

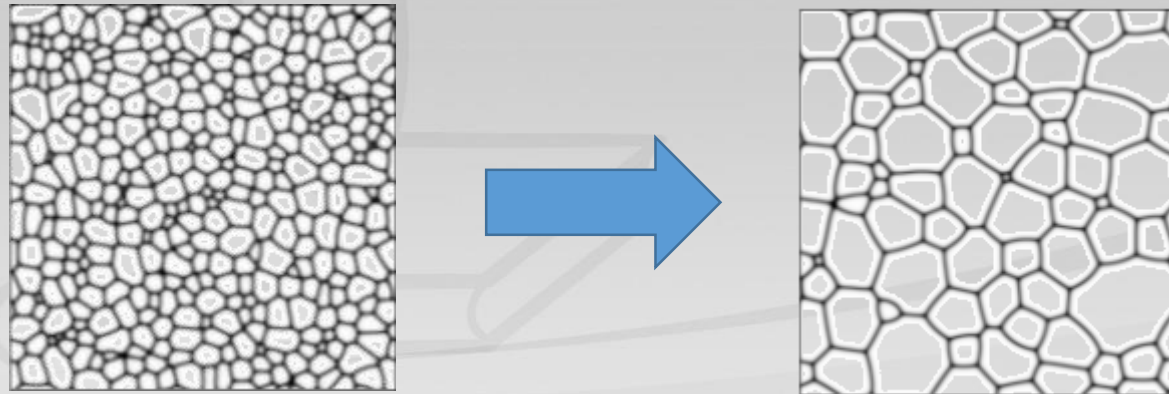
Multi class grain growth model in MatCalc 6

(MatCalc 6.00.0200)

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Grain growth



- Tendency - to minimize:
 - grain surface area
 - specific grain boundary energy

Grain growth kinetics

- General idea: Mobility & Driving force

$$\dot{D} = \frac{dD}{dt} = MP_D$$

\dot{D} - Grain size growth rate

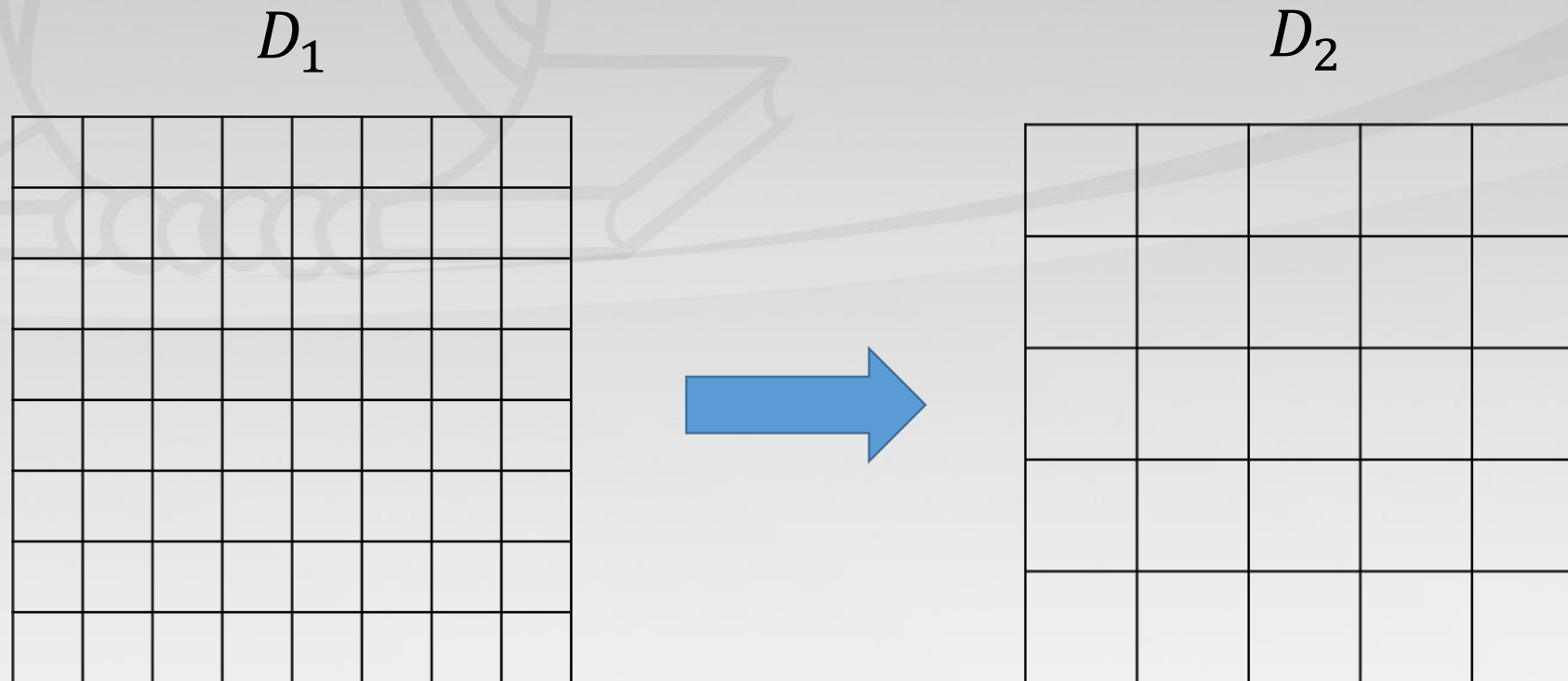
M - Grain boundary mobility

P_D - Driving force/pressure for grain growth

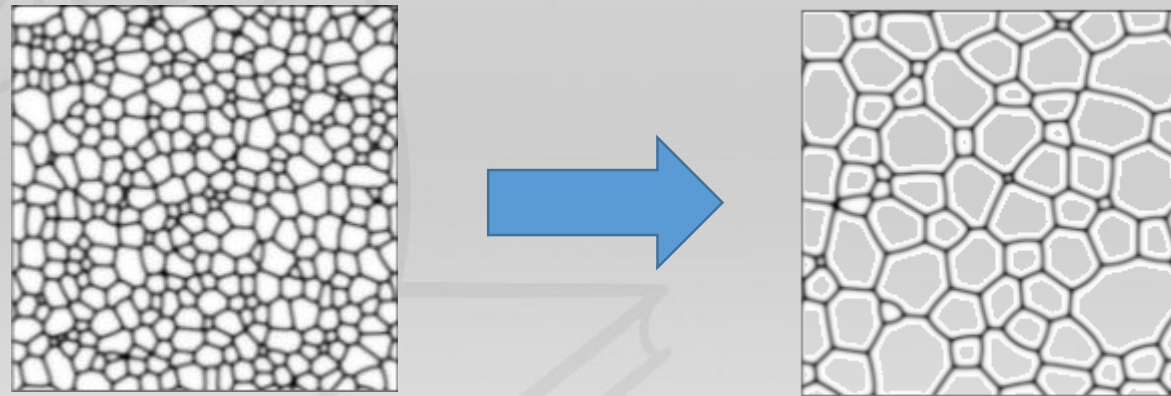
t - Time

Single class grain growth

- Single quantity: Mean grain size



Multi class grain growth

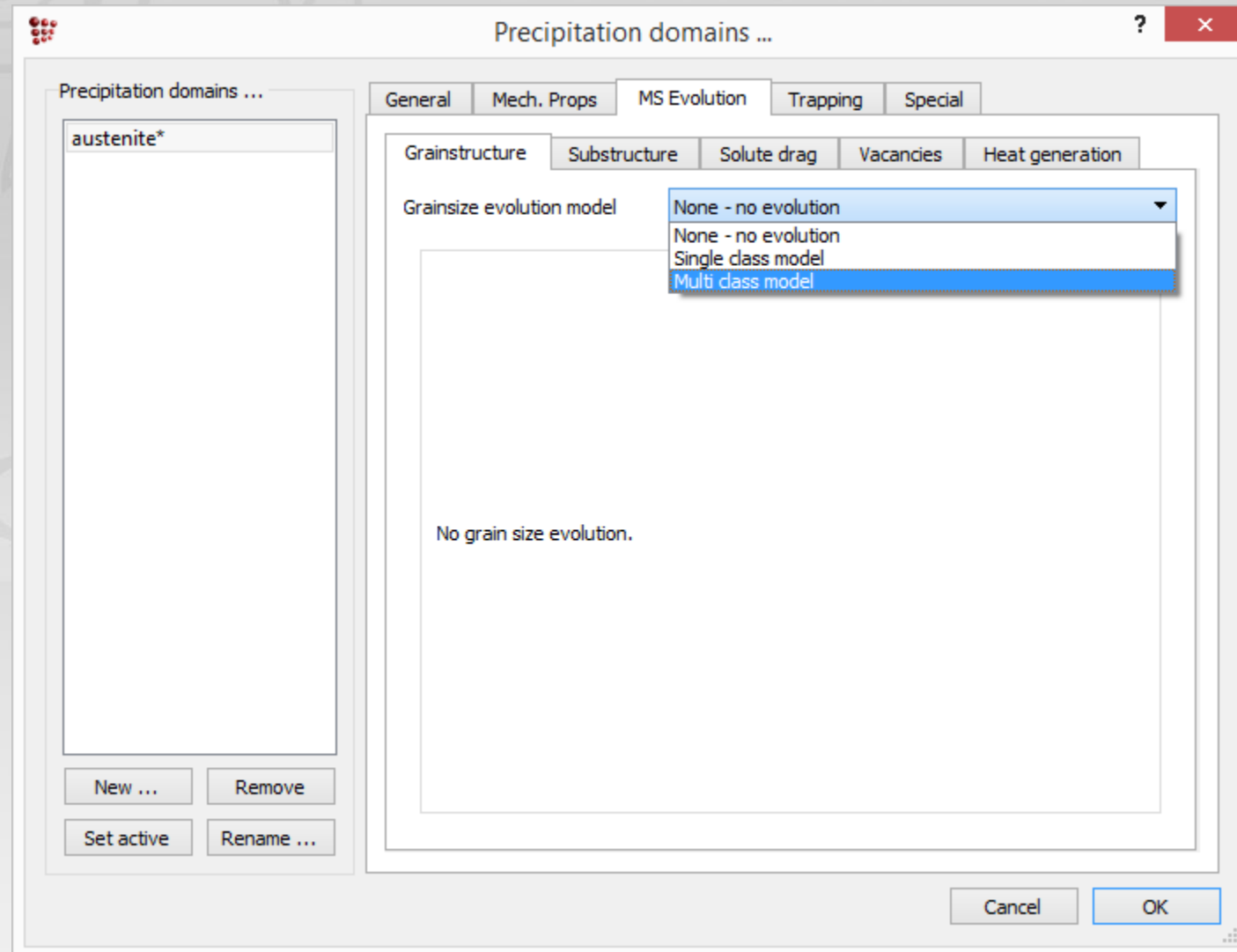


Various grain sizes need to be followed simulatneously...

Multi Class Grain Model (MCGM)

- Class representation – as for precipitates
- Each class has identical:
 - size (diameter)
 - accumulated strain
 - dislocation densities
 - subgrain size
 - etc.

MCGM - selection



MCGM – class definition

Precipitation domains ...

Precipitation domains ...

General Mech. Props MS Evolution Trapping Special

Grainstructure Substructure Solute drag Vacancies Heat generation

Grainsize evolution model Multi class model

Size distribution ...

size classes: 25 Initialize ...

Edit grain size distribution ...

Grain growth ...

k_d 2.0 k_r 1.5

sc/mc fact gg 4.0 sc/mc fact rx 4.0

topology factor (0.0=none, 0-1): 0.5

Recrystallization control ...

Allow rexx C_{gb} 1.0

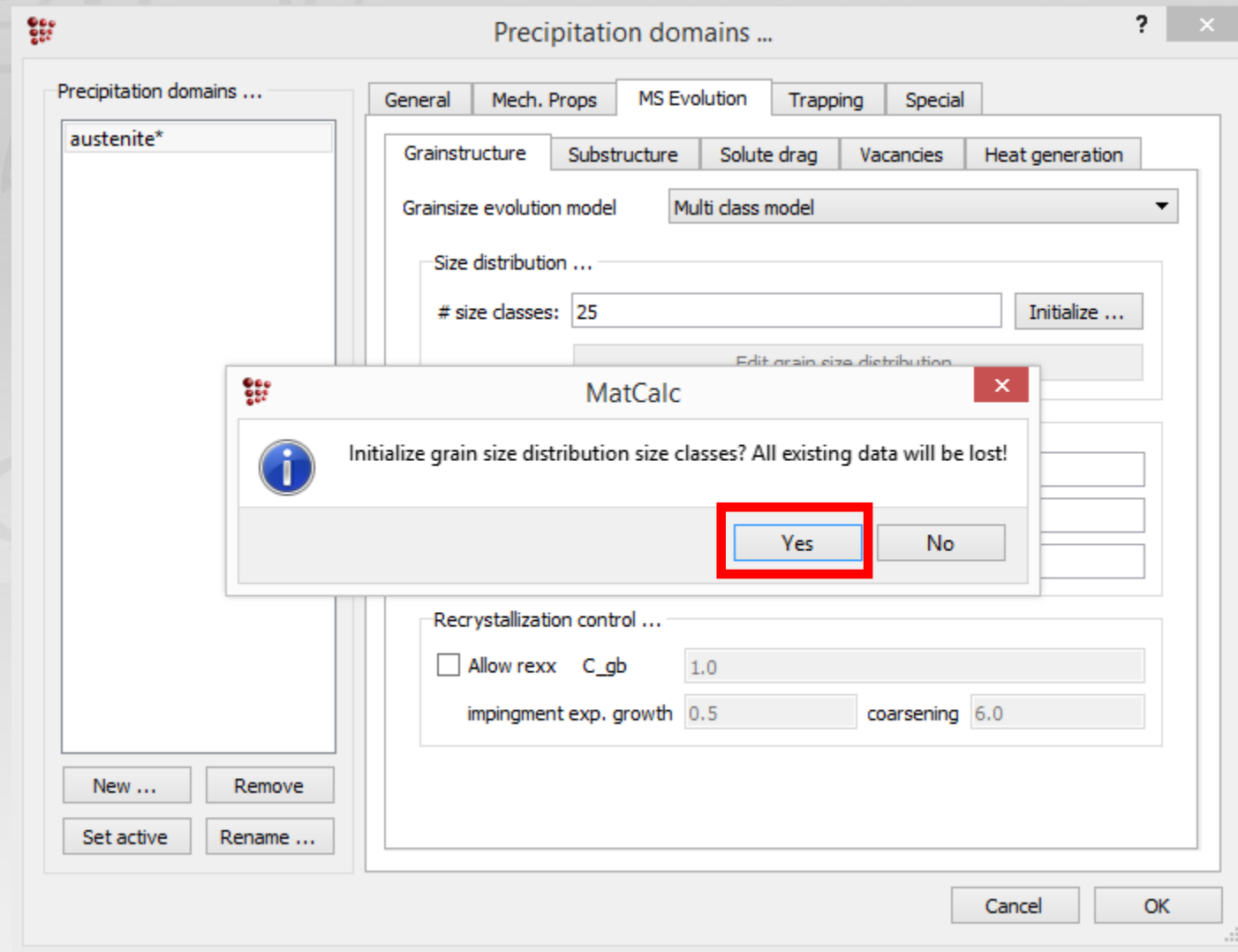
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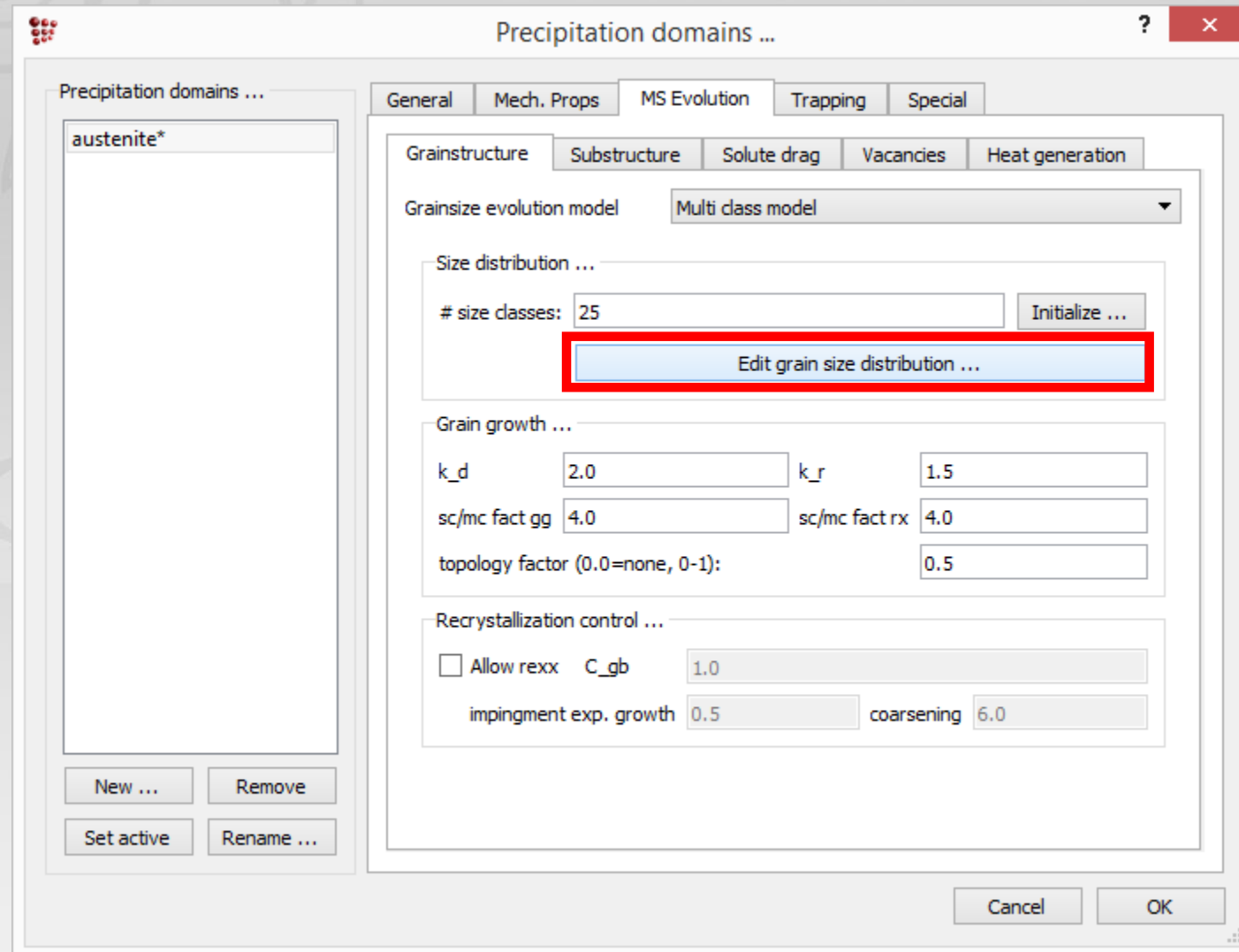
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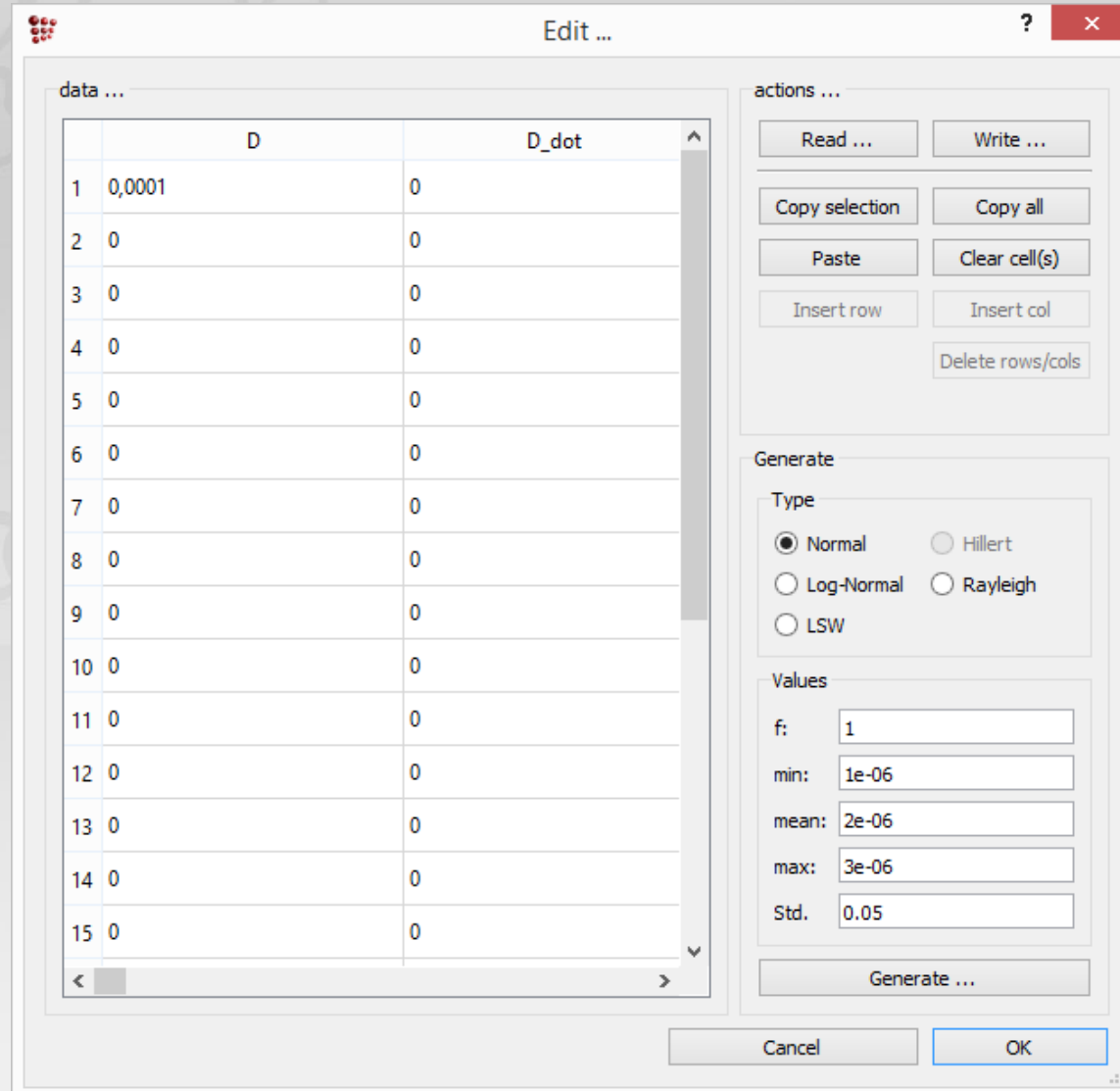
MCGM – class definition



MCGM – class inspection



MCGM – class inspection



The 'Edit ...' dialog box is shown, containing a data table and a 'Generate' section.

data ...

	D	D_dot
1	0,0001	0
2	0	0
3	0	0
4	0	0
5	0	0
6	0	0
7	0	0
8	0	0
9	0	0
10	0	0
11	0	0
12	0	0
13	0	0
14	0	0
15	0	0

actions ...

Read ... Write ...

Copy selection Copy all

Paste Clear cell(s)

Insert row Insert col

Delete rows/cols

Generate

Type

Normal Hillert

Log-Normal Rayleigh

LSW

Values

f: 1

min: 1e-06

mean: 2e-06

max: 3e-06

Std. 0.05

Generate ...

Cancel OK

MCGM – class inspection

data ...

	D	D_dot	N	X_N_av	acc_eps	dd_ex_internal	dd_ex_wall	dd_ex_int_dot	dd_ex_wall_dot	dd_ex_internal_sat	dd_ex_wall_sat	sgd	sgd_dot	sgd_sat	sgb_misorientation	^
1	0,0001	0	19098...	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0,0001	0	0	0	
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

data ...

	grain_orientation_x	grain_orientation_y	grain_orientation_z	aspect_ratio_y	aspect_ratio_z	dfm_rexx	dfm_gg	gb_mob	N_dot_rexx_gb	N_dot_rexx_psn	X_N_av_dot	D_rexx	sgd_crit_drx	ro_crit_drx	fit_func	^
1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

data ...

	D_mean_class	gg_wf_class	rexx_class_index	rs_h_i_factor
1	0	0	0	0,6446838...
2	0	0	0	0,2443378...

MCGM – class generation

data ...

	D	D_dot
1	0,000154	0
2	0,000148	0
3	0,000142	0
4	0,000136	0
5	0,00013	0
6	0,000124	0
7	0,000118	0
8	0,000112	0
9	0,000106	0
10	0,0001	0
11	9,399999999999999e-005	0
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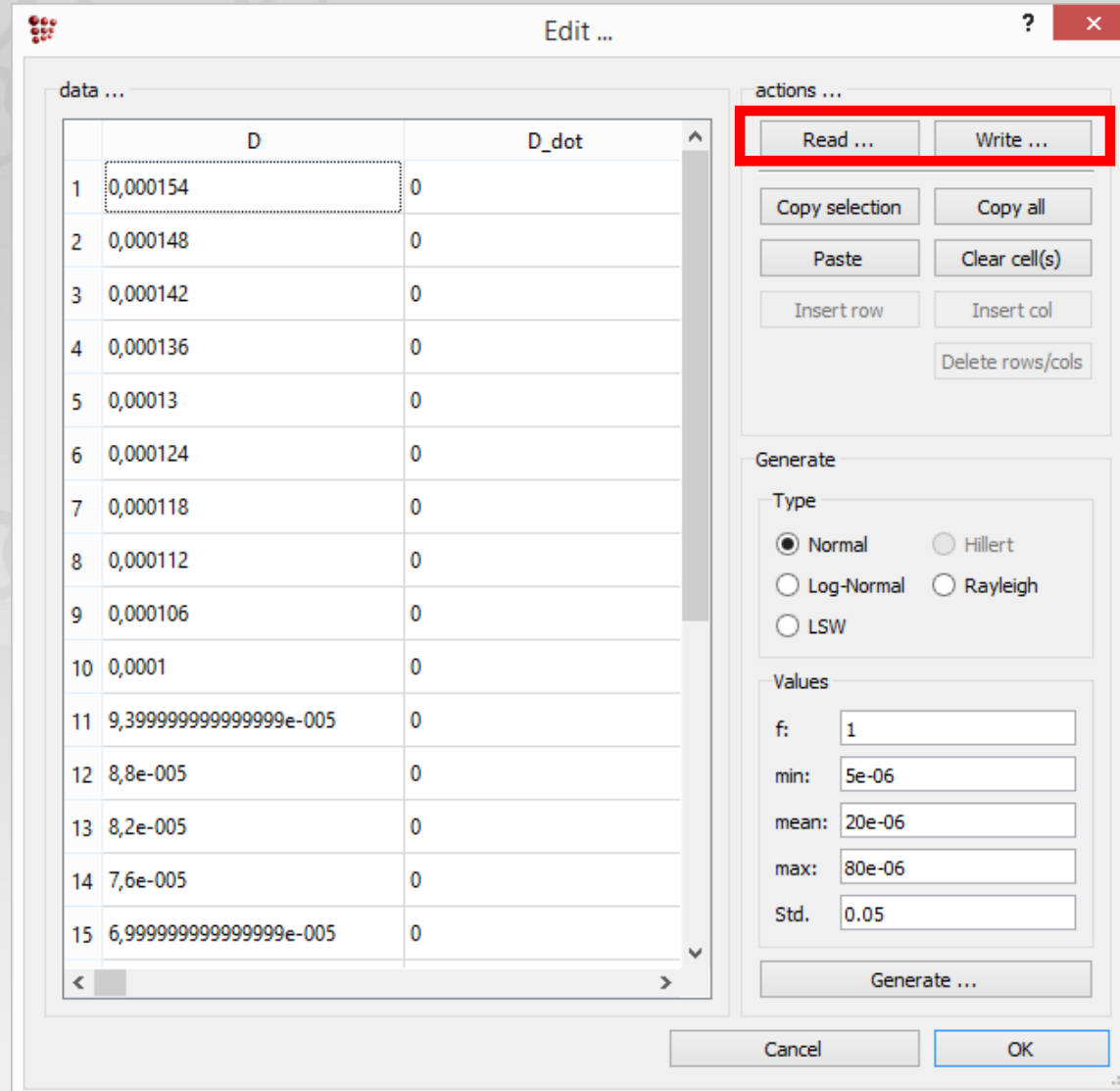
max:

Std.

Generate ...

Cancel OK

MCGM – class export/import



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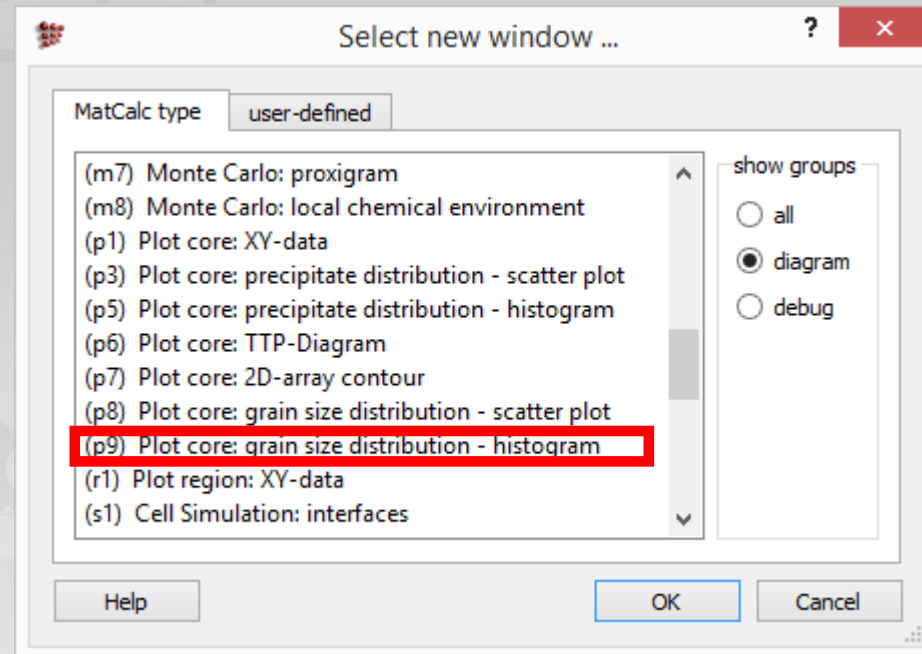
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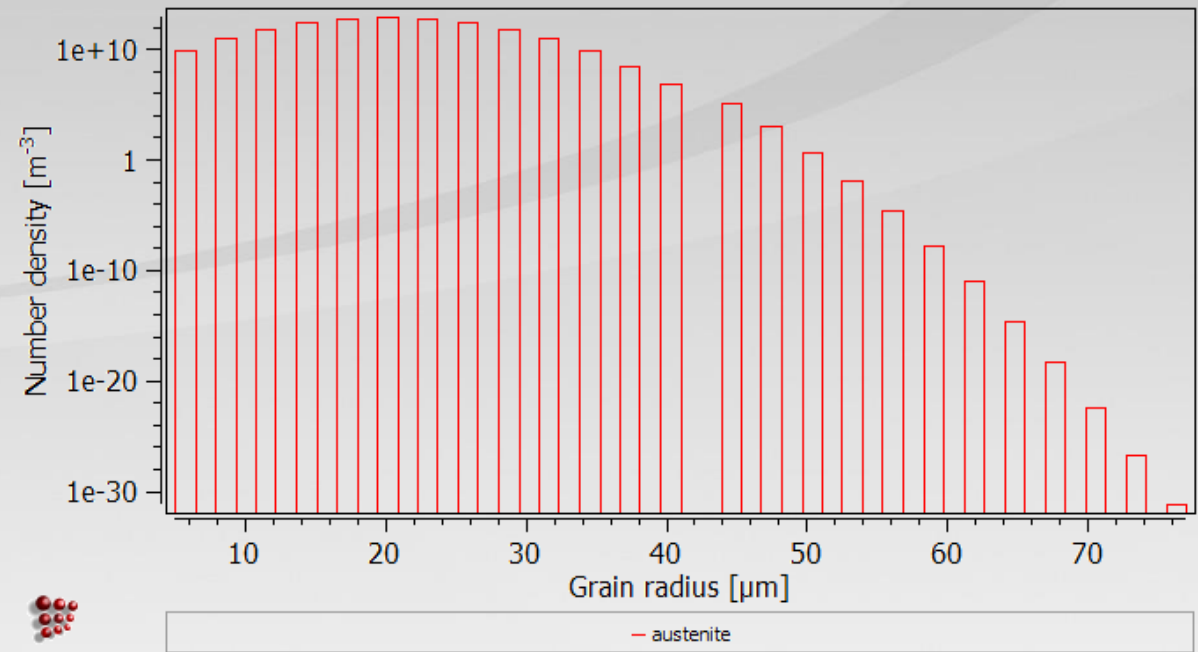
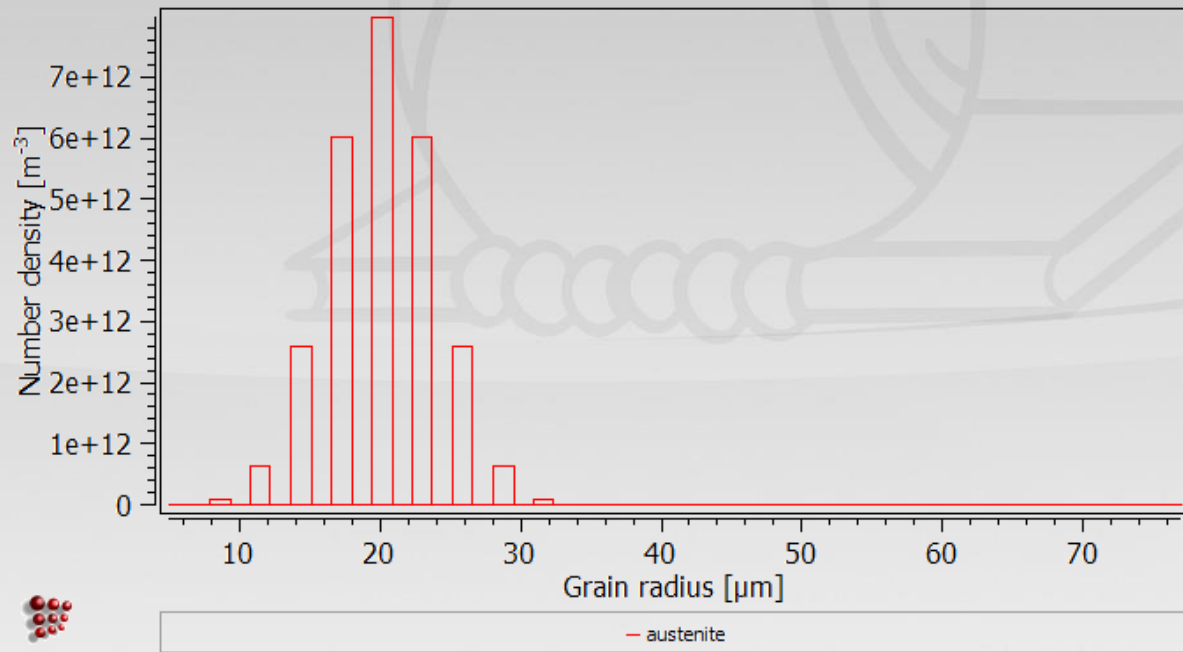
Generate ...

Cancel OK

MCGM – relevant windows



MCGM – size distribution histogram



Mean grain sizes

Single class

variables ...

variables	value
prec_domain struct sc	
GD\$*	
GD\$austenite	0.0001
GDV\$*	

category: prec_domain struct sc
expression: GD\$austenite
legal unit qualifiers: *none*
-> mean grain diameter (number weighted) in precipitation domain (single-class model)

Multi class

variables ...

variables	value
prec_domain struct mc	
GD_MCS*	
GD_MC\$austenite	4.00004e-05
GD_MCV\$*	
GD_MCV\$austenite	4.44571e-05

category: prec_domain struct mc
expression: GD_MC\$austenite
legal unit qualifiers: *none*
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-> mean grain diameter in precipitation domain (multi-class model, volume-weighted)

Grain growth kinetics model

Single class

$$\dot{D} = \frac{dD}{dt} = MP_D$$

- \dot{D} - Grain size growth rate
- M - Grain boundary mobility
- P_D - Driving force/pressure for grain growth
- t - Time

Multi class

$$\dot{D}_i = \frac{dD_i}{dt} = MP_{D,i}$$

- \dot{D}_i - Grain size growth rate for class i
- $P_{D,i}$ - Driving force/pressure for grain growth relevant to class i

Grain growth driving pressure

Single class

$$P_D = 2k_d \frac{\gamma_{HA}}{D}$$

γ_{HA} - Grain interface energy

D - Mean grain size (diameter)

k_d - Scaling factor

Multi class

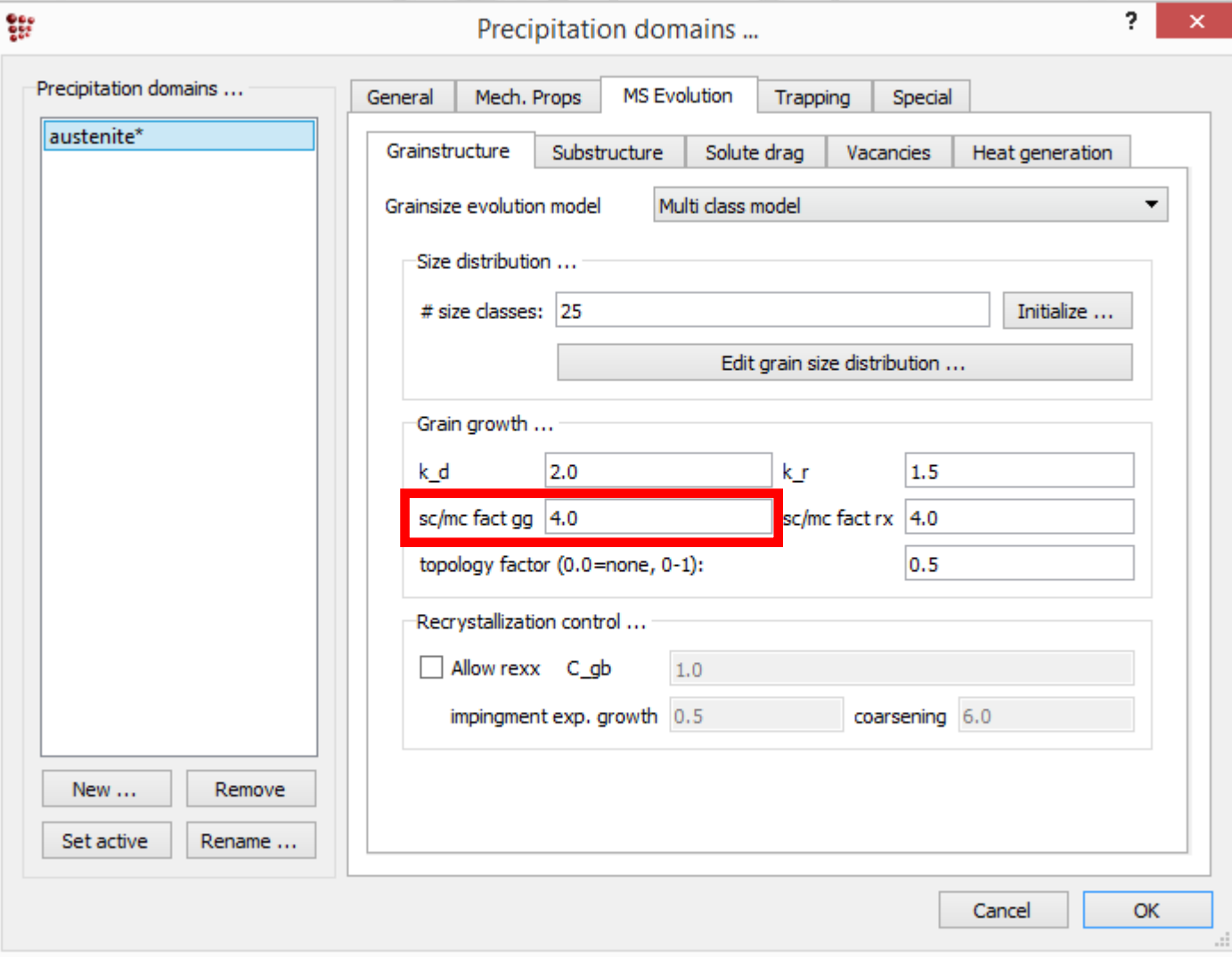
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D_i - Grain size (diameter) for class i

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η_H - Scaling factor

Grain growth driving pressure



Multi class

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Grain boundary mobility

$$\dot{D} = M_{eff} P_D$$

$$\frac{1}{M_{eff}} = \frac{1}{M_{prec}} + \frac{1}{M_{sd}}$$

$$M_{prec} = \begin{cases} M_p & P_Z \geq P_D \\ M_p \frac{P_Z}{P_D} + M_f \left(1 - \frac{P_Z}{P_D} \right) & P_Z < P_D \end{cases}$$

$$M_p = \eta_p M_f = \eta_p \eta_f \frac{\omega D_{GB} V_m}{b^2 RT}$$

M_{eff} - Effective grain boundary mobility

M_{sd} - Grain boundary mobility with solute drag

M_{prec} - Grain boundary mobility for matrix with precipitates

M_p - Grain boundary mobility for pinned interface

Grain boundary mobility

$$\dot{D} = M_{eff} P_D$$

M_{eff} - Effective grain

$$\frac{1}{M_{eff}} =$$

Grain boundary mobility is the same for both grain size representations (single and multi class) !

$$M_{prec} = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} M_p \overline{P_D} + M_f \left(1 - \overline{P_D} \right) \\ \end{array} \right.$$

$$P_Z < P_D$$

with precipitates

$$M_p = \eta_p M_f = \eta_p \eta_f \frac{\omega D_{GB} V_m}{b^2 RT}$$

M_p - Grain boundary mobility for pinned interface

Grain growth driving pressure

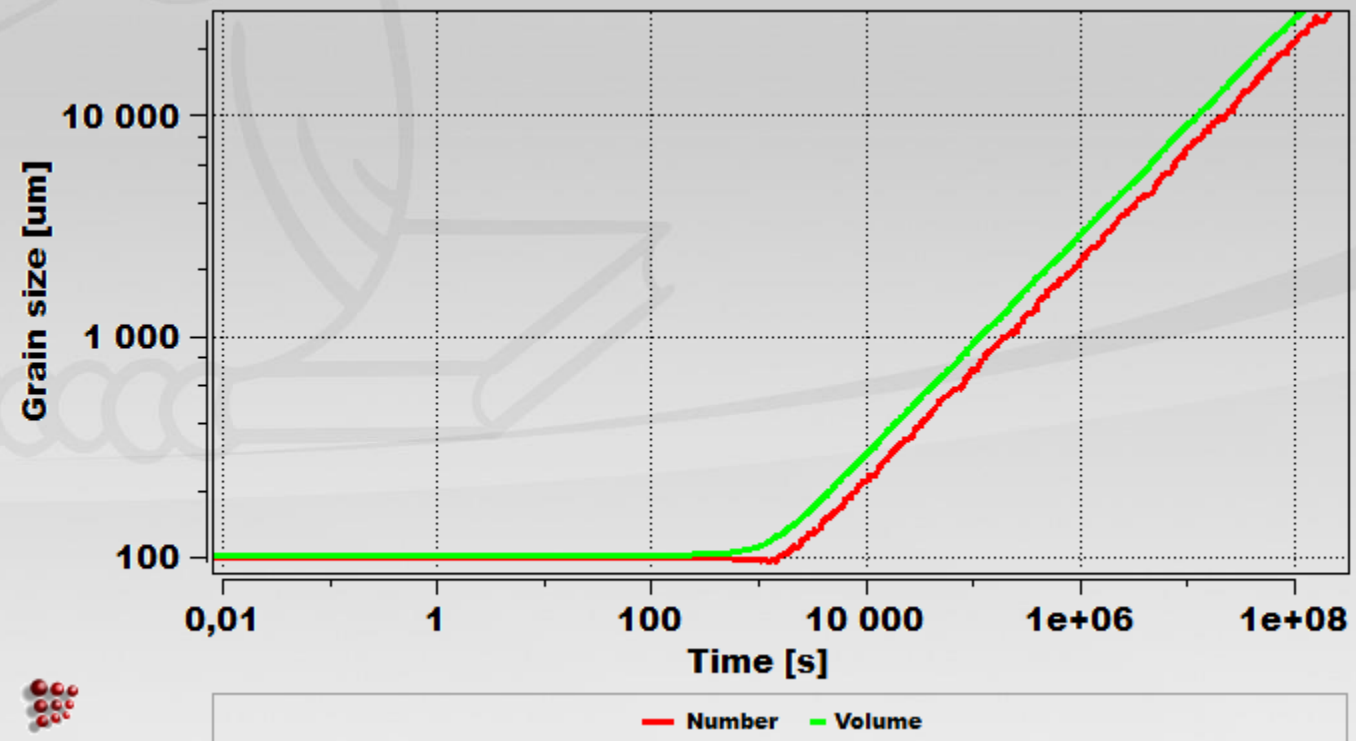
Single class

- Volume conservation by grain number adjustment

Multi class

- Volume conservation by grain size adjustment – Lagrange control volume approach

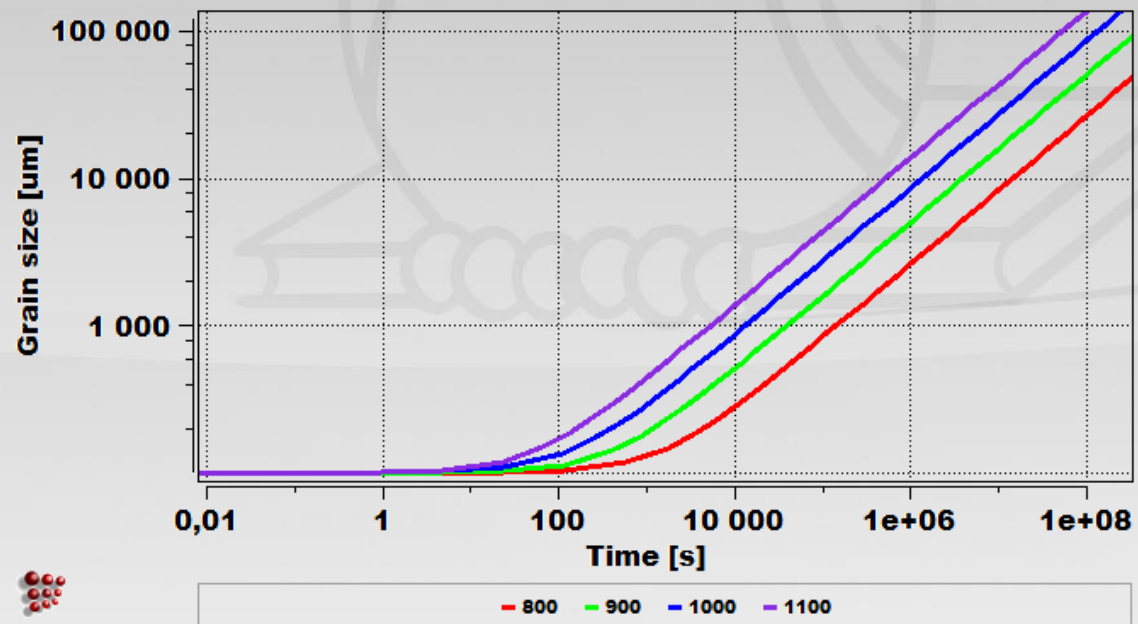
Grain growth kinetics



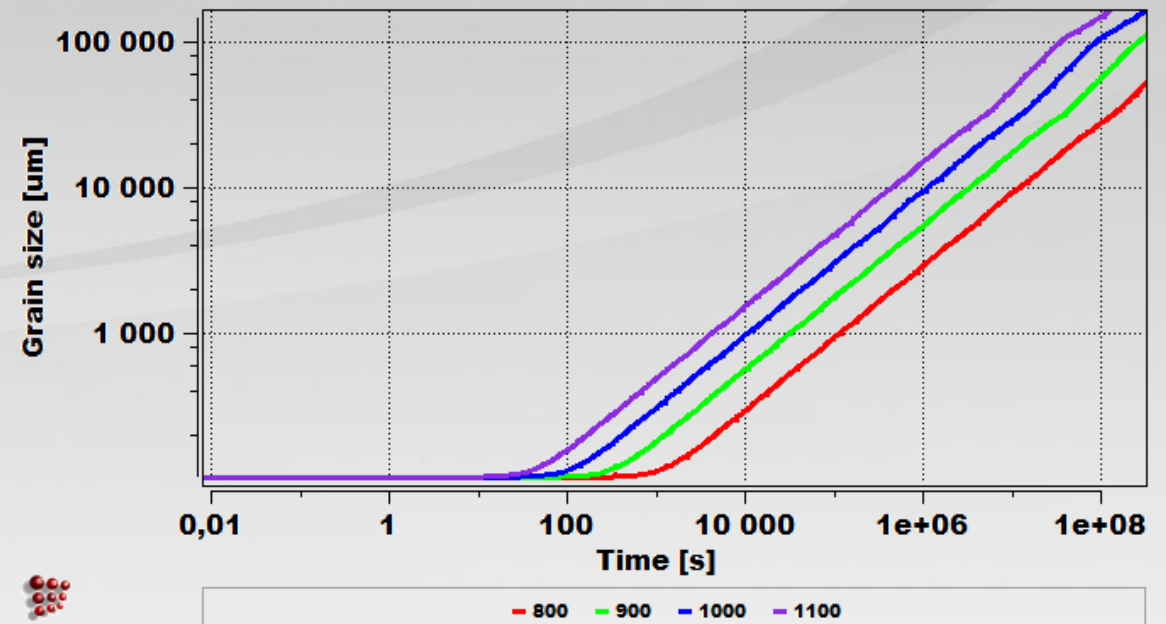
No obstacles

Grain growth kinetics

Single class



Multi class (volume weighted)

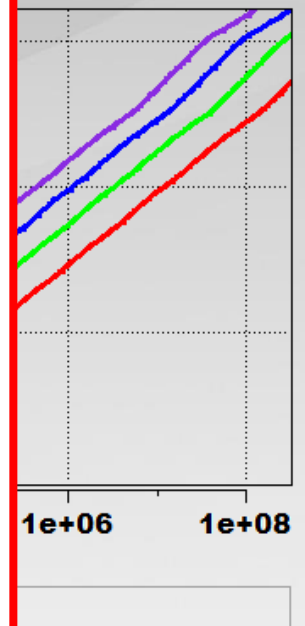
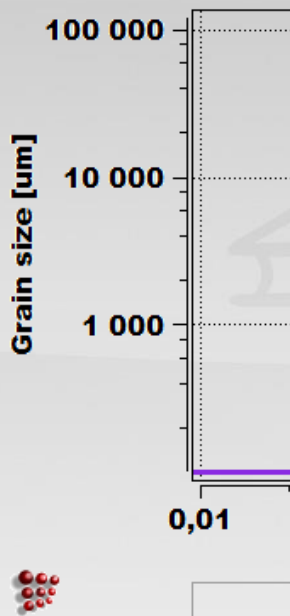


No obstacles

Grain growth kinetics

When performing multiple calculation with multi class model:

- Save a calc-state before the start of the first calculation (to save the generated grain size distribution)
- Start every calculation with the saved calc-state as the starting condition



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