

Strength of materials and structures



ECTS credits
2 credits



Semester
Fall

In brief

> **Course language:** French

Presentation

Prerequisites

- MMC, tensor algebra and analysis
- Elastoplastic behavior (see 3rd year [Material behavior - Plasticity](#) course)
- Beam model (see 3rd year [Thin structures and instabilities](#) course)

Learning objectives

- Discover the classical approaches of linear fracture mechanics
- Discover the main characteristics of the fatigue phenomenon of materials and structures on simple examples
- Know the classical approaches to fatigue called "uniaxial" and discover the current approaches to fatigue (multiaxial)
- Acquire the concepts and calculation methods used in yield design and limit analysis

Description of the programme

- Part 1: Phenomena and Models
 - Linear fracture mechanics: validity domain and typical problem
 - Global approach to fracture: energy restitution rate and Griffith criterion
 - Local approach to fracture: stress intensity factors and K_{Ic} criterion
 - Comparison between the two classical approaches in linear fracture mechanics
 - Influence of the loading path (monotonic or cyclic) on the fracture behavior of solid of solid structures: phenomenology and classification
 - Uniaxial" fatigue with a large number of cycles: Wöhler curve and Haigh diagram; Paris law
 - Uniaxial" fatigue at small number of cycles (oligocyclic): Manson-Coffin law

- Multiaxial fatigue at large number of cycles: macroscopic criterion of Sines and macro-micro of Dang Van
- Part 2: Yield design and limit analysis
 - Notions of limit loads and plastic failure mechanisms: examples of a lattice of bars and a cylindrical shaft in torsion
 - Theory of yield design: notion of resistance criterion of materials, maximum resisting work and static approach for the calculation of loads potentially bearable by a structure
 - Dual kinematic approach
 - Notion of safety coefficient
 - Application to beam structures, notion of plastic hinge in bending

Generic central skills and knowledge targeted in the discipline

- Know the failure mechanisms
- Know the main criteria of failure
- Know how to determine the mechanisms that can lead to the failure of a given system
- Know how to dimension a structure with respect to yield design

How knowledge is tested

- DS1 : written evaluation of 1 hour on the 1st part (50%)
- DS2 : written evaluation of 1 hour on the 2nd part (50%)

Bibliography

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- D. François, A. Pineau et A. Zaoui, Viscoplasticité, endommagement, mécanique de la rupture, mécanique du contact, éd. Lavoisier, 2009
- J. Salençon, Calcul à la rupture et analyse limite, Presses de l'ENPC, 1983

Teaching team

- Thierry Désoyer
- Stéphane Bourgeois

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| Total des heures | | 24h |
| CM | Master class | 18h |
| TD | Directed work | 6h |

Useful info

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