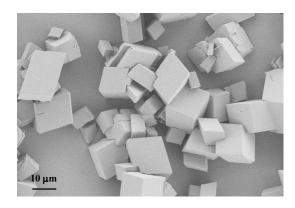
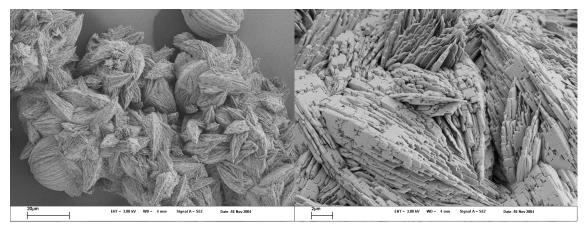
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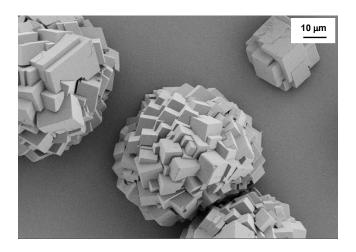
Structural Evolution of Highly Organized Aragonite Superstructures Obtained in the Presence of the Siderophore Deferoxamine under biomimetic conditions



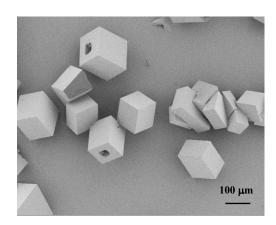
S.I. 1. SEM images of rhombohedral calcite obtained by CaCO<sub>3</sub> crystallization performed without any additives in a 0.01 M CaCl<sub>2</sub> solution.



S.I. 2 shows an example for a highly complex intergrowth of the outgrowing structures.



S.I. 3. SEM images of calcium carbonate crystals obtained in the presence of the suberohydroxamic acid (3.2 mg/mL). The predominant morphology are spherical aggregates of rhombohedral calcite.



S.I. 4. SEM images showing crystals precipitate with the counter-anion of the commercially available siderophore deferoxamine, the methanesulfonic acid (0.5 mg/mL).