
Self-organization in confinement: a strategy to exploit and improve the properties of functional materials

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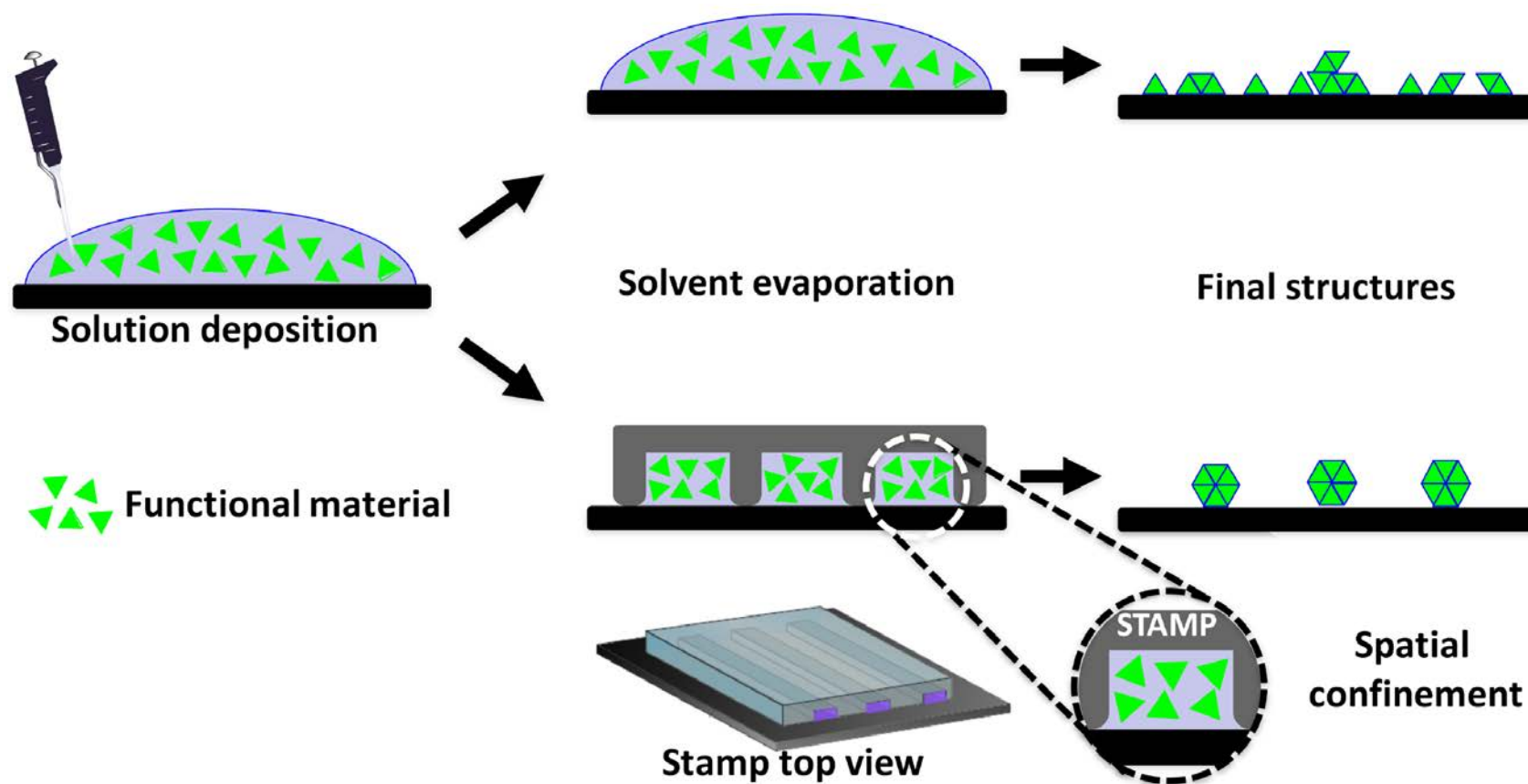
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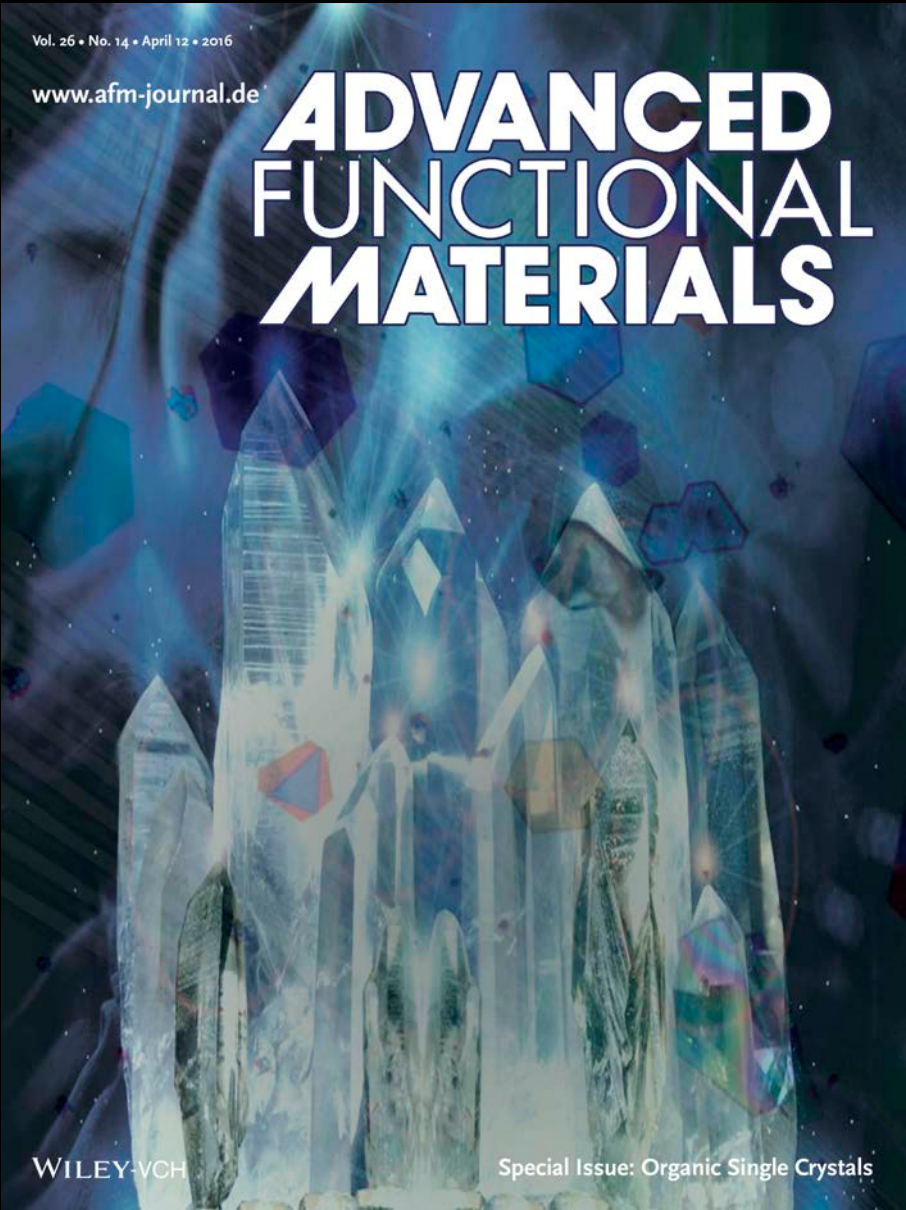
Growth and Manipulation of Organic Semiconductors Microcrystals by Wet Lithography

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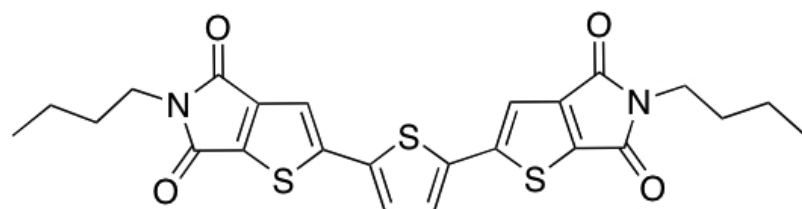
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An abstract, artistic illustration of organic single crystals. The crystals are depicted as tall, translucent, and faceted structures, resembling ice or mineral growth, with a blue and white color palette. They are set against a dark, textured background. Interspersed among the crystals are various glowing, translucent geometric shapes, including hexagons, pentagons, and triangles, in shades of blue, purple, and orange. The overall effect is one of scientific wonder and advanced technology.

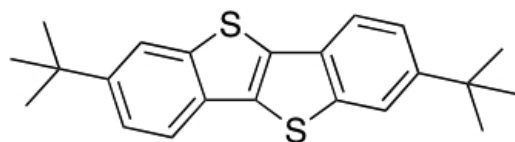
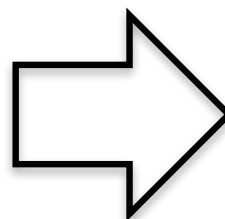
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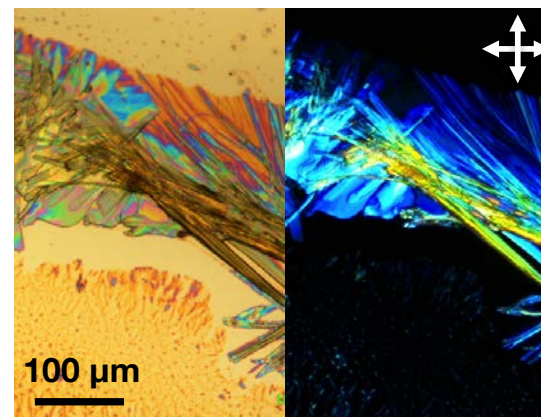


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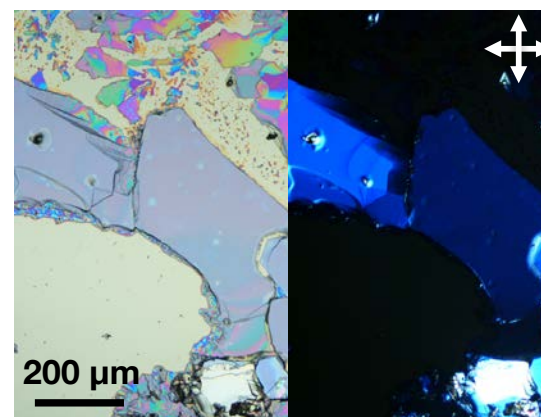
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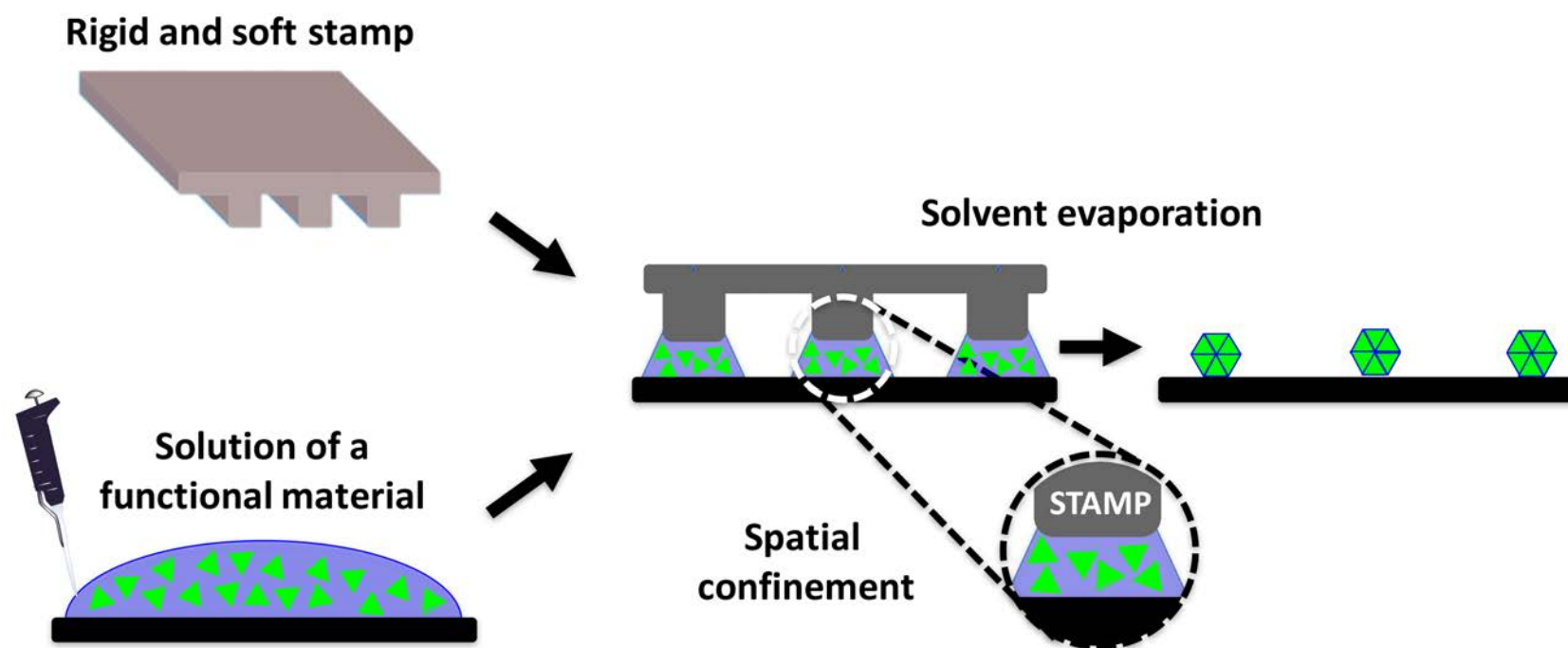
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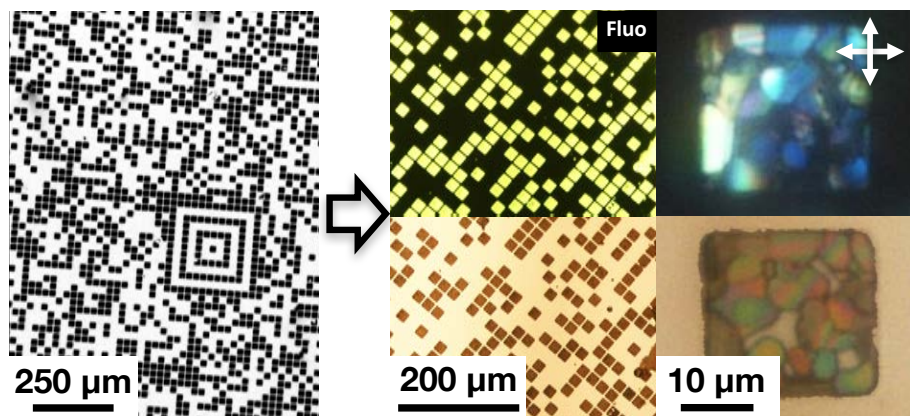
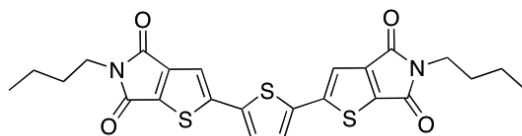
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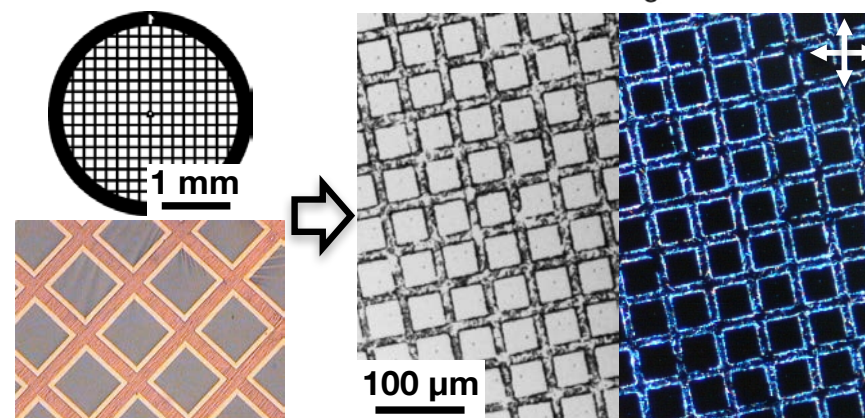
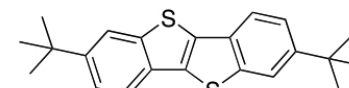
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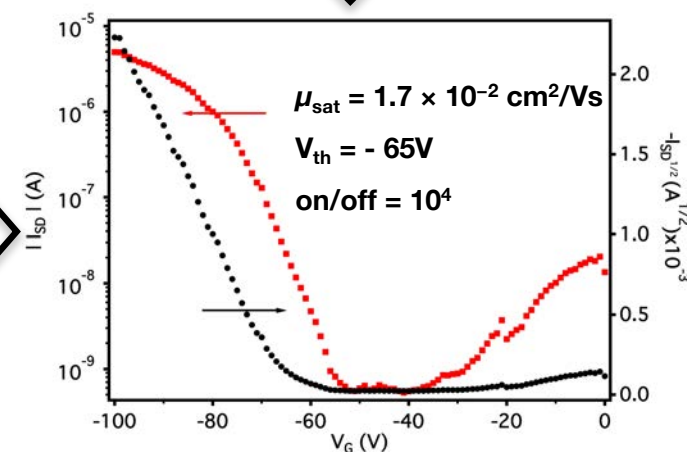
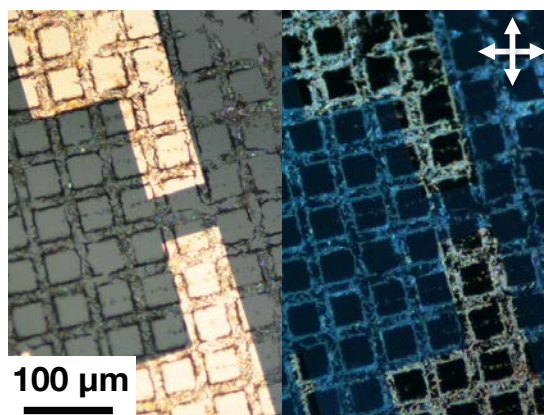
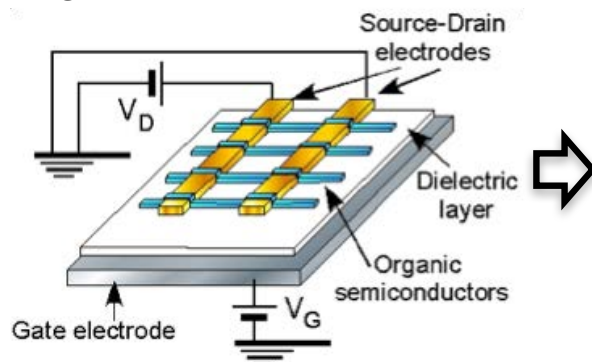
Soft stamp: 2D barcode



Rigid stamp: square grid



Organic field effect transistor





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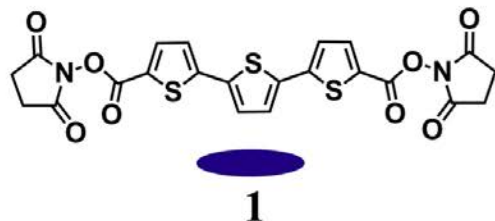
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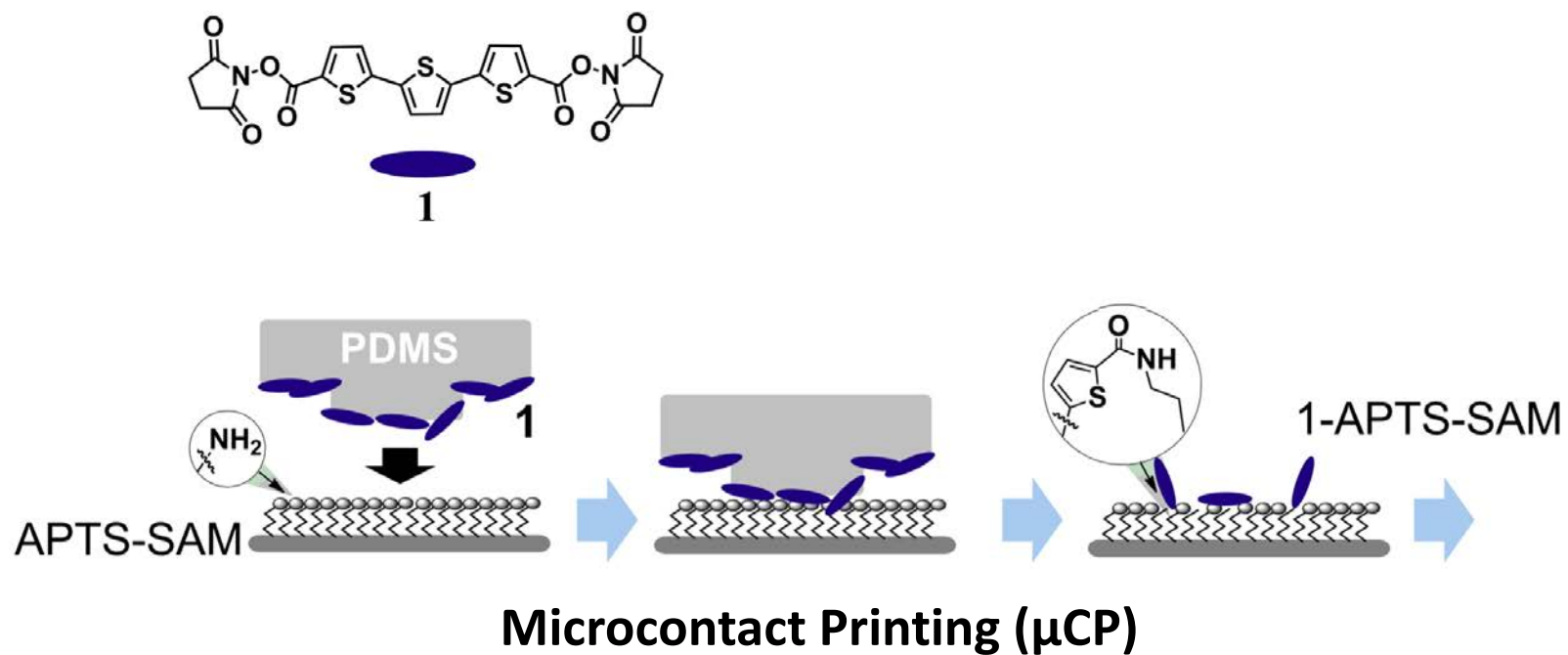
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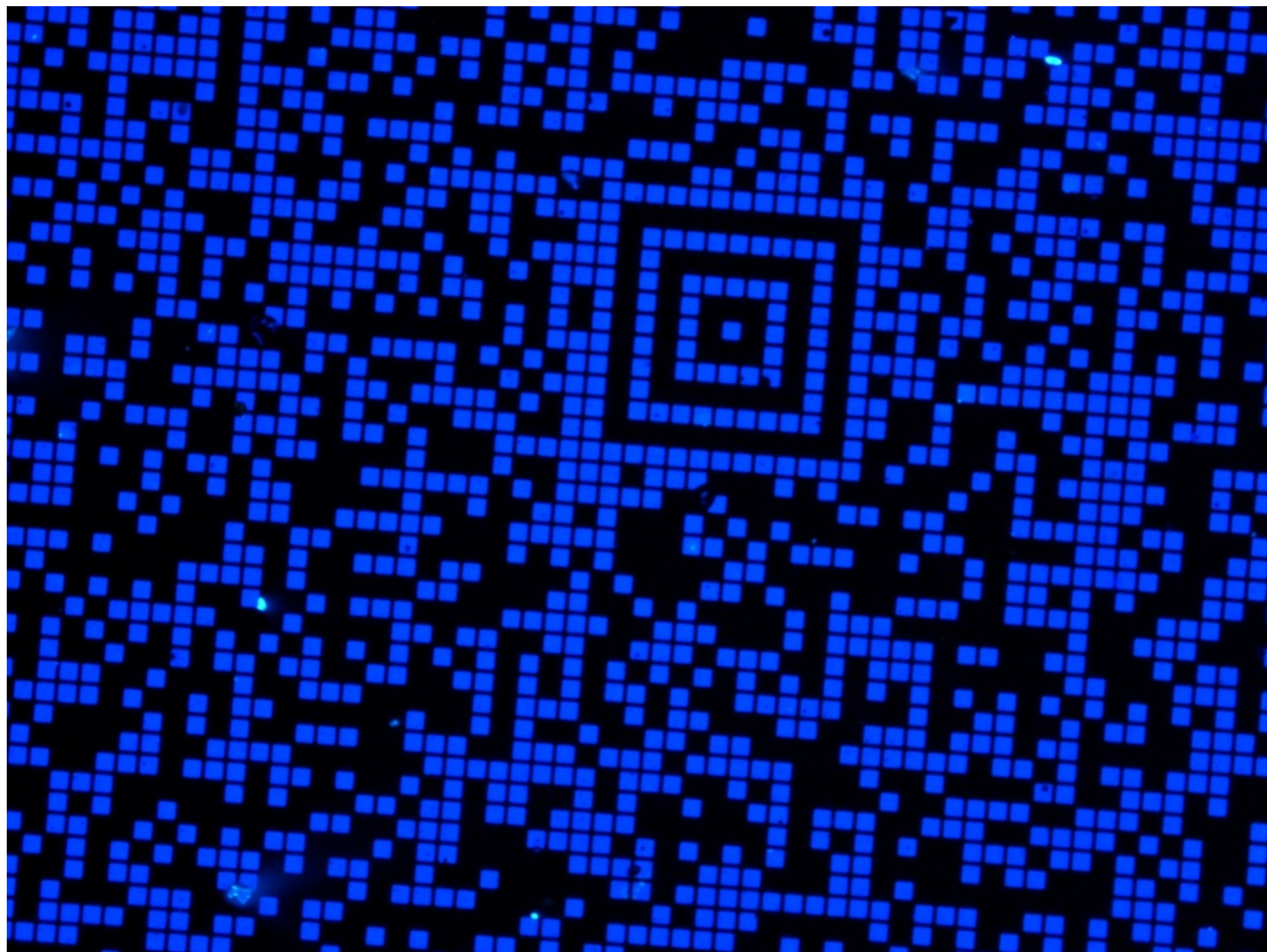
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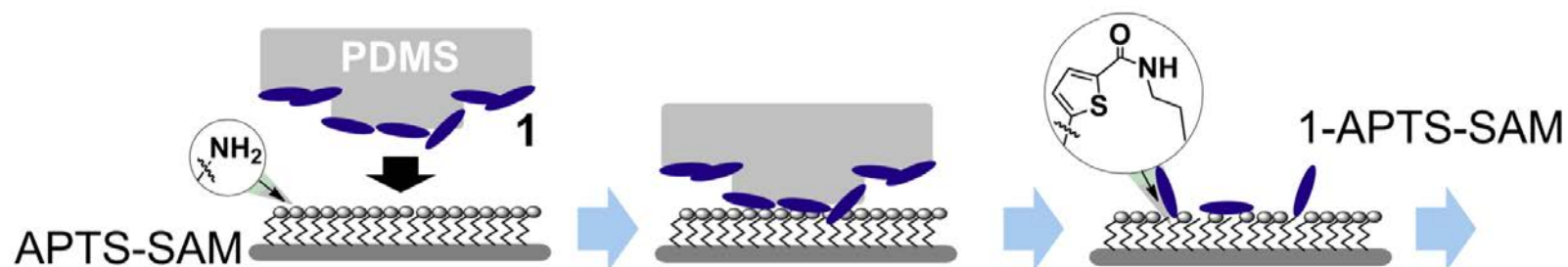
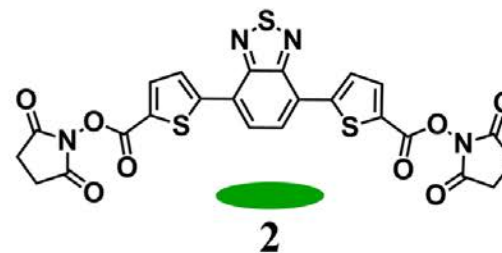
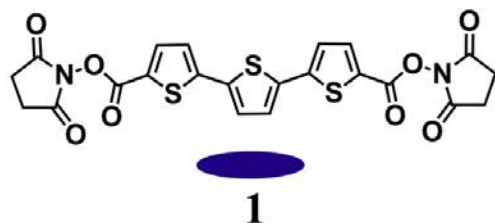
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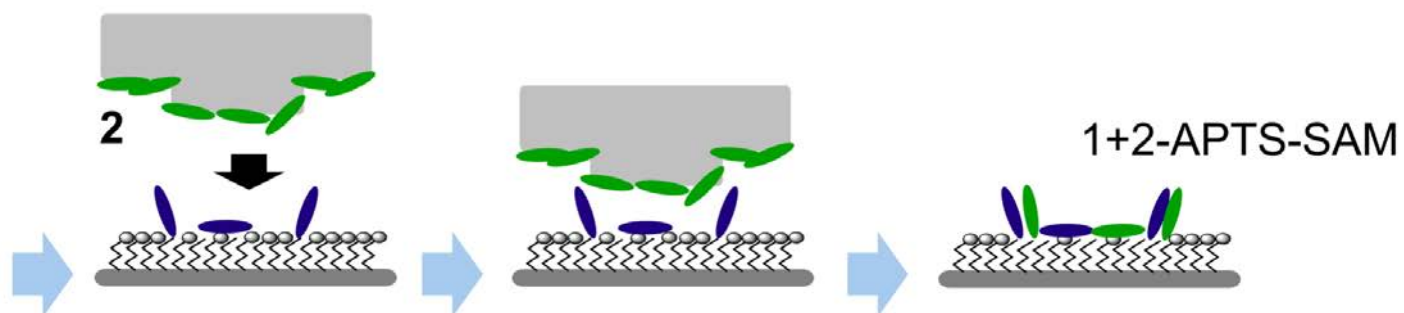
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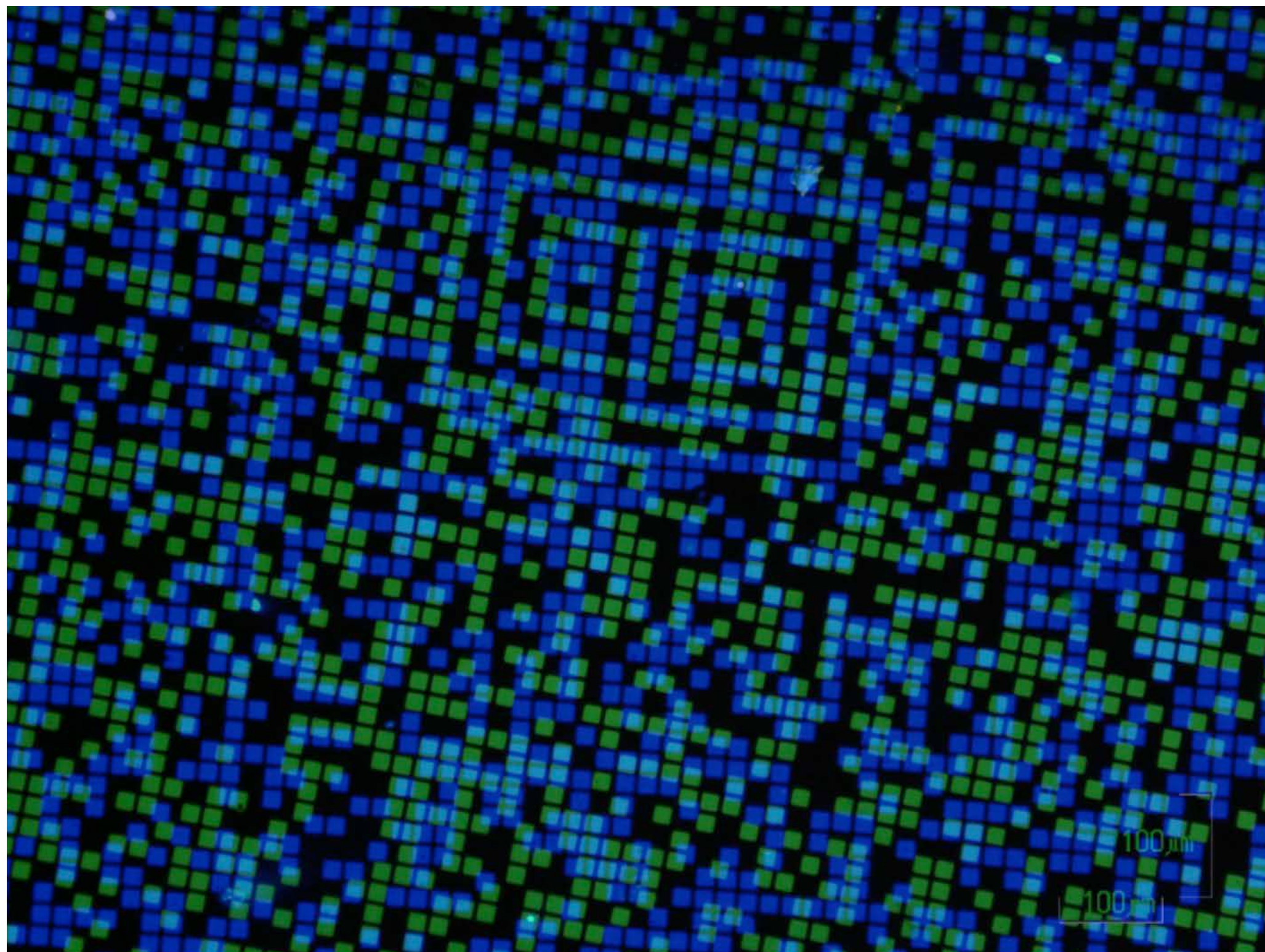


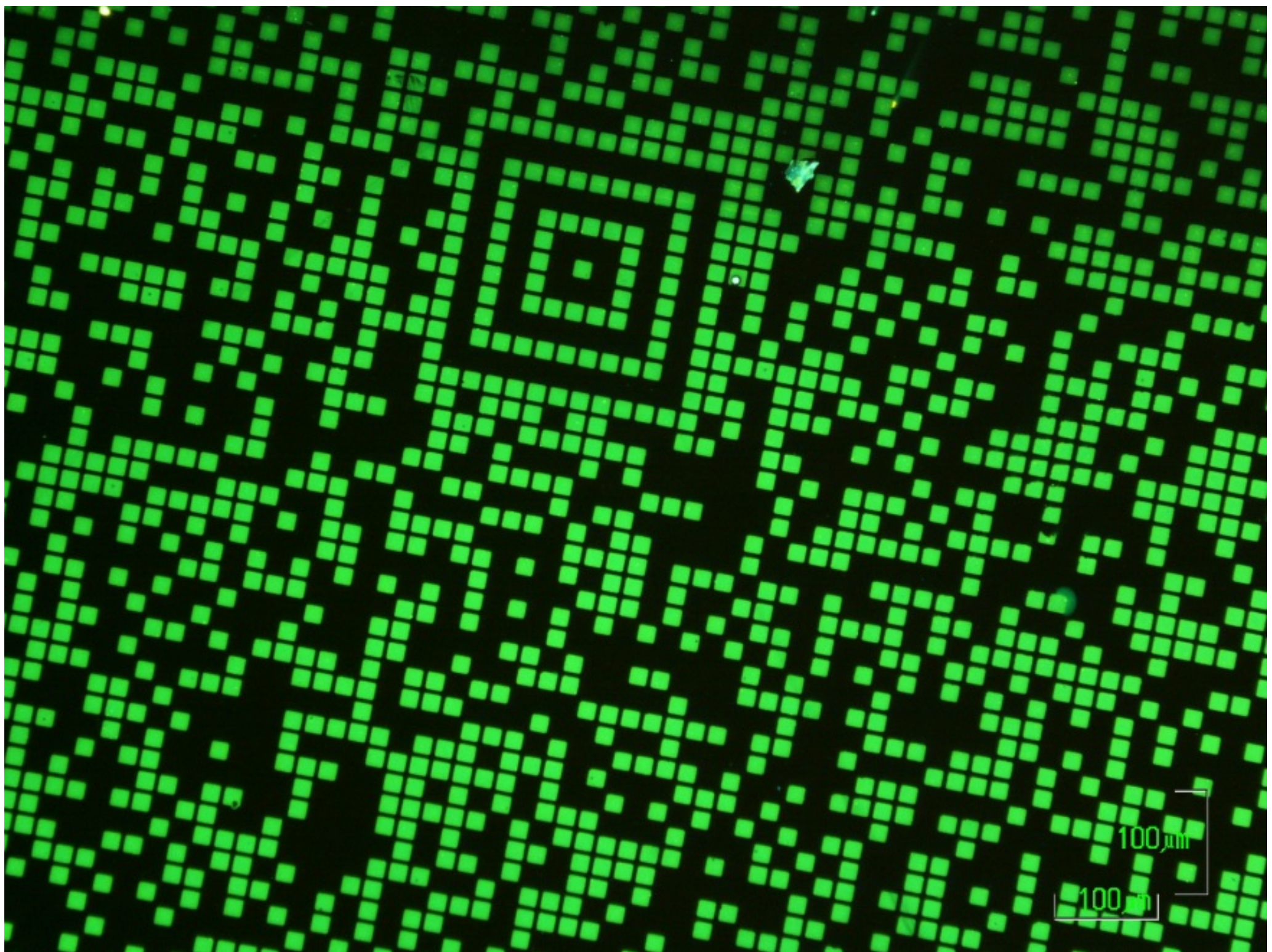


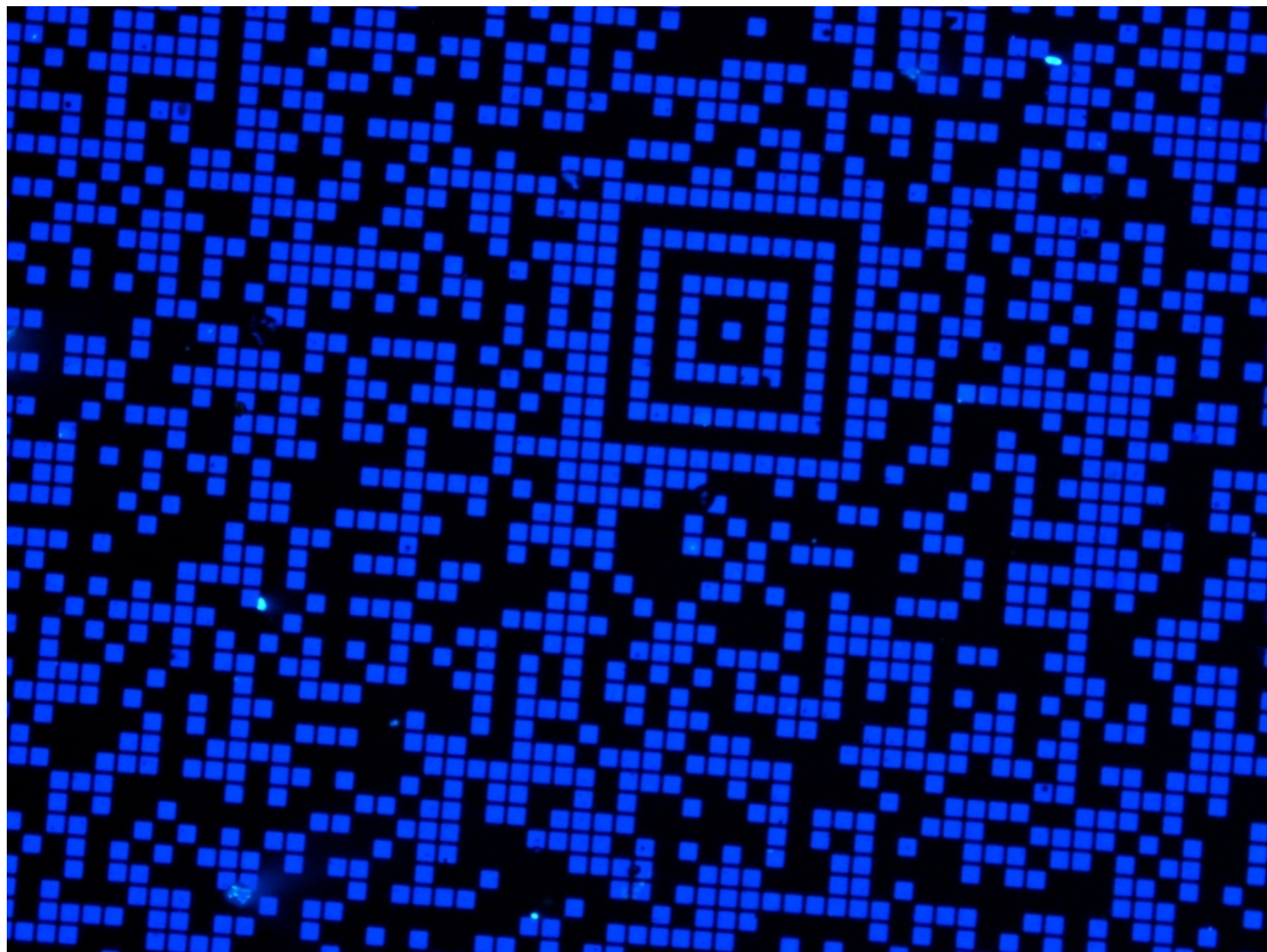


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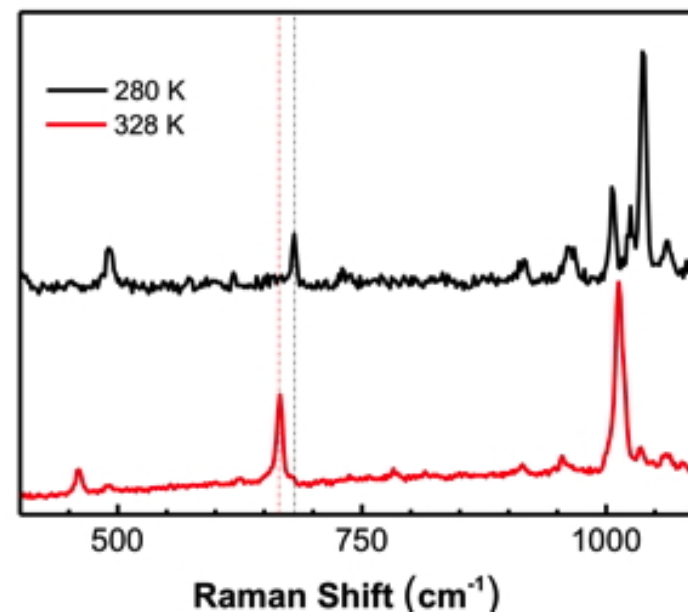
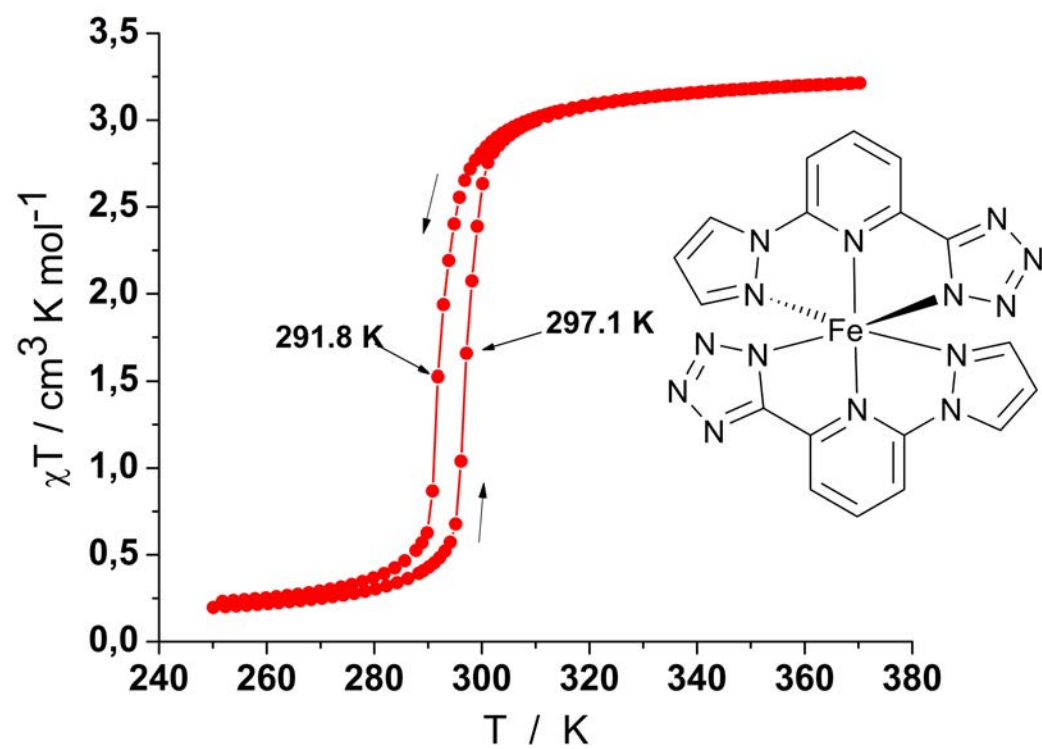
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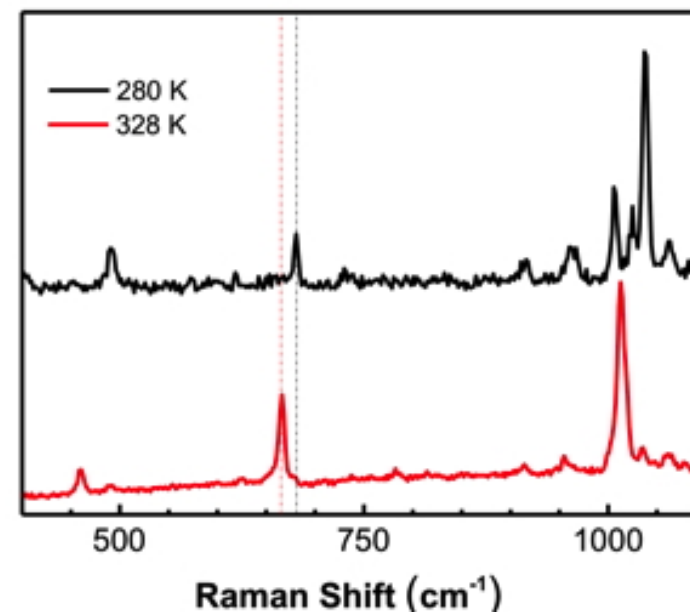
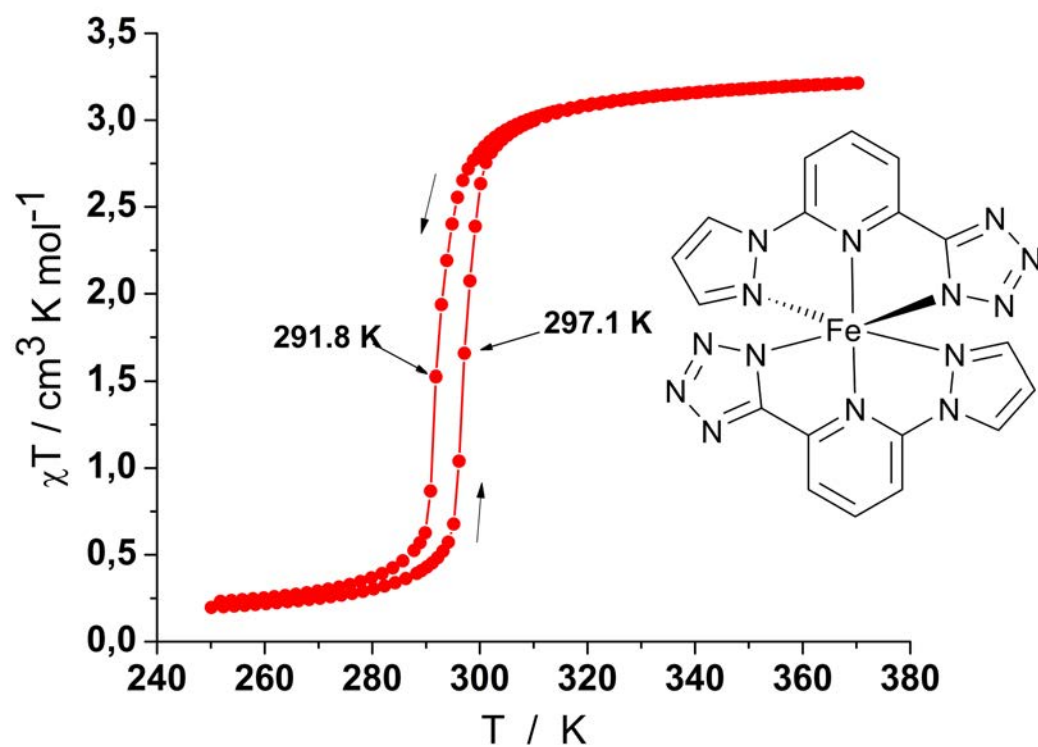
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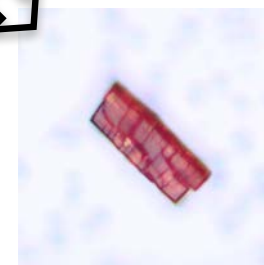
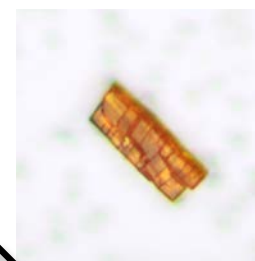
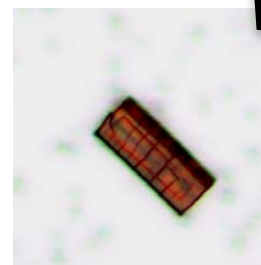
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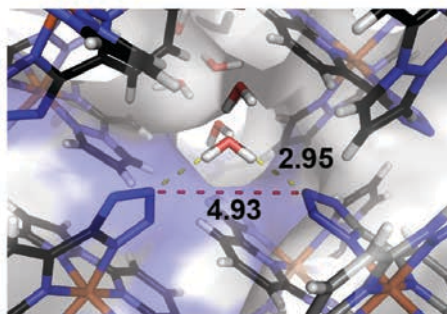
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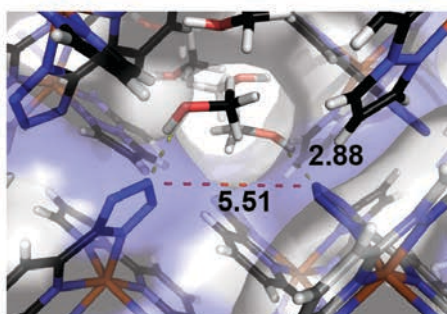
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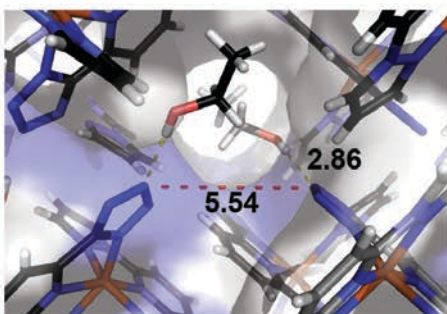
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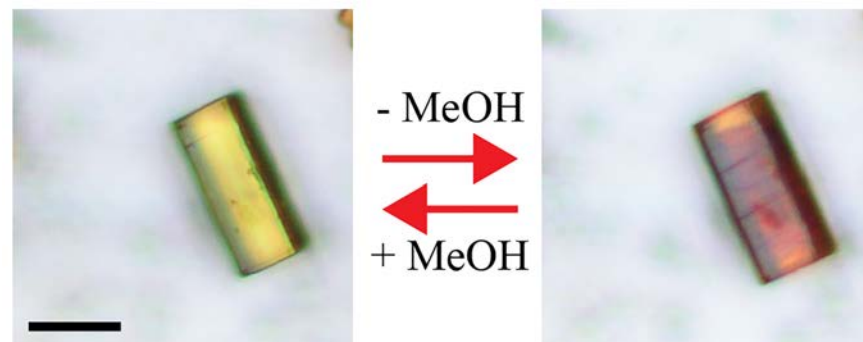
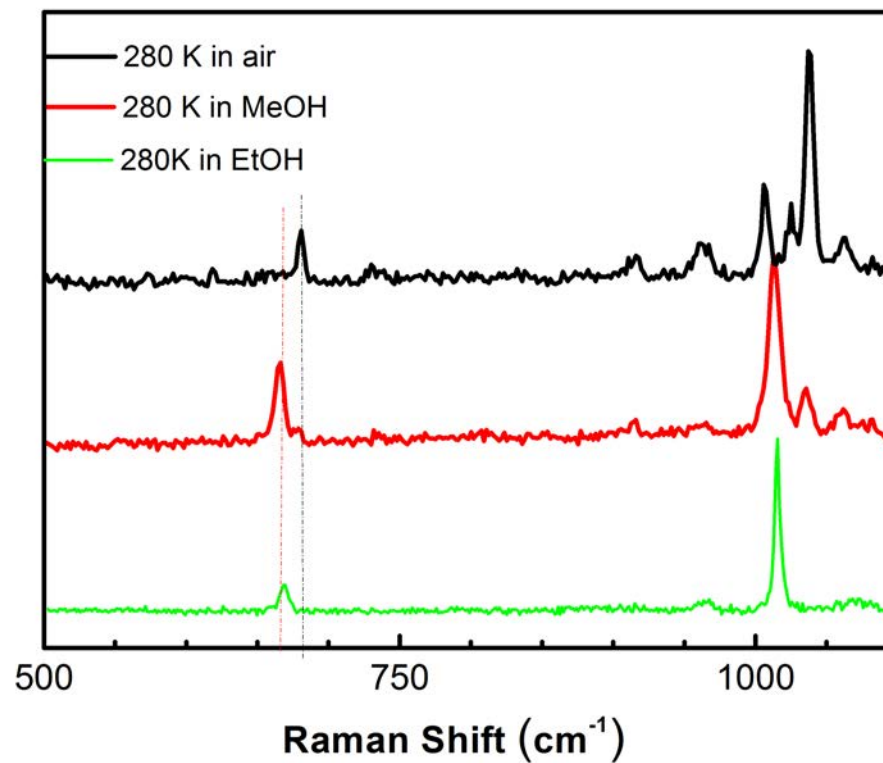


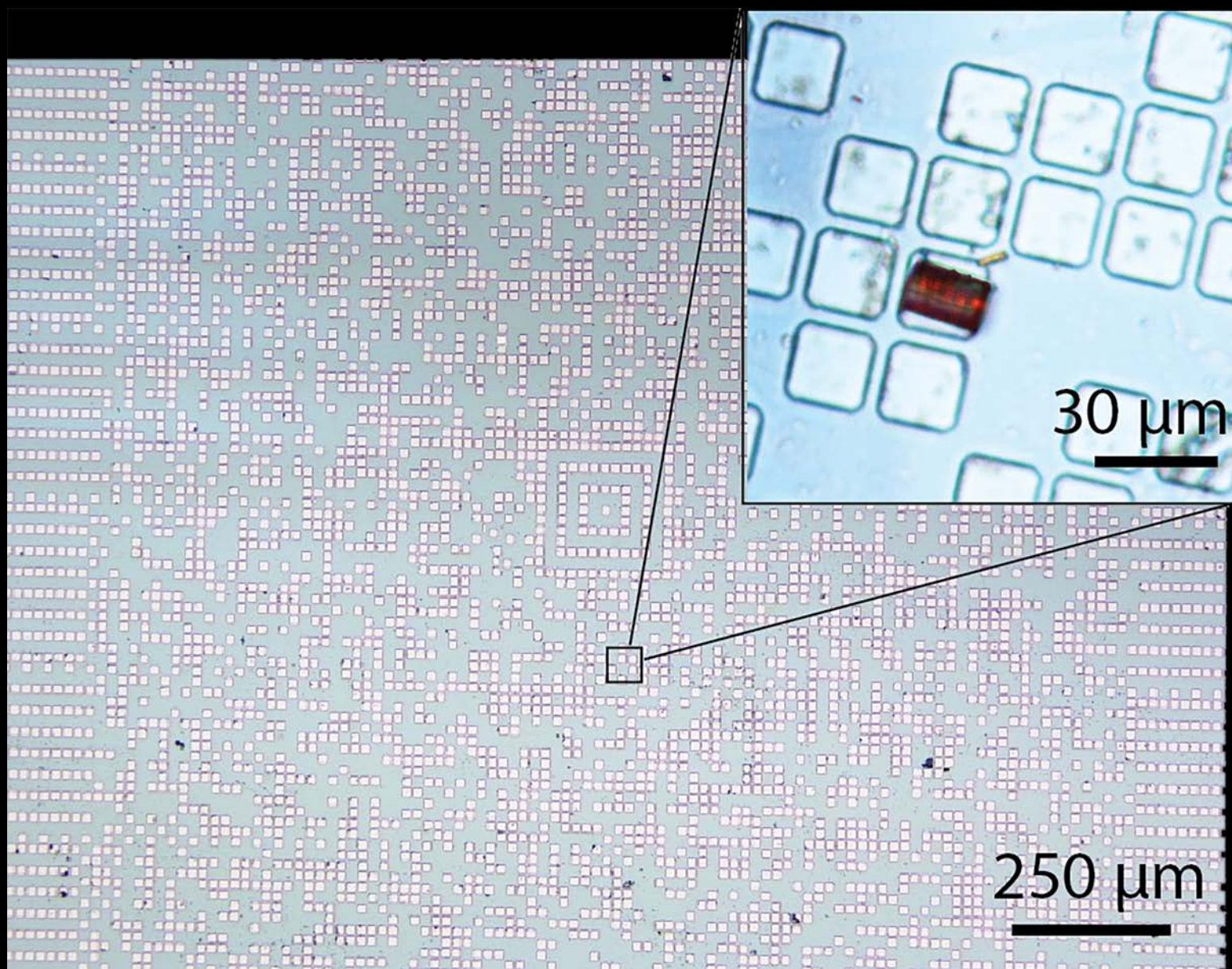
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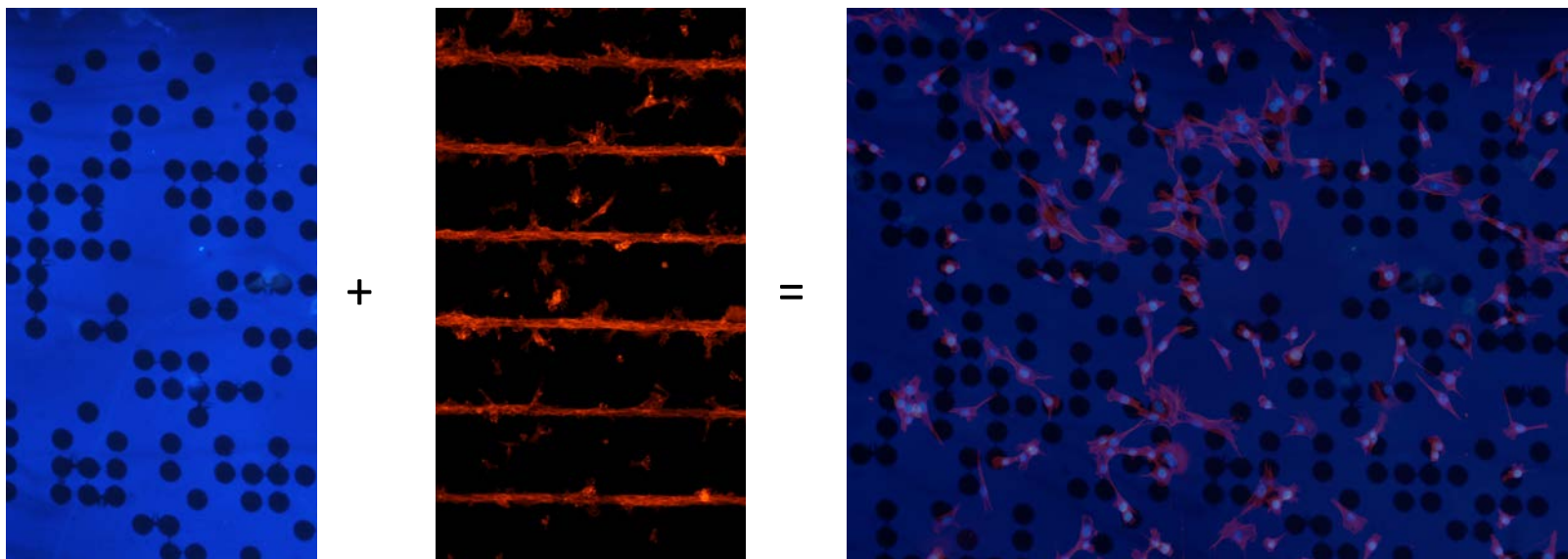
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Combination of functional materials for new applications

Cells on fluorescent data-matrix



Effects of stamp-assisted spatial confinement:

- Control over position, density, orientation, and size of micro and nanostructures
- Exploit the properties of functional materials for the fabrication of devices
- Expand the materials target to unexpected applications

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