

2011 JAFOE Symposium
Session: Bioinspired Materials

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Principles and Results Related to Biomimetic Crystal Design



Synthetic



Biogenic

OAKI Yuya



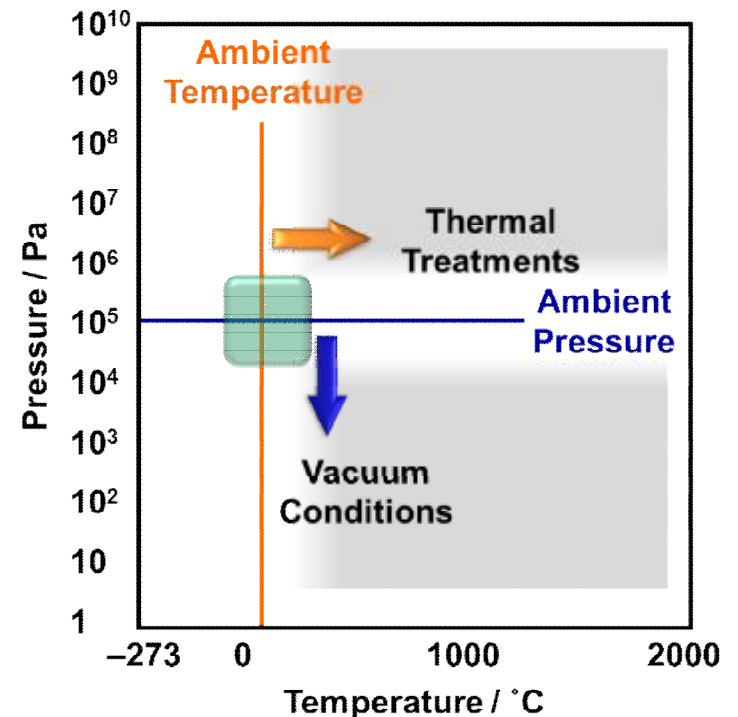
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Recent Materials Science

Development of Highly Functional Materials

Minimum Energy Consumption
Minimum Resource Consumption

Mottainai (もったいない)
Avoid Wastes!



What can materials scientists do?

➡ Learning from Nature

What is biomimetic **in materials science**?

Models for Materials Science in Nature

Organisms

Minerals

**Biological
Systems**

**Biological
Functions**

Learning

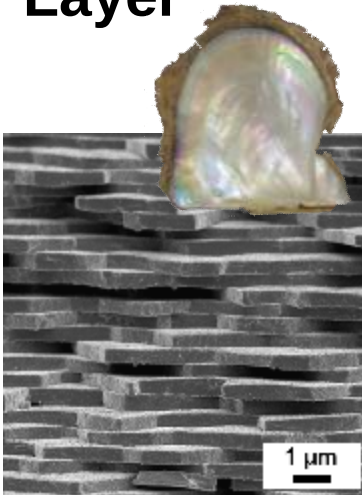
Mimetic

Application

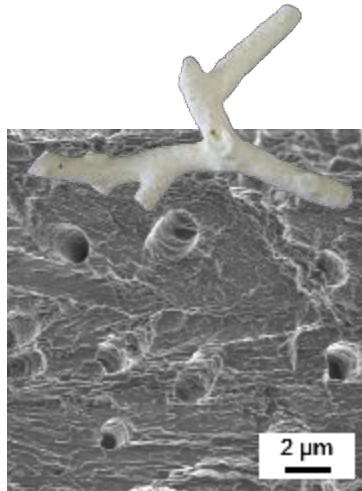
**Development of Advanced Functional Materials
in Harmony with Environment**

What is **biomimetic crystal design**?

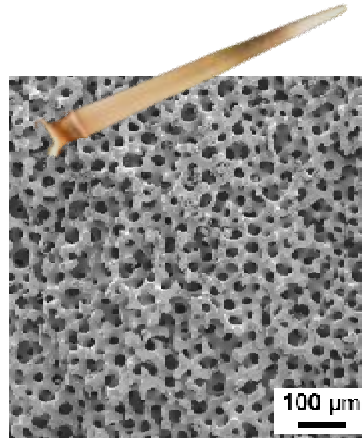
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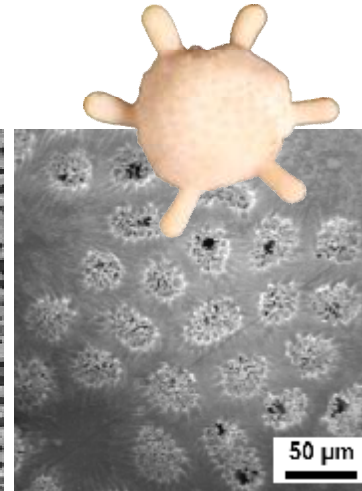
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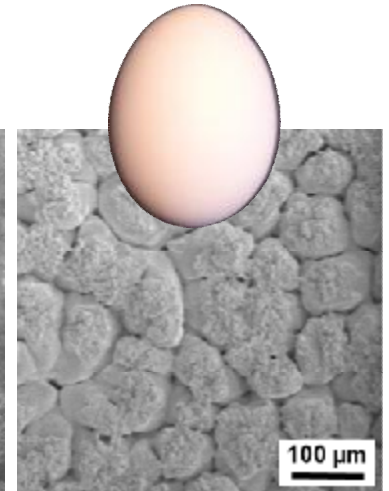
Skeletal of Echinoderm



Foraminifer



Eggshell



Biominerals

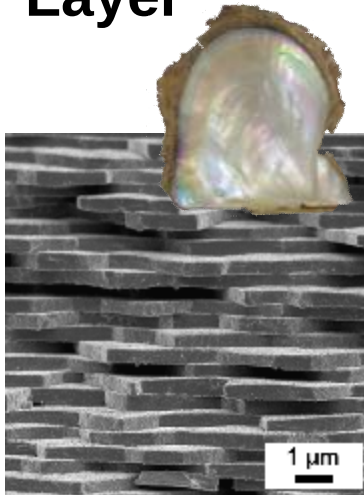
- Inorganic/Organic Composite
- Hierarchically Organized Structures
- Reusable and Self-Repairable
- Abundant Minerals
- Mild Condition Routes
- Highly Functional Materials



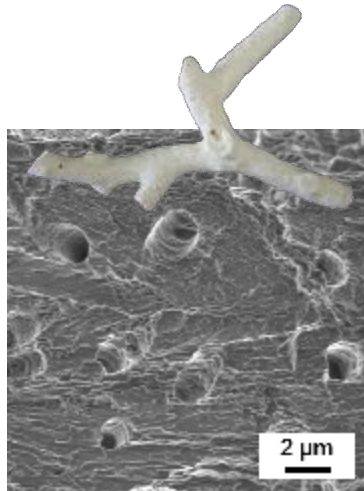
Good Models for Materials Science

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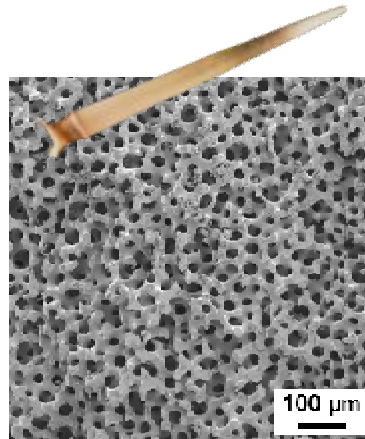
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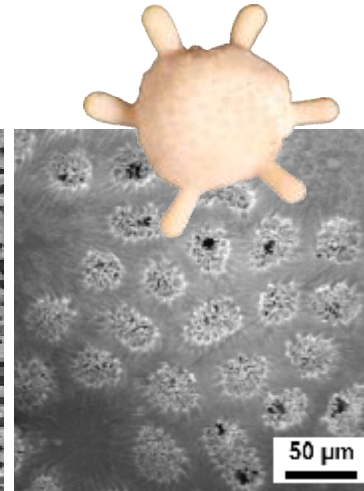
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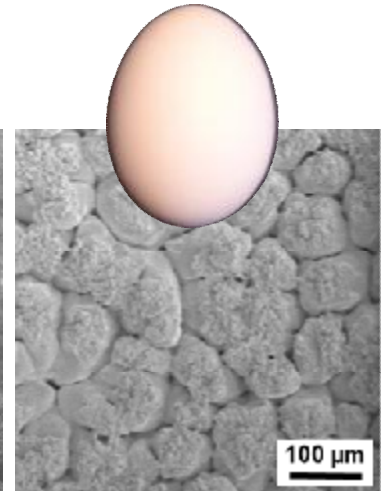
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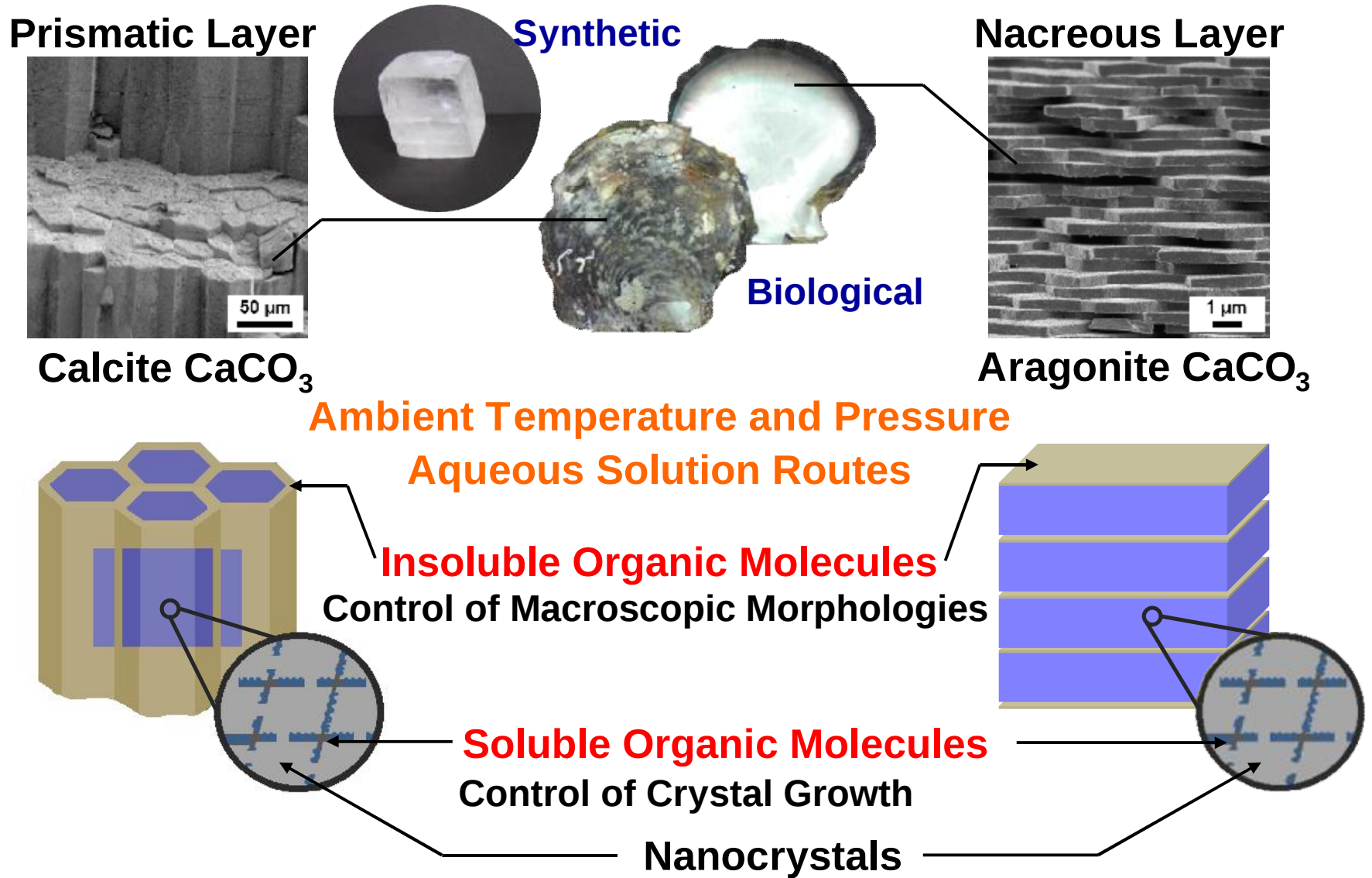
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Application



Development of Advanced Functional Materials

Principles and Concepts



Recent Progress in World



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F. C. Meldrum (Bristol)
M. Antonietti (MPI)
H. Cölfen (Konstanz)
N. Sommerdijk (Eindhoven)



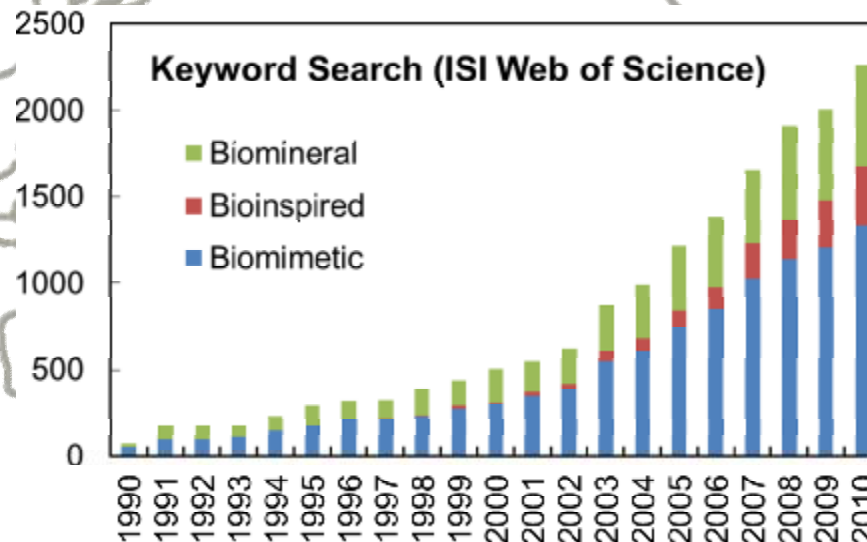
L. Addadi (Weitzman)
S. Weiner (Weitzman)



S. H. Yu (USTC)
Q. Li (Peking)



J. Aizenberg (Harvard)
L. B. Gower (Florida)



Special Issues

2004 J. Mater. Chem.

2007 CrystEngComm

2009 Adv. Mater.

2008 Chem. Rev.

2010 MRS Bulletin

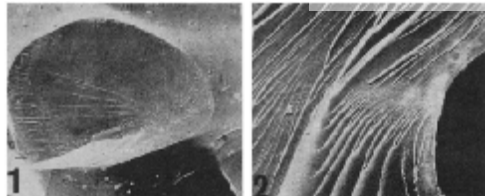
Development of Biomimetic Crystal Design

Biomimetalization (1900~)

K. M. Towe,
Science 1967

Echinoderm Calcite: Single Crystal or Polycrystalline Aggregate

Abstract. *Electron microscopy of natural and broken surfaces of echinoid skeletal plates reveals that the interior portions have the morphology of a single crystal, whereas the exterior is a polycrystalline aggregate with preferred orientation. These data help to resolve earlier contradictory x-ray and optical evidence.*

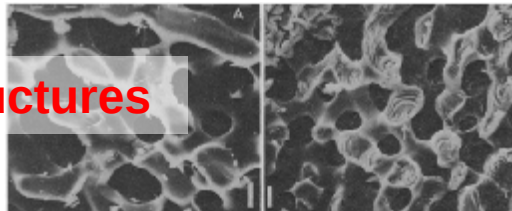


Crystal Structures

P. L. O'Neill,
Science 1981

Polycrystalline Echinoderm Calcite and Its Fracture Mechanics

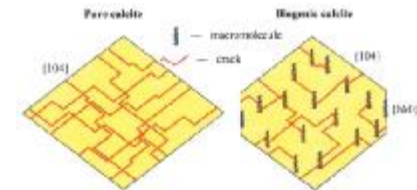
Abstract. *Polycrystalline calcite was revealed by scanning electron microscopy of fractured skeletal ossicles of the sea star Echinaster spinulosus (Echinodermata, Asteroidea). Whisker-like calcite crystals were observed in specimens that were loaded in stress relaxation before being fractured; rapidly broken surfaces were smooth and glassy. The crystallites were 1300 angstroms wide and at least 3500 angstroms long and were packed together in lamellae. The lamellae were wound into spirals that formed the trabecular bars. All the crystallites in an ossicle appear to be aligned in the same direction. Geometric considerations indicate that the requirement for packing the crystallites smoothly may explain the high magnesium ion concentration of echinoderm calcite.*



L. Addadi et al.
Science 1990
J. Aizenberg et al.
J. Mater. Chem.

2004 Formation of Sea Urchin Proteins in Calcite: Study of a Crystalline Composite Material

AMIR BERMAN, LIA ADDADI, AKE KNICK, LESLIE LIESEFROWITZ, MITCH NELSON, STEPHEN WEINER



J. Aizenberg et al.
J. Am Chem. Soc. 1993

J. D. Currey et al.
Nature 1967

Letters to Nature

Nature 214, 01-02 (1 April 1967) | doi:10.1038/214001a0

Absence of Organic Phase in Echinoderm Calcite

J. D. CURREY & DAVID NICHOLS

L. Addadi et al. **Formation Mechanisms**
Science 2004

Sea Urchin Spine Calcite Forms via a Transient Amorphous Calcium Carbonate Phase

Yael Politi,¹ Talmon Arad,² Eugenia Klein,²
Steve Weiner,¹ Lia Addadi^{1*}

The skeletons of adult echinoderms comprise large single crystals of calcite with smooth convoluted fenestrated morphologies, raising many questions about how they form. By using water etching, infrared spectroscopy, electron diffraction, and environmental scanning electron microscopy, we show that sea urchin spine regeneration proceeds via the initial deposition of amorphous

	sea urchin spines	
	EDTA	HCl
[protein] ^a	0.009	0.015
Asx	10.0	12.1
Thr	5.0	4.6
Ser	4.6	3.6
Glx	10.9	12.9
Pro	10.3	10.1
Gly	15.4	19.1
Ala	11.5	9.9
Cys	0.7	0.2
Val	5.8	4.3
Met	4.3	4.9
Ile	3.5	3.0
Leu	5.6	3.7
Tyr	4.1	3.7
Phe	3.8	3.6
Lys	4.9	4.2
His	2.0	1.2
Arg	3.4	2.9

Compositions of Amino Acids

Development of Biomimetic Crystal Design

From Biomineralization to Biomimetic Materials Chemistry (1990~)



S. Mann (UK) 1993

Nature 1988 — REVIEW ARTICLE —

Molecular recognition in biomineralization

Stephen Mann

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The deposition of precise arrays of inorganic crystals in many organisms involves controlled nucleation at interfaces between the crystals and substrate macromolecules. These inorganic-organic molecular

REVIEW ARTICLE

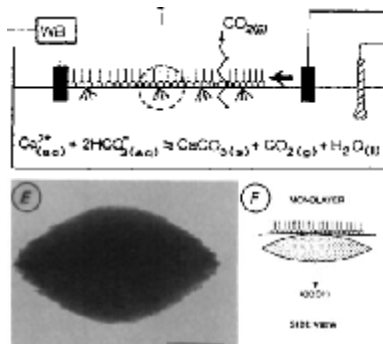
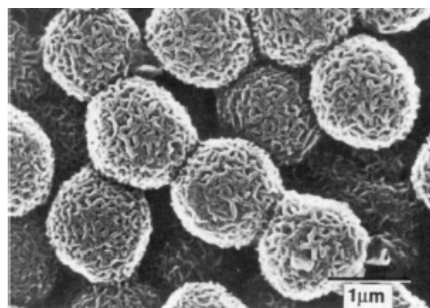
Nature 1993

Molecular tectonics in biomineralization and biomimetic materials chemistry

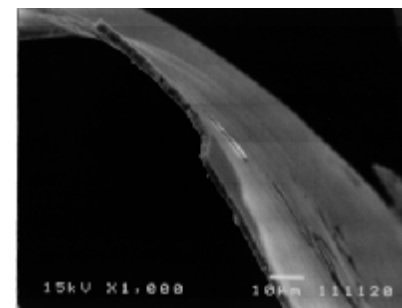
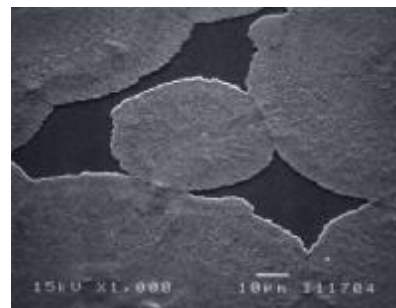
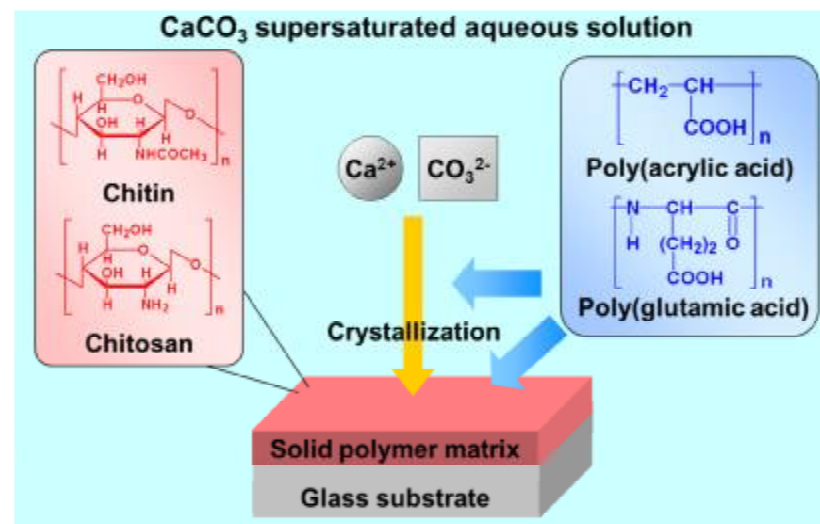
Stephen Mann

The systematic fabrication of advanced materials will require the construction of architectures over scales ranging from the molecular to the macroscopic. The basic constructional processes of biomineralization—supramolecular pre-organization, interfacial molecular recognition (templating) and cellular processing—can provide useful archetypes for molecular-scale building, or 'molecular tectonics', in inorganic materials chemistry.

Nature 1995



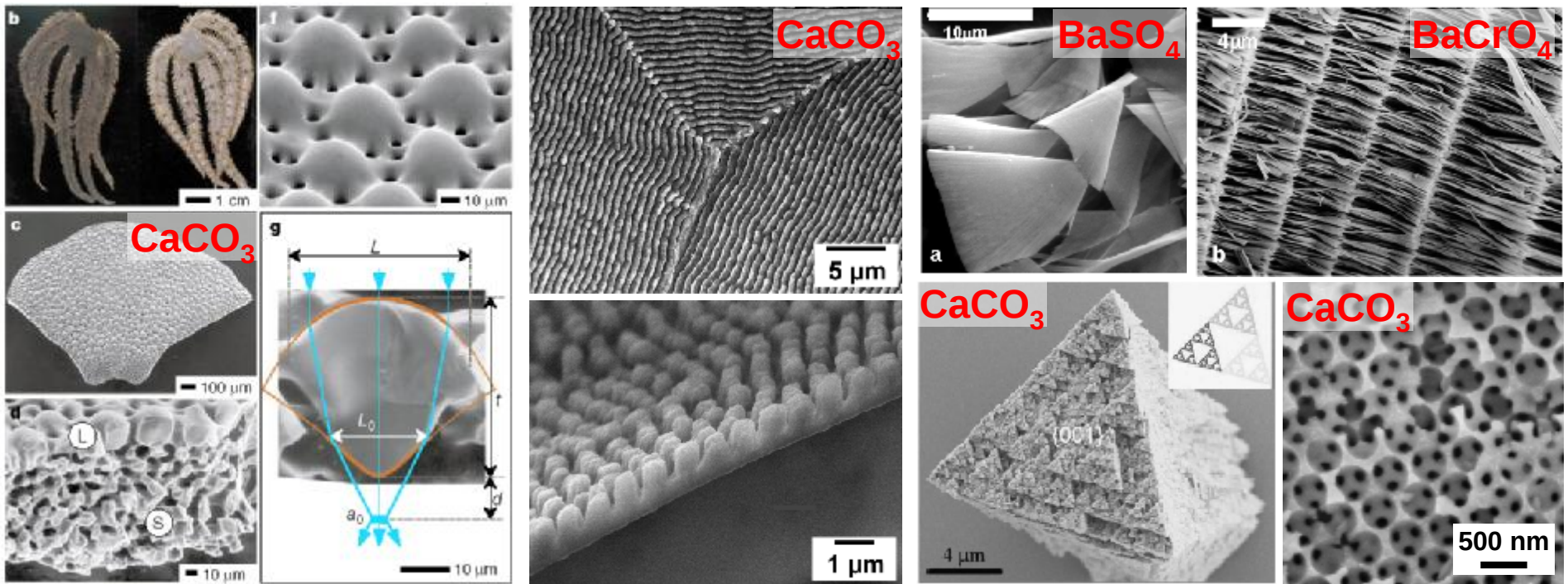
T. Kato (Japan) 1998



T. Kato et al., *Supramol. Sci.*, 1998,
Adv. Mater., 2000, *Adv. Mater.*, 2002, 14, 869.

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Biomimetic Materials Chemistry (2000~)



J. Aizenberg

Nature 2001, 412. 819.



T. Kato

Angew. Chem. Int. Ed. 2006.



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Complex Morphologies

Biomimetic Crystal Design for Materials Science

~Recent Challenges in Technological Aspects~

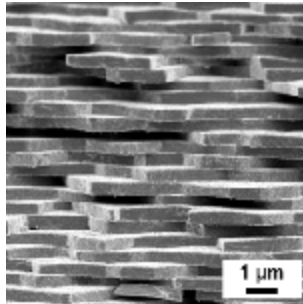
- 1. Can we expand the approach to synthesize a variety of compounds ?**
- 2. Can we create functional materials and devices?**
- 3. Can we alternate the approach to conventional processes and current practical materials?**

Approaches to Biomimetic Crystal Design

Inorganic Salts

Nacreous Layer
Sea Urchin Spine

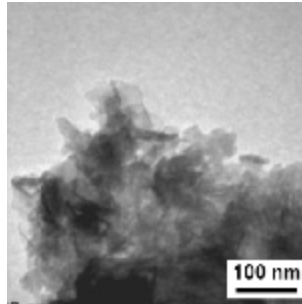
Calcium
Carbonate



Metal Oxides

Metal-Oxidizing
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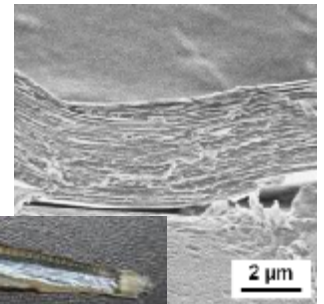
Manganese
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Organic Crystals

Surface Skin of Fish

Guanine



Biomimaterials

- Formation Processes
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Learning

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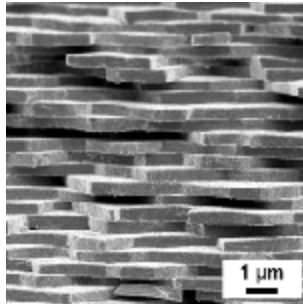
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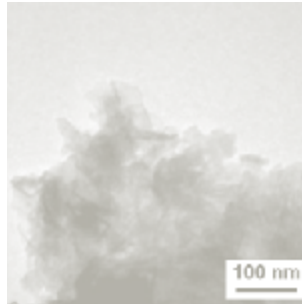
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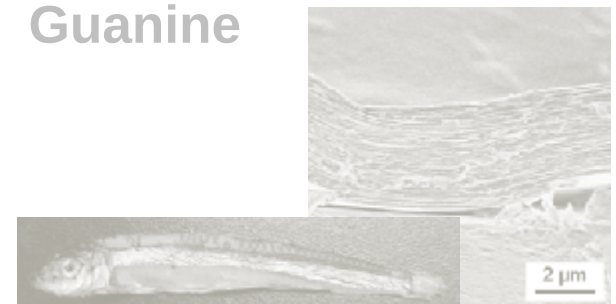
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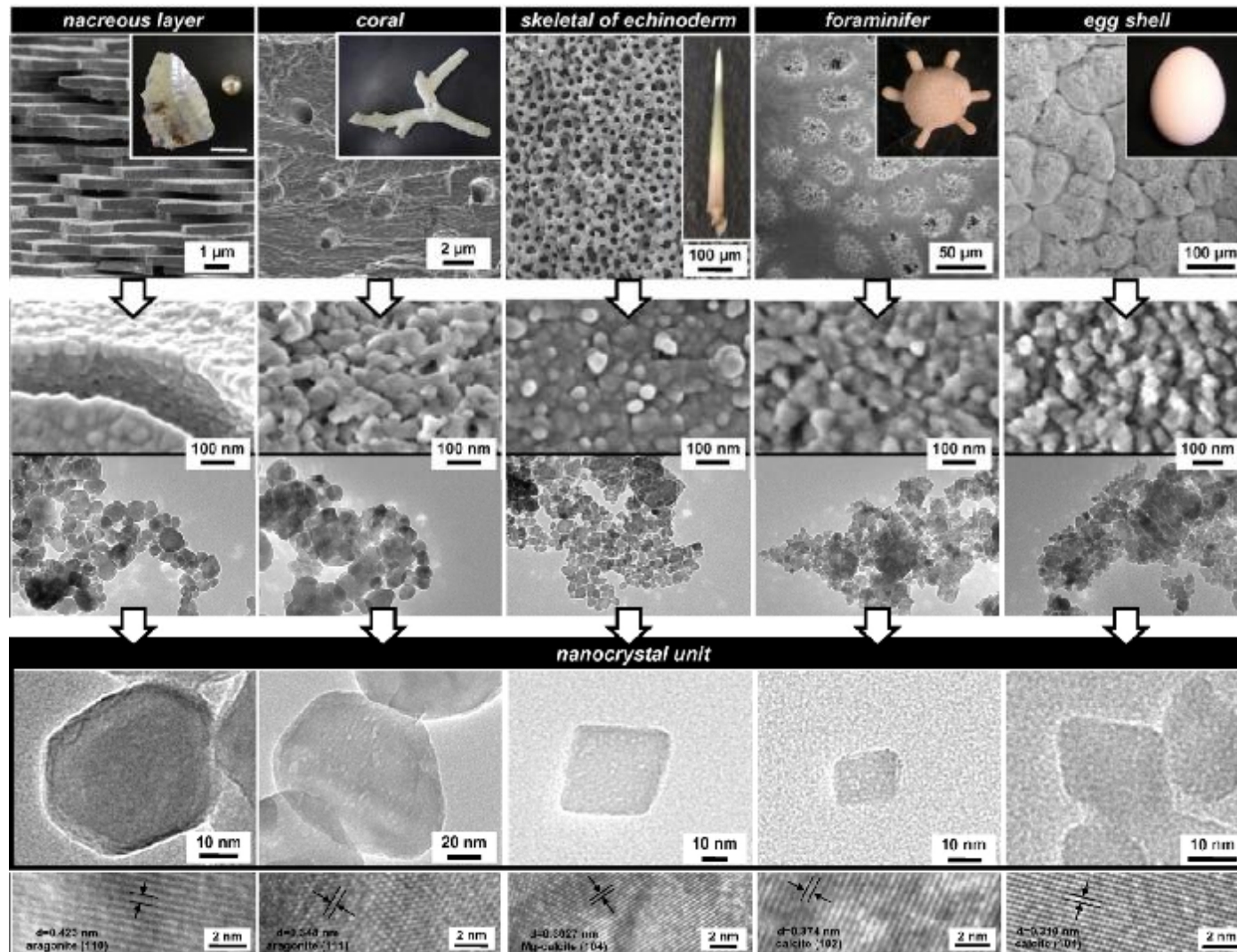


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Strategies for Biological Crystal Design



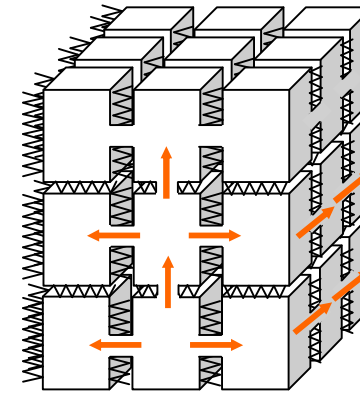
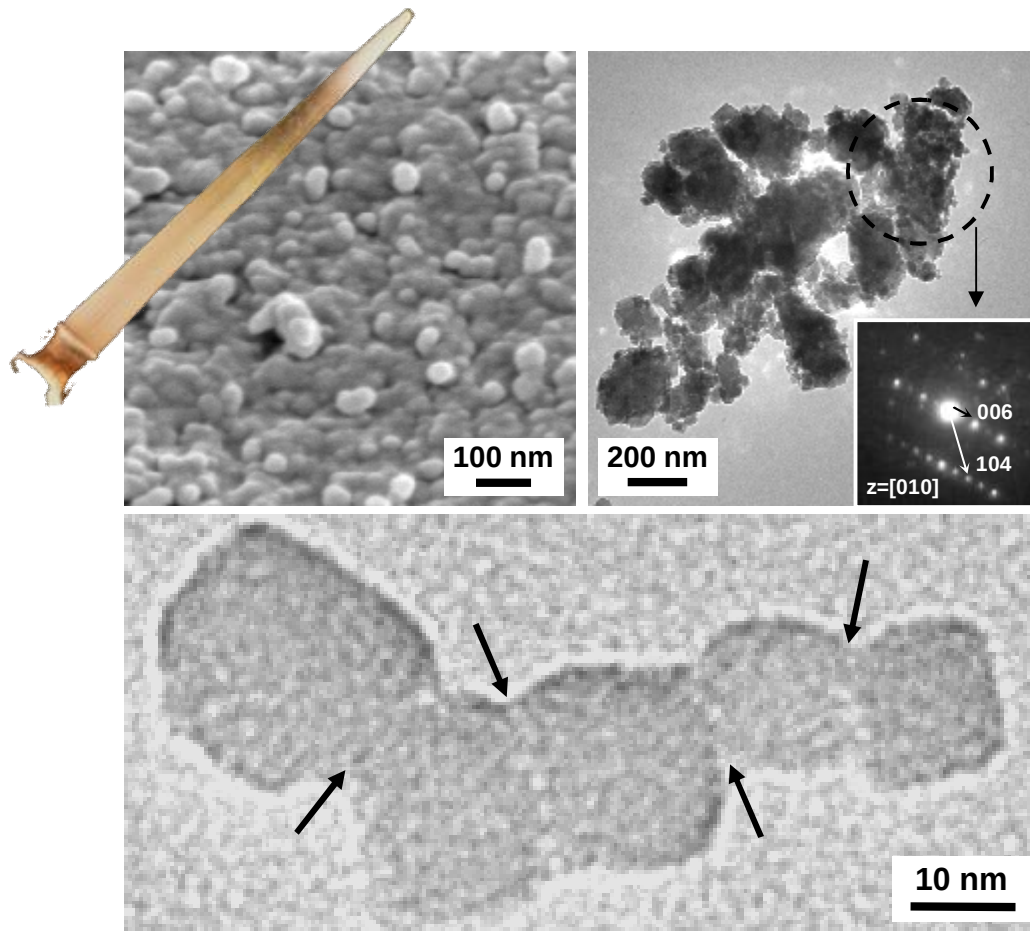
Single
Crystal



Y. Oaki, H. Imai, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* 2005, 44, 6571.

Y. Oaki, A. Kotachi, T. Miura, H. Imai, *Adv. Funct. Mater.* 2006, 16, 1633.

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Nanocrystals

Biological Polymers



Mineral Bridges

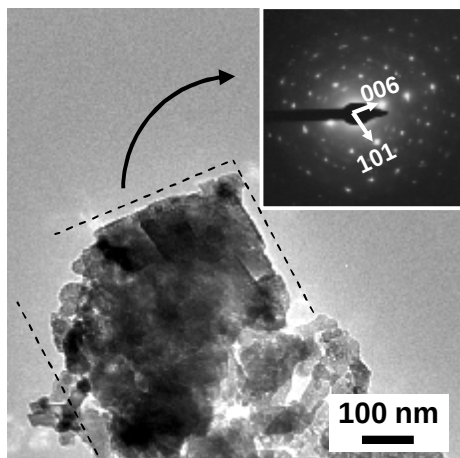
Oriented Structures

Mesocrystals

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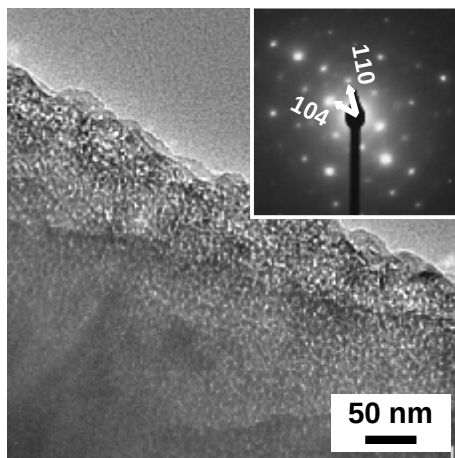
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Biomimetic Crystal Design of Mesocrystals

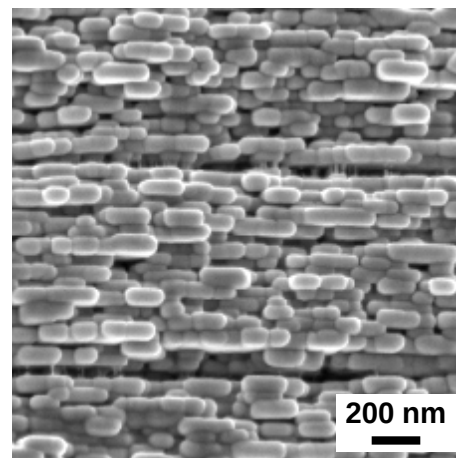


CaCO_3

Biopolymers

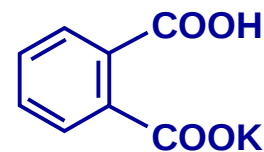
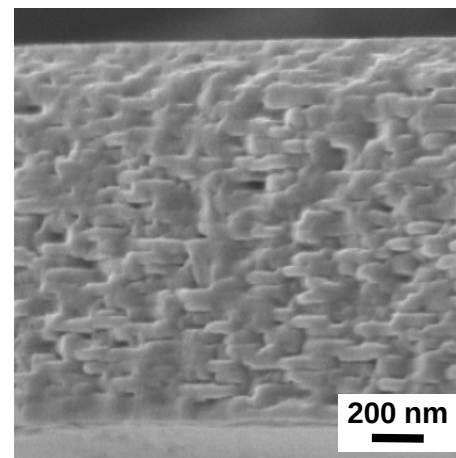


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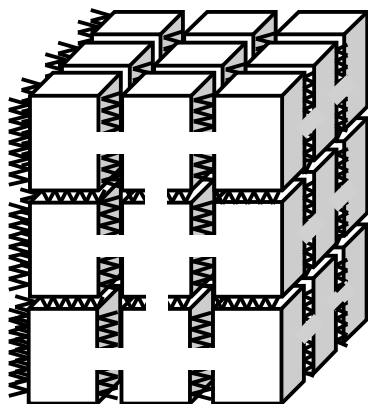


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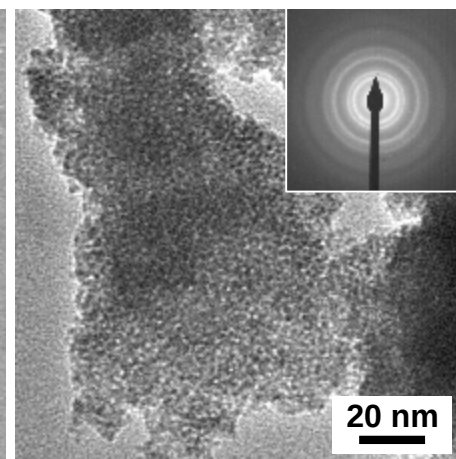
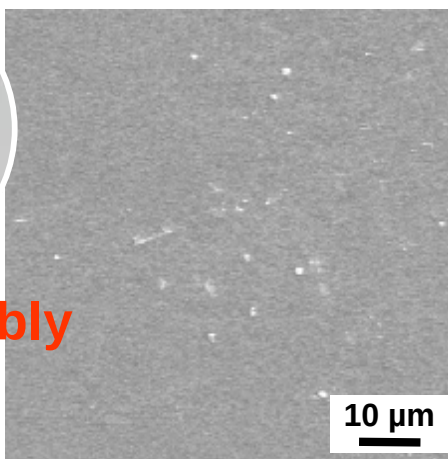
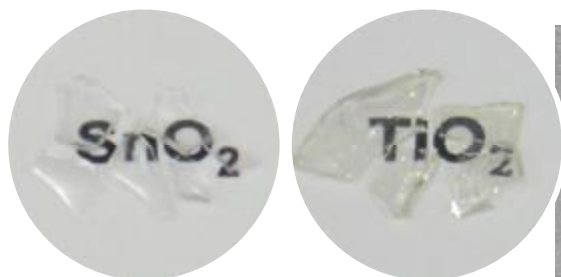
Applications of Biomimetic Crystal Design

SnO_2 , TiO_2

Glass-Like
Transparent
Objects



Homogeneous Assembly
of Nanocrystals



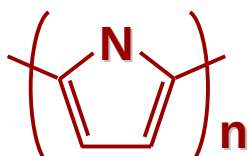
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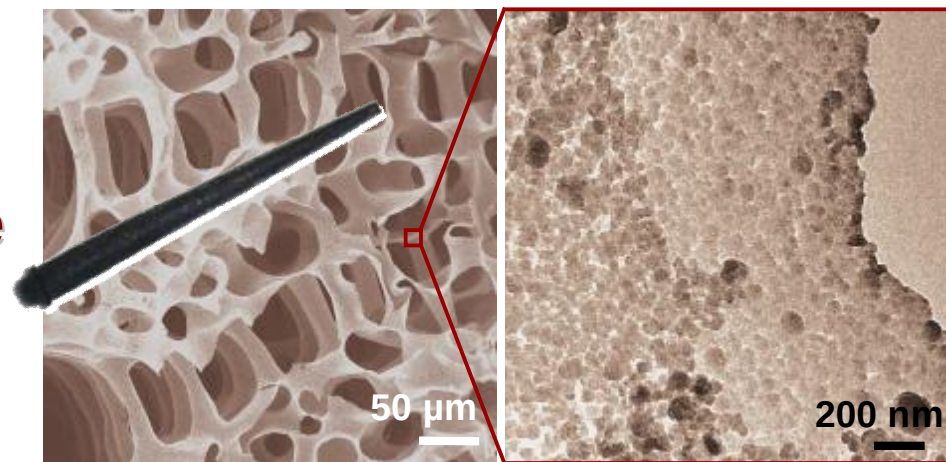
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Exoskeleton of
Sea Urchin Spine




Polypyrrole
Hierarchical
Architecture



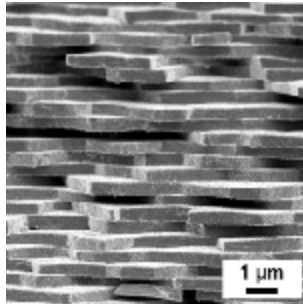
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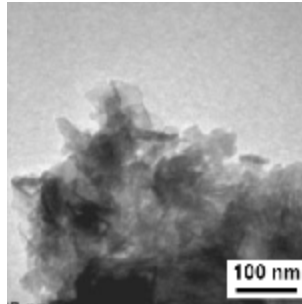
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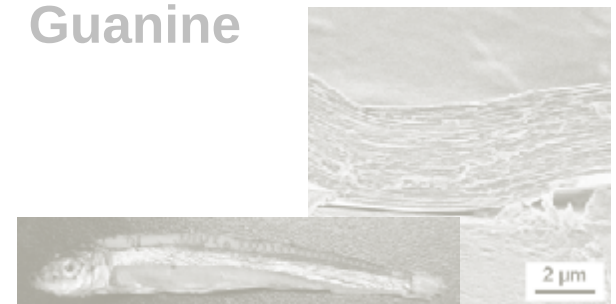
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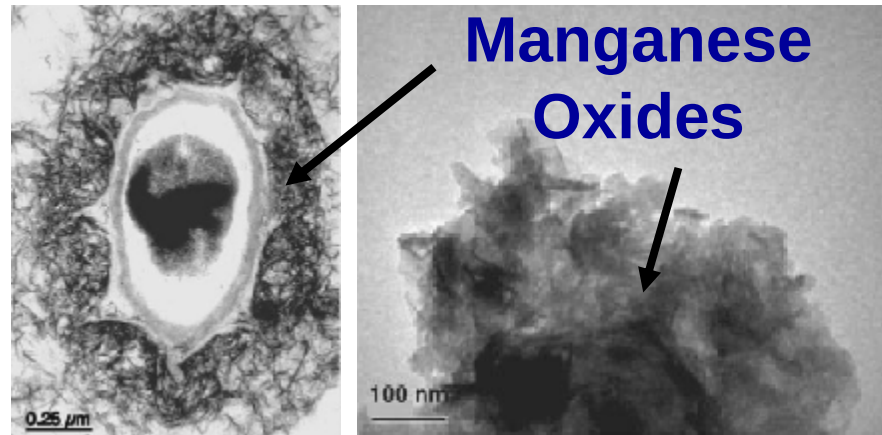
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Manganese Oxidizing Bacteria



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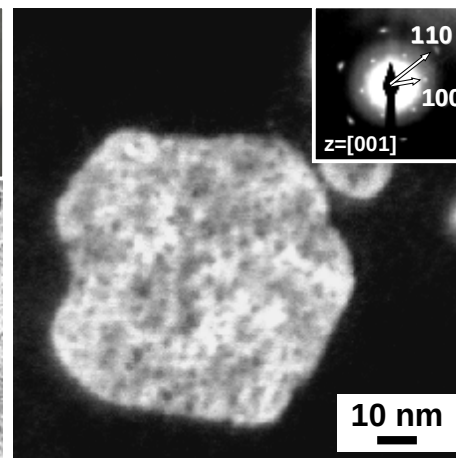
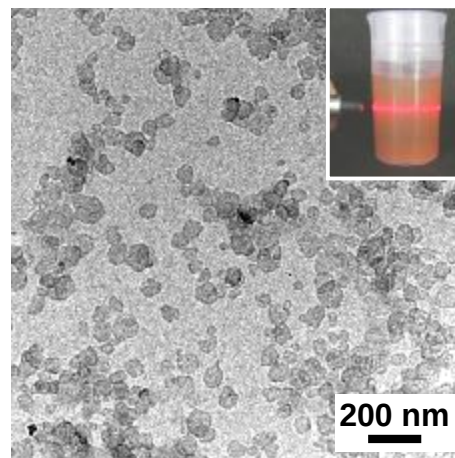
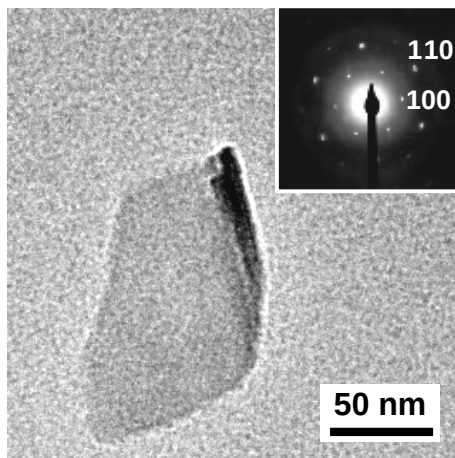
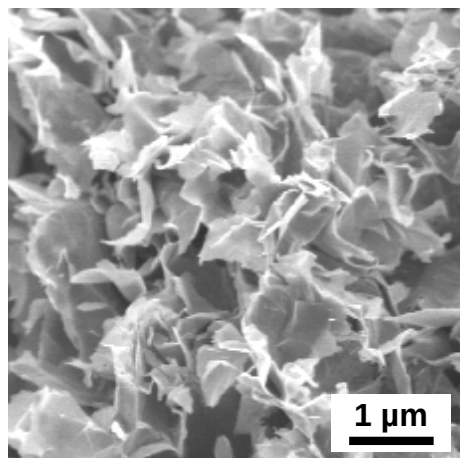
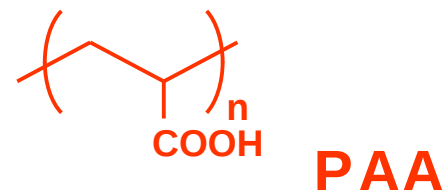
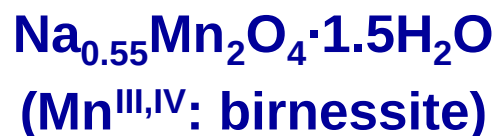
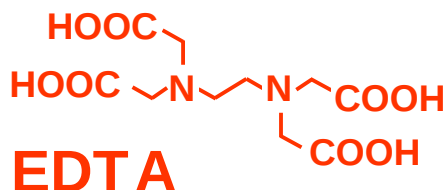
- Aqueous Solution Routes
- Nanostructures
- Controlled Oxidation States
- Enzyme-Mediated Syntheses



Good Models for Materials Science

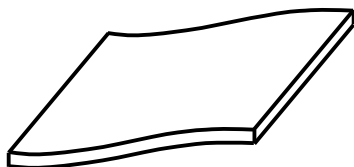
Biomimetic Crystal Design of Metal Oxides

Enzyme-Mediated Synthesis → Chelation-Mediated Synthesis



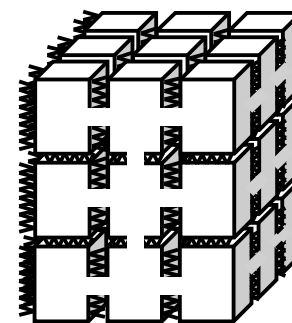
Nanosheets

{ Thickness: 10 nm
 { Size: 0.2 ~ 2 μm



Mesocrystals

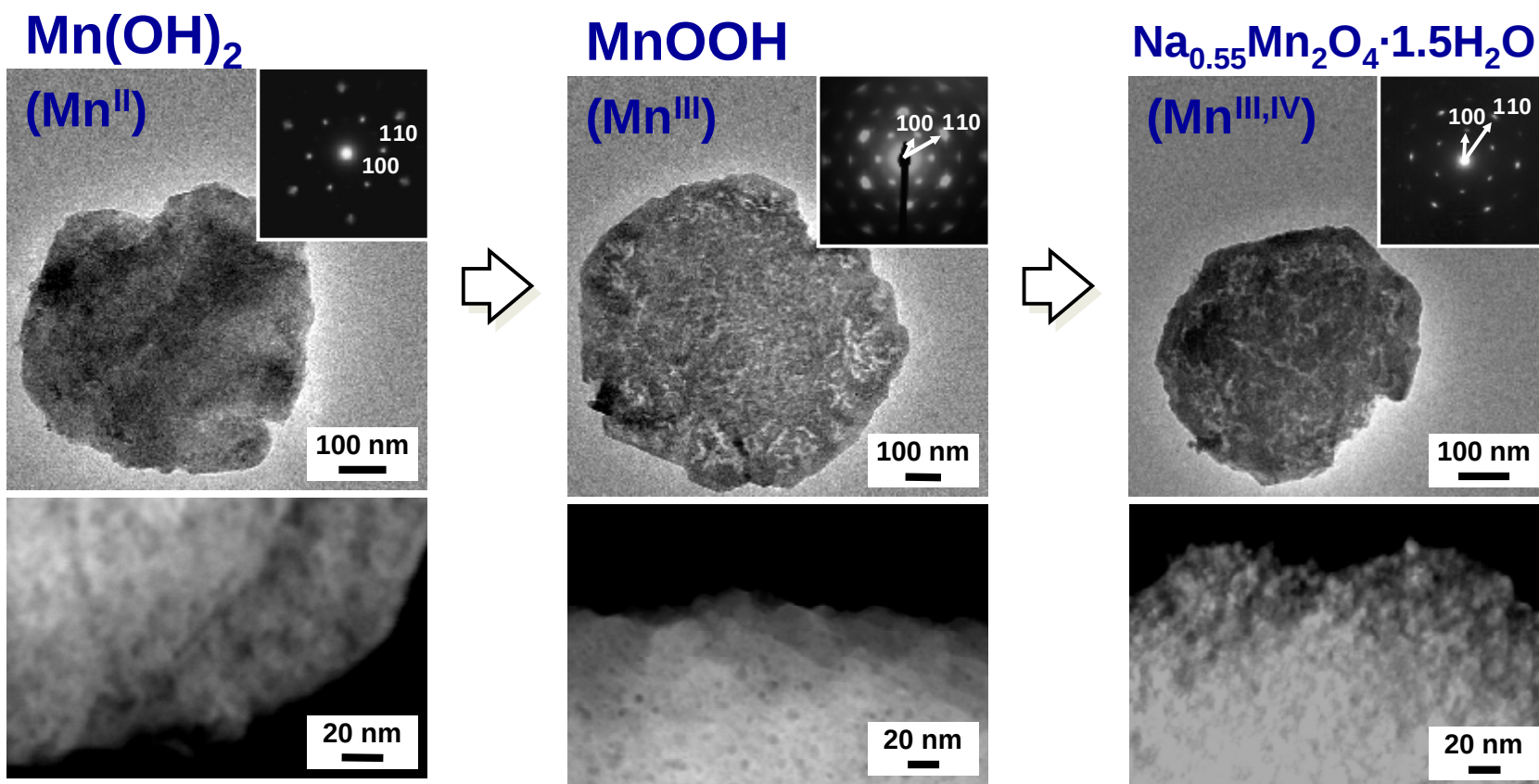
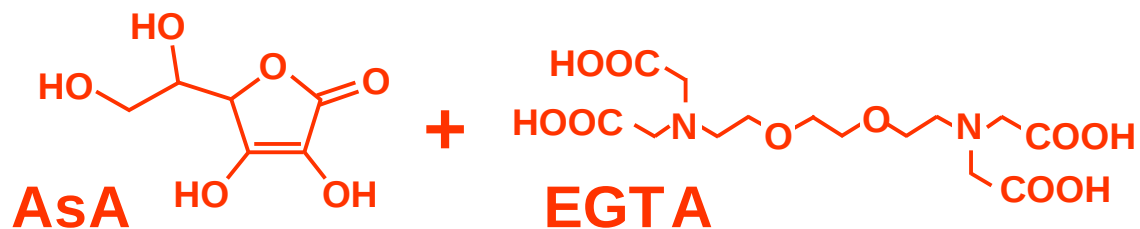
{ Nanoflake: 100 nm
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Y. Oaki, H. Imai, *Angew. Chem. Int. Ed.* 2007, 46, 4951.

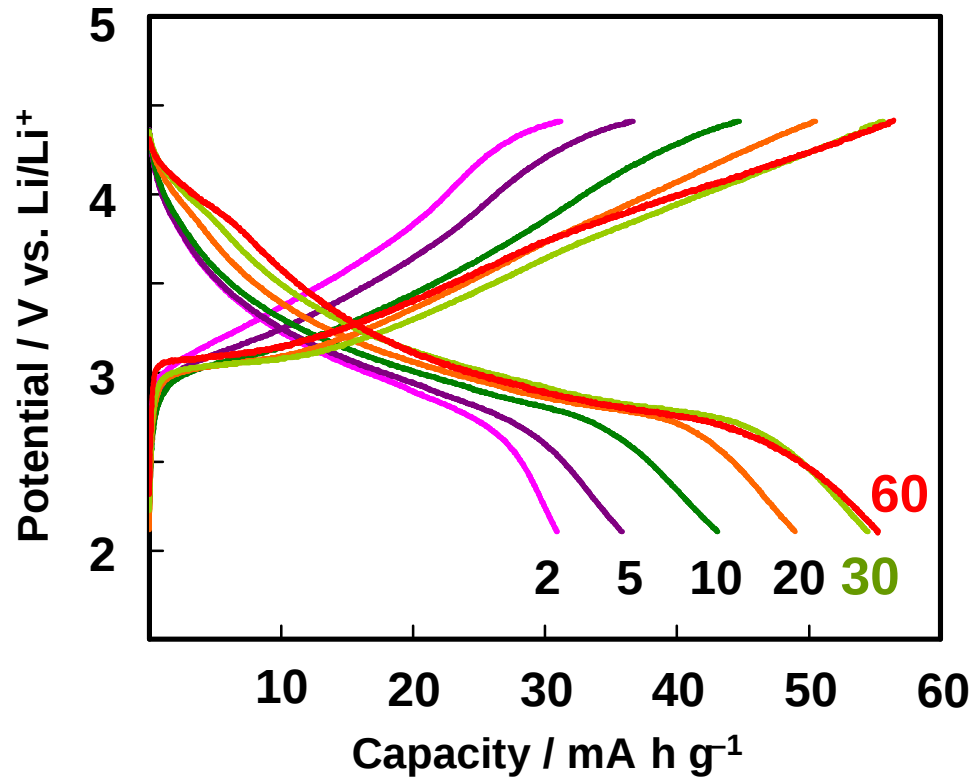
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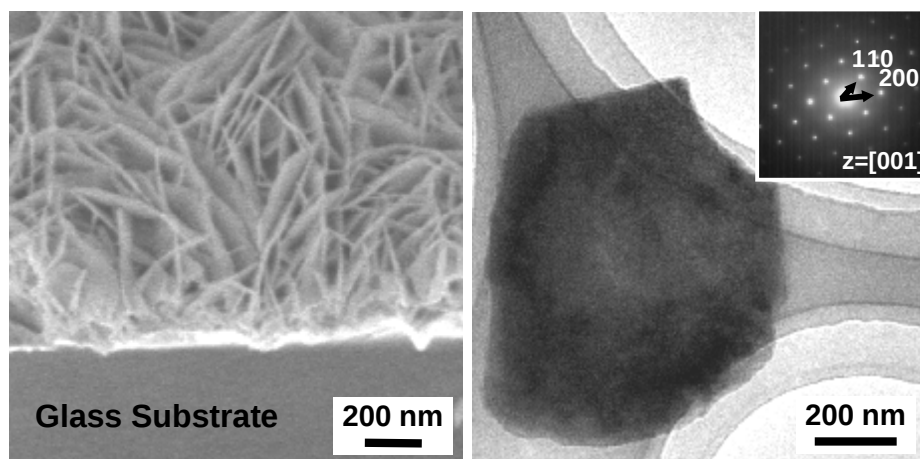
Application to Electrode Materials



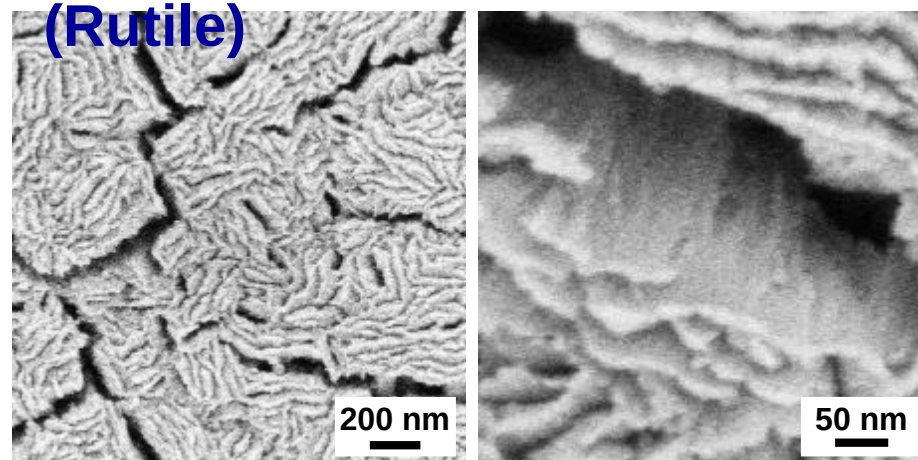
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Biomimetic Crystal Design of Metal Oxides

SnO (Sn^{II})

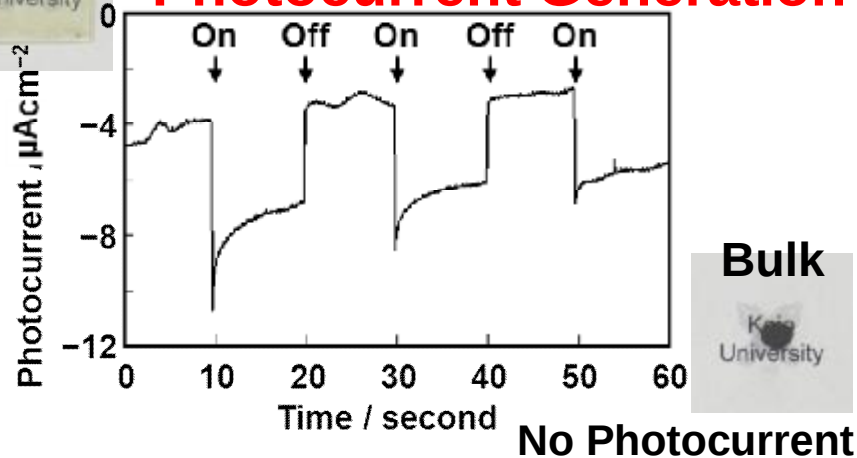


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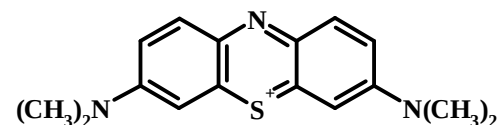


Nanosheets

Photocurrent Generation



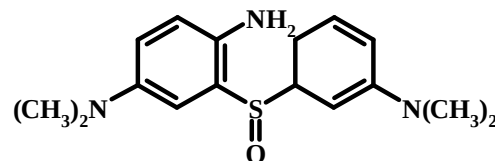
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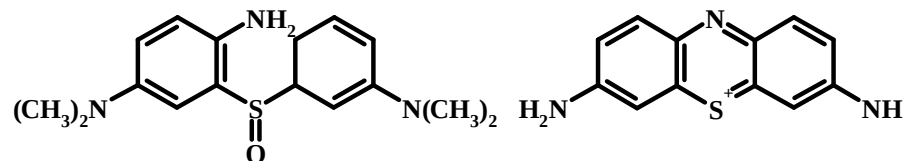
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