

3D MODELING OF STRESS FIELDS IN MILLING

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Rezumat. Având în vedere complexitatea fenomenelor fizice prezente la prelucrarea prin aşchiere, prelucrarea ortogonală a fost configurația cea mai exploatată în modelarea analitică a procesului. Această configurație nu mai este valabilă dacă avem în vedere orientarea reală în spațiu a sculei, cum ar fi în cazul procesului de frezare. De-a lungul tăişului parametrilor geometrici și cinematici variază foarte mult și vectorul vitezei a fiecărui punct este foarte sensibil cu poziția acestuia [1]. Acest studiu include evoluțiile cinematice în spațiul de lucru, cu pante semnificative privind viteza de lucru, în configurația de prelucrare 3D și pentru fiecare din zonele de forfecare. Gradientul de viteză generează deplasări suplimentare ale aşchiei, în trei dimensiuni, prin urmare, există o nouă componentă a forței și se remarcă apariția momentelor de aşchiere. Acest studiu prezintă o scurtă descriere a modelului de aşchiere ortogonală urmată de determinarea câmpului de viteze în fiecare zonă de forfecare. Din expresia generală a vectorului de viteză, sunt determinate contribuțiile variațiilor cinematice asupra stării de tensiune și a evoluției acesteia între cele două puncte extreme ale muchiei aşchietoare.

Abstract. Given the complexity of the physical phenomena present in machining, orthogonal cutting was the most exploited configuration in the analytical modelling of cutting. This configuration is no longer valid if we consider the orientations of the tool in space such as the milling process. Along the cutting edge the geometric and kinematic parameters vary greatly and the speed vector of each point is very sensitive to the position [1]. This study incorporates the kinematic evolutions in the volume, with significant gradients of speeds, in 3D machining configuration and this in each shear zone. These gradients velocity generate additional displacements of the chip, in three dimensions, therefore a new force component with the appearance of cutting moments. This study presents a brief description of orthogonal cutting model developed followed by the determination of the velocity field in each shear zone. From the overall expression of the velocity vector, the contributions of the kinematic variations to the strain and the strain rate between the two extreme points of the edge are determined.

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1. Introduction

This study consists to determine the velocity of each point in each shear zone considering the boundary conditions at the tool-material interface. The strain is

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calculated by a spatial derivation of displacements generated. The strain rate is calculated by a spatial derivation of the velocity fields. The difference in velocity along the cutting edge generates strain gradients and strain rates gradients. This study deals with the determination of the strain gradients and strain rate gradients generated by the difference of velocities along the cutting edge.

2. Basic cutting model

In orthogonal cutting configuration and in the three cutting areas [2], [3] (primary, secondary and tertiary shear zones) the displacements, the strains and the strain rates are determined from the trajectory of each particle in the material. An element through the primary shear zone is assumed to follow an hyperbolic trajectory [4]. The component of the velocity parallel to the shear plane is assumed to be constant. A new velocity component perpendicular to the cutting surface is considered in the secondary shear zone (Fig. 8). Its value varies linearly until it vanishes along the tool-chip contact length. A linear variation of the chip velocity at the interface is considered. The acuity of the tool generates a displacement of the part of material along the rake face by plastically deforming. An elastic spring back occurs at the free surface of the machined material. The section of the tool in the calculation map is represented by a circular arc whose two asymptotes are the flank face and the rake face. A balance power between the area above and below the stagnation point is used to determine the exact position of this point.

3. Study of the primary shear zone

3.1. Displacement and velocity field carried by x_ϕ

The orientation in space of the cutting edge generates a significant speed gradient dV_N of the velocity V_N (Fig. 1) [1]. Along the cutting edge two extreme points $P_{2,inf}$ and $P_{2,sup}$ are defined, (Fig. 2).

The velocity field expression carried by x_ϕ and normal to the shear zone is of the form:

$$V_N(y_\phi, z_\phi) = \frac{dV_N}{a_p \cdot l} \cdot y_\phi \cdot z_\phi + \frac{V_{N,P_{2,inf}}}{l} \cdot y_\phi . \quad (1)$$

The time considered for the calculation of the displacement and strain is equal to the time for an element to cross the entire primary shear zone. This time is calculated with the smallest normal speed (the greatest time) and is defined by:

$$t = \frac{h_{moy}}{V_{N,P_{2,inf}}} . \quad (2)$$

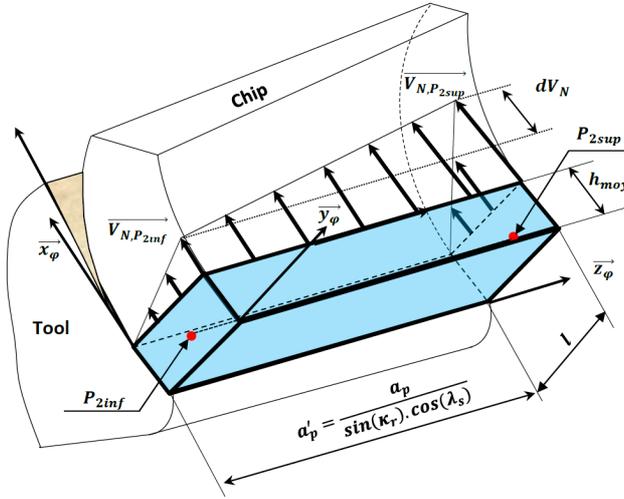


Fig. 1. The velocity distribution carried by x_ϕ .

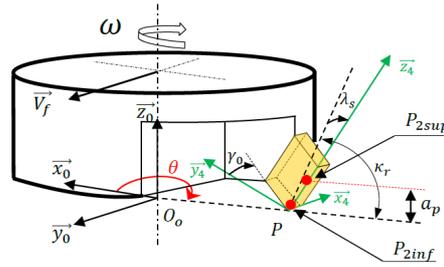


Fig. 2. Orientation of insert in the Milling.

The total displacement along x_ϕ is determined by:

$$U_{x_\phi}(y_\phi, z_\phi, t) = \frac{dV_N}{a_p \cdot l} \cdot y_\phi \cdot z_\phi \cdot t + \frac{V_{N,P_{2inf}}}{l} \cdot y_\phi \cdot t \quad (3)$$

3.2. Displacement and velocity field carried by y_ϕ

At the end of the primary shear zone ($x_\phi = h_{moy}$), the sliding velocity varies linearly from point $P_{2,inf}$ to point $P_{2,sup}$. This velocity is considered void on the side of the work piece ($x_\phi = 0$).

The velocity field carried by y_ϕ is expressed by:

$$V_S(x_\phi, z_\phi) = \frac{dV_S}{a_p \cdot h_{moy}} \cdot x_\phi \cdot z_\phi + \frac{V_{S,P_{2,inf}}}{h_{moy}} \cdot x_\phi \quad (4)$$

Starting from the surface contact between the material and the tool ($y_\phi = 0$) toward the free surface of the primary shear zone, the new velocity component varies linearly.

The minimum value at the interface depends on the sliding velocity and therefore the friction coefficient. The velocity field expression carried by z_ϕ is determined by:

$$V_{z_\phi}(x_\phi, y_\phi) = \frac{(V_Z - V_{gZ})}{l \cdot h_{moy}} \cdot x_\phi \cdot y_\phi + \frac{V_{gZ}}{h_{moy}} \cdot x_\phi \quad (6)$$

The total displacement in the primary shear zone is expressed by:

$$U_{z_\phi}(x_\phi, y_\phi, t) = \frac{(V_Z - V_{gZ})}{l \cdot h_{moy}} \cdot x_\phi \cdot y_\phi \cdot t + \frac{V_{gZ}}{h_{moy}} \cdot x_\phi \cdot t \quad (7)$$

3.4. Calculation of the strain and the strain rate in the primary shear zone

The spatial derivation of the displacement field in the primary shear zone gives the strain tensor, and the generalized value of strain is determined by:

$$\varepsilon_{\acute{e}q, zp} = \sqrt{\varepsilon_{1\acute{e}q, zp}^2 + \varepsilon_{2\acute{e}q, zp}^2 + \varepsilon_{3\acute{e}q, zp}^2} \quad (8)$$

with:
$$\varepsilon_{1\acute{e}q, zp} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{dV_N}{a_p \cdot l} \cdot z_\phi \cdot t + \frac{V_{N, P_{2, inf}}}{l} \cdot t + \frac{dV_S}{a_p \cdot h_{moy}} \cdot z_\phi \cdot t + \frac{V_{S, P_{2, inf}}}{h_{moy}} \cdot t \right)^2 \quad (9)$$

$$\varepsilon_{2\acute{e}q, zp} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{dV_N}{a_p \cdot l} \cdot y_\phi \cdot t + \frac{dV_Z}{l \cdot h_{moy}} \cdot y_\phi \cdot t + \frac{V_{gZ}}{h_{moy}} \cdot t \right)^2 \quad (10)$$

$$\varepsilon_{3\acute{e}q, zp} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{dV_Z}{h_{moy} \cdot l} \cdot x_\phi \cdot t + \frac{dV_S}{a_p \cdot h_{moy}} \cdot x_\phi \cdot t \right)^2 \quad (11)$$

The kinematic and geometric parameters are given in Table 1, and the variation of the equivalent strain along the cutting edge for different cutting angles is shown in Fig. 5.

This variation shows a large strain gradient along the cutting edge, its value is greater of 10% at the point $P_{2, sup}(z_\phi = a_p)$ compared to the value at the point $P_{2, inf}(z_\phi = 0)$. This difference corresponds to the "additional strain" generated by the orientation of the insert in space.

Table 1 Geometric and kinematic parameters of the study

$\omega(rad.s^{-1})$	a_p	R_0	κ_r	γ_0	λ_s
200	2 mm	25 mm	45°	6°	6°

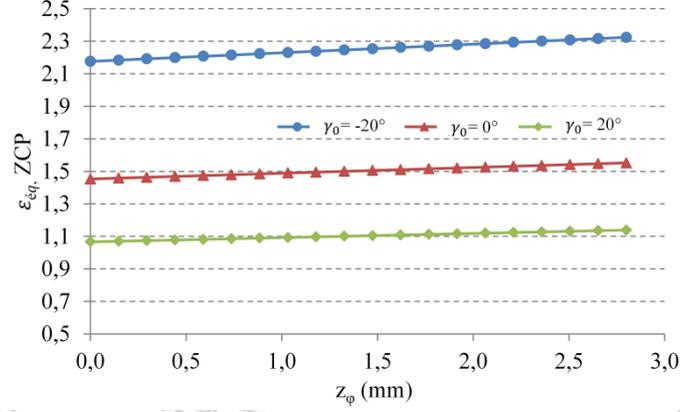


Fig. 5. Variation of the equivalent strain in the primary shear zone along the cutting edge.

The strain rate tensor is obtained by the derivation of the velocity field and the generalized strain rate is defined by:

$$\dot{\epsilon}_{eq, zp} = \sqrt{\dot{\epsilon}_{1eq, zp}^2 + \dot{\epsilon}_{2eq, zp}^2 + \dot{\epsilon}_{3eq, zp}^2}, \quad (12)$$

with,
$$\dot{\epsilon}_{1eq, zp} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{dV_N}{a_p \cdot l} \cdot z_\phi + \frac{V_{N, P2, inf}}{l} + \frac{dV_S}{a_p \cdot h_{moy}} \cdot z_\phi + \frac{V_{S, P2, inf}}{h_{moy}} \right)^2, \quad (13)$$

$$\dot{\epsilon}_{2eq, zp} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{dV_N}{a_p \cdot l} \cdot y_\phi + \frac{dV_Z}{l \cdot h_{moy}} \cdot y_\phi + \frac{V_{gZ}}{h_{moy}} \right)^2, \quad (14)$$

$$\dot{\epsilon}_{3eq, zp} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{dV_{Z4}}{h_{moy} \cdot l} \cdot x_\phi + \frac{dV_S}{a_p \cdot h_{moy}} \cdot x_\phi \right)^2. \quad (15)$$

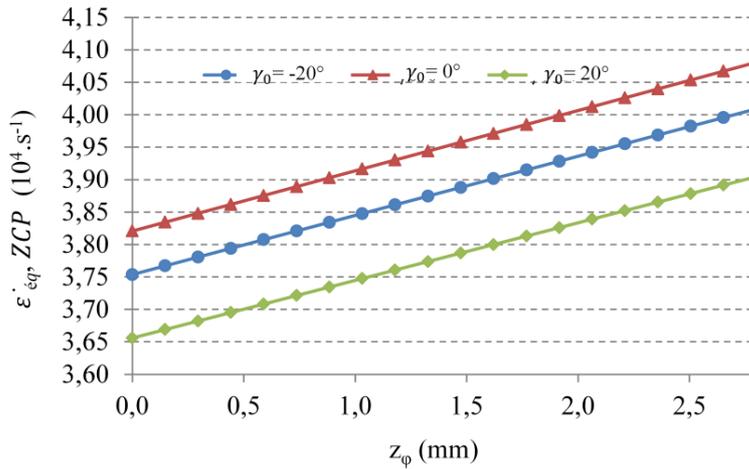


Fig. 6. Variation of the equivalent strain rate in the primary shear zone along the cutting edge.

For the same geometrical parameters given in Table 1, the variation of the equivalent strain rate along the cutting edge for different cutting angles is shown in Fig. 6. The strain rate gradient calculated along the cutting edge is significant and the evolution is comparable to the strain behaviour. The strain rate at the point $P_{2,sup}(z_\varphi = a'_p)$ is greater of 7% from the value at the point $P_{2,inf}(z_\varphi = 0)$.

4. Study of the secondary shear zone

4.1. Displacement and velocity field carried by x_c

The secondary shear zone is assumed as a triangular volume (Fig. 7). The velocity carried by x_c varies linearly along the axis normal to the cutting face. Its value varies from the sliding velocity at the interface to a value equal to the speed chips at the surface between the shearing zone and the rest of the chip (plan $z_c x_c$). Along the axis x_c (contact of the chip with cutting face) the velocity varies from zero for $x_c = 0$ to a value equal to the chip velocity at the output of the contact area. Starting from the point $P_{2,inf}$ to $P_{2,sup}$ this velocity component increases linearly.

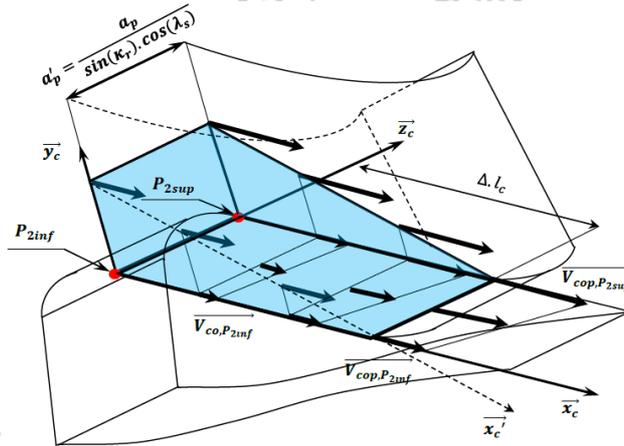


Fig. 7. The velocity distribution carried by x_c .

The velocity field expression carried by x_c is expressed by:

$$V_{x_c}(x_c, y_c, z_c) = \frac{dV_{cop}}{a_p \cdot \delta \cdot t_2} \cdot y_c \cdot z_c + \frac{dV_{cop}}{a_p \cdot \Delta l_c} \cdot x_c \cdot z_c + \frac{V_{cop,P_{2,inf}}}{\Delta l_c} \cdot x_c + \frac{V_{cop,P_{2,inf}}}{\delta \cdot t_2} \cdot y_c \quad (16)$$

The total displacement carried by x_c in the secondary shear zone is determined by:

$$U_{x_c}(x_c, z_c, t) = \left(\frac{dV_{cop}}{a_p} \cdot z_c - \frac{dV_{cop}}{a_p \cdot \Delta l_c} \cdot x_c \cdot z_c - \frac{V_{cop,P_{2,inf}}}{\Delta l_c} \cdot x_c + V_{cop,P_{2,inf}} \right) \cdot t \quad (17)$$

4.2. Displacement and velocity field carried by y_c

The trajectory of an element incoming in the secondary shear zone is considered curvilinear. A new component of velocity V_y normal to the cutting face varies from a maximum value at the beginning of this zone to zero at the end. The Fig. 8 shows the variation of this velocity between the two extreme points along the edge. The expression of the velocity field carried by y_c is defined by:

$$V_{y_c}(x_c, z_c) = \frac{dV_y}{a_p} \cdot z_c - \frac{dV_y}{a_p \cdot \Delta l_c} \cdot x_c \cdot z_c - \frac{V_{y, P_{2inf}}}{\Delta l_c} \cdot x_c + V_{y, P_{2inf}} \quad (18)$$

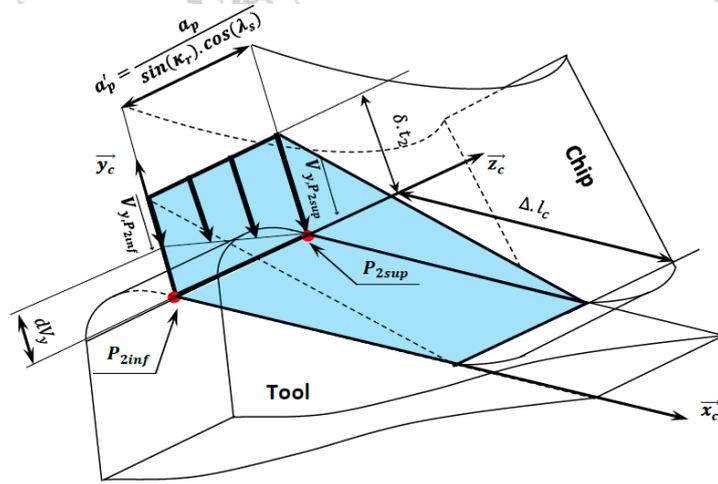


Fig. 8. The velocity distribution carried by y_c .

The displacement field expression carried by y_c is expressed by:

$$U_{y_c}(x_c, z_c, t) = \frac{dV_y}{a_p} \cdot \left(1 - \frac{x_c}{\Delta l_c}\right) \cdot z_c \cdot t. \quad (19)$$

4.3. Displacement and velocity field carried by z_c

The velocity component carried by the cutting edge varies linearly along the thickness of the secondary shear zone. It varies from a value equal to the slip velocity across the cutting face to a maximum value at the inlet of the secondary shear zone (Fig. 9).

The velocity field expression carried by z_c is determined by:

$$V_{z_c}(x_c, y_c) = -\frac{dV_z}{\Delta l_c \cdot \delta.t_2} \cdot x_c \cdot y_c + \frac{dV_z}{\delta.t_2} \cdot y_c + V_g. \quad (20)$$

For the kinematic and geometric parameters given in Table 1, the variation of the equivalent strain for different cutting angles is shown in Fig. 10.

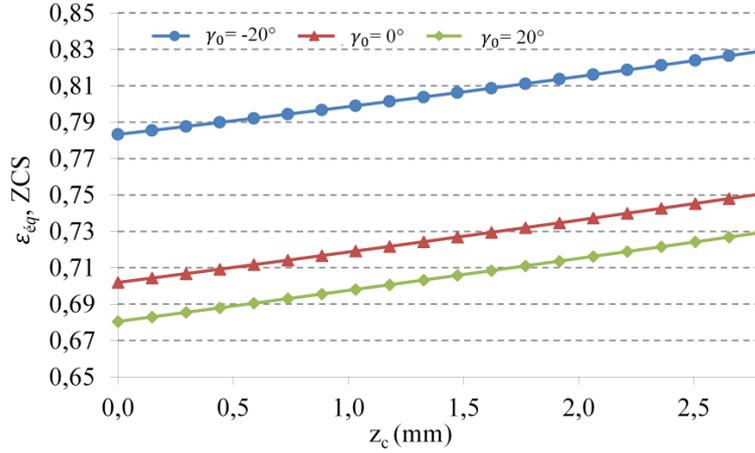


Fig. 10. Variation of the equivalent strain in the secondary shear zone along the cutting edge.

The equivalent strain decreases from negative cutting angles to positive angles. As the primary shear zone, this variation shows a large strain gradient along the cutting edge. Its value is greater on average 7% at point $P_{2,\text{sup}}$ ($z_c = a_p$) compared to the value at the point $P_{2,\text{inf}}$ ($z_c = 0$) and this difference corresponds to the "additional strain". The generalized strain rate is defined by:

$$\dot{\epsilon}_{eq,zs} = \sqrt{\dot{\epsilon}_{1eq,zs} + \dot{\epsilon}_{2eq,zs} + \dot{\epsilon}_{3eq,zs} + \dot{\epsilon}_{4eq,zs} + \dot{\epsilon}_{5eq,zs}}, \quad (28)$$

with,

$$\dot{\epsilon}_{1eq,zs} = \frac{8}{27} \cdot \left(\frac{dV_{cop}}{a_p \cdot \Delta l_c} \cdot z_c + \frac{V_{cop, P_{2,\text{inf}}}}{\Delta l_c} \right)^2, \quad (29)$$

$$\dot{\epsilon}_{2eq,zs} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{dV_{cop}}{a_p \cdot \delta \cdot t_2} \cdot z_c + \frac{V_{cop, P_{2,\text{inf}}}}{\delta \cdot t_2} - \frac{dV_y}{a_p \cdot \Delta l_c} \cdot z_c - \frac{V_{y, P_{2,\text{inf}}}}{\Delta l_c} \right)^2, \quad (30)$$

$$\dot{\epsilon}_{3eq,zs} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(\frac{dV_{cop}}{a_p \cdot \delta \cdot t_2} \cdot y_c + \frac{dV_{cop}}{a_p \cdot \Delta l_c} \cdot x_c - \frac{dV_z}{\delta \cdot t_2 \cdot \Delta l_c} \cdot y_c \right)^2, \quad (31)$$

$$\dot{\epsilon}_{4eq,zs} = \frac{4}{27} \cdot \left(\frac{dV_{cop}}{a_p \cdot \Delta l_c} \cdot z_c + \frac{V_{cop, P_{2,\text{inf}}}}{\Delta l_c} \right)^2, \quad (32)$$

$$\dot{\epsilon}_{5eq,zs} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \left(-\frac{dV_y}{a_p \cdot \Delta l_c} \cdot x_c + \frac{dV_y}{a_p} - \frac{dV_z}{\delta \cdot t_2 \cdot \Delta l_c} \cdot x_c + \frac{dV_z}{\delta \cdot t_2} \right)^2. \quad (33)$$

The variation of the equivalent strain rate in the secondary shear zone and along the cutting edge z_c for different cutting angles γ_0 is shown in Fig. 11:

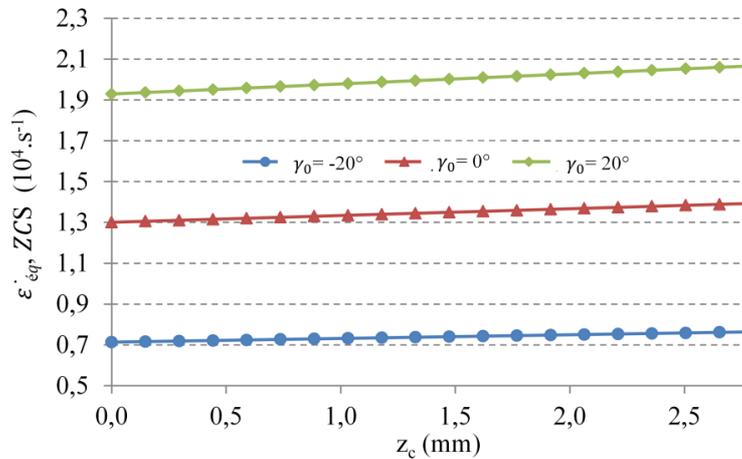


Fig. 11. Variation of the equivalent strain rate in the secondary shear zone along the cutting edge. The strain rate is lower than in the primary shear zone and its variation, from the point $P_{2,inf}$ to $P_{2,sup}$ is similar to the primary shear zone. This difference of the strain rate along the edge is equal to 7%.

Conclusions

This paper presents a new detailed approach to calculate strain and strain rates in both shear zones during the cutting process and for a milling configuration. The orientation of the insert in the space creates strong velocity gradients along the cutting edge. These gradients directly influence the strain and strain rate fields. 7% of variation are calculated between the two extreme points of the cutting edge and thus a significant difference in the stress fields and cutting mechanical actions.

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Notations

$(\overset{r}{x}_\phi, \overset{r}{y}_\phi, \overset{r}{z}_\phi), (\overset{r}{x}_c, \overset{r}{y}_c, \overset{r}{z}_c)$: Coordinate systems respectively associated with the primary and secondary shear zone.

$V_N, V_{N,P_{2,inf}}, V_{N,P_{2,inf}}, V_S, V_{S,P_{2,inf}}, V_{S,P_{2,inf}}$: Normal and sliding velocities in the primary shear zone at point $P_{2,inf}$ and $P_{2,sup}$.

$V_{z_\varphi}(V_{z_c}), V_Z, V_{gz}(V_g)$: Velocity components carried by the cutting edge, maximum velocity, interfacial tool-chip velocity.

$V_{x_c}, V_{cop,P_{2,inf}}, V_{cop,P_{2,sup}}, V_{y_c}, V_{y,P_{2,inf}}, V_{y,P_{2,sup}}$: Velocity component carried by x_c and y_c to the point $P_{2,inf}$ and $P_{2,sup}$.

$dV_N, dV_S, dV_Z, dV_{cop}, dV_y$: Maximum velocity differences for the velocity fields $V_N, V_S, V_Z, V_{cop}, V_y$.

$U_{x_\varphi}, U_{y_\varphi}, U_{z_\varphi}, U_{x_c}, U_{y_c}, U_{z_c}$: Displacement fields respectively in R_φ et R_c .

$\epsilon_{\acute{e}q,Zp}, \epsilon_{\acute{e}q,Zs}, \&_{\acute{e}q,Zp}, \&_{\acute{e}q,Zs}$: Strain and generalized strain rate in primary and secondary shear zone.

$l, h_{moy}, a_p, a'_p, R_0, t$: Length of the ZCP, thickness of the ZCS, depth of cut, real depth of cut on the edge, the tool radius, calculation time.

$\kappa_r, \gamma_0, \lambda_s, \Delta.l_c, \delta.t_2$: Orientation angles of the insert, length of the contact tool/material.

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