

Supporting Information

In Situ Chemical Vapor Reaction in Molten Salts for Preparation of Platinum Nanosheets *via* Bubble Breakage†

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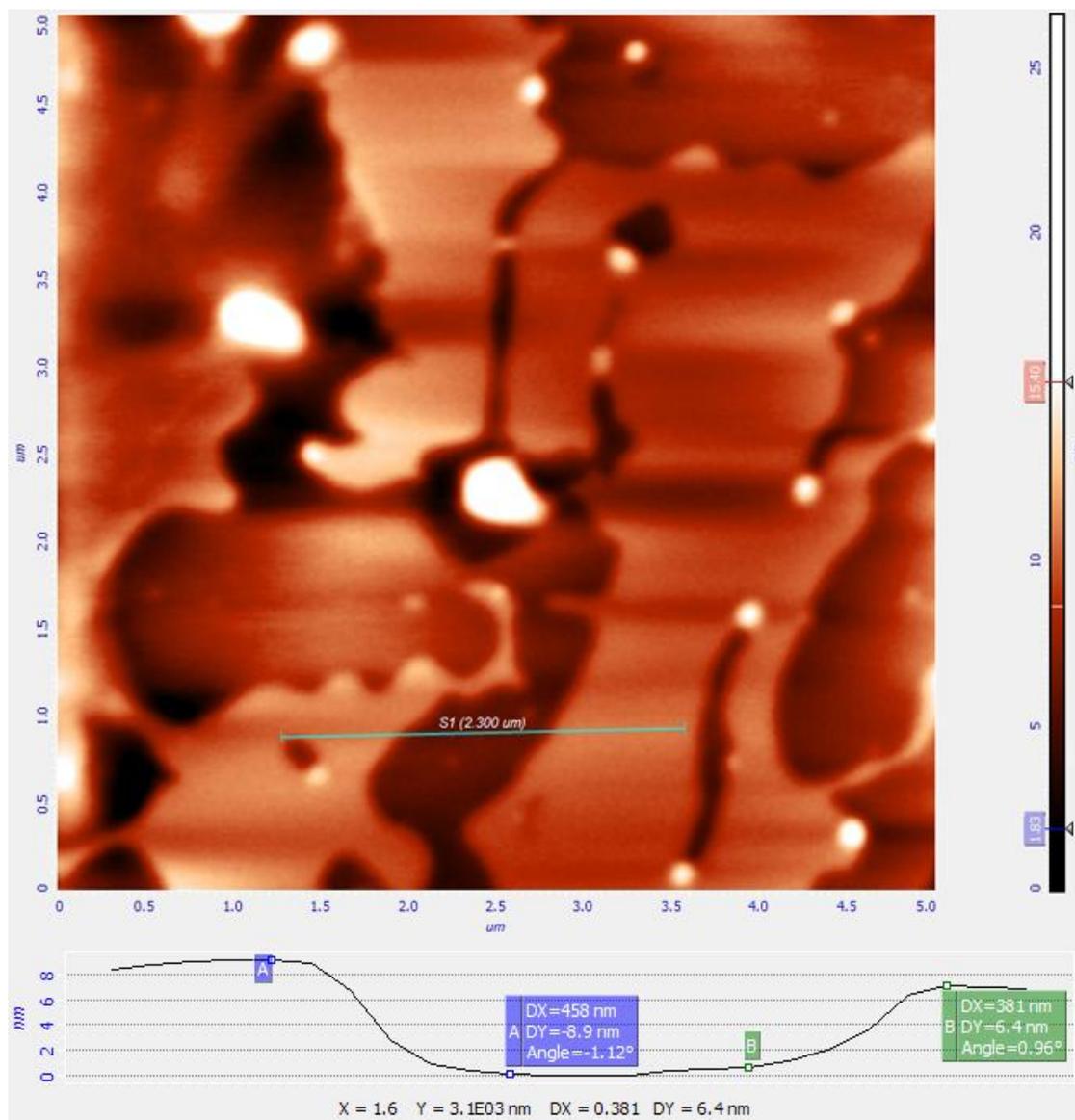


Figure S1. AFM measurement of Pt nanosheets showing the thickness to be 8.9 nm.

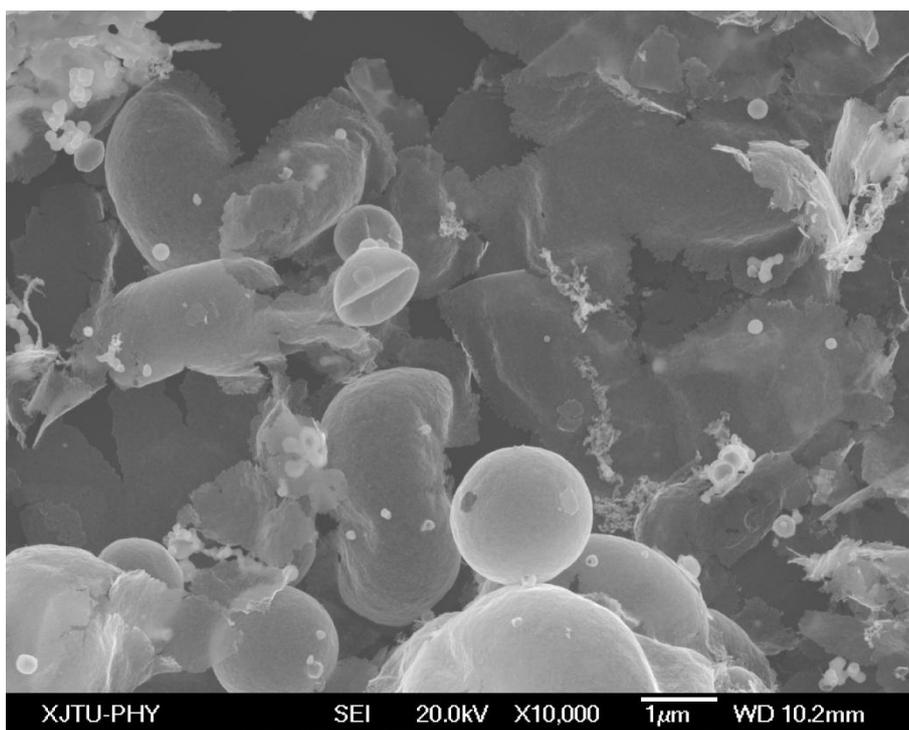


Figure S2. SEM image of the platinum hollow spheres and nanosheets showing their coexistence in the same sample.

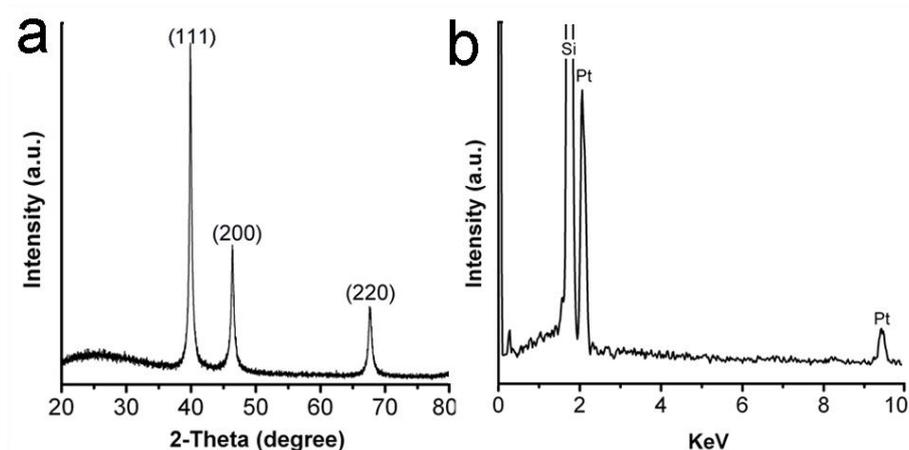


Figure S3. (a) XRD pattern and (b) EDX spectrum of Pt nanosheets and hollow spheres.

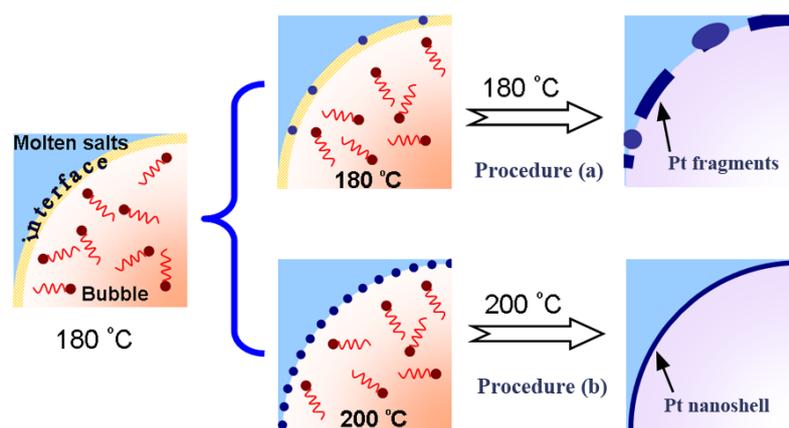


Figure S4. Schematic of Pt nanostructures formed using two different procedures: (a) the reaction was kept at 180 °C and the final products were irregular Pt fragments; (b) the reaction temperature was increased to 200 °C after kept at 180 °C for 2 min and the final products were nano-shells/sheets.

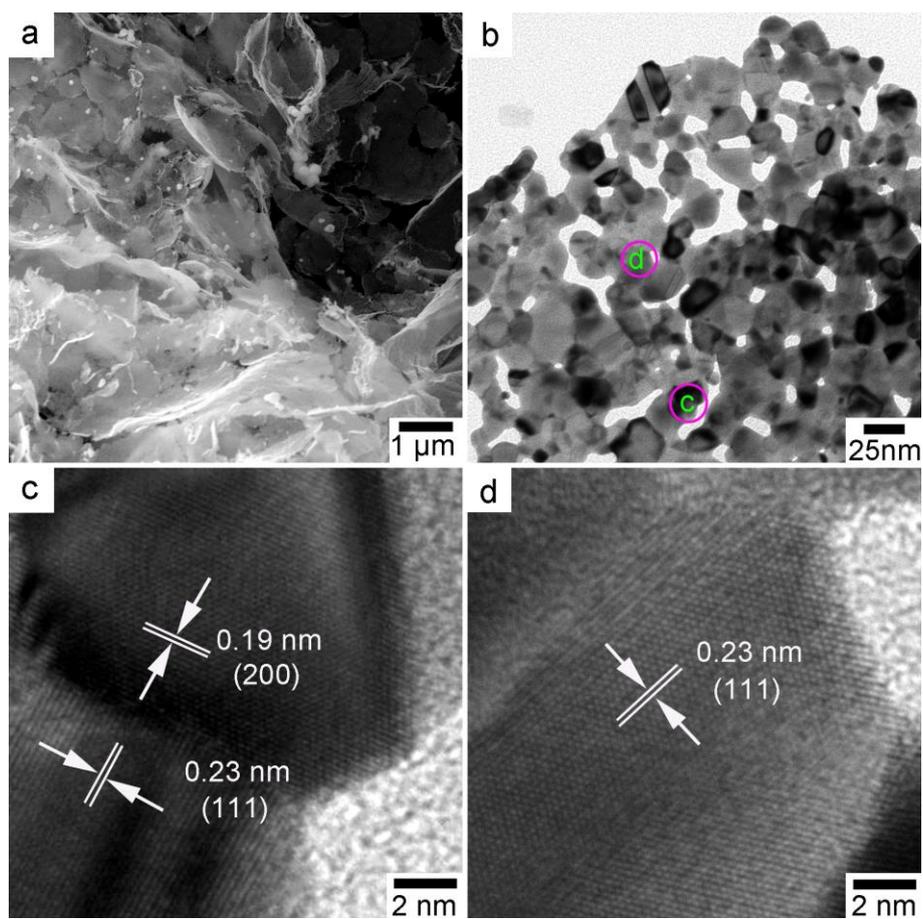


Figure S5. (a) SEM and (b) TEM images of self-supported Pt nanosheets after the 30,000 potential cycles. (c and d) HRTEM images of those regions labeled with “c” and “d” in (b), respectively.