

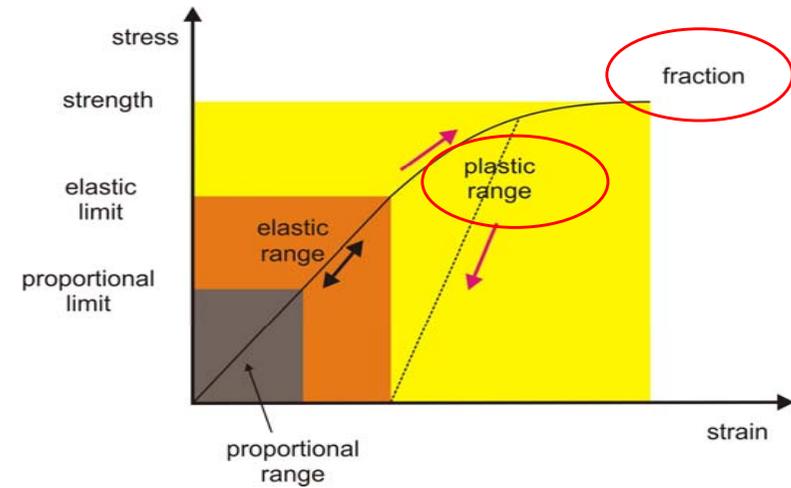


Physical basis of dental material science 8.

Mechanical properties 2.

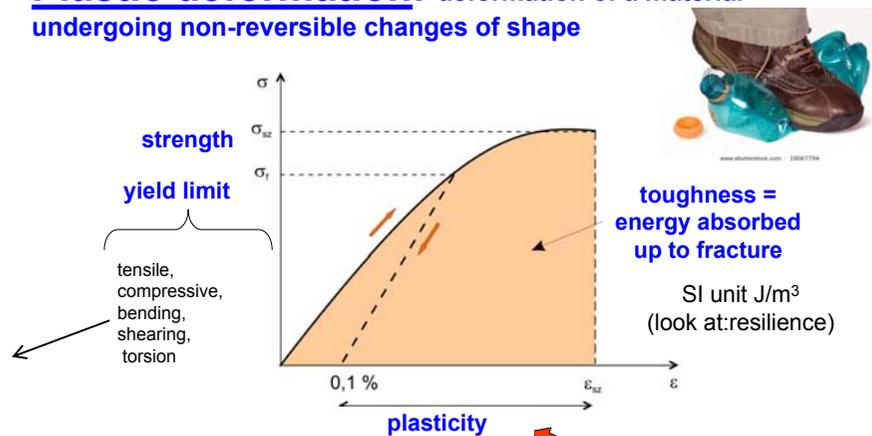
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Stress-strain diagram



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Plastic deformation: deformation of a material undergoing non-reversible changes of shape



Ductility: the extent in which solid materials can be plastically deformed without fracture.

Compressibility: measure of the relative volume change of a solid as a response to a stress change.

flexibility:

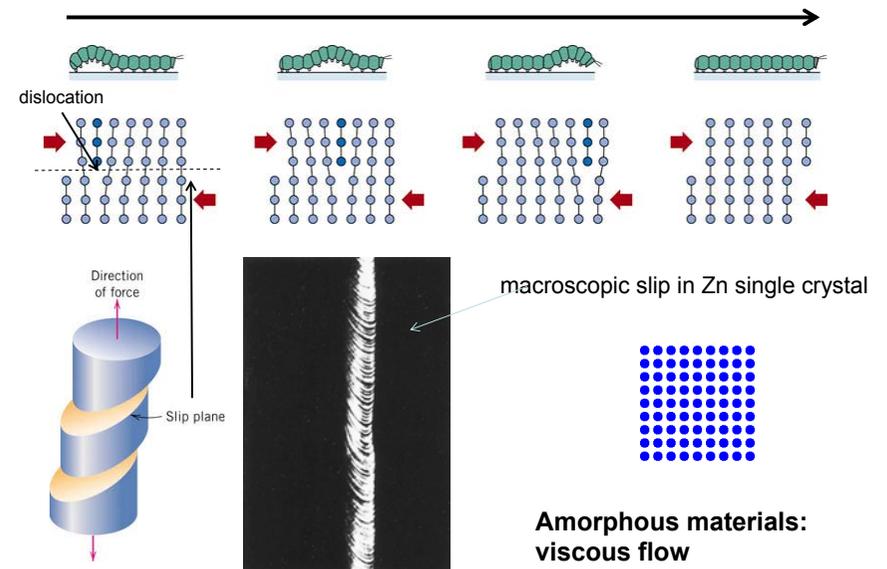
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brittleness

(the quality of being brittle)

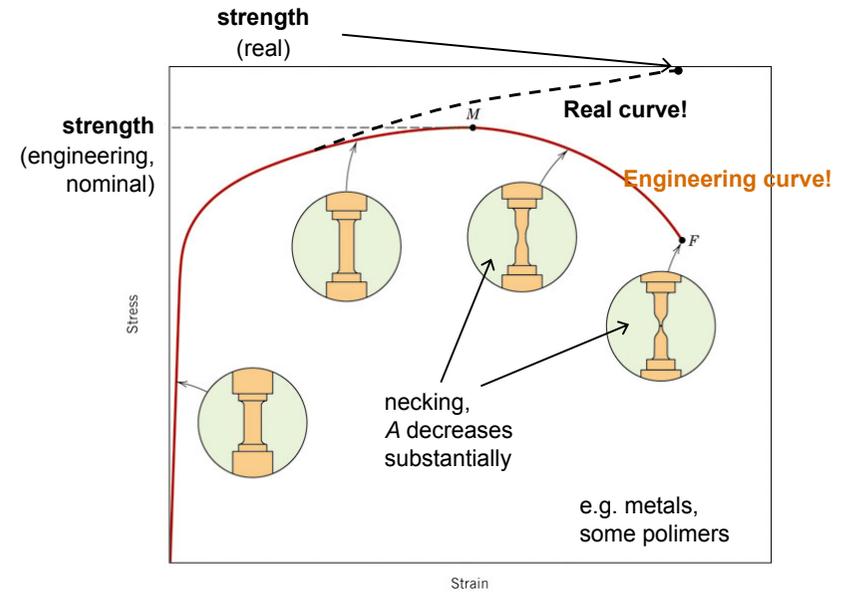
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Crystals (slip): Slip: plastic deformation due to the dislocation motion.

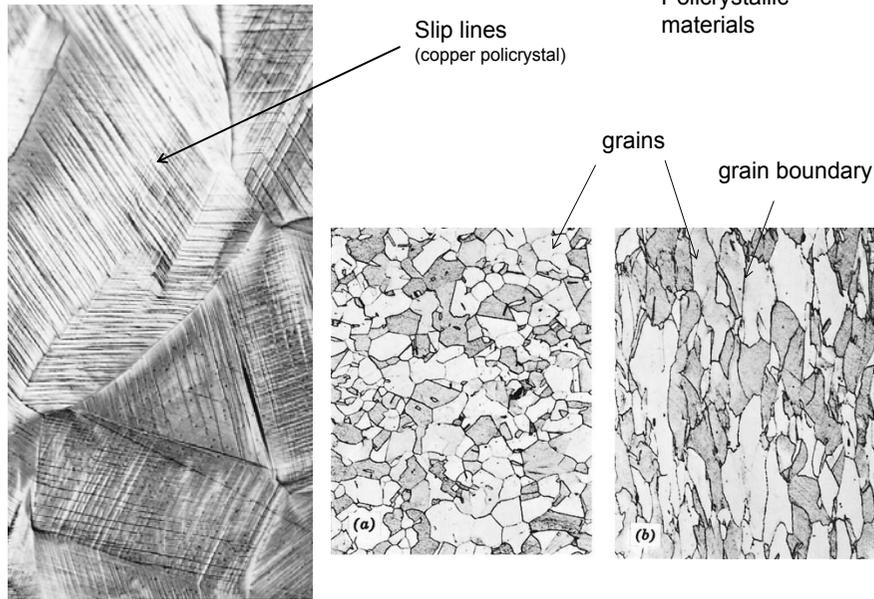


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Engineering system vs. „real system”



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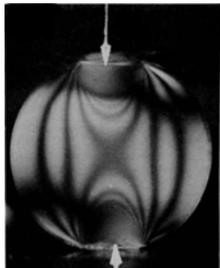


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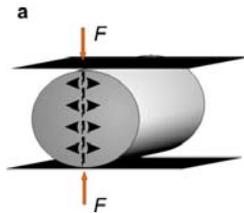
Strength measurements



Optical observation of stresses



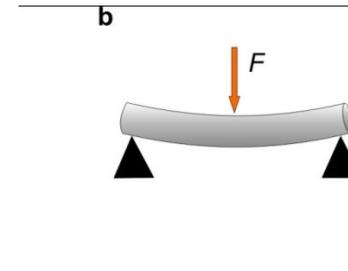
Diametral compressive test



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3-point bending test

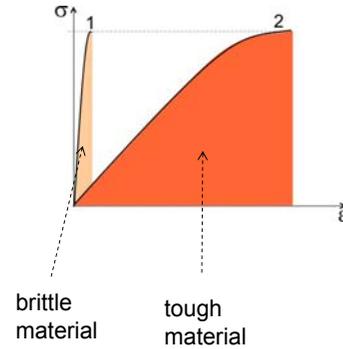
(provides values for the modulus of elasticity in bending)



Tensile and compressive strength of some dental materials:

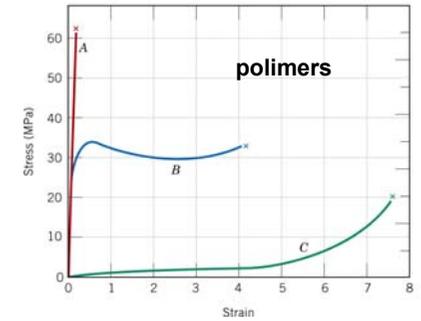
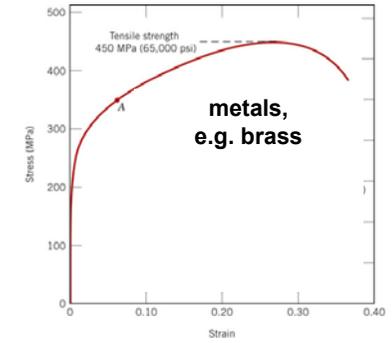
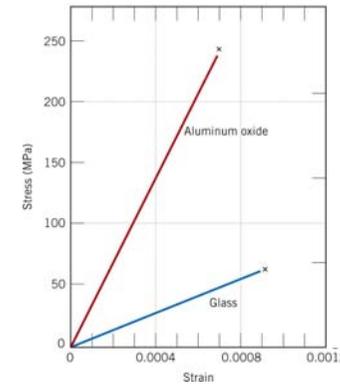
material	σ_s , tensile (MPa)	σ_s , comp (MPa)
Enamel	≈ 10	≈ 400
dentine	≈ 110	≈ 300
Amalgam	30-55	200-450
gold	108	
Gold alloys	300-900	
Pd-Ag alloys	400-700	
Co-Cr alloys	600-800	
Ni-Cr alloys	400-900	
Glass	≈ 70	≈ 700
Ceramics	5-400	20-5000
Porcelain	≈ 25	≈ 300
PMMA (polimethyl methacrylate)	≈ 50	≈ 80

Strength ↔ toughness:



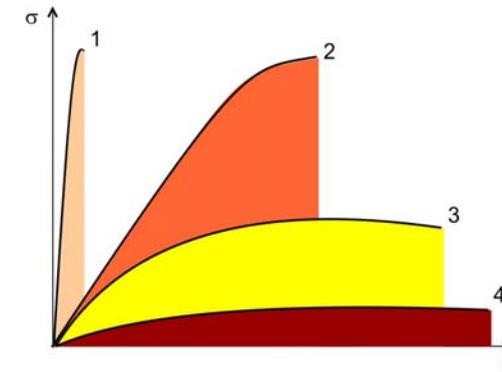
examples:

ceramics

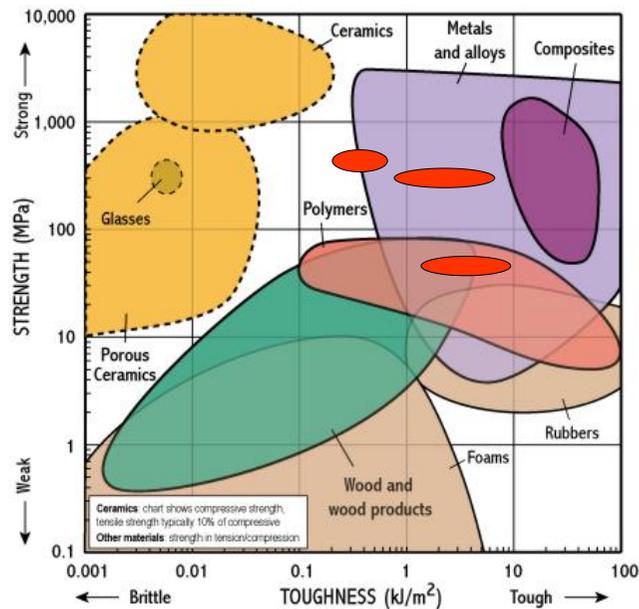


A: brittle
B: plastic
C: highly elastic

Summary of different properties



- 1) rigid (brittle), strength (strong), small toughness, brittle
- 2) flexible, stiff (strong), tough
- 3) ductile, medium strength, tough
- 4) ductile, small strength(weak), small toughness



Fracture

ductile (tough)
before fracture plastic deformation

soft material:
(Pure gold, lead)

Brittle
(no plastic deformation)

Brittle fracture requires energy to separate atoms and expose new surfaces.

Ductile failure requires much more additional energy for plastic deformation.

(a) Al cup-and-cone

(b) mild steel

ductile (tough)

cracks! Stress concentrated here

cavities

Increasing stress

elastic deformation

ductile fracture

No deformation

brittle fracture

Impact test

Impact energy:
the gravitational energy loss of the hammer (J)

Specific impact energy:
impact energy/cross-section of the specimen (J/m²)

Charpy Pendulum Impact Test

notch

10 mm (0.39 in.)

10 mm (0.39 in.)

Scale

Starting Position

Hammer

potential energy

h'

kinetic energy

Test Specimen

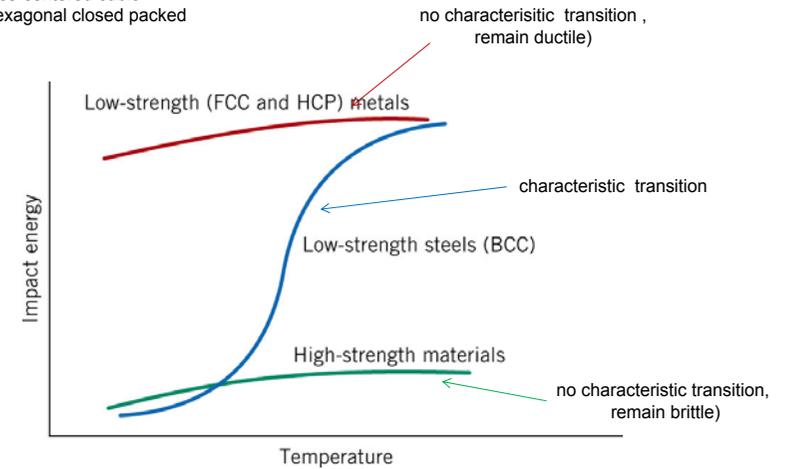
Anvil

less potential energy

End of Swing

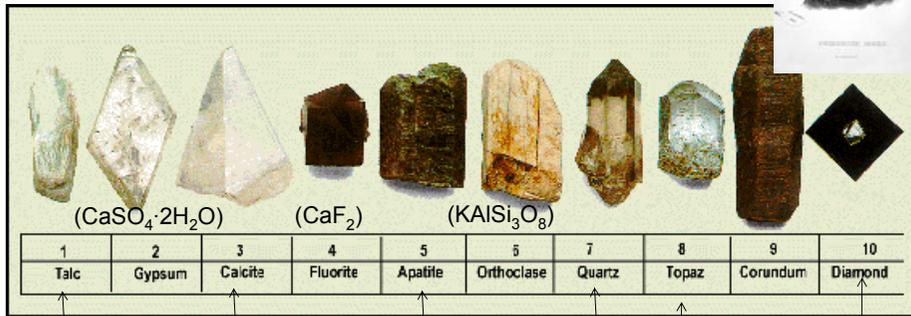
ductile – brittle transition

BCC: body-centered cubic
FCC: face-centered cubic
HCP: hexagonal closed packed



Hardness (the measure of how resistant solid matter is to various kinds of permanent shape change)

Mohs scale: (characterizes the scratch resistance of various minerals)

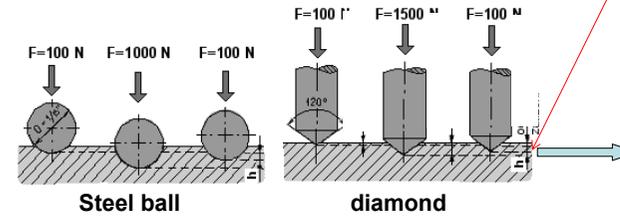


Several measuring method:

- Rockwell
- Brinell
- Vickers
- Knoop
- Barcol
- Shore

Rockwell:

h: indentation in the material

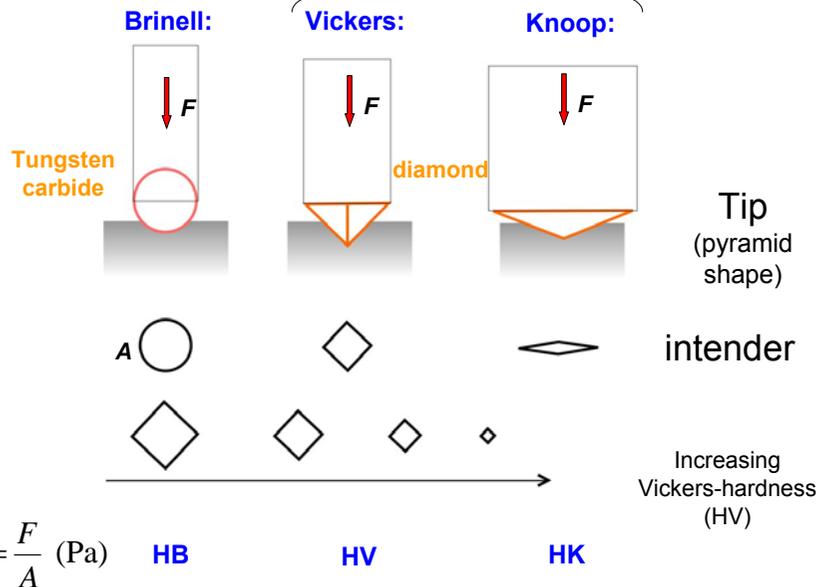


HR – Rockwell hardness

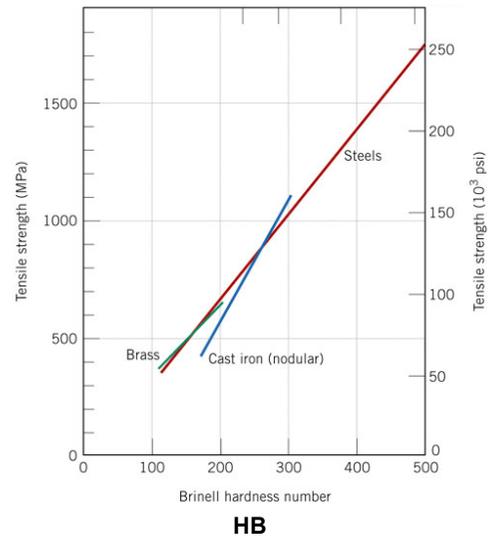
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Rockwell C Test 4940 5g-199 ks1 u-.2
time= 0.0000E+00
dsf = 0.10000E+01
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Microindentation hardness tests



Relationship to other quantites:



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Hardness of some dental materials:

material	HV (MPa)	HK (MPa)
Enamel	≈ 3400	3400-4000
Dentin	≈ 600	≈ 700
Amalgam	≈ 1000	
Gold		60-70
gold alloys	600-250	≈ 2000
Pd-Ag alloys	1400-1900	
Co-Cr alloys	≈ 4000	3000-4500
Ni-Cr alloys	3000-4000	2000-3500
Glass		≈ 5000
Porcelain	4500-7000	≈ 6000
acrilate	≈ 200	≈ 200

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