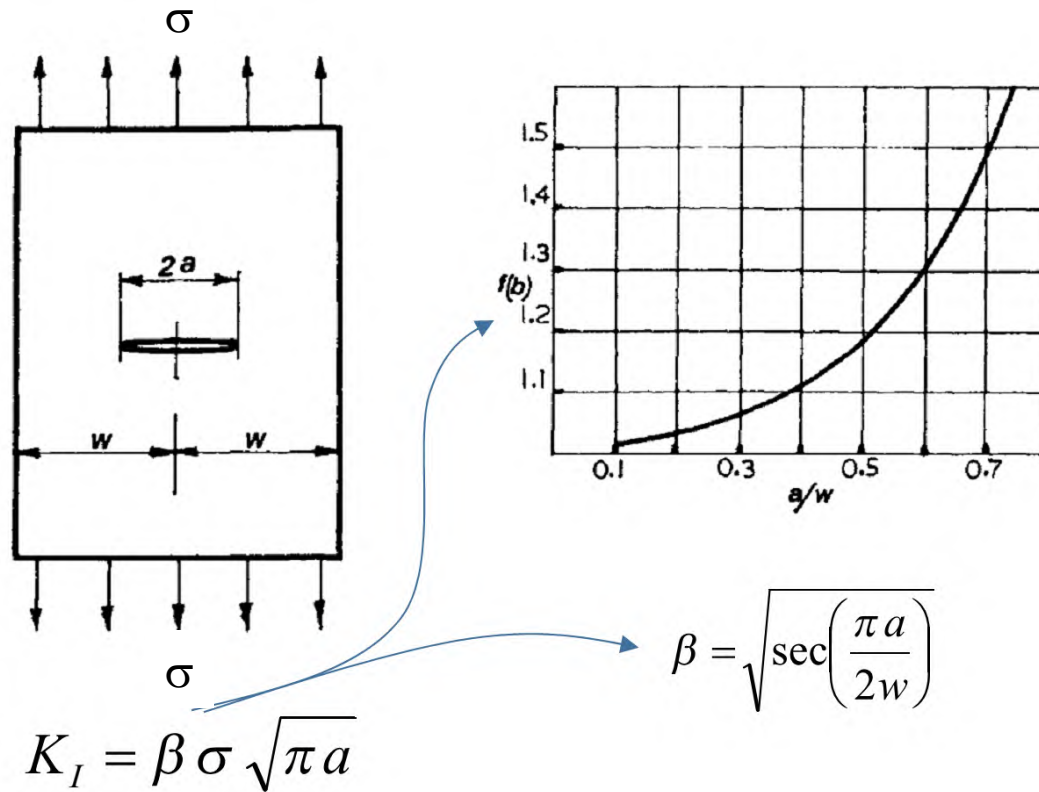


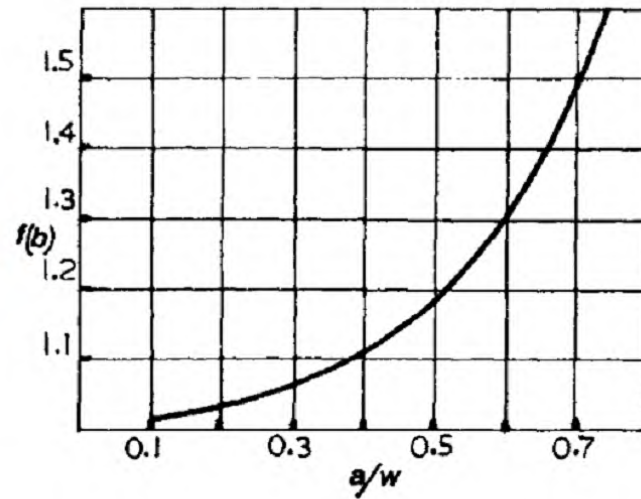
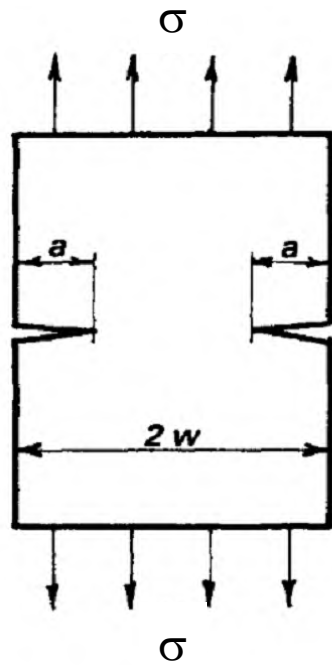
**STRESS INTENSITY FACTORS (SIF)**  
**FATTORI DI INTENSIFICAZIONE DELLO SFORZO**

**Esempi per diverse configurazioni e geometrie di cricca**

## PIASTRA CON CRICCA CENTRALE PASSANTE

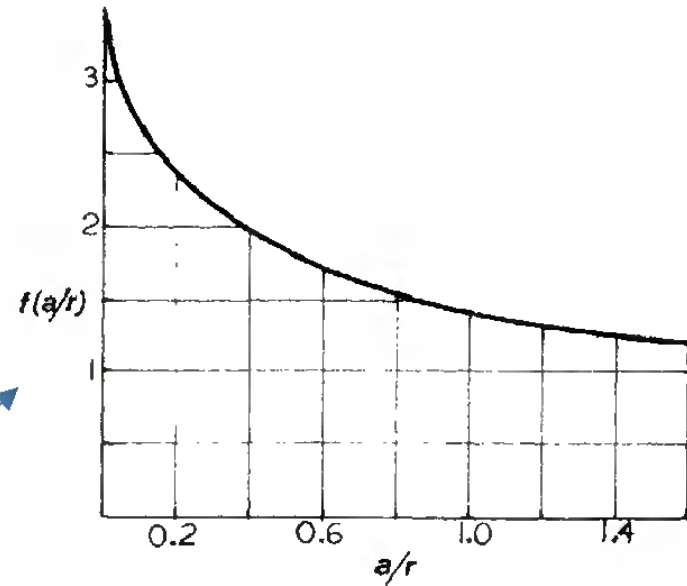
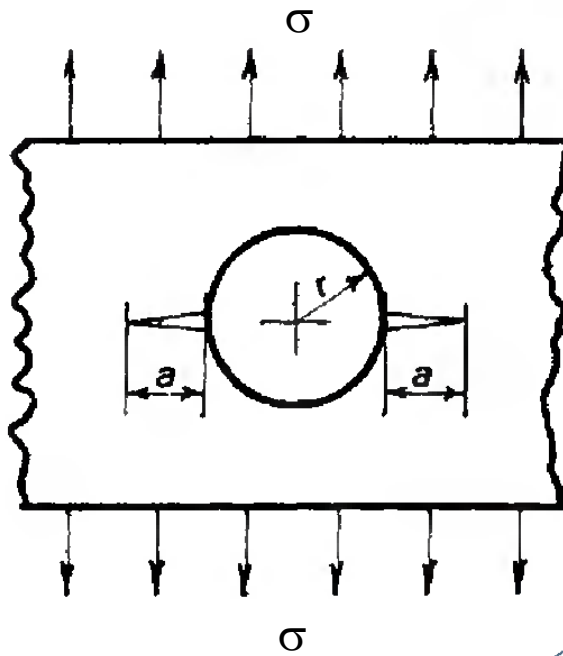


## PIASTRA CON CRICCHE DI BORDO SIMMETRICHE



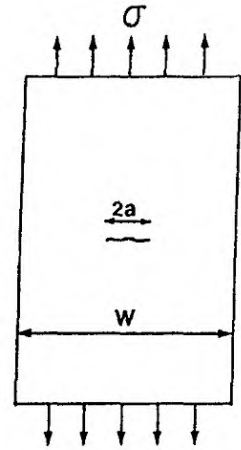
$$K_I = 1.12 \beta \sigma \sqrt{\pi a}$$

## PIASTRA DI LARGHEZZA INFINITA CON CRICCHE A BORDO DEL FORO



$$K_I = \beta \sigma \sqrt{\pi a}$$

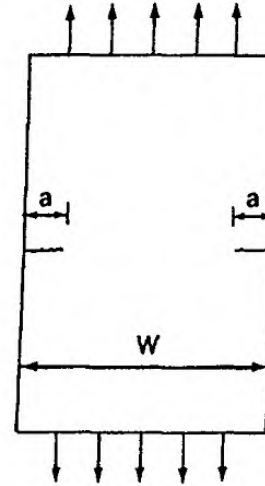
$$K_I = \beta \sigma \sqrt{\pi a}$$



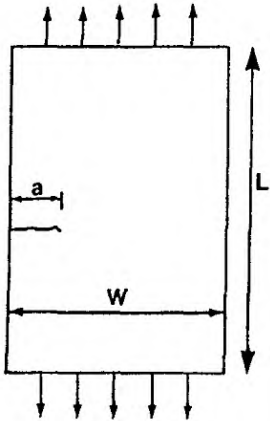
$$\beta = \sqrt{\sec \frac{\pi a}{W}}$$

or

$$\beta = 1 + 0.256 \frac{a}{W} - 1.152 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^2 + 12.200 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^3$$



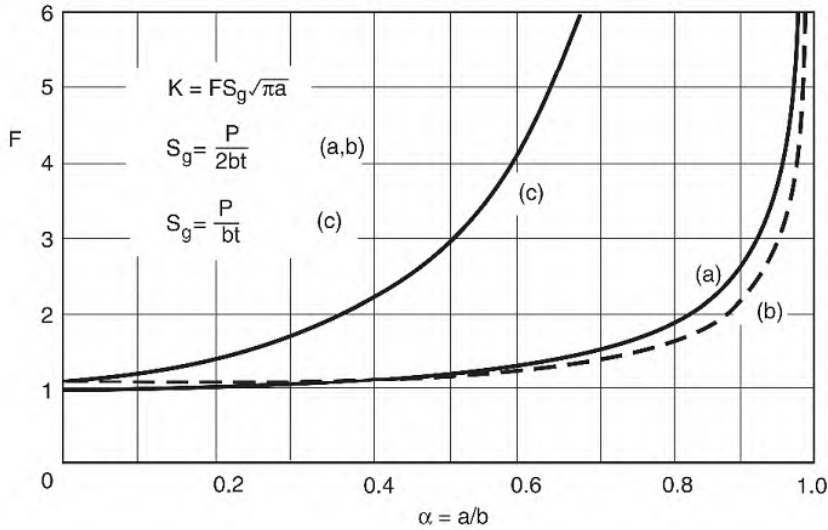
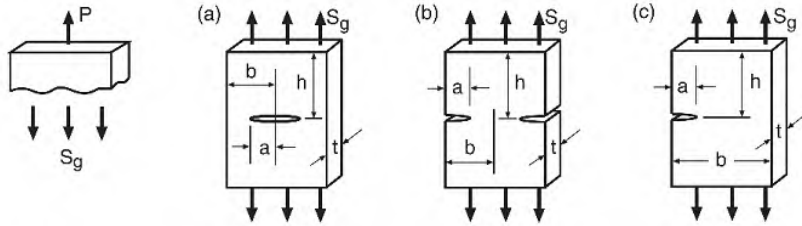
$$\beta = 1.12 + 0.43 \frac{a}{W} - 4.79 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^2 + 15.46 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^3$$



$L/W = 2$  ONLY:

$$\beta = 1.12 - 0.23 \frac{a}{W} + 10.56 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^2 - 21.74 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^3 + 30.42 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^4$$

(SEE FIGURE 8.12)

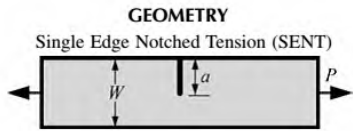


Values for small  $a/b$  and limits for 10% accuracy:

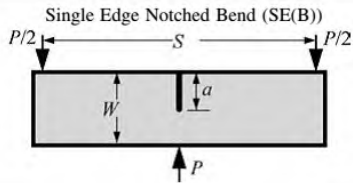
$$\begin{array}{lll}
 \text{(a)} \quad K = S_g\sqrt{\pi a} & \text{(b)} \quad K = 1.12S_g\sqrt{\pi a} & \text{(c)} \quad K = 1.12S_g\sqrt{\pi a} \\
 (a/b \leq 0.4) & (a/b \leq 0.6) & (a/b \leq 0.13)
 \end{array}$$

Expressions for any  $\alpha = a/b$ :

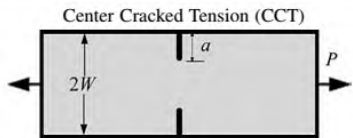
$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \text{(a)} \quad F = \frac{1 - 0.5\alpha + 0.326\alpha^2}{\sqrt{1 - \alpha}} & (h/b \geq 1.5) \\
 \text{(b)} \quad F = \left(1 + 0.122 \cos^4 \frac{\pi\alpha}{2}\right) \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi\alpha} \tan \frac{\pi\alpha}{2}} & (h/b \geq 2) \\
 \text{(c)} \quad F = 0.265(1 - \alpha)^4 + \frac{0.857 + 0.265\alpha}{(1 - \alpha)^{3/2}} & (h/b \geq 1)
 \end{array}$$



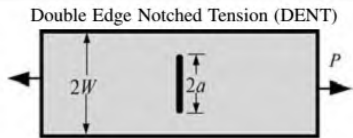
$$f\left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^* \\ \sqrt{\frac{2 \tan \frac{\pi a}{2W}}{\cos \frac{\pi a}{2W}}} \left[ 0.752 + 2.02 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right) \right] \\ + 0.37 \left( 1 - \sin \frac{\pi a}{2W} \right)^3$$



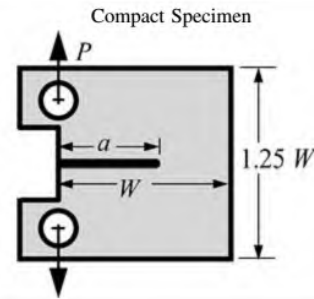
$$\frac{3 \frac{S}{W} \sqrt{\frac{a}{W}}}{2 \left( 1 + 2 \frac{a}{W} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{a}{W} \right)^{3/2}} \left[ 1.99 - \frac{a}{W} \right] \\ \left( 1 - \frac{a}{W} \right) \left[ 2.15 - 3.93 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right) + 2.7 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^2 \right]$$



$$\sqrt{\frac{\pi a}{4W} \sec\left(\frac{\pi a}{2W}\right)} \left[ 1 - 0.025 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^2 \right] \\ + 0.06 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^4$$

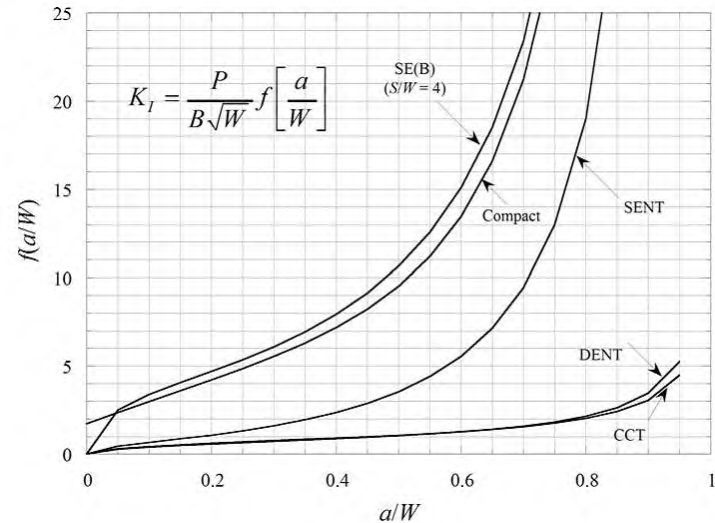


$$\frac{\sqrt{\frac{\pi a}{2W}}}{\sqrt{1 - \frac{a}{W}}} \left[ 1.122 - 0.561 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right) - 0.205 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^2 \right] \\ + 0.471 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^3 + 0.190 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^4$$



$$\frac{2 + \frac{a}{W}}{\left( 1 - \frac{a}{W} \right)^{3/2}} \left[ 0.886 + 4.64 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right) - 13.32 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^2 \right. \\ \left. + 14.72 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^3 - 5.60 \left(\frac{a}{W}\right)^4 \right]$$

\* $K_I = \frac{P}{B\sqrt{W}} f\left(\frac{a}{W}\right)$  where B is the specimen thickness.



## THE CENTER CRACKED TEST SPECIMEN

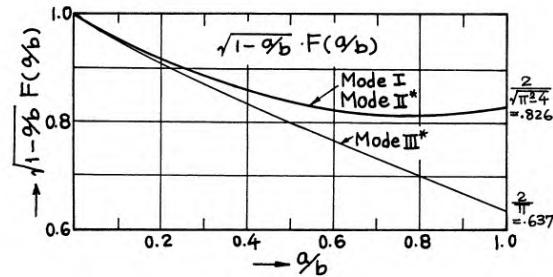
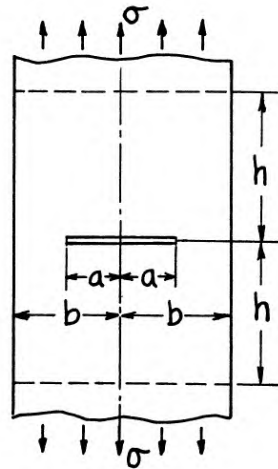
### A. Stress Intensity Factor

$$K_I = \sigma \sqrt{\pi a} F(a/b)$$

#### Numerical Values of $F(a/b)$

(Isida 1962, 1965a, b, 1973)

Isida's 36-term power series of  $(a/b)^2$  (Laurent series expansion of complex stress potential, 1973) gives practically exact values of  $F(a/b)$  up to  $a/b = 0.9$ . Numerical values of  $F(a/b)$  are shown in the following graph and table.



$a/b$	$F(a/b)$
0.0	1.0000
0.1	1.0060
0.2	1.0246
0.3	1.0577
0.4	1.1094
0.5	1.1867
0.6	1.3033
0.7	1.4882
0.8	1.8160
0.9	2.5776

$$1.0 \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi^2 - 4}} \sqrt{1 - a/b}^{**}$$

\*\*Exact Limit (Koiter 1965b)

### Empirical Formulas

- Accuracy
- Method of derivation, reference

$$F(a/b) = \sqrt{\frac{2b}{\pi a} \tan \frac{\pi a}{2b}}$$

- Better than 5% for  $a/b \leq 0.5$
- Approximation by periodic crack solution (Irwin 1957)

$$F(a/b) = 1 + 0.128(a/b) - 0.288(a/b)^2 + 1.525(a/b)^3$$

- 0.5% for  $a/b \leq 0.7$
- Least squares fitting to Isida's results (Brown 1966)

$$F(a/b) = \sqrt{\sec \frac{\pi a}{2b}}$$

- 0.3% for  $a/b \leq 0.7$ , 1% at  $a/b = 0.8$
- Guess based on Isida's results (Feddersen 1966)

$$F(a/b) = \frac{1 - 0.5(a/b) + 0.326(a/b)^2}{\sqrt{1 - a/b}}$$

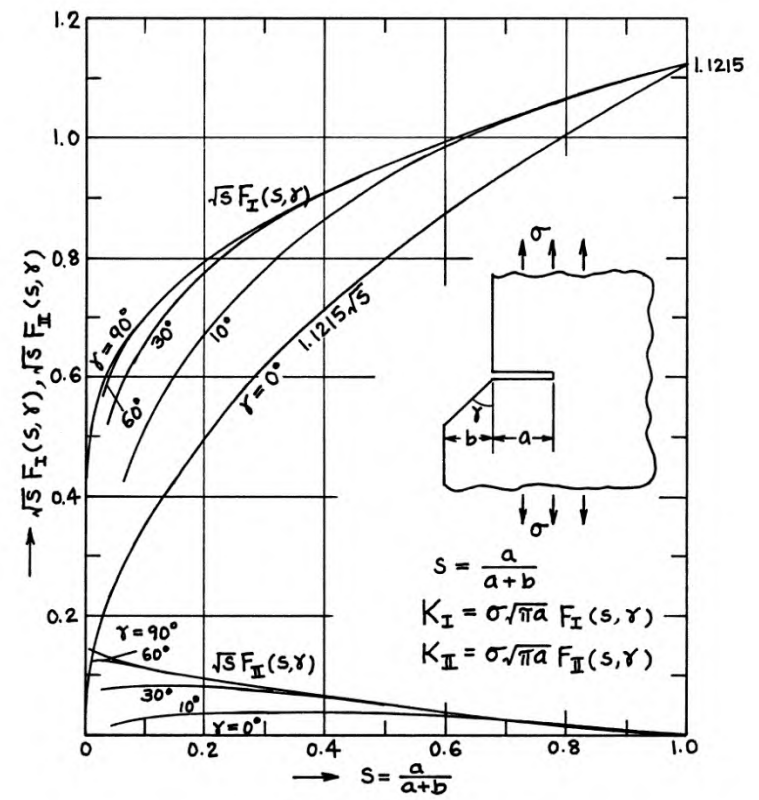
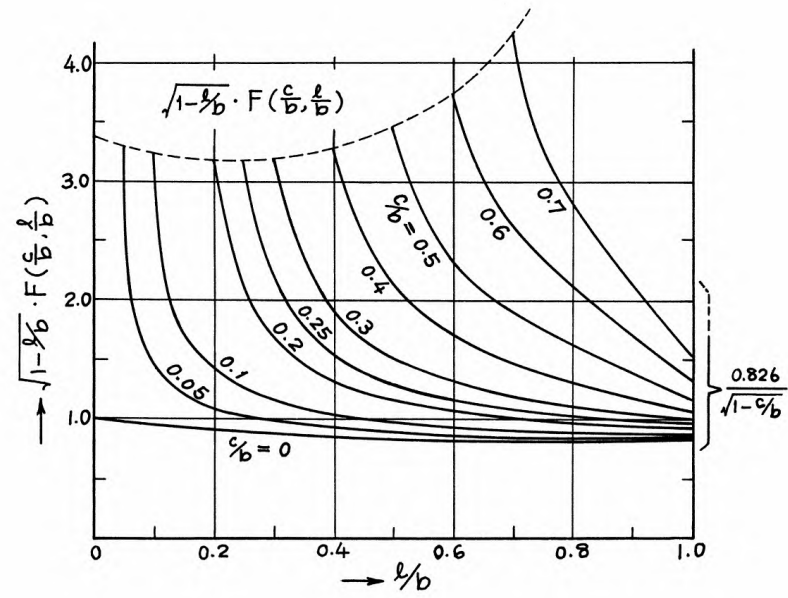
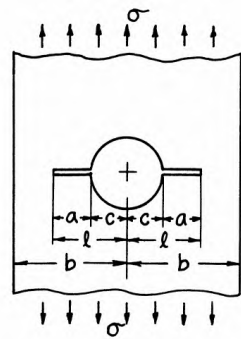
- 1% for any  $a/b$
- Asymptotic approximation (Koiter 1965b)

$$F(a/b) = \frac{1 - 0.5(a/b) + 0.370(a/b)^2 - 0.044(a/b)^3}{\sqrt{1 - a/b}}$$



$$\ell = c + a$$

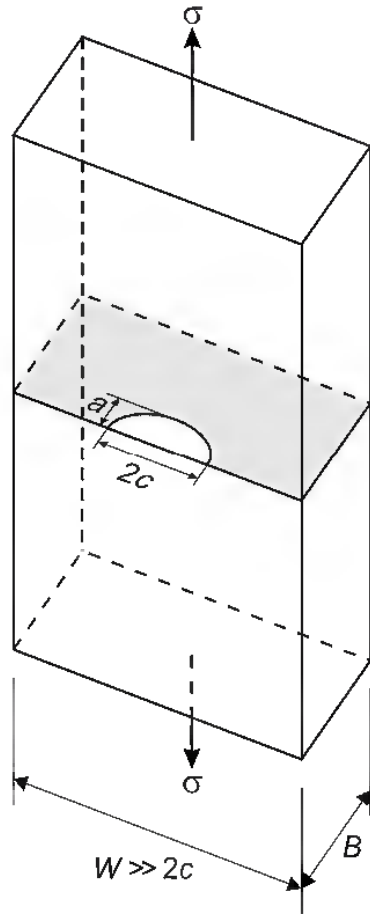
$$K_I = \sigma \sqrt{\pi a} F\left(\frac{c}{b}, \frac{\ell}{b}\right)$$



Methods: Boundary Collocation ( $c/b = 0.25, 0.5$ ; Newman), Estimated by Interpolation ( $c/b$  other than  $0.25, 0.5$ ; Tada)  
 Accuracy: Accurate for  $c/b = 0.25, 0.5$ ; better than 5% for other values of  $c/b$   
 References: Newman 1971; Tada 1973

Method: Conformal Mapping  
 Accuracy: Curves are based on accurate (0.1%) numerical values (Hasebe 1980).  
 References: Hasebe 1980; Tada 2000

# CRICCA SUPERFICIALE (Thumbnail crack)



		$K_I = C\sigma\sqrt{\pi a}/\psi$			
		C			
		a/B			
a/c	$\phi$	0.2	0.4	0.6	0.8
0.2	0°	0.617	0.724	0.899	1.190
	45°	0.990	1.122	1.384	1.657
	90°	1.173	1.359	1.642	1.851
0.4	0°	0.767	0.896	1.080	1.318
	45°	0.998	1.075	1.247	1.374
	90°	1.138	1.225	1.370	1.447
0.6	0°	0.916	1.015	1.172	1.353
	45°	1.024	1.062	1.182	1.243
	90°	1.110	1.145	1.230	1.264
1.0	0°	1.174	1.229	1.355	1.464
	45°	1.067	1.104	1.181	1.193
	90°	1.049	1.062	1.107	1.112

