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APPENDICES

Appendix A Calibration Curve of Standard DBSA

Procedure:

The standard solution of DBSA in distilled water was prepared from stock solution of 5 mM in volumetric flask 50 ml. The amount of DBSA in standard solution was measured by a UV spectrometer at 224 nm.

Calculation of a molar absorptivity of DBSA from the calibration curve

$$A = \epsilon bc$$

When, A = Absorbance

ϵ = The molar absorptivity ($\text{L mol}^{-1} \text{cm}^{-1}$)

b = The path length of the cuvette (cm)

c = Concentration of solution (mol/L)

From the equation of calibration curve, the molar extinction coefficient of DBSA is the slope of the calibration curve.

At 224 nm;

$$Y = 10586X$$

Therefore, the molar absorptivity of DBSA at 224 nm is $1.0586 \times 10^4 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{cm}^{-1}$

Table A1 Absorbance values of the standard DBSA

[DBSA](μM)	Absorbance			
	I	II	III	Average
20	0.201	0.201	0.202	0.201
40	0.417	0.418	0.419	0.418
60	0.632	0.631	0.631	0.631
80	0.855	0.854	0.855	0.855
100	1.058	1.058	1.060	1.059

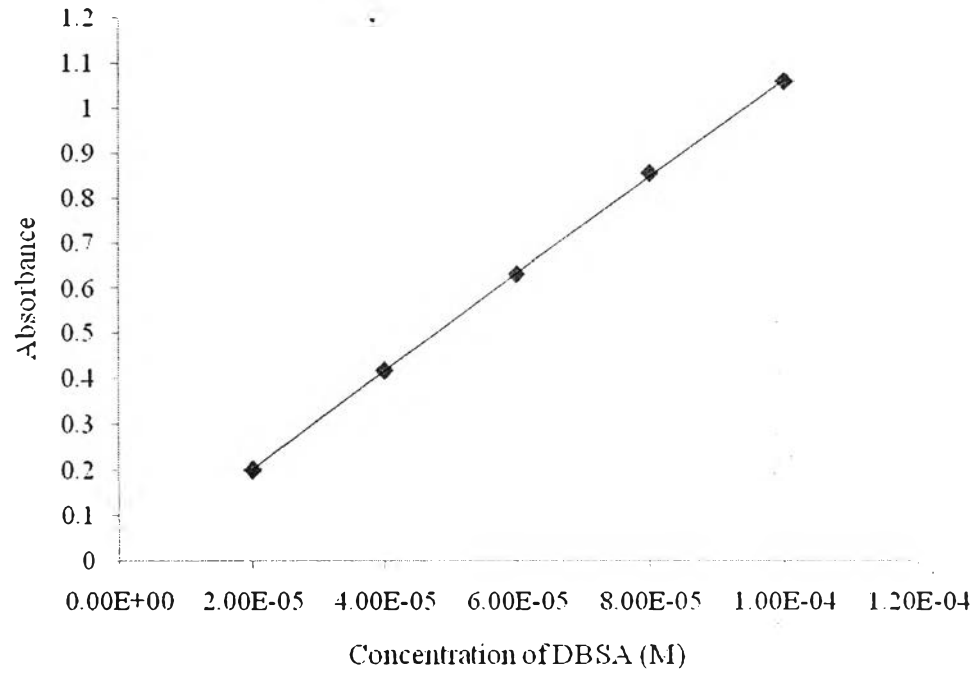


Figure A1 Calibration curve of the standard DBSA

APPENDIX B Determination of Equilibrium Adsorption Time

The calculation of $[\text{DBSA}]_{\text{equi}}$ can be calculated following this equation.

$$Y = \text{Absorbance}$$

$$X = [\text{DBSA}]$$

$$X = y/10586$$

0.5 ml supernatant was pipetted and diluted with distilled water pH = 4 in a 25 ml volumetric flask so, $[\text{DBSA}]_{\text{equi}}$ can be calculated from

$$C_1V_1 = C_2V_2$$

$$X = C_1 = [\text{DBSA}]_{\text{flask}}, V_1 = 50 \text{ ml}$$

$$[\text{DBSA}]_{\text{fi}} = C_2 = [\text{DBSA}]_{\text{vial}}, V_2 = 0.5 \text{ ml}$$

$$C_2 = (X \times 50)/0.5 \text{ M}$$

Calculation of the amount of adsorbed DBSA on polyester fabric

$$[\text{DBSA}]_{\text{ads}} = \{([\text{DBSA}]_{\text{ini}} - [\text{DBSA}]_{\text{fi}}) \times V\}/1000$$

$$\text{Adsorption } \mu\text{mol/ g PES} = [\text{DBSA}]_{\text{ads}} \times 60/1000\}/\text{weight of fabric}$$

Table B1 The equilibrium DBSA concentration at various adsorption time

Time (h)	Exp. I			Exp. II		
	Absorbance	$[\text{DBSA}]_{\text{equi}}$	$[\text{DBSA}]_{\text{PES}}$	Absorbance	$[\text{DBSA}]_{\text{equi}}$	$[\text{DBSA}]_{\text{PES}}$
3	0.531	0.00502	3.00E-06	0.530	0.00501	3.40E-06
6	0.524	0.00495	6.10E-06	0.524	0.00495	6.50E-06
9	0.517	0.00488	9.80E-06	0.517	0.00488	9.60E-06
12	0.509	0.00481	1.35E-05	0.507	0.00479	1.41E-05
15	0.503	0.00475	1.61E-05	0.501	0.00474	1.67E-05
18	0.503	0.00475	1.63E-05	0.502	0.00473	1.71E-05
21	0.503	0.00475	1.64E-05	0.502	0.00474	1.66E-05
24	0.503	0.00475	1.61E-05	0.502	0.00475	1.65E-05
36	0.502	0.00474	1.66E-05	0.501	0.00474	1.70E-05

Table B2 The amount of adsorbed DBSA at various time

Time(h)	I [DBSA]PES ($\mu\text{mol/ g PES}$)	II [DBSA]PES ($\mu\text{mol/ g PES}$)	Average [DBSA]PES ($\mu\text{mol/ g PES}$)	SD
3	3.0	3.4	3.2	0.3
6	6.1	6.5	6.3	0.3
9	9.8	9.6	9.7	0.1
12	13.5	14.1	13.8	0.4
15	16.1	16.7	16.4	0.4
18	16.3	17.1	16.7	0.6
21	16.4	16.6	16.5	0.1
24	16.1	16.5	16.3	0.3
36	16.6	17.0	16.8	0.3

APPENDIX C Determination of The Surfactant Adsorption Isotherm

Table C1 The equilibrium DBSA concentration

[DBSA] _{ini} (μM)	I [DBSA] _{equi} (μM)	II [DBSA] _{equi} (μM)	Average [DBSA] _{equi} (μM)	SD
10	2.0	0.8	1.4	0.8
50	38.0	35.2	36.6	2.0
100	55.4	57.0	56.2	1.1
200	134.0	128.0	131.0	4.2
400	294.6	287.4	291.0	5.1
600	394.6	388.2	391.4	4.5
1000	736.8	726.4	731.6	7.4
1300	1034.6	1027.8	1031.2	4.8
1500	1210.6	1204.6	1207.6	4.2
2000	1663.4	1674.2	1668.8	7.6
4000	3662.0	3649.6	3655.8	8.8
6000	5639.4	5633.4	5636.4	4.2

Table C2 The amount of adsorbed DBSA at equilibrium

[DBSA] _{ini} (μM)	I [DBSA]PES ($\mu\text{mol/ g PES}$)	II [DBSA]PES ($\mu\text{mol/ g PES}$)	Average [DBSA]PES ($\mu\text{mol/ g PES}$)	SD
10	0.4	0.5	0.4	0.1
50	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.1
100	2.0	1.9	1.9	0.1
200	3.0	3.3	3.1	0.2
400	4.5	4.8	4.7	0.3
600	9.6	9.9	9.8	0.2
1000	11.6	12.1	11.8	0.4
1300	12.5	12.8	12.6	0.2
1500	12.7	13.0	12.9	0.2
2000	14.5	13.9	14.2	0.4
4000	14.3	14.9	14.6	0.4
6000	14.3	14.6	14.5	0.2

APPENDIX D Determination of The Monomer Adsolublization Isotherm

Procedure:

The standard solution of methyl acrylate monomer in surfactant solution was prepared from stock solution of 5 mM in a 50 ml volumetric flask. The amount of methyl acrylate monomer in standard solution was measured by a UV spectrometer at 237 nm.

Calculation of a molar absorbtivity of DBSA from the calibration curve

$$A = \epsilon bc$$

When, A = Absorbance

ϵ = The molar absorbtivity ($\text{L mol}^{-1} \text{cm}^{-1}$)

c = Concentration of solution (mol/L)

From the equation of calibration curve, the molar extinction coefficient of methyl acrylate monomer is the slope of the calibration curve.

At 237 nm;

$$Y = 127.16X$$

Therefore, the molar absorbtivity of methyl acrylate monomer at 237 nm is $1.2716 \times 10^2 \text{ L mol}^{-1} \text{cm}^{-1}$

Table A1 Absorbance values of the standard methyl acrylate monomer

[MA] (mM)	Absorbance			
	I	II	III	Average
1	0.127	0.125	0.126	0.126
2	0.253	0.251	0.251	0.252
3	0.382	0.383	0.383	0.383
4	0.504	0.506	0.504	0.505
5	0.639	0.639	0.638	0.639

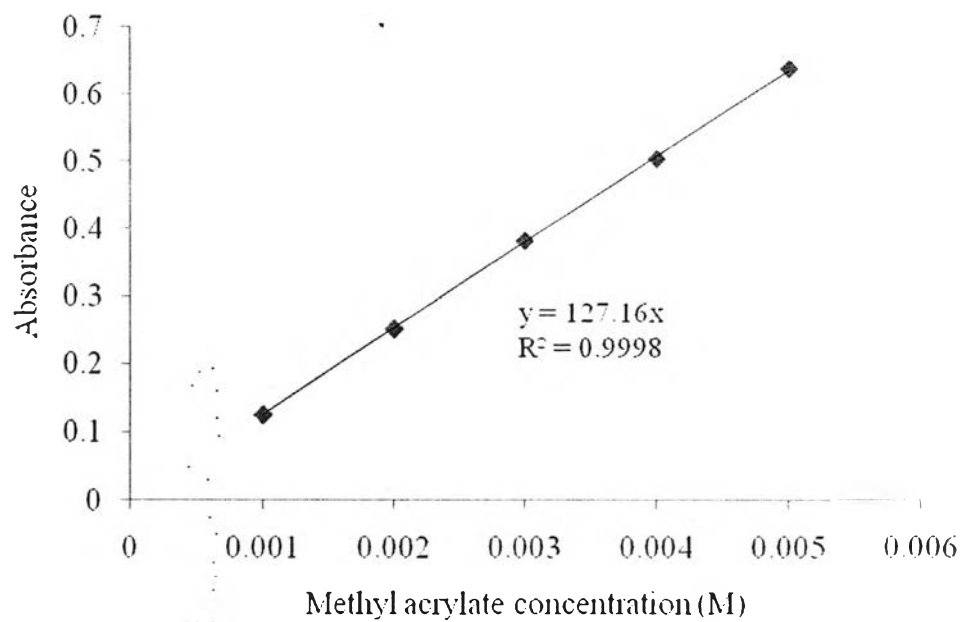


Figure D1 Calibration curve of the standard MA monomer

Appendix E Contact Angle Measurement on The PMA-Coated Polyester Fabric

Table E1 Contact angle of the PMA-coated polyester fabric at various conditions

AIBN:MA	DBSA:MA	Contact angle θ , degree											
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Average	
1:5	1:2	126.8	128.3	126.9	122.0	120.0	123.8	121.0	117.0	126.7	121.8	123.0 \pm 4.4	
		115.1	116.7	127.3	125.5	114.6	127.2	126.0	122.7	123.4	127.3		
	1:5	124.5	123.3	132.1	122.6	135.1	126.5	131.0	126.7	124.2	128.2	127.4 \pm 3.4	
		123.8	127.1	128.6	131.7	128.5	127.6	131.1	127.7	125.1	123.5		
	1:10	129.1	134.3	133.5	132.4	137.5	128.8	139.2	132.2	129.5	133.7	132.9 \pm 3.7	
		133.1	135.8	128.0	137.8	137.4	137.5	127.4	129.3	131.4	129.2		
	1:15	121.4	128.1	128.3	126.2	126.8	132.0	131.8	133.7	129.7	132.8	129.2 \pm 3.7	
		127.9	126.1	130.7	135.2	130.7	123.3	127.2	125.6	130.9	134.7		
	1:10	1:2	126.1	132.4	128.3	124.8	129.1	121.6	124.1	122.5	128.7	128.1	127.5 \pm 3.8
			119.7	125.9	132.7	132.1	132.7	125.2	128.9	130.6	126.8	129.5	
1:5		135.1	125.1	124.5	132.1	124.3	124.8	135.6	127.6	135.2	124.8	131.1 \pm 4.6	
		134.6	133.3	135.5	133.8	126.6	130.5	134.8	132.6	135.7	135.8		
1:10		137.7	142.0	142.4	136.0	135.5	134.9	136.7	142.7	129.3	133.5	134.7 \pm 5.5	
		124.4	126.2	135.5	133.8	140.2	140.4	126.3	133.5	130.8	131.2		
1:15		134.2	132.5	136.6	134.6	140.9	127.3	134.2	135.8	132.7	138.1	133.8 \pm 3.1	
		130.6	136.0	130.1	132.1	136.4	132.2	135.1	131.6	134.3	130.5		

Table E2 Contact angle of the PMA-coated polyester fabric at various conditions

AIBN:MA	DBSA:MA	Contact angle θ , degree											
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Average	
1:15	1:2	121.0	127.9	130.1	130.1	133.6	130.0	132.1	132.0	123.8	128.6	129.5 \pm 4.2	
		120.4	129.5	123.2	135.5	131.7	131.5	131.7	132.8	130.9	133.8		
	1:5	128.7	125.5	131.4	129.4	132.7	131.4	130.2	126.3	134.8	127.5	131.2 \pm 4.2	
		136.2	128.5	135.3	125.7	136.5	123.9	136.3	136.0	130.7	136.1		
	1:10	136.5	136.5	134.9	136.6	132.3	129.5	130.7	128.9	132.2	135.7	132.0 \pm 4.3	
		131.9	136.9	129.3	127.3	136.2	128.8	121.3	125.8	135.7	132.9		
	1:15	132.7	127.7	130.8	127.3	134.4	132.6	131.6	135.6	136.1	132.8	133.4 \pm 3.4	
		135.8	141.1	132.4	131.5	138.1	137.5	134.1	131.9	129.8	133.7		
	1:20	1:2	121.9	125.3	130.1	128.8	122.5	129.8	134.4	130.8	129.5	126.3	130.4 \pm 4.1
			129.6	135.8	133.5	134.8	129.4	132.1	131.2	130.2	136.8	135.0	
1:5		129.2	134.6	130.4	136.1	135.7	123.3	132.9	131.9	127.3	135.3	132.6 \pm 3.7	
		132.3	134.6	137.7	135.8	130.9	129.4	128.9	137.9	133.7	133.9		
1:10		128.4	135.4	134.0	134.1	127.3	129.4	130.3	135.4	128.8	130.8	131.7 \pm 3.0	
		130.4	135.9	130.6	134.1	126.8	133.2	127.5	133.2	135.7	132.3		
1:15		134.5	141.3	128.9	136.2	130.3	140.7	142.3	137.5	132.1	132.5	134.5 \pm 4.4	
		137.6	135.2	132.7	128.9	126.0	138.4	132.6	131.7	134.9	135.5		

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