

What about LSY conditions?

We can still take a J contour to closely surround the fracture process zone, in which case

$$J = \int_0^{\delta_t} \sigma(\delta) d\delta$$

where δ_t is the opening at the back edge of the process zone and this expression for J is valid even prior to propagation.

Propagation occurs when $\delta_t = \delta_c$ which corresponds to

$$J = \int_0^{\delta_c} \sigma(\delta) d\delta = G_c$$

Hence, the model predicts propagation when J reaches a critical value of G_c . Note that this is equivalent to a fracture criterion based on a critical ^{crack} opening displacement.

Also note that under LSY conditions $J \neq \frac{K_I^2}{E'}$

For the Dugdale model in the center-cracked panel

$$J / \left(\frac{K_I^2}{E'} \right) \approx 1 + \frac{\pi^2}{24} \left(\frac{\sigma}{\sigma_0} \right)^2 + \dots$$

\nwarrow Note $J > \frac{K_I^2}{E'}$ in LSY

The HRR fields

Hutchinson JMPS v. 16 pp. 13-31, 1968.

Rice and Rosengren JMPS v. 16 pp. 1-12, 1968.

Asymptotic crack tip fields in a power-law hardening non-linear elastic material (a good model for elastic-plastic materials for proportional loading).

- Deformation theory plasticity

1) valid for proportional loading, i.e. at any material point the stress history can be written as $\sigma_{ij}(t) = \alpha(t) \bar{\sigma}_{ij}$ where α is a monotonically increasing function of time and $\bar{\sigma}_{ij}$ is a constant tensor.

2) hydrostatic stress does not cause plastic deformation

$$\rightarrow \sigma_{kk} = \frac{E}{1-2\nu} \varepsilon_{kk} \quad \text{elastic hydrostatic response}$$

3) Near the crack tip plastic strains will overwhelm elastic strains and so we will neglect deviatoric elastic strains.

$$e_{ij} = \varepsilon_{ij} - \frac{1}{3} \varepsilon_{kk} \delta_{ij}, \quad s_{ij} = \sigma_{ij} - \frac{1}{3} \sigma_{kk} \delta_{ij}$$

$$\bar{\sigma} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2} s_{ij} s_{ij}}, \quad \bar{\varepsilon} = \sqrt{\frac{2}{3} e_{ij} e_{ij}}$$

$$\bar{\sigma} = \sigma_0 \left(\frac{\bar{\varepsilon}}{\varepsilon_0} \right)^N \quad \text{or} \quad \bar{\varepsilon} = \varepsilon_0 \left(\frac{\bar{\sigma}}{\sigma_0} \right)^{1/N}$$

$$e_{ij} = \frac{3}{2} \frac{\bar{\varepsilon}}{\bar{\sigma}} s_{ij} \quad (\text{J}_2 \text{ deformation theory})$$

$\bar{\sigma}$ = uniaxial effective stress or von Mises stress

$\bar{\epsilon}$ = uniaxial effective plastic strain

Non-linear constitutive law:

$$\epsilon_{ij} = \frac{1-2\nu}{3E} \sigma_{kk} \delta_{ij} + \frac{2}{3} \epsilon_0 \left(\frac{\bar{\sigma}}{\sigma_0} \right)^{\frac{1-N}{N}} s_{ij} / \sigma_0$$

$$\text{or } \sigma_{ij} = \frac{E}{3(1-2\nu)} \epsilon_{kk} \delta_{ij} + \frac{2}{3} \sigma_0 \left(\frac{\bar{\epsilon}}{\epsilon_0} \right)^{N-1} \frac{e_{ij}}{\epsilon_0}$$

Strain energy density $W = \int_0^{\bar{\epsilon}} \sigma_{ij} d\epsilon_{ij}$

$$\begin{aligned} W &= \int_0^{\bar{\epsilon}} \frac{E}{3(1-2\nu)} \epsilon_{kk} \delta_{ij} + \frac{2}{3} \sigma_0 \left(\frac{\bar{\epsilon}}{\epsilon_0} \right)^{N-1} \frac{e_{ij}}{\epsilon_0} d\epsilon_{ij} \\ &= \int_0^{\epsilon_{kk}} \frac{E}{3(1-2\nu)} \epsilon_{kk} d\epsilon_{ij} + \int_0^{e_{ij}} \frac{2}{3} \sigma_0 \left(\frac{\sqrt{\frac{2}{3} e_{kl} e_{kl}}}{\epsilon_0} \right)^{N-1} \frac{e_{ij}}{\epsilon_0} de_{ij} \\ &= \frac{E}{6(1-2\nu)} (\epsilon_{kk})^2 + \int_0^{e_{ij}} \frac{2}{3} \sigma_0 \left(\frac{\bar{\epsilon}}{\epsilon_0} \right)^{N-1} \frac{e_{ij}}{\epsilon_0} de_{ij} \end{aligned}$$

Consider $d(\bar{\epsilon}^N) = N \bar{\epsilon}^{N-1} \frac{d\bar{\epsilon}}{de_{ij}} de_{ij}$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \bar{\epsilon}}{\partial e_{ij}} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial e_{ij}} \left(\frac{2}{3} e_{kl} e_{kl} \right)^{1/2} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2}{3} e_{kl} e_{kl} \right)^{-1/2} \frac{2}{3} (\delta_{ik} \delta_{jl} e_{kl} + e_{kl} \delta_{ik} \delta_{jl}) \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \frac{e_{ij}}{\bar{\epsilon}} \end{aligned}$$

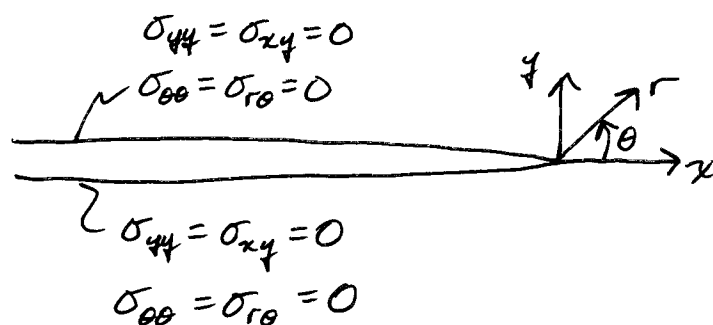
$$\therefore d(\bar{\epsilon}^N) = N \bar{\epsilon}^{N-1} \frac{2}{3} \frac{e_{ij}}{\bar{\epsilon}} de_{ij} = \frac{2}{3} N \bar{\epsilon}^{N-2} e_{ij} de_{ij}$$

$$\rightarrow d(\bar{\epsilon}^{N+1}) = \frac{2}{3} (N+1) \bar{\epsilon}^{N-1} e_{ij} de_{ij}$$

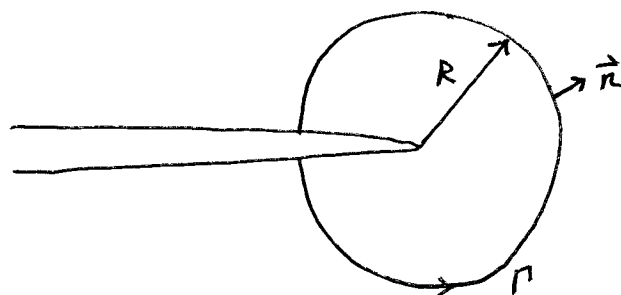
$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore \int_0^{\bar{\epsilon}} e_{ij} \frac{2}{3} \frac{\sigma_0}{\bar{\epsilon}_0^N} \bar{\epsilon}^{N-1} e_{ij} d\bar{\epsilon} & \\
 &= \frac{2}{3} \frac{\sigma_0}{\bar{\epsilon}_0^N} \frac{3}{2(N+1)} \int_0^{\bar{\epsilon}} d(\bar{\epsilon}^{N+1}) \\
 &= \frac{\sigma_0 \bar{\epsilon}_0}{N+1} \left(\frac{\bar{\epsilon}}{\bar{\epsilon}_0} \right)^{N+1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore W = \frac{E}{6(1-2\nu)} (\epsilon_{kk})^2 + \frac{\sigma_0 \bar{\epsilon}_0}{N+1} \left(\frac{\bar{\epsilon}}{\bar{\epsilon}_0} \right)^{N+1}$$

Now consider a crack in such a material.

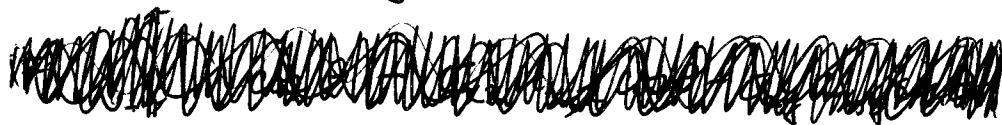


We know that J in a non-linear elastic material must be path-independent. Consider a circular J contour centered on the crack tip.



$$\begin{aligned}
 n_x &= \cos \theta \\
 n_y &= \sin \theta
 \end{aligned}$$

$$J = \int_{\Gamma} W n_x - \sigma_{ij} n_j u_{i,x} d\Gamma$$



$$\therefore J = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [W \cos \theta - (\sigma_{xx} u_{x,x} \cos \theta + \sigma_{xy} u_{x,y} \sin \theta + \sigma_{yx} u_{y,x} \cos \theta + \sigma_{yy} u_{y,y} \sin \theta)] R d\theta$$

In order for this integral to be path-independent, i.e. independent of the path radius R , the quantity in parentheses must have a $1/R$ dependence.

Consider $W = \frac{E}{(1-2\nu)} (\epsilon_{kk})^2 + \frac{\sigma_0 \epsilon_0}{N+1} \left(\frac{\bar{\epsilon}}{\epsilon_0} \right)^{N+1}$

$W \rightarrow \frac{1}{r}$ implies $\epsilon_{kk} \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{r}}$ or $\bar{\epsilon} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{1/(N+1)}$ or both.
 $\sigma_{kk} \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{r}}$ $\bar{\sigma} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{N/(N+1)}$

Consider u_{ij} :

$u_{x,x} = A r^{-1/2} + B r^{-1/(N+1)}$, $u_{y,y} = C r^{-1/2} + D r^{-1/(N+1)}$, $u_{x,y} = E r^{-1/2} + F r^{-1/(N+1)}$, $u_{y,x} = G r^{-1/2} + H r^{-1/(N+1)}$

$\epsilon_{kk} \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{r}} \rightarrow (A+C) r^{-1/2} + (B+D) r^{-1/(N+1)} \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{r}} \therefore B = -D$ Not allowed b/c $r^{-2/(N+1)}$ is more singular than r^{-1} for $0 < N < 1$

$e_{ij} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{1/(N+1)}$: $e_{xy} = \epsilon_{xy} = \frac{1}{2} [(E+G) r^{-1/2} + (F+H) r^{-1/(N+1)}] \therefore E = -G$
 $e_{xx} = \epsilon_{xx} - \frac{\epsilon_{kk}}{3} = A r^{-1/2} + B r^{-1/(N+1)} - \frac{1}{3} (A+C) r^{-1/2} \therefore 2A = C$
 $e_{yy} = \epsilon_{yy} - \frac{\epsilon_{kk}}{3} = C r^{-1/2} - B r^{-1/(N+1)} - \frac{1}{3} (A+C) r^{-1/2} \therefore 2C = A$
otherwise hydrostatic components dominate $A = C = 0$

$\therefore \epsilon_{kk} = 0$ for both the $\frac{1}{\sqrt{r}}$ and $\left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{1/(N+1)}$ terms
Hence, the dominant strain term is like $\left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{1/(N+1)}$

$\therefore \epsilon_{ij} = \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{1/(N+1)} \tilde{\epsilon}_{ij}(\theta)$ with $\tilde{\epsilon}_{kk}(\theta) = 0$ as noted above

$\therefore \sigma_{ij} = \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{N/(N+1)} \hat{\sigma}_{ij}(\theta)$

Note that $\hat{\sigma}_{kk}(\theta) \neq 0$ because it leads to a volume strain term like $\epsilon_{kk} = \frac{1-2\nu}{E} \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{N/(N+1)} \hat{\sigma}_{kk}(\theta)$ which is less singular than $\left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{1/(N+1)}$ and is therefore allowed.

\therefore the stress and strain singularities go like

$$\sigma_{ij} = \left(\frac{1}{r}\right)^{N/(N+1)} \hat{\sigma}_{ij}(\theta) \quad \text{and} \quad \varepsilon_{ij} = \left(\frac{1}{r}\right)^{1/(N+1)} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{ij}(\theta)$$

Check limits: $N=1 \rightarrow$ linear

$$\sigma_{ij} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{r}\right)^{1/2} \quad \text{and} \quad \varepsilon_{ij} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{r}\right)^{1/2}$$

$N=0 \rightarrow$ perfectly plastic

$$\sigma_{ij} \rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{r}\right)^0, \quad \varepsilon_{ij} \rightarrow \frac{1}{r}$$

These fields must satisfy equilibrium and compatibility and of course the material law.

Equilibrium is satisfied with Airy's stress function ϕ such that

$$\sigma_{rr} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial \theta^2}$$

$$\sigma_{\theta\theta} = \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial r^2}$$

$$\sigma_{r\theta} = \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \theta} - \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial r \partial \theta}$$

$$\therefore \phi = K r^{\frac{N+2}{N+1}} \tilde{\phi}(\theta)$$

\uparrow scaling factor such that ~~the~~ $\tilde{\phi}(\theta)$ (to be introduced later) has a maximum value of unity

$$\therefore \sigma_{rr} = K \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{N/N+1} \left[\frac{N+2}{N+1} \tilde{\phi} + \tilde{\phi}'' \right]$$

$$\sigma_{\theta\theta} = K \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{N/N+1} \left[\frac{N+2}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi} \right]$$

$$\sigma_{r\theta} = K \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{N/N+1} \left[\tilde{\phi}' - \frac{N+2}{N+1} \tilde{\phi}' \right] = K \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{N/N+1} \left[\frac{-1}{N+1} \tilde{\phi}' \right]$$

$$\bar{\sigma} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2} s_{ij} s_{ij}} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{2} (s_{rr}^2 + s_{\theta\theta}^2 + s_{zz}^2 + 2 s_{r\theta}^2)}$$

Plane strain $\rightarrow \sigma_{zz} = \frac{1}{2}(\sigma_{rr} + \sigma_{\theta\theta})$

$$\therefore s_{rr} = \sigma_{rr} - \frac{1}{3}(\sigma_{rr} + \sigma_{\theta\theta} + \sigma_{zz}) = \frac{1}{2}\sigma_{rr} - \frac{1}{2}\sigma_{\theta\theta}$$

$$s_{\theta\theta} = \sigma_{\theta\theta} - \frac{1}{3}(\sigma_{rr} + \sigma_{\theta\theta} + \sigma_{zz}) = \frac{1}{2}\sigma_{\theta\theta} - \frac{1}{2}\sigma_{rr}$$

$$s_{zz} = \sigma_{zz} - \frac{1}{3}(\sigma_{rr} + \sigma_{\theta\theta} + \sigma_{zz}) = 0$$

$$s_{r\theta} = \sigma_{r\theta}$$

$$\rightarrow \bar{\sigma} = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4} (\sigma_{rr}^2 - 2\sigma_{rr}\sigma_{\theta\theta} + \sigma_{\theta\theta}^2) + 3\sigma_{r\theta}^2}$$

$(\sigma_{rr} - \sigma_{\theta\theta})^2$

$$\bar{\sigma} = K \left(\frac{1}{r} \right)^{N/N+1} \sqrt{\frac{3}{4} \left[\frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi} + \tilde{\phi}'' \right]^2 + \frac{3}{(N+1)^2} (\tilde{\phi}')^2}$$

$\tilde{\sigma}(\theta)$ shorthand

Recall: $\varepsilon_{ij} = \frac{3}{2} \varepsilon_0 \left(\frac{\bar{\sigma}}{\sigma_0} \right)^{\frac{1+N}{N}} \frac{s_{ij}}{\sigma_0}$ when $\varepsilon_{kk} = 0$ This is true for our most singular term.

$$\varepsilon_{rr} = \frac{3}{2} \varepsilon_0 K^{1/N} \left(\frac{1}{r}\right)^{1/N+1} \frac{1}{\sigma_0^{1/N}} \underbrace{\tilde{\sigma}^{\frac{1-N}{N}} \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi} + \tilde{\phi}'' \right]}_{\hat{\varepsilon}_{rr}(\theta)}$$

$$\varepsilon_{\theta\theta} = \frac{3}{2} \varepsilon_0 K^{1/N} \left(\frac{1}{r}\right)^{1/N+1} \frac{1}{\sigma_0^{1/N}} \underbrace{\tilde{\sigma}^{\frac{1-N}{N}} \frac{1}{2} \left[-\frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi} - \tilde{\phi}'' \right]}_{\hat{\varepsilon}_{\theta\theta}(\theta) = -\hat{\varepsilon}_{rr}(\theta)}$$

$$\varepsilon_{r\theta} = \frac{3}{2} \varepsilon_0 K^{1/N} \left(\frac{1}{r}\right)^{1/N+1} \frac{1}{\sigma_0^{1/N}} \underbrace{\tilde{\sigma}^{\frac{1-N}{N}} \left[\frac{-1}{N+1} \tilde{\phi}' \right]}_{\hat{\varepsilon}_{r\theta}(\theta)}$$

$$\varepsilon_{ij} = \underbrace{\frac{3}{2} \varepsilon_0 \left(\frac{K}{\sigma_0}\right)^{1/N}}_{\tilde{\varepsilon}_{ij}(\theta) \text{ from page 92}} \hat{\varepsilon}_{ij}(\theta) \left(\frac{1}{r}\right)^{1/N+1}$$

Compatibility in polar coordinates:
$$\begin{cases} \varepsilon_{rr} = \frac{\partial u_r}{\partial r} \\ \varepsilon_{\theta\theta} = \frac{u_r}{r} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u_\theta}{\partial \theta} \\ \varepsilon_{r\theta} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial u_r}{\partial \theta} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial u_\theta}{\partial r} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{u_\theta}{r} \end{cases}$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} (r \varepsilon_{\theta\theta}) + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 \varepsilon_{rr}}{\partial \theta^2} - \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial \varepsilon_{rr}}{\partial r} - \frac{2}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r \frac{\partial \varepsilon_{r\theta}}{\partial \theta} \right) = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} \left(r^{\frac{N}{N+1}} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{\theta\theta} \right) + r^{\frac{-2N-3}{N+1}} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{rr}'' + \frac{1}{N+1} r^{\frac{-2N-3}{N+1}} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{rr} - \frac{2}{r^2} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r^{\frac{N}{N+1}} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{r\theta}' \right) = 0$$

$$- \frac{N}{(N+1)^2} r^{\frac{-2N-3}{N+1}} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{\theta\theta} + r^{\frac{-2N-3}{N+1}} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{rr}'' + \frac{1}{N+1} r^{\frac{-2N-3}{N+1}} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{rr} - \frac{2N}{N+1} r^{\frac{-2N-3}{N+1}} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{r\theta}' = 0$$

$$\therefore - \frac{N}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{\theta\theta} + \tilde{\varepsilon}_{rr}'' + \frac{1}{N+1} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{rr} - \frac{2N}{N+1} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{r\theta}' = 0$$

→ This is a non-linear ODE for $\tilde{\phi}(\theta)$ (implicitly)

Using $\tilde{\varepsilon}_{\theta\theta} = -\tilde{\varepsilon}_{rr}$ \rightarrow $\boxed{\tilde{\varepsilon}_{rr}'' + \frac{2N+1}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{rr} - \frac{2N}{N+1} \tilde{\varepsilon}_{r\theta}' = 0}$

define: $\tilde{\sigma}(\theta) = \tilde{\sigma}(\theta)^2 = \frac{3}{4} \left[\tilde{\phi}'' + \frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi} \right]^2 + \frac{3}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi}'^2$

$\therefore \tilde{\sigma}' = \frac{3}{2} \left[\tilde{\phi}'' + \frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi} \right] \left[\tilde{\phi}''' + \frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi}' \right] + \frac{6}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi}' \tilde{\phi}''$

$\tilde{\sigma}'' = \frac{3}{2} \left[\tilde{\phi}''' + \frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi}' \right]^2 + \frac{3}{2} \left[\tilde{\phi}'' + \frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi} \right] \left[\tilde{\phi}^{(4)} + \frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi}'' \right]$
 $+ \frac{6}{(N+1)^2} \left[\tilde{\phi}''^2 + \tilde{\phi}' \tilde{\phi}''' \right]$

Then, after some calculus & algebra, the governing ODE is

$\boxed{\begin{aligned} &\tilde{\phi}^{(4)} + \frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi}'' + \frac{1-N}{N} \frac{\tilde{\sigma}'}{\tilde{\sigma}} \left[\tilde{\phi}''' + \frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi}' \right] \\ &+ \left[\frac{1-N}{2N} \frac{\tilde{\sigma}''}{\tilde{\sigma}} + \frac{1-N}{2N} \frac{1-3N}{2N} \left(\frac{\tilde{\sigma}'}{\tilde{\sigma}} \right)^2 \right] \left[\tilde{\phi}'' + \frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi} \right] \\ &+ \frac{2N+1}{(N+1)^2} \left[\tilde{\phi}'' + \frac{N(N+2)}{(N+1)^2} \tilde{\phi} \right] + \frac{2N}{(N+1)^2} \left[2\tilde{\phi}'' + \frac{1-N}{N} \frac{\tilde{\sigma}'}{\tilde{\sigma}} \tilde{\phi}' \right] = 0 \end{aligned}}$

BCs: $\tilde{\phi}(\theta=0)=1$ and can be re-normalized later
 $\tilde{\phi}'(\theta=0)=0$ b/c $\tilde{\sigma}_{r\theta}(\theta=0)=0$ due to Mode I symmetry
 $\tilde{\phi}'''(\theta=0)=0$ b/c $\tilde{\sigma}_{rr}'(\theta=0)=0$ due to Mode I symmetry

$\left\{ \begin{aligned} &\tilde{\phi}(\theta=\pi)=0 \quad \text{b/c} \quad \tilde{\sigma}_{\theta\theta}(\theta=\pi)=0 \quad \text{on crack face} \\ &\tilde{\phi}'(\theta=\pi)=0 \quad \text{b/c} \quad \tilde{\sigma}_{r\theta}(\theta=\pi)=0 \quad \text{on crack face} \end{aligned} \right.$

\rightarrow These two conditions imply one another due to the path-independence of J . See Rice & Rosengren.