Materials

Resins of Urethane Methacrylate (UMA, in cyan, white and black) and Silicone (SIL 30 in grey) were generously supplied by Carbon, Inc. (Redwood, CA.). Isopropanol (IPA) from Thermo Fisher Scientific (Waltham, MA USA) was used as received. Placebo Estring[®] and NuvaRing[®] were obtained from Particle Sciences Inc. and stored in ambient conditions prior to mechanical testing.

Supporting Information

Silicone: Placebo EstRing®



SIL 30: 54 - 7.6 Solid



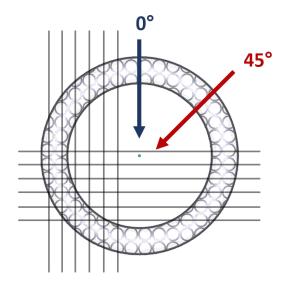
SIL 30: Nodal 3.80 [Unbanded]



Supporting Figure 1. Mechanical property testing with Instron for load at 50% compression. Representative rings shown (left to right) silicone EstRing placebo, DLS SIL 30:

54-7.6 solid ring, and DLS SIL 30: Nodal 3.80 (unbanded). Custom UMA shims designed to

support and stabilize ring during compression.

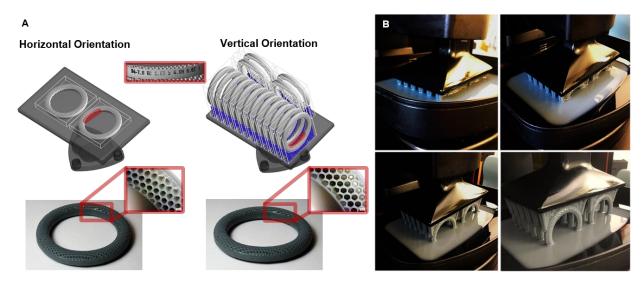


Supporting Figure 2. Schematic illustration force orientation relative to unit cell array.

Example CAD image of Cylinder 3.80 banded (4.0H 0.6T) with lines demonstrating direction of linear array of unit cell. Force orientation was conducted at both 0° and 45°, relative to the array of the unit cell.



Supporting Figure 3. Images of IVRs by size fabricated by DLS in SIL 30. Human, macaque and mouse-sized IVRs compared to a standard penny.



Supporting Figure 4. Illustration of horizontal versus vertical orientation. Demonstration of multiple rings orientated horizontally and vertically with identifying label. Multiple rings (x16) during the fabrication process with DLS in SIL 30.

Supporting Table 1. Tabulation of volume fraction and log 50% compression of IVRs presented in Figure 7. Average and standard deviation values represent n=3 samples per ring type.

| Outer Diameter - Cross Section (mm) | IVR Design Parameters | | | | Volume Fraction | | Log 50% Compression | |
|--|-----------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|-------|---------------------|--------|
| | Unit Cell Design | Unit Cell Size (mm) | Band Height (mm) | Band Thickness (mm) | Average | Stdev | Average | Stdev |
| Silicon: Estring | Solid | | | | 1.000 | 2.027 | 0.307 | -0.872 |
| EVA: NuvaRing | Solid | | | | 1.000 | 2.611 | 0.417 | -0.766 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Solid | | | | 1.000 | 0.003 | 0.307 | -0.872 |
| DLS 54-4.0 | Solid | | | | 1.000 | 0.134 | -0.873 | -2.180 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Nodal | 3.80 | | | 0.543 | 0.006 | -0.430 | -1.330 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Nodal | 3.80 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.681 | 0.013 | -0.155 | -1.433 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Nodal | 1.52 | | | 0.871 | 0.004 | 0.143 | -1.669 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Nodal | 1.52 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.979 | 0.001 | 0.183 | -1.302 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Cylinder | 3.80 | | | 0.389 | 0.001 | -0.869 | -1.431 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Cylinder | 3.80 | 4.0 | 0.3 | 0.535 | 0.006 | -0.345 | -1.681 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Cylinder | 3.80 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.557 | 0.023 | -0.155 | -1.479 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Cylinder | 3.80 | 4.0 | 0.9 | 0.544 | 0.005 | -0.046 | -1.812 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Cylinder | 3.80 | 4.0 | 1.2 | 0.629 | 0.025 | 0.040 | -1.577 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Cylinder | 2.53 | | | 0.429 | 0.004 | -0.762 | -1.833 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Cylinder | 2.53 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.629 | 0.019 | -0.145 | -1.675 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Cylinder | 1.90 | | | 0.538 | 0.004 | -0.678 | -1.614 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Cylinder | 1.90 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.715 | 0.005 | -0.148 | -1.820 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Honeycomb | 3.80 | | | 0.302 | 0.003 | -0.148 | -1.752 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Honeycomb | 3.80 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.499 | 0.008 | -0.159 | -1.733 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Honeycomb | 3.12 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.650 | 0.011 | -0.137 | -1.553 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Honeycomb | 2.53 | | | 0.370 | 0.005 | -0.681 | -1.682 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Honeycomb | 2.53 | 3.0 | 0.6 | 0.554 | 0.006 | -0.214 | -1.455 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Honeycomb | 2.53 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.573 | 0.018 | -0.108 | -1.397 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Honeycomb | 2.53 | 5.0 | 0.6 | 0.600 | 0.005 | -0.074 | -1.462 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Honeycomb | 2.53 | 6.0 | 0.6 | 0.686 | 0.006 | -0.011 | -1.481 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Honeycomb | 1.90 | | | 0.601 | 0.021 | -0.640 | -1.739 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Honeycbom | 1.90 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.688 | 0.014 | -0.146 | -1.405 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Dode | 3.63 | | | 0.385 | 0.003 | -0.765 | -1.653 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Dode | 3.63 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.579 | 0.000 | -0.150 | -1.768 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Dode | 3.80 | | | 0.331 | 0.003 | -0.778 | -1.500 |
| DLS 54-7.6 | Dode | 3.80 | 4.0 | 0.6 | 0.578 | 0.007 | -0.143 | -1.431 |