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Bioinspired Supramolecular Fibers for Mercury Ions Adsorption

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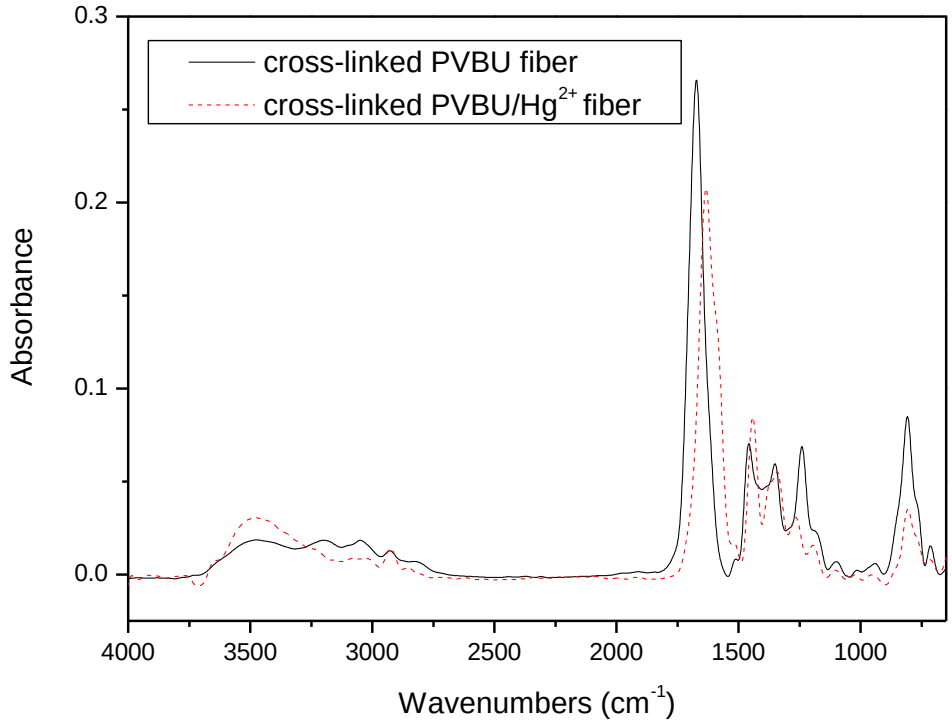

Figure S1. FT-IR spectra of cross-linked PVBU fiber and cross-linked PVBU/Hg^{2+} fiber

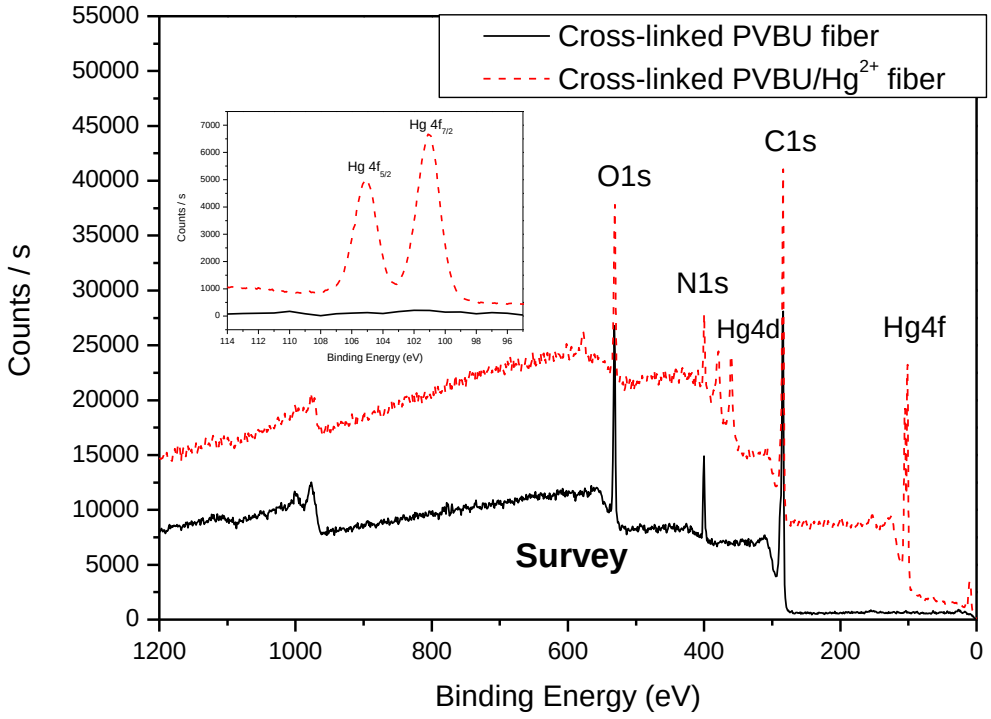

Figure S2. XPS spectra of cross-linked PVBU fiber and cross-linked PVBU/Hg^{2+} fiber

Table S1 Atom Ratio of complex cross-linked PVBU/Hg^{2+} fiber

	Peak (eV)	Area (CPS*eV)	Corrected RSF	Atomic (%)
Hg4f	101.0	19792	461.6	2.6
N1s	399.6	4356	26.8	9.9
O1s	531.0	9354	39.5	14.4
C1s	283.9	20173	16.8	73.1

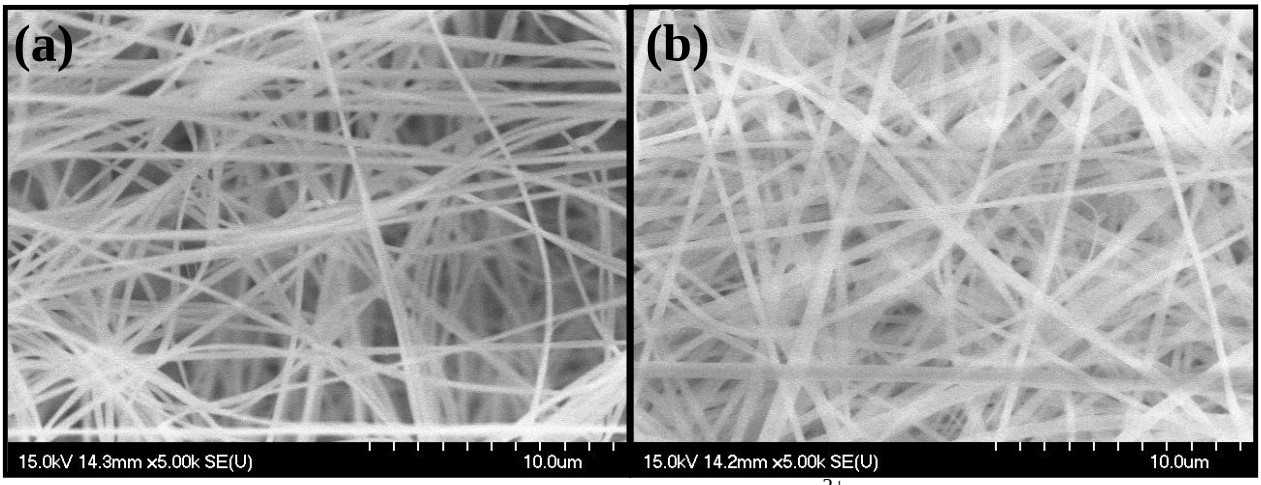

Figure S3. FE-SEM images of (a) PVBU fiber after adsorbing Hg^{2+} (b) cross-linked PVBU fiber after adsorbing Hg^{2+}

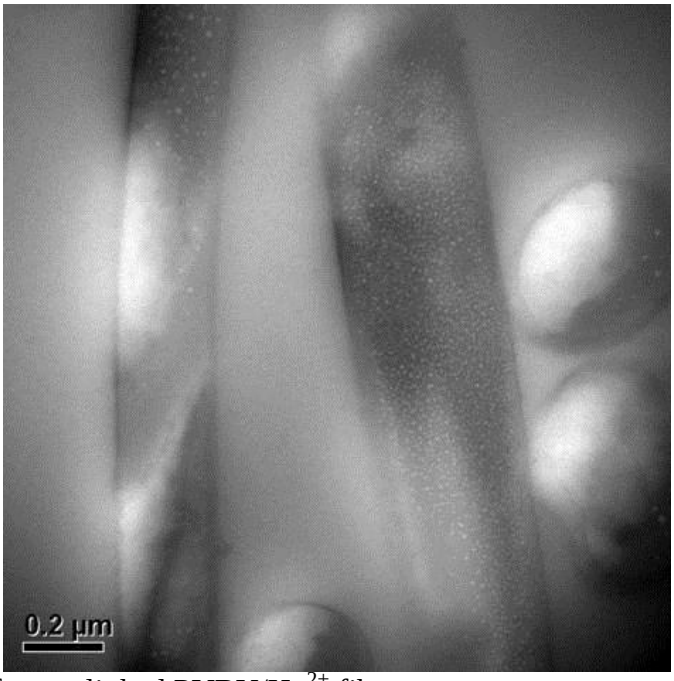

Figure S4. TEM image of cross-linked PVBU/Hg^{2+} fiber

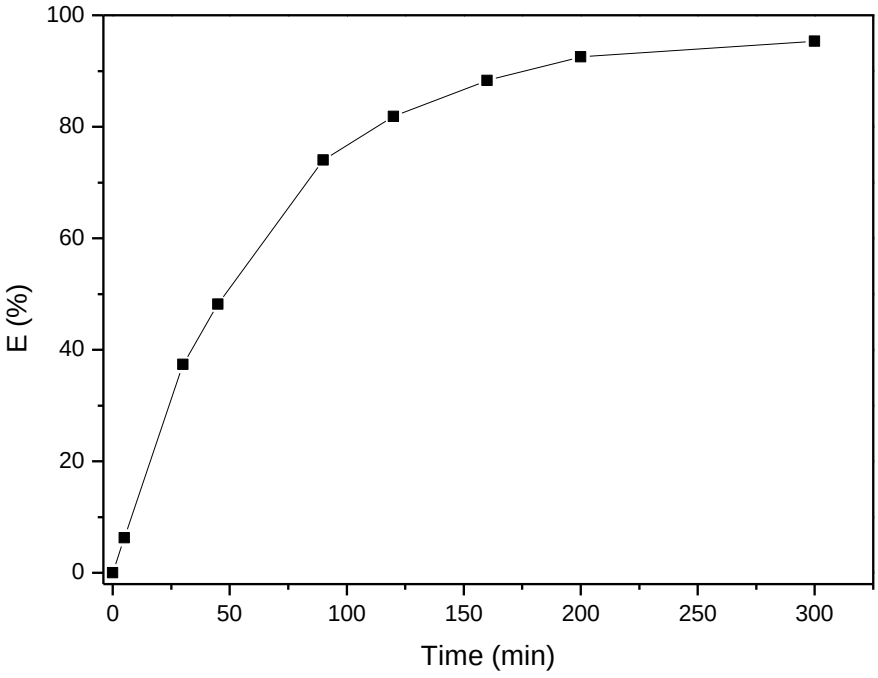

Figure S5. Adsorption kinetic of PVBU fiber for Hg^{2+}