## **Supporting Information**

## Mineralized collagen scaffolds induce hMSC osteogenesis and matrix remodeling

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Name	Forward	Reverse	Source
COL1A1	CAG CCG CTT CAC CTA CAG C	TTT TGT ATT CAA TCA CTG TCT TGC C	62
<b>OPN</b>	GCG AGG AGT TGA ATG GTG	CTT GTG GCT GTG GGT TTC	62
RUNX2	GGTTAATCTCCGCAGGTCACT	CACTGTGCTGAAGAGGCTGTT	63
BSP	TGCCTTGAGCCTGCTTCC	GCAAAATTAAAGCAGTCTTCATTTTG	64
GAPDH	CCATGAGAAGTATGACAACAGCC	CCTTCCACGATACCAAAGTTG	65

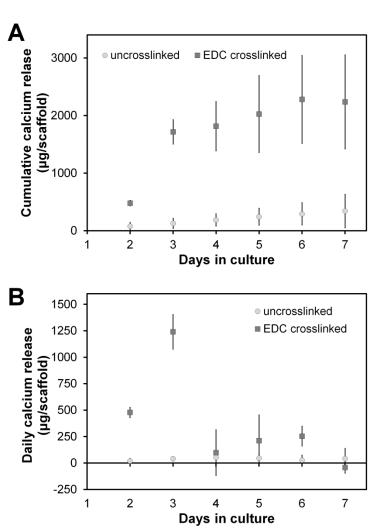
Supplementary Table 1. Primer sequences used for PCR.

	Day	14	Day 28		Day 56	
Sample	Moduli, kPa	Est. Dens.	Moduli, kPa	Est. Dens.	Moduli, kPa	Est. Dens.
CG (unseeded)	$1.83 \pm 0.48$		$1.71 \pm 0.43$	1.00	$1.24 \pm 0.21$	1.00
CG Growth	$1.57 \pm 0.43$	0.93	$1.11 \pm 0.30*$	0.81	$1.51 \pm 0.13$	1.10
CGCaP (unseeded)	$23.00 \pm 0.59$		$19.8 \pm 1.4$	1.00	$23.4 \pm 3.3$	1.00
CGCaP Growth	$34.7 \pm 4.4$	1.23	$37.7 \pm 3.3$	1.38	$58.7 \pm 3.7$	1.58
CGCaP BMP2	$33.7 \pm 2.7$	1.21	$45.0\pm7.7$	1.51	$62.7 \pm 7.3$	1.63
CGCaP Osteo	$44.1 \pm 5.6$	1.39	$48 \pm 11$	1.56	$76.9\pm9.2$	1.81

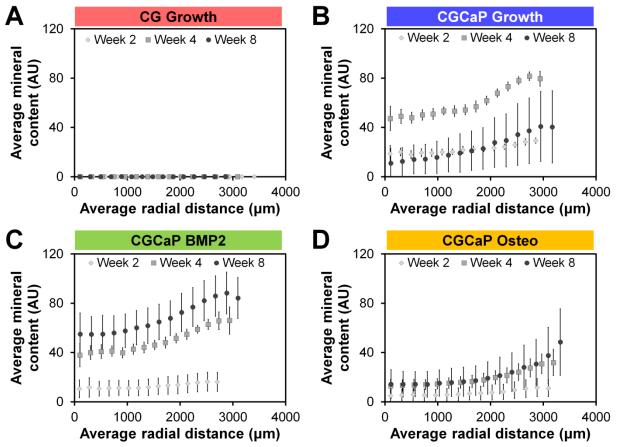
**Supplementary Table 2.** Elastic moduli of hMSC-seeded non-mineralized and mineralized collagen scaffolds as a function of culture time and media supplementation (n=3, \*: n=2). The estimated densification (Est. Dens.;  $\rho_{cells} / \rho_{acellular}$ ) of the scaffold was calculated via established cellular solids theory methods from the difference in modulus of the hMSC-seeded vs. unseeded scaffold at each timepoint.

	Day 14	Day 28	Day 56
CGCaP Growth	$130 \pm 13$	$136 \pm 10$	$143 \pm 10$
CGCaP BMP2	$131 \pm 16$	$134 \pm 10$	$142 \pm 10$
CGCaP Osteo	$133 \pm 5$	$132 \pm 14$	$137 \pm 10$

**Supplementary Table 3.** Mean pixel intensity (A.U.) of Alizarin Red stained histology samples of hMSC-seeded mineralized collagen scaffolds.



**Supplementary Figure 1. (A)** Cumulative versus **(B)** daily release of calcium ions from noncrosslinked and EDC-crosslinked CGCaP scaffolds.



**Supplementary Figure 2.** Radial distribution pattern of mineral content for hMSC-seeded collagen scaffolds with culture time (2, 4, 8 weeks) as determined via micro-CT for (A) non-mineralized scaffold in growth media; or mineralized scaffold in (B) growth media, (C) BMP2 supplemented media, or (D) osteogenic media.