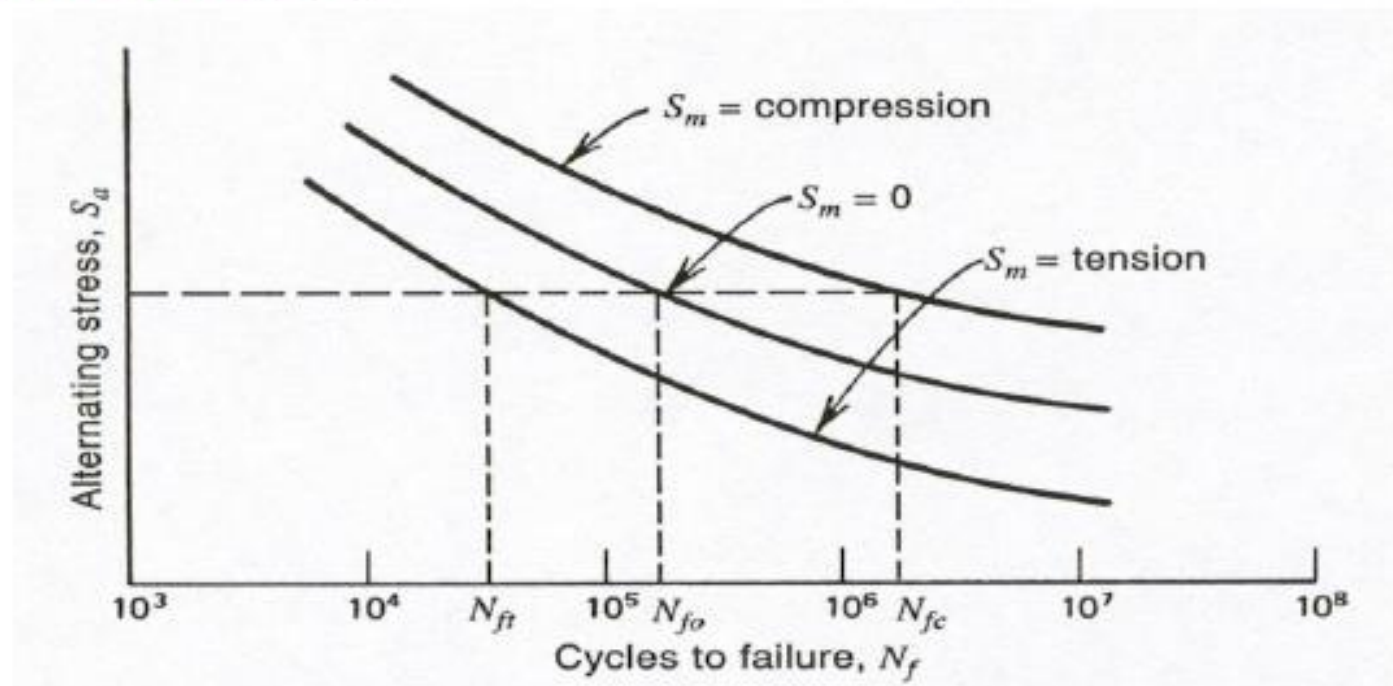


MEAN STRESS EFFECTS ON S-N BEHAVIOR

- The mean stress, S_m , can have substantial influence on fatigue behavior.
- In general, tensile mean stresses are detrimental and compressive mean stresses are beneficial.



Mean Stress Effects

