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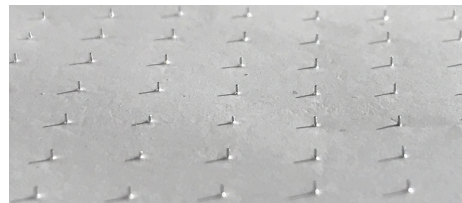


Figure 1: Metallic sheet with hollow metallic microneedles, 10 mm pitch.

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