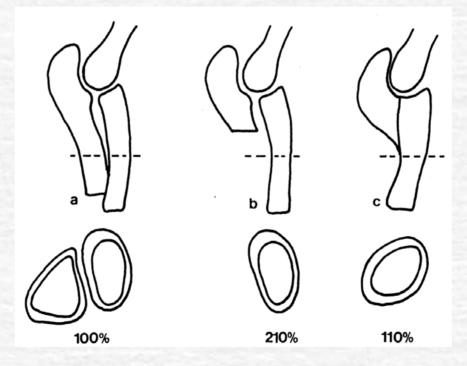
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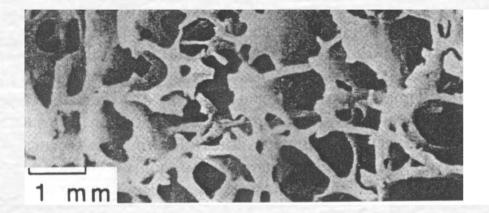


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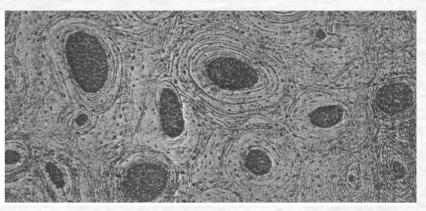
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Development of Bone Structure

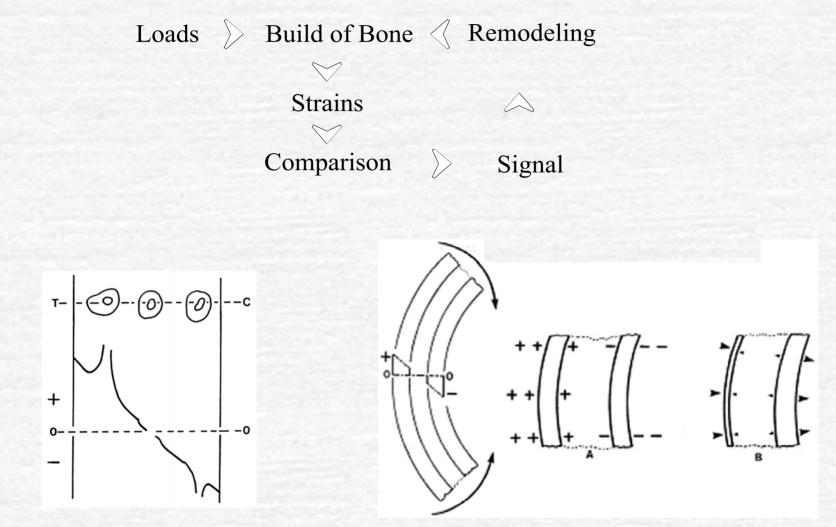


Cancellous Bone



Compact Bone

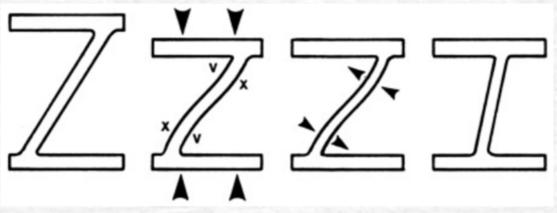
Mechanisms of Bone Adaptation



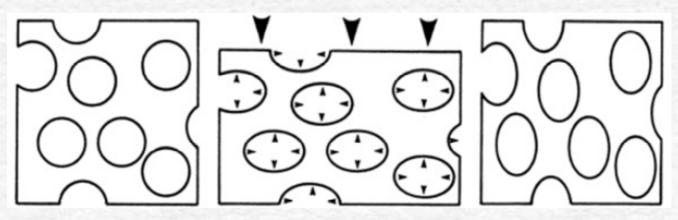
Electrical Potential Gradient Under Bending

Bone Remodeling Under Bending

Consequences of Bone Adaptation



Arrangement of Struts Along Principal Strain Lines

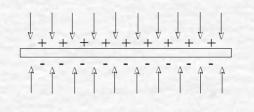


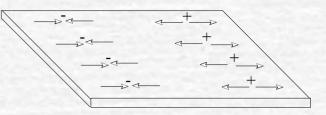
Optimization of Topology

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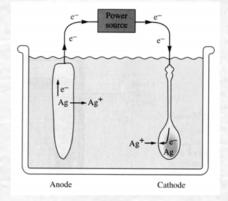
Key Constituents and Processes

Piezoelectricity V = g.s.t Q = d.s.A

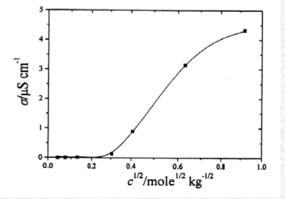




For Electrolysis V = Vo + i.R + Ve Q = n.F



Solid Electrolytes



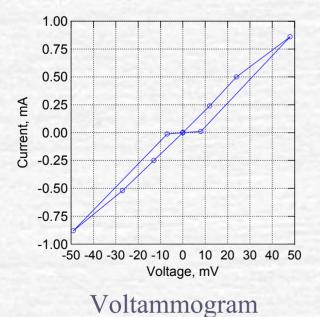
Experimental Validation of Electrolysis Through Solid Electrolyte

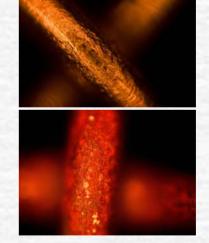
Copper-Ion Conducting Polymer (0.15 mm)

Copper Foils (0.1 mm)



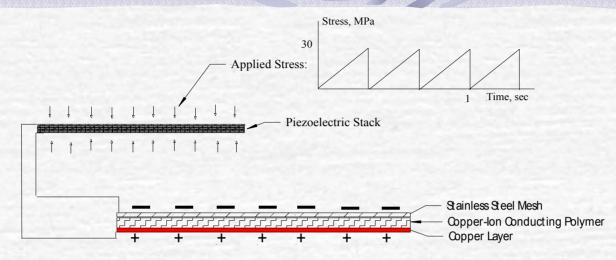
Electrolytic Cell

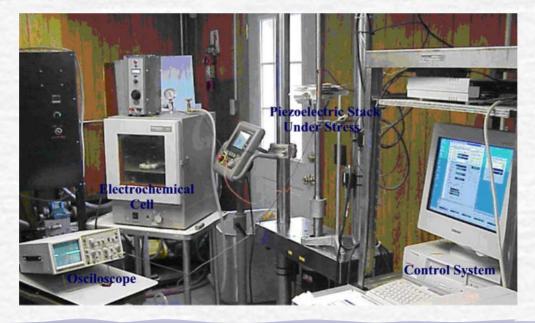




Micrographs

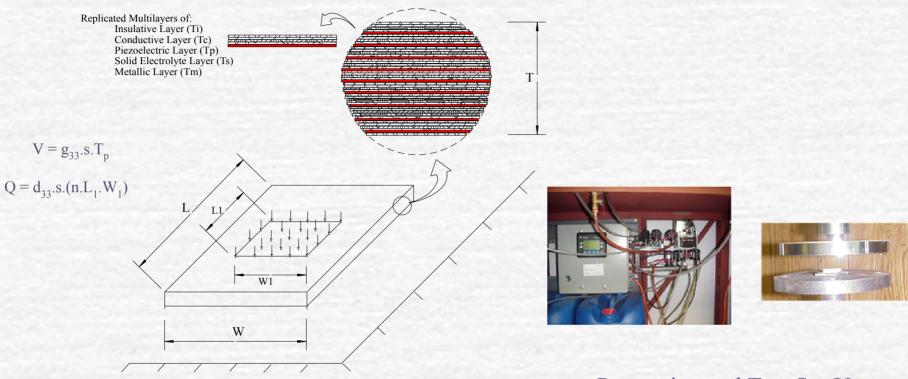
Design & Validation of Piezo-Driven Electrolysis





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Designs and Validation of a Basic System



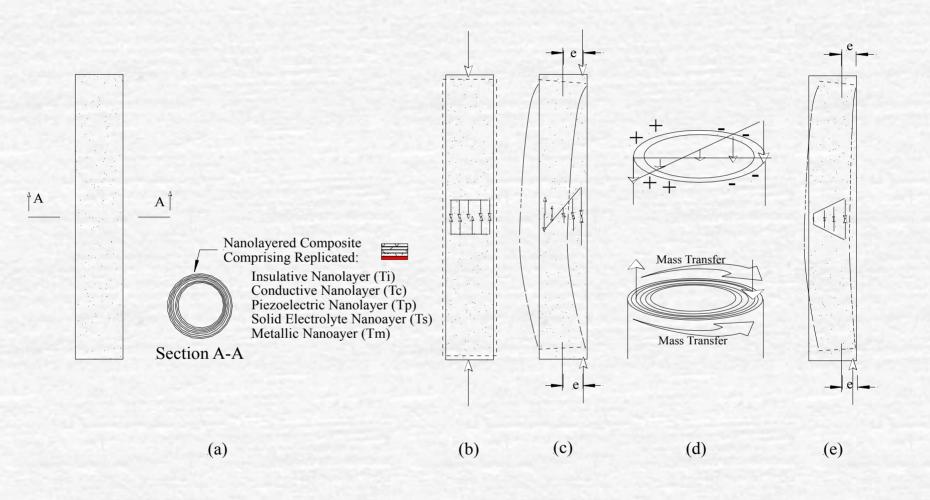
Schematic Presentation

Processing and Test Set-Ups

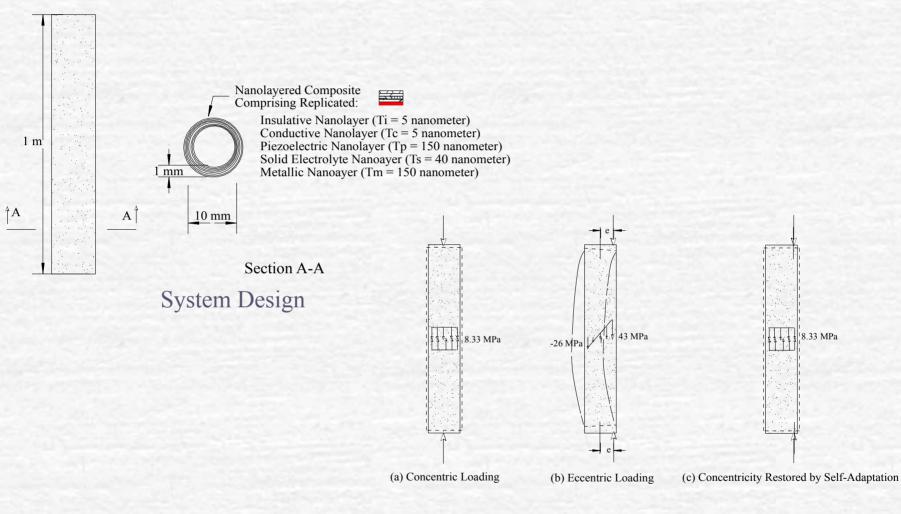
System	T _i	T _c	T _p	T _s	T _m
I (conventional)	50 µm				
II (nanocomposite)	5 nm	5 nm	50 nm	40 nm	40 nm

Alternative Designs

An Elaborate Adaptive Element

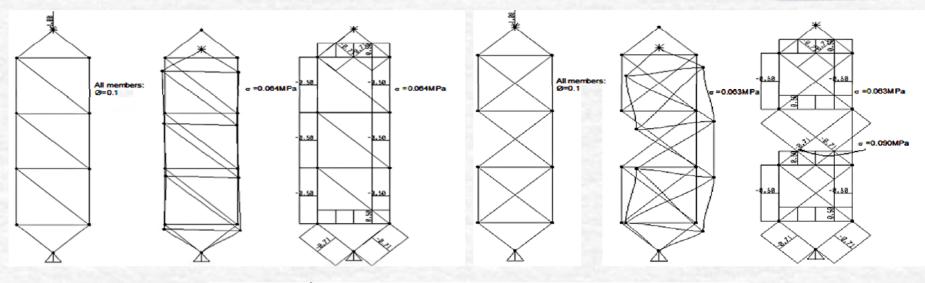


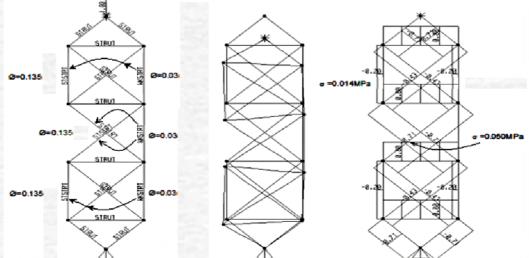
Detailed System Design and Analysis



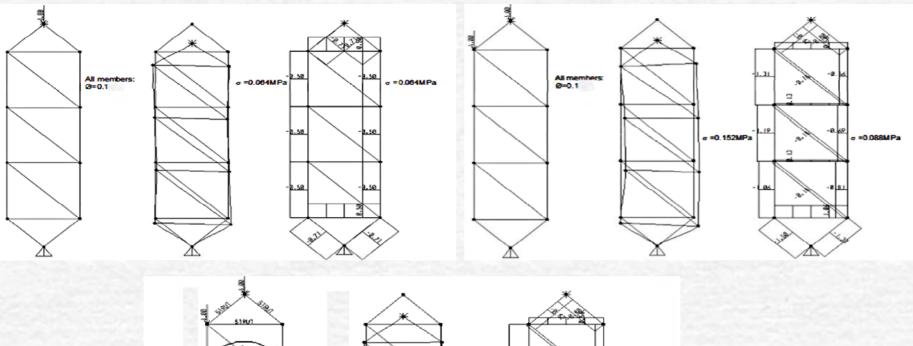
Structural & Adaptive Analysis

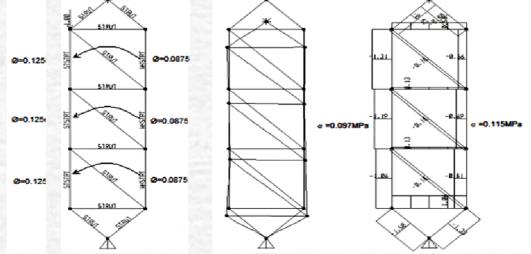
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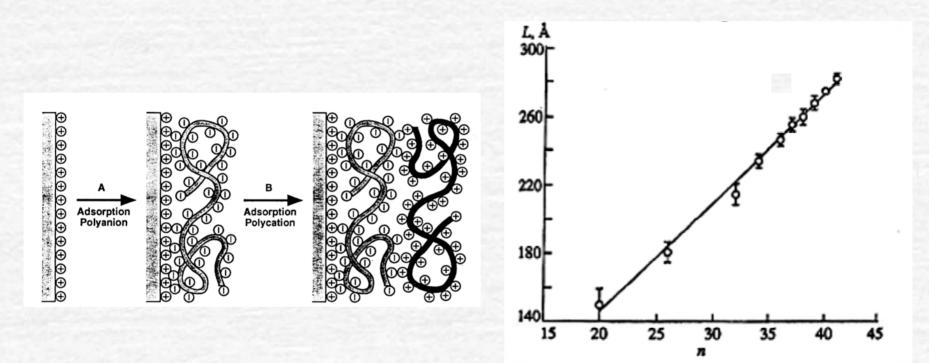
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Ionic Self-Assembly: Basic Principles



Mechanism of Self-Assembly

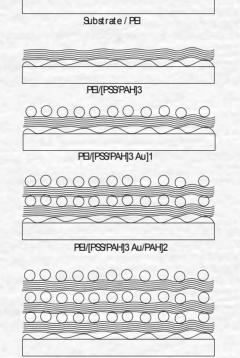
Build-Up of Nanolayers

Adaptation of Ionic Self-Assembly

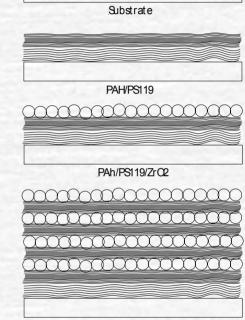








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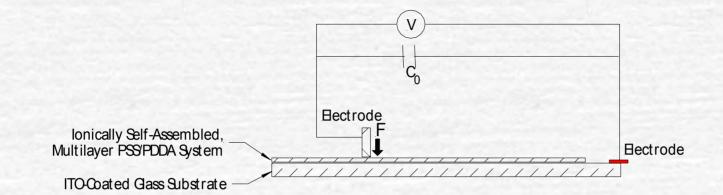


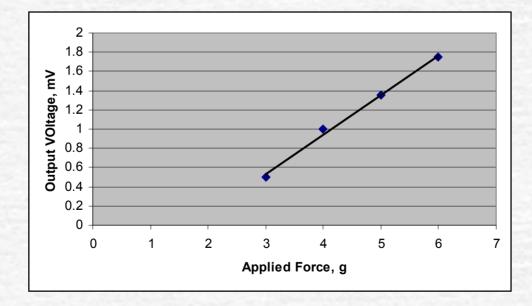
Multiple ZrO2/Polymer Layers

Manual and Automated Processing

Self-Assembly of Colloidal Nanoparticles

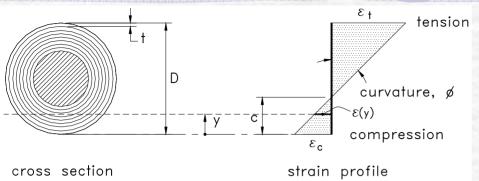
Self-Assembly of Piezoelectric and Conducting Nanolayers





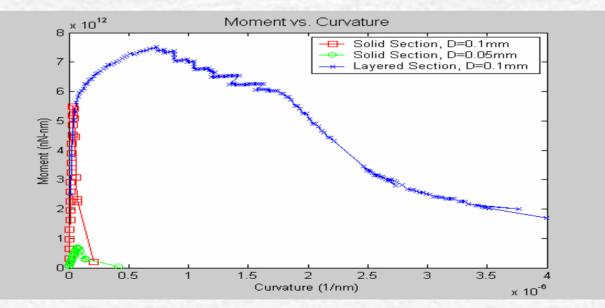
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Section-Level Structural Modeling



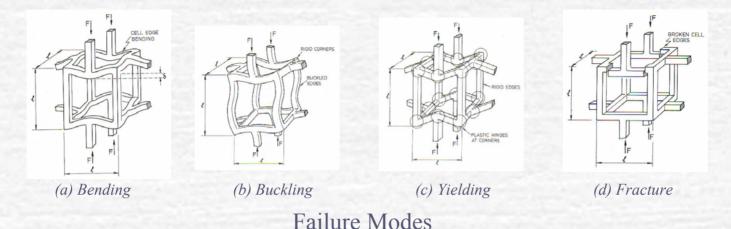
$$\int_{A_c} f_c dA_c + \int_{A_l} f_l dA_l = N$$
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Modeling Principles



Effect of Hybrid Nanolayer Build-Up on RVC Section Behavior

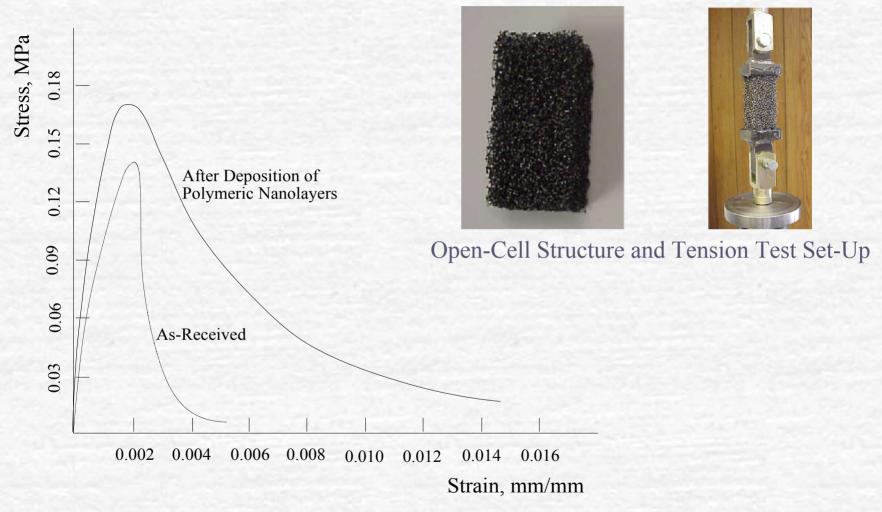
Preliminary System-Level Analysis



Effect of Multi-Layer Polymer/Ceramic/Metal Build-Up on Bulk Properties of RVC Open-Cell System

Property	Composite/Base Ratio		
Density	3.9		
Elastic Modulus	21		
Tensile Strength	11		

Preliminary Structural Evaluation



Effect of Polymer Nanolayers on Tensile Behavior of Open-Cell Structure

Summary & Conclusions

- Selection of adaptive system constituents and viable architectures
- Modeling, design and experimental validation of adaptive structures
- Implementation of nanocomposite processing techniques
- Modeling and validation of structural principles