

Diffraction based imaging at the Materials Science Beamline

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ID11 Materials Science beamline : upgraded 2006



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e.g. In-situ levitated, laser heating system



TIME-RESOLVED STRUCTURAL STUDY OF THE GLASS TRANSITION IN GLASS FORMING LIQUIDS

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Near-field and far-field detectors







Grain mapping : data processing



2D layers
Schmidt *et-al*, Riso

DCT :

- Segmentation of spots
- "Index" discrete orientations
- Reconstruction of 3D volume

Topo-Tomography :

- Align on diffraction
- Inclined axis

2D layers

 Reconstruct as for computed laminography

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Three-dimensional full-field X-ray orientation microscopy

Nicola Viganò, Alexandre Tanguy, Simon Hallais, Alexandre Dimanov, Michel Bornert, Kees Joost Batenburg & Wolfgang Ludwig [™]

Scientific Reports 6, Article number: 20618 Figure 1: Comparison of EBSD surface mapping with the different reconstruction approaches for full-field X-ray orientation microscopy discussed in this work.

From: Three-dimensional full-field X-ray orientation microscopy



(a) EBSD

(b) Dilated DCT-3D

(c) DCT-6D

(d) DCT-6D + Cluster

DCT - 3D Orientation maps in crystals

EBS :

Better data for deformed materials

Figure 2: Comparison of the experimental images for an [2 2 2] reflection at θ = 6.21 degrees, η = 112 degrees, with a $\Delta \omega$ = 6.7 degrees (67 images), with the same forward-projected spot from the result of the reconstruction.



(a) Experimental spot image

(b) Theoretically fwd-projected image

Figure 3: Reconstruction of a grain cluster using the extended 6D approach.



 $(\mathbf{a}-\mathbf{c})$ same slice through the 3D reconstruction showing: (**a**) Intra-granular Misorientation, (**b**) Kernel Average Misorientation (**c**) inverse pole figure colour coding scheme revealing the presence of sub-grains and small angle boundaries from skeletonization of (**a**) (gray: $\geq 0.5^{\circ}$, black: $\geq 2^{\circ}$), (**d**) iso-surface of the orientation sub-space reconstructed for the clustered region. Red points indicate sub-grain orientations which had been successfully identified

Force Chains in Granular Matter



FIG. 2. (Color online) (a) An example of a force-chain network in a 2D layer of granular materials under isotropic compression. Here bidisperse photoelastic disks are used. (b) The portion of panel (a) indicated by the red rectangle, showing several force chains of different lengths using different colors. For example, chains of different lengths are displayed by painting each particle center using dots of different colors: black for length five, blue for length four, green for length three, and red for length two. The short line drawn on top of each particle. Particles with gray-dot centers do not belong to any force chain although satisfying $\sigma_1 \ge \langle \sigma_1 \rangle$ (see Sec. II for details).

Force-chain distributions in granular systems Phys. Rev. E **89**, 012203 (2014) Ling Zhang, Yujie Wang, and Jie Zhang



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Natural sand grains

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ORIGINAL PAPER

Can intergranular force transmission be identified in sand?

First results of spatially-resolved neutron and X-ray diffraction

Stephen A. Hall · Jonathan Wright · Thilo Pirling · Edward Andò · Darren J. Hughes · Gioacchino Viggiani

Promising results but the natural sand grains showed significant internal structures (twins and cracks). On loading the internal domains move with respect to each other.







Larger system – Collaboration with Steve Hall, Ryan Hurley, Jose Andrade



Strain tensors of the quartz grains versus applied load.

Quantitative mechanical force Information

Color represents strain tensors Mapped onto surface of grains

32 grains.

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3D EXPERIMENTAL GRANULAR MECHANICS



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EBS:

More accurate strains Smallest tomo pixel sizes



Nanofocus endstation



Design architecture – ID11 Nanoscope end-station П.



The measurement of stress and phase fraction distributions in pre and post-transition Zircaloy oxides using nano-beam synchrotron X-ray diffraction

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Fig. 9. SEM images of the samples studied, showing the development of undulations and isolated cracks and subsequently, bands of interlinked lateral cracking.

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6. Conclusions

Nano-focus transmission XRD has been used for the first time to study the distribution with oxide depth of stresses and tetragonal:monoclinic phase fractions in Zircaloy oxides, without the need for complex deconvolution methods. In contrast to methods such as polychromatic energy-dispersive XRD, or grazing incidence XRD, which provide averages of the stresses and phase fractions that are strongly weighted toward the surface values, the use of a nanofocussed beam has enabled the stress and phase fraction distributions with depth and time to be measured directly with nano-scale resolution. It has therefore been possible to discern non-monotonic changes in the in-plane and through-plane stress distributions and tetragonal:monoclinic weight phase ratios. It has also been possible to relate these physical changes in the oxide to the oxidetion rate, in



Tomography has no phase problem...

Fig. 3.6: The Fourier Slice Theorem relates the Fourier transform of a projection to the Fourier transform of the object along a radial line. (From [Pan83].) The Fourier transform of a parallel projection of an image f(x, y) taken at angle θ gives a slice of the two-dimensional transform, F(u, v), subtending an angle θ with the *u*-axis. In other words, the Fourier transform of $P_{\theta}(t)$ gives the values of F(u, v) along line BB in Fig. 3.6.





Diffraction based imaging





XRD-CT

Powders, Nanoparticles, PDF's



Probing the structure of heterogeneous diluted materials by diffraction tomography

Pierre Bleuet, Eléonore Welcomme, Eric Dooryhée, Jean Susini, Jean-Louis Hodeau & Philippe Walter Nature Materials 7, 468 - 472 (2008) Published online: 20 April 2008 doi:10.1038/nmat2168



XRD-CT for materials chemistry on working catalysts

Dynamic X-ray diffraction computed tomography reveals real-time insight into catalyst active phase evolution, S.D.M. Jacques (a,b), M. di Michiel (c), A.M. Beale (a), T. Sochi (b), M.G. O'Brien (a), L. Espinosa-Alonso (a), B.M. Weckhuysen (a) and P. Barnes (b), <u>Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. 50, 10148</u> (2011);

Active phase evolution in single Ni/Al_2O_3 methanation catalyst bodies studied in real time using combined μ -XRD-CT and μ -absorption-CT, M.G. O'Brien (a), S.D.M. Jacques (a,b), M. di Michiel (c), P. Barnes (b), B.M. Weckhuysen (a) and A.M. Beale (a) *Chem. Sci.* (2011); DOI: 10.1039/C1SC00637A.







Diffraction tomography: Impurities in UMo (data from ID22)

Data reduction is well established for powder rings

"Spotty" diffraction patterns are more challenging to reconstruct.

Indexing of single grains has been achieved, showing orientation relations of phases

Impurity precipitation in atomized particles evidenced by high resolution diffraction tomography

Anne Bonnin, Jonathan Wright, Rémi Tucoulou, and Hervé Palancher *APPLIED PHYSICS LETTERS* 104, 121910 (2014)



Index individual spots and reconstruct grain shapes



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Trace impurity phase mapped out





1 wt% impurity phase Clear orientation relationship between U(C,O) and UMo Multiple U(C,O) domains in single UMo grain Mainly found in larger UMo grains

Impurity precipitation in atomized particles evidenced by high resolution diffraction tomography Anne Bonnin, Jonathan Wright, Rémi Tucoulou, and Hervé Palancher, APPLIED PHYSICS LETTERS 104, 121910 (2014) Page 24



Similar grain in DCT experiment at ID11

Color proportional to number of peaks (position in file)



ID11 near-field data Processed for grain centre of mass

LARGE beamsize

ESRF Upgrade Phase II : new machine



Figure 2.06: Spectral photon flux density (log scale) at 30 m from the source for a 4 m-long CPMU18 (gap 6 mm, K=1.68) for the present and new lattices.

~40X more photons at ID11 after CRL optics

Cleaner spectrum (no need for monochromator?)



LaB6 in broader bandpass X-ray beam



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Thankyou for listening



Line focus X-ray beam example...







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SHAPE-MEMORY ALLOYS

Grain-resolved analysis of localized deformation in nickel-titanium wire under tensile load

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The stress-induced martensitic transformation in tensioned nickel-titanium shapememory alloys proceeds by propagation of macroscopic fronts of localized deformation. We used three-dimensional synchrotron x-ray diffraction to image at micrometer-scale resolution the grain-resolved elastic strains and stresses in austenite around one such front in a prestrained nickel-titanium wire. We found that the local stresses in austenite grains are modified ahead of the nose cone-shaped buried interface where the martensitic transformation begins. Elevated shear stresses at the cone interface explain why the martensitic transformation proceeds in a localized manner. We established the crossover from stresses in individual grains to a continuum macroscopic internal stress field in the wire and rationalized the experimentally observed internal stress field and the topology of the macroscopic front by means of finite element simulations of the localized deformation.



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NiTi Shape Memory Alloy



Comparison to EBSD

3D rendering of shear stress

