

- **Direct incorporation of singular terms:** $\sum_{k=1}^4 f_k \bar{u}_{ik} + K_{I1} \left(Q_{11} \sum_{k=1}^4 f_k \bar{Q}_{1ik} \right) + K_{II} \left(Q_{21} \sum_{k=1}^4 f_k \bar{Q}_{2ik} \right)$
 e.g. enriched elements by Benzley (1974), shape functions are enriched by K_I, K_{II} singular terms

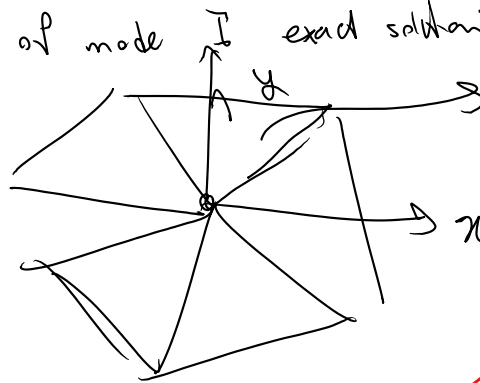
$$Q_{ij} = \frac{u_{ij}}{k_j}$$

$$u' = \left(1 + \frac{2x}{L} - 3\sqrt{\frac{x}{L}}\right) u'_1 + \left(4\sqrt{\frac{x}{L}} - 4\frac{x}{L}\right) u'_2 + \left(\frac{2x}{L} - \sqrt{\frac{x}{L}}\right) u'_3$$

$$u = \frac{K_I}{2\mu} \sqrt{\frac{r}{2\pi}} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \left(\kappa - 1 + 2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right)$$

$$v = \frac{K_I}{2\mu} \sqrt{\frac{r}{2\pi}} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \left(\kappa + 1 - 2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right)$$

Example of mode I exact solution



normal solution $u = a + bx + cy$

$$+ \frac{K_I}{2\mu} \sqrt{\frac{r}{2\pi}} \dots$$

Problem with this approach is that the crack tip is fixed
 Not appropriate for crack propagation problems.

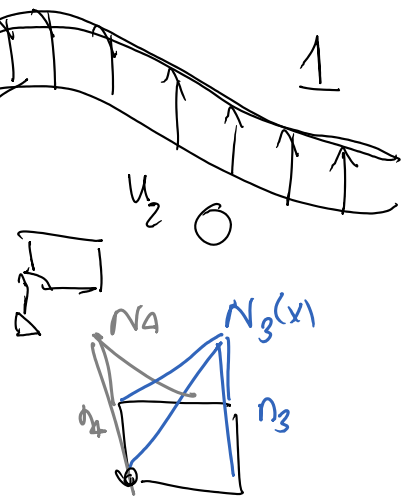
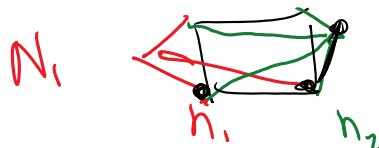
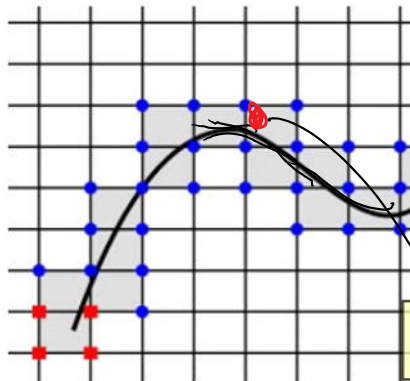
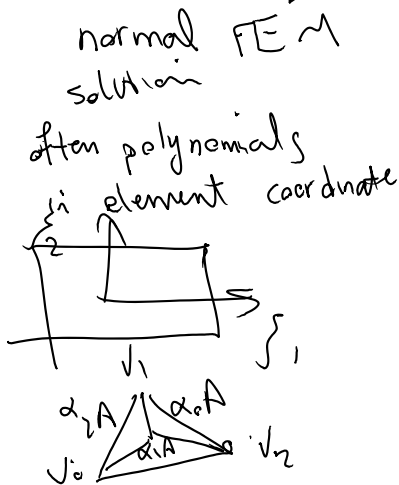
Belytschko et al 1999

set of enriched nodes

$$u^h(x) = \sum_{I \in S} N_I(x) u_I + \sum_{J \in S^c} N_J(x) \Phi(x) a_J$$

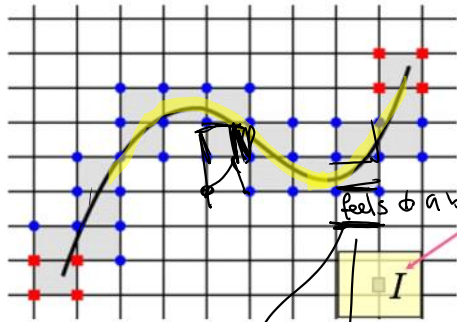
standard part enrichment part

Generalized FEM (GFEM)



$$\phi(x) = H(\bar{x} - \bar{x}_0)$$

$$\phi(x) = \underbrace{N_1(x) + N_2(x) + N_3(x) + N_4(x)}_1$$

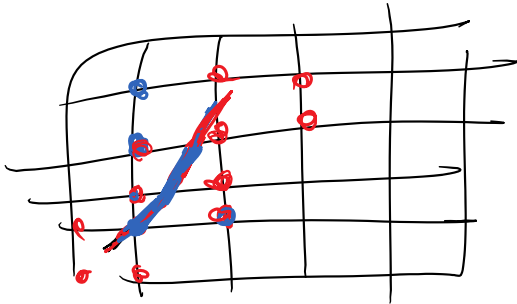
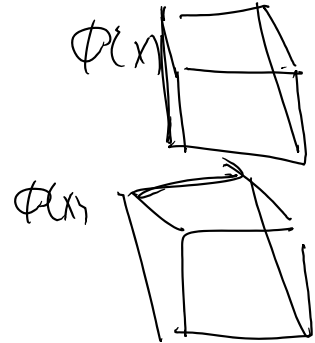


nodal support

$$N_I(x) \neq 0$$

$$\sum_J N_J(x) \Phi(x) = \Phi(x)$$

$\sum N_J(x)$
no effect of Φ



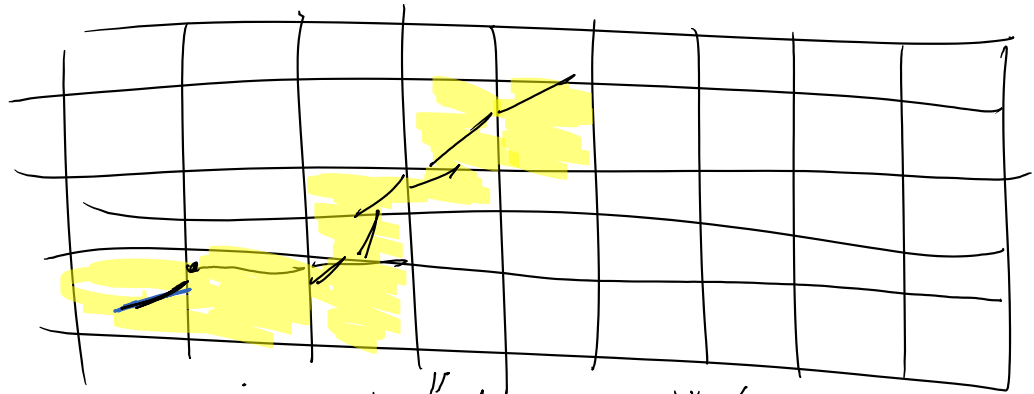
Partition of Unity (PUM)

enrichment function

$$\sum_J N_J(x) = 1 \longrightarrow \sum_J N_J(x) \Phi(x) = \Phi(x)$$

Another method that allows crack propagation inside elements:

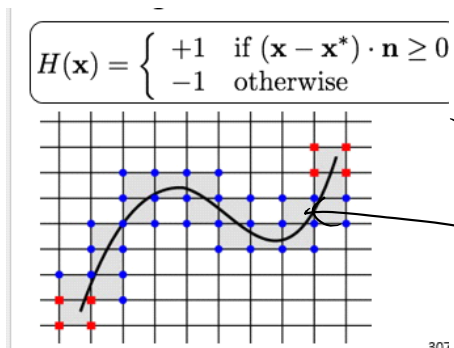
Embedded discontinuities
"element centered"



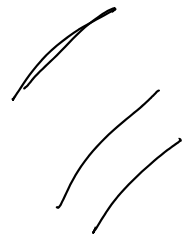
because it's not "node centered" (Partition of unity methods like XFEM) crack path is not continuous

Types of enrichment:

1. Crack surface opening



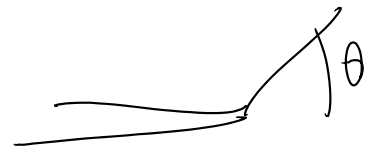
all the blue nodes



2. Crack tip inside an element (where this very different from (97) work, because now the crack tip can be inside the element)

$$u = \frac{K_I}{2\mu} \sqrt{\frac{r}{2\pi}} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \left(\kappa - 1 + 2 \sin^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right)$$

$$v = \frac{K_I}{2\mu} \sqrt{\frac{r}{2\pi}} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \left(\kappa + 1 - 2 \cos^2 \frac{\theta}{2} \right)$$



$$\sqrt{r} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}, \sqrt{r} \sin \theta \sin \frac{\theta}{2}$$

$$\sqrt{r} \left[\cos \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \right]$$

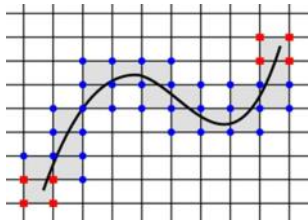
$$\sqrt{r} \sin \frac{\theta}{2}, \sqrt{r} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \theta$$

So these four enrichment functions can reproduce the exact crack tip displacement field at **any location**:

$$[B_\alpha] = \left[\sqrt{r} \sin \frac{\theta}{2}, \sqrt{r} \cos \frac{\theta}{2}, \sqrt{r} \sin \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \theta, \sqrt{r} \cos \frac{\theta}{2} \sin \theta \right]$$

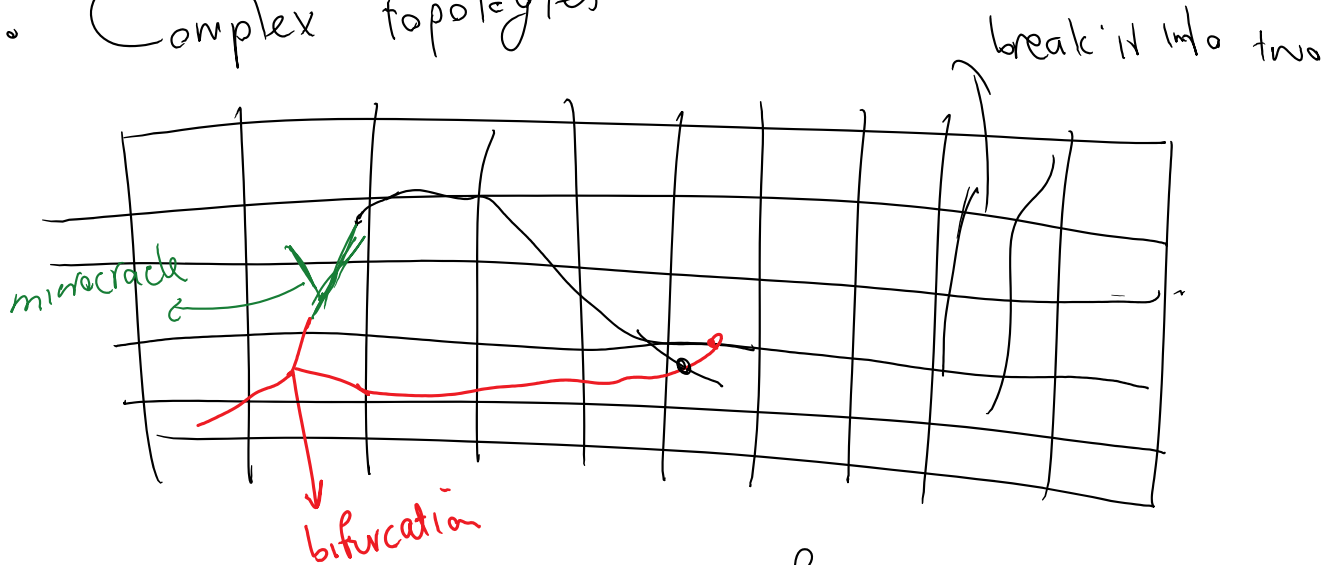
S^c	blue nodes
S^t	red nodes

$$u^h(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{I \in S} N_I(\mathbf{x}) u_I + \sum_{J \in S^c} N_J(\mathbf{x}) H(\mathbf{x}) a_J + \sum_{K \in S^t} N_K(\mathbf{x}) \left(\sum_{\alpha=1}^4 B_\alpha b_K^\alpha \right)$$



Potential difficulties with XFEM methods

1. Complex topologies



2. Enrichment is based on LEFM

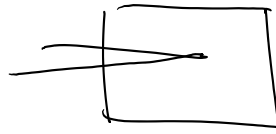
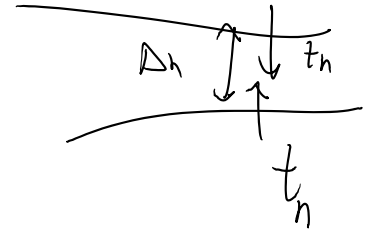
$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{r}} \quad \text{singularity}$$

not very accurate when SSP is violated

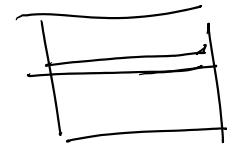
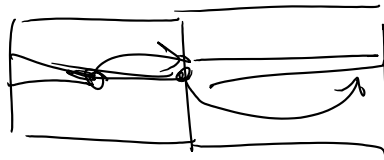
PFM strain $\frac{1}{r} \sigma$ stress $\frac{1}{r} \gamma$

Cohesive modes

$$t_n = f(\Delta_n)$$



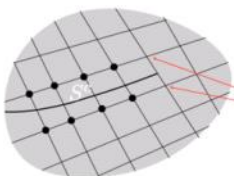
Don't know how to enrich element solution for more complex fracture models



XFEM for cohesive cracks

Wells, Sluys, 2001

$$u^h(x) = \sum_{I \in S} N_I(x) u_I + \sum_{J \in S^*} N_J(x) H(x) a_J$$



No crack tip solution is known, no tip enrichment!!!

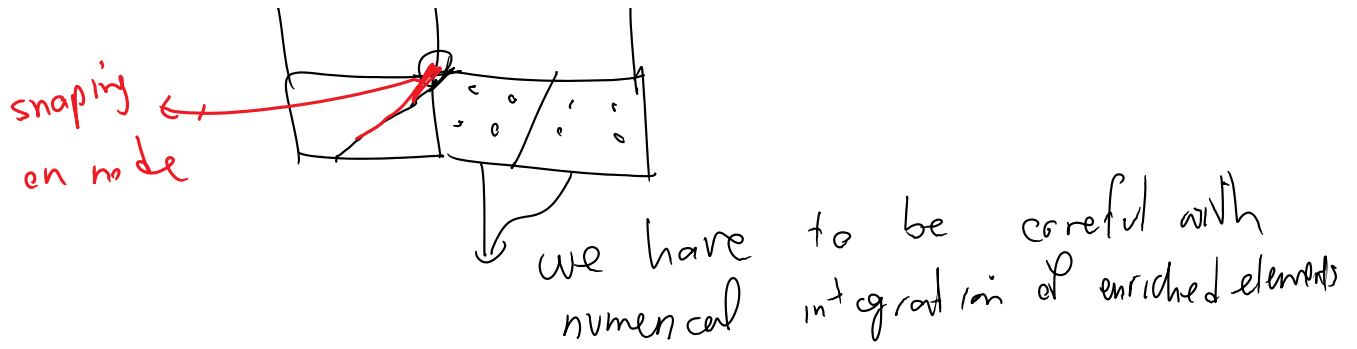
not enriched to ensure zero crack tip opening!!!

$$H(x) = \begin{cases} +1 & \text{if } (x - x^*) \cdot n \geq 0 \\ -1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

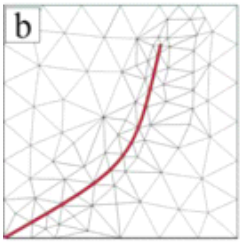
③ Quadrature issues & other numerical issues

quadrature





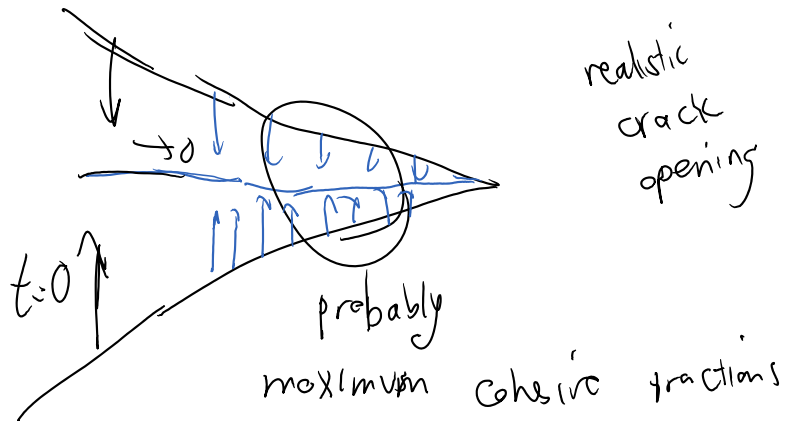
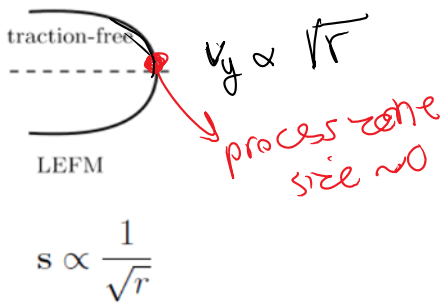
In contrast, mesh adaptive methods can address all these issues but they are very difficult to implement, particularly in 3D



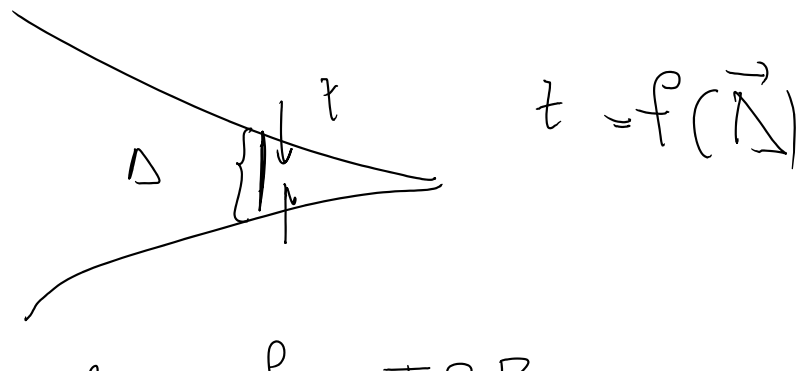
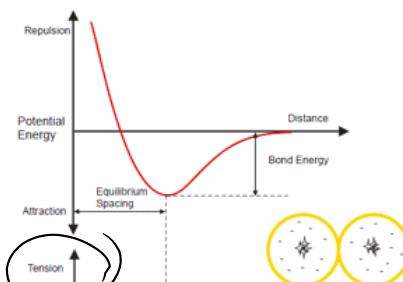
Crack tracking

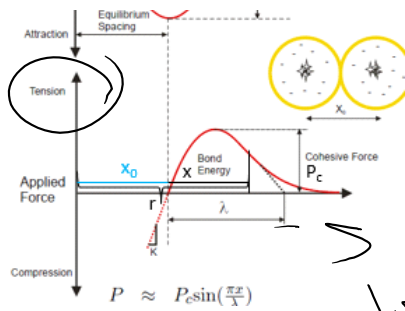
6.2. Traction Separation Relations (TSRs)

Cohesive models



Motivation:
From atomistic potential





displacement jump

Two forms of strength of

TSRs

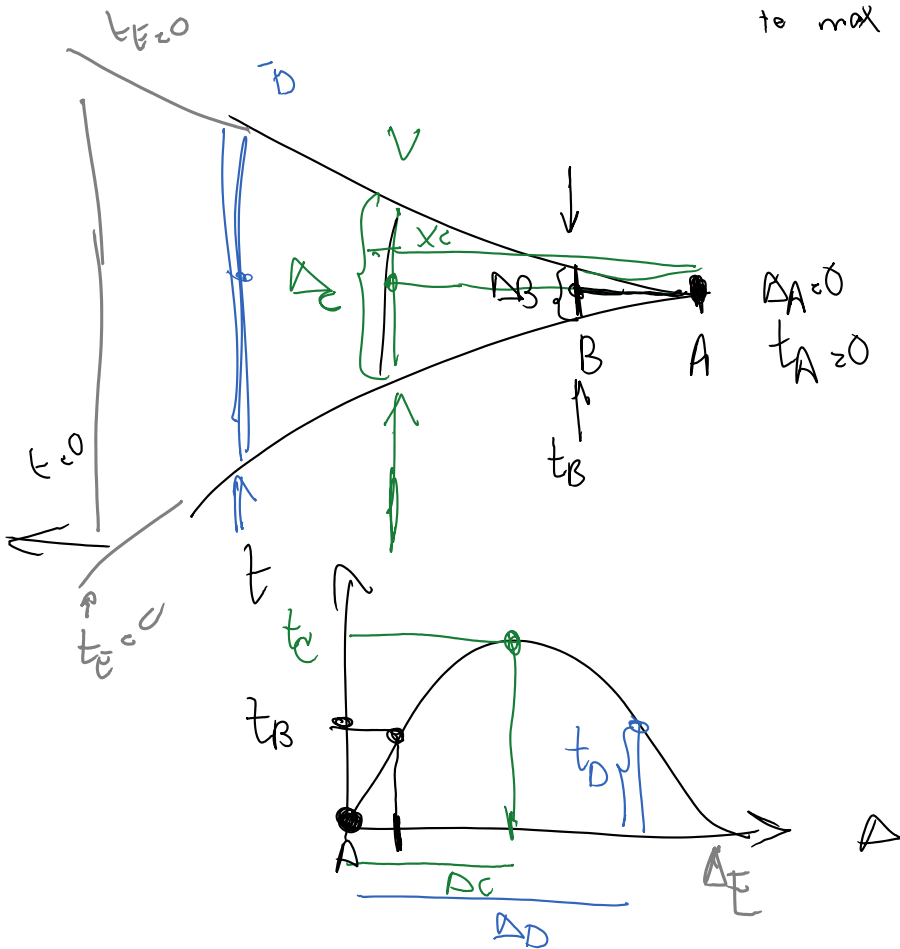
Intrinsic Cohesive models

1D (mode I)

$t(\Delta=0) = 0$

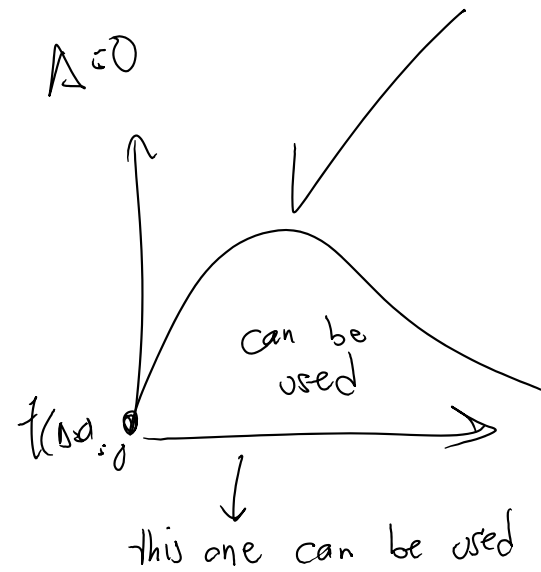
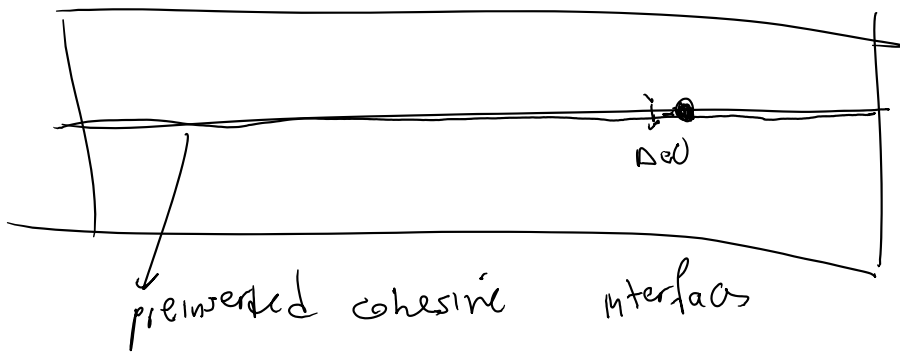
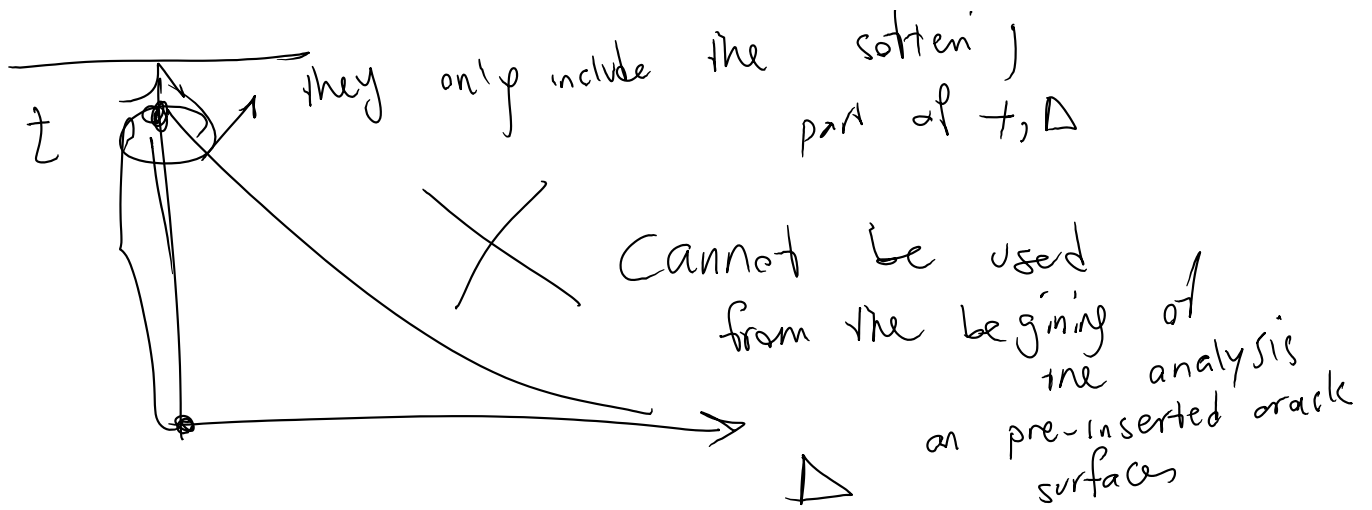
separation corresponding to max traction

separation for zero traction



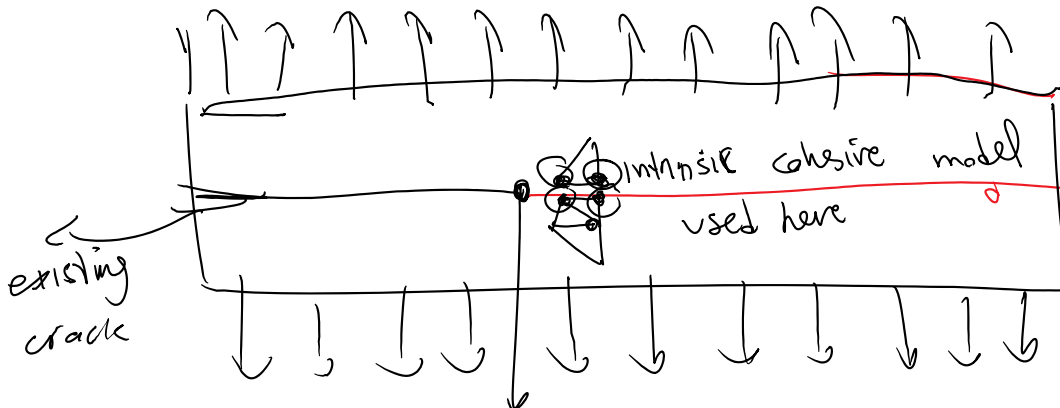
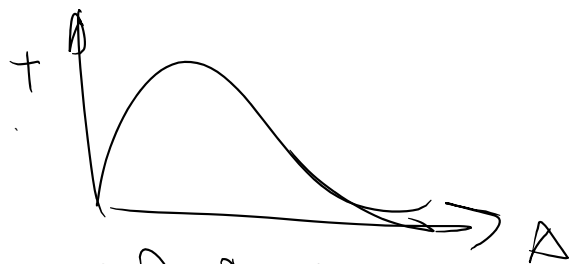
2nd type of TSRs:

Extrinsic cohesive model



How each model is used?

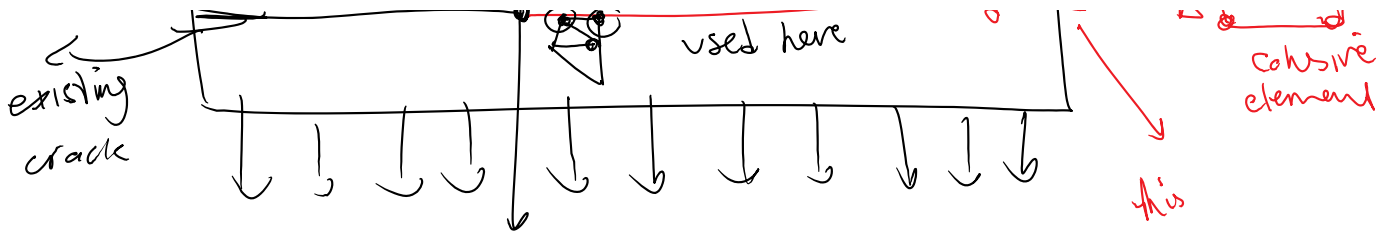
Intrinsic



$t = f(\Delta)$

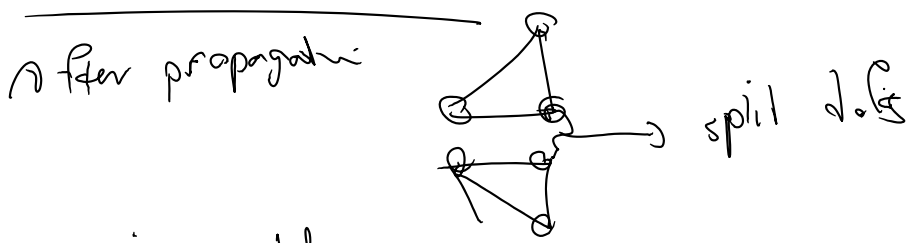
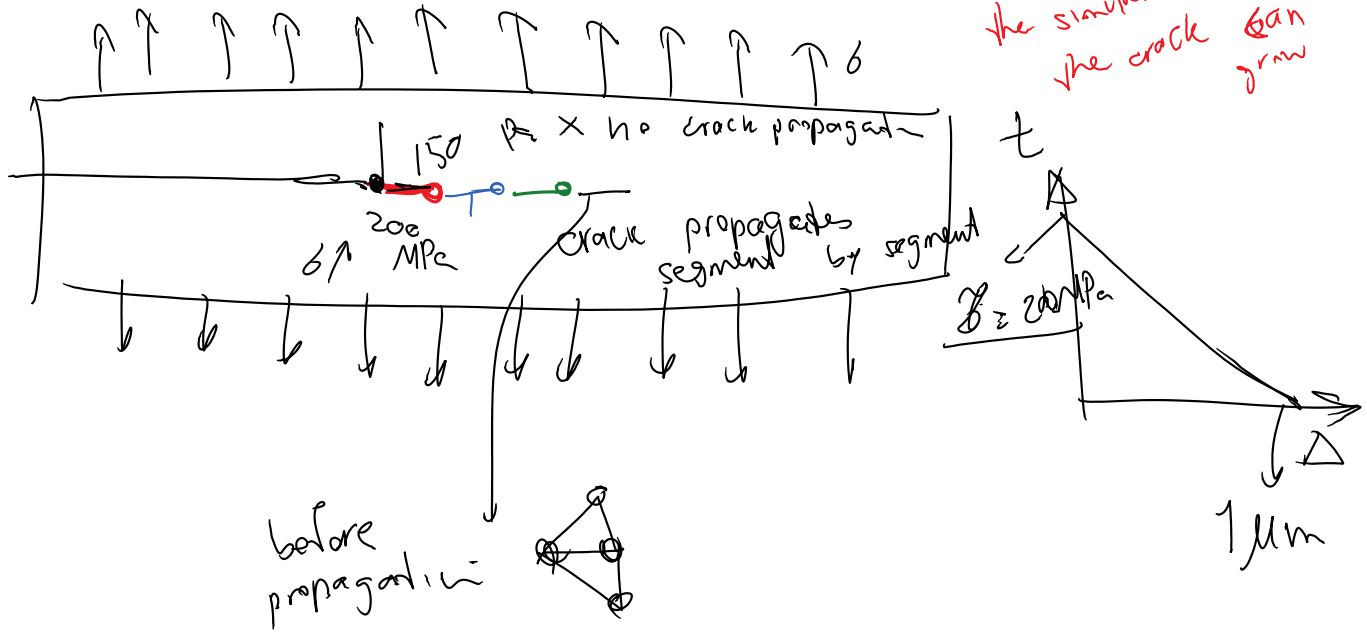
cohesive element

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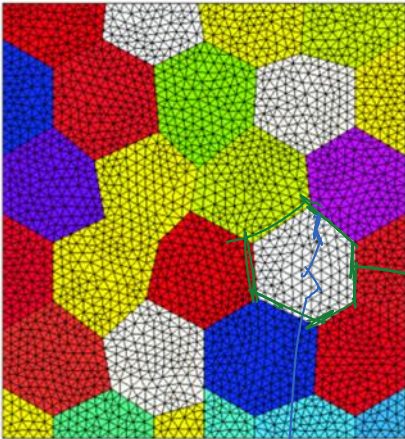
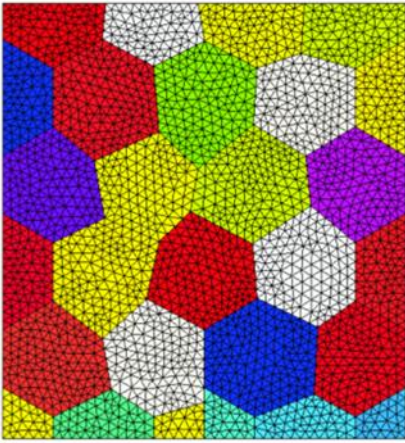
Initial CT

how extinsic models are used?



Extinsic cohesive models require continuous modification to FE nodes & element connectivity as the crack propagates.

How do we simulate problems like this?



Intragranular cohesion surfaces

Intergranular cohesion surfaces

