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POLYCRYSTAL PLASTICITY REVISITED AND
PLASTIC DEFORMATION OF HEXAGONALS

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POLYCRYSTAL PLASTICITY REVISITED.

1- FLUX CHART OF TEXTURE DEVELOPMENT SIMULATION

a) REPRESENT POLYCRYSTAL AS A DISCRETE COLLECTION OF GRAINS WITH INITIAL WEIGHTS

b) IMPOSE INCREMENTAL DEFORMATION STEPS TO THE AGGREGATE. DERIVE $\Delta \epsilon$, σ and $\Delta \sigma$ FOR EACH GRAIN.

c) REORIENT EACH GRAIN BECAUSE OF SLIP & TWINNING.

d) REPEAT b) & c) UNTIL ACHIEVING FINAL DEFORMATION

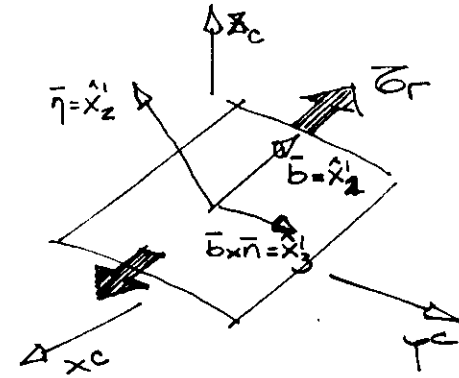
e) CALCULATE MECHANICAL RESPONSE OF TEXTURED MATERIAL.

* INITIAL TEXTURE

* DEFORMATION MODEL.
* CONSTITUTIVE LAW FOR THE GRAINS
* ACTIVE SYSTEMS.

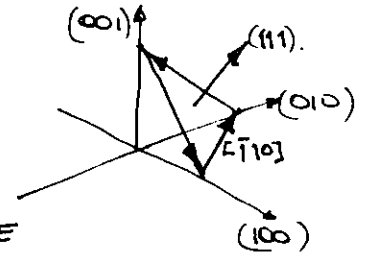
* KINEMATICS
* TWINNING MODEL.
* ROTATION MATRICES.

* FINAL TEXTURE.
* STATISTICS.
* STRESS-STRAIN CURVE.



slip system
 $\bar{n}$ = normal to slip plane

$\bar{b}$ = slip direction



$\underline{\sigma} = \sigma_{ij}$: GENERAL STRESS STATE IN CRYSTAL AXES.

$\tau_r = \sigma'_{12} = n_i b_j \sigma_{ij}$: RESOLVED SHEAR ON PLANE $\bar{n}$ IN THE DIRECTION OF $\bar{b}$.

SCHMID LAW : SLIP IS ACTIVATED WHEN

$\tau_r = \tau_{critical}$, OTHERWISE $\tau_r < \tau_c$

KINEMATICS : THE RESULTANT PLASTIC SHEAR

IN THE SYSTEM IS $d\gamma^{(s)} = d\epsilon'_{12}$

AND WHEN EXPRESSED IN CRYSTAL AXES GIVES A PLASTIC STRAIN INCREMENT :

$$d\epsilon_{ij} = \frac{(n_i b_j + n_j b_i)}{2} d\gamma^{(s)} = m_{ij} d\gamma^{(s)}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \frac{\Delta V}{V} = E_{11} + E_{22} + E_{33} = 0$$

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$$dW = \sigma_{ij} d\epsilon_{ij} = \sigma_k d\epsilon_k$$

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$$\bar{\sigma} = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}} \sigma'_{33}, \frac{\sigma_{22} - \sigma_{11}}{\sqrt{2}}, \sqrt{2} \sigma_{32}, \sqrt{2} \sigma_{13}, \sqrt{2} \sigma_{12} \right)$$

$$\sigma'_{33} = \left(\frac{\sigma_{33} - \sigma_{11}}{2} + \frac{\sigma_{33} - \sigma_{22}}{2} \right) \cdot \frac{1}{3}$$

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$$\sigma_c^{(s)} = n_i b_j^{(s)} \sigma_{ij} = m_k^{(s)} \sigma_k \quad (*) \quad (k=1,5)$$

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$$d\epsilon_k = m_j^{(s)} d\sigma_j^{(s)} = \bar{m}_k^{(s)} d\sigma^{(s)} \quad (**) \quad (k=1,5)$$

$$\text{WHERE } \bar{m}_k = \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} n_3 b_3, \frac{n_2 b_2 - n_1 b_1}{\sqrt{2}}, \frac{n_2 b_3 + n_3 b_2}{\sqrt{2}}, \dots, \dots \right)$$

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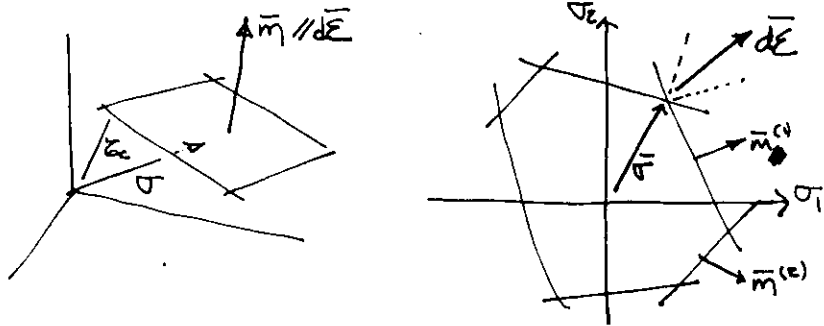
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THE SINGLE CRYSTAL YIELD SURFACE (SCYS).

THE CONDITION OF ACTIVATION (EQ. (*)) IS THE EQUATION OF A PLANE IN 5-DIMENSIONAL STRESS-STRAIN SPACE, AT A DISTANCE $\bar{\sigma}_c$ FROM THE ORIGIN. EQ. (**) IMPLIES THAT THE RESULTANT STRAIN VECTOR IS PERPENDICULAR TO THAT PLANE.



- EACH SLIP SYSTEM DEFINES A PLANE
- THE CONDITION $\bar{\sigma}_T^{(s)} \leq \bar{\sigma}_c^{(s)}$ REQUIRES THAT THE STRESS ~~THAT~~ HAS TO REMAIN BOUNDED BY THE INNER ENVELOPE DEFINED BY THOSE PLANES
- THE INNER ENVELOPE IS THE SCYS.
- THE CONDITION OF 5 SYSTEMS BEING SIMULTANEOUSLY ACTIVE REQUIRES BEING AT THE INTERSECTION OF 5 PLANES: A VERTEX.
- THE ACTIVE VERTEX CONTAINS $\bar{dE}$ WITHIN ITS CONE OF NORMAL OR, EQUIVALENTLY, IS THE ONE THAT MAXIMIZES THE PLASTIC WORK: $\bar{\sigma} \cdot \bar{dE} = \text{maximum!}$

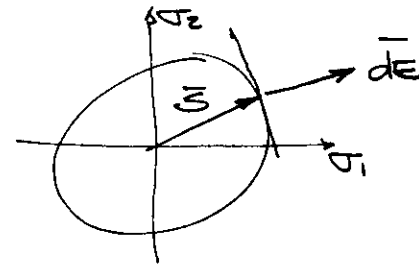
SINCE STRESS AND STRAIN IN THE POLYCRYSTAL ARE GIVEN AS AN AVERAGE OVER ALL GRAINS

$$S_K = \sum_{\text{grains}} \sigma_K^{gr} \cdot W^{gr}$$

$$dE_K = \sum_{\text{grains}} dE_K^{gr} \cdot W^{gr}$$

THE PCYS, DEFINED AS THE LOCUS OF POINTS STRESS SPACE WHICH LEAD TO PLASTIC FLOW IN THE POLYCRYSTAL, HAS SIMILAR PROPERTIES.

THE NORMALITY RULE STATES THAT THE RESULTANT STRAIN $\bar{dE}$ IS NORMAL TO THE PCY. AT THAT POINT, SO PROVIDING A UNIVOCAL



RELATION BETWEEN STRESS AND STRAIN

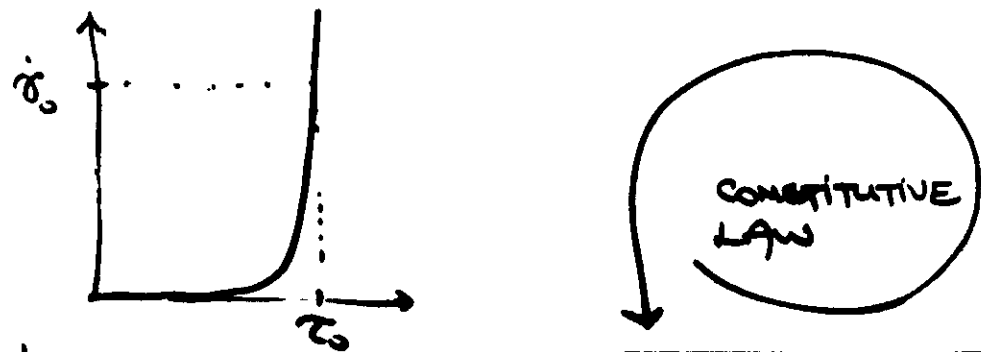
DISADVANTAGE OF THE BISHOP-HILL APPROACH:

THE VERTICES OF THE SCYS HAVE TO BE KNOWN IN ADVANCE. THEY HAVE TO BE RECALCULATED WHEN THE CRITICAL STRESSES VARY AND ALSO IF DIFFERENT SLIP OR TWINNING SYSTEMS ARE CONSIDERED TO BE ACTIVE.

A RATE SENSITIVE VISCO-PLASTIC SINGLE CRYSTAL CONSTITUTIVE EQ.

$$\frac{\dot{\gamma}^s}{\dot{\gamma}_0^s} = \left[\frac{\tau^s}{\tau_0^s} \right]^{1/m} = \left[\frac{m_{ij} S_{ij}}{\tau_0^s} \right]^{1/m}$$

where $m \ll 1$: rate sensitivity



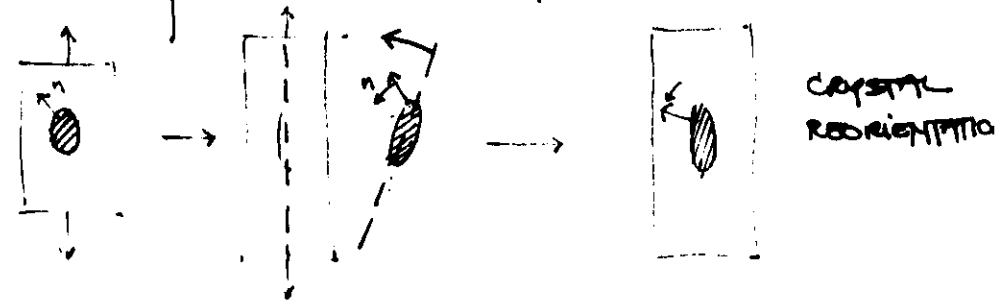
$$\dot{\epsilon}_{ij} = \sum_s m_{ij}^s \dot{\gamma}^s = \sum_s m_{ij}^s \left[\frac{m_{ij}^s S_{ij}}{\tau_0^s} \right]^{1/m}$$

Given $\dot{\epsilon}_{ij}$ solve for S_{ij} and use it to calculate $\dot{\gamma}^s$ without ambiguity.

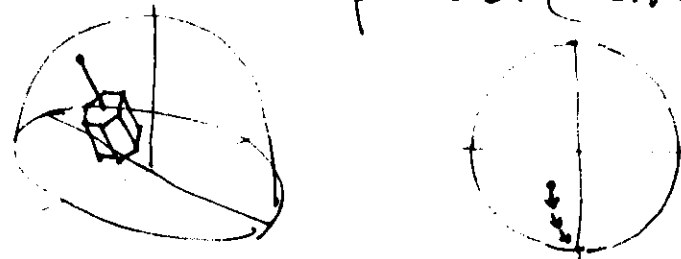
REORIENTATION BY SLIP - TEXTURE

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The case of the tensile test:



POLE FIGURE : orientations of a family of planes. (i.e.) basal poles).

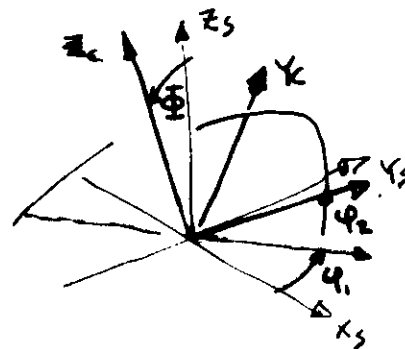


ORIENTATION DISTRIBUTION FUNCTION.

Density of grains whose crystal axes are within a certain interval in orientation space.

$\varphi_1, \phi, \varphi_2$: Euler angles

$g(\varphi_1, \phi, \varphi_2) \rightarrow$ O.D.F.

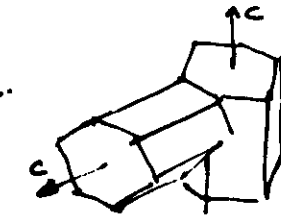


REORIENTATION BY TWINNING

CHARACTERISTICS OF TWINNING

- 1) Discrete "non-continuous" reorientation.
- 2) Unidirectional !!!
- 3) Microscopic, macroscopic uncertain.
- 4) Stress activated but, not necessarily by a critical shear; normal stress?
- 5) Associated volume fraction.

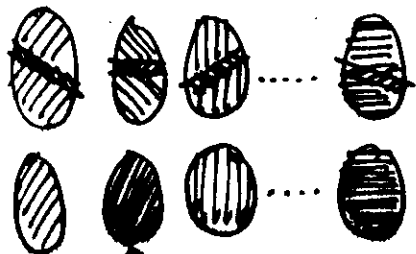
$$\Delta f = \frac{\Delta \gamma_{tw}}{S}$$



- 6) Stress relaxation effects → residual stress evidence.
- 7) Common in hexagonals and lower symmetry crystals.

MODELIZATION OF TWINNING (CLASSICAL).

PROBLEM: Keep track of the twinned volume fraction



↳ whole grain is reoriented (random twinning)

POLYCRYSTAL DEFORMATION MODELS

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UP TO NOW WE KNOW HOW TO DEAL WITH THE DEFORMATION, STRESS AND REORIENTATION OF THE SINGLE CRYSTAL PROVIDED THAT WE KNOW THE STRAIN INCREMENT (AS A TENSOR) BY WHICH THE CRYSTAL DEFORMS.

THE VALUE OF THAT INCREMENT $d\bar{E}^f$ DEPENDS ON THE MODEL OF POLYCRYSTAL DEFORMATION BEING USED.

* TAYLOR-BISHOP-HILL: IMPOSE SAME STRAIN TO EVERY GRAIN: $d\bar{E}_k^f = dE_k$

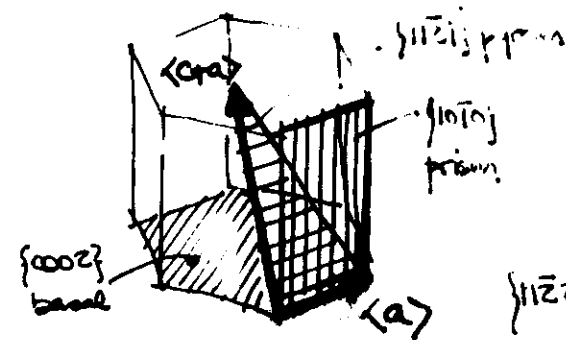
* RELAXED CONSTRAINTS: IMPOSE SOME OF THE STRAIN COMPONENTS EQUAL IN EVERY GRAIN - THE COMPLEMENTARY STRESS COMPONENTS ARE IMPOSED EQUAL TO ZERO

* SELF CONSISTENT: ALLOW FOR DIFFERENT STRESS AND STRAIN IN EACH GRAIN AND FULFILL BOUNDARY CONDITIONS IN AVERAGE.

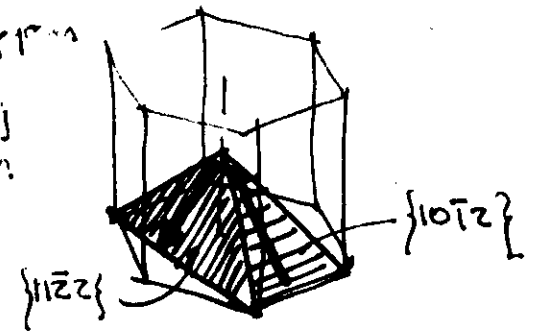
PLASTIC DEFORMATION OF HEXAGONAL CLOSE PACKED MATERIALS.

Deformation modes in Zirconium alloys

Slip modes



Twinning modes



- $\rightarrow \langle a \rangle$ prismatic
 $\langle a \rangle$ pyramidal
 $\langle c \rangle$ pyramidal
 $\langle a \rangle$ basal (not observed)
- $\rightarrow \{10\bar{1}2\}$ tensile twins
 $\{11\bar{2}2\}$ compressive twins

VOLUME FRACTION TRANSFER

- Cells in Euler space - Uniform density in each one.
- "Rigid" displacement of the cell because of reorientation.
- Transference of vol. fractions to neighboring cells with conservation of total mass.

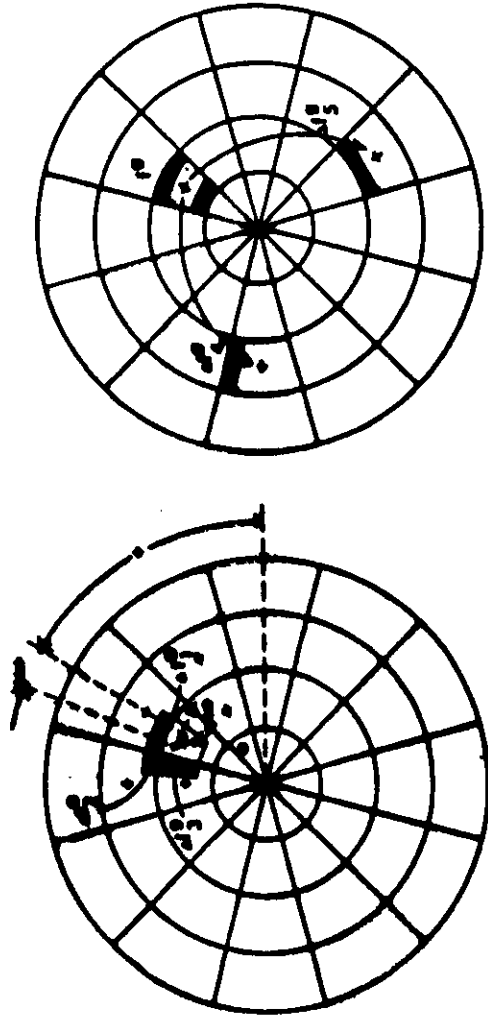


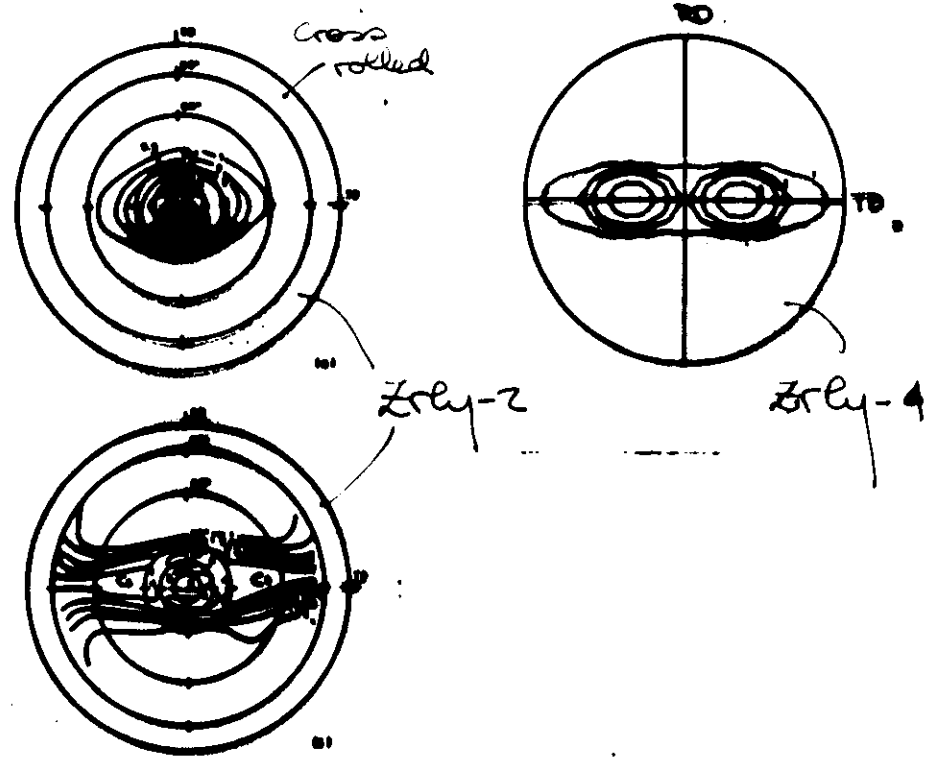
Figure 1: Schematic representation of volume fraction transfer due to (a) cell reorientation and (b) boundary contributions for the two dimensional Euler schemes describing the calculation of the local poles.

- Fixed orientations but varying volume fractions
- Accounts exactly for the twinned fraction.

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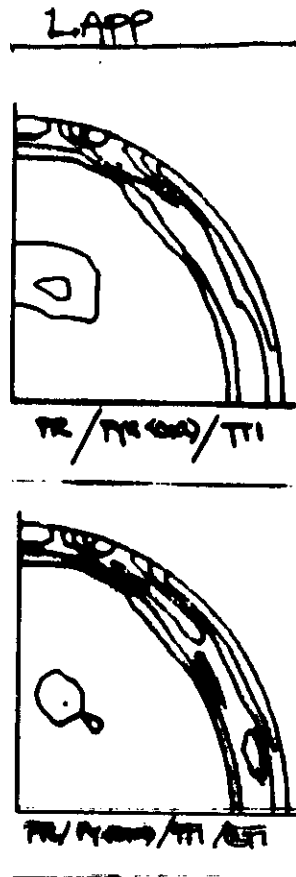
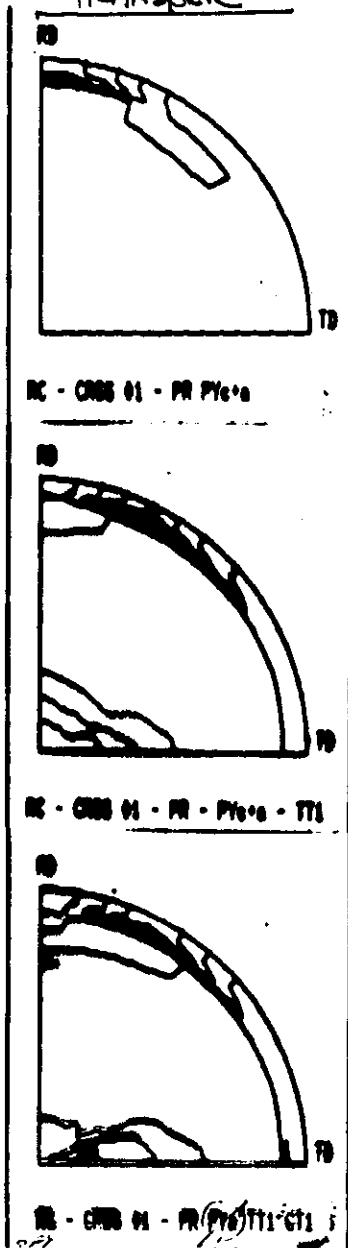
Fixed initial Zircaloy textures
Rolling - Basal poles (0002)

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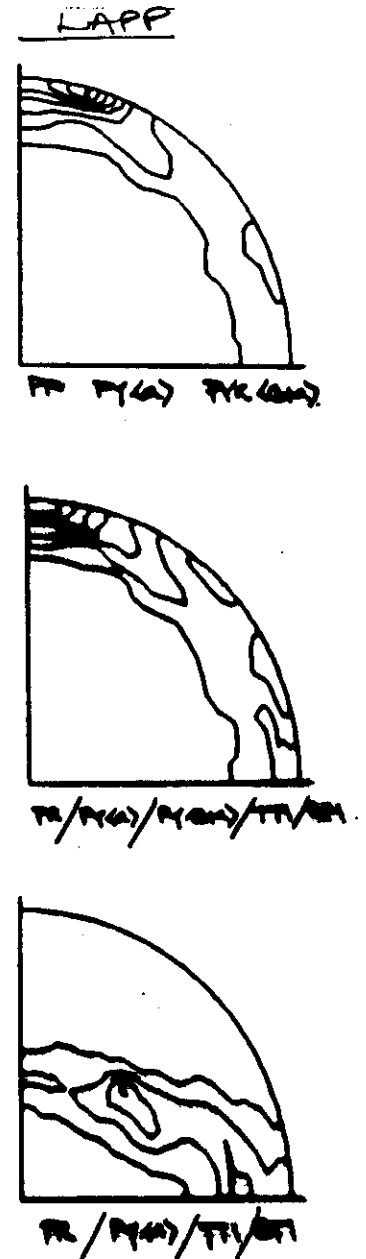
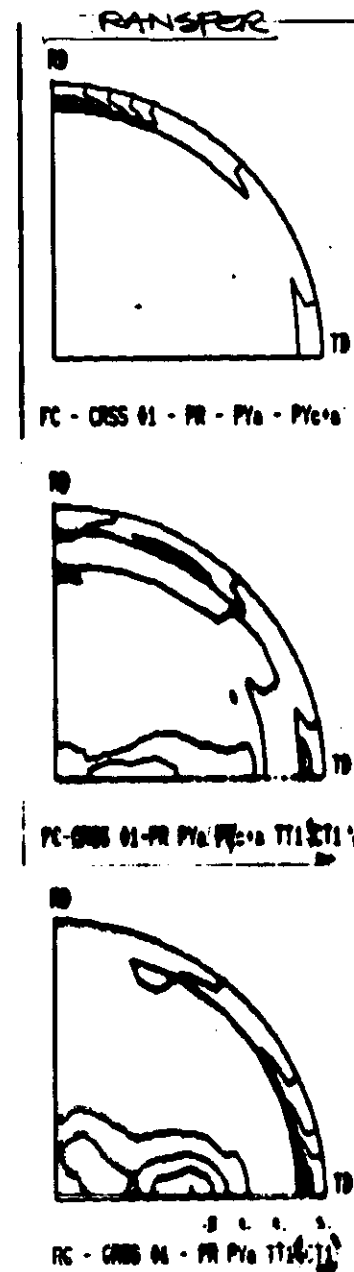


Basal poles (0002)

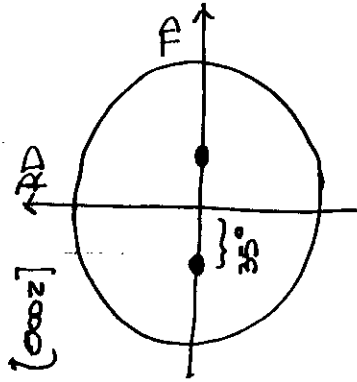
CALCULATED TEXTURE AFTER 50% ROLLING (C) EFFECT OF INCLUDING TWINNING TRANSFER



EFFECT OF PYRAMIDAL (C)

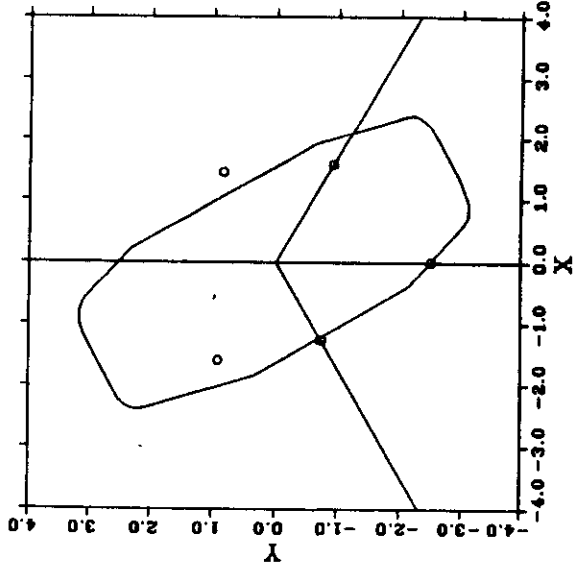


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2 grains



$$\begin{aligned}\sigma^R &= 0.50 \\ \sigma^{TW} &= 0.75 \\ \sigma^{CTW} &= 0.85 \\ \sigma^{PK} &= 1.00\end{aligned}$$

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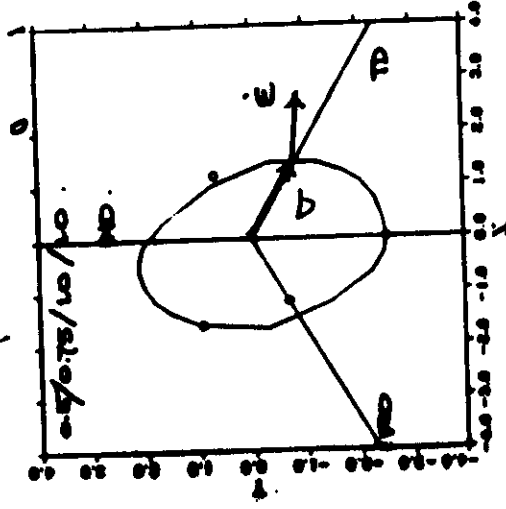
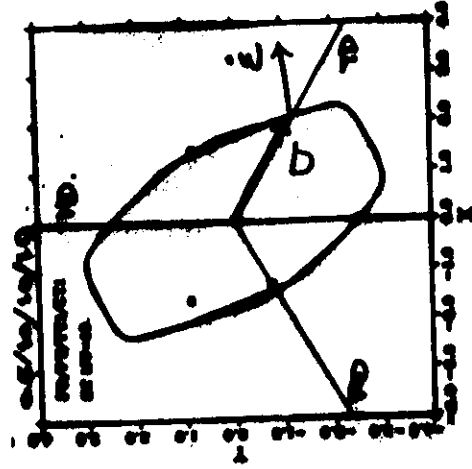
75%



YIELD LOCI OF ROLLED ZIRCALOY-4

(a) prism.
(a) pyramidal
tensile twins
compressive twins

(a) prism.
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tensile twins
compressive twins



negative Lamford
coefficient!!



$$R = \frac{\sigma_T}{\sigma_C}$$

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CONCLUSIONS

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- Hexagonal materials present a challenge as far as the prediction of texture development is concerned.
- The active deformation modes and their interaction (hardening) are not known in detail. Reliable deformation codes may provide information about them.
(i.e. our results indicate that some amount of pyramidal $\langle a \rangle$ may be present).
- Twining is an ubiquitous mechanism and has yet to be understood and modeled properly.
- Self-consistent models seem to be better suited for treating hexagonals. Nevertheless, they are not of much use unless the proper conditions are fulfilled.
- The "volume fraction transfer scheme" seems to be a more reasonable alternative for accounting for twinning reorientation.

