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## APPENDICES

### APPENDIX I

#### PHYSICAL CHARACTERIZATION

##### I.1 Deposition Weight

**Table I.1.1** Effect of Substrate Temperature

Substrate Temperature (°C)	Deposition Weight (mg)
-5.0	17.8
0.0	15.6
3.0	4.5
5.0	3.4
10.0	2.5

**Table I.1.2** Effect of Amount of Photoinitiator

Amount of Photoinitiator (mmole)	Deposition Weight (mg)
0.430	10.0
0.861	14.0
1.722	13.2
5.167	17.2
8.612	16.5

**Table I.1.3** Effect of Deposition Time

Deposition Time (hours)	Deposition Weight (mg)
4.0	3.4
8.0	17.4
12.0	15.4
18.0	16.4 ( $\pm 1.48$ )
24.0	20.1

**Table I.1.4** Effect of Flow Rate

Flow Rate of gas mixture (ml N <sub>2</sub> /min)	Deposition Weight (mg)
49.0	1.2
82.0	3.5
123.0	15.6
179.0	16.1
243.5	16.8
331.0	17.5

**I.2 The Estimated Thickness**

$$L = K \times \text{deposition weight (mg)} \quad (\mu\text{m})$$

$$K = \frac{10}{\rho \text{ (g.cm}^{-3}\text{)} A \text{ (cm}^2\text{)}} \quad (\text{mg} \cdot \mu\text{m})$$

$$\rho = 1.0865 - (6.19 \times 10^{-4} \times T) + (1.36 \times 10^{-7} \times T^2) \quad (\text{g} \cdot \text{cm}^{-3})$$

whereas; L = estimated thickness

K = normal factor

$\rho$  = temperature dependent density of polystyrene

A = surface area

T = experimental temperature (C)

when, T = 25 C and A = 11.35 cm<sup>2</sup>

then, K = 0.822  $\mu\text{m} \cdot \text{mg}^{-1}$

**Table I.2.1** Effect of Substrate Temperature

Substrate Temperature (°C)	Deposition Weight (mg)	Estimated Thickness ( $\mu\text{m}$ )
-5.0	17.8	14.647
0.0	15.6	12.837
3.0	4.5	3.703
5.0	3.4	2.798
10.0	2.5	2.057

**Table I.2.2** Effect of Amount of Photoinitiator

Amount of Photoinitiator (mmole)	Deposition Weight (mg)	Estimated Thickness ( $\mu\text{m}$ )
0.430	10.0	8.311
0.861	14.0	11.520
1.722	13.2	10.862
5.167	17.2	14.153
8.612	16.5	13.577



**Table I.2.3** Effect on Deposition Time

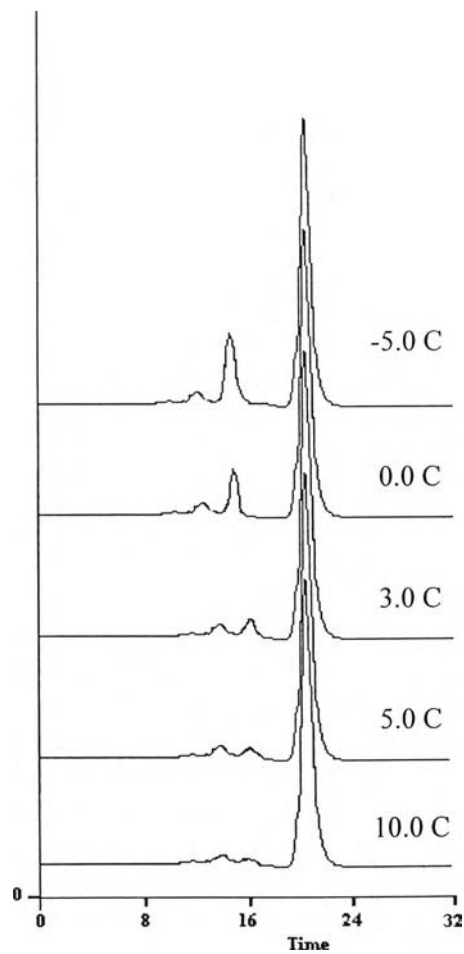
Deposition Time (hours)	Deposition Weight (mg)	Estimated Thickness ( $\mu\text{m}$ )
4.0	3.4	2.798
8.0	17.4	14.318
12.0	15.4	12.672
18.0	16.4 ( $\pm 1.48$ )	13.510 ( $\pm 1.22$ )
24.0	20.1	16.540

**Table I.2.4** Effect on Flow Rate

Flow Rate of gas mixture (ml N <sub>2</sub> /min)	Deposition Weight (mg)	Estimated Thickness ( $\mu\text{m}$ )
49.0	1.2	0.987
82.0	3.5	2.88
123.0	15.6	12.837
179.0	16.1	13.248
243.5	16.8	13.824
331.0	17.5	14.400

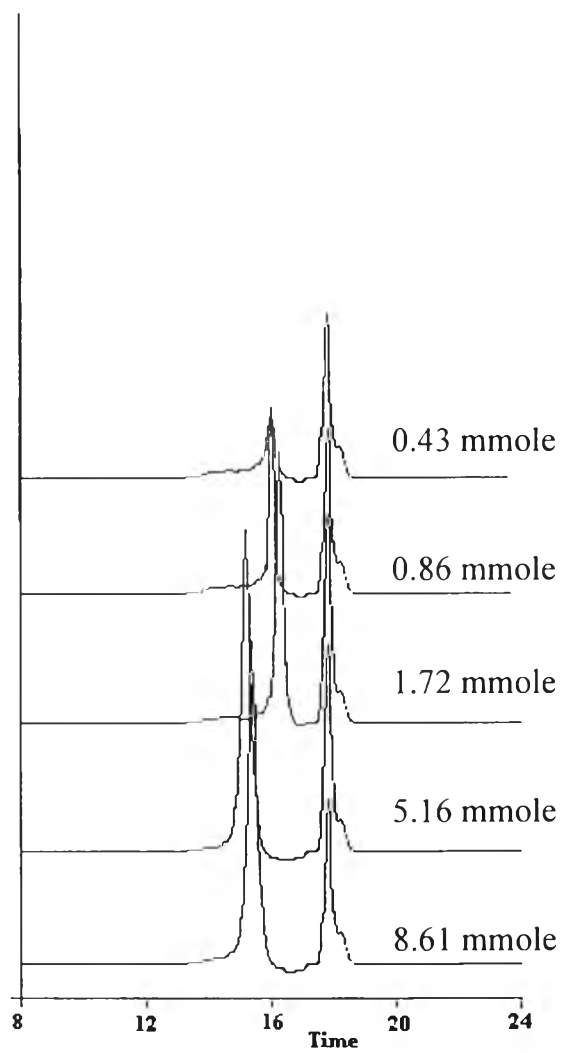
**APPENDIX II**  
**GEL PERMEATION CHARACTERIZATION**

**II.1 Effect of Substrate Temperature**



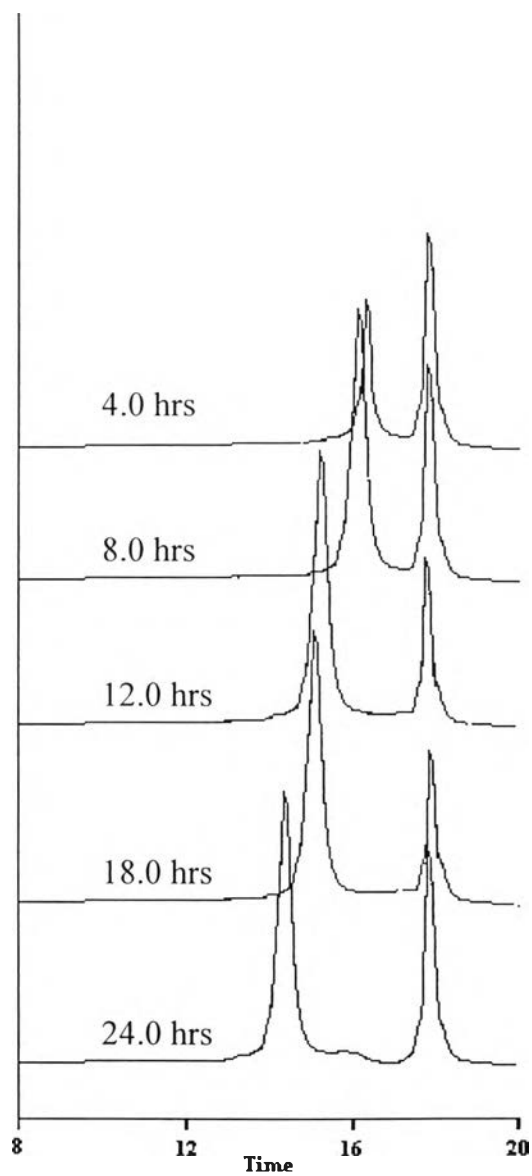
**Figure II.1** Gel permeation chromatogram of deposited film at the substrate. temperature of -5.0 - 10.0 °C

## II.2 Effect of Amount of Photoinitiator



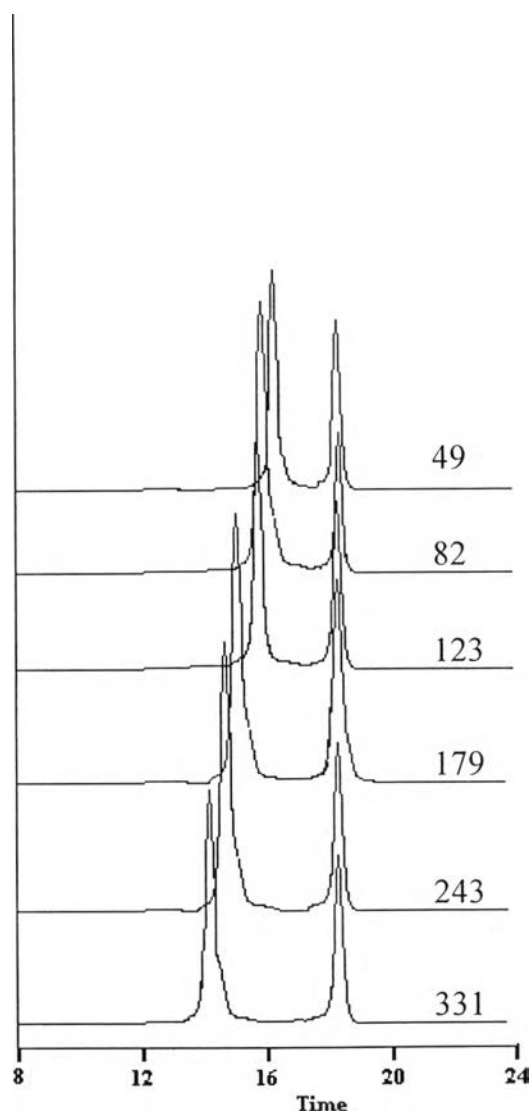
**Figure II.2** Gel permeation chromatogram of deposited film with varying amount of photoinitiator.

### II.3 Effect of deposition Time



**Figure II.3** Gel permeation chromatogram of deposited film at deposition time of 4.0 - 24.0 hours.

## II.4 Effect of Flow Rate



**Figure II.4** Gel permeation chromatogram of deposited film at N<sub>2</sub> flow rate of 49 - 331 ml.N<sub>2</sub>/min.

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