Supporting information

Substituent Effects and Activation Mechanism of Norbornene Polymerization Catalyzed by Three-Dimensional Geometry α-Diimine Palladium Complexes

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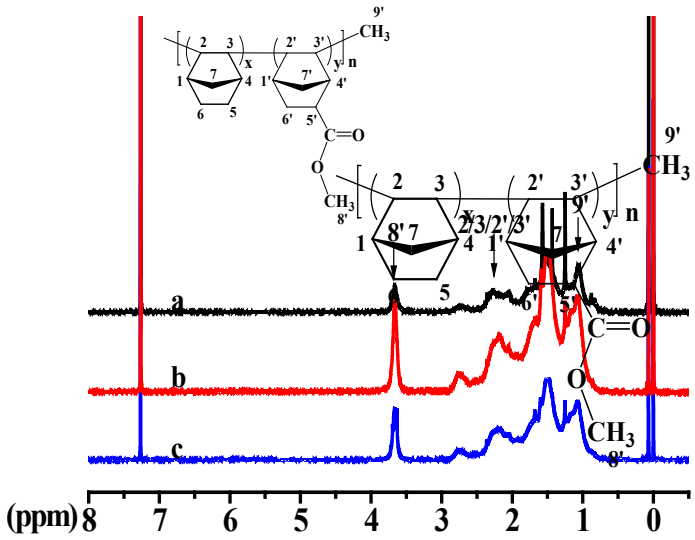

Fig. S1 ^{1}H NMR spectra of poly(NB-co-NB-$COOCH_3$) with (a) 20.2%, (b) 25.6%, and (c) 23.8% of NB-$COOCH_3$ molar ratios separate obtained by C1, C2, and C3/$B(C_6F_5)_3$ systems.

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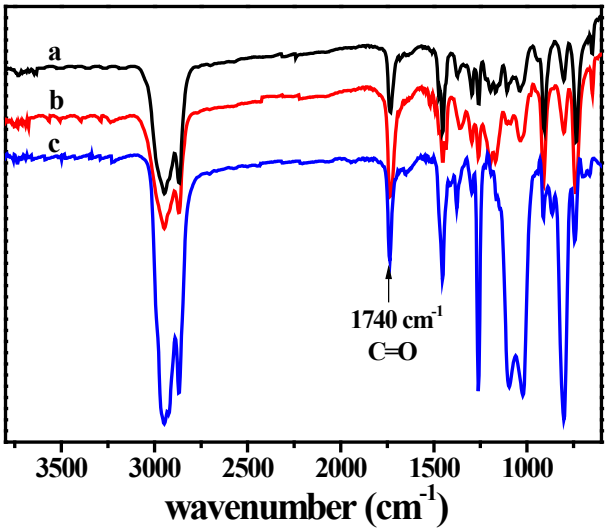

Fig. S2 FTIR spectra of poly(NB-co-NB-$COOCH_3$) with (a) 20.2%, (b) 25.6%, and (c) 23.8% of NB-$COOCH_3$ molar ratios separate obtained by C1, C2, and C3/$B(C_6F_5)_3$ systems.

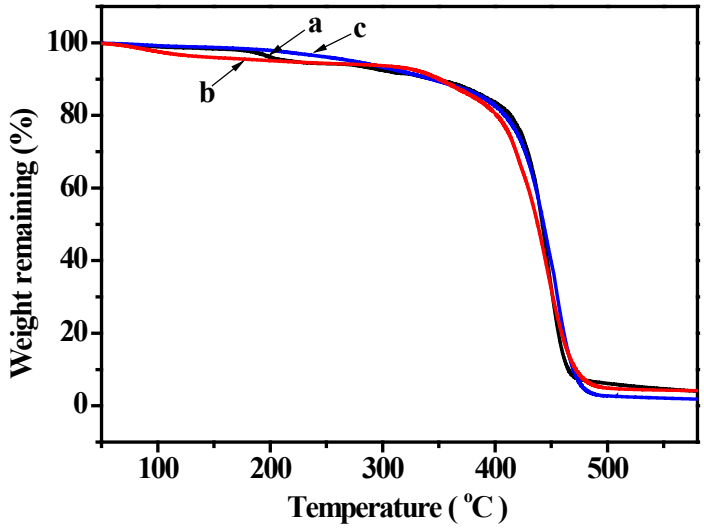

Fig. S3 TGA curves of poly(NB-co-NB-$COOCH_3$) with (a) 20.2%, (b) 25.6%, and (c) 23.8% of NB-$COOCH_3$ molar ratios separate obtained by C1, C2, and C3/$B(C_6F_5)_3$ systems. The *(T_d)s* of the polymers are: (a) 382.1 °C, (b) 329.5 °C, (c) 370.8°C.

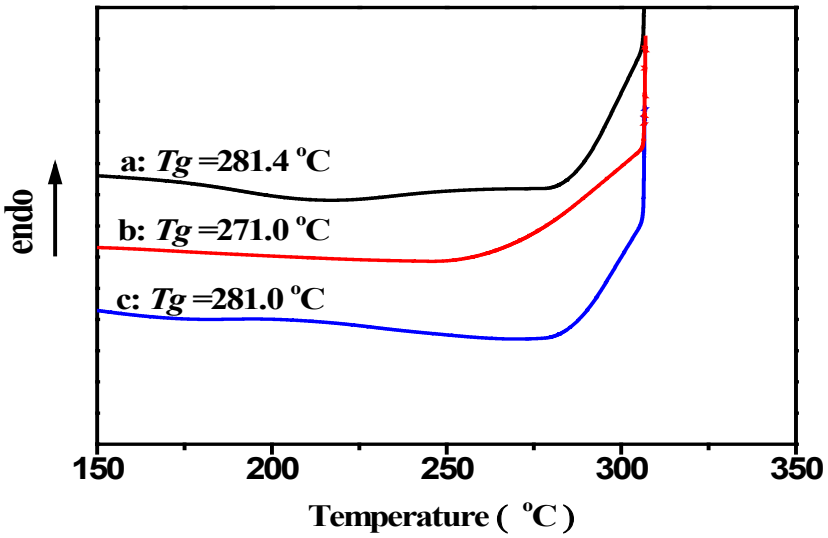

Fig. S4 DSC curves of poly(NB-co-NB-$COOCH_3$) with (a) 20.2%, (b) 25.6%, and (c) 23.8% of NB-$COOCH_3$ molar ratios separate obtained by C1, C2, and C3/$B(C_6F_5)_3$ systems.

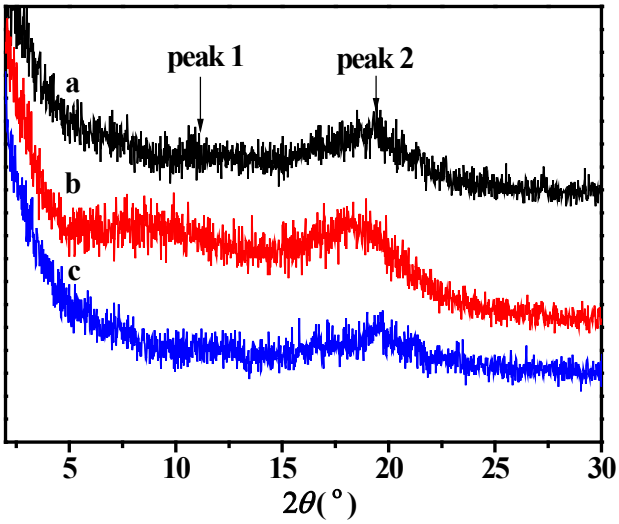

Fig. S5 WXRD curves of poly(NB-co-NB-$COOCH_3$) with (a) 20.2%, (b) 25.6%, and (c) 23.8% of NB-$COOCH_3$ molar ratios separate obtained by C1, C2, and C3/$B(C_6F_5)_3$ systems.

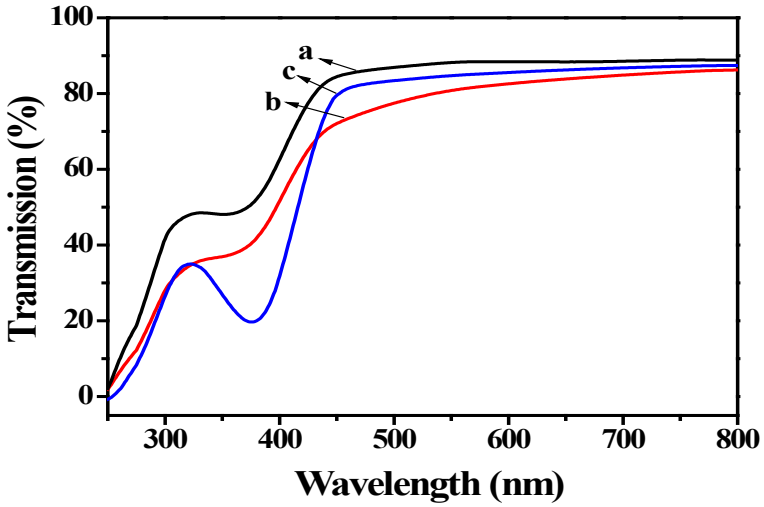

Fig. S6 The UV-Vis curves of poly(NB-co-NB-$COOCH_3$) with (a) 20.2%, (b) 25.6%, and (c) 23.8% of NB-$COOCH_3$ molar ratios separate obtained by C1, C2, and C3/$B(C_6F_5)_3$ systems.

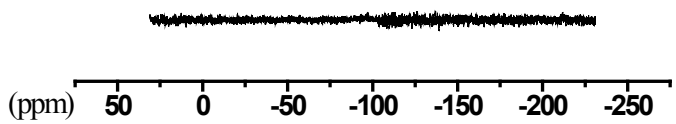

Fig. S7 ^{19}F NMR spectrum of poly(NB-co-NB-$COOCH_3$)

(NB-$COOCH_3$ content: 9.1%) obtained by C2/$B(C_6F_5)_3$ system.