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Supporting information

Effect of Nanoclay Orientation on Oxygen Barrier Properties of LbL Nanocomposite Coated Films

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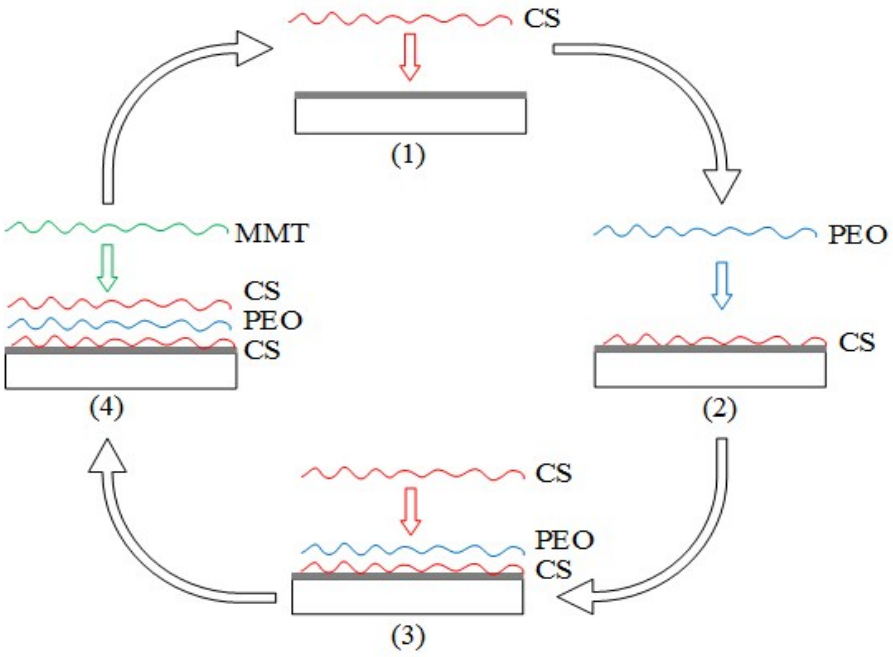

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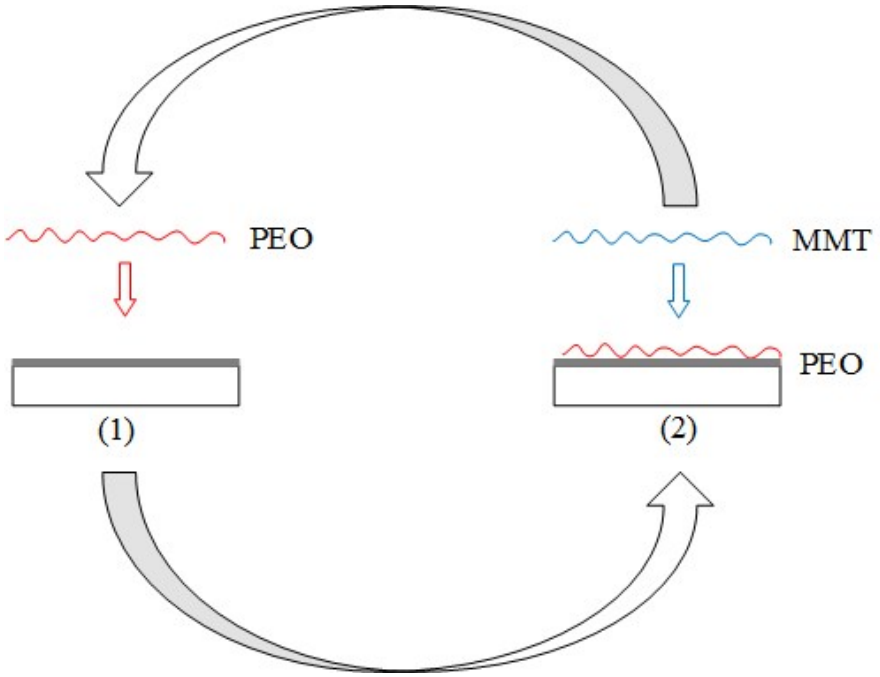


FigureS1: Steps of the deposition of a) one quadlayer chitosan/PEO/chitosan/MMT and b) one bilayer PEO/MMT

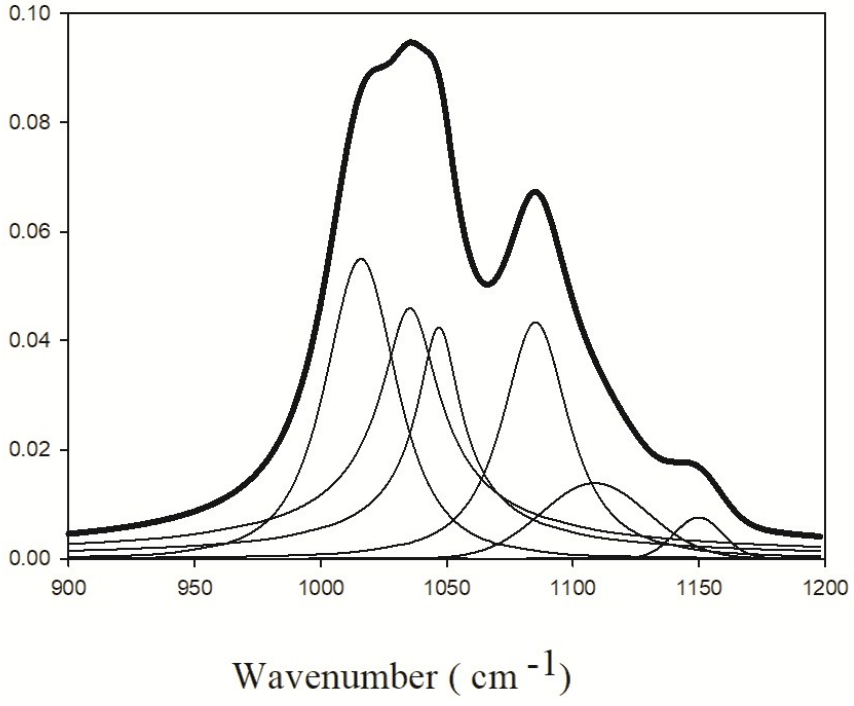


Figure S2: Typical peak deconvolution of the S_0 spectrum for a PVA quadlayers

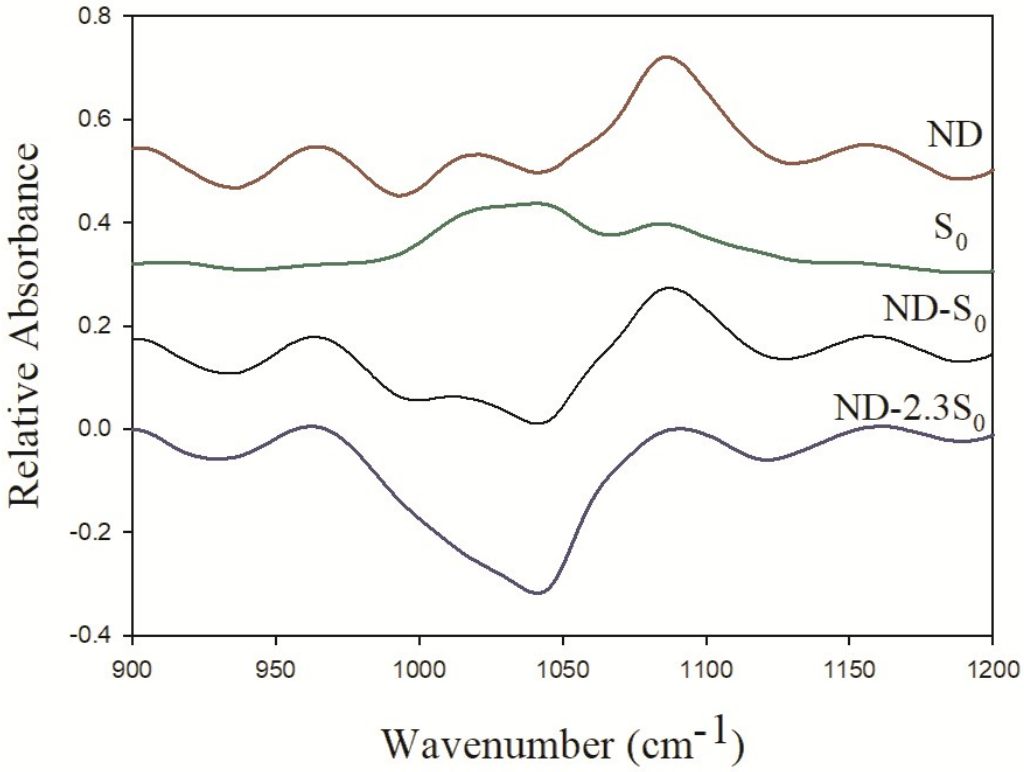
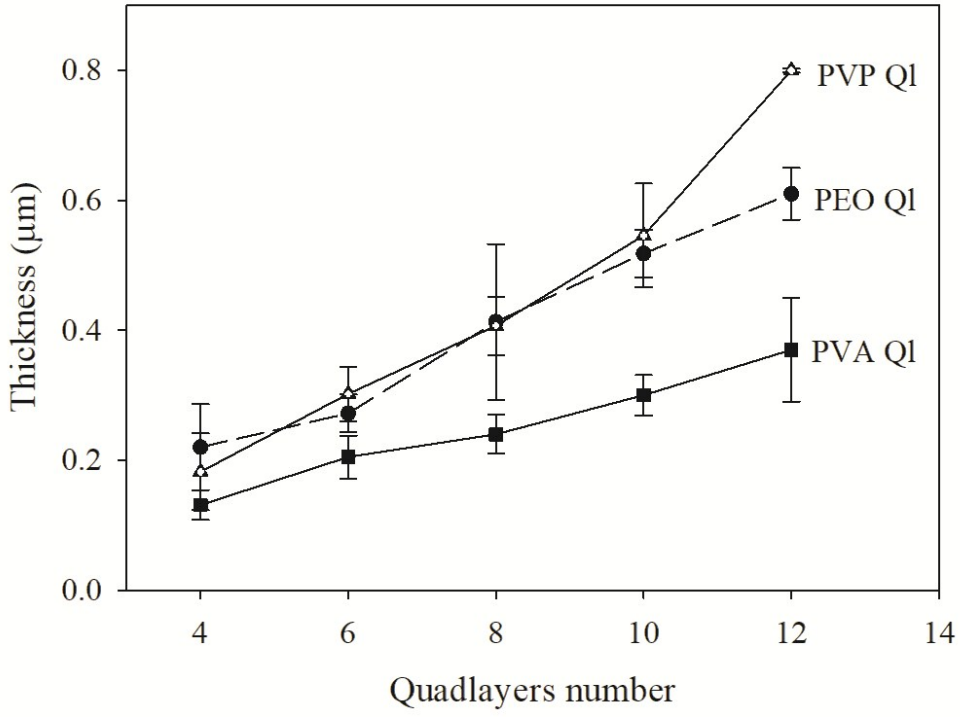


Figure S3: Peak subtraction for a PVP quadlayers



FigureS4: thickness variation with the number of layers for the three assemblies

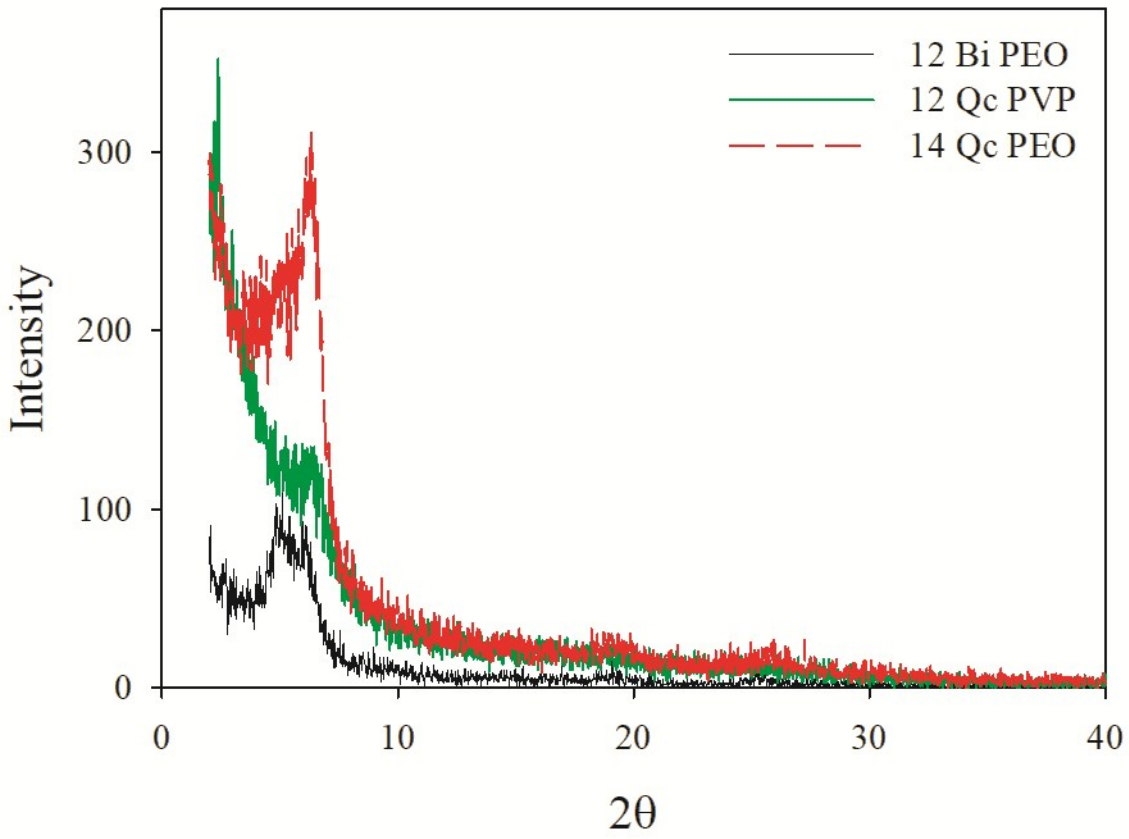


Figure S5: XRD patterns of three of the studied assemblies