

Heterogeneous Elasto-plasticity

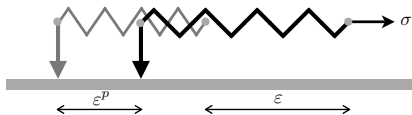
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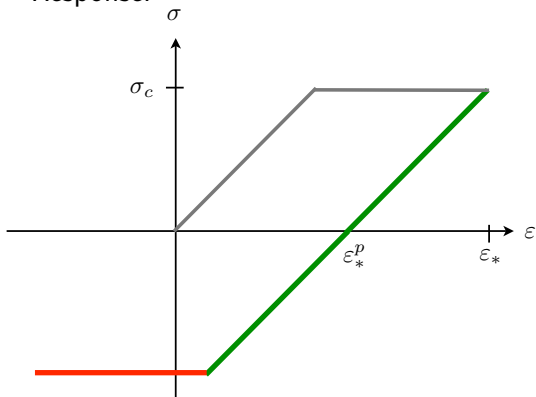
Small strain elasto-plasticity – the rheology

- A model with brake and spring:



$$\text{with } \begin{cases} |\sigma| \leq \sigma_c \\ \dot{\epsilon}^p \geq 0 & \sigma = \sigma_c \\ \dot{\epsilon}^p = 0 & |\sigma| < \sigma_c \\ \dot{\epsilon}^p \leq 0 & \sigma = -\sigma_c \end{cases}$$

- Response:



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b.c. on $\partial_d \Omega$ has been relaxed: $p = [w - u] \odot \nu$, $w - u \perp \nu$

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The variational approach to elastoplasticity

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- To go further, need to define the duality $\langle \sigma_D, p \rangle$.
Not so clear because σ_D not continuous!

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- Technical point: What do we need for $\langle \sigma_D, p \rangle$ to be a finite Radon meas. on all of \mathbb{R}^N ?
- Open pb.: Can we prove this under the only assumption that e.g. $\mathcal{H}^{N-2}(\partial_{\partial\Omega}[\partial_d\Omega]) < \infty$?

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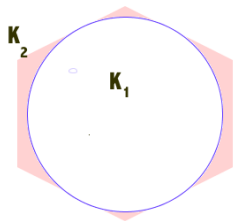
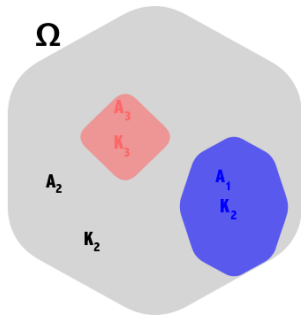
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- From $H\left(\frac{\dot{p}}{|\dot{p}|}\right) |\dot{p}| = \langle \sigma_D, \dot{p} \rangle$, we recover the flow rule, **BOTH in Ω and on $\partial_d \Omega$:**

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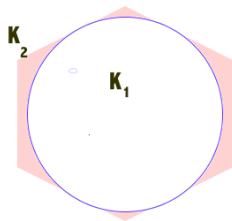
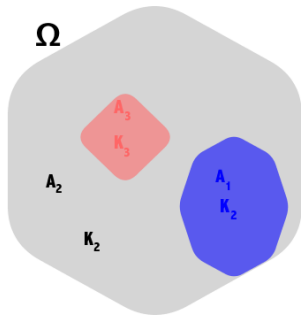
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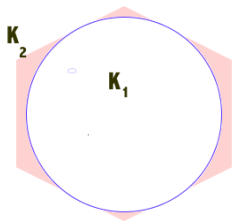
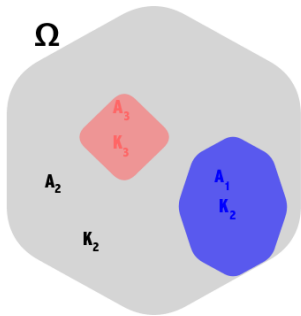


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- ~~\mathcal{H}~~ because destroys convexity \Rightarrow **Inf-convolution:**

$$H(x, \xi) :=$$

$$\begin{cases} \inf\{H(a \odot v(x)) + H(-b \odot v(x)); a - b = c\}, & \text{if } \xi = c \odot v(x) \\ \infty, & \text{else} \end{cases}$$



destroys l.s.c./ Need to re-establish l.s.c. of \mathcal{H} :

Thm: If (u_n, e_n, p_n) kin. compatible and the natural weak conv. hold $(BD \times L^2 \times \mathcal{M}_b)$ then $\mathcal{H}(p) \leq \liminf_n \mathcal{H}(p_n)$

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