

Automated material model generation in VALIMAT AUTOFIT & AUTOFAILUREFIT

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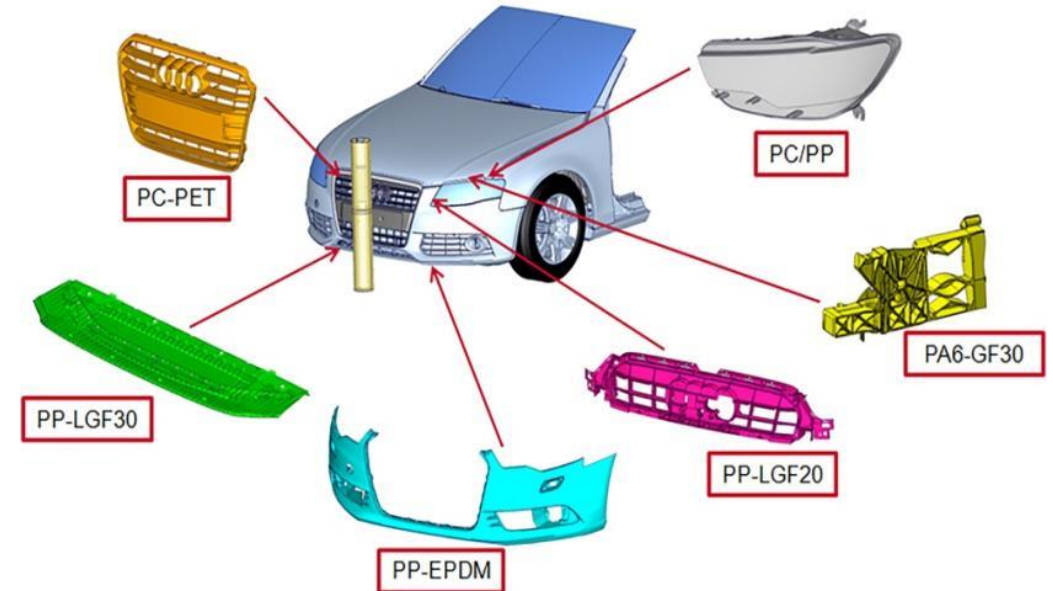
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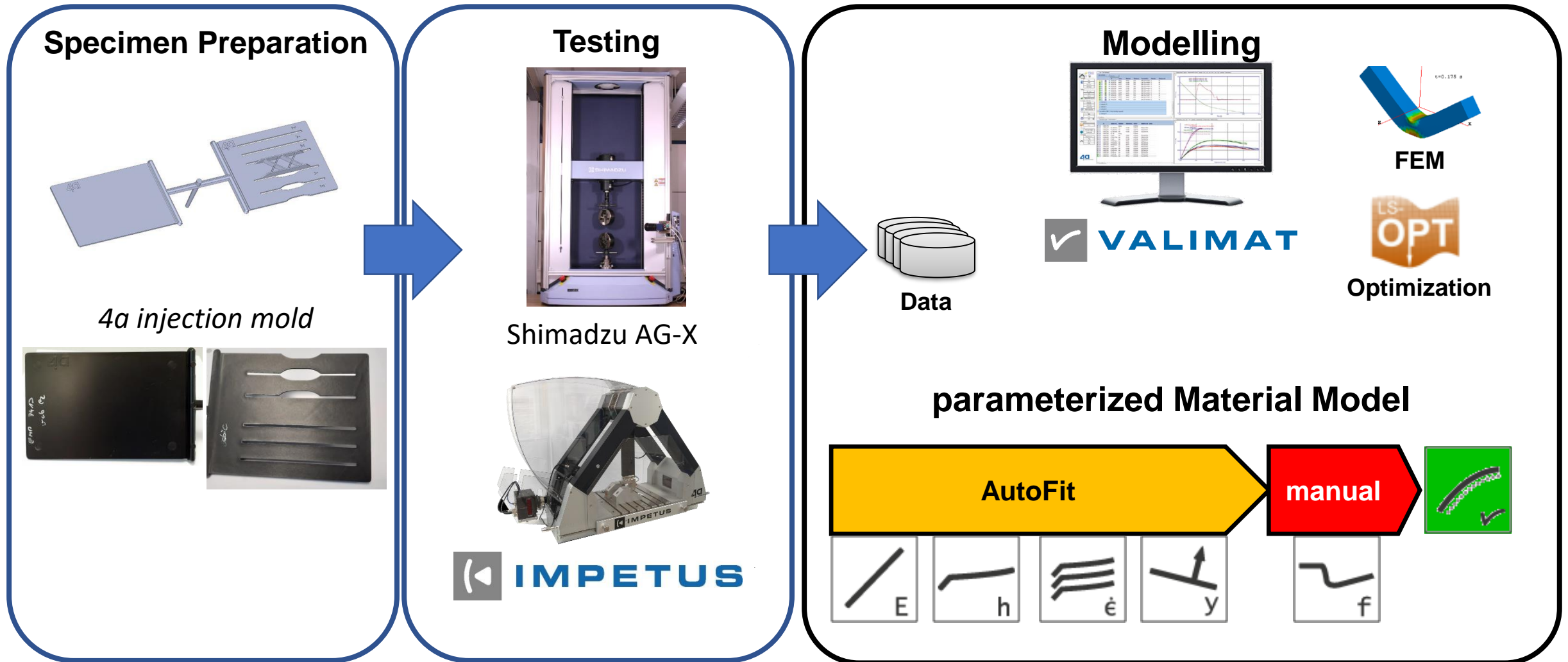
Introduction / Motivation

- simulation processes more commonly used in product development
- plastics wide variety of behavior and customizable for the application
- → demand for calibrated material models
- Automation
 - reduce process times
 - reproducible quality

e.g. pedestrian safety

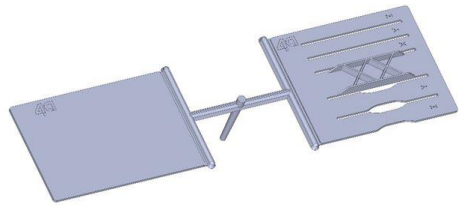


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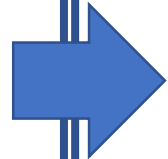


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Specimen Preparation



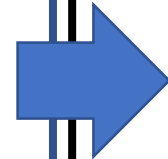
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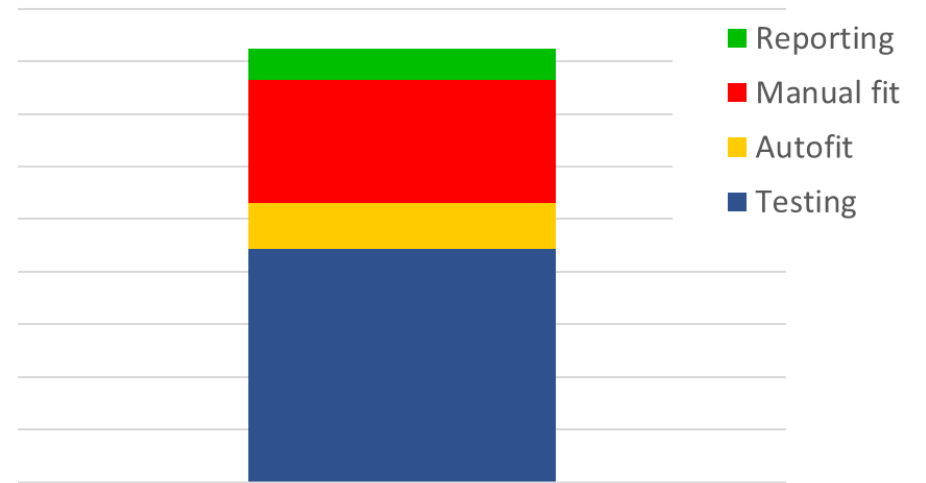
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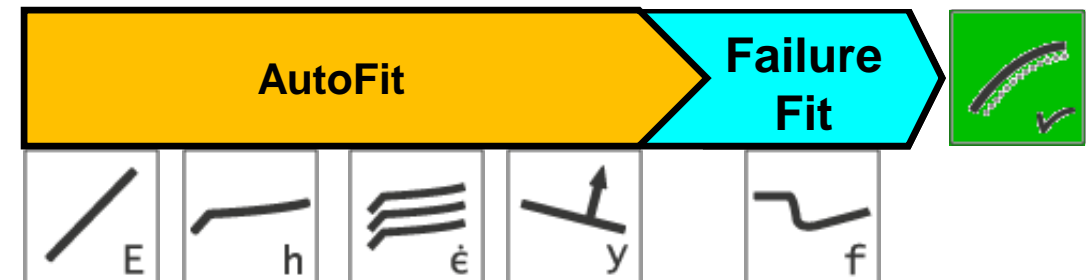
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Process Time Estimation



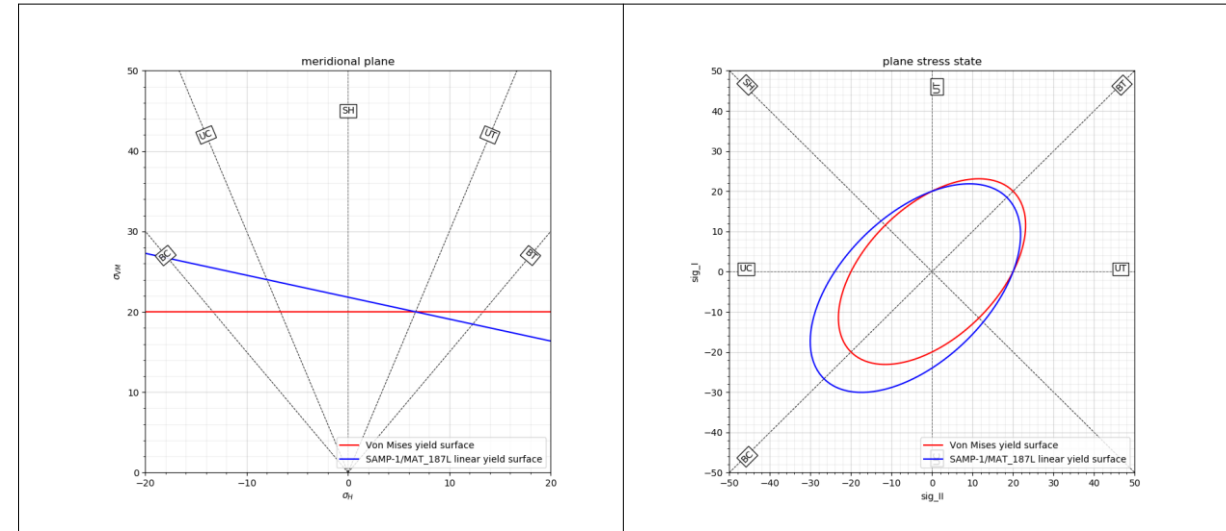
MAT_187L + DIEM (manual)



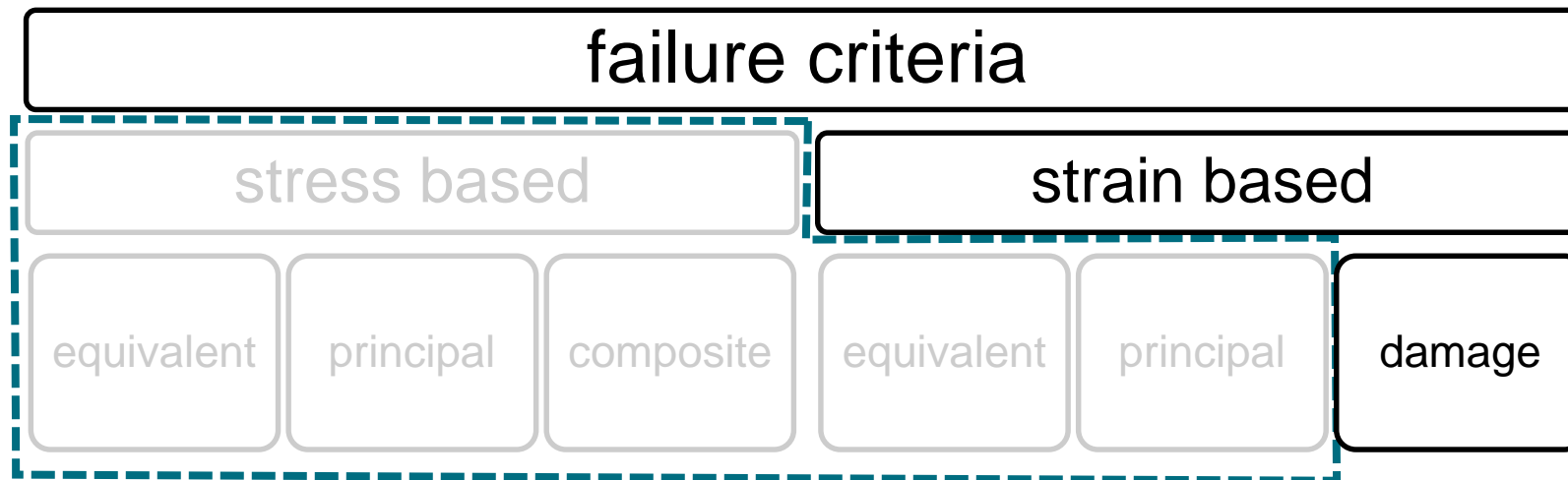
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Commonly Used Material Models For Plastics in LS-DYNA®

- ***MAT_024 - The workhorse**
(***MAT_081, *MAT_089, *MAT_123, ...**)
- ***MAT_187 - The plastic expert**
- ***MAT_187L – efficient version (R12)**



Material model	yield surface	Visco-elasticity	Visco-plasticity	Comp./tension asymmetry	plastic Poisson's ratio
*MAT_024	von Mises	✗	✓	✗	0.5
*MAT_187	linear; parabolic; piecewise linear	✓ $E(\dot{\epsilon})$	✓	✓	✓ $\nu_p(\epsilon)$
*MAT_187L	linear	✓ $E(\dot{\epsilon})$	✓	✓	✓ $\nu_p(\epsilon)$



additional failure models

****MAT_ADD_EROSION***

- MXEPS maximum principal strain, ...

strain damage based

- *before R11 optional DIEM / GISSMO*
- *since R11 *MAT_ADD_DAMAGE_DIEM*
- *since R11 *MAT_ADD_DAMAGE_GISSMO*

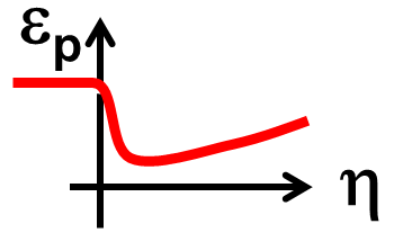
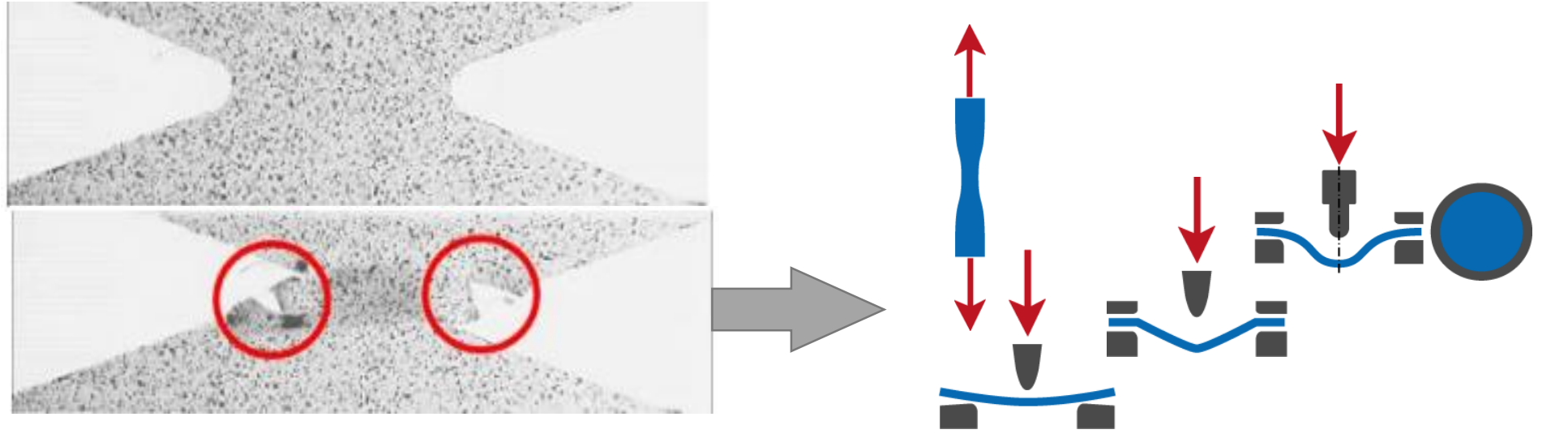
Included eq. pl. strain

****MAT_024***

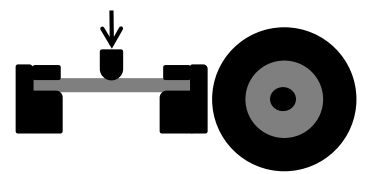
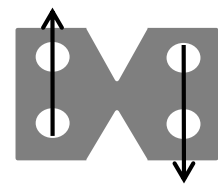
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****MAT_SAMP-1(GISSMO like)***

from test to material card

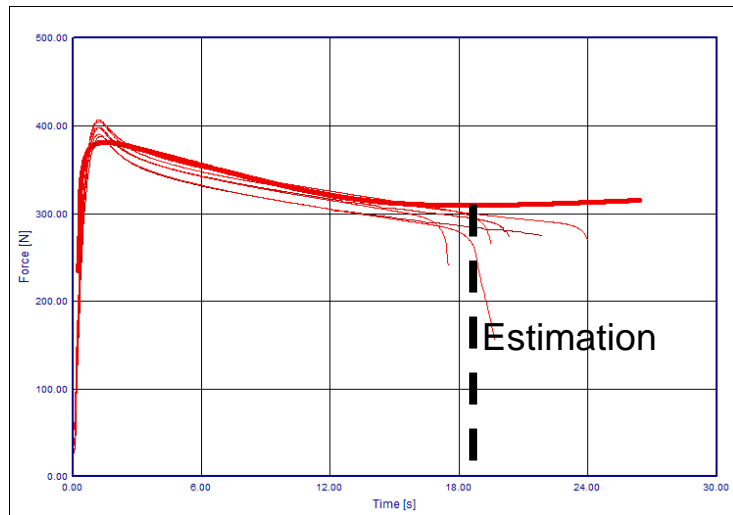


Damage/Failure

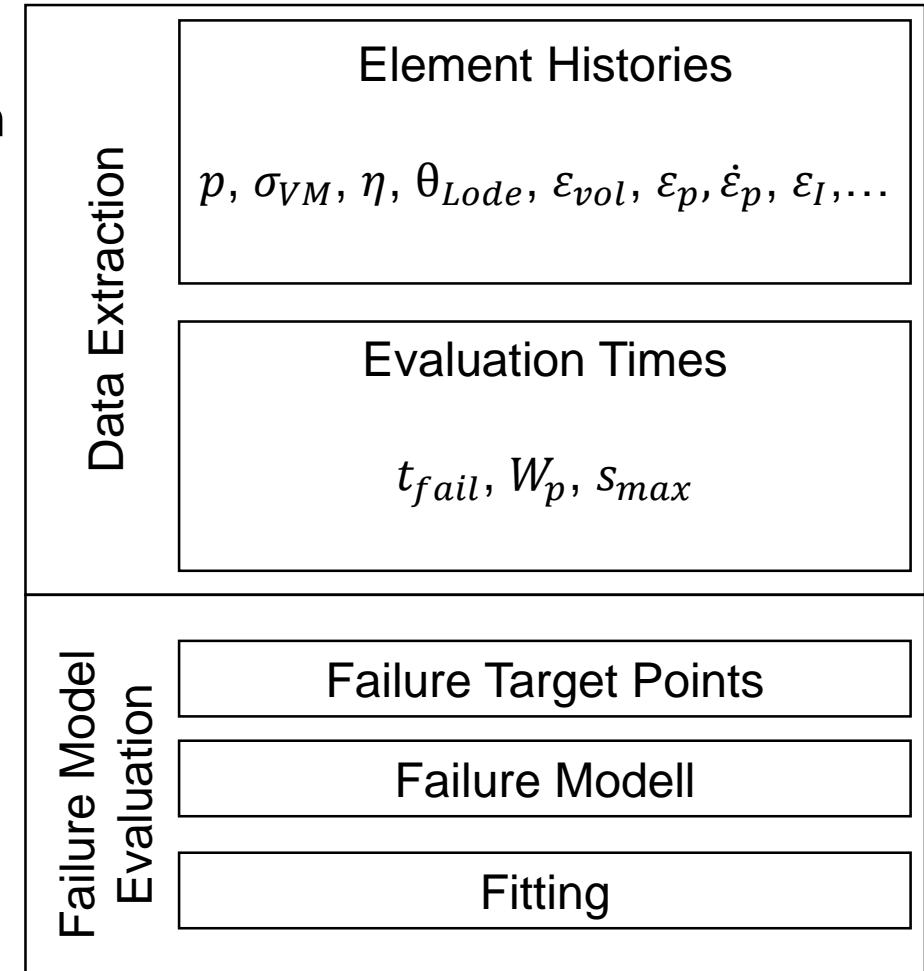


Failure Fit

- Idea: Run a Simulation with of all failure cases where failure occurs → Extract the relevant history variables for the chosen failure model → Estimate failure model parameters
- Consists of 2 parts:
 - Data Extraction from Modell without failure
 - Failure Model Fitting



— simulation results
— single measurement curve



Failure Fit Implementation

Data Extraction – Element Histories

- Define output sets in area of interest
- Data Extraction with VALIMAT python module

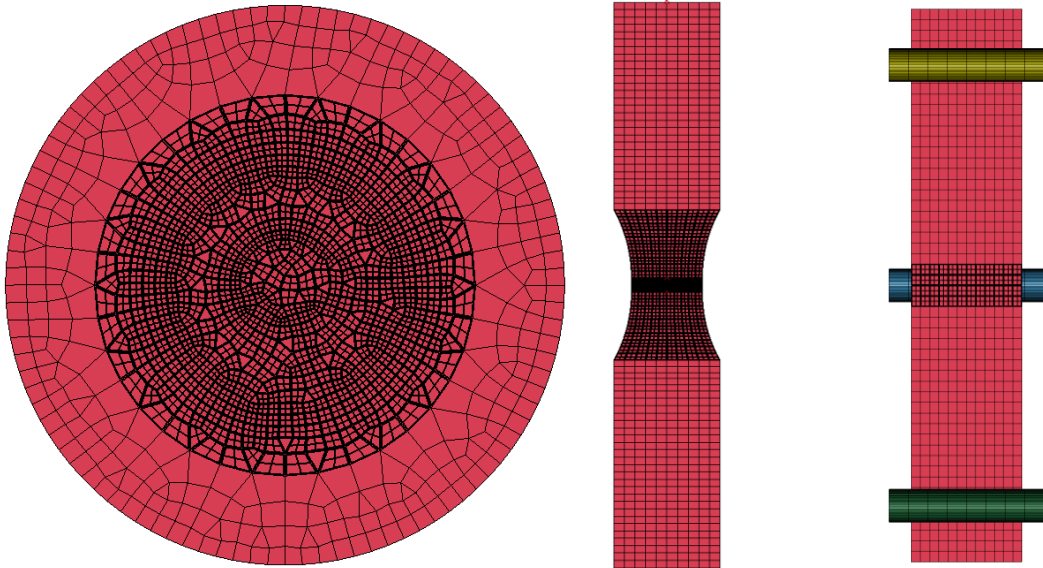


Element Histories

$p, \sigma_{VM}, \eta, \theta_{Lode}, \epsilon_{vol}, \epsilon_p, \dot{\epsilon}_p, \epsilon_I, \dots$

puncture test PT

tensile test TT 3-point bending 3PB



Additional element history sets for data extraction

p pressure
 σ_{VM} Von Mises Stress
 η stress Triaxiality
 θ_{Lode} Lode angle
 ϵ_{vol} volumetric strain
 ϵ_p equivalent plastic strain
 $\dot{\epsilon}_p$ equivalent plastic strain rate
 ϵ_I maximum principal Strain

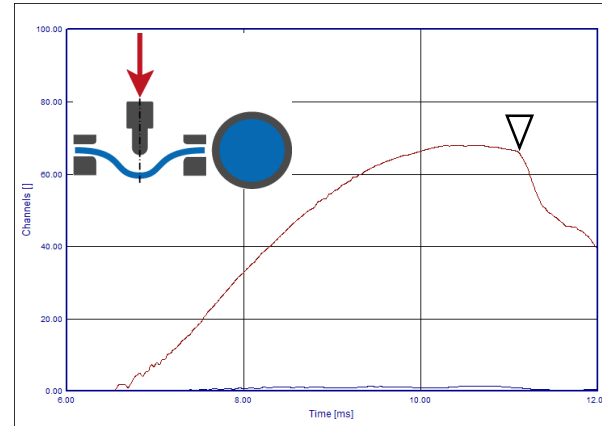
Failure Fit Implementation

Evaluation Times

Decide when failure should occur

- failure time from measurement (force drop, manual)

[-] Identification of failure	0 - Manual (point in time)
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Evaluation Times

$$t_{fail}, W_p, S_{max}$$

- Combined value of measurement and simulation results
 - Work equal between Simulation and Test
 - Same displacement in Simulation and Test

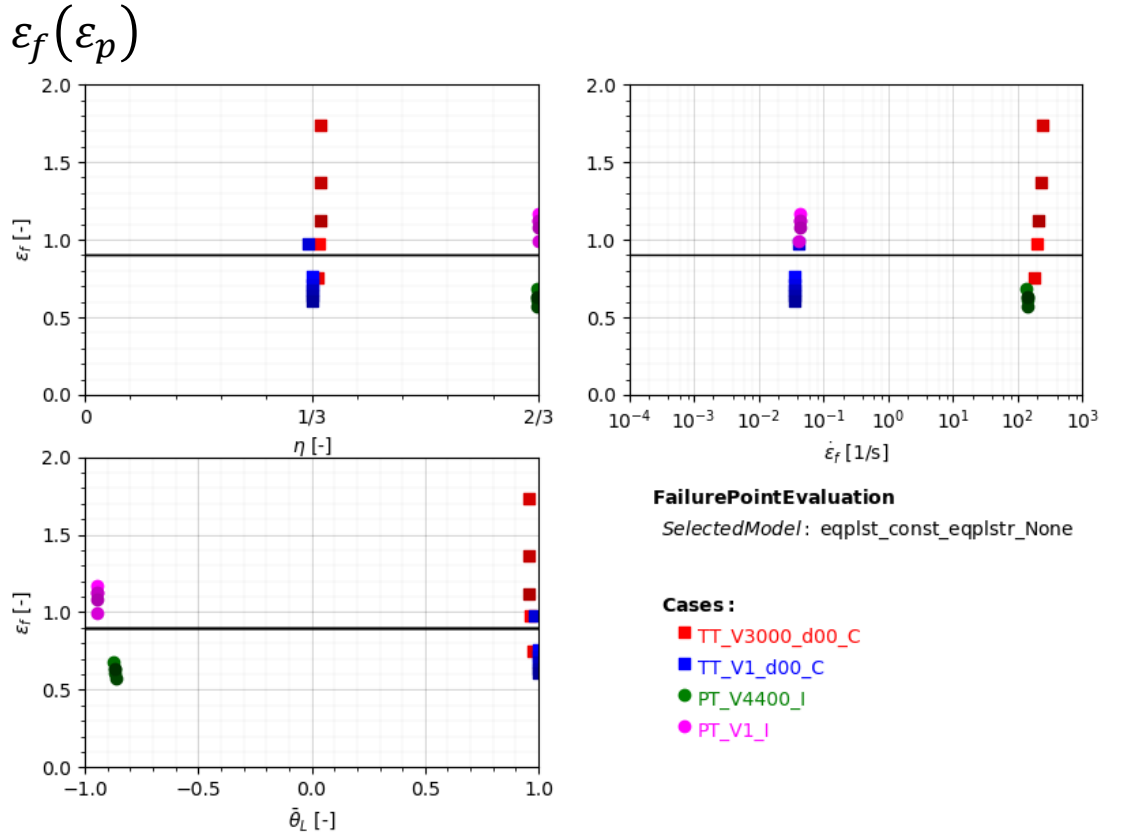
Failure Fit Implementation

Failure Model Evaluation – Simple Evaluation

- Failure Target Points
 - max occurrence of value at failure time from each test in each case
 - ignore not failed tests
- Failure Modell
 - parameter equals history variable
- Fitting
 - weight cases (equally, unequally, ...)



Failure Target Points



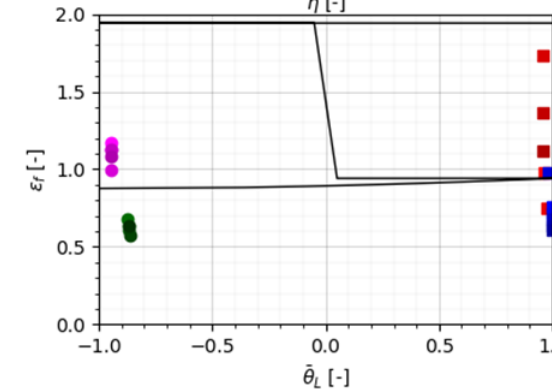
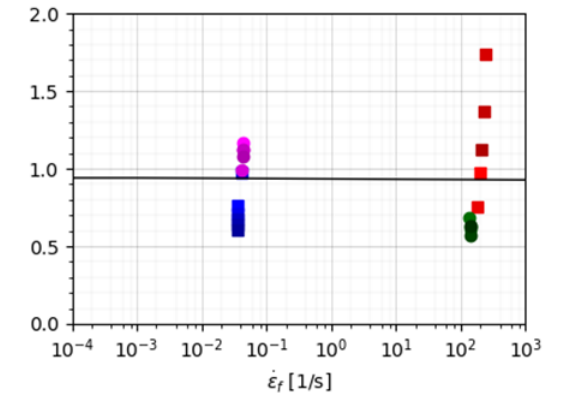
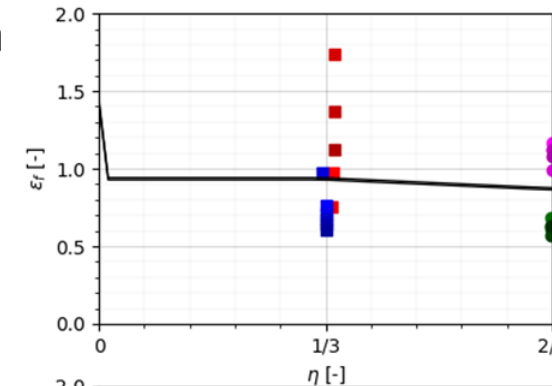
Failure Fit Implementation

Failure Model Evaluation – Max. equivalent plastic strain Evaluation

Failure Target Points

- Failure Target Points
 - failure dependent on multiple history variables → failure target points not obvious
 - simplified approach: use element/integration point with maximum equivalent plastic strain
- Failure Modell
 - function of several history variables
- Fitting
 - weight cases (equally, unequally, ...)
 - nonlinear least square fit

$$\varepsilon_f(\varepsilon_p, \dot{\varepsilon}_p, \eta, \theta_{Lode})$$



FailurePointEvaluation

SelectedModel: eqplst_4apointwiselinear_eqplstr_JC

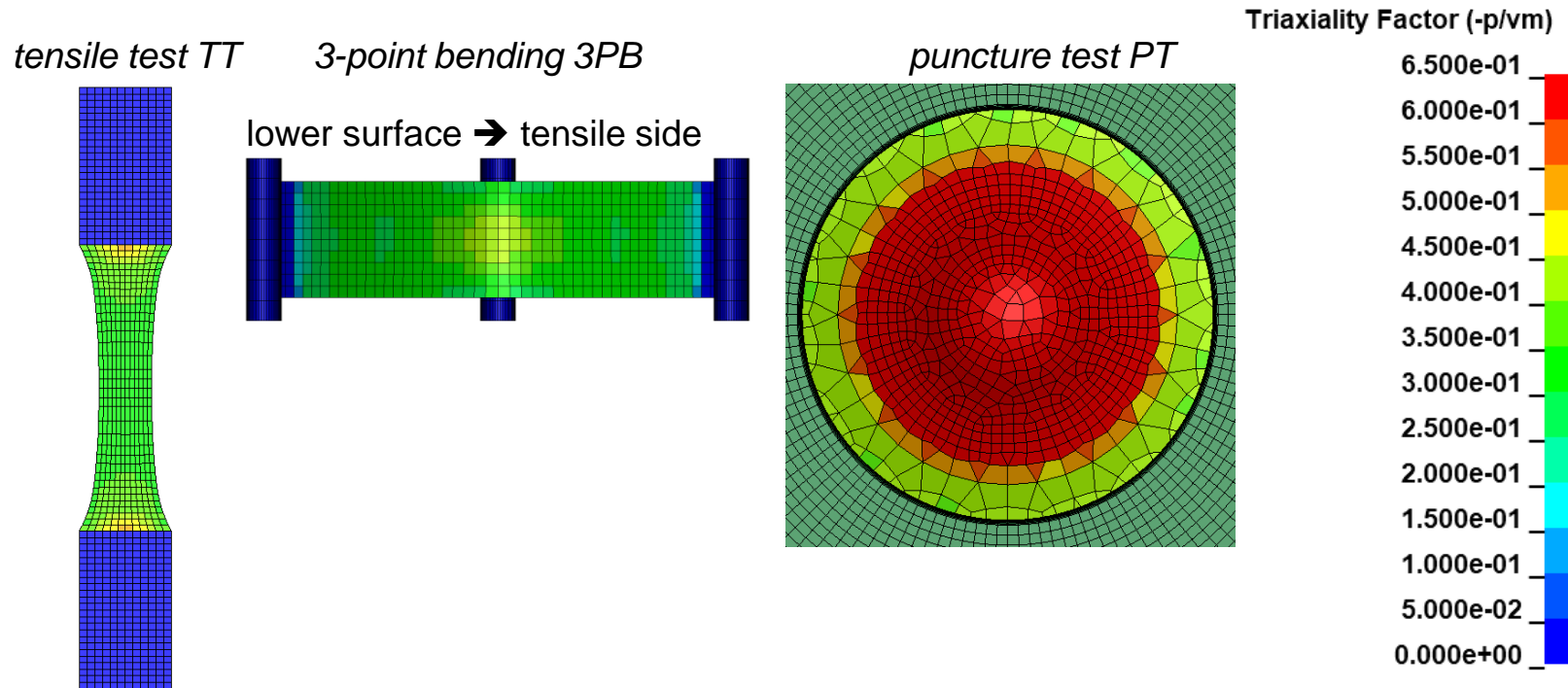
Cases:

- TT_V3000_d00_C
- TT_V1_d00_C
- PT_V4400_I
- PT_V1_I

Failure Fit Implementation

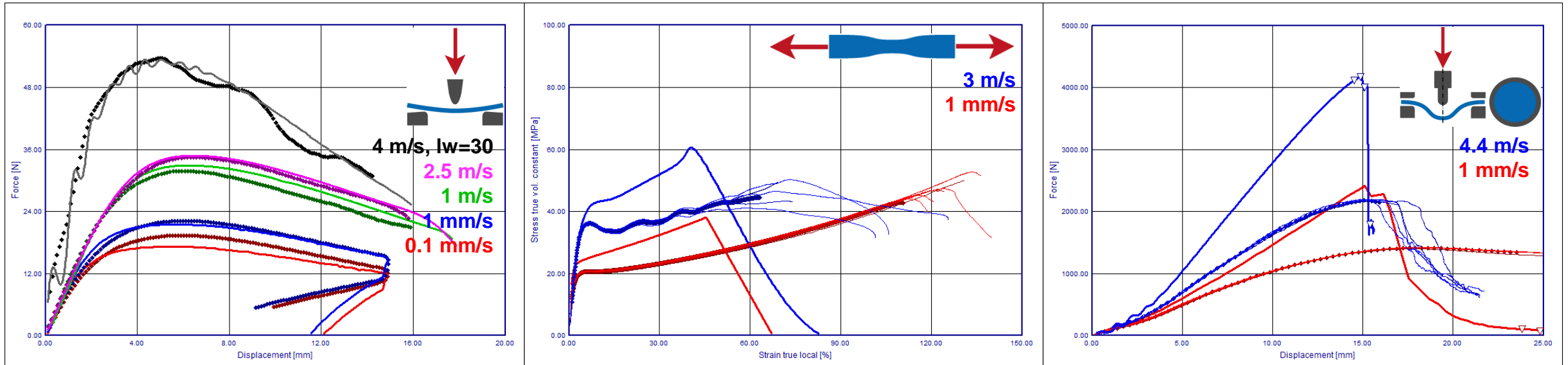
Failure Model Evaluation – Max. equivalent plastic strain Evaluation

- For the chosen load cases the stress states in the area of interest is similar
- For future developments
 - groupings in triaxiality buckets



Failure Fit Results

*MAT_024 + MXEPS – Simple Evaluation

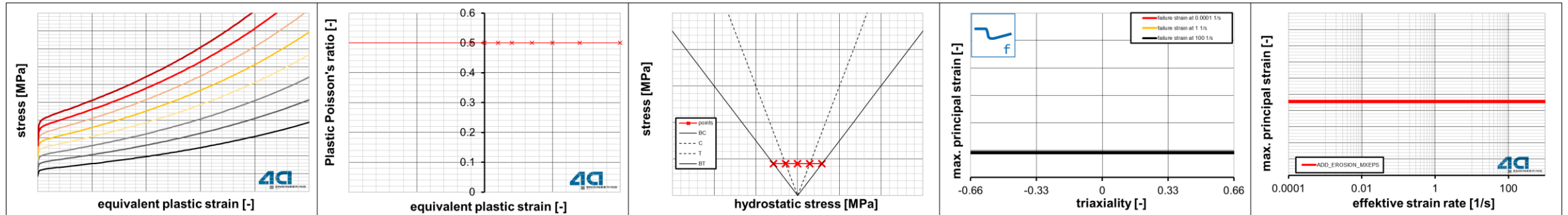


hardening

flow rule

yield surface

failure



◆◆◆ Mean value curve of measurements

— simulation results

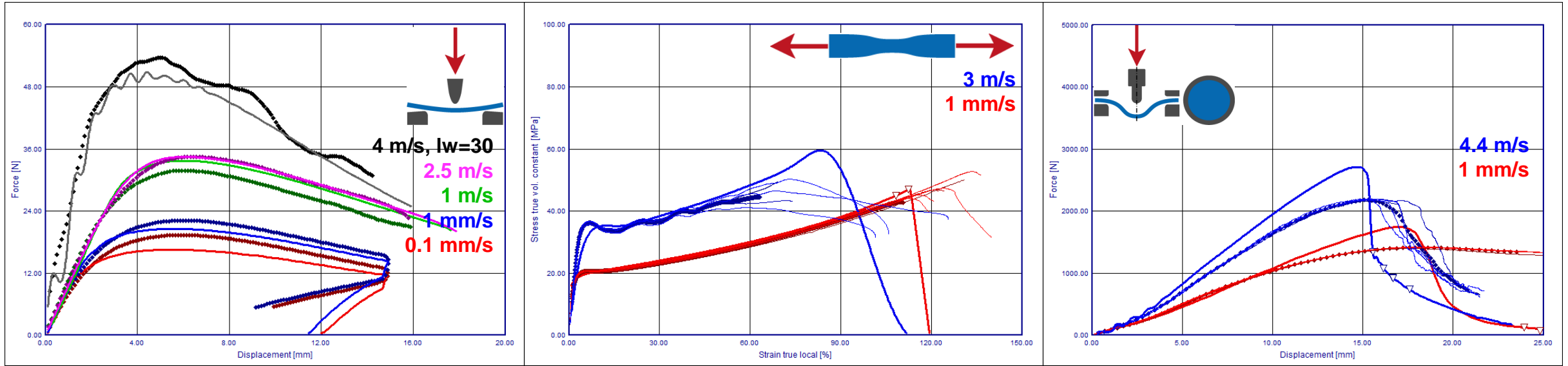
(— single measurement curve)
 ▽ set failure time



Failure Fit Results



*MAT_187L + DIEM – Max. equivalent plastic strain Evaluation

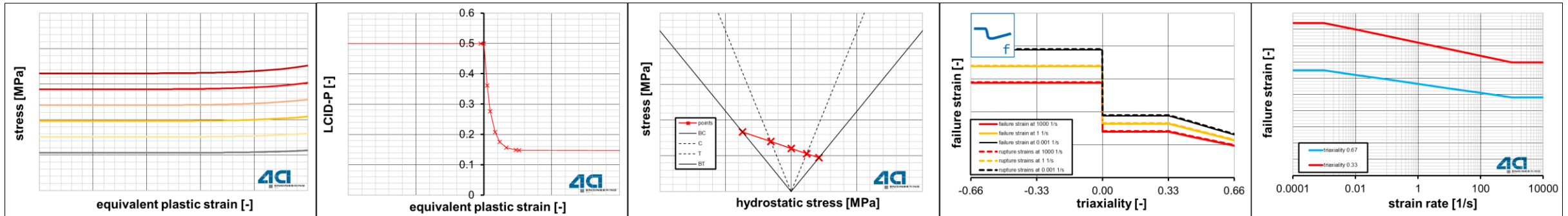


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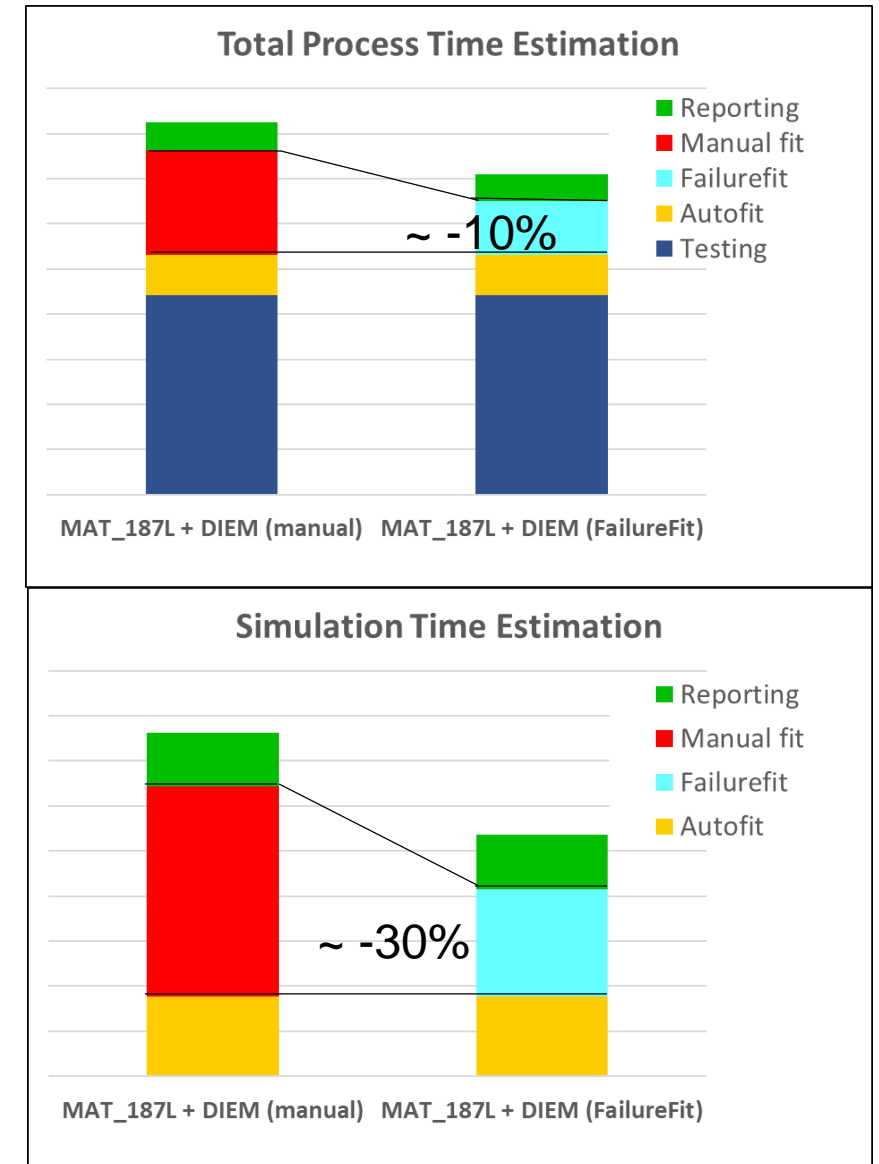
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Summary/Conclusion

- Overview of material calibration process with VALIMAT
- Implementation of the Failure Fit in VALIMAT
 - gives reasonable results
 - reduces the total process time



Summary/Conclusion

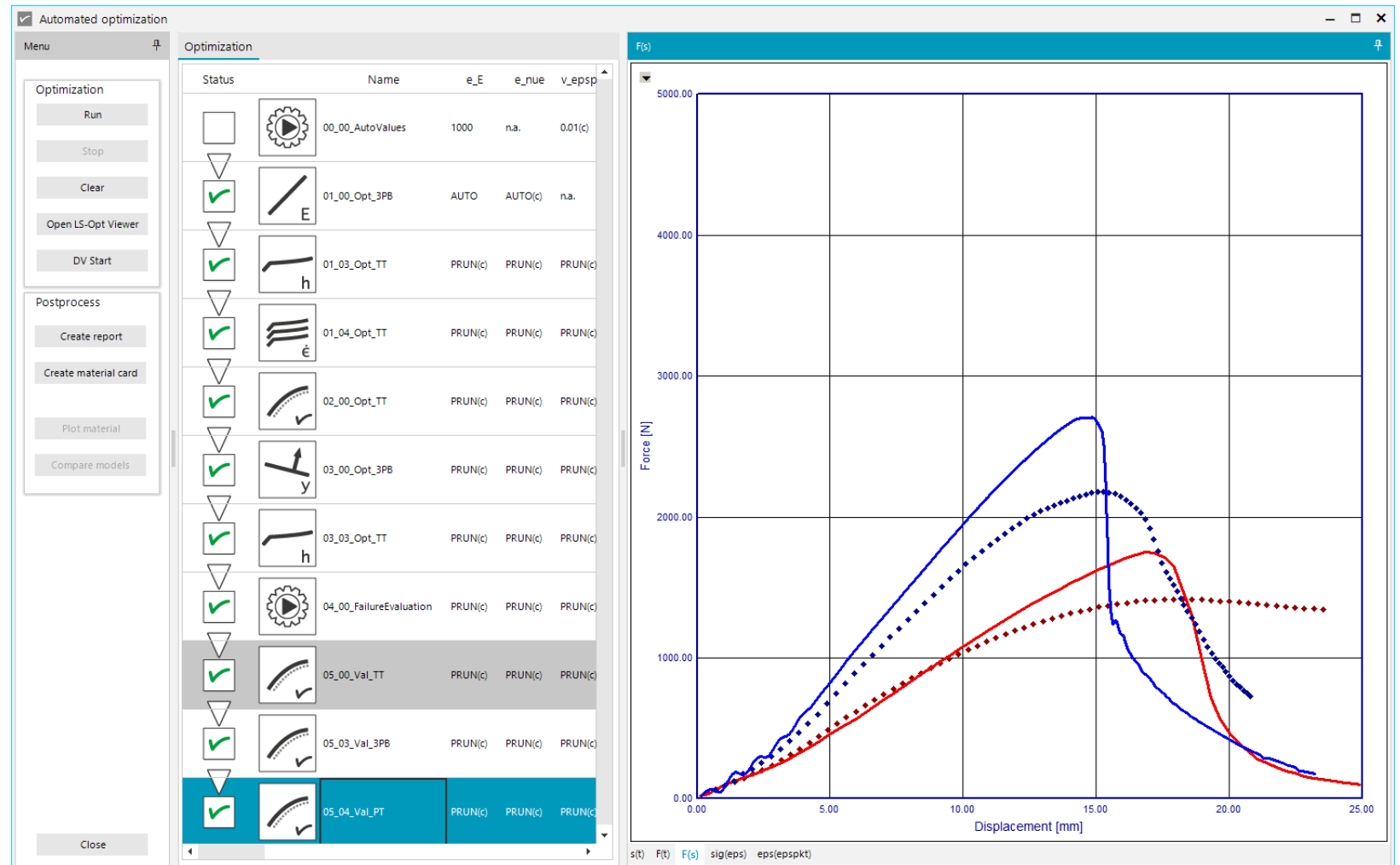


Standardized material characterization packages for your individual material class



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Material Calibration increasingly automated with AutoFit & Failure Fit



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α
Anisotropic

ϵ_p
Damage/Failure

Φ_p
Triaxiality

σ_{vm}
Hardening

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