Introduction to materials modelling

13. exercise - viskoplastic model

1. Investigate the behaviour of Perzyna type viskoplastic overstress model in a constant strain rate tensile experiment. Viscoplastic strain rate is defined as

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}}_{\mathrm{vp}} = \frac{1}{t_{\mathrm{vp}}} \left\langle \frac{\sigma_{\mathrm{eff}} - \sigma_{\mathrm{y0}}}{\sigma_{\mathrm{y0}}} \right\rangle^p \frac{\partial \sigma_{\mathrm{eff}}}{\partial \boldsymbol{\sigma}},$$

where $\sigma_{\rm eff} = \sqrt{3J_2}$ and

$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \boldsymbol{C}^{\mathrm{e}}(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} - \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{\mathrm{vp}}).$$

- (a) Investigate the effect of strain rate.
- (b) Investigate how the value of the power $p \in [1, 6]$ influences to the behaviour at certain specific strain rate.
- (c) Investigate also the effect of the time parameter (viscosity parameter).

Draw the results in $(\varepsilon/\varepsilon_{y0}, \sigma/\sigma_{y0})$ -coordinates.