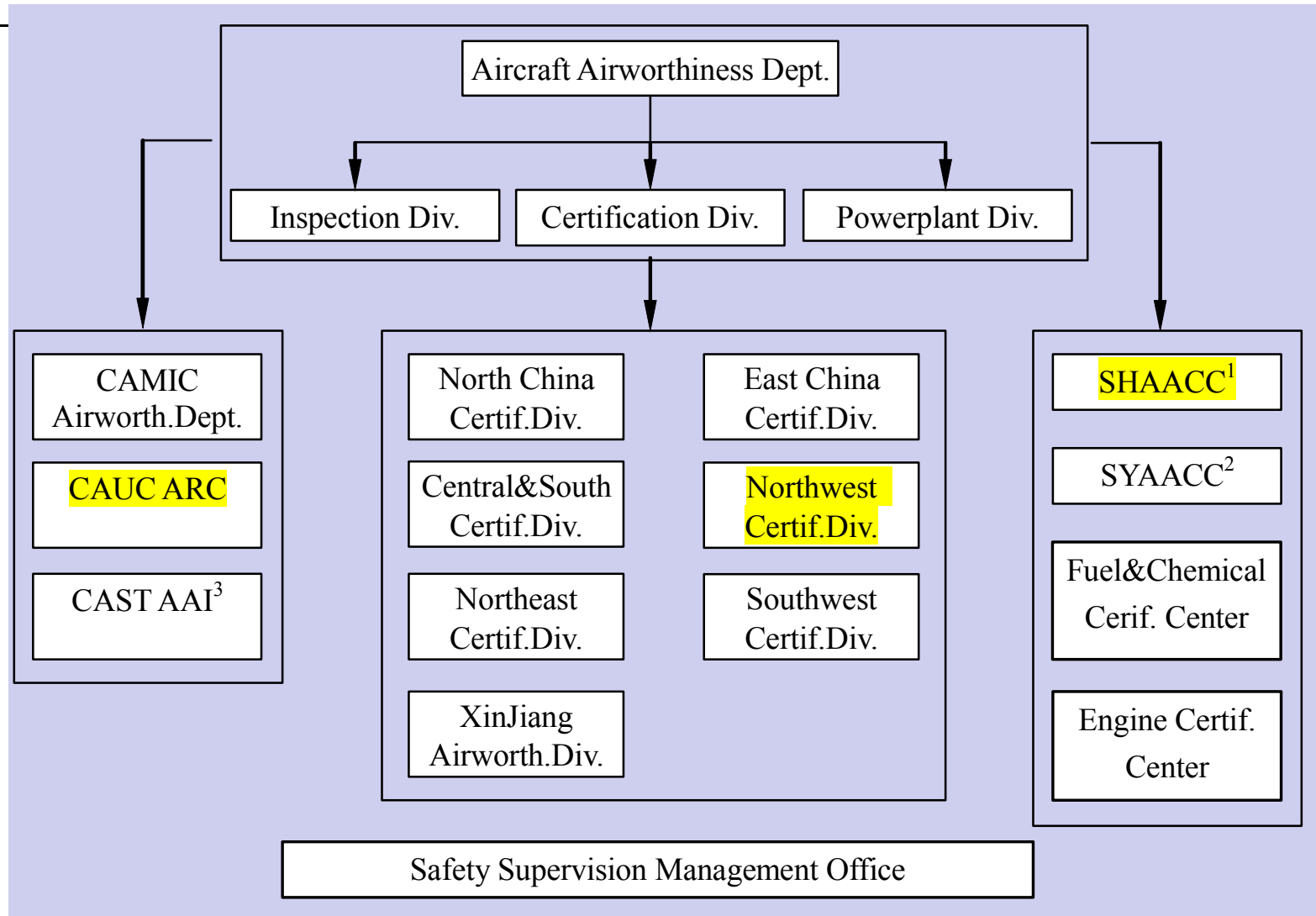


Research Progress of Crashworthiness for Composite Structures

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1. About Civil Aviation University of China(CAUC)

Location



1. About Civil Aviation University of China(CAUC)

Campus

- Covered an area of **1.1 million** m²
- North / South Campus
- Total build-up area: **540,000** m²
- Third campus covers **467,000** m², the Airworthiness Research Center covers **34,000** m².



2. Overview of Airworthiness Research Center (ARC)

- **Full name:** Civil Aviation Aircraft **Airworthiness Certification Technology and Management Research Center.**
- **Established as a Technical Center supporting CAAC-AAD in 2007.**
- **Objective:**
 - Provide **technical support** for the decision-making of CAAC
 - Conduct research on airworthiness development strategies, planning and policy
 - Organize and conduct airworthiness **certification technology research**
 - Organize and provide **airworthiness training**, carry out certification under entrusted and provide public services and consultancy
 - Track the development trend of the international airworthiness and organize international exchange activities
 - Accomplish other tasks entrusted by the CAAC



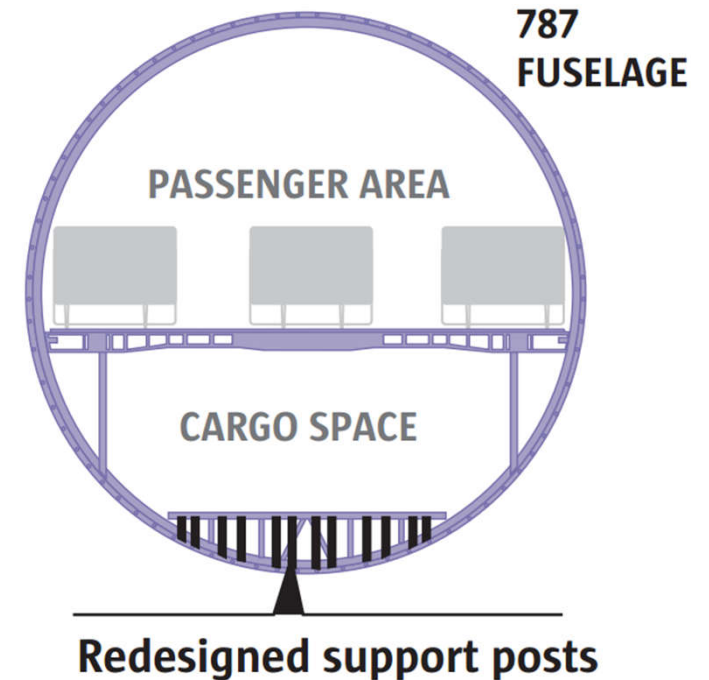
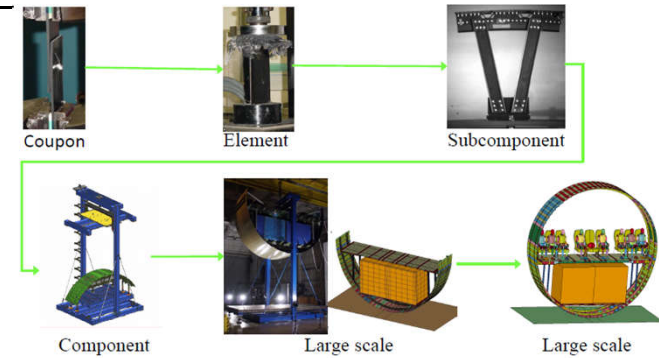
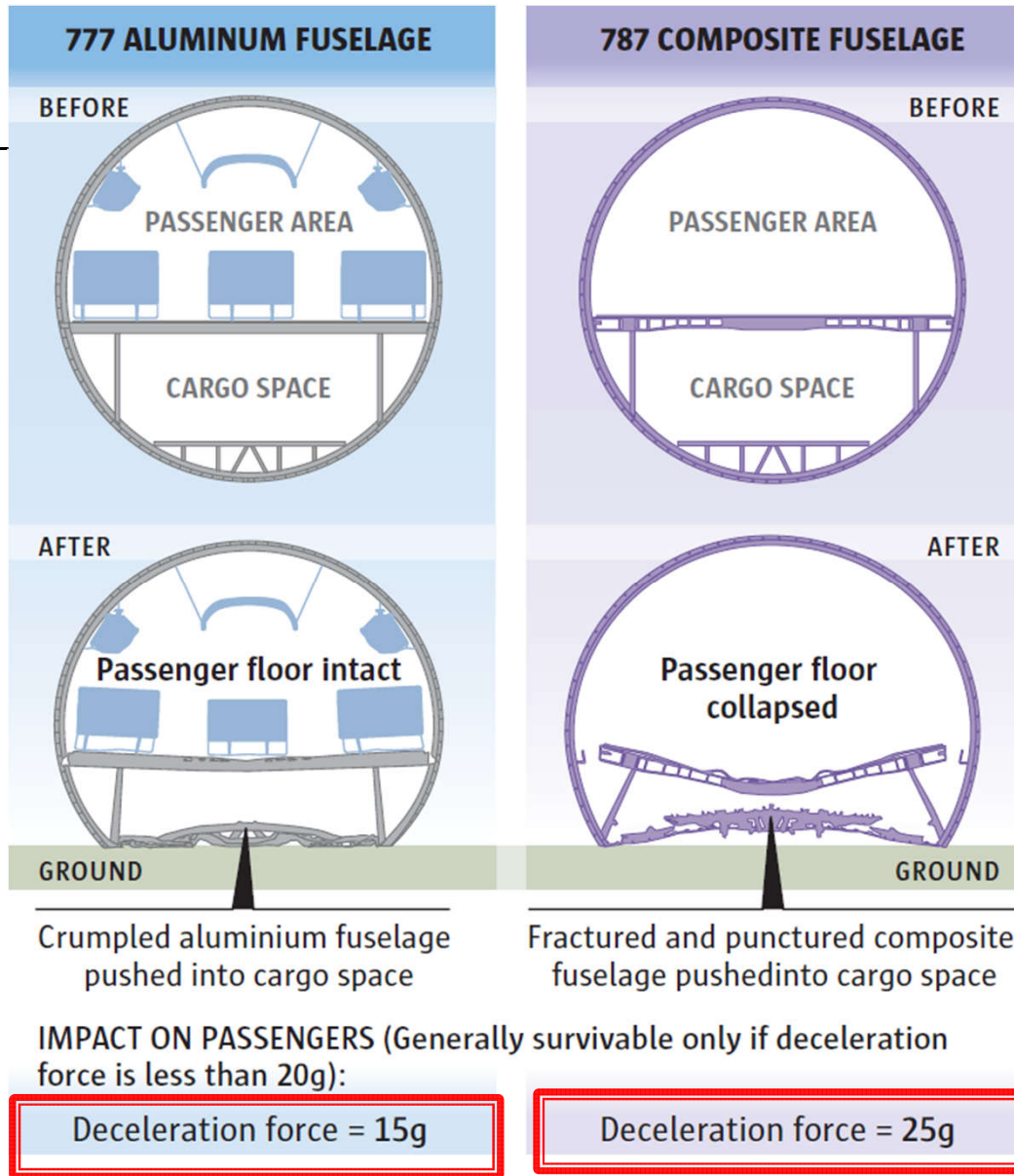
2. Overview of Airworthiness Research Center (ARC)

Labs:

- System Safety Lab
- Software and Hardware Lab
- Electromagnetic Environment Lab
- **Crash Safety Simulation Lab**
 - High performance Cluster
 - HyperWorks、LS-DYNA、PAM-CRASH...



3. Crashworthiness of B787

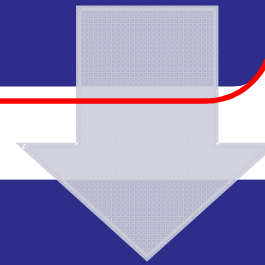


➤ 25-362-SC (Boeing Model 787-8 Airplane; Crashworthiness)



4. Study on energy absorption of Composite Structures

Develop modeling and simulation techniques based on Finite Element Analysis



Develop methods to evaluate the energy absorbing characteristics of composite structures



4.1 modeling techniques: Laminates material property test

Laminates material properties required by software

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E0c1	GAMMA	BPSifci	BPSifcu	Dfcu	IBUCK
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RO	BETA	m	A		
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Param.	Distr.	Mean	S.D.	Unit
E_x	N.D.	126	4.32	Gpa
E_y	N.D.	8.71	0.14	Gpa
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h	U.D	1.5	0.07	mm
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Tension test

Compression test



4.1 modeling techniques: composite element test

Test condition: Quasi-static load applied axially

Corrugated plate:



index	layups	initiator
1	$[0/90]_{4s}$	45° chamfer
2	$[45/-45]_{4s}$	45° chamfer
3	$[0/45/-45/90]_{2s}$	45° chamfer

Cylinder:



index	layups	initiator
1	$[0/90]_{3s}$	Null
2	$[0/90]_{3s}$	45° chamfer
3	$[45/-45/0/90/0]_s$	45° chamfer

Rectangular tube:



index	layups	initiator
1	$[0/90]_{3s}$	45° chamfer
2	$[45/-45]_{3s}$	45° chamfer
3	$[45/-45/0/0/90/0]_s$	45° chamfer



4.1 modeling techniques: composite element test

Test results for corrugated plate

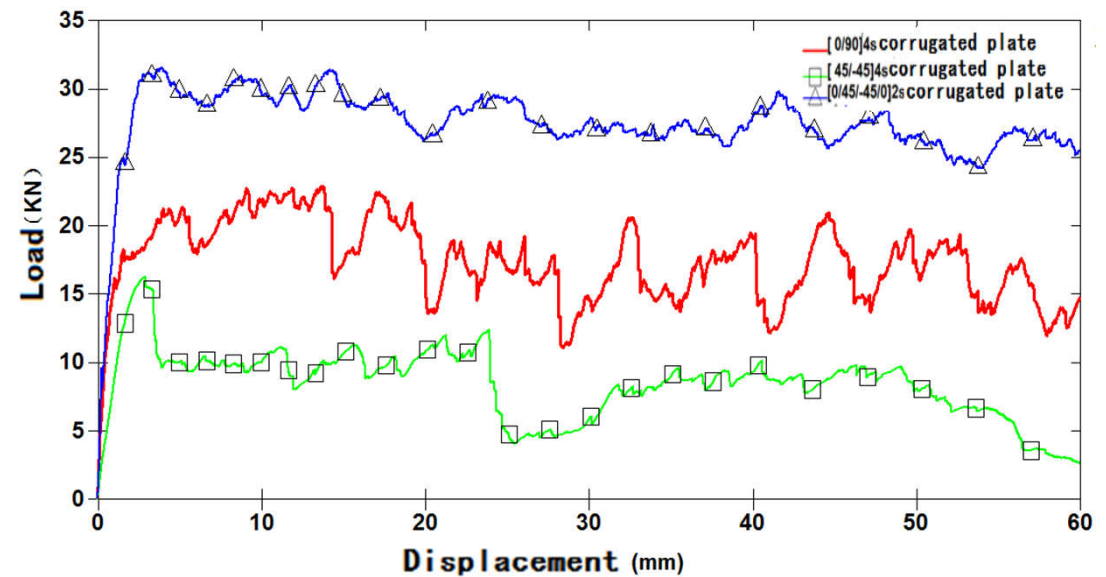
index	Layups(Deg)	Peak Force (KN)	SEA (J/g)
1	[0/90]4s	21.47	59.65
2	[45/-45]4s	16.38	29.03
3	[0/45/-45/0]2s	31.66	94.19



[0/90]4s

[45/-45]4s

[0/45/-45/0]2s



4.1 modeling techniques: composite element test

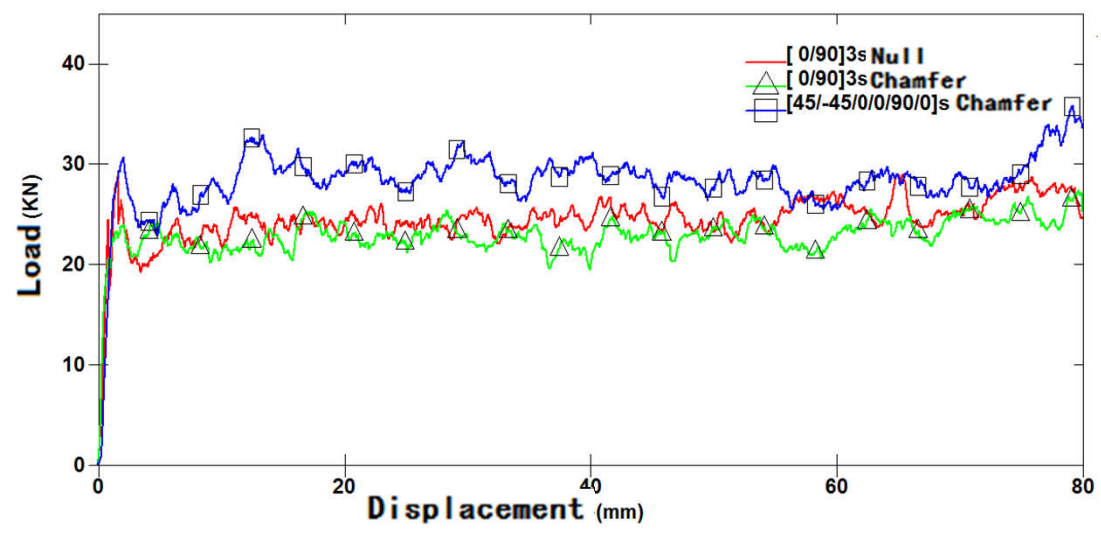
Test results for cylinder



index	Layups(Deg)	Peak Force (KN)	SEA (J/g)
1	[0/90] _{3s}	28.81	61.78
2	[0/90] _{3s}	24.47	58.49
3	[45/-45/0/0/90/0] _s	30.73	69.68



[0/90]_{3s} Null [0/90]_{3s} Chamfer [45/-45/0/0/90/0]_s Chamfer



4.1 modeling techniques: composite element test

Test results for rectangular tube



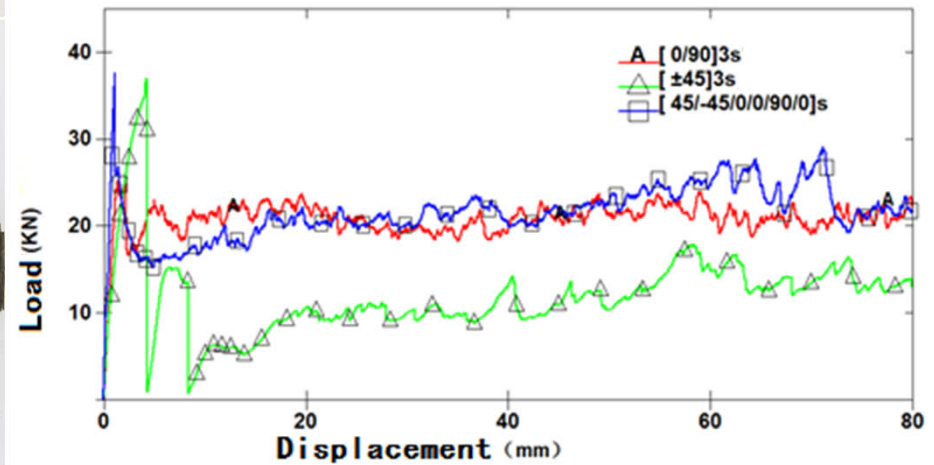
index	Layups(Deg)	Peak Force (KN)	SEA (J/g)
1	[0/90] _{3s}	25.25	44.75
2	[±45] _{3s}	37.08	27.78
3	[45/-45/0/0/90/0] _s	37.70	46.85



[0/90]_{3s}

[±45]_{3s}

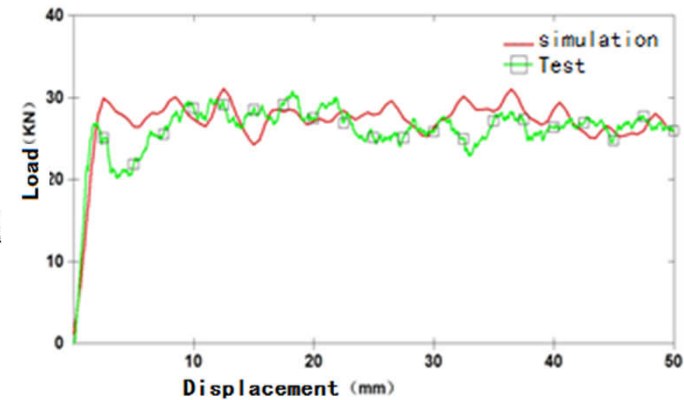
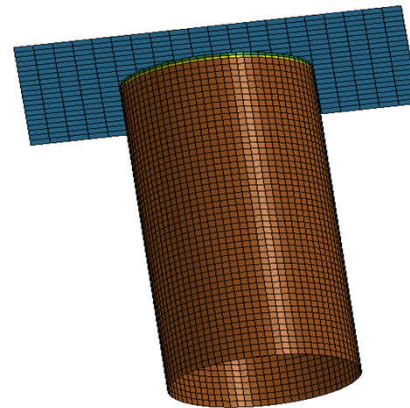
[45/-45/0/0/90/0]_s



4.1 modeling techniques: benchmark

LS-DYNA MAT 54(ENHANCED_COMPOSITE_DAMAGE)

Parameter	Value	Parameter	Value
ρ	1.53 g/cm ³	Y_c	184MPa
E_x	126 GPa	S_c	98.8MPa
E_y	8.71GPa	BETA	0.0
G_{xy}	3.60GPa	FBRT	1.0
ν_{ba}	0.011	YCFAC	1.5
X_t	2571 MPa	TFAIL	0.4
X_c	1060 MPa	SOFT	0.6
Y_t	41.8 MPa	EFS	0.7



Load vs displacement

	Peak force (KN)	Error %	SEA(J/g)	Error %
test	26.67	—	74.86	—
simulation	29.58	10.91	77.41	3.82

Simulation is able to repeat test

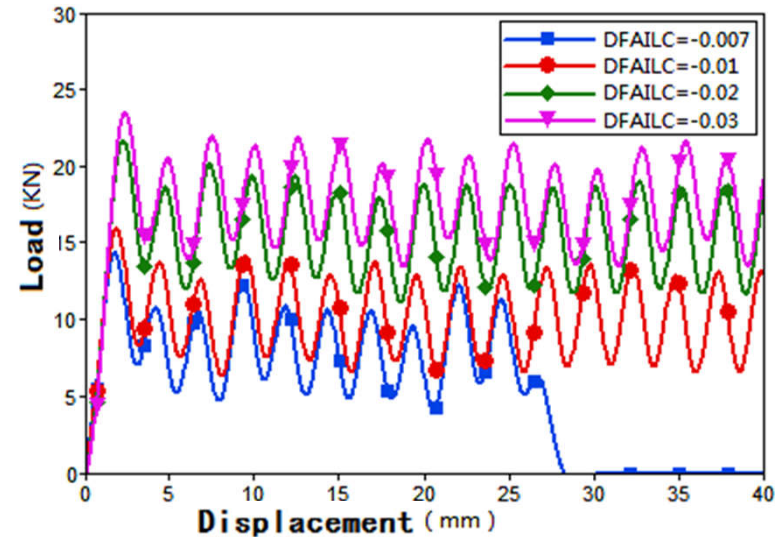
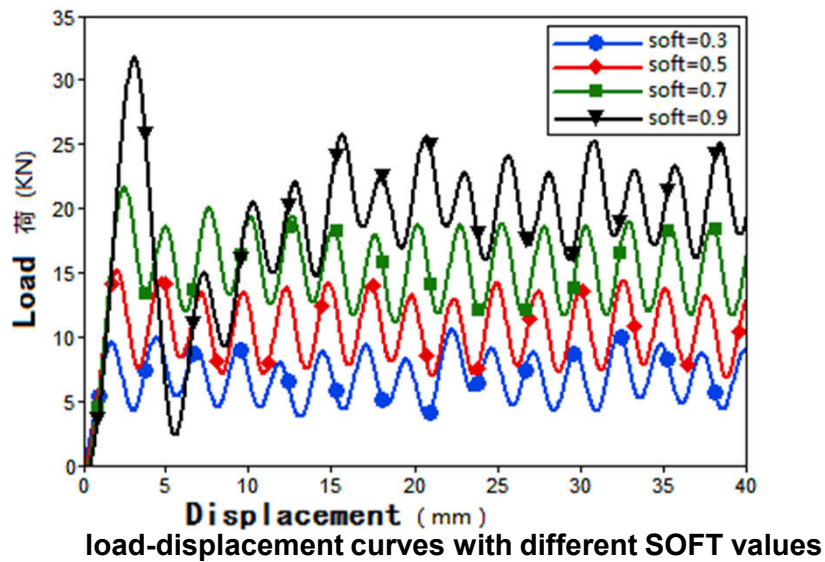


4.1 modeling techniques: Parametric study

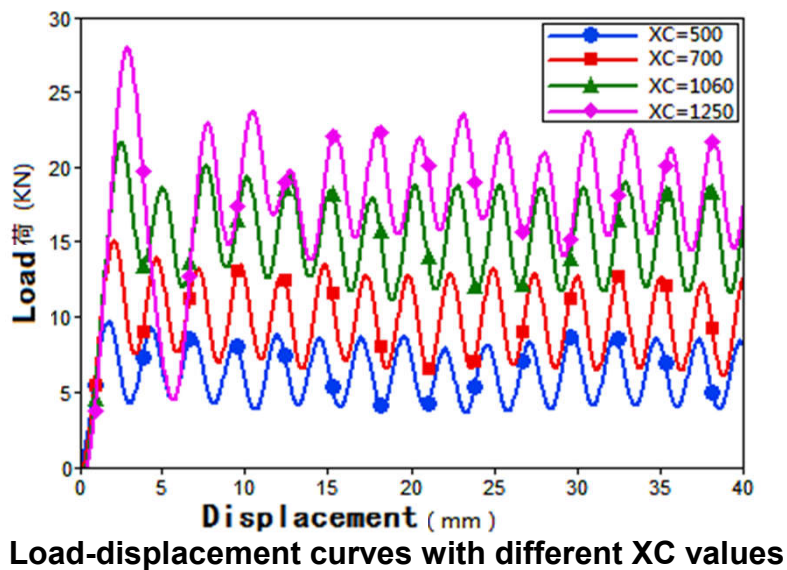
Parameters	Baseline	Simulation matrix
XT	2571	0, 50, 500, 1000, 1500, 2000, 2500, 2550, 2700, 3500, 4500
XC	1060	0, 650, 1000, 1400, 1500, 1700, 1800, 1900, 2100
SC	84.1	0.006897, 69, 103, 120, 124, 131, 138, 207, 241, 345
YT	41.8	0, 20, 47, 52, 68, 345, 3450
YC	184	0, 35, 103, 172, 207, 242, 482, 1379, 1986, 2206, 2758, 3448
DFAILT	0	0.005, 0.00625, 0.00688, 0.0075, 0.01, 0.015, 0.04, 0.08, 0.1
DFAILC	0	-0.005, -0.0075, -0.00813, -0.00875, -0.01, -0.012, -0.015, -0.02, -0.0225, -0.025, -0.03, -0.1
DFAILM	0	0.01, 0.015, 0.0163, 0.0165, 0.018, 0.02, 0.03, 0.06
DFAILS	0	0.006, 0.01, 0.037, 0.05, 0.1
EFS	0.95	0.01, 0.1, 0.2, 0.3, 0.4, 0.5, 0.6, 0.7, 0.8, 0.9, 1.0
FBRT	1.0	0, 0.1, 0.5, 0.95
YCFAC	3.0	0, 0.5, 2, 4, 5
SOFT	0.48	0, 0.05, 0.4, 0.55, 0.565, 0.575, 0.6, 0.8, 1.0



4.1 modeling techniques: Parametric study



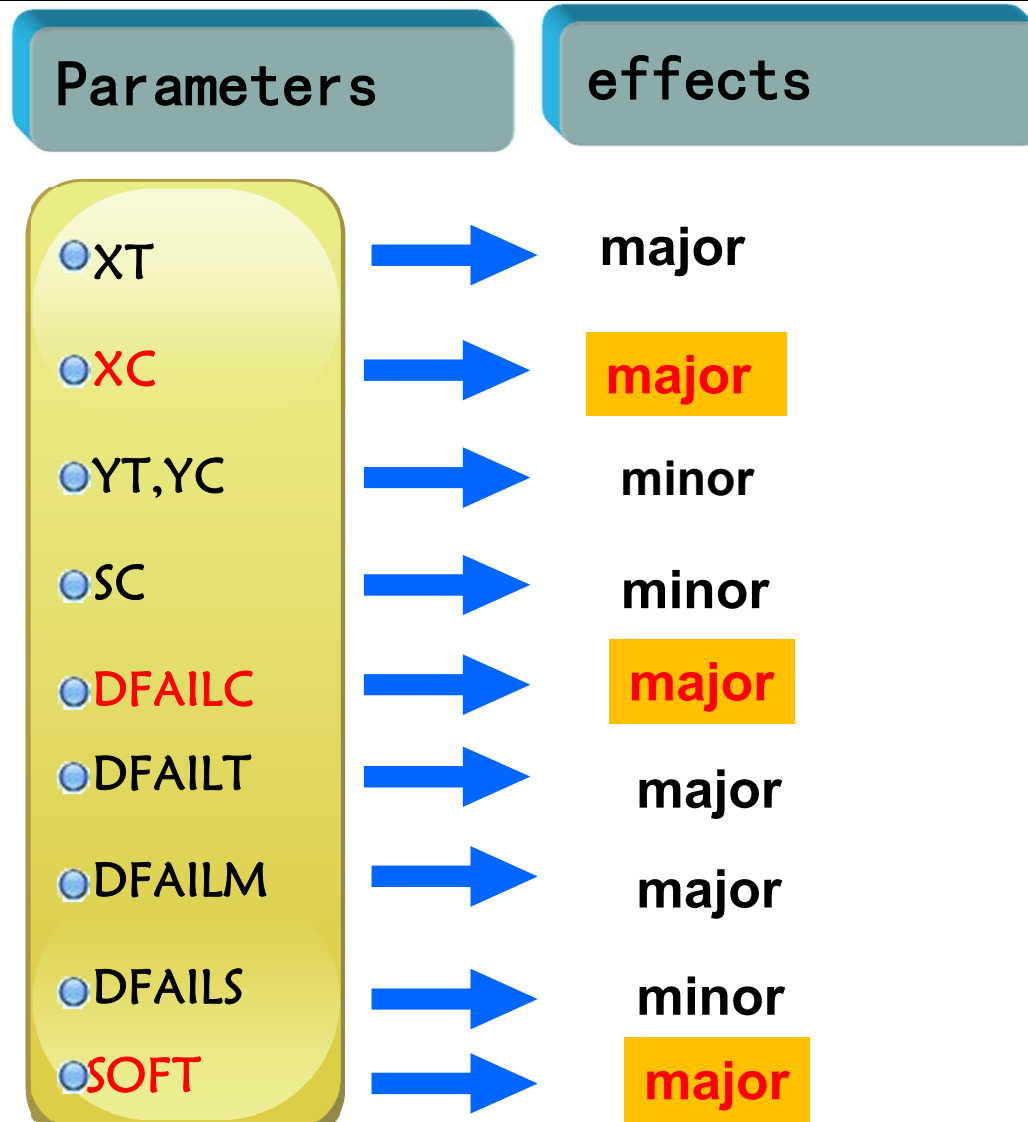
Load-displacement curves with different DFAILC values



Load-displacement curves with different XC values



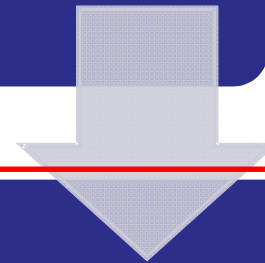
4.1 modeling techniques: Parametric study



- Simulation is not able to predict test

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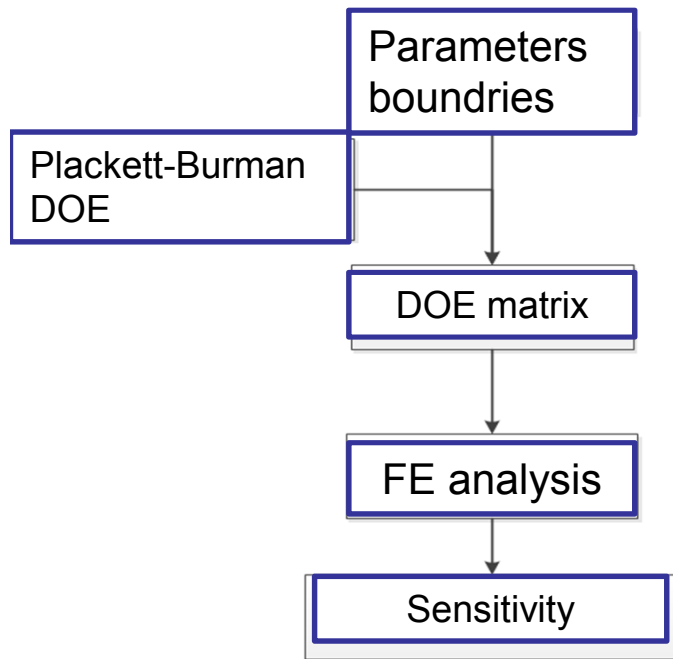
4.2 Evaluation method development: **uncertainty**

- **Due to the scattering of material properties and mechanical tolerance, uncertain factors should be considered for designing and analyzing composite structures.**
- **An evaluation method for energy-absorbing characteristics of thin-walled composite structures with uncertain parameters was proposed**

Paramter	Distribution	Distribution		
		mean	s.d.	unit
E_x	N.D.	126	4.32	Gpa
E_y	N.D.	8.71	0.14	Gpa
G_{xy}	N.D.	3.6	0.06	Gpa
V_{ba}	N.D.	0.165	0.013	
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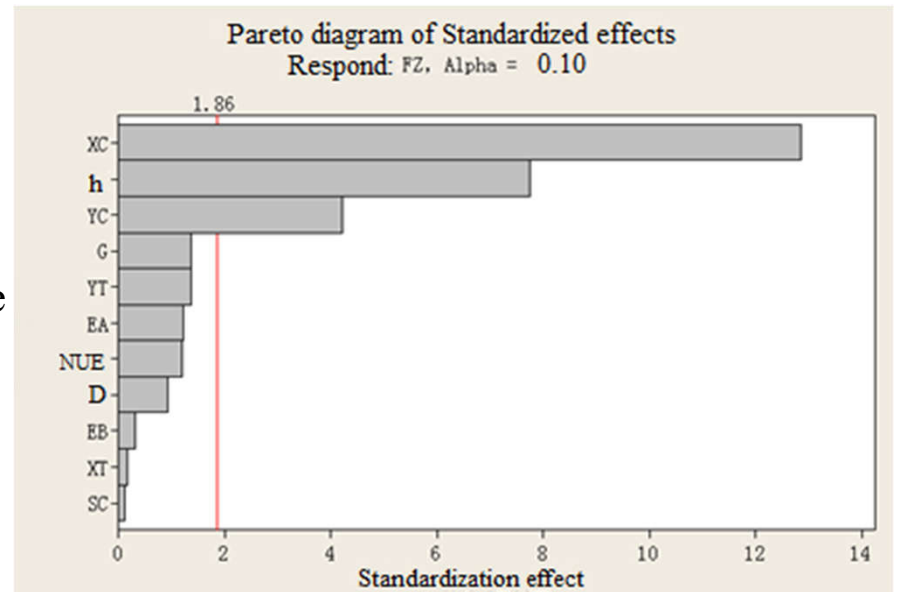
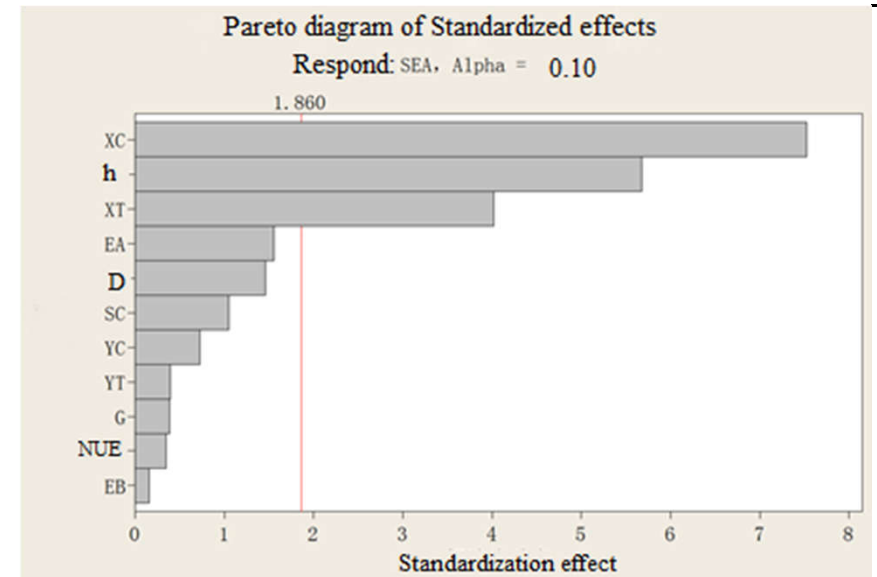
4.2 Evaluation method development: uncertain sources identification



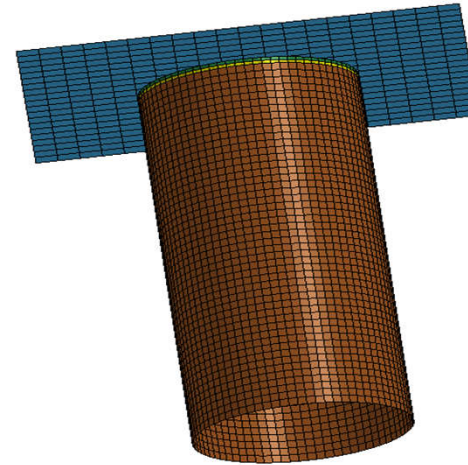
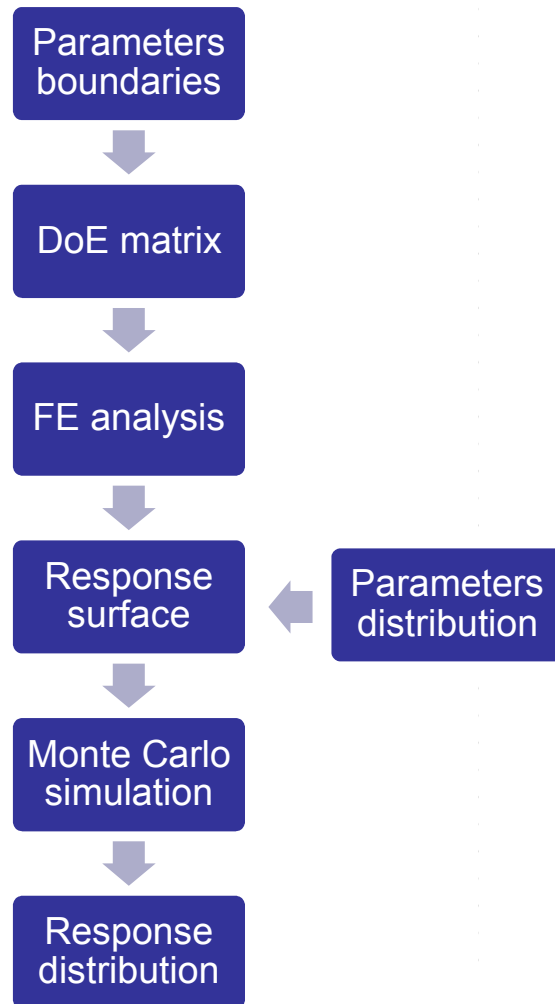
Plackett-Burman DOE is used to determine sensitivities of the parameters.

Parameter	Distribution	mean	s.d.	unit
E_x	N.D.	126	4.32	Gpa
E_y	N.D.	8.71	0.14	Gpa
G_v	N.D.	3.6	0.06	Gpa
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h	U.D	1.5	0.07	mm
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Four parameters are selected.



4.2 Evaluation method development: flow chart



	Mean	S.D.	Distribution
XT(MPa)	2571	144	N.D
XC(MPa)	1060	212	N.D
YC(MPa)	184	10.9	N.D
h(mm)	1.5	0.069	U.D

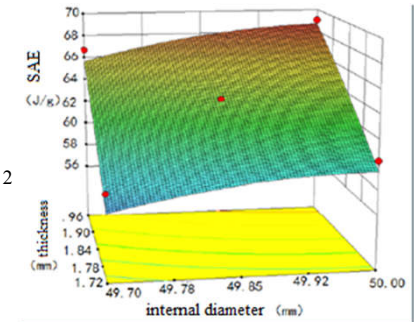
Flow chart for evaluate EA characteristics of a composite cylinder with uncertain parameters

4.2 Evaluation method development: Response Surfaces

Response surfaces for SEA and Peak Force are obtained as follow:

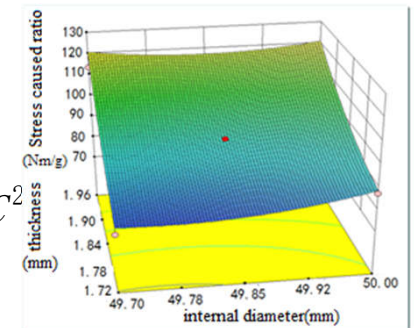
$$SEA = -1090.12953 + 0.010317 XC + 1572.8829h + 0.17386 XT - 3.24048 YC - 0.020277 XCh + 1.22801e^{-5} XCXT + 1.22732e^{-4} XCYC - 0.11033hXT + 0.85432hYC + 3.31483e^{-4} XTYC - 9.82455e^{-6} XC^2 - 463.44420h^2 - 1.480e^{-5} XT^2 + 2.96272e^{-3} YC^2$$

$$R^2=0.9556$$

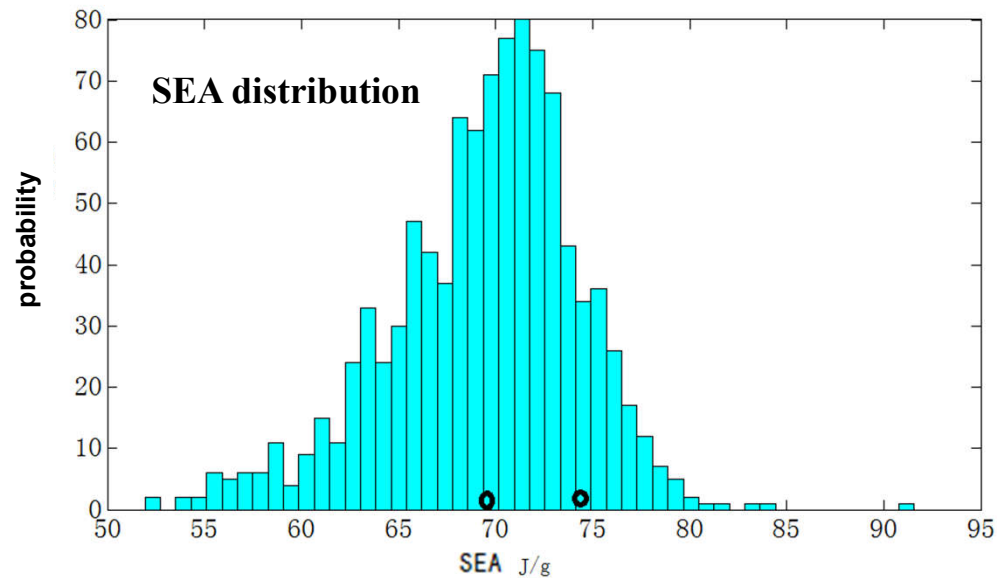


$$F_z = -38.49872 + 0.04462XC + 122.02341h + 5.04609XT - 0.94235YC - 0.026175XCh - 4.02986e^{-6} XCXT + 1.068e^{-4} XCYC - 0.022111hXT + 0.23674hYC + 1.18459e^{-4} XTYC - 1.91683e^{-6} XC^2 - 17.26974h^2 + 1.66814e^{-6} XT^2 + 7.72558e^{-4} YC^2$$

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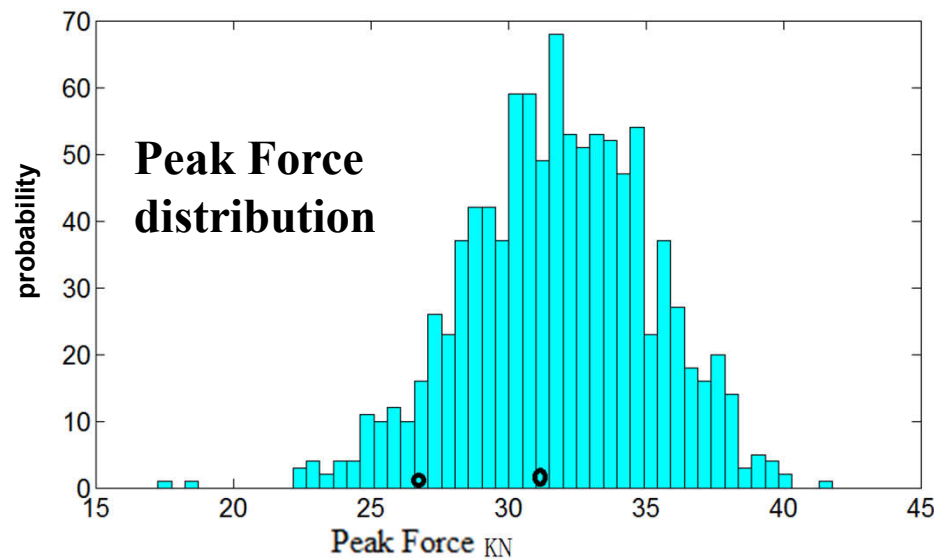
4.2 Evaluation method development: Results



SEA:

- Mean: 69.39J/g
- Standard Deviation:4.92J/g
- A 95% confidence interval: [57.69,77.49]KN

Black circles in the figures represent the test results



Peak Force:

- Mean: 31.78KN
- Standard Deviation:3.35KN
- A 95% confidence interval: [25.89,38.03]KN



Thanks for your attention!

Great opportunity!

