

pc-CRACK FRACTURE MECHANICS SOFTWARE Analyze Predict Flaw Behavior and Crack Growth Rates



Structural Integrity Associates, Inc.[®] pc-CRACK[™] software has been an industry leader in fracture mechanics software. The Microsoft[®] Windows[®] based software analyzes and predicts flaw behavior, including calculation of crack growth rates and critical crack sizes for pressure vessels, piping, turbines, and structures, with immediate display of analysis results. pc-CRACK applications include ASME Code Section XI flaw evaluations as well as weld overlay design.

WHY pc-CRACK

pc-CRACK expands the capability of your engineering staff by providing an easy-to-use tool that allows users to rapidly perform sophisticated fracture mechanics analyses. With pc-CRACK, you can easily formulate decisions (and generate support documentation) regarding the effects of structural flaws in a wide variety of materials and components. A demo version of the software is available for free.

SOFTWARE FEATURES

- LEFM and EPFM Solutions
- Graphical User Interface Based Workflow
- Stress Intensity Factor Calculations
- Crack Growth Calculations
- J-a Tables and Crack Instability Determination
- Built-in Materials Library
 Single Edge and Double
- Edge Cracks
- Standard Specimens
- Plates
- Hollow Cylinders
- Solid Cylinders
- Holes
- Nozzles
- Welds
- Compound Crack in Hollow Cylinders
- User Defined (1-DOF & 2-DOF)

CODES AND STANDARDS

- ASME Codes and Standards Qualifications
- Allowable Crack Size Calculation
- Weld Overlay Sizing Design
- Nuclear Quality Assurance

System of Units Start Mode US Customary (ksi, in, ° F, hrs) Wizard SI (MPa, m, *C, hrs) Free Form Analysis Type LEFM Codes and Standards Stress Intensity Factors Allowable Crack Size - ASME Section XI IWB-3640/50 (1998) Critical Crack Size Allowable Crack Size - ASME Section XI IWB-3640 (2004) Weld Overlay Sizing (1998) Crack Growth Weld Overlay Sizing (2004) EPFM J-a Tables Instability Analysis Options





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Crack Parameters (US Custom	ary Units)	
Crack Categories		
Hollow Cylinders	305: Semi-Elliptical Longitudinal Crack in Cylinder on the Inside Surface (API 579)	
	Crack Dimensions	
	Crack Depth, a 0.1	
	Half Crack Length, c 1	;
	Component Dimensions/Other Inputs Wall Thickness, t 2.5 Inside Radius, Ri 8	
	Maximum a/t 0.8 Va	riable Aspect Ratio
	For SIF Tabulation	
	a Print Increment 0.1	
	Maximum c/a 10	
	c/a Print Increment 0.1	

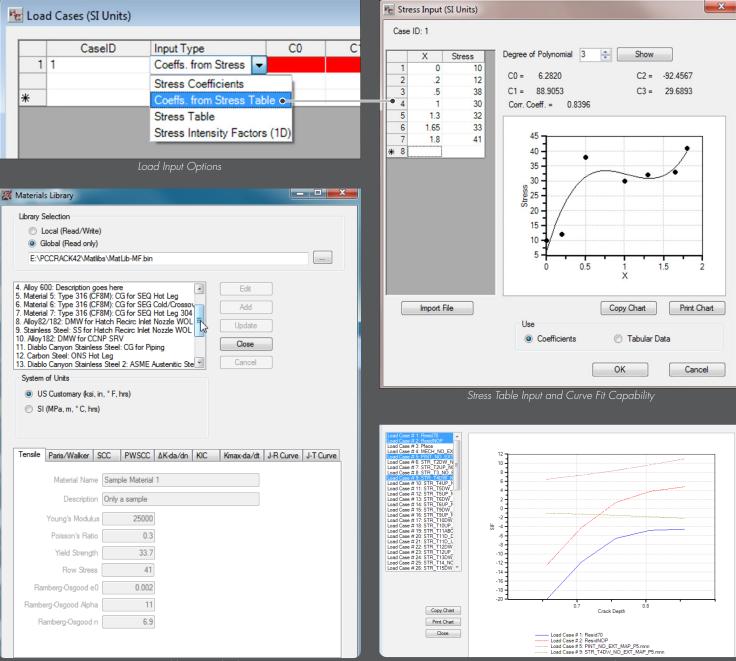
Orientation Circumferential		Material	
Axial		Carbon Steel	
_	•	nd Pipe Fitting, YS<=40ksi	(Catego 🔻
Pipe & Crack Dimensions)		
Nominal Pipe Size	.65	Crack Depth	.006
Pipe OD	.66	Crack Length	.254
Wall Thickness	.025		
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🐮 Pipe & Crack Dimensions







Stress Intensity Factor Results