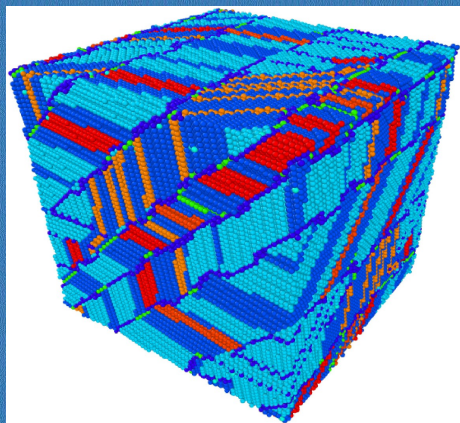


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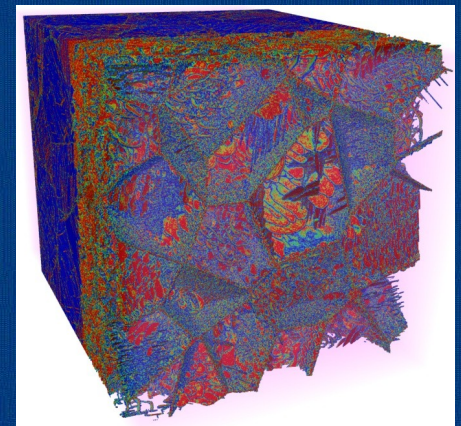
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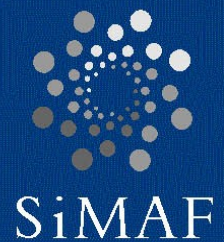
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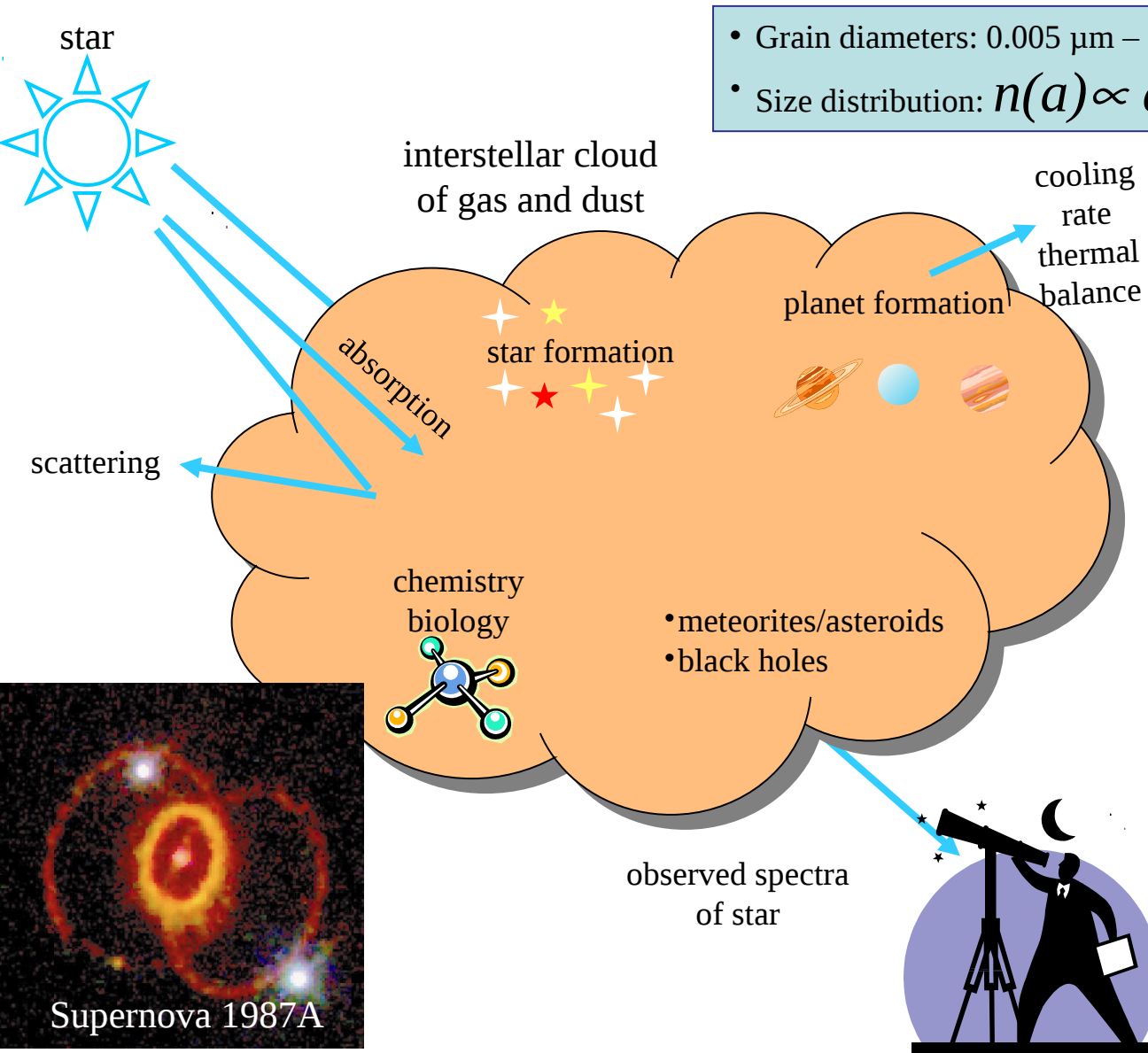


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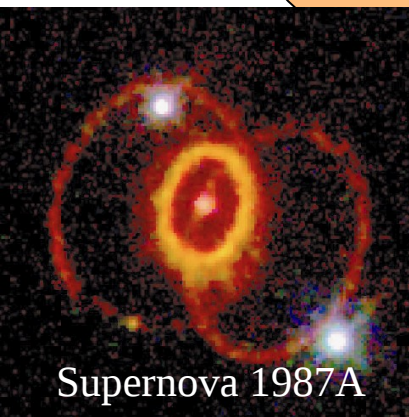
Interstellar dust plays an important role in astrophysical processes

Grain size matters for evolution, astro-chemistry, etc.



- Grain diameters: $0.005 \mu\text{m} - 5 \mu\text{m}$
- Size distribution: $n(a) \propto a^{-3.5}$

**Modification of materials:
phase transitions and
damage to space
hardware, and due to
shrapnel (NIF)**

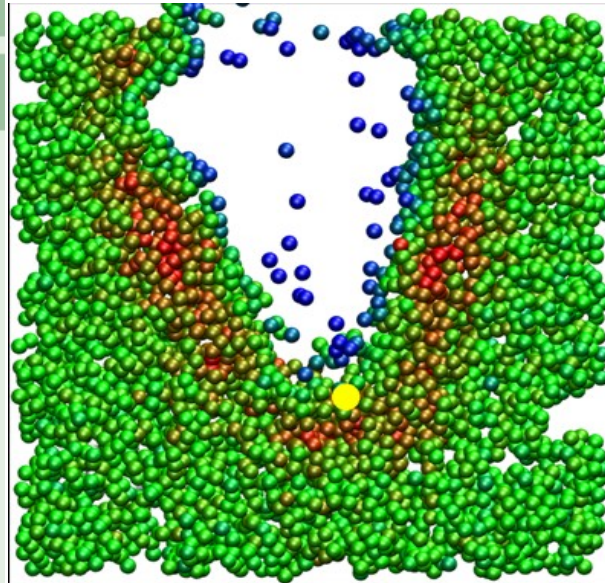
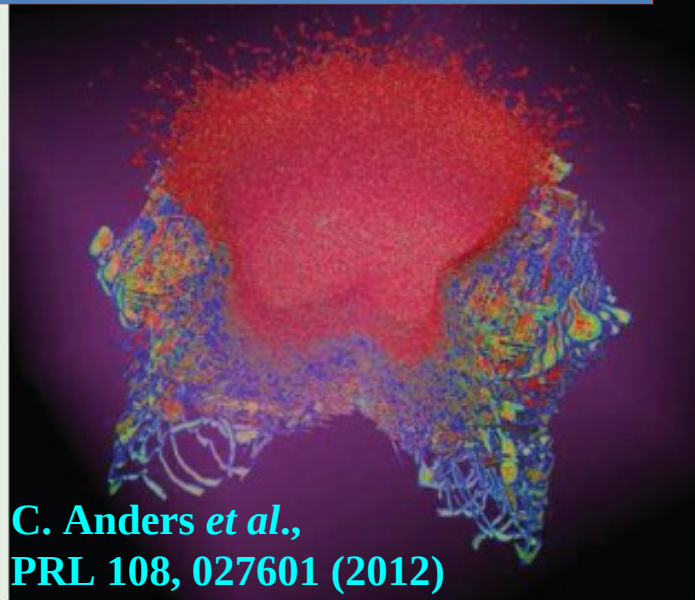


Large-scale MD links nano and microscales in damage induced by nanoprojectiles

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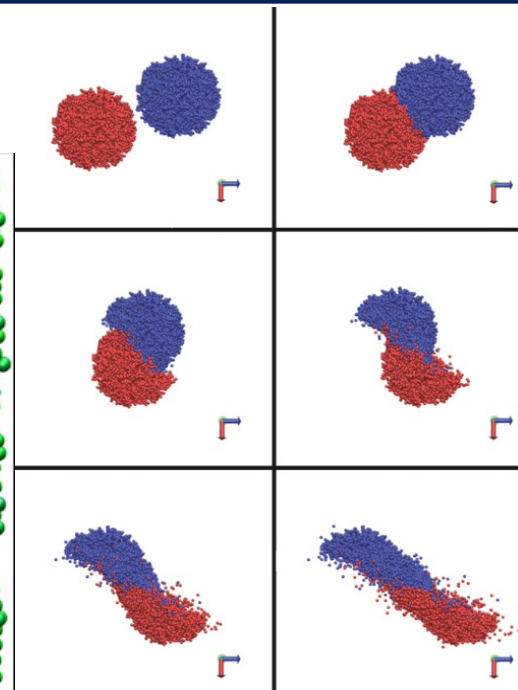
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Only dislocations + liquid atoms shown, $\sim 300 \cdot 10^6$ atoms



**Granular
mechanics of
grain-surface
collisions**

Ringl *et al.*,
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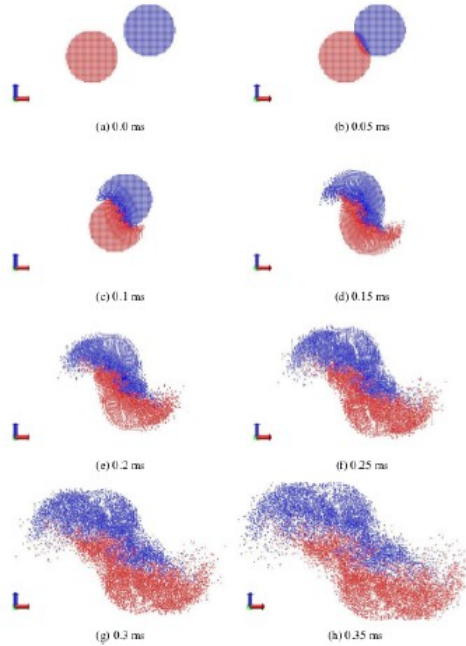
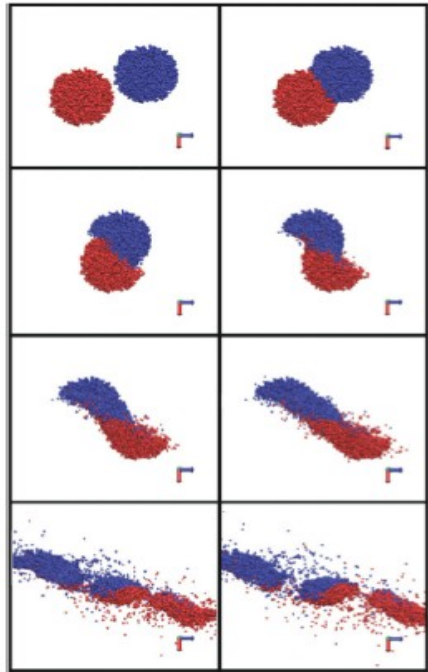


**Granular
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nano-grain
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Ringl *et al.*, Ap.J. 752
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**New granular
friction scheme
implemented for
GPUs by E. Millan**

Cluster impact looks ~ the same at many scales



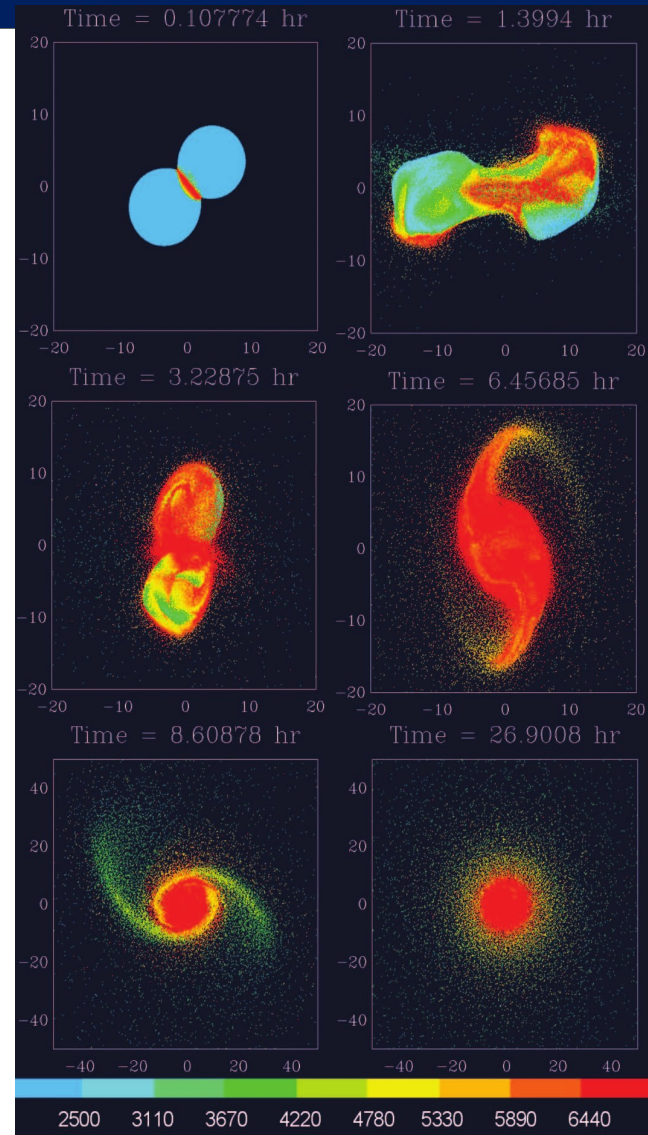
Granular

Ringl, Bringa,
Bertoldi, &
Urbaseek,
Astrophysics J.
(2011)

$v = 5 \text{ m/s}^{-1}$ $b/R = 0.8$,
 $R \sim 0.03 \text{ mm}$

Peridynamics

Ruestes,
Tramontina &
Bringa, Anales
MECOM (2012)

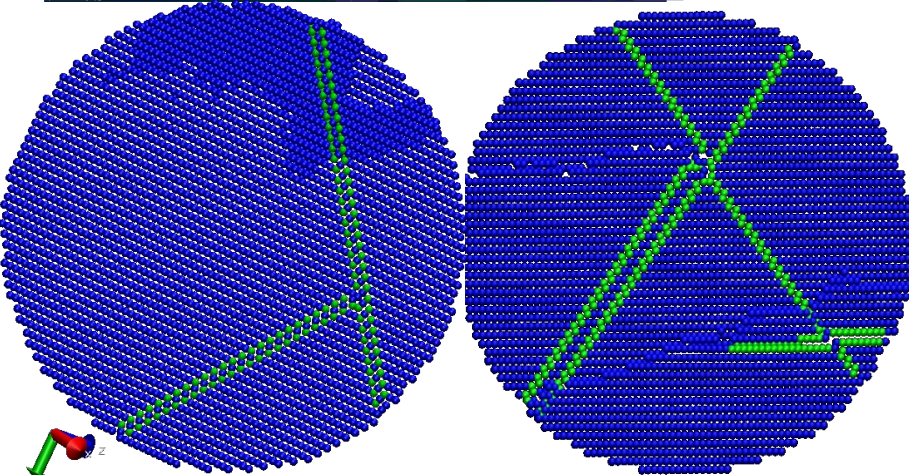
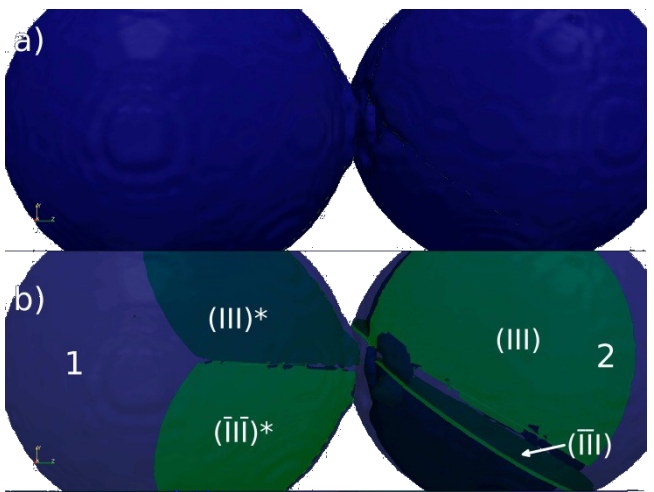


SPH (moon formation)

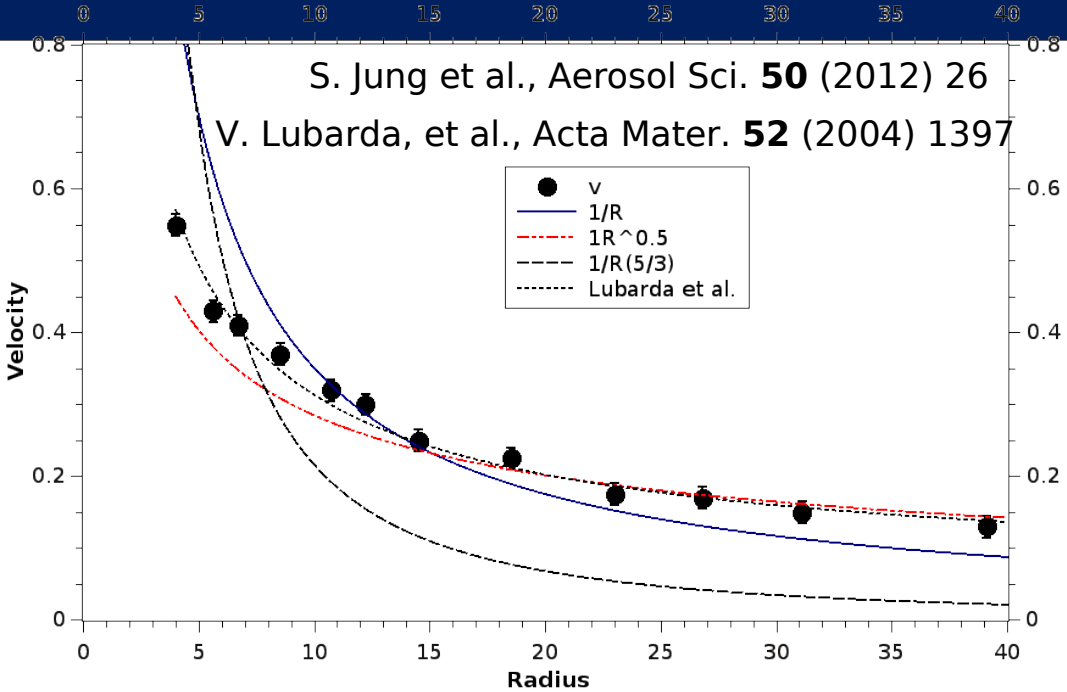
Canup, Science (2012). $b/R = 0.4$; $v = 4 \text{ km/s}^{-1}$

Plasticity threshold in grain-grain impacts

Granular models typically assume lack of plasticity



FCC → stacking faults and twins

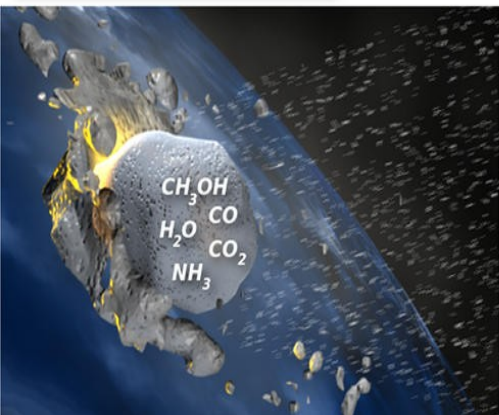
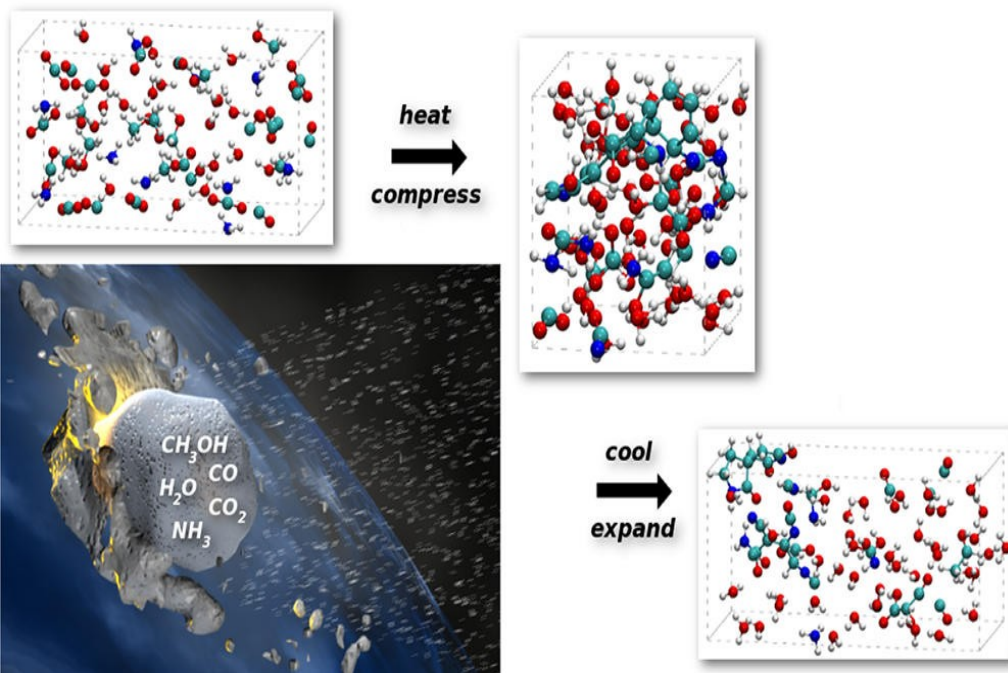


Dislocation-based model by Lubarda *et al.* agrees with MD. Millan, Tramontina, *et al.*, to be submitted (2014)

GPUs + CPUs to run ~10000 independent MD simulations

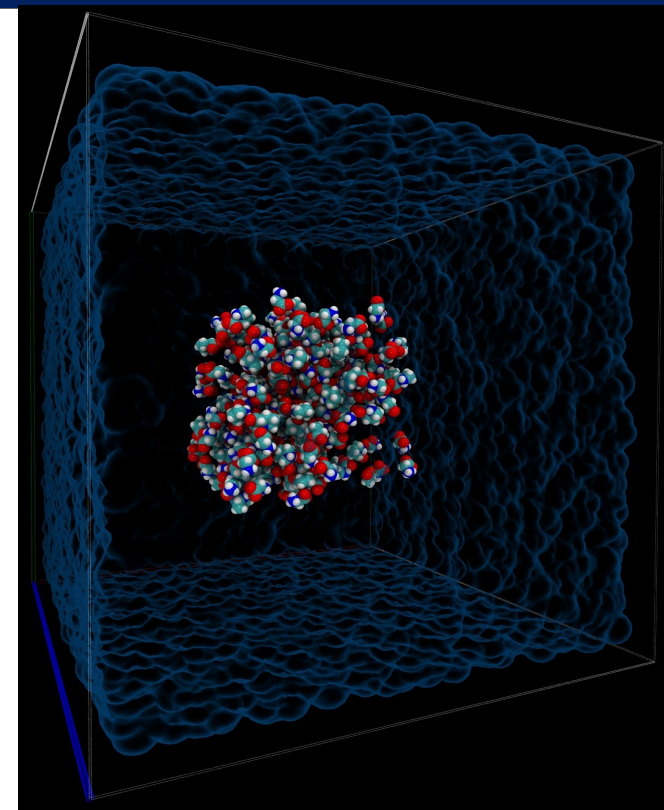
Millan, Tramontina, *et al.*, *Anales MACI* (2013)

Some recent research on collisions



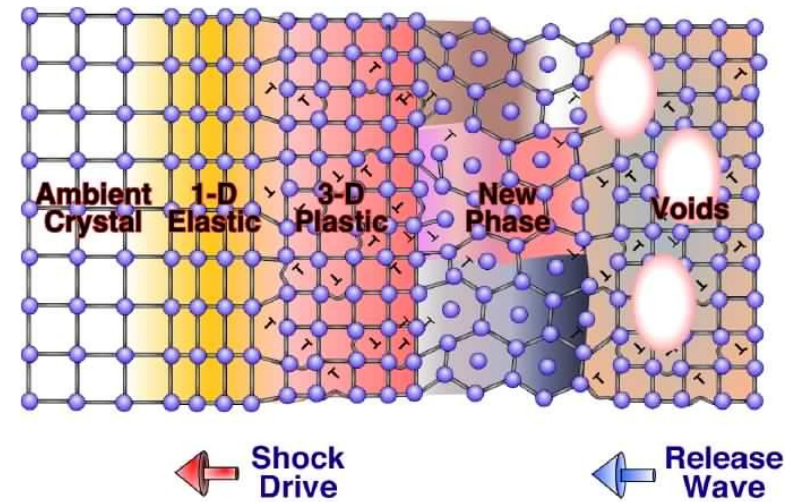
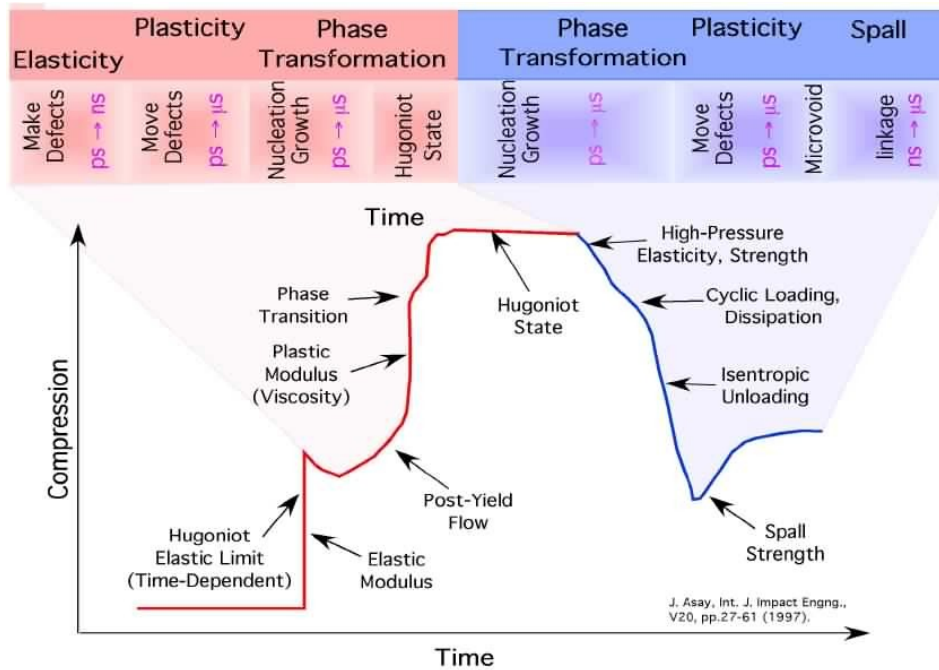
Prebiotic Chemistry within a Simple Impacting Icy Mixture,
Goldman & Tamblyn, J. Phys. Chem. A. (2013)

Shock synthesis of amino acids from impacting cometary and icy planet surface analogues
Martins *et al.*, Nature Geo. (2013)

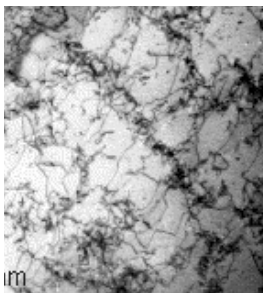


Anders *et al.*: using ReaxFF
100 gly + 100 pro + water →
No reactions for rapid compression
Need slower compression and
better reactive potential.

Collision between two large objects: shock waves

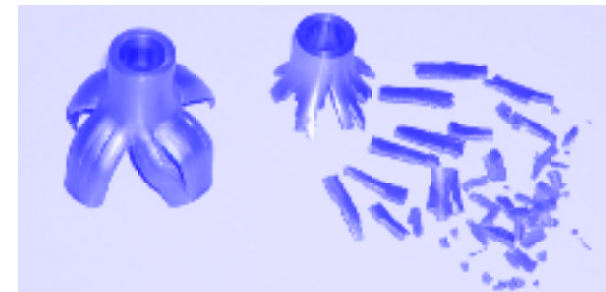


Initial state



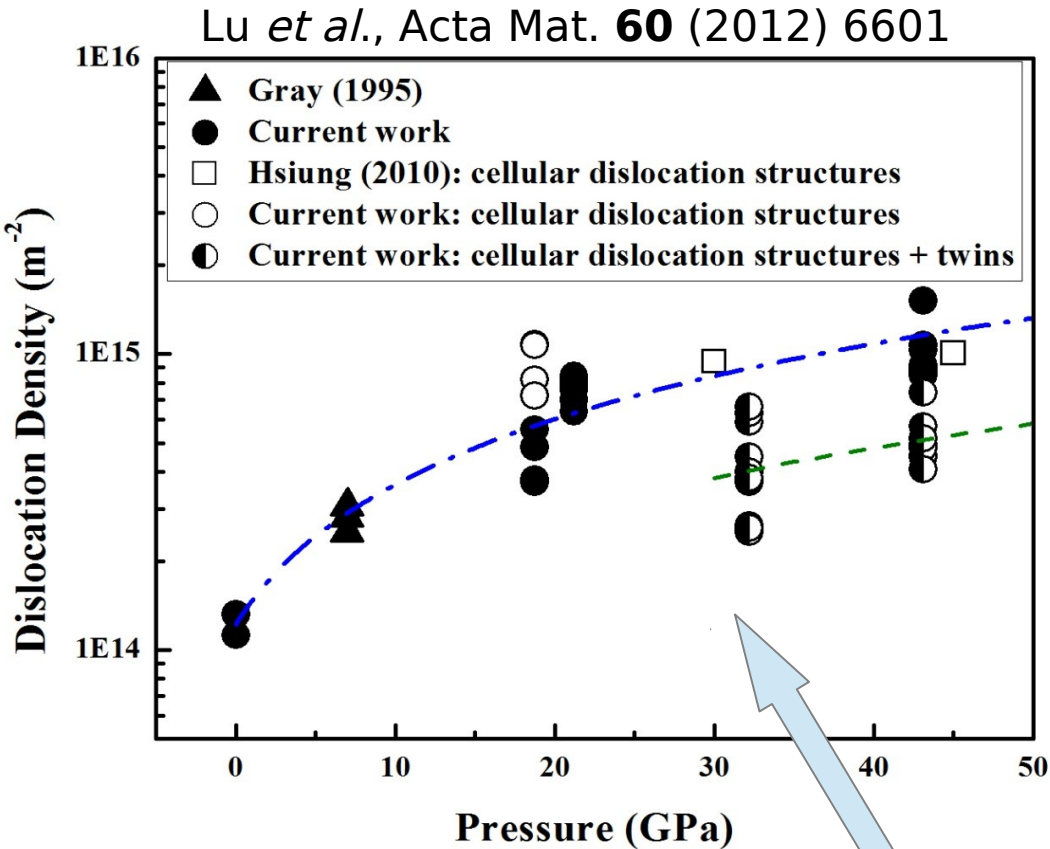
Material response is history dependent, requiring an understanding at all time and length scales

Recovered State

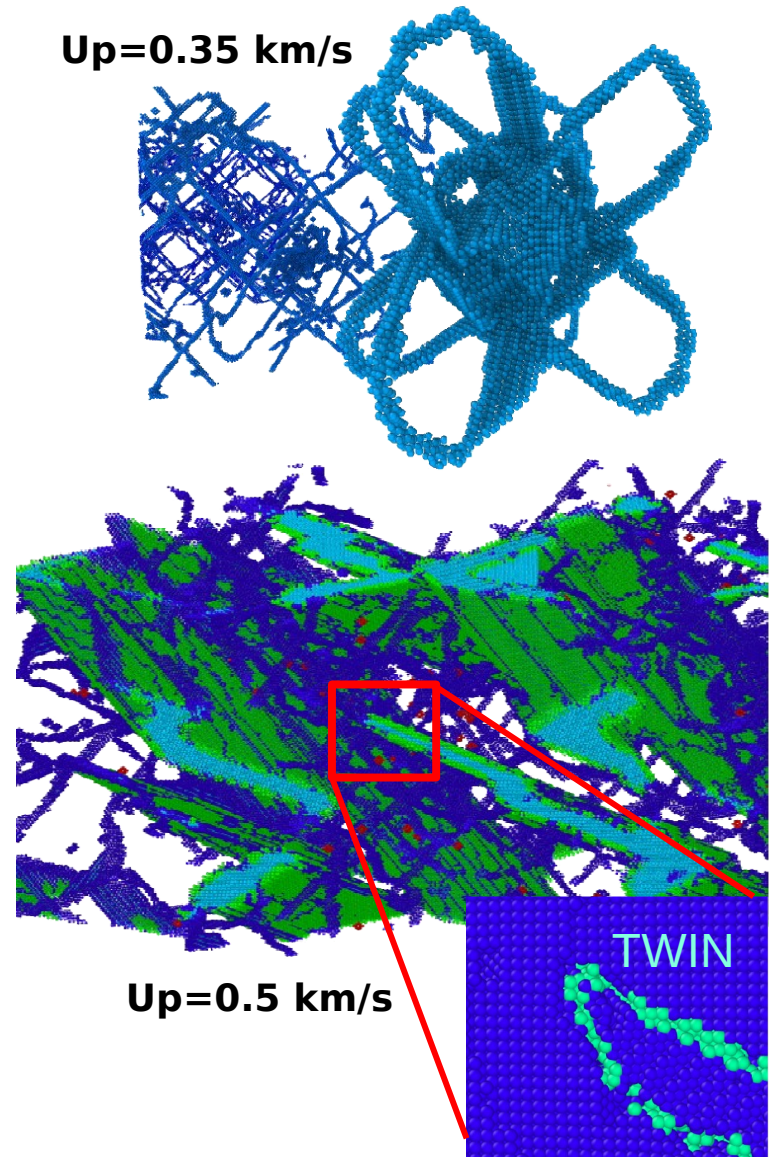


Slip-Twinning transition in Ta

Need to include dislocation-twin interaction in constitutive model, as in Florando *et al.*, JAP 113 (2013) 83522. Would also need twin nucleation model!

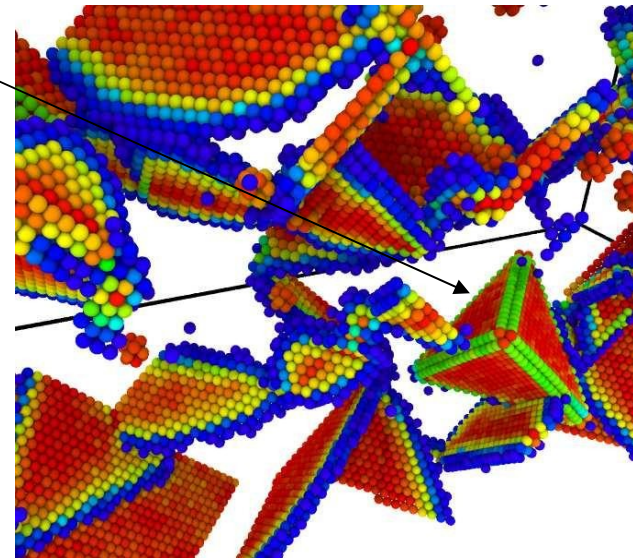
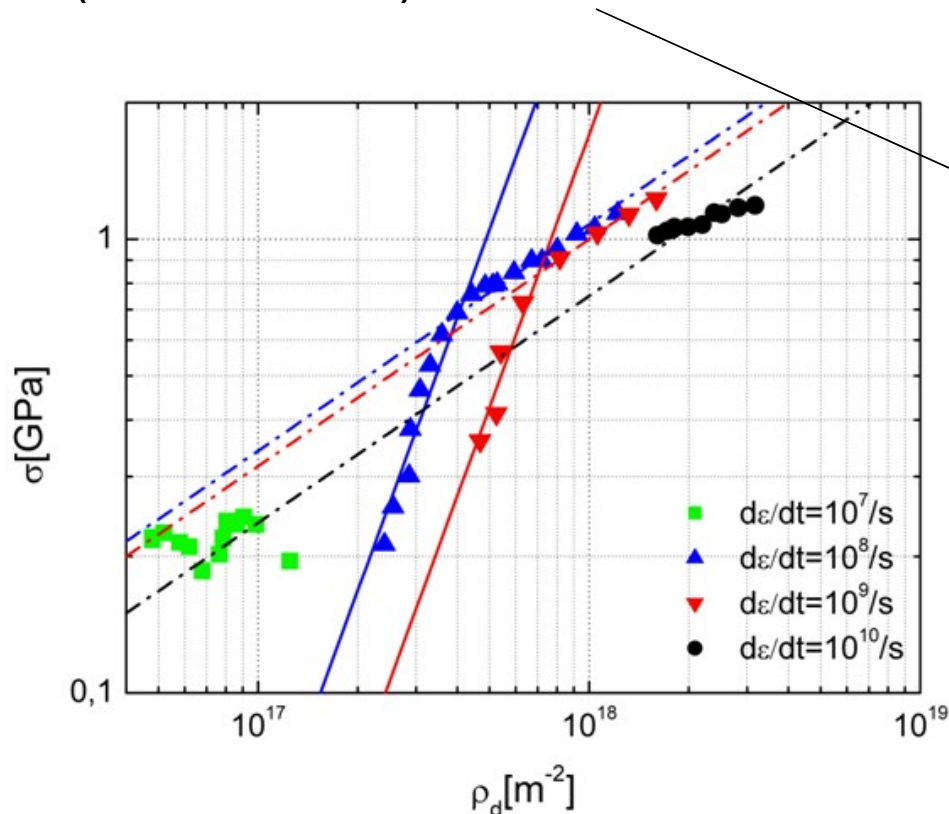


Tramontina *et al.*, HEDP (2013):
[001] shock loading \rightarrow slip-twinning transition at ~ 30 GPa
Twin nucleation: Suggit *et al.*, PRB (2013)



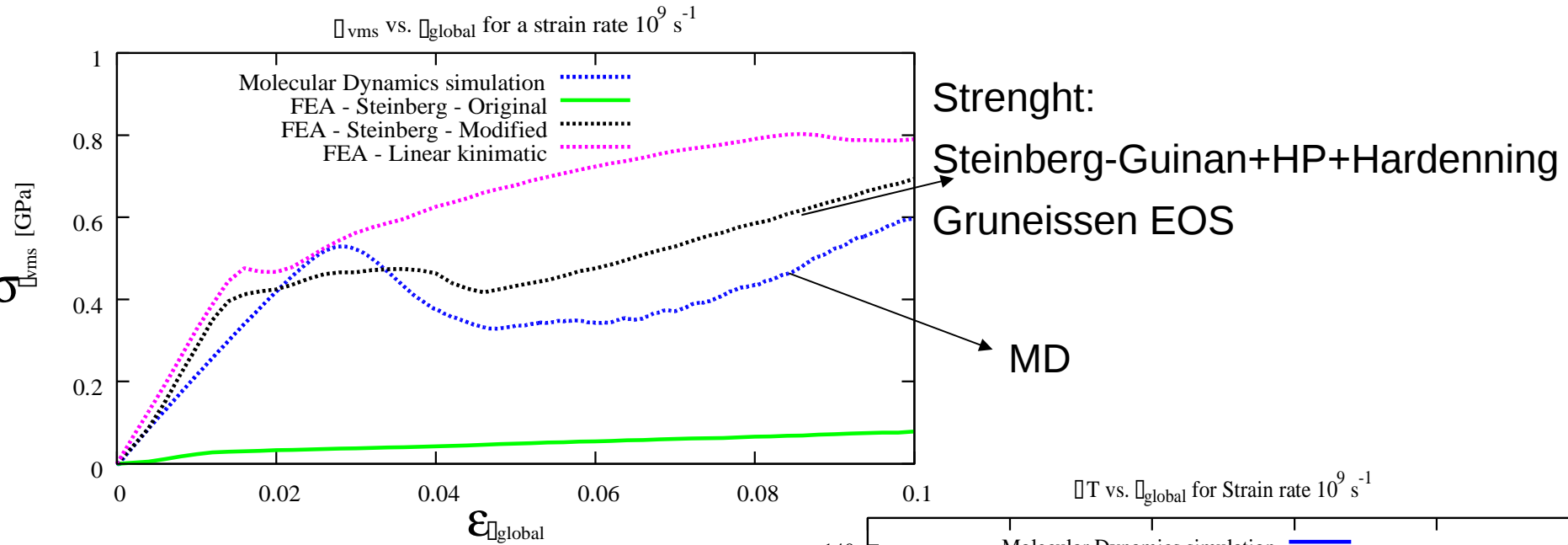
Nanoporous “low” porosity fcc metals under pressure

- Strong strain-rate effects. However, plastic yields for $10^7/s$ and $10^8/s$ are similar. Yield stresses lower than for single void simulations, due to void-void interactions, in agreement with Wu-Markenscoff model.
- Taylor-style hardening only for well developed dislocation forest. ρ (MD) \sim ρ (Exp) at the same strain rates [Milithianakis, Science (2013)].
- Recovery leads to SFTs + vacancies \rightarrow no “dislocation free” plasticity (Kiritani *et al.*)



Rodríguez-Nieva *et al.*,
submitted to Acta Mat. (2014)

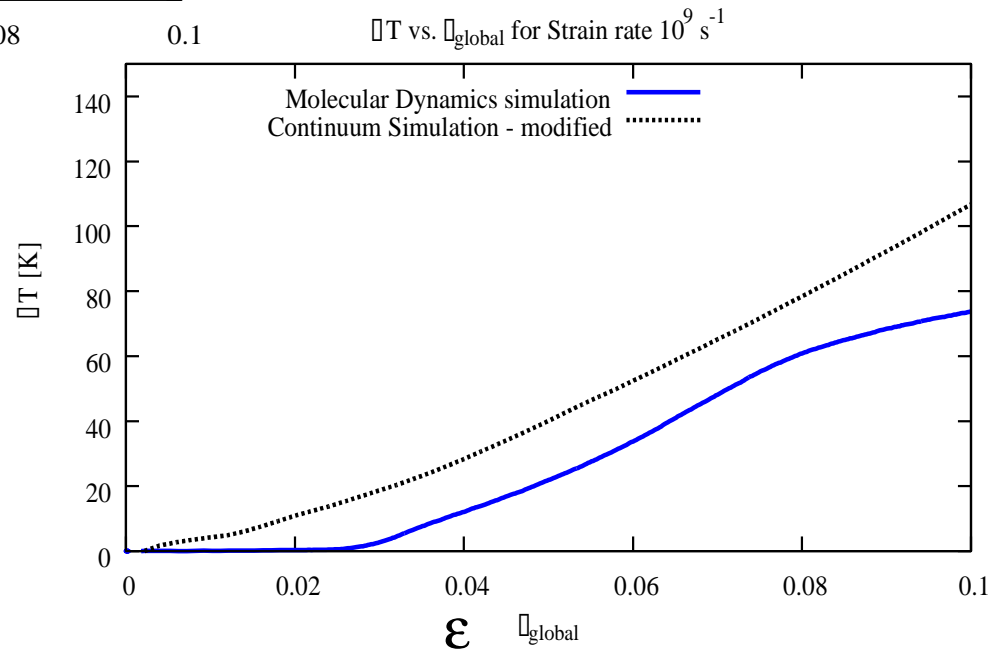
Nanoporous “low” porosity metals: continuum modeling (K. Olney, D. Benson, UCSD). Submitted (2014).



1) Need to modify strenght: use MD result, similar to HP estimates for “filament” between voids.

3) Similar relaxation, hardenning and shear localization.

2) Plastic heating is difficult to describe properly.

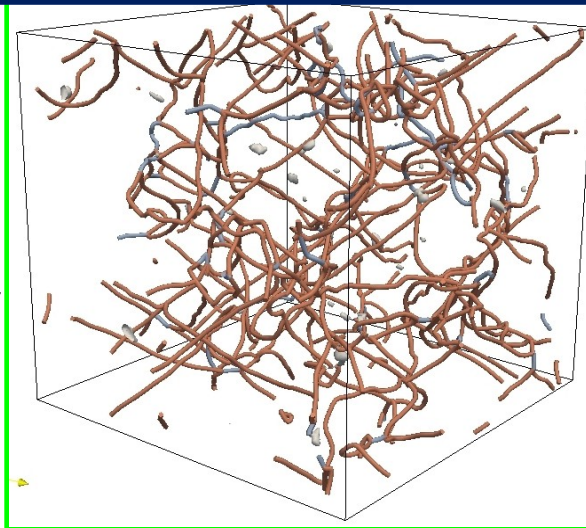


“Recovery” by unloading to zero stress

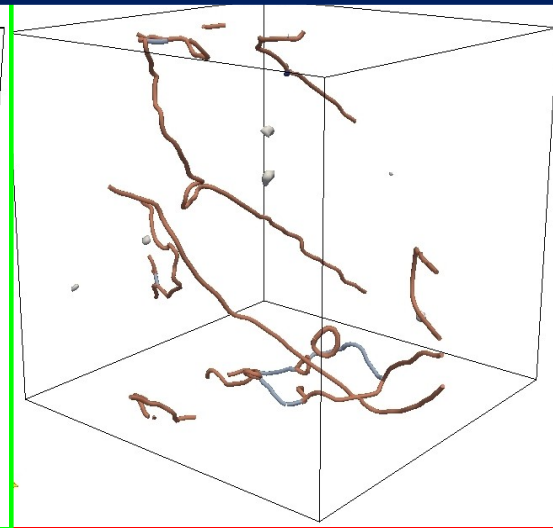
Can we compare our results with experiments?

Possibly, because long-term recovery of the microstructure in bcc samples should relatively minor effects on total density.

Absence of twins in the recovered sample, which can be checked with X-ray diffraction and agrees with results by Florando et al., JAP (2013).



$$\dot{\epsilon} = 10^9 \text{ s}^{-1}$$
$$\rho \sim 5 \cdot 10^{16} / \text{m}^2$$



$$\dot{\epsilon} = 10^8 \text{ s}^{-1}$$
$$\rho \sim 8 \cdot 10^{15} / \text{m}^2$$

Density decreases by factor ~3.

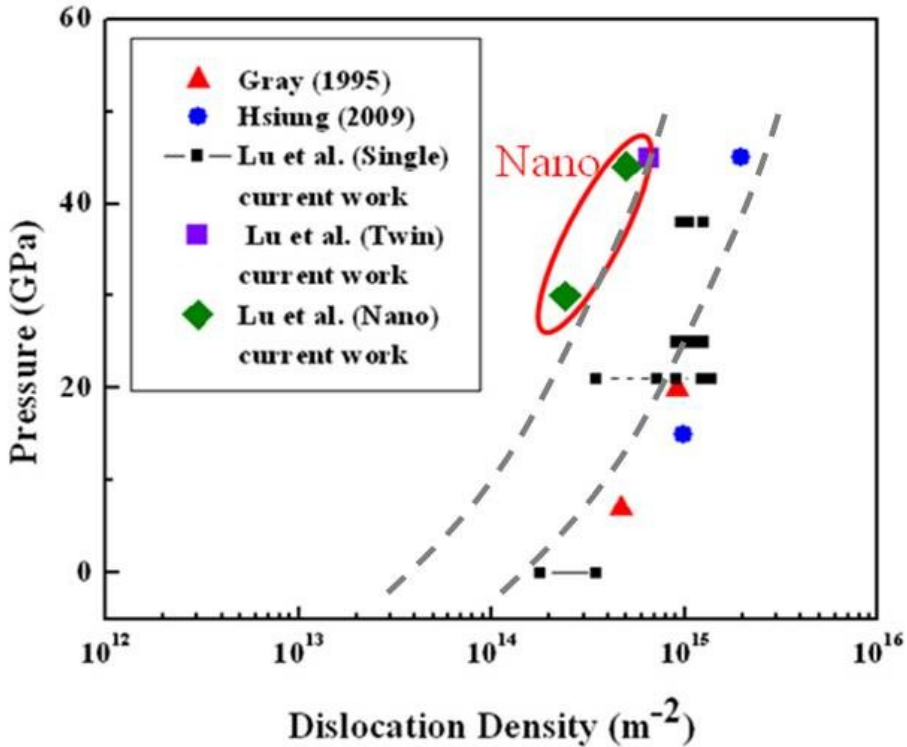
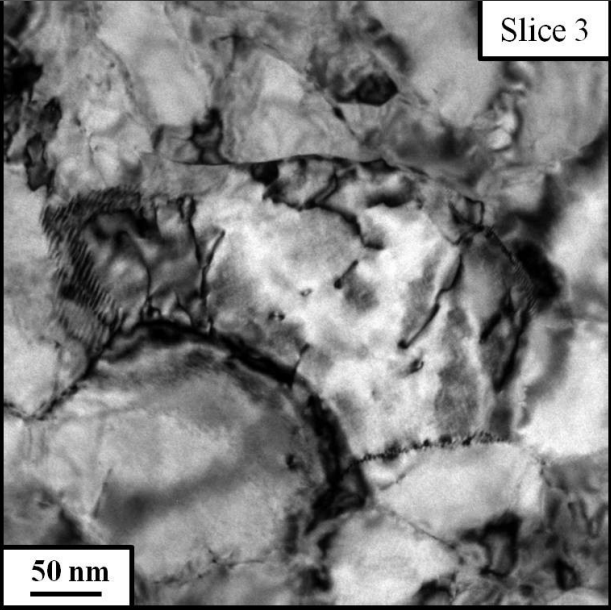
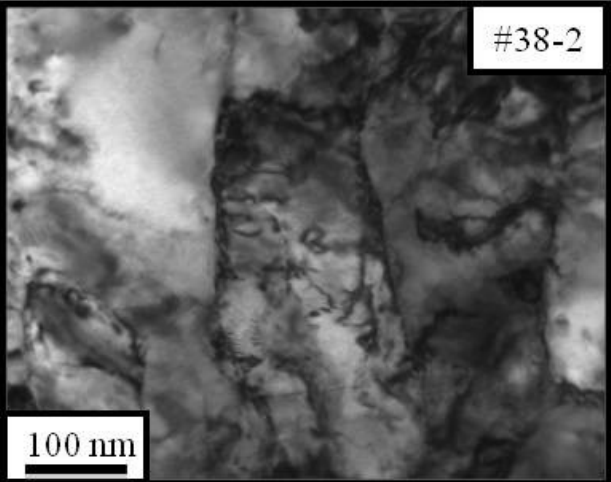
In fcc metals decreases by factor 10-100

Challenge:

synthesis/fabrication of nanoporous bcc sample.

Could we use sample with incipient spall or radiation damage?

Nanocrystalline Tantalum: lower dislocation and twin densities

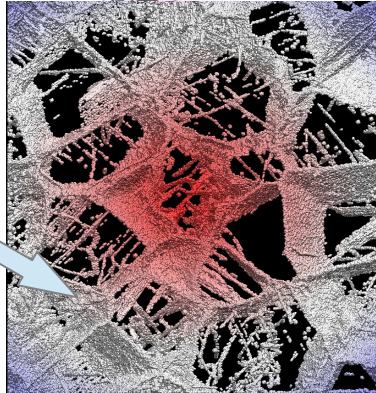
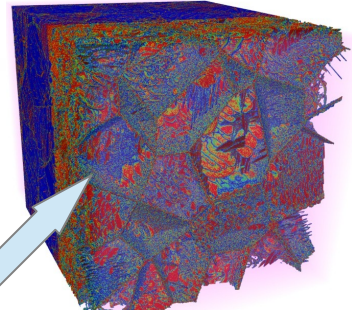


Nano is different!

MD: lower dislocation density in nc
FCC:

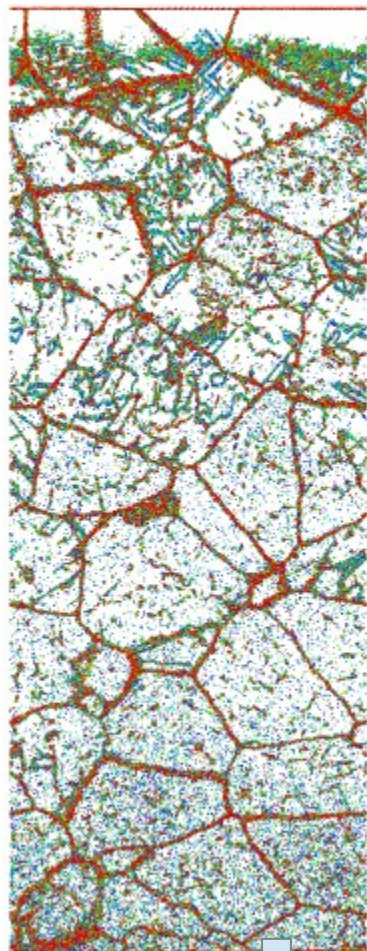
Bringa *et al.*, Science **309** (2005) 1838.
 Jarmakani *et al.* Acta Mat. 56 (2008) 5584

BCC:
 Tang *et al.*, MSE A **580** (2013) 414.
 Tramontina *et al.*, in preparation (2013).

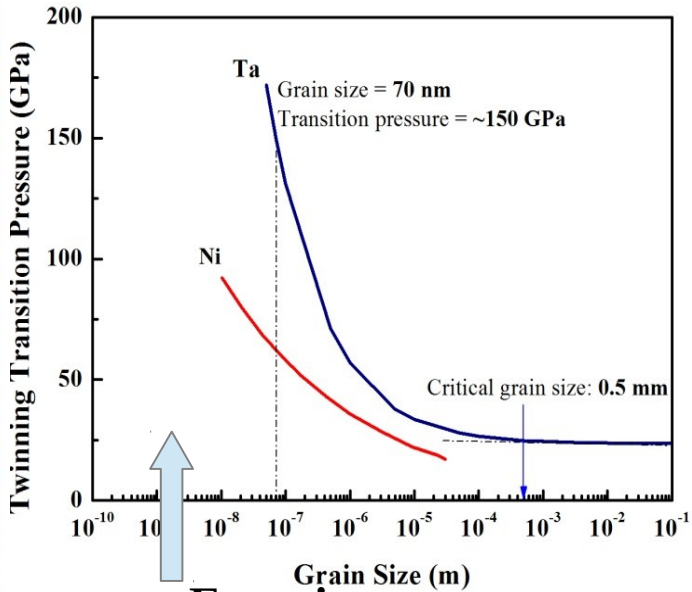


Nanocrystalline Ta: twinning and dislocations

E. Hanhn (UCSD), D. Tramontina (U.N. Cuyo), T. Germann (LANL)

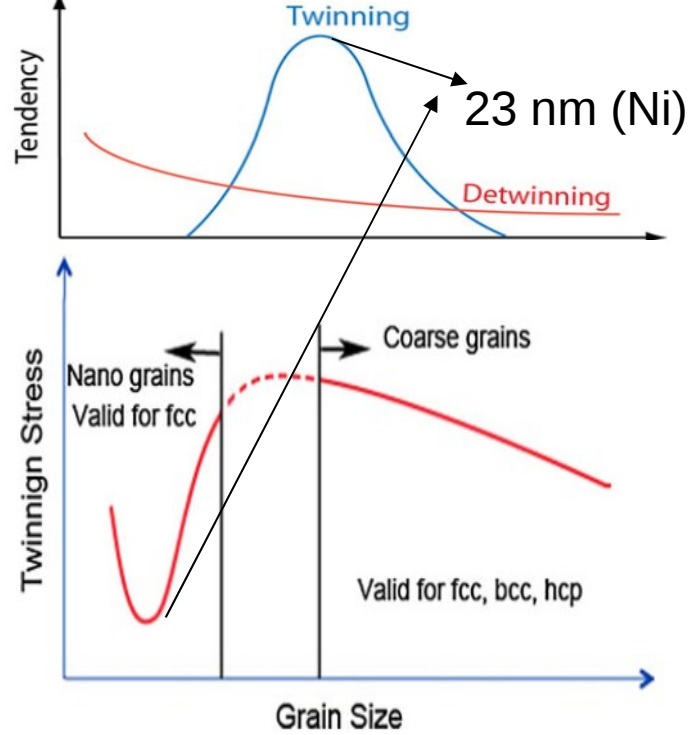


Hall-Petch for twinning



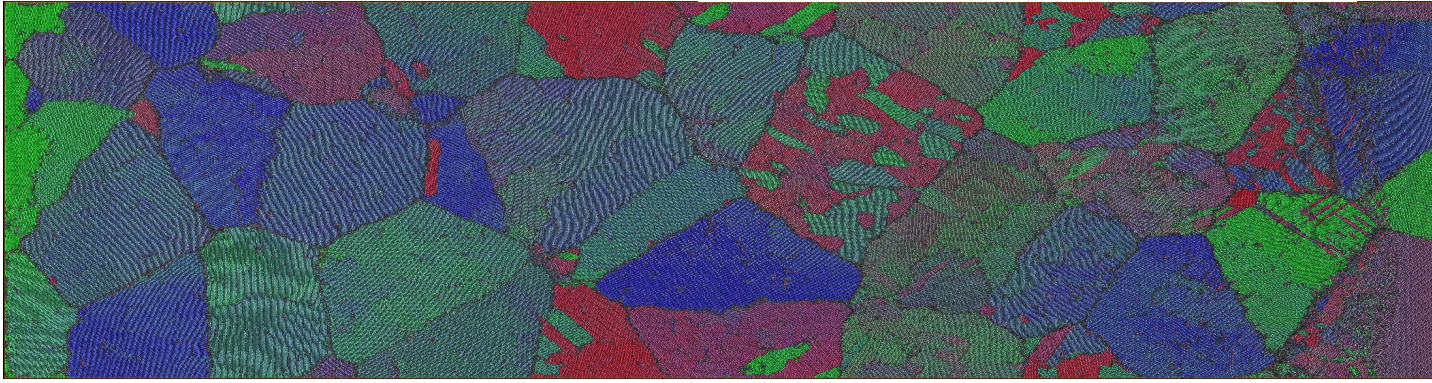
Experiment:
No twins for Ta $d \sim 70$ nm
Lu *et al.* MSE A (2013)

FCC: exp + model by Zhu *et al.*
J. Mater Sci (2013) 48, 4467

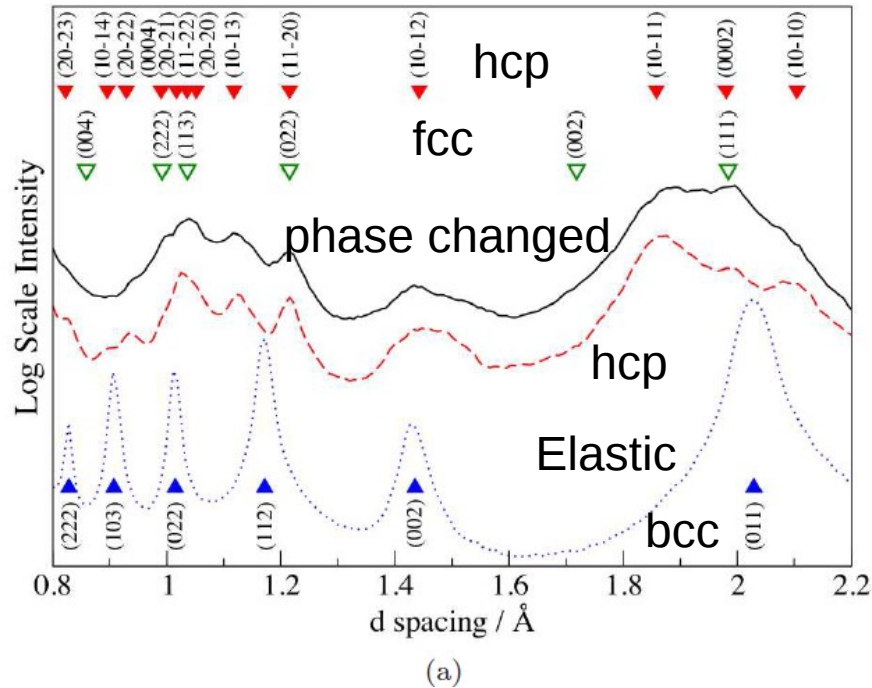


MD: $d \sim 5-30$ nm

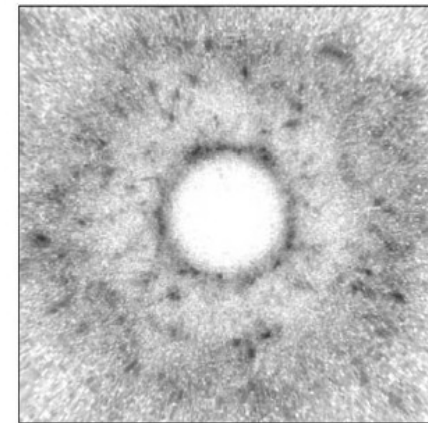
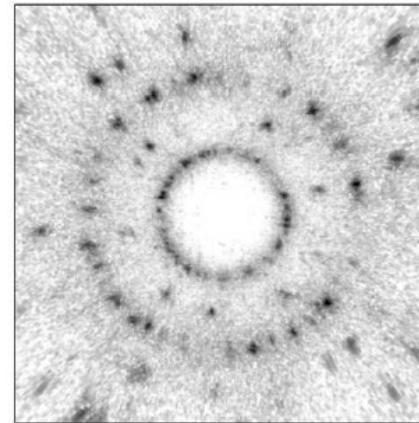
Inverse Hall-Petch
for twinning



Novel simulated XRD processing for polycrystal simulations (J. Wark's group, University of Oxford) PRB (2014)



Experimental geometry: 50 × 50 mm film, placed 30 mm in transmission, 8.05 keV (Cu K α) X-rays, perpendicular to the film.

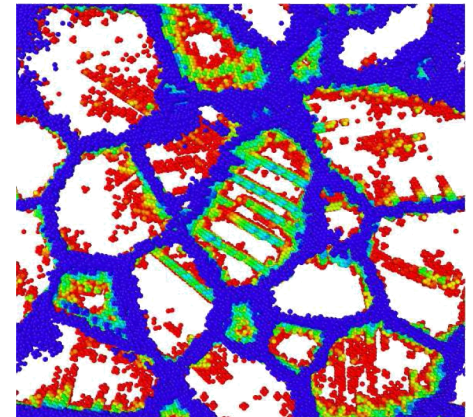


(b) unshocked

(c) phase changed

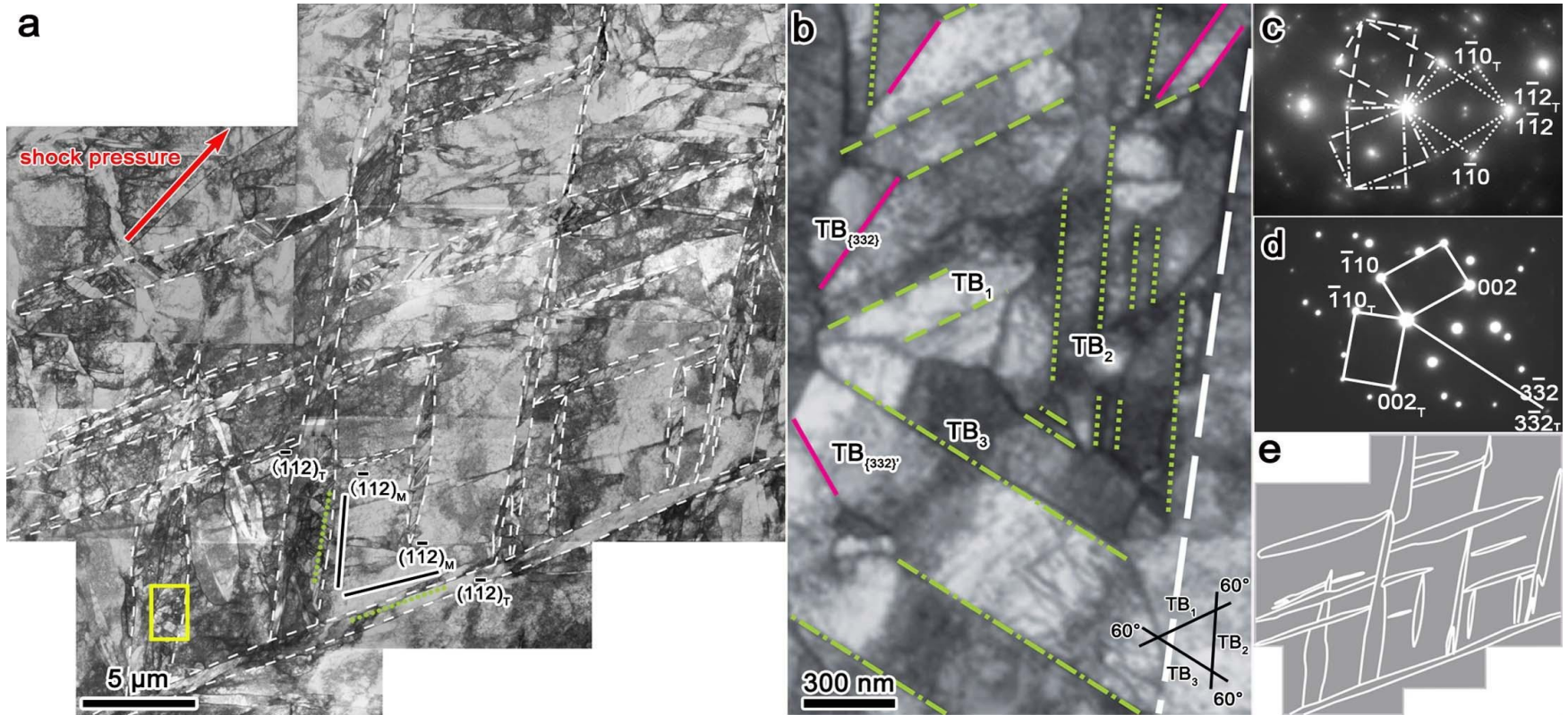
Simulated XRD agrees with existing experimental results for micron-sized polycrystals: there is almost no evidence for fcc phase in diffraction.

Time for phase change is extremely short (~ 50 - 100 ps). Could it be measured in experiments similar to the one in Milithianaki *et al*, Science **342**, 220 (2013), for Cu 1D \rightarrow 3D relaxation (~ 100 ps)?

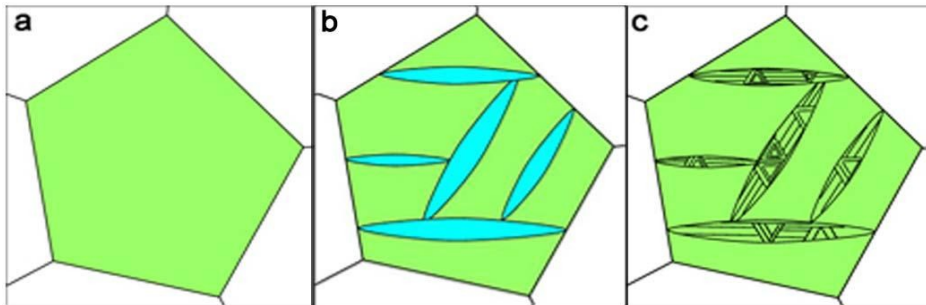


Twins in recovered samples

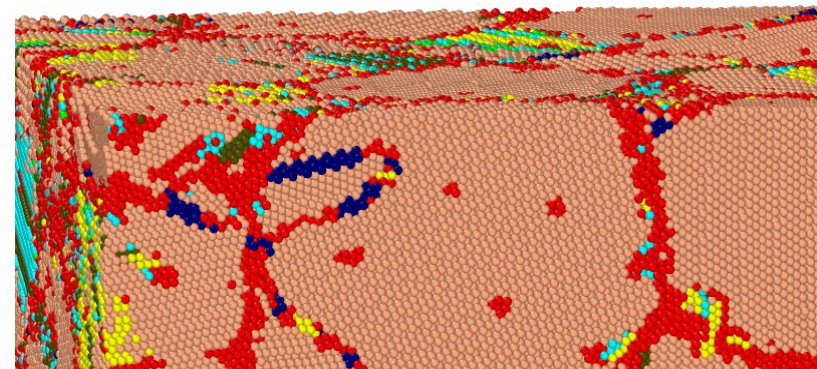
Wang *et al.*,
Sci. Rep. 3, 1086 (2013)



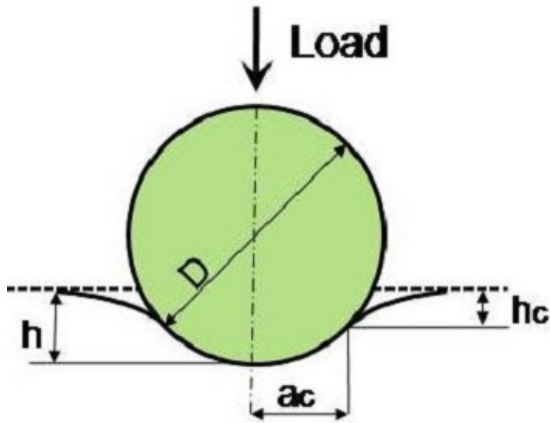
Schematic illustration of the $\alpha \rightarrow \varepsilon \rightarrow \alpha$ transformations



MD: Tramontina, Gunkelmann, *et al.*

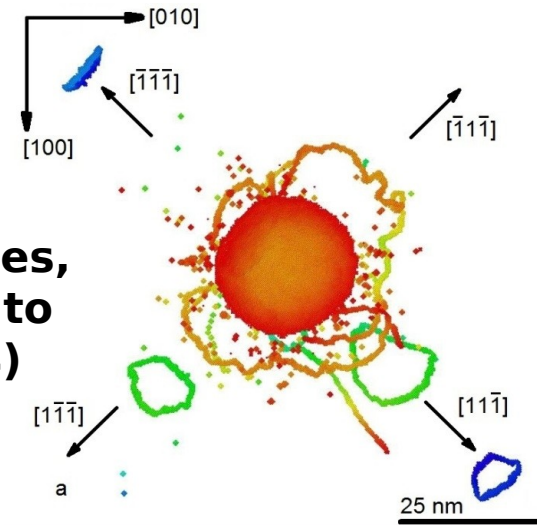


Nanodureza: colisiones con una superficie a 3-30 m/s

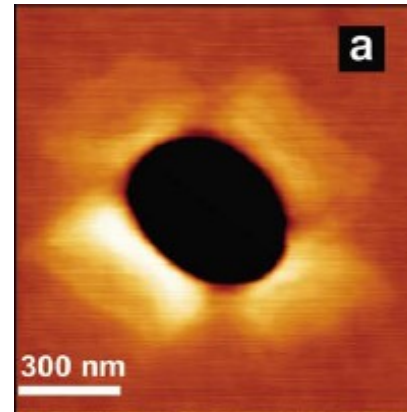


¿Qué es la dureza/nanodureza?
La *dureza* es la resistencia de un material a ser rayado o penetrado, por lo cual estamos midiendo la cohesión entre los átomos del material.

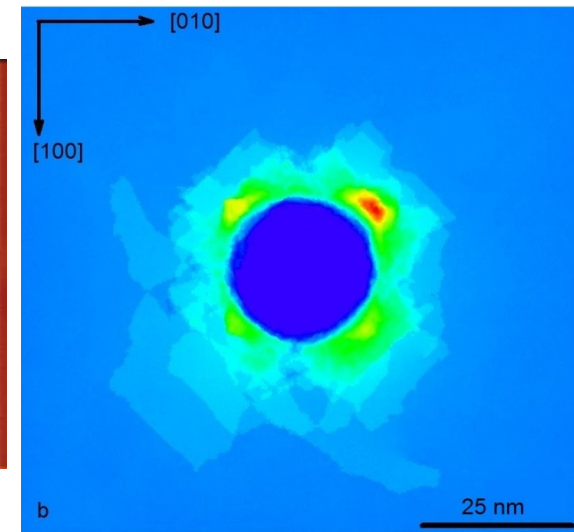
Dislocaciones determinan promontorios



Remington, Ruestes, *et al.*, submitted to Acta Mat. (2014)

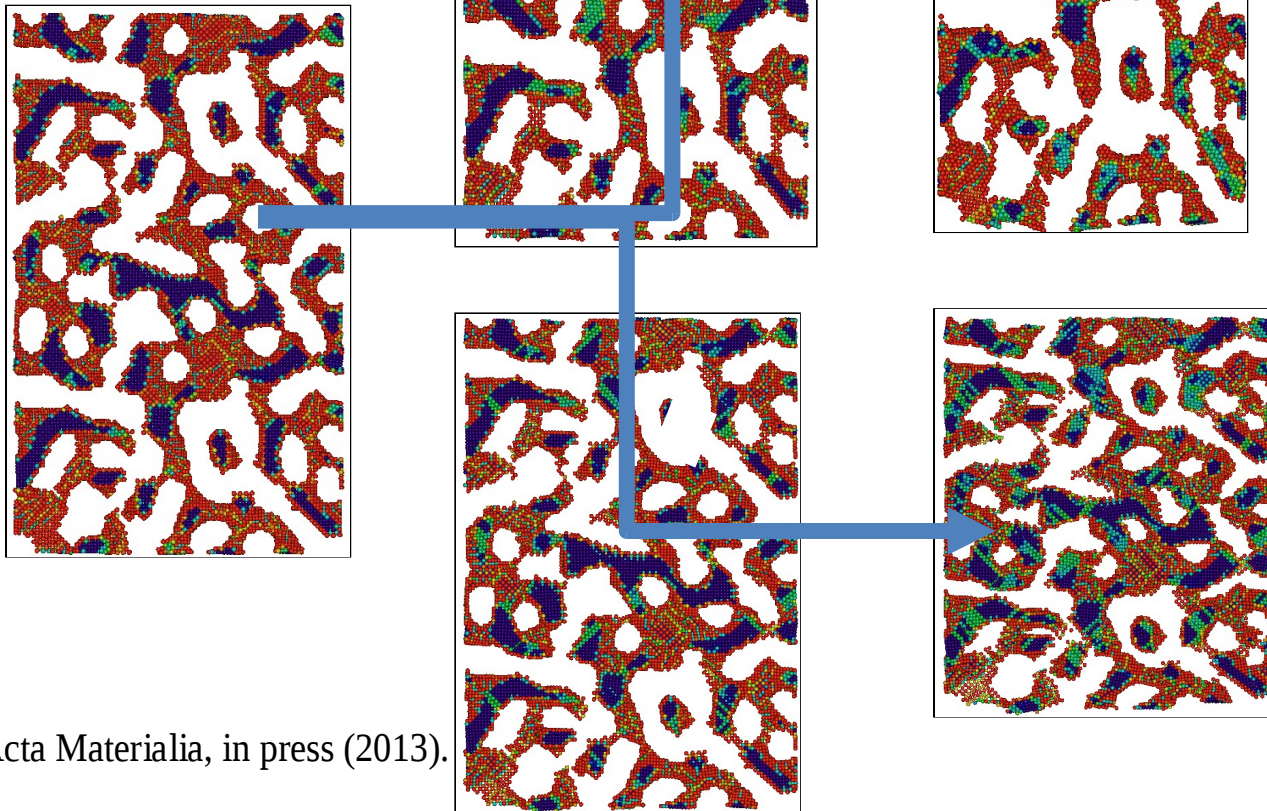


Biener *et al.*
PRB 76 (2007)
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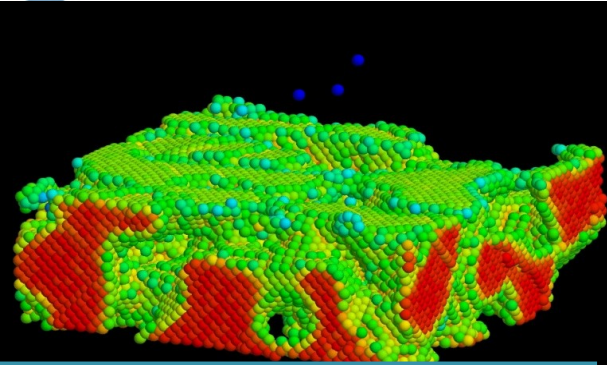


Another example of interesting mechanical properties: High Porosity Nanofoams

Structural changes under both tension and compression



Simulaciones/experimentos for nanoespumas



I) Bombardeo con iones rapidos.

Rodriguez-Nieva *et al.*, Astrophysical J. Letters (2012).

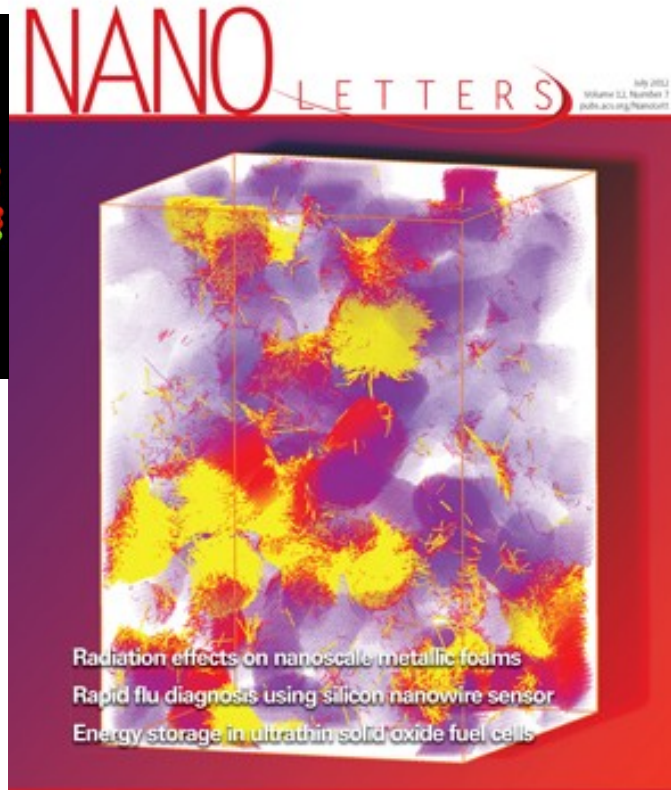
ICB/Uva/NASA/LANL

II) Modelo basado en geometria de nanoporos

Rodriguez-Nieva & Bringa, NIMB (2013).

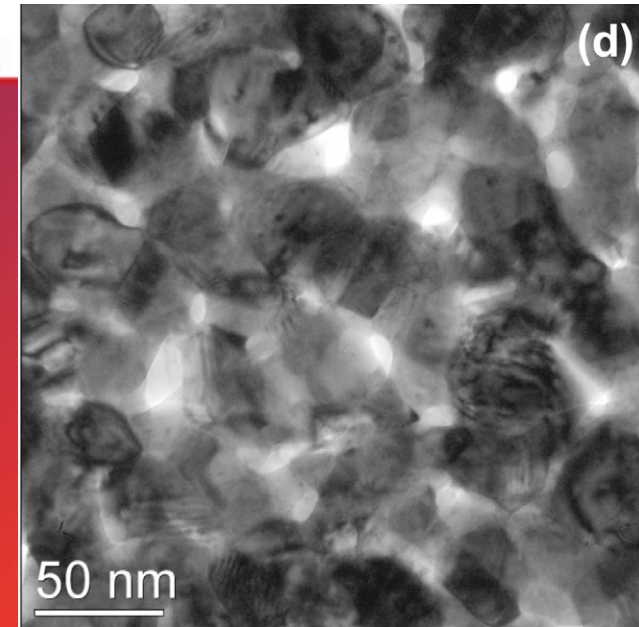
III) Bombardeo con iones de keV, Anders, Bringa & Urbassek, a enviarse (2014).

ICB/TUK



Espuma de Au. 5 bombardeos. Color: desplazamientos debidos al bombardeo (rojo= mas de 1.65 nm).

Bringa *et al.*, Nano Letters (2012) ICB/LANL/VaTech



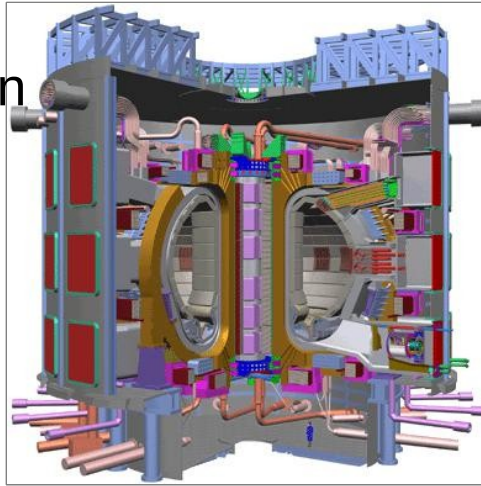
Espuma de Au 400 keV Ne (0.0035 dpa/s), mostrando bordes de grano, maclas y fallas de apilamiento tetrahedricas (SFT) debidas a irradiacion. **Fu *et al.*, APL (2012).**

LANL/LLNL/ICB

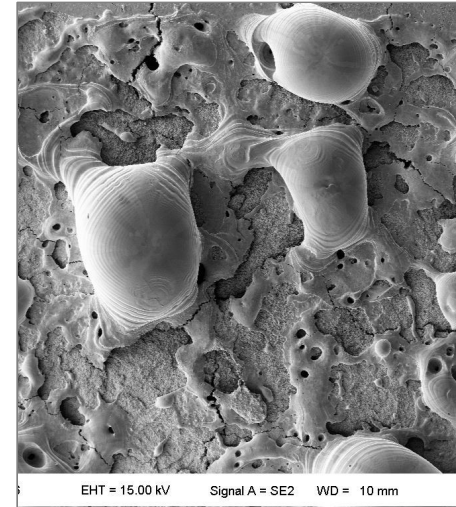
Materiales para reactores de fusión

P. Piaggi (I. Sabato), R. Pasianot (CAC), R. Arrabal, N. Gordillo (UPM)

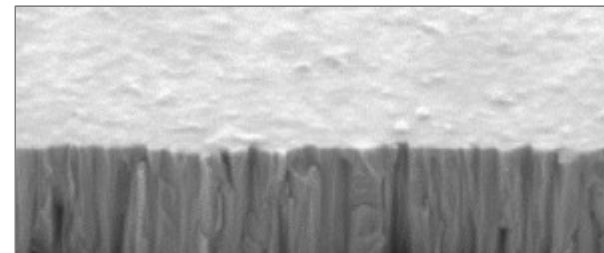
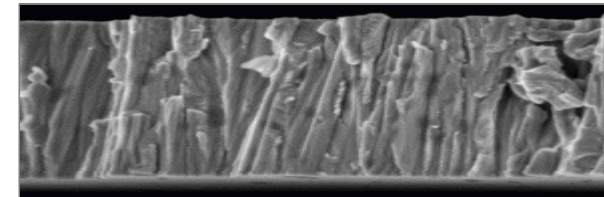
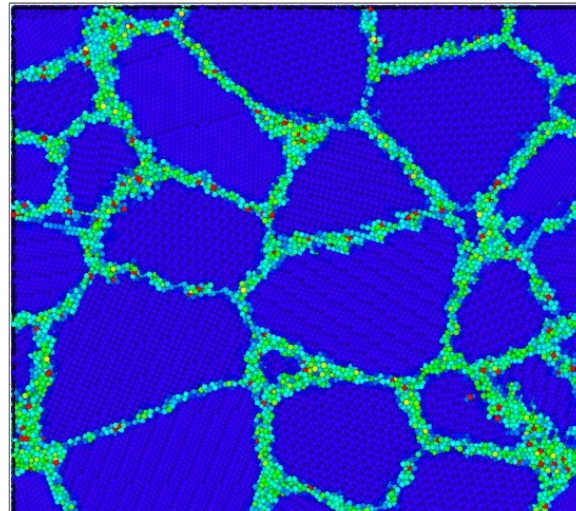
Los futuros reactores de fusión nuclear serán una fuente de energía sustentable y no contribuirán al calentamiento global.



Entre los desafíos tecnológicos actuales se encuentra hallar materiales que toleren el ambiente severo del reactor.



Los nanomateriales presentan mayor dureza y resistencia a la radiación que sus contrapartes convencionales. Actualmente se está investigando el uso de tungsteno nanocristalino.



On going work in our group (MD+MC)



SiMAF

Simulaciones en Materiales Astrofísica y Física

- **High pressure (shocks and DAC):** Cu, Ta, W, Zr, diamond, BMGs, organics, etc. (LLNL, LANL, UCSD, Oxford, T. U. Kaiserslautern, Florida St. U., Sweden, etc.).
- **Irradiation of materials with particles and lasers (reactors, astrophysics, etc.):** foams, nanowires, nanocrystals, etc. (LANL, T.U. Kaiserslautern, U. Helsinki, U. Chile, U. Pol. Madrid, MIT, U.Va, CAB).
- **Mechanical properties** (tension, compression, fracture, **nanoindentation**): nanocrystals (including impurities like H), porous materials, Bulk Metallic Glasses, granular materials, etc. (LANL, T.U. Kaiserslautern, Va. Tech, UCSD, CAB).
- **Thermodynamics of nanosystems:** nanoparticles, nanofilms, nanotubes, etc. (U. Catolica de Chile, U. Comahue, CAB).
- **Other lines:** (I) **Biology:** ecosystem modeling (CCT-Mendoza), (II) **Computer Science:** GPUs [data processing (Oxford), MD (T.U. Kaiserslautern), images (FUESMEN), CA and ABM (UNSL, UNC)].

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Computadoras son una herramienta esencial pero Argentina tiene clusters escala “nano”



Nanotecnología: nuevos procesadores con nanocircuitos

Cluster: conjunto de computadoras interconectadas para cálculos en paralelo.

Argentina: 1 de 2000? cores (Giol), 2 de 600 cores (UNC/CNEA), ~20 clusters con ~100-300 cores. “Cristina”, UNC 560 cores. →

Cluster ICB-ITIC, 160 cores/7 GPUs; Admin: E. Millán (CONICET)



Titan, 300000 CPU cores, 20000 GPUs K20 (ORNL, USA).

Top 500 Mundial: entre 150000 y 3.2 millones de cores. <http://www.top500.org/>

GPUs: nueva manera de calcular, ecológicas y “económicas”

GPU (Graphics Processing Unit): placa de video para procesamiento de gráficos. Videojuegos/aplicaciones 3D. Calculo científico utiliza arquitectura optimizada para procesamiento paralelo.

