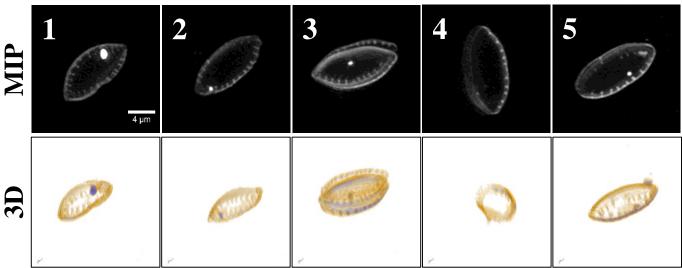
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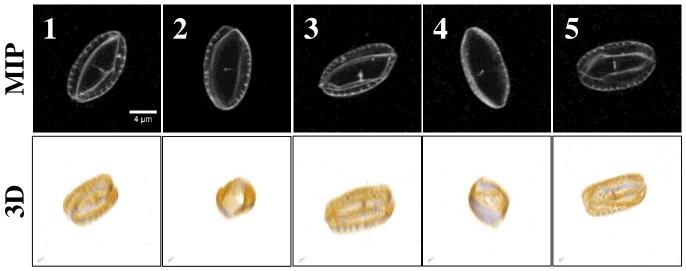
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### (a) Purified frustules



## (b) Baked frustules



### Figure S1

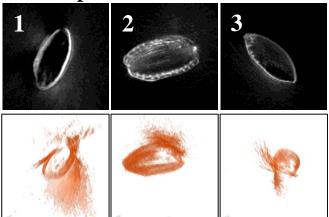
Digital holographic microscopy images of purified and baked frustules. (a) A series of five independent maximum intensity projection (MIP) and three-dimensional (3D) images of purified frustules. (b) A series of five independent MIP and 3D images of baked frustules.

# (a) Sputtered frustules

0 min sputtered

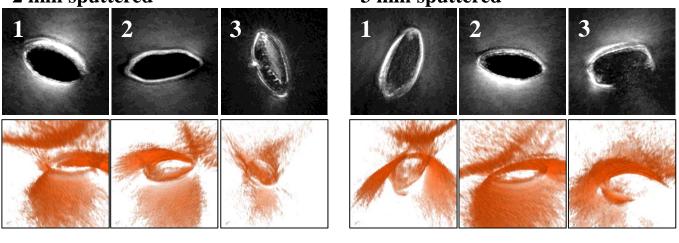
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#### 1 min sputtered



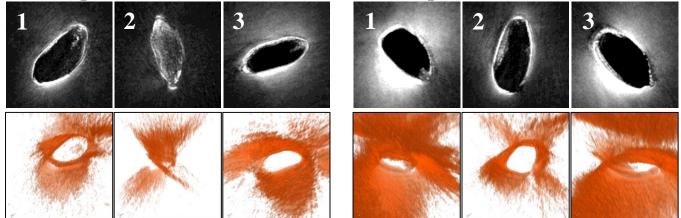
2 min sputtered

### 3 min sputtered



### 4 min sputtered





### Figure S2

Digital holographic microscopy images (maximum intensity projection and three-dimensional) of sputtered frustules. Sputtering periods: 0 min, 1 min, 2 min, 3 min, 4 min, and 5 min. Three separate images were taken for each sputtering period.