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**“Advanced Physical Metallurgy”
- Bulk Metallic Glasses -**

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Are amorphous metals useful?

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Applications



10.2 Special Characteristics of BMGs

1) Bulk formation: cast into large section thickness

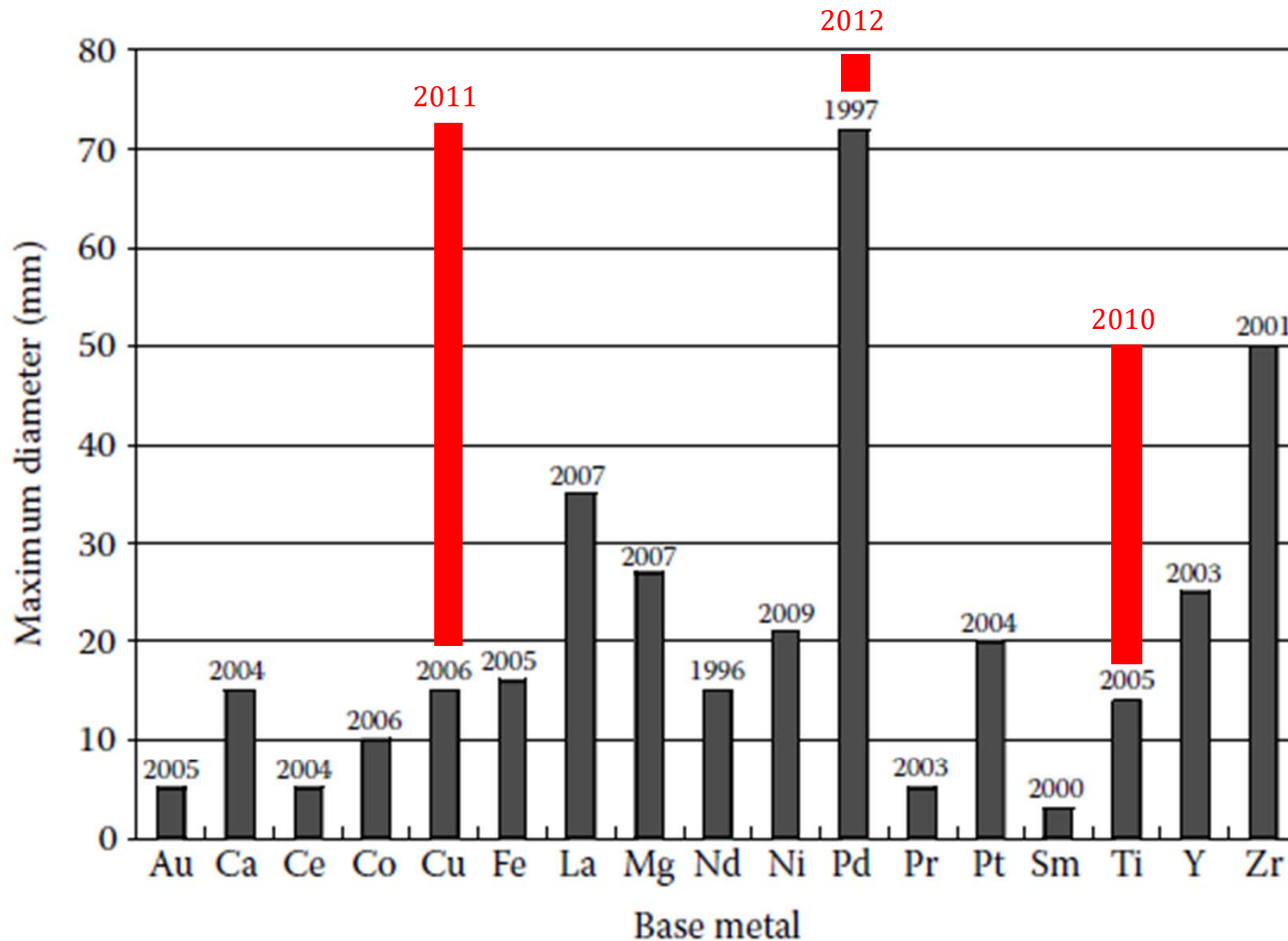


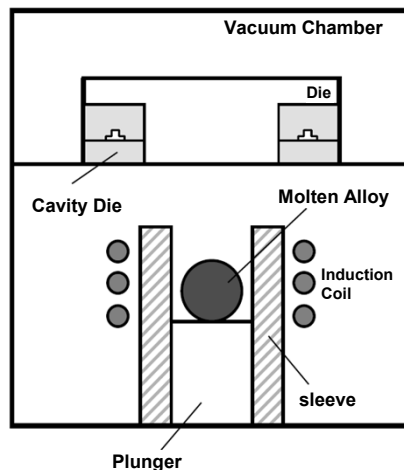
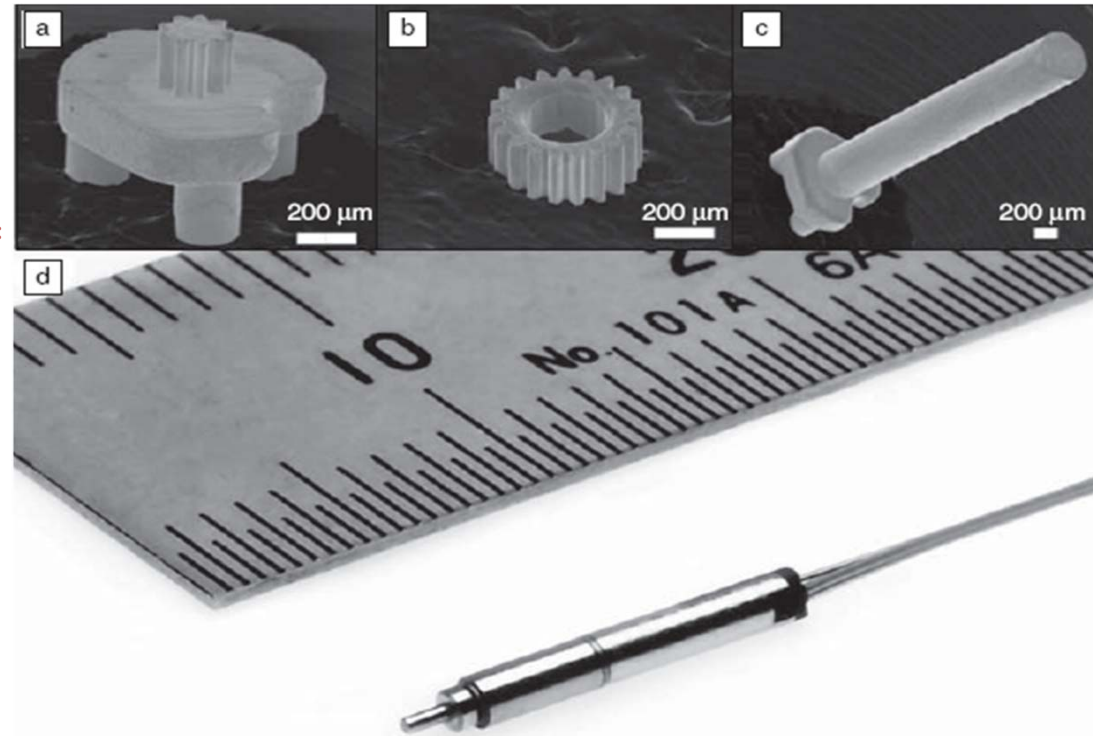
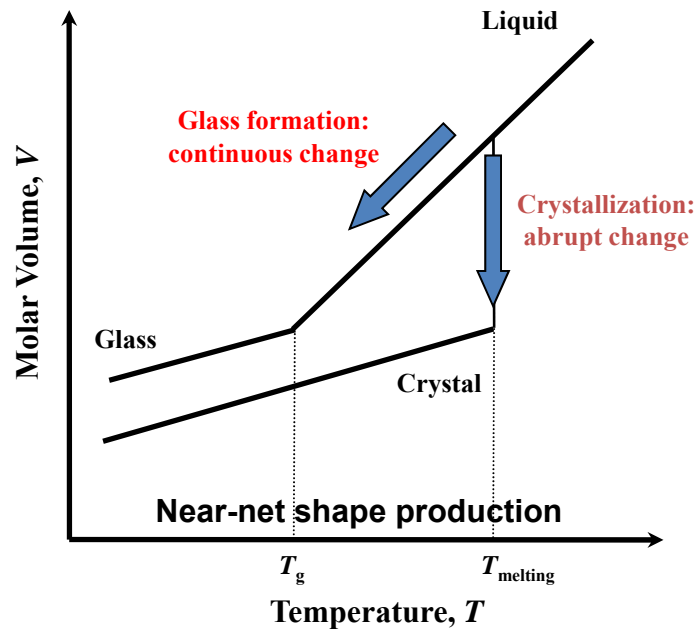
FIGURE 2.7

Maximum diameters of the BMG rods achieved in different alloy systems and the years in which they were discovered.

10.2 Special Characteristics of BMGs

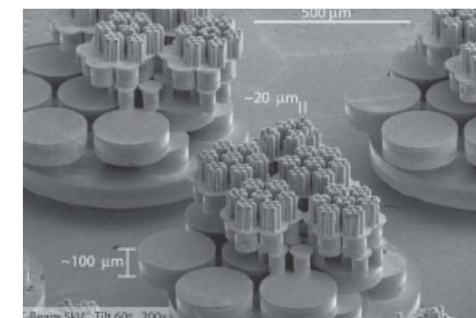
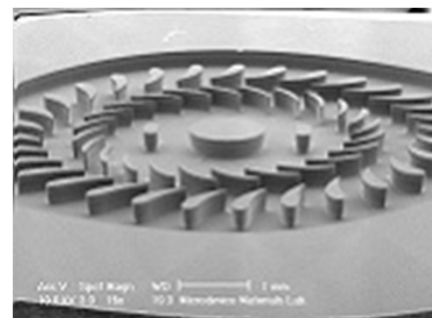
2) Processing metals as efficiently as plastics

a) Micro-casting : $\Delta V \sim 0$



Precision die casting

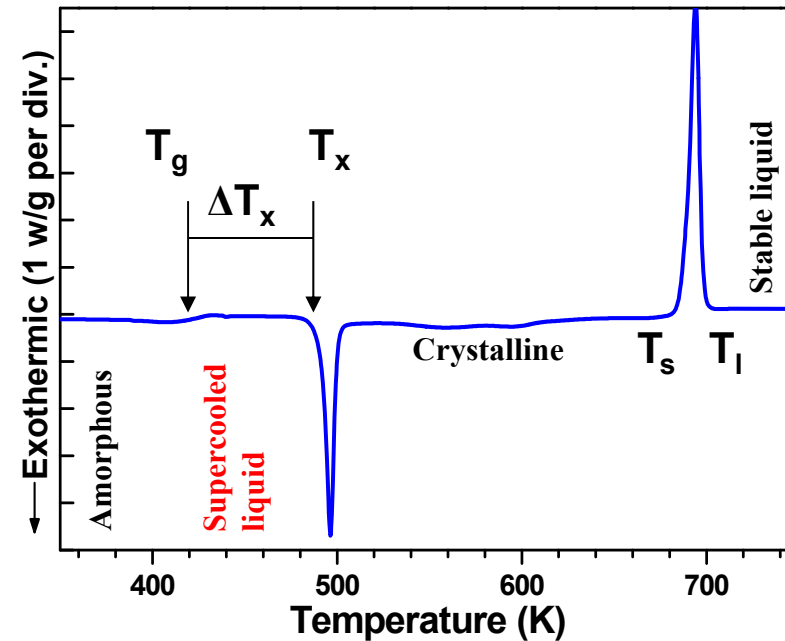
Precision Gears for Micro-motors



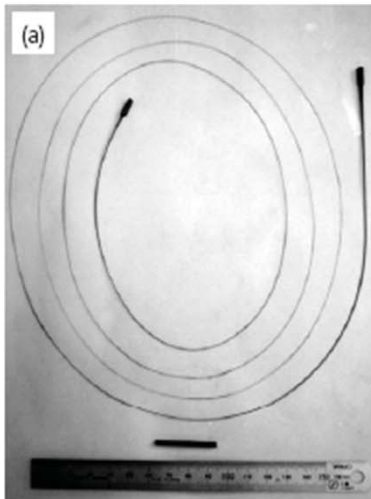
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2) Processing metals as efficiently as plastics

b) Thermoplastic forming
: Large supercooled liquid region

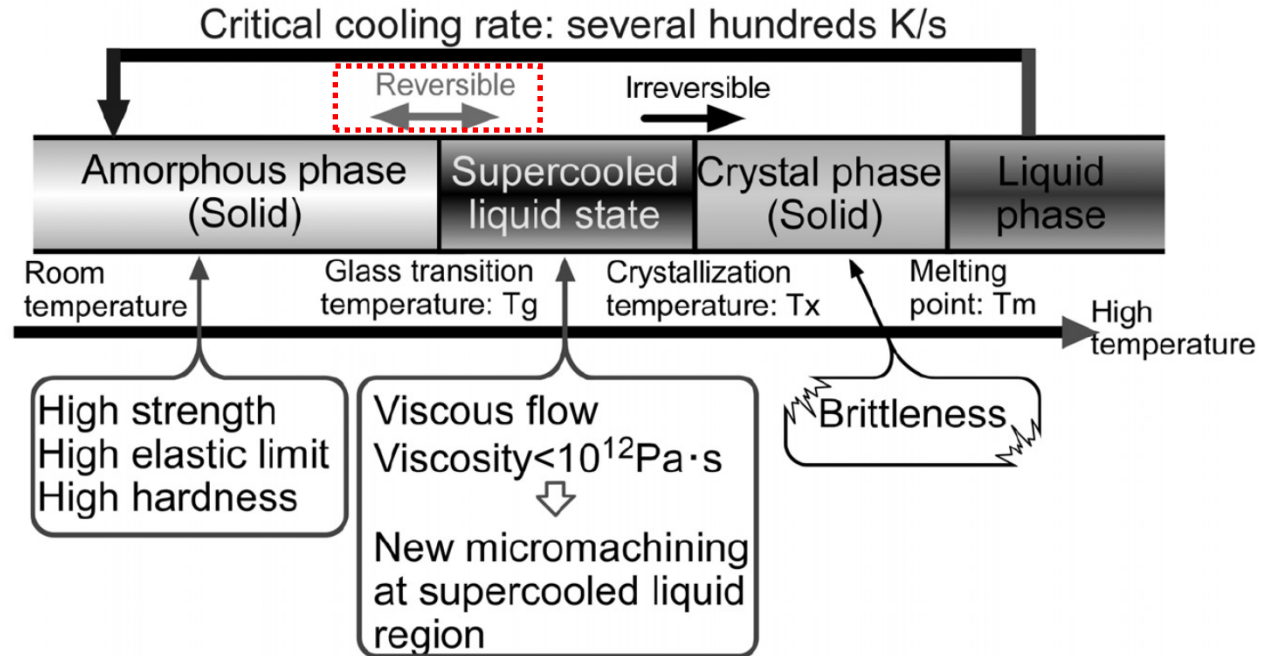


Tensile specimens following superplastic forming in supercooled liquid region



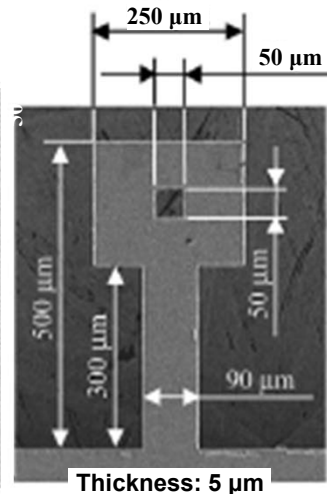
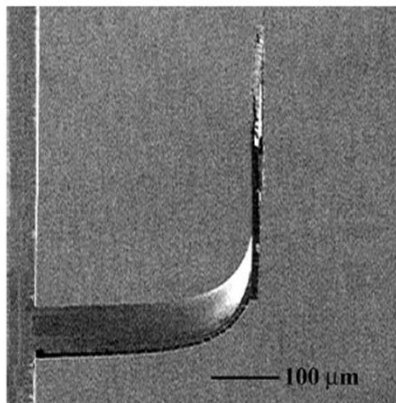
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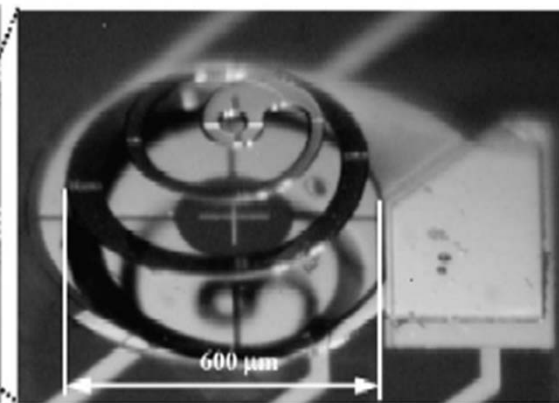
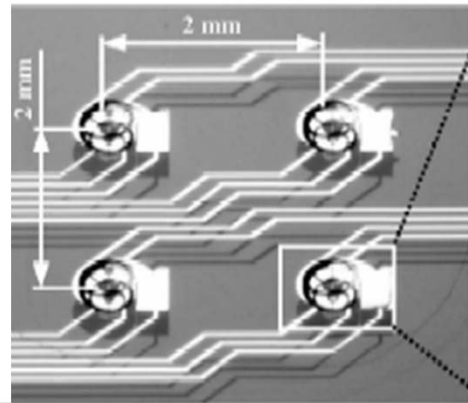


Micro-forming of three-dimensional microstructures from thin-film metallic glass

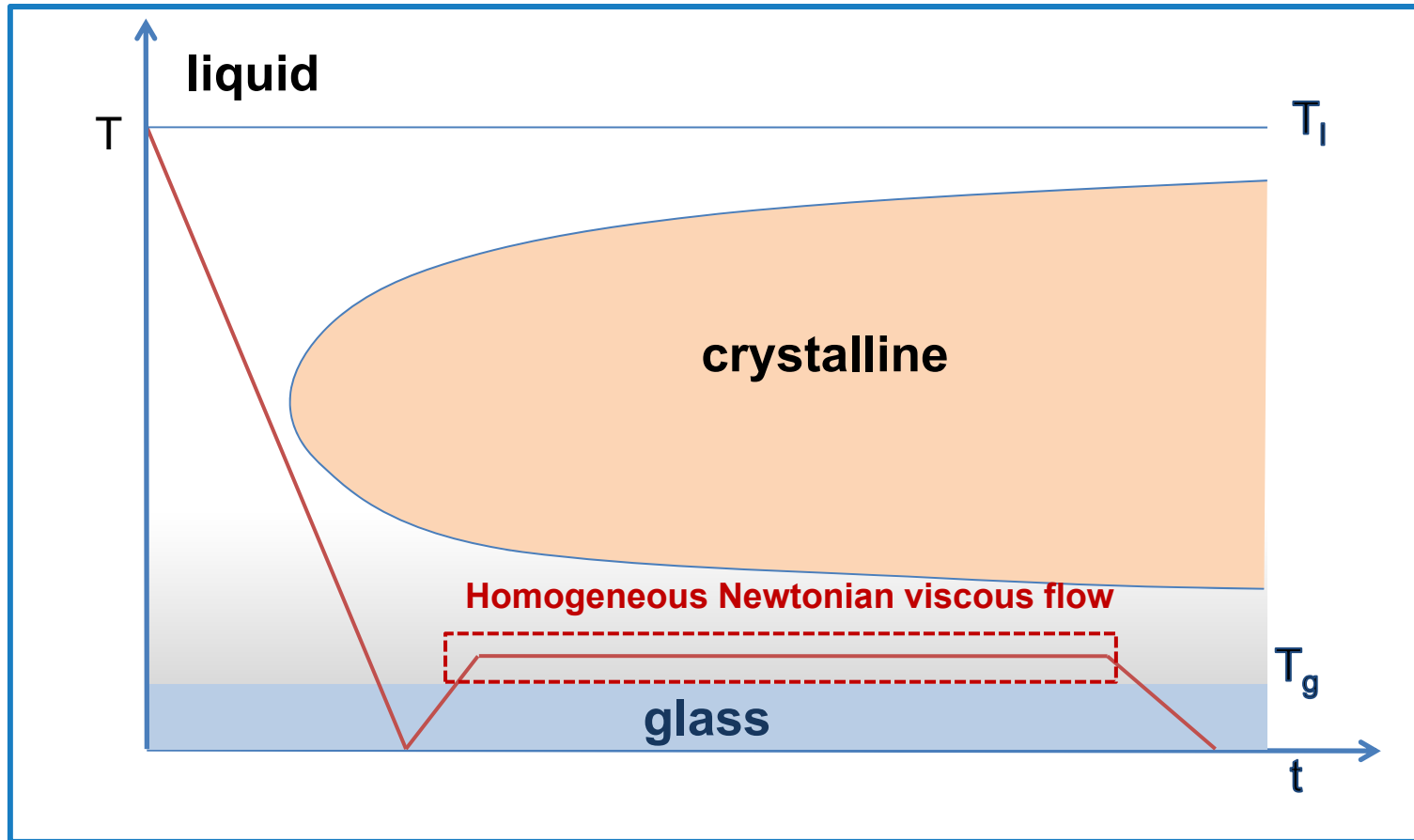
Micro-cantilever



Integrated conical spring linear actuator



Thermoplastic forming in SCLR

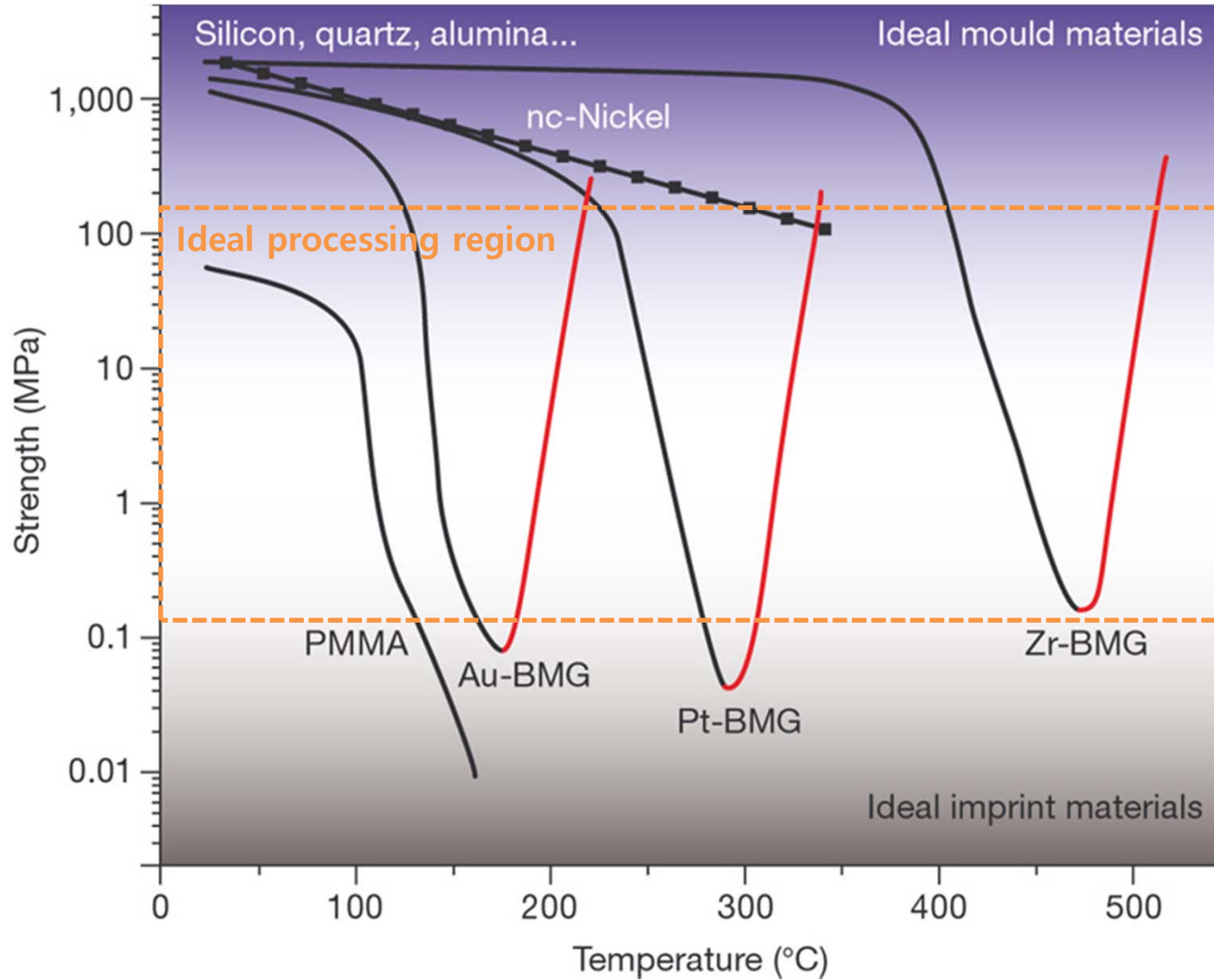


Metallic glass can be processed like plastics by homogeneous Newtonian viscous flow in supercooled liquid region (SCLR).

➔ Possible to deform thin and uniform MG

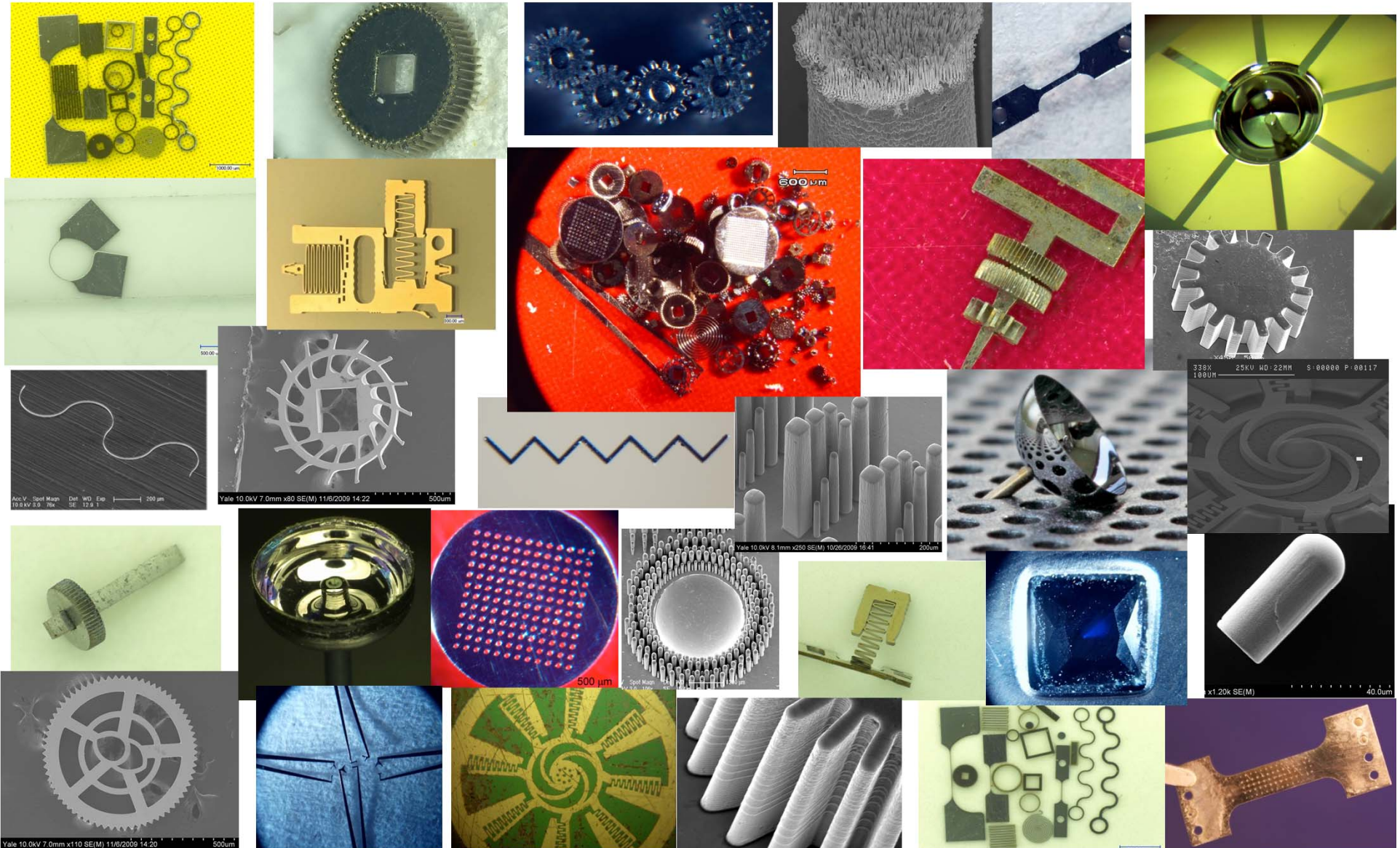
High processibility of metallic glass according to temperature

Nature **457**, 868-872 (12 February 2009)

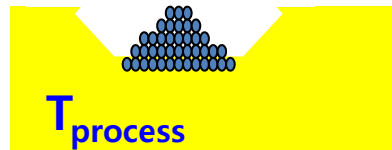
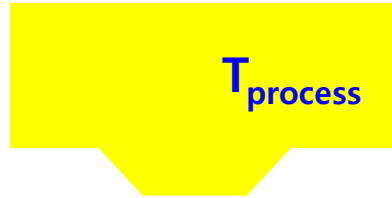


Processing of Bulk Metallic Glass

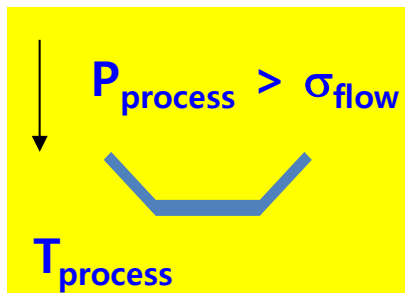
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TPF-based Compression Molding : **No size limitation!**



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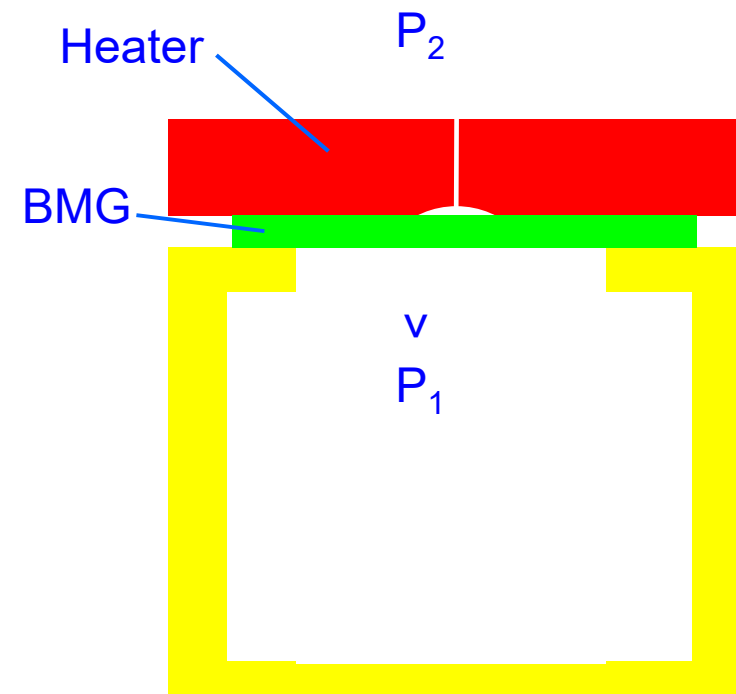
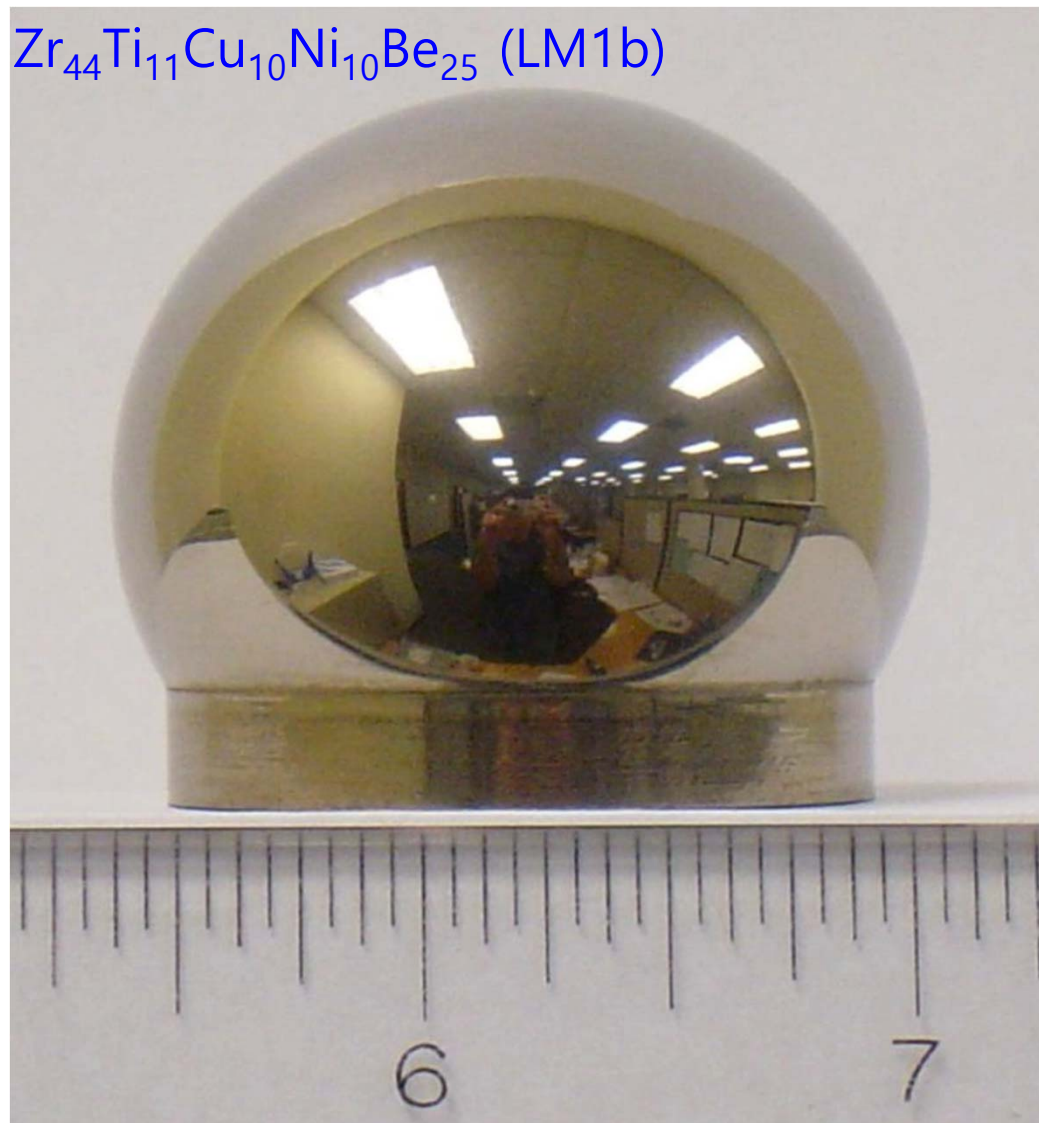


$$T_{\text{process}} < t_{\text{cryst}}$$



PtNiCuP
T = 270°C
P = 10 MPa
100 sec

Blow Molding – No Contact Area



10^5 Pa, 400% strain

$T=460^\circ$ C, $t=40$ sec

J. Schroers, T. Nguyen, A. Peker, N. Paton, R. V. Curtis, Scripta Materialia, 57, 341 (2007)





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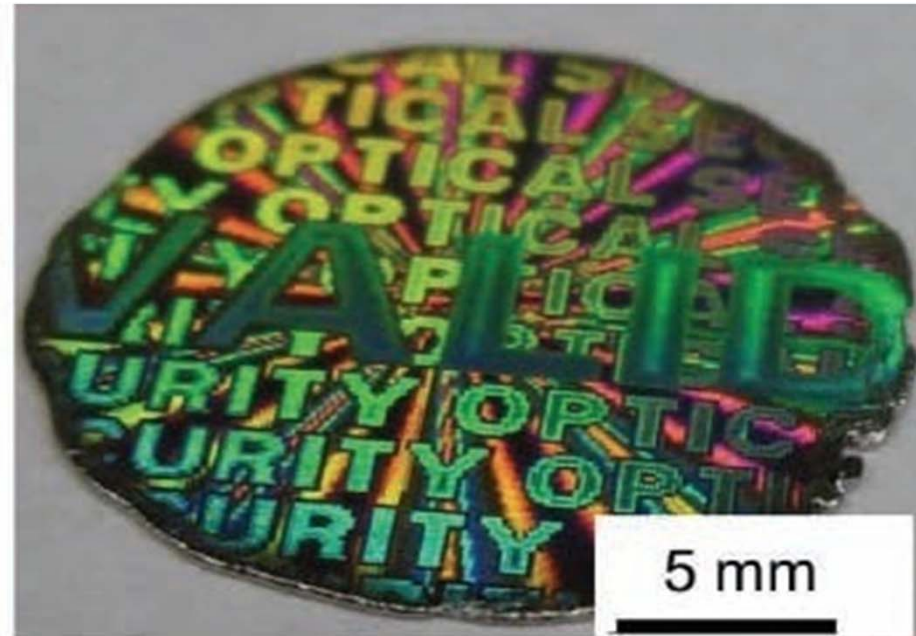
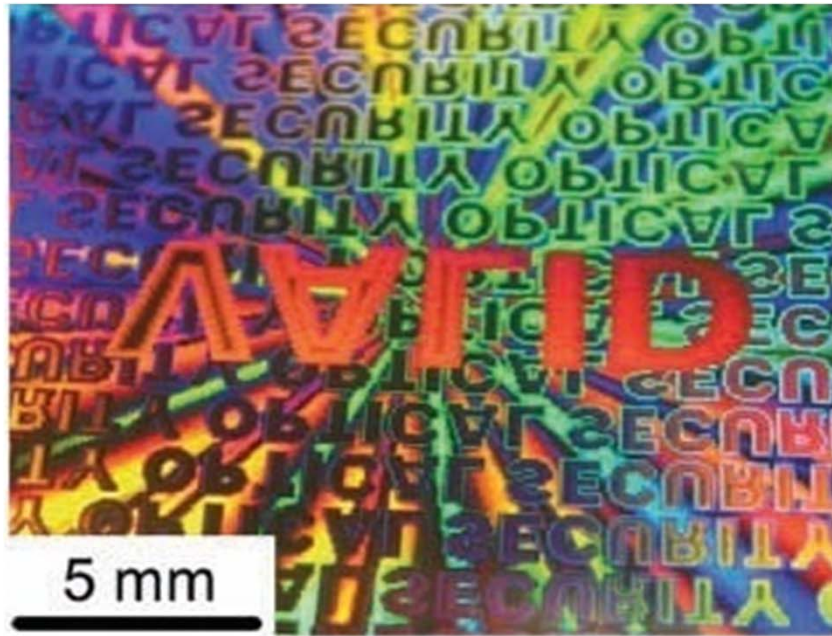
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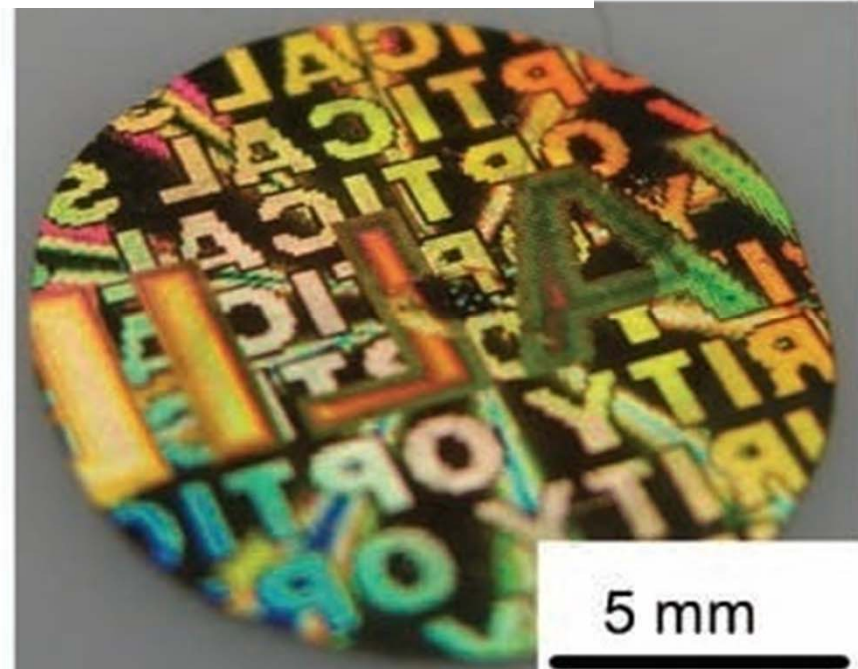
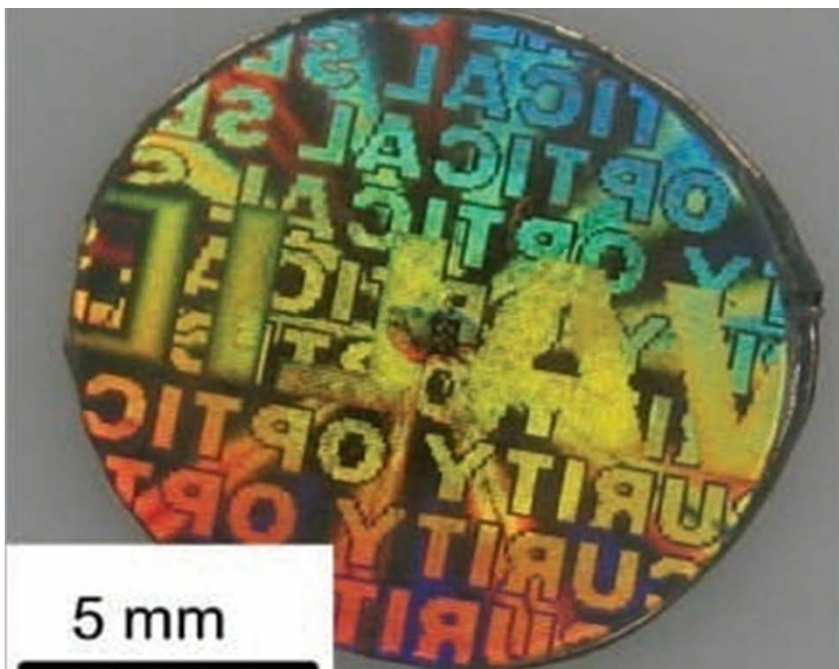
“Yale professor makes the case for Supercool Metals”



According to Yale researcher Jan Schroers, This material is 50 times harder than plastic, nearly 10 times harder than aluminum and almost three times the hardness of steel."



Jan Schroers, Adv. Mater., 2010, hologram pattern





Processing metals as efficiently as plastics: net-shape forming!



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 - ↳ Multistep processing can be solved by simple casting
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World-first Smart Phone with BMG exterior (2015)

Turing phone
by Turing Robotics Industries (UK)
with
Metallic glass
“Liquidmorphium™”



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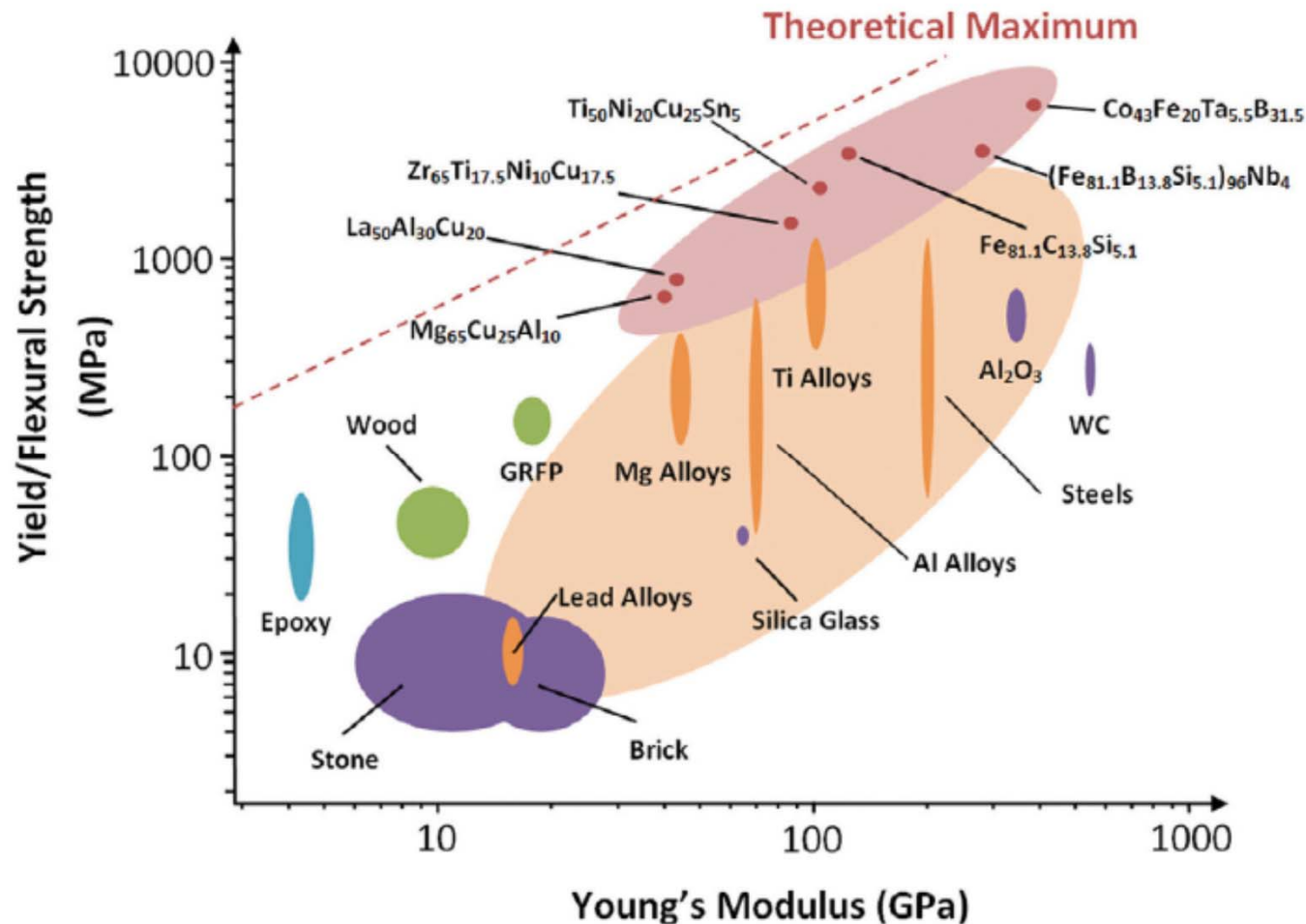
The Turing Phone is built with a pioneering material called **Liquidmorphium™**, an amorphous “liquid metal” alloy tougher than either titanium or steel - so what’s in your hand is as strong as your privacy protection.

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10.2 Special Characteristics of BMGs

3) High yield (or fracture) strength and hardness



High fracture strength over 5 GPa in Fe-based BMGs

A.L. Greer, E. Ma, MRS Bulletin, 2007; 32: 612.



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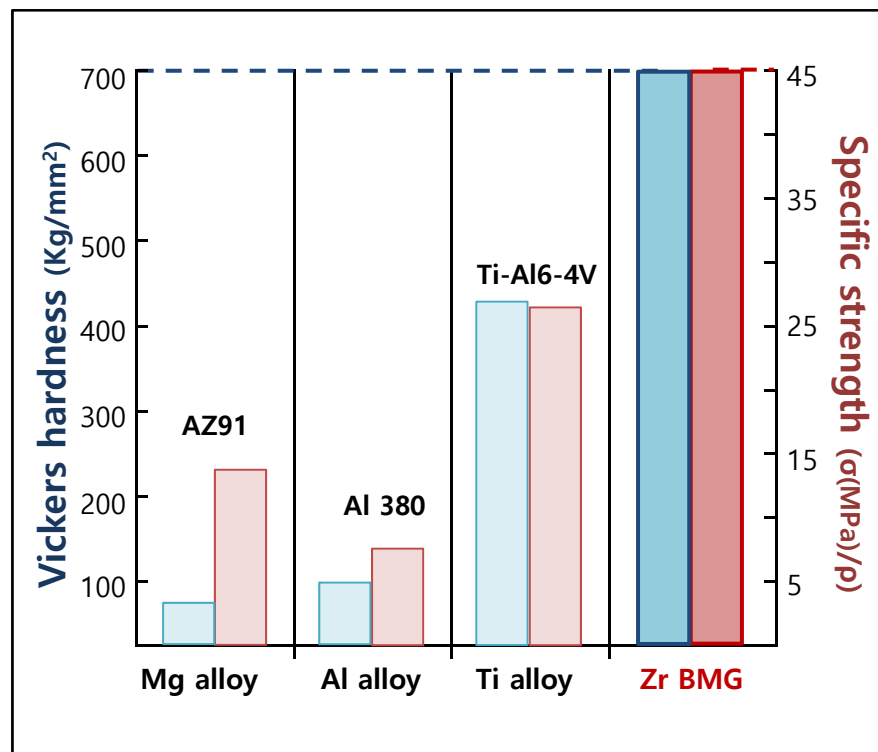


Bulk metallic glasses with high strength

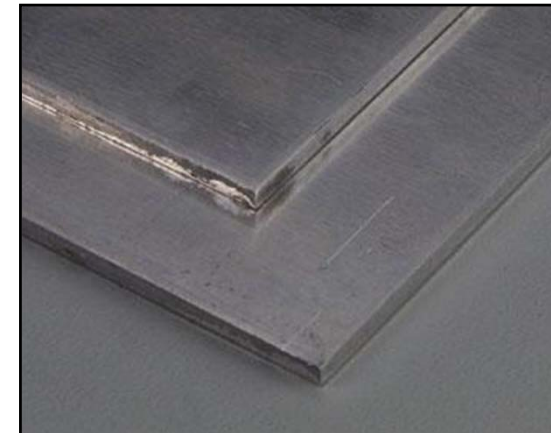
▶ **“High specific strength”** → Ultra-thin product with reasonable strength

: Possible to reduce more thickness with same standard strength than conventional light alloys due to superior specific strength

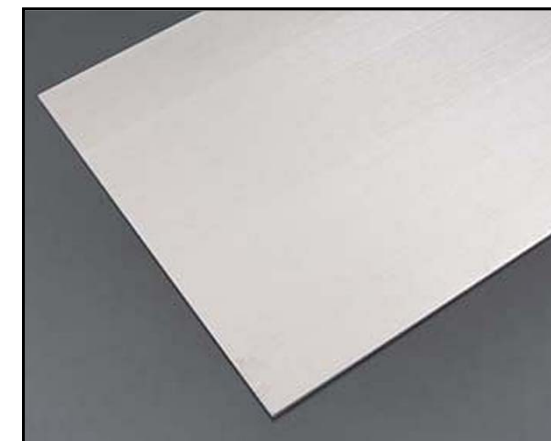
→ **Flexible / Wearable electronics**



Comparison of specific strength among Zr based BMG and conventional light alloys



Mg - AZ91



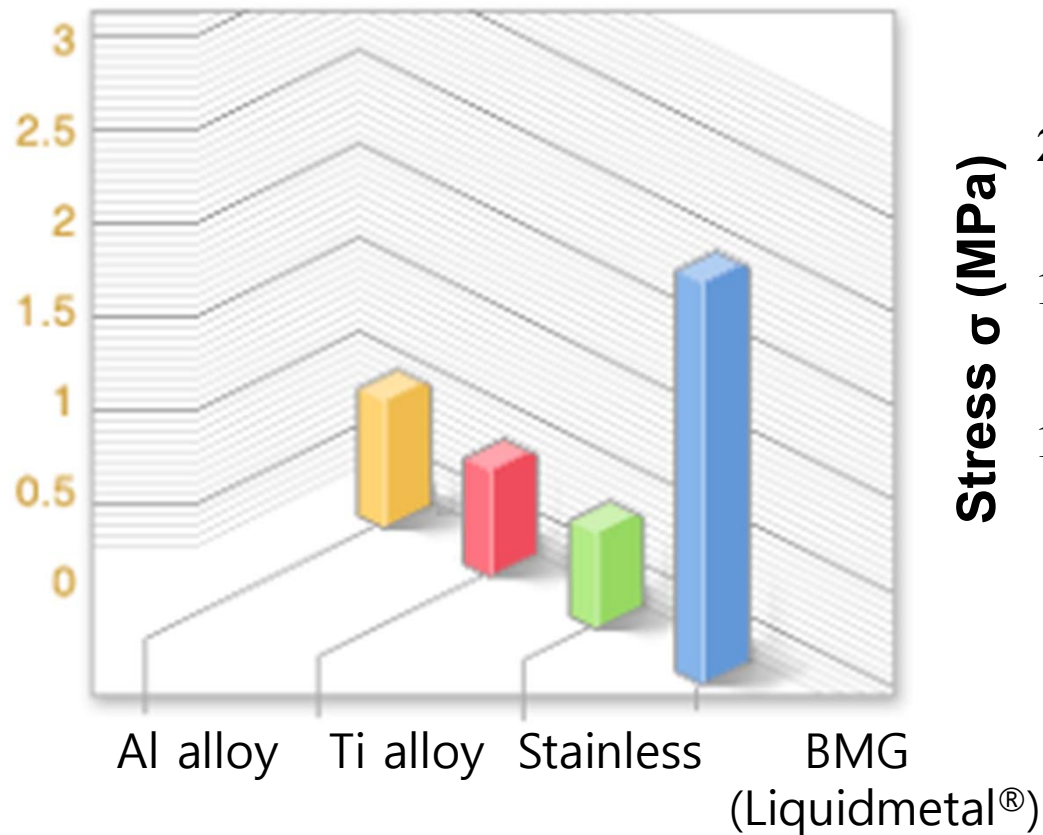
Thinner plate: **BMG**

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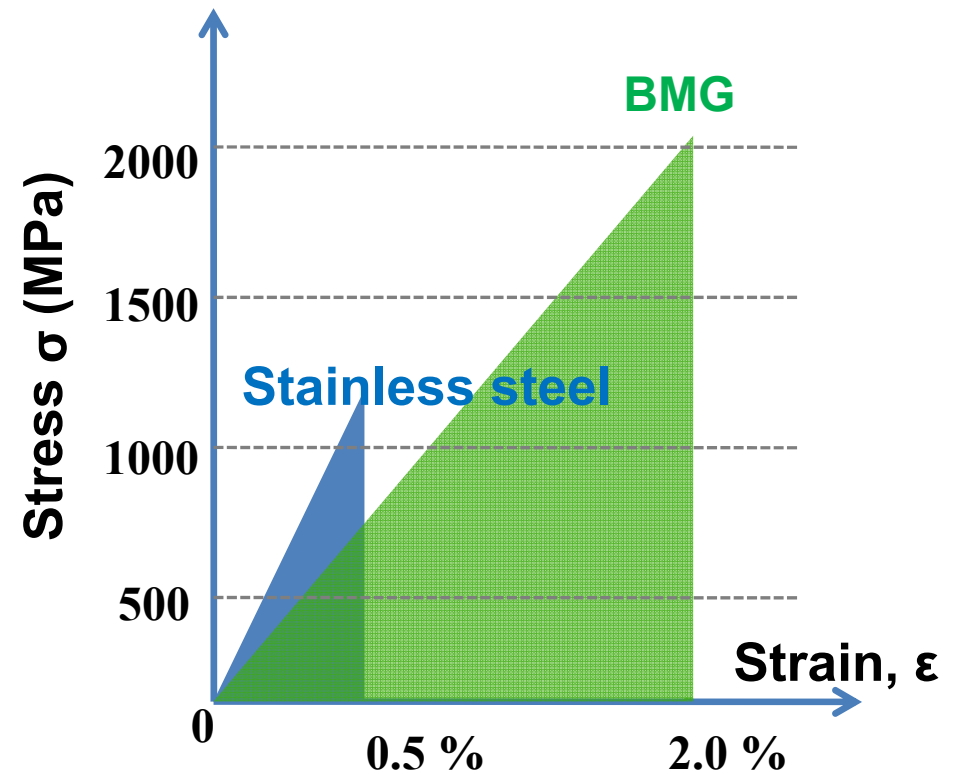
4) Large elastic strain limit of about 2 % at room temperature

Elastic Strain Limit

[as % of Original Shape]

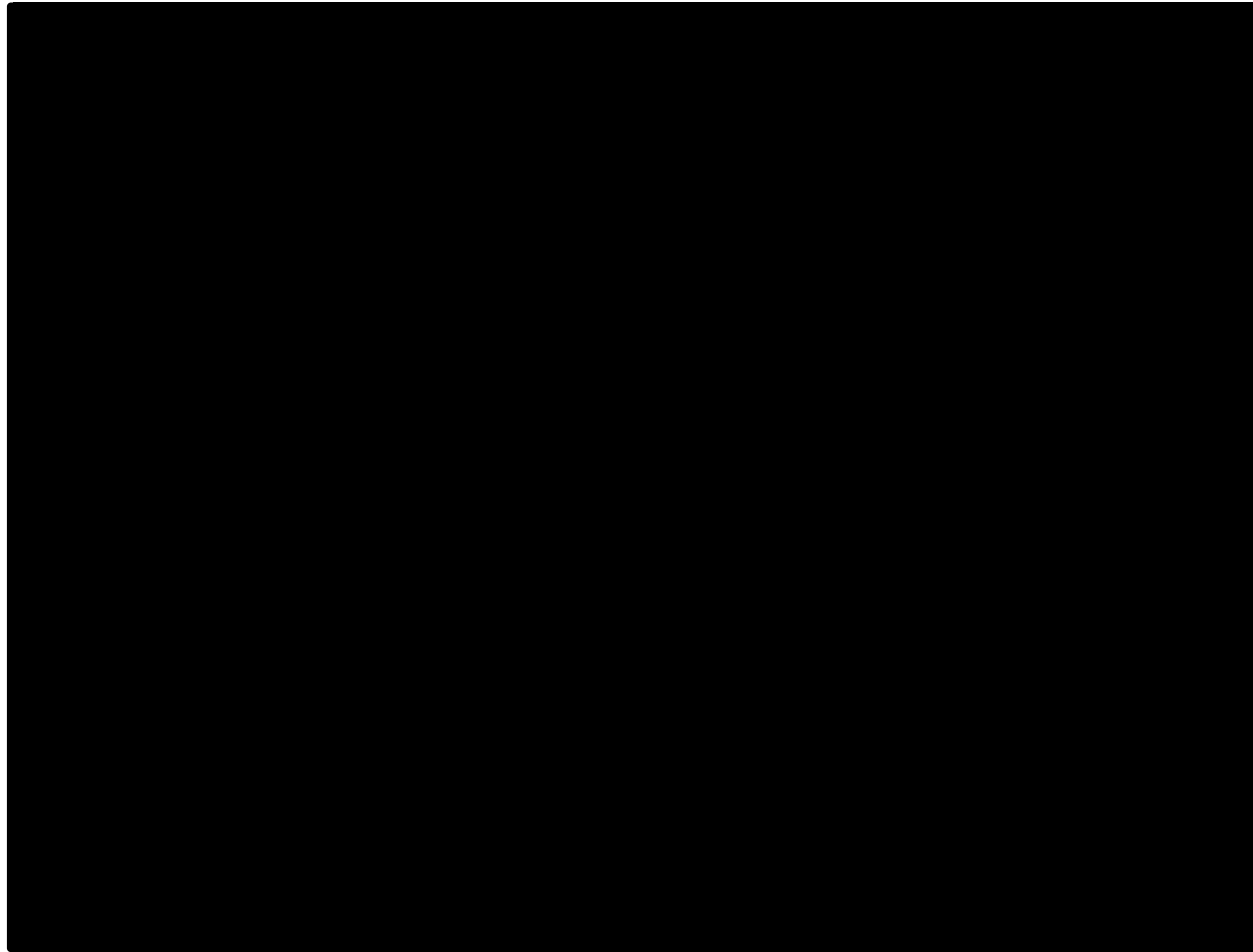


Stress-Strain Curve

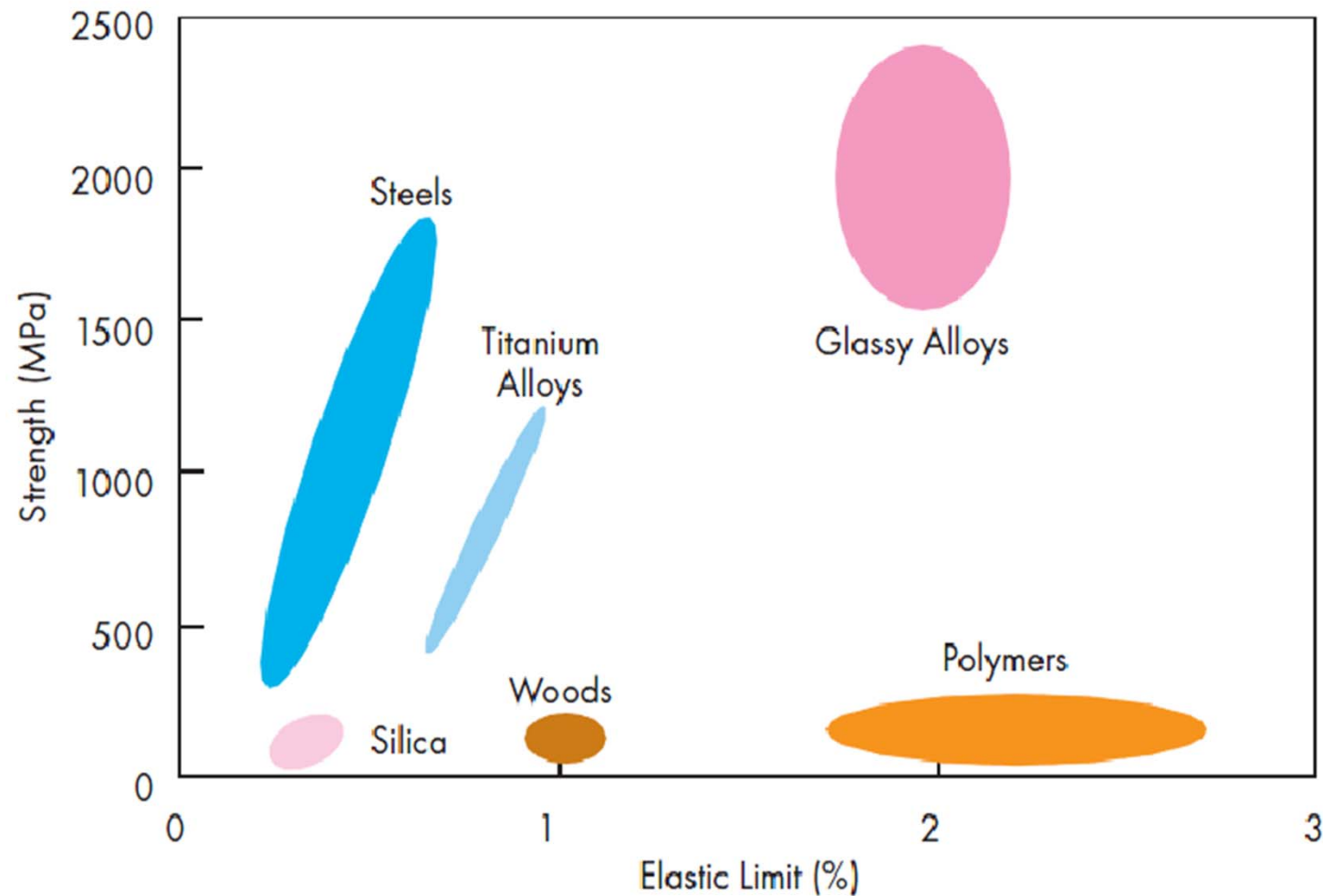


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4) Large elastic strain limit of about 2 % at room temperature



Bulk metallic glasses with high strength & high elastic limit

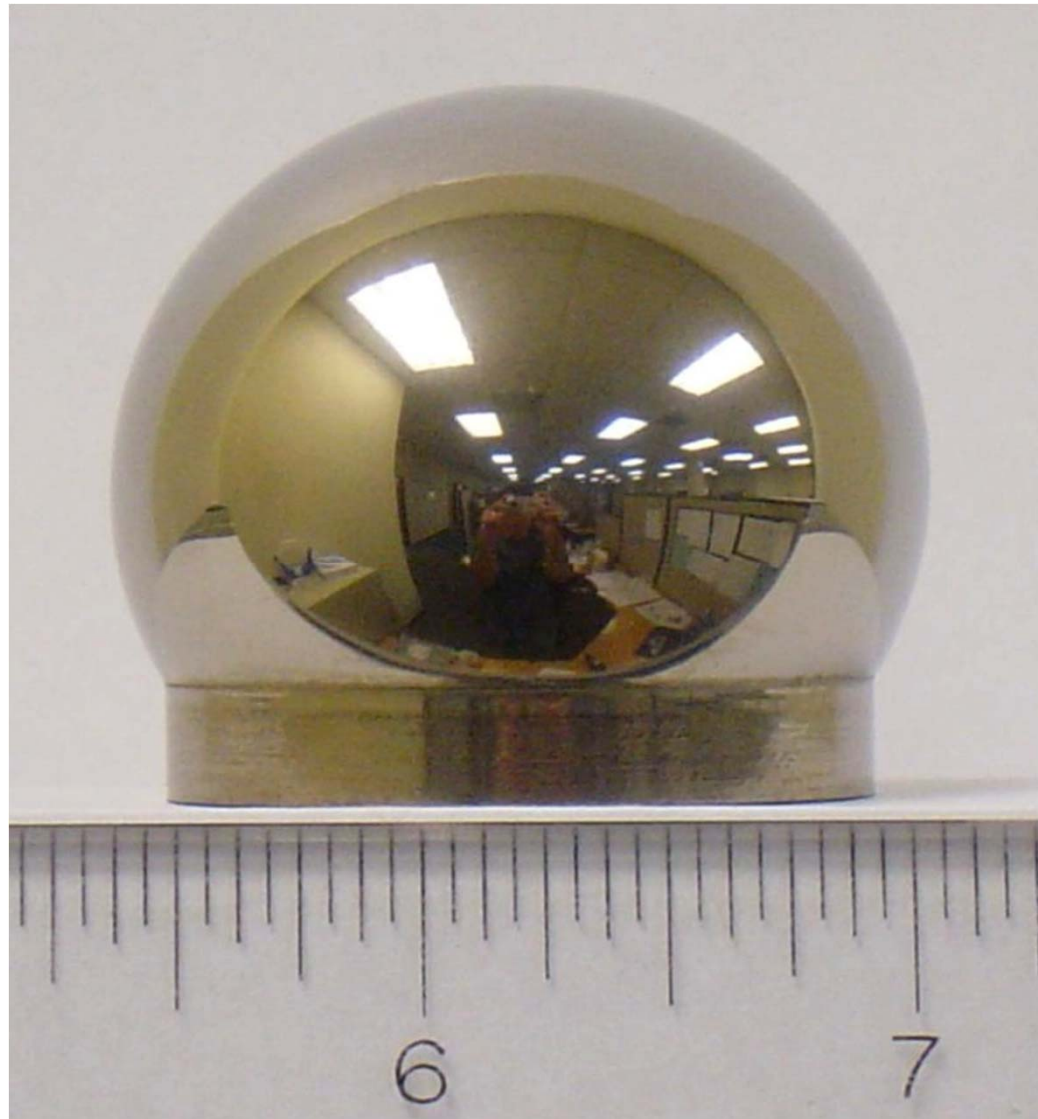


: Metallic Glasses Offer a Unique Combination of High Strength and High Elastic Limit

10.2 Special Characteristics of BMGs

5) Ability to achieve a very high surface finish

: do not have microstructural features such as grains and grain boundaries



10.2 Special Characteristics of BMGs

* Different forms of the glassy materials: rods, sheets, plates, spheres , pipes, etc.

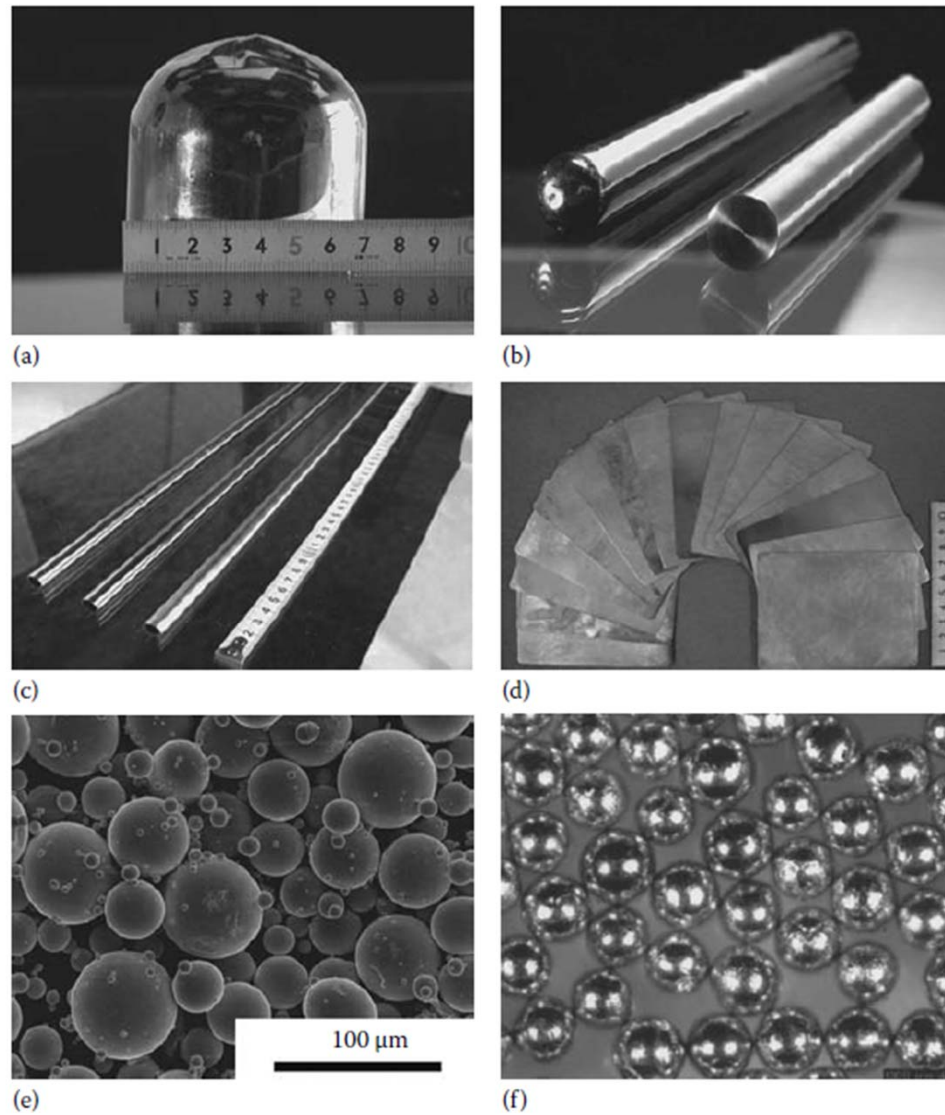


FIGURE 10.1
Different forms in which BMGs have been produced. (a) Cast cylinder, (b) rods, (c) pipes, (d) sheets, (e) powder, and (f) spheres.

10.3 Structural Applications: high yield (or fracture) strength, low Young's modulus, large elastic strain limit, and easy formability in the SCLR

10.3.1 Sporting Goods

*** Golf club:** The repulsive efficiency (defined as the ratio of ball velocity/club head velocity) was found to be 1.43 for the BMG alloy face, whereas it is only 1.405 for the Ti-alloy face. The overall flying distance was 225 mm for the BMG alloy face, whereas it is only 213 for the Ti-alloy face.

the modulus of resilience, U ,

$$U = \frac{1}{2} \sigma_y \cdot \epsilon_y = \frac{1}{2} E \epsilon_y^2$$

where

σ_y and ϵ_y are the yield stress and elastic strain limit, respectively
 E is the Young's modulus



FIGURE 10.2

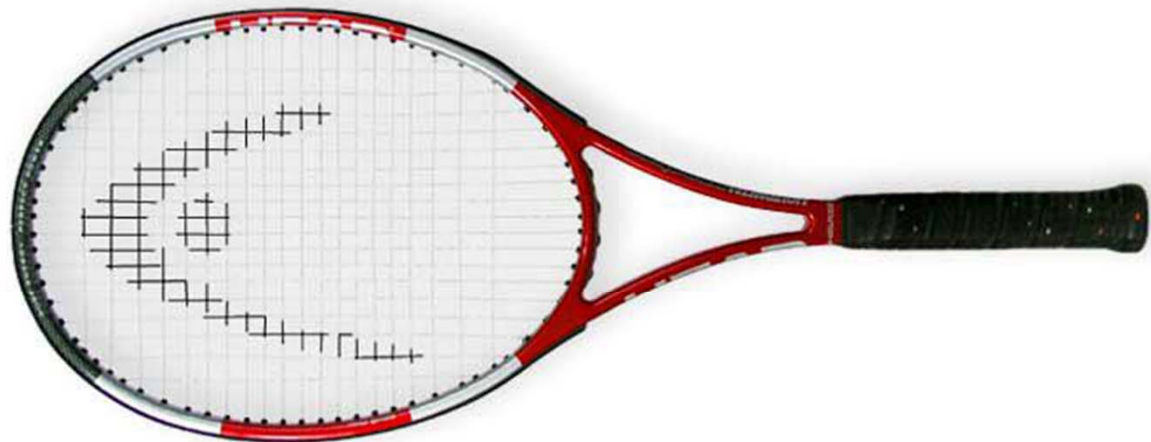
Outer shapes of commercial golf club heads in wood-, iron-, and putter-type forms where the face materials are made of Zr-based BMG alloy. (Reprinted from Kakiuchi, H. et al., *Mater. Trans.*, 42, 678, 2001. With permission.)

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10.3.1 Sporting Goods - Striking face plate in golf clubs/ Frame in tennis rackets / Baseball and softball bats/ Skis and snowboards / Bicycle parts / Fishing equipment/ Marine applications



(a)



(b)

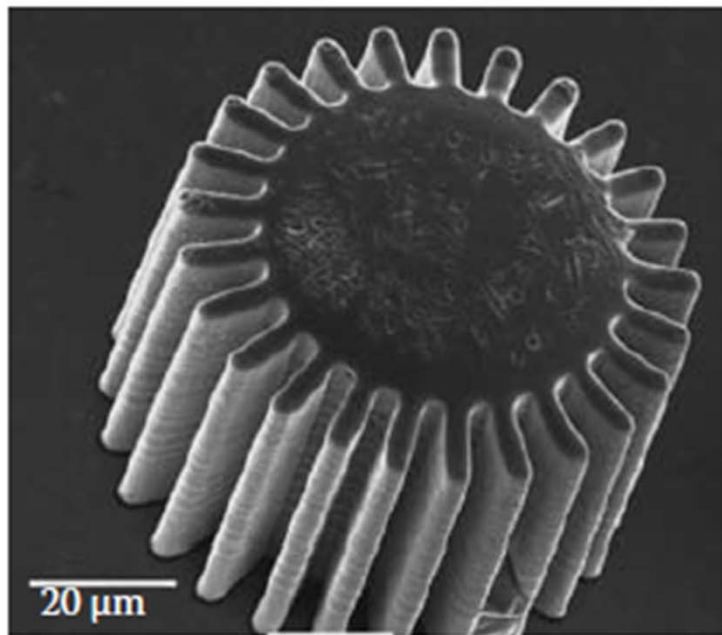
FIGURE 10.3

(a) Baseball bat and (b) tennis racket made of Liquidmetal (BMG) alloys.

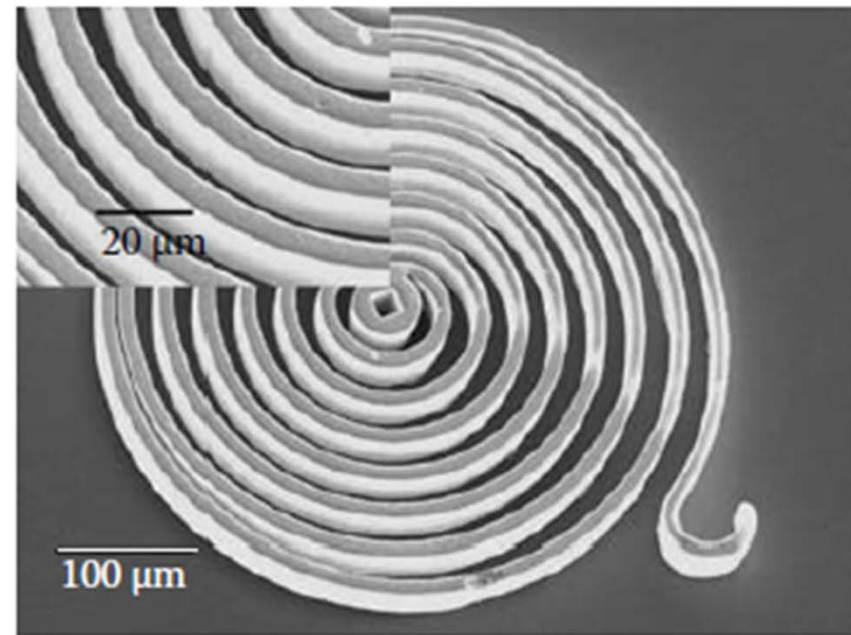
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10.3.2. Precision Gears

- No shrinkage during solidification
- No grain boundary - High flatness
- High strength



(a)



(b)

FIGURE 10.5

(a) A complex micro gear and (b) coil shape spring made from a $Zr_{44}Ti_{11}Cu_{10}Ni_{10}Be_{25}$ BMG alloy. (Reprinted from Schroers, J. et al., *Mater. Sci. Eng. A*, 449–451, 898, 2007. With permission.)

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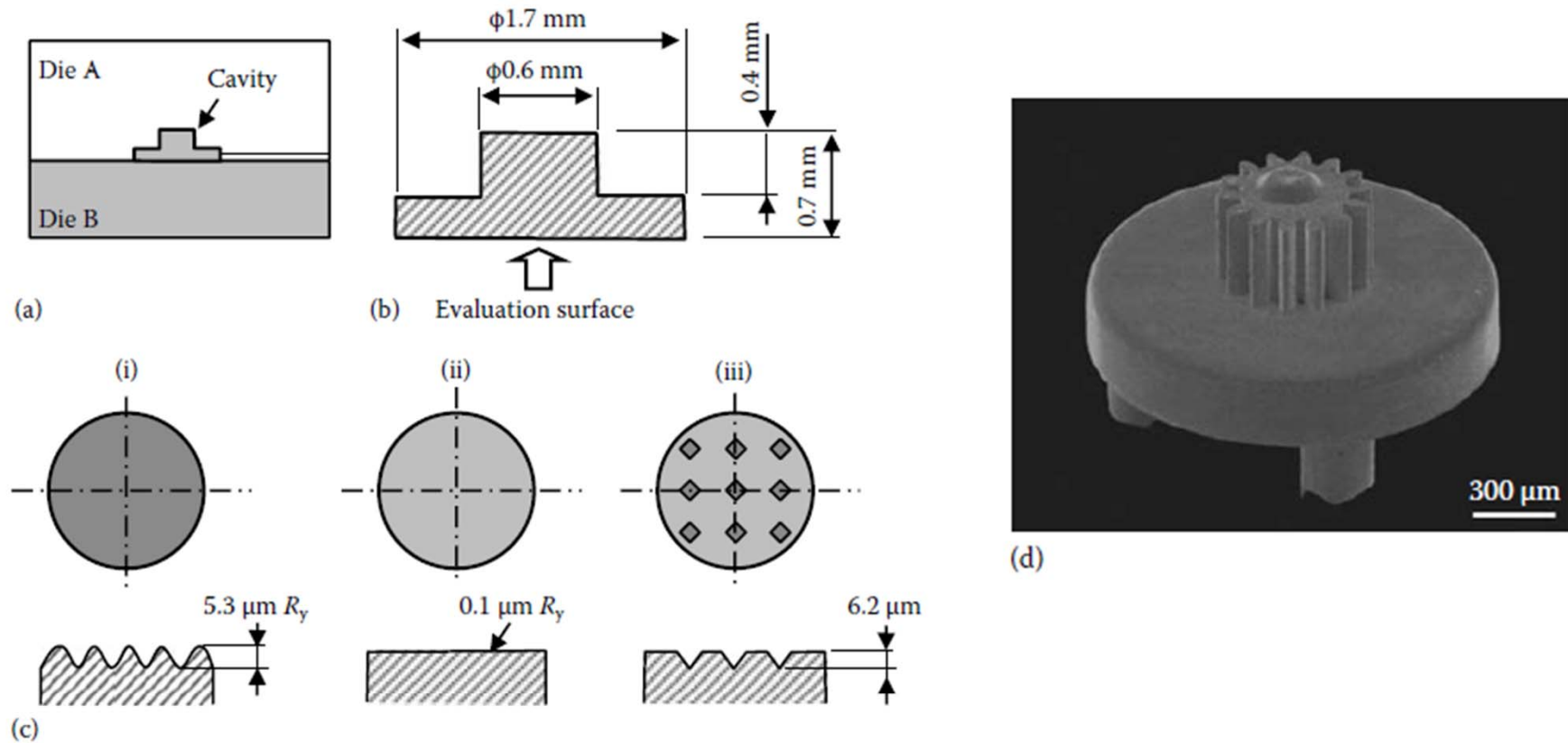
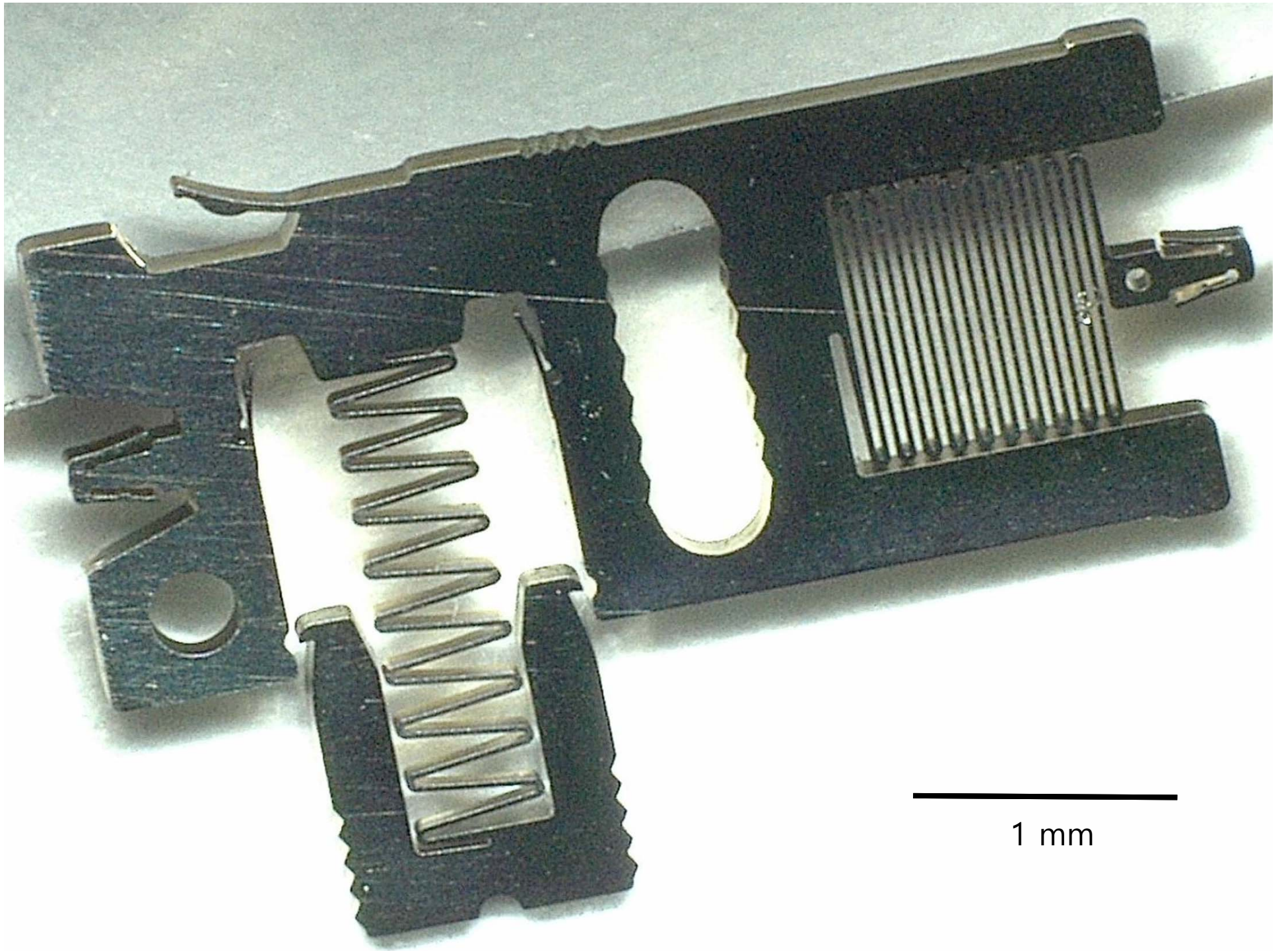


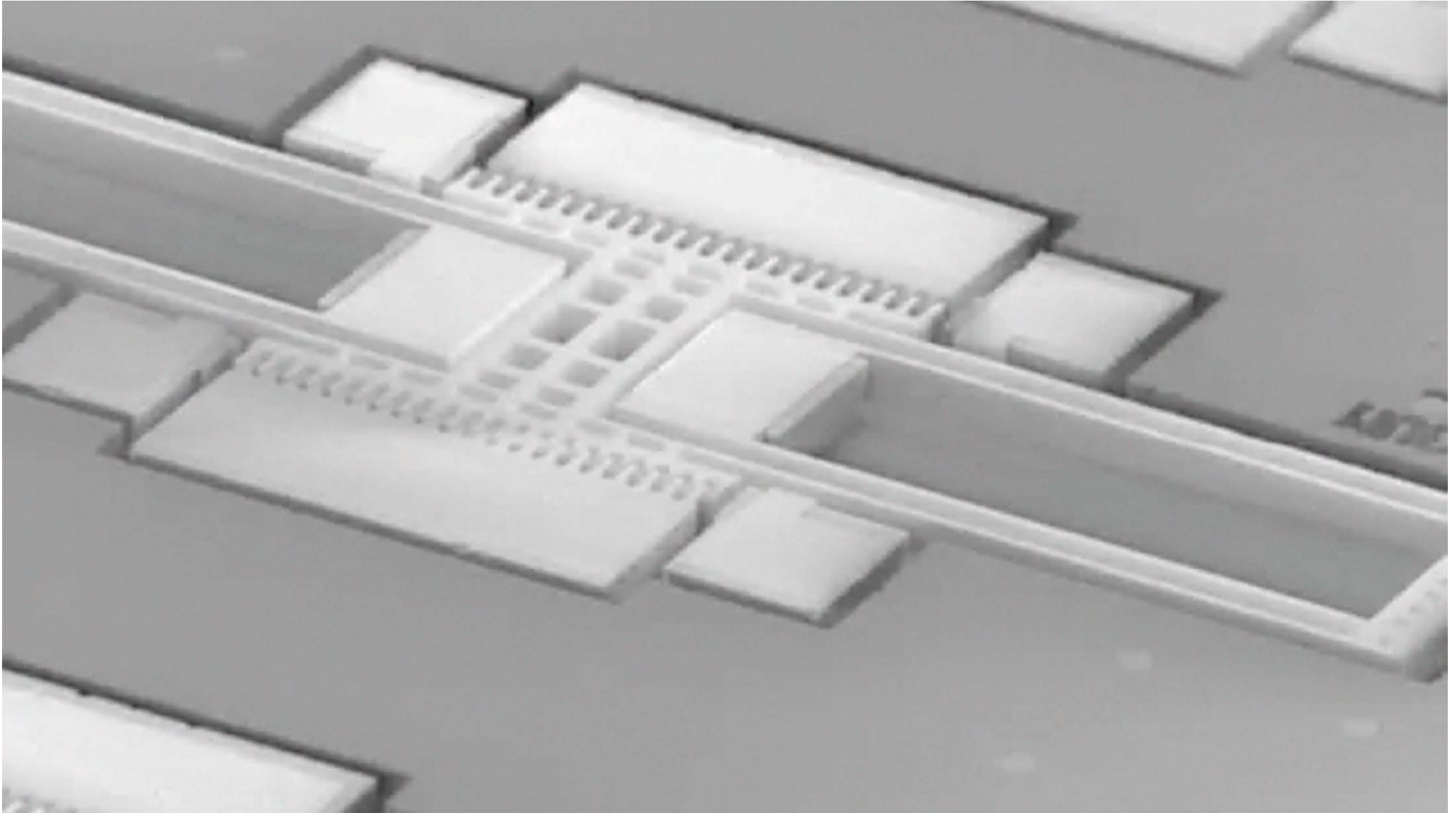
FIGURE 10.4

(a) Schematic illustration of the die assembly. (b) Schematic of the specimen with the dimensions indicated. (c) Schematic illustrations of the top surface of Die B prepared by (i) electro-discharge machining, (ii) polishing, and (iii) Vickers indentation. (d) External appearance of the Ni-based BMG sun-carrier fabricated by the precision die casting technique from an electro-discharge machined mold. (Reprinted from Ishida, M. et al., *Mater. Trans.*, 45, 1239, 2004. With permission.)



1 mm

Fully functional MEMS device



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10.3.3 Motors

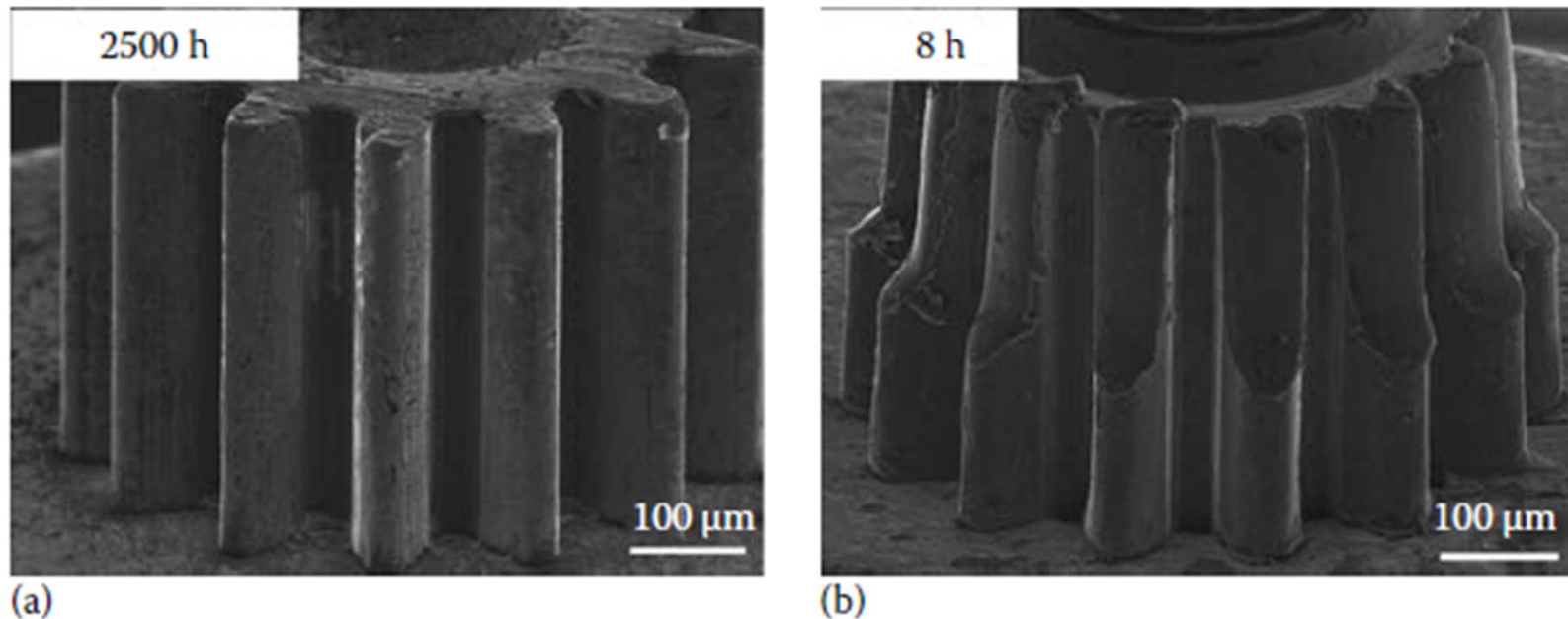


FIGURE 10.6

SEM images of the gears after the durability tests. (a) The gear made out of the Ni-based BMG alloy after 2500 h of use (1875 million revolutions) and (b) the carbon steel gear after 8 h of use (6 million revolutions). Notice the serious damage in the carbon steel gear even after just 8 h of use, while the BMG gear is intact even after 2500 h of use. (Reprinted from Ishida, M. et al., *Mater. Sci. Eng. A*, 449–451, 149, 2007. With permission.)

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10.3.3 Motors

- Higher dimensional accuracy
- 313 times longer than conventional motor

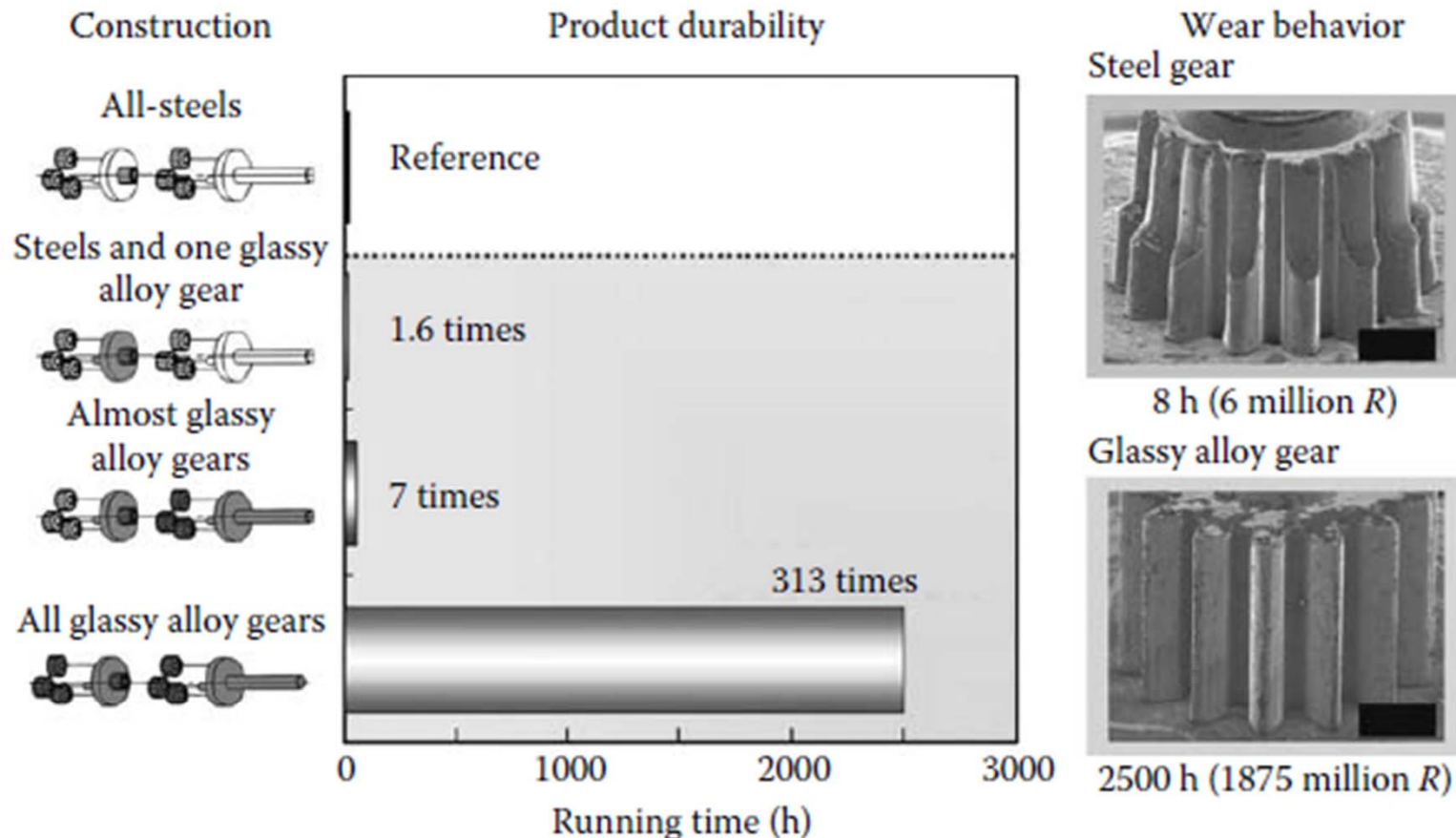


FIGURE 10.7

Comparative wear resistance behavior of gears made with different materials in a 2.4 mm diameter geared motor. (Reprinted from Inoue, A. et al., *Mater. Sci. Eng. A*, 441, 18, 2006. With permission.)

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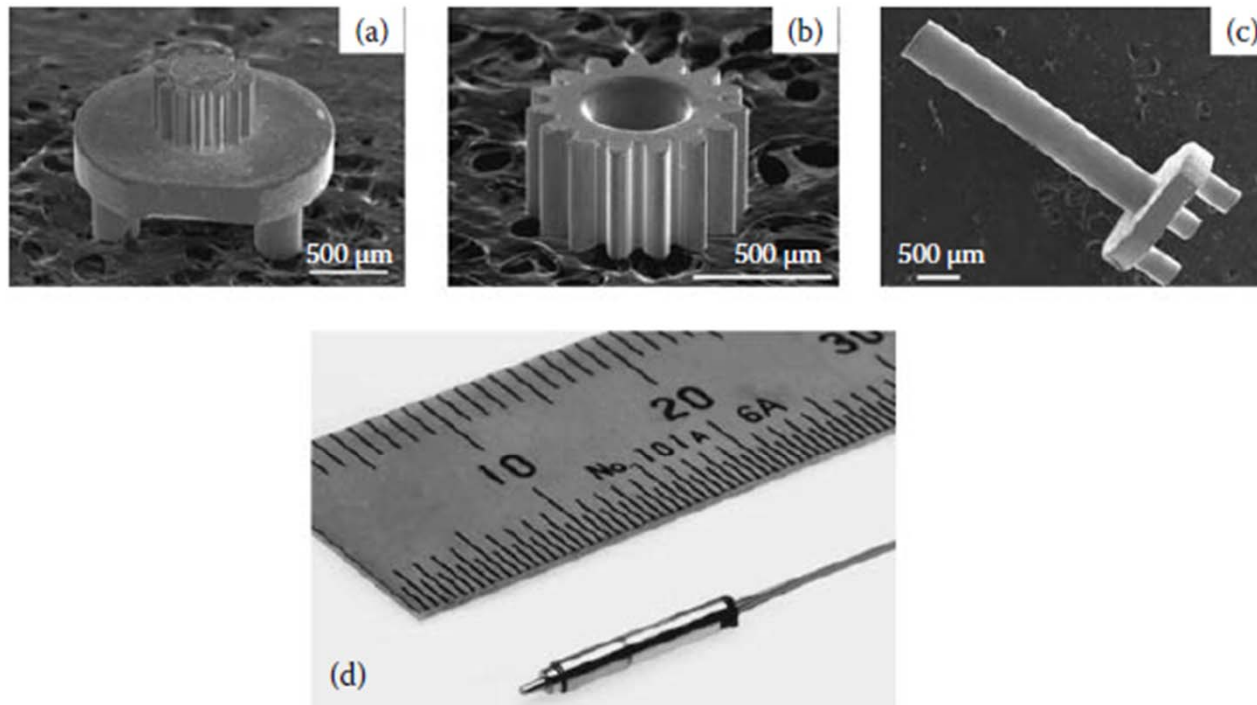
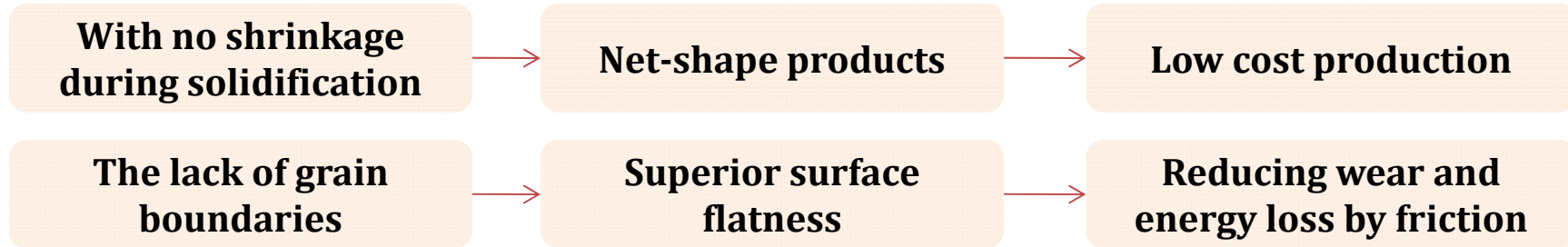


FIGURE 10.8

Precision microgear parts produced by injection casting of an $\text{Ni}_{53}\text{Nb}_{20}\text{Zr}_8\text{Ti}_{10}\text{Co}_6\text{Cu}_3$ BMG alloy: (a) sun-carrier, (b) planetary gear, and (c) an output shaft. (d) Micro-geared motor with a diameter of 1.5 mm and a length of 9.4 mm fabricated from the $\text{Ni}_{53}\text{Nb}_{20}\text{Zr}_8\text{Ti}_{10}\text{Co}_6\text{Cu}_3$ BMG alloy.

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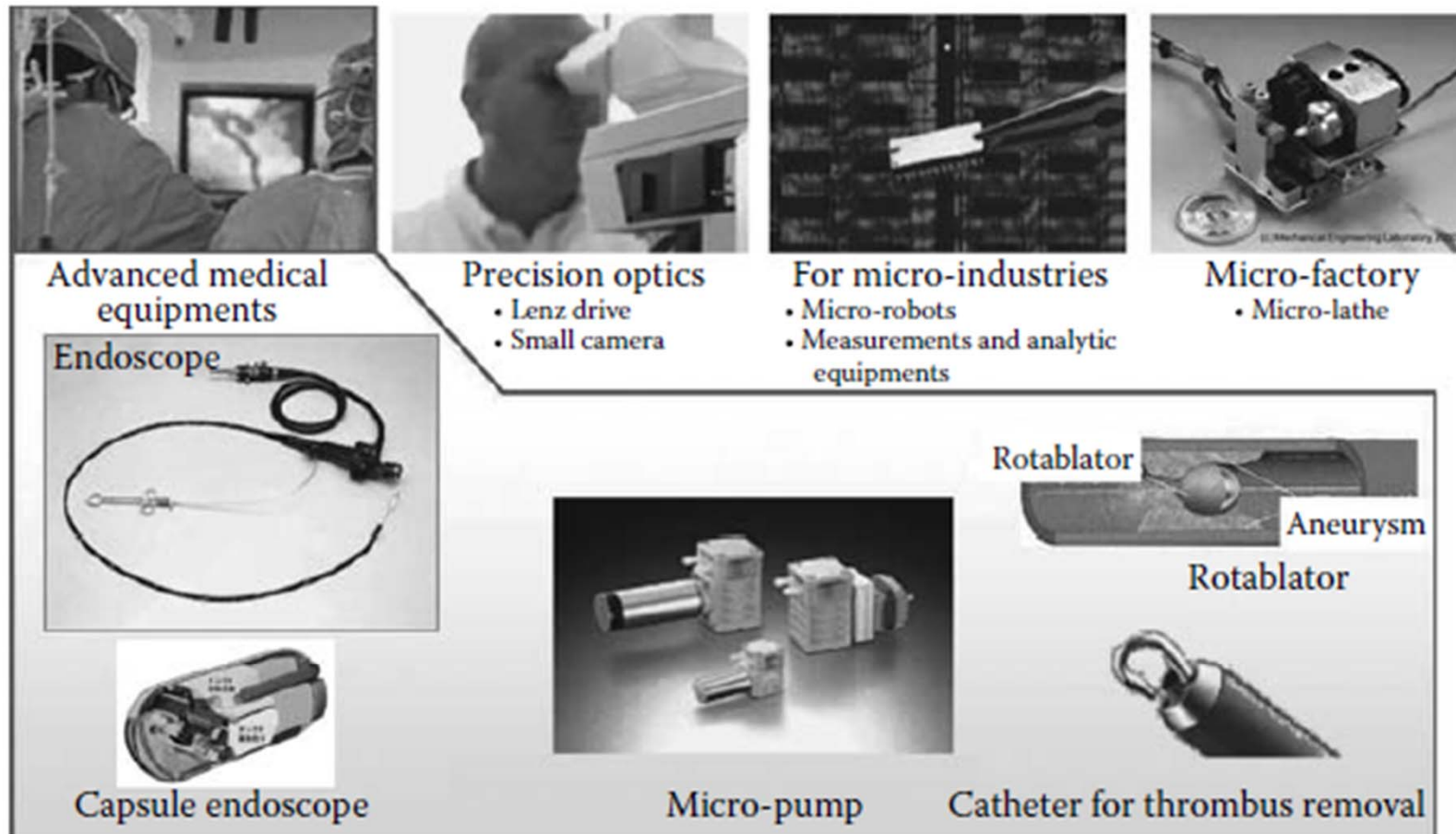


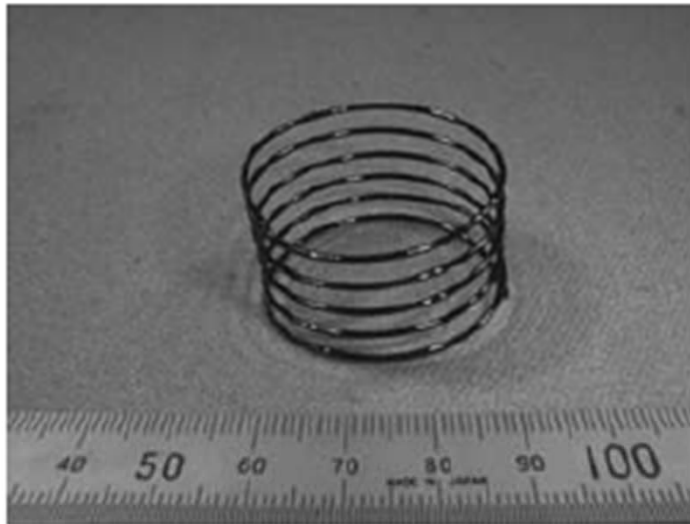
FIGURE 10.9

Projected application areas where micro-g geared motors will find application.

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10.3.4 Automobile Valve Springs

: It was estimated that if the conventional valve springs made of oil-tempered and shot peened Si-Cr steel are replaced with Zr- or Ti-based BMGs, the overall weight of the engine will come down by 4 kg (about 10 lb).



(a)



(b)

FIGURE 10.10

Helical springs of Zr₅₅Cu₃₀Al₁₀Ni₅ BMG alloy produced by the coiling of wires of (a) 1 mm and (b) 2 mm in diameter. (Reprinted from Son, K. et al., *Mater. Sci. Eng. A*, 449–451, 248, 2007. With permission.)

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10.3.5 Diaphragms for Pressure Sensors

Requiring	material property
Miniaturized and high sensitivity	lower Young's modulus and higher strength
mass production a low-cost production and commercialization	Possible to net shaping

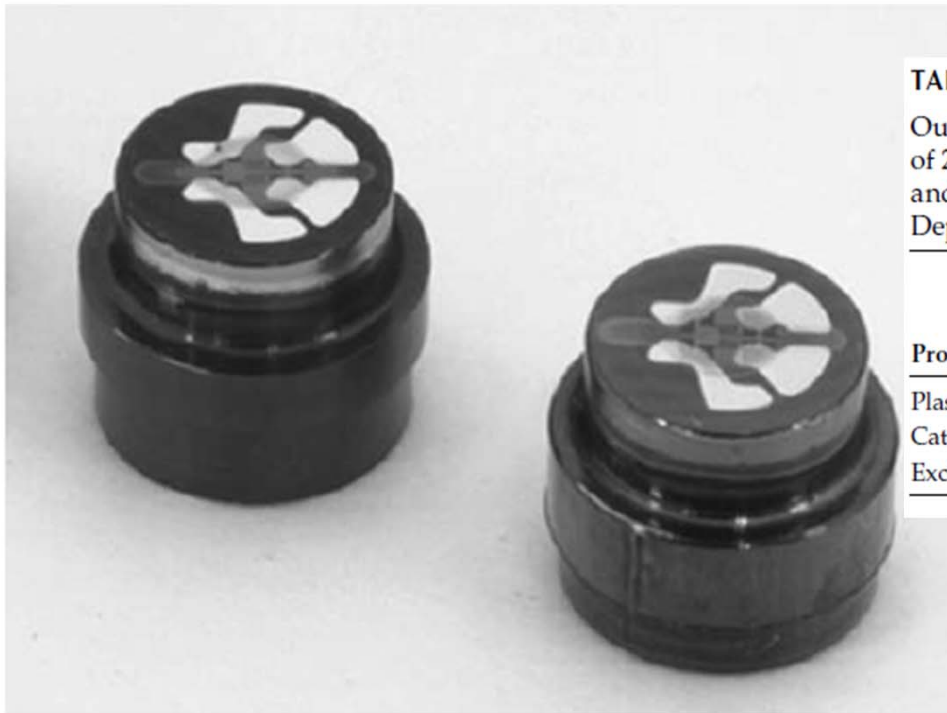


TABLE 10.1

Output Voltage for Pressure Sensors at a Testing Pressure of 20 MPa Using Commercial Stainless Steel (SUS 630) and Zr-Based $Zr_{55}Cu_{30}Al_{10}Ni_5$ BMG with Strain Gauges Deposited under Identical Conditions

Process	Output Voltage (mV) Using	
	Stainless Steel (SUS 630)	Zr-Based $Zr_{55}Cu_{30}Al_{10}Ni_5$ BMG
Plasma CVD	60	—
Cat-CVD	50	100
Excimer laser annealing	110	230

Sensitivity is 3.8 times greater than a conventional diaphragm

FIGURE 10.11

Zr-based BMG diaphragm with a strain gauge deposited at low temperatures. (Reprinted from Nishiyama, N. et al., *Mater. Sci. Eng. A*, 449–451, 79, 2007. With permission.)

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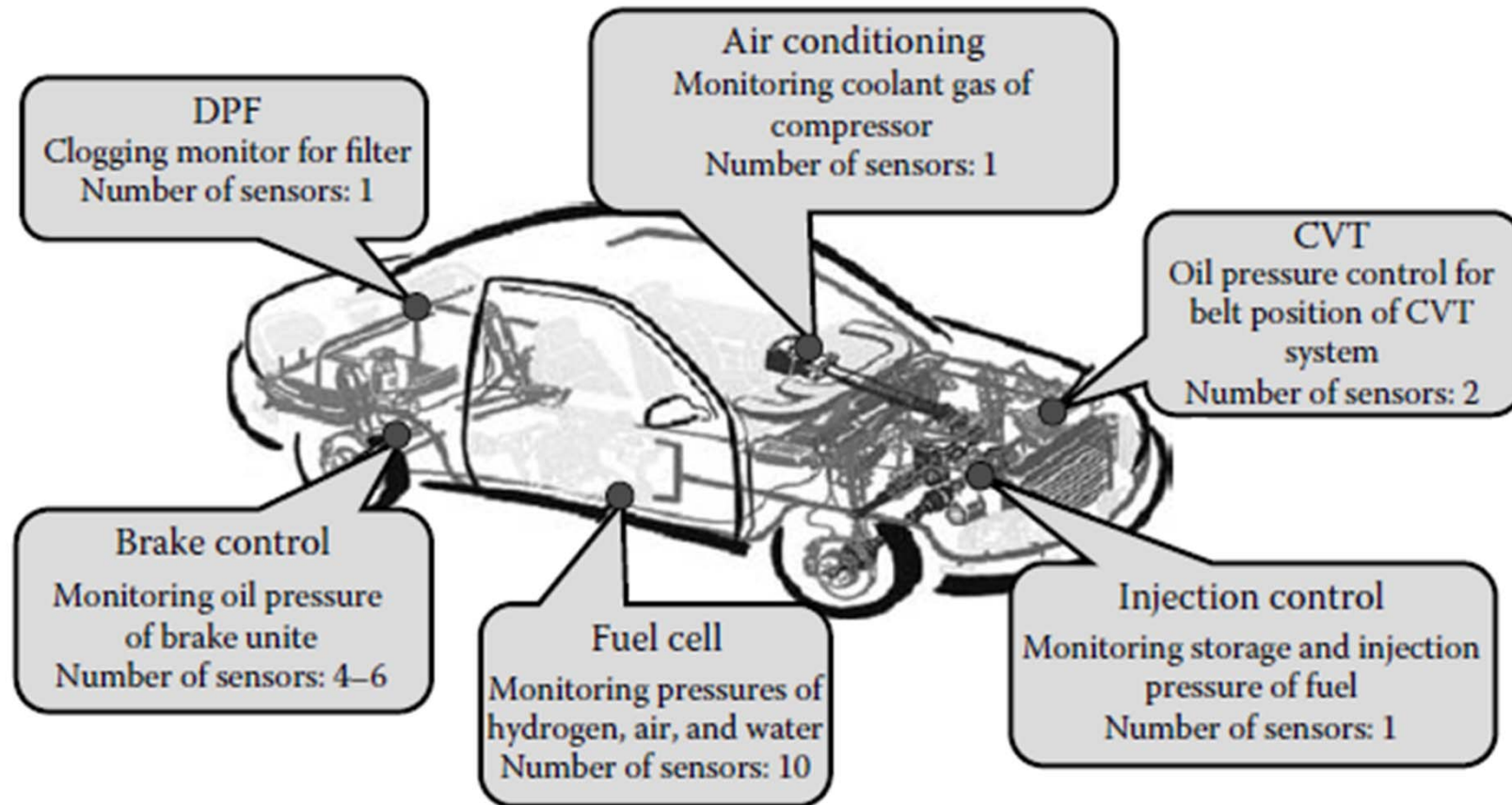


FIGURE 10.12

Expected market for pressure sensors to be used in different parts of an automobile.

10. 3. 6 Pipes for a Coriolis Mass Flow meter

: CFM determined by the density, Young's modulus, and strength of the materials used in the measurement pipe

**: Young's modulus \downarrow \rightarrow elastic deformation \uparrow for the same applied force
 \rightarrow measurement of super-small liquid flow**

high strength of BMGs

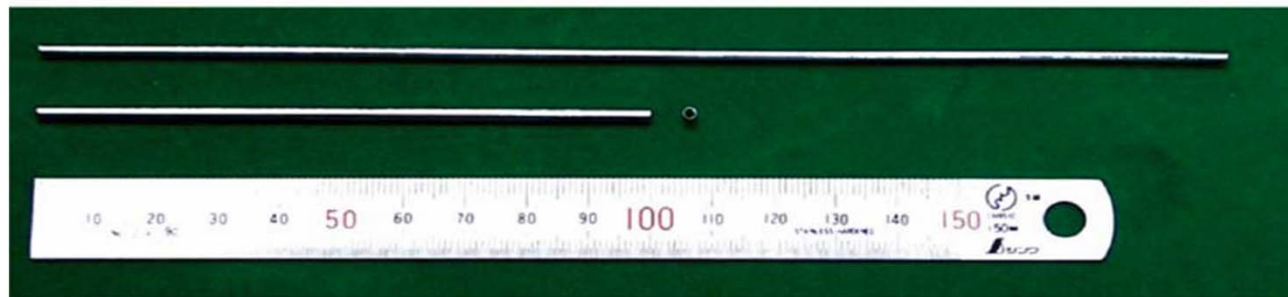
Pipes with thinner walls

Resulting in larger elastic deformation

More sensitivity



(a)



(b)

FIGURE 10.13

Ti-based BMG pipes with outer diameters of (a) 6 and (b) 2 mm. (Reprinted from Nishiyama, N. et al., *J. Non-Cryst. Solids*, 353, 3615, 2007. With permission.)

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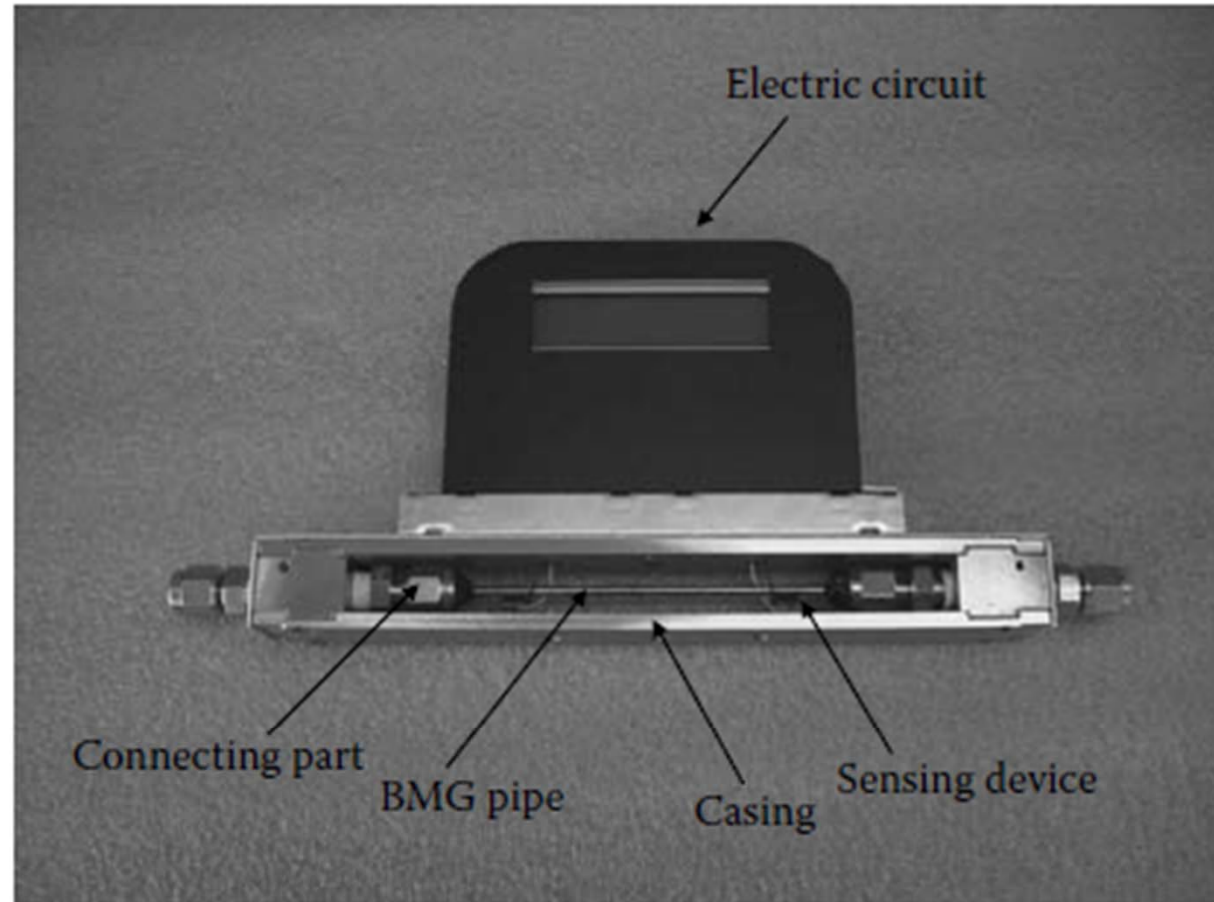


FIGURE 10.14
CMF developed using the Ti-based BMG pipes.

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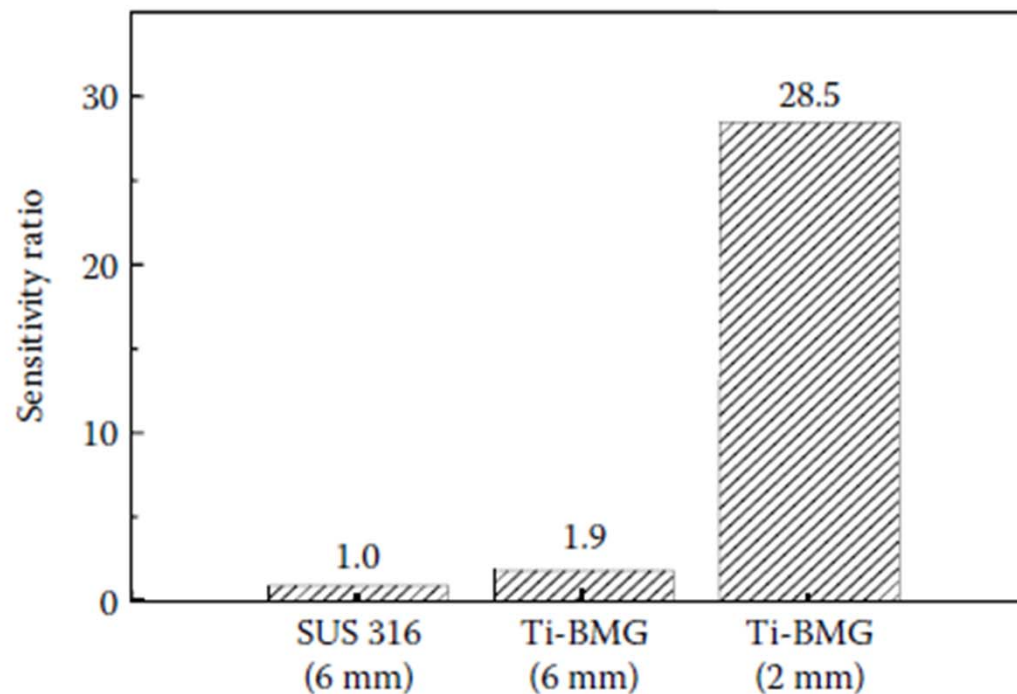


FIGURE 10.15

Sensitivity obtained by the CMF using the Ti-based BMG with diameters of 2 and 6 mm. Their sensitivity is compared with that of commercial stainless steel (SUS 316L) pipe with a diameter of 6 mm. (Reprinted from Ma, C.L. et al., *Mater. Sci. Eng. A*, 407, 201, 2005. With permission.)

10. 3. 7 Optical Mirror Devices : **Optical coating**

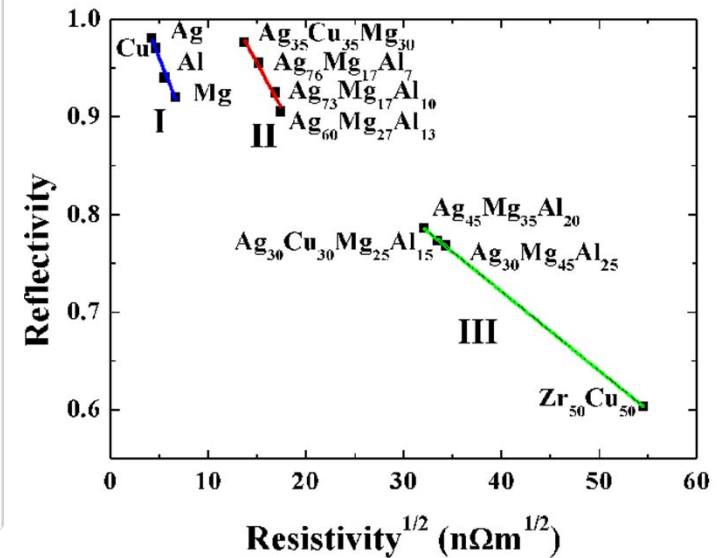
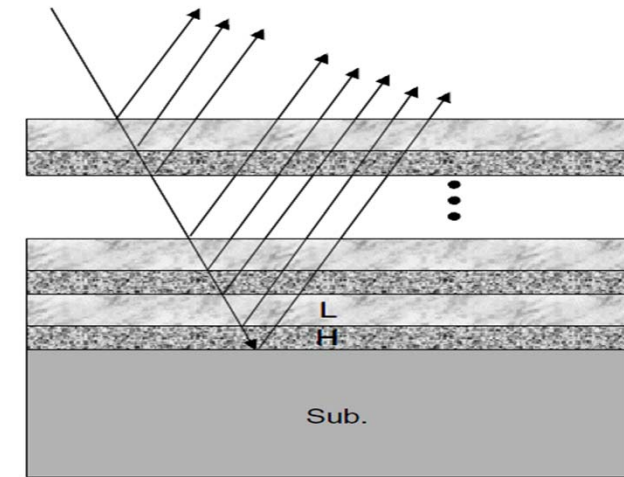
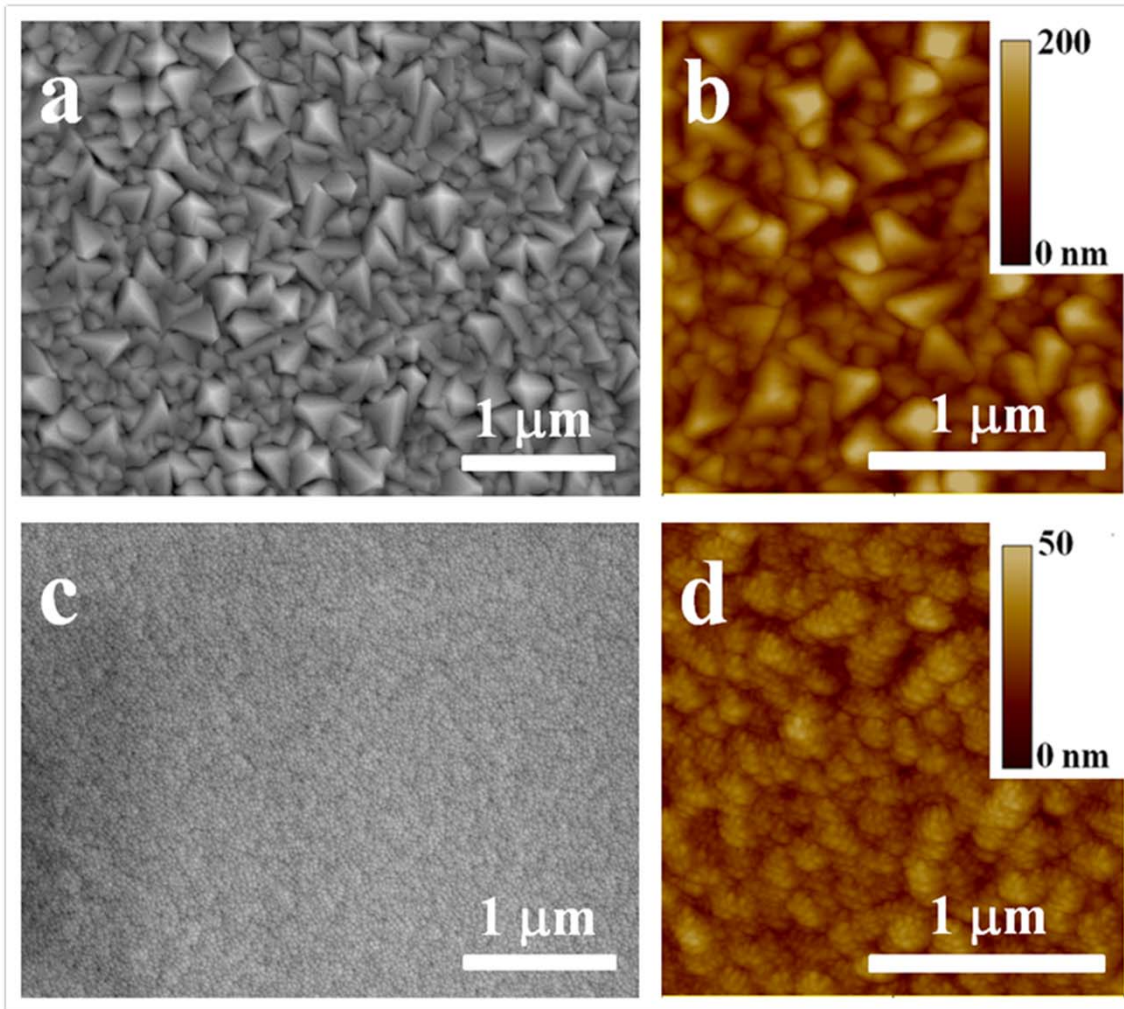
- Ideal isotropic material have no grain boundary (Polymer and oxide glass)
- Have Metallic luster - Reflective parts of optical device, Optical Mirror



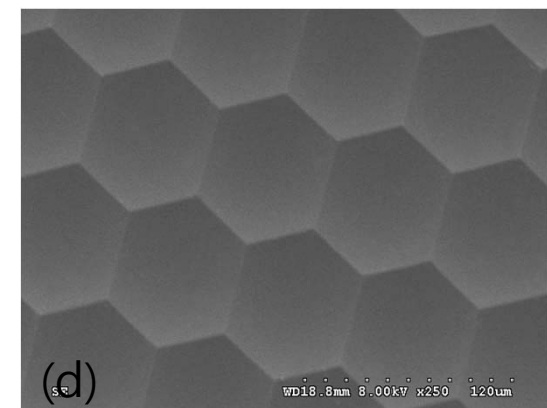
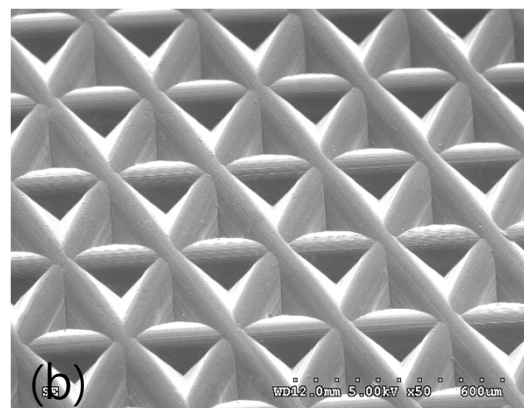
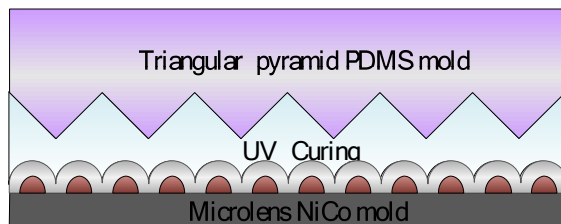
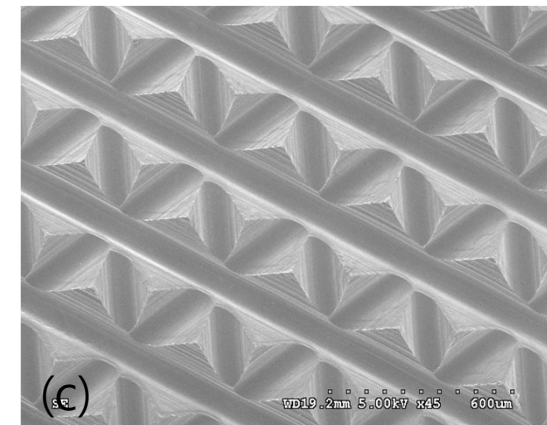
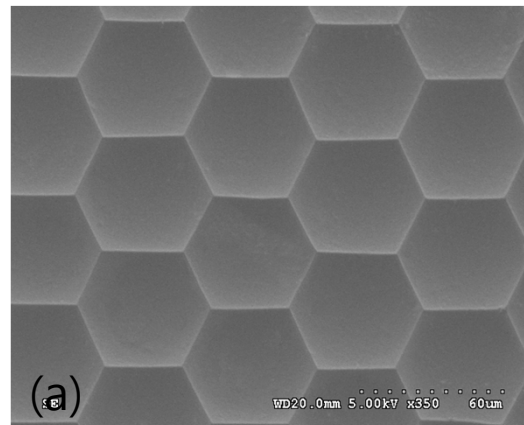
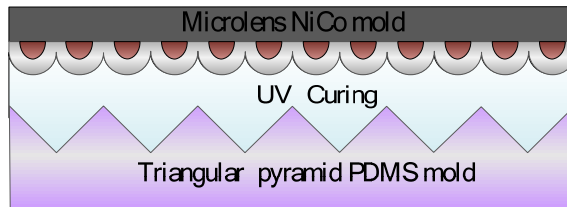
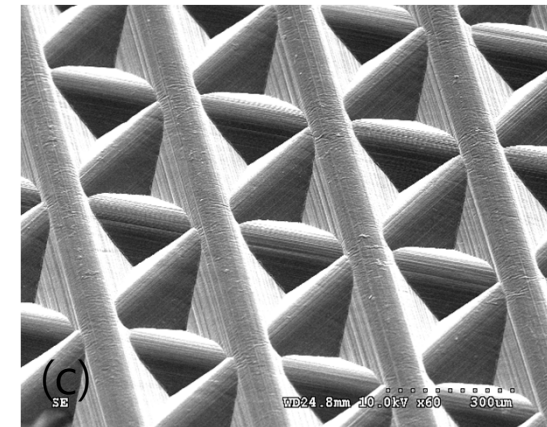
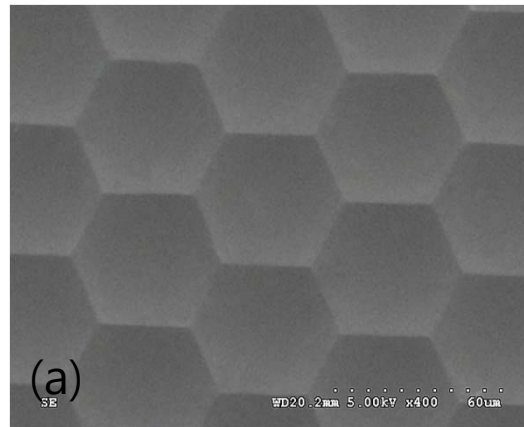
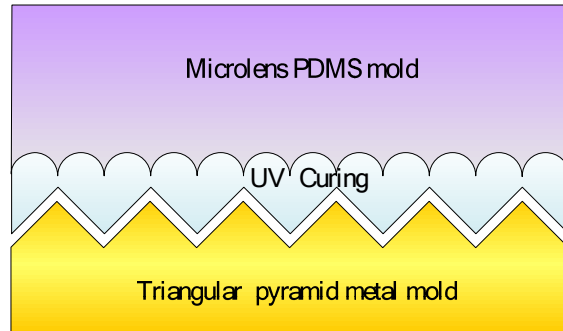
- LED display
- Solar cell, light collector
- 3C enclosure
- Lighting, high reflection
- Tool coating



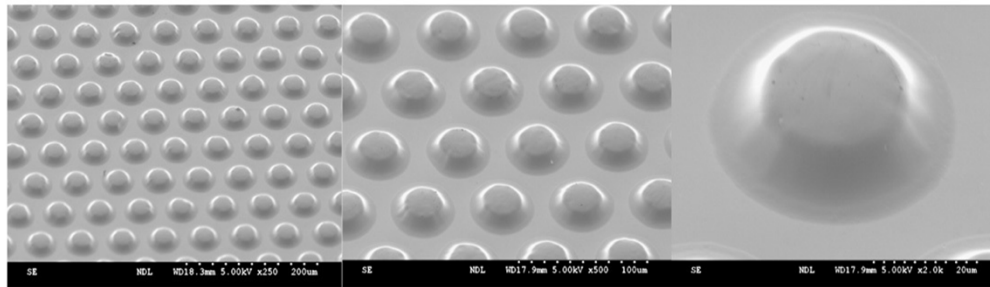
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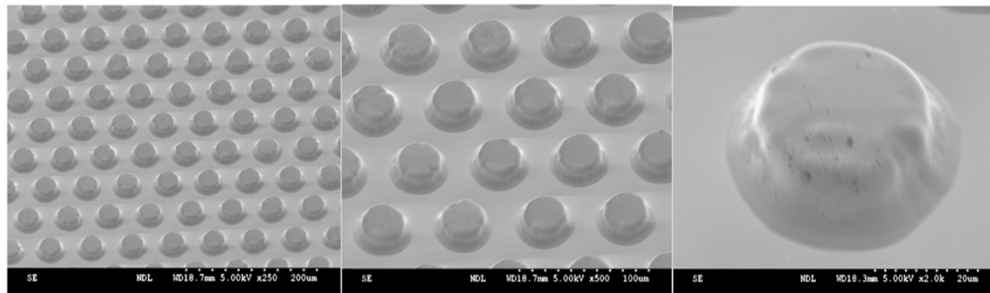
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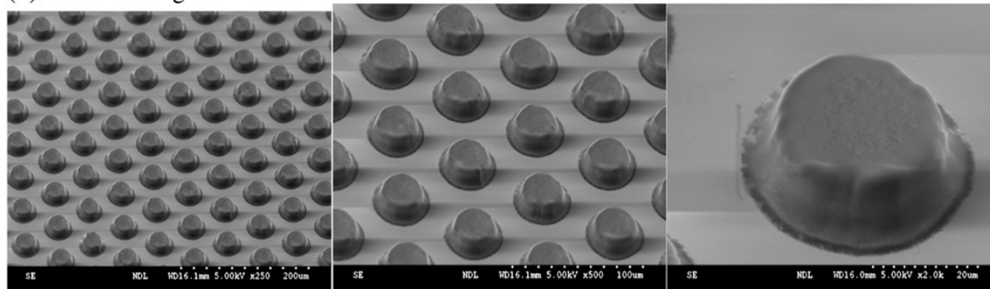
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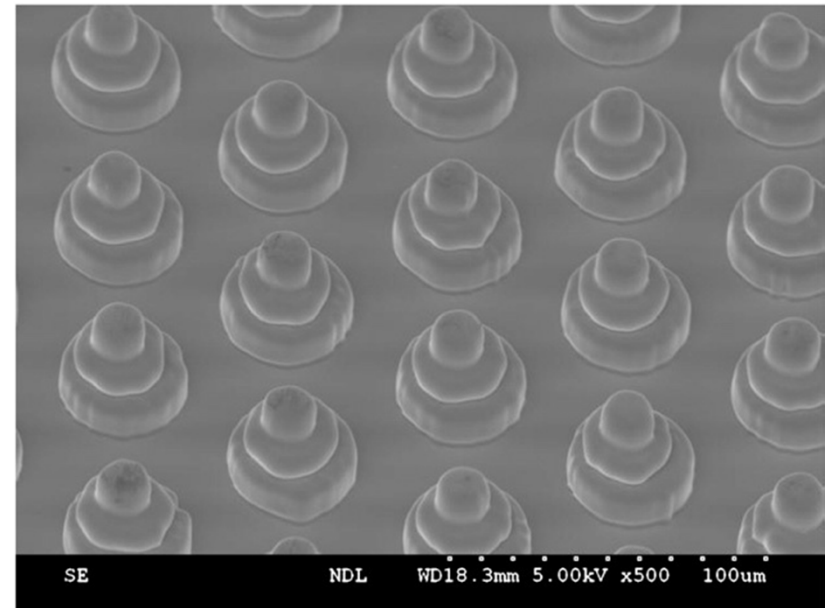
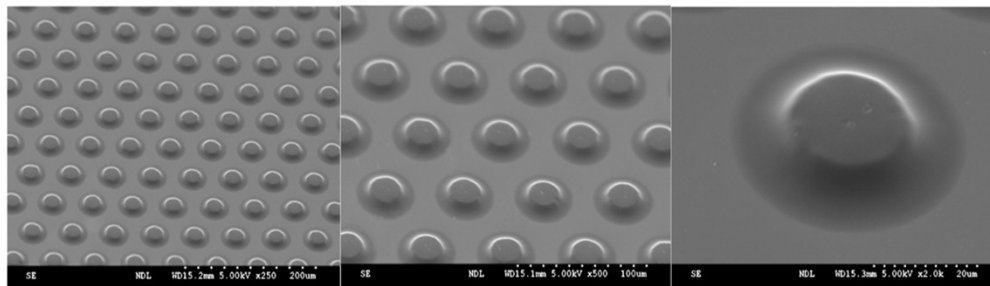
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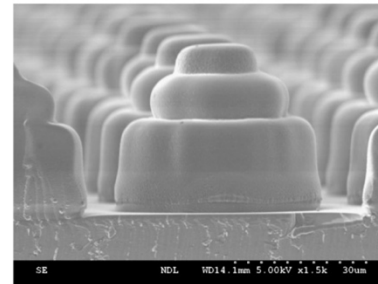
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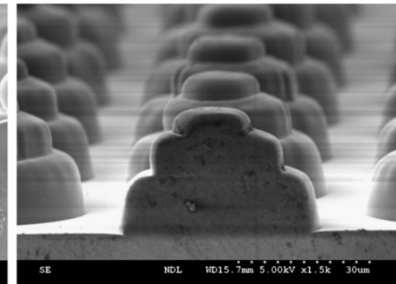
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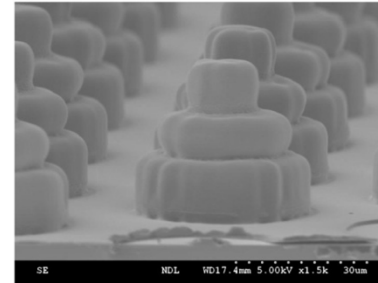
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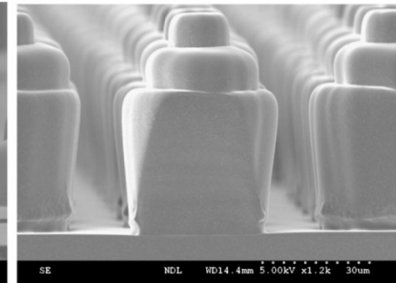
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10. 3. 8 Structural Parts for Aircraft: slat-track over surrounding a set of guide rails at the front of the wings_high formability and corrosion resistance (exposure to ambient atmosphere moistened by rain or seawater)

high strength and low Young's modulus

engines may be lightened by miniaturizing cylinder heads

**spring wires to be slimmer
springs themselves to be shorter**

increasing the revolution limit of engines by reducing their inertial mass

possible to improve fuel consumption

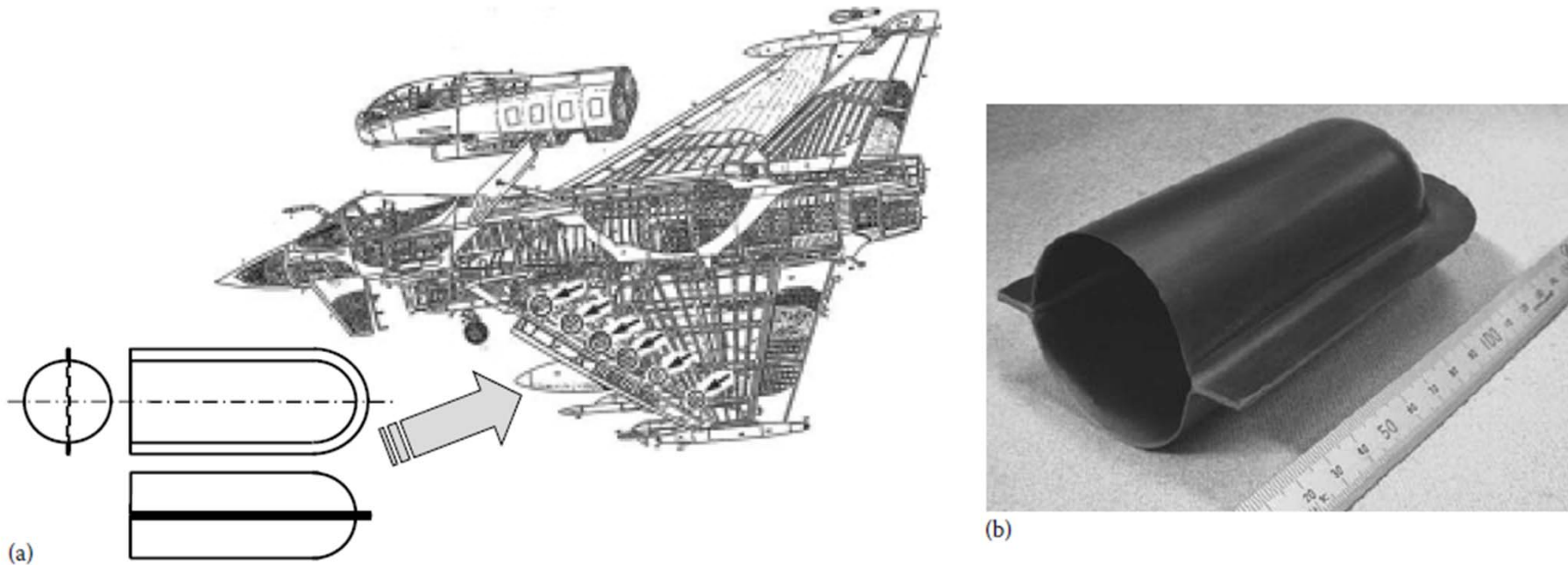


FIGURE 10.16

(a) Some areas (see small arrows) of an aircraft in which BMGs could be exploited. (b) Slat track cover fabricated by joining two identical parts obtained by viscous flow forming of a $Zr_{55}Cu_{30}Al_{10}Ni_5$ BMG plate.

10.3 Structural Applications: high yield (or fracture) strength, low Young's modulus, large elastic strain limit, and easy formability in the SCLR

10.3.9 Shot Peening Balls: high strength, good ductility, high endurance against cyclic bombardment load, and high corrosion resistance

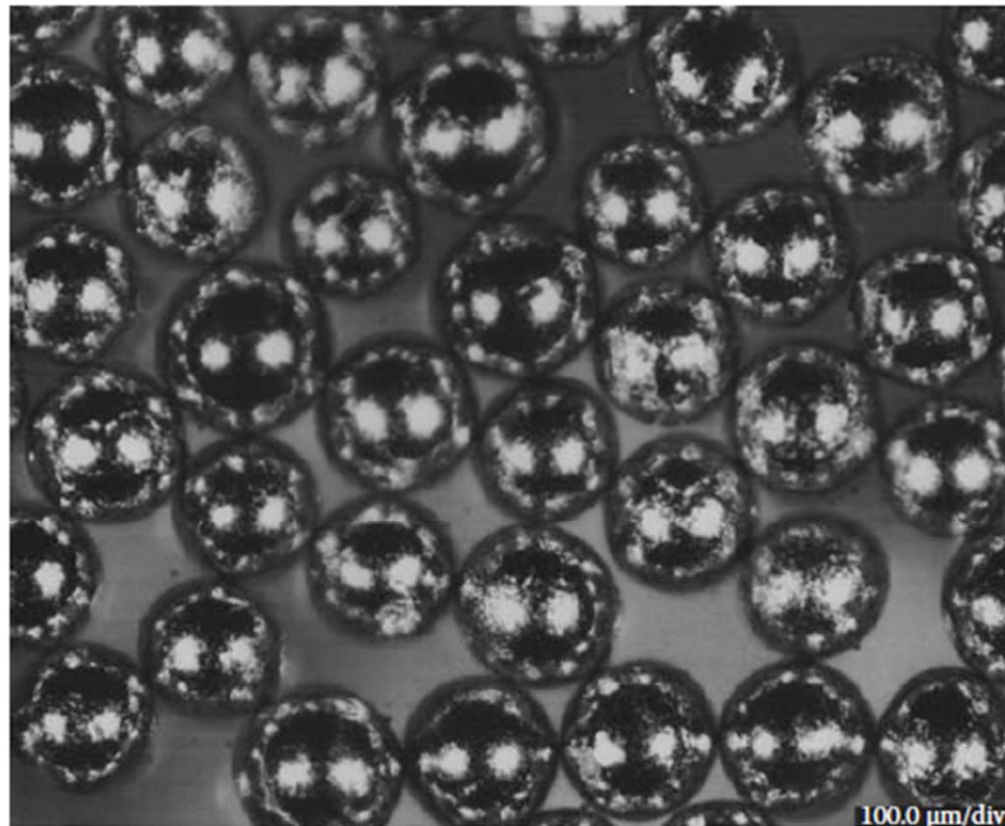


FIGURE 10.17

Size and surface finish of commercial $\text{Fe}_{44}\text{Co}_5\text{Ni}_{24}\text{Mo}_2\text{B}_{17}\text{Si}_8$ glassy alloy shots of $80\mu\text{m}$ diameter produced by water atomization. (Reprinted from Inoue, A. et al., *Mater. Trans.*, 44, 2391, 2003. With permission.)

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10.3.9 Shot Peening Balls: high strength, good ductility, high endurance against cyclic bombardment load, and high corrosion resistance

TABLE 10.2

Mechanical Properties of the Fe-Based BMG and Two Other Cast Steel Shots Used in the Investigation

Property	Fe-Based BMG Fe ₄₄ Co ₅ Ni ₂₄ Mo ₂ B ₁₇ Si ₈	High-Speed Steel Fe-1.15C-4Cr-5Mo- 2.5V-6.5W-8Co (wt.%)	Cast Steel Fe-1C-0.9Si- 0.7Mn (wt.%)
Young's modulus (GPa)	80	215	210
Fracture strength (MPa)	3200	2100	1100
Vickers hardness	930	815	810
Density (g cm ⁻³)	7.4	7.7	7.55

TABLE 10.3

Effects of Bombardment with Fe-Based BMG Alloy Shots and Cast Steel Shots for 40s on Two Commercial Steel Sheets

Attribute	Fe-Based BMG	Cast Steel
Crater size (μm)	20	7
Average crater height (μm)	15	5
Depth of affected region (μm)	100	45
Surface Vickers hardness	510	480
Maximum compressive stress on the surface (MPa)	1600	1470
Depth (μm) of the region at which the compressive stress was 500 MPa	27	18
Endurance time needed to final rupture of the peening shots (h)	28	—

Chemical Applications

Very hard,
high strength

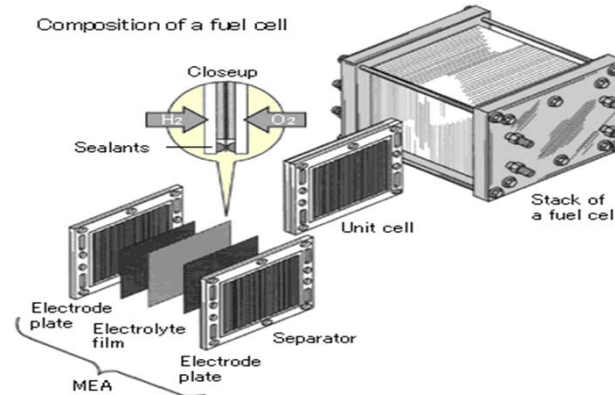
High corrosion
resistance

Viscous
deformability

Chemical Applications

1) Fuel cell separator

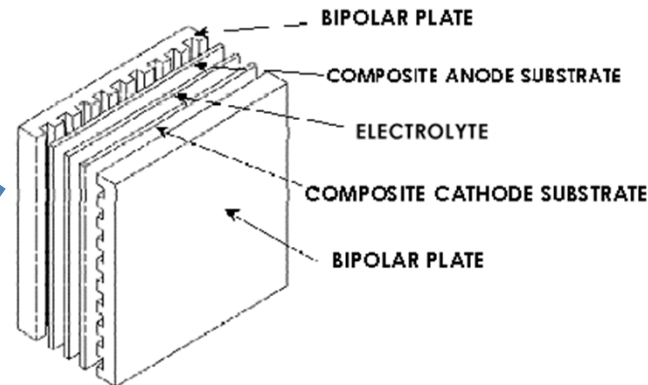
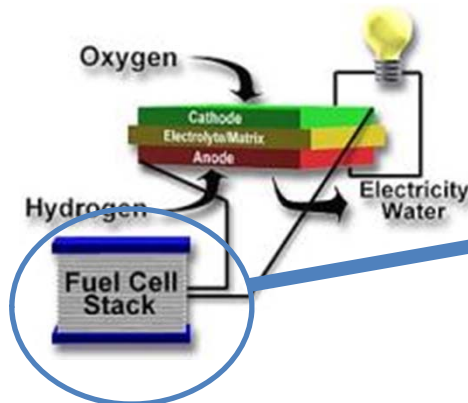
Lower interfacial contact resistances
higher corrosion resistance
high strength



2) hydrogen-permeable membrane

Defect-free film growth
High strength and ductility
Corrosion resistance
Good H₂ solubility

Withstanding repeated cycling
high temperature
high pressure
Compositional flexibility and homogeneity
High catalytic surface activities for H₂ interactions



10. 4 Chemical Applications: a) Fuel cell separators_high strength, superior corrosion resistance, and excellent formability in SCLR

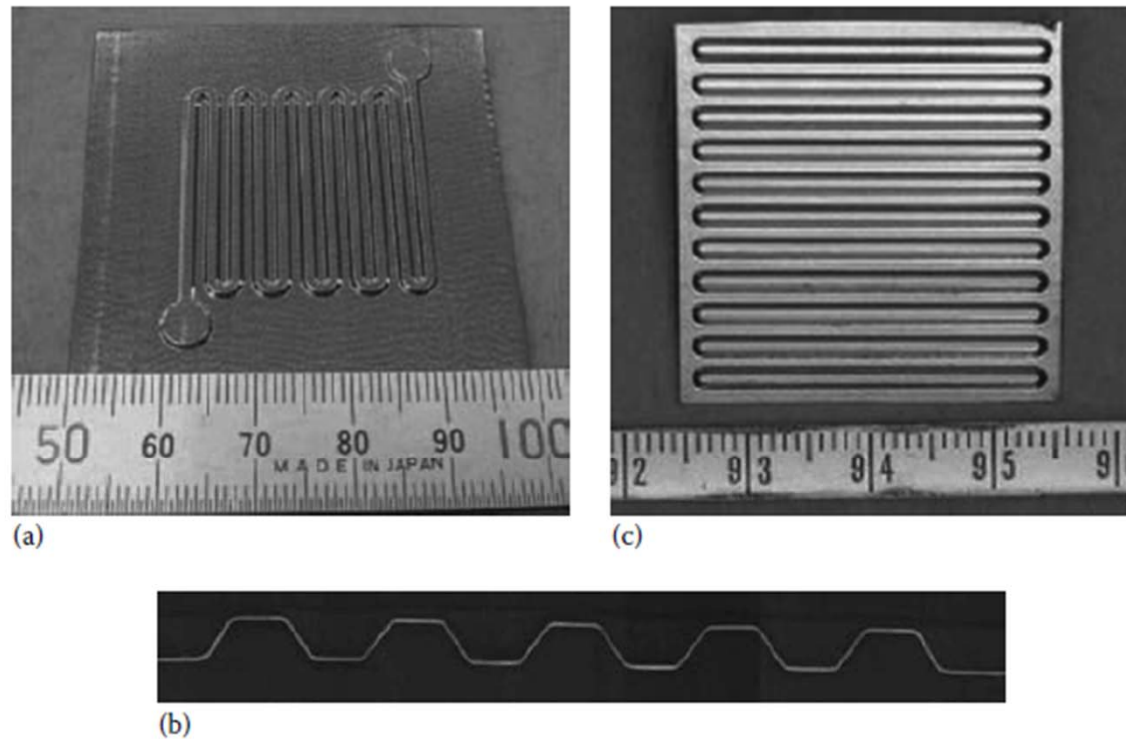


FIGURE 10.18

(a) Prototype fuel cell separator using a Ni-based BMG sheet, (b) cross-sectional morphology of the groove-formed specimen, and (c) appearance of the BMG separator after power generation for 350h. (Reprinted from Inoue, A. et al., *Mater. Trans.*, 46, 1706, 2005. With permission.)

b) Hydrogen separating membrane:

Good hydrogen permeability + melt-spun
→ Possible to mass-production technique by using amorphous hydrogen permeable membranes

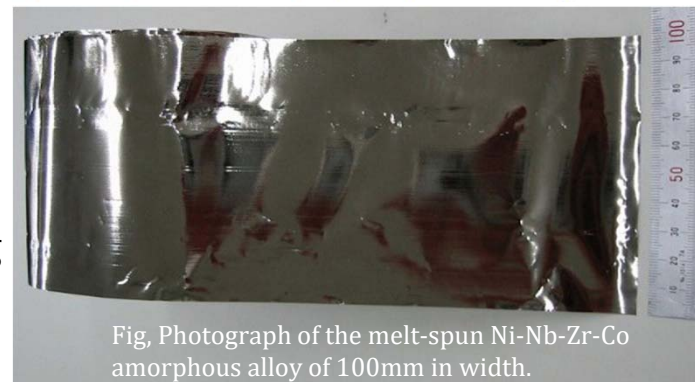
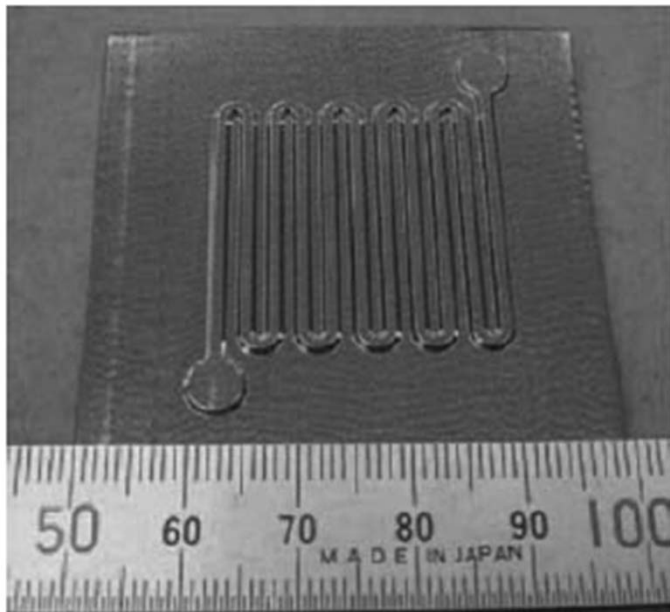


Fig. Photograph of the melt-spun Ni-Nb-Zr-Co amorphous alloy of 100mm in width.

10. 4 Chemical Applications: **Fuel cell separators_high strength, superior corrosion resistance, and excellent formability in SCLR**

BMG

- High strength
- Superior corrosion resistance
- Viscous deformability



Stainless steel

drastic drop of output
voltage

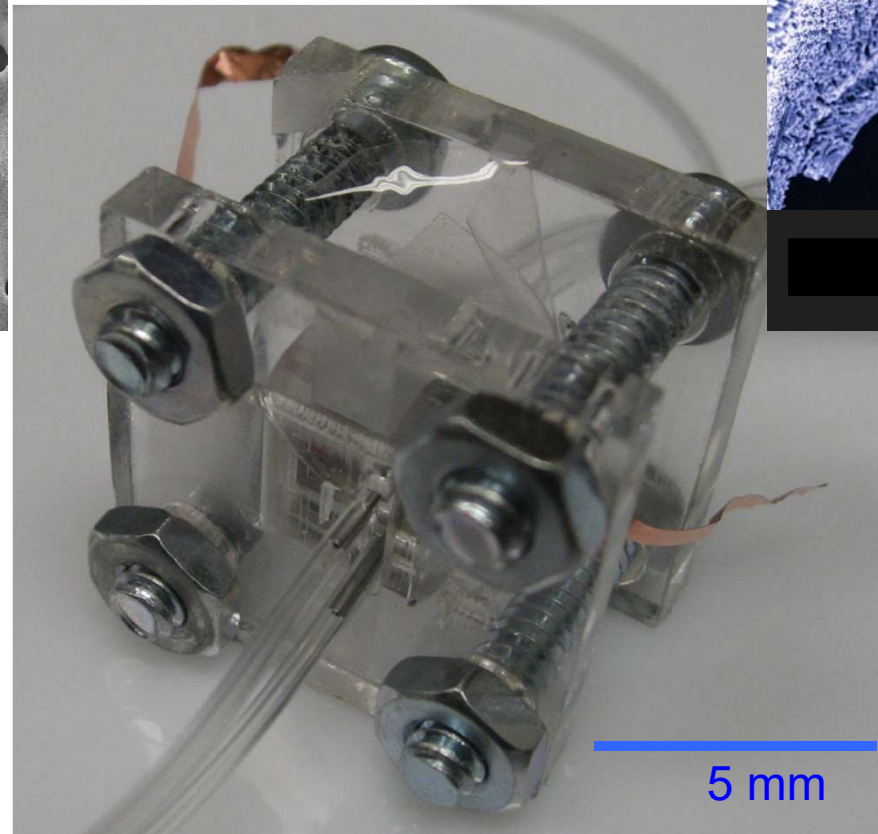
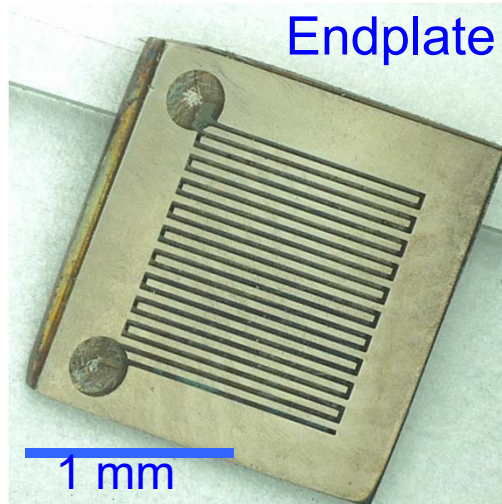
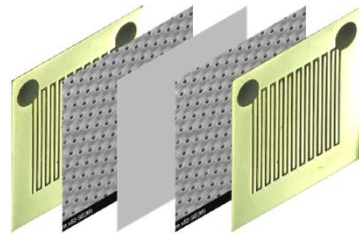
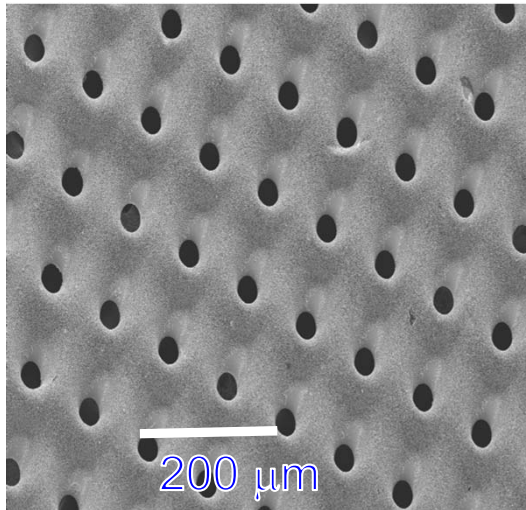


BMG

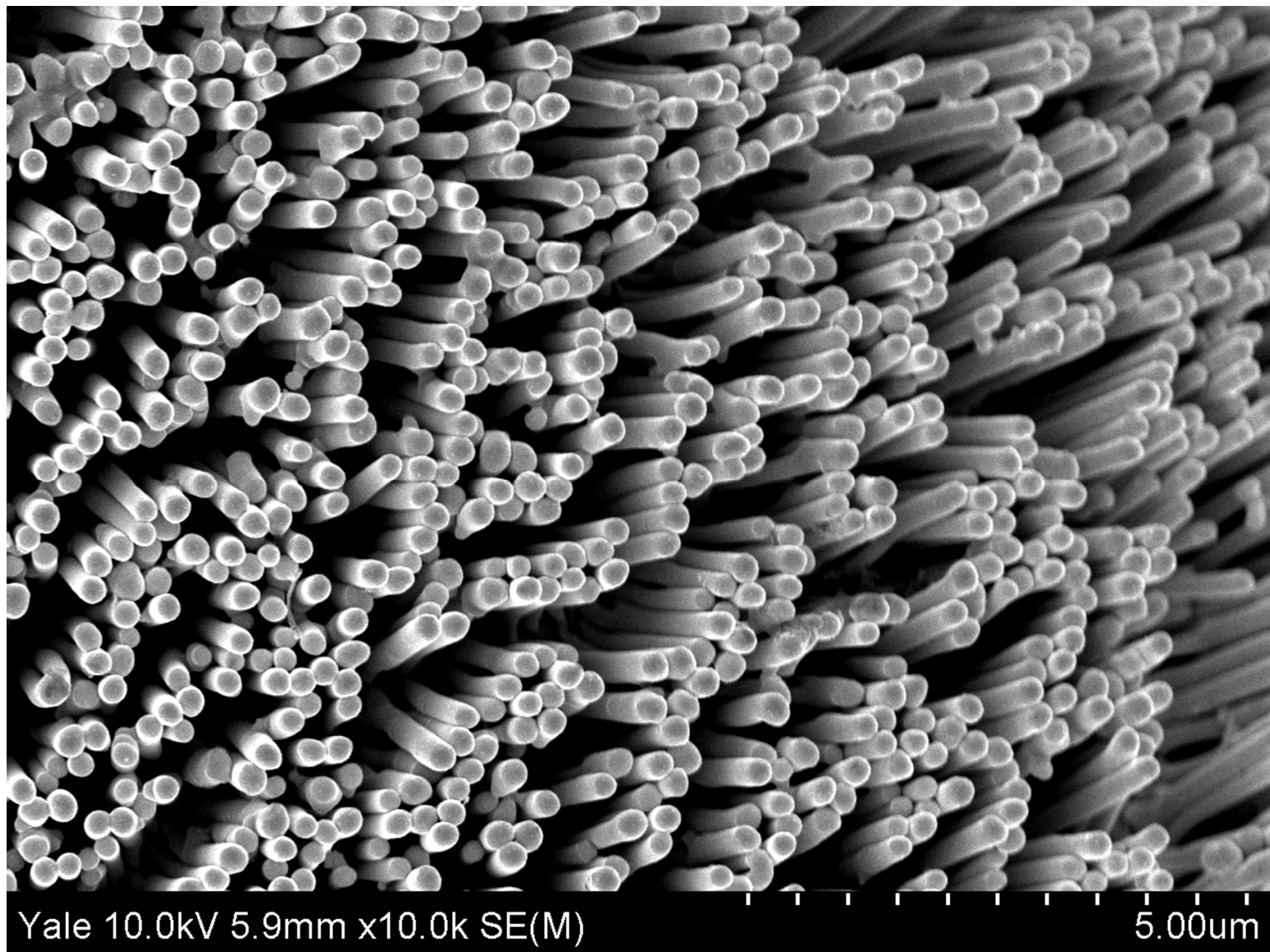
System smaller
lighter
low product cost
High voltage output
Slow degradation

Metallic Glass Fuel Cell

Electrode, Catalyst



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10. 5. Magnetic Applications:

BMG

High permeability
Low coercivity

* $\text{Fe}_{73}\text{Ga}_4\text{P}_{11}\text{C}_5\text{B}_4\text{Si}_3$ BMG plates
(30 mm long, 20 mm wide and 1 mm thick)

* Fe-Ga-Al-P-C BMG : Low core loss
610 kW/m³ at 100kHz (High freq.)

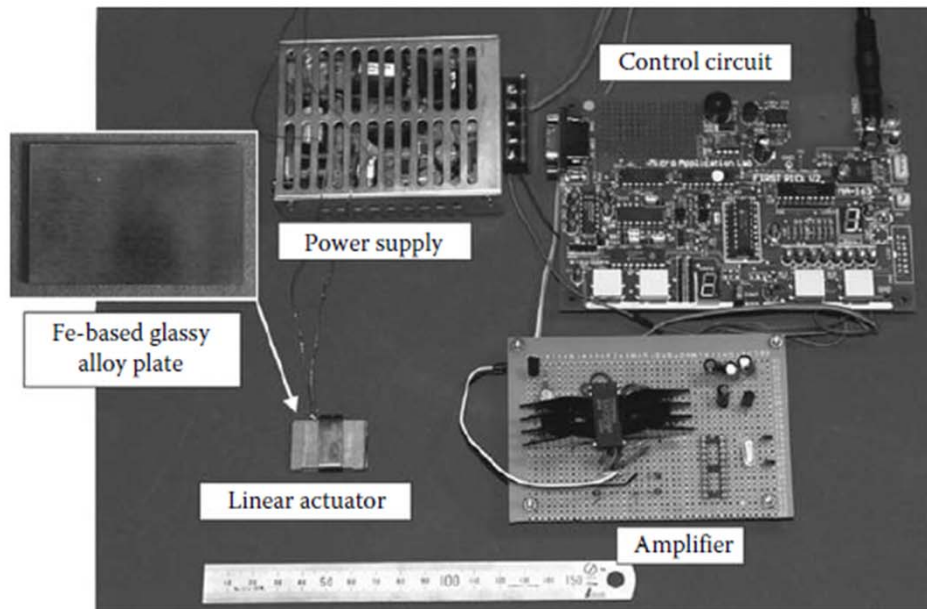


FIGURE 10.19
Magnetic yoke made of an $\text{Fe}_{73}\text{Ga}_4\text{P}_{11}\text{C}_5\text{B}_4\text{Si}_3$ BMG plate for a prototype linear actuator.

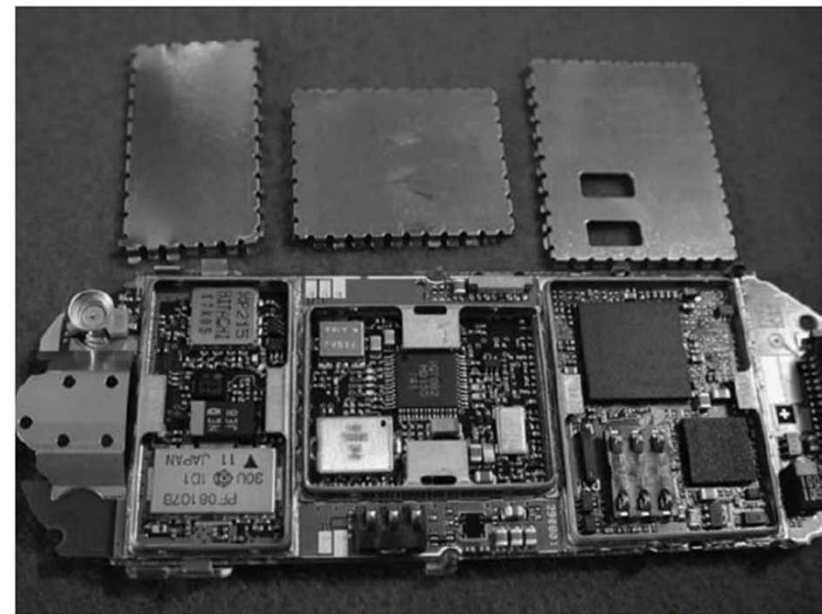
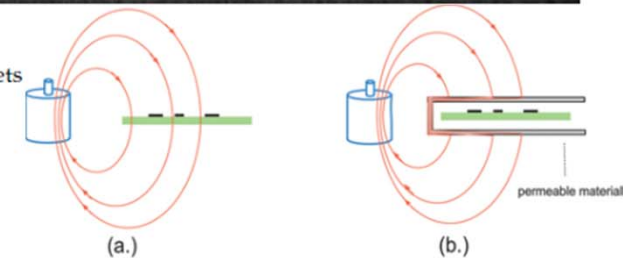


FIGURE 10.20
BMG magnetic shielding sheets



Magnetic Applications

Very soft magnetic material

High electrical resistivity

Magnetic Applications

1) Sensor

- Sensitivity ferrite < amorphous alloy < superconductor
- Operating temp. amorphous alloy > ferrite , superconductor
- Compactness amorphous alloy , ferrite > superconductor
- Reliability amorphous alloy , ferrite > > ferrite > superconductor

Shape	Dimension	Fabrication	Applications	compositions
Ribbon	15~30 μm t 0.1~200mm W	Melt spinning (single roll technique)	Magnetic hand Cartridge Torque sensor Data tablet Magnetic-field sensor Current sensor	CoFeSiB FeSiB
Wire	90~160 μm ϕ	In-rotating water Melt quenching	Magnetic-field sensor Current sensor Security sensor Rotation sensor Displacement sensor	CoFeMSiB
Thin film	500~400Å t	Sputtering	Pressure sensor Magnetic head	FeB CoFeMSiB
Composite	10~30 μm t	Laser-quenching	Torque sensor	FeBsi

Magnetic Applications

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High electrical resistivity

Magnetic Applications

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- Operating temp. amorphous alloy > ferrite , superconductor
- Compactness amorphous alloy , ferrite > superconductor
- Reliability amorphous alloy , ferrite > > ferrite > superconductor

Zero-magnetostrictive alloy	Magnetic head sensor	
	Data tablet(Matteucci effect)	
	Magnetic cartridge	
	Magnetic-field sensor	Magnetometer , Current sensor, Direction sensor Displacement sensor, Card reader, Security sensor Motor-flux sensor, Eddy-current sensor → proximity sensor
High-magnetostrictive alloy	Stress-magnetic effect	Torque sensor, pressure sensor, shock sensor
	Magnetoelastic wave propagation effect	Data tablet, frost sensor Distance sensor, touch sensor
	Large Barkhausen effect	Security sensor, rotation speed sensor, distance sensor
	Matteucci effect	degitizer

10. 6 Miscellaneous Applications: The high strength and wear resistance of BMGs along with their biocompatibility, smooth surface finish, and aesthetic appearance determine the type of material to be used and the appropriate applications.

10. 6. 1 Jewelry

TABLE 10.4

Selected Properties of Au-Based and Pt-Based BMGs and Their Approximate Crystalline Counterparts

Material	Density (g cm ⁻³)	Yield Strength (MPa)	Elastic Elongation (%)	Hardness	$S = \Delta T_x / (T_\ell - T_g)$
Au ₄₉ Ag _{55.5} Pd _{2.3} Cu _{26.9} Si _{16.3} (LM18kAu)	11	1200	1.5	360	0.24
Au–Ag–Cu (18k)	15.4	350	<0.5	150	—
Pt _{57.5} Cu _{14.7} Ni _{5.3} P _{22.5} (LM850Plat)	15.3	1400	1.3	402	0.34
Pt/Ir850/150	21.5	420	<0.5	160	—

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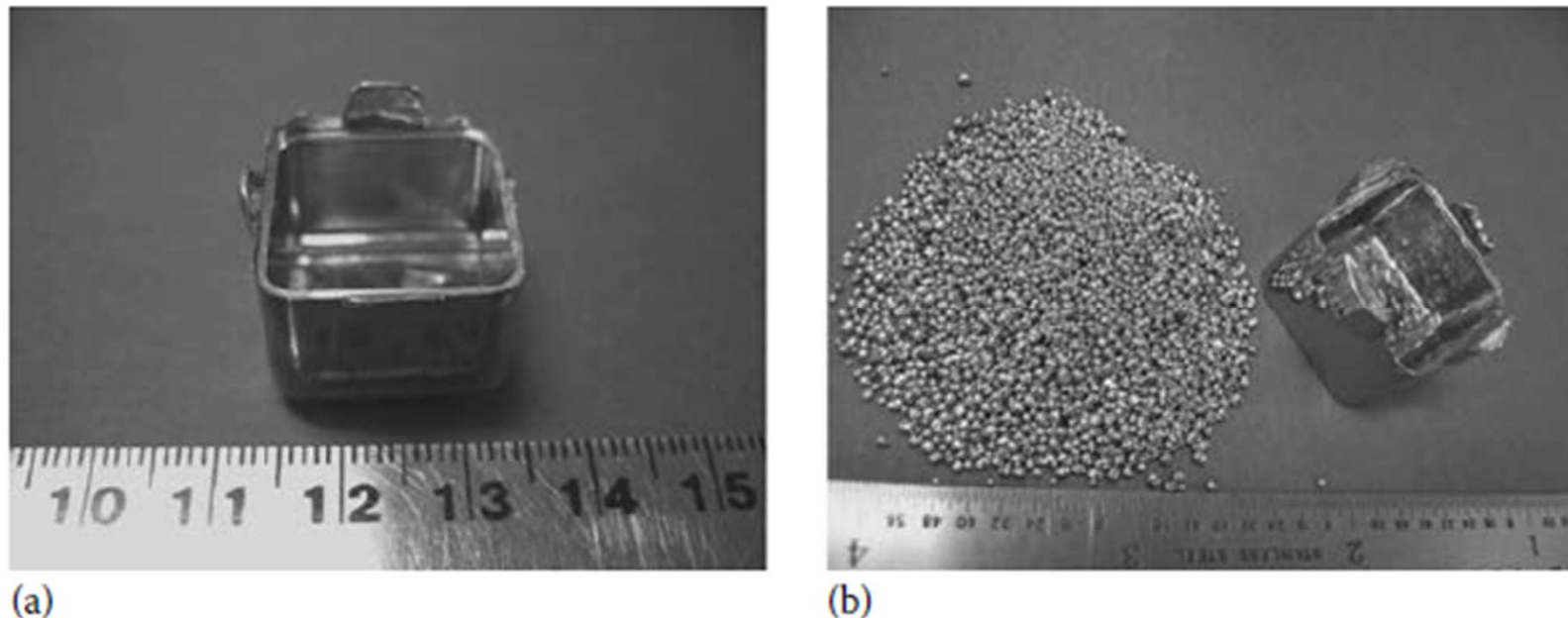


FIGURE 10.21

Net shape formability using Au-based and Pt-based BMG alloys. (a) The Au-based alloy was formed at 150°C for 200s under a pressure of 100MPa. (b) The Pt-based alloy formed at 270°C for 100s under a pressure of 28MPa using pellets as feedstock material. (Reprinted from Schroers, J. et al., *Mater. Sci. Eng. A*, 449–451, 235, 2007. With permission.)

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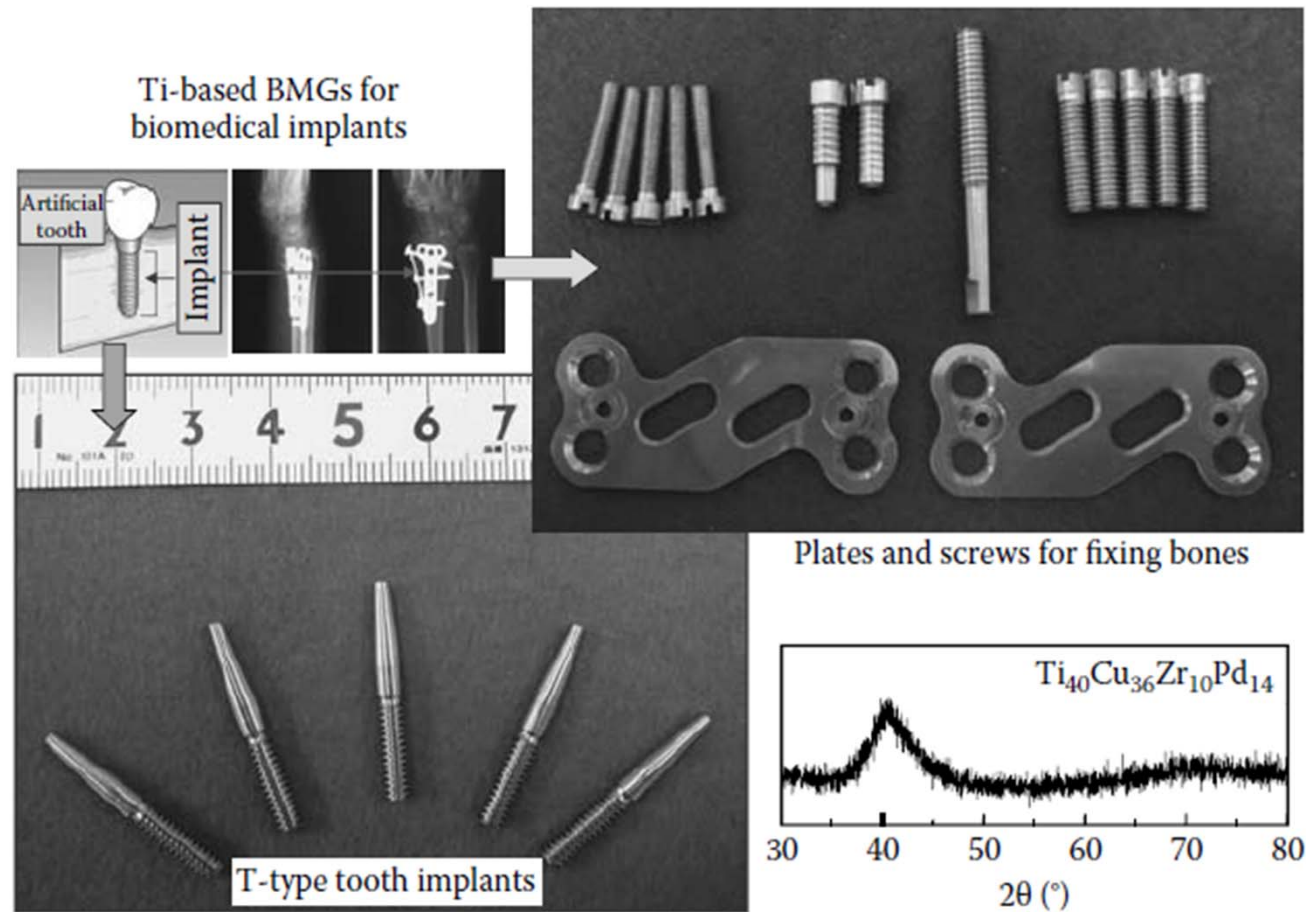


FIGURE 10.22

$Ti_{40}Zr_{10}Cu_{36}Pd_{14}$ BMG alloy implants for T-type teeth and plates and screws for fixing bones.

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10. 6. 2. Biomedical Applications

Enveloped Cast Technique for BMG Parts (hip joint)

For biomedical use

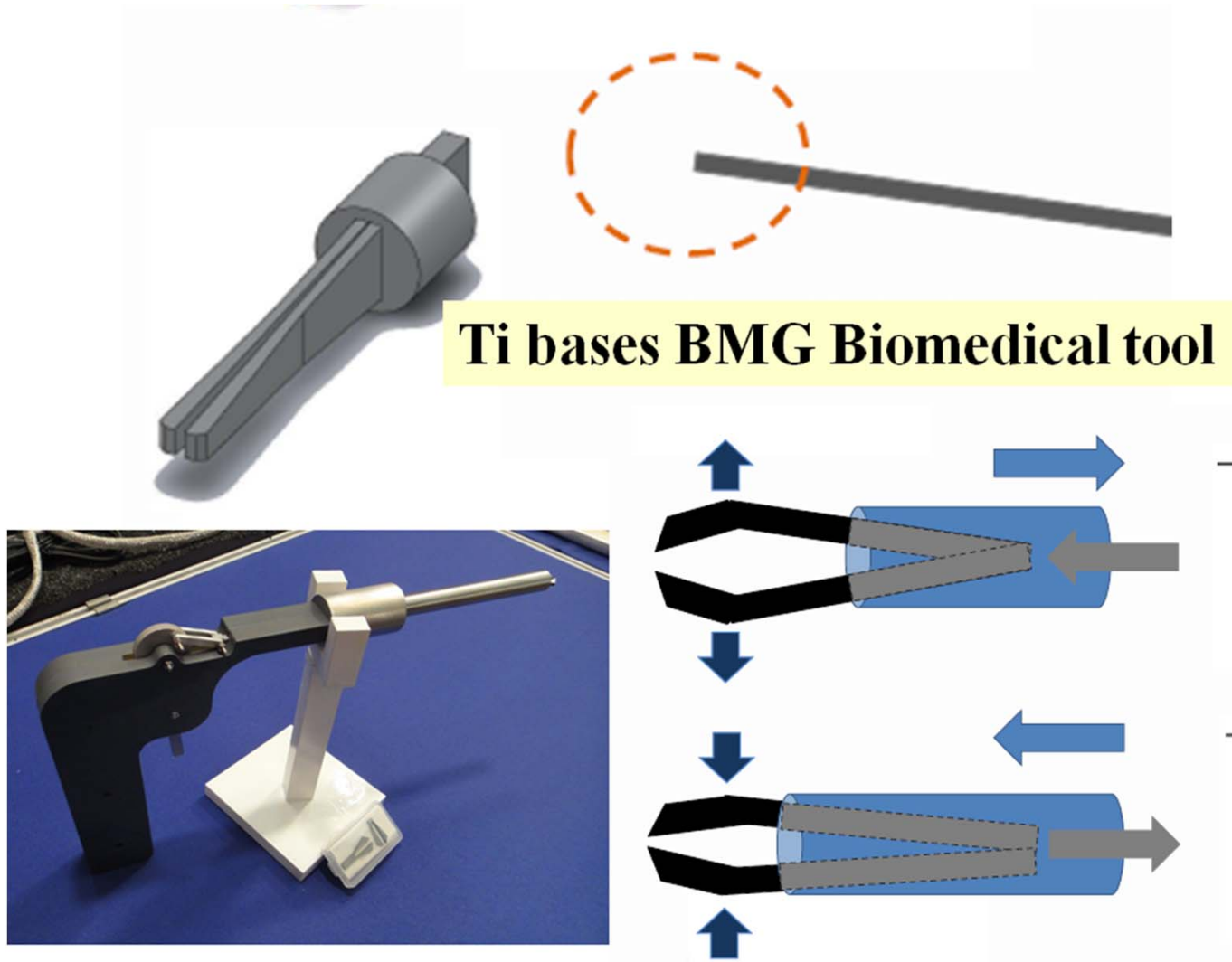


Stainless Steel (core)

Ball head was covered by BMG with enveloped casting (thickness 3 mm)

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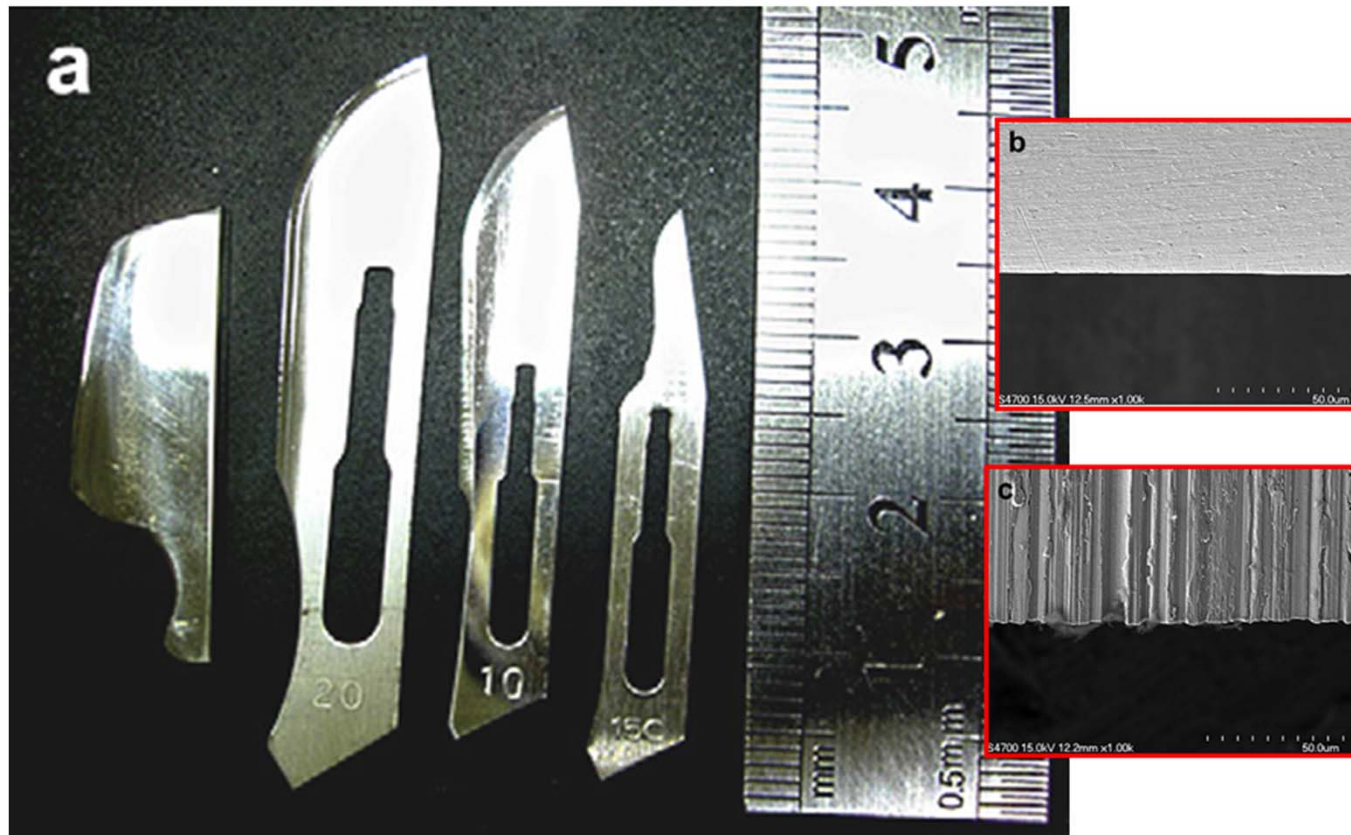
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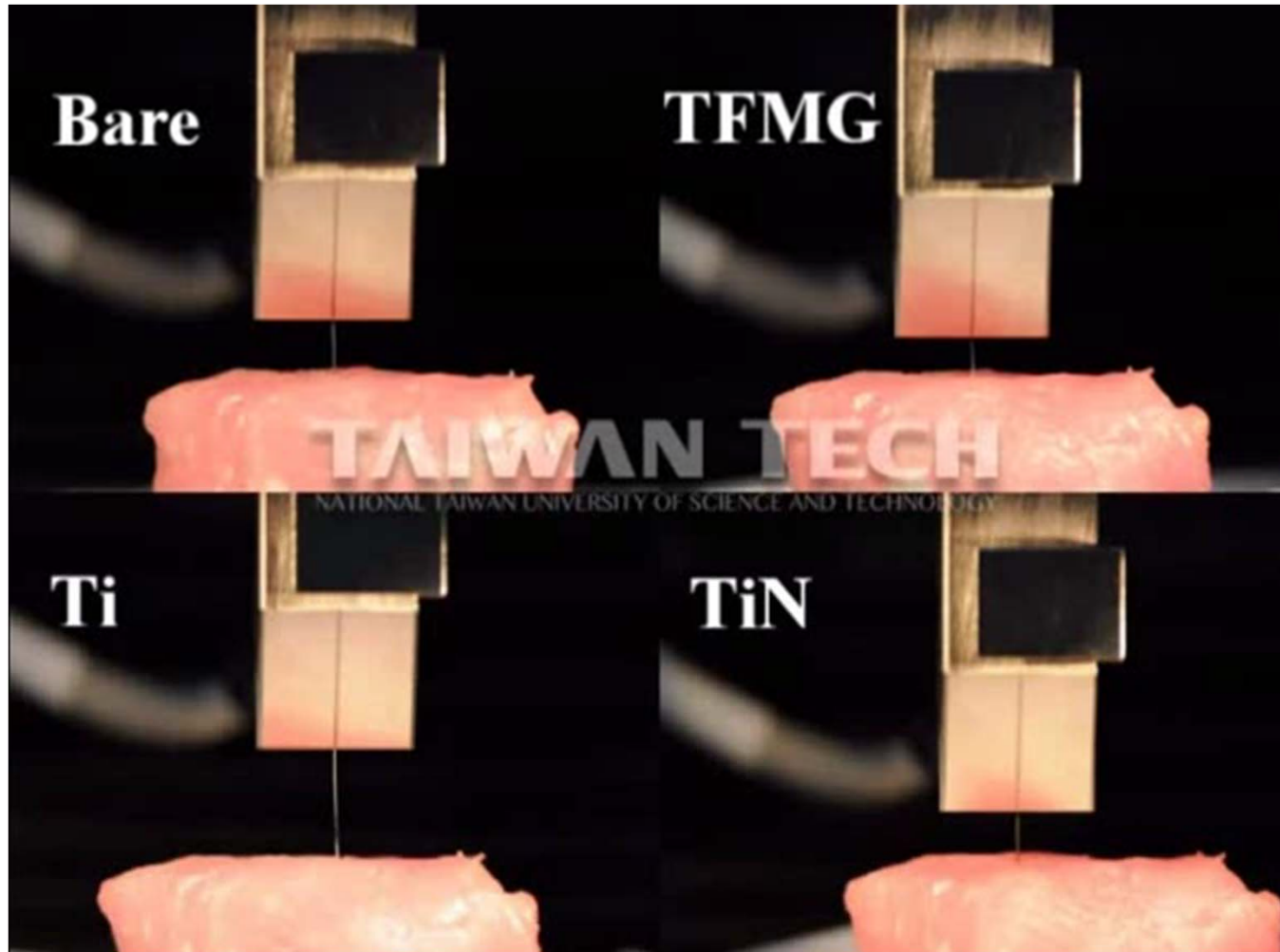
10. 6. 3. Medical Devices

Anti-microbial surgical tools



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10. 6. 3. Medical Devices



Zr-based alloy

❖ Catching solar wind

As part of NASA's Discovery Program, August 2001 saw the launch of the \$200 million Genesis spacecraft (Fig. a) with the aim of collecting samples of solar wind²². Orbiting the Lagrange point, Genesis is expected to capture 10-20 μg of solar wind particles and ions using five, 1 m diameter circular passive collector arrays.

Zr-Nb-Cu-Ni-Al



X 55 → Circular passive collector array

Absorbing and retaining noble gases He and Ne



Bring collectors to Earth and acid etching



Captured higher ions



[higher-energy ions] differ in composition from the solar wind

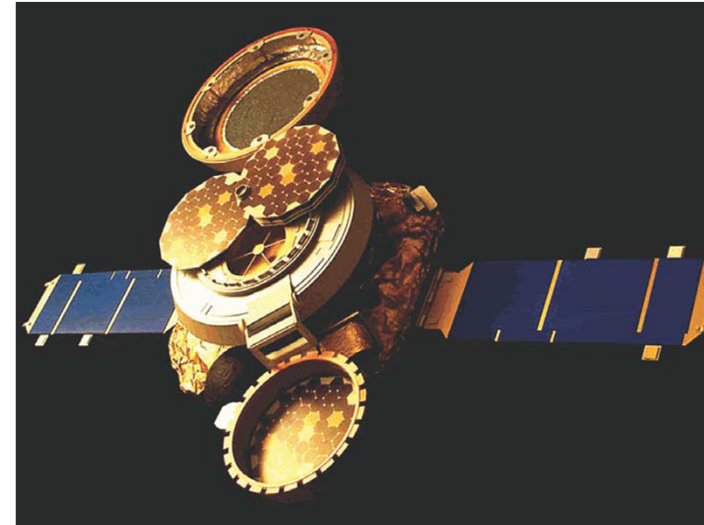
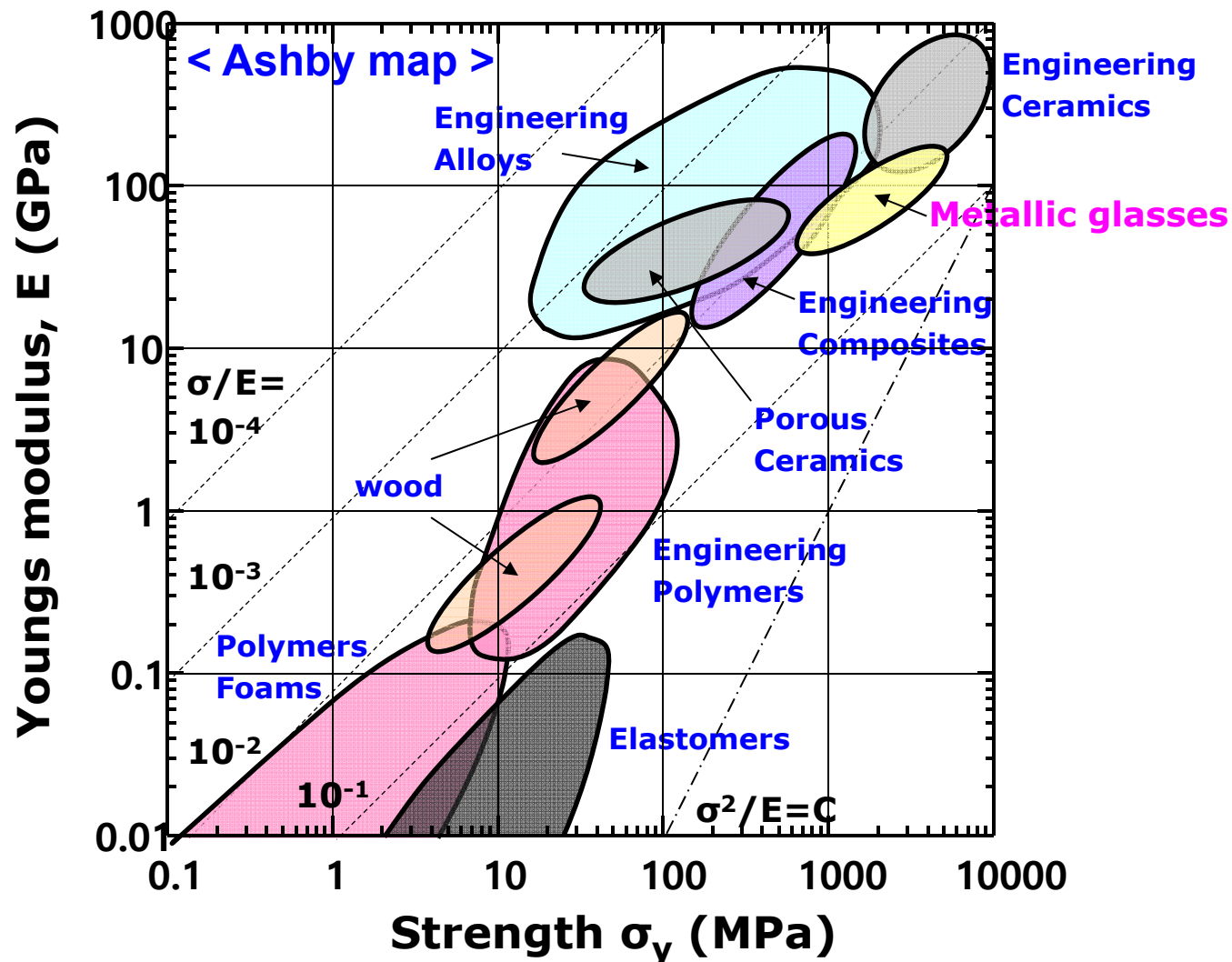


Fig. (a) Artist's impression of the Genesis spacecraft in collection mode, opened up to collect and store samples of solar wind particles. The cover of the canister contains one collector array and the body of a stack of four arrays that can be rotated out when the spacecraft begins its orbit. (b) Genesis' array, held by Andy Stone of the Jet Propulsion Laboratory, showing the collector materials. [(a) courtesy of JPL; (b) courtesy of NASA Johnson Space Center.]

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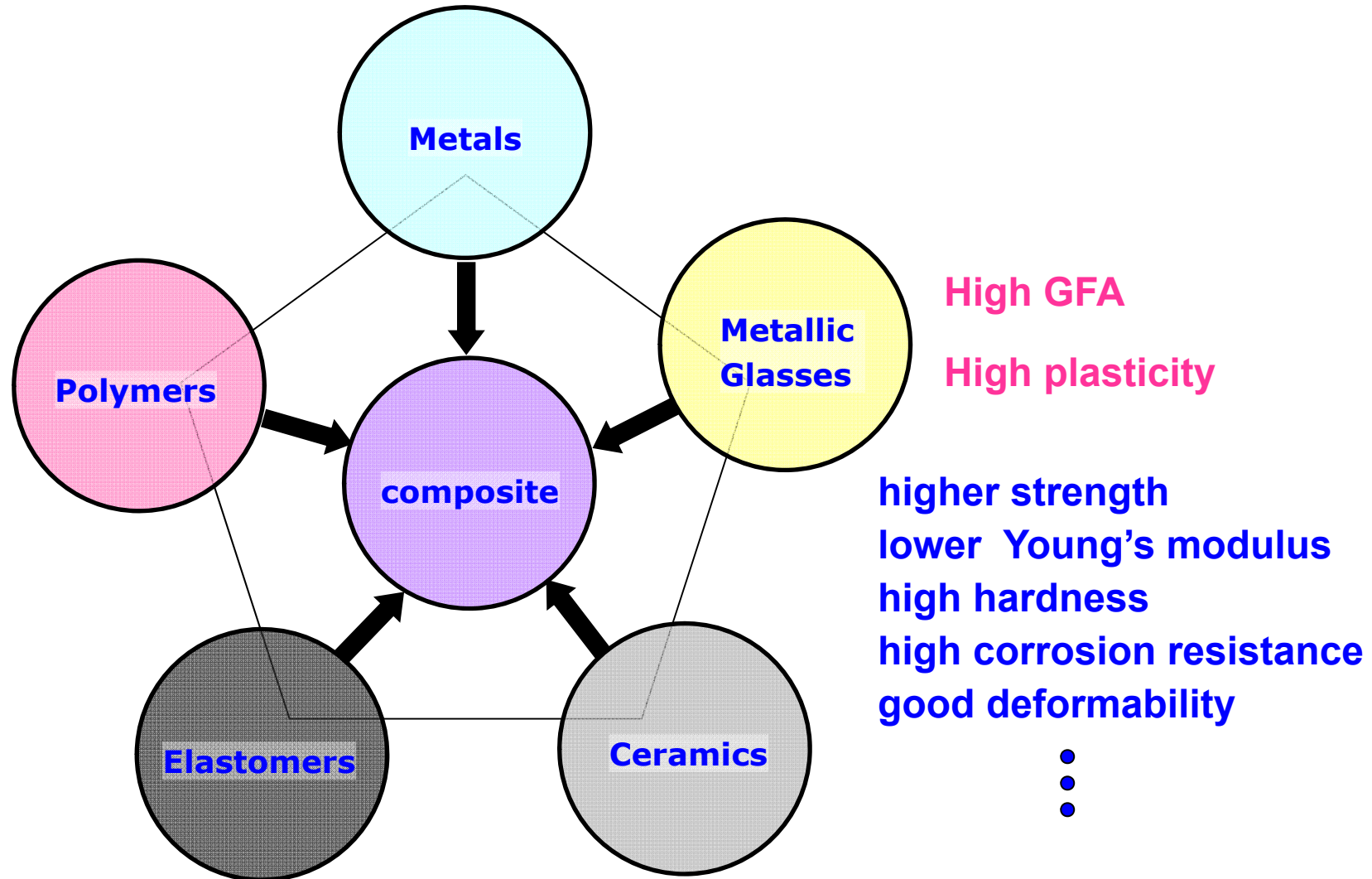
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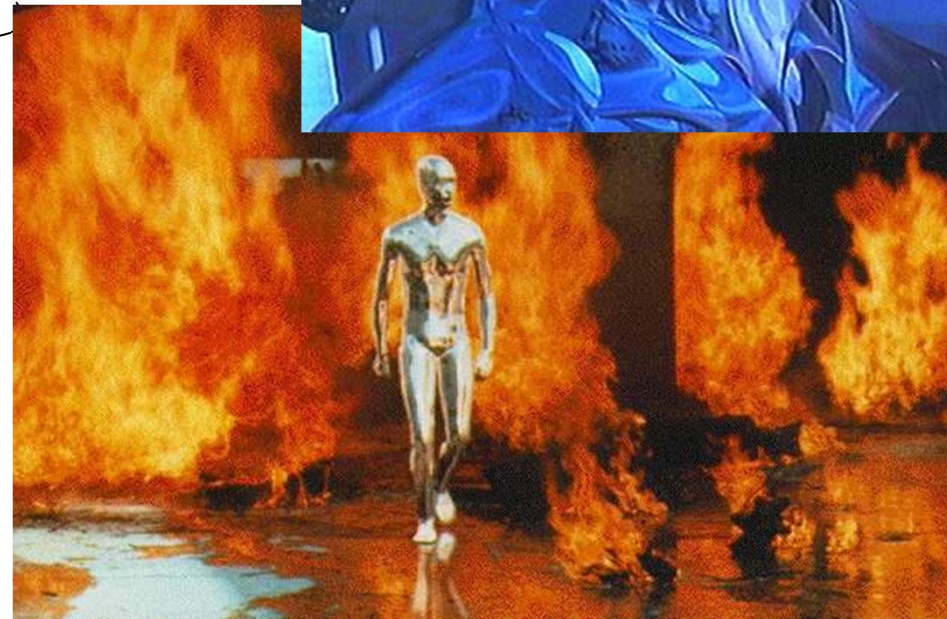
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By eliminating or reducing the effectiveness of heterogeneous nucleation, it should be possible to form bulk metallic glasses with virtually unlimited dimensions.



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week 16 Ch 10. Potential Applications of BMGs

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H: Study and summary for Voronoi Polyhedra and submit as a ppt file (under 5 pages)

H: Summary (page 265 – page 360)

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H: Find out a novel application of bulk metallic glass and submit as a ppt file (under 3 pages)

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