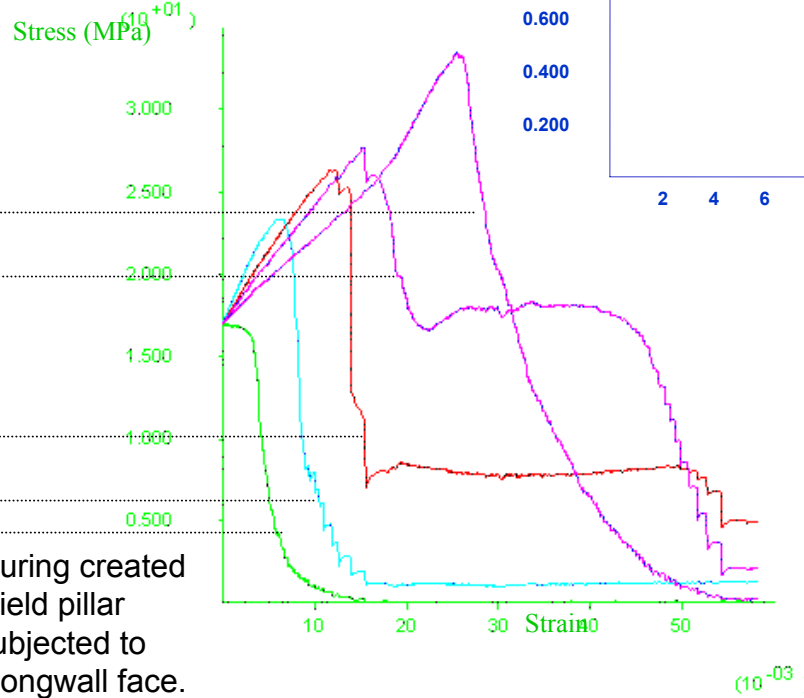
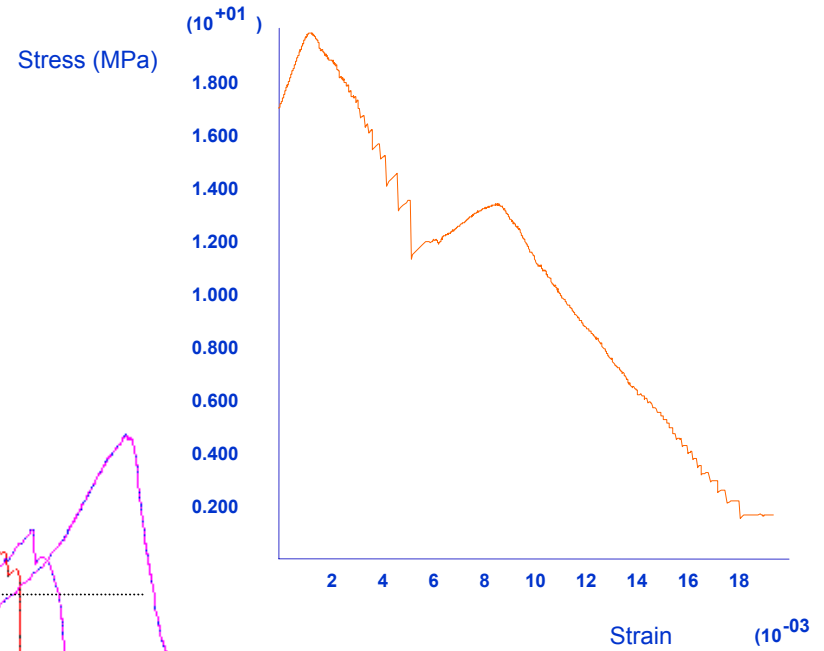
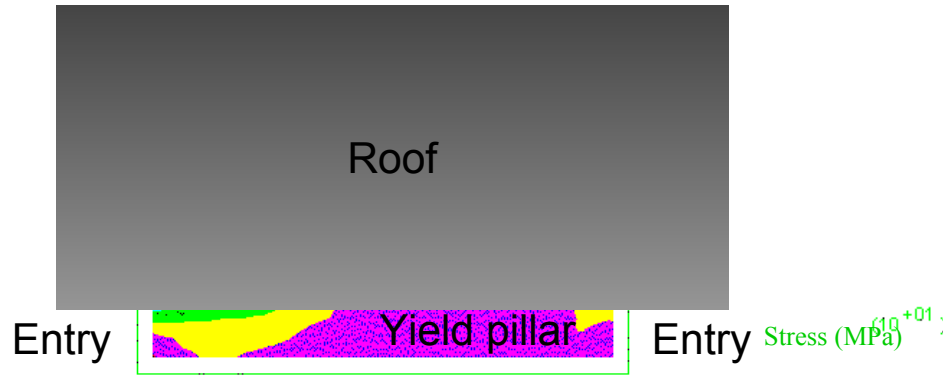


Overall behavior of a yield pillar



The existing fractured region affects fracturing created during second entry development. The yield pillar formed between two entries will still be subjected to loads pushed on them by the advancing longwall face.