

Bio-Machines and Bio-Manufacturing

生物机器人和生物制造

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Homo Deus
A Brief History of Tomorrow
从智人到智神

全球现象级畅销书《人类简史》作者备受期待新作

打开人类认知未来之窗

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Converging Technologies will Give Human 人机科技融合可以带给人类

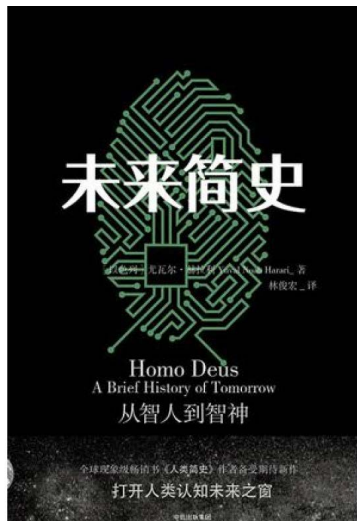


- Immortality 永生
- Happiness 快乐
- Divinity 神性



- AI
- IoT
- Robotics
- Electronics
- Nano-materials
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- Genetics
- Organ regeneration
- Synthetic biology
- Nano-medicine
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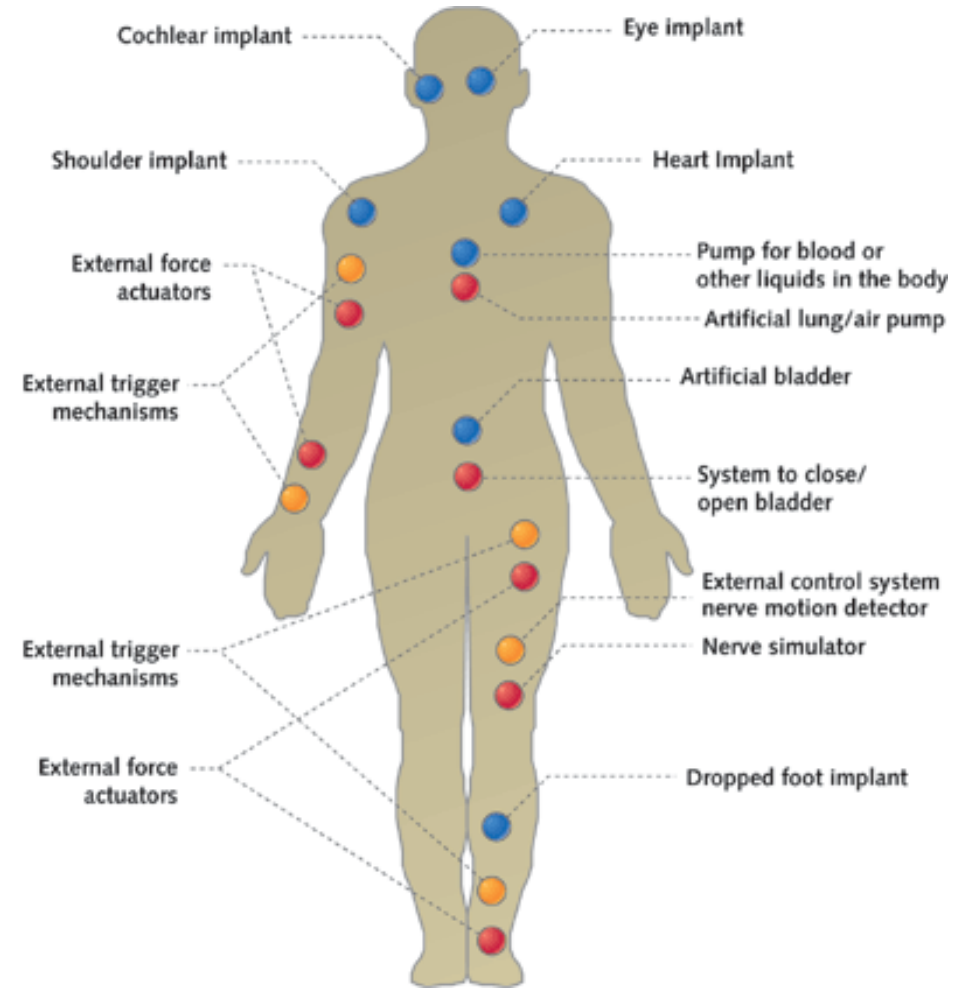
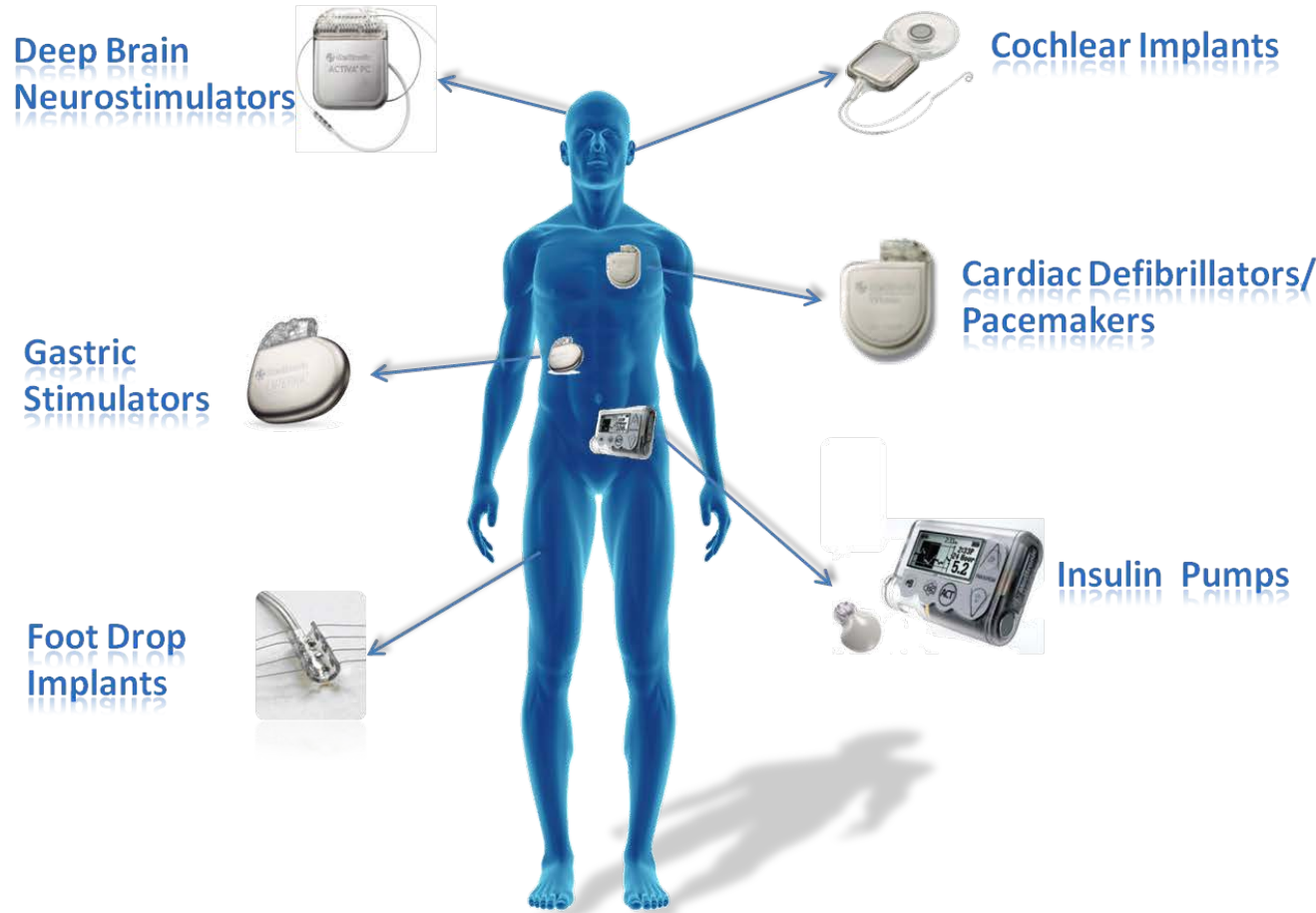
National Institutes
of Health



Humans must merge with machines or
become irrelevant in AI age -- **Elon Musk**
人机融合或被人工智能时代淘汰

Short-Term: Medical Implants

医疗植入器械



Annual Medical Implants Market is expected to exceed \$116 billion by 2022.

(医疗植入器械5年内将成为年千亿美元产业)

Short-Term: Wearable Devices 可穿戴仪器



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Wearable Technology Market worth \$51.60 Billion by 2022
(可穿戴仪器5年内将成为年500亿美元产业)

Grand Challenges in Materials, Mechanics & Manufacturing

材料, 机械, 制造领域的重大挑战



Soft, Wet, Living
柔软, 含水, 生命

Merge?
怎么融合?

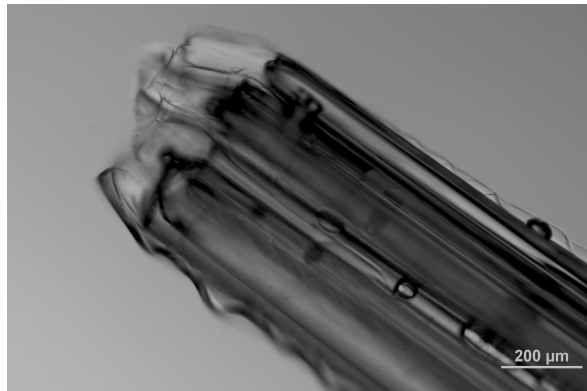


Hard, Dry, Non-living
坚硬, 干燥, 无生命

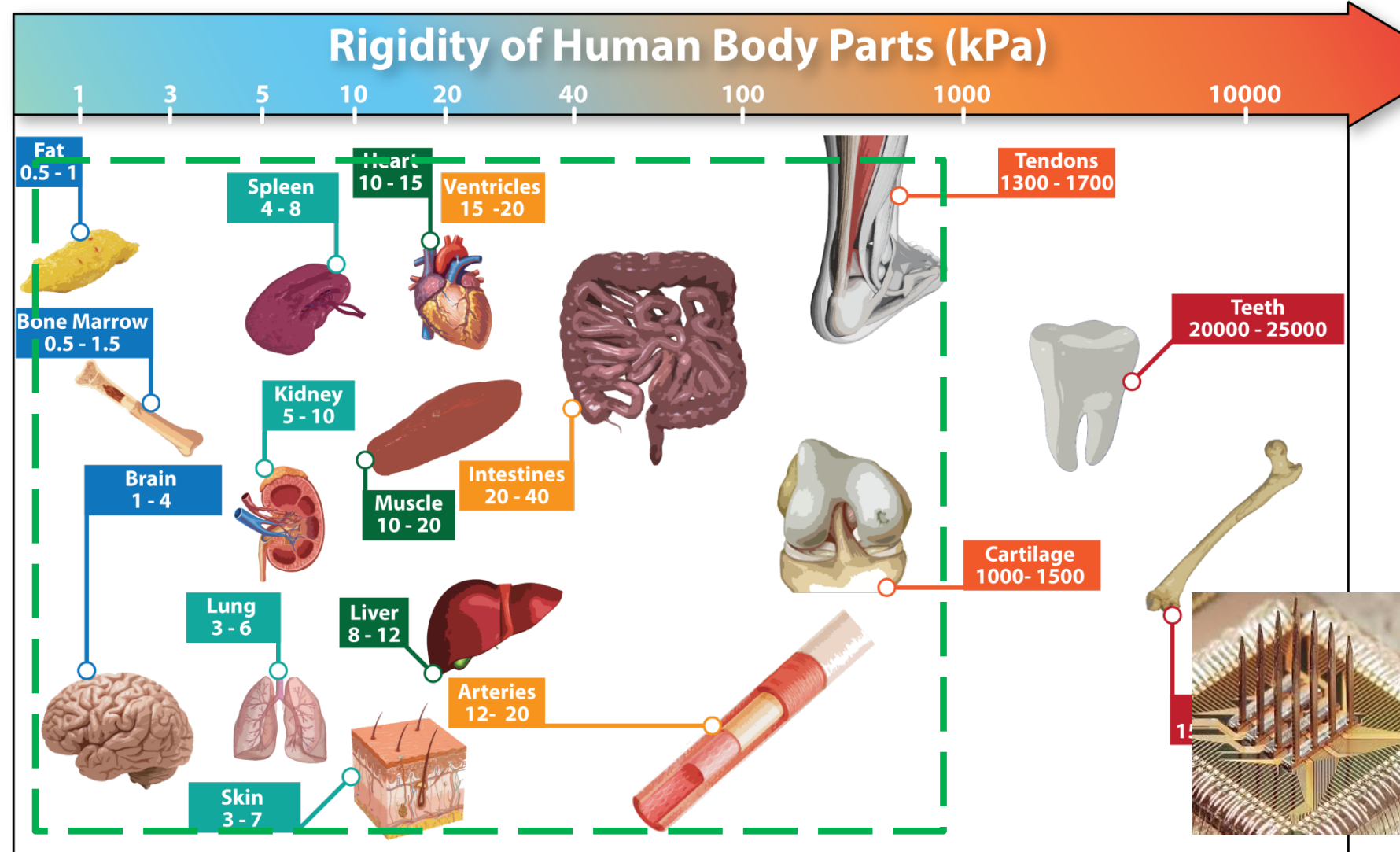
Major Components of Human Body are Soft Materials

人体主要是由软材料组成的

- **Soft:** 1kPa~10MPa;
- **Wet:** 70~90% water
- **Living:** growth, sensing, responding, self-healing
- **Robust:** under millions of cycles of loads.



Hydrogel Neural Probe with Anikeeva
超软水凝胶神经探头



Merging Human Body and Machines

人机融合



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Soft living machines
柔软活性机器



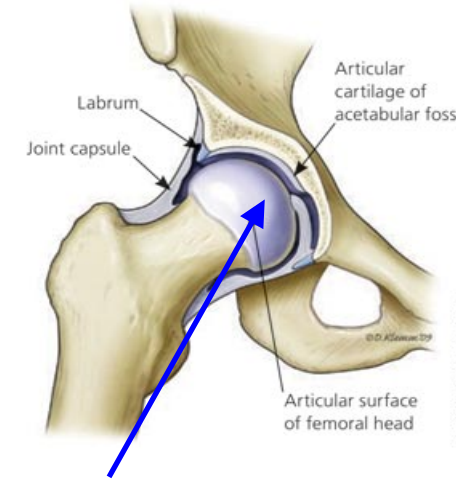
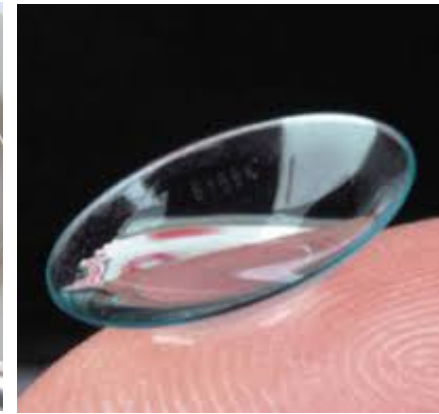
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Soft Living Machines

柔软活性机器

- **Robust soft materials (tough, strong, anti-fatigue)**
坚韧的软材料
- **Robust interfaces (with metals, silicon, elastomers et al)**
坚韧的界面
- **Personalized manufacture (3D/4D Printing)**
个性化制造

Design of soft materials with high toughness? 如何设计坚韧的软材料?



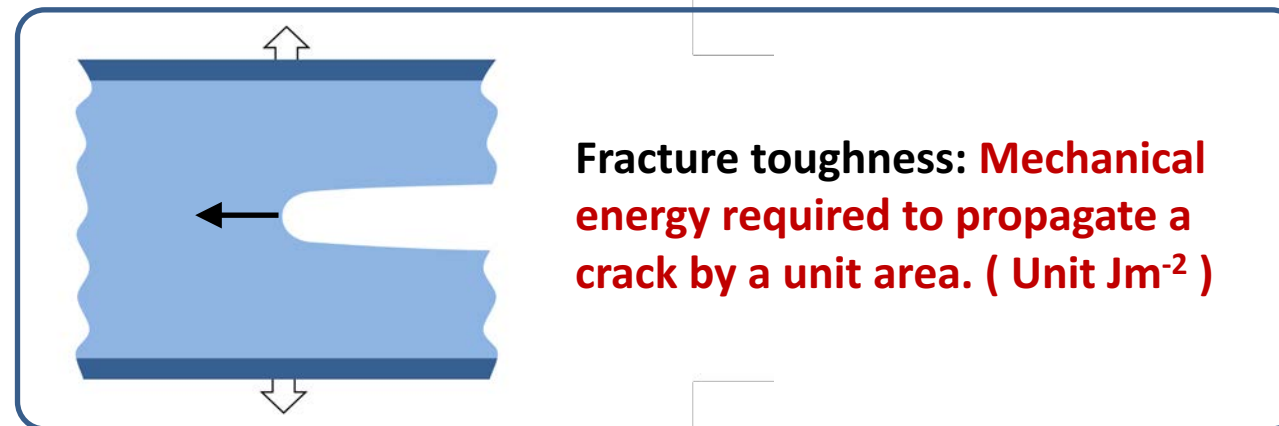
Fracture toughness:

$\sim 1 \text{ Jm}^{-2}$;

$\sim 10 \text{ Jm}^{-2}$

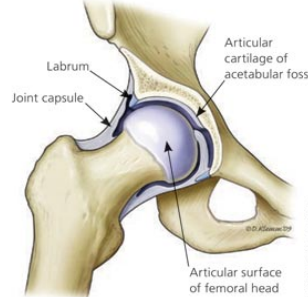
$\sim 100 \text{ Jm}^{-2}$

$> 1000 \text{ Jm}^{-2}$





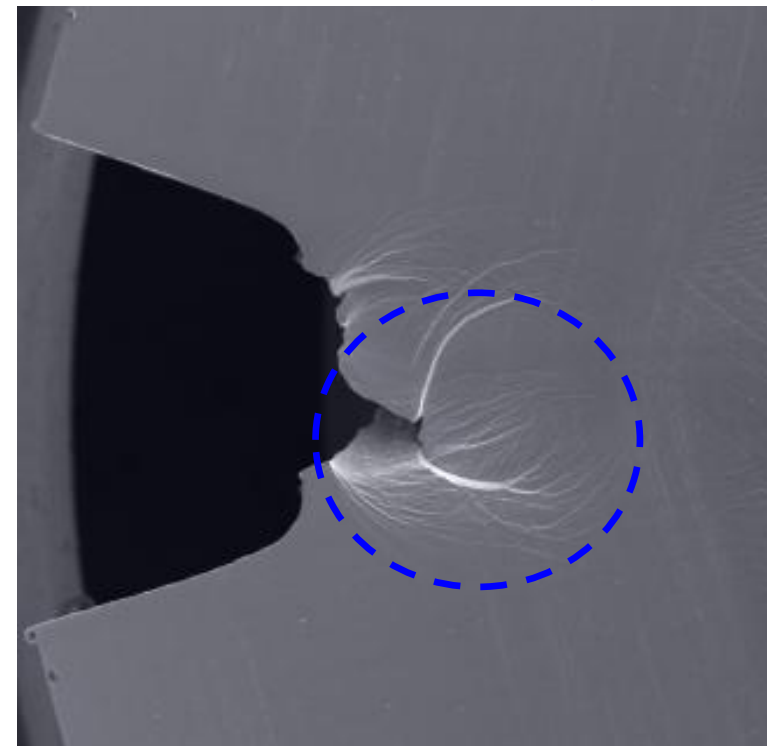
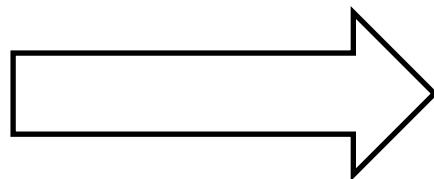
Conventional hydrogel
Fracture toughness $\sim 1 \text{ Jm}^{-2}$
 传统水凝胶很脆弱



Cartilage
Fracture toughness $\sim 1,000 \text{ Jm}^{-2}$
 软骨很坚韧

Glass 玻璃

Metal 金属



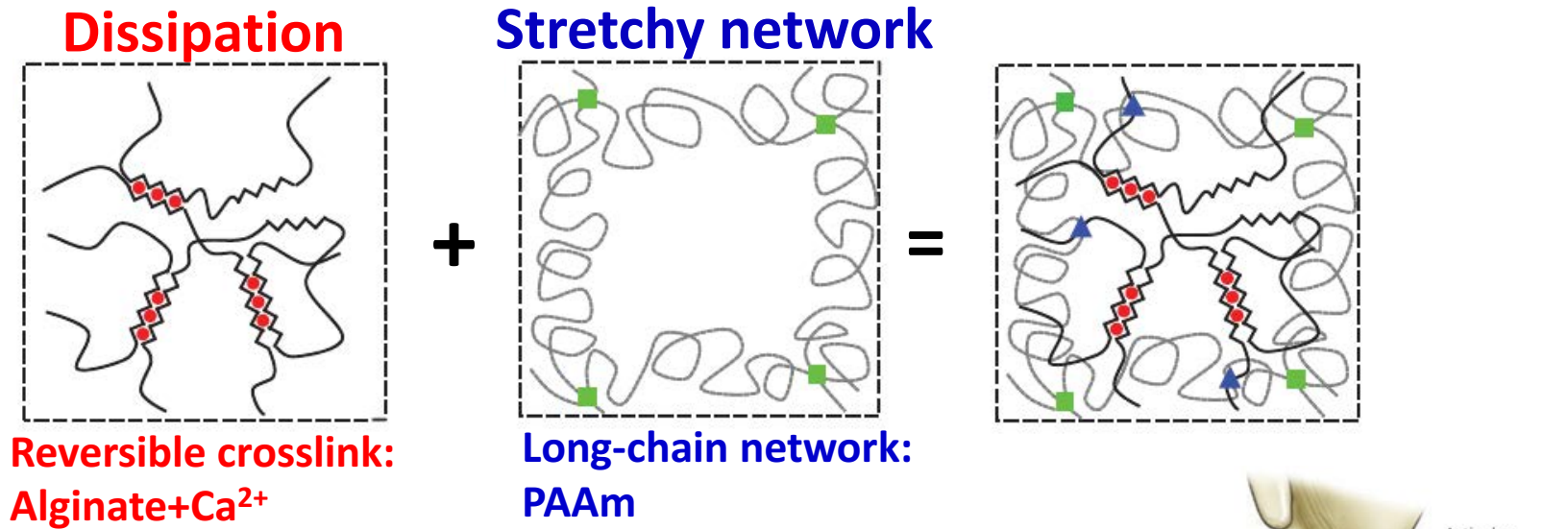
Fracture toughness
= Surface energy

Zhao, Soft Matter, **10**, 672 (2014)
Zhao, PNAS, **114**, 8138 (2017)

Fracture toughness
= Surface energy +
Dissipation in a zone

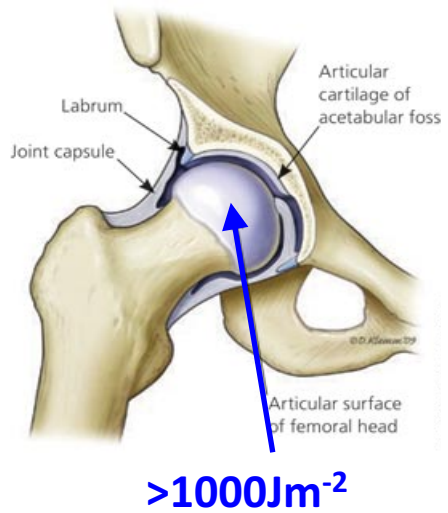
Tough Soft Materials: Build dissipation into stretchy network.

坚韧软材料:在可拉伸网络里建立能量耗散



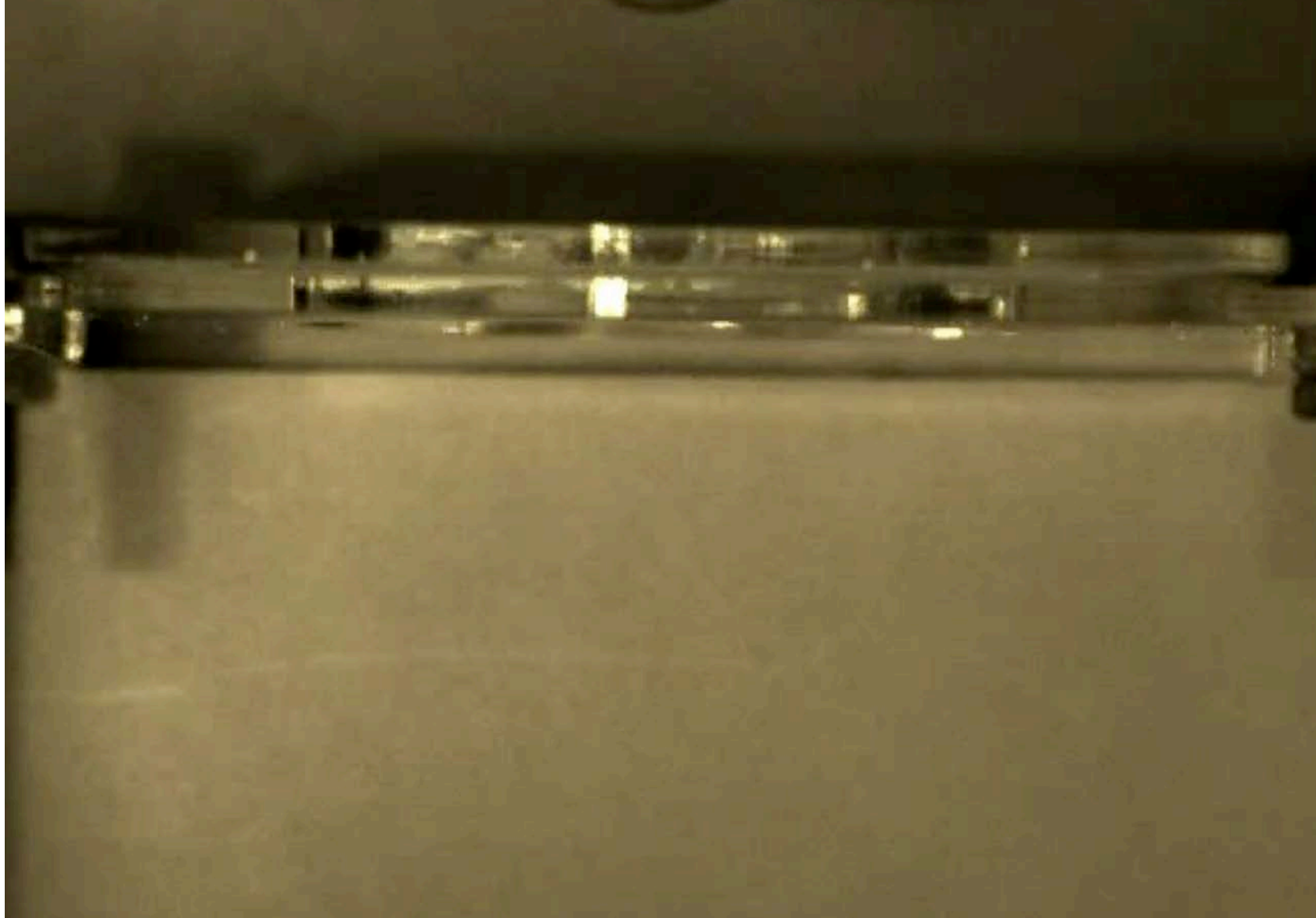
- ~90% water
- Fracture energy 9000 Jm⁻²
- Stretchability 21 times

Sun et al, Nature, 489, 133 (2012)
in collaboration with Prof. Suo, Vlassak and Mooney



Patent at Harvard and MIT
在Harvard和MIT的专利

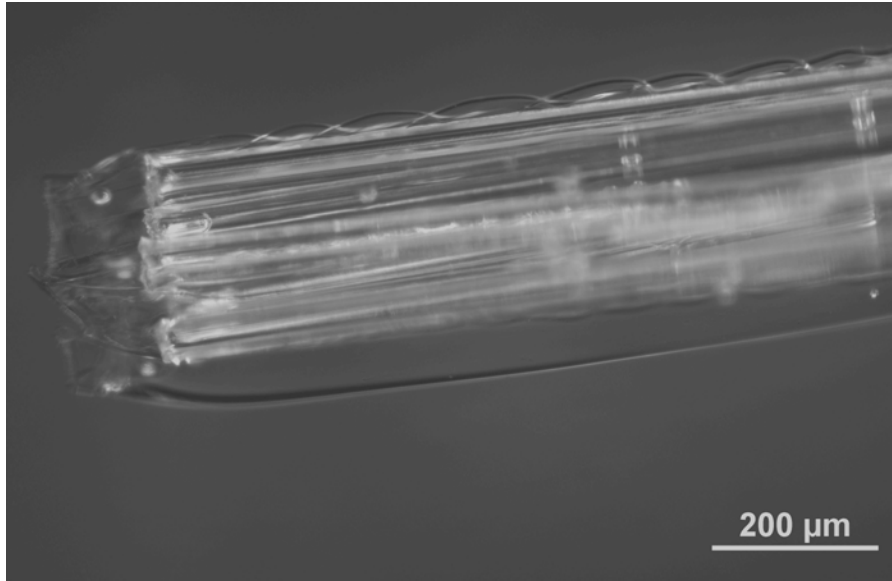
Hydrogel film with 90% water and 1mm thickness



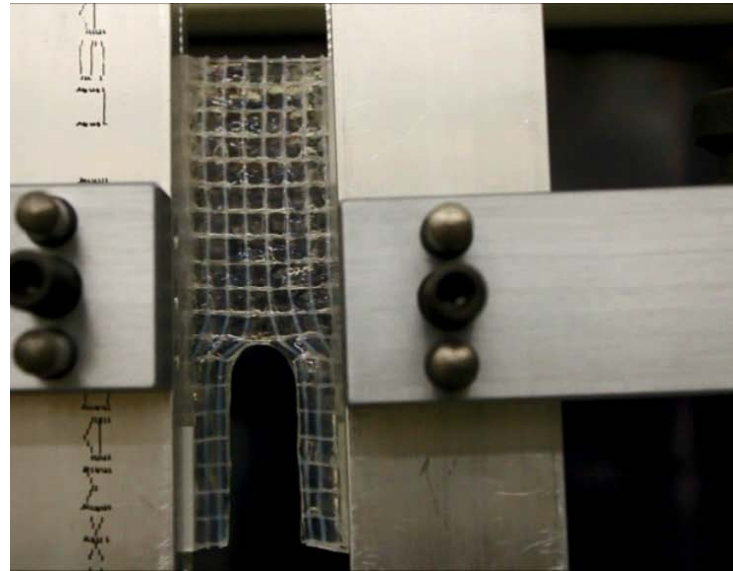
- 1毫米厚
- 含水90%以上
- “防弹”软材料

Robust Soft Materials -- A Wide Range of Rigidity

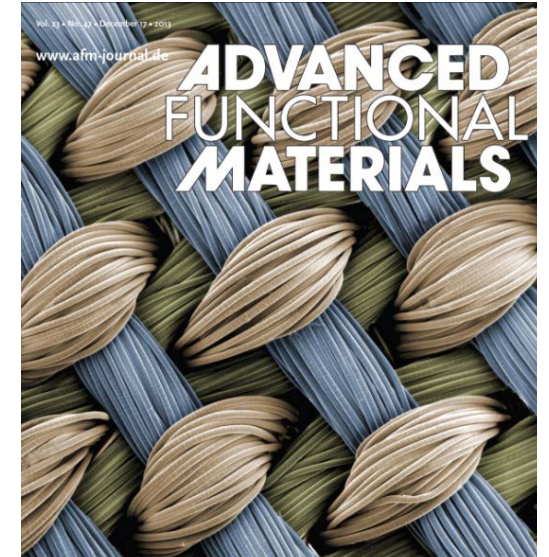
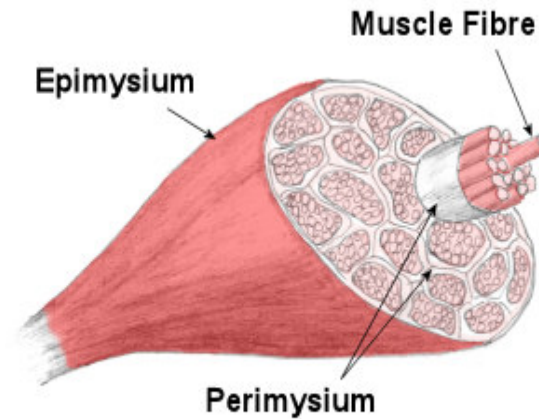
不同硬度适配不同人体部位



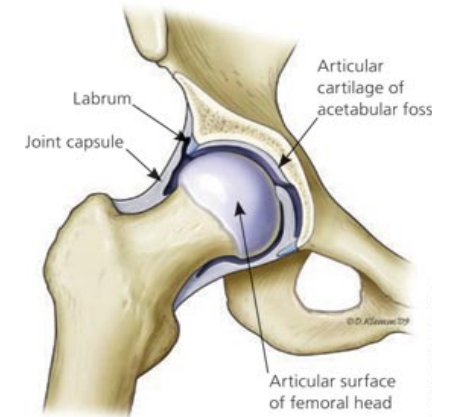
1~5 kPa;
1,000 Jm⁻²



10~100 kPa;
1~10 kJm⁻²



1~10 MPa
10~50 kJm⁻²



Patent at MIT 在MIT的专利

Soft Living Machines

柔软活性机器

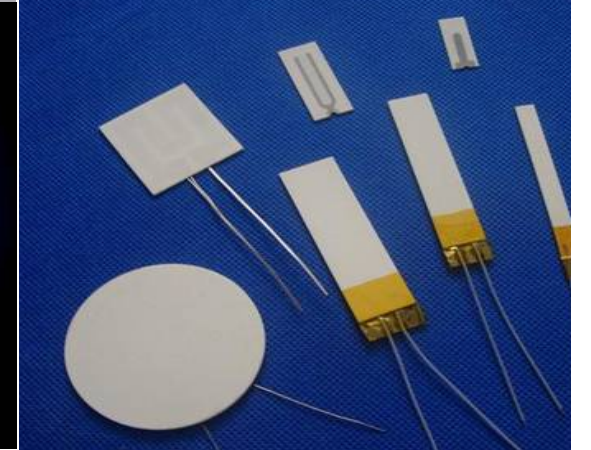
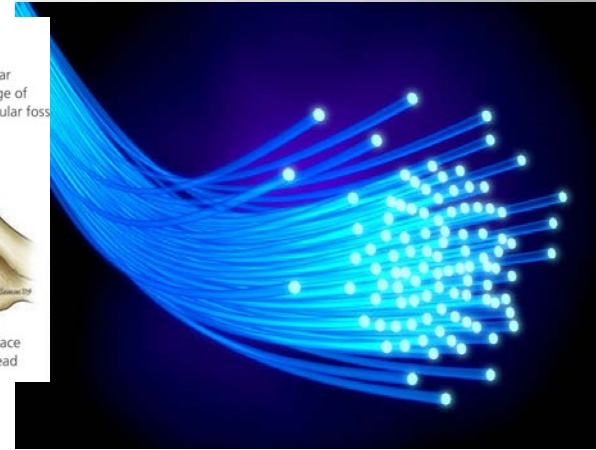
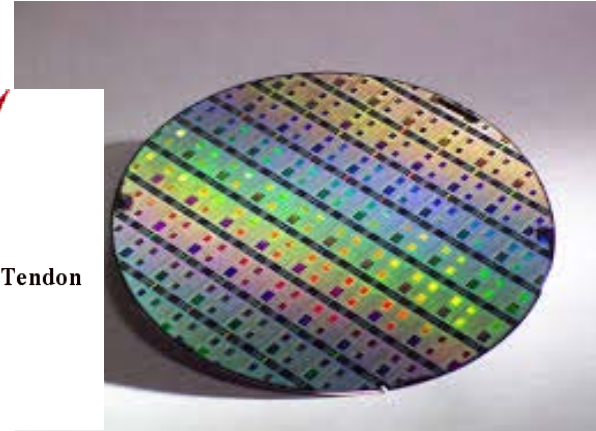
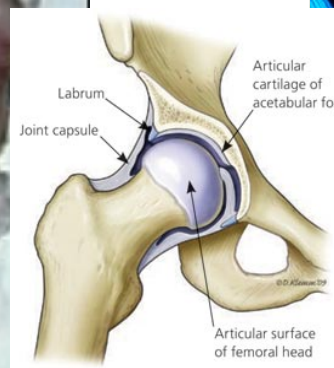
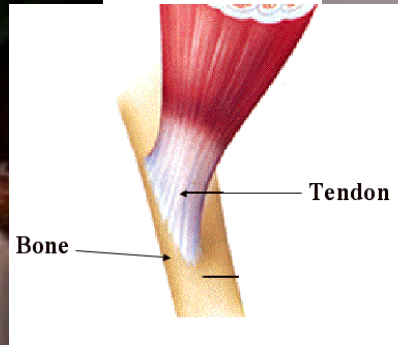
- **Robust interfaces (with metals, silicon, elastomers et al)**
坚韧的界面

Robust Interfaces

坚韧的界面



90% water; ~kPa



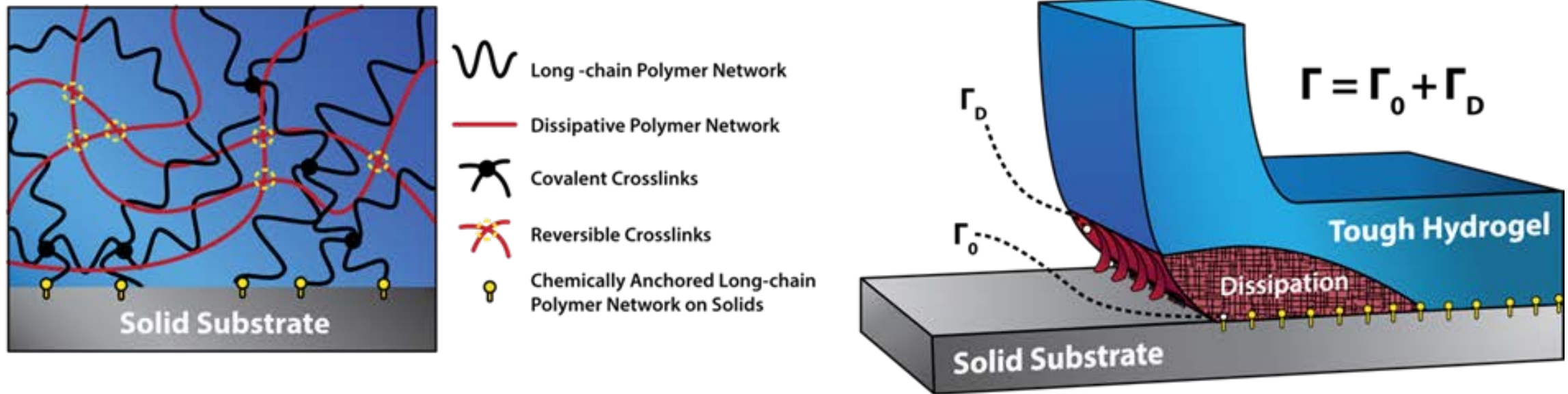
Diverse engineering solids; MPa~GPa

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坚韧软材料:在可拉伸网络里建立能量耗散

Tough Interface: Anchor stretchy network on solid surface.

坚韧界面: 固定可拉伸网络在固体表面

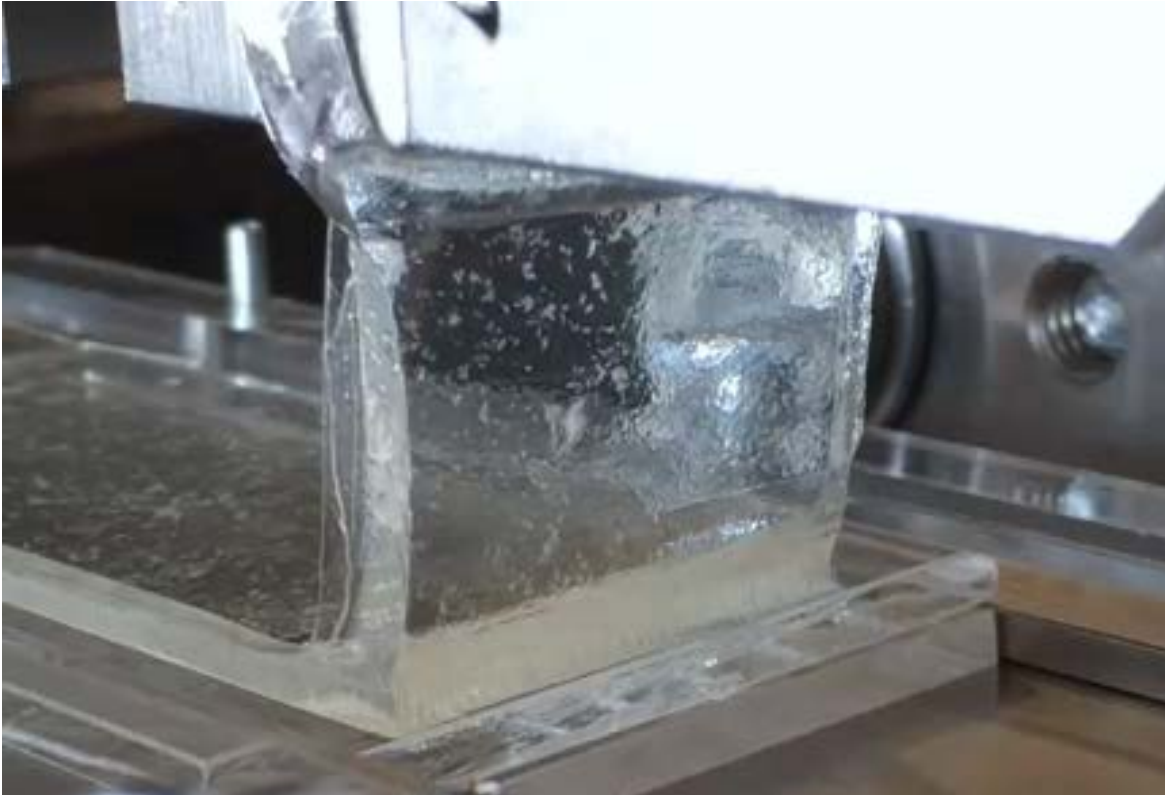


Yuk et al, Nature Materials, **15**, 190 (2016)

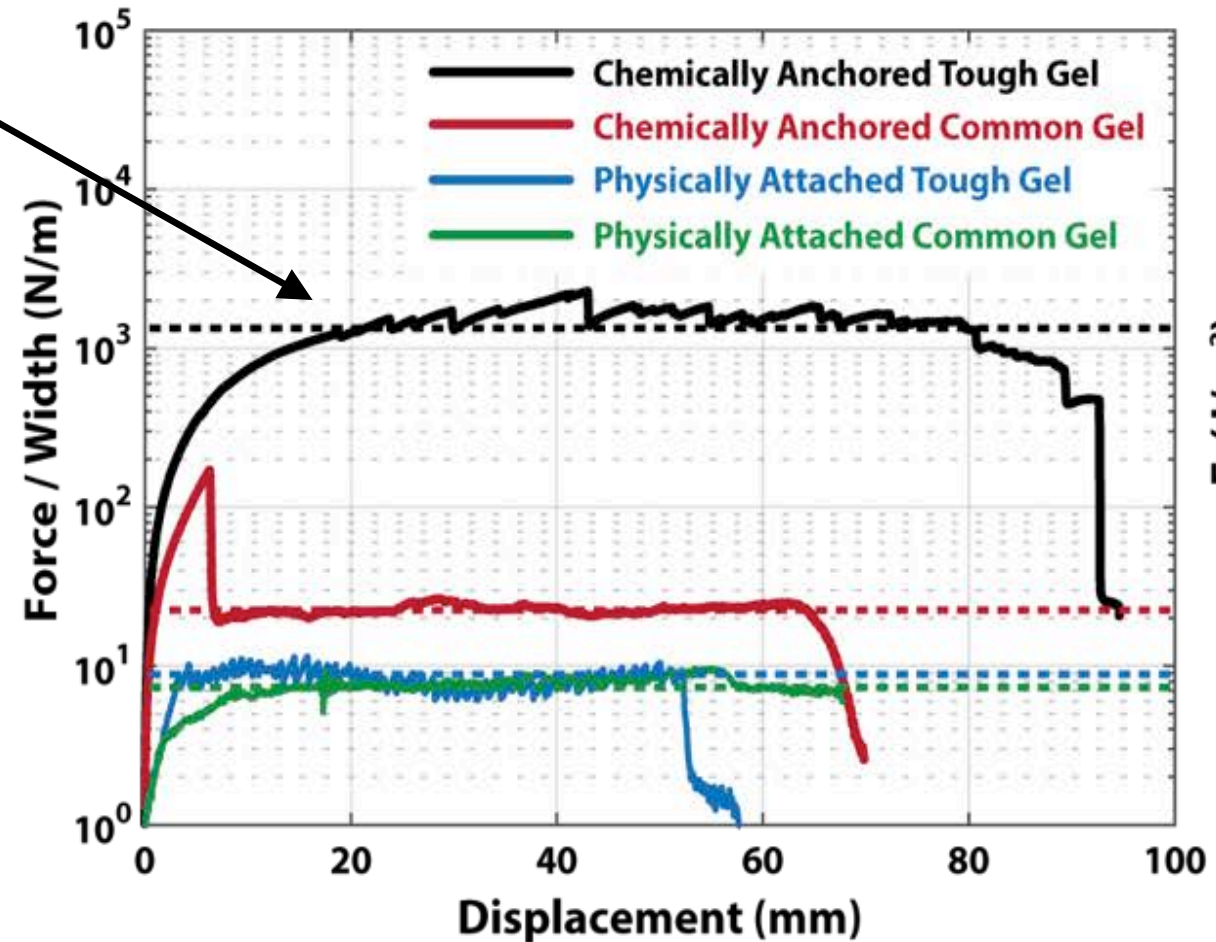
Yuk et al, Nature Communications **7**, 12028 (2016)

Patent at MIT
在MIT的专利

Hydrogels with 90% water adhered on Si, SiO₂, glass, ceramics, Ti, Al, Fe, Elastomers et al

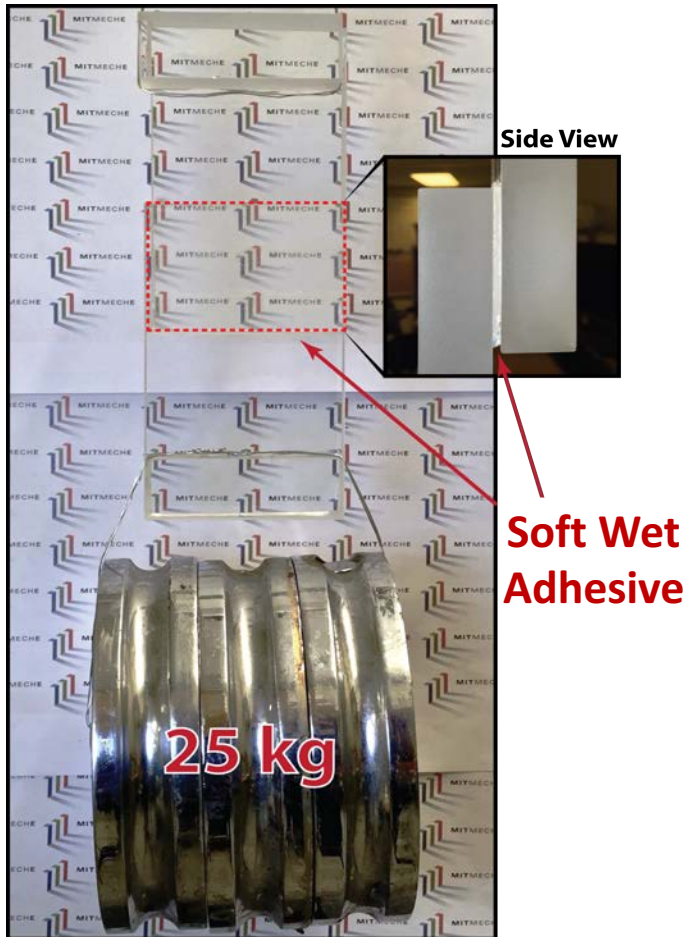


Detachment and Finger Instability



Yuk et al, Nature Materials, **15**, 190 (2016)

Hydrogel-Engineering Material Hybrids



With glass



With silicon

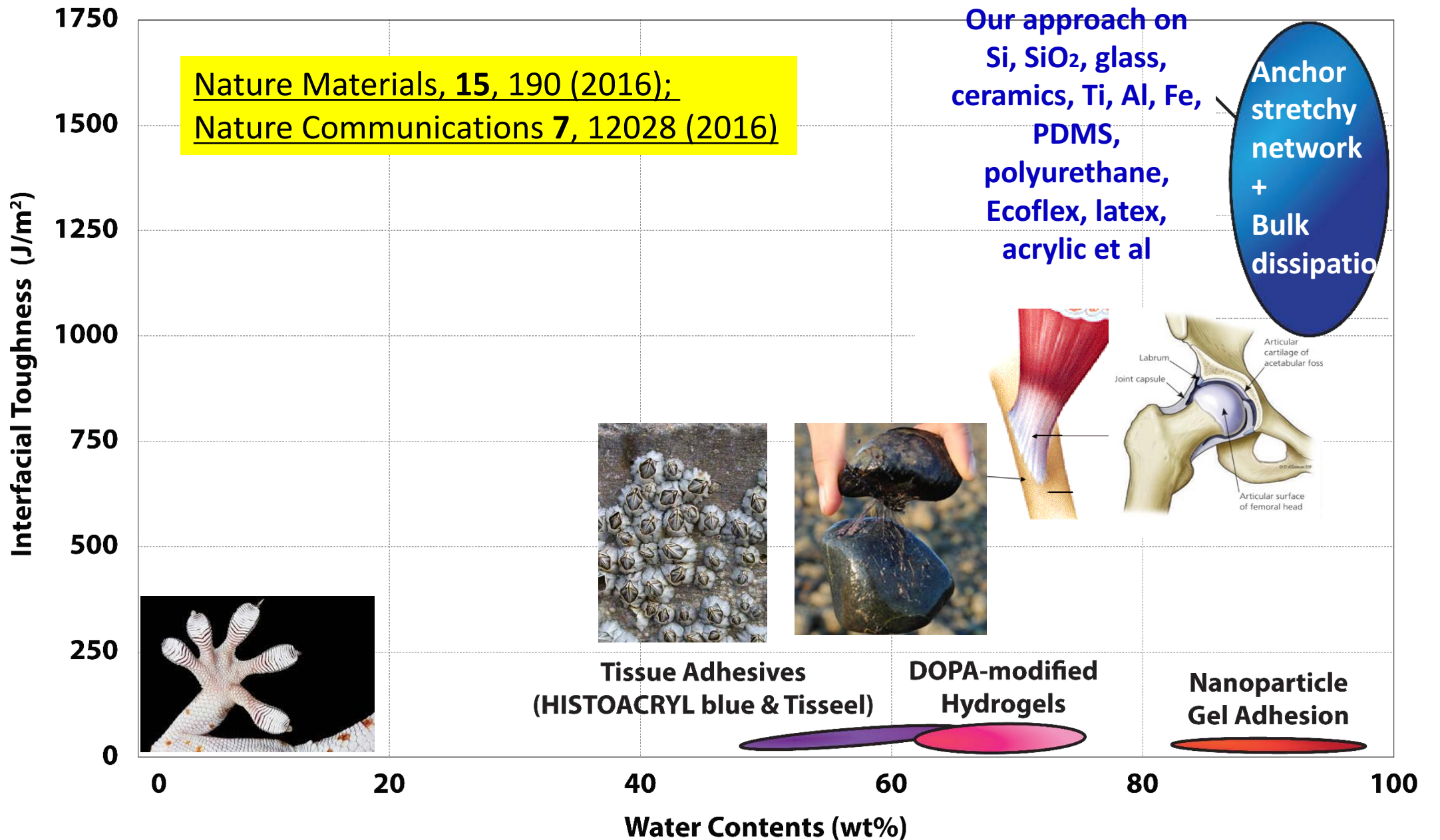


With ceramics



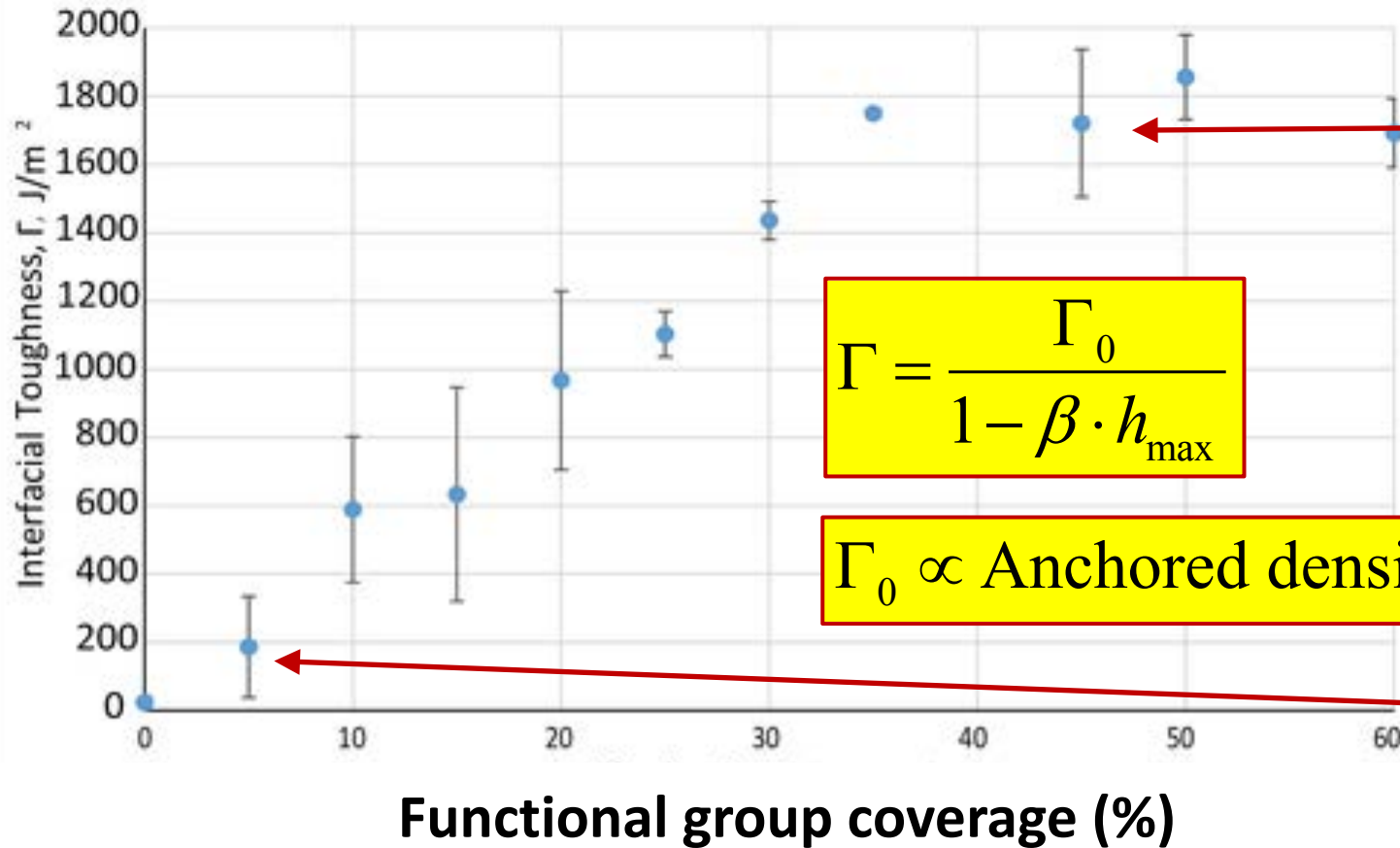
With elastomer

Patent at MIT

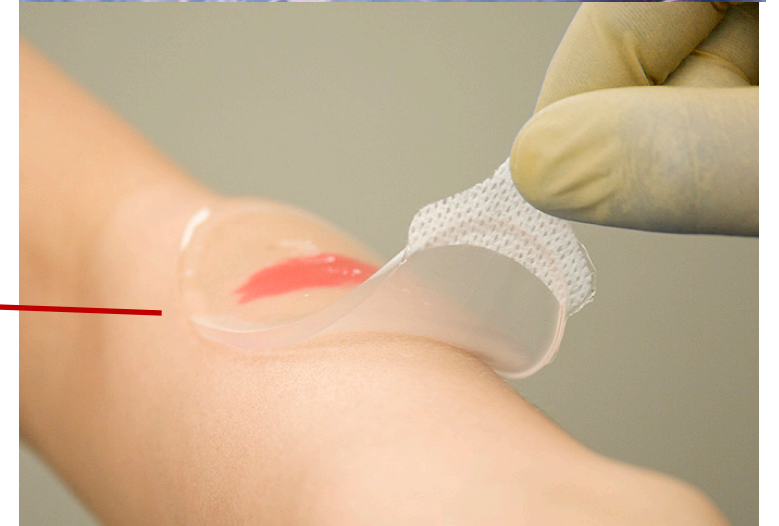


Tunable Adhesion from 1 to 1000 Jm⁻²

可调节的粘性



Zhang et al, AMS, 33, 543 (2017)



Hydrogel bandage 水凝胶创可贴

Soft Living Machines

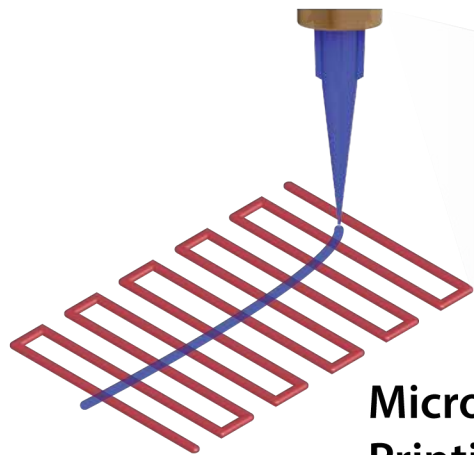
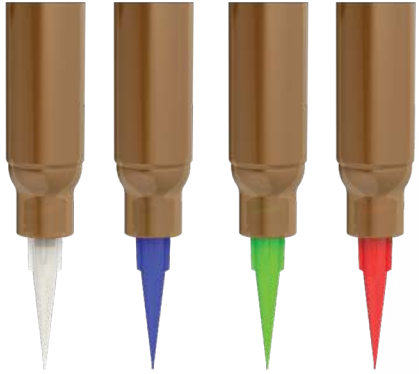
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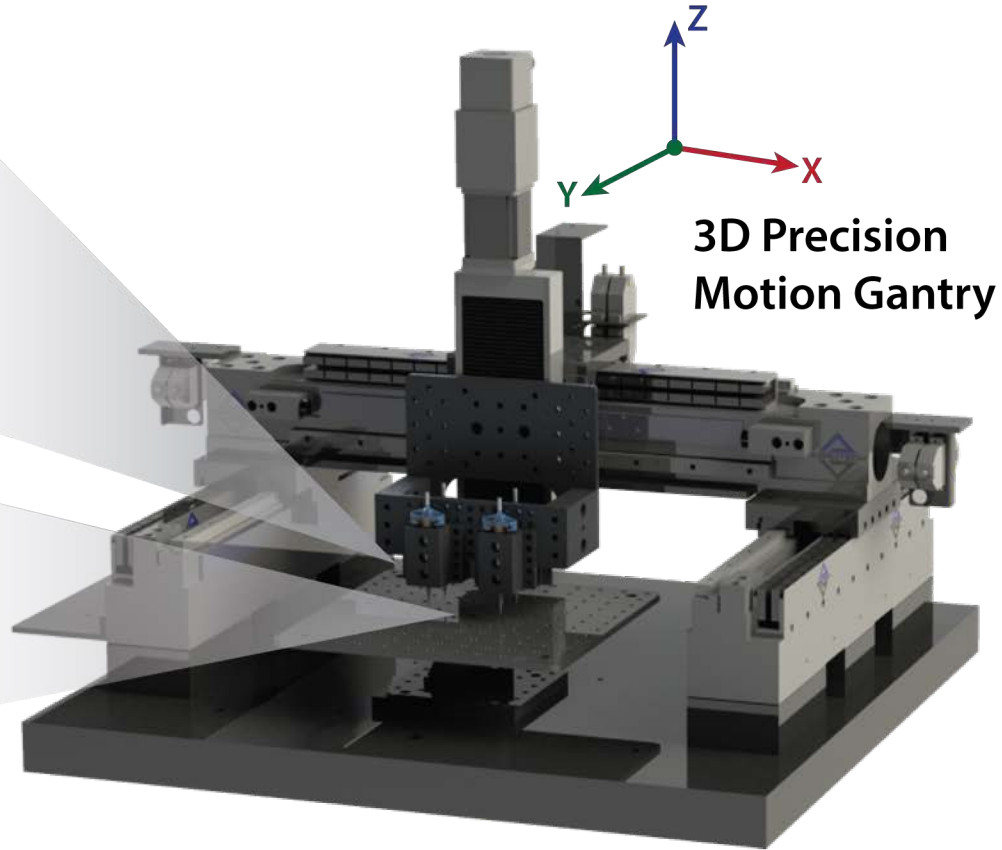
Multi-material 3D Bio-printer

多材料3D生物打印

Multi-material inks



Microscale
Printing of Diverse Materials

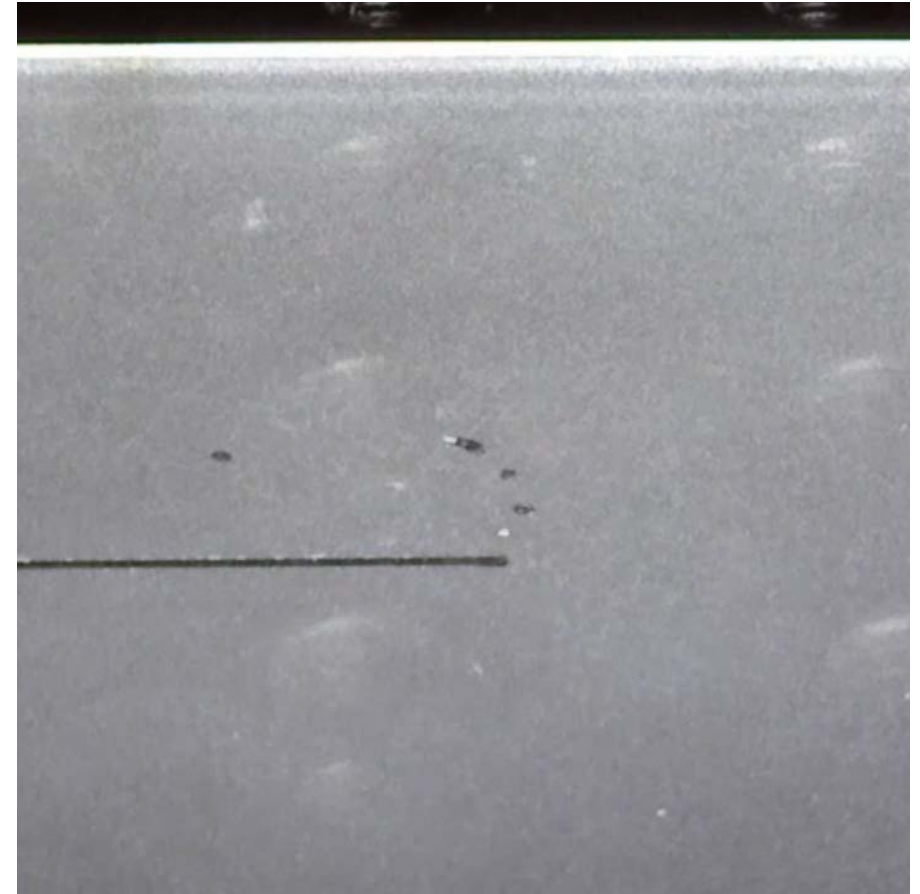
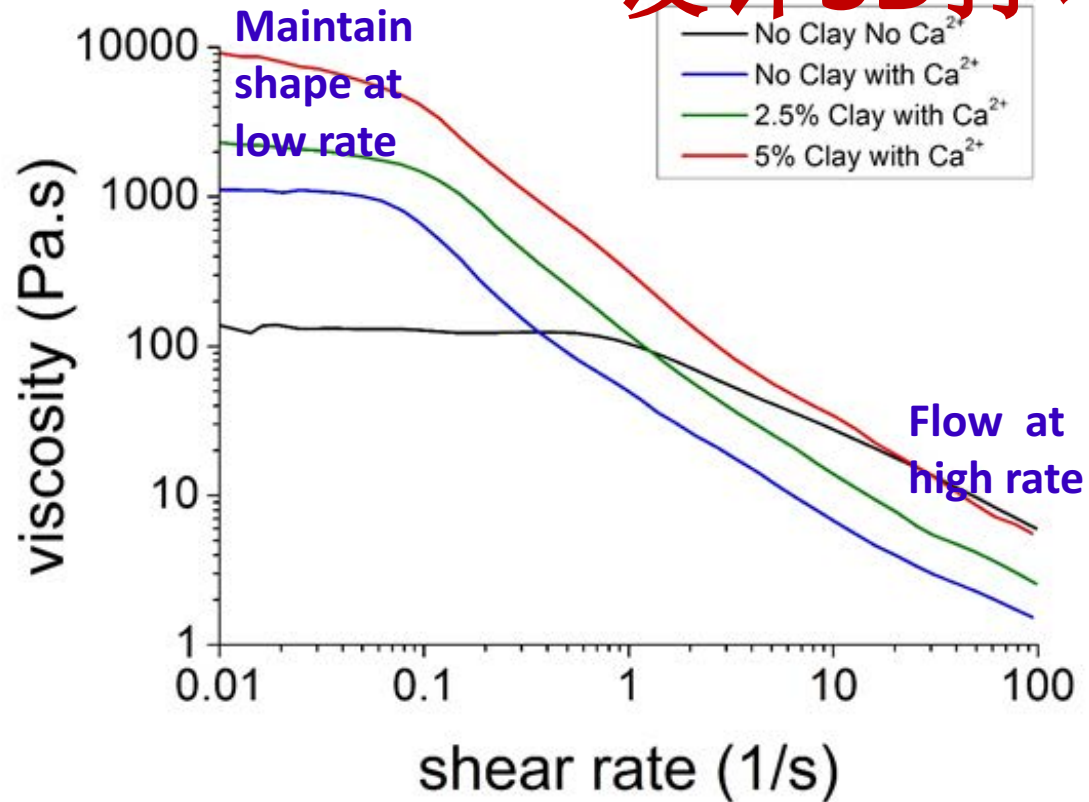


- Micro-extrusion based
- Resolution up to **5um.**
- Printing **multiple** materials in one structure
- Particularly suitable for **soft materials with cells.**

Patent at MIT 在MIT专利

Design of Inks for 3D Printing

设计3D打印墨水



Ink: Shear-thinned polymer solution
剪切稀化墨水

Hong et al Advance Materials,
27, 4035 (2015)

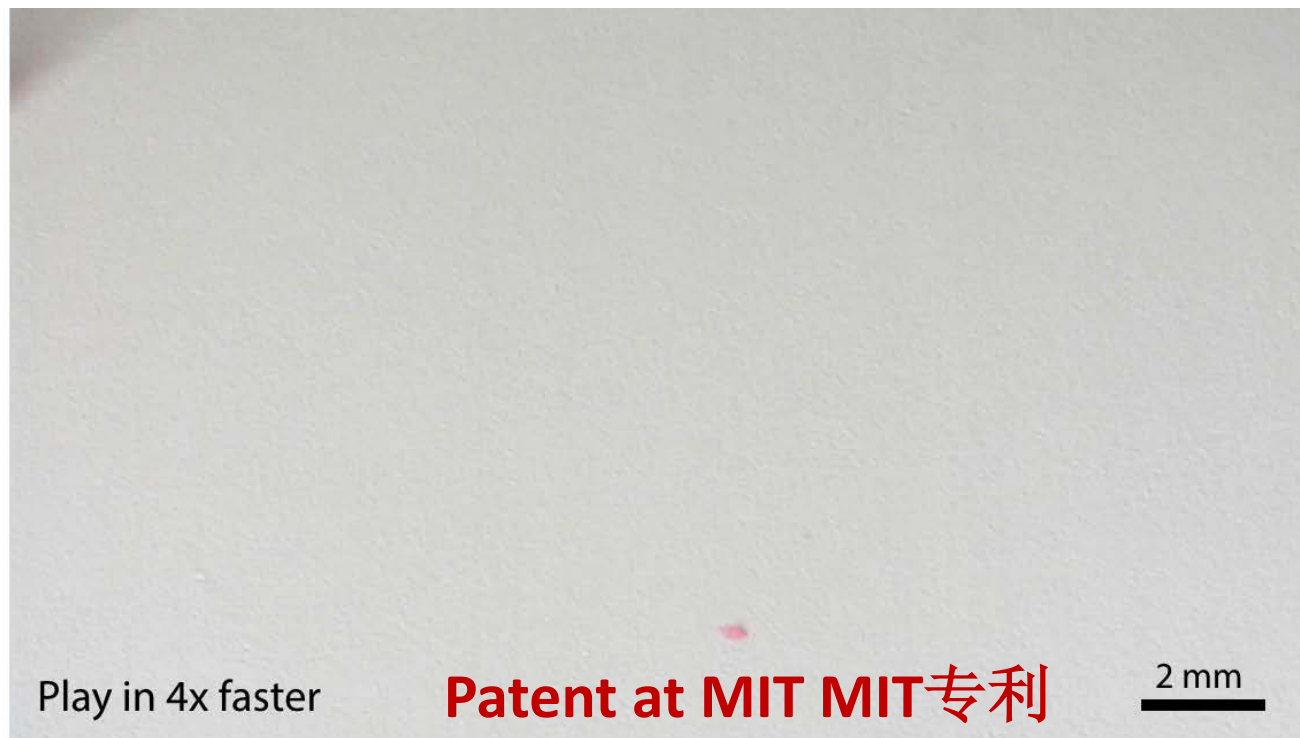
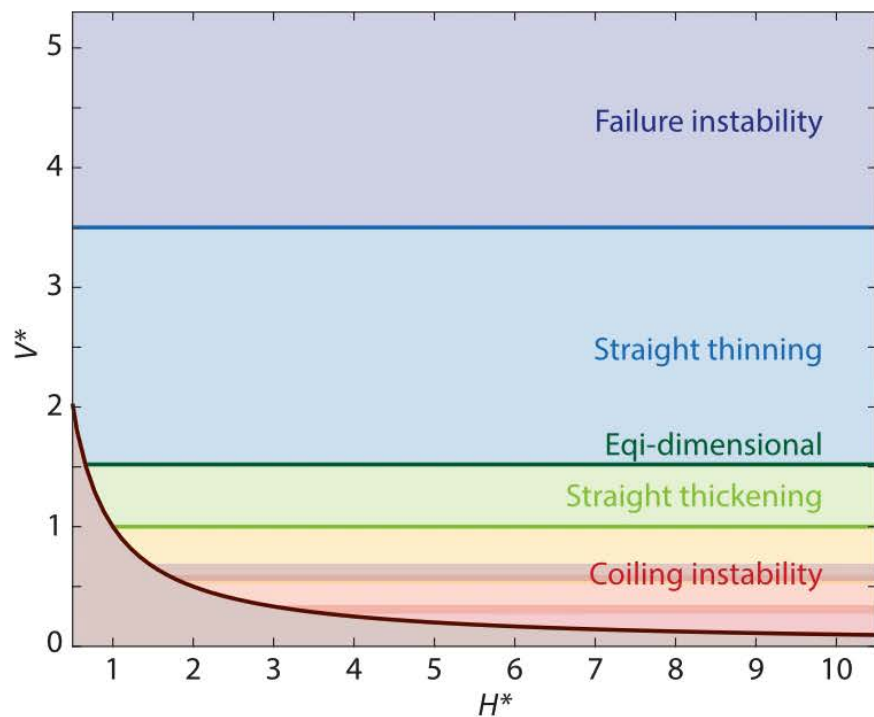
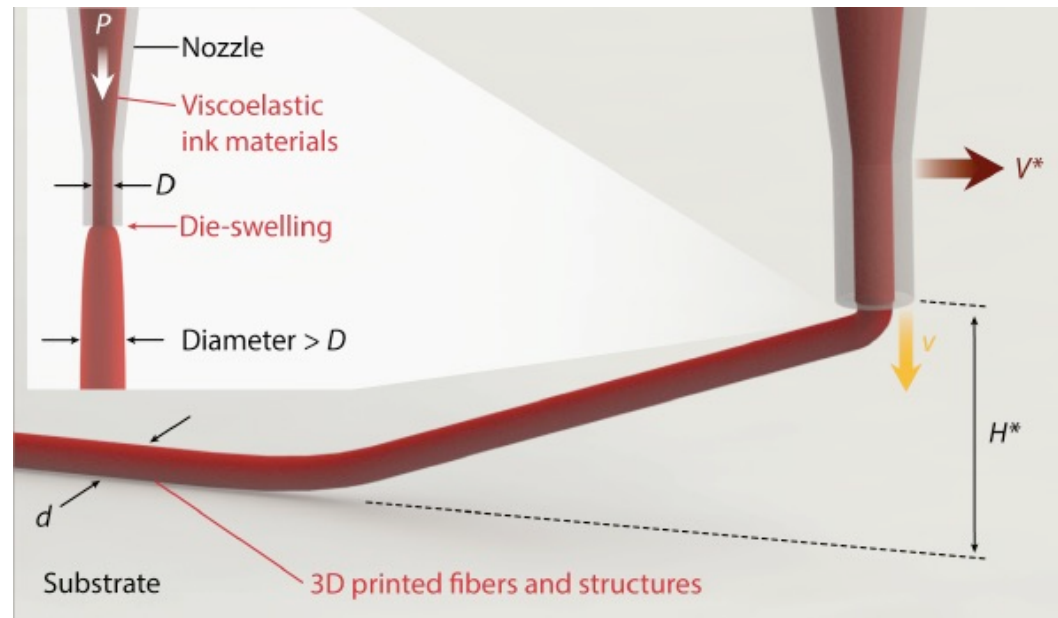
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Design of Printing Process and Pattern

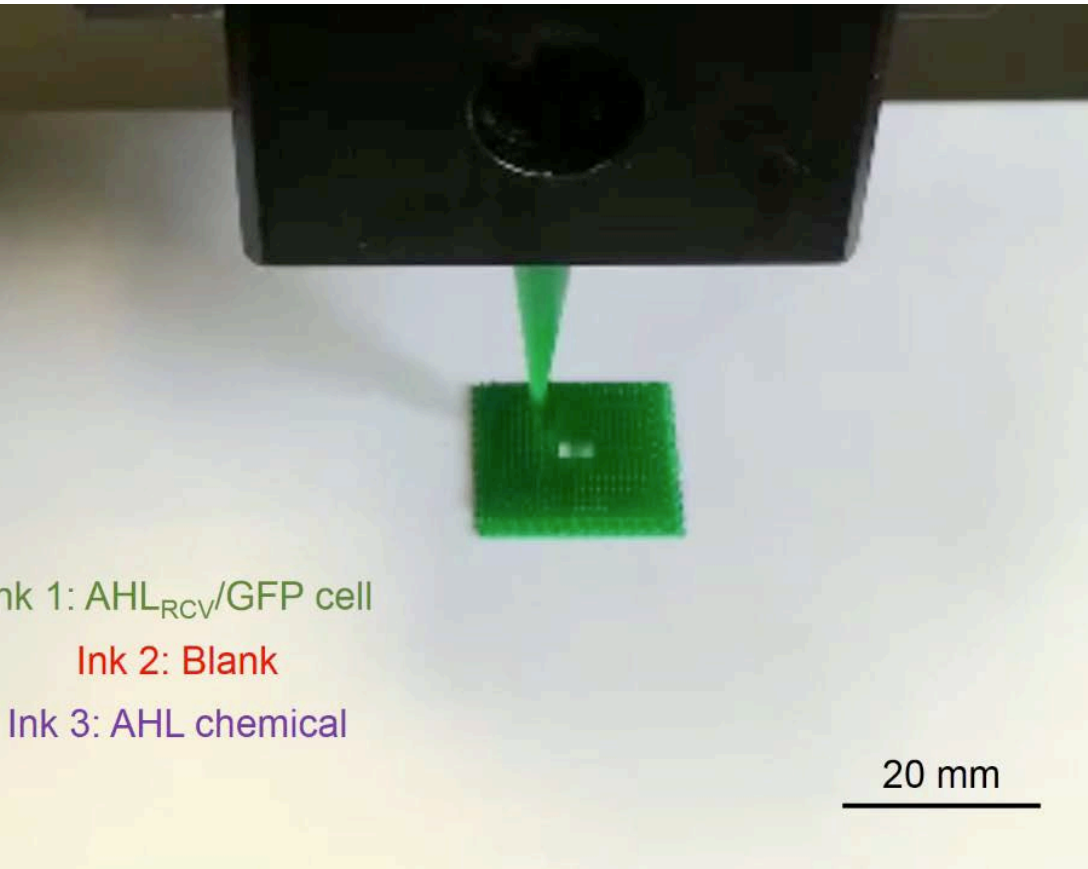
设计3D打印过程和模式

$$P = P(V^*, H^*)$$

Yuk et al, Advanced Materials, In Press

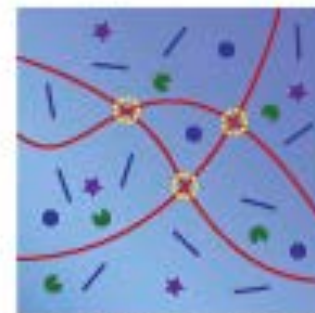
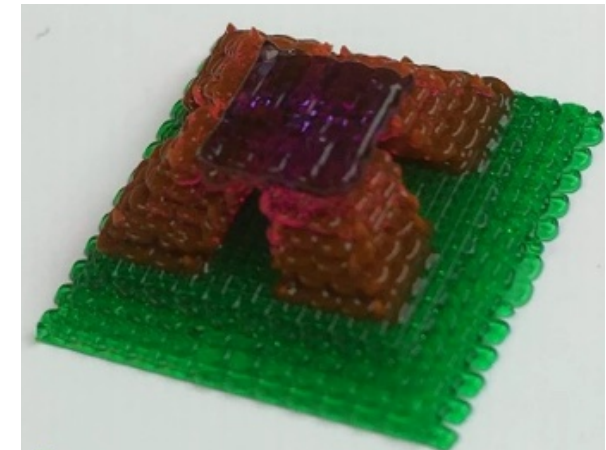


Step 1: Shape 3D Printing Reversible Networks



Step 2: Robustness UV Crosslinking Covalent Network

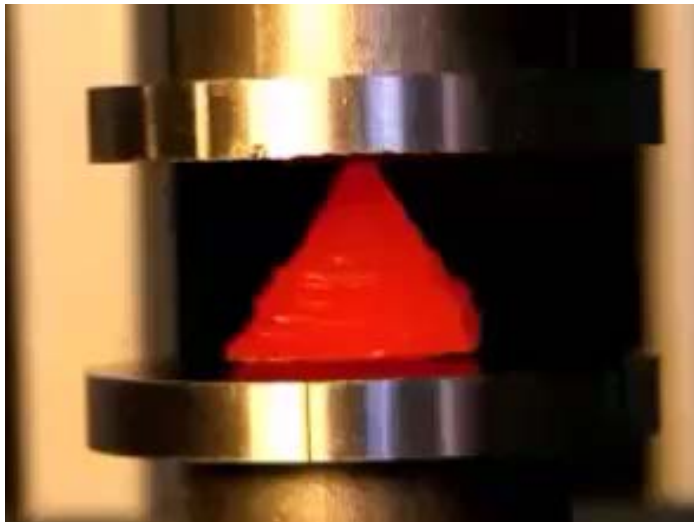
UV-induced
polymerization of stretchy network



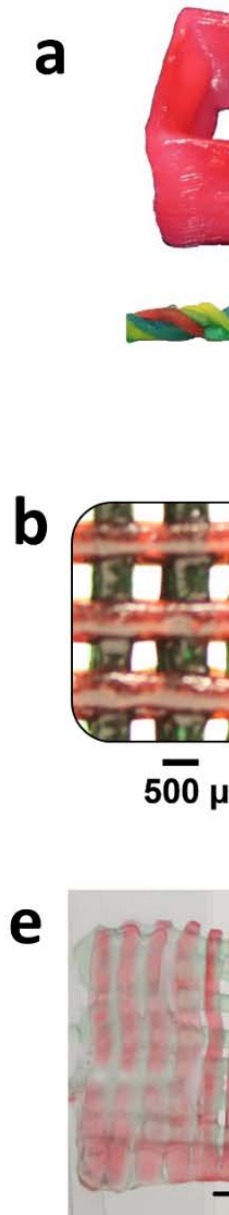
- Hydrogel (macro) monomer
- Hydrogel crosslinker
- Photo-initiator
- Oxygen scavenger
- Physically-crosslinked hydrogel network

Hong et al *Advance Materials*, **27**, 4035 (2015)

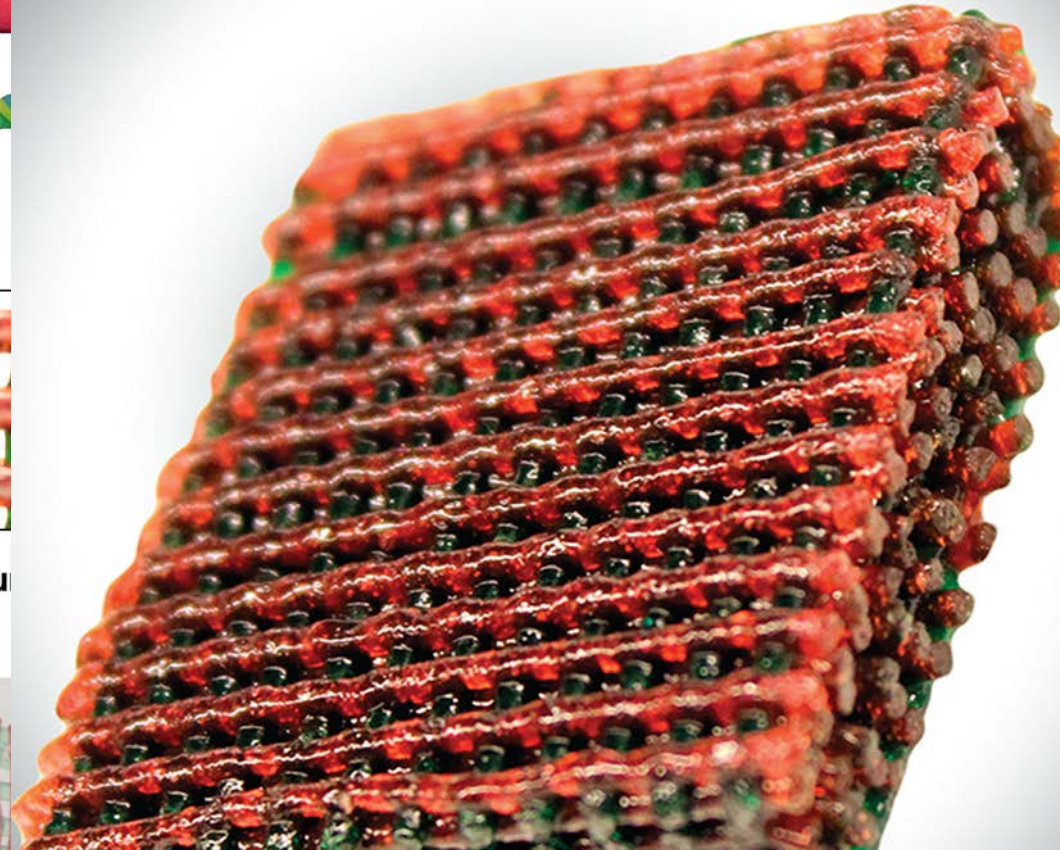
Robust Microstructures by 3D Printing



Hong et al Advance
Materials, 27, 4035 (2015)

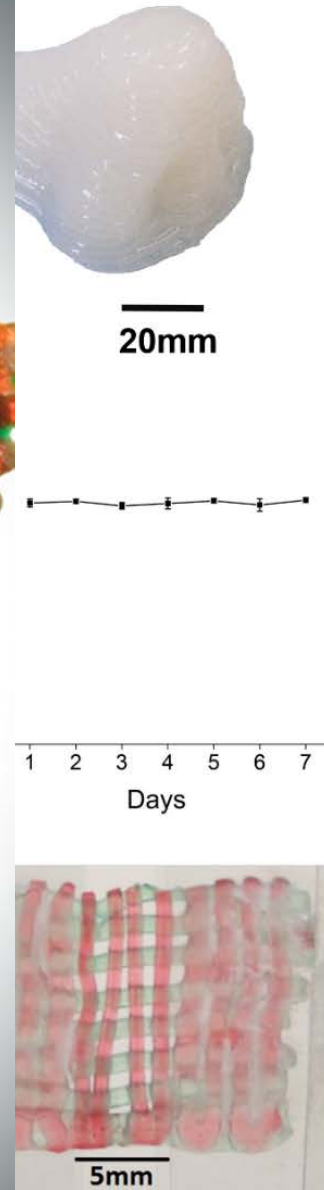


ADVANCED MATERIALS



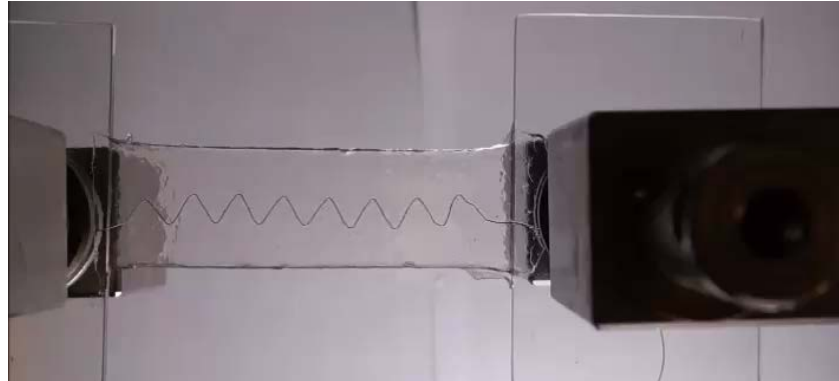
X. Zhao and co-workers develop on page 4035 a new biocompatible hydrogel system that is extremely tough and stretchable and can be 3D printed into complex structures, such as the multilayer mesh shown. Cells encapsulated in the tough and printable hydrogel maintain high viability. 3D-printed structures of the tough hydrogel can sustain high mechanical loads and deformations.

WILEY-VCH **3D PRINTING**

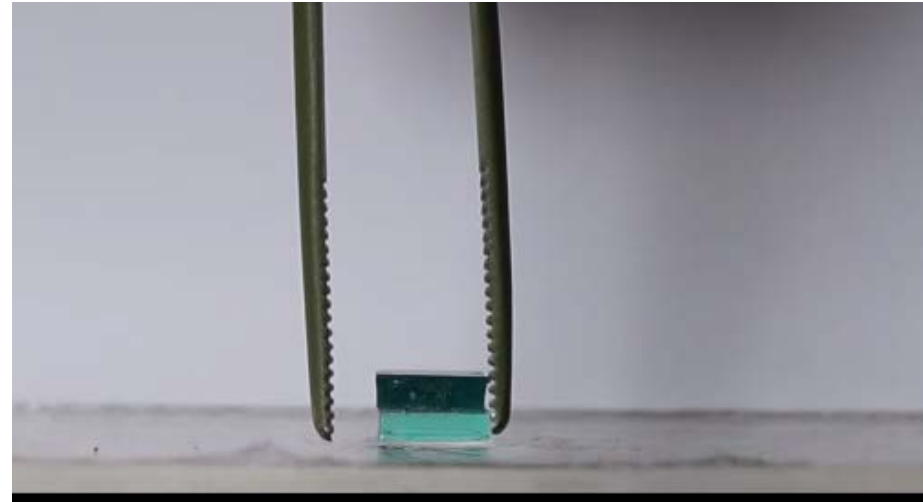


Integrating Electronics with hydrogels (70~90% water)

在水凝胶中集成电子元件



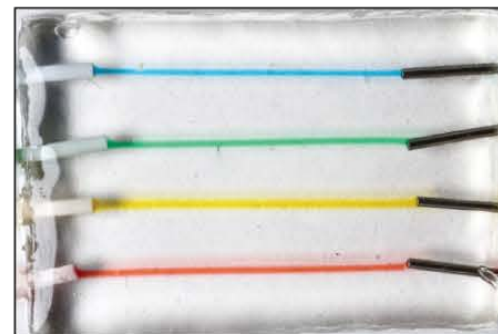
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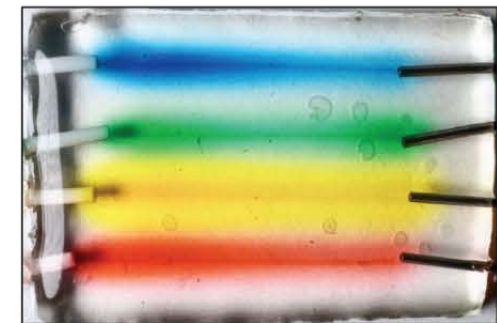
Functional islands



LED arrays



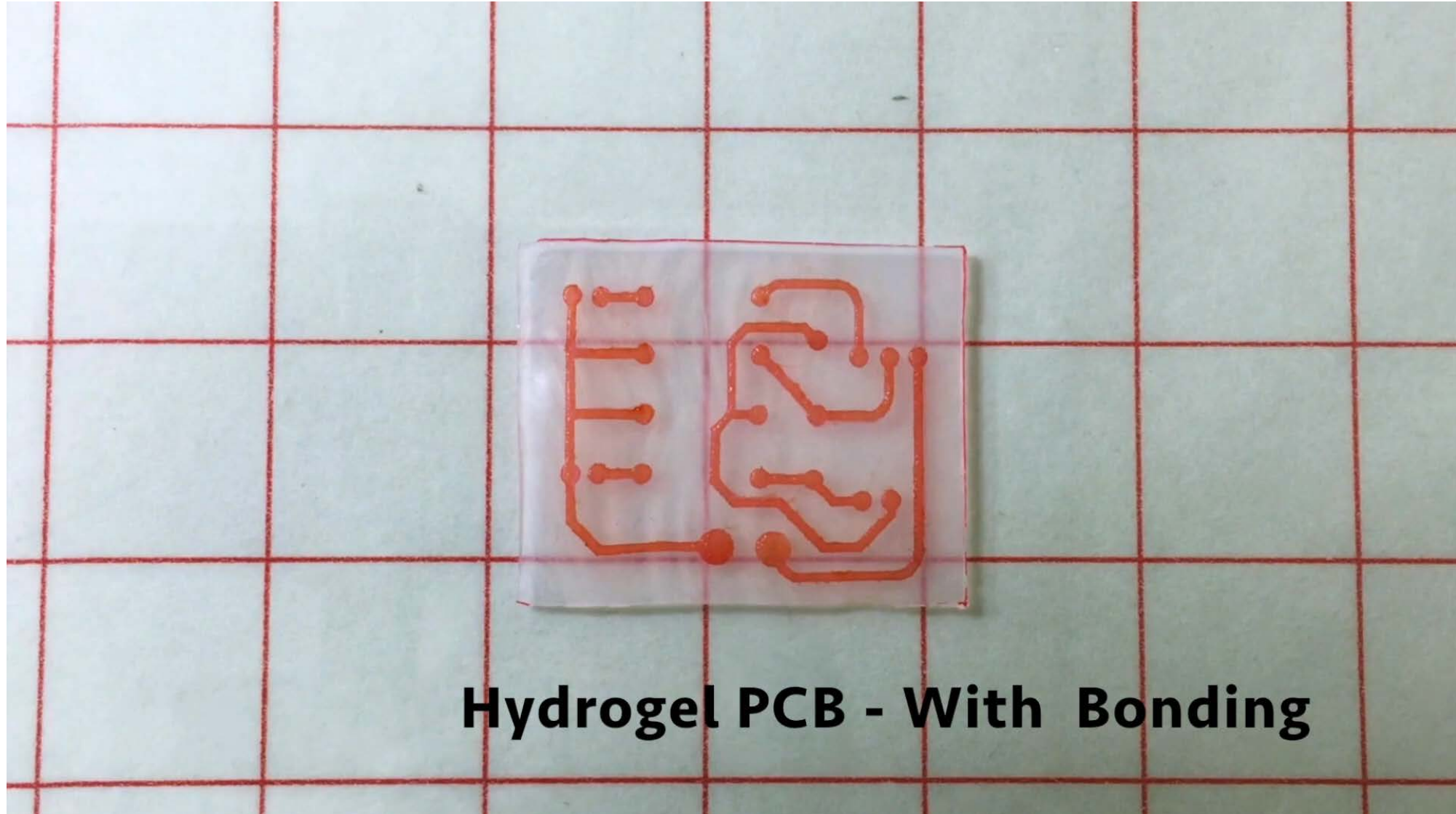
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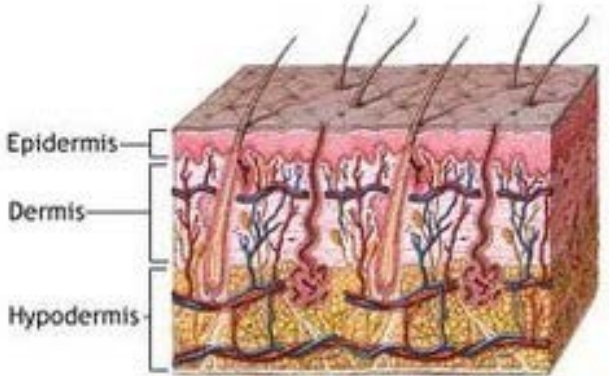
Drug delivery channels

Printed Hydrogel Circuit Boards 打印水凝胶电路



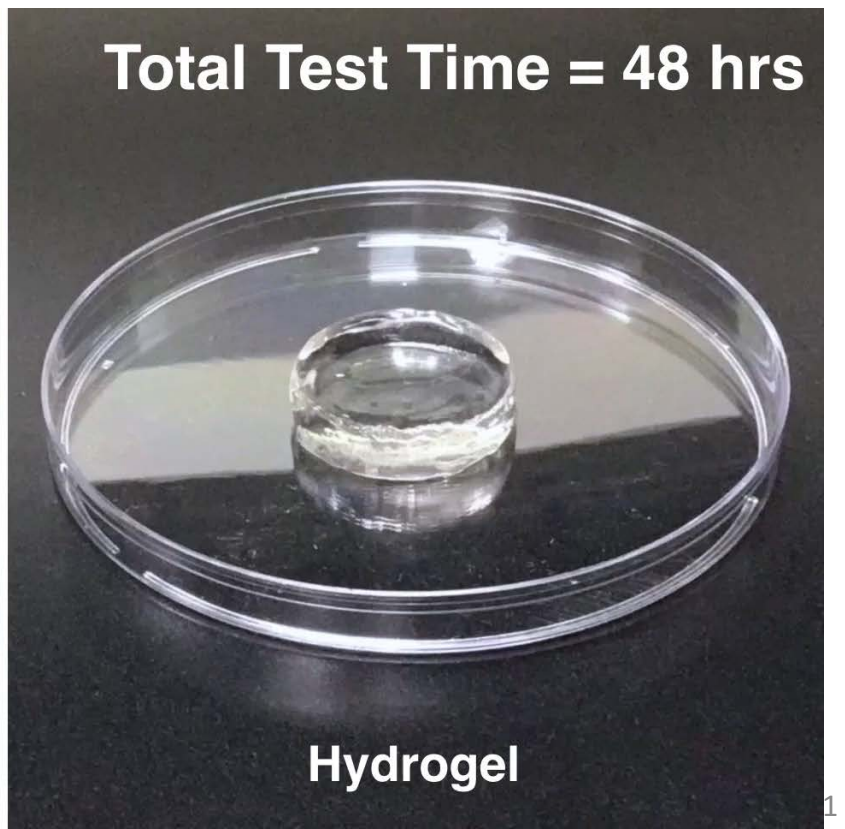
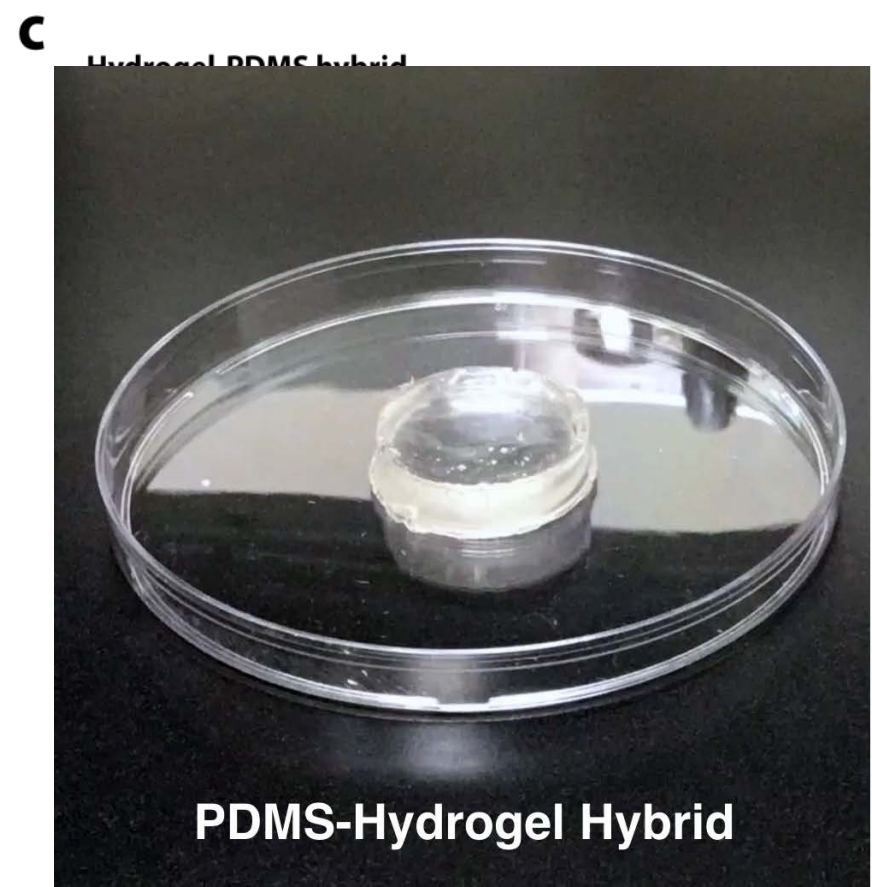
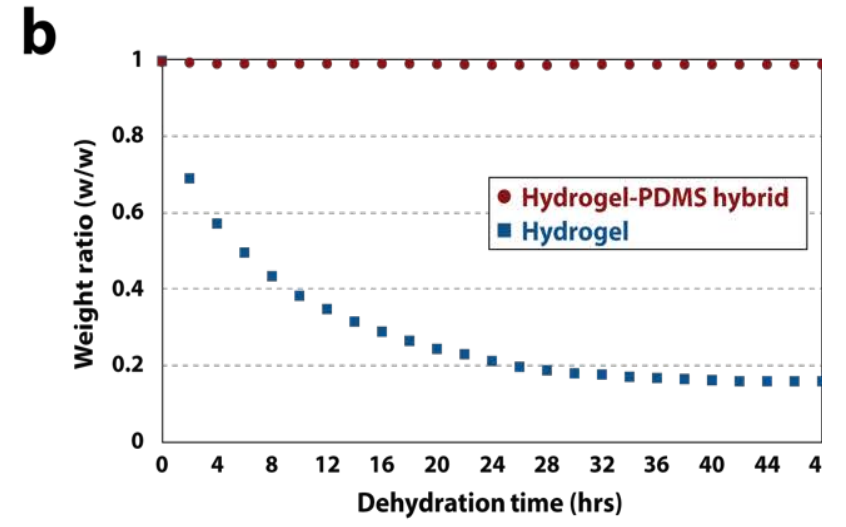
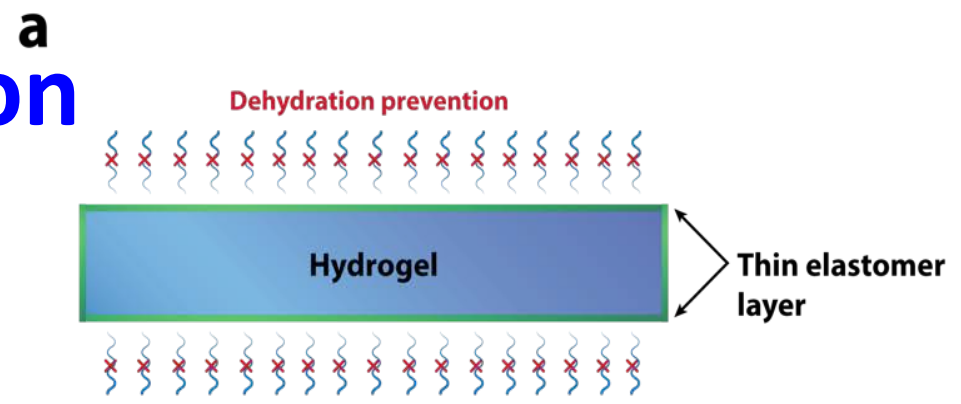
Anti-dehydration Hydrogel

抗干燥水凝胶



Yuk et al, *Nature Communications*, 7, 12028 (2016)

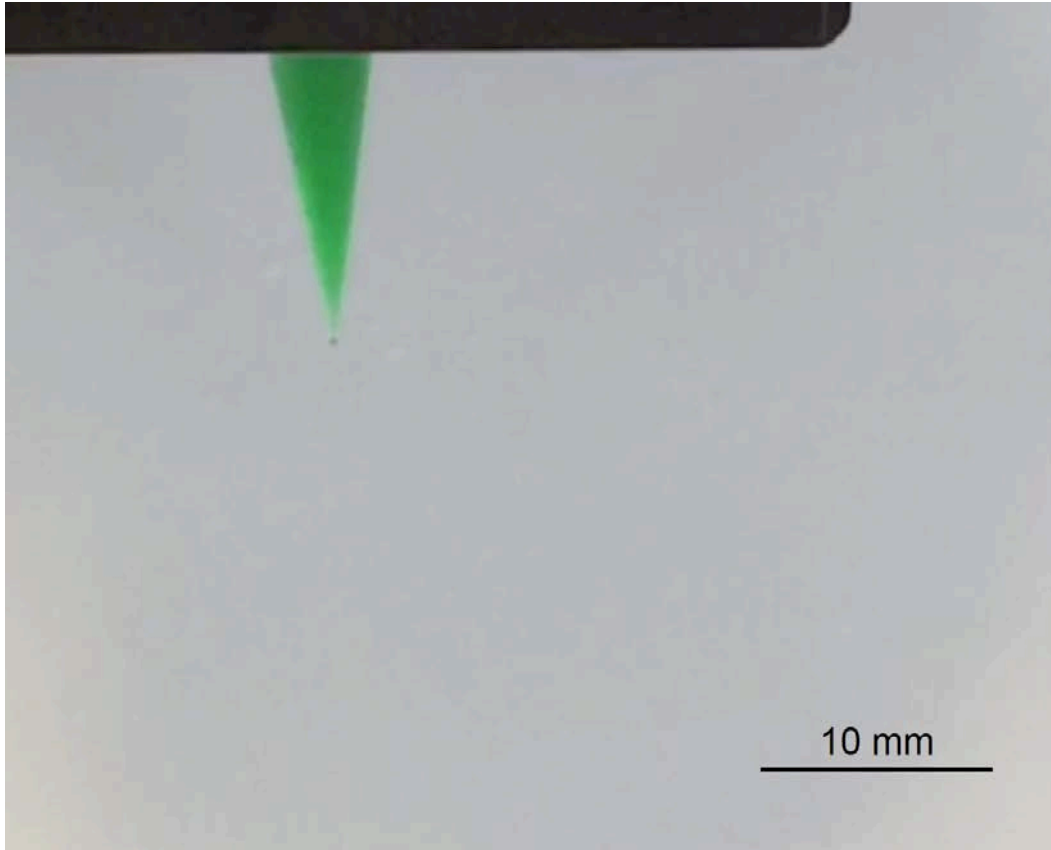
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Merging Human Body and Machines: **Examples**

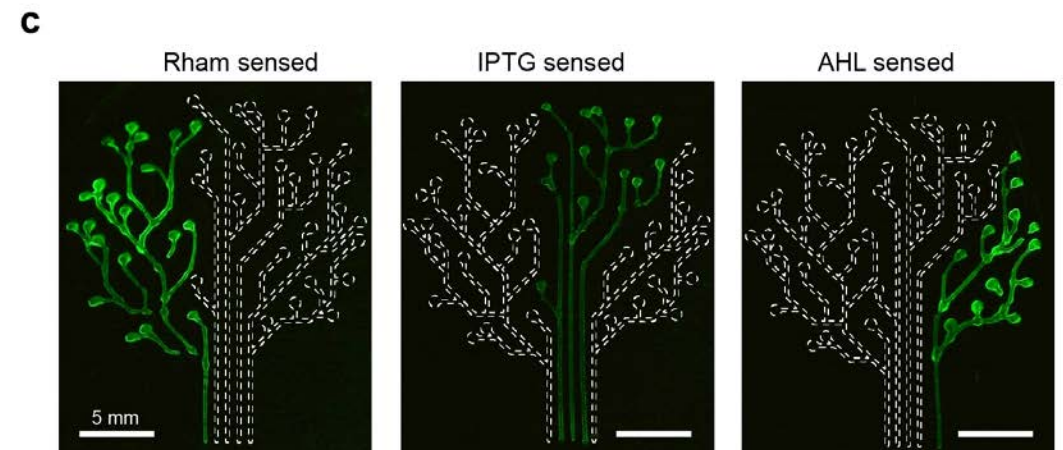
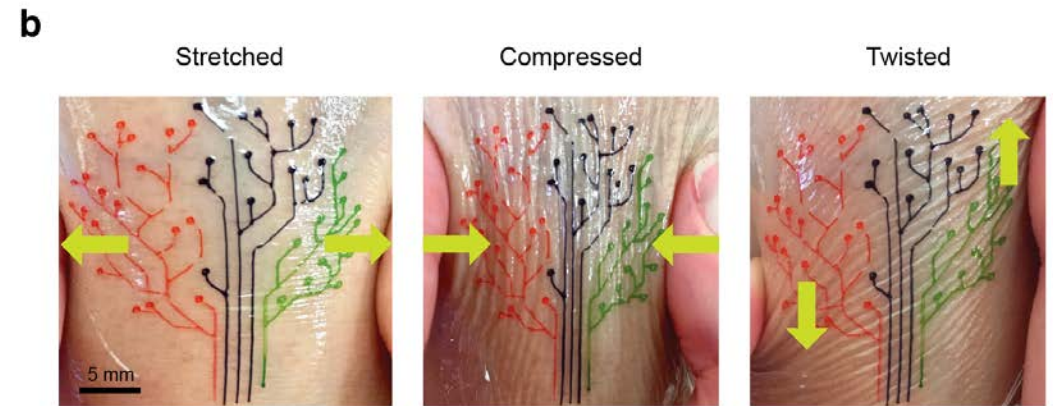
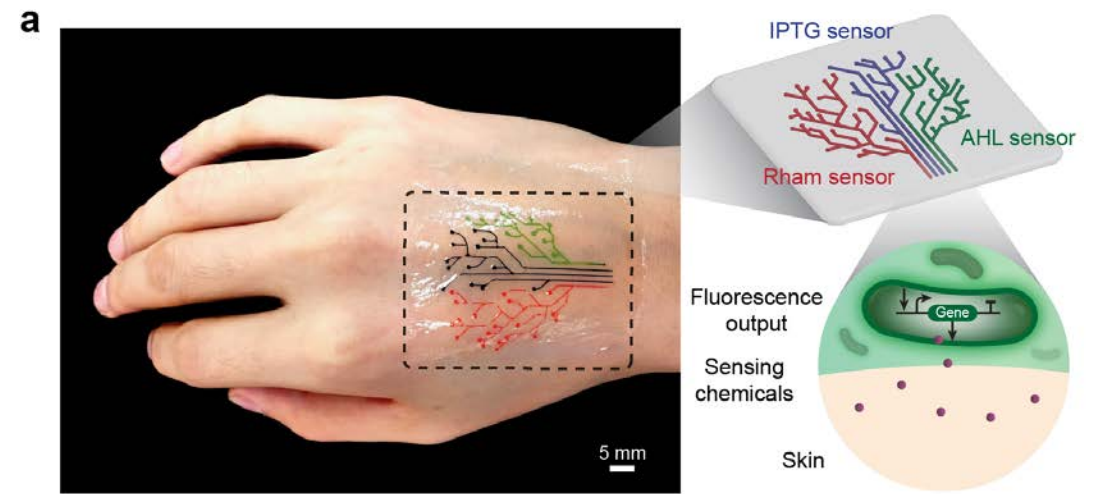
- **Merging Skin and Machines** 皮肤
- **Merging Body Cavities and Machines** 身体空道
- **Merging Brain and Machines** 大脑
- **Merging Stomach and Machines** 胃

Merge With Skin: Living Tattoo

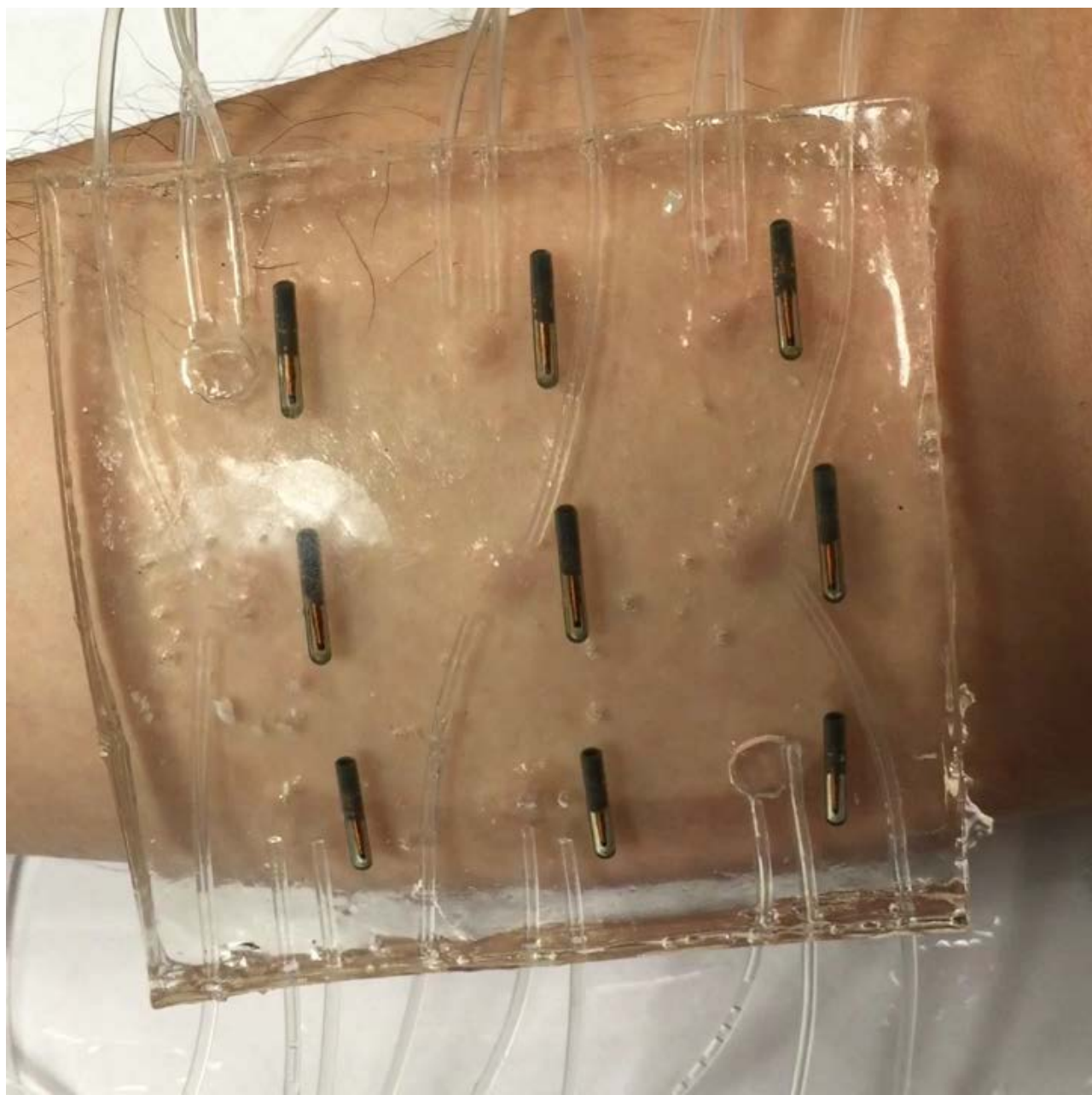
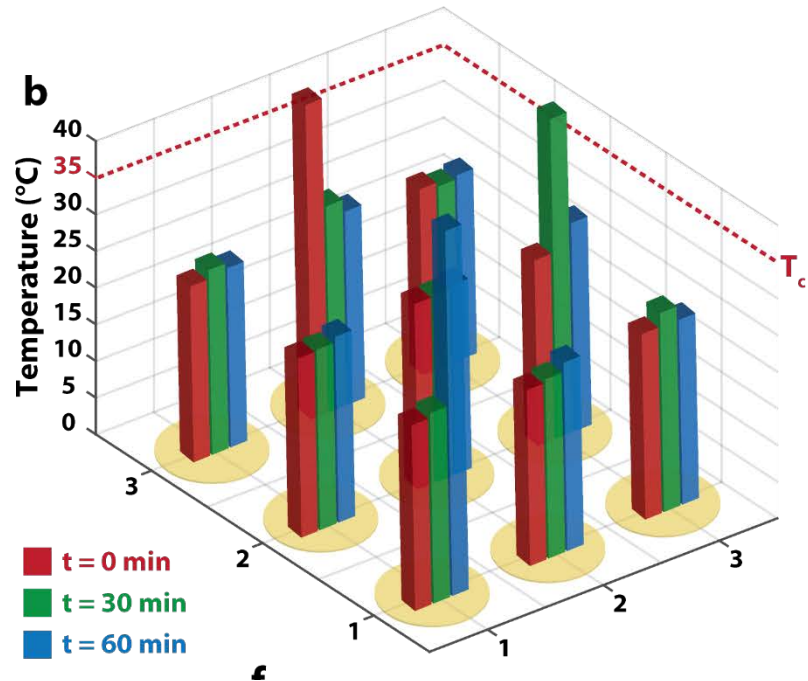
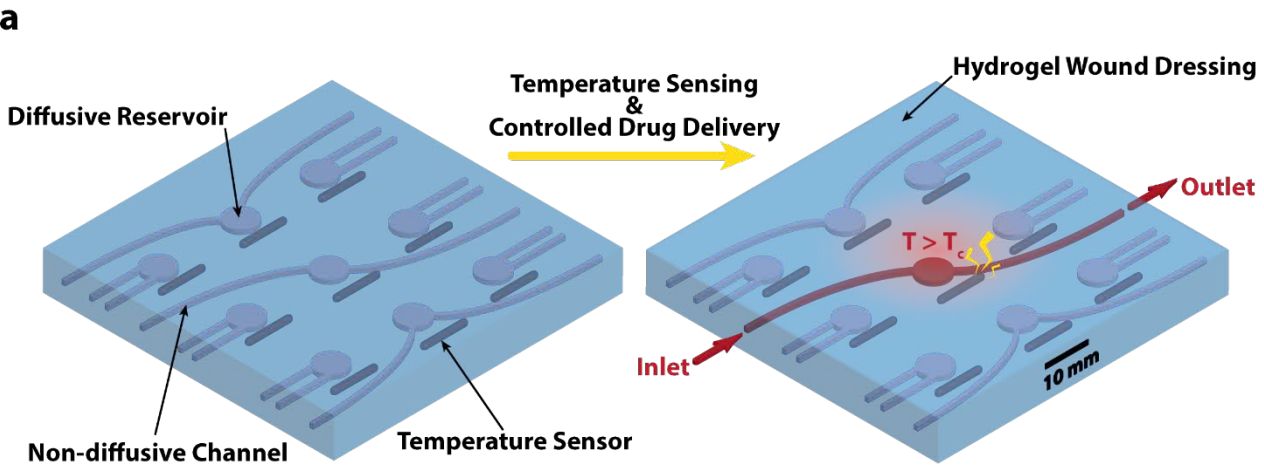


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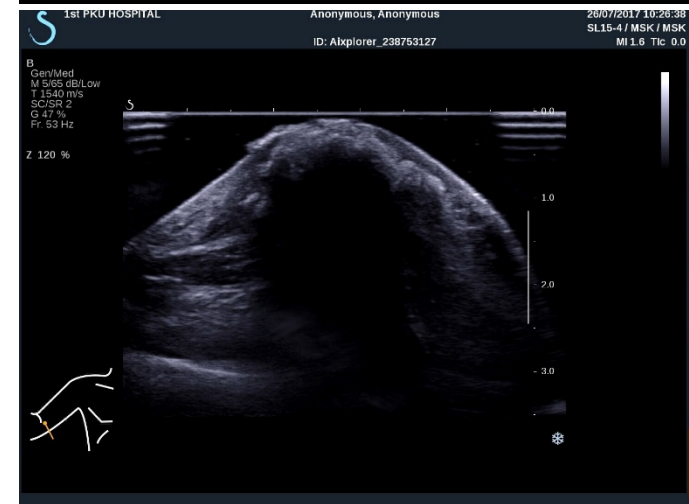
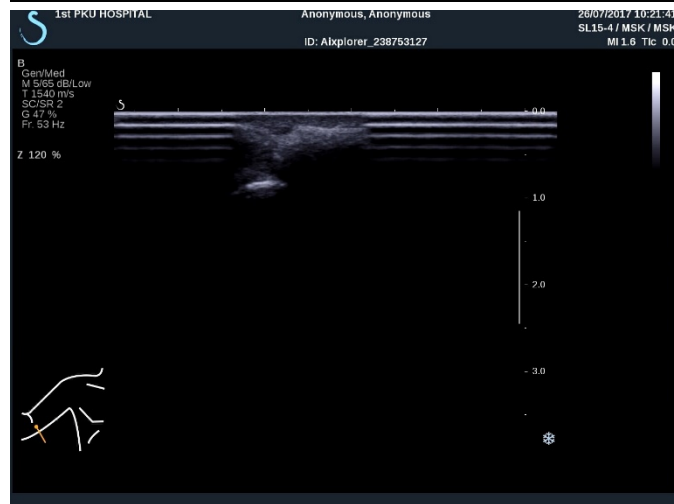
MIT Smart Hydrogel Band-Aid



Solid Ultrasound Gel 固态B超水凝胶介质

Liquid Gel

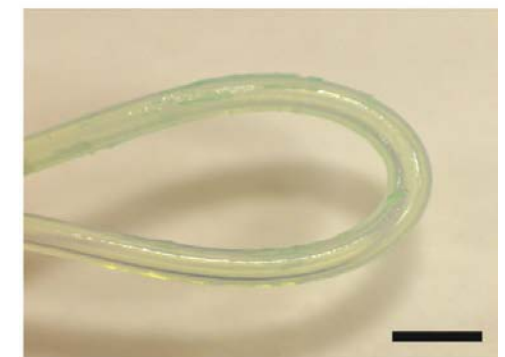
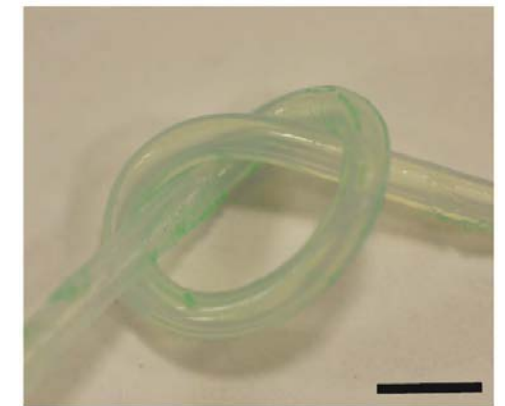
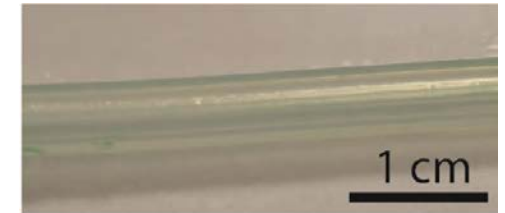
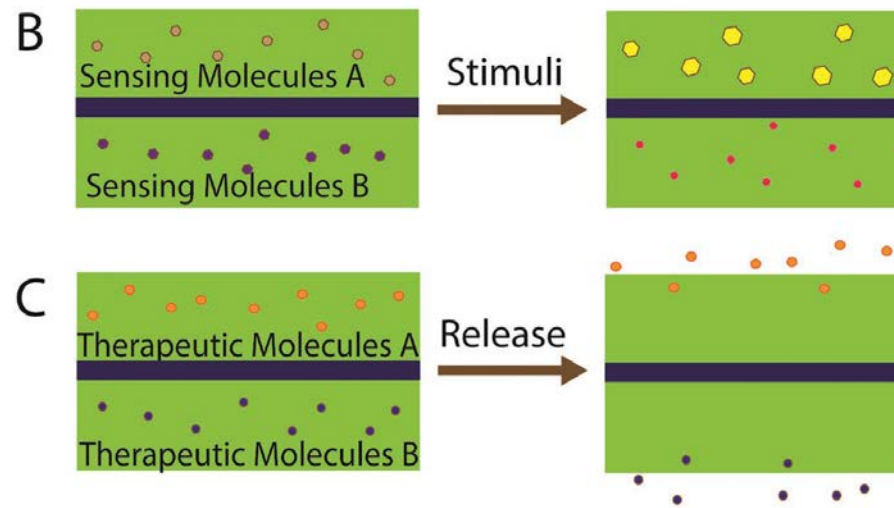
Solid Gel



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Merge with Body Cavity: Soft Slippery Antifouling Catheter

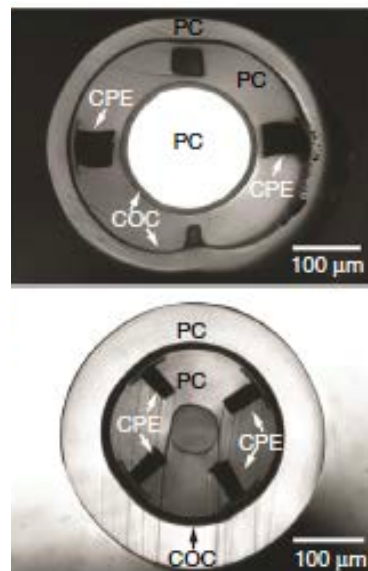


Surface Pair Condition	0.1 [s ⁻¹]	0.5 [s ⁻¹]
Steel on wet latex	0.269 ± 0.049	0.363 ± 0.144
Steel on hydrogel laminate	0.078 ± 0.008	0.096 ± 0.014
Steel on hydrogel	0.082 ± 0.018	0.106 ± 0.016
Latex on wet latex	0.216 ± 0.017	0.291 ± 0.081
Latex on hydrogel laminate	0.082 ± 0.016	0.114 ± 0.020
Hydrogel laminate on hydrogel laminate	0.022 ± 0.004	0.024 ± 0.001

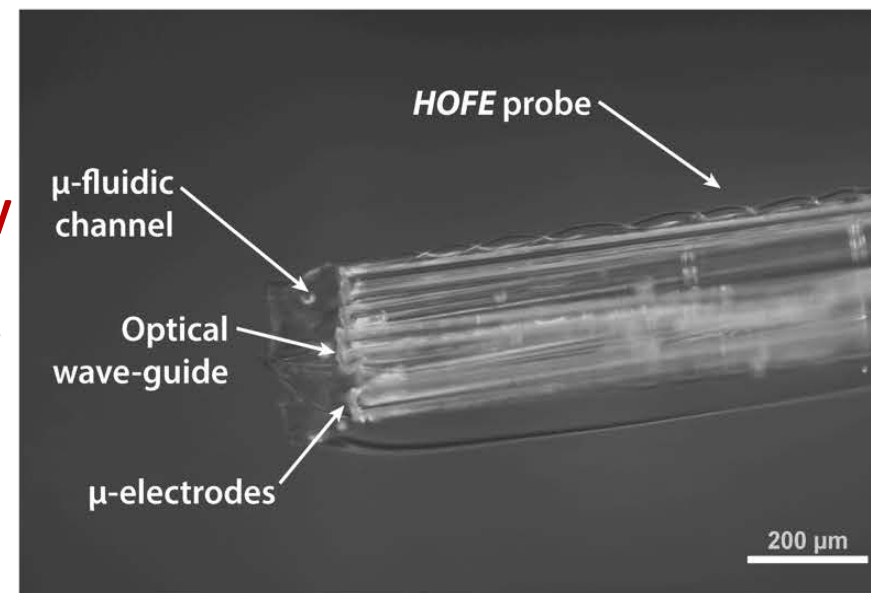
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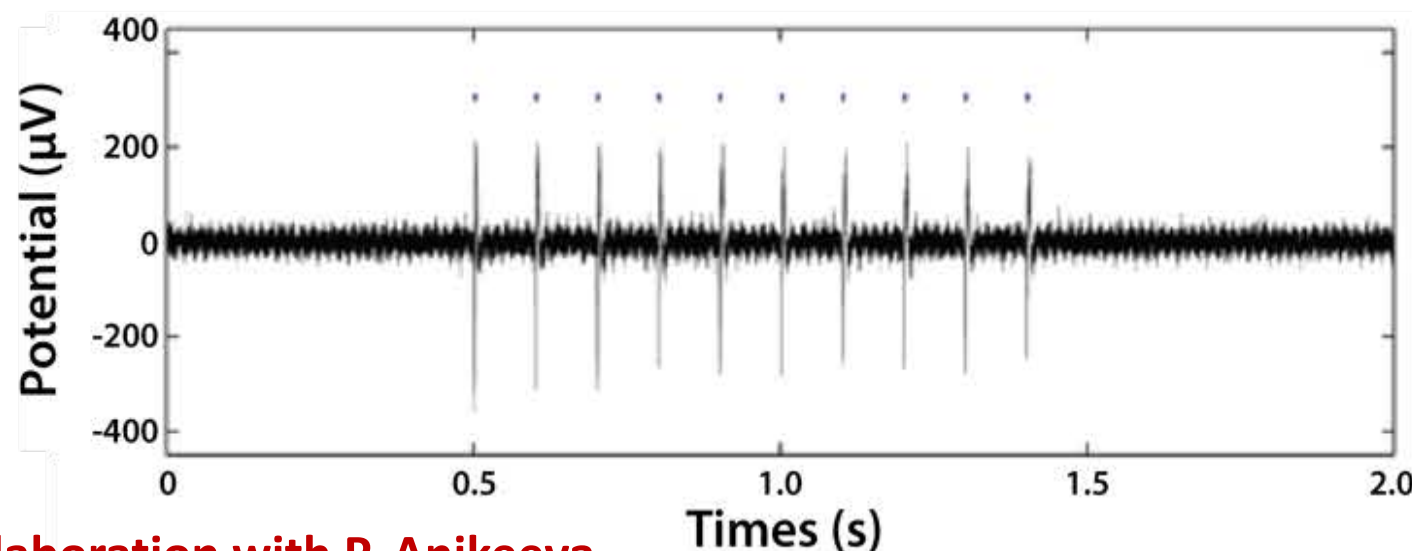
Merge With Brain: Hydrogel Neural Probe



Hydrogel Probe Body
Rigidity: 1~100kPa
Toughness: 1000Jm⁻²



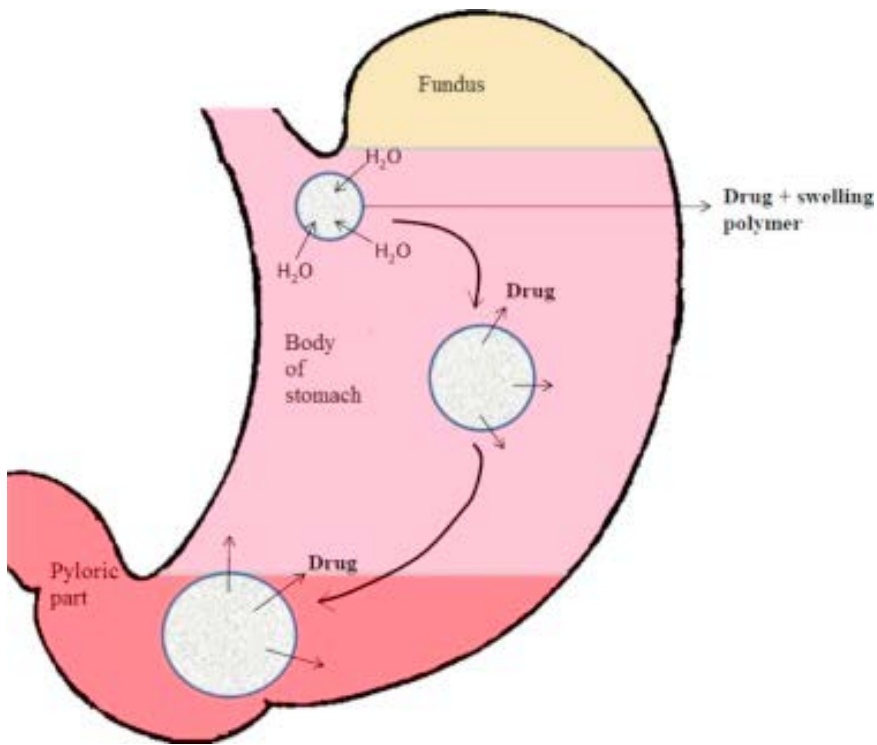
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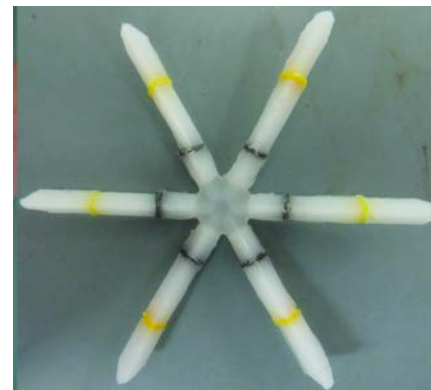
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Merge With Stomach: One Pill Per Week/Month

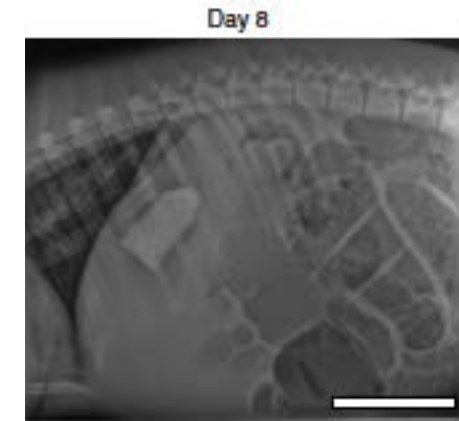
“One of the biggest issues in health care is noncompliance, people simply not taking their drugs”, we need “to develop ultra-long-lasting capsules, which could be taken once a week or once a month.” **Robert Langer MIT**



Gastric retentive system



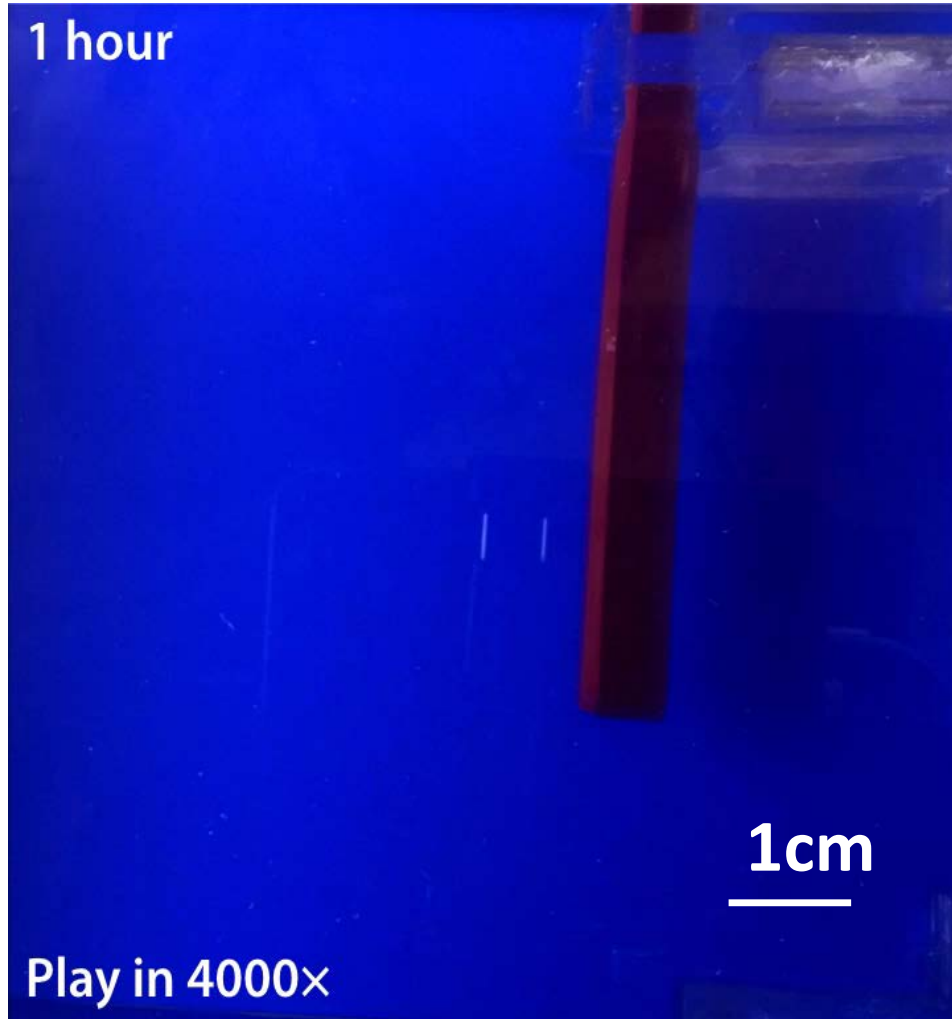
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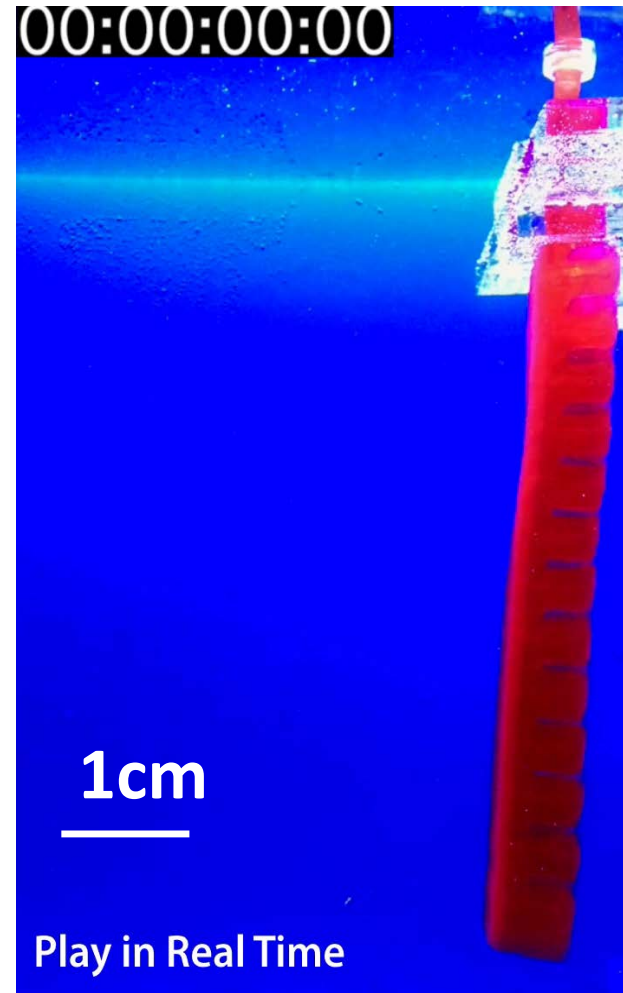
Robust-hydrogel based

Muscle: Hydraulic Hydrogel Actuators and Robots

Osmotic Actuation



Hydraulic Actuation

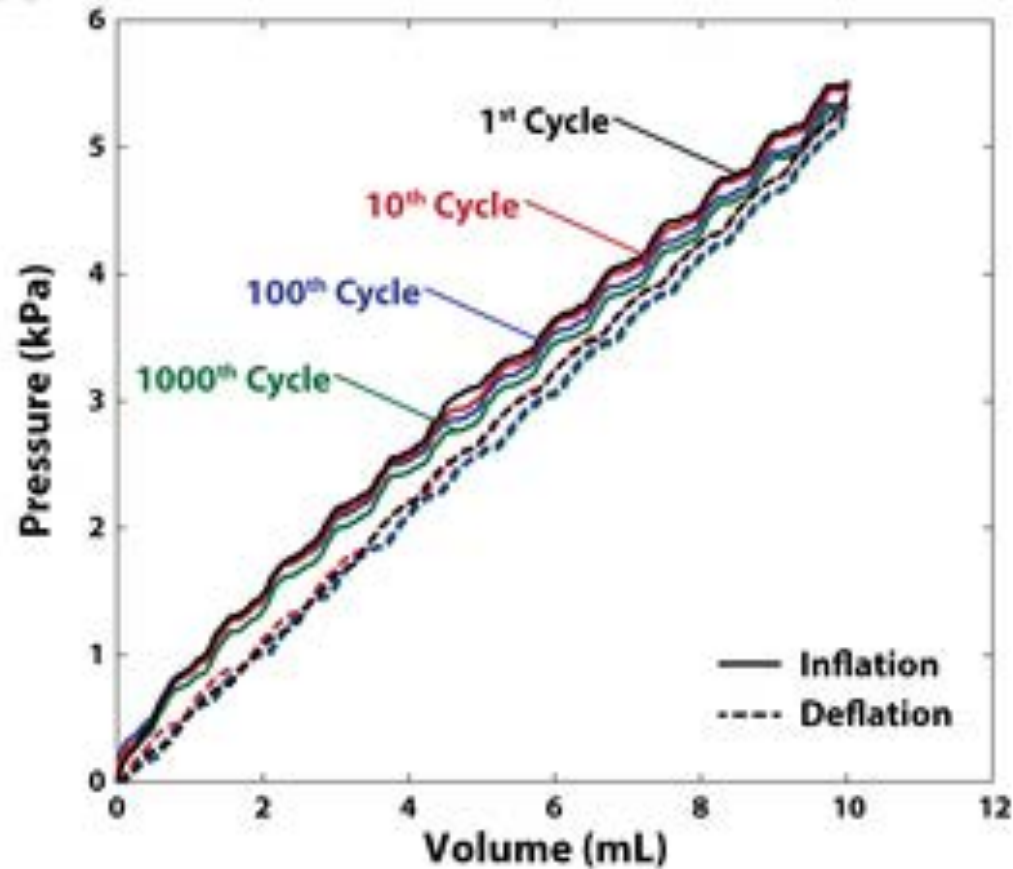


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