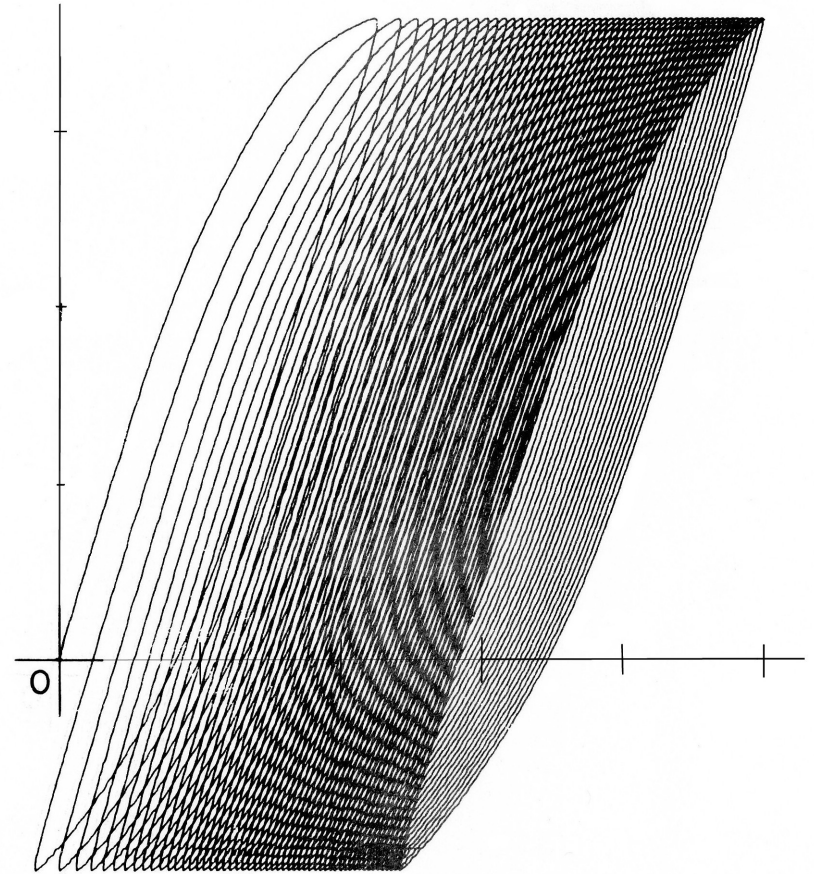
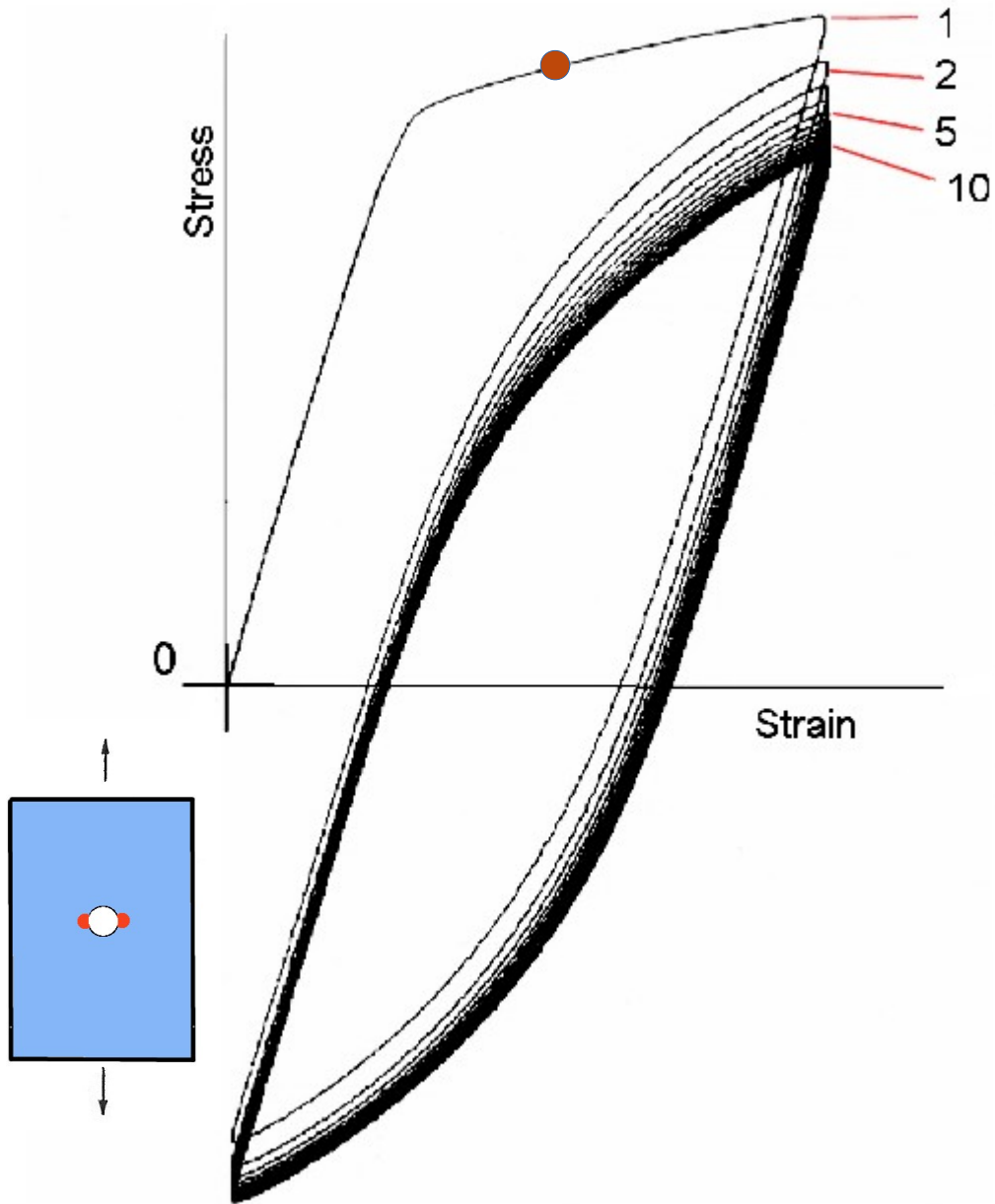
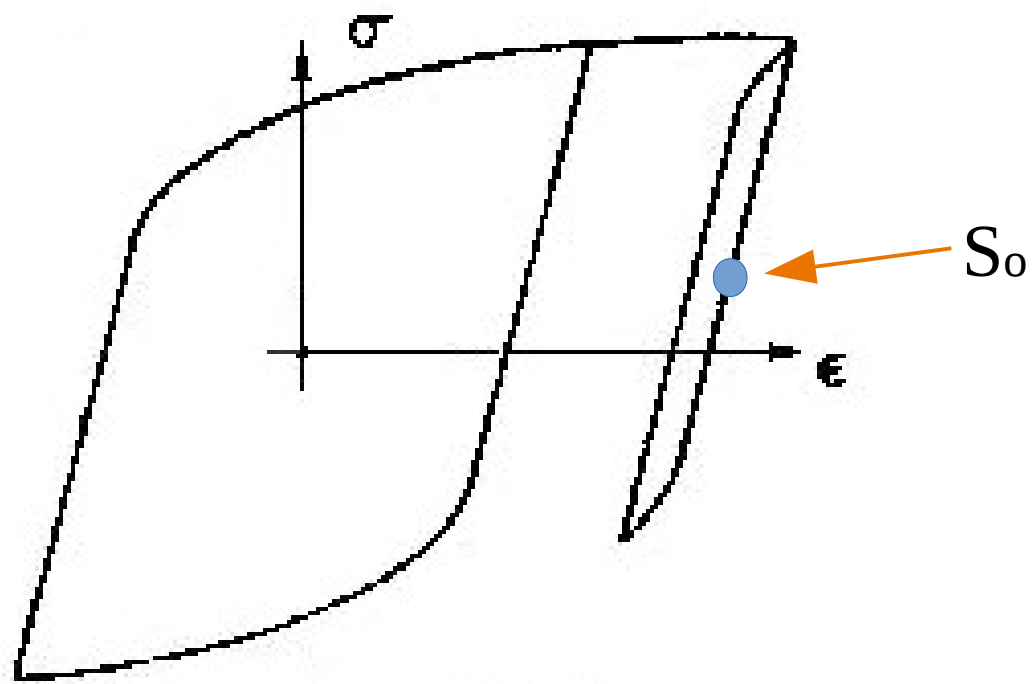
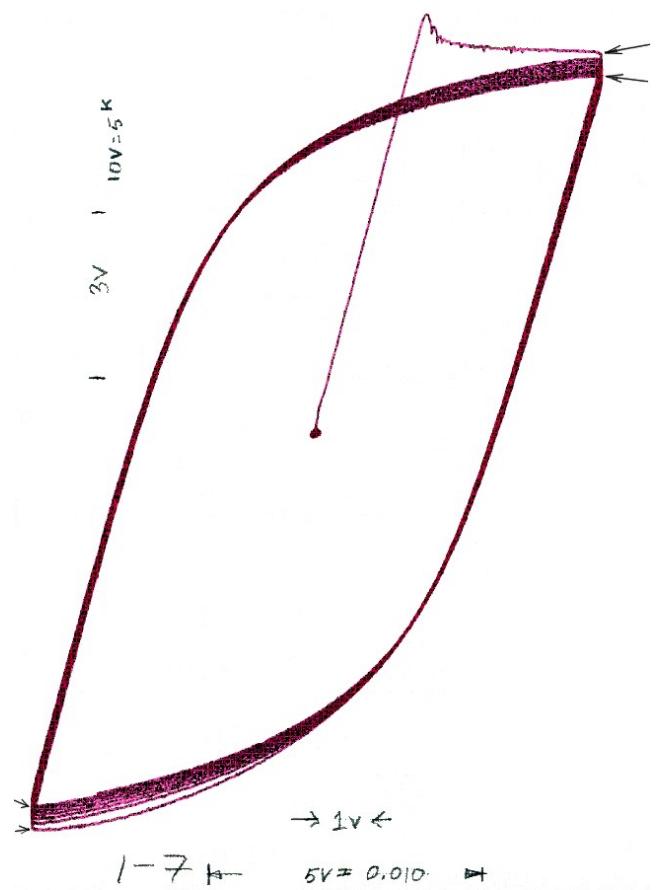
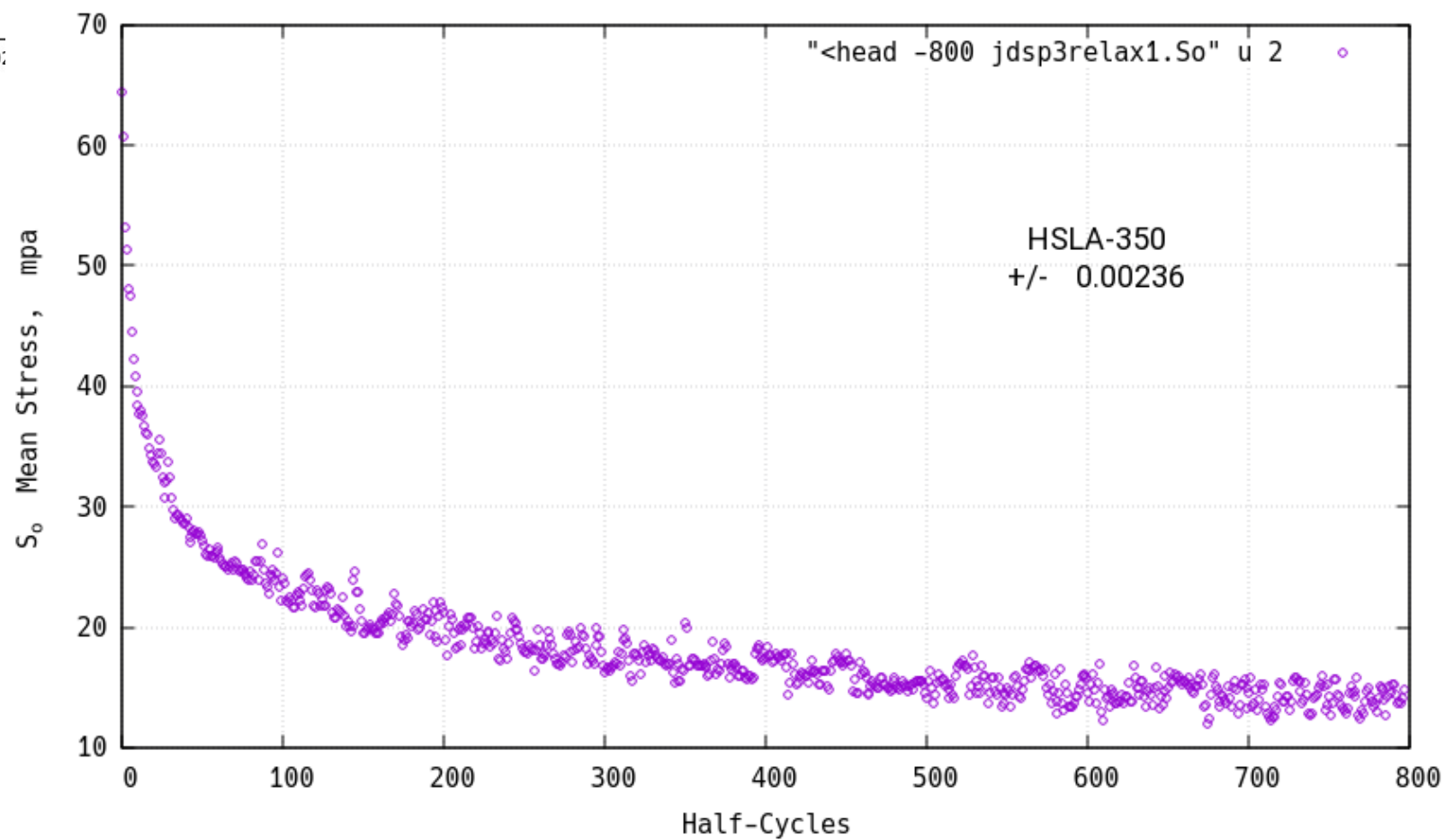
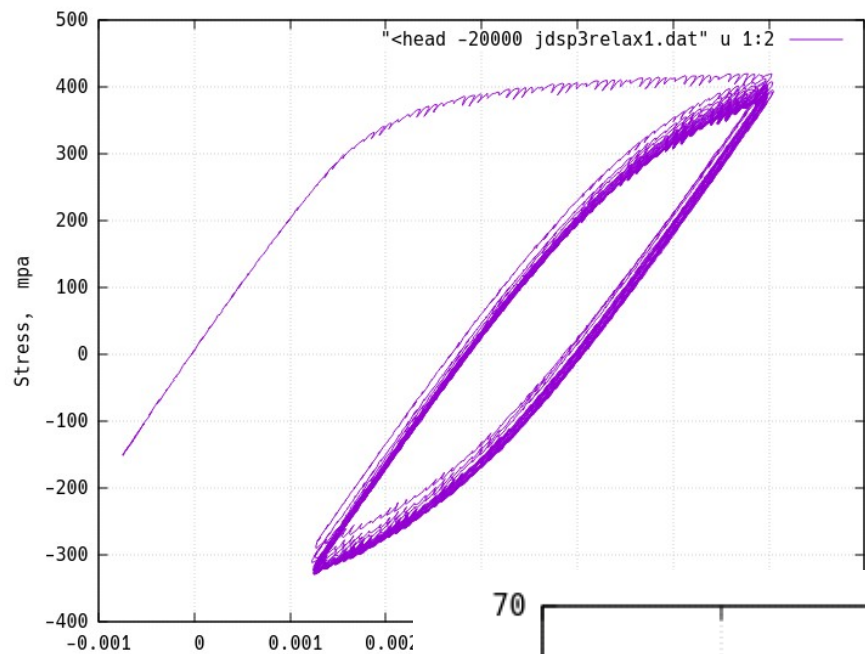


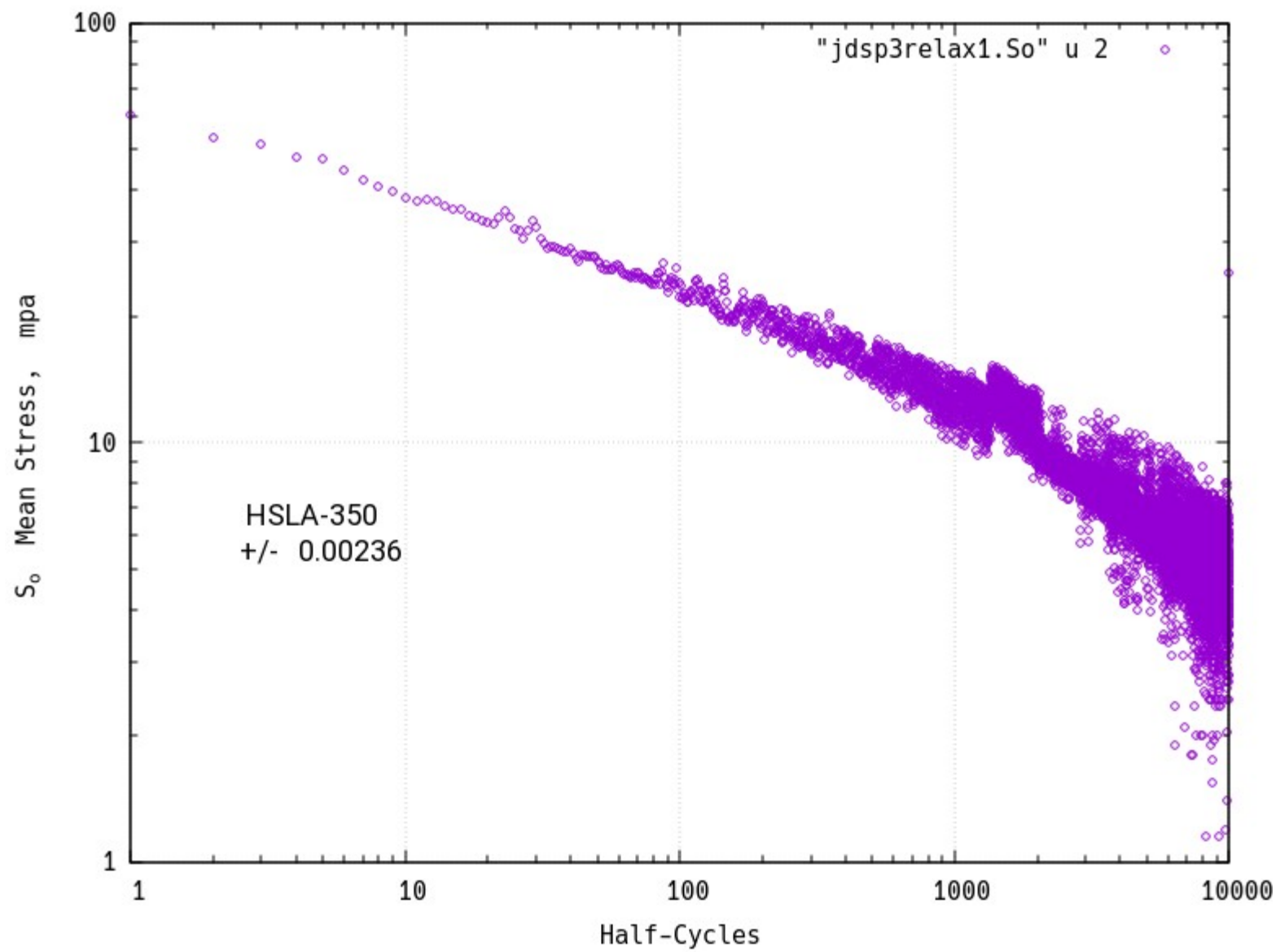
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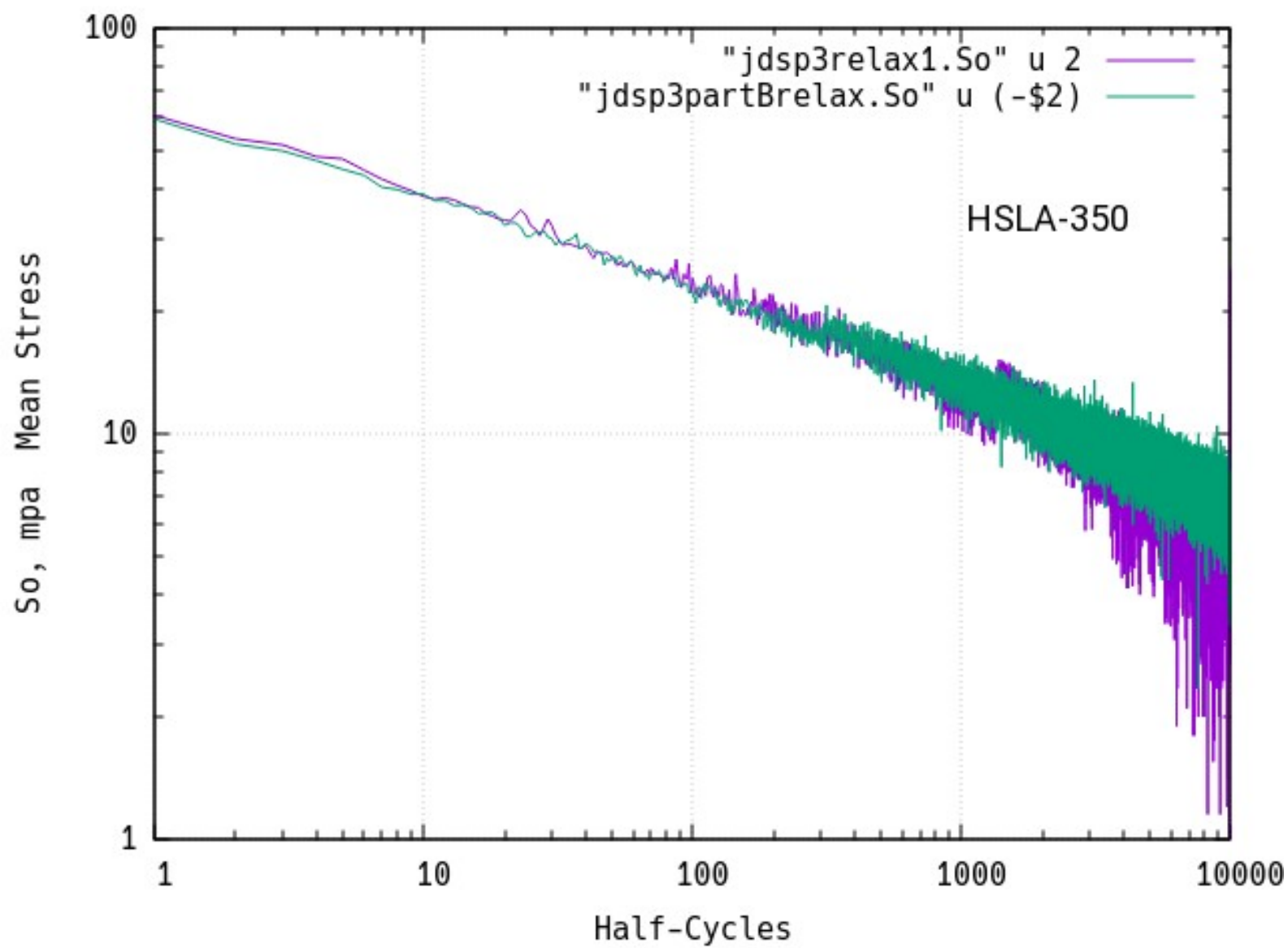


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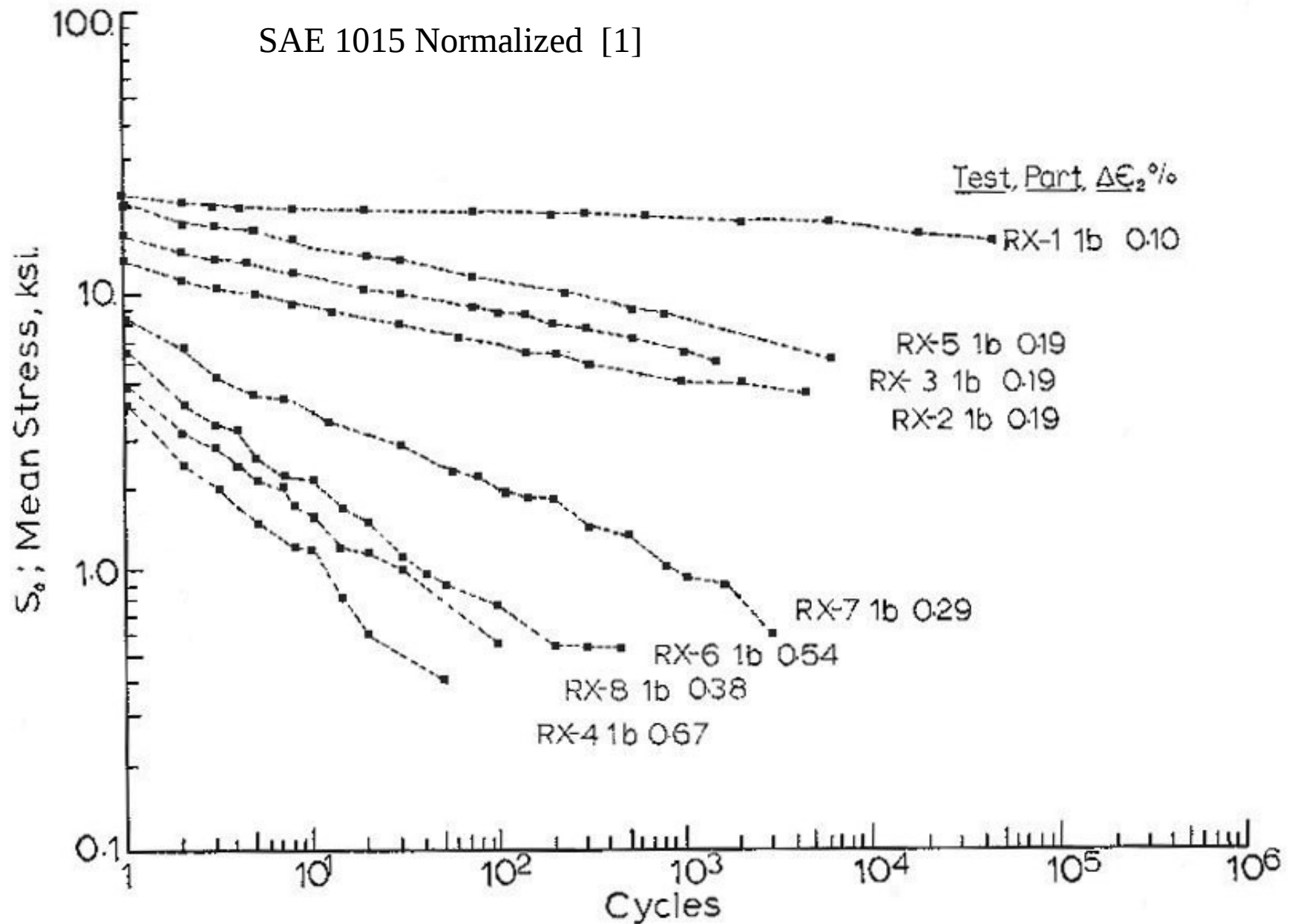








SAE 1015 Normalized [1]



Mean Stress vs. Cycles at Secondary Strain Range $\Delta\epsilon_2$ for Part 1b of all Tests. (First application of Cycles at $\Delta\epsilon_2$)

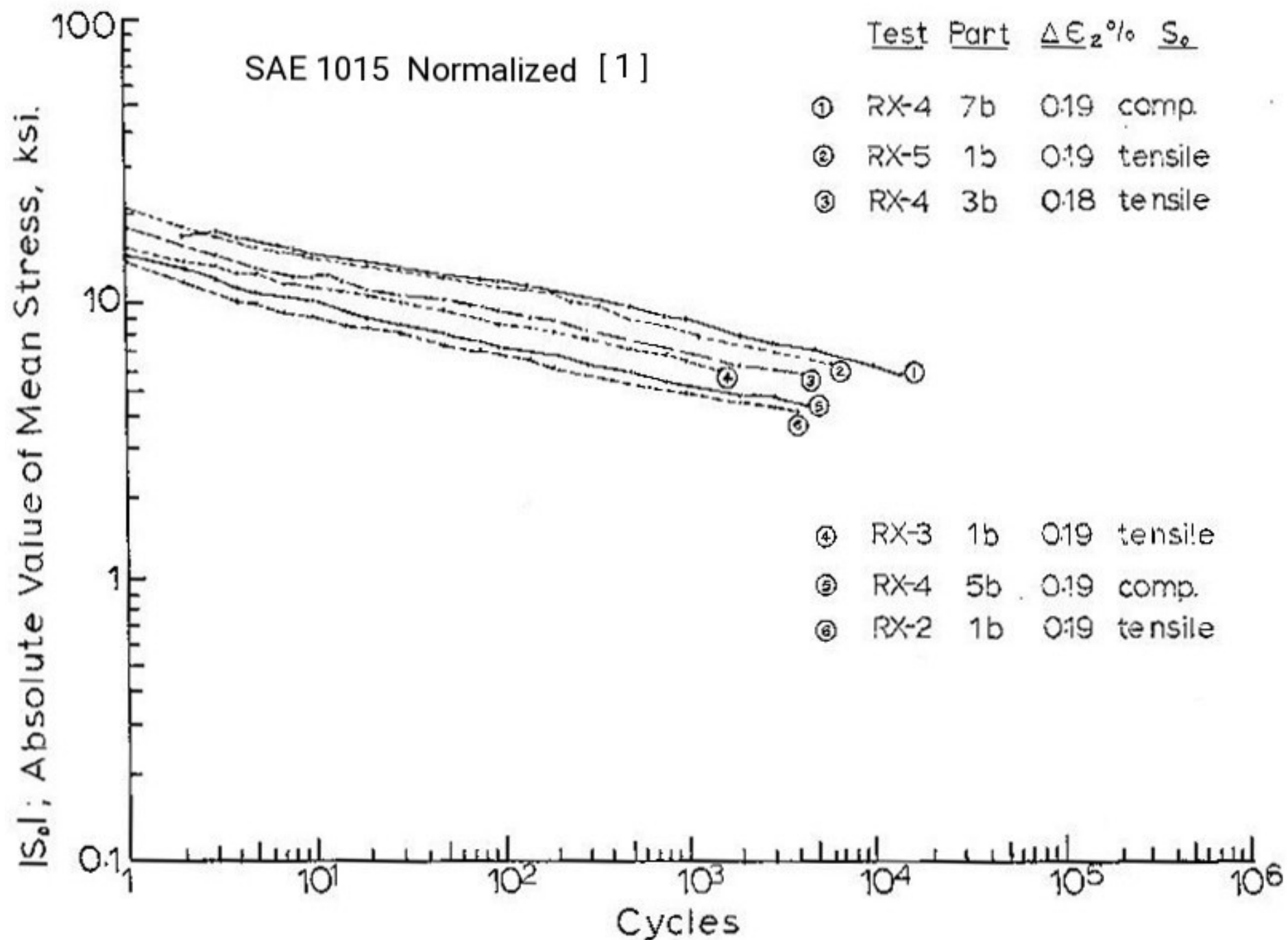


Fig.4 Absolute Value of Mean Stress vs. Cycles at Secondary Strain Range $\Delta\epsilon_z \approx 0.2\%$

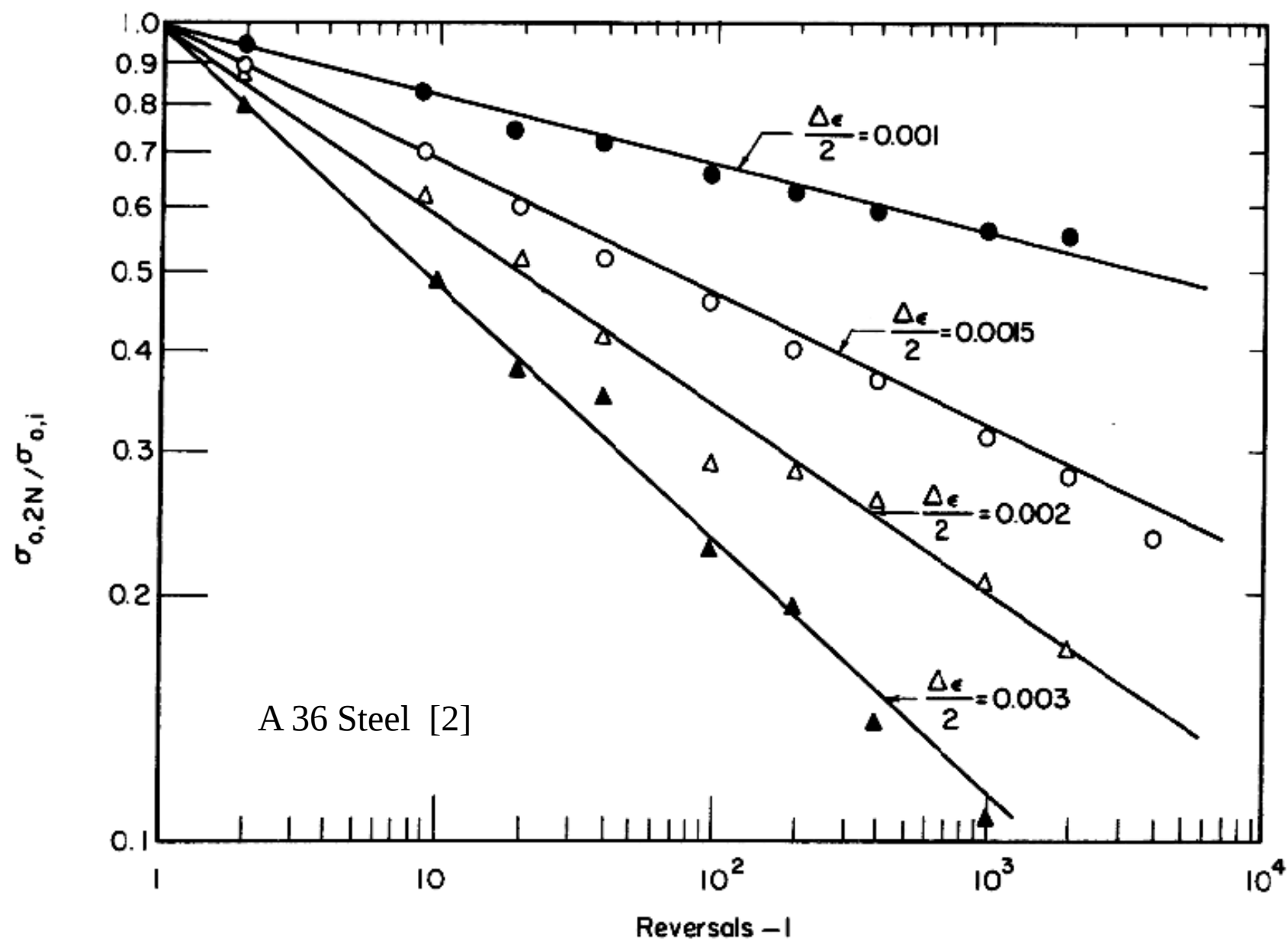


Fig. C-1 Cyclic Relaxation of the Mean Stress for A-36 Steel (Constant Mean Strain of +0.005)

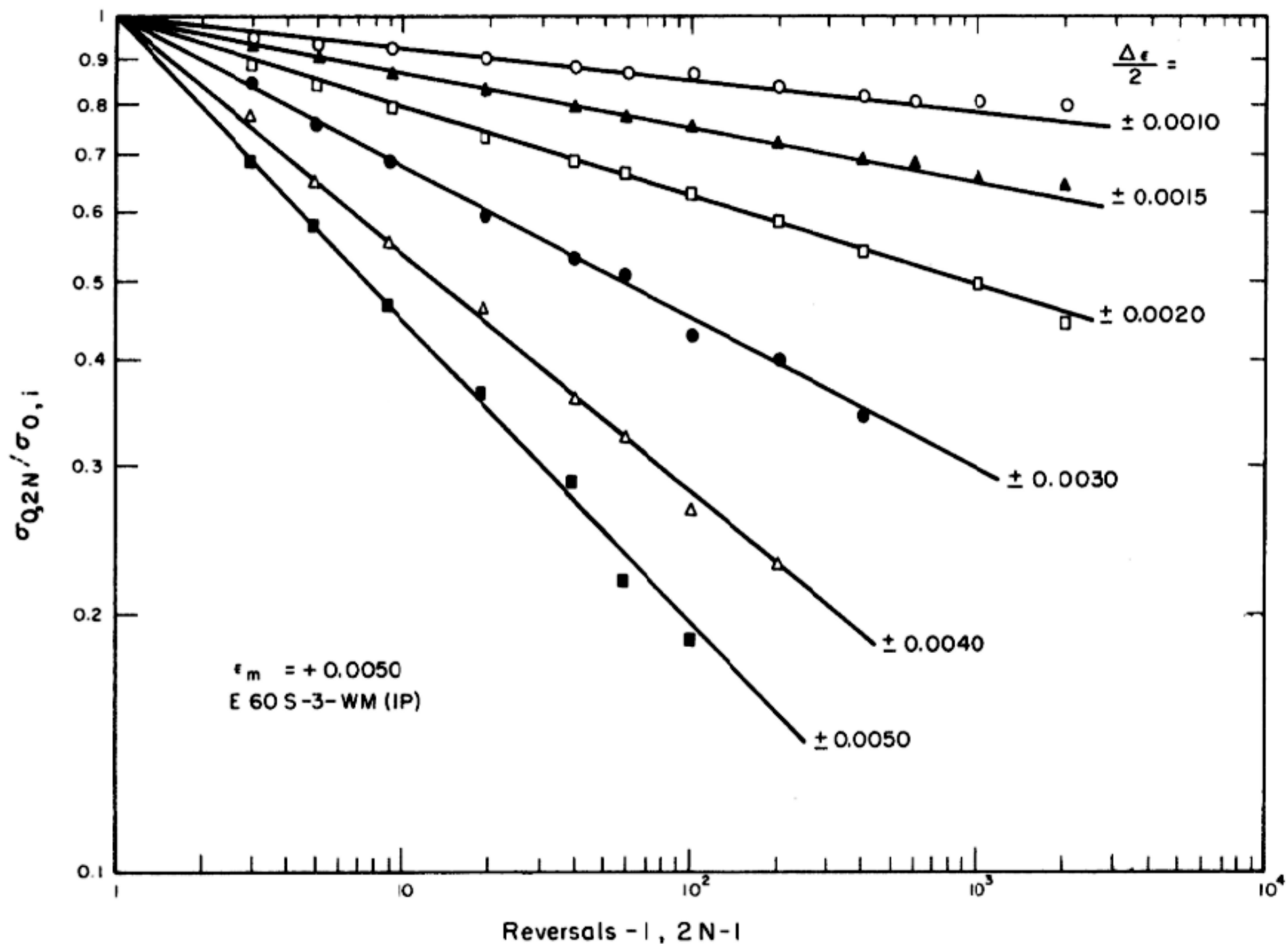


Fig. 71 Cyclic Relaxation Data of the Mean Stress (Dimensionless Value) for E60S-3-WM(IP) at Constant Mean Strain of +0.005

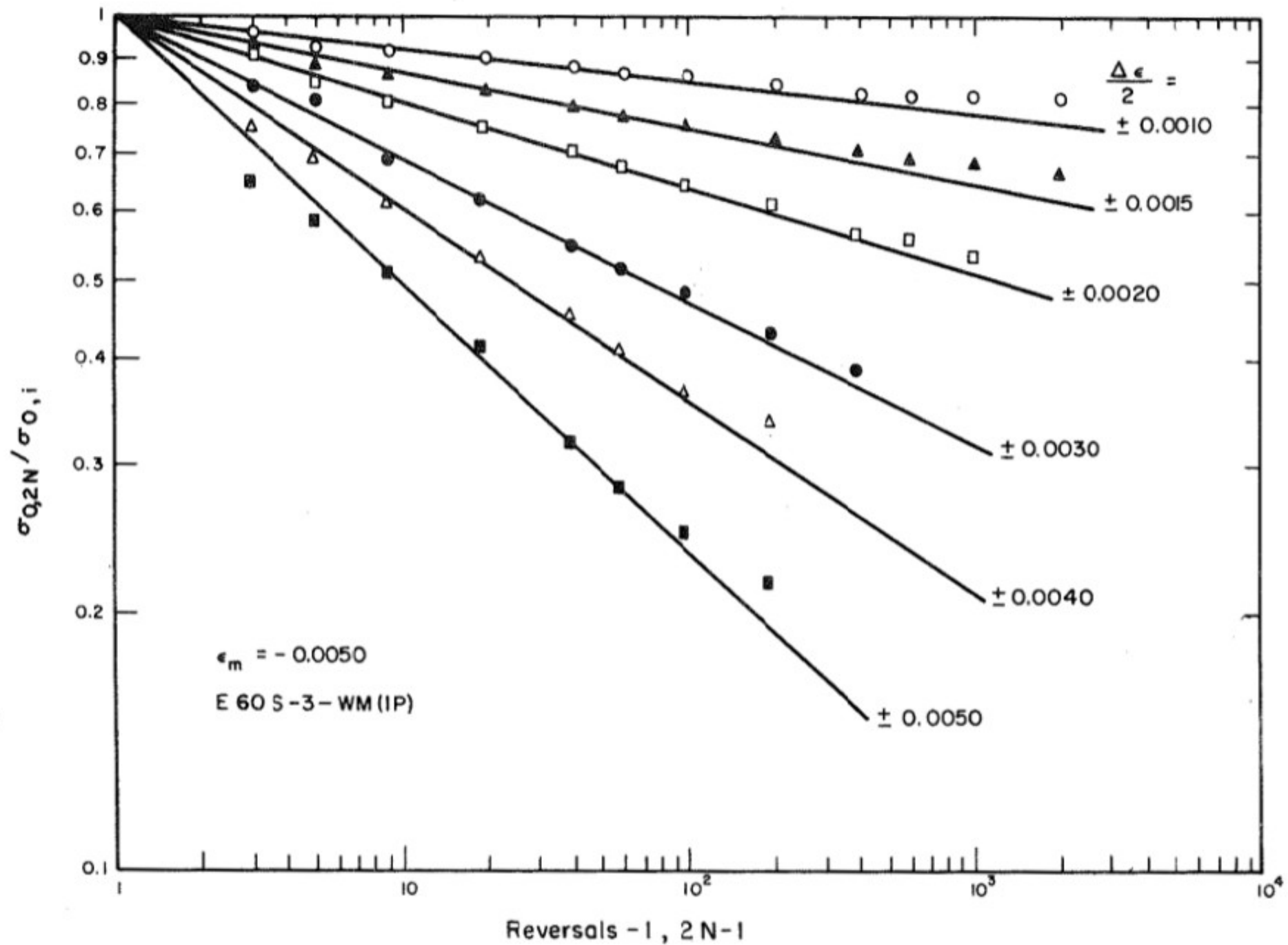
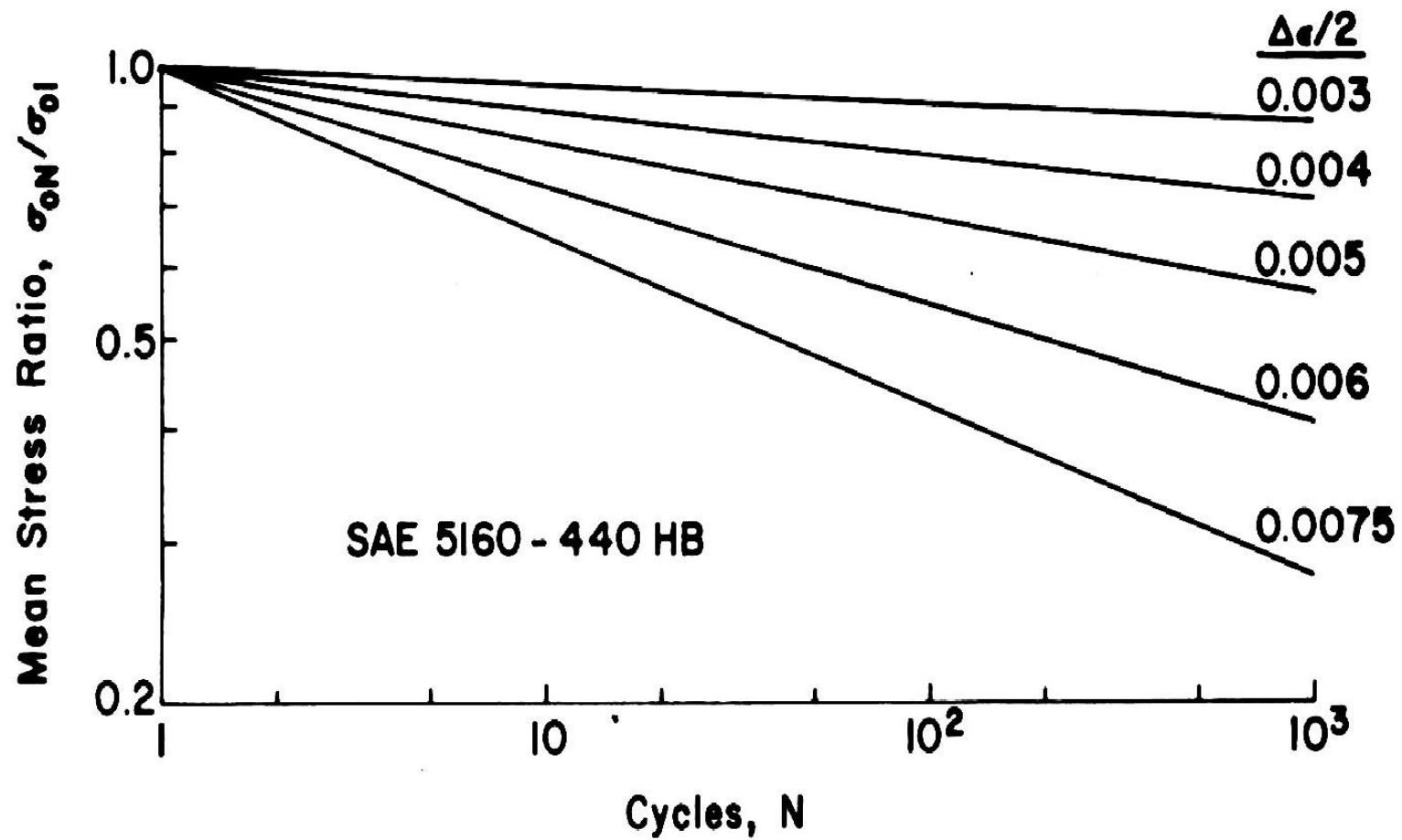
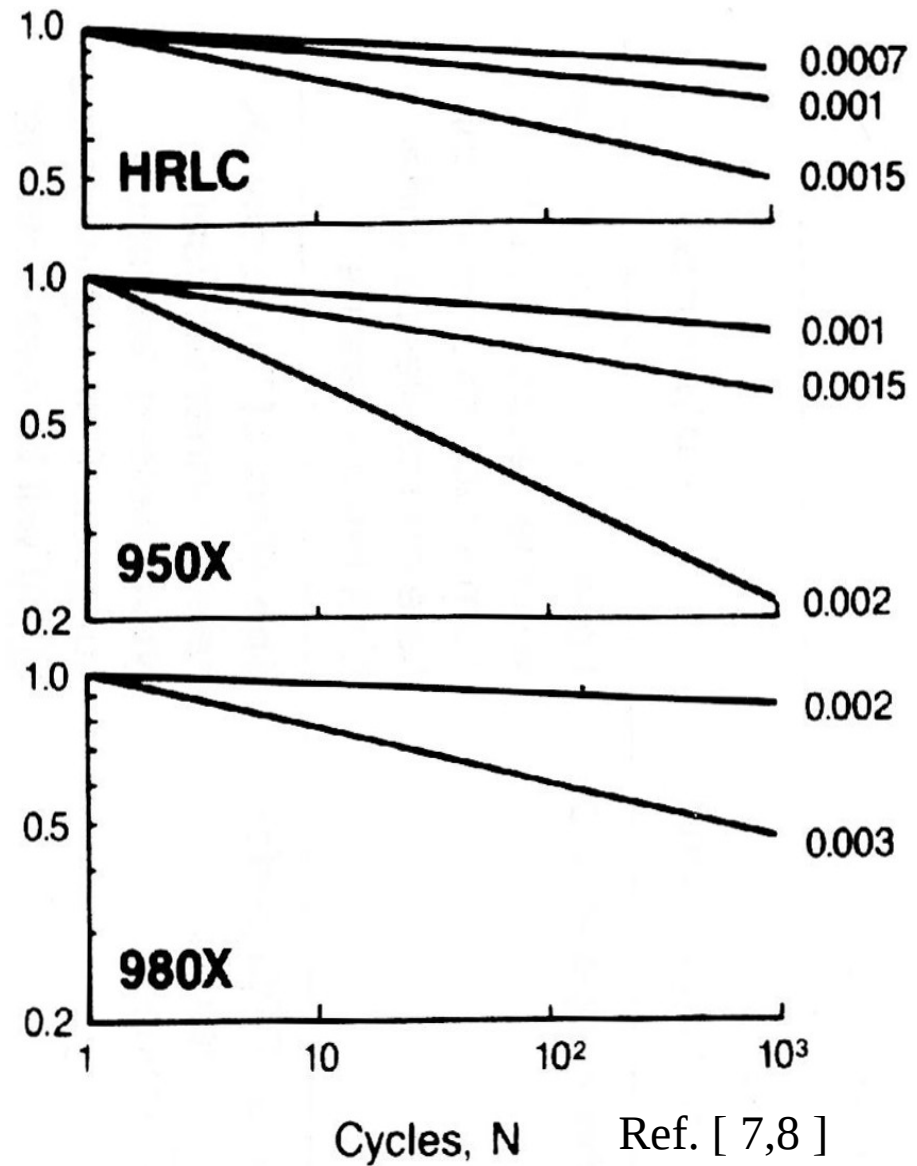
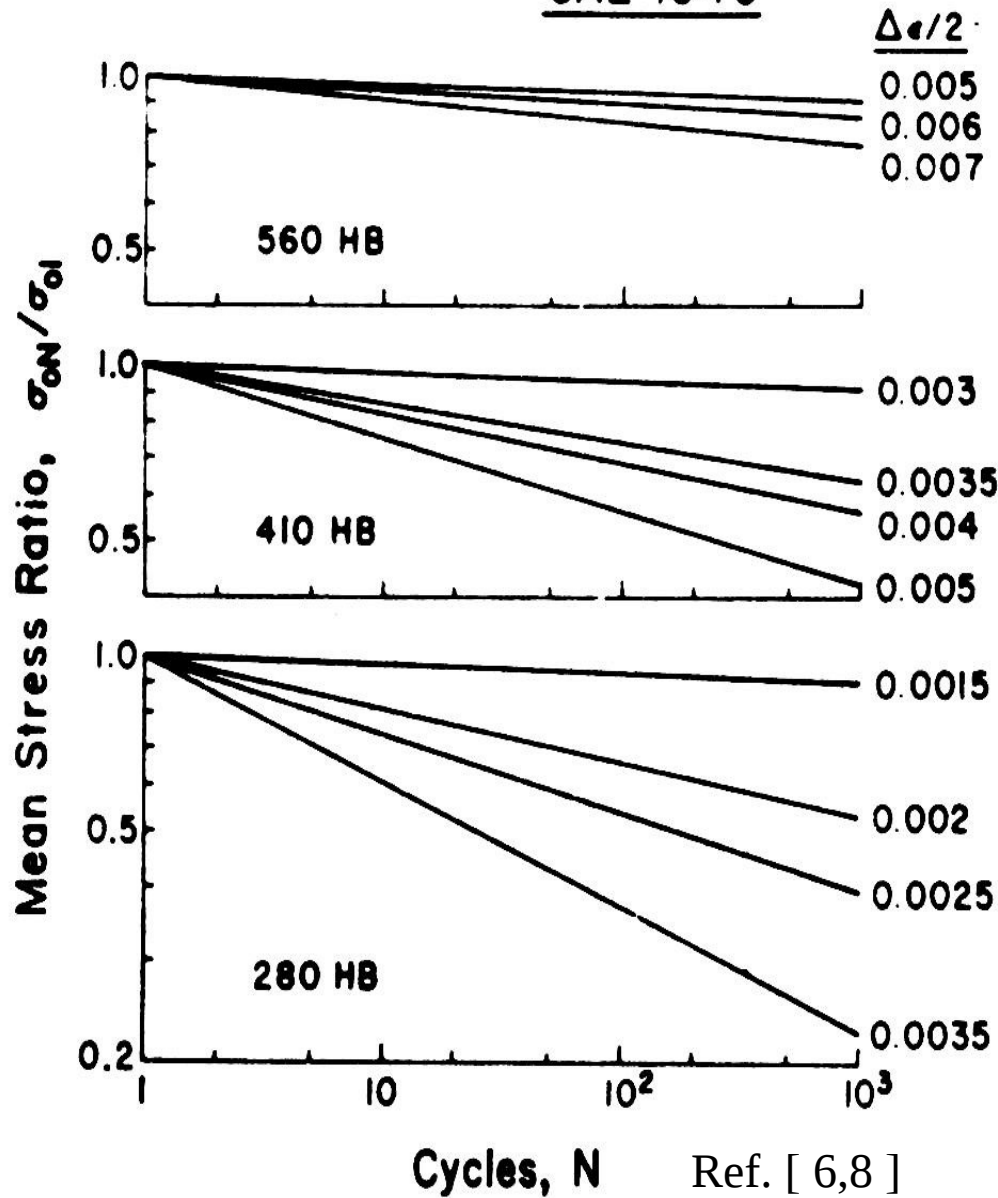


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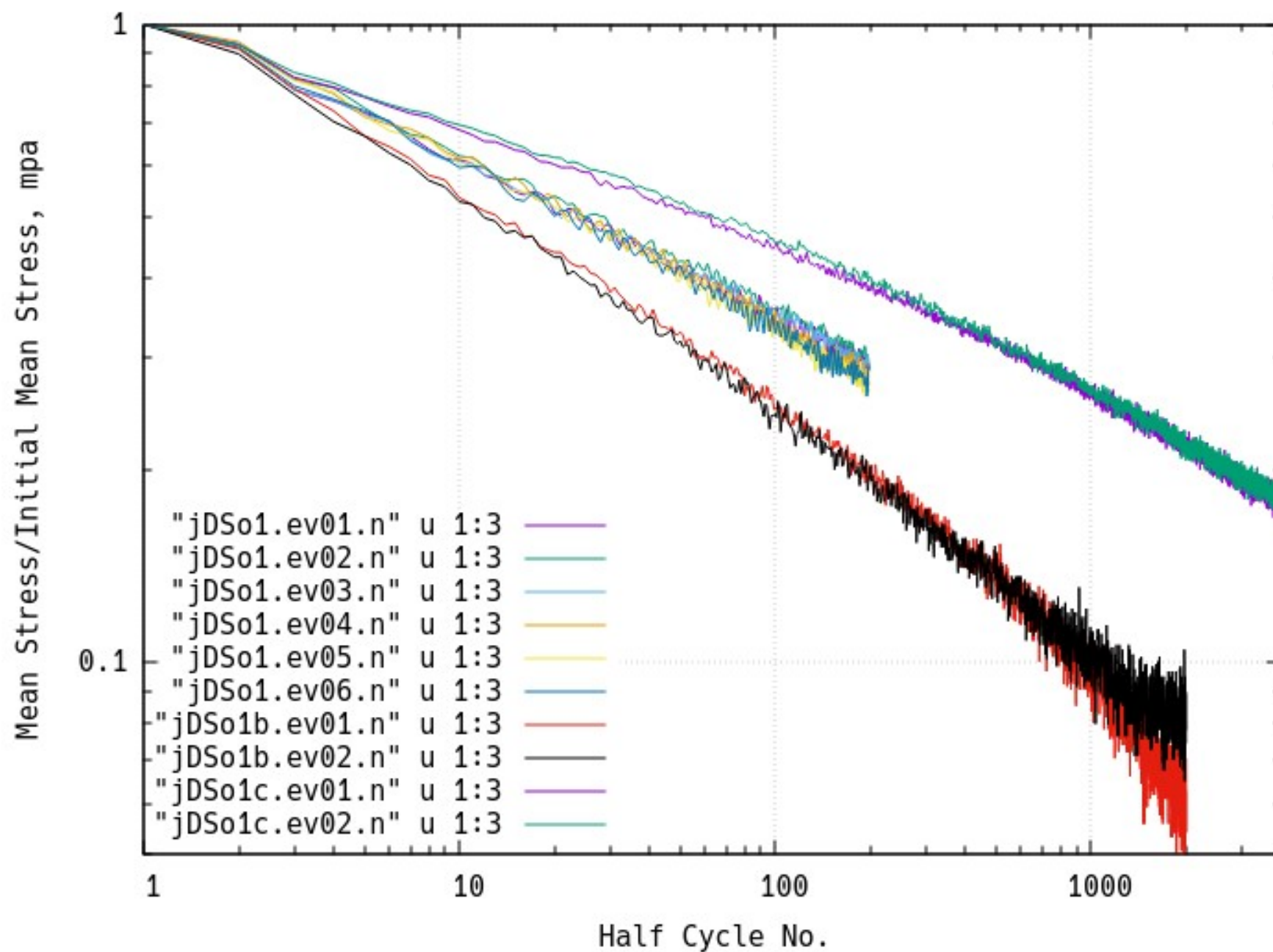


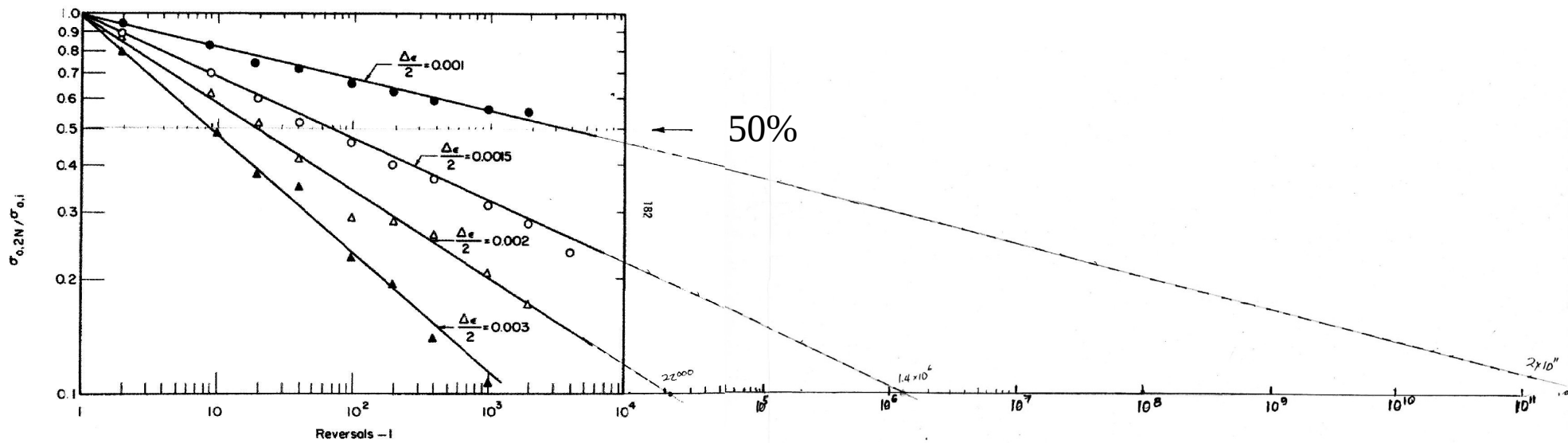
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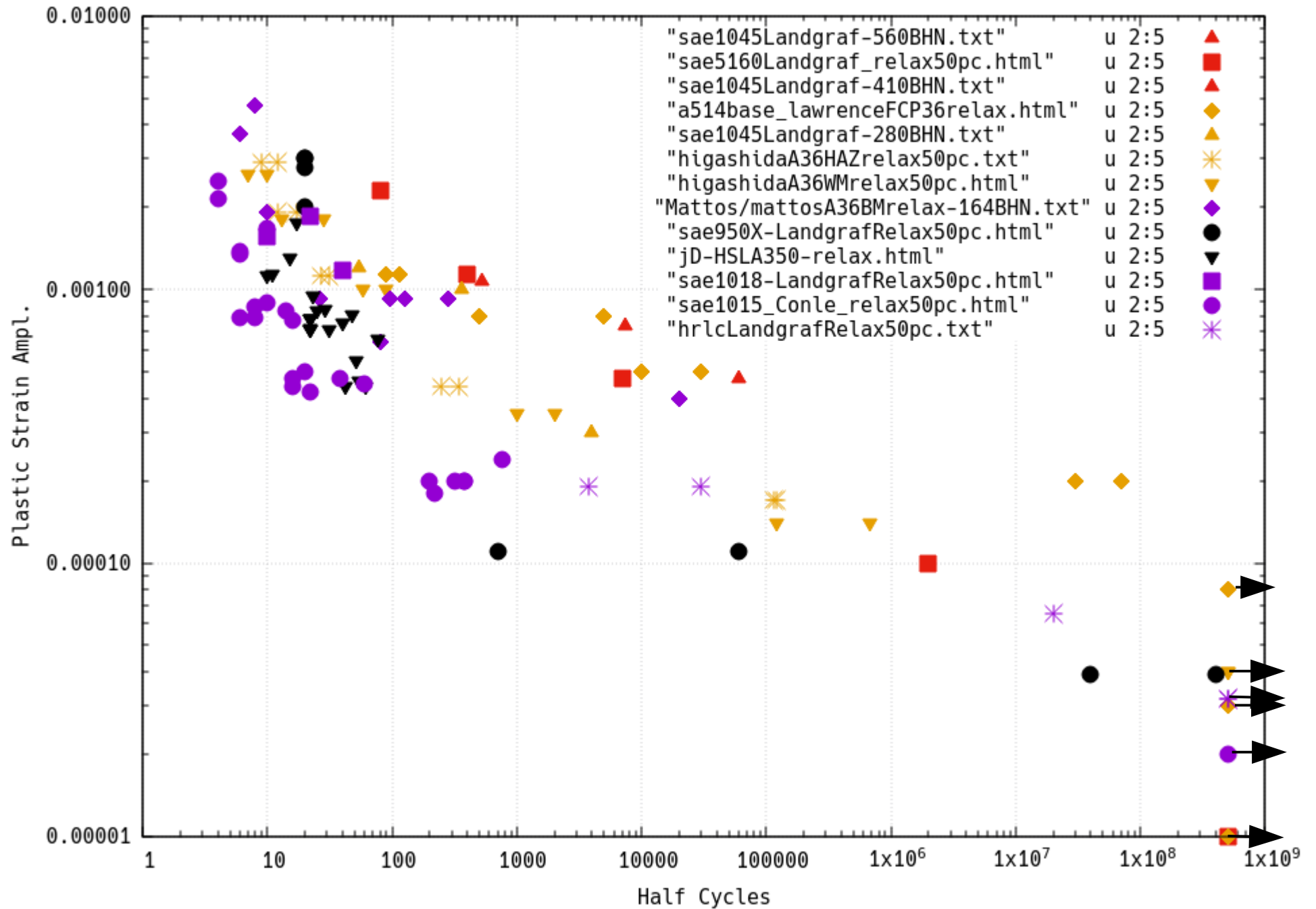


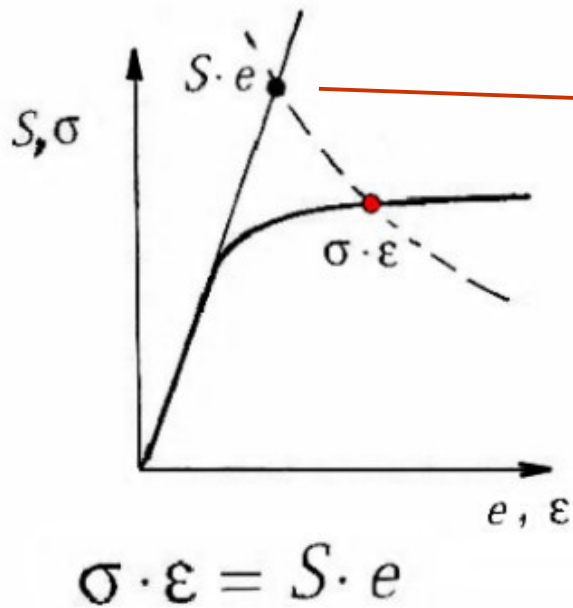
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Plastic Strain Ampl. vs. Half Cycles to 50% Relaxation. Color by BHN





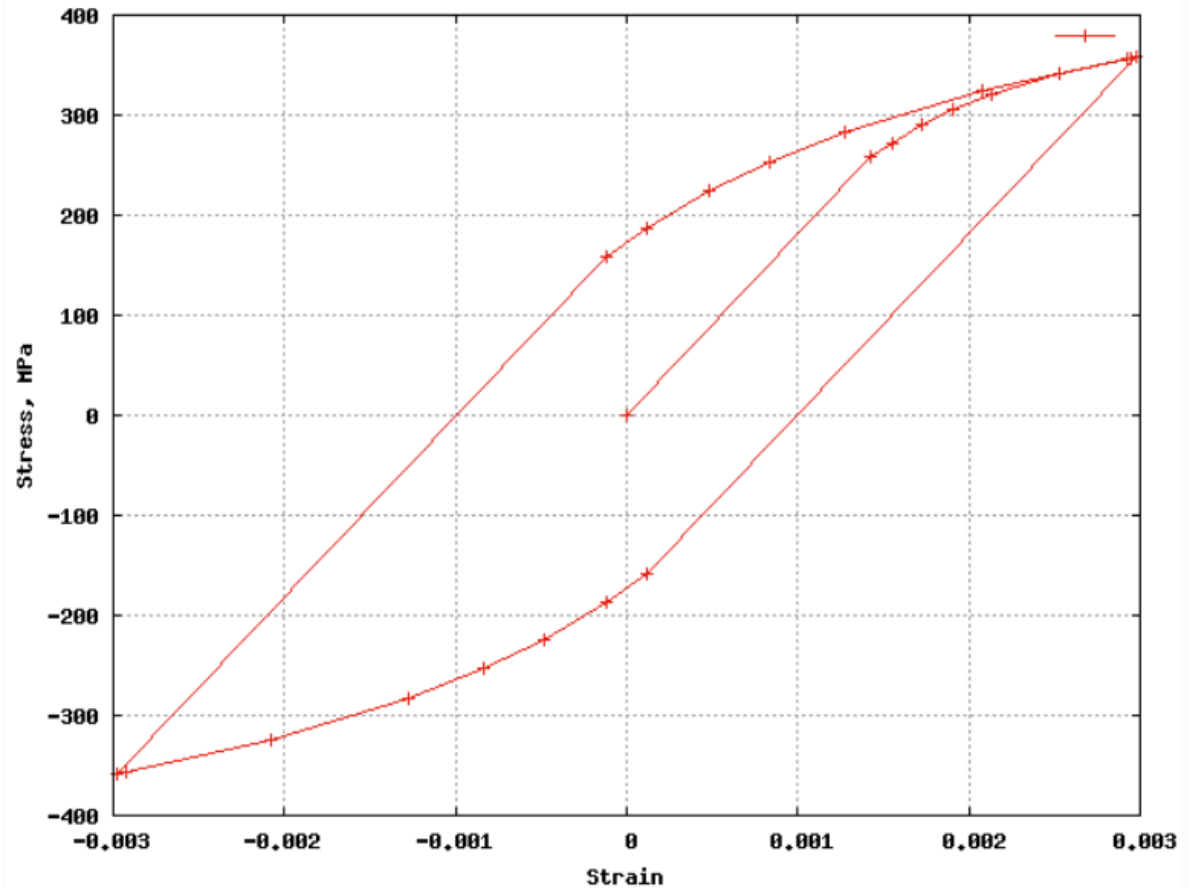
Nominal and Local Stress-Strain:

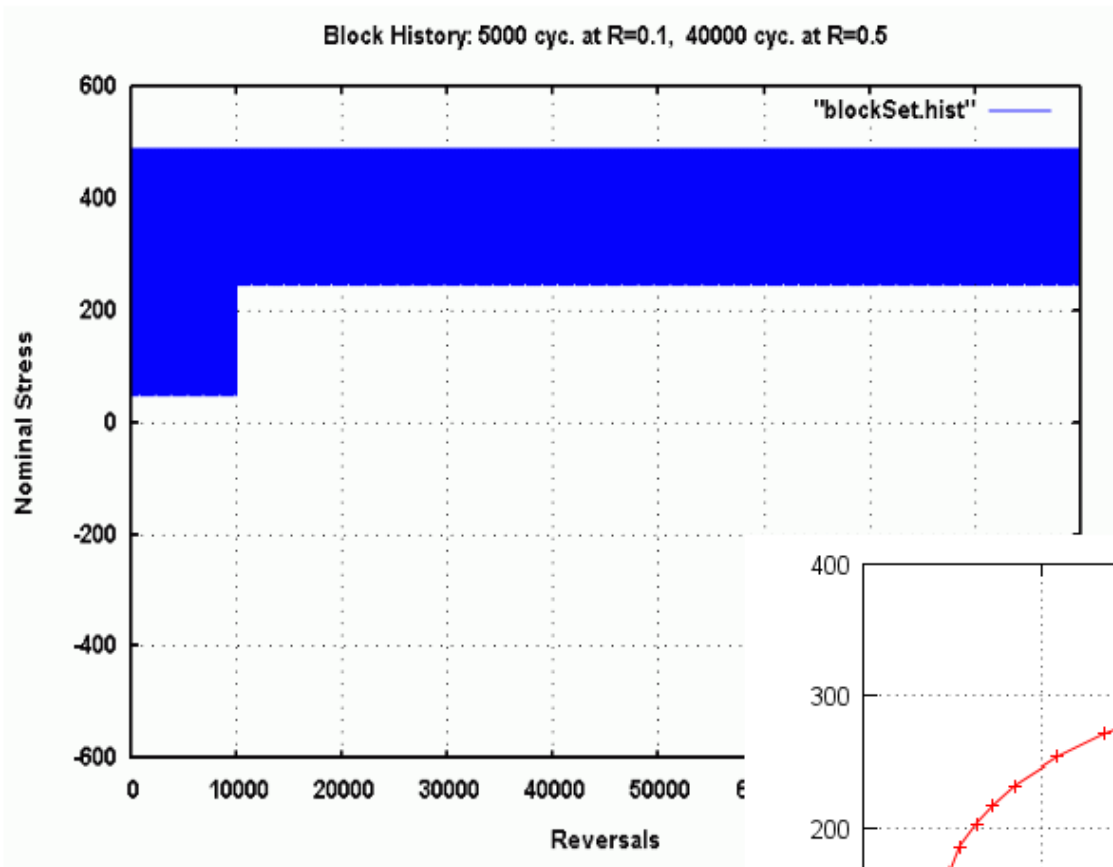
#xcalc2	Loop	Smax	Smin	N	Sigmax	Sigmin	Delta	Epsmax	Epsmin	DeltaEps
#xcalc2	1	450.0	-450.0	1.0	358.	-358.	717.	0.00298	-.00298	0.00596

Life Predictions (history repetitions):

#xcalc3	StrainLife_Reps	SWaT_Life_Reps	StressLife_Reps	Morrow_Reps	Goodman_Reps
#xcalc3	47982.2	47982.1	47982.2	47982.2	47982.2

Local Stress and Strain Response:



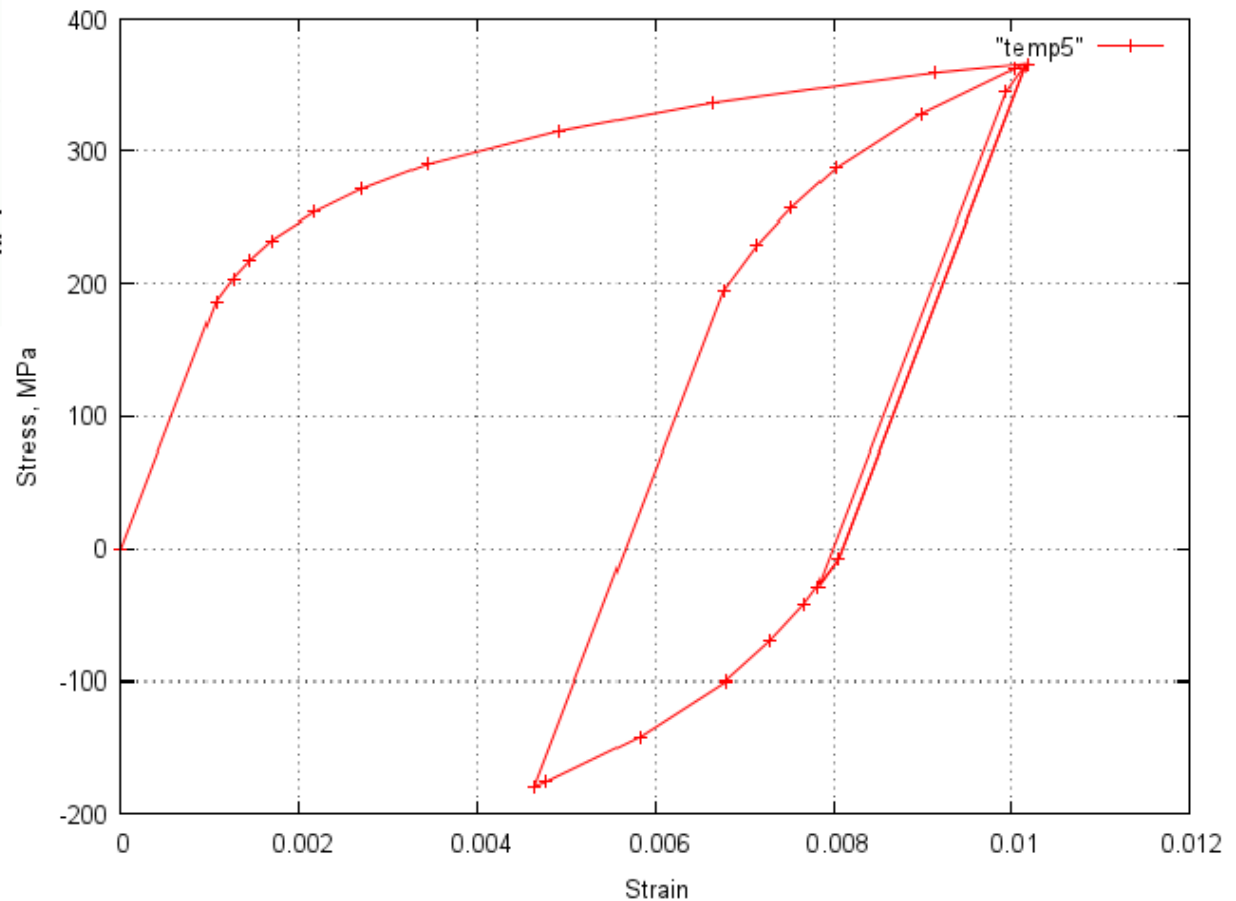


Test total life: 6.9 blks average

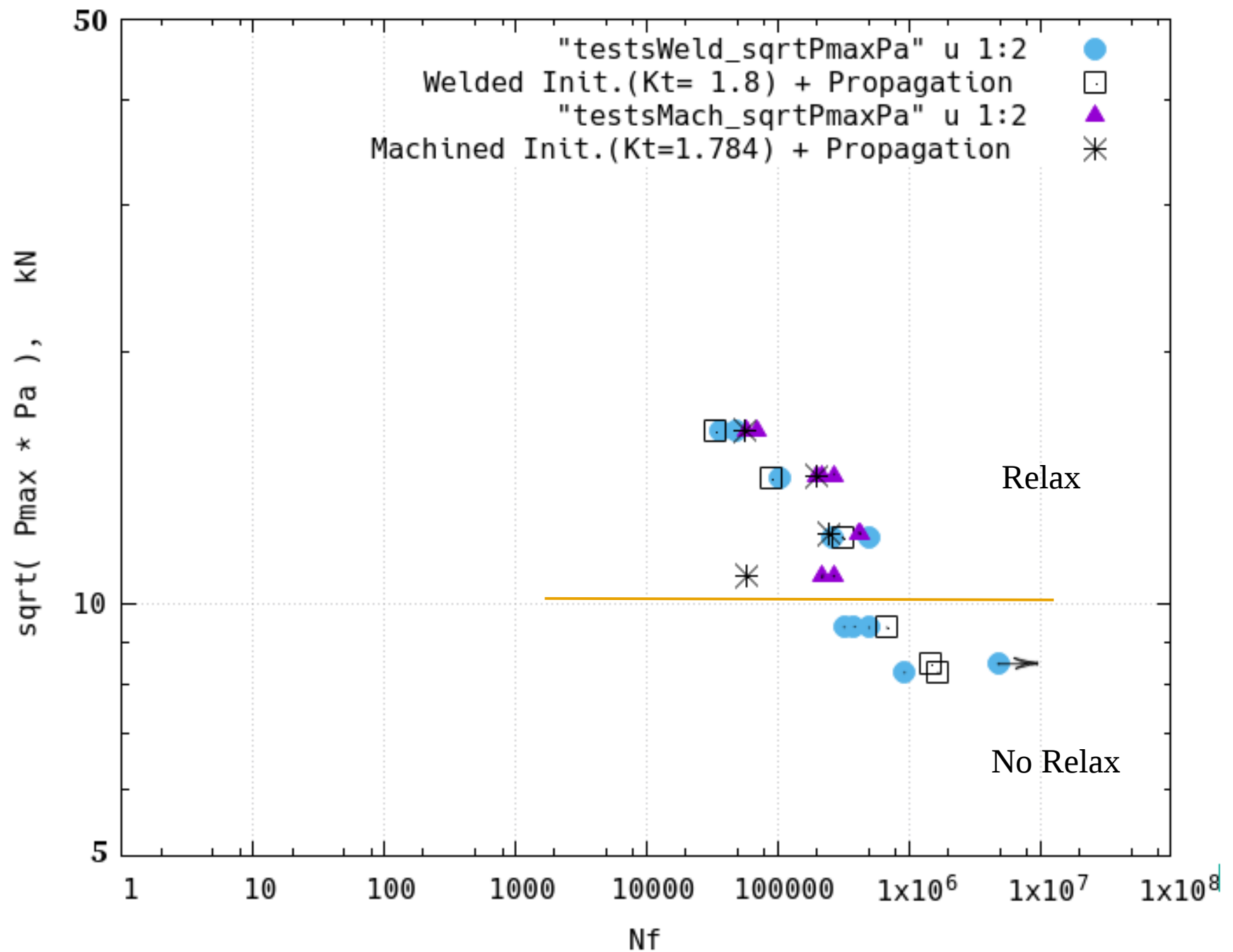
Sim.:

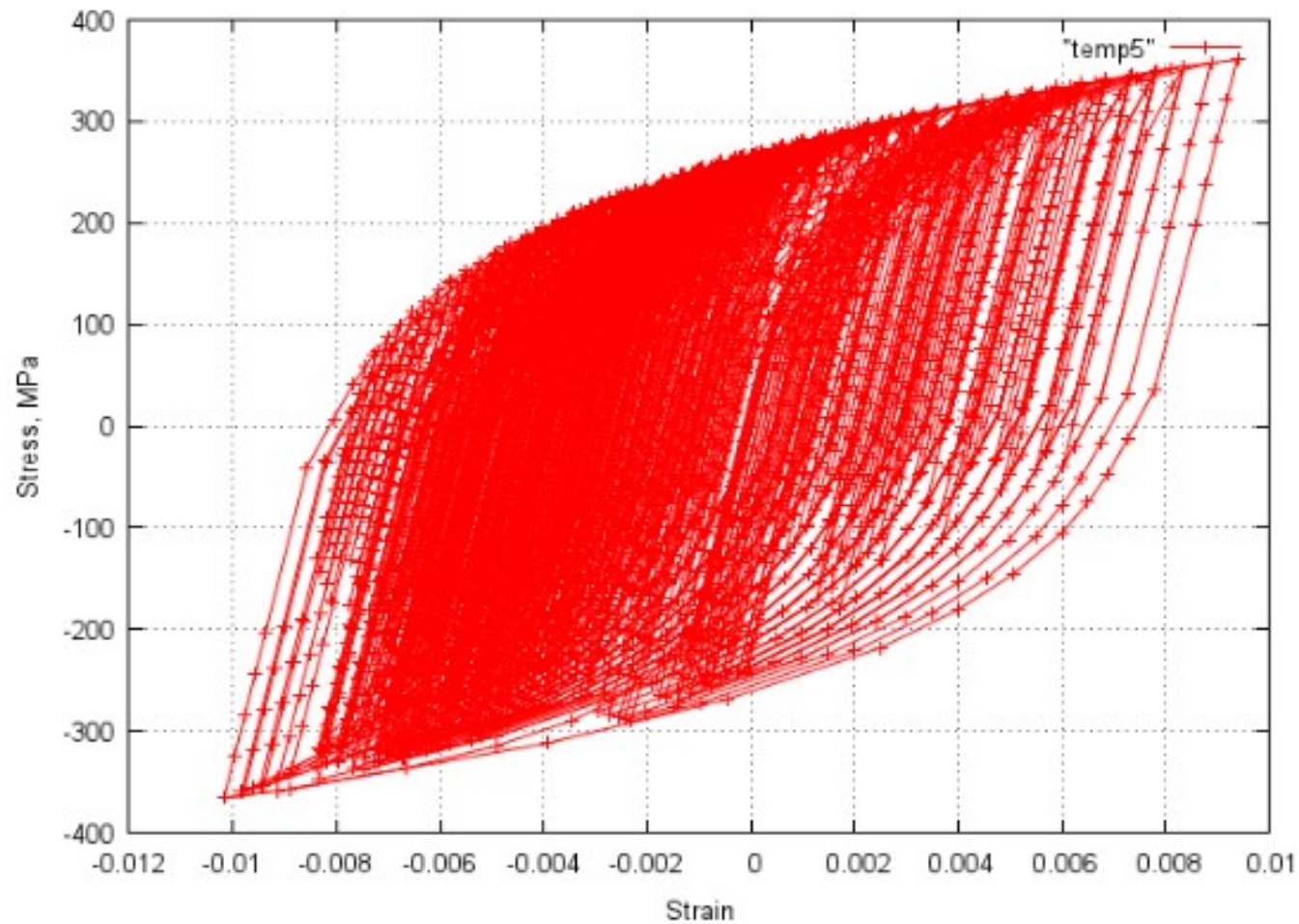
Initiation 7.4 blks
(non-periodic o/s
with relaxation)

Propagation <1 blk



Test Life vs Simulated Initiation + Propagation Life, "T" Spec.





Test total life: 28.5 Blocks, average

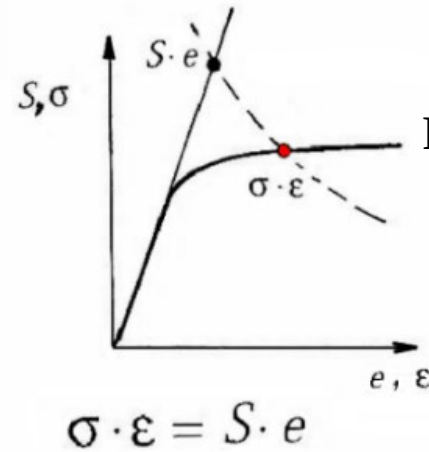
Simulation:

Initiation:	22.3 <u>Blks</u> (with periodic o/s)
Propagation=	< 1 <u>Blk.</u>
Total:	22.5 <u>Blks.</u>

Suggested Process:



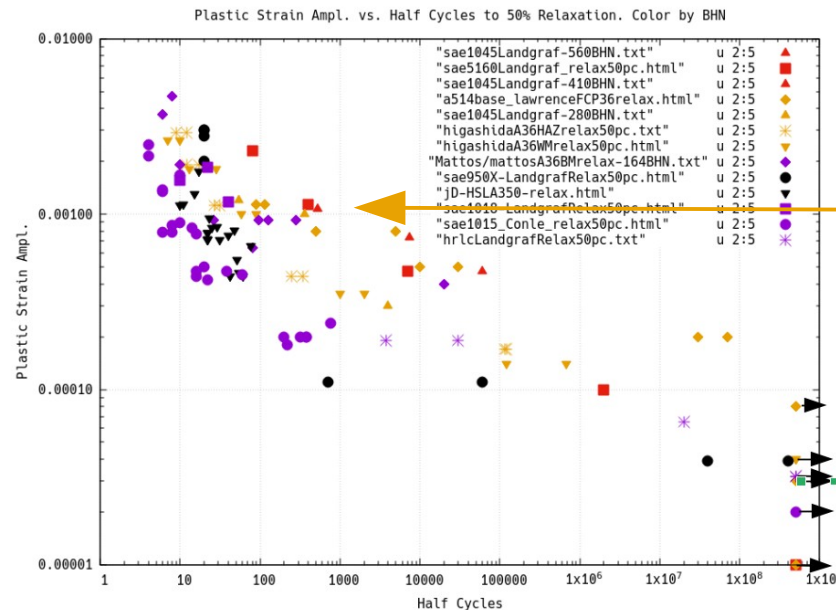
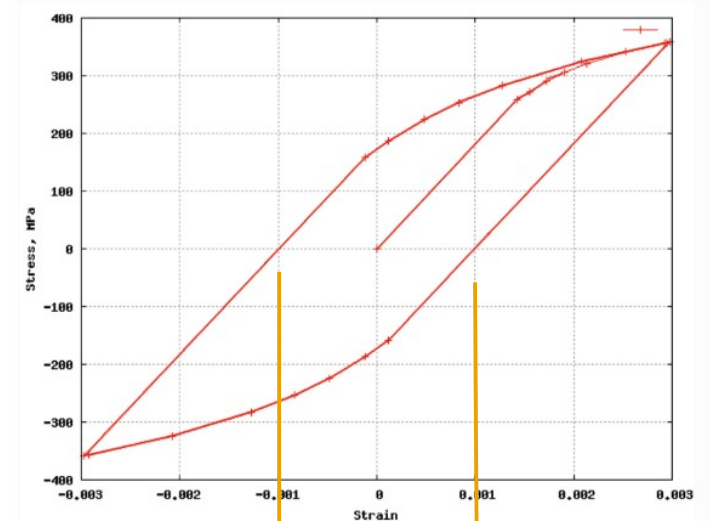
K_t
 S_{max}
 S_{min}



Apply Neuber Plasticity Correction

Get Local Stress-Strain

train Response:



$\Delta \epsilon_p / 2$

$\Delta \epsilon_p$

Estimate Plastic Strain Amplitude

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