

Supplementary Information for:

Surface Dynamics of Poly (Methyl methacrylate) Chains Affected by Concentration of Casting Solution

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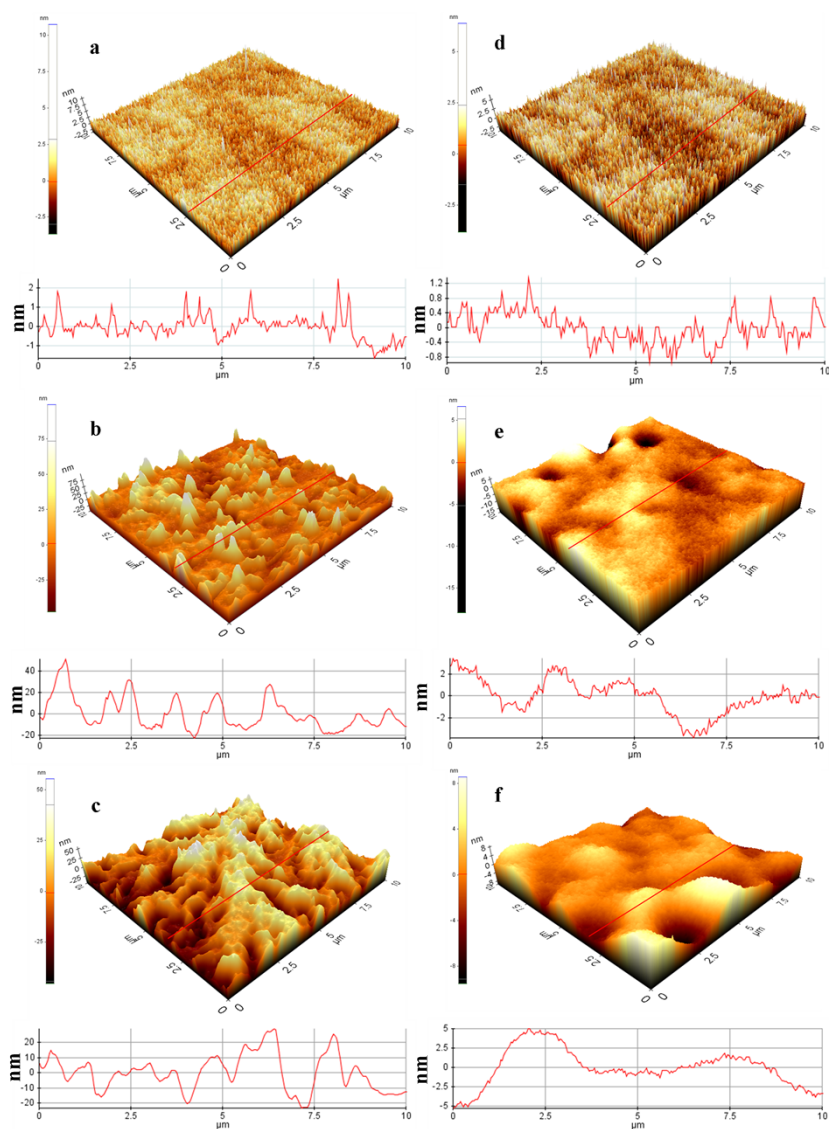


Fig. S1 AFM topography images of PMMA₄₃₀-ec-PFMA₂ spin-coated films before (a,b,c) and after annealing at 120°C (d,e,f). (a) prepared from the PMMA₄₃₀-ec-PFMA₂ cyclohexanone solution. (b) and (c) prepared from the PMMA₄₃₀-ec-PFMA₂ solutions with mixed solvent, the volume ratio of cyclohexanone and ethanol were 9:1 and 6:4 respectively (concentration:3.5%).

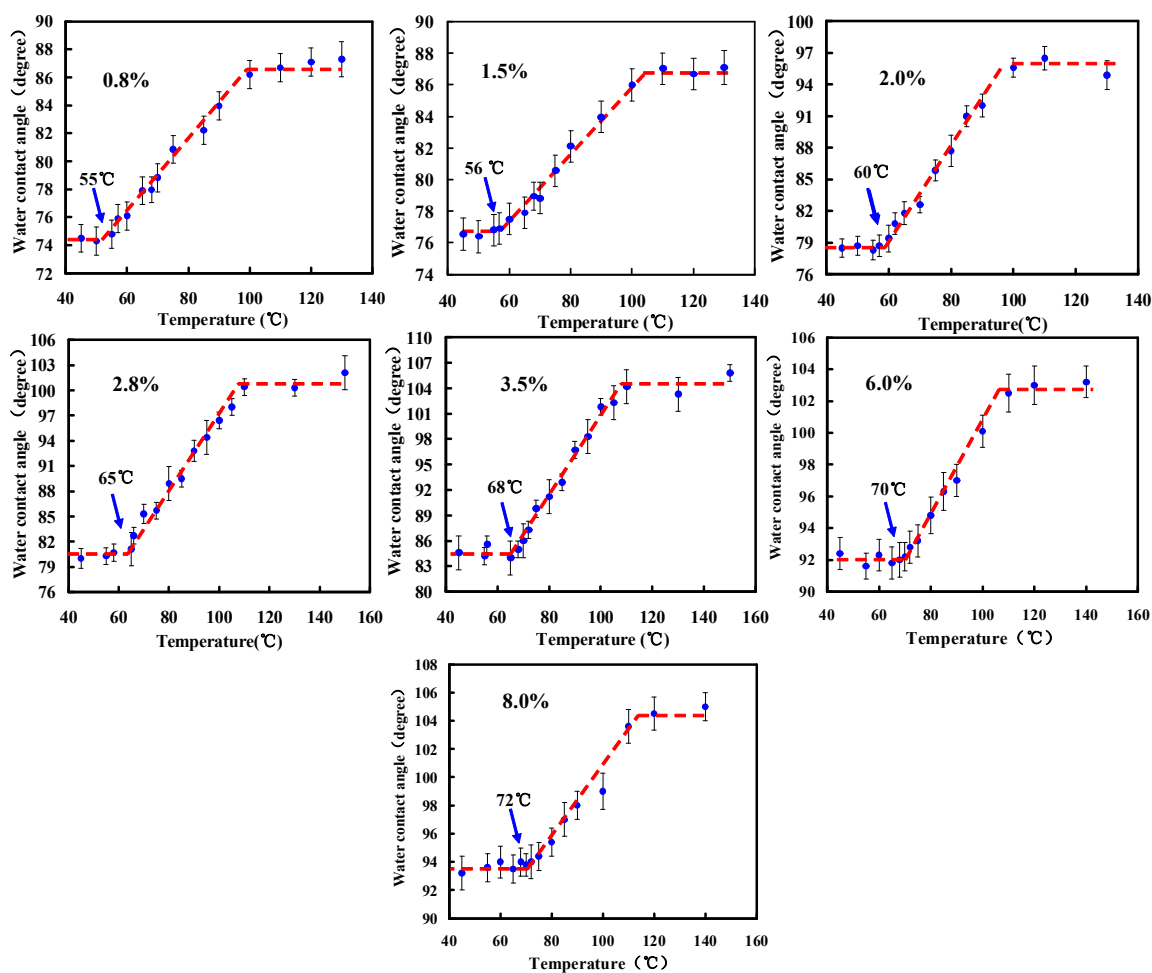


Fig. S2 Water contact angle of spin-coated PMMA₄₃₀-*ec*-PFMA₂ films prepared from different concentration (wt%) of casting solutions as a function of annealing temperature. Annealing time: 24 h. The dotted line is a guide to the eye.

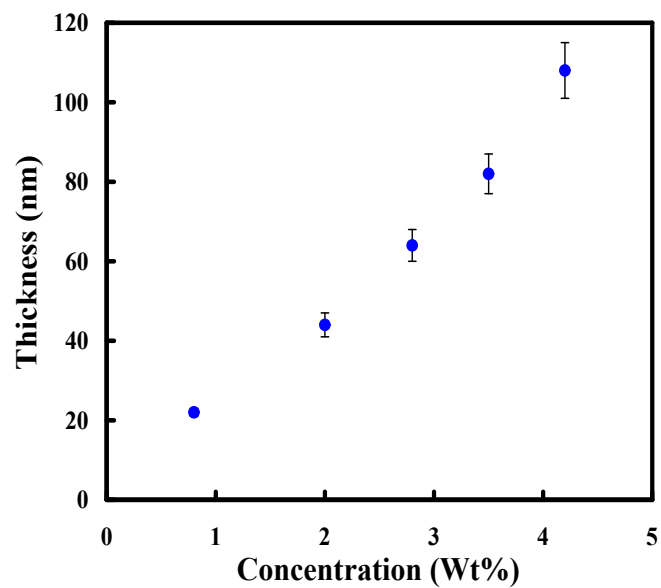


Fig. S3 The films thickness vs the concentration of casting solutions.

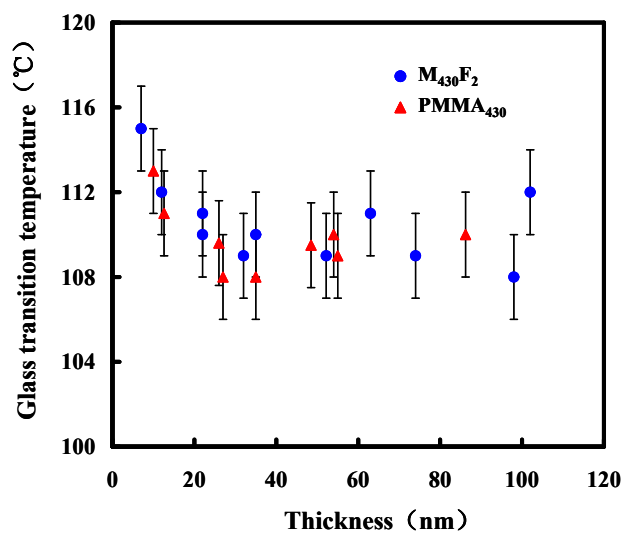


Fig.S4 Measured glass transition temperature (T_g) vs film thickness for $PMMA_{430}$ -ec-PFMA₂ films (solid circles) and $PMMA_{430}$ films (triangles) by ellipsometry.

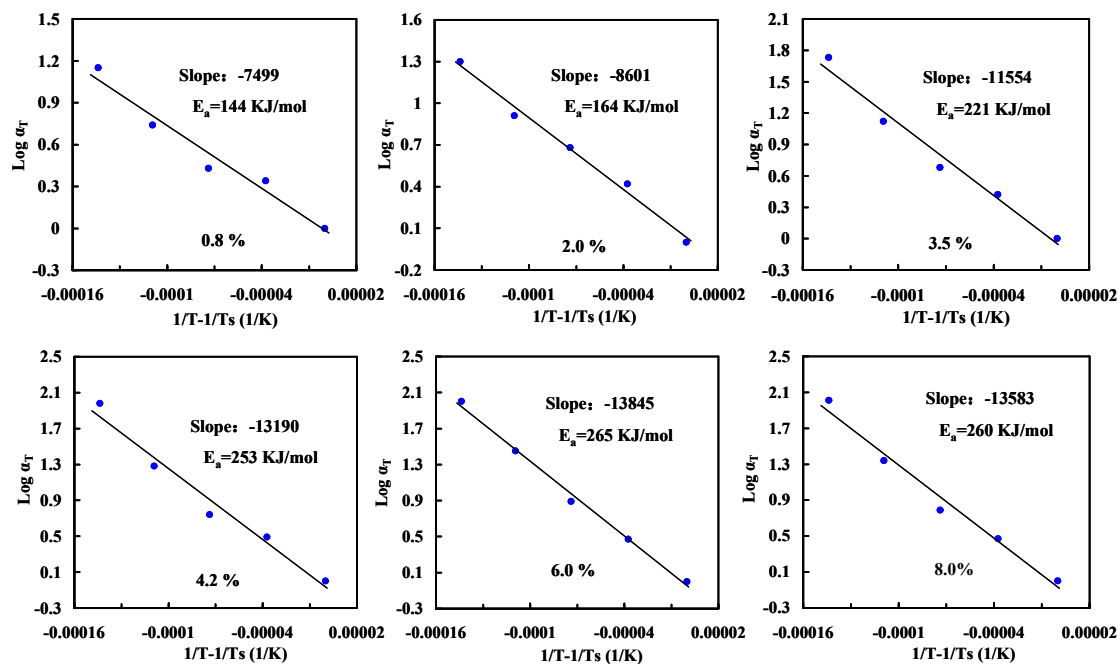


Fig. S5 Arrhenius plots of α_T vs. temperature for PMMA₄₃₀-ec-PFMA₂ films prepared from various concentrations of casting solutions. The solid line is linear least-squares fits by a modified Arrhenius equation described in Eq. 1 to the data with a slope for elucidating the activation energy.