

X-ray in situ tomography with extreme conditions

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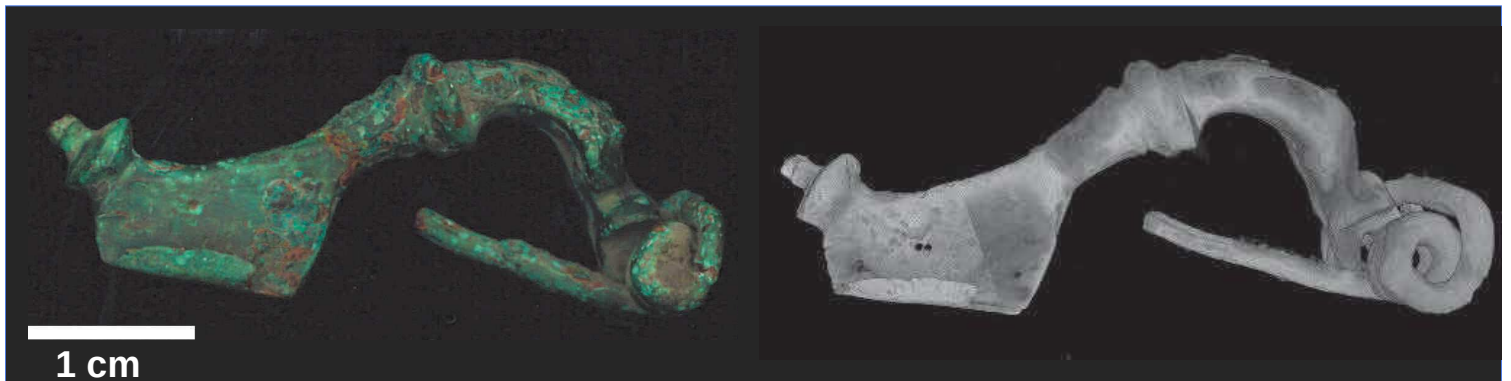
"couplages oxydation-mécanique"
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Tomography - full field approach

from Ancient Greek

τόμος tomos: slice, section
γράφω graphō: to write



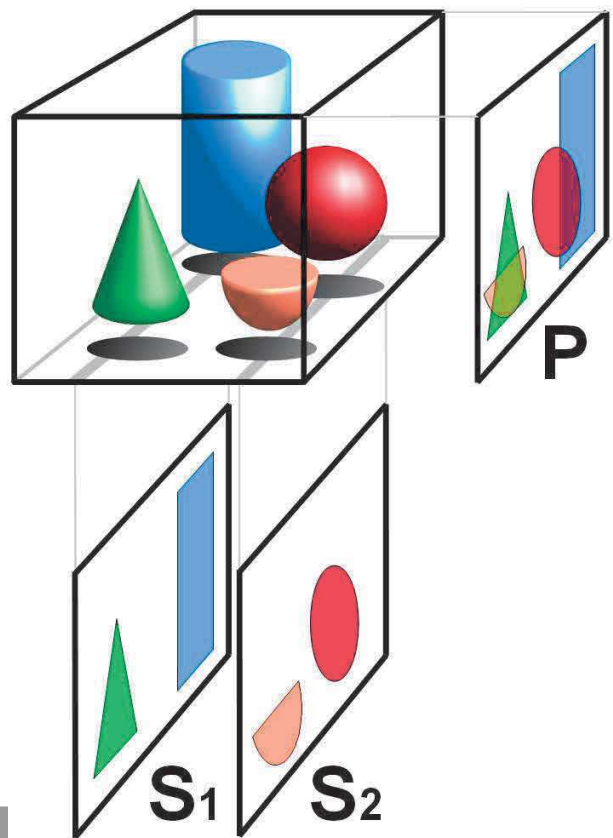
Allan M. Cormack (South Africa)
Sir Godfrey N. Hounsfield (United Kingdom)

"for the development of computer assisted tomography" (CT)
1979 Nobel Prize for Physiology or Medicine



Tomography

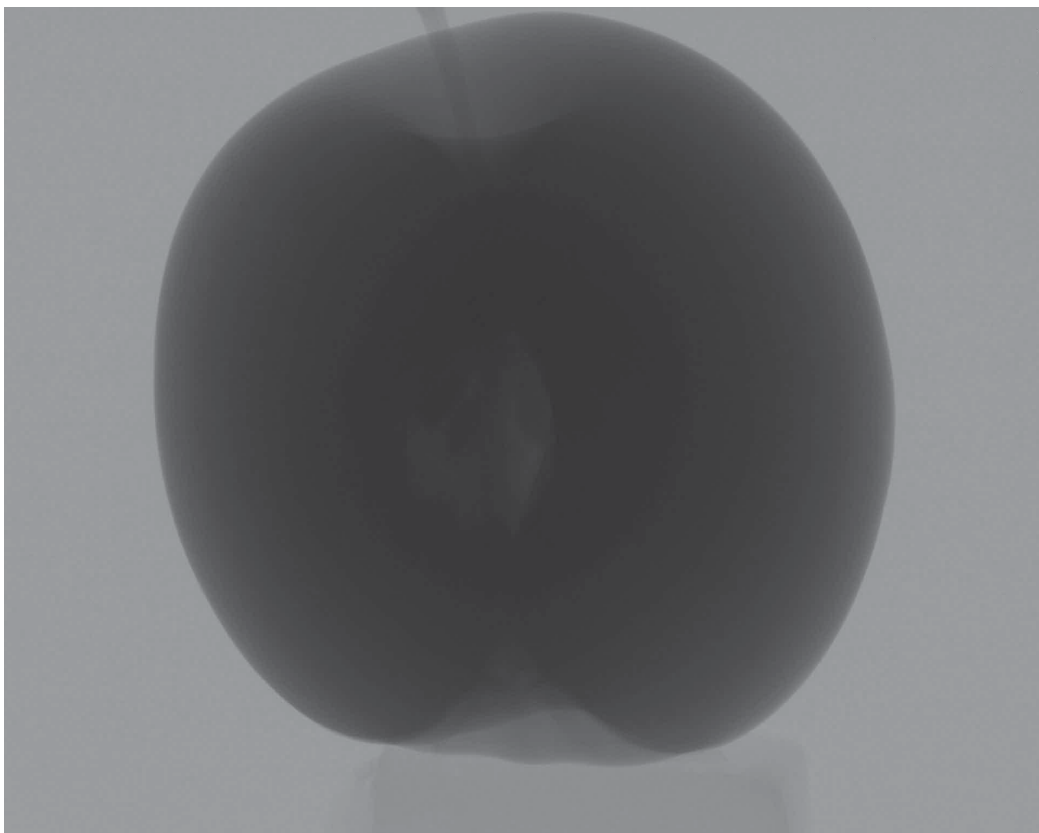
refers to imaging by sections or sectioning, through the use of any kind of penetrating wave.



"Tomography Principle Illustration" by Dtrx.
(wikipedia)

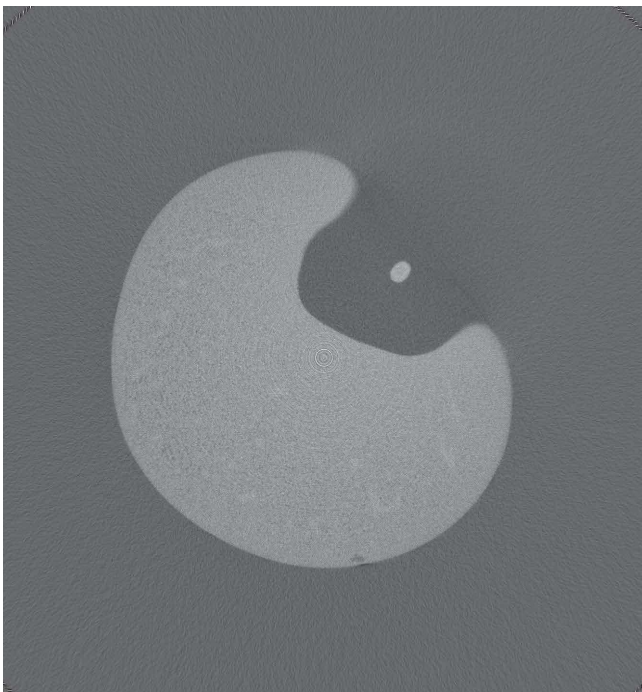
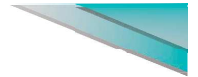


Tomography - example

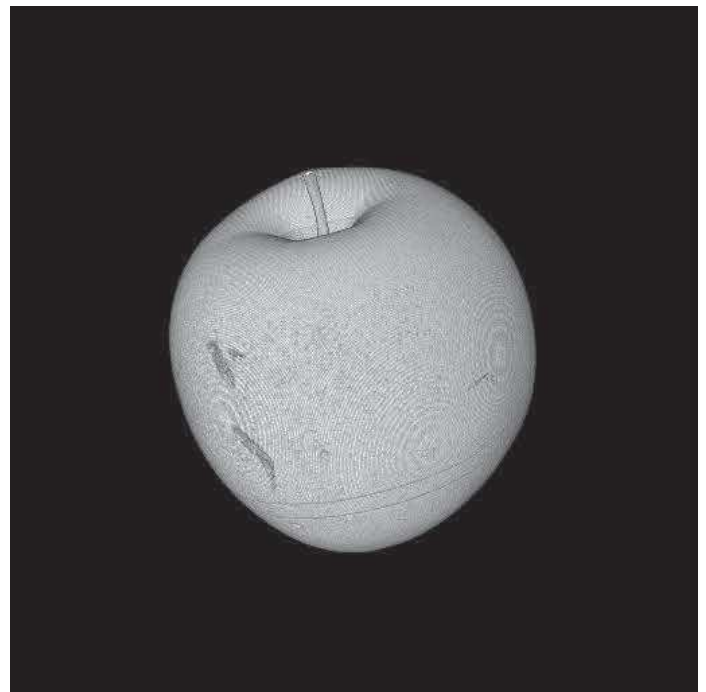




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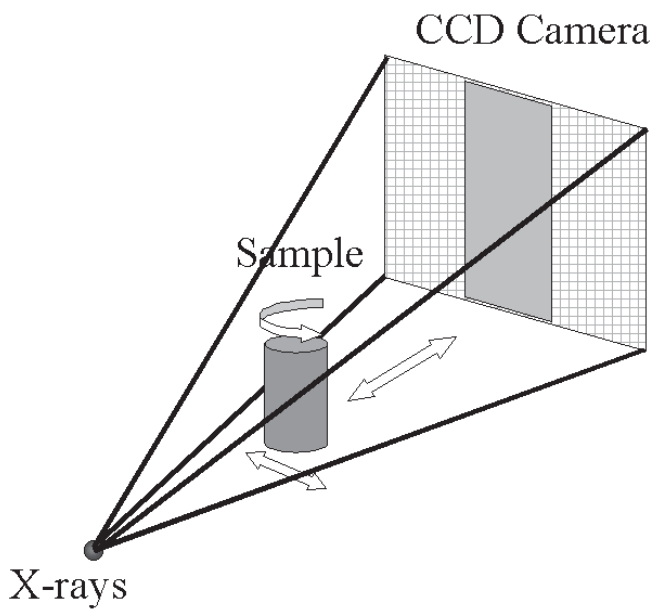
Reconstruction



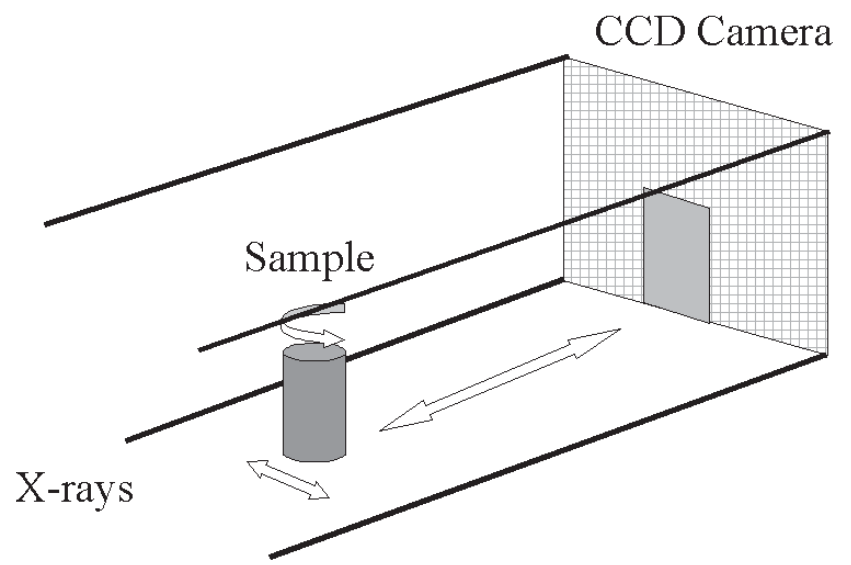
Segmentation



About tomography - geometries



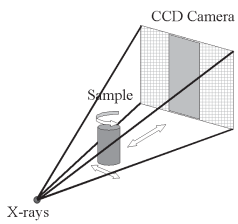
Laboratory



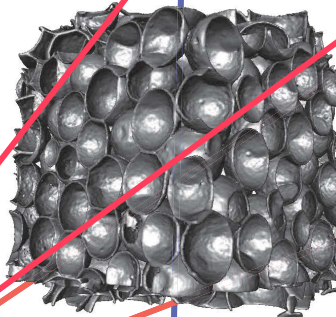
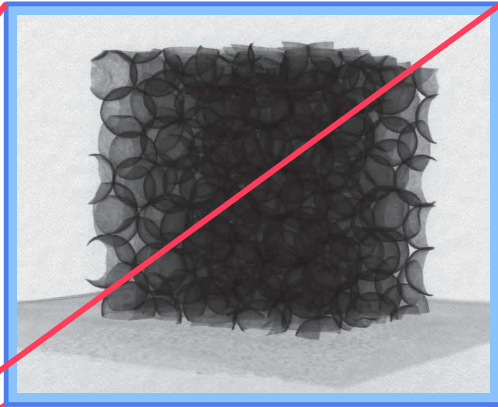
Synchrotron



Schematic Xray tomography

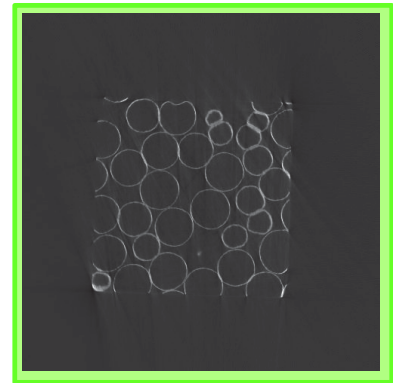


Detector



Xray Source

Rotation Axis

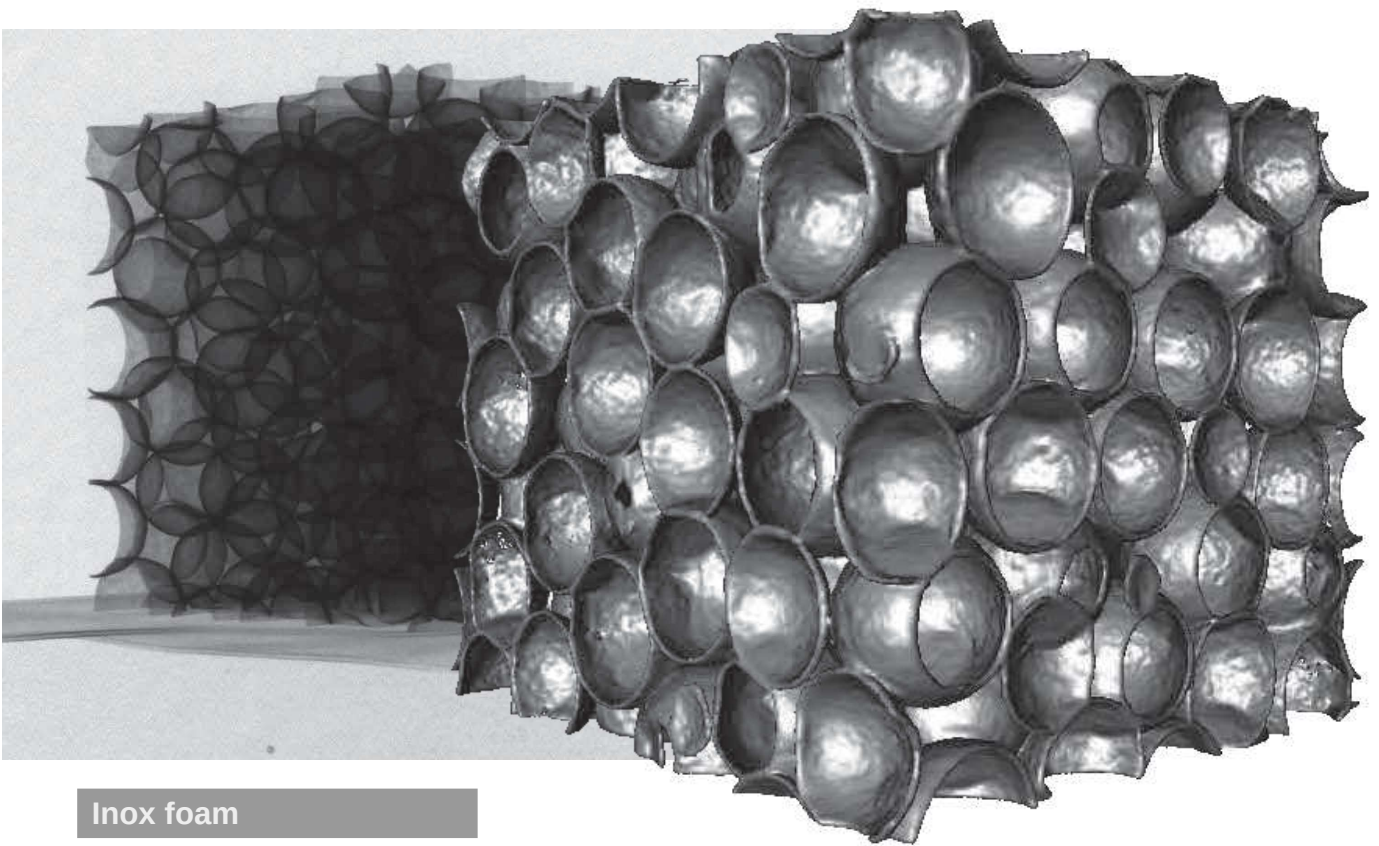


Reconstruction

70 %



Xray tomography reconstruction



Inox foam



2D reconstruction : simple case

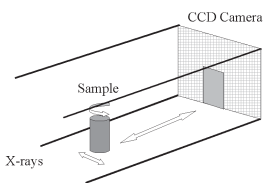
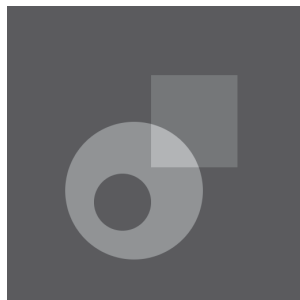
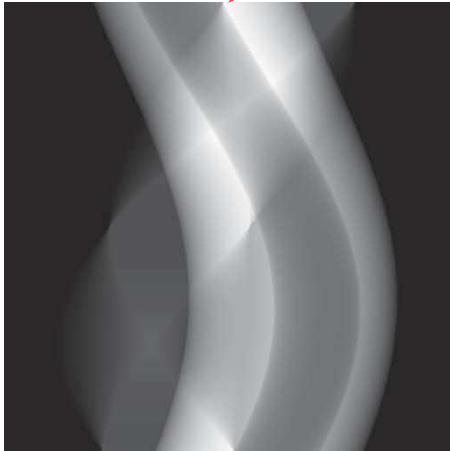
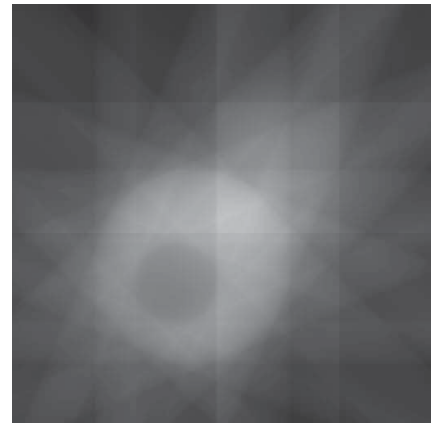


Image slice

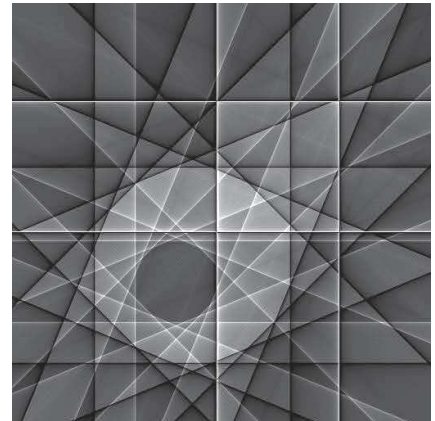


Back projection



sinogramme

Filtered back projection



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2D reconstruction : simple case

Back projection

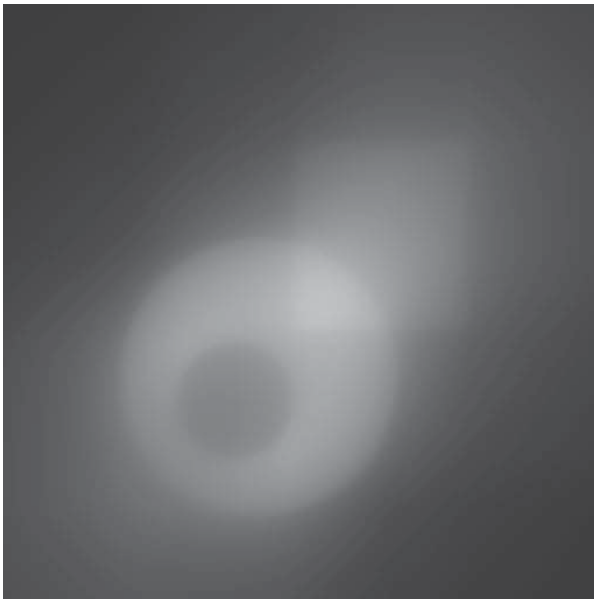
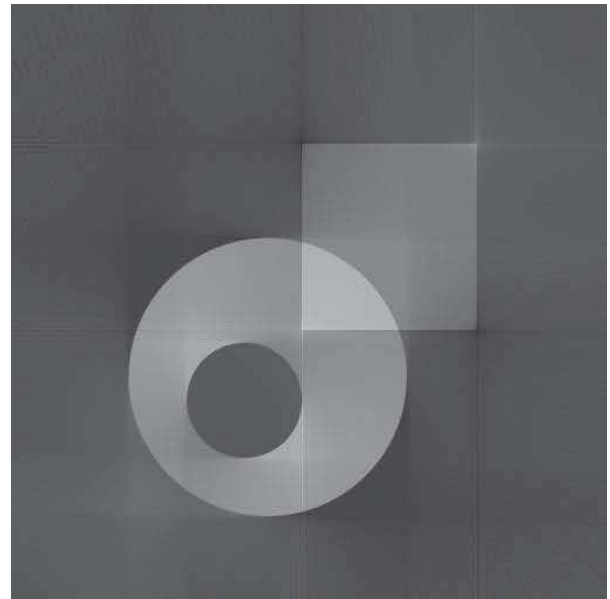


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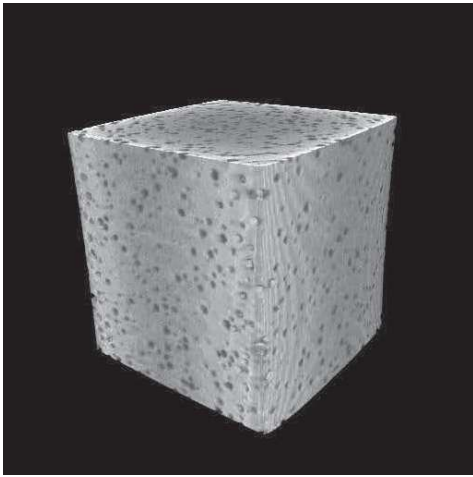
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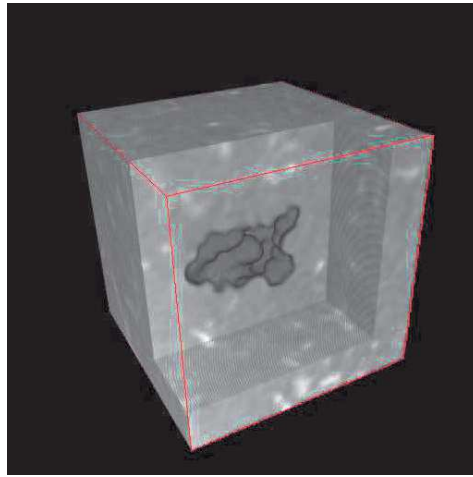


Xray tomography - examples



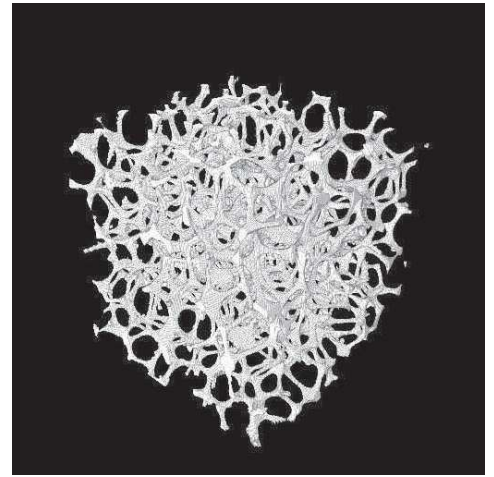
Cast iron

Graphite inclusion



Cast Al

Large porosity



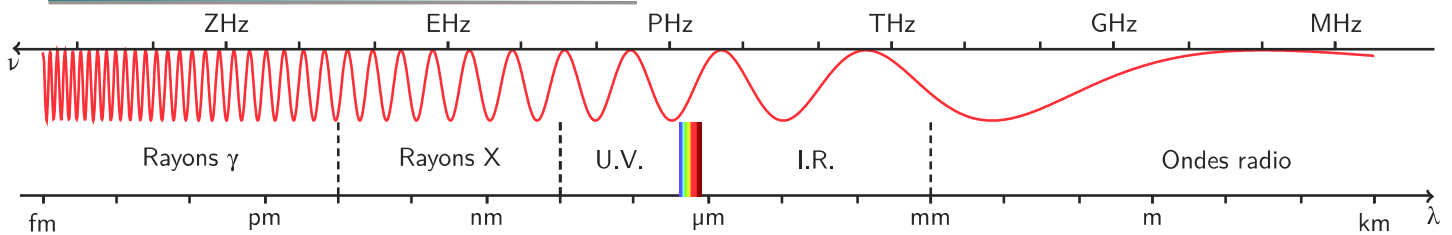
Al foam

Open cell porosity

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About X rays



> Wikipedia - Spectre électromagnétique

W. C. RÖNTGEN : Über eine neue Art von Strahlen^a

Comptes-rendus des réunions de la Société physico-médicale de Würzburg,
28 décembre 1895.

*Der Kürze halber möchte ich den Ausdruck "Strahlen" und zwar zur
Unterscheidung von anderen den Namen "X-Strahlen" gebrauchen.^b*

a. Sur une nouvelle sorte de rayons

b. Afin d'être bref, j'utiliserai le terme "rayons", et pour les distinguer d'autres du même nom, je les appellerai "rayons X"

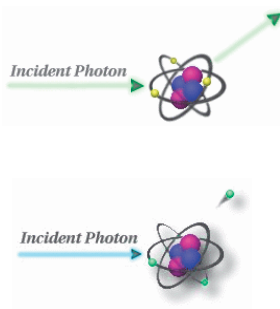
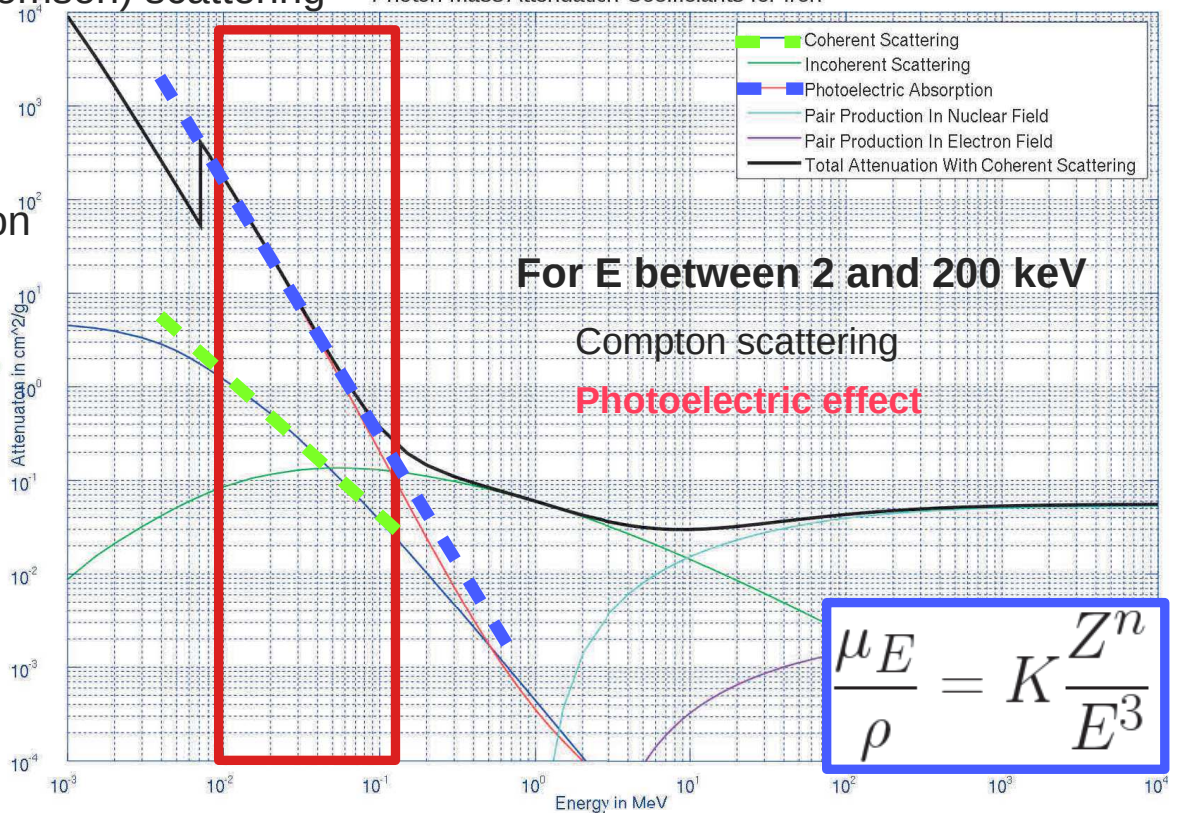


> X-ray radiograph of Wilhelm Conrad Roentgen's wife (1895)

Physical origin of attenuation

- Rayleigh (Thomson) scattering
- Compton scattering
- Photoelectric effect
- Pair annihilation

Photon Mass Attenuation Coefficients for Iron



<http://www.nist.gov/pml/data/xraycoef/index.cfm>



Case of neutrons...





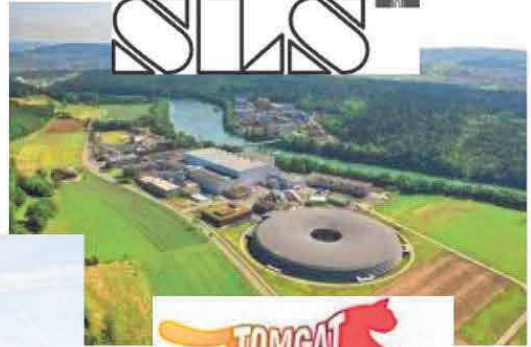
Tomographes - Laboratoire vs. Synchrotrons

- Phase contrast, high flux, availability ...



SWISS LIGHT SOURCE

SLS



diamond

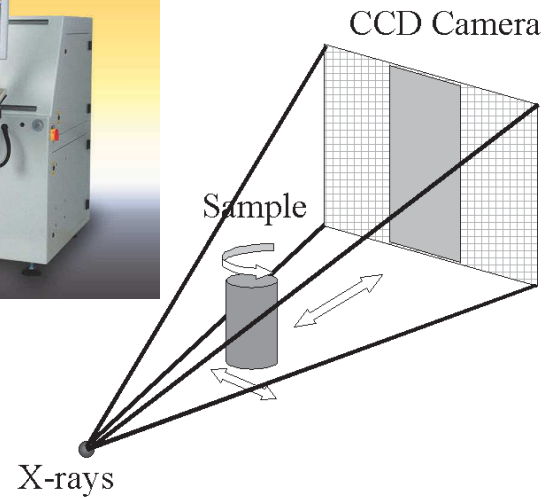
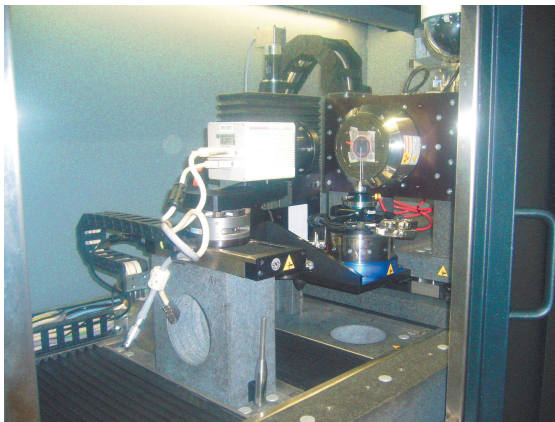
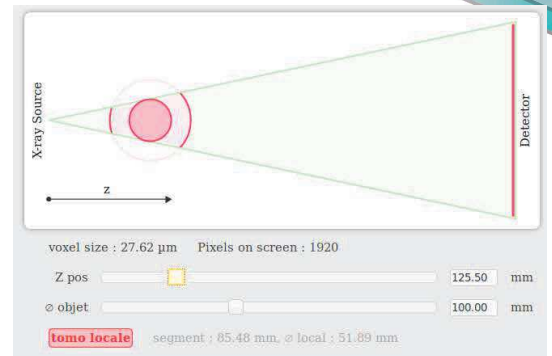


SPring-8



Tomographes - Laboratoire vs. Synchrotrons

- Résolution mini : $0,3 \mu\text{m}$
- Conic beam
- Acquisition time : from few minutes to few hours

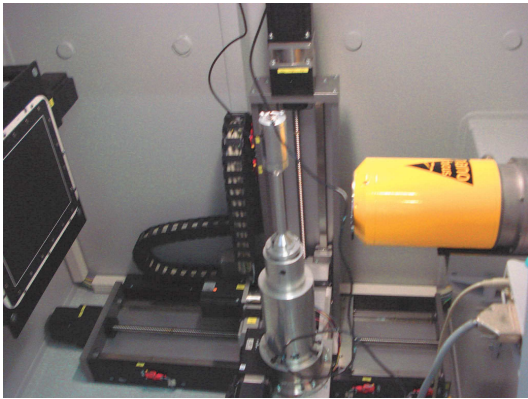


> Plateforme tomographique, laboratoire MATEIS



in situ machines

> Traction/Compression



> High speed



> Hot T° Traction

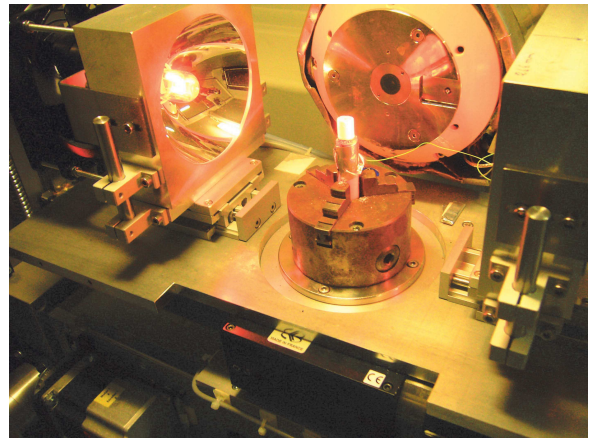
> Ovens



> Cryo

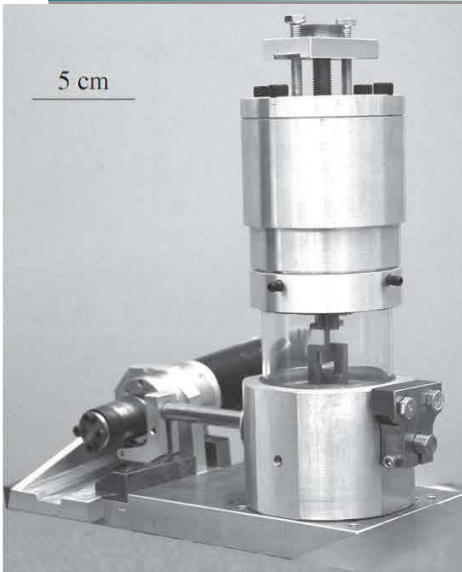


> Peltier





in situ machines



[Buffière et al. Mat.Sc. Tech. 2006]



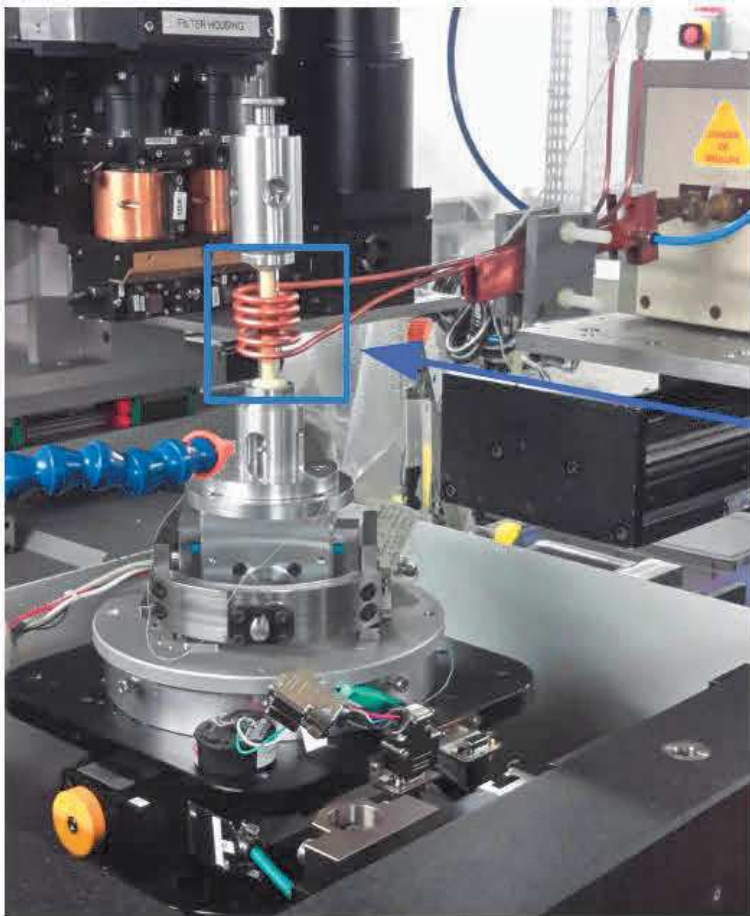
[Lachambre et al.
Proc. Soc. for Exp. Mech. Springer
2013]



> Fatigue

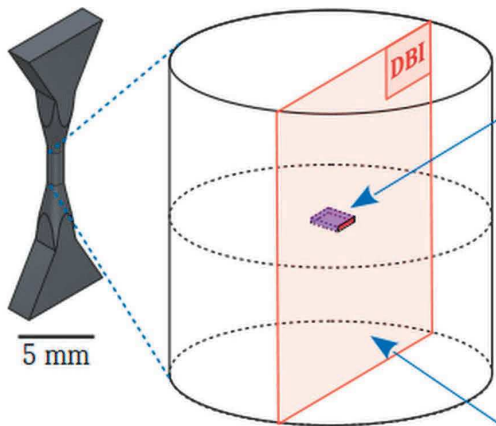


in situ machines





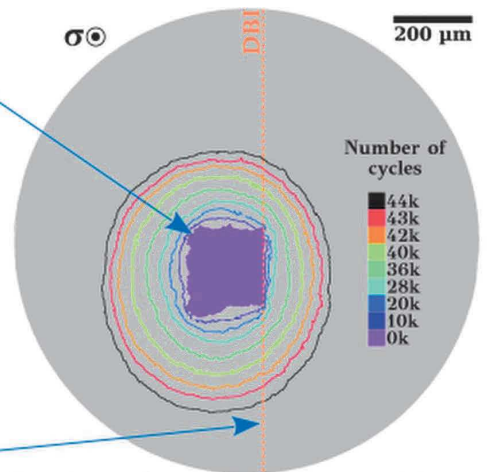
in situ experiment



Fabrication of metallic samples with controlled internal defects

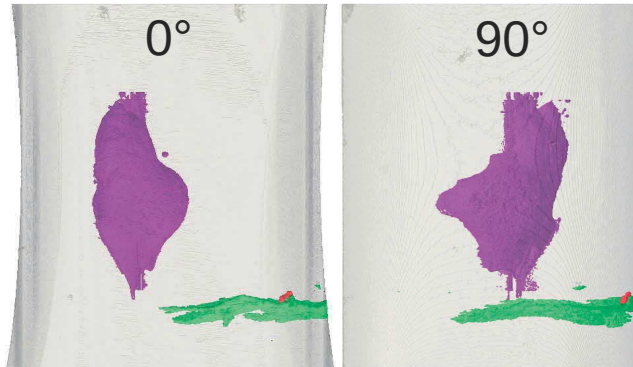
Laser drilled notch
In-situ fatigue test

Diffusion Bonding Interface



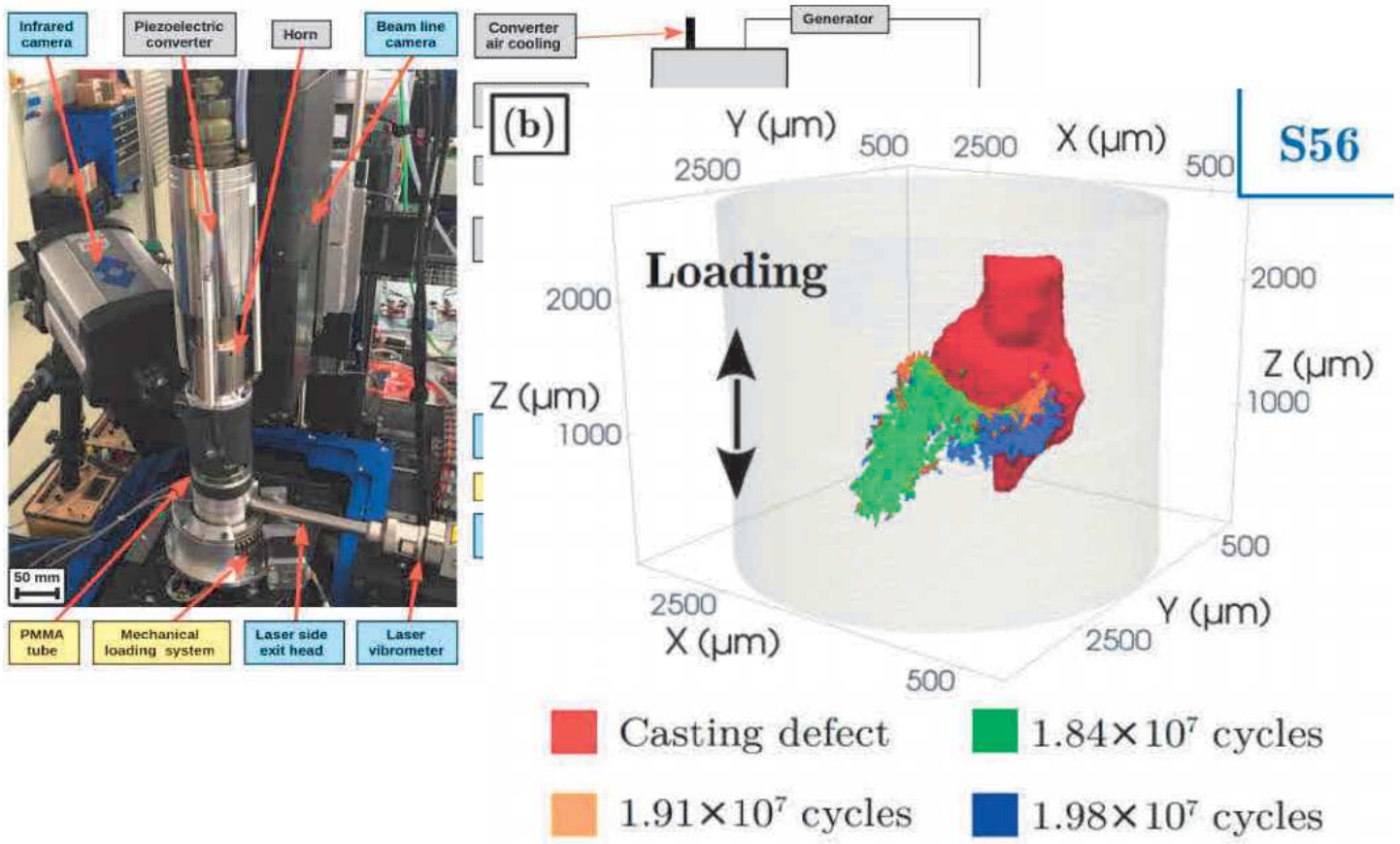
Projected crack front positions at different stages of propagation

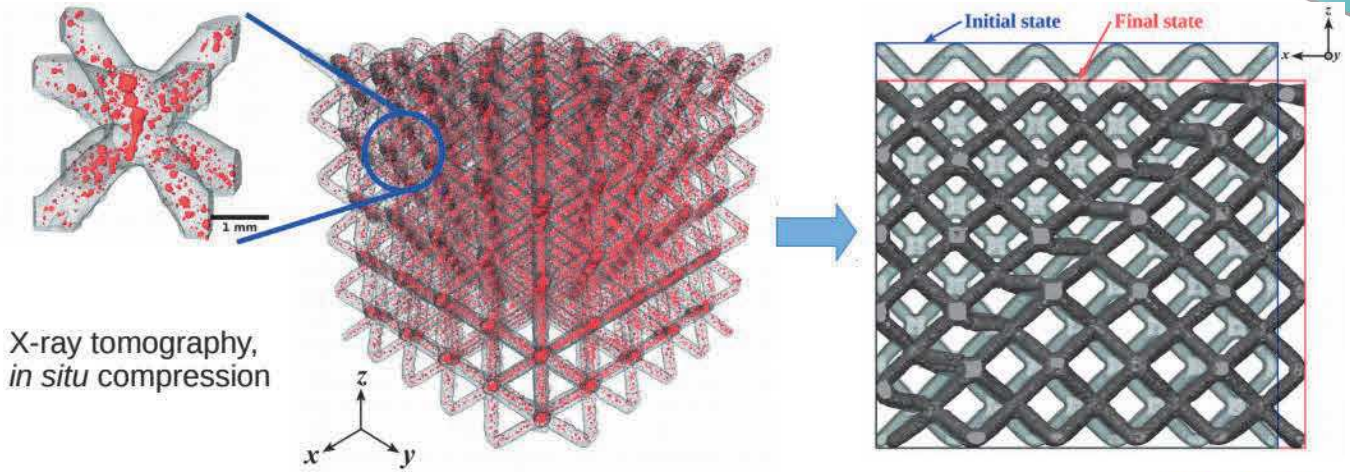
370 000 cycles



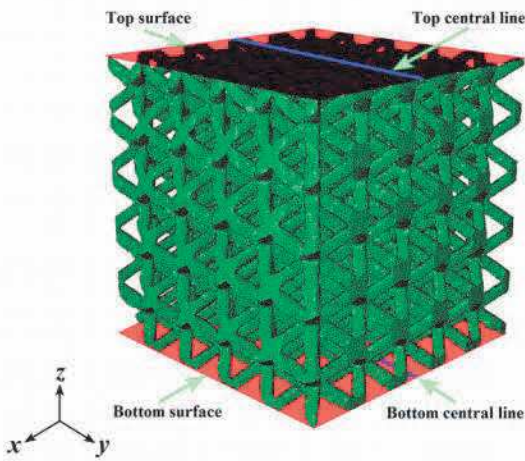


Fatigue giga-cycles

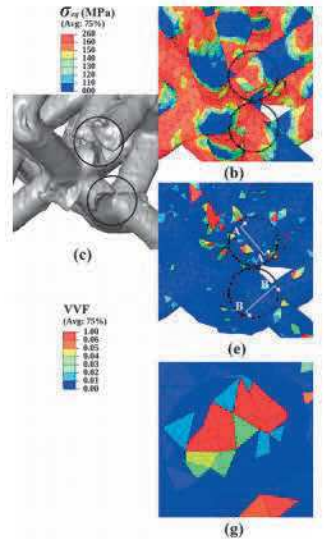
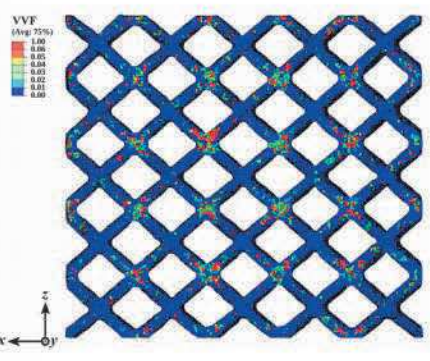




X-ray tomography, *in situ* compression



Finite element analysis, image-based 3D mesh





Porous metals

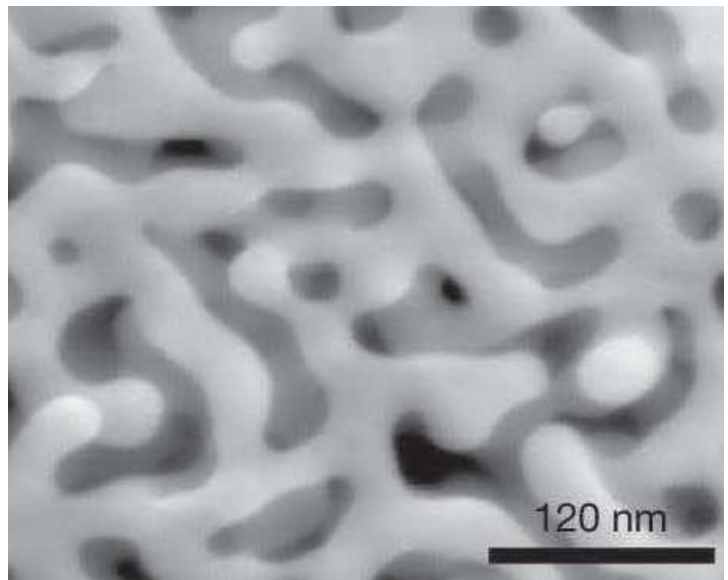
Morgane
Mokhtari
PhD

Mechanicals properties

Applications : light-weighting

High specific surface

Applications : catalyst,
sensor, filtration, electrode for
battery and capacitor, energy
harvesting



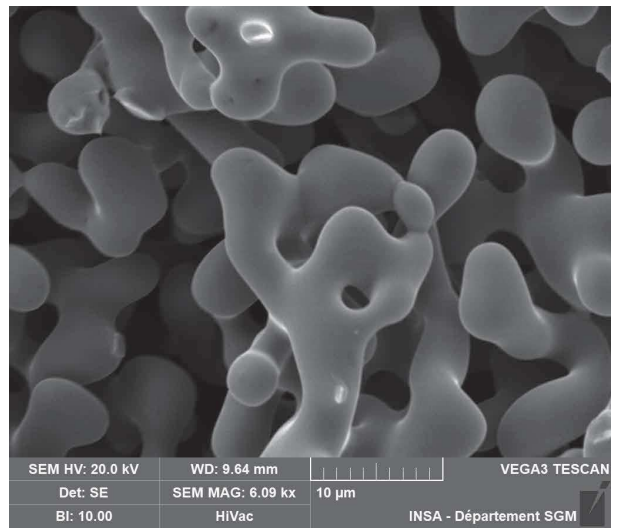
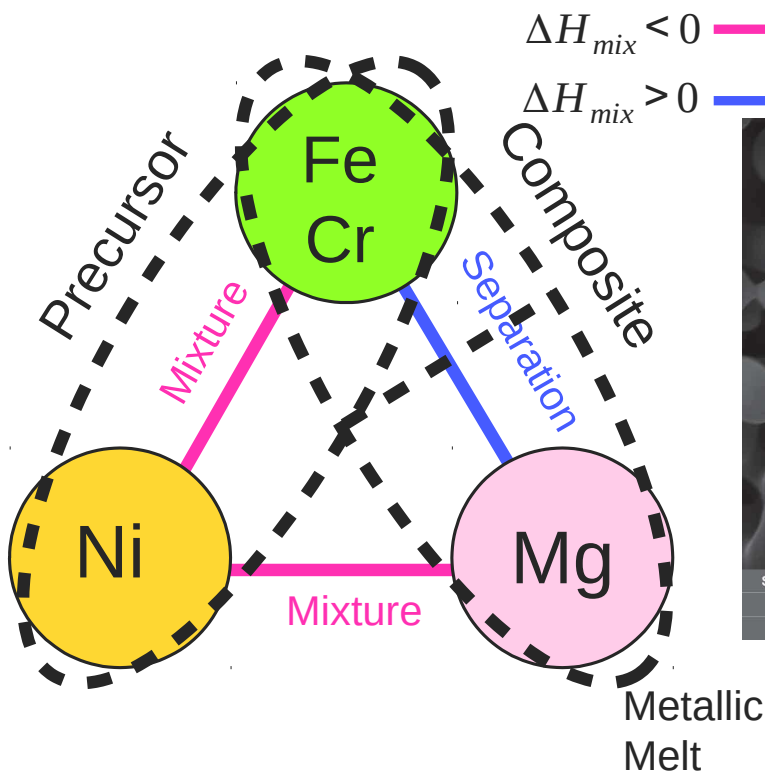
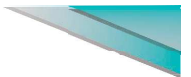
Nanoporous gold elaborated from $\text{Au}_{26}\text{Ag}_{74}$
J. Erlebacher et al., Nature 410 (2001) 450-451

How can we deal with common metals ?

Liquid metal dealloying



Liquid metal dealloying principle



Dealloying Triangle

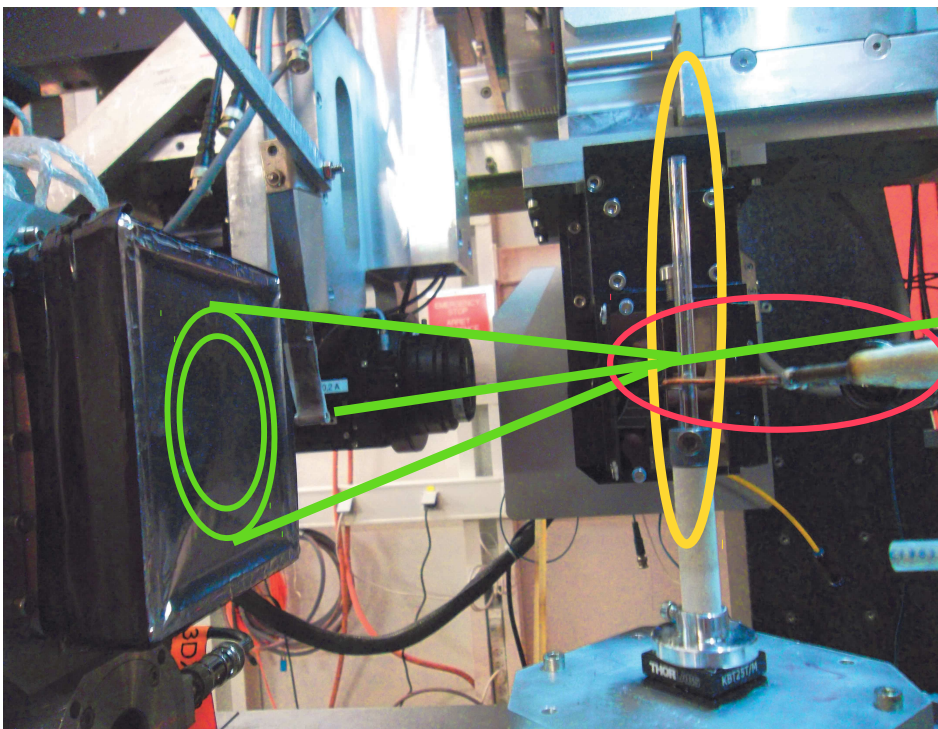


In situ dealloying - X-ray diffraction



Quartz tube

Experimental parameters
E=35.1 keV
ID 11 ESRF



Quartz tube



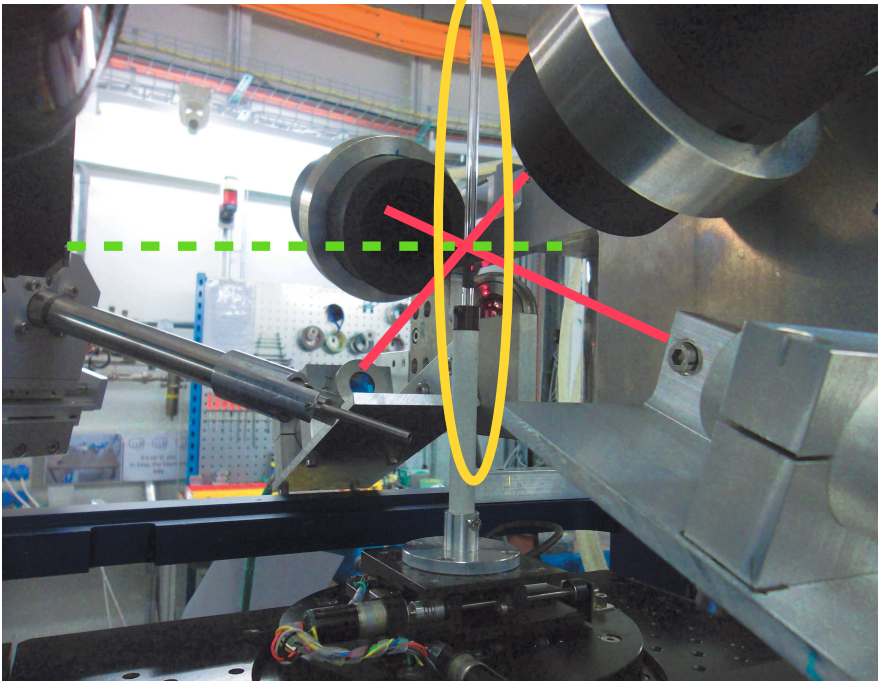
Mg flakes
Precursor
sample
Steel stick



In situ dealloying

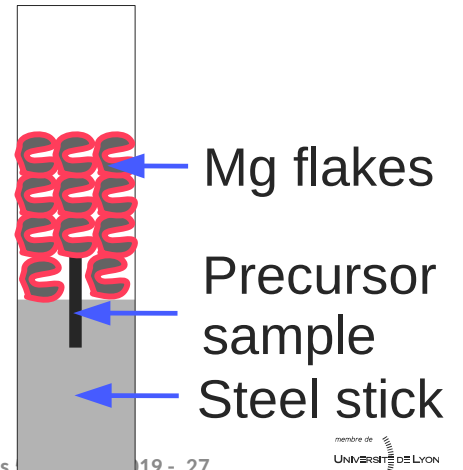


Quartz tube



Experimental parameters
E=25keV
Projections : 1001
Exposure time : 20 ms
Voxel size : 0.32 μm

Quartz tube





In situ dealloying - Experiment

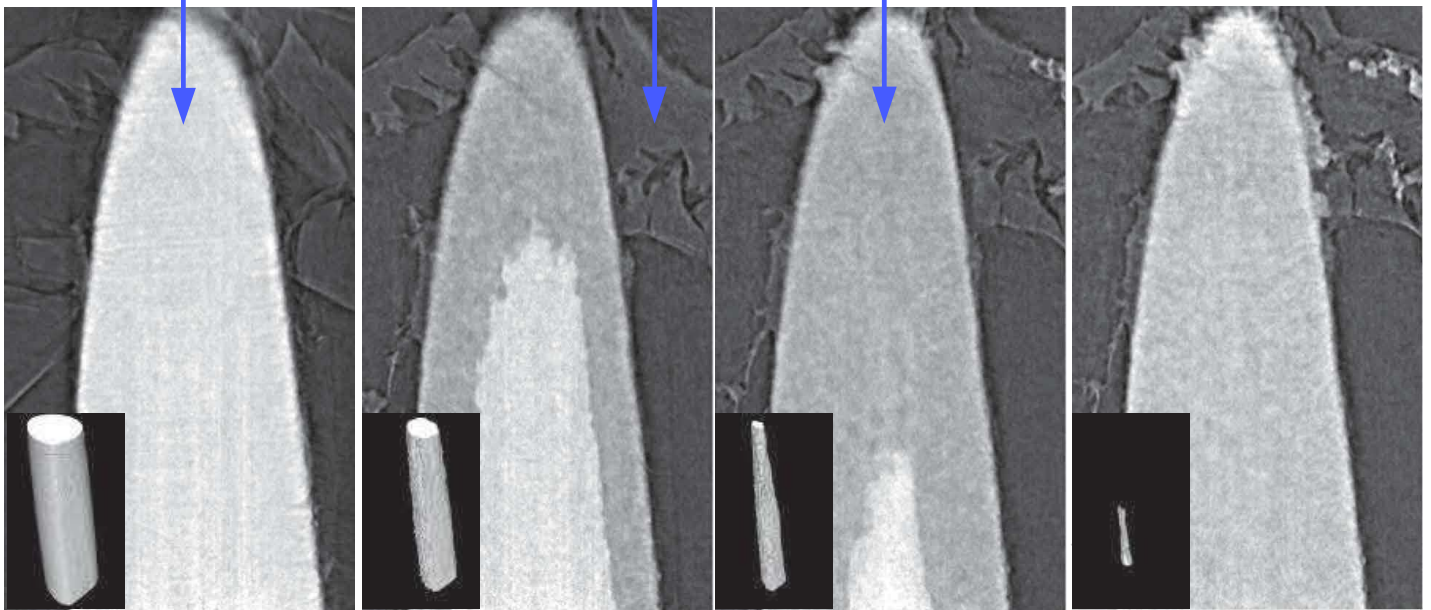


Precursor sample

Mg

Dealloyed layer

100 μm



$t=45\text{ s}$

$t=165\text{ s}$

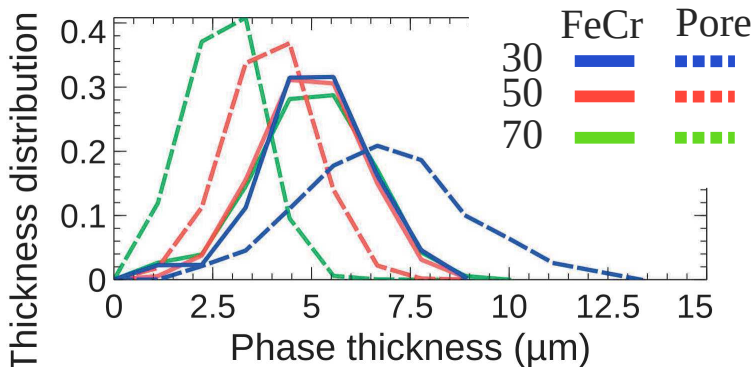
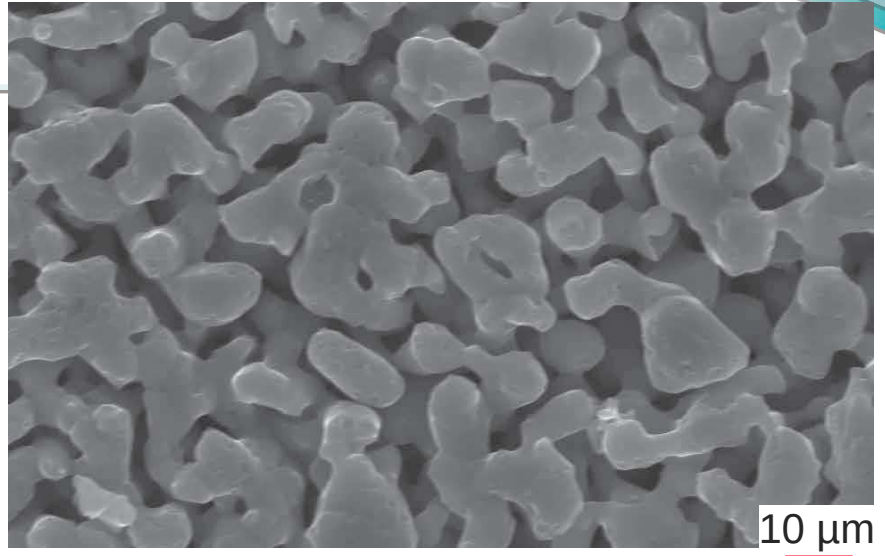
$t=255\text{ s}$

$t=345\text{ s}$



Foam morphology

Porosity ~ at% Ni
in the precursor



Specific surface
 $S \sim 4 \cdot 10^5 \text{ m}^2/\text{m}^3$

$$S = \frac{C}{\rho * d}$$

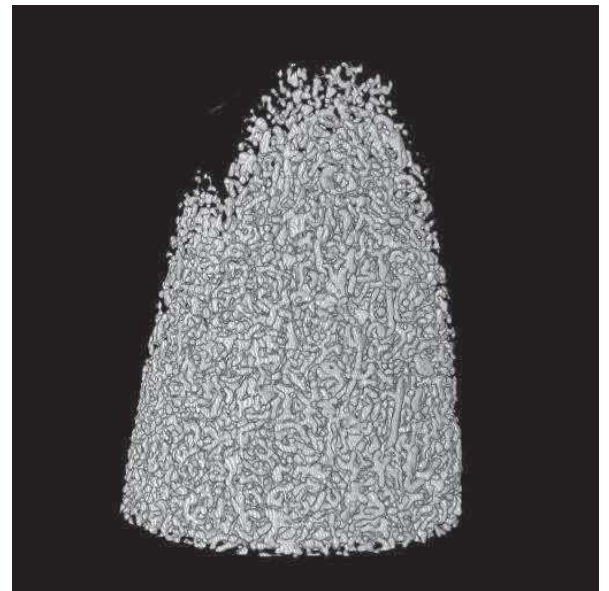
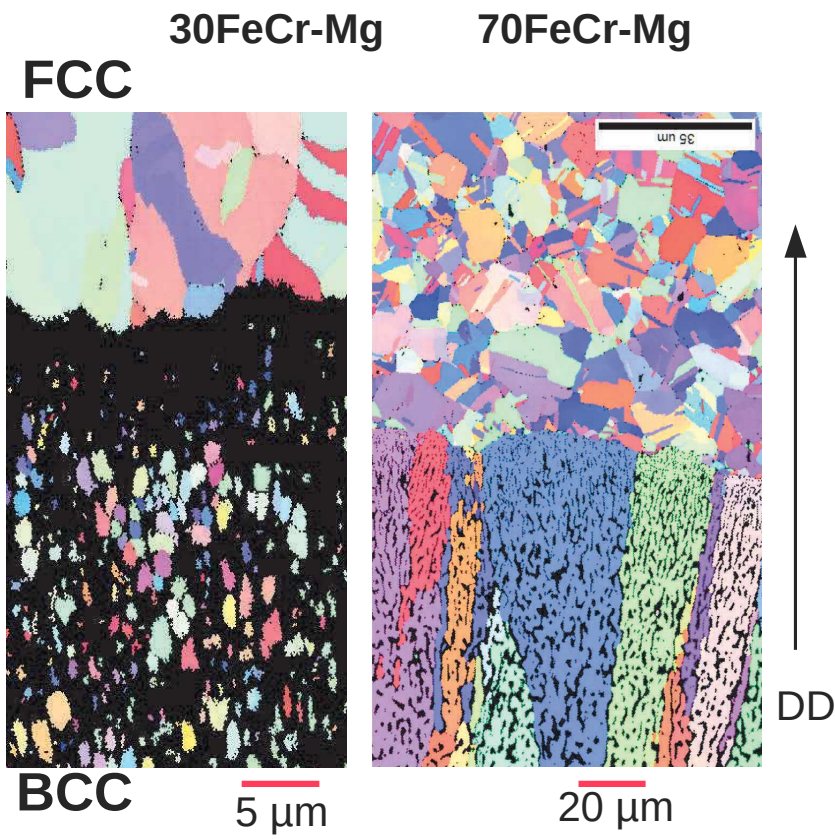
$C = 3.7$

E. Detsi et al. Act. Mater.
59 (2011) 7488–7497

- Ligaments and pore size can be predicted



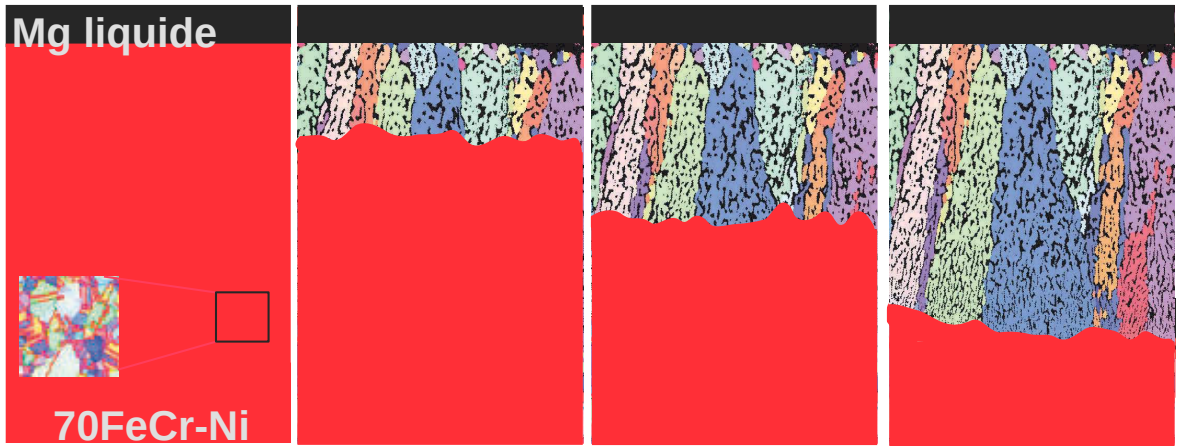
Partial dealloying for 3 min



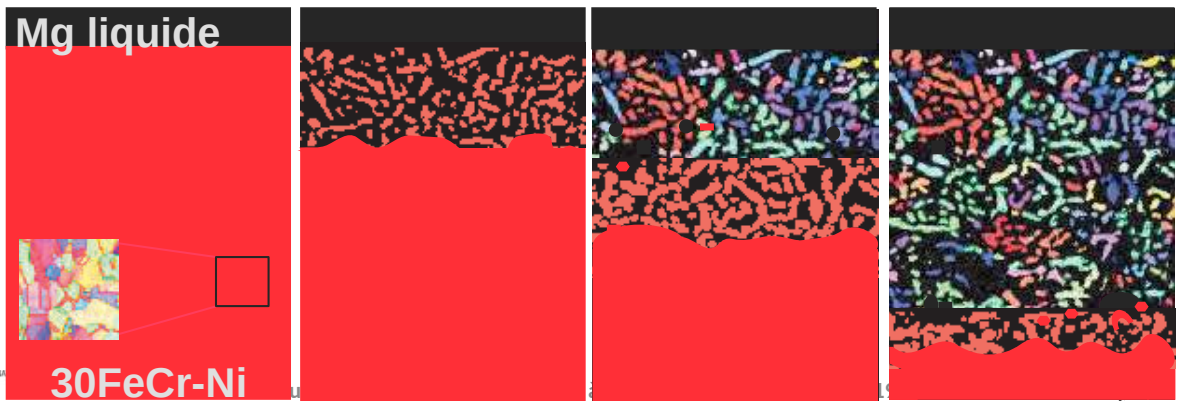


Grain formation mechanism

Diffusive transformation

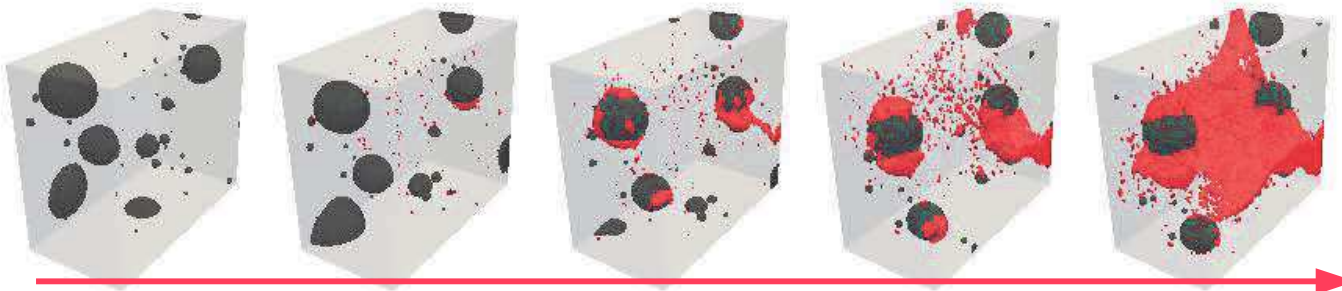
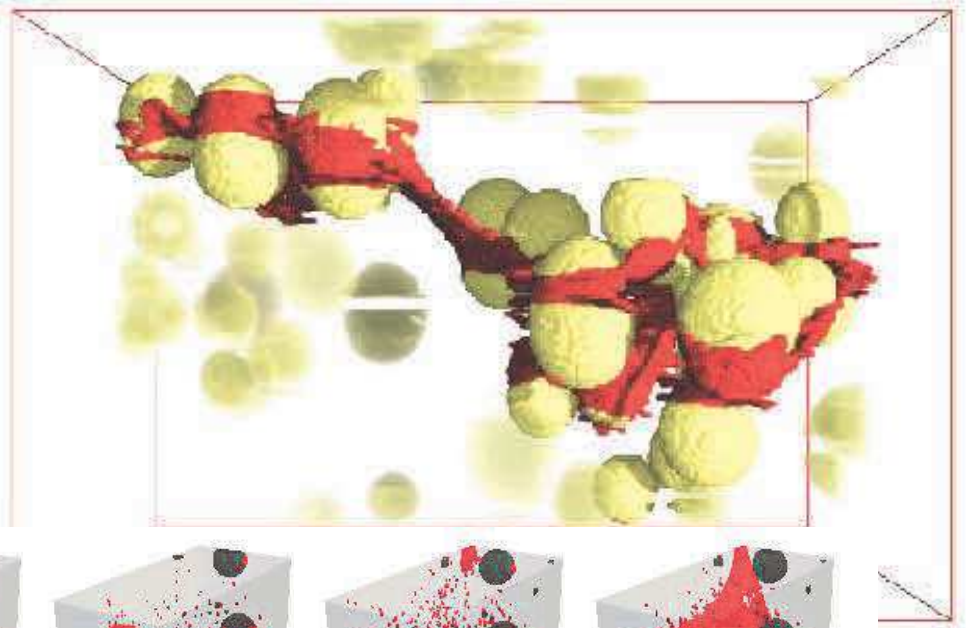


Displacive transformation



Xray tomography - examples: Ductile damage

- 1) Germination
- 2) Growth
- 3) Coalescence/percolation
→ **brutal failure**

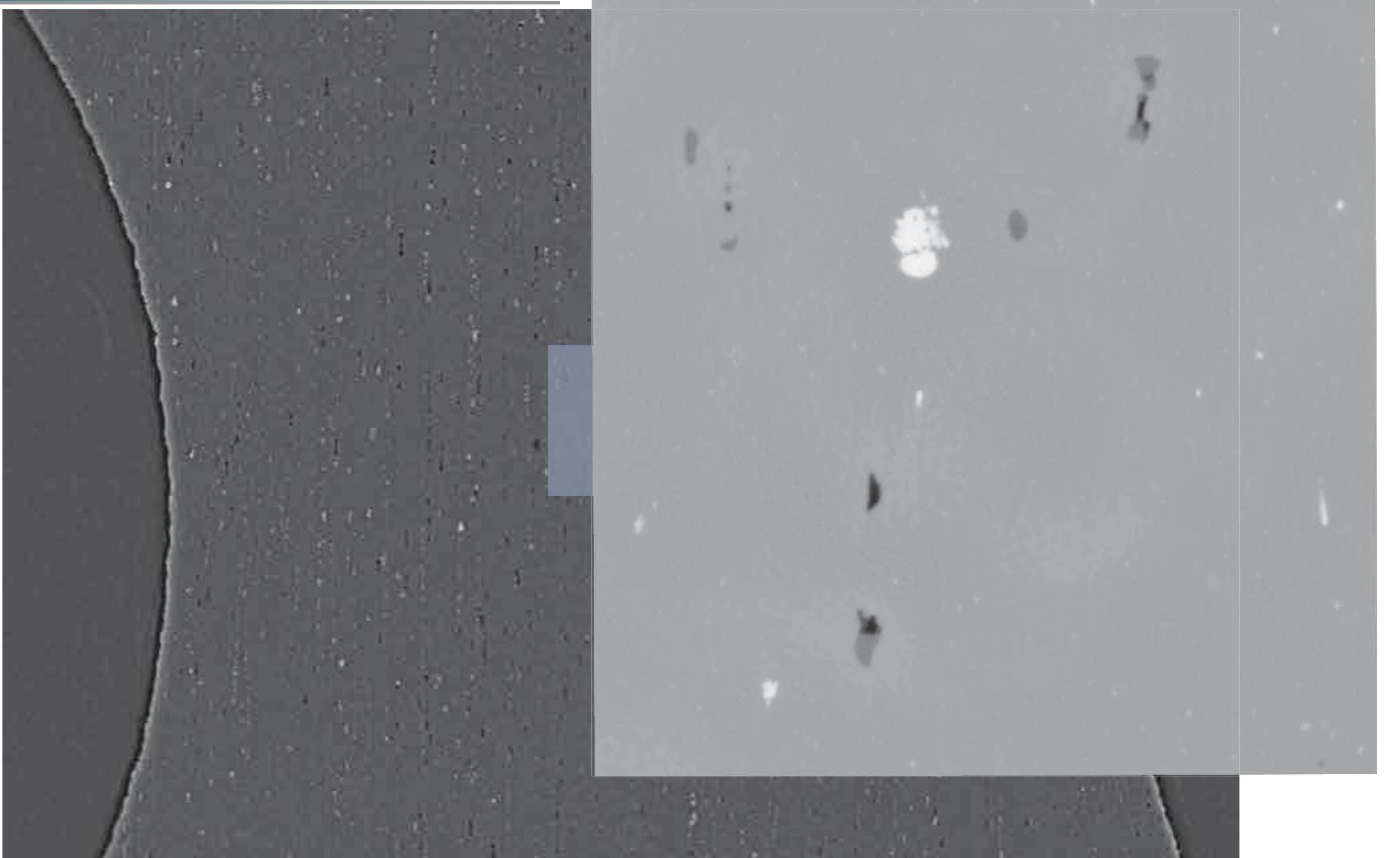


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> Damage in Metals Studied by High-resolution in situ Tomography - ESRF, ID19



Voids Nucleation - High resolution - Al

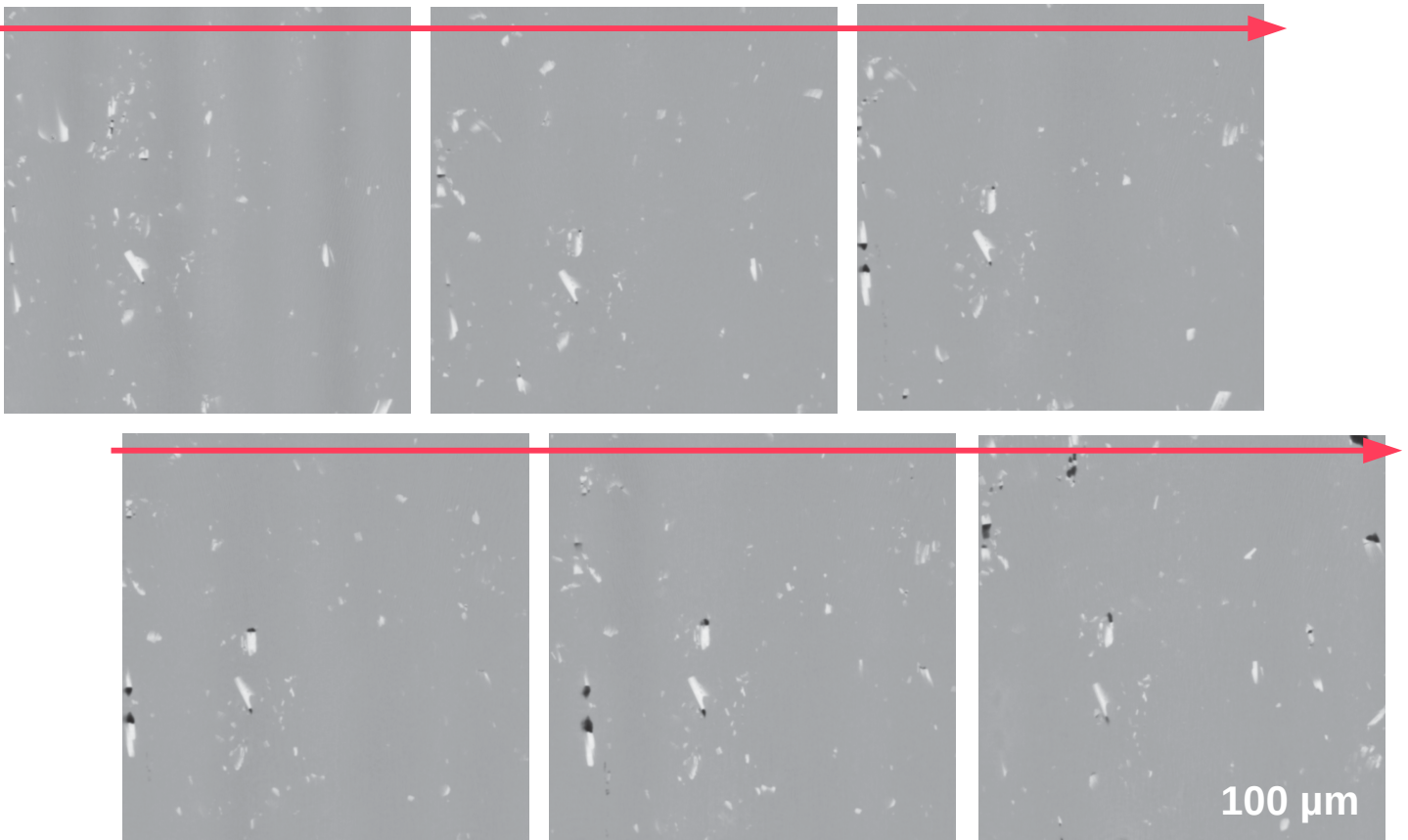


> ESRF, old ID22, now ID16B



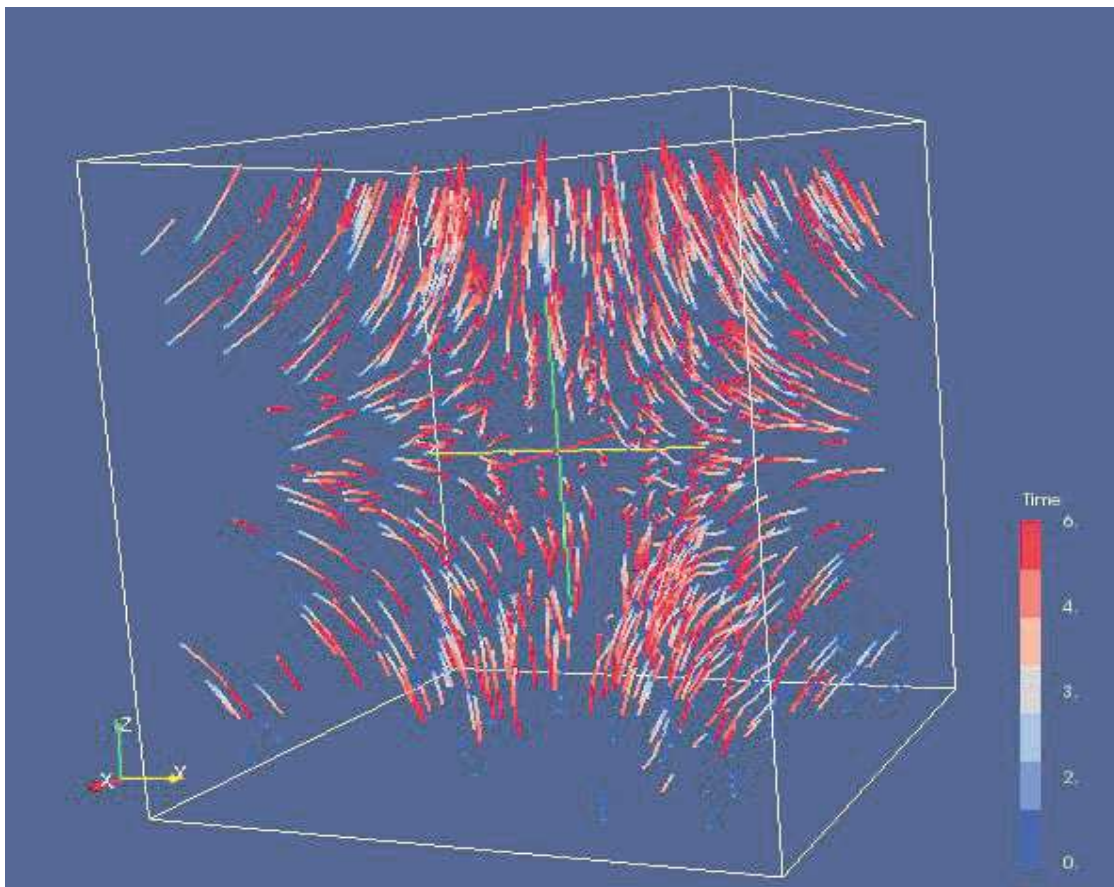
Voids Nucleation - High resolution - Al

Nano tomo (aluminium 1200)



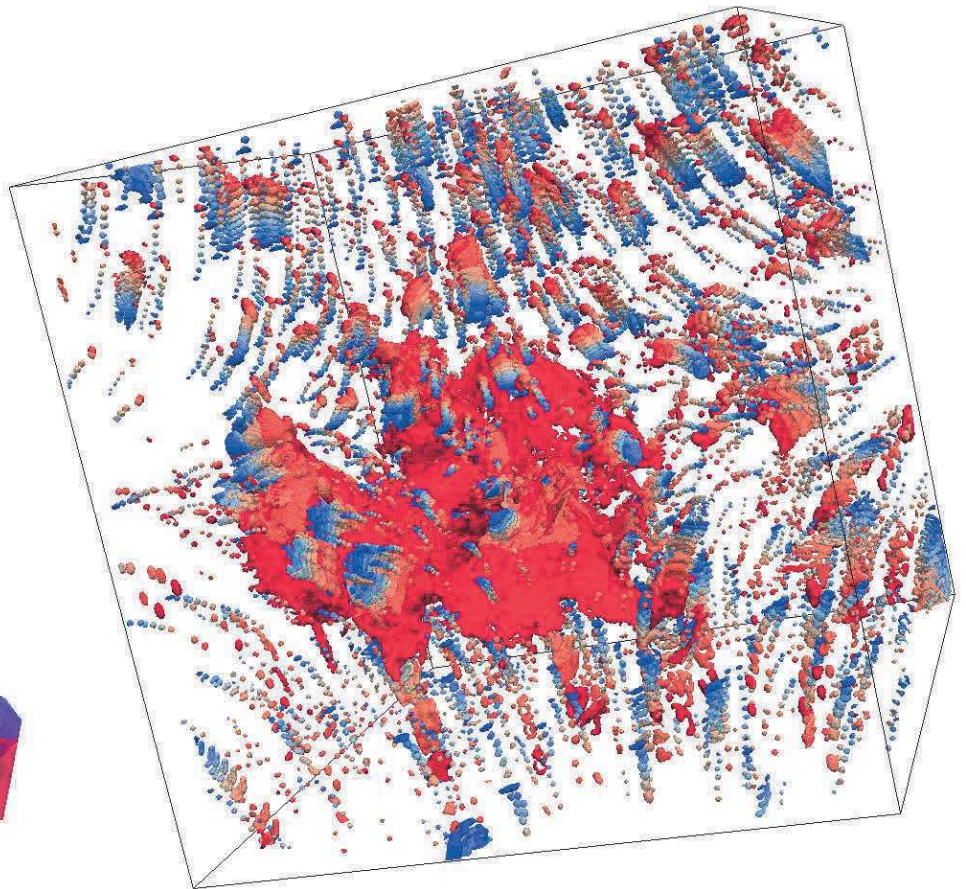
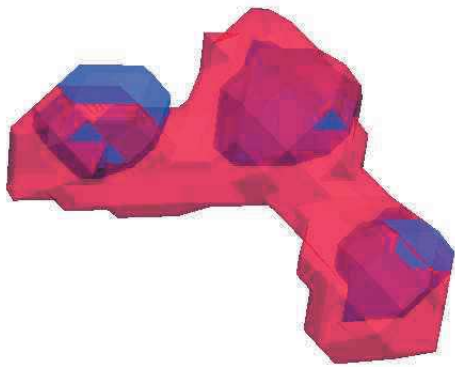


Growth - strain flow and shape evolution





Growth - strain flow and shape evolution





evolution of the acquisition time

tensile test
with $d\varepsilon/dt=10^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$

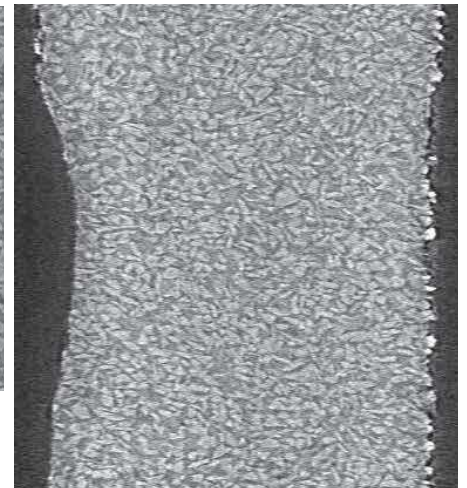
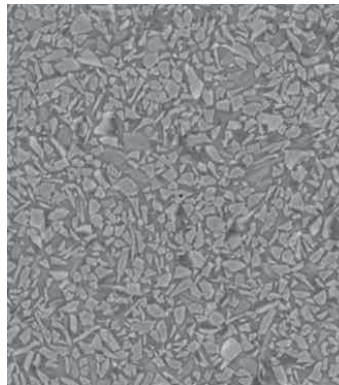
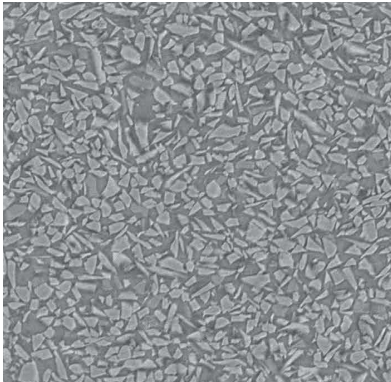
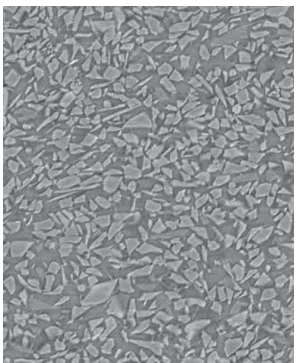
tensile test
with $d\varepsilon/dt=10^{-3} \text{ s}^{-1}$

> 5 minutes

> 20 sec

> 16 sec

> 0,05 sec



> ESRF ID15

500 microns

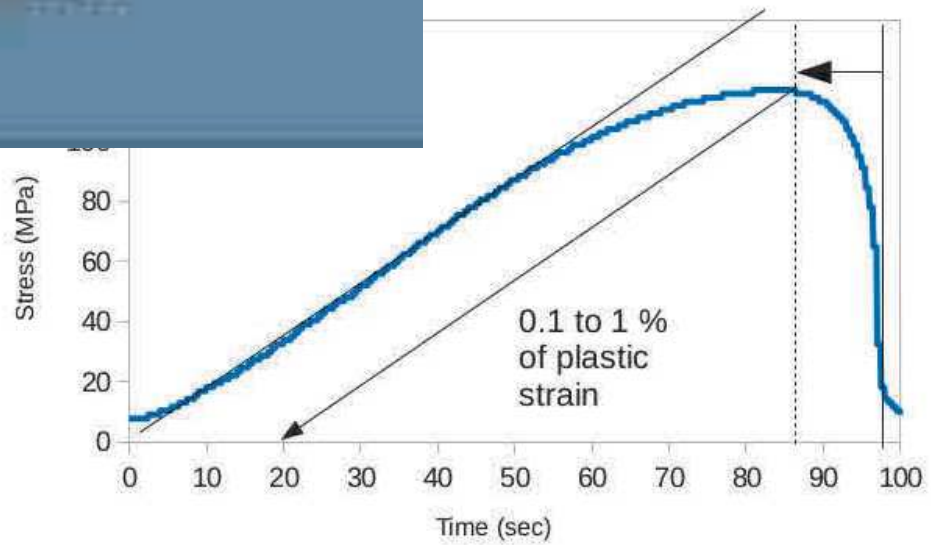
> SLS Tomcat

Failure - Fast tomo



- Rotation : 10Hz
- Acquisition : >10kHz
- 20 volumes/s
- 12s of acquisition (cyclic buffer)

> SLS, TomCat
> traction in situ INSA-MATEIS





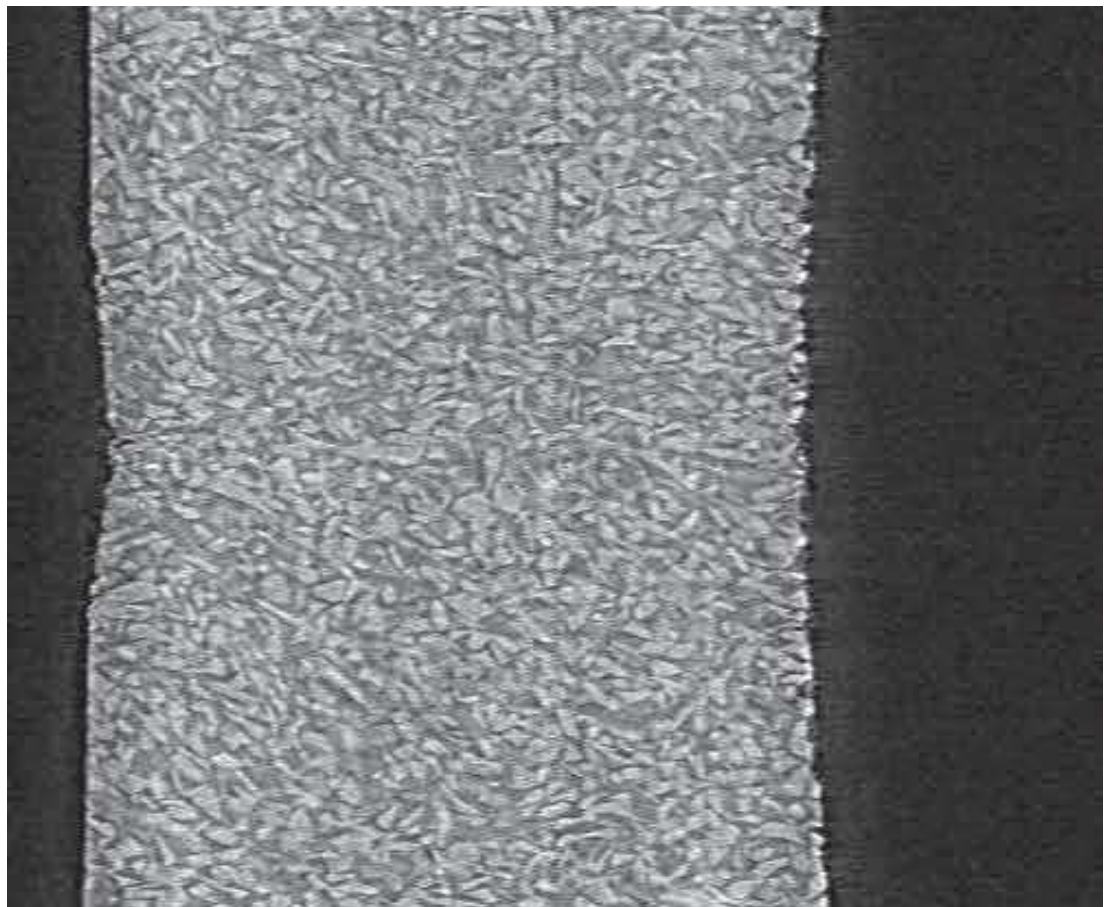
Failure - Fast tomo

> Acquisition 20 Hz

> real time 11s

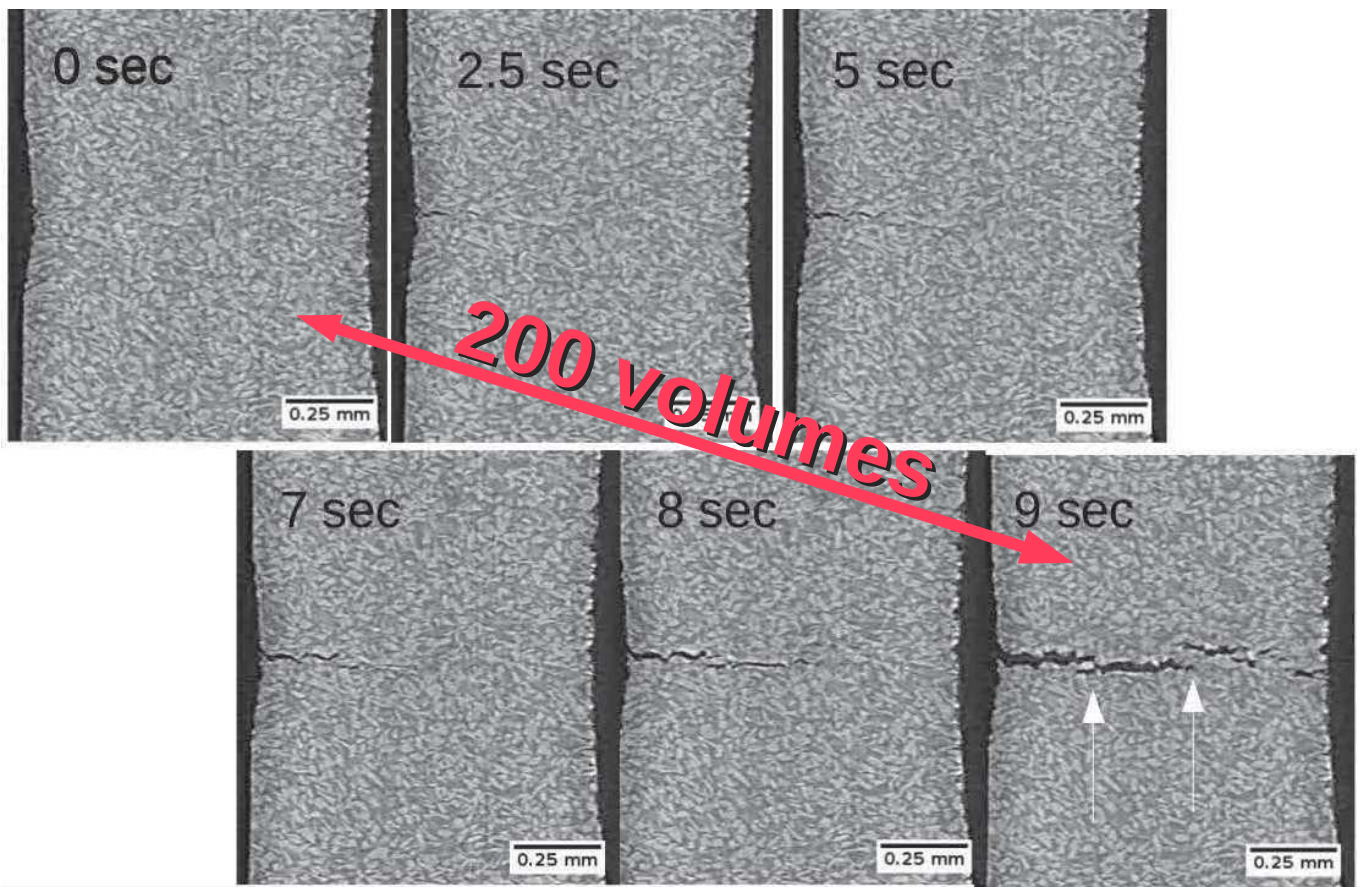
> with R Mokso

> SLS Tomcat



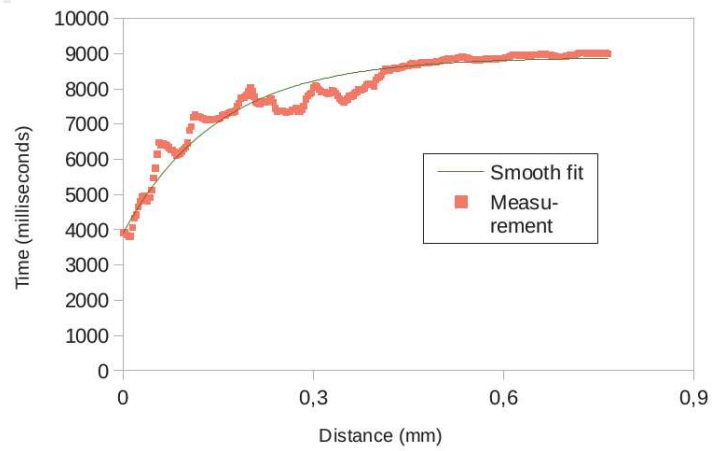
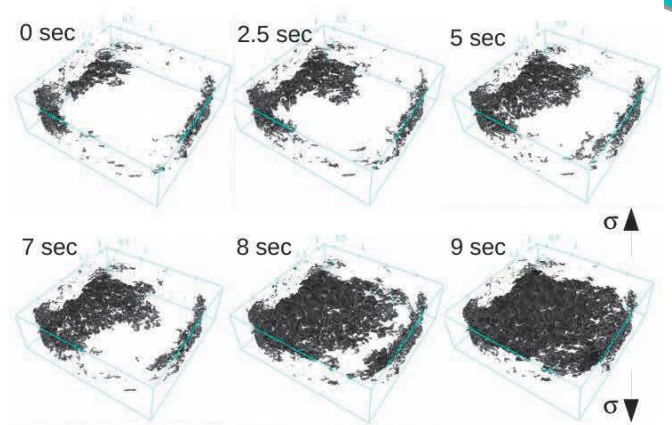
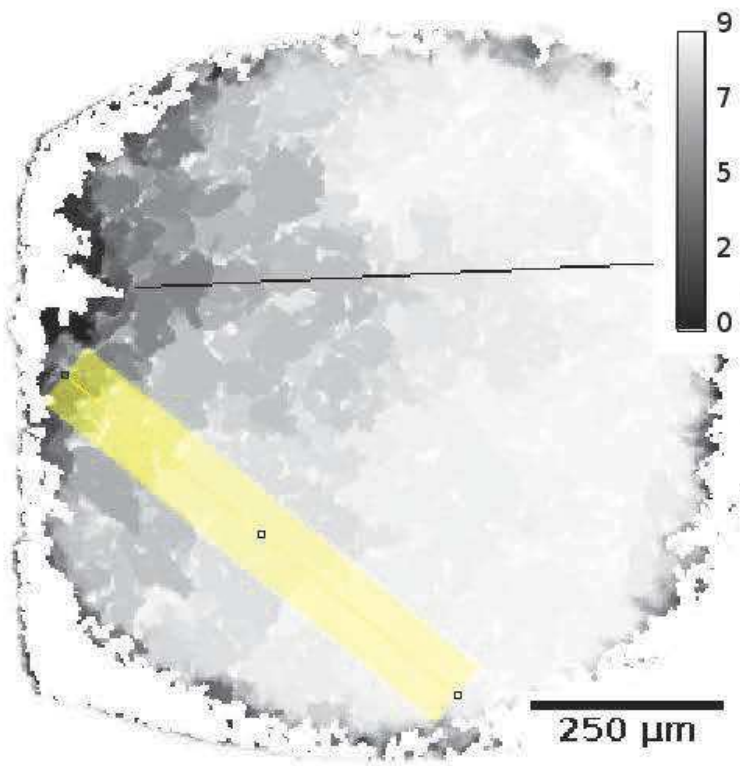


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Failure - Fast tomo

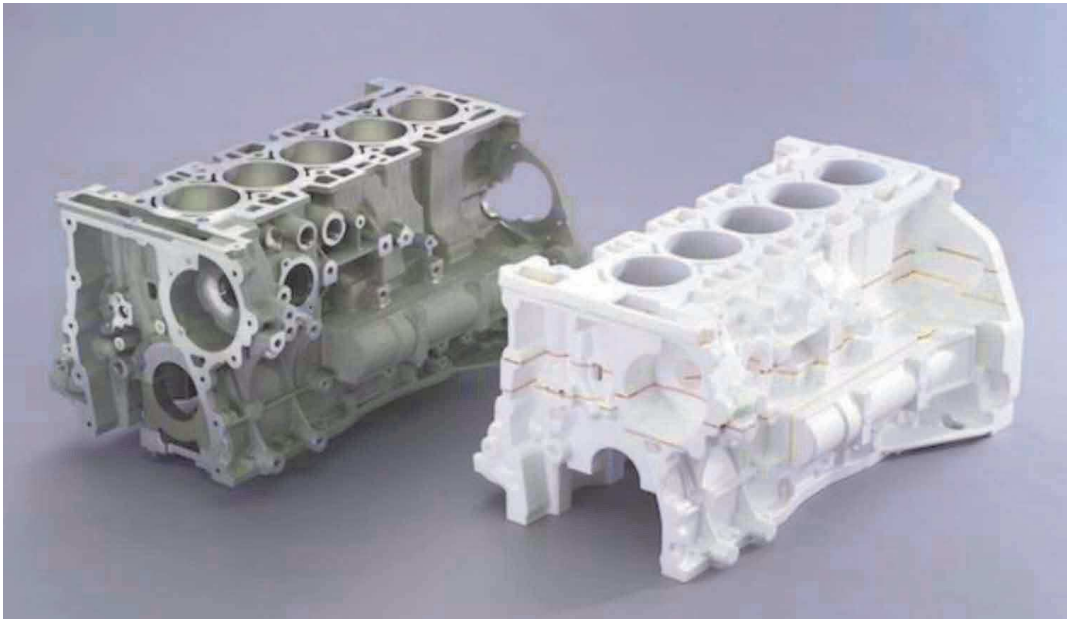


> 20 Hz X-ray tomography during an in situ tensile test, E. Maire · C. Le Bourlot · J. Adrien · A. Mortensen · R. Mokso, IJF (2016)



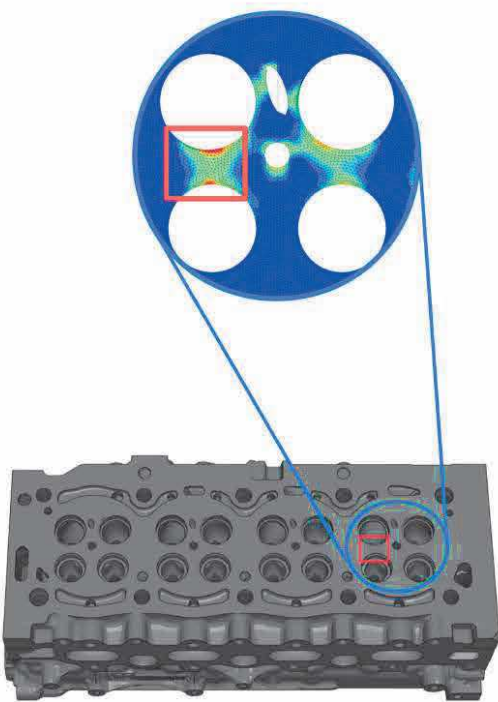
LCF at (moderately) high temperature

- Al Si alloys AlSi7Cu3 (A319)
- **Lost foam casting process**
- Geometry optimization and cost reduction

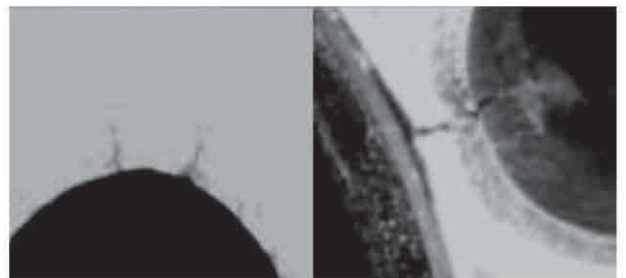




LCF at (moderately) high temperature



- ▶ Cylinder heads are highly loaded during start/stop operations
- ▶ Inter-valve bridges are critical regarding thermomechanical fatigue



Dissipated inelastic energy density
[Szmytka and Oudin, 2013]

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Cracked cylinder heads
[Thomas and *al.*, 2003]

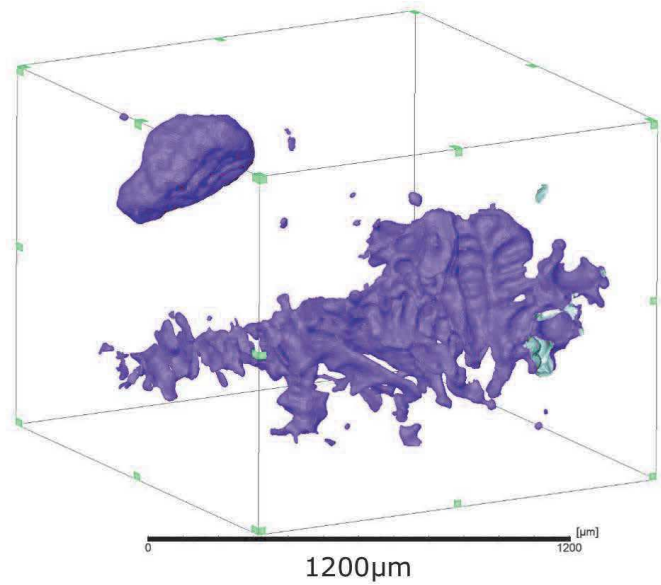


Material microstructure

- Pores

Pores

- Vol. fraction $\approx 1\%$
- Max. Feret diam. $\leq 1.5\text{mm}$

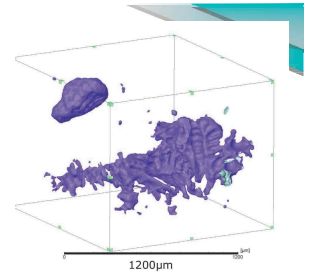


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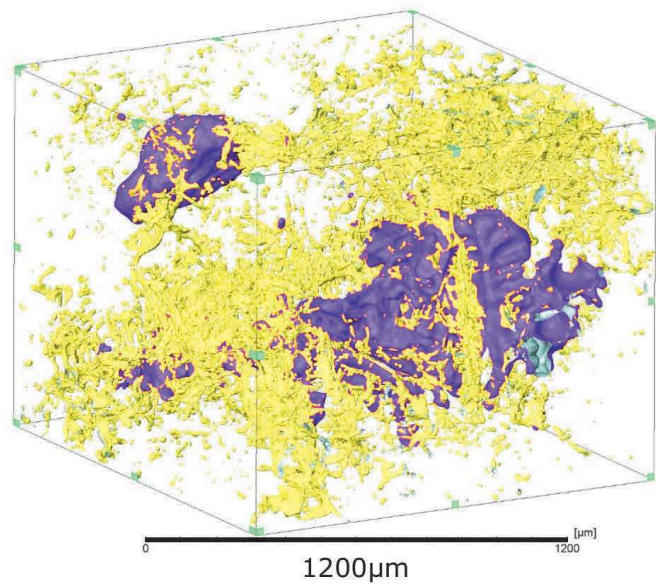
Material microstructure

- Pores
- Copper phase - Al_2Cu



Copper containing phases Al_2Cu

- Vol. fraction $\approx 1.6\%$
- Max. Feret diam. $>1.76\text{mm}$
- Average thickness $\approx 12.2\mu\text{m}$



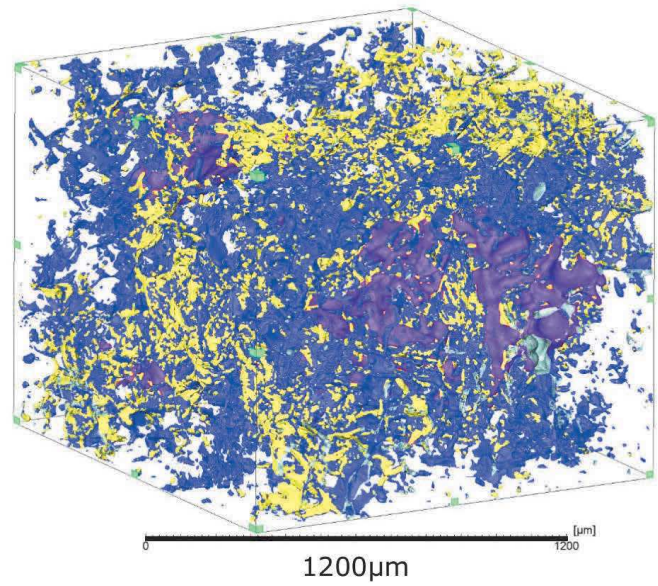
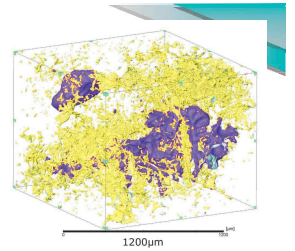


Material microstructure

Iron intermetallics $Al_x(Fe, Mn)_ySi$

- Vol. fraction $\approx 3.2\%$
- Max. Feret diam. $>2.7\mu m$
- Average thickness $\approx 8.3\mu m$

- Pores
- Copper phase - Al_2Cu
- Iron intermetallics



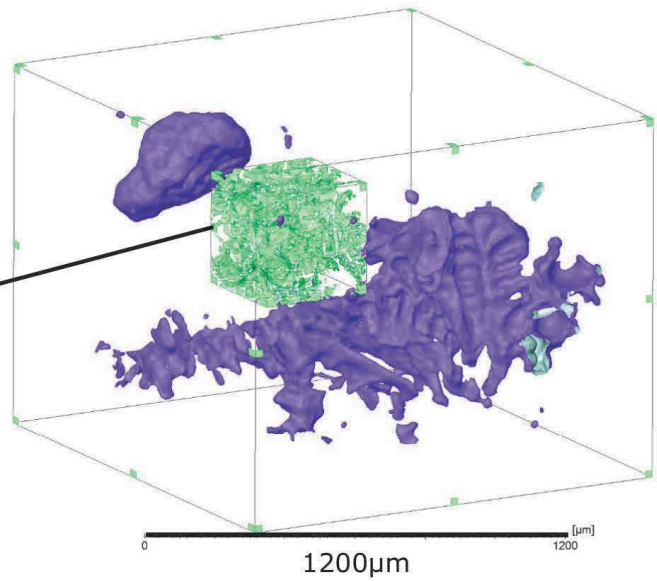
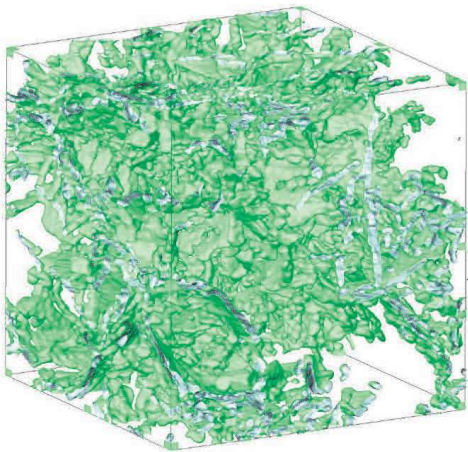
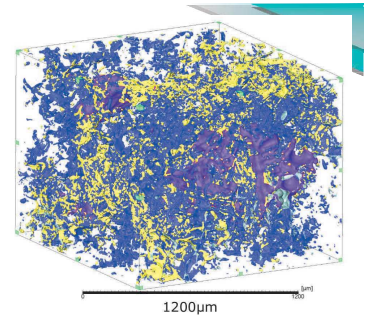


Material microstructure

Eutectic Si

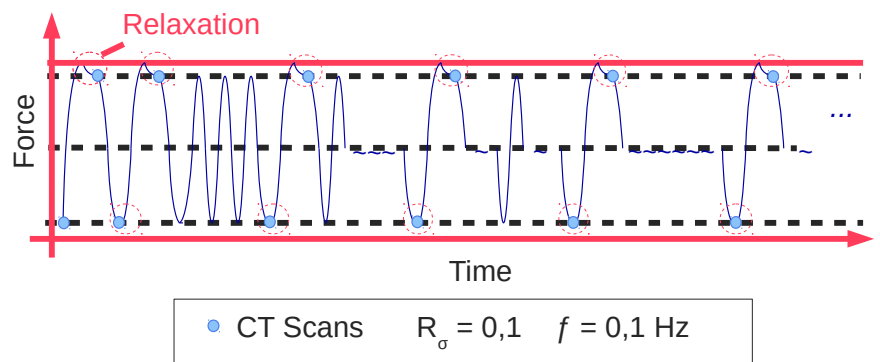
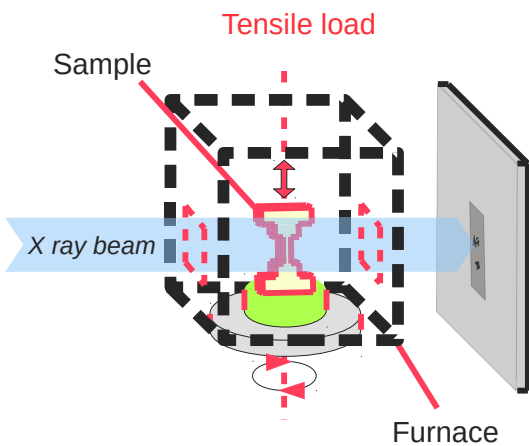
- Vol. fraction > 5.4%
- Max. Feret diam. > 3mm
- Average thickness $\approx 5.5\mu\text{m}$

- Pores
- Copper phase - Al_2Cu
- Iron intermetallics
- Eutectic Si



- Three dimensional microstructure!

Experimental

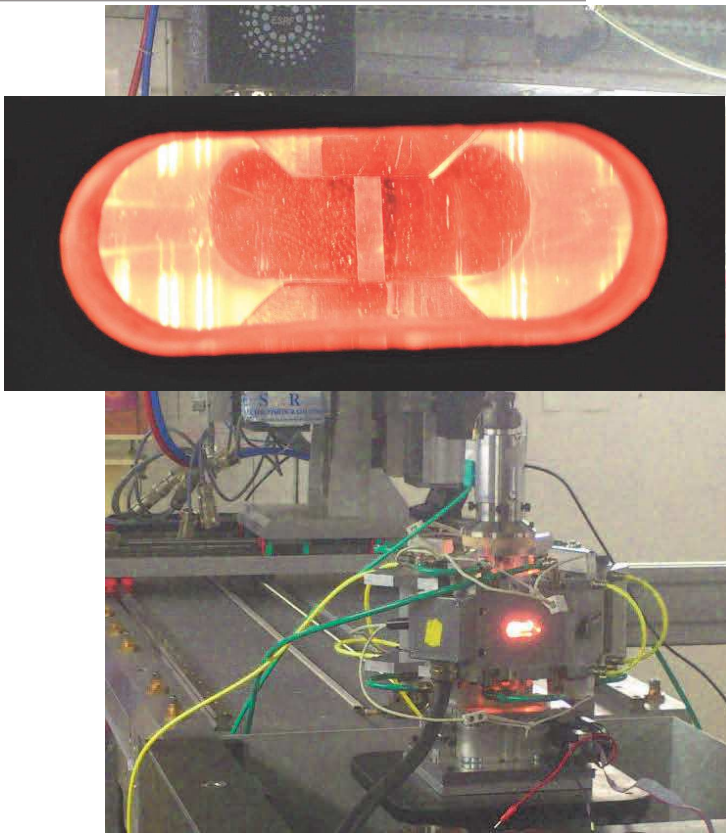


- ESRF ID19
- 35 KeV
- Voxel size = $2,75 \mu\text{m}$
- Scan duration = 45 s.
- PCO camera
- Sp./Detector distance = 200 mm
- Temperature range up to 250°C

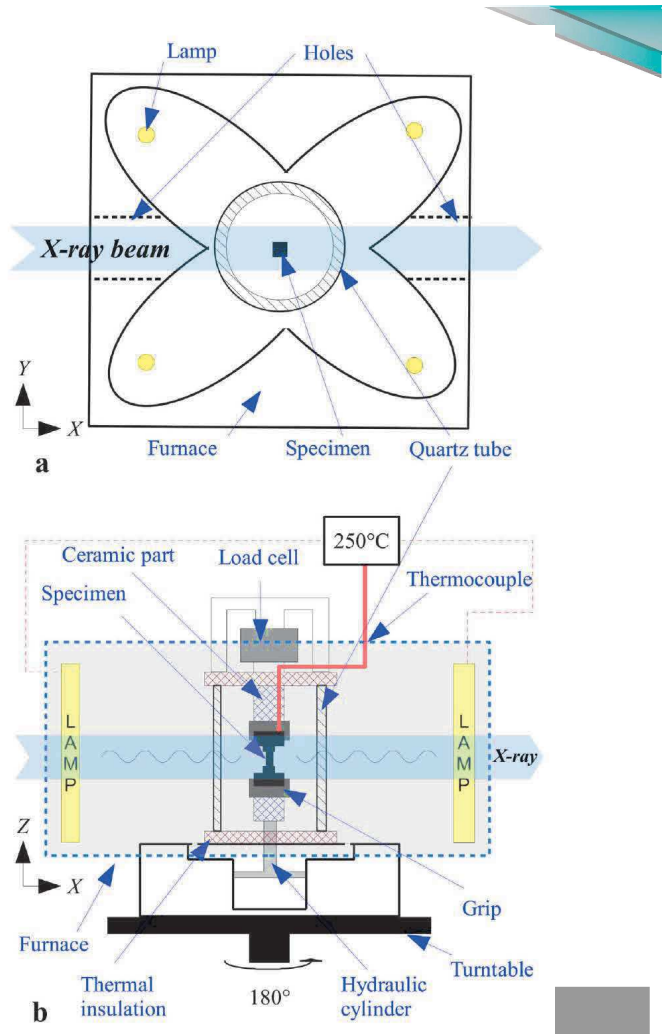
> S. Dezecot et al. Scripta Mater. 2016



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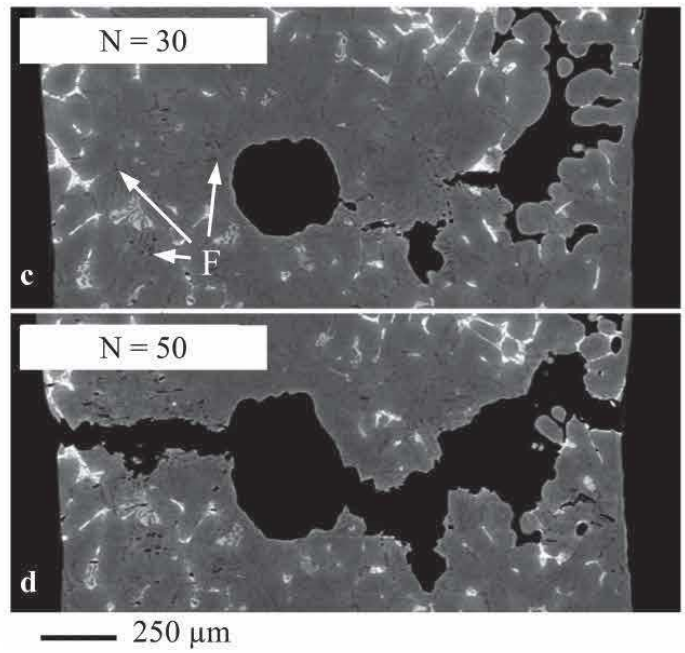
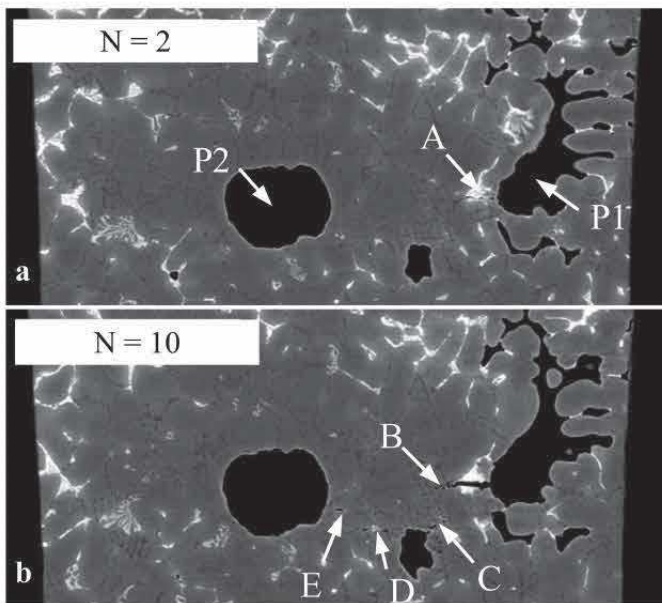
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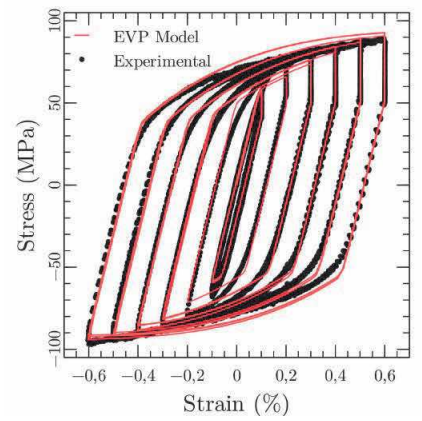
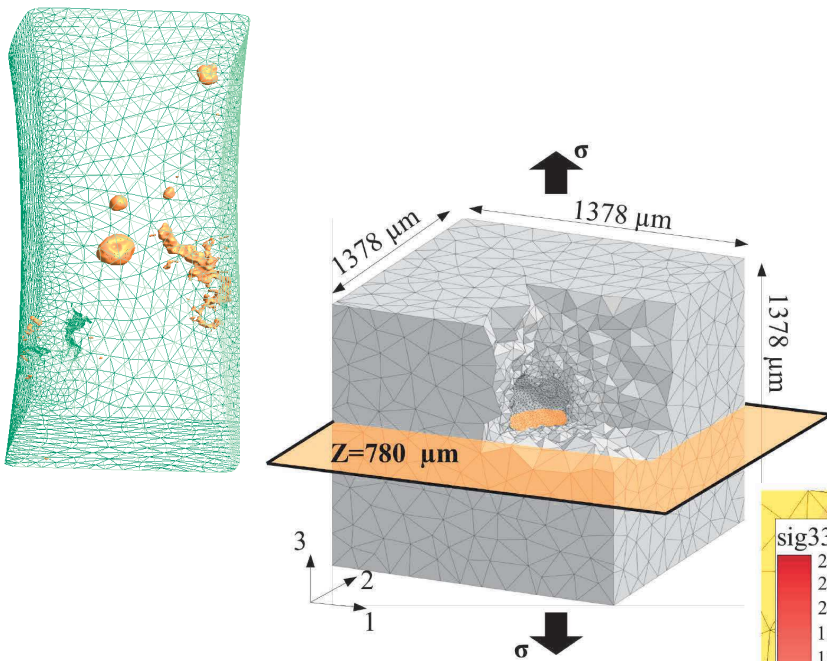
Damage mechanisms

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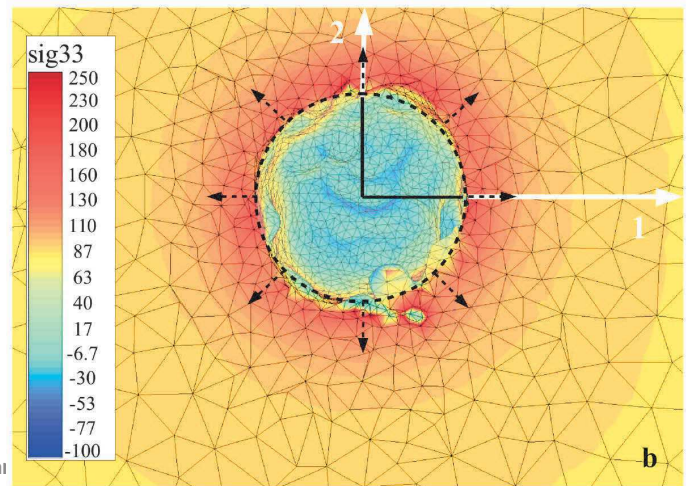


Modelling

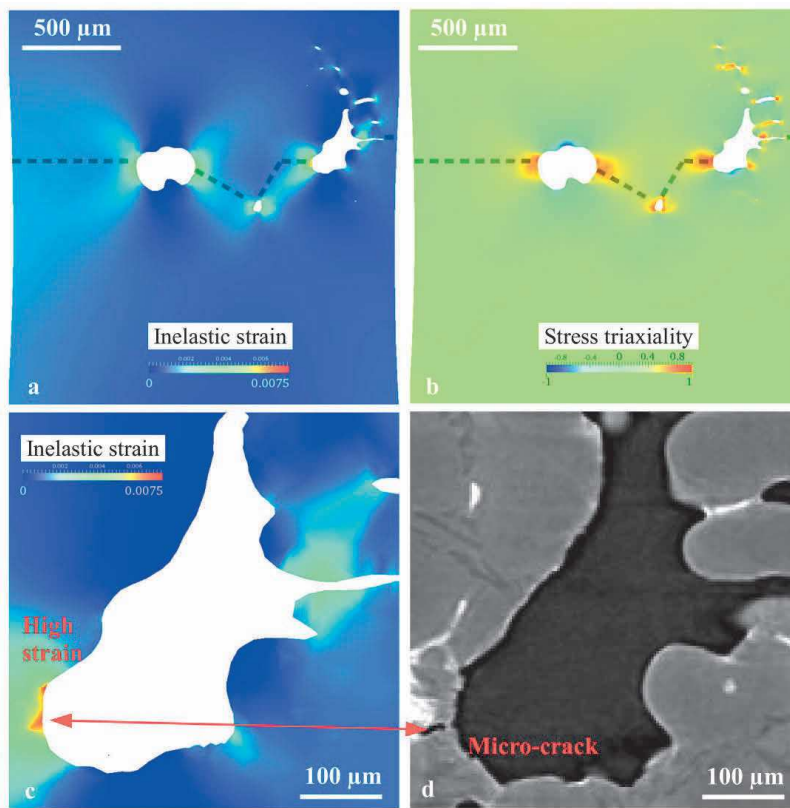


- Temperature : 250°C
- Chaboche law
- Linear elasticity
- Non linear kinematic hardening

Coll. V. Maurel (ENMP) F. Szmytka (PSA) ion-mécal



• Norton flow



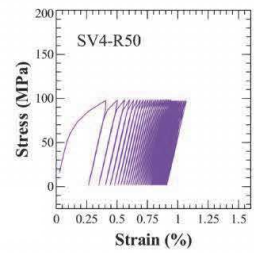
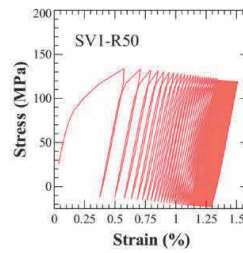
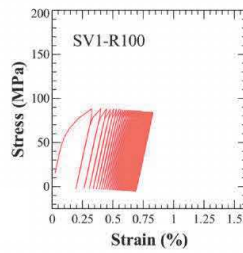
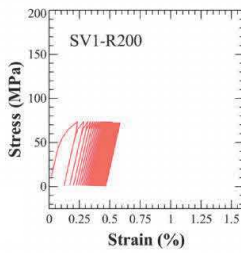
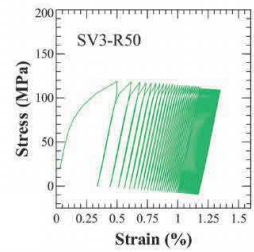
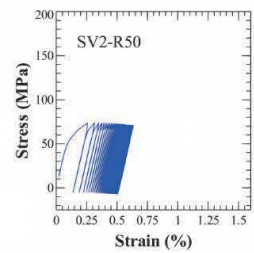
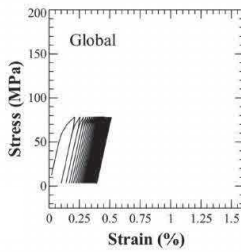
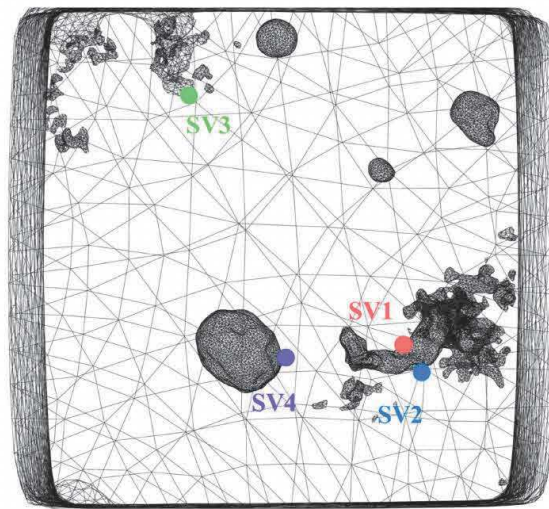
Inelastic strain and stress triaxiality



Modelling

Local probes

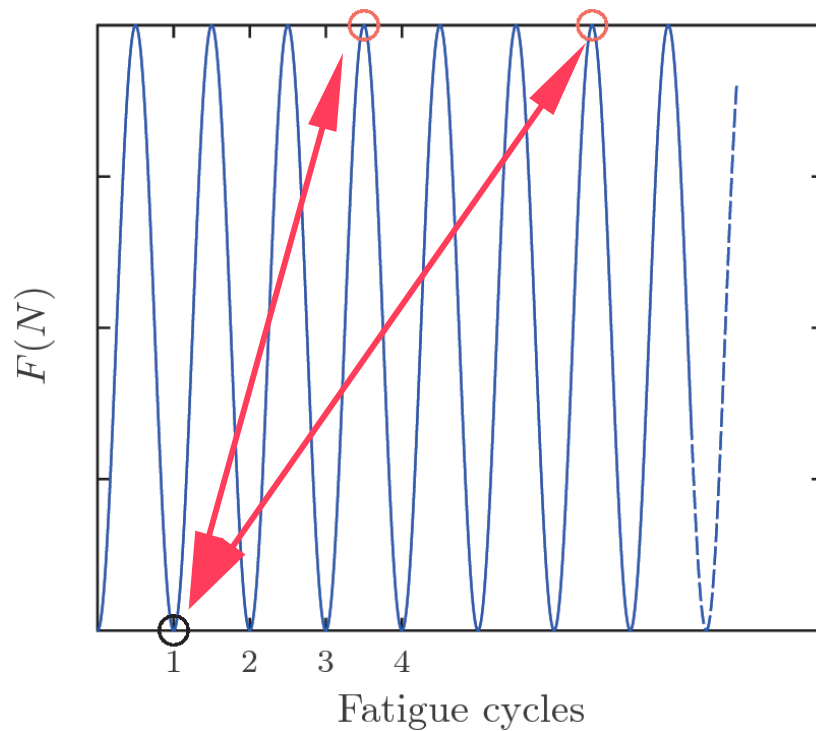
500 μm



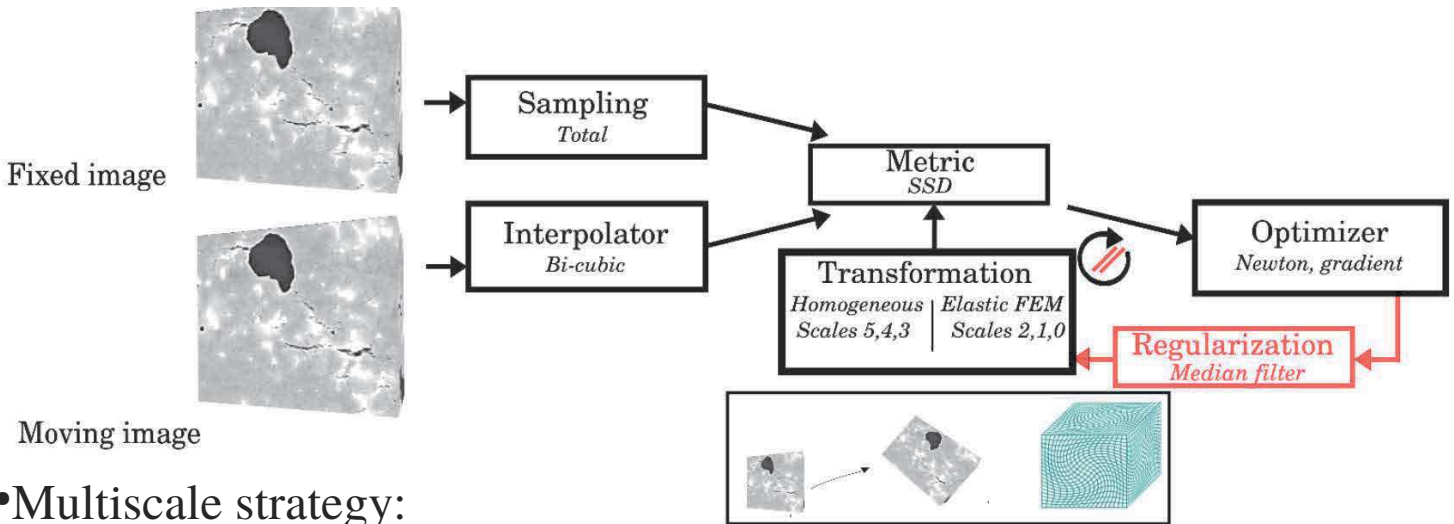
Cracks initiate at large strain heterogeneities \rightarrow experimental values?



- DVC between min of the 1st cycle and max. of a given cycle
→ Cumulated strain.



•YADICS software



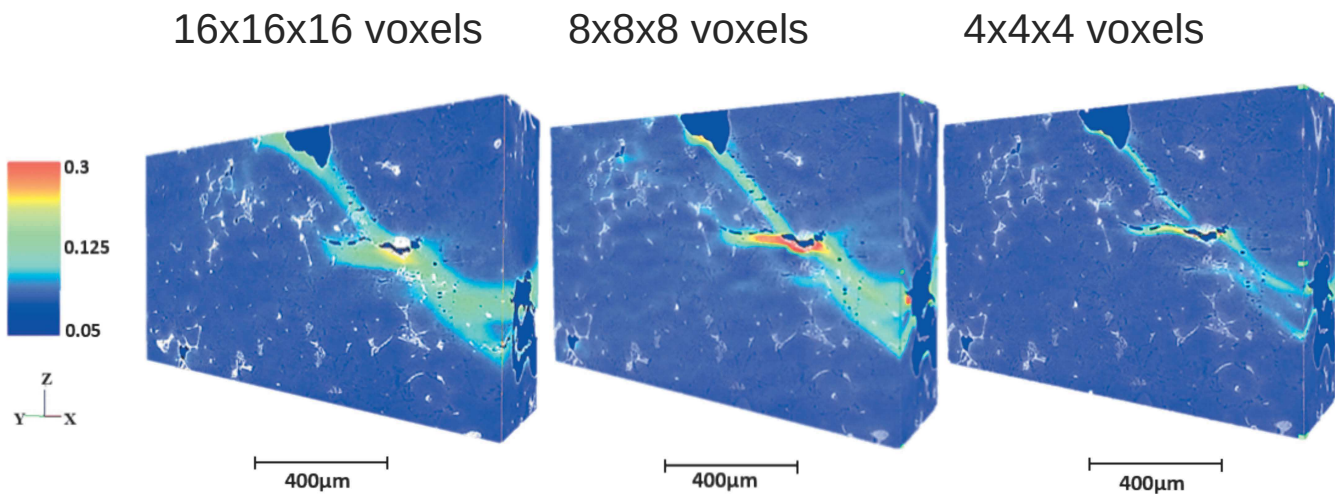
•Multiscale strategy:

- Scale “n”: a macrovoxel = average of $2^n \times 2^n \times 2^n$ voxels
- Scales 4 to 3: homogeneous transformations
- Scales 2 to 0: local transformation
- Regularization: median filter

YADICS (<http://yadics.univ-lille1.fr/wordpress/>) Dahdah et al. Strain (2016)



Digital Volume Correlation

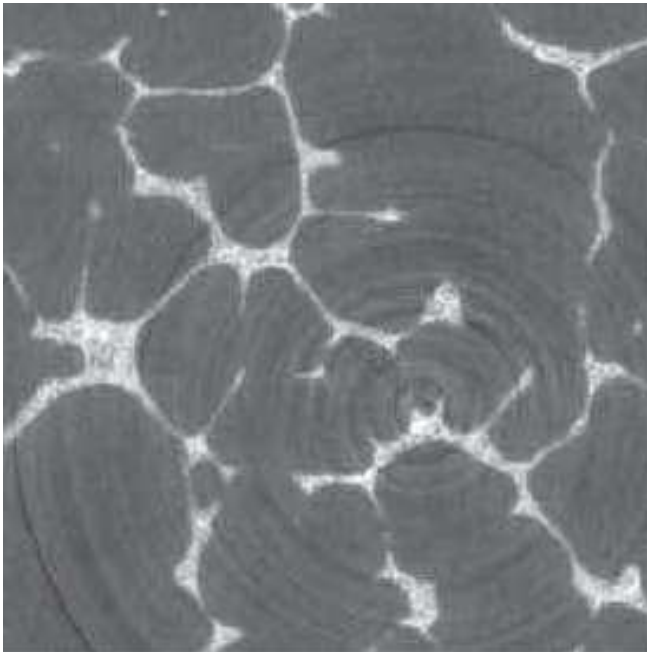


- Image size ~ 1560x1450x2160 voxels ($2.5 \times 2.4 \times 3.5 \text{ mm}^3$)
- ROI: ~ 1400x1300x800 voxels ($2.3 \times 2.1 \times 3 \text{ mm}^3$)
- Small element size required → 4x4x4 voxels

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Xray tomography - limitations



Al-Cu

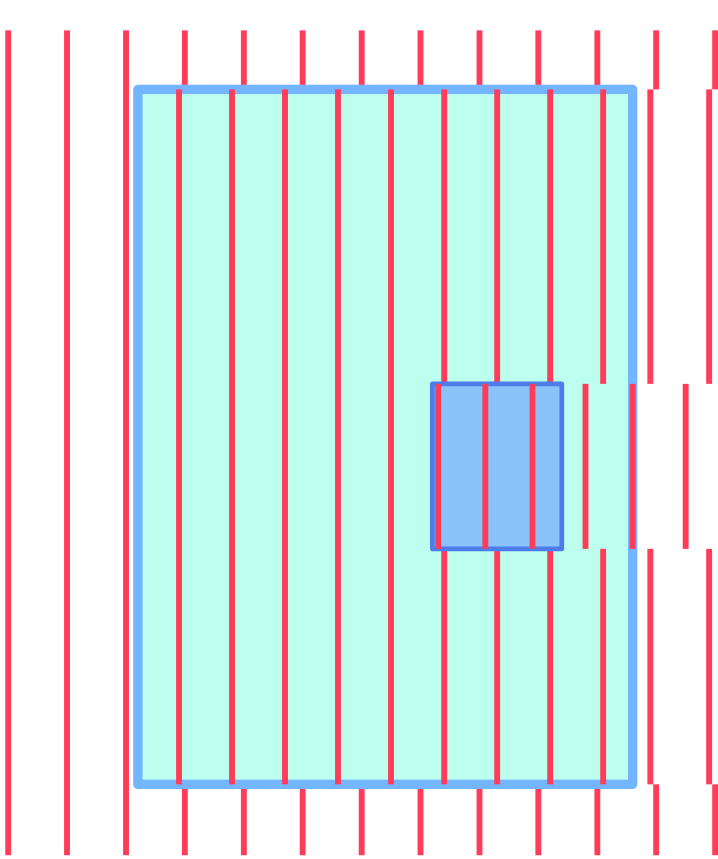


Al-Si

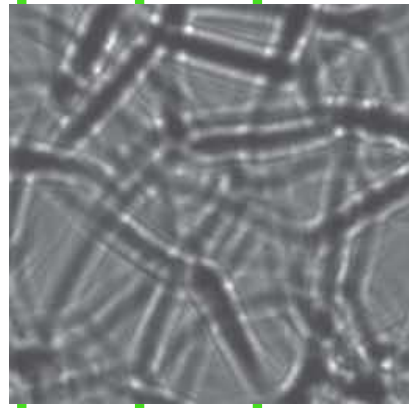


Xray tomography - phase contrast

Coherent source

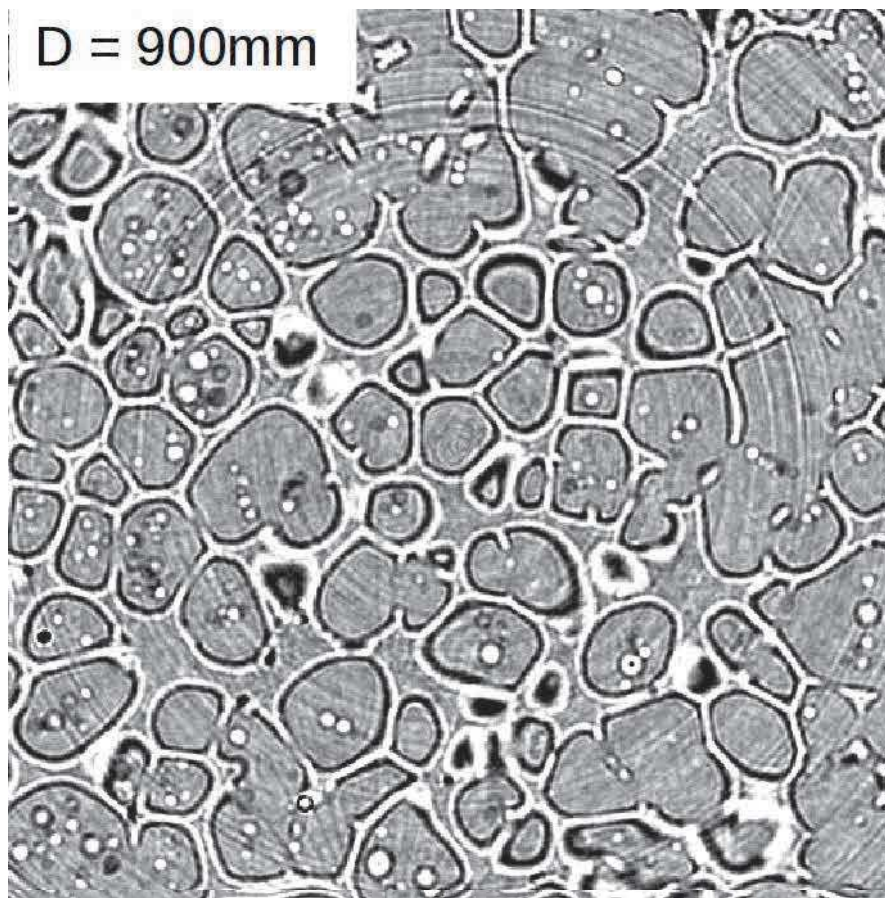


Detector



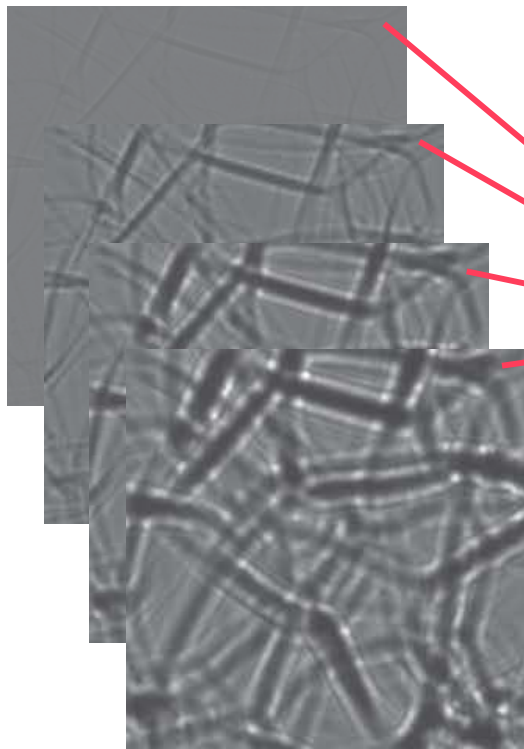


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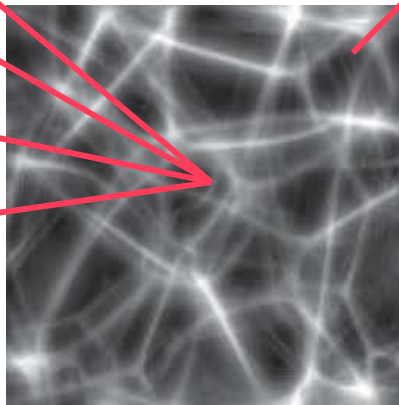




Xray tomography - holotomography

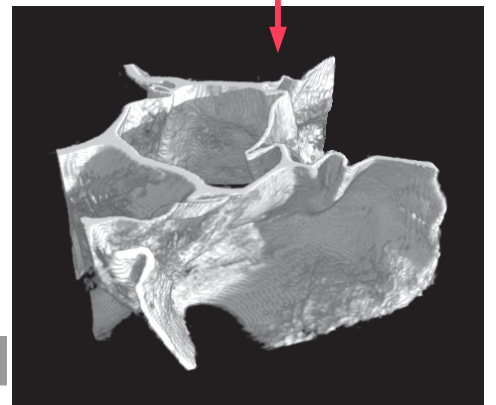
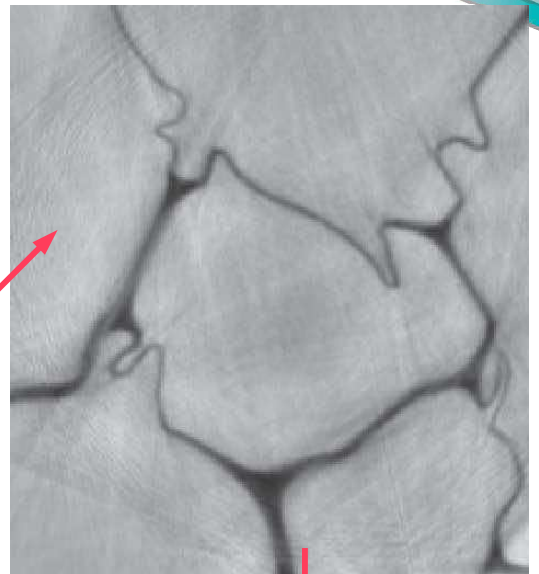


Detector : collect intensity as scalar values



Phase retrieval : complex value

Tomographic reconstruction



Final volume

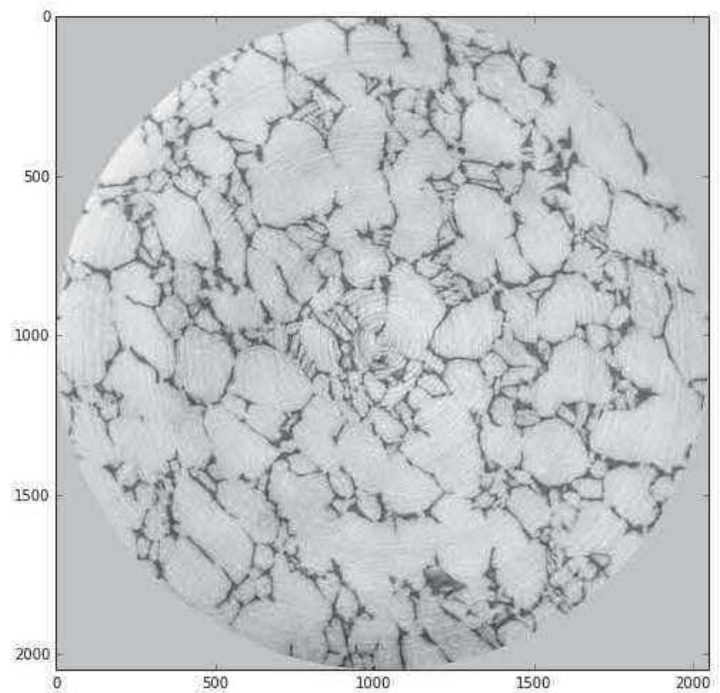
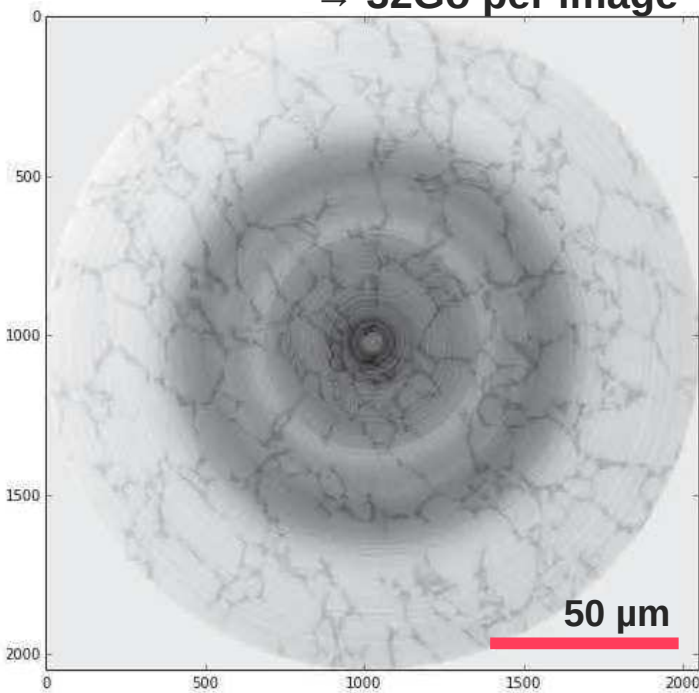
1a : voids nucleation - high resolution - Ti

ESRF, ID16B :

- 1 voxel $\sim 100 \times 100 \times 100 \text{ nm}^3$
- $2048 \times 2048 \times 2048$ voxels
- Dynamic of 32bit

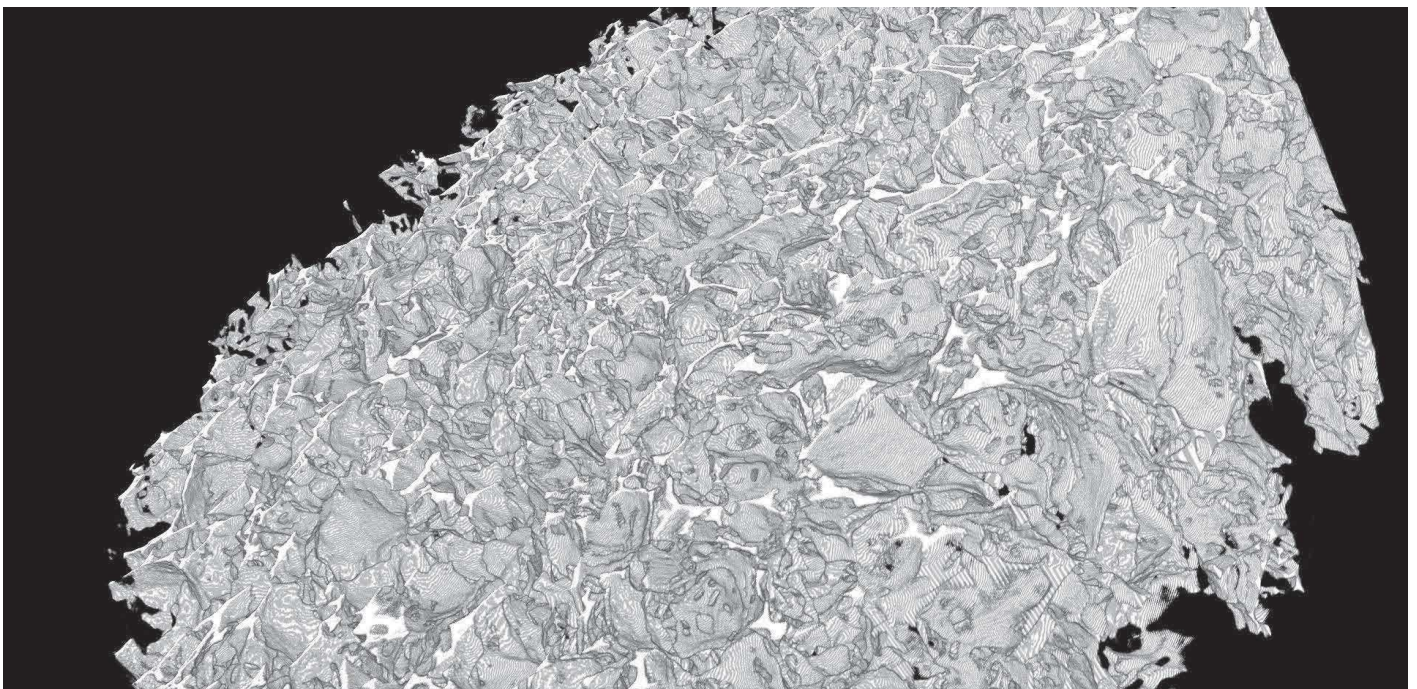
→ 32Go per image

Dedicated tools ! (*python*)





1a : voids nucleation - high resolution - Ti



> ESRF, ID16B

Conclusion on tomography : full field scalar characterisation

- 1) Need contrast for visualisation (Z, phases, voids...)
- 2) Resolution : from nano- to mili-
- 3) Volume of $\sim 1000^3$ voxels
- 4) In situ acquisition (meca, Th, ...)

Tracks:

- 5) Morphology
- 6) Evolutions

