

Supplementary Materials: Fabrication of Three-Dimensionally Deformable Metal Structures Using Precision Electroforming

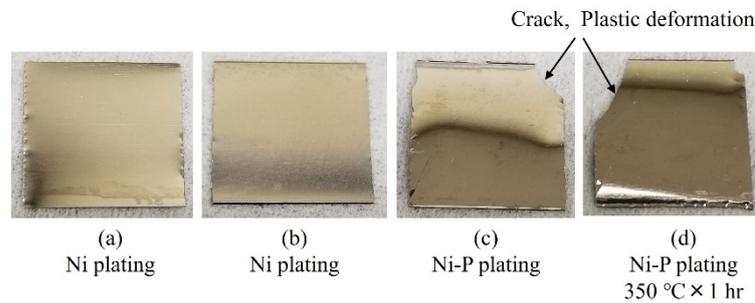


Figure S1. Simplified flexural evaluation of four types of Ni film samples (a–d). The Ni films in (a) and (b) were found to deform elastically and return to their original shapes without damage. The samples with Ni-P alloys in (c) and (d) cracked and broke while bending. In addition, they did not return to their original shapes.

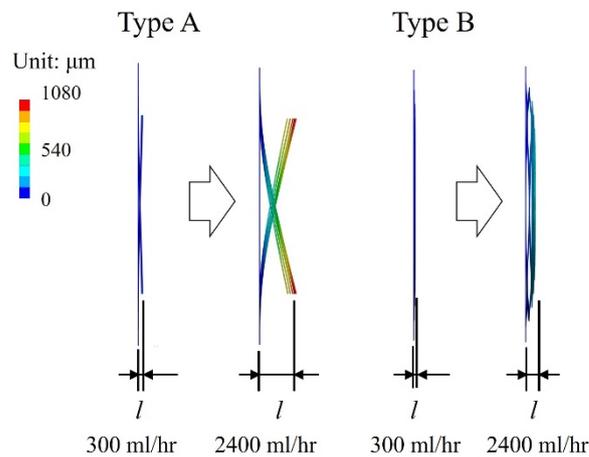


Figure S2. Simulation analysis results for the deformation of the Type A and B metal structures. The conditions used in this analysis are summarized in Table S1. The measured deformation and simulation results were compared. Under a flow rate of 300 ml/h, Type A showed a deformation (simulation value) of approximately 120 µm, and the measurement result was 110 µm, whereas Type B showed a deformation (simulation value) of approximately 40 µm, and the measurement result was 40 µm. Under a flow rate of 2400 ml/h, Type A showed a deformation (simulation value) of approximately 1080 µm, and the measurement result was 820 µm, whereas Type B showed a deformation (simulation value) of approximately 280 µm, and the measurement result was 90 µm. Thus, the simulation and measurement results agree well under the condition of a low flow rate.

Table S1. Deformation analysis conditions.

Item	Boundary Condition
Analysis model	Axis-symmetric
Young's modulus	200 GPa
Number of nodes	1,049,655
Number of elements	414,361
Element type	PLANE182 (2-D four-node structural solid)