



Two scale modelling of wear and oxidation processes



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Materials and their applications

FUNCTIONAL NANOCOMPOSITE COATINGS
 Nanocomposite TiC/a-C(:H) coatings
 MoS₂-Ti- coatings
 Oxide coatings -V₂O₅,
 Functionally graded materials (FGM)
 Cu-Al₂O₃- systems, Al₂O₃-NiAl

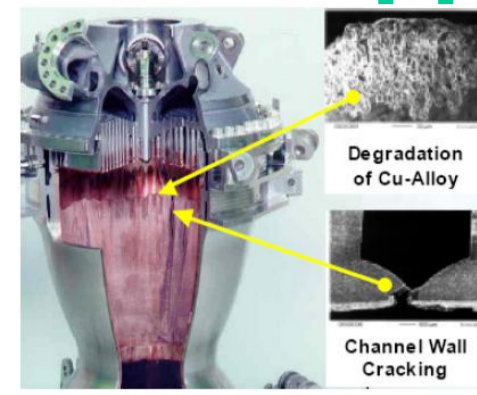
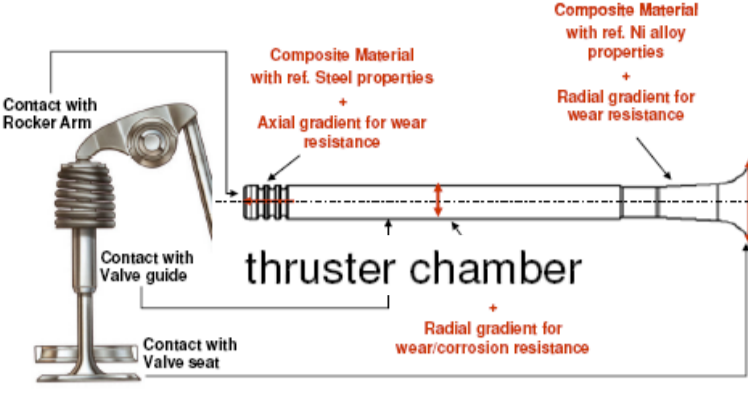
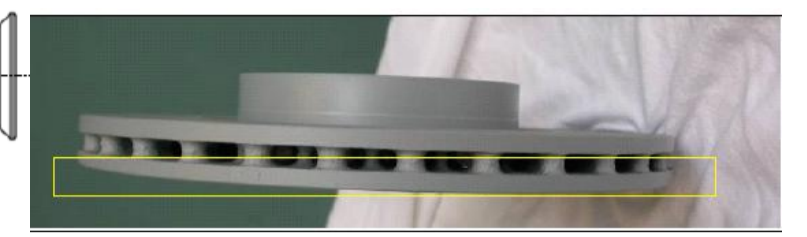


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thruster chamber



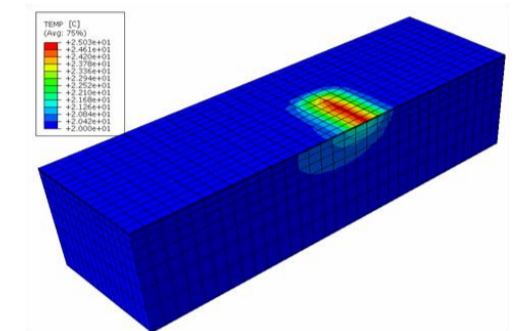
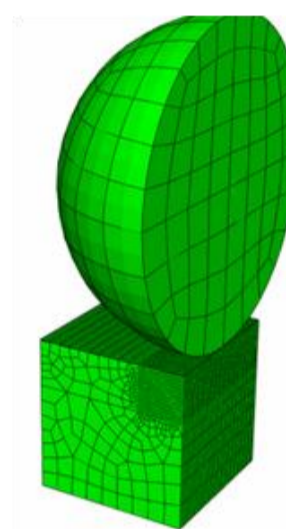
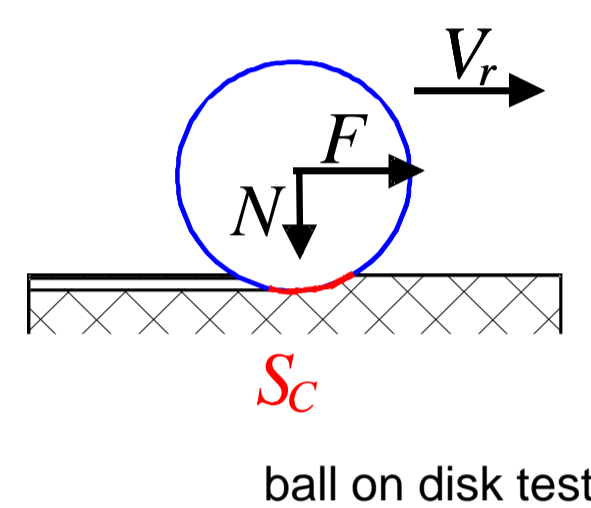
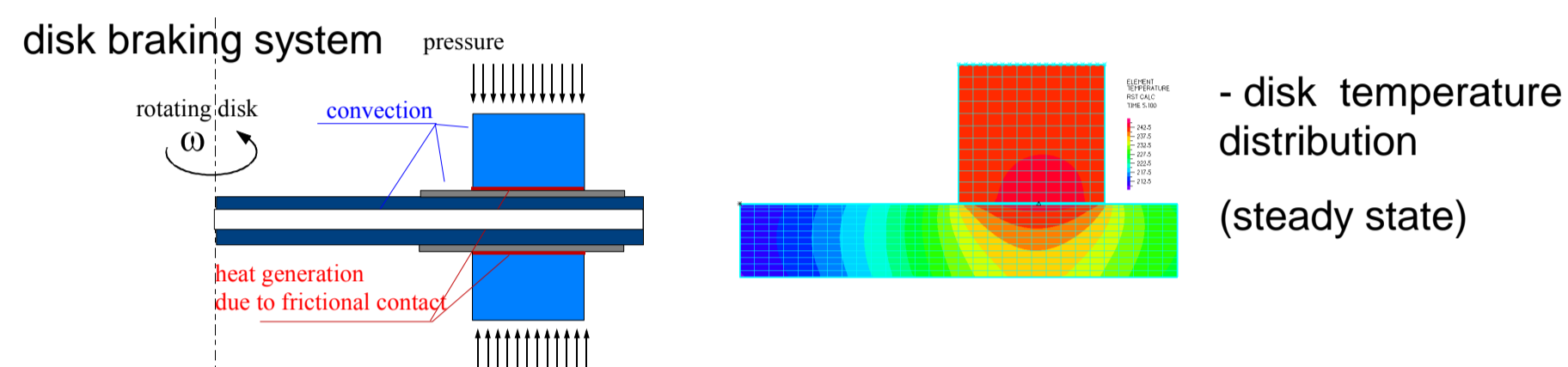
exhaust engine valve



Brake disk

Macroscopic scale

Thermo-mechanical analysis of coupled wear –oxidation and temperature field at transient and steady state

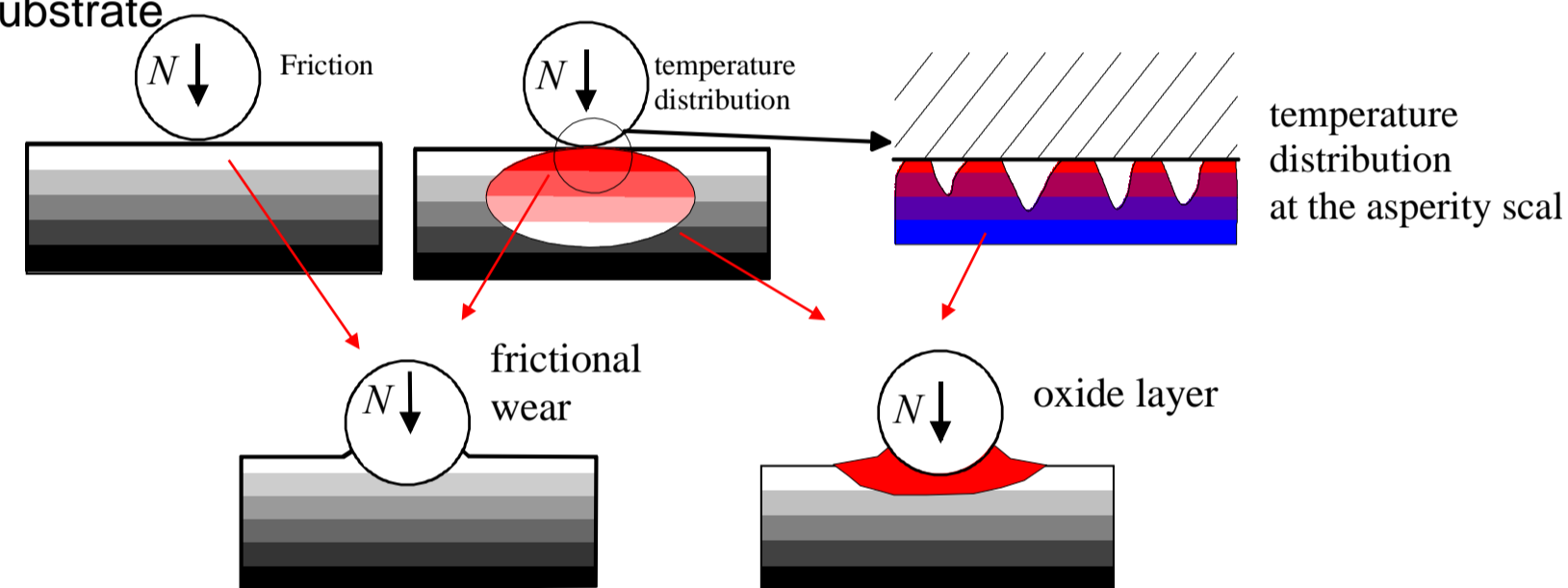
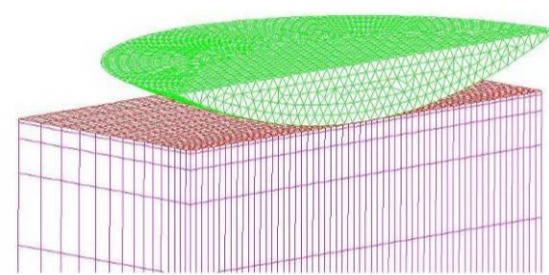


Wear process modified Archard law

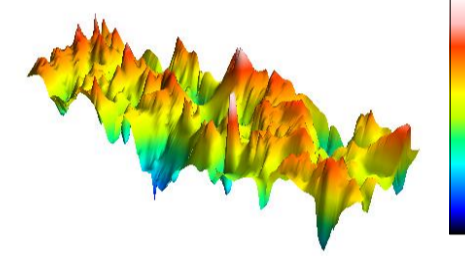
$$\dot{w}_i = \frac{\beta}{H} (\langle \mu \rangle \sigma_n) \|v_r\|$$

Wear-oxidation model – two-scale approximation

Macroscopic scale:
 sliding on the smooth frictional substrate
 ball on disk; braking system



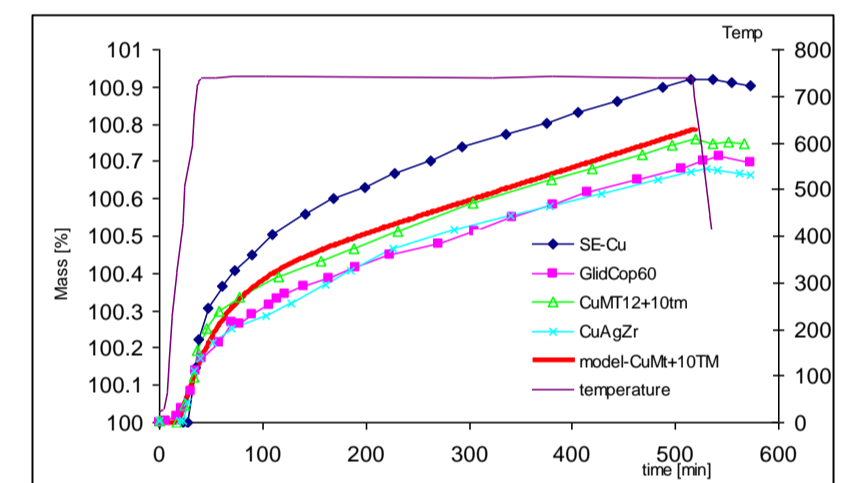
Asperity scale



roughness, real contact area
 flash temperature at the asperity from heat flux balance equation

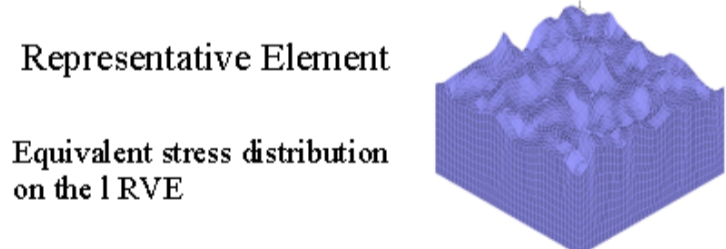
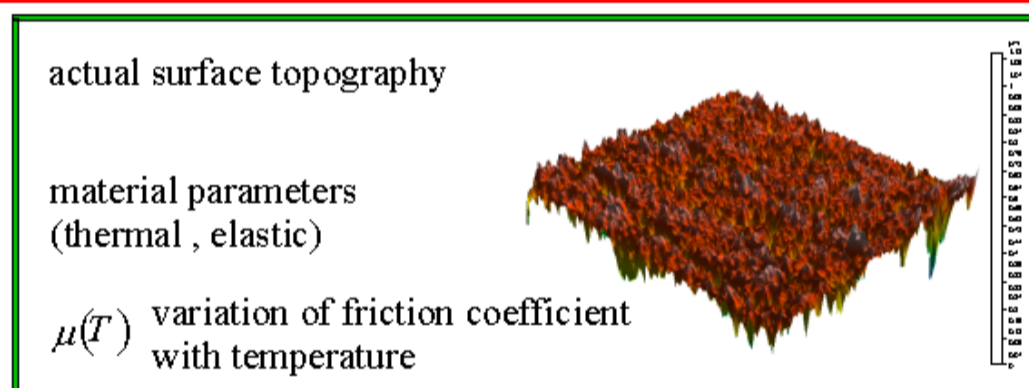
Model of oxidation kinetics FGM (thruster, brake disk)

TGA - thermo-gravimetric analysis

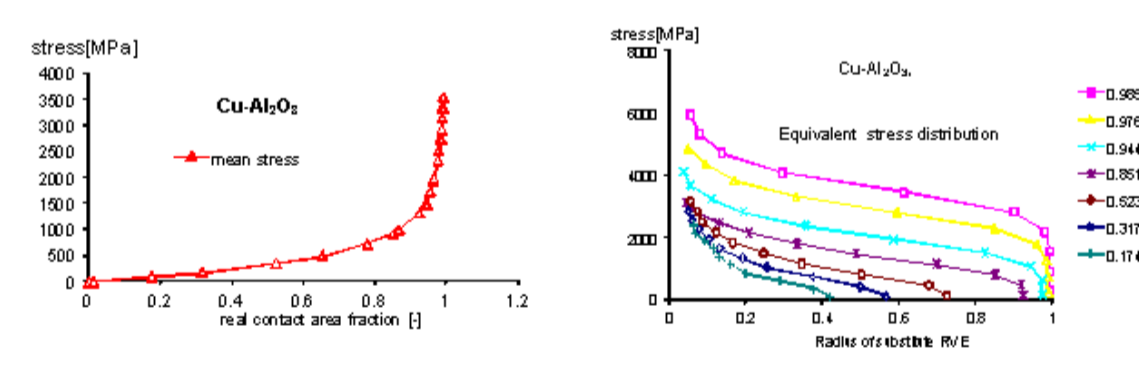


$$\dot{m} = A(T) \left(\mu_f + (A_i - A_f) \exp(-A_3 t) \right)$$

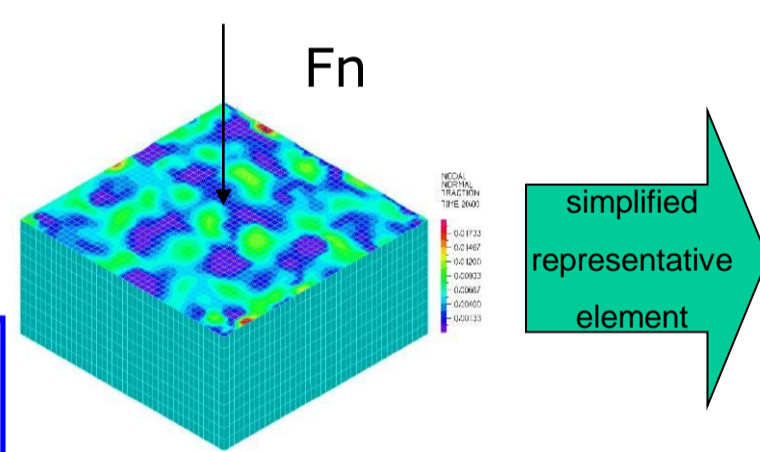
Input data



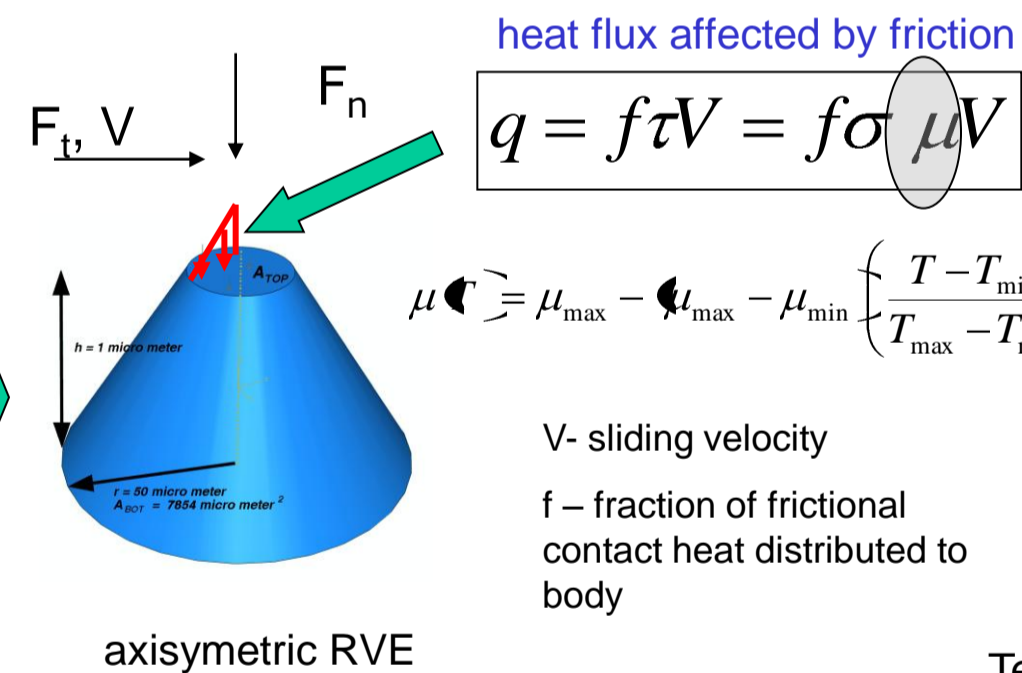
FEM contact analysis at asperity scale



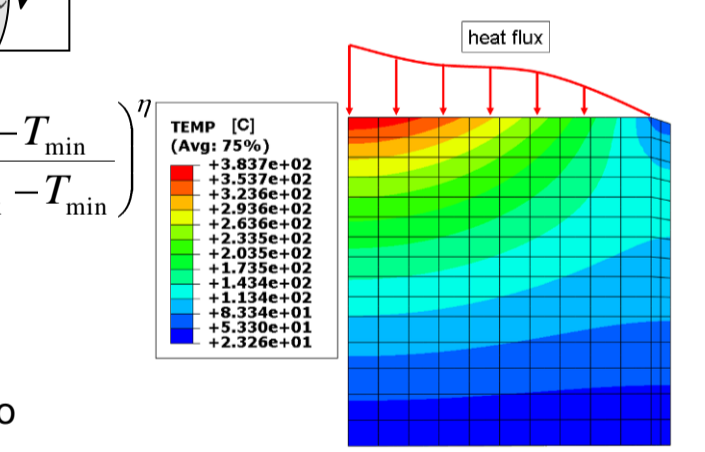
Asperity scale



Stress distribution



axisymmetric RVE

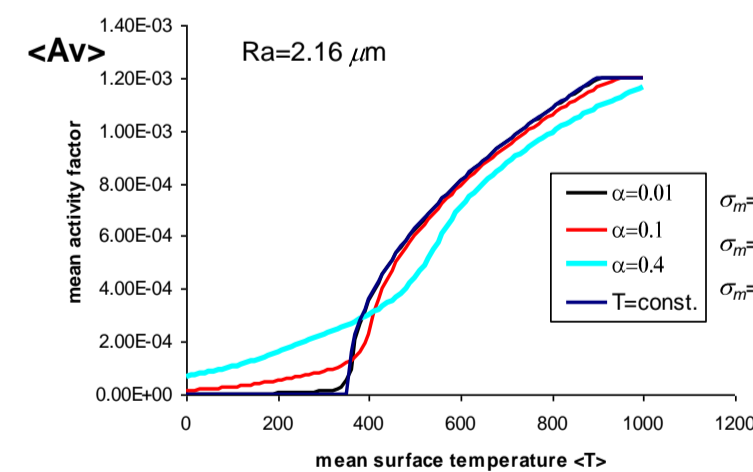


Temperature distribution within representative element

Averaged oxidation activity factor

$$\langle A \rangle = A \langle \sigma \rangle = \frac{1}{S} \int A \langle \sigma \rangle dS = 2 \int_0^1 A(T) r dr$$

$$A(T) = \begin{cases} 0 & T < T_{min} \\ A_0 \left(\frac{T(r) - T_{min}}{T_{max} - T_{min}} \right)^k & T_{min} \leq T \leq T_{max} \\ A_0 & T > T_{max} \end{cases}$$

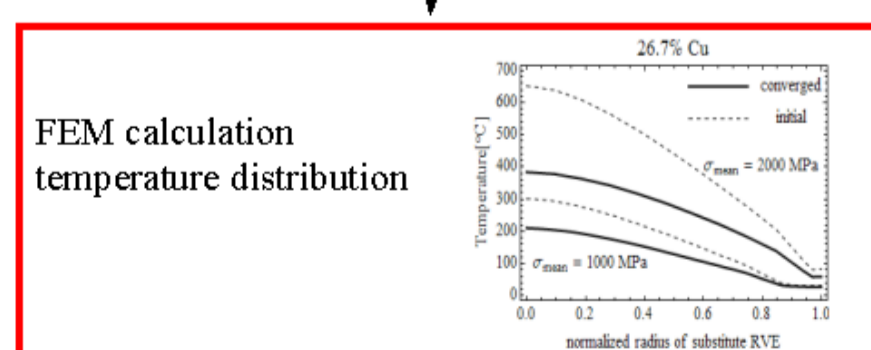


Averaged friction coefficient

$$\langle \mu \rangle = \frac{F_t}{F_n} = \frac{\int \tau_n dS}{S \langle \sigma_n \rangle} = \frac{1}{S} \int \mu \langle \sigma_n \rangle dS$$

Boundary condition
 T Surface temperature at micro scale
 V Sliding velocity

Heat flux calculation generated by frictional sliding



$$\epsilon_r = \frac{1}{S} \int (T_i - T_{i-1}) dS < \epsilon_0$$

Calculation averaged oxidation activity factor $\langle A \rangle$
 friction coefficient $\mu(T, \sigma_n)$

Conclusion

- oxidation starts from T_{min}
- macromodelling does not allow for oxidation (obtained temperatures are smaller than T_{min})
- micromodelling results in flash temperatures bigger than T_{min} – oxidation can be described
- assumption that friction coefficient is a function of temperature $\mu(T)$ in asperity scale provides macroscale $\mu(T, \sigma_n)$