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Three-DimensionalInterconnectedMicroporousPoly(dimethylsiloxane)Microfluidic Devices

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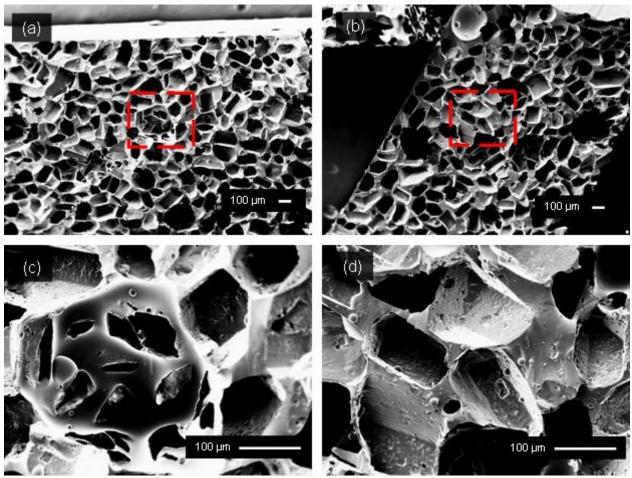


Fig. S1 SEM images of microporous PDMS structures fabricated from 150 μ m – 180 μ m sugar particles. (a) and (c) Top view. (b) and (d) Cross-sectional view. (c) and (d) are the zoom in view of the red dotted line area in (a) and (b), respectively.



Fig. S2 Ethanol with a small amount of green colored food dye was used to demonstrate the 3D interconnectivity of microporous PDMS structures fabricated by different sizes of pre-sieved sugar particles.

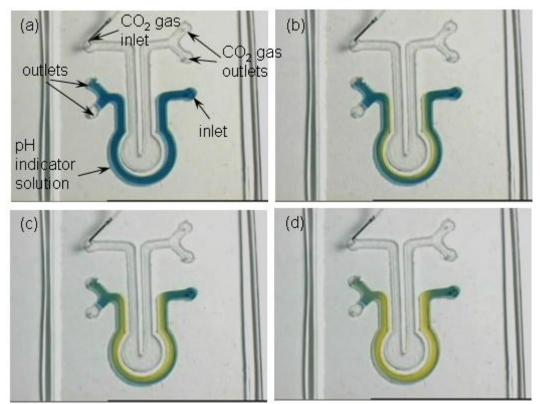


Fig. S3 Time lapse images of acidification of water by CO2 gas experiment using non-porous PDMS. (a) t = 0 s. (b) t = 4 min. (c) t = 6 min 30 s. (d) t = 9 min 30 s.

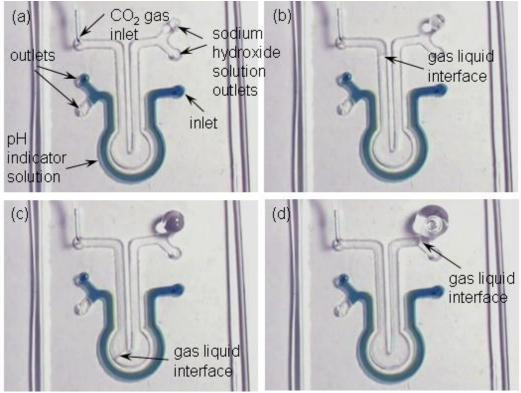


Fig. S4 Time lapse images of acidification of water by CO2 gas experiment using non-porous PDMS. The inner chamber was filled with sodium hydroxide solution. (a) t = 0 s. (b) t = 2 s. (c) t = 5 s. (d) t = 10 s.

Video 1:

Acidification of water by CO_2 gas experiment shown in Fig. 5. The video was speeded up 3 \times .

Video 2:

Acidification of water by CO_2 gas experiment shown in Fig. 8. The video was speeded up 10 ×.

Video 3:

Sodium hydroxide solution loading experiment. The video was speeded up 5 \times .

Video 4:

Acidification of water by CO_2 gas experiment shown in Fig. 6. The video was speeded up 30 ×.

Video 5:

Acidification of water by CO_2 gas experiment shown in Fig. 7. The video was in real time.

Video 6:

Ethanol with a small amount of green colored food dye was used to demonstrate the 3D interconnectivity of microporous PDMS structures fabricated by $150 - 180 \mu m$ sugar particles. The video was in real time.