

# Suppression of Crack Initiation of Metallic Materials by Using a Cavitating Jet

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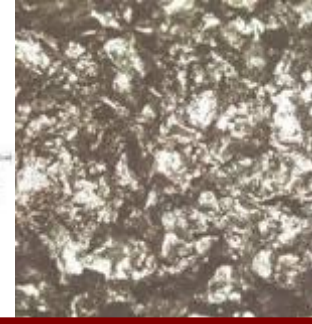
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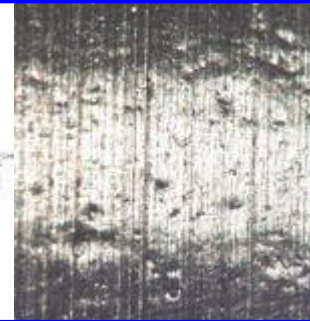
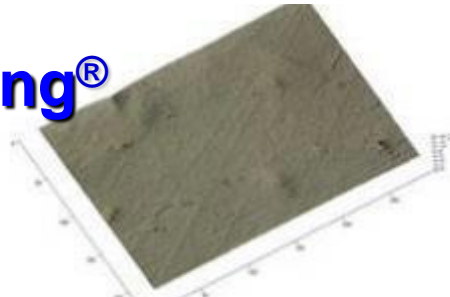
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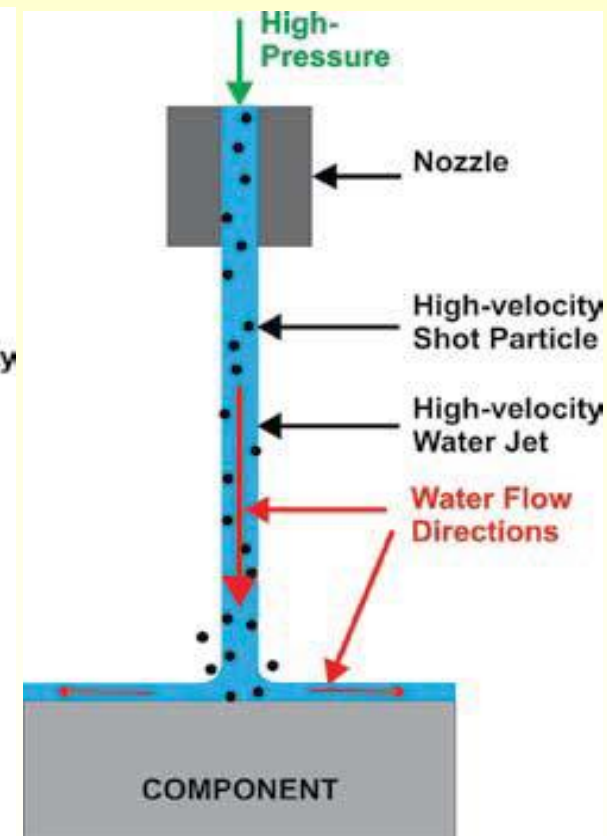
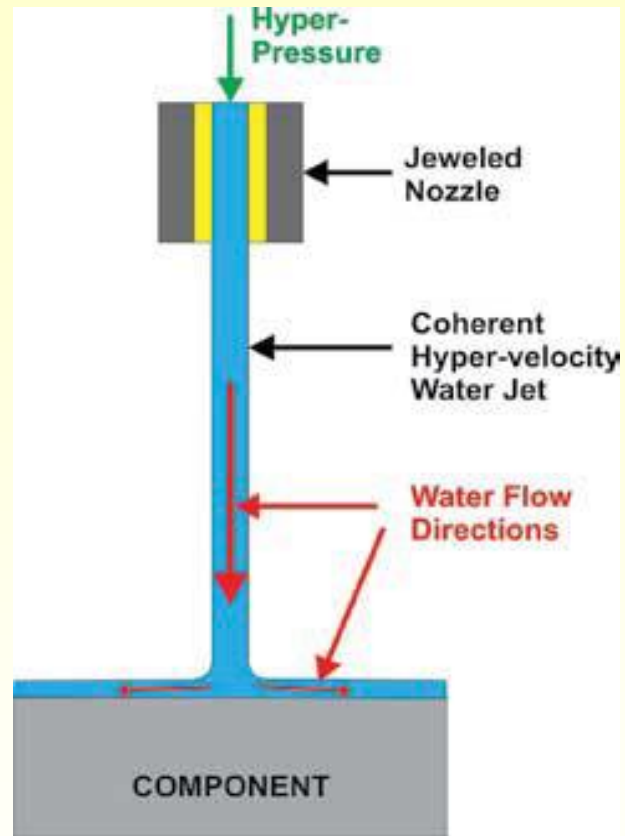
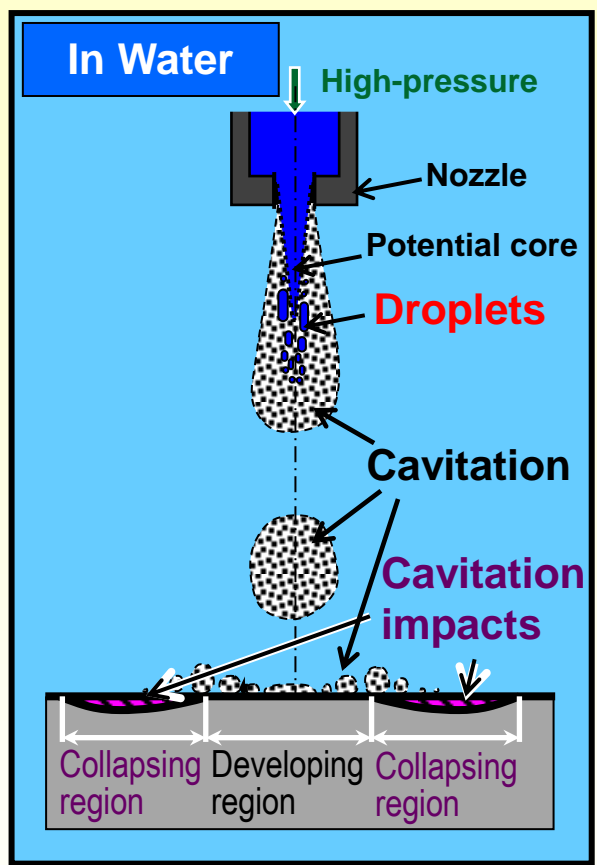
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# “Cavitation Peening” and “Water Jet Peening”

## Cavitation impacts

## Droplet and/or shot impacts



## Cavitation Peening (Cavitation Shotless Peening)

## Water Jet Peening

## Water Jet Shot Peening

## Schematic representation\*

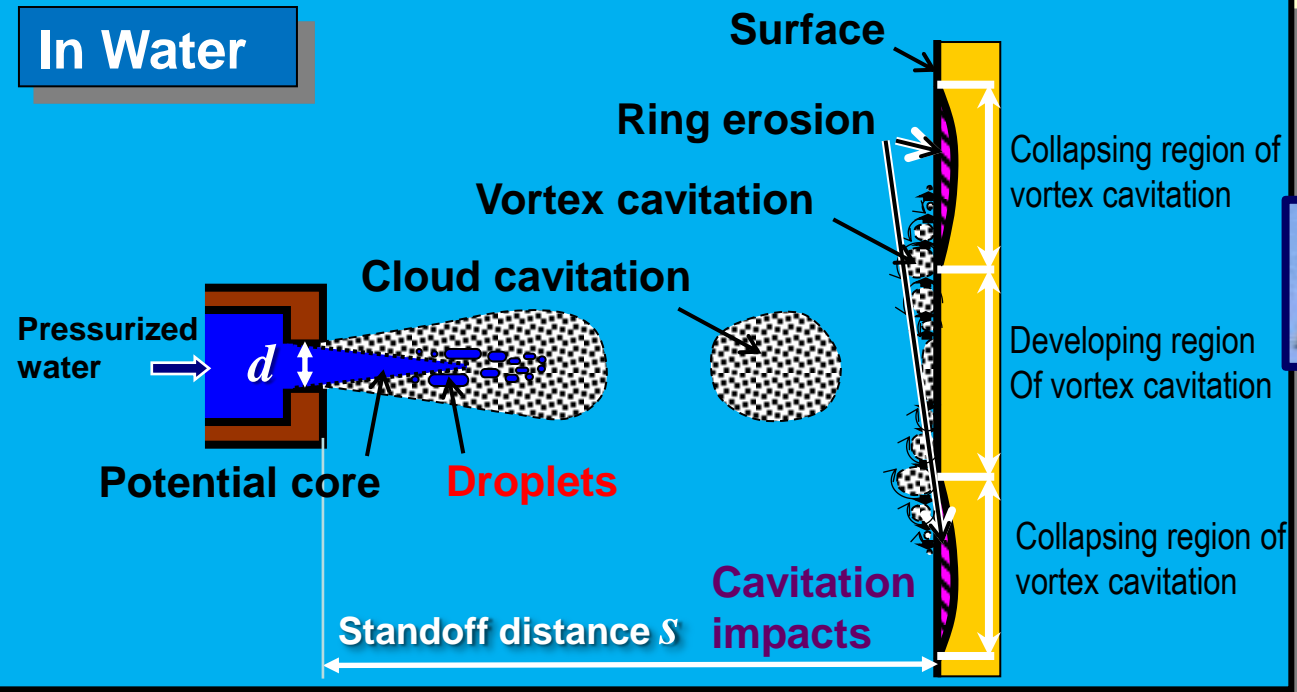
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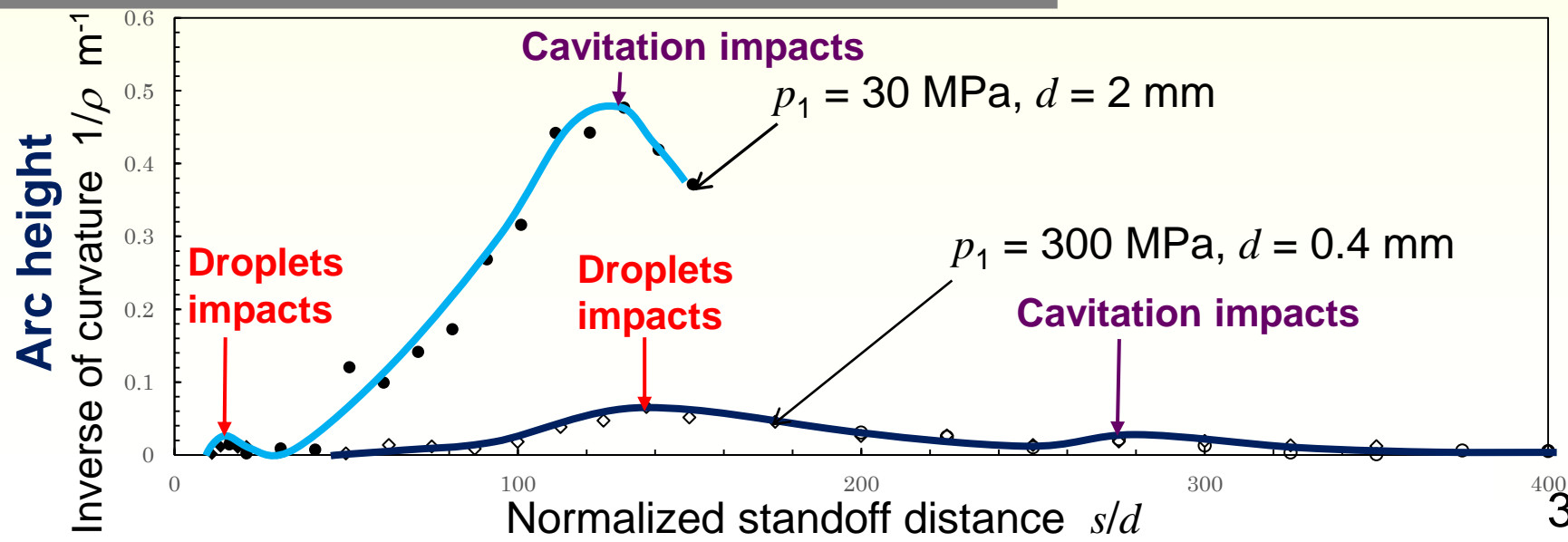
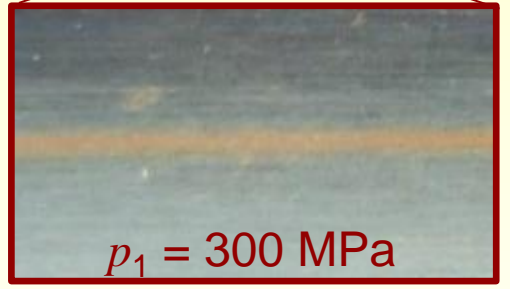
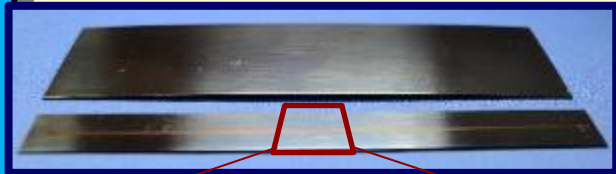


# “Cavitation Peening” and “Water Jet Peening”

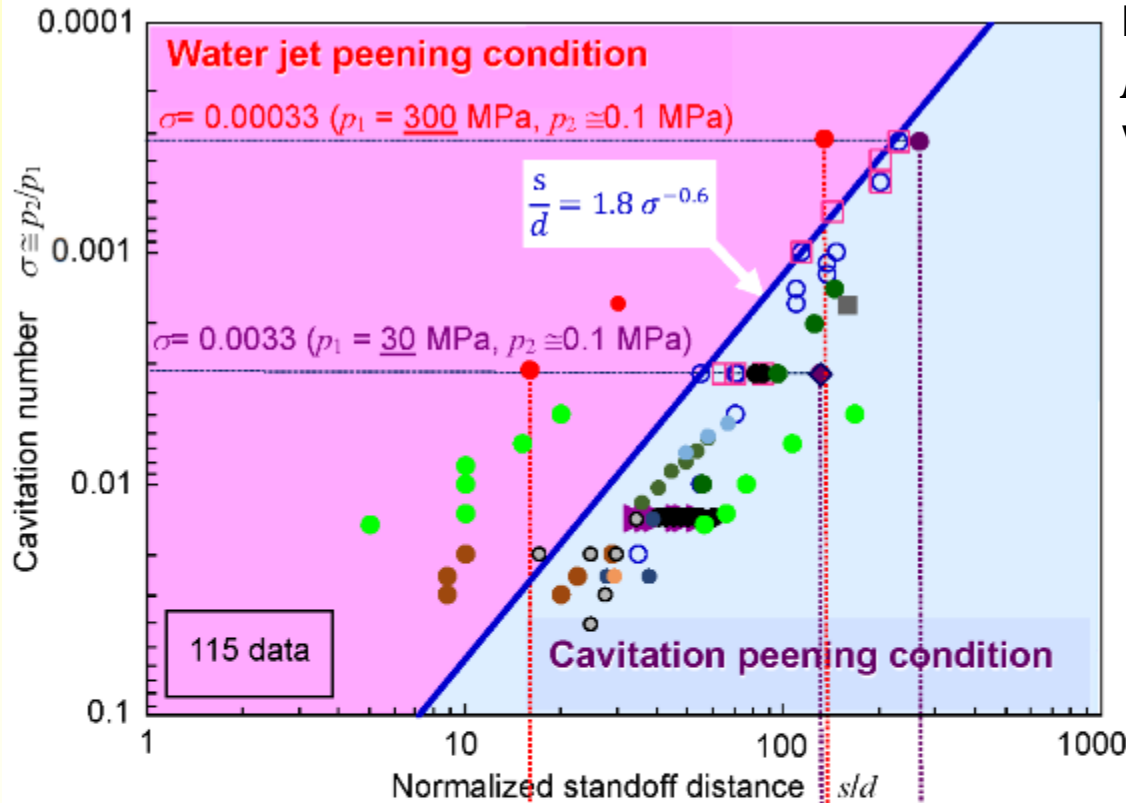
In Water



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*Mechanical Engineering Review*,  
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# “Cavitation Peening” and “Water Jet Peening”



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$$\frac{S_{opt}}{d} < 1.8 \sigma^{-0.6}$$

**Water Jet Peening**

$$\frac{S_{opt}}{d} \geq 1.8 \sigma^{-0.6}$$

**Cavitation Peening**

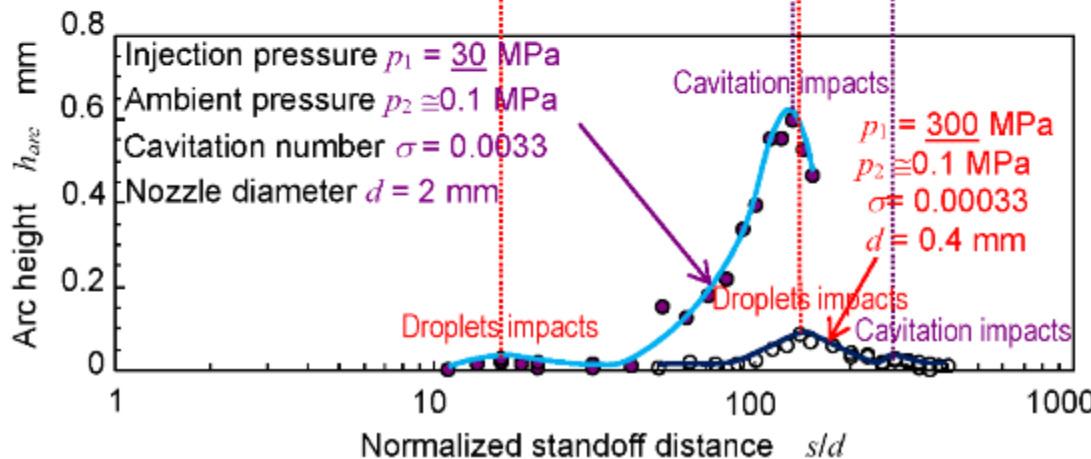
**Cavitation number :  $\sigma$**

$$\sigma = \frac{p_2 - p_v}{p_1 - p_2} \cong \frac{p_2}{p_1}$$

Injection pressure of the jet :  $p_1$

Down stream pressure of nozzle :  $p_2$

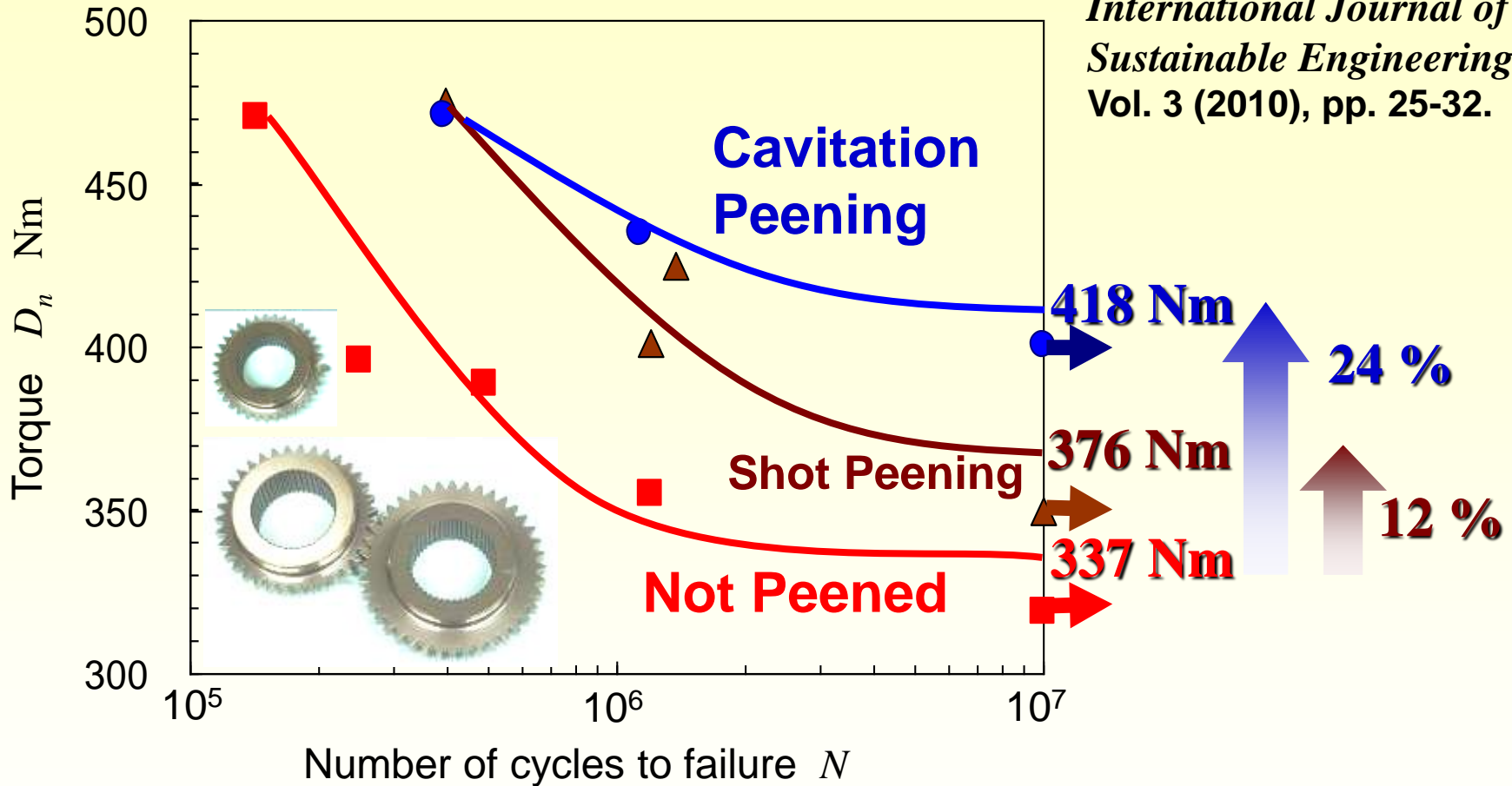
Vapor pressure :  $p_v$



# Improvement of Fatigue Strength of Gear

## Joint Project with HONDA

H.Soyama and Y.Sekine,  
*International Journal of Sustainable Engineering*,  
Vol. 3 (2010), pp. 25-32.

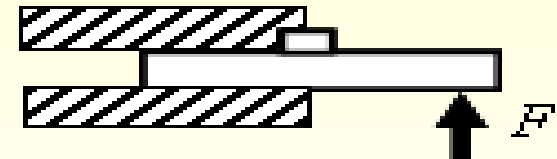
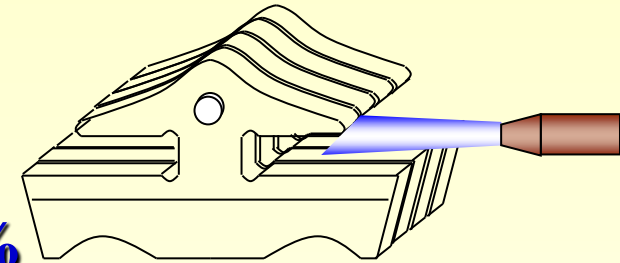
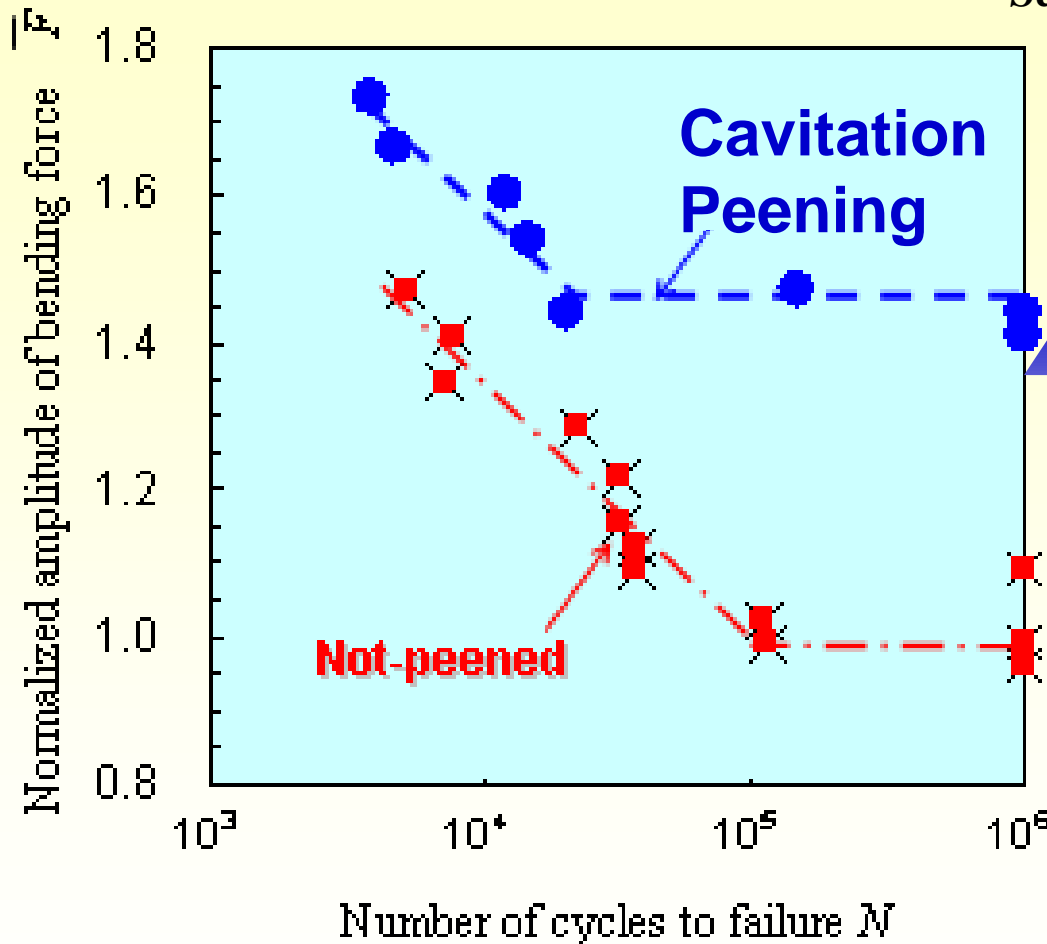


Improvement of fatigue strength of gear demonstrated using a power circulating type gear tester (Carburized SCM420H)

# Improvement of Fatigue Strength of CVT Elements

Joint Project with TOYOTA

H.Soyama et al., *Journal of Materials Science*, Vol. 43 (2008), pp. 5028-5030.

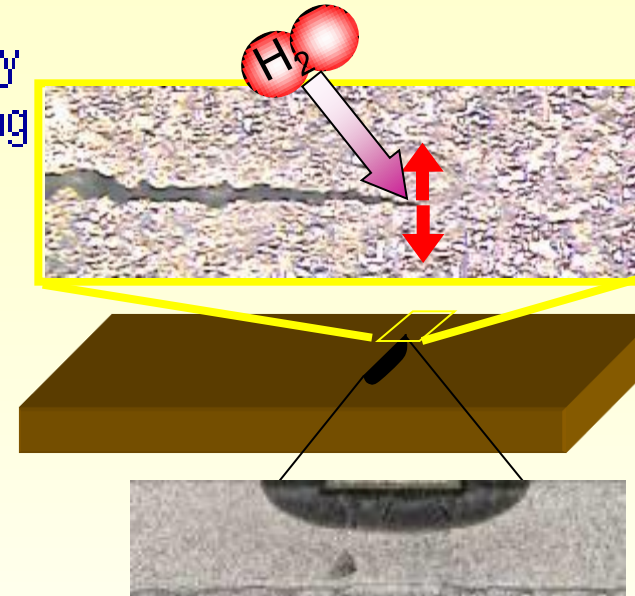
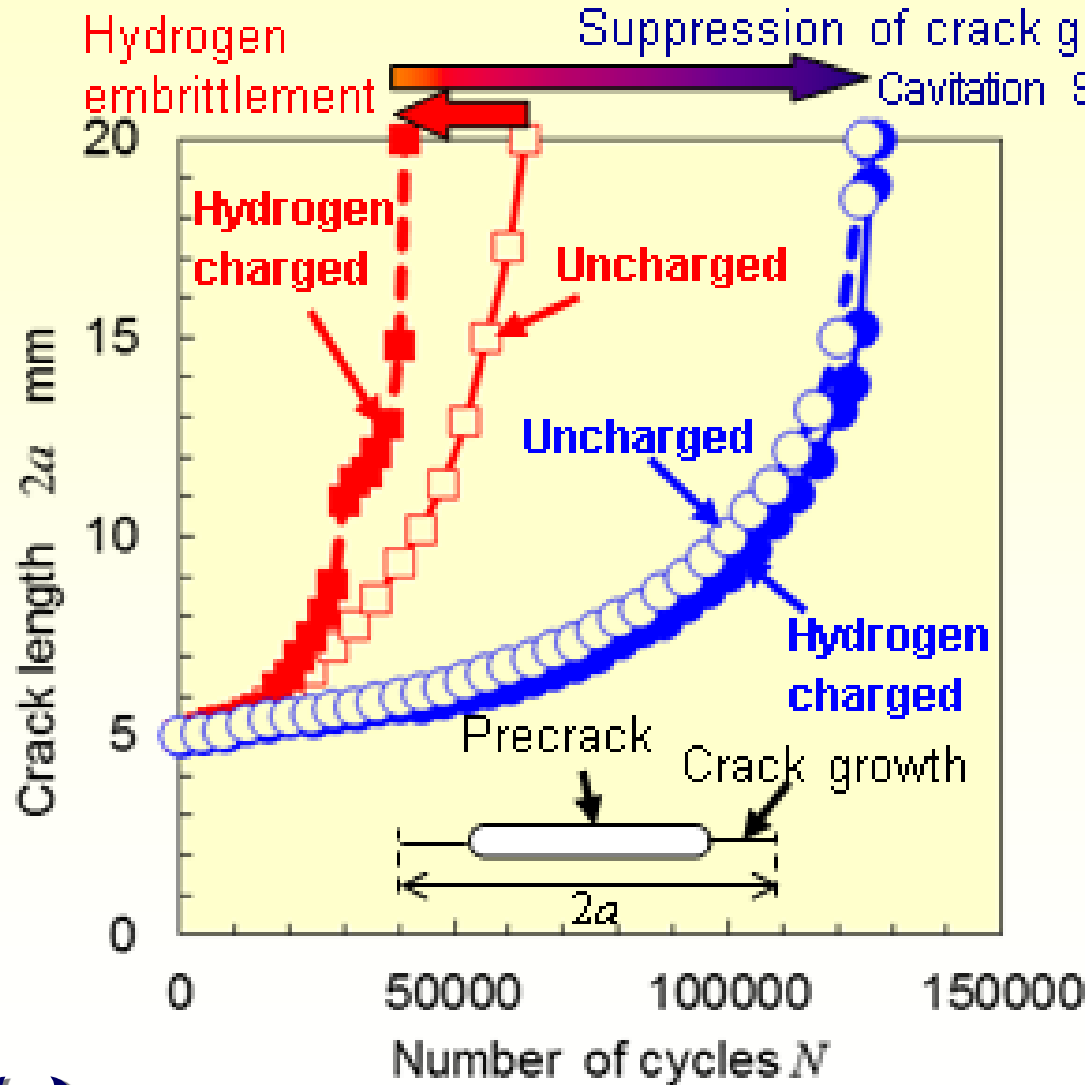


Improvement of fatigue strength of elements of steel belt for CVT



# Suppression of Hydrogen Embrittlement

O.Takakuwa and H.Soyama, *International Journal of Hydrogen Energy*, Vol. 37, No. 6, (2012), pp. 5268-5276.

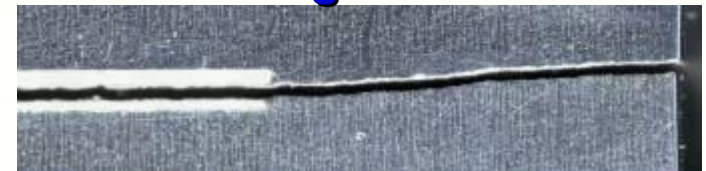


Unstable crack growth



Not treated

Stable crack growth



Cavitation Peening

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