

**8.1** AISI 4340 steel (Fig. 8.32),  $\sigma_o = 800$  and 1600 MPa.

(a)  $K_{Ic} = ?$  (b)  $a_t = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K_{Ic}}{\sigma_o} \right)^2$

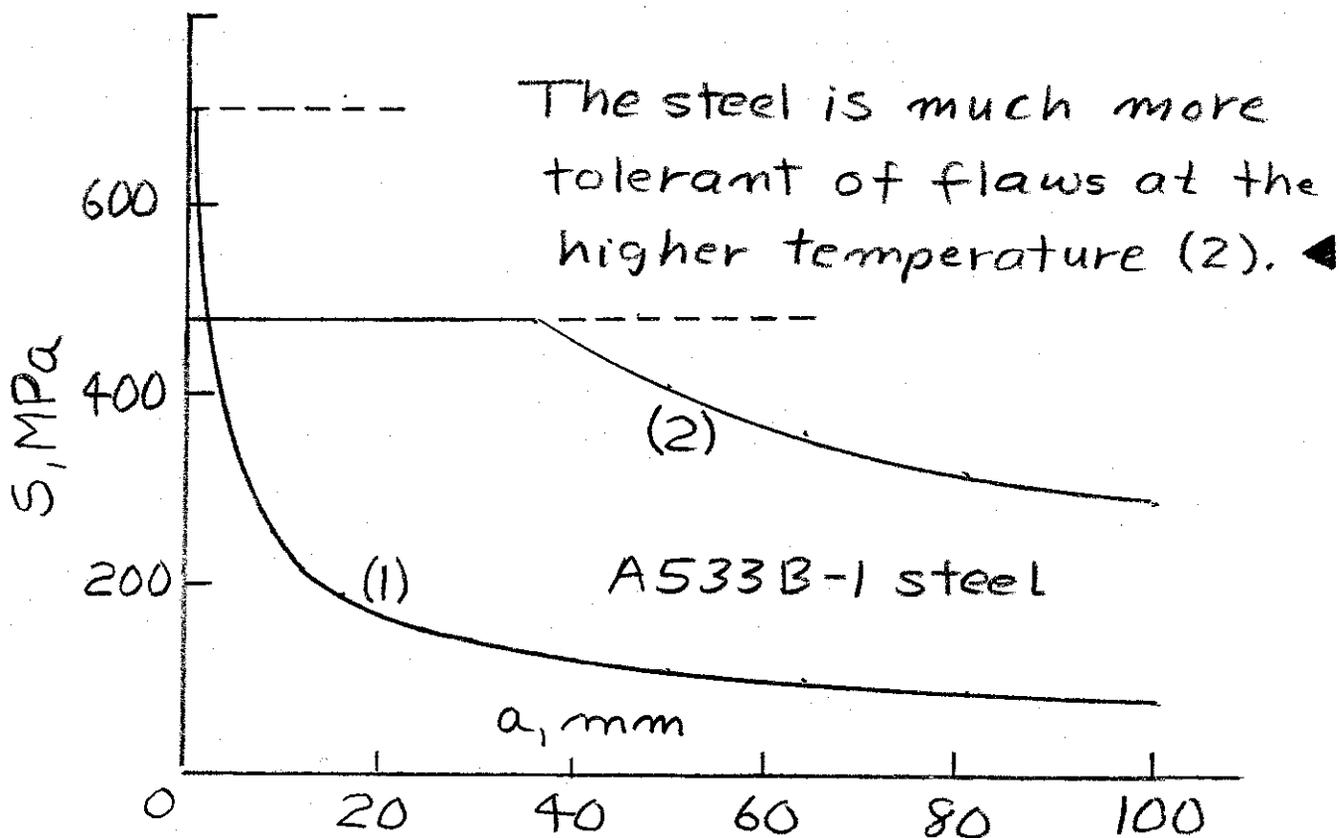
$\sigma_o$ , MPa	$K_{Ic}$ , MPa $\sqrt{m}$	$a_t$ , mm
800	185	17.0
1600	40	0.20

The much smaller  $a_t$  for the higher  $\sigma_o$  indicates a greater sensitivity to flaws, so that brittle fracture would be an important design consideration.

**8.2**

$$a_t = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K_{Ic}}{\sigma_0} \right)^2, \quad K_{Ic} = S \sqrt{\pi a}$$

Temp. °C	$K_{Ic}$ MPa√m	$\sigma_0$ MPa	$a_t$	
			m	mm
(1) -150	42	700	0.00115	1.15
(2) +10	160	480	0.0354	35.4



$$(1) \quad S = \frac{K_{Ic}}{\sqrt{\pi a}} = \frac{42 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{\sqrt{\frac{\pi a \text{ mm}}{1000 \text{ mm/m}}}} = \frac{749}{\sqrt{a}} \text{ MPa}$$

$$(2) \quad S = \frac{K_{Ic}}{\sqrt{\pi a}} = \frac{160}{\sqrt{\frac{\pi a}{1000}}} = \frac{2855}{\sqrt{a}} \text{ MPa}$$

**8.3** For each metal in Table 8.1, calculate  $a_t$  and plot on log scale vs.  $\sigma_o$ .

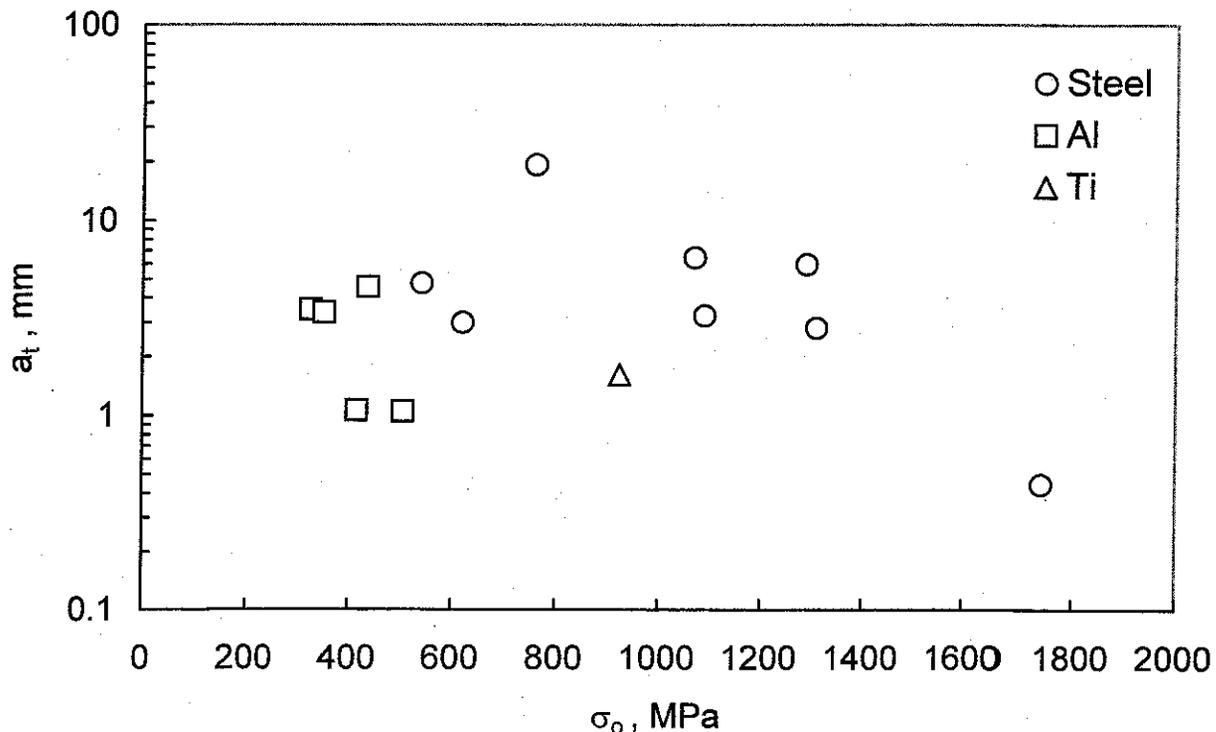
$$a_t = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K_{Ic}}{\sigma_o} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{66 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{540 \text{ MPa}} \right)^2$$

$$a_t = 4.75 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} = 4.75 \text{ mm}$$

(for AISI 1144 steel, others similarly)

$K_{Ic}$ MPa m <sup>0.5</sup>	$\sigma_o$ MPa	$a_t$ mm
(a) Steels		
66	540	4.75
60	620	2.98
187	760	19.27
110	1090	3.24
123	1310	2.81
176	1290	5.93
152	1070	6.42
65	1740	0.44

$K_{Ic}$ MPa m <sup>0.5</sup>	$\sigma_o$ MPa	$a_t$ mm
(b) Aluminum Alloys		
24	415	1.06
34	325	3.48
36	350	3.37
29	505	1.05
52	435	4.55
(c) Titanium Alloy		
66	925	1.62



(8.3, p. 2)

Although there is considerable scatter, it appears that  $a_t$  decreases with increasing  $\sigma_0$  for steels. Aluminum alloys show a similar trend, but with  $a_t$  smaller than for steels of similar strength.

**8.4** Calculate  $a_t$  for various given materials and comment on trends.

$$a_t = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K_{Ic}}{\sigma_o} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{66 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{540 \text{ MPa}} \right)^2$$

$$a_t = 4.75 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} = 4.75 \text{ mm}$$

(for AISI 1144 steel; others similarly)

Use  $\sigma_{ut}$  for brittle materials where there is no yield strength.

Material	$K_{Ic}$ MPa m <sup>0.5</sup>	$\sigma_o$ MPa	$a_t$ mm
1144 Steel	66	540	4.75
A517-F Steel	187	760	19.27
300-M, 650 Steel	152	1070	6.42
300-M, 300 Steel	65	1740	0.44
2219-T851 Al	36	350	3.37
7075-T651 Al	29	505	1.05
ABS Polymer	3.0	42 <sup>1</sup>	1.62
Epoxy	0.60	59 <sup>1,2</sup>	0.033
Glass	0.76	50 <sup>2</sup>	0.074
Si <sub>3</sub> N <sub>4</sub>	5.6	450 <sup>2</sup>	0.049

Notes: <sup>1</sup>Average strength from Table 4.3. <sup>2</sup>Ultimate strength, rather than yield, is used.

$a_t$  is a fairly large (easily found) size for most of the steels, and is smaller for the Al alloys. The values are very small for epoxy, glass, and Si<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>, and in these cases may be similar to the natural flaws in the material. Hence, these three may be "internally flawed."

**8.6**

Center-cracked plate, AISI 1144 steel,  $b = 40$ ,  $t = 15$  mm.  $K_{Ic} = 66 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$  (Tbl. 8.1)

$P = ?$  for  $X_K = K_{Ic}/K = 3$  if  $a = 10, 24$  mm

(a)  $a = 10$  mm,  $\alpha = a/b = 10/40 = 0.25$

$$K = F S_g \sqrt{\pi a}, \quad F \approx 1 \quad (\text{Fig. 8.12})$$

$$S_g = \frac{P}{2bt}, \quad K = F \frac{P}{2bt} \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$K = \frac{K_{Ic}}{X_K} = \frac{66 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{3.0} = 22 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$22 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}} = \frac{P, \text{N}}{2(40)(15) \text{ mm}^2} \sqrt{\pi(0.010 \text{ m})}$$

$$P = 148,900 \text{ N} = 148.9 \text{ kN} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

(b)  $a = 24$  mm,  $\alpha = a/b = 0.6$

$$F = \frac{1 - 0.5\alpha + 0.326\alpha^2}{\sqrt{1-\alpha}} = 1.292 \quad (\text{Fig. 8.12})$$

$$22 = 1.292 \frac{P}{2(40)(15)} \sqrt{\pi(0.024)}$$

$$P = 74,400 \text{ N} = 74.4 \text{ kN} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

**8.7** $F_1 = \text{tabulated values}, \alpha = a/b$ 

$$(a) F_2 = \frac{1 - 0.5\alpha + 0.326\alpha^2}{\sqrt{1-\alpha}} \quad \text{Fig. 8.12(a)}$$

$$(b) F_3 = \sqrt{\sec \frac{\pi\alpha}{2}} \quad (c) F_4 = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi\alpha} \tan \frac{\pi\alpha}{2}}$$

 $(\pi\alpha/2 \text{ in radians})$ 

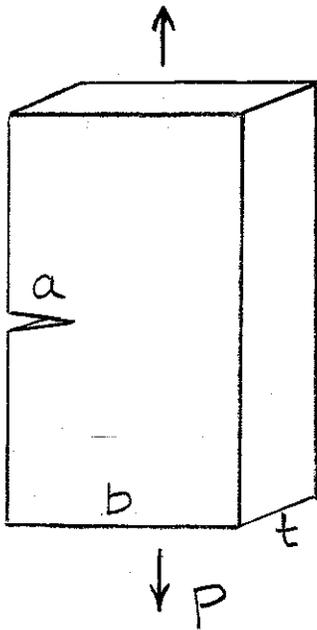
For each  $\alpha = 0, 0.1, 0.2, \dots, 0.9$ ,  
 calculate  $F_2, F_3$ , and  $F_4$ , and also  
 the ratios  $F_2/F_1, F_3/F_1$ , and  $F_4/F_1$ .

$\alpha = a/b$	Tada $F_1$	Fig. 8.12a $F_2$	Secant $F_3$	Tangent $F_4$	Fig. 8.12a $F_2/F_1$	Secant $F_3/F_1$	Tangent $F_4/F_1$
0	1	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.1	1.006	1.0048	1.0062	1.0041	0.9988	1.0002	0.9982
0.2	1.025	1.0208	1.0254	1.0170	0.9959	1.0004	0.9922
0.3	1.058	1.0510	1.0594	1.0398	0.9934	1.0013	0.9828
0.4	1.109	1.1001	1.1118	1.0753	0.9920	1.0025	0.9696
0.5	1.187	1.1759	1.1892	1.1284	0.9907	1.0019	0.9506
0.6	1.303	1.2924	1.3043	1.2085	0.9918	1.0010	0.9274
0.7	1.488	1.4784	1.4841	1.3360	0.9935	0.9974	0.8979
0.8	1.816	1.8082	1.7989	1.5650	0.9957	0.9906	0.8618
0.9	2.578	2.5743	2.5283	2.1133	0.9986	0.9807	0.8197

- (a)  $F_2$  is within 1% for  $\alpha \leq 0.9$   
 (b)  $F_3$  is within 2% for  $\alpha \leq 0.9$   
 (c)  $F_4$  is within 2% for  $\alpha \leq 0.3$ ,  
 5% for  $\alpha \leq 0.5$ , and 18% off  
 at  $\alpha = 0.9$ .

**8.8**

AISI 1045 steel,  $HB = 400$ ,  $\sigma_o = 1300 \text{ MPa}$ ,  
 $K_{Ic} = 80 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$  (Fig. 8.7)



$$b = 120, t = 12 \text{ mm}$$

$$\frac{K_{Ic}}{K} = X_K = 3.0$$

$$K = \frac{80}{3.0} = 26.7 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

(a)  $P = ?$  for  $a = 18 \text{ mm}$

$$\frac{a}{b} = \frac{18}{120} = 0.15 = \alpha$$

$$K = F S_g \sqrt{\pi a}, \quad S_g = \frac{P}{bt}$$

$$F = 0.265(1-\alpha)^4 + \frac{0.857 + 0.265\alpha}{(1-\alpha)^{3/2}} = 1.283$$

$$26.7 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}} = 1.283 \frac{P, \text{ N}}{(120)(12) \text{ mm}^2} \sqrt{\pi (0.018 \text{ m})}$$

$$P = 126,000 \text{ N} = 126 \text{ kN}$$

(b)  $X'_o = P_o / P = ?$ ,  $P$  from (a)

$$P_o = bt\sigma_o \left[ -\alpha + \sqrt{2\alpha^2 - 2\alpha + 1} \right] \quad (\text{Fig. A.16 (d)})$$

$$P_o = (120 \text{ mm})(12 \text{ mm})(1300 \text{ MPa}) \times$$

$$\left[ -0.15 + \sqrt{2(0.15)^2 - 2(0.15) + 1} \right]$$

(8.8, p.2)

$$P_o = 1.335 \times 10^6 \text{ N} = 1335 \text{ kN}$$

$$X_o' = P_o / P = 1335 / 126 = 10.6$$

The  $P = 126 \text{ kN}$  force is far below fully plastic yielding, with  $X_K = 3.0$  controlling.

(C)  $a = ?$  for  $P = 100 \text{ kN}$ ,  $X_K = 3.0$

$$K = F S_g \sqrt{\pi a}, \quad F = F(\alpha = a/b) \text{ as above}$$

$$26.7 \text{ MPa} \sqrt{\text{m}} = F \frac{100,000 \text{ N}}{120(12) \text{ mm}^2} \sqrt{\pi \frac{a, \text{ mm}}{1000 \text{ mm/m}}}$$

Solve iteratively: Pick "a". Calculate  $\alpha = a/b$ ,  $F$ , and  $K$ . Vary "a" until  $K = 26.7$ . Result is  $a = 24.4 \text{ mm}$

Also check  $X_o' > 3.0$  as in (b) for this "a".

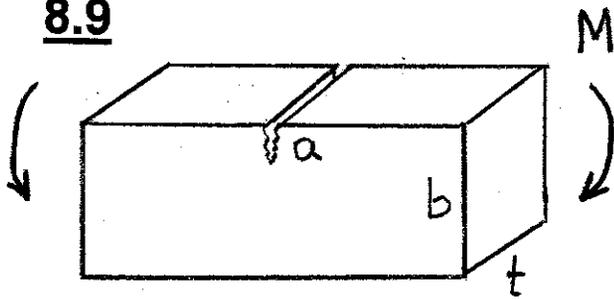
$$P_o = 1159 \text{ MPa}, \quad X_o' = 11.66 \text{ OK}$$

b, mm	t, mm	$\sigma_o$ , MPa	$K_{Ic}$ , MPa $\sqrt{\text{m}}$
120	12	1300	80.0

	P, N	S, MPa	a, mm	a, m	$\alpha$	F
(a,b)	125,897	87.43	18.00	0.01800	0.1500	1.283
(c)	100,000	69.44	24.38	0.02438	0.2032	1.387

	$K$ , MPa $\sqrt{\text{m}}$	$X_K$	$P_o$ , N	$X_o$
(a,b)	26.67	3.00	1.335E+06	10.60
(c)	26.67	3.00	1.159E+06	11.59

**8.9**



$$X_K = 2.5$$

$$b = 20 \text{ mm}$$

$$t = 10 \text{ mm}$$

ABS plastic

$$K_{Ic} = 3.0 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}, \quad \sigma_0 = 42 \text{ MPa (average)}$$

(Tables 8.2, 4.3)

(a)  $a = ?$  for  $M = 10 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$

$$S_g = \frac{6M}{b^2 t} = \frac{6(10,000 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{(20 \text{ mm})^2 (10 \text{ mm})} = 15.0 \text{ MPa}$$

$$K = 1.12 S_g \sqrt{\pi a} \quad (a/b \leq 0.4) \quad (\text{Fig. 8.13})$$

$$K = 3.0 / 2.5 = 1.2 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$a = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K}{1.12 S_g} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{1.2 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{1.12 \times 15 \text{ MPa}} \right)^2$$

$$a = 0.00162 \text{ m} = 1.62 \text{ mm}$$

$$a/b = 1.62 / 20 = 0.081, \quad F = 1.12 \text{ is O.K.}$$

(b)  $a = ?$  for  $M = 3.0 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m} = 3000 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm}$

$$S_g = \frac{6M}{b^2 t} = \frac{6(3000)}{20^2 \cdot 10} = 4.5 \text{ MPa}$$

Calculation with  $F = 1.12$  as above gives:

$$a = 18.0 \text{ mm}, \quad \alpha = a/b = 0.90, \quad \text{not } \leq 0.4$$

(8.9, p.2)

Hence, the equation for varying  $F$  is needed.

$$F = \sqrt{\frac{1}{\chi} \tan \chi} \left[ \frac{0.923 + 0.199(1 - \sin \chi)^4}{\cos \chi} \right]$$

where  $\chi = \pi\alpha/2$ ,  $\alpha = a/b$

$$K = FS\sqrt{\pi a}, \quad 1.2 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}} = F (4.5 \text{ MPa})\sqrt{\pi(a, \text{m})}$$

Pick an "a", then calculate,  $\alpha$ ,  $\chi$ ,  $F$ , and  $K$ .  
Vary "a" iteratively until  $K = 1.2 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$ .

$a = 10.1 \text{ mm}$

b, mm	t, mm	X	$K_{Ic}$ , MPa $\sqrt{\text{m}}$	$\sigma_o$ , MPa
20	10	2.5	3.0	42

	M, N-mm	S, MPa	a, mm	a, m	$\alpha = a/b$	$\pi\alpha/2$
(a)	10,000	15.00	<b>1.624</b>	0.001624	0.08120	---
(a)	10,000	15.00	<b>1.870</b>	0.001870	0.09352	0.14690
(b)	3,000	4.50	<b>10.125</b>	0.010125	0.50627	0.79525

	F	Comment	$K$ , MPa $\sqrt{\text{m}}$	$X_K$	$M_o$ , N-m	$X'_o$
(a)	1.120	Approx F	1.200	2.50	35,456	<b>3.55</b> (c)
(a)	1.044	Exact F	1.200	2.50	34,512	<b>3.45</b> (c)
(b)	1.495	Exact F	1.200	2.50	10,238	<b>3.41</b> (c)

(c) Consider fully plastic yielding.

$$M_o = \frac{b^2 t \sigma_o}{4} (1 - \alpha)^2 \quad (\text{Fig. A.16}), \quad X'_o = M_o / M$$

See results in table above: (a)  $X'_o = 3.55$ ,  
(b)  $X'_o = 3.41$ . So  $X_K = 2.5$  controls for (a), (b)

### 8.10

Single edge cracked plate.

$$b = 30, t = 4, a = 6 \text{ mm}, P = 7.5 \text{ kN}$$

(a) For  $X_K = 2.8$ , what  $K_{IC}$  required?

$$K = FS\sqrt{\pi a}, \quad K = \frac{K_{IC}}{X_K}$$

$$K_{IC} = X_K F \frac{P}{bt} \sqrt{\pi a} \quad (\text{Fig. 8.12(c)})$$

$$F = 0.265(1-\alpha)^4 + \frac{0.857 + 0.265\alpha}{(1-\alpha)^{1.5}}$$

$$\alpha = a/b = 6/30 = 0.20, \quad F = 1.380$$

$$K_{IC} = 2.8(1.38) \frac{7500 \text{ N}}{30(4) \text{ mm}^2} \sqrt{\pi (0.006 \text{ m})}$$

$$K_{IC} = 33.2 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

(b)  $X'_0 = 2.0$  for fully plastic yielding  
 $\sigma_0 = ?$ ,  $X'_0 = P_0/P$  Use Fig. A.16 (d).

$$P_0 = bt\sigma_0 \left[ -\alpha + \sqrt{2\alpha^2 - 2\alpha + 1} \right] = X'_0 P$$

$$2(7500 \text{ N}) = (30 \text{ mm})(4 \text{ mm})(\sigma_0 \text{ MPa}) \times \left[ -0.2 + \sqrt{2(0.2)^2 - 2(0.2) + 1} \right]$$

$$\sigma_0 = 200 \text{ MPa} \quad (\text{minimum}) \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

(c) 2024-T351 or 2219-T851 meet above.

**8.11** Bending members, Fig. 8.13(a),  $b = 60$ ,  
 $t = 20$  mm, 18 Ni maraging steel (vac. melt)  
 $M = 10$  kN·m,  $a = 1$  mm.

$$K_{Ic} = 176 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}, \sigma_0 = 1290 \text{ MPa} \quad (\text{Tbl. 8.1})$$

(a) Failure  $M = ?$ ,  $X = ?$  Figs. 8.13, A.13(b).

Brittle fracture:  $K = F S_c \sqrt{\pi a} = K_{Ic}$

$$S_c = \frac{6 M_c}{b^2 t}, \quad F = 1.12 \quad (a/b \leq 0.4)$$

$$F \frac{6 M_c}{b^2 t} \sqrt{\pi a} = K_{Ic}, \quad M_c = \frac{b^2 t K_{Ic}}{6 F \sqrt{\pi a}}$$

$$M_c = \frac{(60 \text{ mm})^2 (20 \text{ mm}) (176 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}})}{6 (1.12) \sqrt{\pi (0.001 \text{ m})}}$$

$$M_c = 33.64 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm} = 33.64 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

$$X_c = \frac{M_c}{M} = \frac{33.64}{10} = 3.36 \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

( $F = 1.12$  is OK as  $a/b = 1/60 = 0.0167$ )

Fully plastic yielding:  $M_0 = \frac{b^2 t \sigma_0}{4} (1 - a/b)^2$

$$M_0 = \frac{(60 \text{ mm})^2 (20 \text{ mm}) (1290 \text{ MPa})}{4} \left(1 - \frac{1 \text{ mm}}{60 \text{ mm}}\right)^2$$

$$M_0 = 22.45 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm} = 22.45 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

$$X'_0 = \frac{M_0}{M} = \frac{22.45}{10} = 2.25 \quad (\text{controls}) \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

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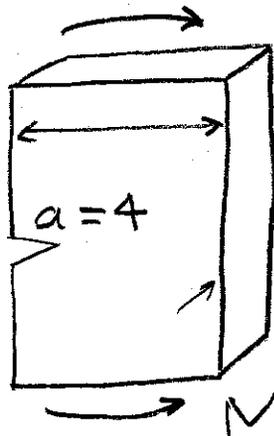
(b)  $a = 5 \text{ mm}$ ,  $\alpha = a/b = 0.0833$

Repeat above with new "a".

$X_c = 1.50$ ,  $X'_0 = 1.95$  ◁

Brittle fracture now controls, vs. yielding for (a).  $X_c$  is low noting typical statistical scatter in  $K_{Ic}$  (Table B.4). Replace. ◀

**8.12** Rectangular beam, 7475-T7351 Al



$$b = 40 \text{ mm}$$

$$X'_0 = 2.0$$

$$t = 20$$

$$X_K = 3.5$$

$$a/b = 0.1$$

(a)  $X'_0, X_K$  OK?

$$M = 1.0 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$$

(b)  $b = ?$  if not

Fig. 8.13:  $F = 1.12$  ( $a/b < 0.4$ )

$$S = \frac{6M}{b^2 t} = \frac{6(1.0 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{(40)^2 (20) \text{ mm}^3} = 187.5 \text{ MPa}$$

Table 8.1:  $K_{Ic} = 52 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$ ,  $\sigma_0 = 435 \text{ MPa}$

Consider fully plastic yielding, with crack

$$M_0 = \frac{b^2 t \sigma_0}{4} \left(1 - \frac{a}{b}\right)^2 \quad \text{Fig. A.16(b)}$$

$$M_0 = \frac{(40 \text{ mm})^2 (20 \text{ mm}) (435 \text{ MPa})}{4} \left(1 - \frac{4 \text{ mm}}{40 \text{ mm}}\right)^2$$

$$M_0 = 2.82 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm} = 2.82 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$$

$$X'_0 = M_0 / M = 2.82 > 2.0 \quad \text{OK} \quad \triangleleft$$

Consider brittle fracture

$$K_{Ic} / X_K = K = F S \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$K = 1.12 (187.5 \text{ MPa}) \sqrt{\pi (0.004 \text{ m})}$$

(8.12, p. 2)

$$K = 23,54 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}, \quad X_K = \frac{52 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{23,54 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}$$

$$X_K = 2.21, \quad < 3.5 \text{ not OK}$$

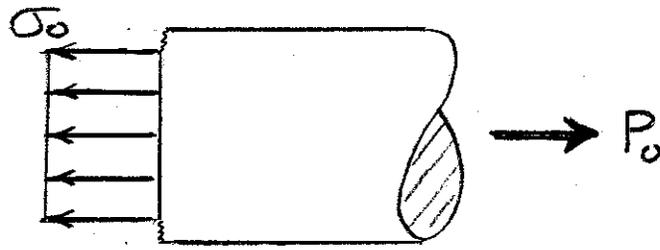
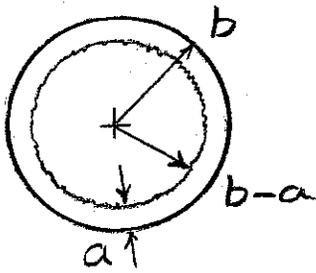
$$(b) \frac{K_{Ic}}{X_K} = K = F S \sqrt{\pi a} = F \frac{6M}{b^2 t} \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$\frac{52 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{3,5} = 1,12 \frac{6 (1,0 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{(b, \text{mm})^2 (20 \text{ mm})} \sqrt{\pi (0,004 \text{ m})}$$

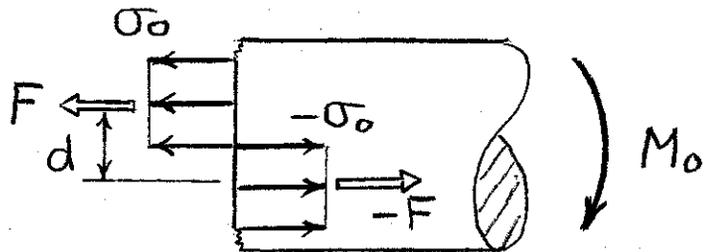
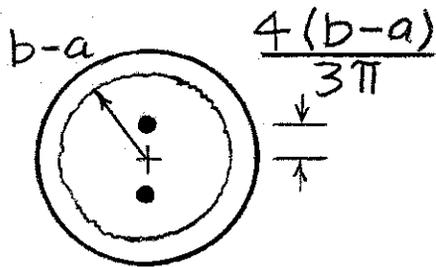
$$b = 50,35 \text{ mm}$$

$$\alpha = a/b = 4/50,35 = 0,079, \quad F = 1,12 \text{ is OK}$$

**8.14** Find  $P_0, M_0$  for a circumferential crack in shaft case, as  $f(a, b, \sigma_0)$



$$P_0 = \pi (b-a)^2 \sigma_0 = \pi b^2 \sigma_0 (1-a/b)^2$$



Couple:

$$M_0 = Fd = \left( \frac{\pi (b-a)^2 \sigma_0}{2} \right) \left( 2 \frac{4(b-a)}{3\pi} \right)$$

$$M_0 = \frac{4}{3} (b-a)^3 \sigma_0 = \frac{4}{3} b^3 \sigma_0 (1-a/b)^3$$

**8.15** Tube with longitudinal crack.

$p = 20 \text{ MPa}$ ,  $r_{avg} = 25$ ,  $t = 2$ ,  $a = 5 \text{ mm}$ .  
Find  $X_K$ ,  $X_0$  (without crack). Ti-6Al-4V.

(Table 8.1)

$$\lambda = \frac{a}{\sqrt{r_{avg} t}} = \frac{5}{\sqrt{25(2)}} = 0.707$$

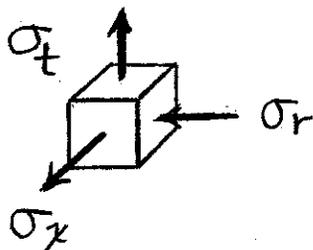
$$F = \sqrt{1 + 1.25 \lambda^2} = 1.275$$

$$K = \frac{F p r_{avg}}{t} \sqrt{\pi a} = \frac{1.275 (20 \text{ MPa})(25 \text{ mm})}{2 \text{ mm}}$$

$$K = \frac{1.275 (20 \text{ MPa})(25 \text{ mm})}{2 \text{ mm}} \sqrt{\pi (0.005 \text{ m})}$$

$$K = 39.94 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$X_K = \frac{K_{Ic}}{K} = \frac{66 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{39.94 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}} = 1.65$$



$$\sigma_x = \frac{p r_i}{2t}, \quad \sigma_t = \frac{p r_i}{t}, \quad \sigma_r = -p$$

$$\sigma_x = \frac{(20 \text{ MPa})(25 - 1) \text{ mm}}{2(2 \text{ mm})} = 120 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_t = 240 \text{ MPa}, \quad \sigma_r = -20 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_t, \sigma_x, \sigma_r = \sigma_1, \sigma_2, \sigma_3 \quad (\text{all } \tau = 0)$$

$$\bar{\sigma}_s = \text{MAX}(|\sigma_1 - \sigma_2|, |\sigma_2 - \sigma_3|, |\sigma_3 - \sigma_1|) = \sigma_0 / X_0$$

$$\bar{\sigma}_s = 260 \text{ MPa} = 925 \text{ MPa} / X_0, \quad X_0 = 3.56$$

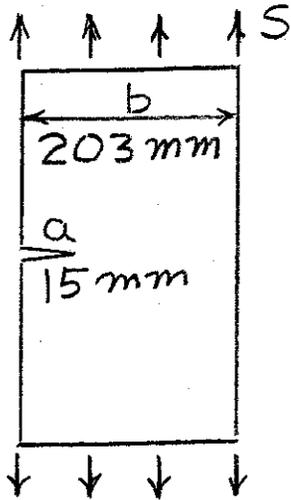
The  $X_K$  is too low!

**8.16** Structural member, A572 steel, Fig.

8.37. Dynamic loading at  $-30^\circ\text{C}$ ,  $a = 15\text{ mm}$ .

(a)  $M_c = ?$  (b) Compare to design  $M_x = 176\text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$  from  $X_o = 1.67$ .  $K_{Ic} = 40\text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$ .

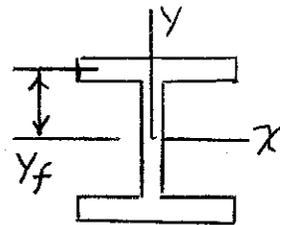
(a)  $K_{Ic} = F S_c \sqrt{\pi a}$  Model flange as Fig. 8.12 (c),  $S$  at mid-thickness of flange.



$$a/b = 15/203 = 0.074$$

$$F \approx 1.12$$

Also note web tends to limit asymmetry effect on  $F$ .



$$S_c = \frac{K_{Ic}}{F \sqrt{\pi a}} = \frac{M_c y_f}{I_x}$$

$$\frac{40\text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{1.12 \sqrt{\pi(0.015\text{ m})}} = \frac{(M_c, \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})(303/2 - 13.1/2)^{\text{mm}}}{(1.29 \times 10^{-4}\text{ m}^4)(1000\text{ mm/m})^4}$$

$$M_c = 146.4 \times 10^6\text{ N}\cdot\text{mm} = 146.4\text{ kN}\cdot\text{m} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

(b)  $M_c$  to fracture  $<$  allowable  $M_x = 176\text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$ ,  
If service loads reach design  $M_x$ , fracture is likely. \blacktriangleleft

Comments:  $M_i$  to yield edge of beam, with  $\sigma_o = 345\text{ MPa}$  from Fig. 8.37, is!

(8.16, p2)

$$\sigma_o = \frac{M_i y}{I_x}, \quad 345 \text{ MPa} = \frac{(M_i, \text{N}\cdot\text{mm}) (30312 \text{ mm})}{1.29 \times 10^8 \text{ mm}^4}$$

$$M_i = 293,8 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm} = 293,8 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$$

$X_o = 1,67$  then gives an allowable moment:

$$M_x = \frac{M_i}{X_o} = \frac{293,8}{1,67} = 175,9 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m} \quad \triangleleft$$

which is close to the given allowable

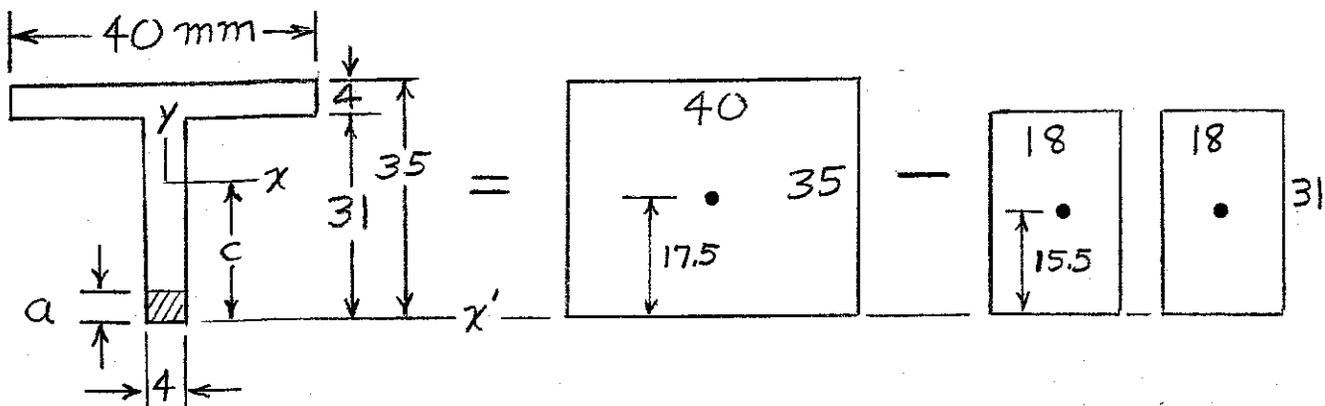
$$M_x = 176 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}.$$

**8.17** T-section, 7075-T651 AL, crack "a,"  
 $M_x = 180 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$ . (a) Verify  $c, \bar{I}_x$ , (b)  $X_K = ?$   
 for  $a = 1.5 \text{ mm}$ . (c)  $a = ?$  for  $X_K = 3.0$ .  
 (d) Use 7475-T7351?

From Table 8.1,  $K_{Ic}$  in  $\text{MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$ ,  $\sigma_0$  in  $\text{MPa}$ :

7075-T651:  $K_{Ic} = 29$ ,  $\sigma_0 = 505$

7475-T7351:  $K_{Ic} = 52$ ,  $\sigma_0 = 435$



$$(a) c = \bar{y} = \frac{\sum Ay_c}{\sum A} = \frac{(40 \times 35)(17.5) - 2(18 \times 31)(15.5)}{(40 \times 35) - 2(18 \times 31)}$$

$$c = \frac{7204 \text{ mm}^3}{284 \text{ mm}^2} = 25.359 \text{ mm}$$

$$I_{x'} = \sum \frac{bh^3}{3} = \frac{40(35)^3}{3} - 2 \frac{18(31)^3}{3} = 214,175 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$I_{x'} = \bar{I}_x + (\sum A)c^2, \quad \bar{I}_x = I_{x'} - (\sum A)c^2$$

$$\bar{I}_x = 214,175 - (284)(25.359)^2 = 31,538 \text{ mm}^4$$

$$(b) K = FS \sqrt{\pi a} = K_{Ic} / X_K, \quad F \approx 1.12$$

$$S = M_y / \bar{I}_x, \quad \text{use } y = c, \text{ bottom edge}$$

(8.17, p.2)

$$S = \frac{(180,000 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})(25.36 \text{ mm})}{31,538 \text{ mm}^2} = 144.73 \text{ MPa}$$

$$K = 1.12 (144.73 \text{ MPa}) \sqrt{\pi (0.0015 \text{ m})} = 11.13 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$X_K = K_{IC} / K = 29 / 11.13 = 2.61$$

$$(c) K_{IC} / X_K = FS \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$(29 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}) / 3.0 = 1.12 (144.73 \text{ MPa}) \sqrt{\pi (a, \text{m})}$$

$$a = 1.132 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} = 1.13 \text{ mm}$$

(d) Redo (b) and (c) with  $K_{IC} = 52 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$

$$\text{For } a = 1.5 \text{ mm}, X_K = 52 / 11.13 = 4.67$$

For  $X_K = 3.0$ :

$$52 / 3 = 1.12 (144.73) \sqrt{\pi a}, \quad a = 3.64 \text{ mm}$$

Check yielding since  $\sigma_0$  lower.

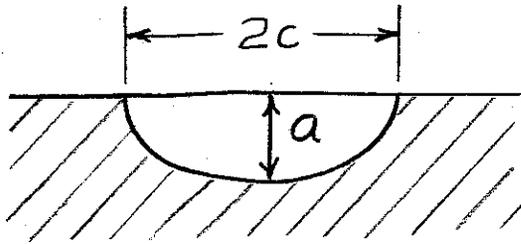
$$X_0 = \frac{\sigma_0}{S} = \frac{435 \text{ MPa}}{144.73 \text{ MPa}} = 3.01 \quad \text{OK}$$

7475-T7351 has larger  $X_K$  for  $a = 1.5 \text{ mm}$ , and for  $X_K = 3.0$ , permissible "a" is more than 3X larger, so easier to find by

inspection. Change to new alloy if fracture would have severe consequences.

**8.18**

ASTM A470-8 steel,  $S = 250 \text{ MPa}$



$$2c = 50 \text{ mm}$$

$$a = 15 \text{ mm}$$

$$K_{Ic} = 60 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

(Table 8.1)

Safe ?

Fig. 8.19 applies

$$K = FS \sqrt{\frac{\pi a}{Q}}, \quad F = 1.12 \quad \left(\frac{a}{t}, \frac{c}{b} \text{ small}\right)$$

$$Q = 1 + 1.464 \left(\frac{a}{c}\right)^{1.65} = 1 + 1.464 \left(\frac{15 \text{ mm}}{25 \text{ mm}}\right)^{1.65}$$

$$Q = 1.630$$

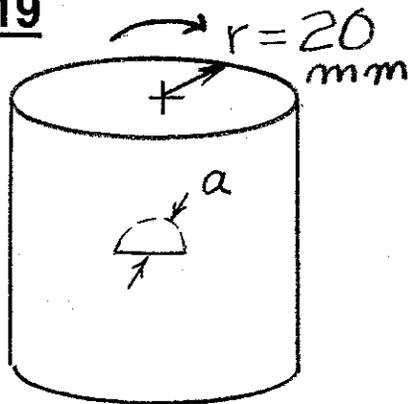
$$K = 1.12 (250 \text{ MPa}) \sqrt{\frac{\pi (0.015 \text{ m})}{1.630}}$$

$$K = 47.6 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$X_K = \frac{K_{Ic}}{K} = \frac{60 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{47.6 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}} = 1.26 \quad \text{No!}$$

$X_K$  is inadequate to safely operate.

8.19



2024-T351 AL, Table 8.1

$$K_{IC} = 34 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$\sigma_0 = 325 \text{ MPa}$$

$$K \approx 0.728 S \sqrt{\pi a} \quad (\text{Fig. 8.17})$$

$$M = 600 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$$

$$X_K = \frac{K_{IC}}{K} = 3$$

$$S = \frac{Mr}{I} = \frac{Mr}{\pi r^4/4} = \frac{4M}{\pi r^3} = \frac{4(6 \times 10^5 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{\pi (20 \text{ mm})^3} = 95.5 \text{ MPa}$$

$$K = \frac{K_{IC}}{3} = \frac{34}{3} = 11.33 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$a = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K}{0.728 S} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{11.33 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{0.728 (95.5 \text{ MPa})} \right)^2$$

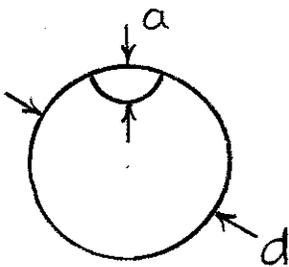
$$a = 8.45 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} = 8.45 \text{ mm}$$

$$\frac{a}{d} = \frac{8.45}{40} = 0.21, \quad 0.21 < 0.35$$

So  $F = 0.728$  is OK (Fig. 8.17)

**8.20**

Solid circular shaft,  $d = 50 \text{ mm}$ ,  $M = 8.0 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$ , 300-M (300°C) steel. Table 8.1:



$$K_{Ic} = 65 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}, \quad \sigma_0 = 1740 \text{ MPa}$$

(a)  $a_c = ?$  (b)  $a = ?$  for  $X_K = 3.5$

(c) Compare  $a_c$  and  $a$ .

$$(a) \quad K = F S \sqrt{\pi a}, \quad S = \frac{32M}{\pi d^3}, \quad F = 0.728$$

for  $a/d < 0.35$  (Fig. 8.17(d))

$$K = K_{Ic} = F \frac{32M}{\pi d^3} \sqrt{\pi a_c}$$

$$65 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}} = 0.728 \frac{32(8.0 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{\pi (50 \text{ mm})^3} \sqrt{\pi a_c}$$

$$a_c = 5.97 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m} = 5.97 \text{ mm} \quad (F = 0.728 \text{ is OK}) \blacktriangleleft$$

$$(b) \quad K = K_{Ic} / X_K = F S \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$\frac{65 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{3.5} = 0.728 \frac{32(8.0 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{\pi (50 \text{ mm})^3} \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$a = 4.87 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m} = 0.487 \text{ mm} \quad (F = 0.728 \text{ is OK}) \blacktriangleleft$$

$$(c) \quad X_a = a_c / a = 5.97 / 0.487 = 12.25 \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

A large safety factor in "a" is needed to achieve an adequate  $X_K$ . From Eq 8.17:

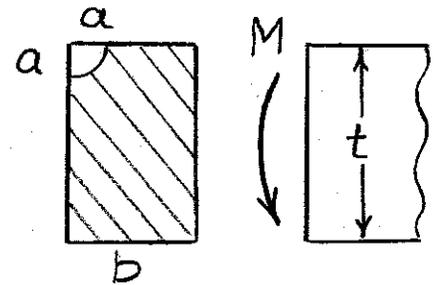
$$X_a = \frac{a_c}{a} = \left( \frac{F}{F_c} X_K \right)^2, \quad F = F_c = 0.728, \quad X_a = X_K^2 \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

**8.21**

Rectangular beam, 2219-T851 Al

$M = 160 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$ ,  $b = 10 \text{ mm}$ , corner  $a = 2 \text{ mm}$

(a)  $t = ?$  for  $X_K = \frac{K_{IC}}{K} = 3.0$



$F \approx 0.722$ ,  $\frac{a}{t} < 0.35$ ,  $\frac{a}{b} < 0.2$

From Fig. 8.17(c), with dimensions  $b$ ,  $t$ , and " $a$ " defined there.

$K_{IC} = 36 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$ ,  $\sigma_0 = 350 \text{ MPa}$  (Table 8.1)

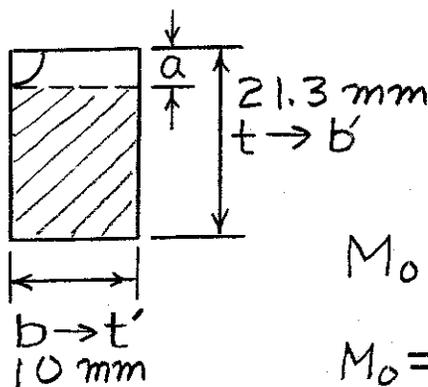
$K = \frac{K_{IC}}{X_K} = F S \sqrt{\pi a}$ ,  $S = \frac{6M}{bt^2}$  (Fig. 8.17)

$\frac{36 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{3.0} = 0.722 \frac{6(160,000 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{(10 \text{ mm})(t, \text{mm})^2} \sqrt{\pi(0.002 \text{ m})}$

$t = 21.3 \text{ mm}$

$\frac{a}{t} = \frac{2}{21.3} = 0.094$ ,  $\frac{a}{b} = \frac{2}{10} = 0.20$ ,  $F$  is OK

(b) Check fully plastic yielding. Use Fig. A.16(b),



$M_0 = \frac{(b')^2 t' \sigma_0}{4} \left(1 - \frac{a}{b'}\right)^2$

Use units mm,  $\text{MPa} = \text{N}/\text{mm}^2$

$M_0 = \frac{21.3^2 10 (350)}{4} \left(1 - \frac{2}{21.3}\right)^2 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm}$

$M_0 = 326 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$ ,  $X_0' = M_0/M = 2.04$ , OK

**8.22** Annealed Ti-6Al-4V, Table 8.1

$$\sigma_0 = 925 \text{ MPa}, K_{IC} = 66 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

Solid circular shaft,  $M = 5.0 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$

$a = 3.0 \text{ mm}$ , half-circular surface crk.

(a)  $X_0 = 2$ ,  $d_0 = ?$ ,  $S = \frac{Mc}{I}$ ,  $c = d/2$

$$I = \frac{\pi d^4}{64}, S = \frac{32M}{\pi d^3} = \frac{\sigma_0}{X_0}$$

$$d = \left( \frac{32MX_0}{\pi\sigma_0} \right)^{1/3} = \left( \frac{32(0.005 \text{ MN}\cdot\text{m})2}{\pi 925 \text{ MN}/\text{m}^2} \right)^{1/3}$$

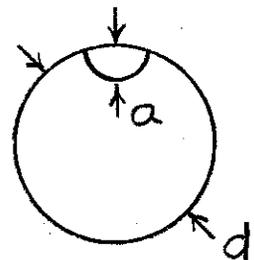
$$d = d_0 = 0.0479 \text{ m} = 47.9 \text{ mm} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

(b)  $X_K = 3$ ,  $d_c = ?$ ,  $F = 0.728$  ( $a/d < 0.35$ )

$$K = FS\sqrt{\pi a} = \frac{K_{IC}}{X_K}, S = \frac{32M}{\pi d^3} \quad \text{Fig. 8.17(d)}$$

$$\frac{K_{IC}}{X_K} = F \left( \frac{32M}{\pi d^3} \right) \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$d = \left( \frac{32MF X_K \sqrt{a}}{K_{IC} \sqrt{\pi}} \right)^{1/3}$$



$$d = \left( \frac{32(0.005 \text{ MN}\cdot\text{m})(0.728)(3)\sqrt{0.003 \text{ m}}}{66 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}} \sqrt{\pi}} \right)^{1/3}$$

$$d = d_c = 0.0547 \text{ m} = 54.7 \text{ mm} \quad (F \text{ is OK}) \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

(c) Use the larger,  $d = 54.7 \text{ mm}$  \blacktriangleleft

**8.23** Shaft,  $d = 50$  mm, with circumferential crack,  $a = 5$  mm. 18 Ni maraging steel  
 $K_{Ic} = 123 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$  (air melted, Table 8.1)

(a)  $X = ?$  if  $M = 1.5 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$

Fig. 8.14 (b) applies:  $S_g = 4M / (\pi b^3)$

$K = FS_g \sqrt{\pi a}$ ,  $\alpha = a/b$ ,  $\beta = 1 - \alpha$

$b = d/2 = 25 \text{ mm}$ ,  $\alpha = 5/25 = 0.2$ ,  $\beta = 0.8$

$$F = \frac{3}{8\beta^{2.5}} \left[ 1 + \frac{\beta}{2} + \frac{3}{8}\beta^2 + \frac{5}{16}\beta^3 + \frac{35}{128}\beta^4 + 0.537\beta^5 \right]$$

$$F = 1.368$$

$$K = FS_g \sqrt{\pi a} = 1.368 \frac{4(1.5 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{\pi (25 \text{ mm})^3} \sqrt{\pi (0.005 \text{ m})}$$

$$K = 20.95 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}, \quad X = K_{Ic}/K = 5.87 \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

(b) Add 120 kN tension (Fig. 8.14(a))

$$F_2 = \frac{1}{2\beta^{1.5}} \left[ 1 + \frac{\beta}{2} + \frac{3}{8}\beta^2 - 0.363\beta^3 + 0.731\beta^4 \right] = 1.225$$

$$K_2 = F_2 S_{g2} \sqrt{\pi a}, \quad S_{g2} = P / (\pi b^2)$$

$$K_2 = 1.225 \frac{120,000 \text{ N}}{\pi (25 \text{ mm})^2} \sqrt{\pi (0.005 \text{ m})} = 9.39 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$K = K_1 + K_2 = 20.95 + 9.39 = 30.33 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

where  $K_1$  is  $K$  due to bending from (a).

$$X = K_{Ic}/K = 123/30.33 = 4.05 \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

**8.24** Circular shaft,  $d = 60 \text{ mm}$ , with half-circular surface crack,  $a = 10 \text{ mm}$ .

Ti-6AL-4V, annealed:  $K_{Ic} = 66 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$   
(Table 8.1).  $M = 1.2 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$ ,  $P = ?$ ,  $X_K = 4.0$ .

Fig. 8.17(d):  $F = 0.728$ ,  $a/d < 0.2$  or  $0.35$ .  
 $a/d = 10/60 = 0.167$ , this  $F = F_t = F_b$ .

$$K_{Ic} / X_K = K = F_t S_t \sqrt{\pi a} + F_b S_b \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$66/4 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}} = 0.728 \sqrt{\pi (0.010 \text{ m})} (S_t + S_b)$$

$$S_t = \frac{4P}{\pi d^2} = \frac{4(P, \text{N})}{\pi (60 \text{ mm})^2} = (3.537 \times 10^{-4}) P, \text{ MPa}$$

$$S_b = \frac{32M}{\pi d^3} = \frac{32(1.2 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{\pi (60 \text{ mm})^3} = 56.59 \text{ MPa}$$

$$16.5 = 0.728 \sqrt{0.010 \pi} (3.537 \times 10^{-4} P + 56.59)$$

$$P = 201,500 \text{ N} = 202 \text{ kN}$$

## 8.25

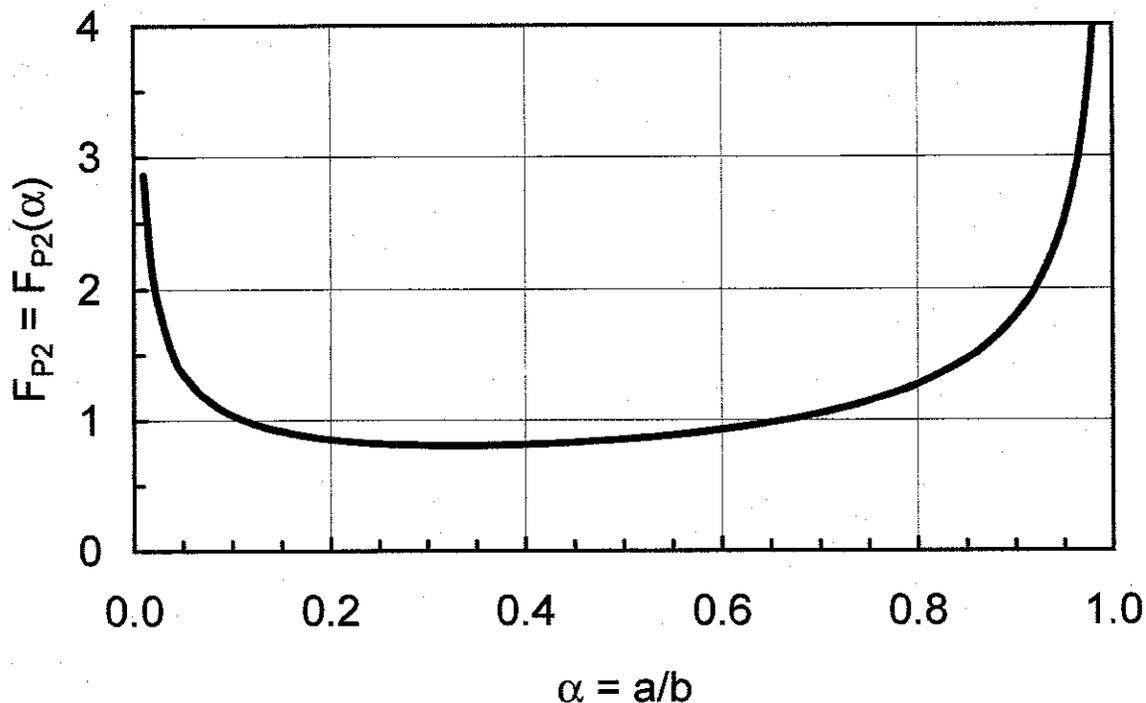
Infinite collinear array of cracks loaded on one side,  $K_2$  in Fig. 8.23(b). Calculate and plot  $F_{P2}$  for various  $\alpha = a/b$ . Compare to approximations.

$$K_2 = F_{P2} \frac{P}{t\sqrt{b}}, \quad F_{P2} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{\sin \pi\alpha}} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \tan \frac{\pi\alpha}{2}} \right)$$

$$K'_2 = F'_{P2} \frac{P}{t\sqrt{b}}, \quad F'_{P2} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi\alpha}} + \frac{\sqrt{\pi\alpha}}{2} \right) \quad (10\%, \alpha \leq 0.38)$$

$$K''_2 = F''_{P2} \frac{P}{t\sqrt{b}}, \quad F''_{P2} = 0.89 \quad (10\%, 0.12 \leq \alpha \leq 0.65)$$

Calculation results are on the next page. For  $\alpha$  approaching zero or unity,  $F_{P2}$  and hence  $K_2$  approaches infinity. Ratios  $F'_{P2}/F_{P2}$  and  $F''_{P2}/F_{P2}$  show that the approximations are within 10% over their respective ranges, with the minor exception that  $F''_{P2}$  does exceed the exact  $F_{P2}$  by 10.4% around  $\alpha = 0.34$ .



(8.25, p.2)

Infinite collinear array of cracks loaded on one side,  $K_2$  in Fig. 8.23(b)

$\alpha = a/b$	$F_{P2}$	$F'_{P2}$	$F'_{P2}/F_{P2}$	$F''_{P2}$	$F''_{P2}/F_{P2}$
0.010	2.865	2.865	1.000	---	---
0.020	2.058	2.057	1.000	---	---
0.040	1.501	1.499	0.999	---	---
0.060	1.264	1.260	0.997	---	---
0.080	1.128	1.123	0.995	---	---
0.100	1.040	1.032	0.992	---	---
0.120	0.979	0.968	0.989	0.89	0.910
0.140	0.933	0.920	0.985	0.89	0.953
0.180	0.874	0.853	0.976	0.89	1.019
0.220	0.838	0.809	0.965	0.89	1.062
0.260	0.818	0.779	0.952	0.89	1.088
0.300	0.808	0.758	0.937	0.89	1.101
0.340	0.806	0.742	0.921	0.89	1.104
0.380	0.810	0.731	0.902	0.89	1.099
0.400	0.814	---	---	0.89	1.093
0.450	0.830	---	---	0.89	1.072
0.500	0.854	---	---	0.89	1.043
0.550	0.886	---	---	0.89	1.005
0.600	0.927	---	---	0.89	0.960
0.650	0.981	---	---	0.89	0.907
0.700	1.051	---	---	---	---
0.750	1.144	---	---	---	---
0.800	1.272	---	---	---	---
0.850	1.464	---	---	---	---
0.870	1.570	---	---	---	---
0.890	1.705	---	---	---	---
0.910	1.884	---	---	---	---
0.920	1.997	---	---	---	---
0.930	2.135	---	---	---	---
0.940	2.305	---	---	---	---
0.950	2.524	---	---	---	---
0.960	2.822	---	---	---	---
0.970	3.258	---	---	---	---
0.980	3.990	---	---	---	---
0.990	5.642	---	---	---	---

**8.26** Row of holes loaded on one side.

$$S = 60 \text{ MPa}, 2b = 24, d = 4, l = 3 \text{ mm}$$

$$X_K, X_o = ? \quad 2024-T351 \text{ AL (Table 8.1)}$$

$$a = d/2 + l = 5 \text{ mm}, \alpha = a/b = 5/12 = 0.417$$

$$K = \frac{0.89P}{t\sqrt{b}}, \quad S = \frac{P}{2bt} \quad (\text{Fig. 8.23(b)})$$

$$K = \frac{0.89(2btS)}{t\sqrt{b}} = 1.78 S\sqrt{b}$$

$$K = 1.78 (60 \text{ MPa}) \sqrt{0.012 \text{ m}} = 11.70 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$X_K = K_{IC} / K = 34 / 11.70 = 2.91 \quad \triangleleft$$

Fully plastic yielding

$$\sigma_o = \frac{P_o}{(2b-2a)t} = \frac{2btS_o}{2bt(1-\alpha)} = \frac{S_o}{1-\alpha}$$

$$S_o = \sigma_o (1-\alpha) = 325 (1-0.417) = 189.6 \text{ MPa}$$

$$X'_o = S_o / S = 189.6 / 60 = 3.16 \quad \triangleleft$$

$$X_K = 2.91 \text{ controls} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

**8.27**

Cylindrical pressure vessel

$$d_i = 150, t = 5 \text{ mm}, p = 20 \text{ MPa}, X_0 = 2$$

Leak-before-break,  $X_a = 9$ , i.e.,  $c_c = X_a t$ 

(a) Safe if 300-M steel (300°C)?

$$K_{Ic} = 65 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}, \sigma_0 = 1740 \text{ MPa} \text{ (Table 8.1)}$$

$$\sigma_t = \frac{p r_i}{t} = \frac{(20 \text{ MPa})(75 \text{ mm})}{5 \text{ mm}} = 300 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_x = \frac{p r_i}{2t} = 150 \text{ MPa}, \sigma_r = -p = -20 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_t, \sigma_x, \sigma_r = \sigma_1, \sigma_2, \sigma_3$$

$$\bar{\sigma}_H = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{(\sigma_1 - \sigma_2)^2 + (\sigma_2 - \sigma_3)^2 + (\sigma_3 - \sigma_1)^2} = 277 \text{ MPa}$$

$$X_0 = \sigma_0 / \bar{\sigma}_H = 6.27 \text{ OK} \quad \triangleleft$$

$$c_c = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K_{Ic}}{\sigma_t} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{65 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{300 \text{ MPa}} \right)^2 = 0.01494 \text{ m}$$

$$X_a = \frac{c_c}{t} = \frac{14.9 \text{ mm}}{5 \text{ mm}} = 2.99, 2.99 < 9 \text{ No!} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

(b) Safe if A517-F steel?

$$K_{Ic} = 187 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}, \sigma_0 = 760 \text{ MPa} \text{ (Table 8.1)}$$

$$X_0 = \frac{\sigma_0}{\bar{\sigma}_H} = \frac{760 \text{ MPa}}{277 \text{ MPa}} = 2.74 \text{ OK} \quad \triangleleft$$

$$c_c = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K_{Ic}}{\sigma_t} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{187 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{300 \text{ MPa}} \right)^2 = 0.1237 \text{ m}$$

$$X_a = c_c / t = 123.7 \text{ mm} / 5 \text{ mm} = 24.7 \text{ Yes!} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

(8.27, p.2)

(c) What minimum  $K_{Ic}$  required?

$$C_c = X_a t = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K_{Ic}}{\sigma_t} \right)^2, \quad K_{Ic} = \sigma_t \sqrt{\pi X_a t}$$

$$K_{Ic} = 300 \text{ MPa} \sqrt{\pi (9) (0.005 \text{ m})}$$

$$K_{Ic} = 113 \text{ MPa} \sqrt{\text{m}}$$

(d) What  $X_K = K_{Ic}/K$  achieved?

$$K_{Ic} = \sigma_t \sqrt{\pi X_a t} \quad (\text{from above})$$

$$\frac{K_{Ic}}{\sqrt{X_a}} = \sigma_t \sqrt{\pi t} = \hat{K} = K \text{ at leak}$$

$$\frac{K_{Ic}}{\hat{K}} = \sqrt{X_a}, \quad X_K = \sqrt{X_a} = \sqrt{9} = 3$$

**8.28** Fig. 8.35 steels except A217 used at 22°C. Design with  $S = \sigma_0/2$  and  $K = K_{Ic}/2$ . What is largest permissible half circular surface crack for each?

$$K = 0.728 S \sqrt{\pi a} \quad (\text{Fig. 8.17(b)})$$

$$\frac{K_{Ic}}{2} = 0.728 \frac{\sigma_0}{2} \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$a = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K_{Ic}}{0.728 \sigma_0} \right)^2$$

Read  $K_{Ic}$  from Fig. 8.35 at 22°C, and tabulate with  $\sigma_0$  also given.

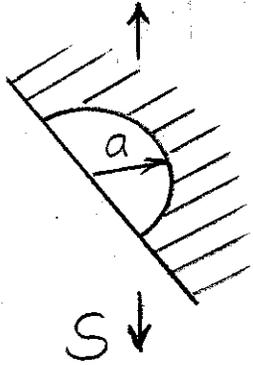
$$a = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{170 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{0.728 (682 \text{ MPa})} \right)^2 = 0.03732 \text{ m}$$

(for 403 SS; others similarly)

Material	$K_{Ic}$ MPa·m <sup>0.5</sup>	$\sigma_0$ MPa	$a$ mm
403 SS	170	682	37.32
A471	130	931	11.71
A469	75	590	9.71
A470	45	626	3.10

In inspection for cracks, larger size is easier to find, so that fracture is most easily avoided in 403 SS, and least in A470.

**8.29** 2.25Cr-1Mo steel, Fig. 8.38, at +50°C and -50°C,  $S = 400 \text{ MPa}$ . For half-circular surface crack, find  $a$  for  $X_K = 3.0$ .



$$K = FS\sqrt{\pi a}, \quad F = 0.728$$

(Fig. 8.17(b))

$$X_K = \frac{K_{Ic}}{K} = 3.0$$

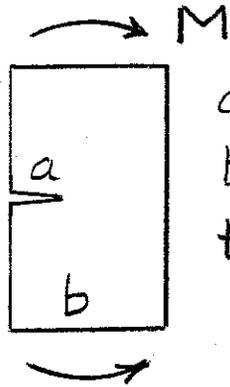
$$a_c = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K_{Ic}, \text{MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{3 \times 0.728 \times 400 \text{ MPa}} \right)^2$$

Temp., °C	$K_{Ic}, \text{MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$	$a_c, \text{mm}$
+50	140	8.17
-50	50	1.04

The steel is clearly more likely to have a problem with brittle fracture at the lower temperature, as  $a_c$  is in that case too small to be easily found by inspection. Since the transition to low  $K_{Ic}$  at low temperature occurs for BCC metals, a better choice of material for -50°C might be an austenitic stainless steel, such as AISI 304 or 316, which has an FCC structure, and no transition to low  $K_{Ic}$  at low temperature.

**8.30** Consider AISI 4340 steel, Fig. 8.32.

(a)  $\sigma_o = 800$ , (b)  $\sigma_o = 1600$  MPa. Calculate  $M_c$  and  $M_o$  for both. (c) Use high  $\sigma_o$ ?



$$a = 10 \text{ mm}$$

$$b = 50 \text{ mm}$$

$$t = 20 \text{ mm}$$

$$K = FS\sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$a/b = 0.20$$

$$F = 1.12 \text{ (Fig. 8.13)}$$

$$S = \frac{6M}{b^2 t}$$

$$K_{IC} = 1.12 \frac{6M_c}{b^2 t} \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$M_c = \frac{b^2 t K_{IC}}{6.72 \sqrt{\pi a}} = \frac{(50 \text{ mm})^2 (20 \text{ mm}) (K_{IC}, \text{MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}})}{6.72 \sqrt{\pi} (0.010 \text{ m})}$$

$$M_o = \frac{b^2 t \sigma_o}{4} \left(1 - \frac{a}{b}\right)^2 \text{ (Fig. A.16 (b))}$$

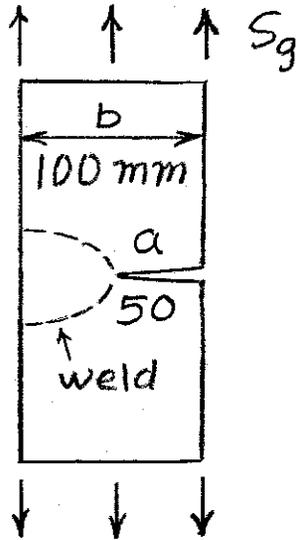
$$M_o = \frac{(50 \text{ mm})^2 (20 \text{ mm}) (\sigma_o, \text{MPa}) (0.80)^2}{4}$$

$M_c, M_o$  above in  $\text{N}\cdot\text{mm}$ ;  $(\text{N}\cdot\text{mm}) \times 10^{-6} = \text{kN}\cdot\text{m}$

	$\sigma_o$	$K_{IC}$	$M_c$	$M_o$
	MPa	$\text{MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$	$\text{kN}\cdot\text{m}$	$\text{kN}\cdot\text{m}$
(a)	800	187	7.85	6.40 ◀
(b)	1600	41	1.72 ◀	12.80

(c) The higher  $\sigma_o$  causes  $M$  at failure to be much lower due to low  $K_{IC}$ . Do not use. ◀

**8.31** Welded A533B-1 steel, Fig. 8.33. Find failure  $S_g$  at (a)  $-75^\circ\text{C}$ , (b)  $200^\circ\text{C}$ . Then (c) comment on using this steel vs.  $^\circ\text{C}$ .



Assume geometry acts as crack.

$$K_{Ic} = F S_{gc} \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$\alpha = a/b = 0.50, F = 2.815$$

F from  $F(\alpha)$  in Fig. 8.12(c).

$$S_{gc} = \frac{K_{Ic}}{F \sqrt{\pi a}}$$

$$S_{gc}, \text{MPa} = \frac{K_{Ic}, \text{MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}}{2.815 \sqrt{\pi (0.05 \text{ m})}}$$

$$S_{go} = \frac{P_o}{bt} = \sigma_o \left[ -\alpha + \sqrt{2\alpha^2 - 2\alpha + 1} \right] \quad (\text{Fig. A.16(d)})$$

$$S_{go}, \text{MPa} = (\sigma_o, \text{MPa}) [0.2071] \quad (\alpha = 0.5)$$

b, mm	a, mm	a, m	$\alpha = a/b$	F
100	50	0.050	0.50	2.815

	T, $^\circ\text{C}$	$K_{Ic}, \text{MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$	$\sigma_o, \text{MPa}$	$S_{gc}, \text{MPa}$	$S_{go}, \text{MPa}$
(a)	-75	52	550	46.60 ◀	113.91
(b)	200	200	400	179.24	82.84 ◀

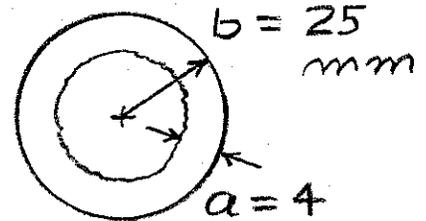
(c) If flaws are present, sudden fracture may occur at  $-75^\circ\text{C}$ . Avoid this steel at low temp. ◀

**8.32** Shaft, 50 mm dia, moment,  $M$ .  
 Circumferential crack,  $a = 4$  mm.  
 300 M steel, 650 or 300 °C temper,  
 Table 8.1 properties.  $M_o$  or  $M_c = ?$

$$K = F S \sqrt{\pi a}, \quad S = \frac{4M}{\pi b^3}$$

(Fig. 8.14)

$$\alpha = \frac{a}{b} = 0.16$$



$$F = \frac{3}{8\beta^{2.5}} \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{2}\beta + \frac{3}{8}\beta^2 + \frac{5}{16}\beta^3 + \frac{35}{128}\beta^4 + 0.537\beta^5 \right]$$

$$\beta = 1 - \alpha = 0.84, \quad F = 1.293$$

$$K = K_{Ic} = F \frac{4M_c}{\pi b^3} \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$M_c = \frac{\pi b^3 K_{Ic}}{4F \sqrt{\pi a}}, \quad M_o = \frac{4\sigma_o b^3}{3} (1 - \alpha)^3$$

(Pr. 8.14)

Calculate  $M_c$  and  $M_o$  for each temper.

300-M °C temper	$K_{Ic}$ MPa $\sqrt{m}$	$\sigma_o$ MPa	b mm	a mm	$\alpha$ a/b	$\beta$ 1 - a/b	F	$M_c$ kN-m	$M_o$ kN-m
650	152	1070	25	4	0.16	0.84	1.293	12.86	13.21
300	65	1740	25	4	0.16	0.84	1.293	5.50	21.49

The lower of  $M_c, M_o$  controls for each.

$$M_{fail} = M_o = 13.21 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m for } 650^\circ\text{C} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

$$M_{fail} = M_c = 5.50 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m for } 300^\circ\text{C} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

Temper 650 °C clearly better; yields first.  $\blacktriangleleft$

**8.33**

(a) Determine  $\Delta T$  for fracture due to thermal shock of each material, Assume  $a = 1 \text{ mm}$  half-circular surface crack.

$$K_{Ic} = FS\sqrt{\pi a}, \quad F = 0.728 \quad (\text{Fig. 8.17(b)})$$

$$\sigma_x = \sigma_y = S = -\frac{E\alpha(\Delta T)}{1-\nu}, \quad S = \frac{K_{Ic}}{F\sqrt{\pi a}}$$

$$\Delta T = -\frac{K_{Ic}}{F\sqrt{\pi a}} \frac{1-\nu}{E\alpha}$$

$\alpha, E, \nu$  in Table P8.33

$K_{Ic}$  in Table 8.2

For soda-lime glass:

$$\Delta T = \frac{-(0.76 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}})(1-0.2)}{0.728\sqrt{\pi}(0.001 \text{ m})(69,000 \text{ MPa})(9.1 \times 10^{-6} / ^\circ\text{C})}$$

$$\Delta T = -23.7 ^\circ\text{C}, \quad \text{Others similarly}$$

Material	$\alpha$ $10^{-6}/^\circ\text{C}$	E GPa	$\nu$	$K_{Ic}$ $\text{MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$	$\Delta T$ $^\circ\text{C}$	Rank
S-L glass	9.1	69	0.20	0.76	-23.7	4
MgO	13.5	300	0.18	2.9	-14.4	5
$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$	8.0	400	0.22	4.0	-23.9	3
SiC	4.5	396	0.22	3.7	-39.7	2
$\text{Si}_3\text{N}_4$	2.9	310	0.27	5.6	-111.4	1

$\text{Si}_3\text{N}_4$  has the best resistance, MgO the worst, as ranked above.

(8.33) (b) Thermal shock of listed mat'ls.

$$S = -\frac{E\alpha\Delta T}{1-\nu} \quad (\text{Eq. 5.41})$$

Use Sec. 3.8 method to rank materials as to resistance to  $\Delta T$  with a small half-circular surface crack present.

$$K_{Ic} = FS\sqrt{\pi a}, \quad F = 0.728 \quad (\text{Fig. 8.17(b)})$$

$$-\Delta T = \frac{1-\nu}{E\alpha} S = \frac{1-\nu}{E\alpha} \frac{K_{Ic}}{F\sqrt{\pi a}}$$

$$-\Delta T = \left[ \frac{1}{F\sqrt{\pi a}} \right] \left[ \frac{K_{Ic}(1-\nu)}{E\alpha} \right] = f_1 f_2$$

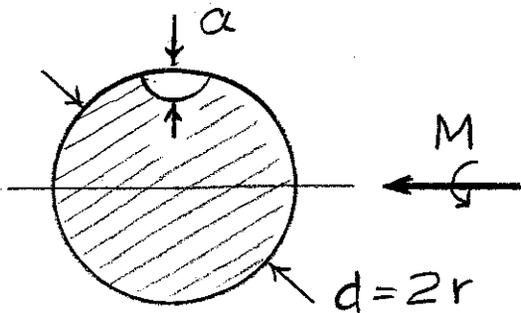
$$\text{Maximize } f_2 = K_{Ic}(1-\nu)/(E\alpha)$$

Material	$\alpha$ $10^{-6}/^{\circ}\text{C}$	E GPa	$\nu$	$K_{Ic}$ $\text{MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$	$f_2$ for $\Delta T$ $^{\circ}\text{C m}^{0.5}$	Rank
S-L glass	9.1	69	0.20	0.76	0.968	4
MgO	13.5	300	0.18	2.9	0.587	5
$\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$	8.0	400	0.22	4.0	0.975	3
SiC	4.5	396	0.22	3.7	1.620	2
$\text{Si}_3\text{N}_4$	2.9	310	0.27	5.6	4.547	1

Higher  $K_{Ic}$  gives better  $\Delta T$  resistance. But lower  $\nu$ , E, and  $\alpha$  are beneficial. Lower  $\alpha$  gives less thermal effect. Lower E and  $\nu$  give less stress for a given  $\Delta T$ .

**8.34**

Solid round shaft,  $M = 3.8 \text{ kN}\cdot\text{m}$   
 AISI 4340 steel,  $X_o = 2.0$ ,  $X_k = 3.0$   
 $K_{Ic}$  vs.  $\sigma_o$  in Fig. 8.32,  $a = 1.0 \text{ mm}$ .



- (a) What  $d_o$ ,  $d_c$  needed for  $\sigma_o = 800 \text{ MPa}$ ?
- (b) Which controls?
- (c) Repeat for other  $\sigma_o$ .
- (d) Find optimum  $\sigma_o$ ,  $d$ .
- (e) Look at  $a = 0.5, 2.0 \text{ mm}$ .

(a, b) Yielding:

$$\sigma = \frac{Mc}{I} = \frac{\sigma_o}{X_o}, \quad I = \frac{\pi d^4}{64}, \quad c = d/2$$

$$\frac{M(d/2)}{\pi d^4/64} = \frac{\sigma_o}{X_o}, \quad d_o = \left( \frac{32MX_o}{\pi\sigma_o} \right)^{1/3}$$

For  $\sigma_o = 800 \text{ MPa}$

$$d_o = \left[ \frac{32(2)(3.8 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{\pi 800 \text{ MPa}} \right]^{1/3} = 45.9 \text{ mm} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

Fracture: Fig. 8.17 (d),  $S = 32M/(\pi d^3)$

$$K = FS\sqrt{\pi a}, \quad F = 0.728 \quad (a/b < 0.35)$$

$$K = 0.728 \frac{32M}{\pi d^3} \sqrt{\pi a} = \frac{K_{Ic}}{X_k}$$

$$d_c = \left[ \frac{0.728 \cdot 32M X_k \sqrt{\pi a}}{\pi K_{Ic}} \right]^{1/3}$$

(8.34, p.2)

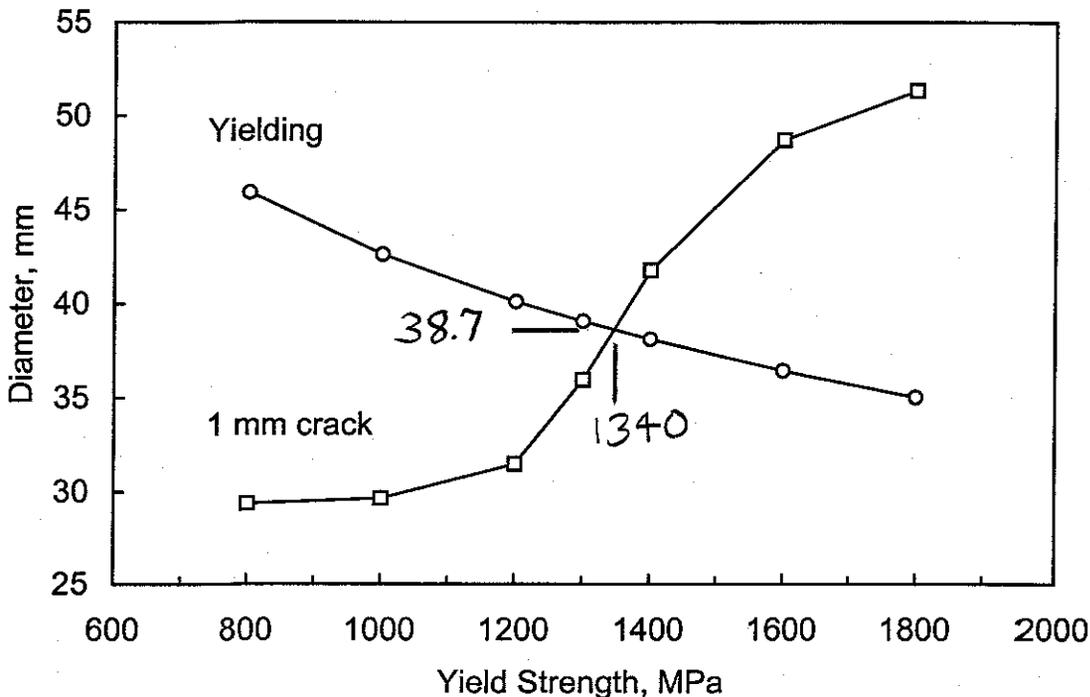
For  $\sigma_o = 800 \text{ MPa}$ , with  $K_{Ic} = 187 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$

$$d_c = \left[ \frac{0.728 \cdot 32 (3.8 \times 10^6 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm}) (3) \sqrt{\pi (0.001 \text{ m})}}{\pi 187 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}} \right]^{\frac{1}{3}}$$

$d_c = 29.4 \text{ mm}$  ( $d_o = 45.9 \text{ mm}$  controls) ◀

Similarly calculate  $d_o$  and  $d_c$  for the other  $\sigma_o$ ,  $K_{Ic}$  combinations. (c)

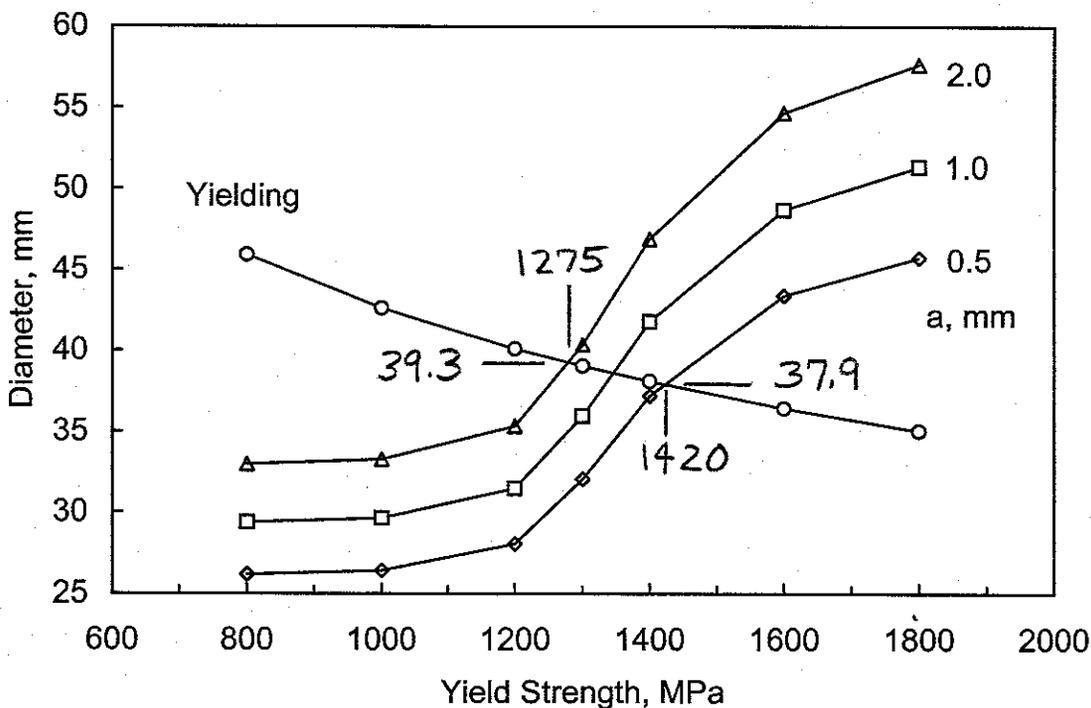
$\sigma_o$ MPa	$K_{Ic}$ MPa-m <sup>0.5</sup>	Yielding $d_o$ , mm	Fracture, $d_c$ , mm, for a, mm =		
			1.00	0.50	2.00
800	187	45.91	29.37	26.17	32.97
1000	182	42.62	29.64	26.40	33.27
1200	152	40.11	31.47	28.04	35.33
1300	102	39.05	35.95	32.03	40.35
1400	65	38.10	41.77	37.22	46.89
1600	41	36.44	48.71	43.39	54.67
1800	35	35.04	51.35	45.74	57.63



(8.34, p.3)

At any yield strength, the larger of  $d_o$  or  $d_c$  controls. The minimum  $d$  occurs at  $\sigma_o = 1340 \text{ MPa}$ ,  $d = 38.7 \text{ mm}$  (d) ◀

(e) Also consider  $a = 0.5$  and  $a = 2.0 \text{ mm}$ . Repeat calculations for these  $a$ ; see table above.



$a$ mm	$\sigma_o$ MPa	$d_o = d_c$ mm
0.50	1420	37.9
1.00	1340	38.7
2.00	1275	39.3

For larger crack size,  $a$ , lower  $\sigma_o$  and larger  $d$  are required for min. weight. ◀

**8.39** Shaft with  $d = 20 \text{ mm}$  and circumferential crack,  $a = 1.5 \text{ mm}$ . Combined loads  $M = 150 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$ ,  $T = 300 \text{ N}\cdot\text{m}$ . What is  $X_K$ ?  
 AISI 4130 steel:  $K_{Ic} = 110 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$  (Tbl. 8.1)  
 Assume  $K_{IIIc} = K_{Ic}/2$  Im:

$$\left(\frac{K_I}{K_{Ic}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{K_{III}}{K_{IIIc}}\right)^2 = 1, \quad \left(\frac{K_I}{K_{Ic}}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{2K_{III}}{K_{Ic}}\right)^2 = 1$$

$$K_{Ic} = \sqrt{(K_I)^2 + (2K_{III})^2} \quad (\text{at fracture})$$

For the design situation, define an effective  $K_I$ .

$$\bar{K}_I = \sqrt{K_I^2 + 4K_{III}^2}, \quad X_K = K_{Ic} / \bar{K}_I$$

From 8.14 (b),  $\alpha = a/b = 1.5/10 = 0.15$   
 $\beta = 1 - \alpha = 0.85$ ,  $F = 1.277$

$$K_I = F S_g \sqrt{\pi a}, \quad S_g = \frac{4M}{\pi b^3}, \quad b = d/2$$

$$K_I = \frac{4FM}{\pi b^3} \sqrt{\pi a} = \frac{4(1.277)(150,000 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{\pi (10 \text{ mm})^3} \sqrt{\pi (0.0015 \text{ m})}$$

$$K_I = 16.75 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

Similarly, from Fig. 8.14 (c),  $\alpha = 0.15$   
 $\beta = 0.85$ ,  $F = 1.195$

(8.39, p.2)

$$K_{III} = F S_g \sqrt{\pi a}, \quad S_g = \frac{2T}{\pi b^3}, \quad K_{III} = \frac{2FT}{\pi b^3} \sqrt{\pi a}$$

$$K_{III} = \frac{2(1.195)(300,000 \text{ N}\cdot\text{mm})}{\pi (10 \text{ mm})^3} \sqrt{\pi (0.0015 \text{ m})}$$

$$K_{III} = 15.67 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$\bar{K} = \sqrt{16.75^2 + 4(15.67)^2} = 35.5 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$$

$$X_K = \frac{K_{Ic}}{\bar{K}} = \frac{110}{35.5} = 3.10$$

**8.40**

For Ex. 8.4: (a) Does pl. strain apply, and is LEFM applicable? (b)  $r_{0\sigma}$  or  $r_{0\epsilon} = ?$

A517-F steel;  $K_{Ic} = 187 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$ ,  $\sigma_0 = 760 \text{ MPa}$   
 $t = 50$ ,  $z_c = 40$ ,  $a = 10 \text{ mm}$  (Fig. 8.19(b))

$K = 49.2 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$ , as calc. for given stresses.

Adapting Eq. 8.40 to this case:

$$2b, a, (t-a), h \geq 2.5 \left( \frac{K}{\sigma_0} \right)^2 = 0.0105 \text{ m}$$

large, 10, 40 mm, large  $\geq 10.5 \text{ mm}$

No, not plane strain, although close. ◀

$$a, (t-a), h \geq \frac{4}{\pi} \left( \frac{K}{\sigma_0} \right)^2 = 0.00533 \quad (\text{Eq. 8.39})$$

10, 40 mm, large  $\geq 5.33 \text{ mm}$

Yes, LEFM is applicable. ◀

$$2r_{0\sigma} = \frac{1}{\pi} \left( \frac{K}{\sigma_0} \right)^2 = 0.00133 \text{ m} = 1.33 \text{ mm} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

**8.41** Double-edge-cracked plate (Fig 8.12b)

$b = 15.9$ ,  $t = 6.35$ ,  $a = 5.7$  mm, large  $h$ .

7075-T651 Al:  $K_{IC} = 29 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$ ,

$\sigma_0 = 505 \text{ MPa}$  (Table 8.1)

In test:  $P_{max} = 55.6$ ,  $P_Q = 50.3 \text{ kN}$ , Type I

$$(a) K_Q = F S_Q \sqrt{\pi a}, S_Q = \frac{P_Q}{2bt} = \frac{50,300 \text{ N}}{2(15.9)(6.35)}$$

$$F = F(\alpha), \alpha = a/b = 0.3585$$

$$F \approx 1.12, \text{ or more accurately, } F = 1.125$$

$$K_Q = 1.125 (249.1 \text{ MPa}) \sqrt{\pi (0.0057 \text{ m})}$$

$$K_Q = 37.5 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}} \quad \blacktriangleleft$$

$$(b) t, a, (b-a), h \geq 2.5 (K_Q / \sigma_0)^2 = 0.0138 \text{ m}$$

$$6.35, 5.7, 10.2, \text{ large} \geq 13.8 \text{ mm}$$

No, not plane strain. \blacktriangleleft

$$a, (b-a), h \geq \frac{4}{\pi} (K_Q / \sigma_0)^2 = 0.00702 \text{ m}$$

$$5.7, 10.2, \text{ large} \geq 7.02 \text{ mm}$$

No, LEFM not applicable. \blacktriangleleft

(c)  $K_Q \geq K_{IC}$  is expected due to pl. stress,  
Value possibly affected by plasticity. \blacktriangleleft

**8.42** AISI 4340 steel,  $\sigma_o = 1380$  MPa  
 Compact spec.,  $b = 50.8$ ,  $t = 12.95$ ,  $a = 25.4$  mm  
 $P_Q = P_{max} = 15.03$  kN, type 3

(a)  $K_Q = F_P \frac{P}{t\sqrt{b}}$ ,  $a/b = \alpha = 0.5$ ,  $F_P = 9.659$   
 (Fig. 8.15c)

$K_Q = \frac{9.659 (0.01503 \text{ MN})}{(0.01295 \text{ m}) \sqrt{0.0508 \text{ m}}} = 49.74 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$  ◀

(b) Valid  $K_{Ic}$ ?  $t, a, (b-a), h \geq 2.5(K_Q/\sigma_o)^2$   
 $12.95, 25.4, 25.4, 0.6 \times 50.8 \geq 3.25$  mm  
 Yes, valid  $K_{Ic} = 49.7 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$  ◀

(c)  $2r_{oE} = \frac{1}{3\pi} \left( \frac{K_{Ic}}{\sigma_o} \right)^2 = 0.138$  mm ◀

**8.43** For given results of fracture toughness tests, determine: (a)  $K_Q$  and whether valid  $K_{Ic}$ , (b)  $2r_{0\sigma}$  or  $2r_{0\epsilon}$ , (c) LEFM applicable?, (d) Plot  $K_Q$  vs.  $t$ , comment, (e)  $P_0$ , comment.

$$K_Q = F_P \frac{P_Q}{t\sqrt{b}}, \quad F_P = F_P(\alpha), \quad \alpha = a/b \quad (\text{Fig. 8.1b})$$

$$F_P = \frac{2+\alpha}{(1-\alpha)^{1.5}} (0.886 + 4.64\alpha - 13.32\alpha^2 + 14.72\alpha^3 - 5.6\alpha^4)$$

Plane strain:  $t, a, (b-a), h \geq 2.5 \left(\frac{K_Q}{\sigma_0}\right)^2$   
and  $P_{max}/P_Q \leq 1.1$

$$2r_{0\sigma} = \frac{1}{\pi} \left(\frac{K_Q}{\sigma_0}\right)^2, \quad 2r_{0\epsilon} = \frac{1}{3\pi} \left(\frac{K_Q}{\sigma_0}\right)^2$$

$$\text{LEFM: } a, (b-a), h \geq \frac{4}{\pi} \left(\frac{K}{\sigma_0}\right)^2$$

(a, b, c)

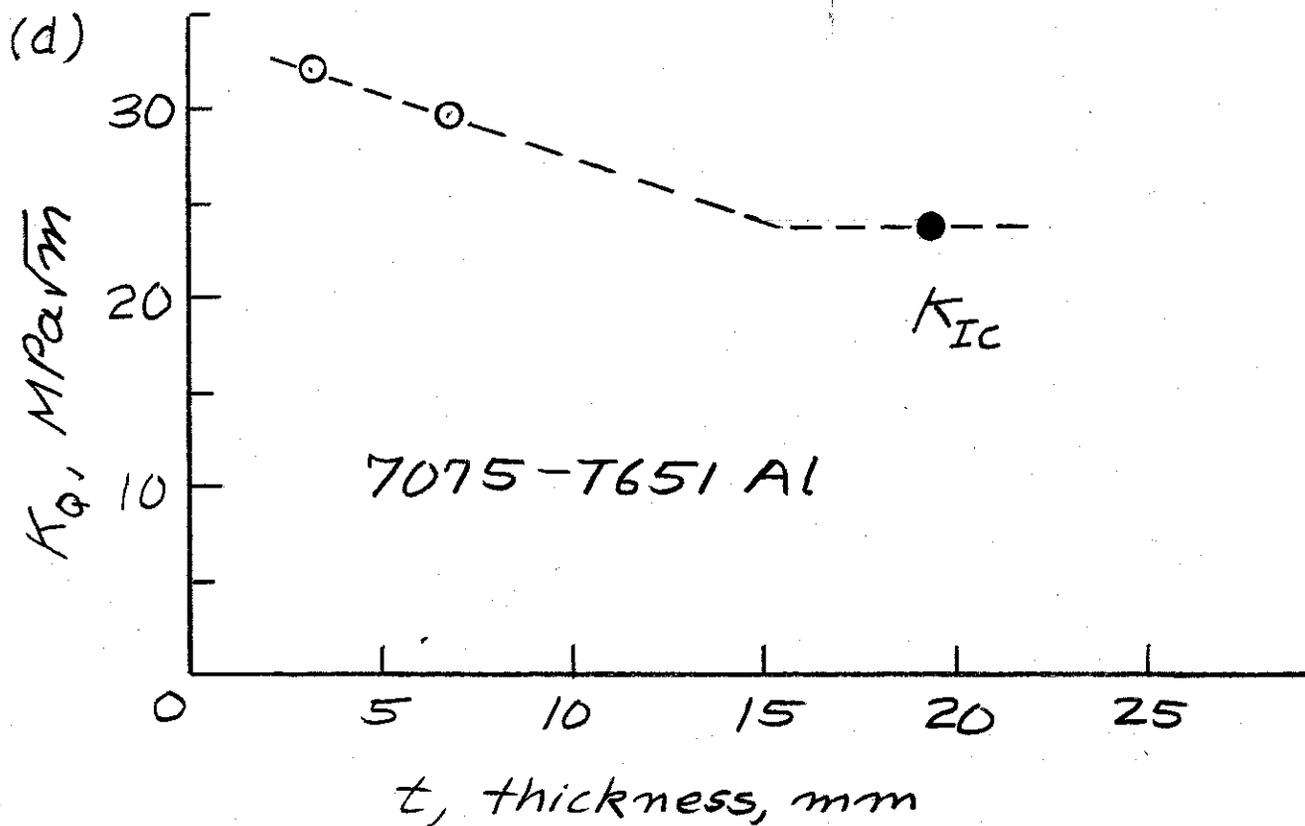
b, mm	h, mm	h/b	$\sigma_0$ , MPa
50.8	30.5	0.600	505

7075-T651 Al  
(Table 8.1)

Test No.	$a_i$ mm	t mm	$P_Q$ kN	$P_{max}$ kN	$\alpha$ a/b	$F_P$	$K_Q$ MPa $\sqrt{m}$
1	24.1	3.18	2.56	3.96	0.4744	8.945	31.95
2	24.7	6.86	4.96	6.16	0.4862	9.263	29.72
3	23.3	19.35	12.00	12.00	0.4587	8.547	23.52

(8.43, p.2)

Test No.	$2.5(K/\sigma_0)^2$ mm	$P_{max}/P_Q$	Plane strain?	$K_{Ic}$ MPa $\sqrt{m}$	$(4/\pi)(K/\sigma_0)^2$ mm	LEFM OK?
1	10.01	1.55	no	---	5.10	yes
2	8.66	1.24	no	---	4.41	yes
3	5.42	1.00	yes	23.52	2.76	yes



$K_Q$  decreases with  $t$ , but is expected to level off such that no further decrease occurs prior to the final value. The fracture surface changes from angular (shear) type to flat over this range. ◀

(8.43, p. 3)

$$(e) P_0 = bt\sigma_0 \left[ -\alpha - 1 + \sqrt{2(1+\alpha^2)} \right]$$

b, mm	$\sigma_0$ , MPa
50.8	505

Test No.	t mm	$\alpha$ a/b	$P_0$ kN	$P_{max}/P_0$	Fully plastic ?
1	3.18	0.4744	7.41	0.534	no
2	6.86	0.4862	15.19	0.406	no
3	19.35	0.4587	48.26	0.249	no

Since  $P_{max}$  is not close to  $P_0$  in any case, all three failures were controlled by fracture, rather than yielding.

**8.44**  $K = FS\sqrt{\pi a}$ ,  $a, (b-a), h \geq \frac{4}{\pi} \left(\frac{K}{\sigma_0}\right)^2$

(a) Largest  $S/\sigma_0$  for LEFM?

Assume  $a < (b-a)$  and  $a < h$ , so that  $a$  controls inequality, so at the limit

$$a = \frac{4}{\pi} \left(\frac{K}{\sigma_0}\right)^2 = \frac{1}{\pi} \left(\frac{K}{Fs}\right)^2, \quad \frac{S}{\sigma_0} = \frac{1}{2F}$$

(b)

$F$	$S/\sigma_0$ limit
1.00	0.50
1.12	0.45
$2/\pi$	0.79

(c) In Fig. 8.5, the  $S/\sigma_0 = 0.50$  limit applies, so that deviation from the LEFM line might be expected above  $S = 0.5 \sigma_0 = 259 \text{ MPa}$ . One data point a little above this  $S$  seems to agree with the LEFM curve (solid), but the three at higher  $S$  clearly deviate from LEFM. Hence, there is reasonable agreement with the limit.

**8.45**  $K_c = 66 \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$ ,  $\sigma_o = 518 \text{ MPa}$

Center-cracked plate: Fig. 8.12(a)

$K = S_g \sqrt{\pi a}$ ,  $F \approx 1$  up to  $\alpha = 0.4 = \frac{a}{b}$ ,  
 or  $a = 0.4b = 0.4(152 \text{ mm}) = 60.8 \text{ mm}$

Plot: (a)  $66 = S_g \sqrt{\pi a} \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$

(b)  $K_e = 66 = S_g \sqrt{\pi(a + r_{0\sigma})} \text{ MPa}\sqrt{\text{m}}$

$r_{0\sigma} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left( \frac{K_c}{\sigma_o} \right)^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left( \frac{66}{518} \right)^2 = 0.00258 \text{ m}$

$a$ mm	$a$ m	(a) $S_g = \frac{66}{\sqrt{\pi a}}$	(b) $S_g = \frac{66}{\sqrt{\pi(a + 0.00258)}}$
1	0.001	1178 MPa	622 MPa
2	0.002	833	550
4	0.004	589	459
10	0.010	372	332
20	0.020	263	248
30	0.030	215	206
40	0.040	186	180
50	0.050	167	162
60	0.060	152	149
7	0.007	445	380

(8.45, p.2)

(c) The  $r_{05}$  adjustment gives some improvement around  $a = 3$  to  $10$  mm; it cannot be correct above  $\sigma_0$ .

