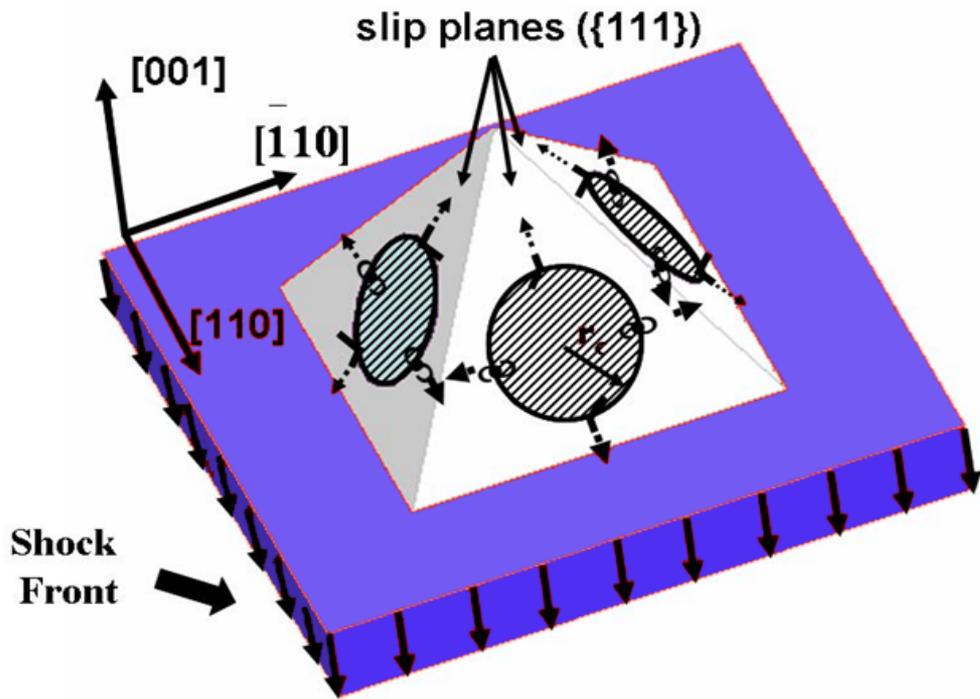
$$h_2 = h \left[ 1 + \frac{k\nu_s}{U_s} \right]$$

Meyers, Remington, Wark, Ravichandran, et al. Acta mat. 2001

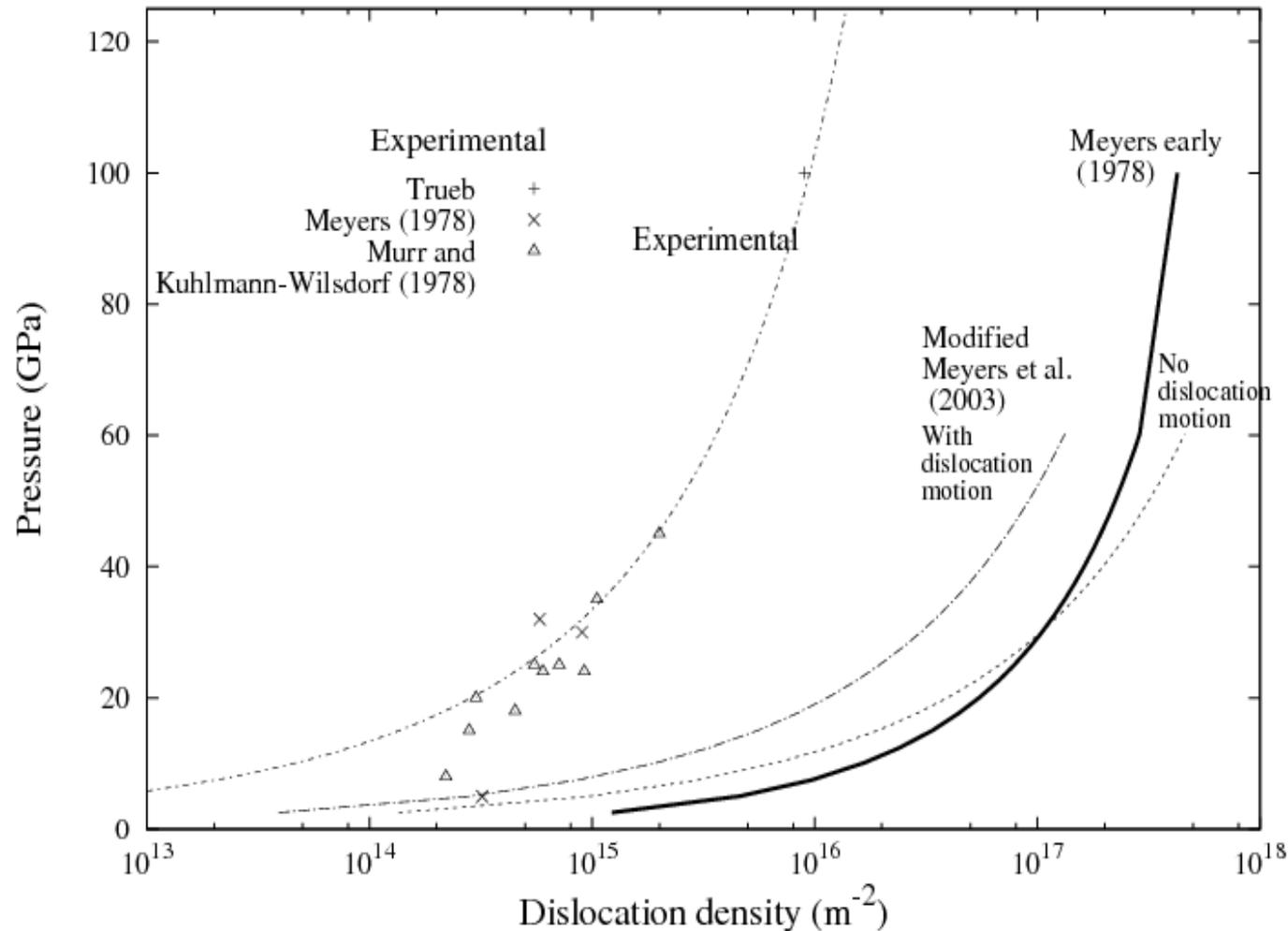
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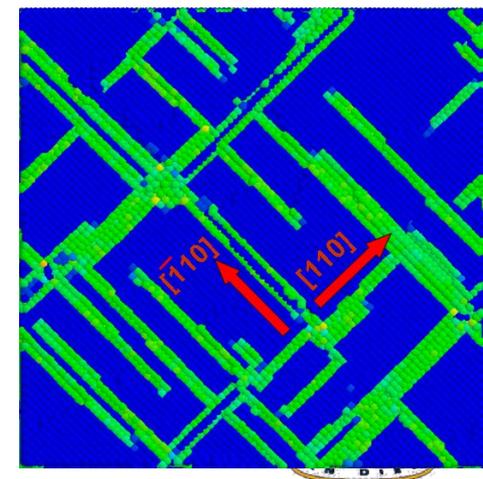
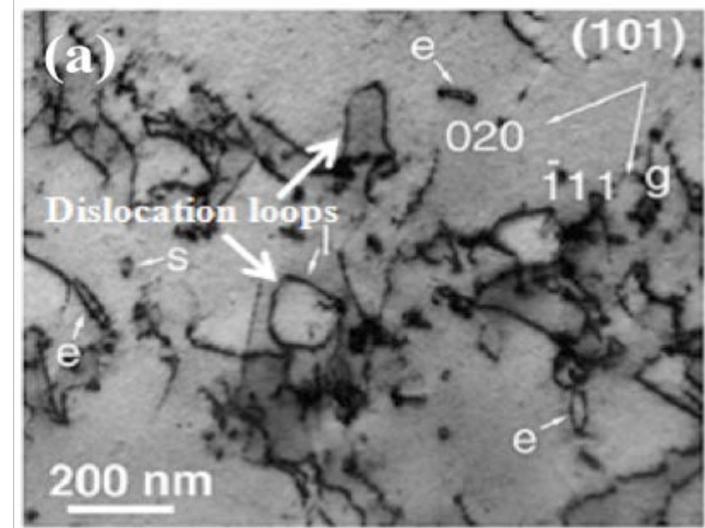
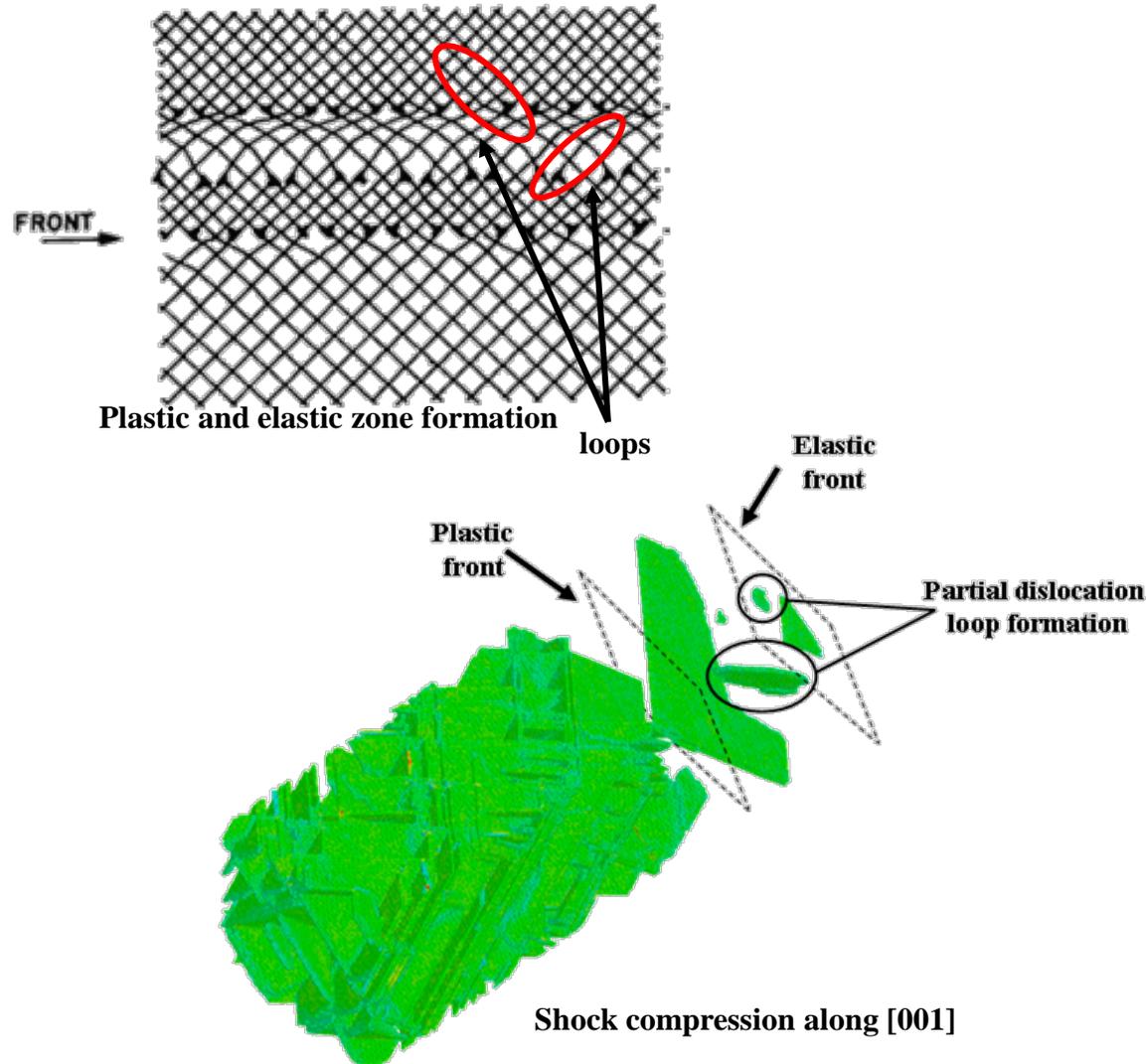
# FCC Metals: Generation of Partial Dislocation Loops



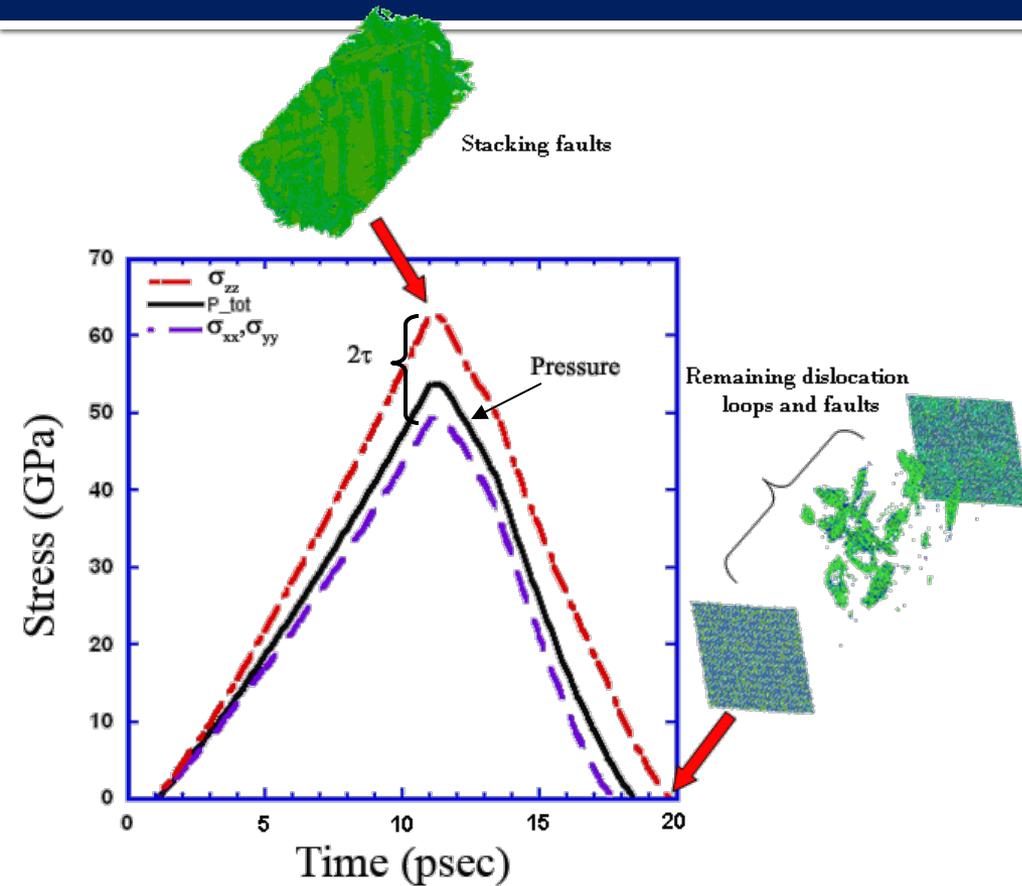
# Predicted and Observed Dislocation Densities: FCC Ni



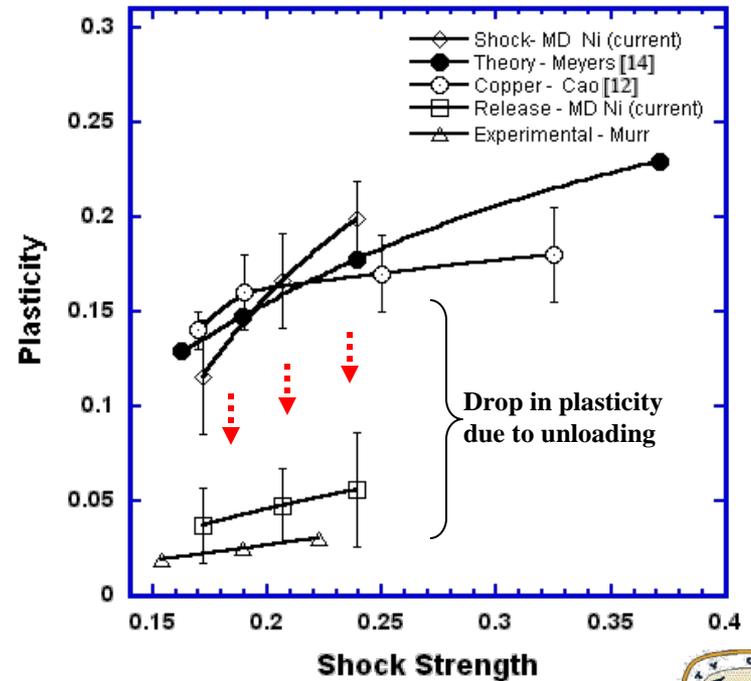
# Stacking-Fault Formation above HEL: FCC Ni and Cu



# Shock Compression and Unloading: FCC



Holian-Lomdahl plot



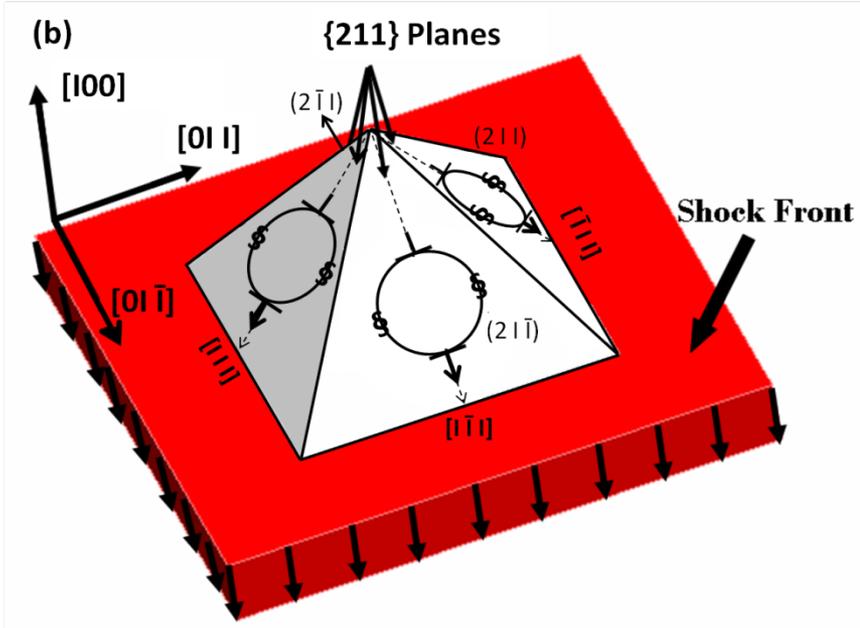
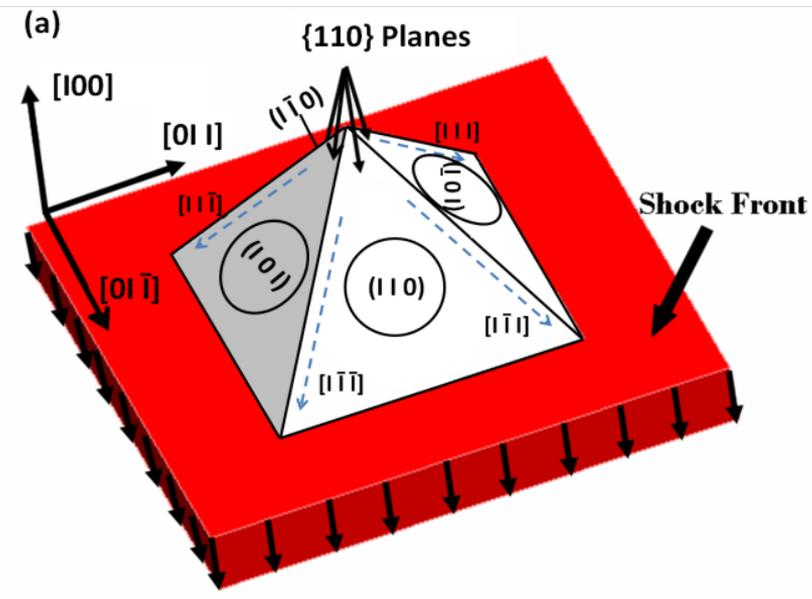
$P_{tot}, \sigma_{xx}, \sigma_{yy}, \sigma_{zz}$  vs. time step,  $U_p = 1.094$  km/s

Jarmakani et al. Acta mat 2008

Plasticity:  $a/l$   
 shock strength:  $U_p/C_o$



# BCC: Generation of Perfect Dislocations



MD predictions:  
Threshold for Dislocation nucleation: very high

# Dislocation Multiplication: from Orowan to Kocks to Arsenlis/Barton

Orowan

$$\dot{\gamma} = \frac{d\gamma}{dt} = Mb\rho \frac{\partial l}{\partial t} + Mbl \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} = Mb(\rho v_d + l\dot{\rho})$$

Kocks

$$\dot{\rho} = \dot{\rho}_{gen} + \dot{\rho}_{ann}$$

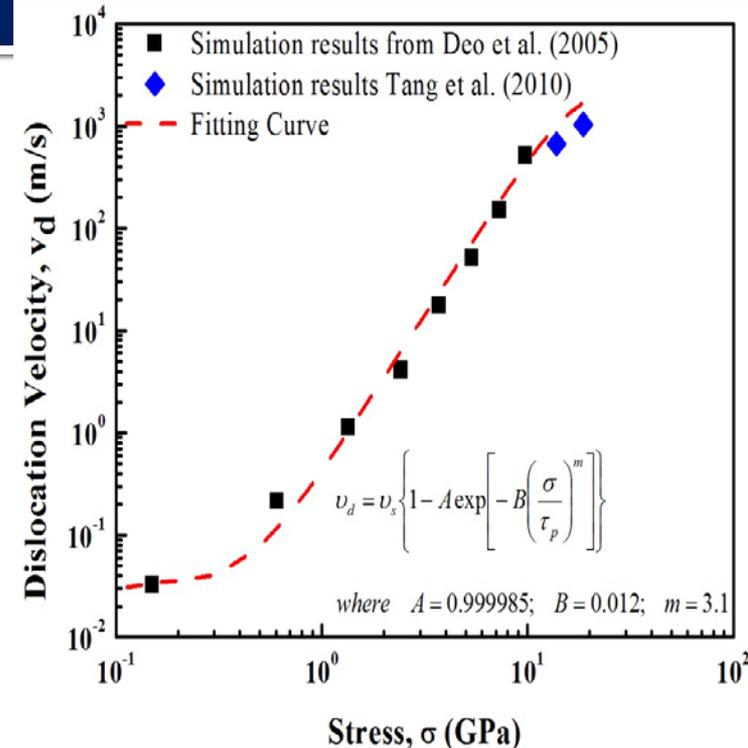
$$\dot{\rho} = (k_1\rho^{1/2} - k_2\rho)\dot{\gamma}$$

Arsenlis/Barton

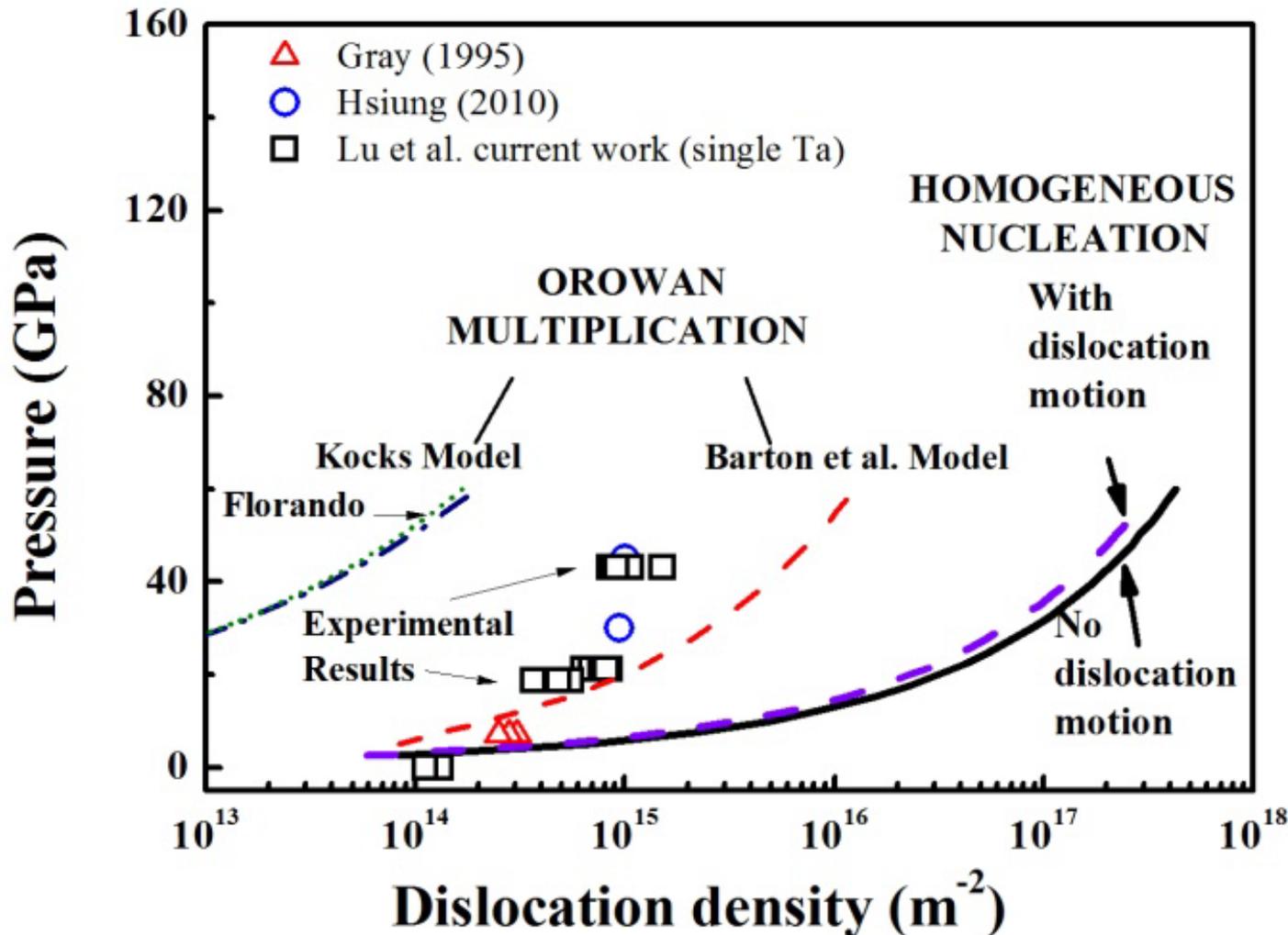
$$\rho = \rho(\dot{\epsilon}_p, v_d) = \rho(P) = \frac{\dot{\epsilon}_p - Mbv_d t R \dot{\epsilon}_p}{\left( Mbv_d - \frac{Mbv_d t R \dot{\epsilon}_p}{\rho_{sat}(\dot{\epsilon}_p)} \right)}$$

Grady-Kipp

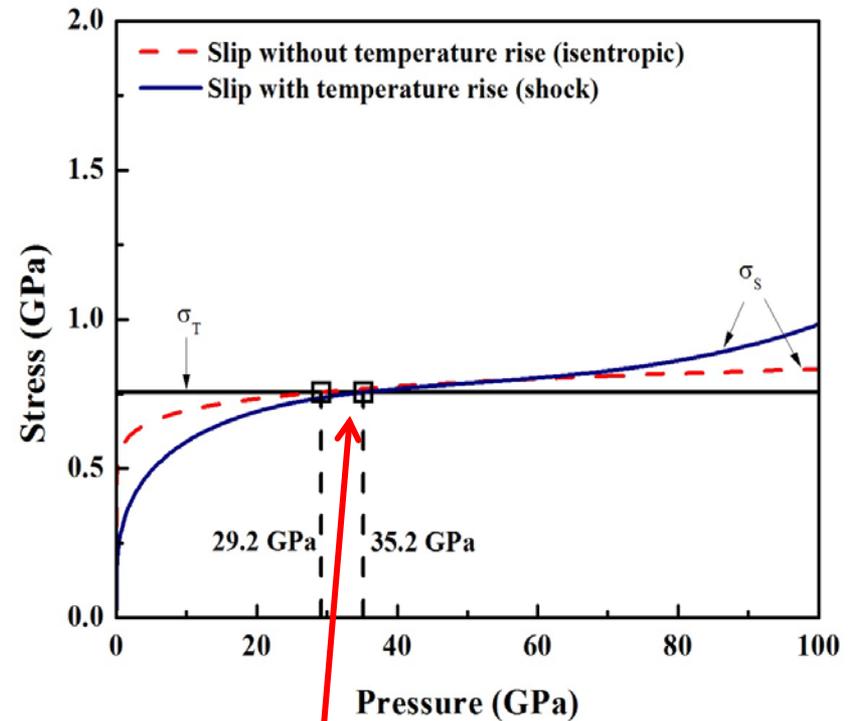
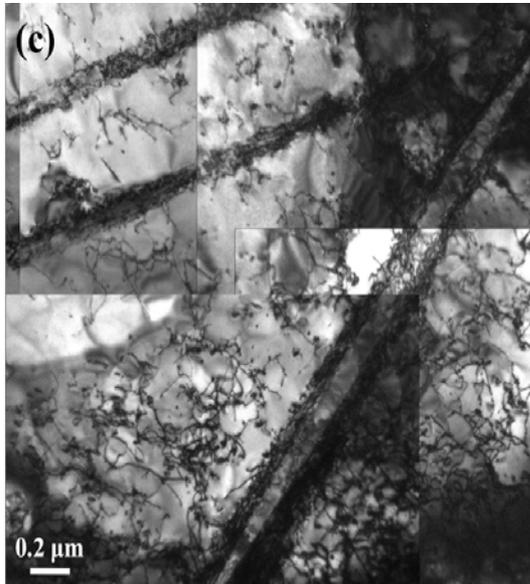
$$\dot{\epsilon} = 27.34 \times 10^{-36} \times P_{shock}^4$$



# Homogeneous Dislocation Generation vs. Dislocation Multiplication: Tantalum (BCC)



# Slip-Twinning Transition



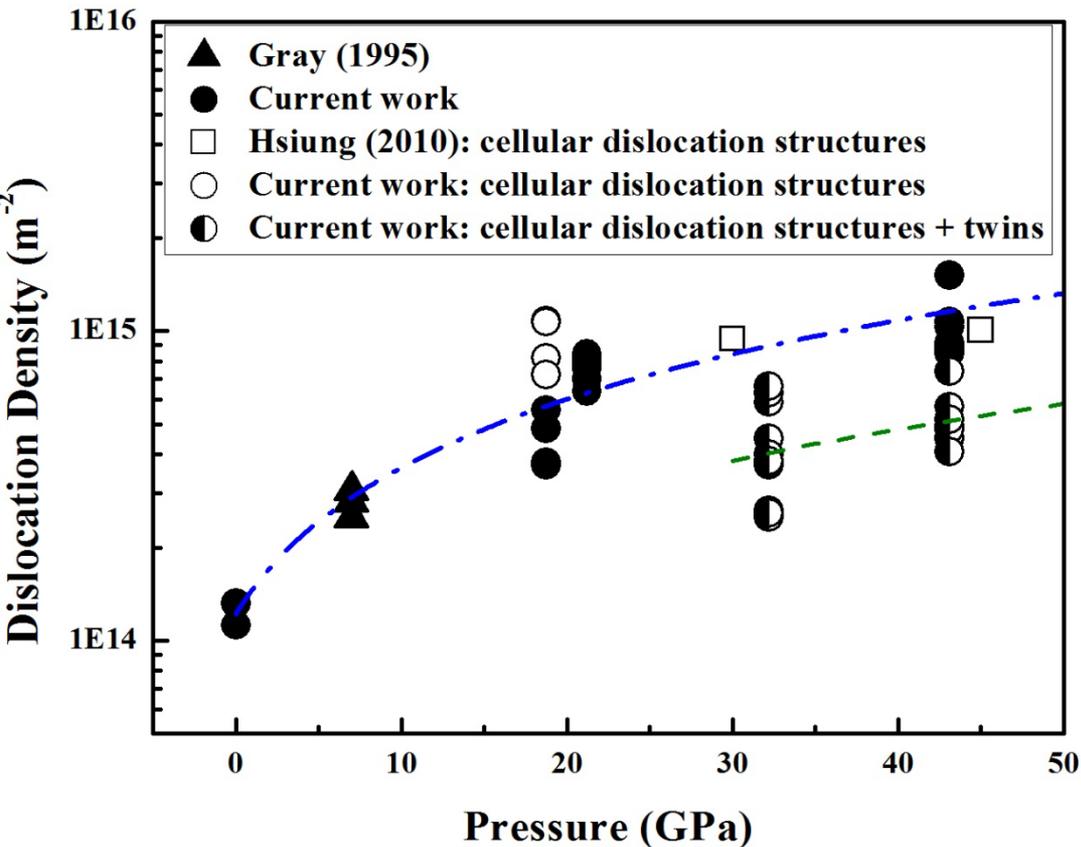
$$\sigma_S = \sigma_S^* + C_2 e^{-C_3 T} \dot{\epsilon}^{C_4 T} + k_S d^{-1/2}$$

$$\sigma_T = \sigma_0 + m \left( \frac{Gb}{C_1} \right)^{1/2} \left[ \frac{U^*}{RT} \ln \frac{\dot{\epsilon}}{\dot{\epsilon}_0} \right]^{1/q} d^{-1/2}$$

$$\sigma_S = \sigma_T$$



# Slip-Twinning transition



$$\dot{\gamma} = \begin{cases} Mb\rho_{\perp}l & \text{if } \dot{\gamma} < \dot{\gamma}_{threshold} \\ Mb\rho_{\perp}l + f_T\dot{\gamma}_T & \text{if } \dot{\gamma} > \dot{\gamma}_{threshold} \end{cases}$$

Lu et al. Acta 2012

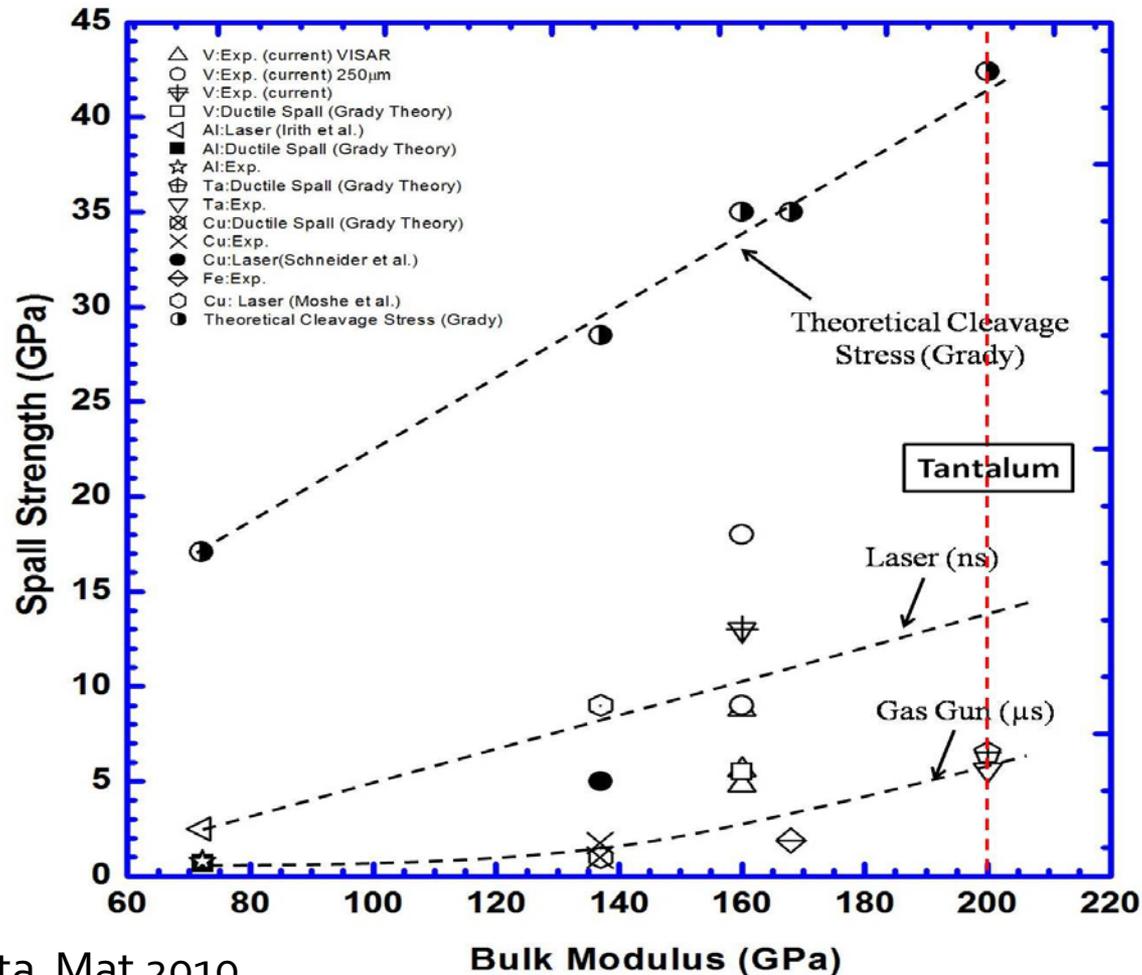


# Strength in Tension

- **Void growth in FCC (Cu) and BCC (Ta) metals**



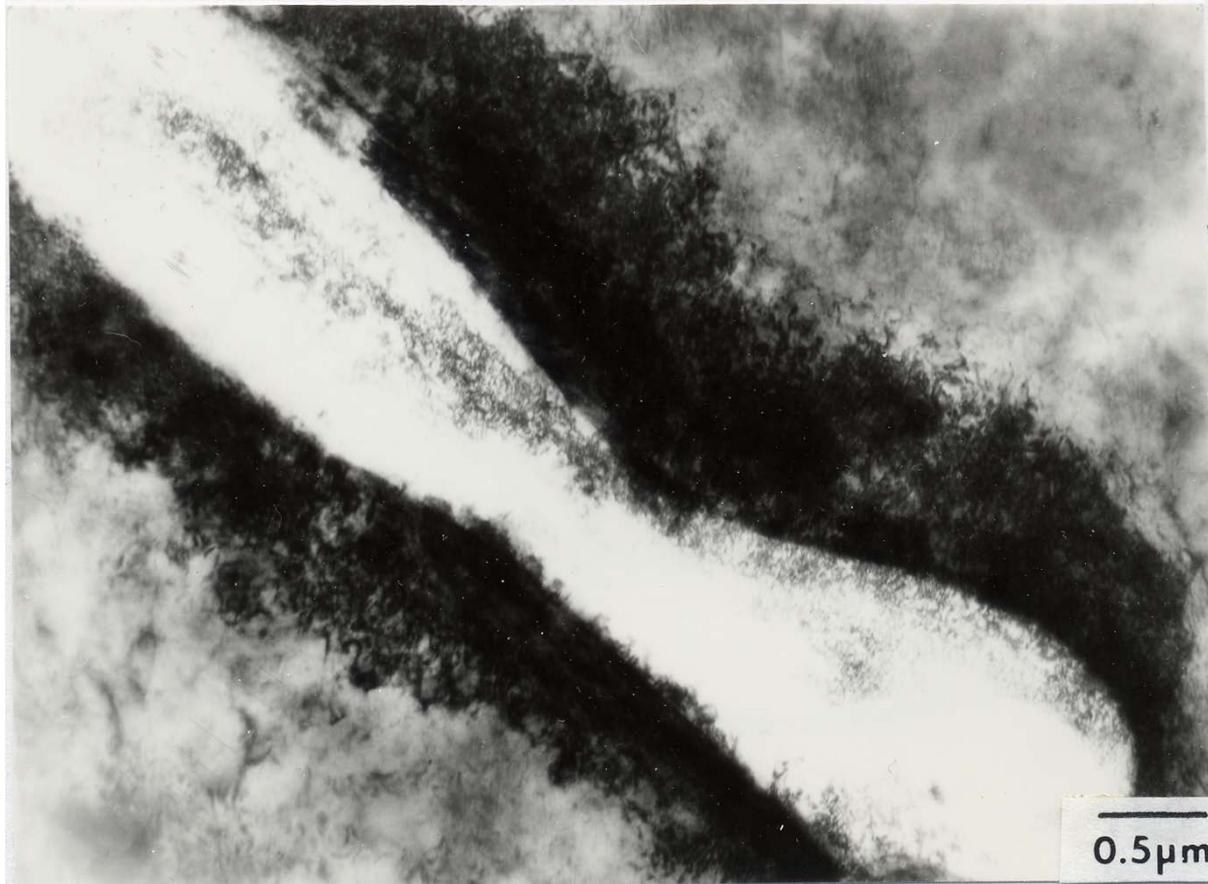
# Spall Strength: Effect of Time



Meyers et al. Acta Mat 2010



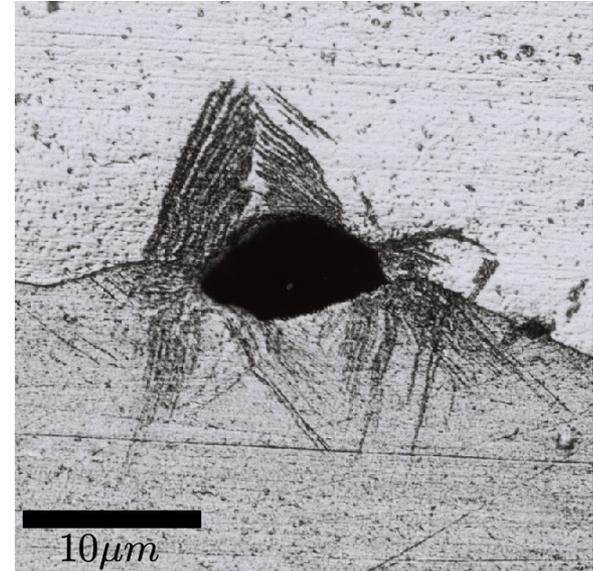
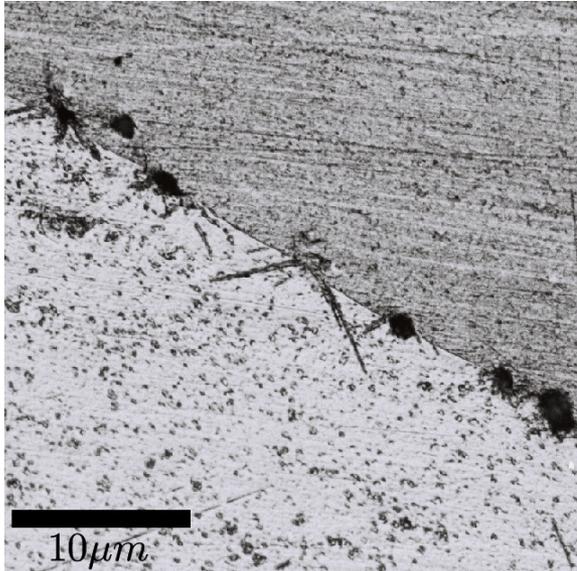
# Void Seen in High Voltage TEM: KRATOS, NCEM 1 MeV



Christy, Pak, Meyers , Explomet Proc., 1986



# Experimental Observation



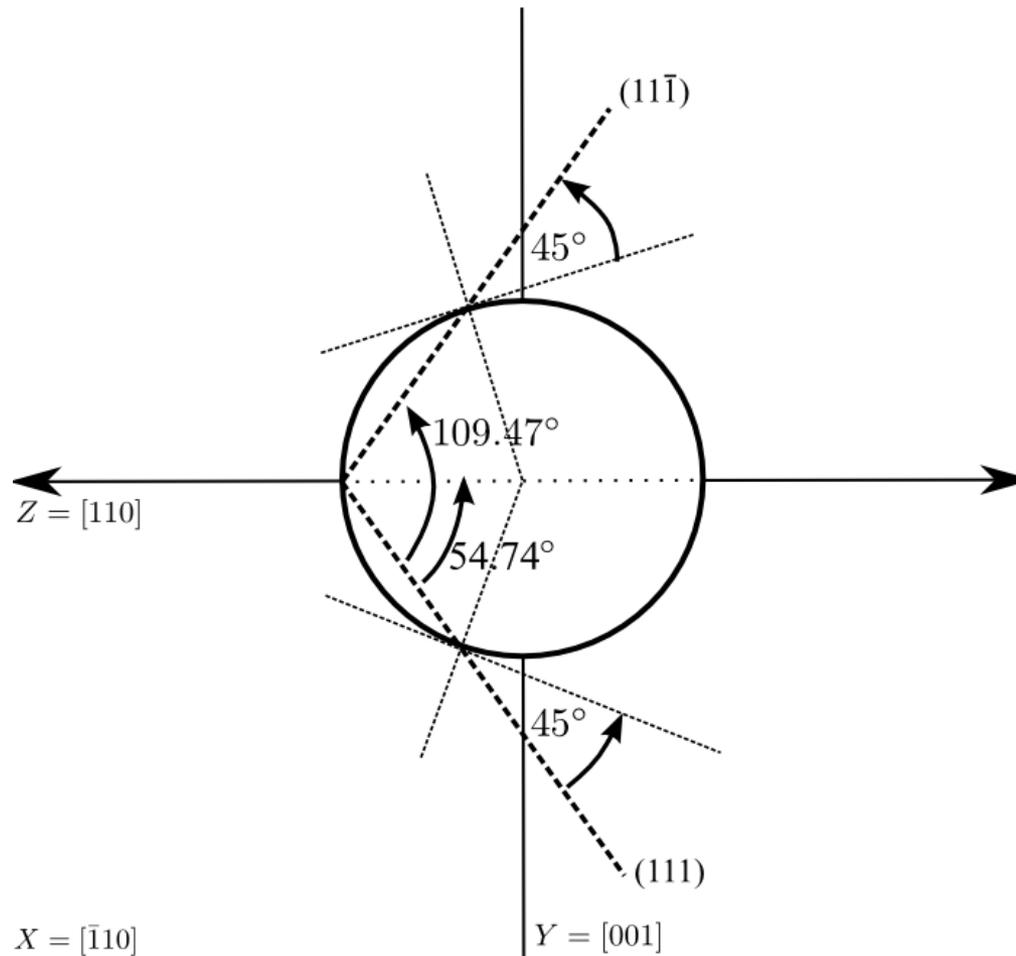
- Dislocation activity (slip) around growing voids

Meyers MA, Aimore CT. Prog in Matls Sci 1983;

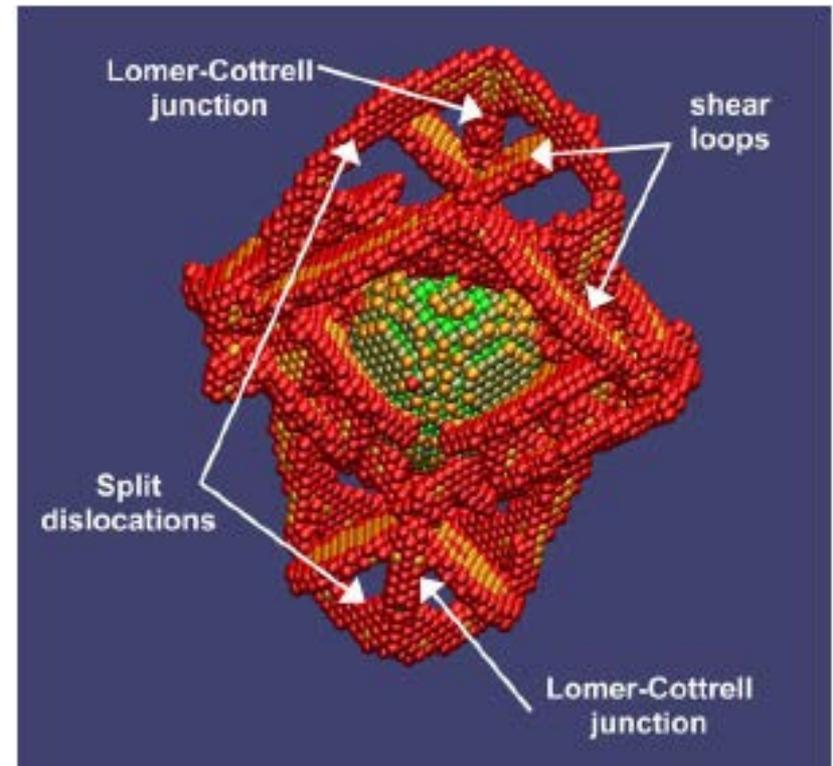
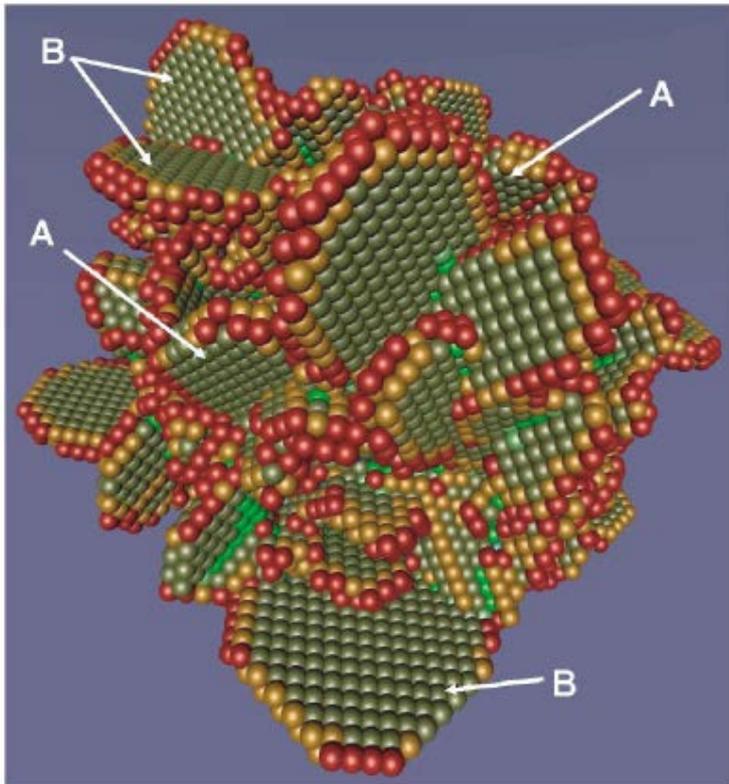
Christy et al. Metallurgical Applications of Shock Wave and High-Strain-Rate Phenomena, Dekker 1986



# Loading on $[110]$ (z-axis)



# Nanovoid growth: Marian, Knap, Ortiz

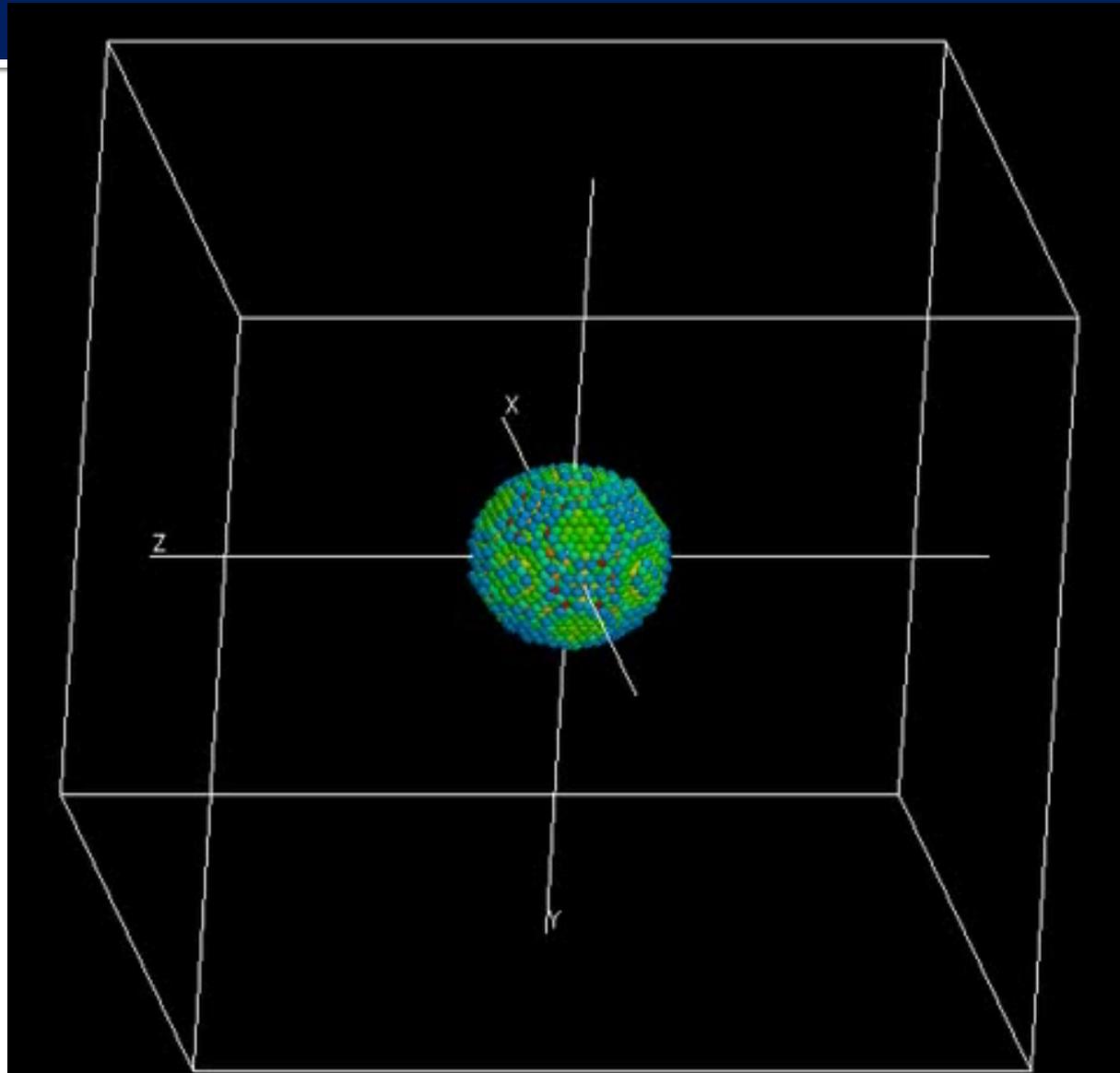


Marian, Knap, Ortiz, PRL, 93(2004)165503

Marian, Knap, Ortiz, Acta mat., 53(2005)2893



# Void Growth Simulation-loading [110]

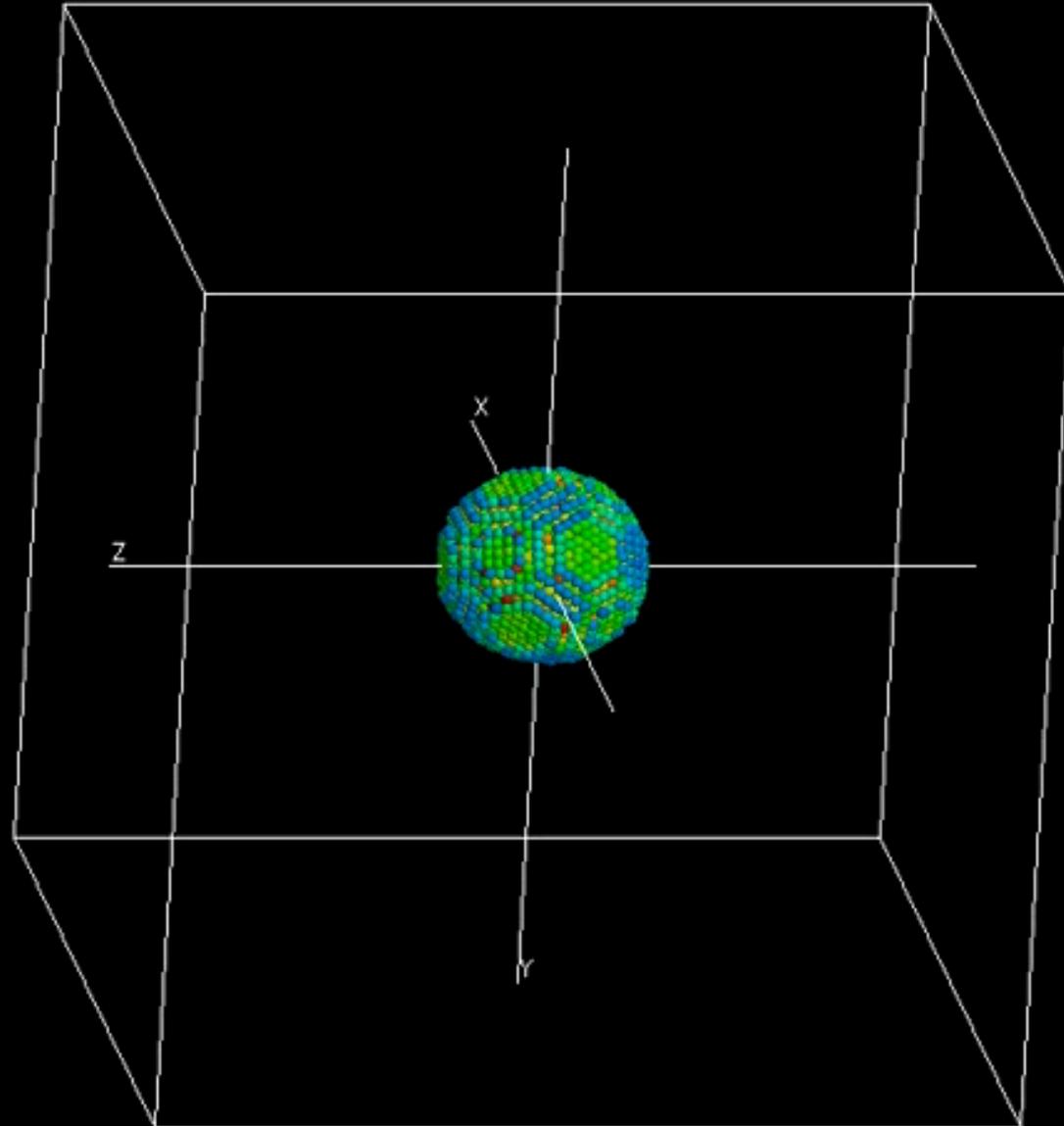


[110] strain direction  
along z-axis

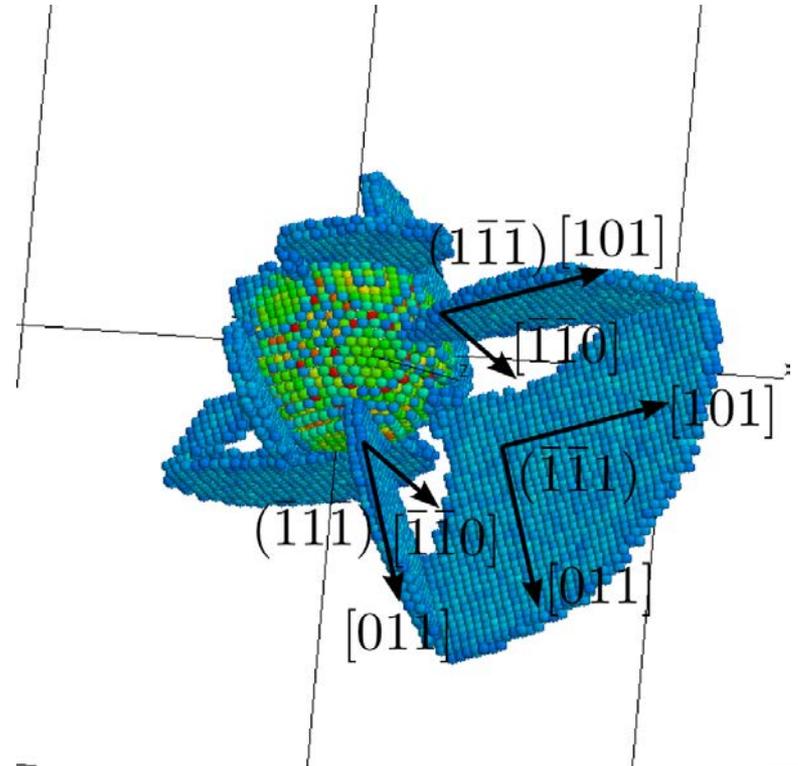
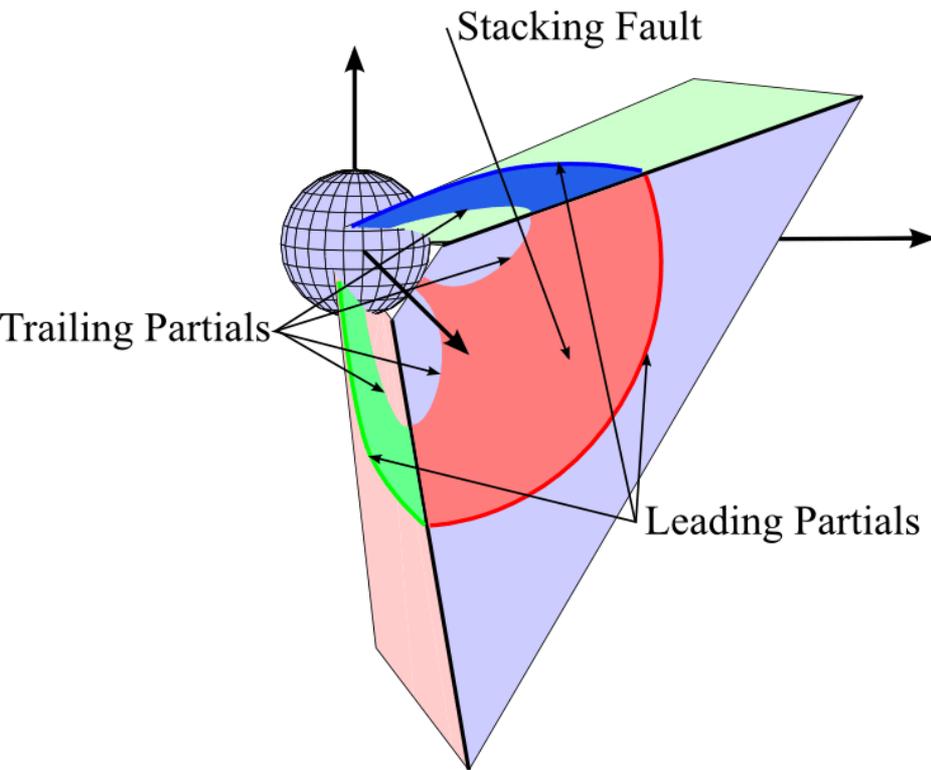


# Void Growth Simulation-loading [111]

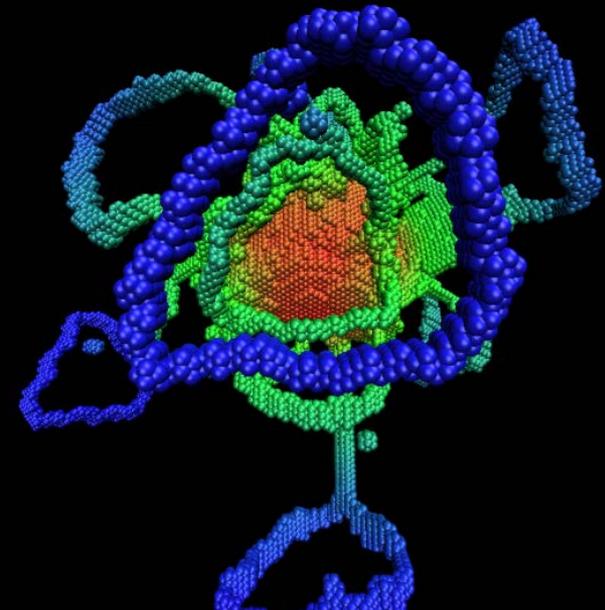
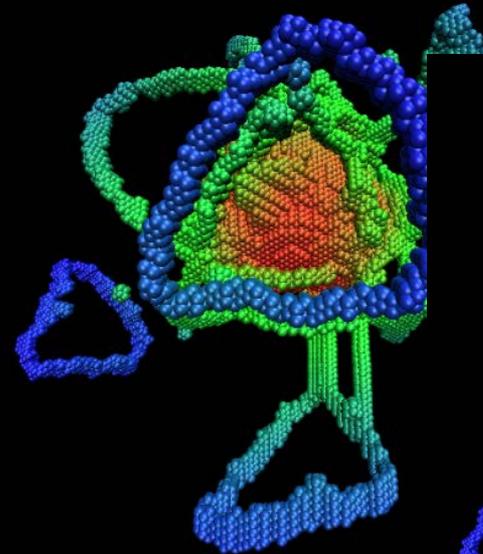
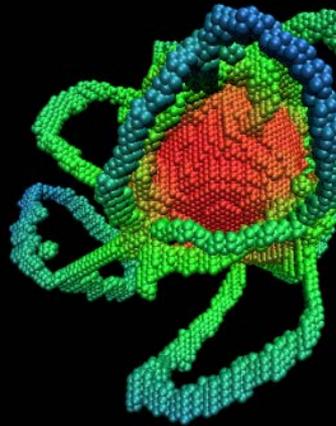
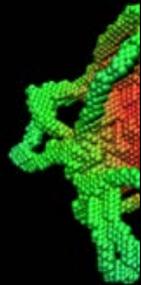
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# Loading on $[111]$ Triplanar Loops



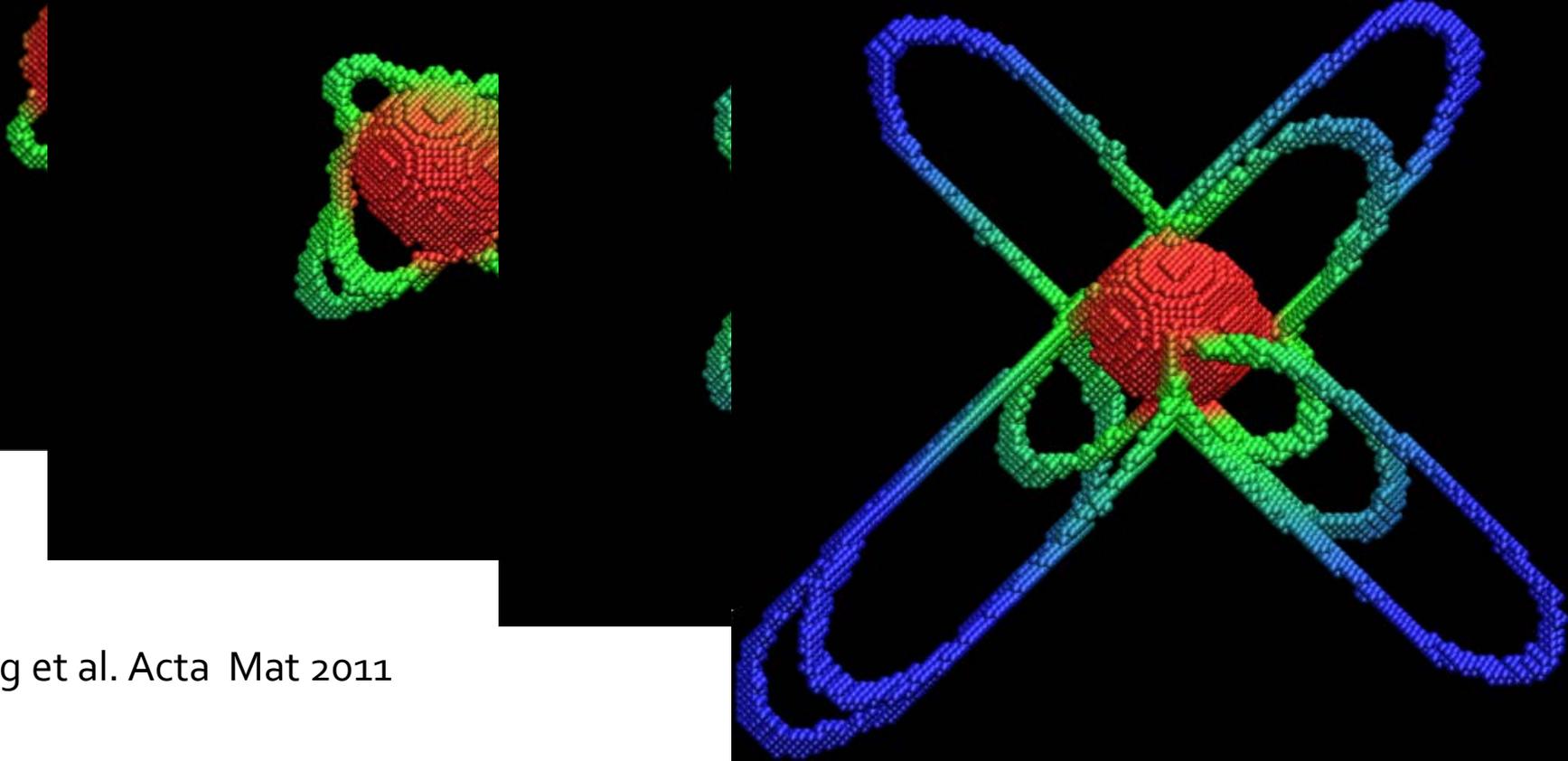
# Hydrostatic tension-Tantalum Prismatic Loop Formation



Tang et al. Acta Mat 2011

# Sequence of Shear Loop Emission in Ta

3.3 nm radius void, uniaxisal compressive strain, strain rate  $10^8 \text{ s}^{-1}$



Tang et al. Acta Mat 2011

# Stress for Dislocation Loop Emission

1. Creation of a new surface step during the emission process.

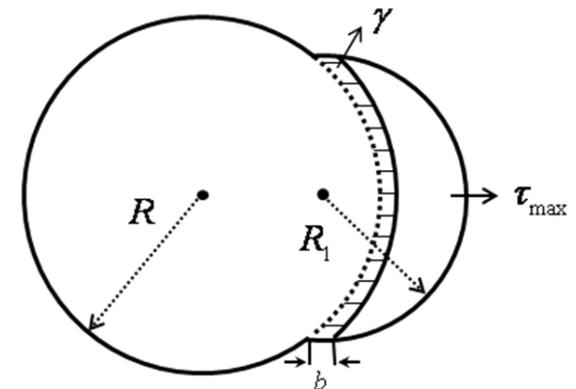
$$\tau_1 = \frac{2\gamma\rho b}{\pi[(\rho b)^2 + r^2]}$$

2. Stress required to generate and bow a dislocation loop to a radius  $R_1$  that is a fraction of the void radius  $R$ .

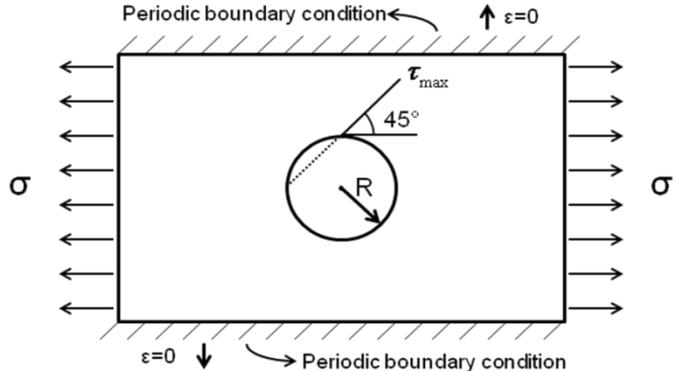
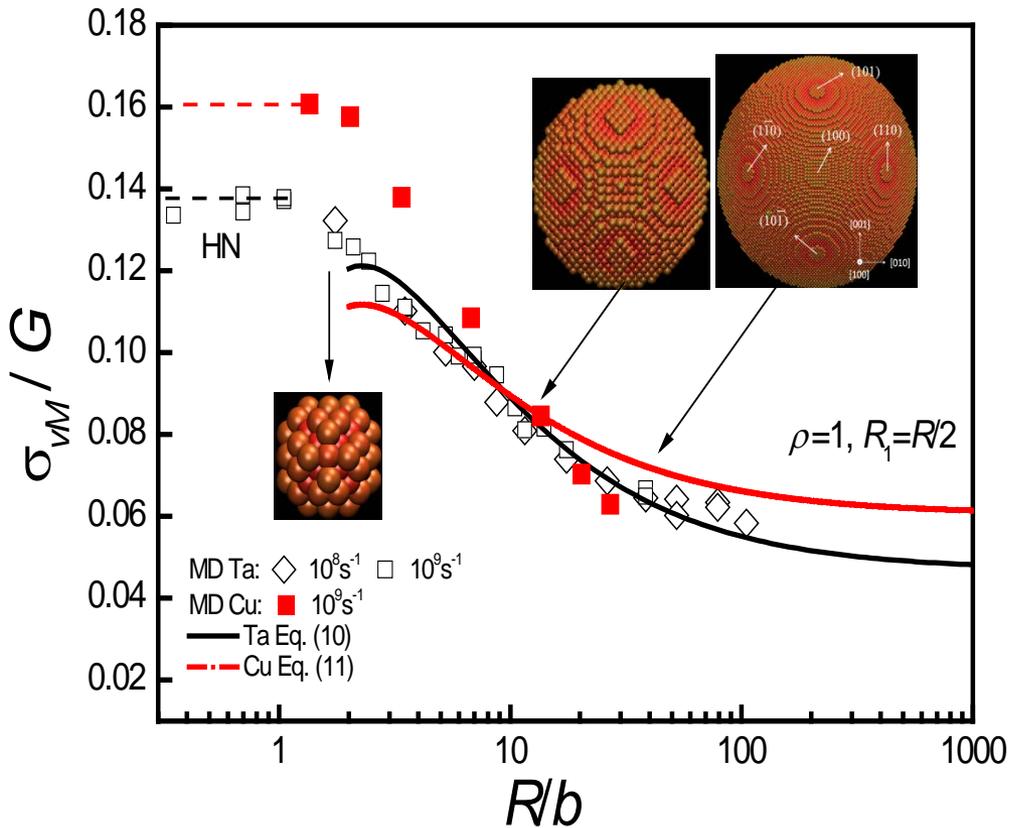
$$\tau = \frac{2\gamma}{\pi\rho b} + \frac{Gb(2-\nu)}{4\pi(1-\nu)R_1} \ln \frac{8mR_1}{e^2\rho b}$$

$$\frac{\sigma_{vM}}{G_{\langle 111 \rangle}} = \frac{0.448\tau_{\max}}{G_{\langle 111 \rangle}} = 0.448 \left[ \frac{2\gamma}{G_{\langle 111 \rangle}\pi\rho b} + \frac{b(2-\nu_{\langle 111 \rangle})}{4\pi(1-\nu_{\langle 111 \rangle})R_1} \ln \frac{8mR_1}{e^2\rho b} \right] \quad \text{BCC}$$

$$\frac{\sigma_{vM}}{G_{\langle 112 \rangle}} = \frac{0.33\tau_{\max}}{G_{\langle 112 \rangle}} = 0.33 \left[ \frac{2\gamma}{G_{\langle 112 \rangle}\pi\rho b_p} + \frac{b_p(2-\nu_{\langle 112 \rangle})}{4\pi(1-\nu_{\langle 112 \rangle})R_1} \ln \frac{8mR_1}{e^2\rho b_p} + \frac{\gamma_{SF}}{G_{\langle 112 \rangle}b_p} \right] \quad \text{FCC}$$



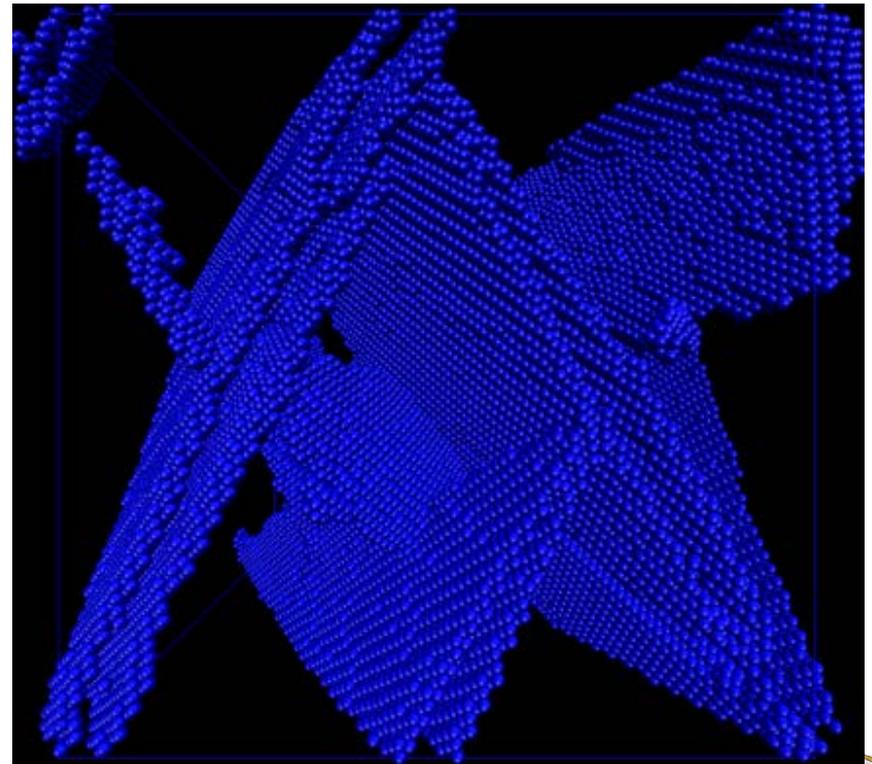
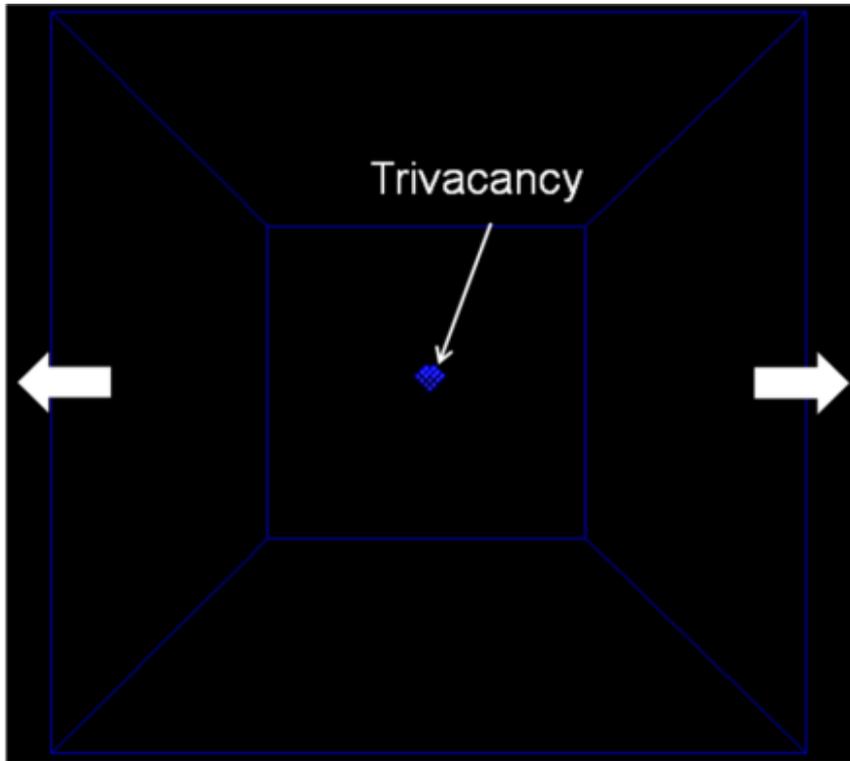
# Stress vs. Void Size: MD and Analytical Prediction



Tang et al., Acta Mat 2012



# Void Initiation at Tri-Vacancy: BCC Ta

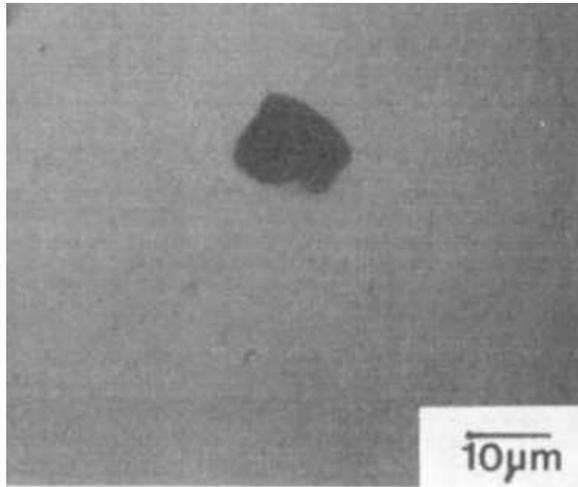


$\varepsilon = 11\%$

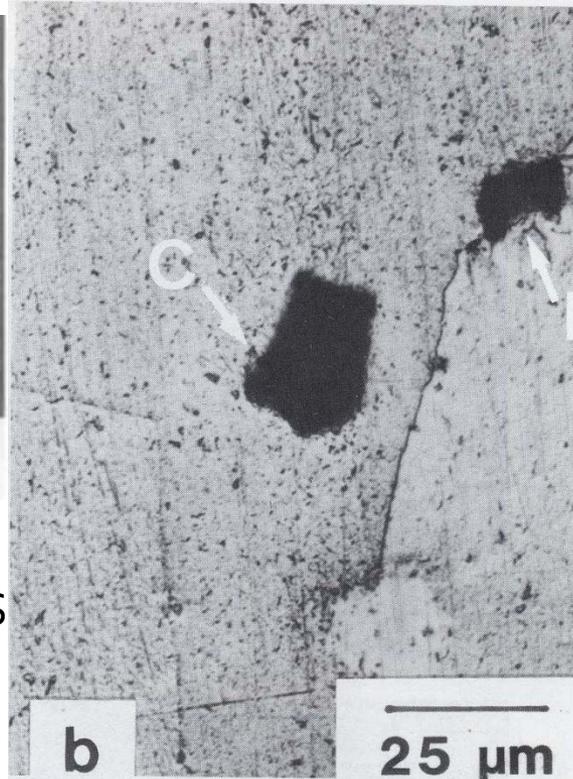
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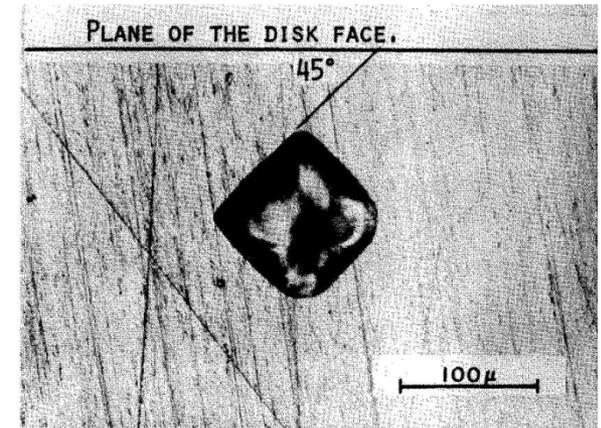
# Experimental Evidence



Meyers and Aimone, PMS



Christy et al.

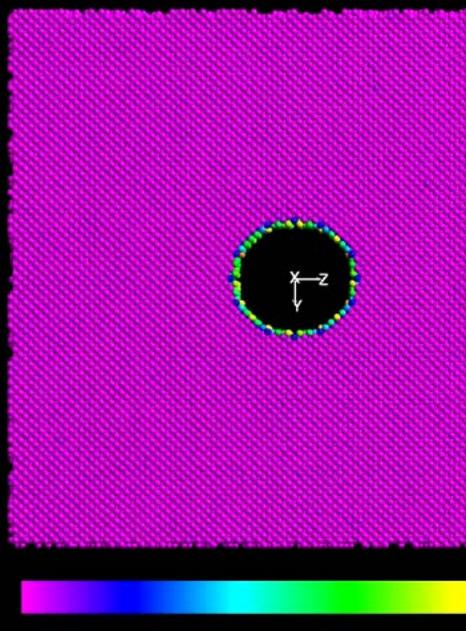


Stevens and Davison

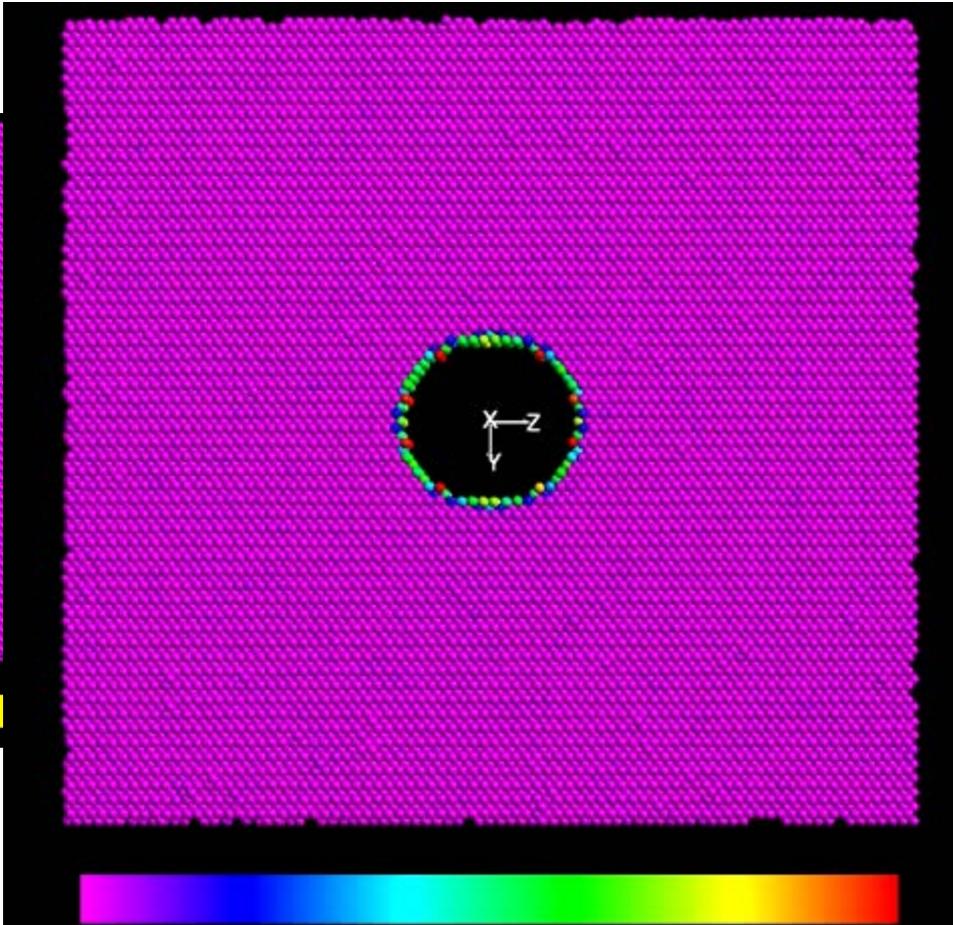
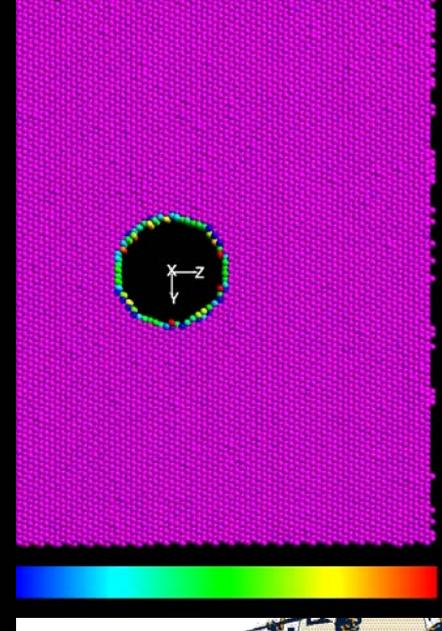


# Void Shape Development

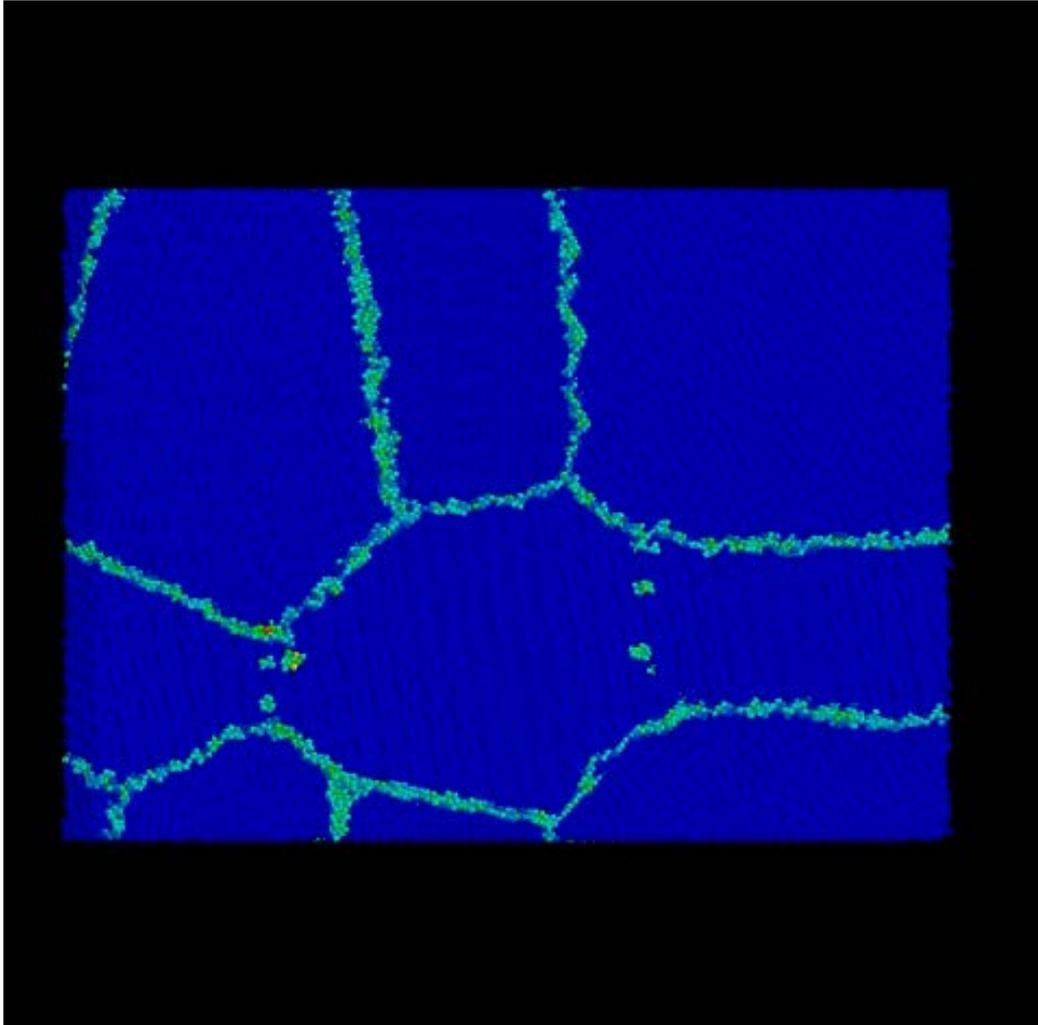
[001] Strain in z



[111] Strain in z



# Nanocrystalline Copper: Tension



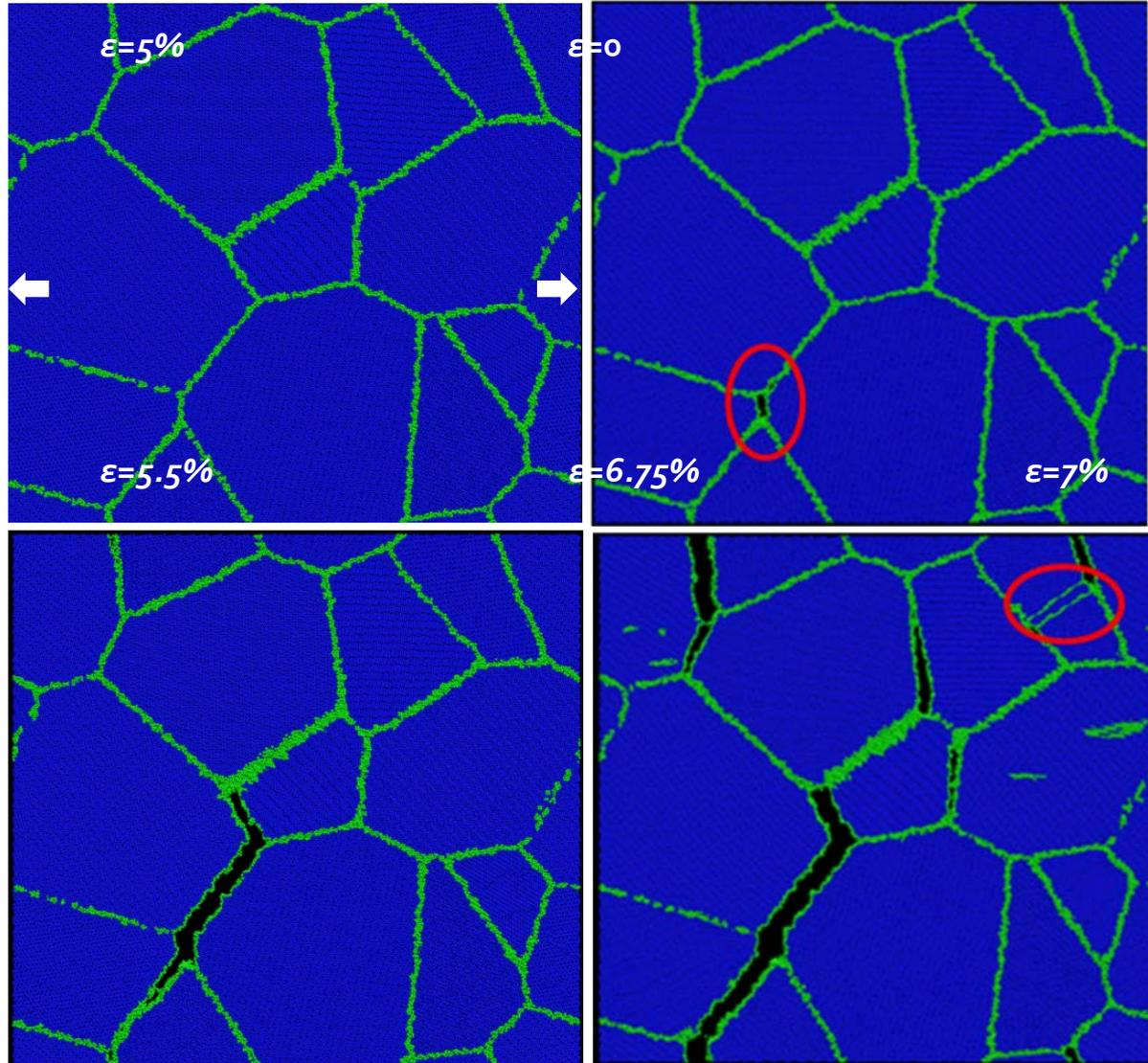
4 grains ( $D \sim 20\text{nm}$ )  
1.3 million atoms  
Hydrostatic expansion  
Strain rate  $10^9 / \text{s}$

Bringa et al. Acta Mat.  
2010

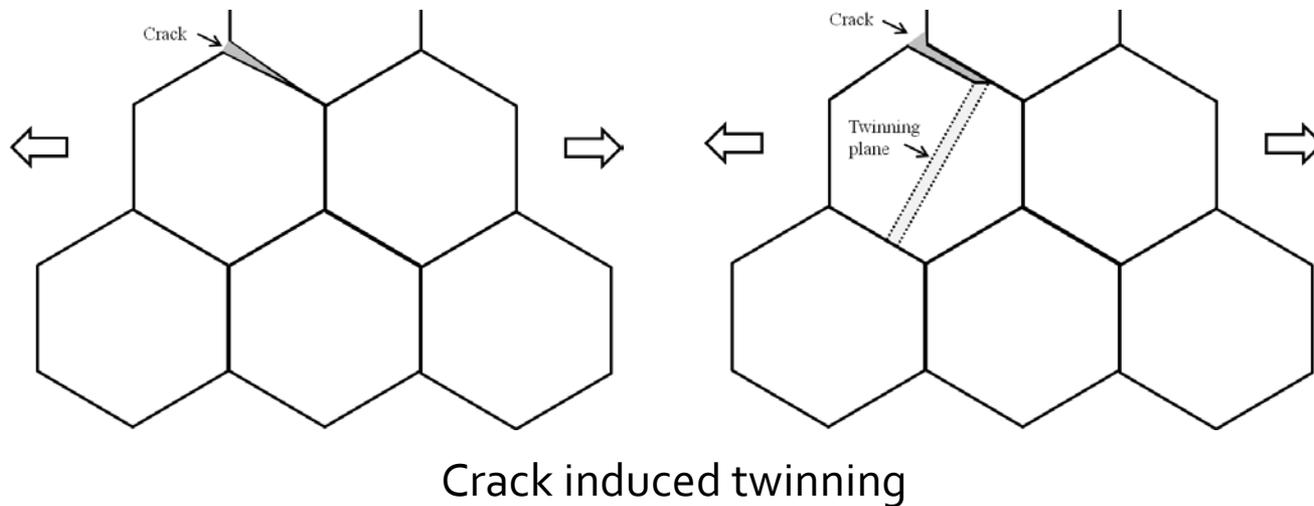
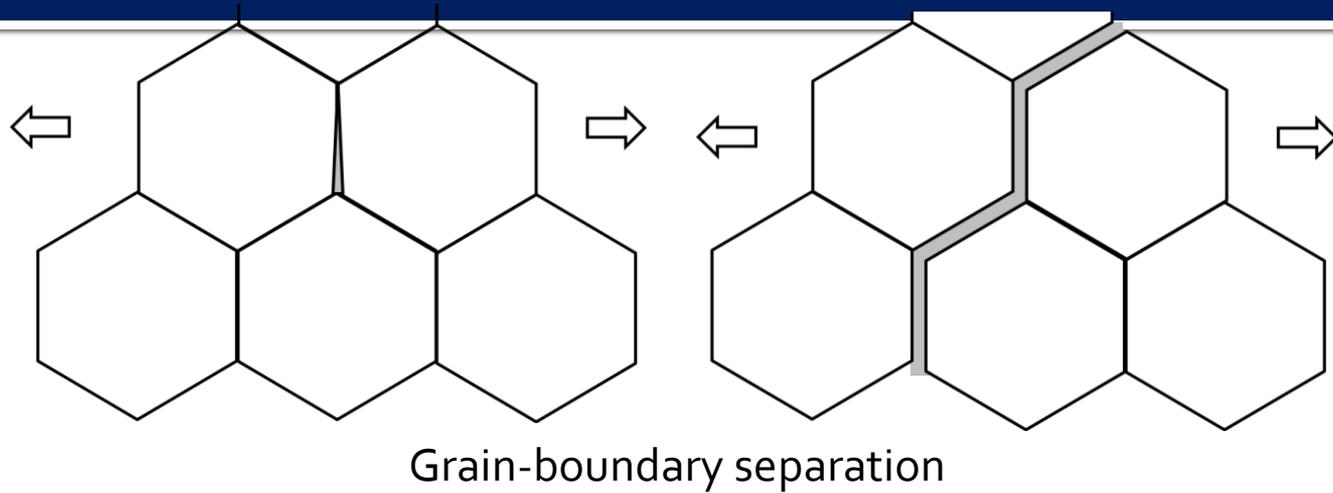


# Tension of nanocrystalline Ta

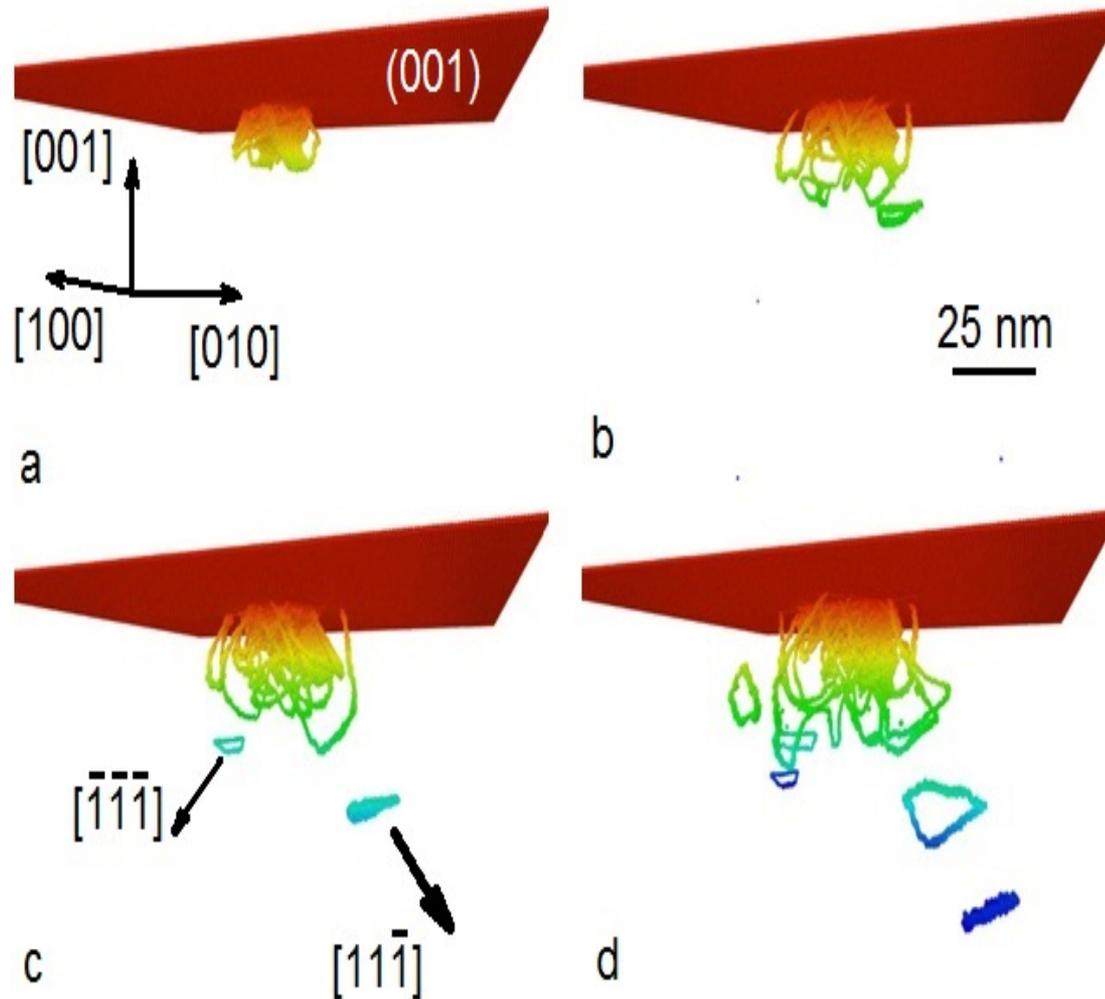
$d=27.3$  nm

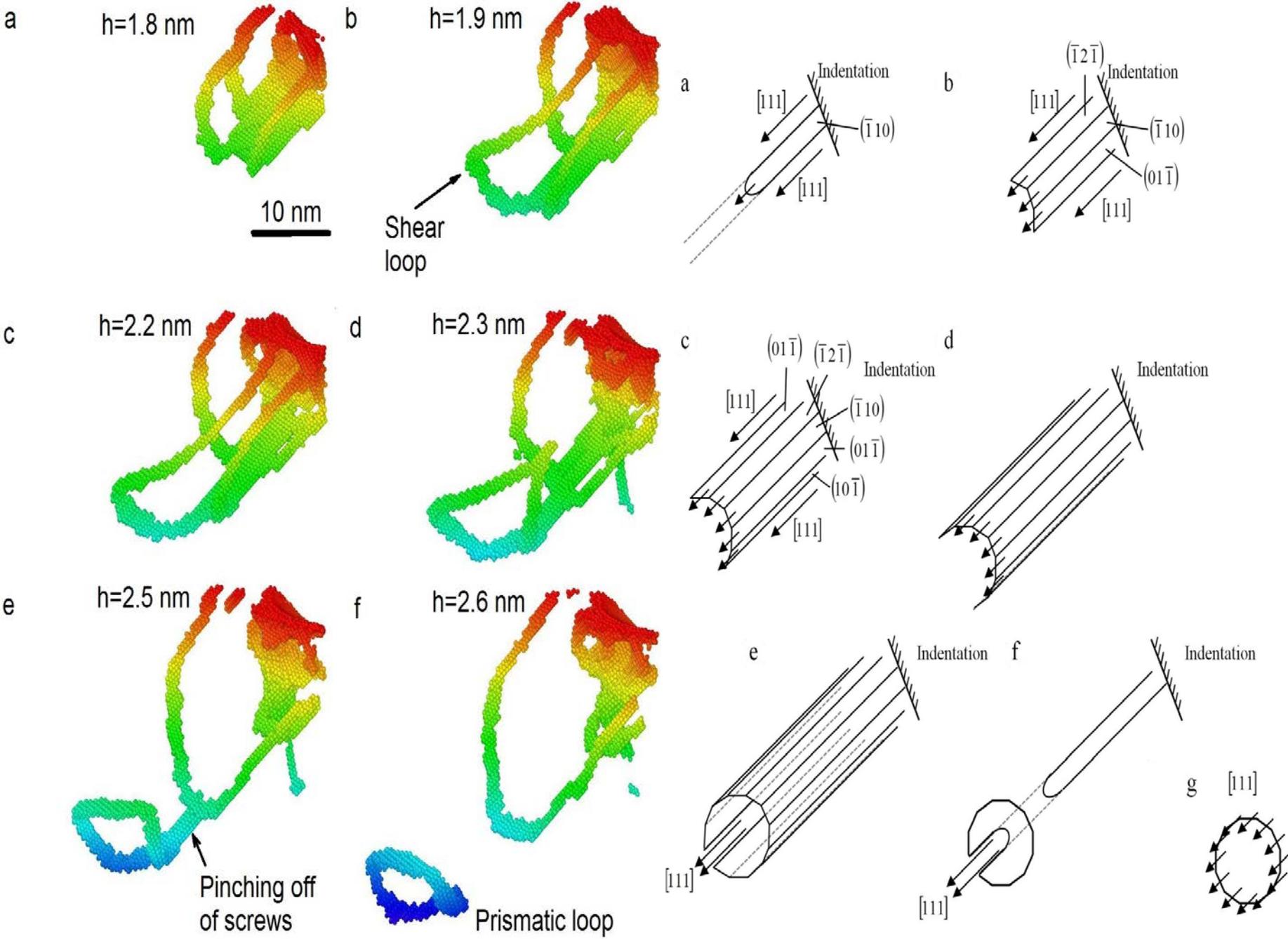


# Tensile failure of nanocrystalline Ta

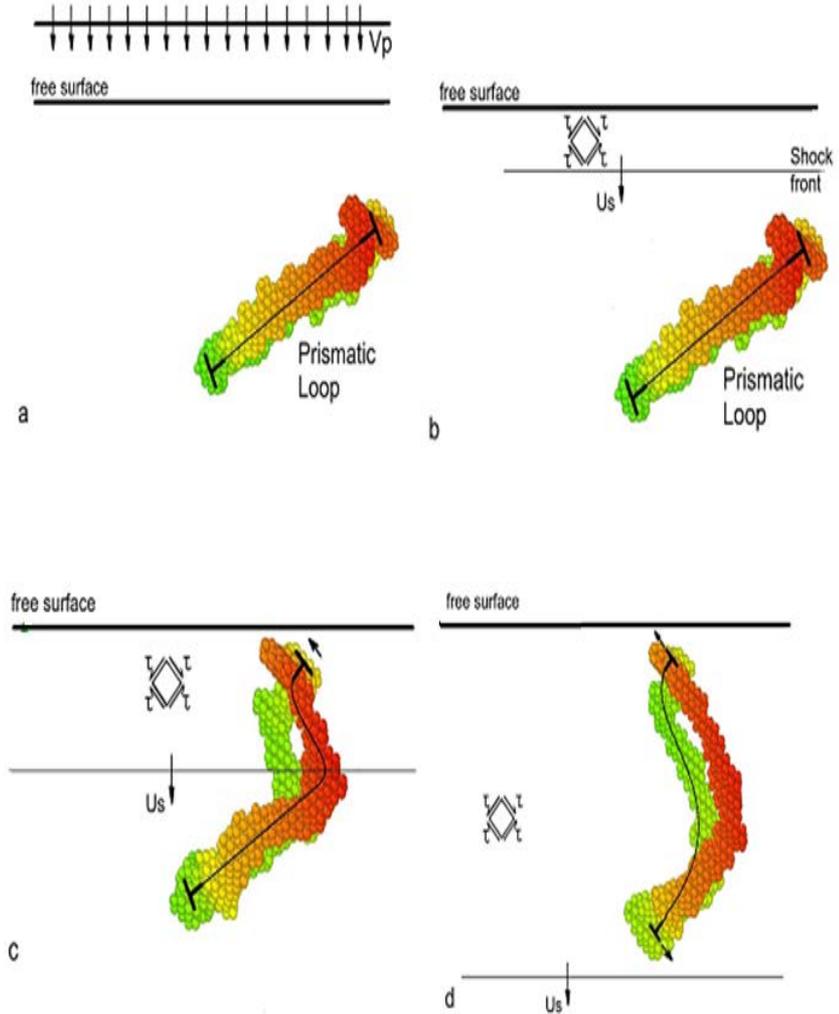
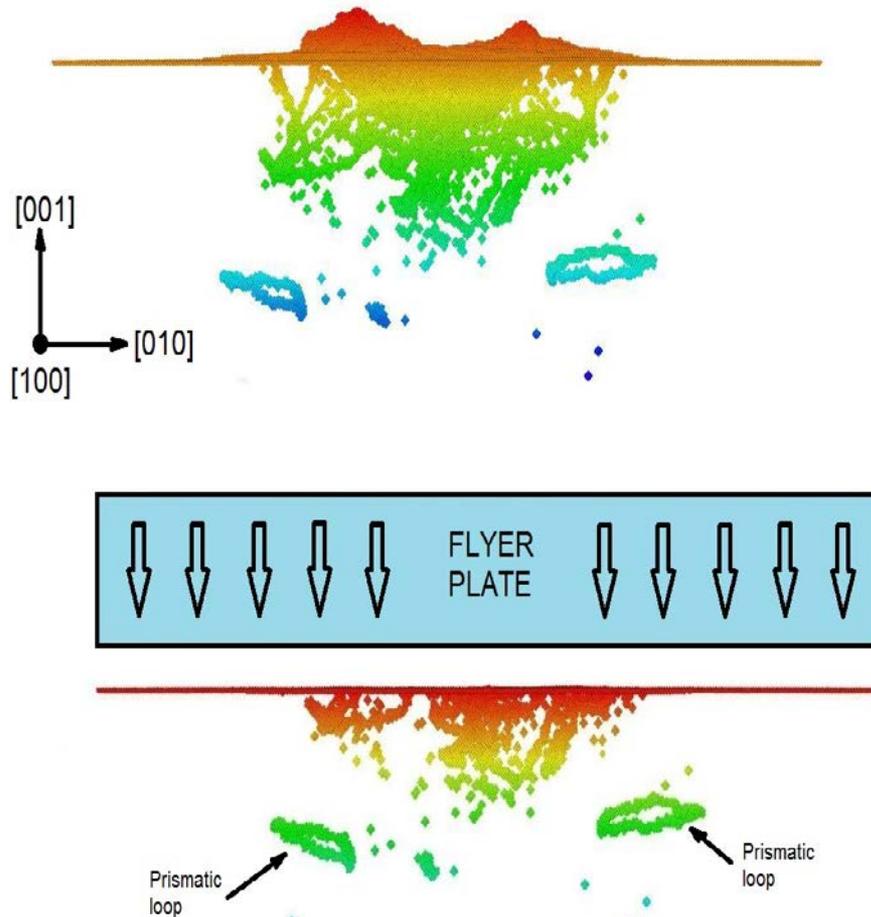


# High Velocity Dislocations: Nanoindentation as a Dislocation Source: Ta

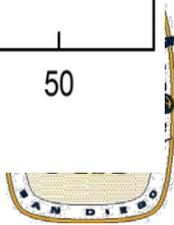
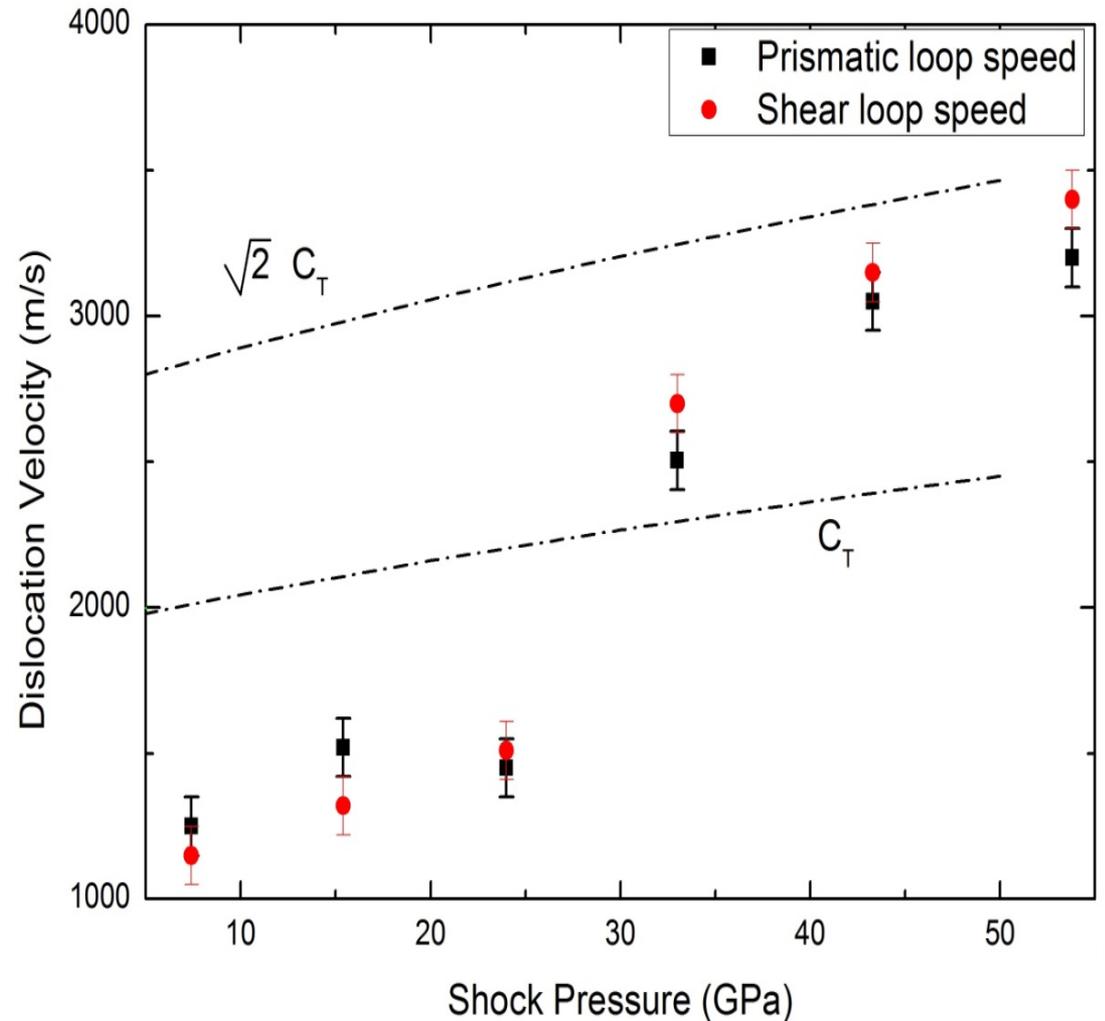
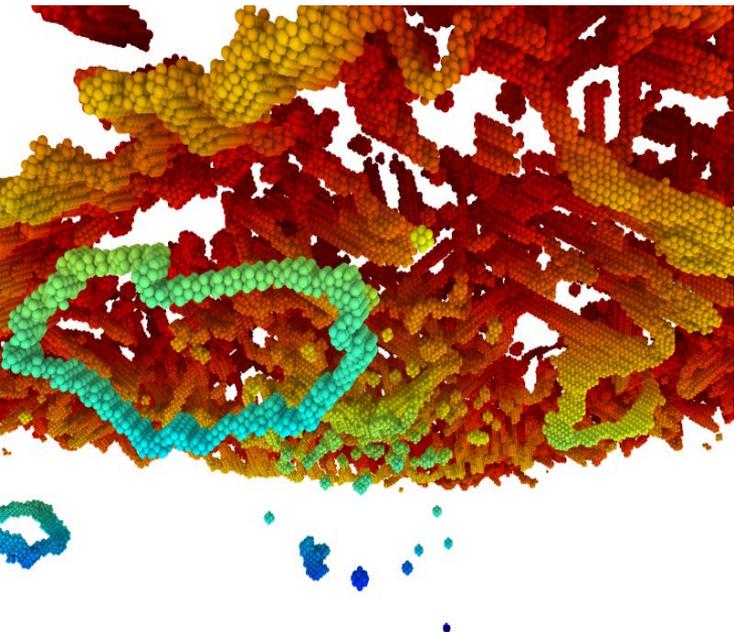




# Removal of Surface Layer and Shock Compression of Prismatic Loops

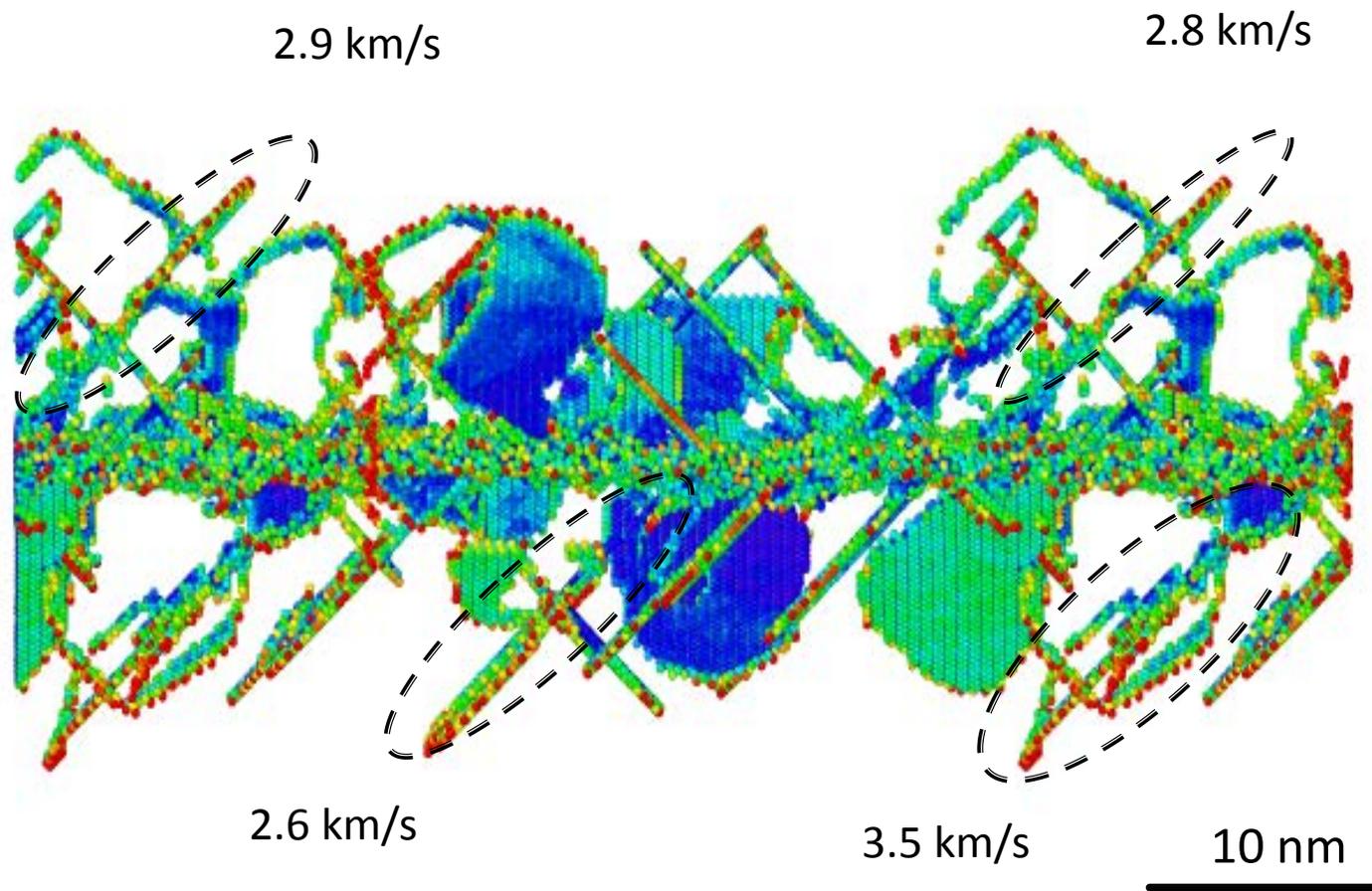


# High Velocity Dislocations: Tantalum

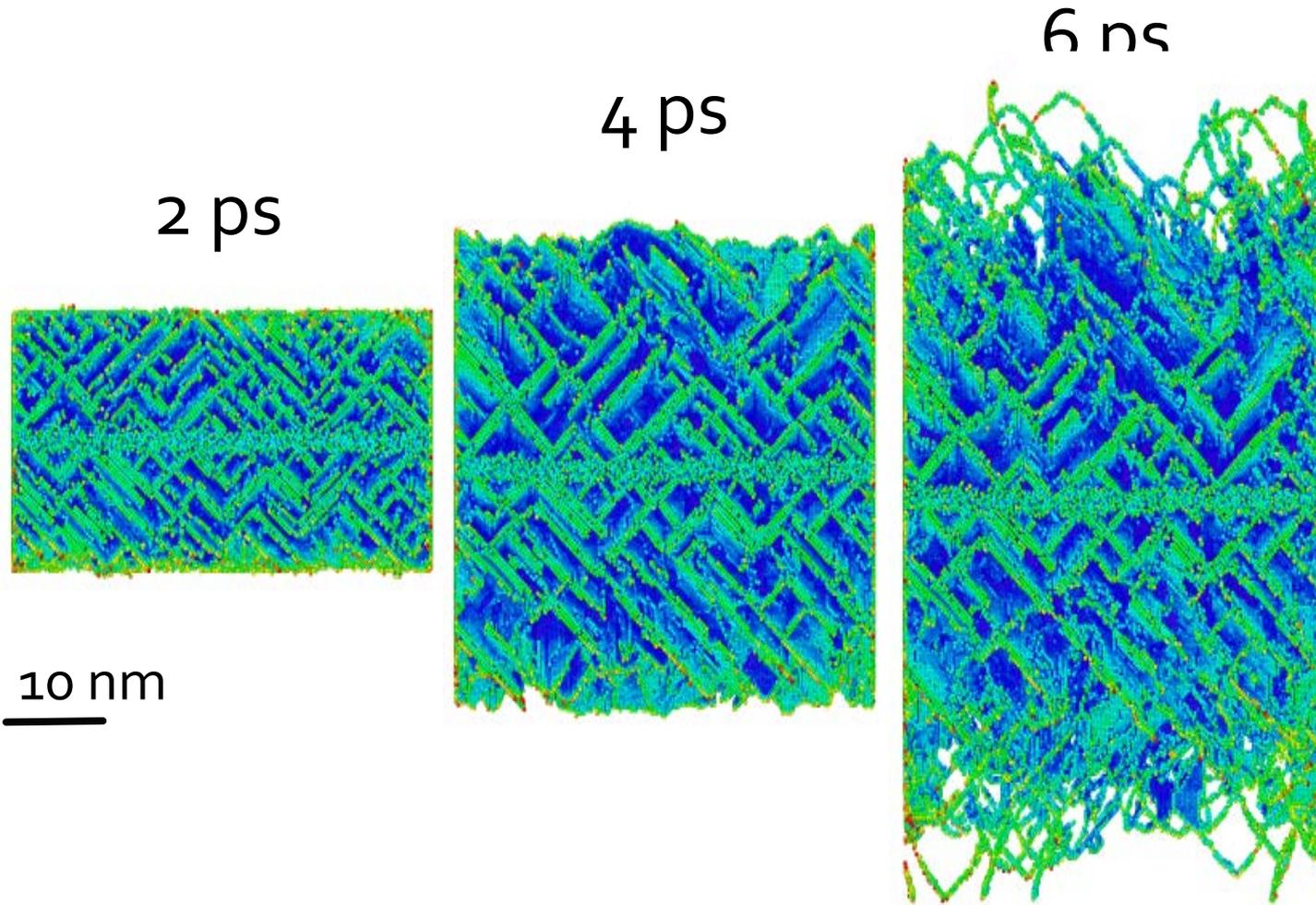




*Shock of 001 silicon using the SW potential  $P=35$  GPa;  
Particle vel. 1.75 km/s; flyer plate velocity of 3.5  
km/s.*



# [001] Si: Pressure $\sim 60$ GPa



# Fundamental Questions: Answers?

- Strength under extreme strain rates and pressures?

Great strides made up to  $10^{10} \text{ s}^{-1}$

- Defect generation: dislocations

Homogeneous dislocation generation; FCC  
dislocation multiplication; BCC

- Twins in compression and tension?

Twinning threshold, pressure and shear induced  
transformations.

- Tensile failure

- Void formation explained.

- Dislocation velocities: transonic/supersonic?

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# Conclusions Voids: I

- **'Special' Shear Loops – Primary Mechanism of Void Growth, as postulated by Lubarda et al. (2004)**
- **Model FCC Metal: Copper**
- New mechanisms for loop formation – Bi-Planar and Tri-Planar Loops – identified by MD.
- Dislocation reactions and energetics for mono-planar, and bi-planar loops analyzed.
- Growth Kinetics of void modeled and compared with Cocks-Ashby.
- Density of geometrically-necessary dislocation loops calculated; consistent with observations
- Partial dislocation velocities: sub and transonic



# Conclusions Voids: II

## Model BCC Metal: Tantalum

- Three mechanisms identified:
  - Shear loop formation
  - Twinning
  - Prismatic loop formation
- Dislocation velocities: subsonic
- Tension/Compression asymmetry
- Slip-twinning transition
- Void-size effect



# Laser Shock Compression of Sandwich Micro-Nano-Micro Laminates

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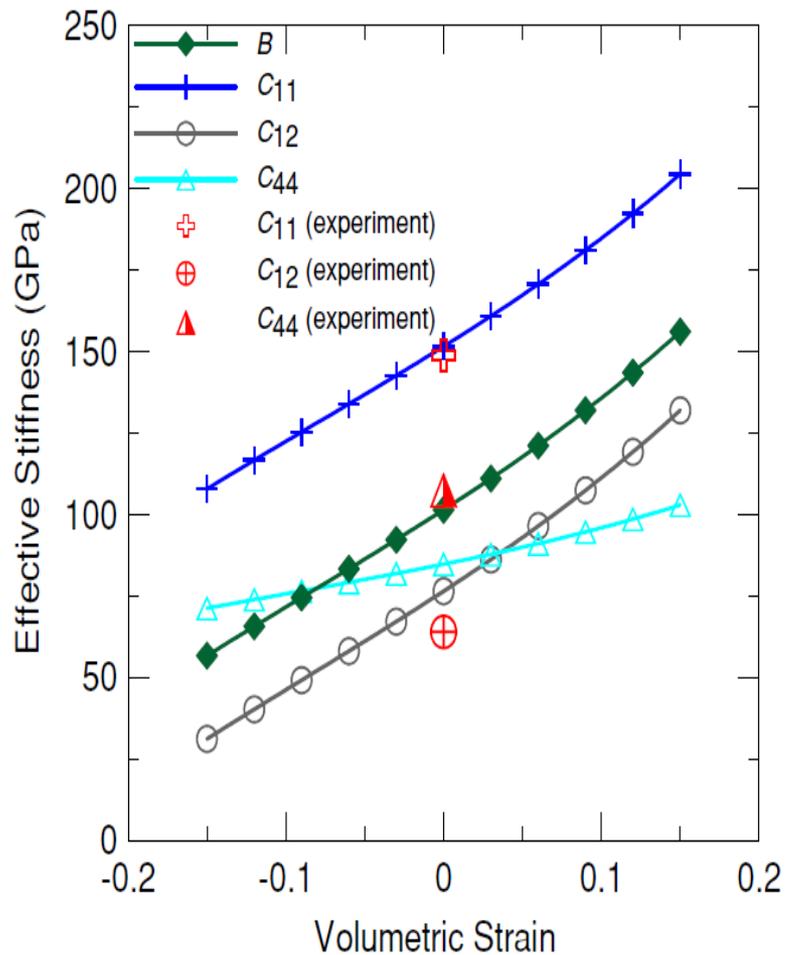
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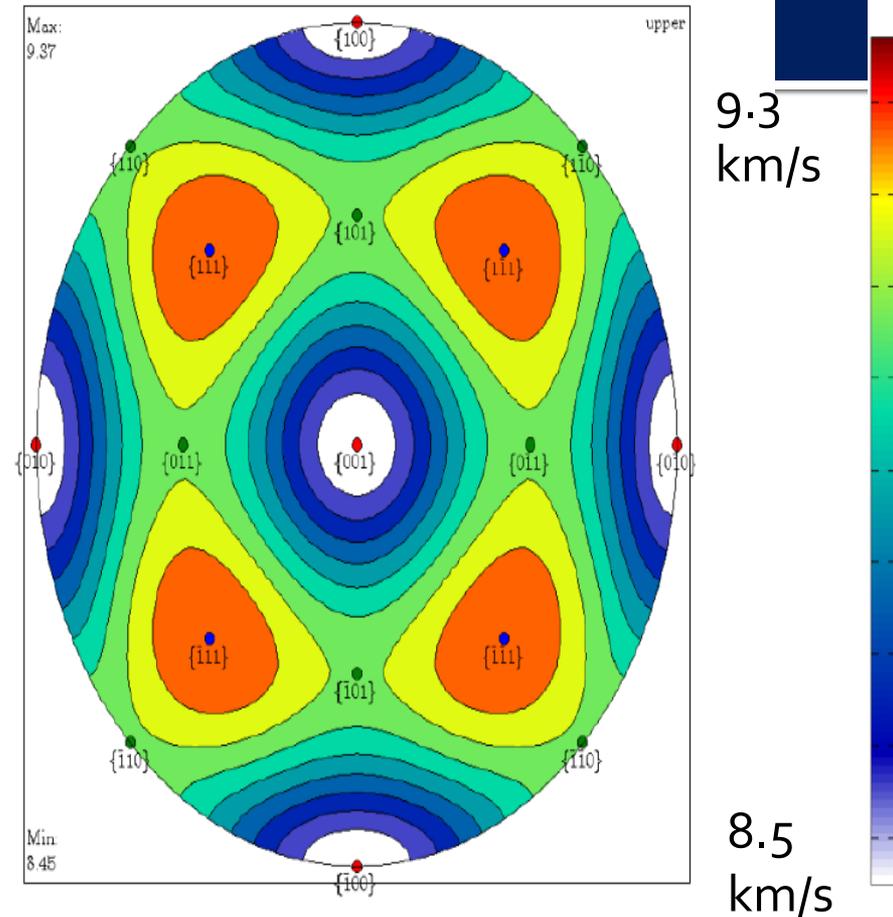
**Mechanical and  
Aerospace Engineering**



Based on statistical mechanics supplemented by the SW potential.

(Lovelady & Oleynik, 2005)

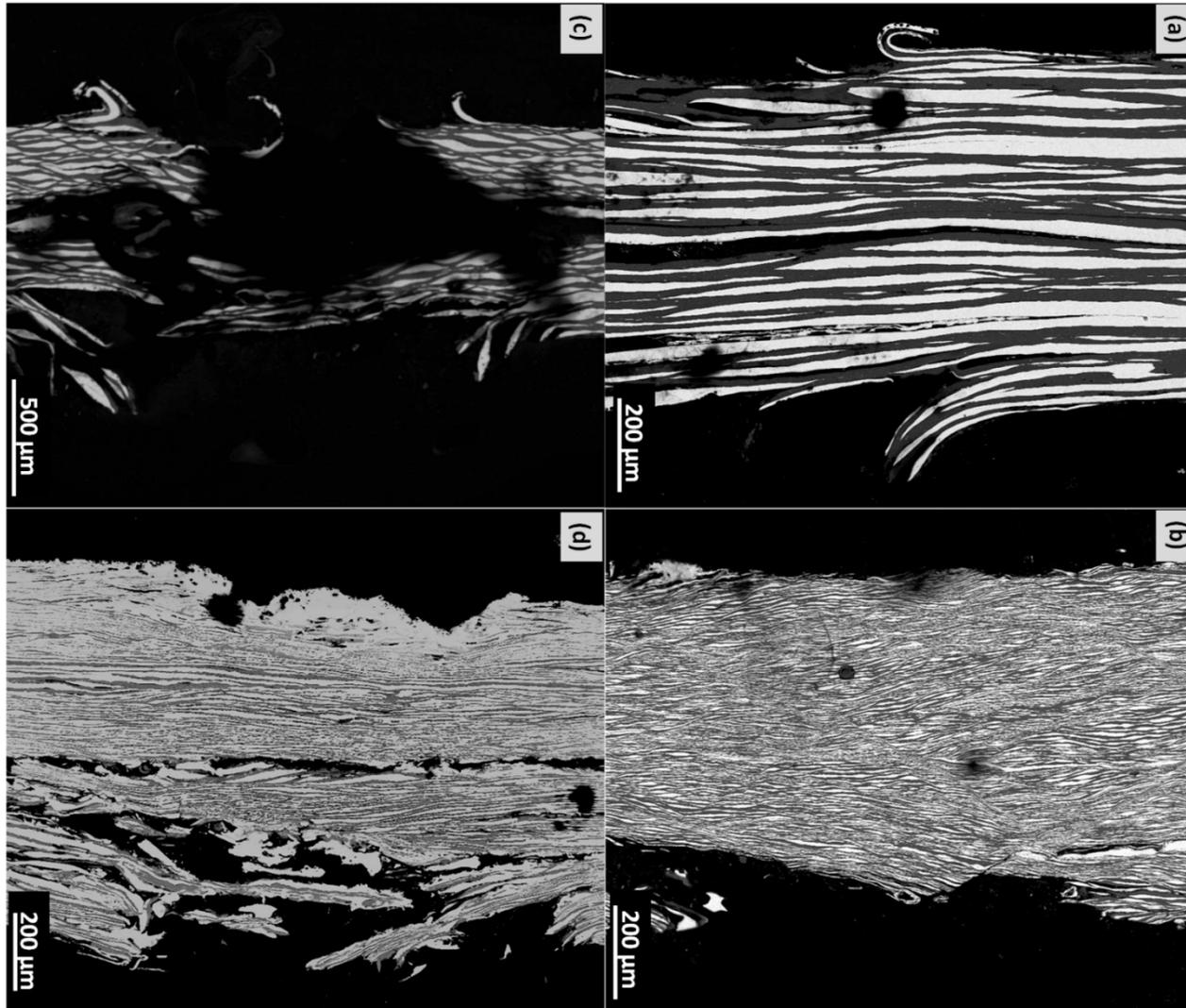
## 2D Sound velocity with (001) in the center



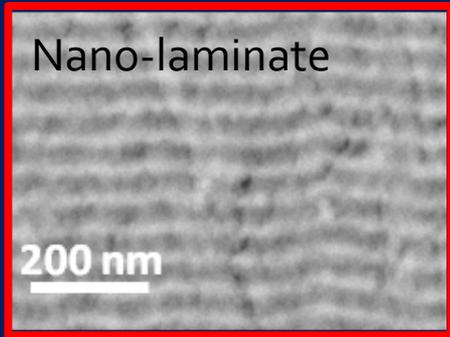
With compression the sound velocity will only decrease as  $C_{11}$ ,  $C_{12}$  and  $C_{44}$  decrease.



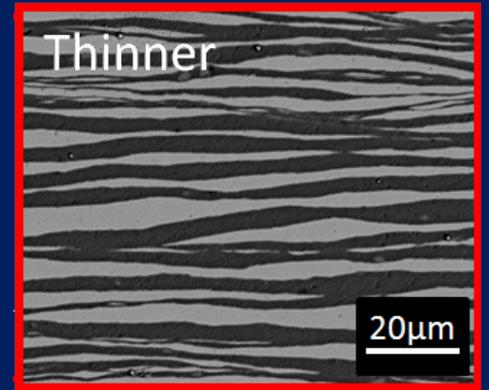
# Reactive Materials: Ni-Al Laminates



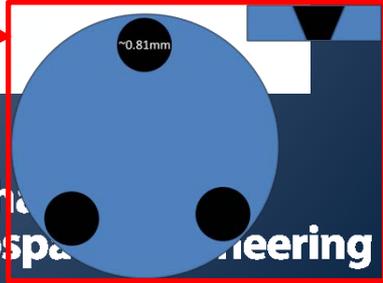
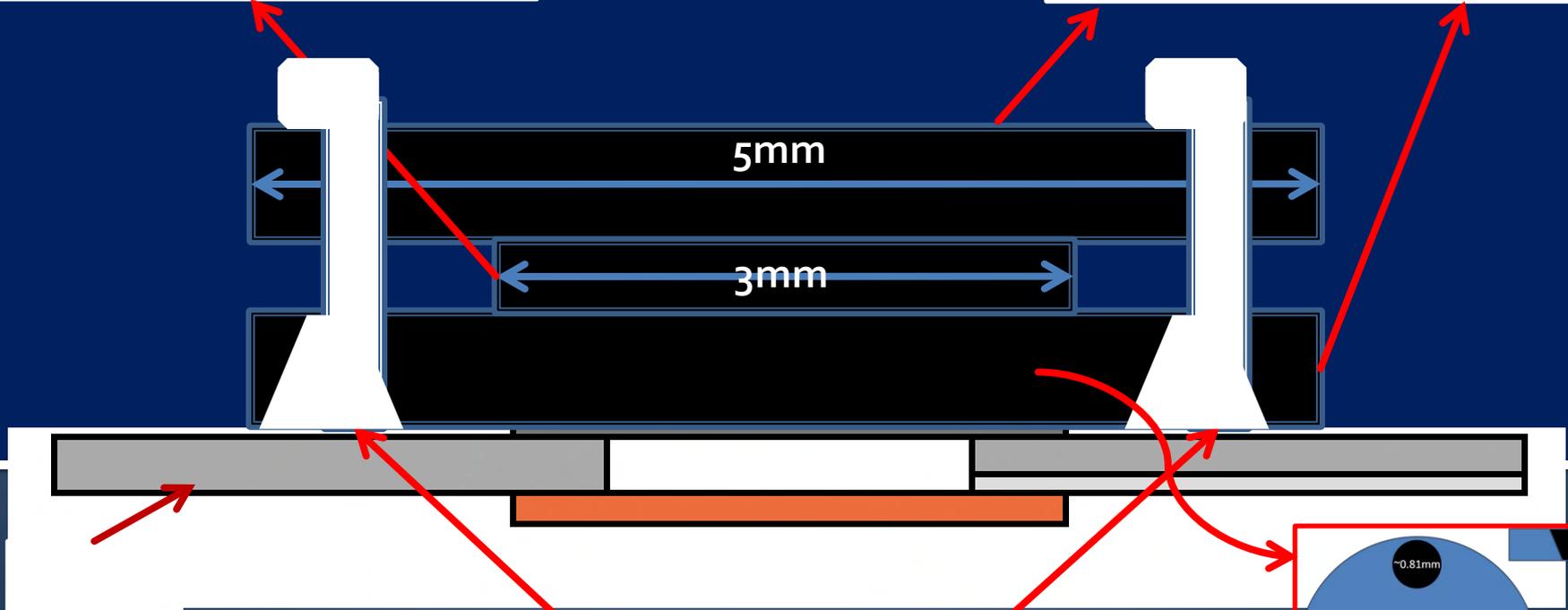
# Sandwich Assembly



54 nm Bilayer Ni/Al laminates



~5 μm Bilayer Ni/Al laminates

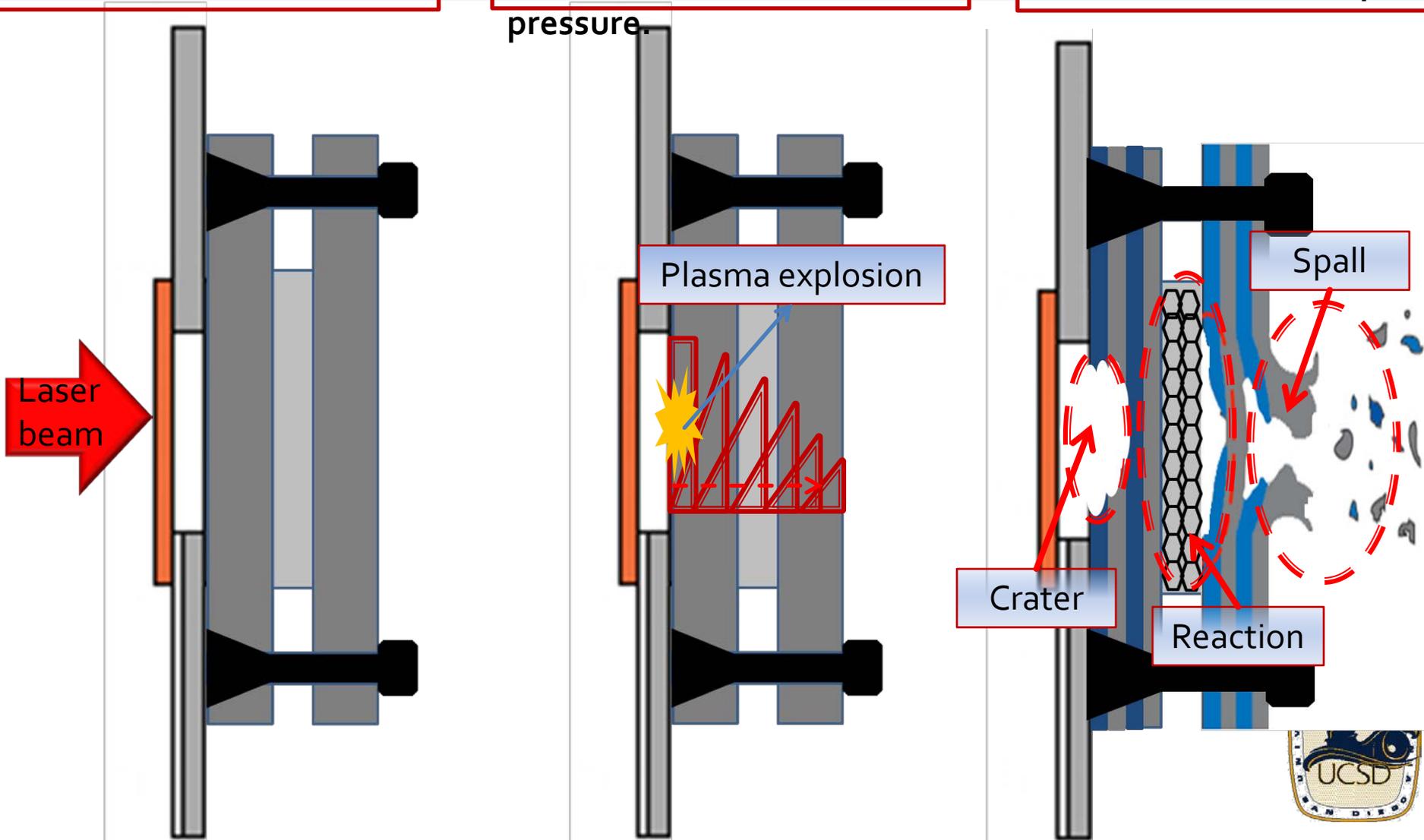


# Schematic of Laser Experiment

Step 1. Laser irradiation of the ablator.

Step 2. Plasma explodes and conveys shock pressure.

Step 3. Crater, reacted nano-laminate and spall



# 653 J Laser Energy

Capsule



Inside of the capsule



Fragments in the aero-gel



Sandwich structure

Irradiated surface



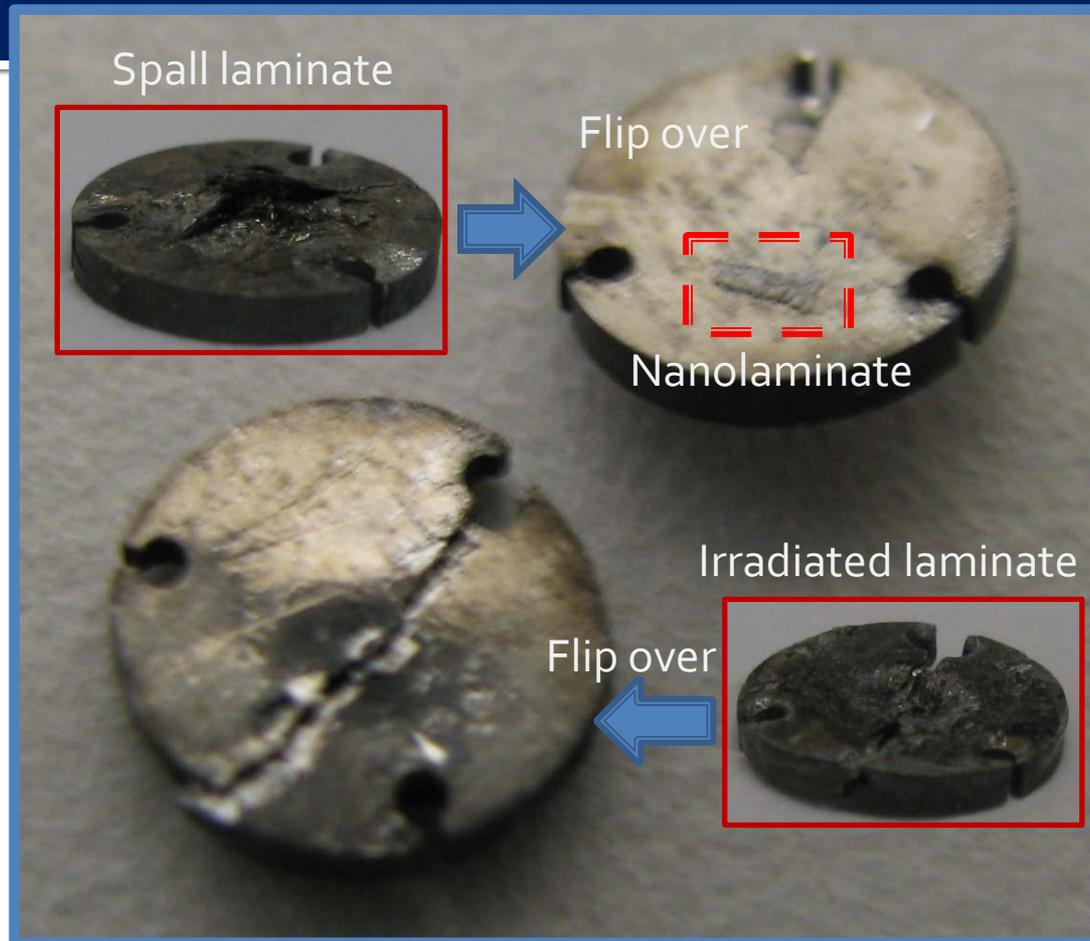
Spall surface



- ❖ After laser shock, the sandwich structure penetrated into the aero-gel in tube.
- ❖ Sandwich structure had fully developed irradiated crater and spall.
- ❖ Fragments were captured and stored in aero-gel,.



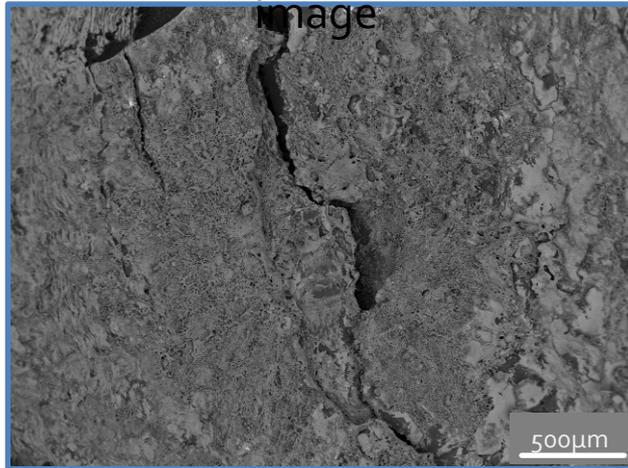
# Disassembled Sandwich Structure



# SEM Observation

Crater area (Irradiated surface)

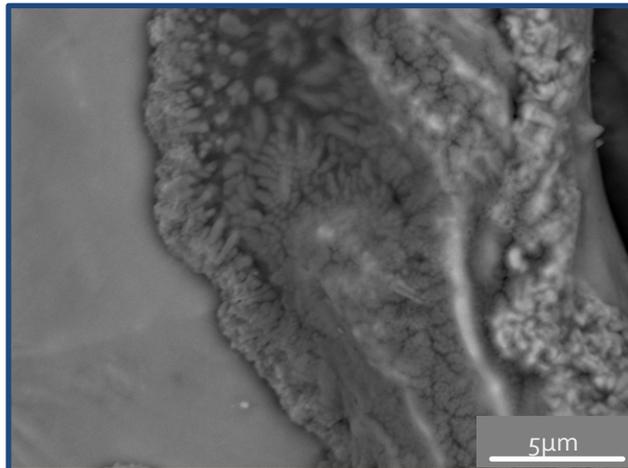
Crater BSE



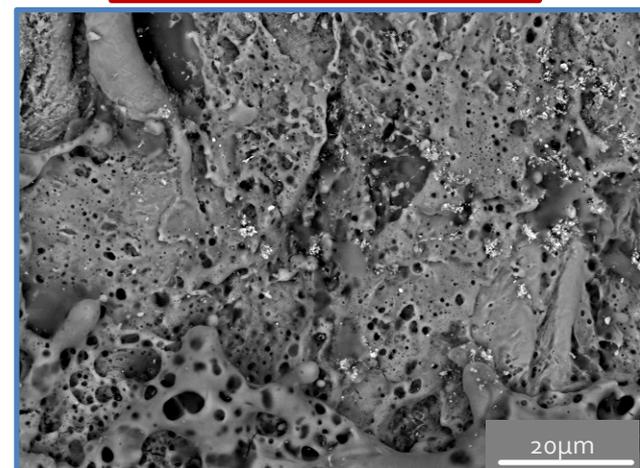
Crater SE image



Dendrites

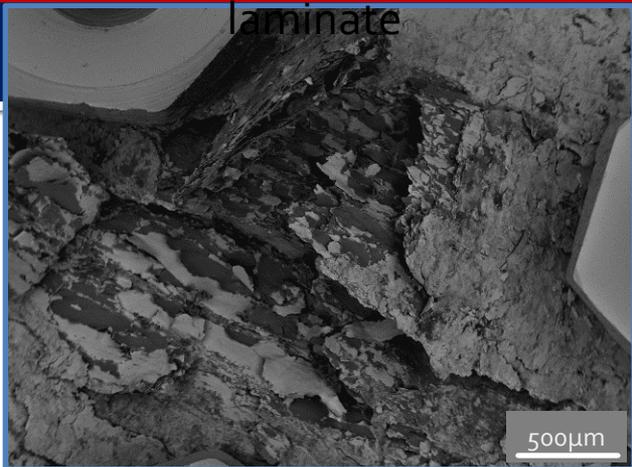


Molten Materials

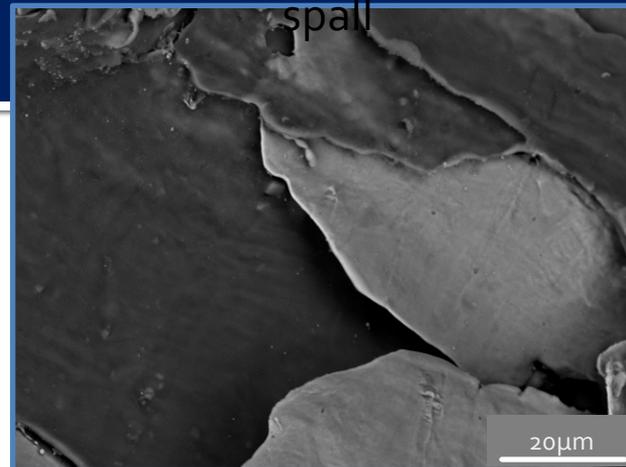


# Spallation area (included rear surface)

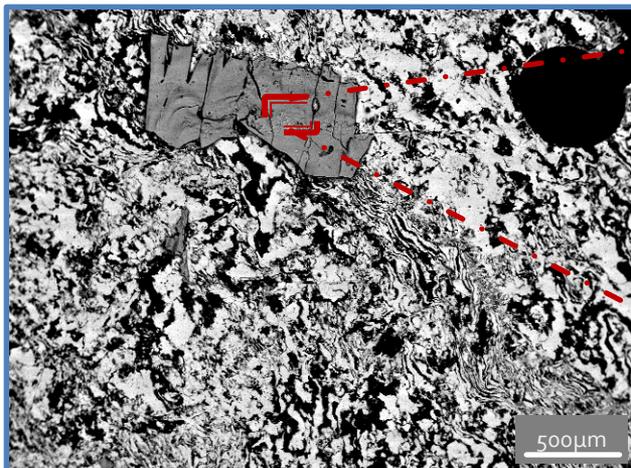
Spall at the second micro-laminate



Ductile fracture edges of spall

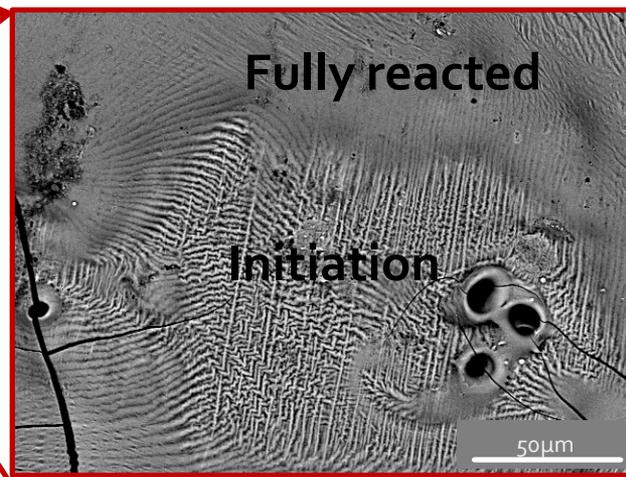


Reacted nano-laminate at the rear surface of spall

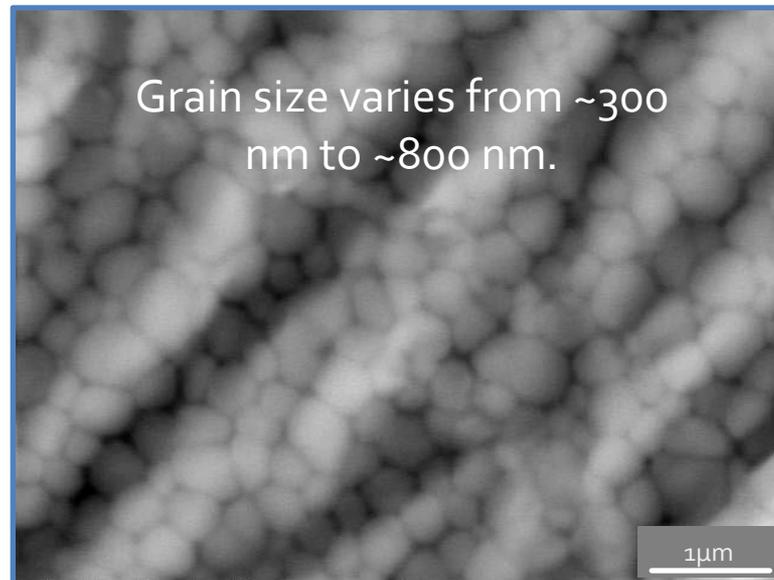
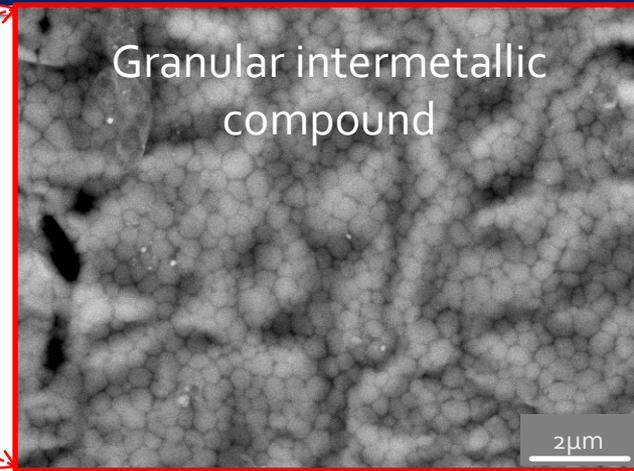
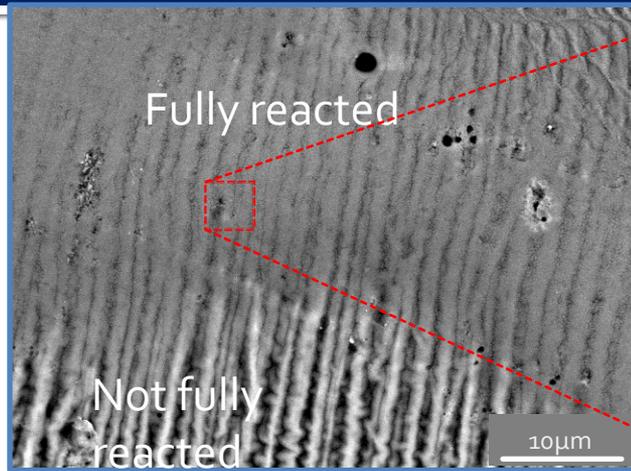


Fully reacted

Initiation



# Reacted Nano-laminate (Rear surface of spall laminate)

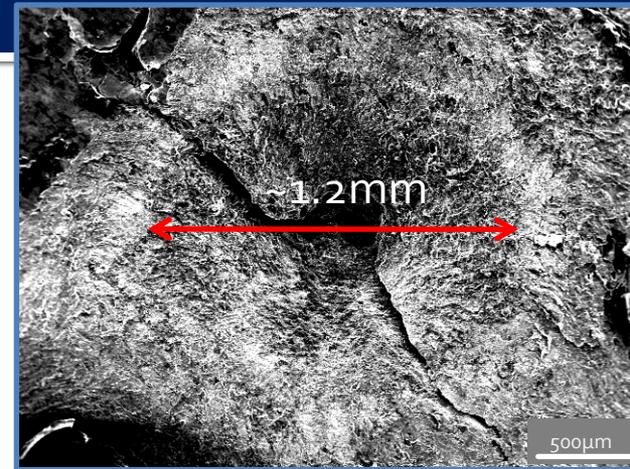


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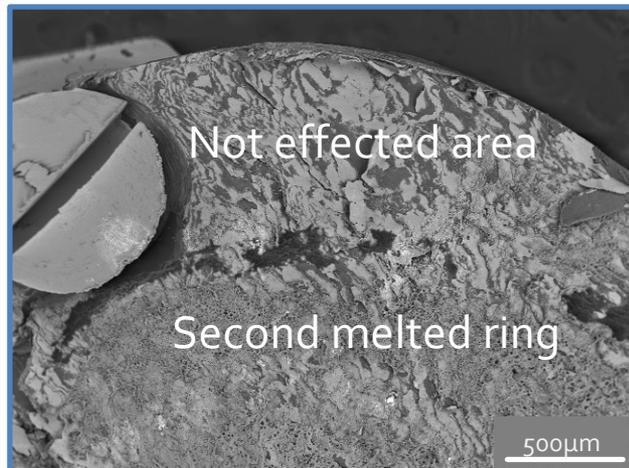
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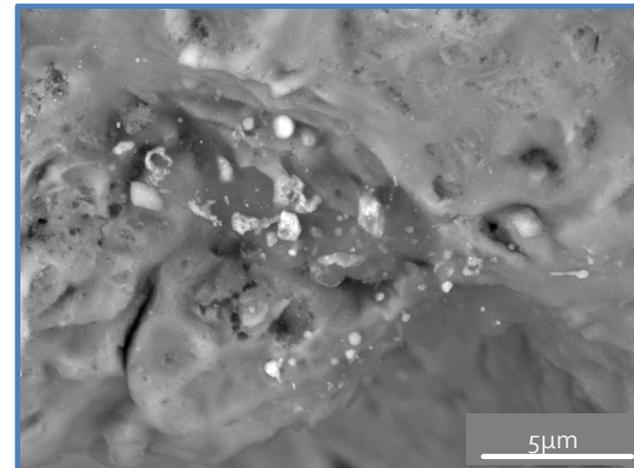
Crater SE image



Edge of the crater



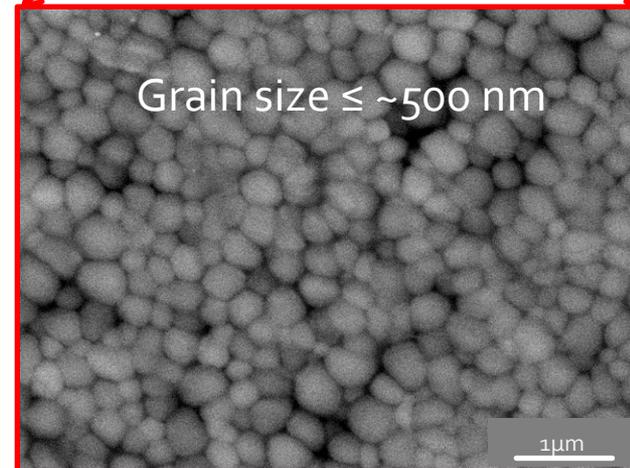
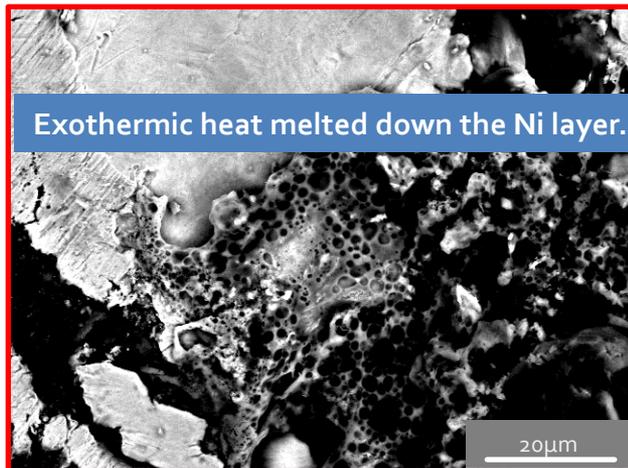
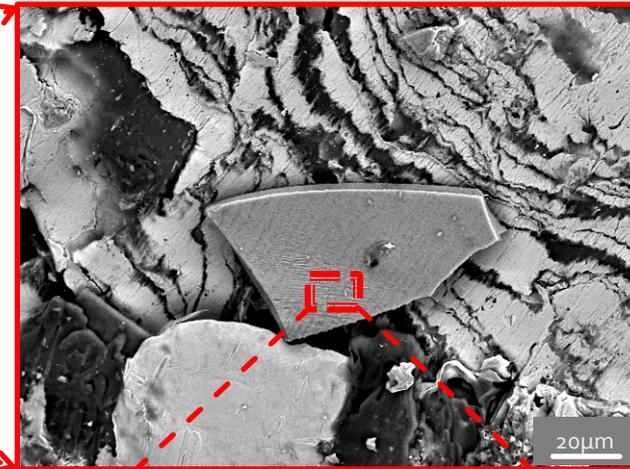
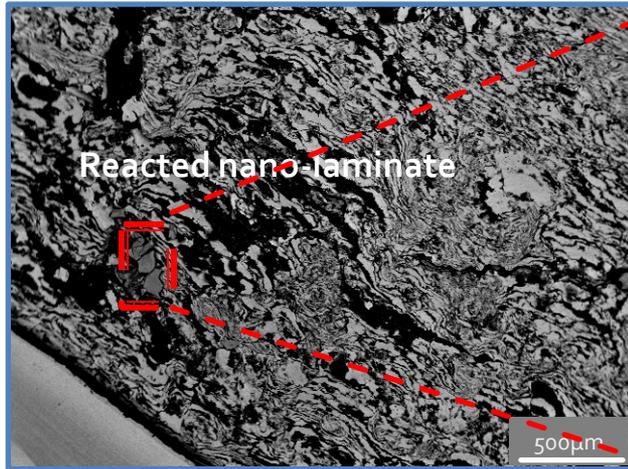
Molten materials on the crater



# Rear Surface of The Crater

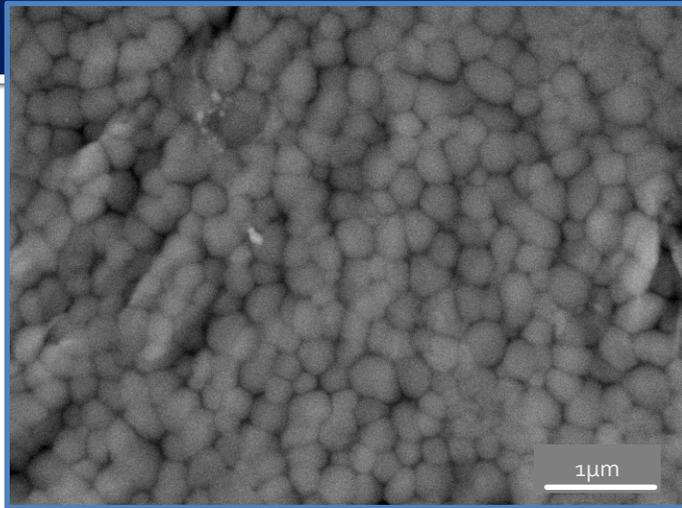
Rear surface

Reacted nano-laminate

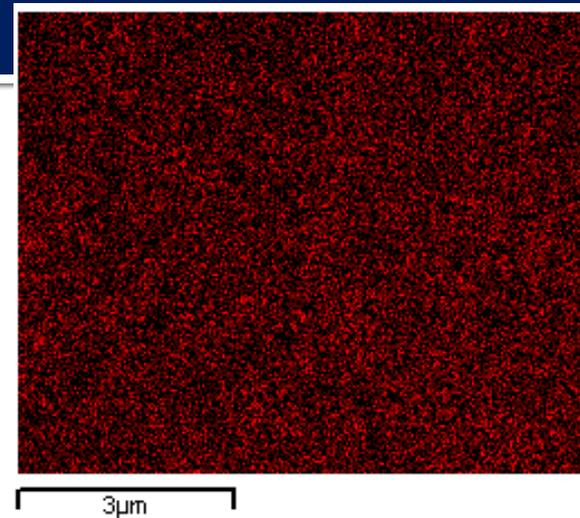


# EDX Dot Mapping

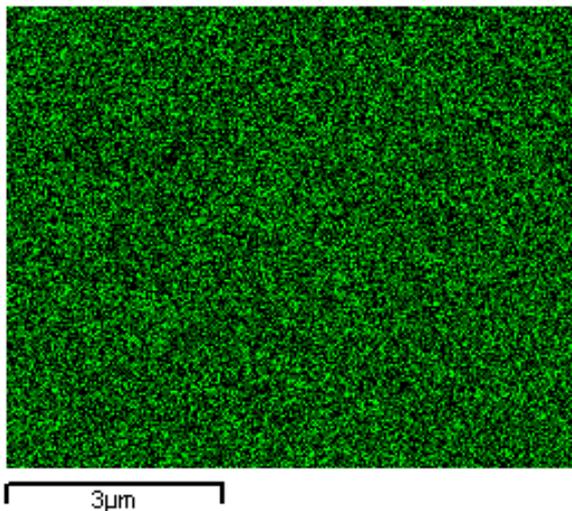
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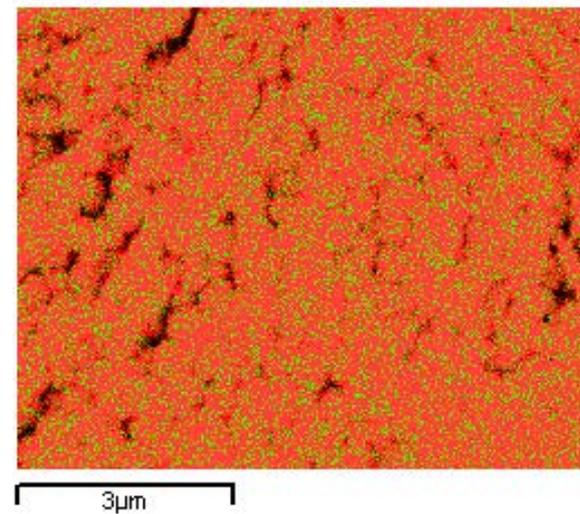
Al distribution



Ni distribution

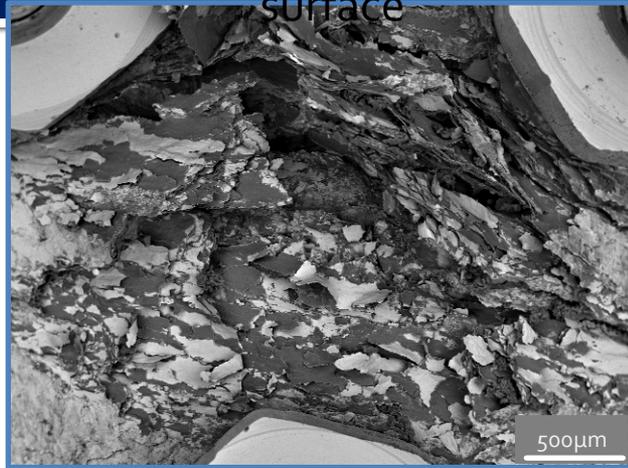


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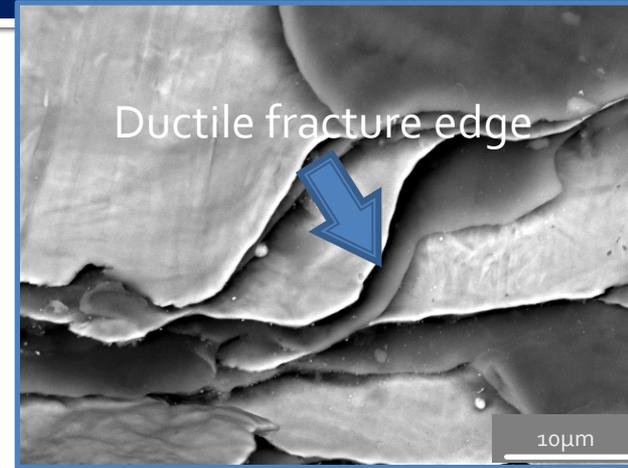


# Spallation of 875 J Laser Irradiation

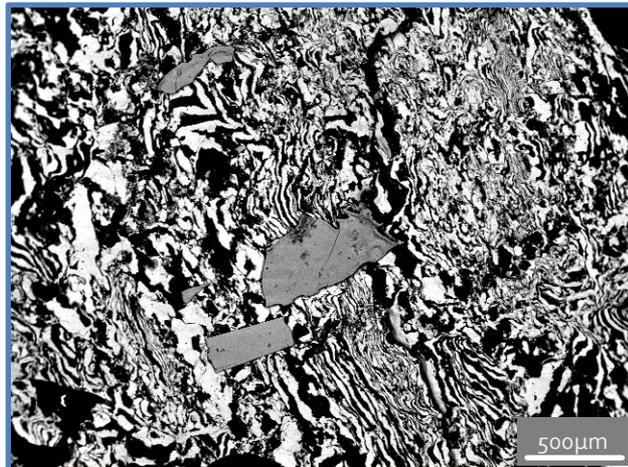
Spall  
surface



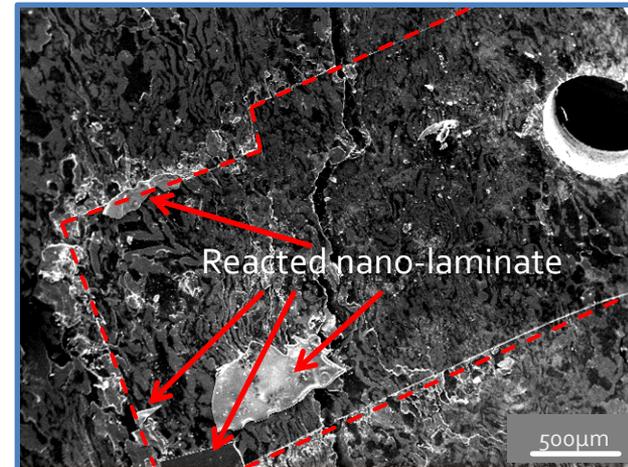
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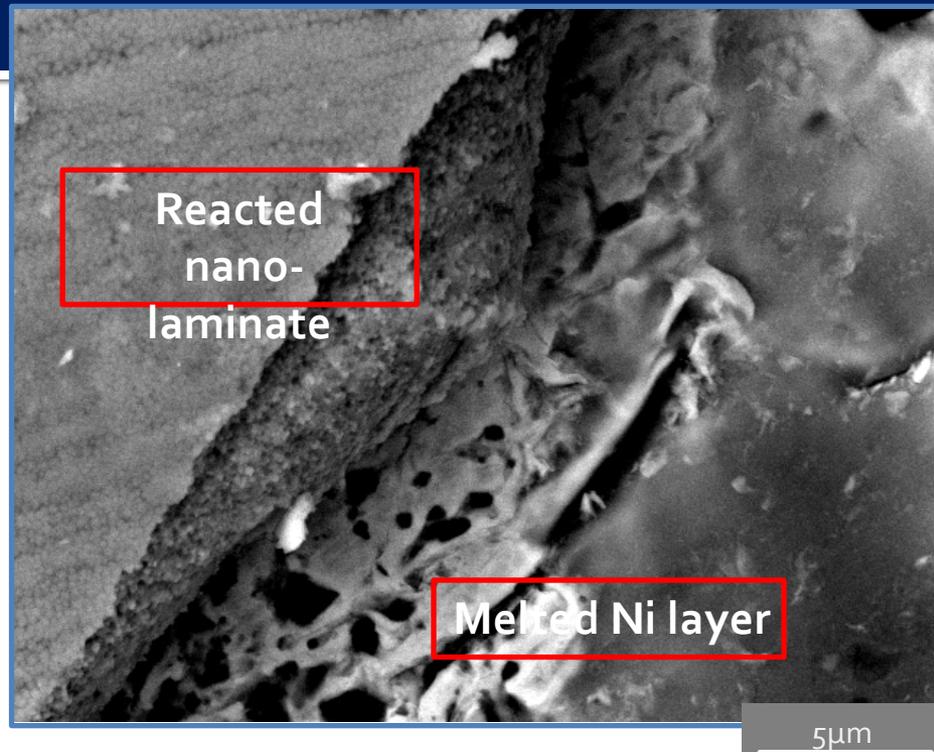
Rear surface of spall (BSE)



Rear surface of spall (SE)



# Evidence of Intermetallic reaction

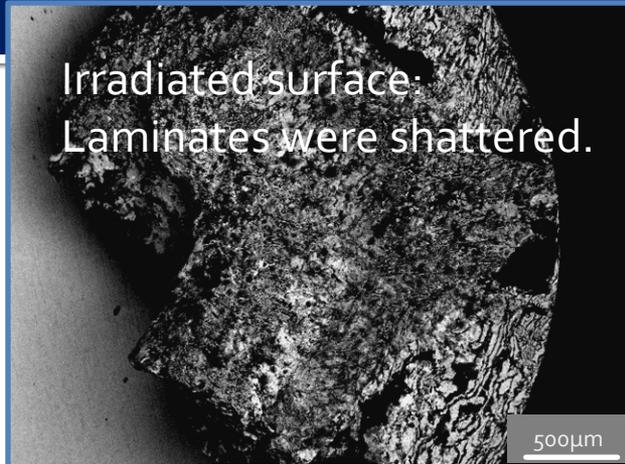


- ❖ After shock induced reaction, the nano-laminate turns to a granular intermetallic structure
- ❖ The strong exothermic heat melted micro-laminate (both Ni and Al layers)
- ❖ Reaction did not propagate

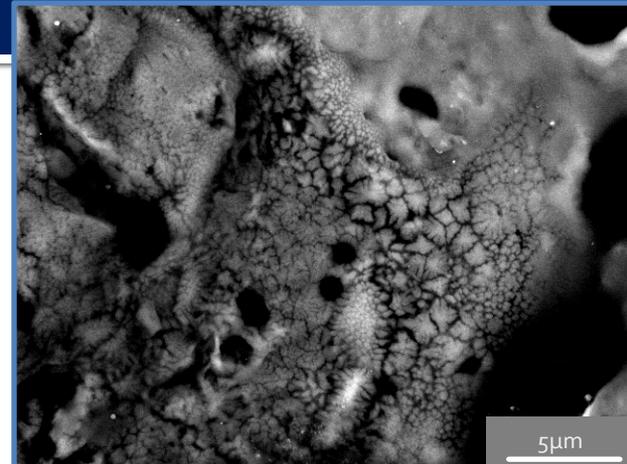


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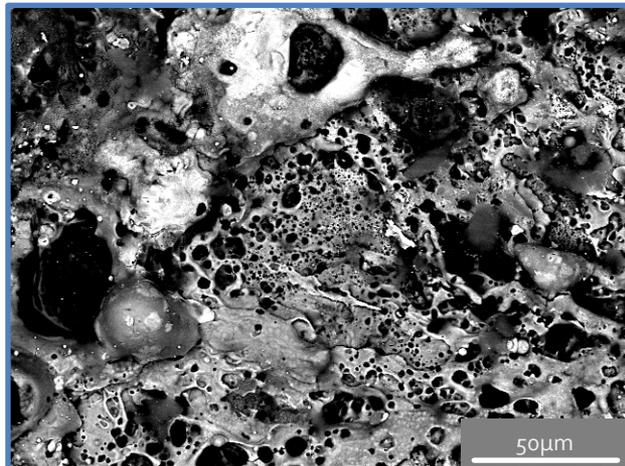
Irradiated micro-laminate



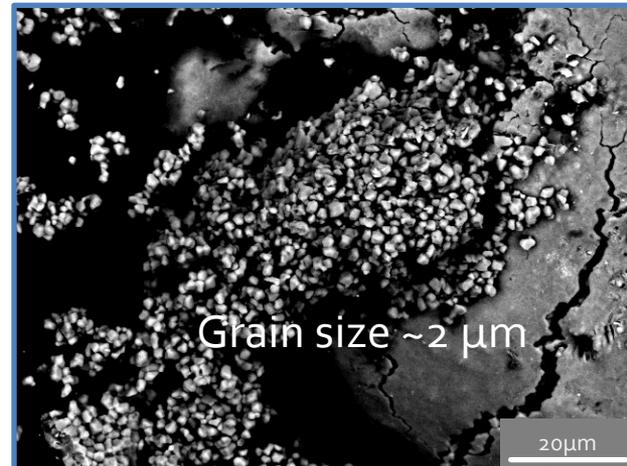
Intermetallic dendrites



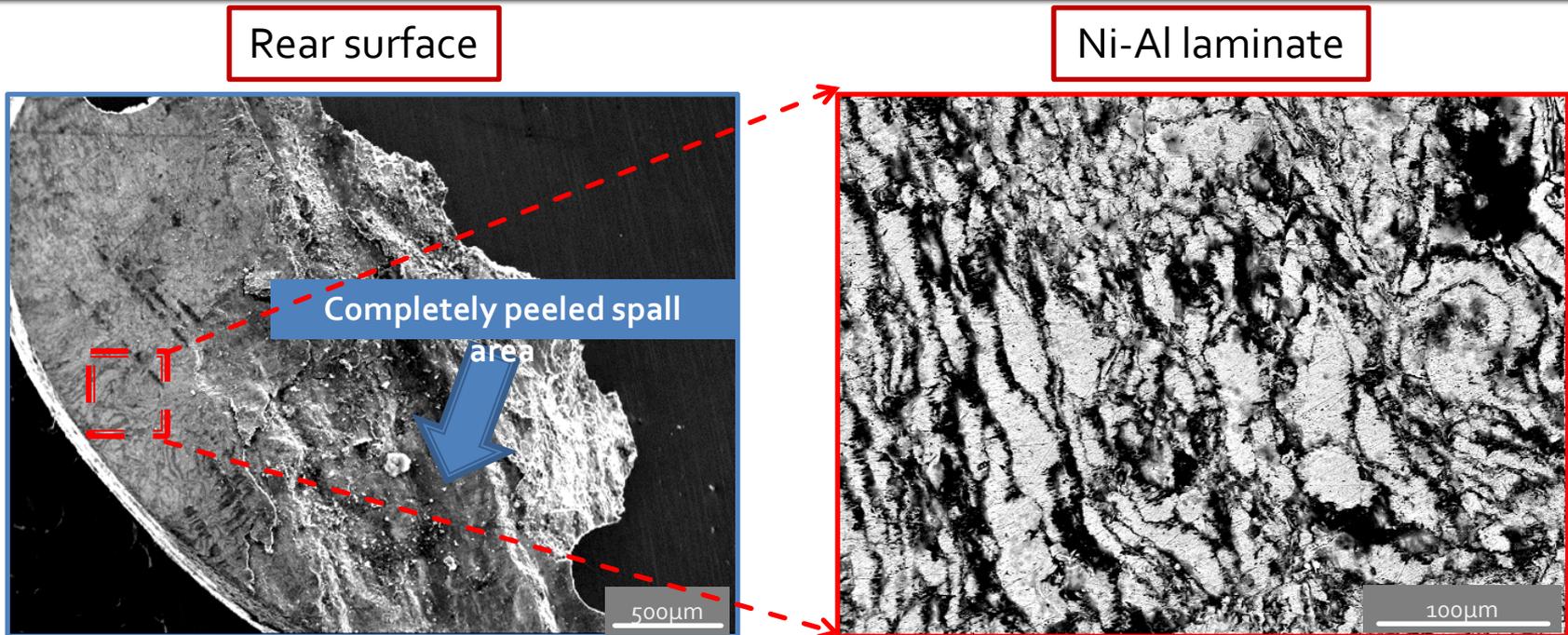
Molten Pool



Intermetallic Compounds



# Rear Surface of Irradiated Laminate



- ❖ The irradiated laminate was shattered by an intensive laser shock, over 1300 J.
- ❖ The spall was completely developed and peeled out off the rear surface of the irradiated laminate.

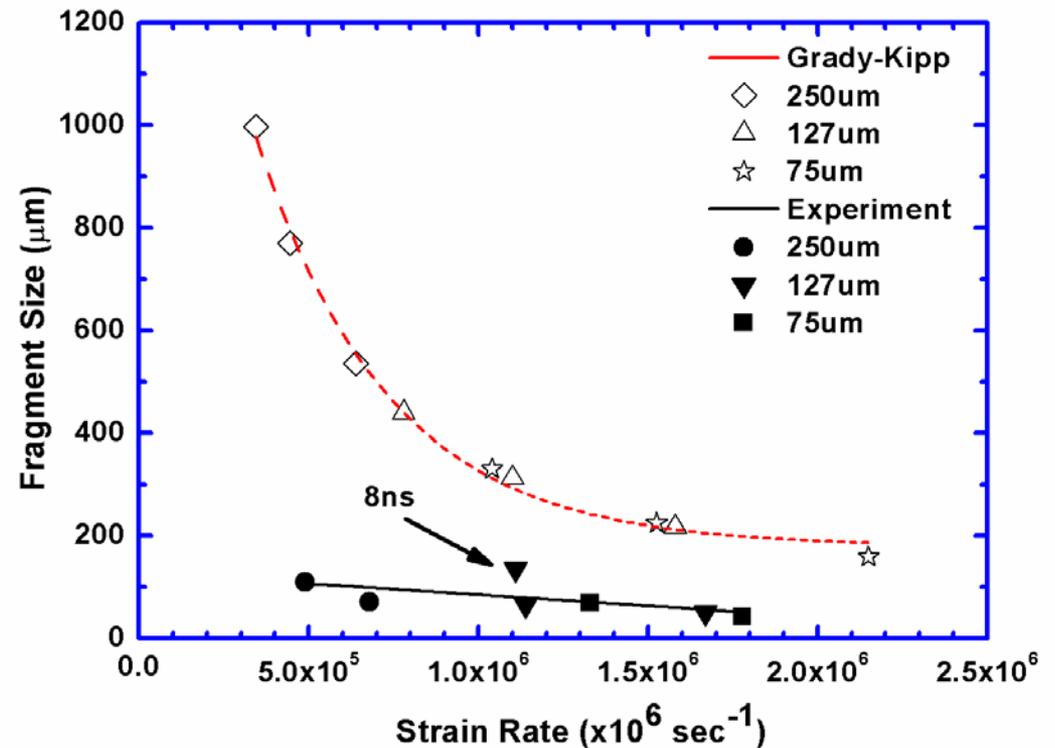
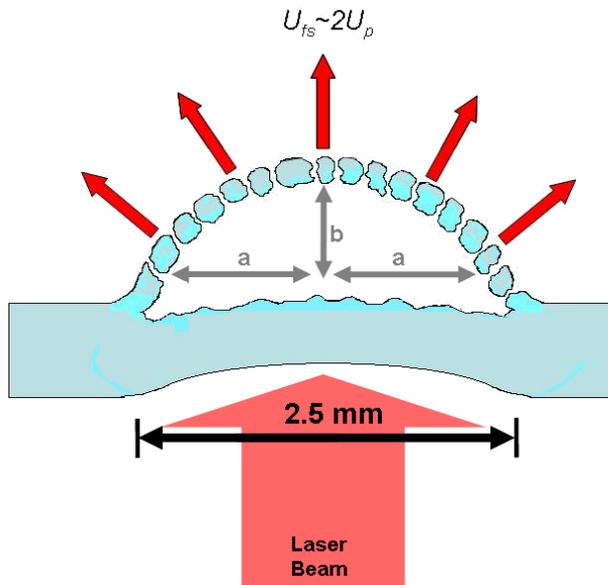


# Conclusions

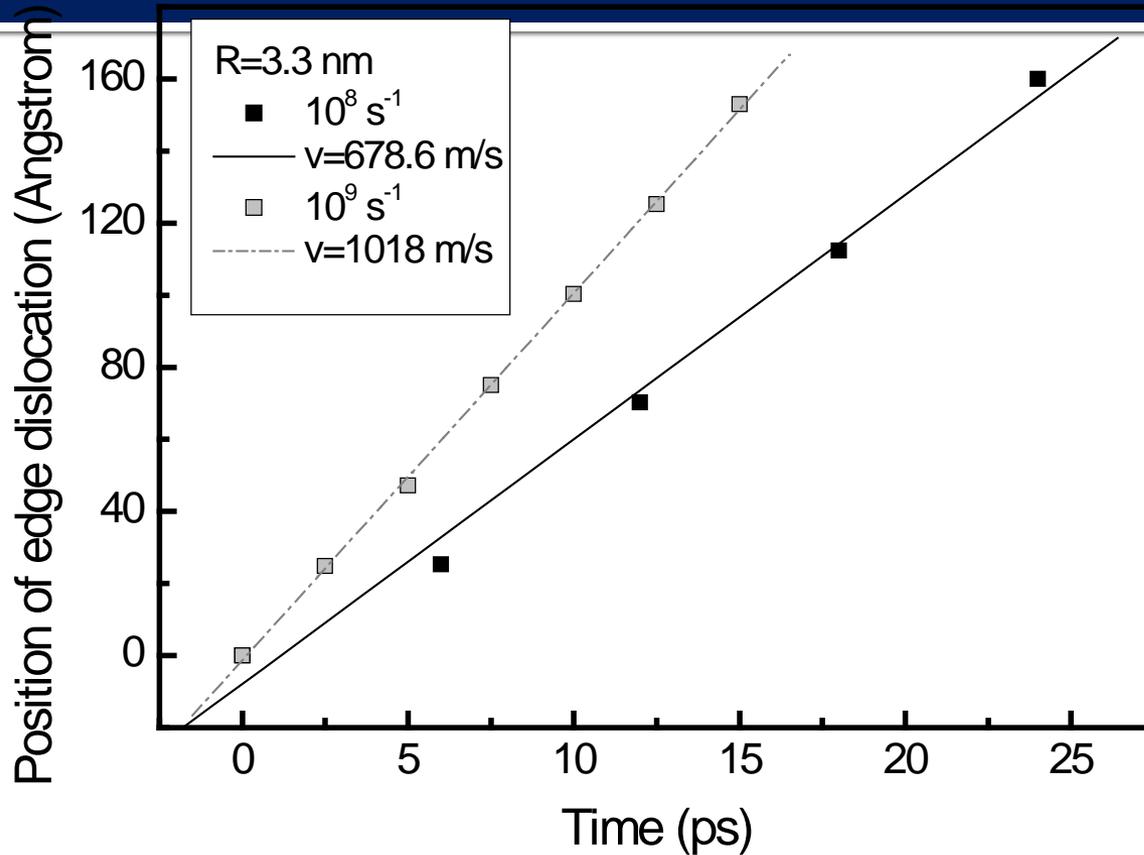
- ❖ Laser shock did not generate reaction in microlaminate up to 1300 J.
- ❖ Nanolaminate fully reacted at 650 J
- ❖ Granular intermetallic compounds with size ~200 nm to ~800 nm.
- ❖ Grain size decreases with increasing laser energy
- ❖ Spall surface has no reaction and molten materials. The fracture edge showed a clear ductile fracture. It implies that the spallation process is controlled by plastic flow.
- ❖ The inner surfaces of the sandwich structure show that strong exothermic heat from the intermetallic reaction of the nanolaminate can melt down the micro-laminate.
- ❖ However the reaction did not proliferate to the adjacent microlaminates.
- ❖ The irradiated surface shows molten pools, intermetallic dendrites and possible intermetallic grains.



# Laser Spalling and Fragmentation in Vanadium



# Dislocation Velocities: Ta



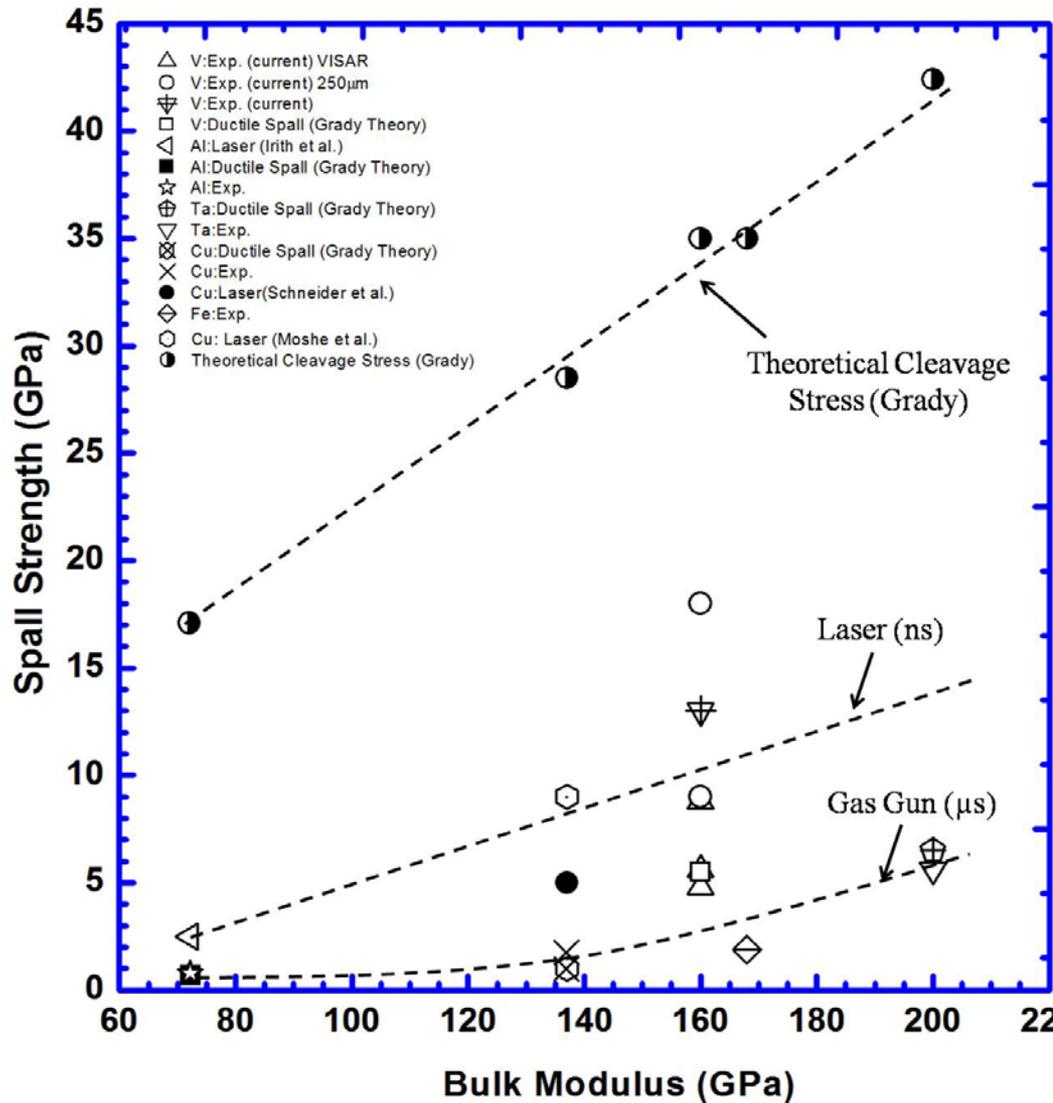
$$E = 186 \text{ GPa} \quad \rho = 16.654 \text{ g/cm}^3 \quad \nu = 0.35$$

$$c_l = \sqrt{\frac{E}{\rho}} = 3.34 \times 10^3 \text{ m/s}$$

$$c_t = \sqrt{\frac{E}{2\rho(1+\nu)}} = 2.03 \times 10^3 \text{ m/s}$$



# Spall Strength: Gas Gun, Laser, Theoretical Maximum



# Future Work

- ❖ Laser spall and fragmentation experiments
- ❖ Continued collaboration with Cavendish: Jan. 2011 visit
- ❖ Quantitative analysis of reaction products: granular intermetallics.
- ❖ Shock pressure simulation and analysis
- ❖ X-ray diffraction analysis
- ❖ TEM analysis (By using FIB, we can slice out a specific area and make a TEM samples; UCLA has capability)



# Additional Slides: Not Shown



# Conclusions: Deformation in Compression

- **FCC Ni:** dislocation generation at grain boundaries and emission into grains, and annihilation in opposite GB. Partial separation.
  - Grain boundary sliding: decreases with increasing GS.
- **BCC Ta:** In compression, plasticity, in the form of both GB sliding and dislocation activity, occurs.
  - Inverse Hall-Petch from 2.5 to 30 nm, due to the decreasing role played by GB shear as GS increased.



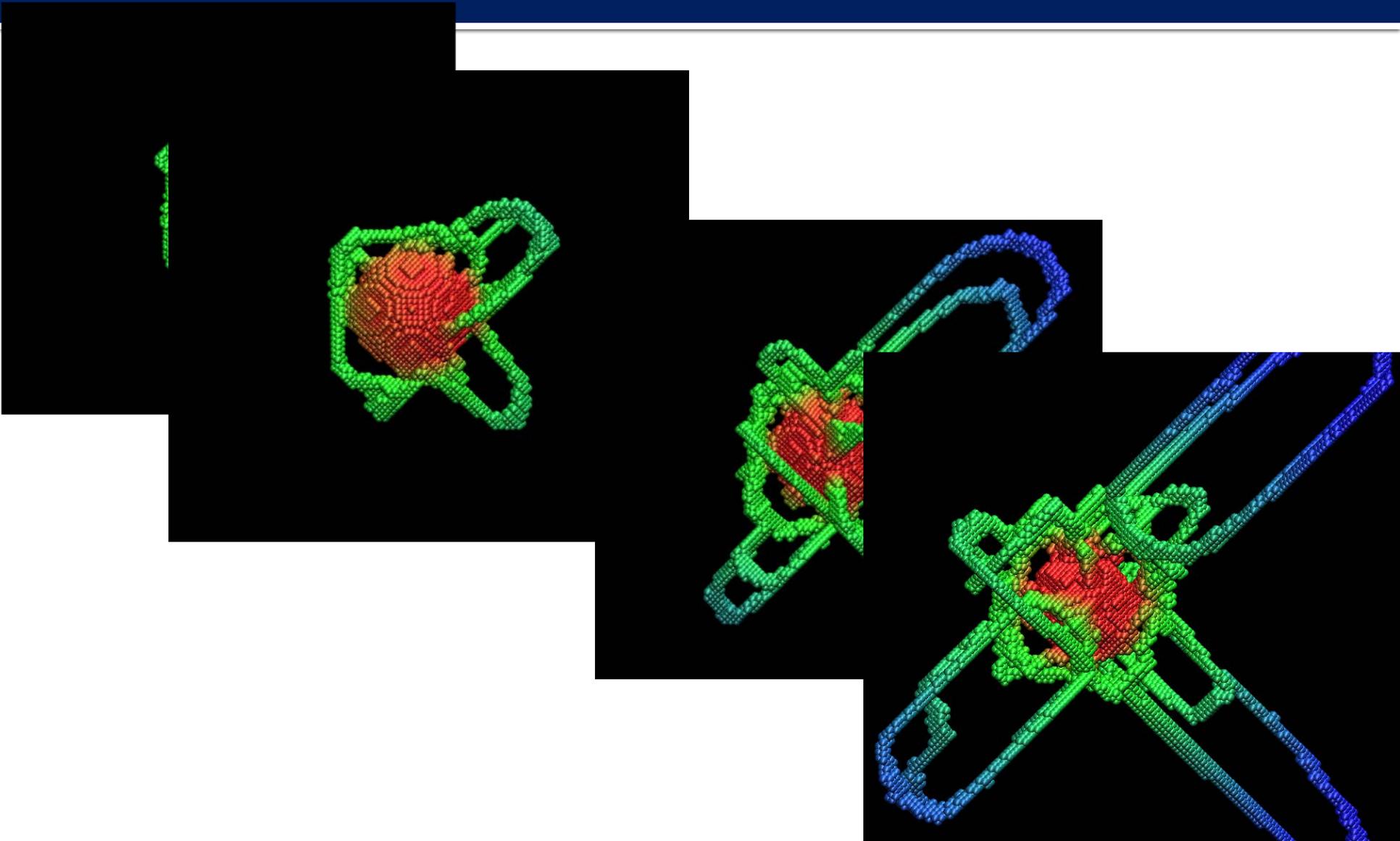
# Molecular Dynamics (MD): II BCC Metals (Ta)

- **Potential:** Extended Finnis-Sinclair Potential for Ta
- **Boundary Condition:** Periodic Boundary Conditions along three directions
- **Sample size:** 20 ~ 66 nm in length (0.4 M ~16 M atoms)
- **Strain rate:**  $10^7 \text{ s}^{-1} \sim 10^{10} \text{ s}^{-1}$ , Loading along [100] orientation
- **Void:** Pre-existing, spherical, with radii between 0.15 and 30 nm
- **Simulator:** LAMMPS, Common Neighbor Analysis (CNA) as defect filter

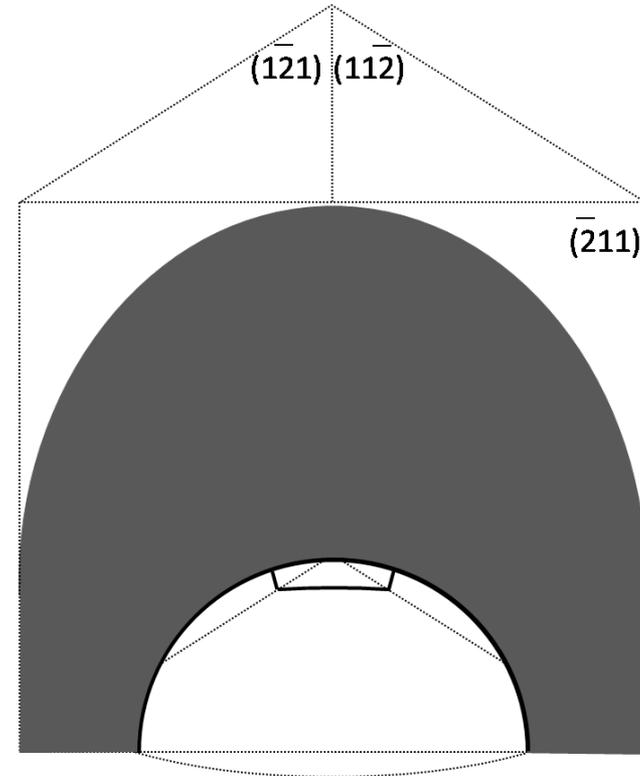
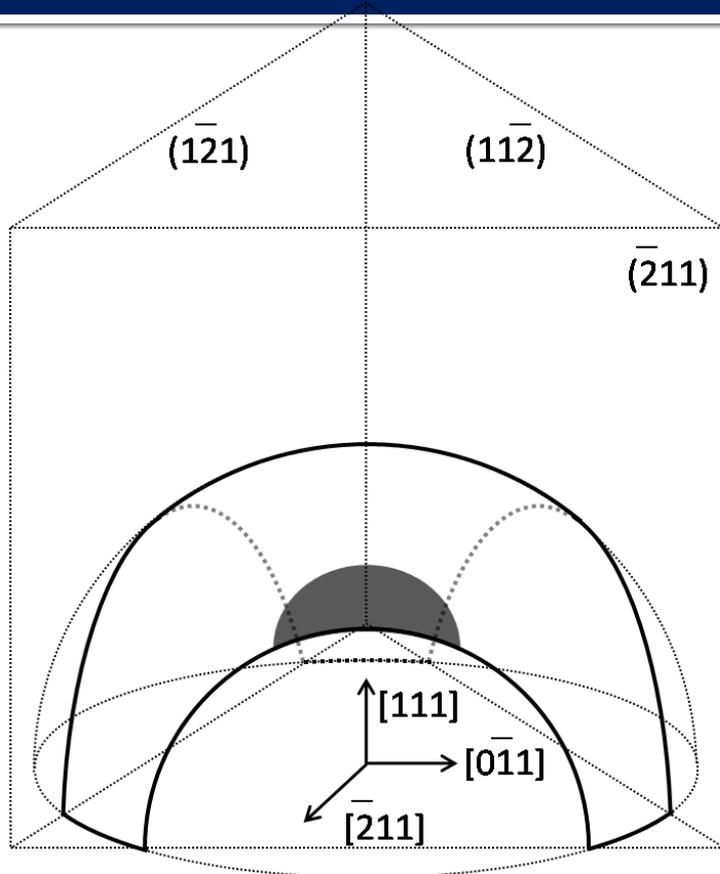


# Sequence of Shear Loop Emission in Ta

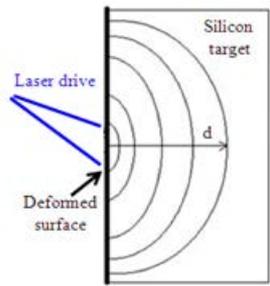
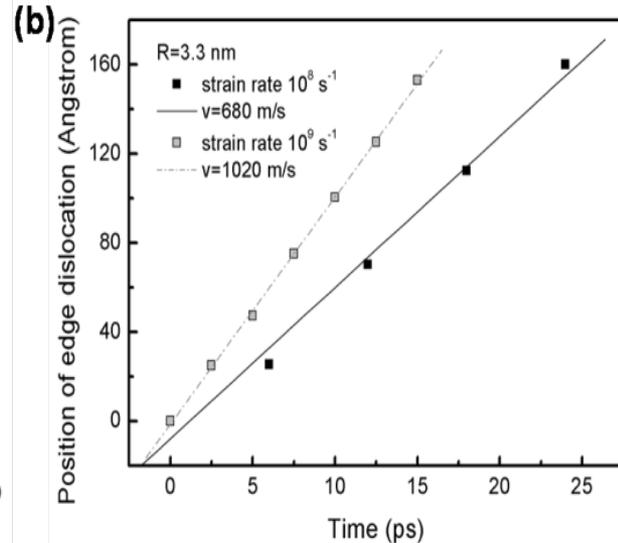
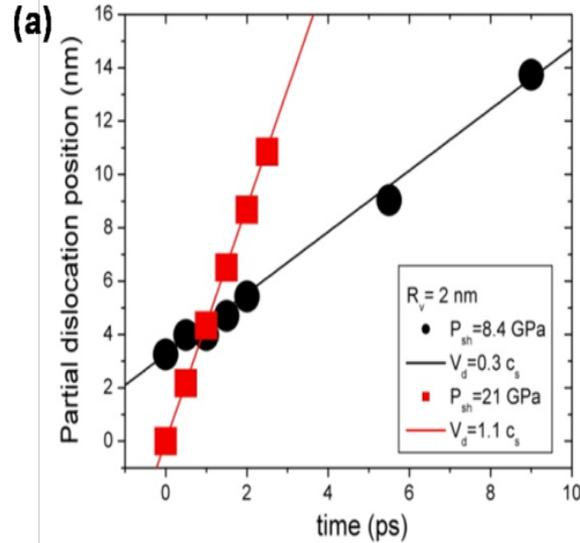
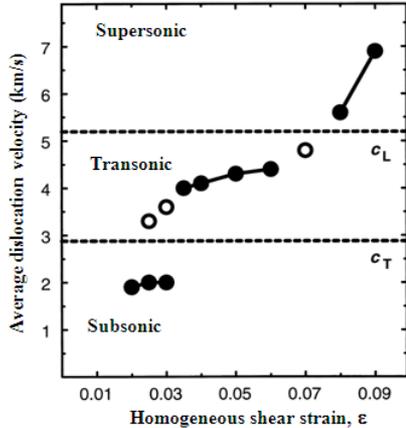
3.3 nm radius void, uniaxisal compressive strain, strain rate  $10^9\text{s}^{-1}$



# Twinning planes and directions



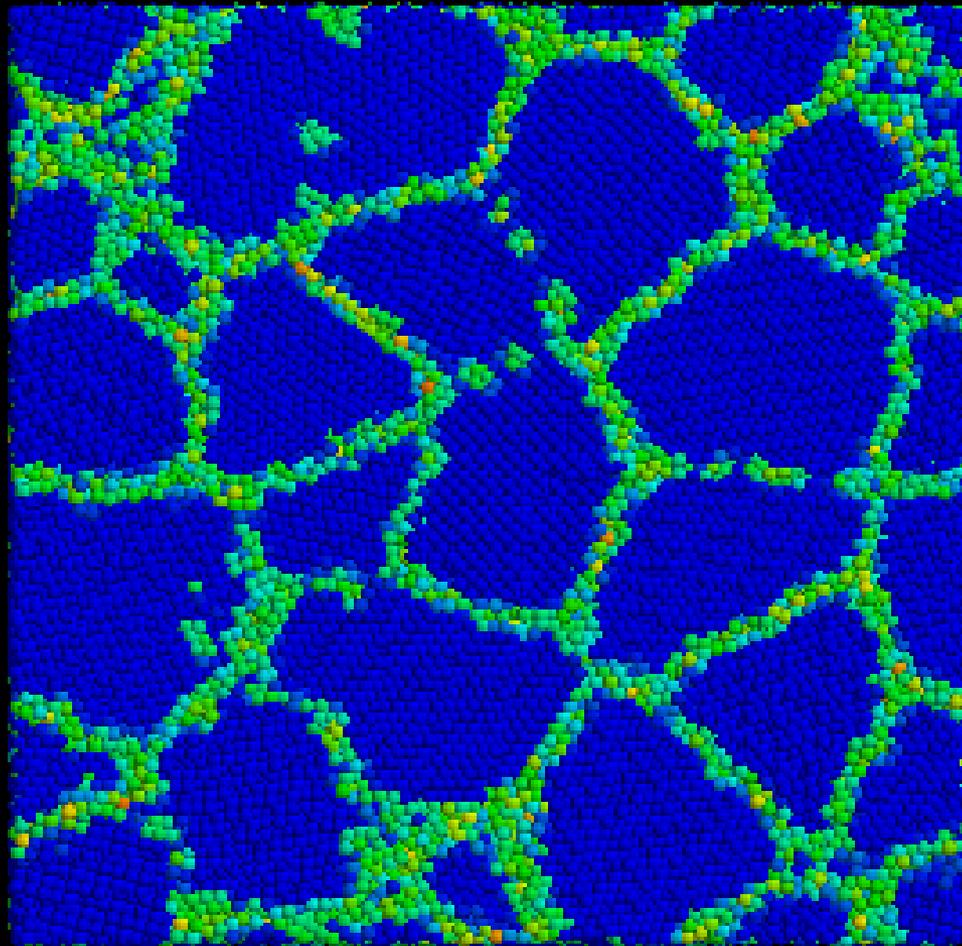
# Dislocation Velocities: MD Predictions



Ni

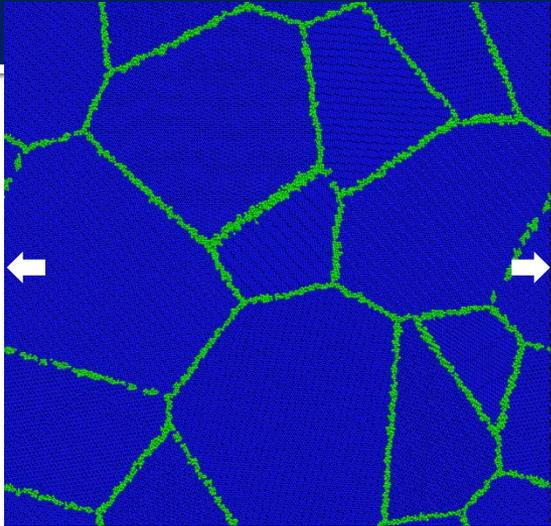
G. S. = 10 nm

# Uniaxial Compression to 23 GPa and Release

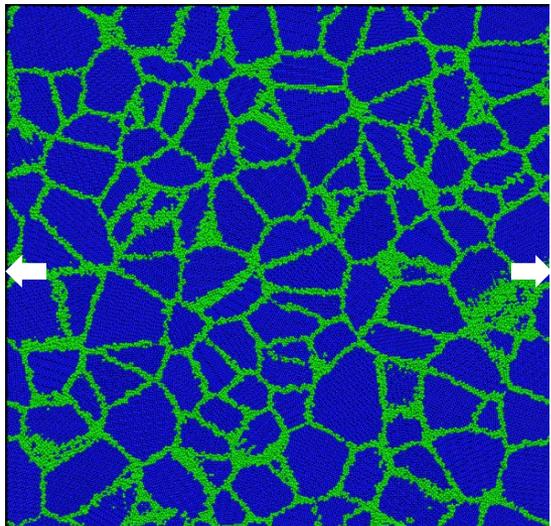


# Tantalum Sample preparation: Voronoi Tessellation

Tension

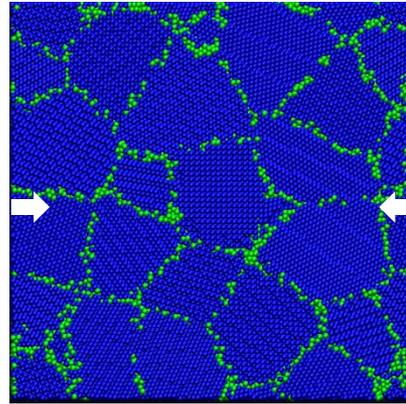


$66*66*66$  nm,  $d=27.3$  nm

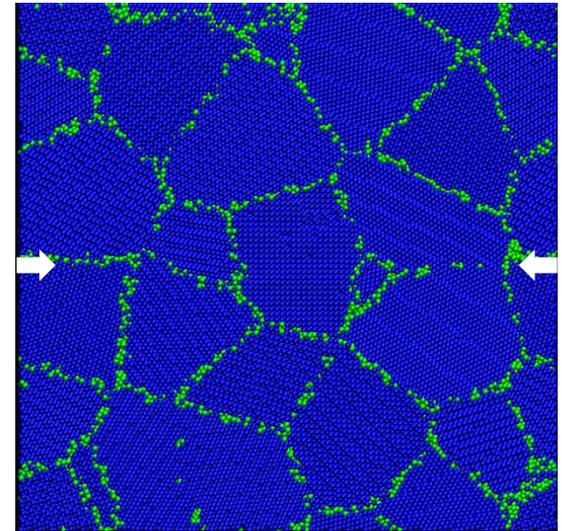


$66*66*66$  nm,  $d=8.72$  nm

Compression



$25*25*25$  nm,  $d=7.5$  nm



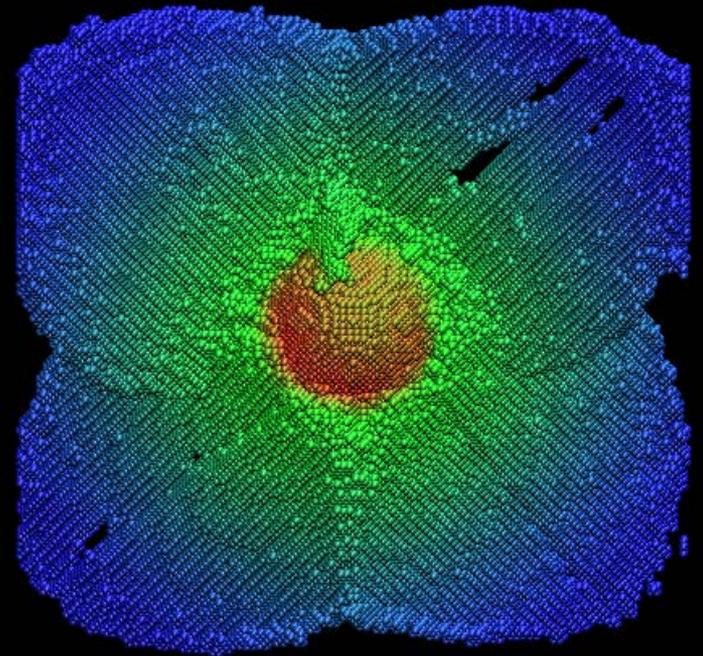
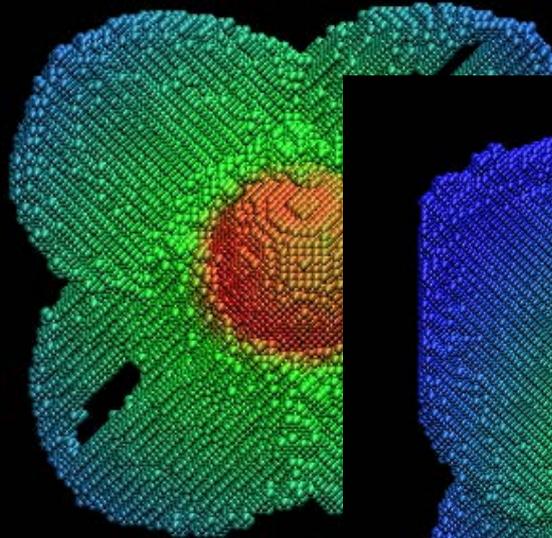
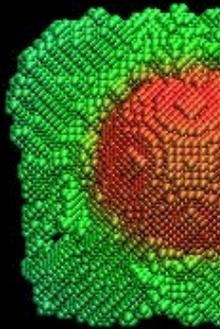
$33*33*33$  nm,  $d=10$  nm

Same topological structures



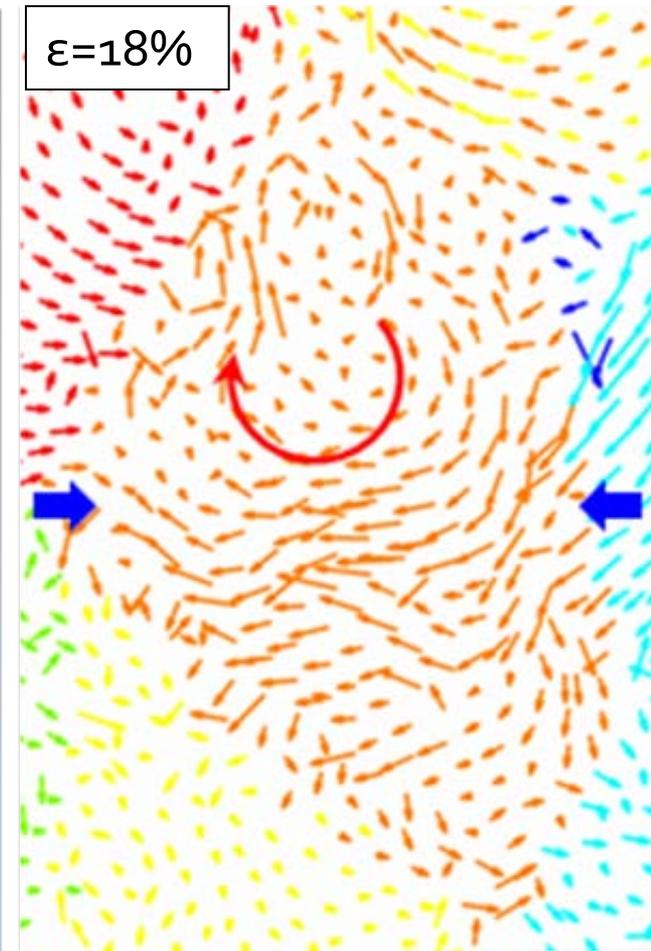
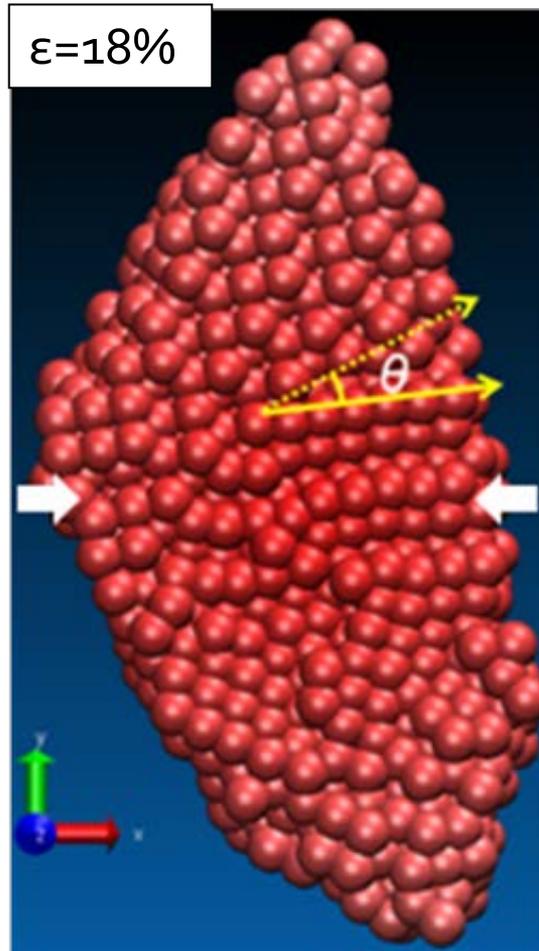
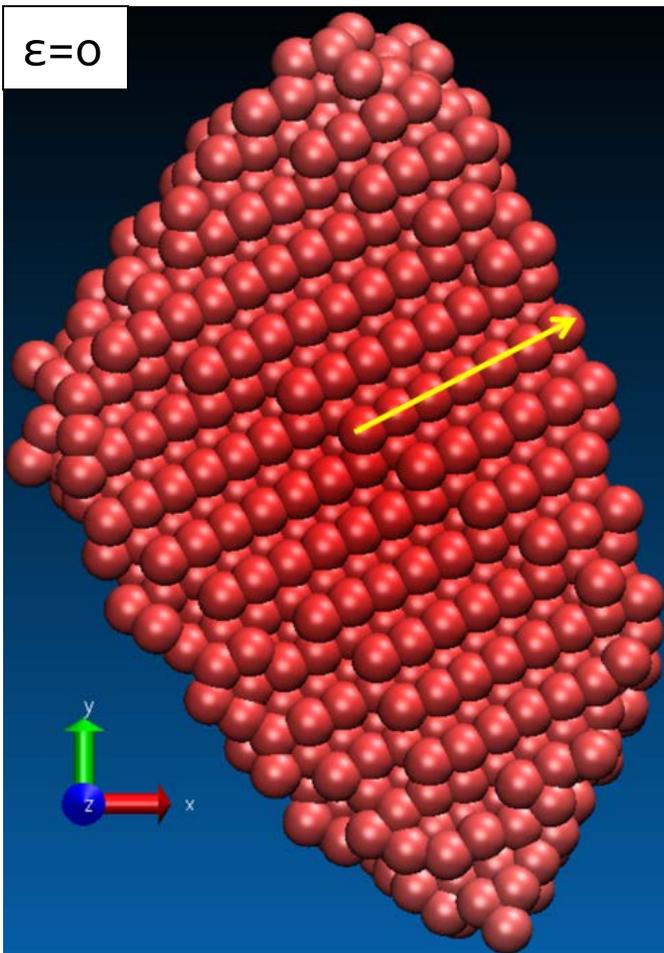
# Uniaxial tensile strain-Twinning

3.3 nm radius void, uniaxial tensile strain, strain rate  $10^9\text{s}^{-1}$



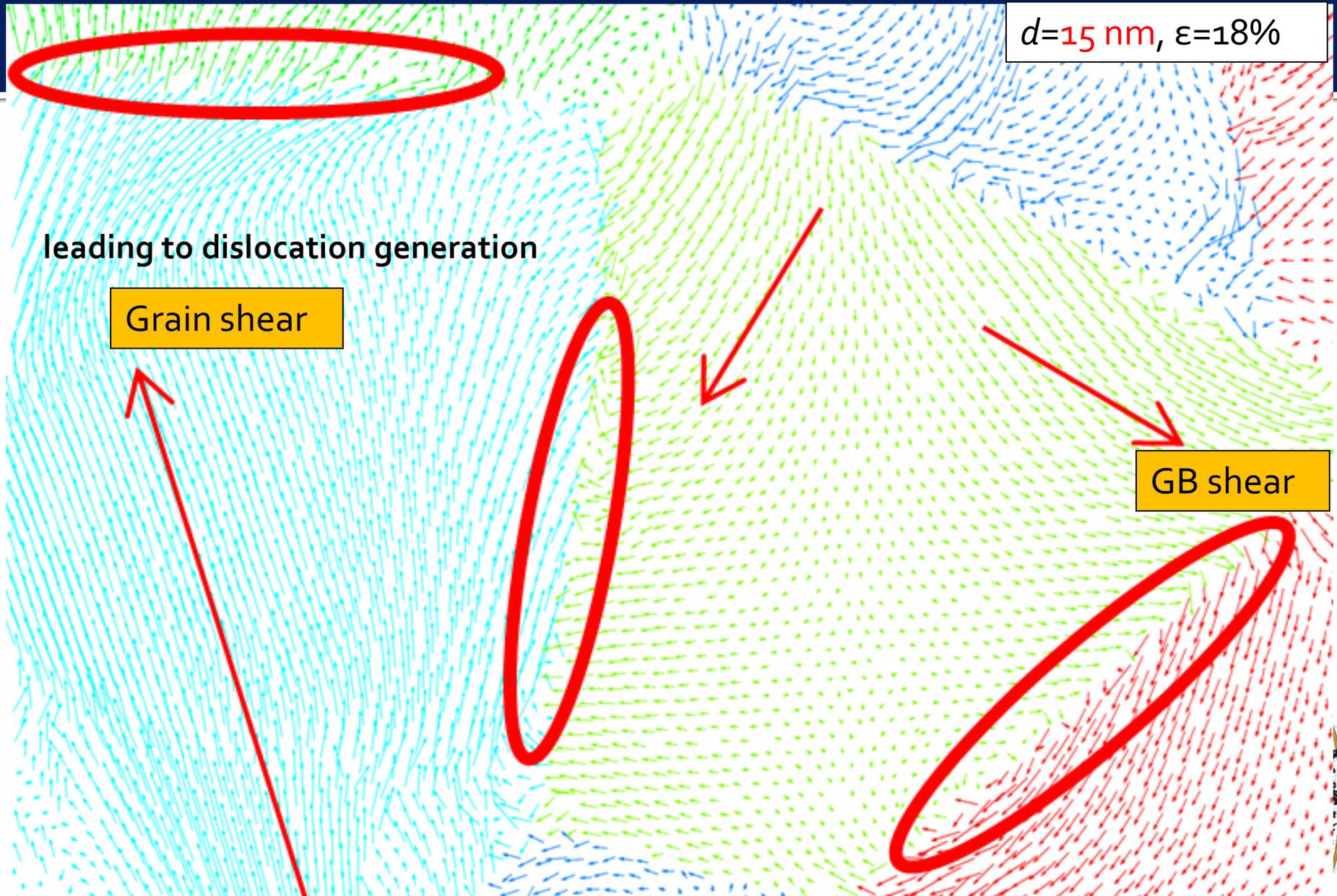
# Compression of nanocrystalline Ta: GB shear

Grain rotation

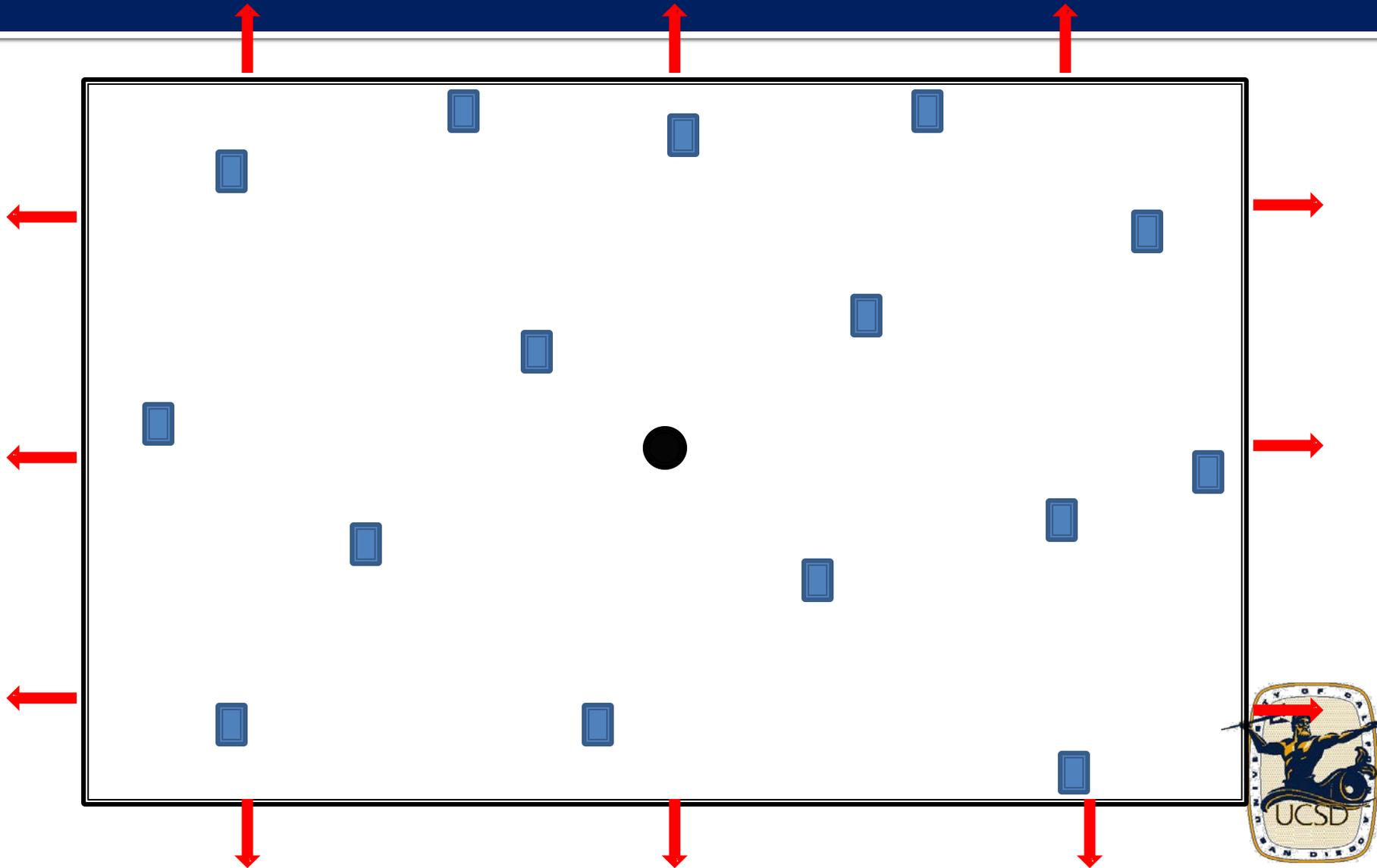


$d=5\text{ nm}$

# Compression of nanocrystalline Ta: GB shear



# Stage I: Initiation by Vacancy Diffusion



# In-plane Dislocation loops

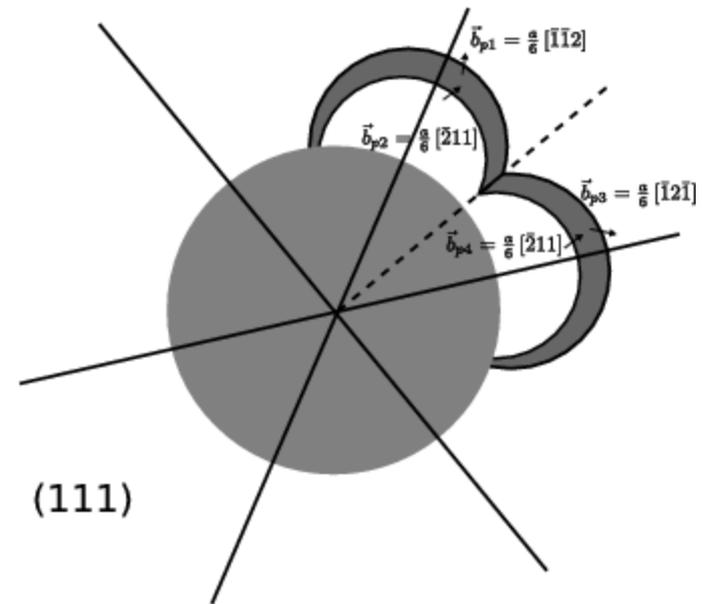
## ■ Partial In-plane Dislocations

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$$\vec{b}_2 = \frac{a}{2} [\bar{1}10] \Rightarrow \vec{b}_{p3} = \frac{a}{6} [\bar{1}2\bar{1}]; \vec{b}_{p4} = \frac{a}{6} [\bar{2}11]$$

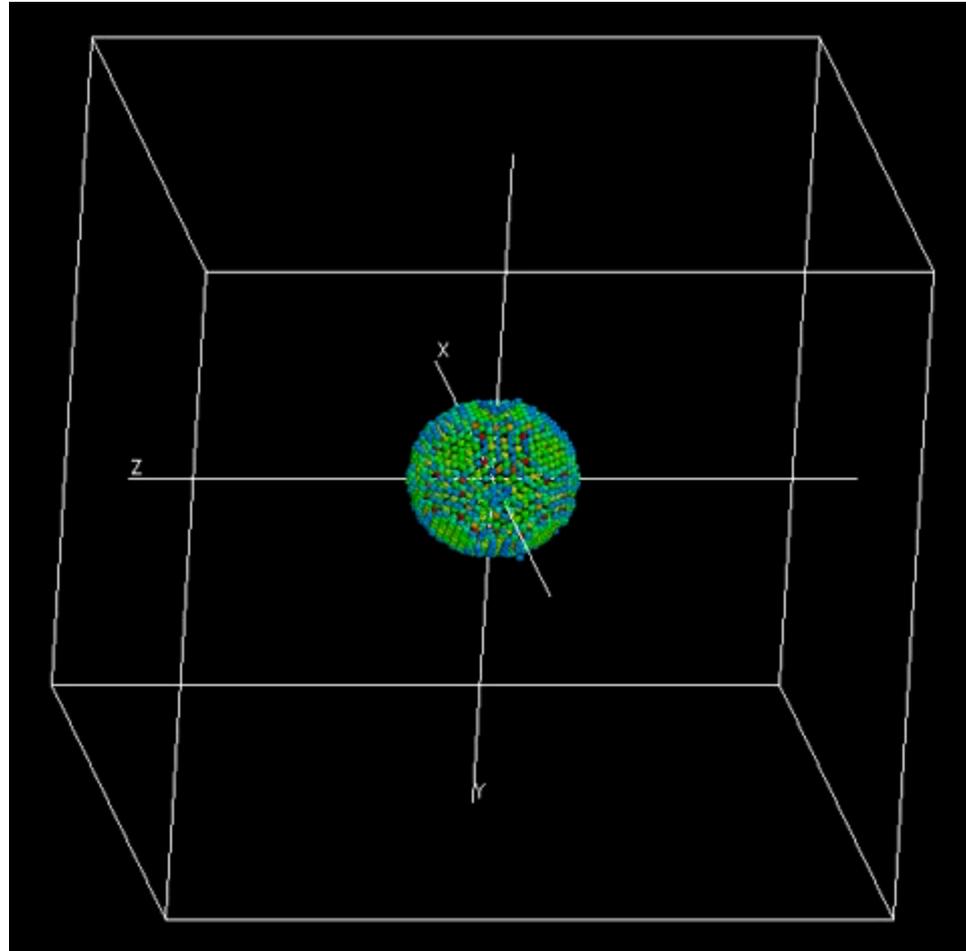
$$\vec{b}_{p1} + \vec{b}_{p3} = \frac{a}{6} [\bar{1}\bar{1}2] + (-)\frac{a}{6} [\bar{1}2\bar{1}] = \frac{a}{2} [0\bar{1}1]$$

$$\vec{b}_{p2} + \vec{b}_{p4} = \frac{a}{6} [\bar{2}11] + (-)\frac{a}{6} [\bar{2}11] = 0$$

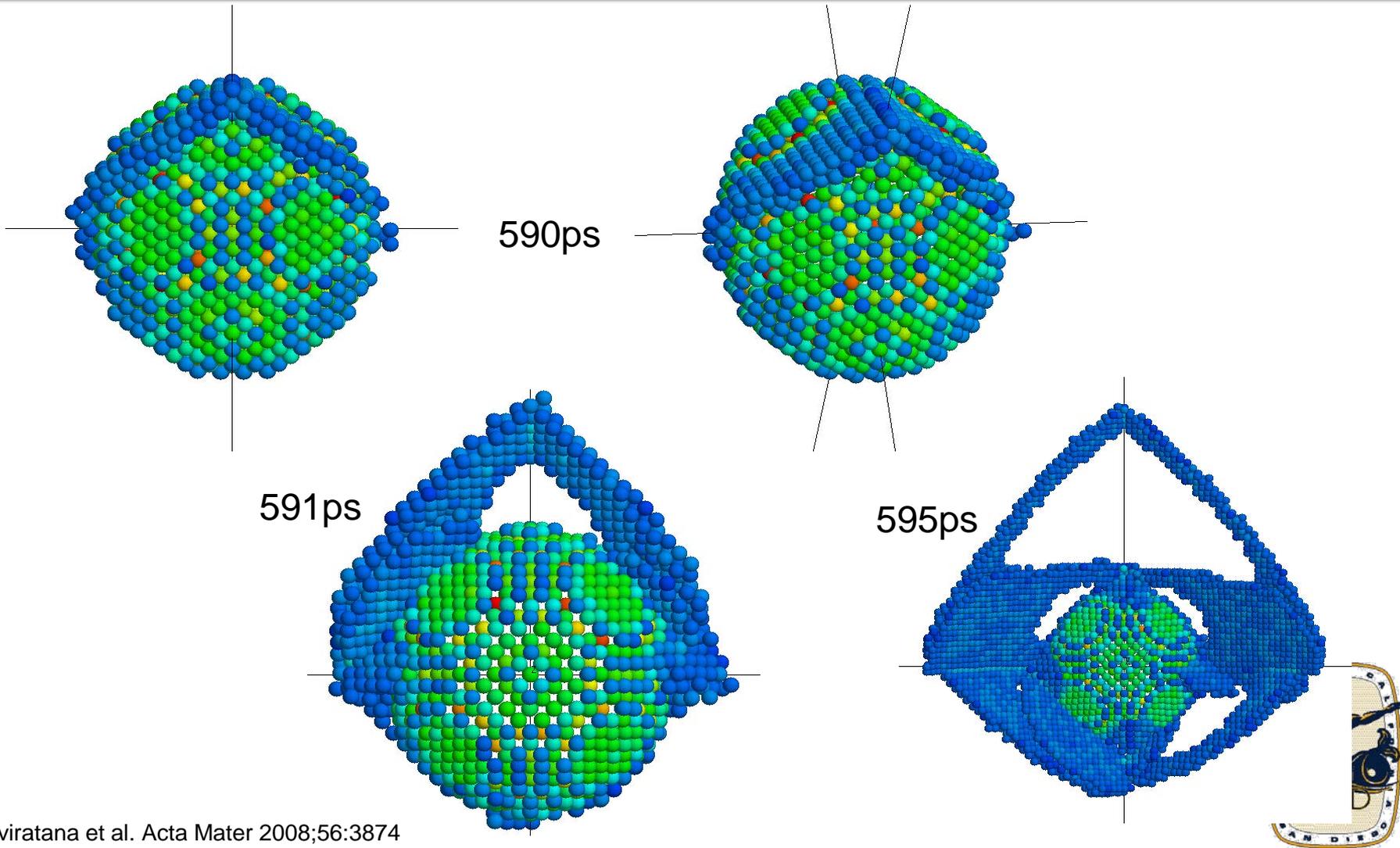


# Void Growth Simulation-loading [001]

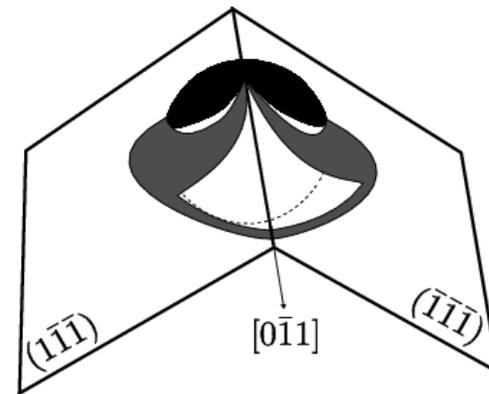
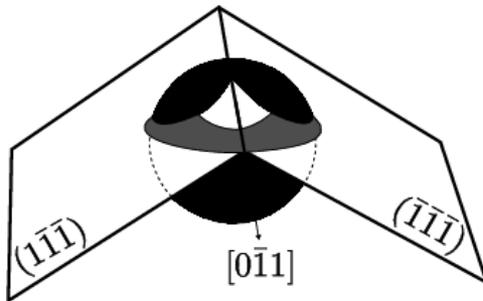
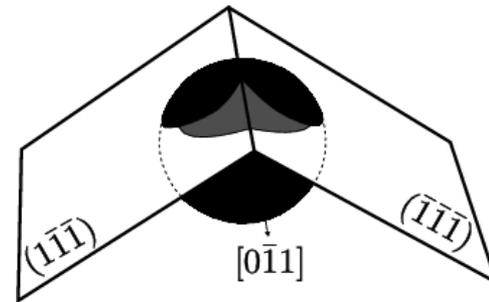
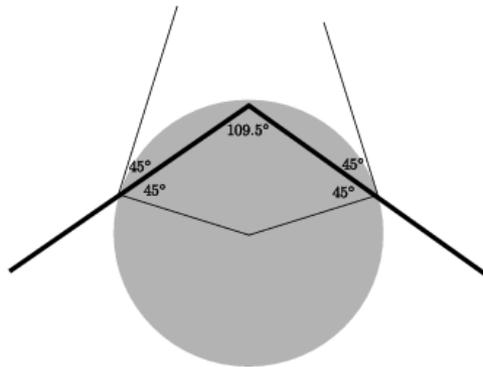
[001] strain direction  
along z-axis



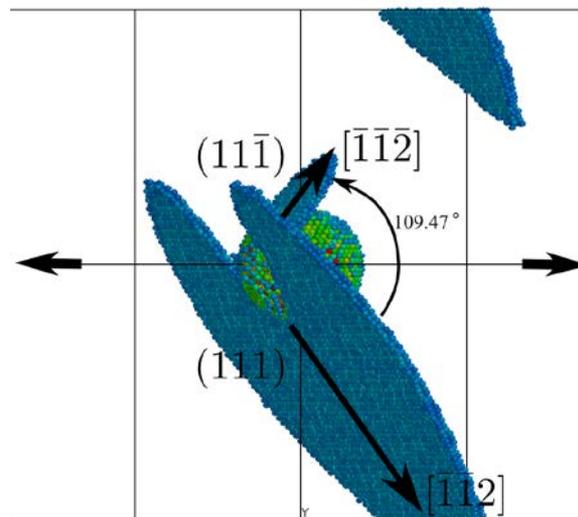
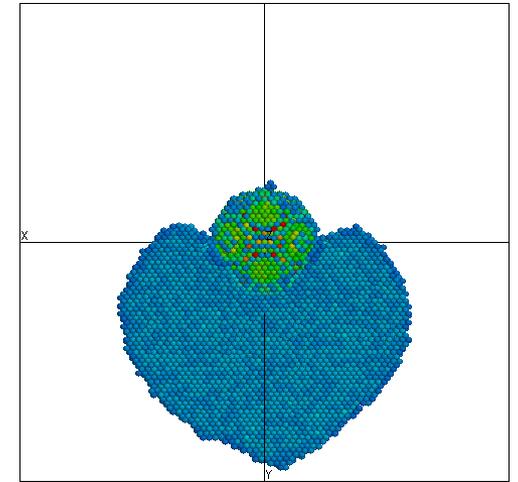
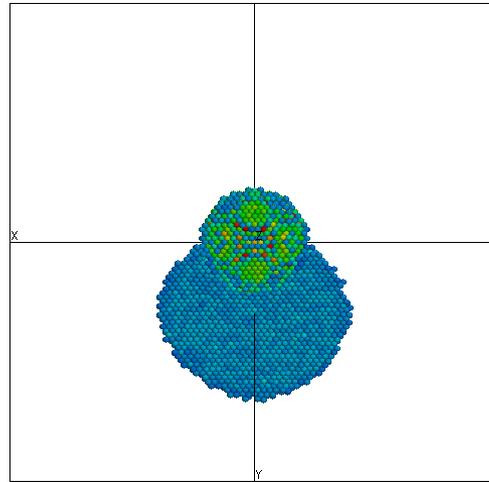
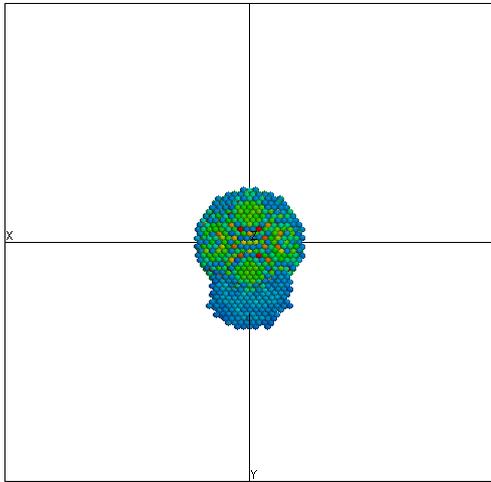
# Bi-planar Dislocation loops



# Bi-planar Dislocation loops



# Loading on $[110]$ (z-axis)

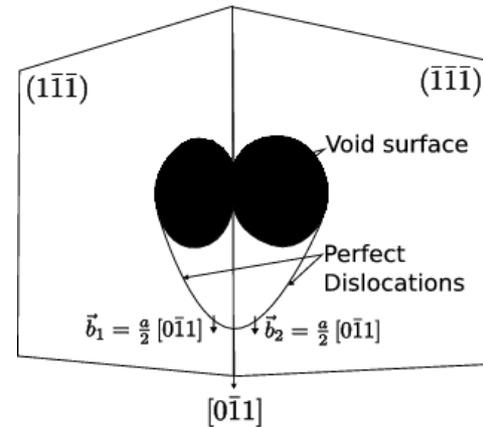


# Bi-planar Dislocation loops

- Perfect Dislocation – Bi-Planar Interaction

$$\vec{b}_1 + \vec{b}_2 = \vec{b}_7$$

$$\frac{a}{2} [0\bar{1}1] + (-) \frac{a}{2} [0\bar{1}1] = 0$$



# Modeling of Nanovoid Growth

Lubarda et al. Acta mater 2004.

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Meyers et al. J Mater 2009.

Bringa et al. Acta Mater 2010.



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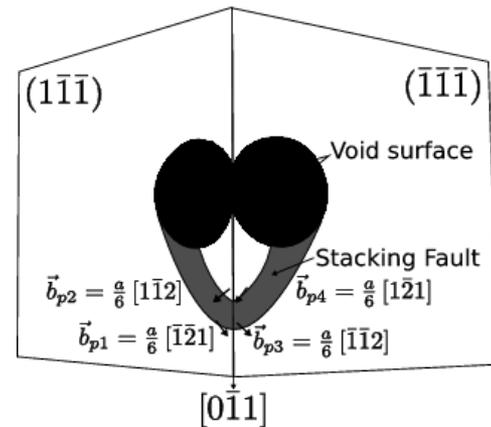
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$$\frac{a^2}{2} > \frac{a^2}{6} + \frac{a^2}{6} = \frac{a^2}{3}$$

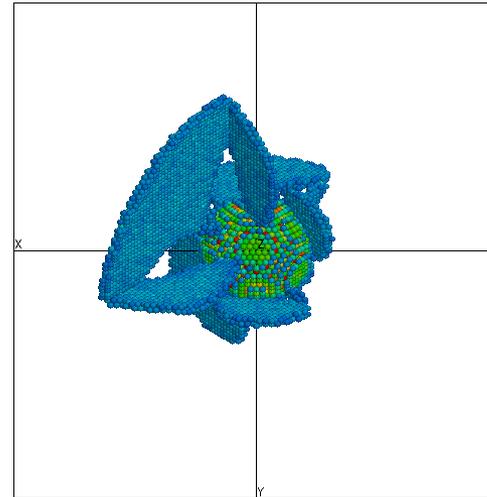
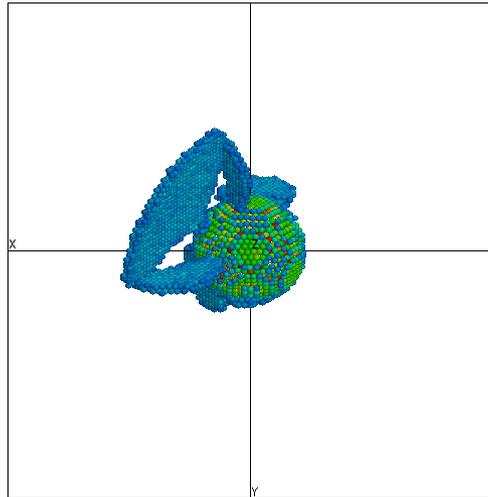
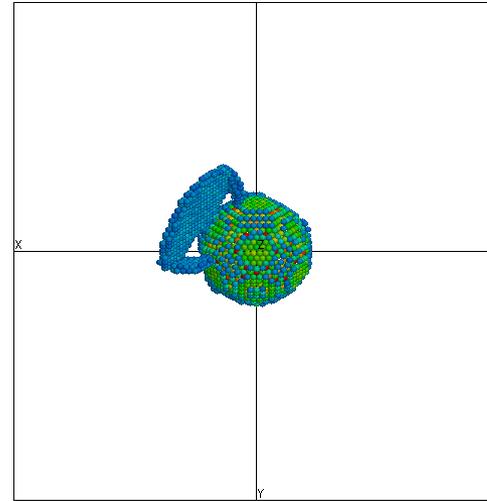
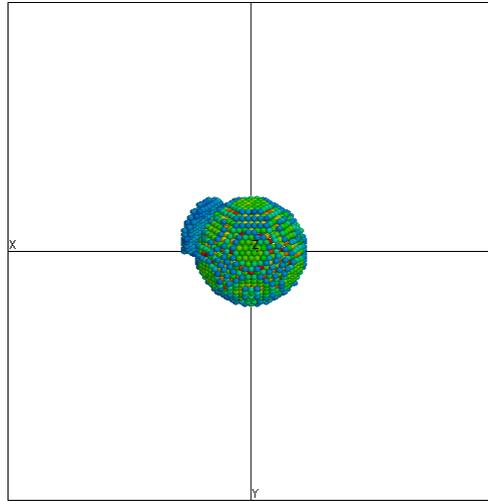
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$$\frac{a^2}{6} + \frac{a^2}{6} = \frac{a^2}{3} > \frac{a^2}{18}$$



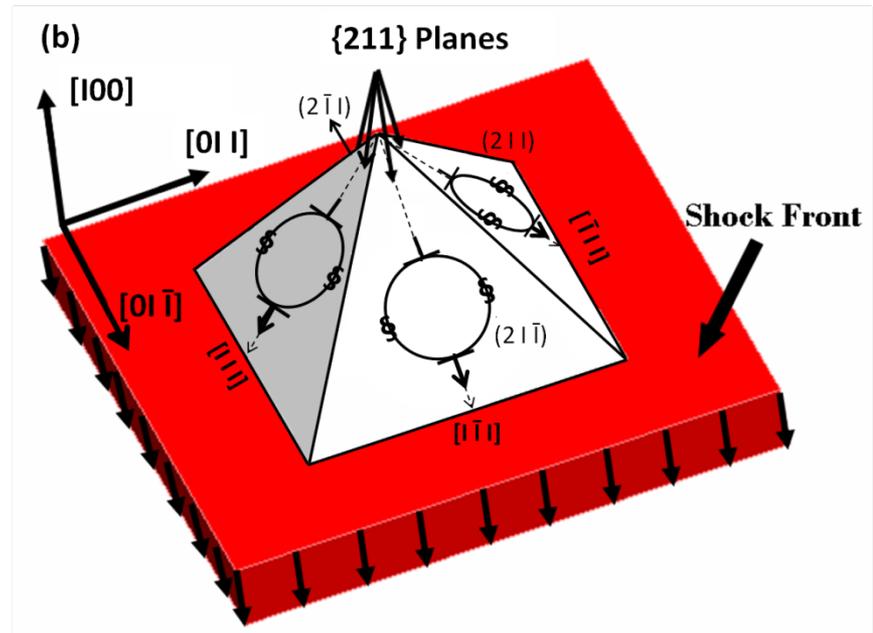
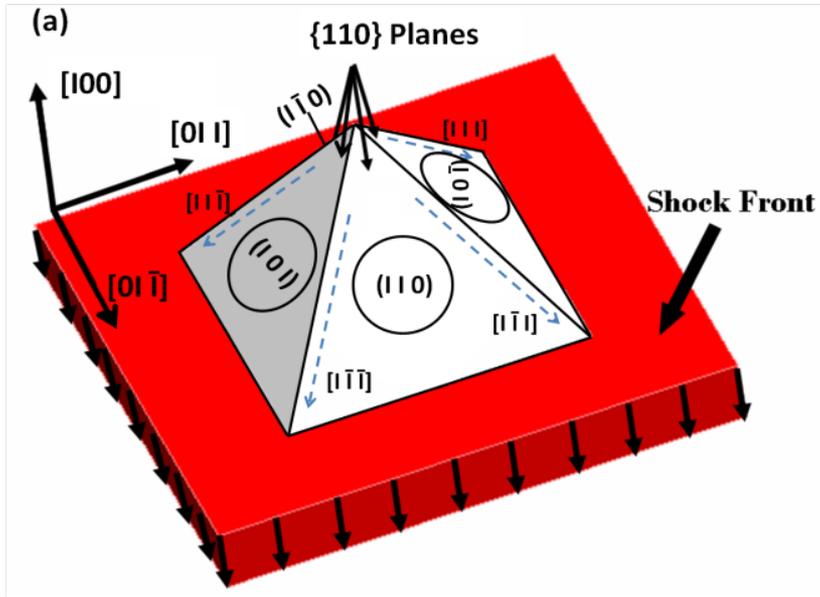
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# Conclusions: Deformation in Tension

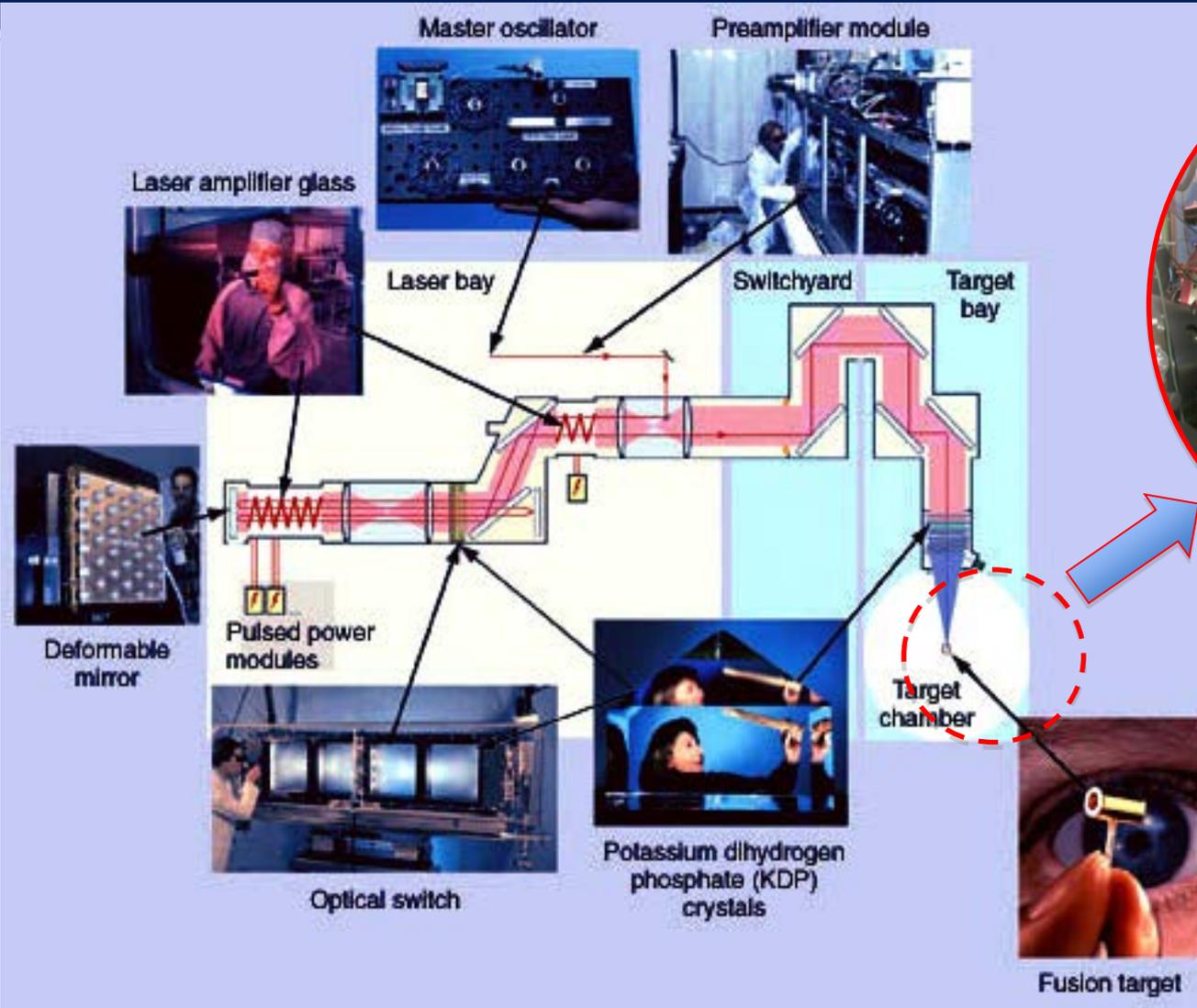
- **FCC Cu:** dislocation generation at grain boundaries leads to void formation at GBs.
- **BCC Ta:** decohesion of GBs occurs before plasticity, due to flow stress exceeding grain-boundary cohesion strength at the imposed strain rate ( $\sim 10^8 \text{ s}^{-1}$ ).





# First Generation

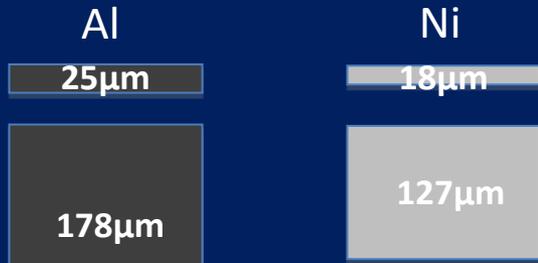
## Janus Laser facility in Lawrence Livermore National Lab



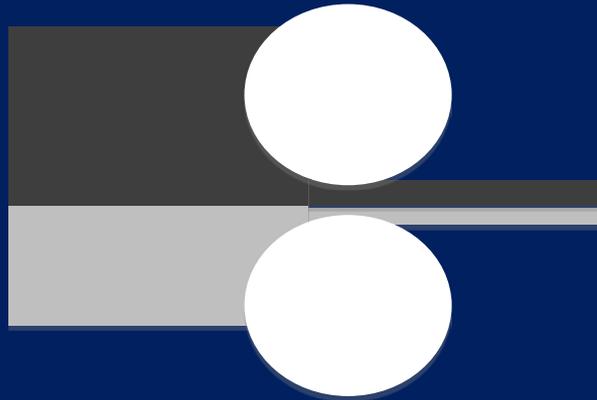
Target Chamber



## Sample Conditions

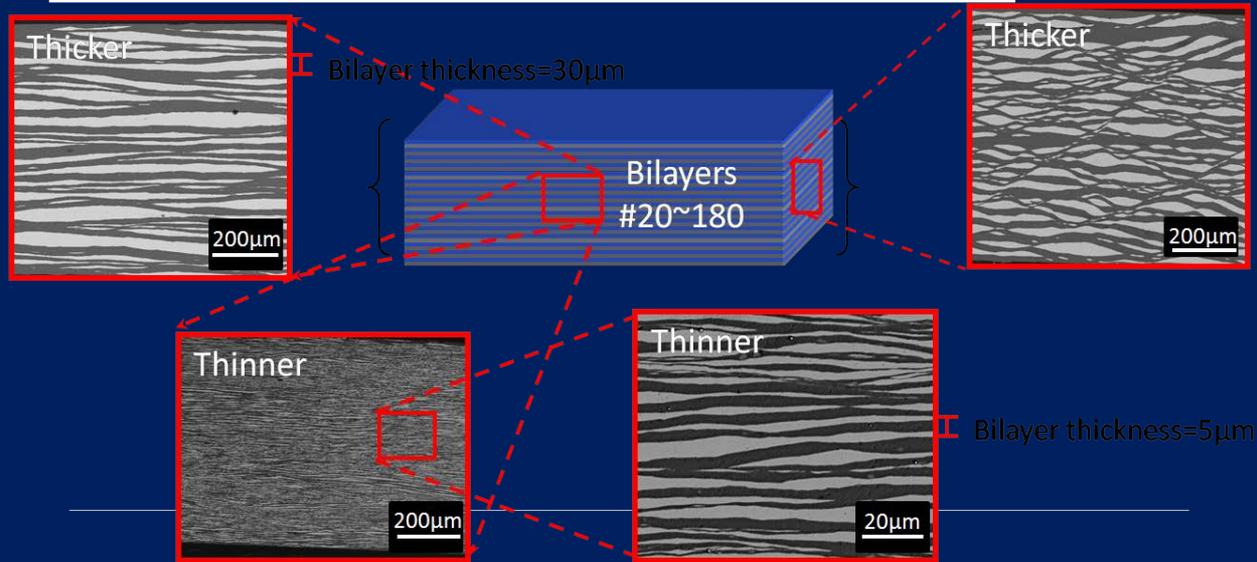


Cold-rolling

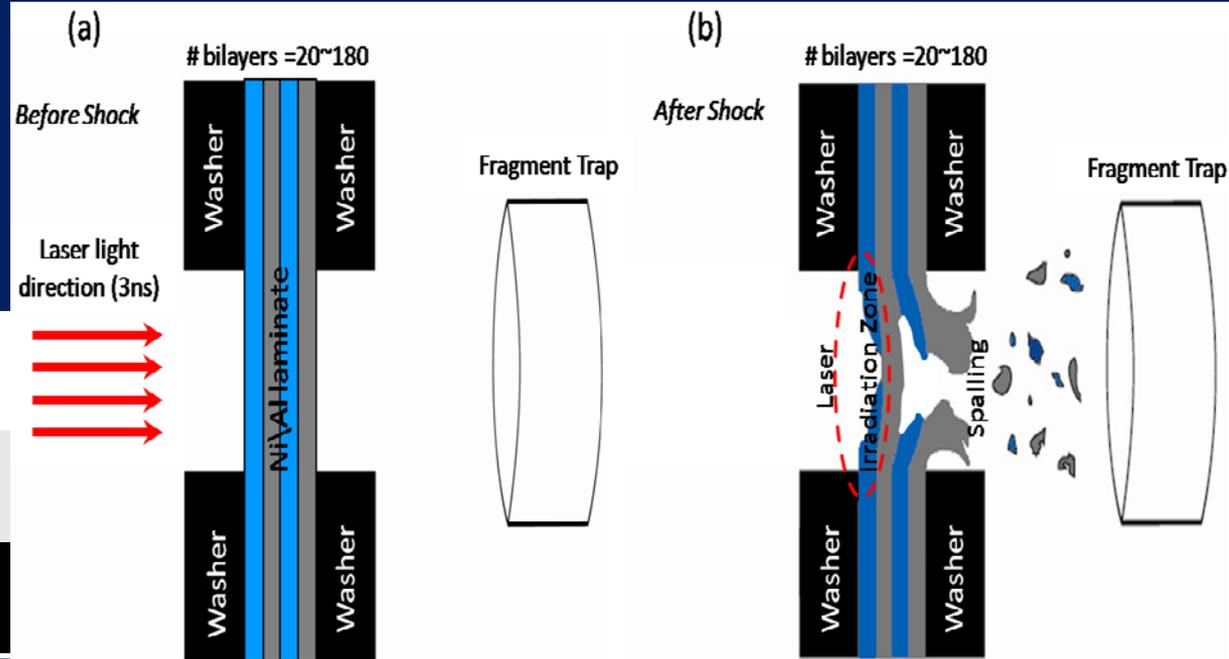


Ni-Al-5 $\mu$ m     $5 \pm 0.53\mu$ m     $\sim 0.9$  mm

## Cross-sectional morphologies of Ni/Al laminas



## Schematic of Laser shock Experiments

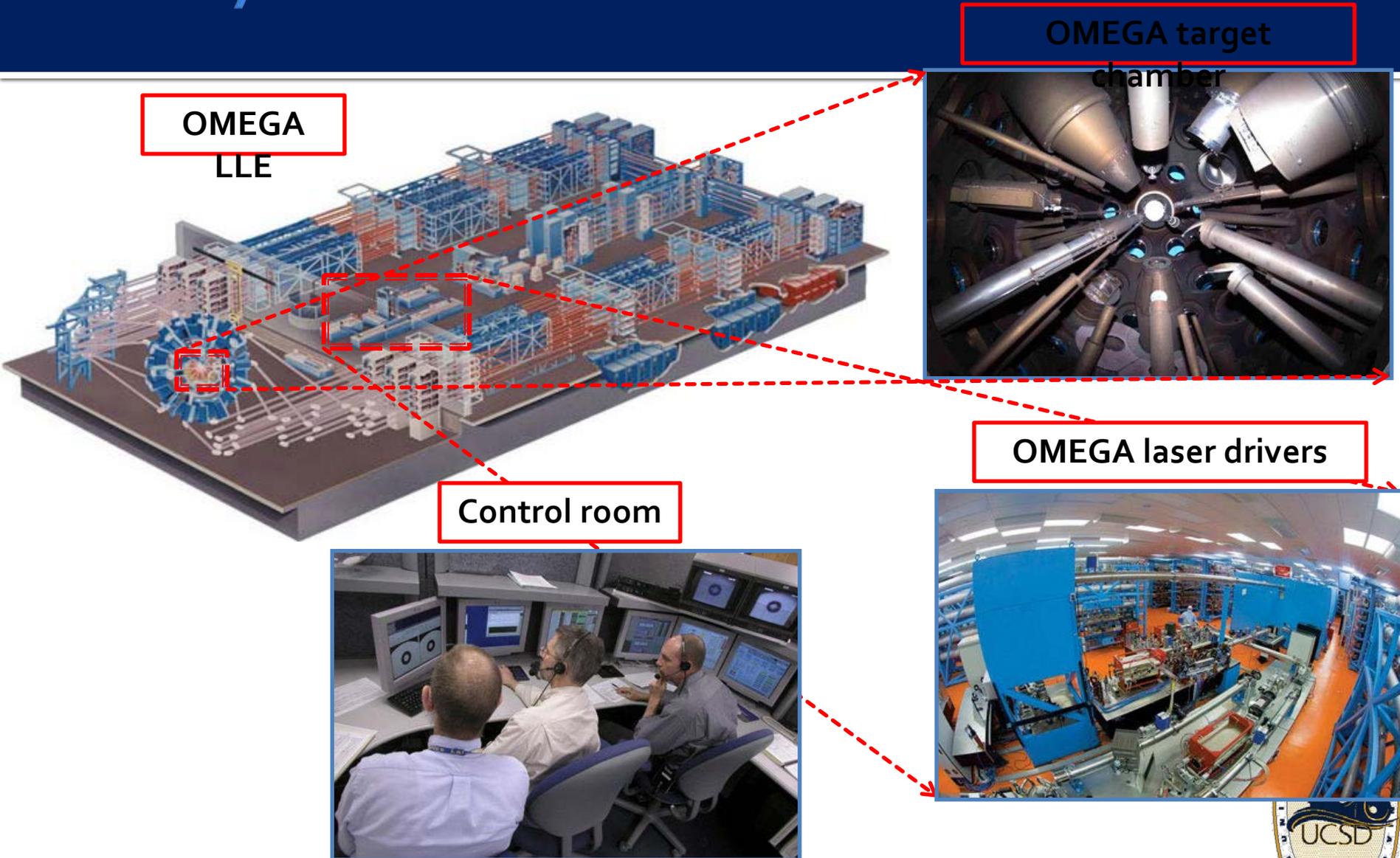


# Laser Shock Experiments: First Generation

Bilayer Thickness	8ns Laser Energy	Laser Intensity (8ns)	3ns Laser Energy	Laser Intensity (3ns)
5 $\mu$ m	229 J	$2.56 \times 10^{12}$ (W/cm <sup>2</sup> )	107 J	$3.18 \times 10^{12}$ (W/cm <sup>2</sup> )
5 $\mu$ m			430 J	$1.28 \times 10^{13}$ (W/cm <sup>2</sup> )
30 $\mu$ m	24J	$2.68 \times 10^{11}$ (W/cm <sup>2</sup> )	105 J	$3.13 \times 10^{12}$ (W/cm <sup>2</sup> )
30 $\mu$ m	409J	$4.56 \times 10^{12}$ (W/cm <sup>2</sup> )	421 J	$1.25 \times 10^{13}$ (W/cm <sup>2</sup> )



# Second Generation: OMEGA Laser Facility



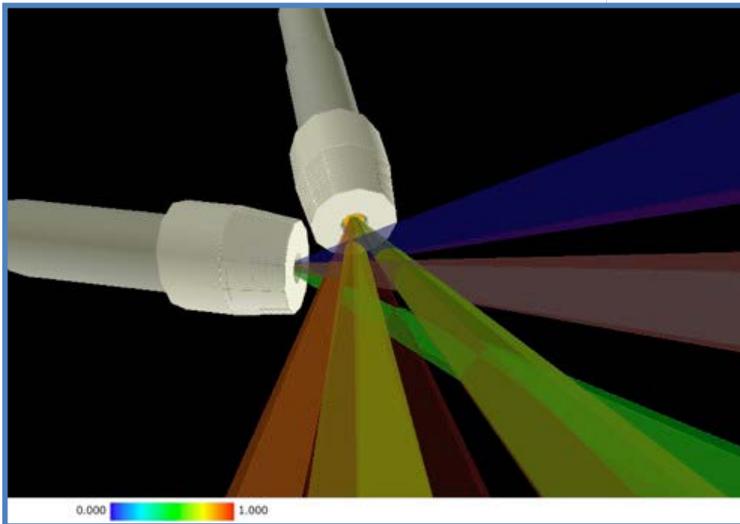
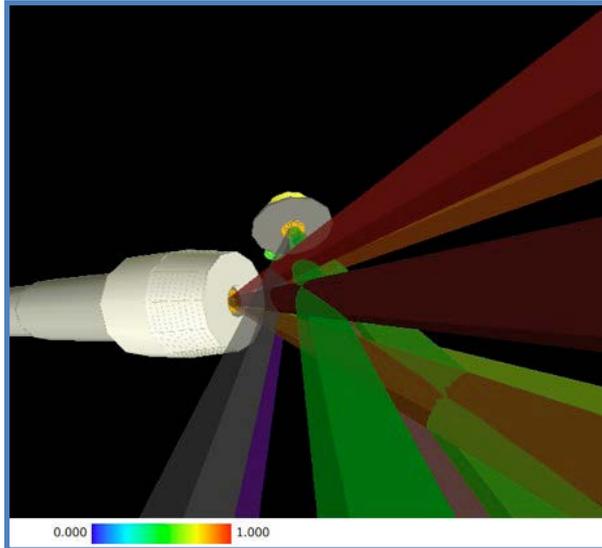
Shot #	SRF	shot ID	Configuration	Target IDs		On-target energy	
				H7-H14	H3-H18	H7-H14	H3-H18
1	32511	59039	Recovery/VISAR	19 VISAR	23 <110>	600.6	625.2
2	32745	59040	Recovery/VISAR	20 VISAR	24 <110>	351.8	352.5
3	32746	59041	Recovery/VISAR	21 VISAR	27 <100>	501.8	505.4
4	32747	59042	Recovery/VISAR	22 VISAR	30 <111>	682.7	525.2
5	32510	59043	Recovery/Recovery	25 <110>	28 <123>	476.9	489.0
6	32748	59044	Recovery/Recovery	29 <123>	40 <RL>	633.0	653.0
7	32749	59045	Recovery/Recovery	32 <poly>	35 <nano>	509.3	495.0
8	32750	59046	Recovery/Recovery	33 <poly>	36 <nano>	362.2	351.9
9	32751	59047	Recovery/Recovery	31 <poly>	37 <nano>	657.2	650.7
10	32752	59049	Recovery/Recovery	34 <poly>	38 <nano>	837.4	662.9
11	32753	59050	Recovery/Recovery	26 <110>	39 <nano>	661.5	842.7
12	32754	59051	Recovery/Recovery	41 <RL>	42 <RL>	875.3	1305.3

Sample	Laser energy	Recovery
Tube-18	653J/3.7 ns	Complete Spall
Tube-19	875J/3.7 ns	Complete Spall
Tube-20	1305J/3.7 ns	Shattered

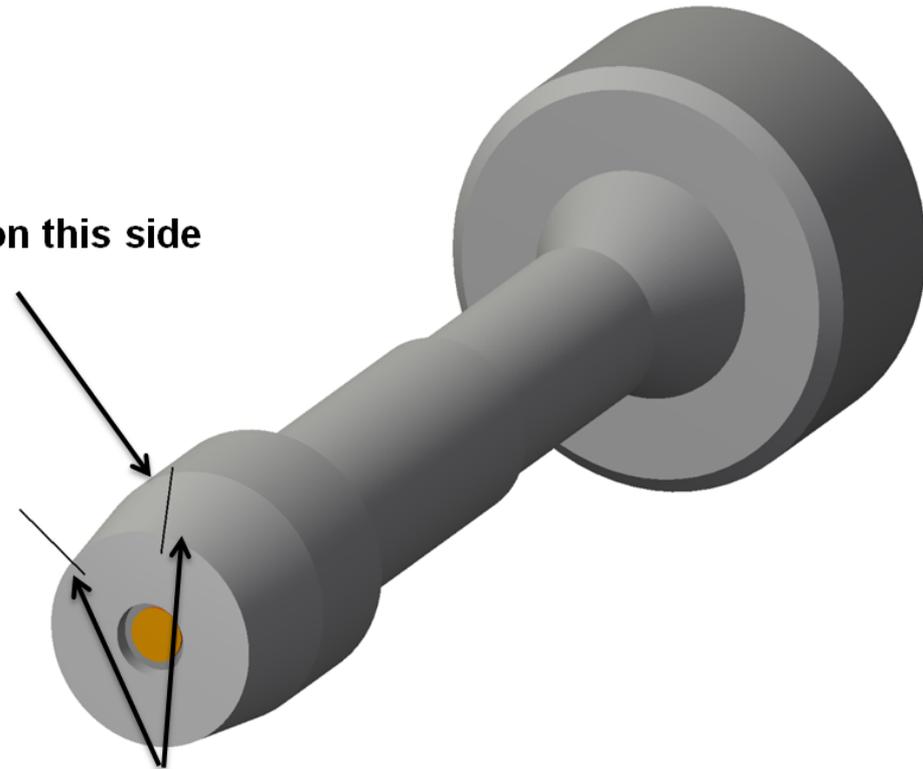


# Capsule and Target Configuration

## Laser arrangement



Vent Hole on this side

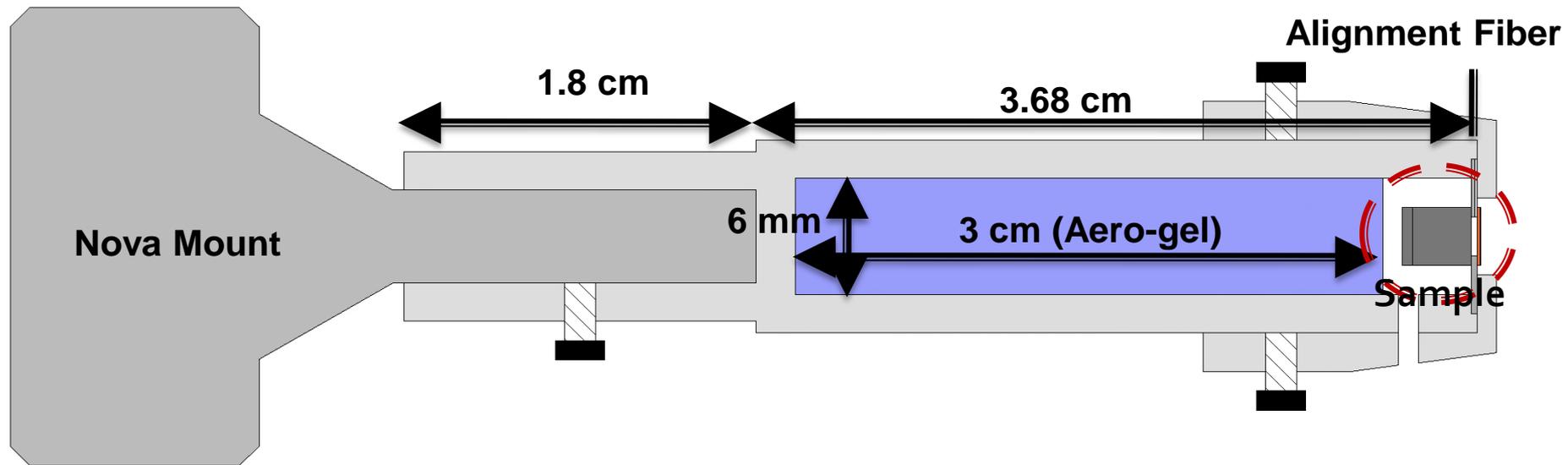


5 mm long Alignment Fibers (1 mm overlap with recovery tube)

**\*Only one fiber (drawing shows 2)**

# Second Generation

## Sample Capsule



# Collaboration with Cavendish lab, Cambridge U.

## Monitoring of Fragment Velocity and Distribution

### Experimental setup

