## **Supporting Information**

## Biodegradable and Wood Adhesive Polyesters Based on Lignin-

Derived 2-Pyrone-4,6-dicarboxylic Acid

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Figure S1. Cypress fractured by shear forces.



No accelerated deterioration treatment



Soak in DI water at 60 °C for 3 h  $\rightarrow$  soak in DI water at 20 °C for 10 min



Soak in boiling DI water for 4 h  $\rightarrow$  soak in DI water at 60 °C for 20 h  $\rightarrow$  soak in boiling DI water for 4 h  $\rightarrow$  soak in DI water at 20 °C for 10 min





**Figure S3**. (a) XPS survey spectra of P(PDC2) and P(PDC3) after hot-pressing, (b) O 1s core-level spectrum of P(PDC2), (c) O 1s core-level spectrum of P(PDC3), (d) O 1s core-level spectrum of cypress wood plate, (e) O 1s core-level spectrum of P(PDC2) after hot-pressing, (f) O 1s core-level spectrum of P(PDC3) after hot-pressing.



**Figure S4**. Biodegradation rates of P(PDC2), PDC, BHPDC and PET in pure pond water for 120 days or 180 days. Average plots of two test samples.