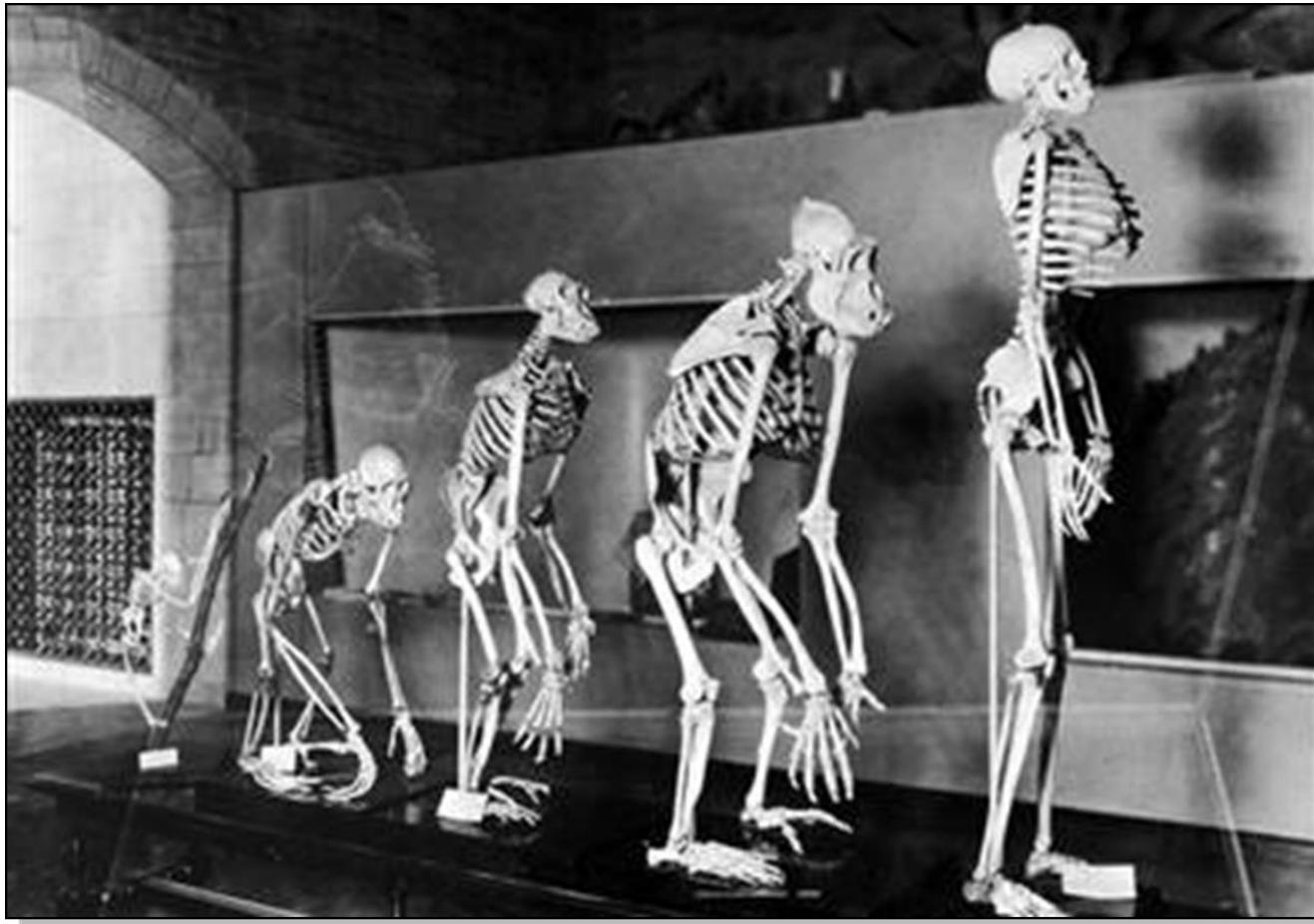
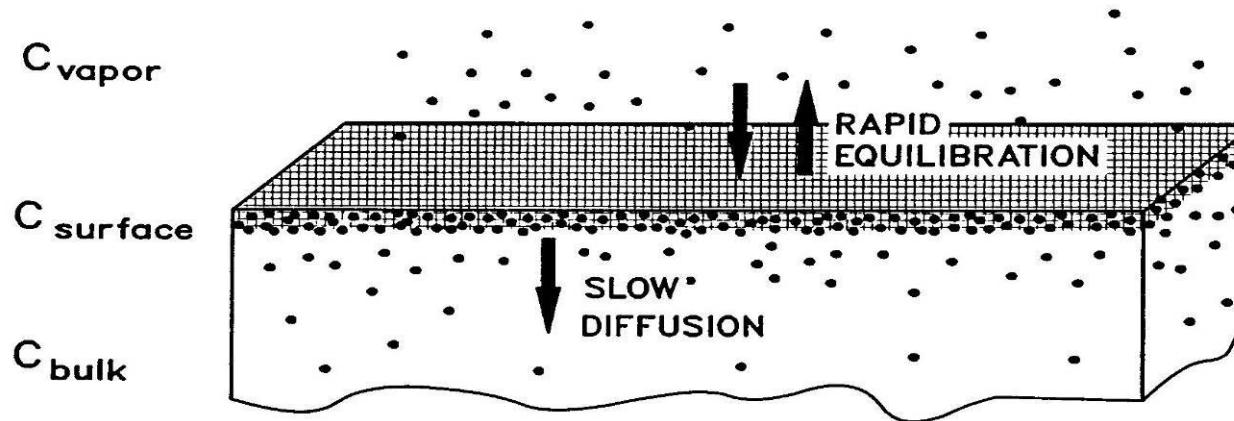


# Lecture 15

Chemical Engineering for Micro/Nano Fabrication



# Polymer Permeability



$$C_{\text{surface}} = S \times C_{\text{vapor}} \quad (\text{Henry's Law})$$

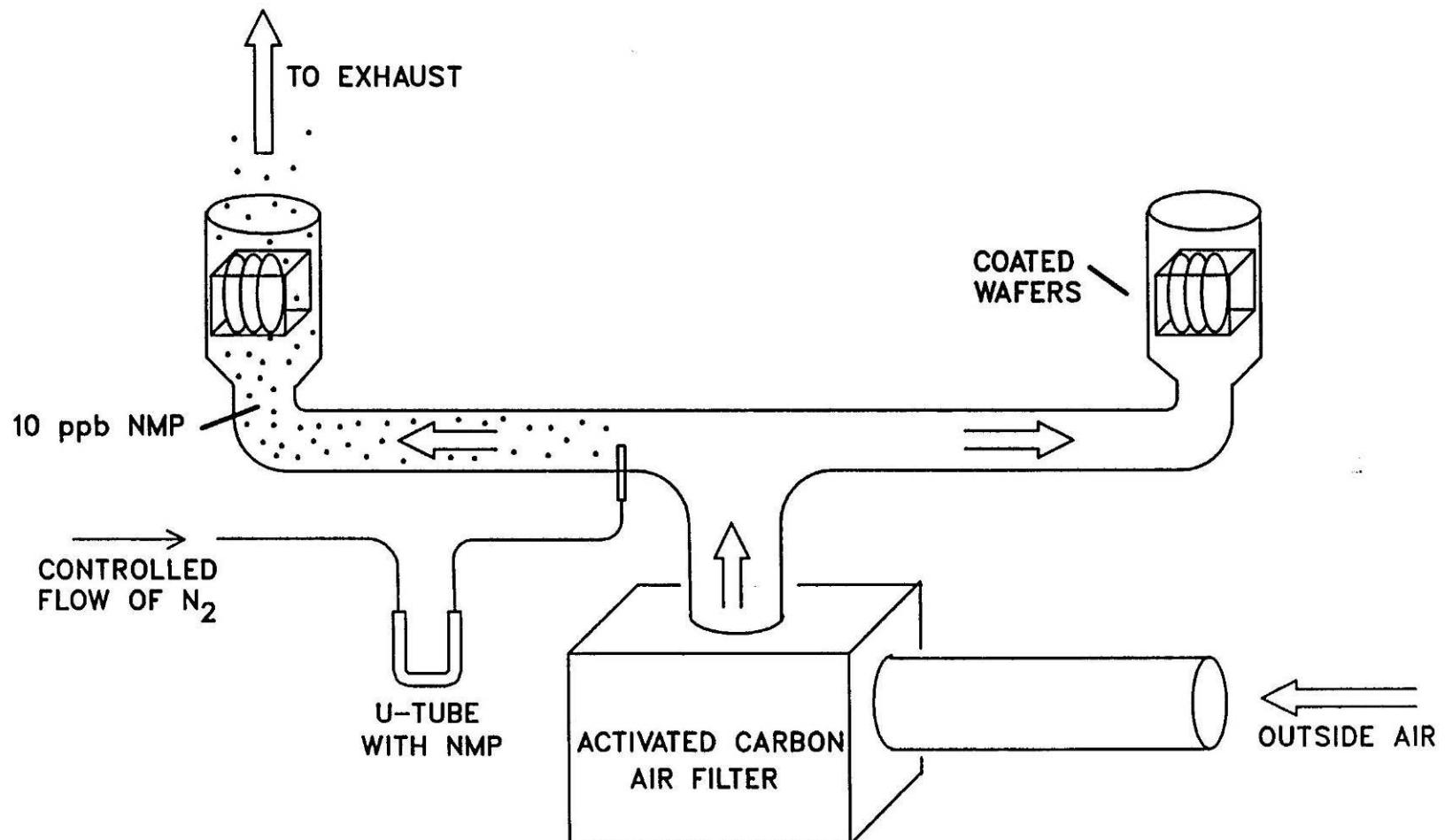
$$\text{Diffusion Rate} = -D \frac{dC}{dx} \quad (\text{Fick's Law})$$

$$\frac{dC}{dx} = f(C_{\text{surface}}) \text{ so}$$

Sorption Rate =  $f(\text{Solubility, Diffusivity})$

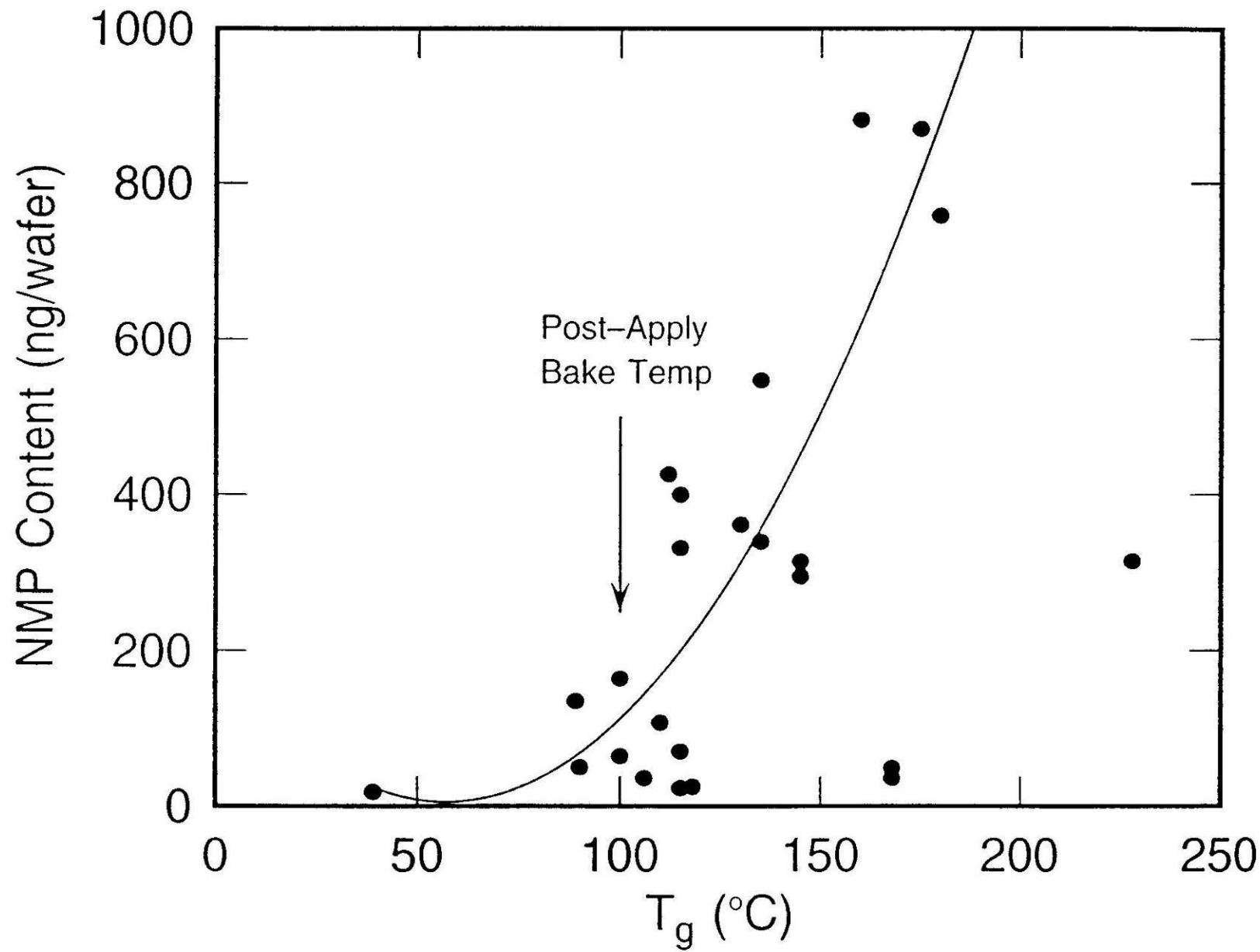


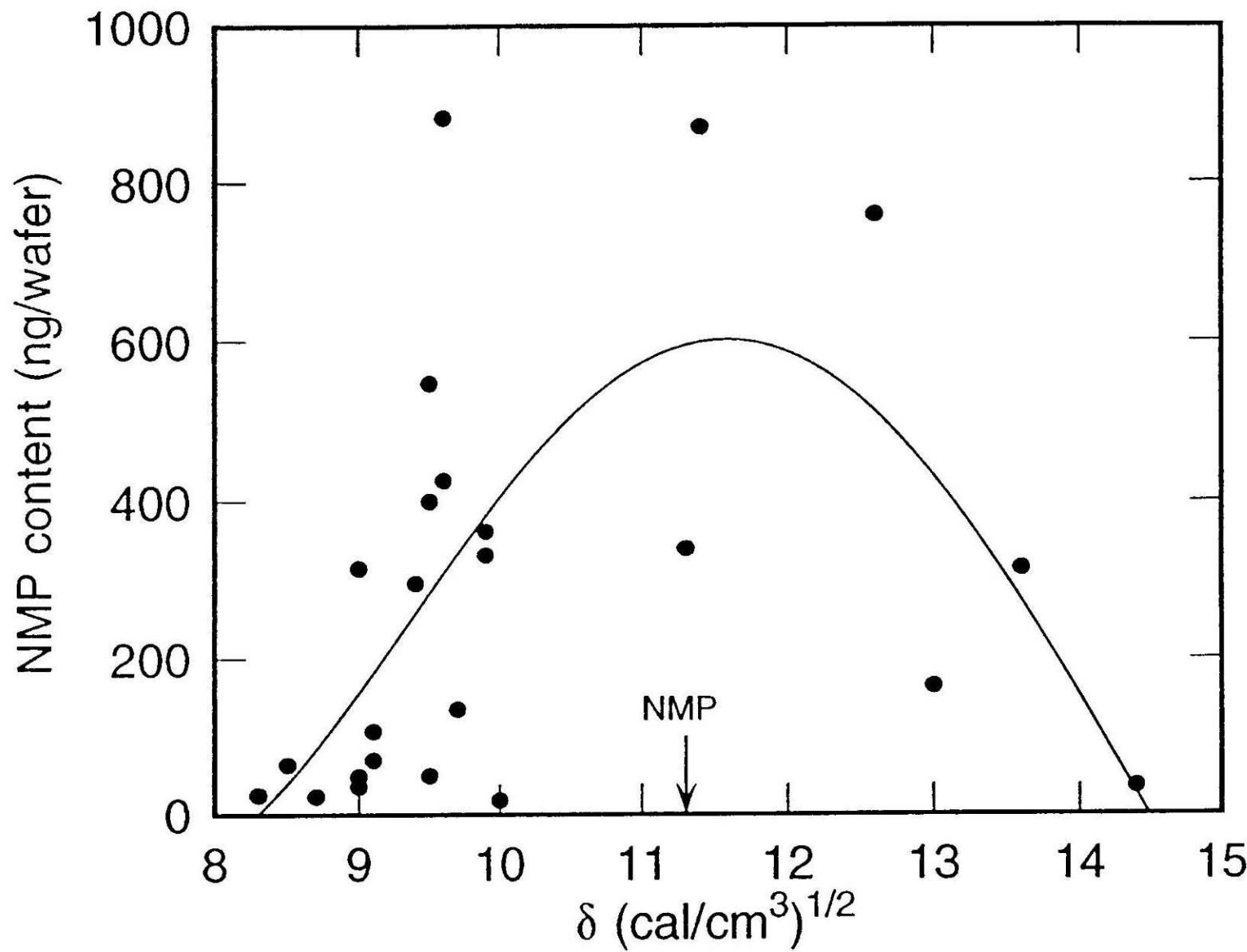
# Experimental Apparatus



Polymer	NMP Content (ng/wafer)	Solubility Param. (cal/cm <sup>3</sup> ) <sup>1/2</sup>	T <sub>g</sub> (°C)
poly(methylmethacrylate)	70	9.1	115
poly(4-t-BOC-styrene)	547	9.5	135
poly(4-t-BOC-styrene) from Maruzen PHOST 400		9.5	115
m-cresol novolac	164	13.0	100
poly(4-hydroxystyrene)	758	12.6	180
poly(styrene)	64	8.5	100
epoxy cresol novolac	18	10.0	39
poly(MMA-TBMA-MAA)	296	9.4	145
poly( $\alpha$ -Me-styrene-co-Bz-MA)	107	9.1	110
poly(t-Bu-vinylbenzoate)	882	9.6	160
poly(3,5-Me <sub>2</sub> -4-t-BOC-styrene)	362	9.9	130
poly(t-butyl methacrylate)	25	8.3	118
poly(TBMA-MMA)	23	8.7	115
poly(3,5-Me <sub>2</sub> -4-hydroxystyrene)	870	11.4	175
poly( $\alpha$ -Me-styrene) (low MW)	49	9.0	168
poly( $\alpha$ -Me-styrene) (high MW)	36	9.0	168
poly(acrylic acid)	36	14.4	106
poly(4-t-butylstyrene)	315	9.0	145
poly(4-acetoxy styrene)	332	9.9	115
poly(methacrylic acid)	315	13.6	228
poly(4-MeO-styrene)	135	9.7	89
poly(4-MeO-styrene-co-4-t-BOC-styrene)	426	9.6	112
poly(3-t-BOC-styrene)	50	9.5	90
p(3-Me-4-hydroxystyrene)	340	11.3	135



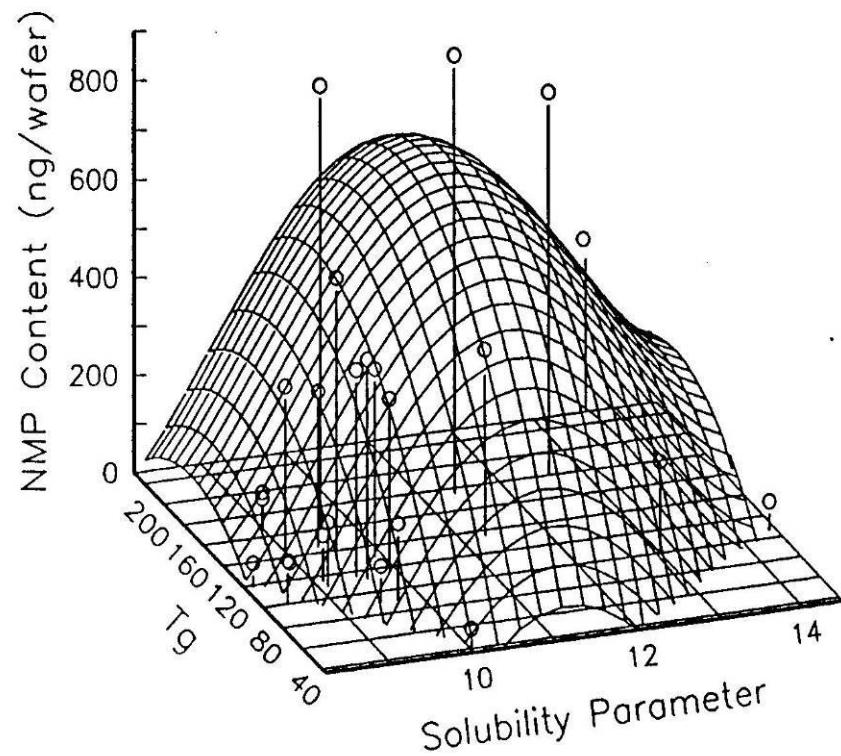
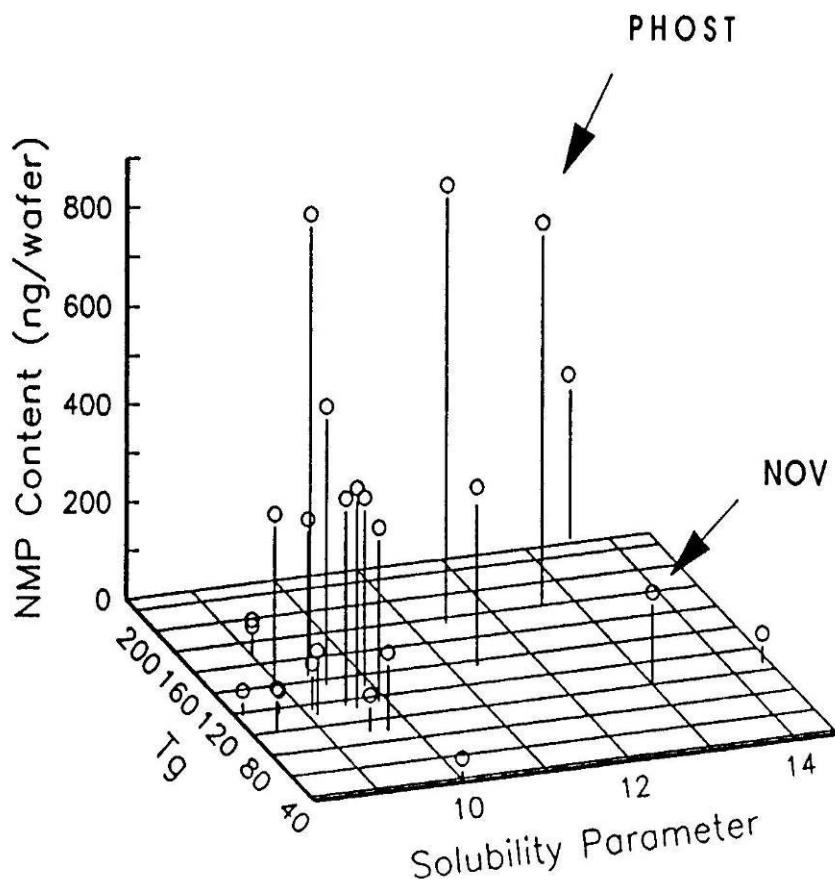




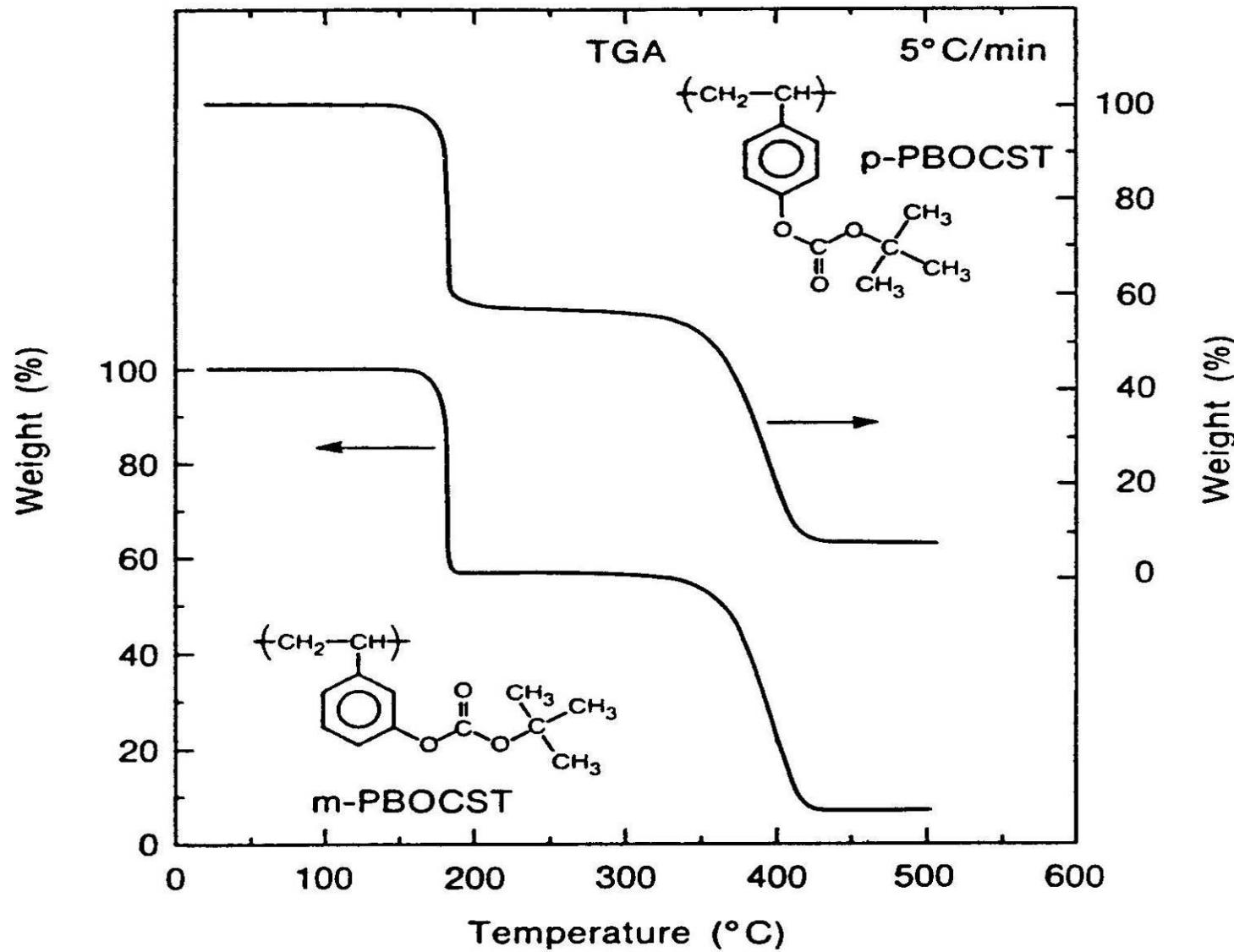
NMP Absorption versus Solubility Parameter

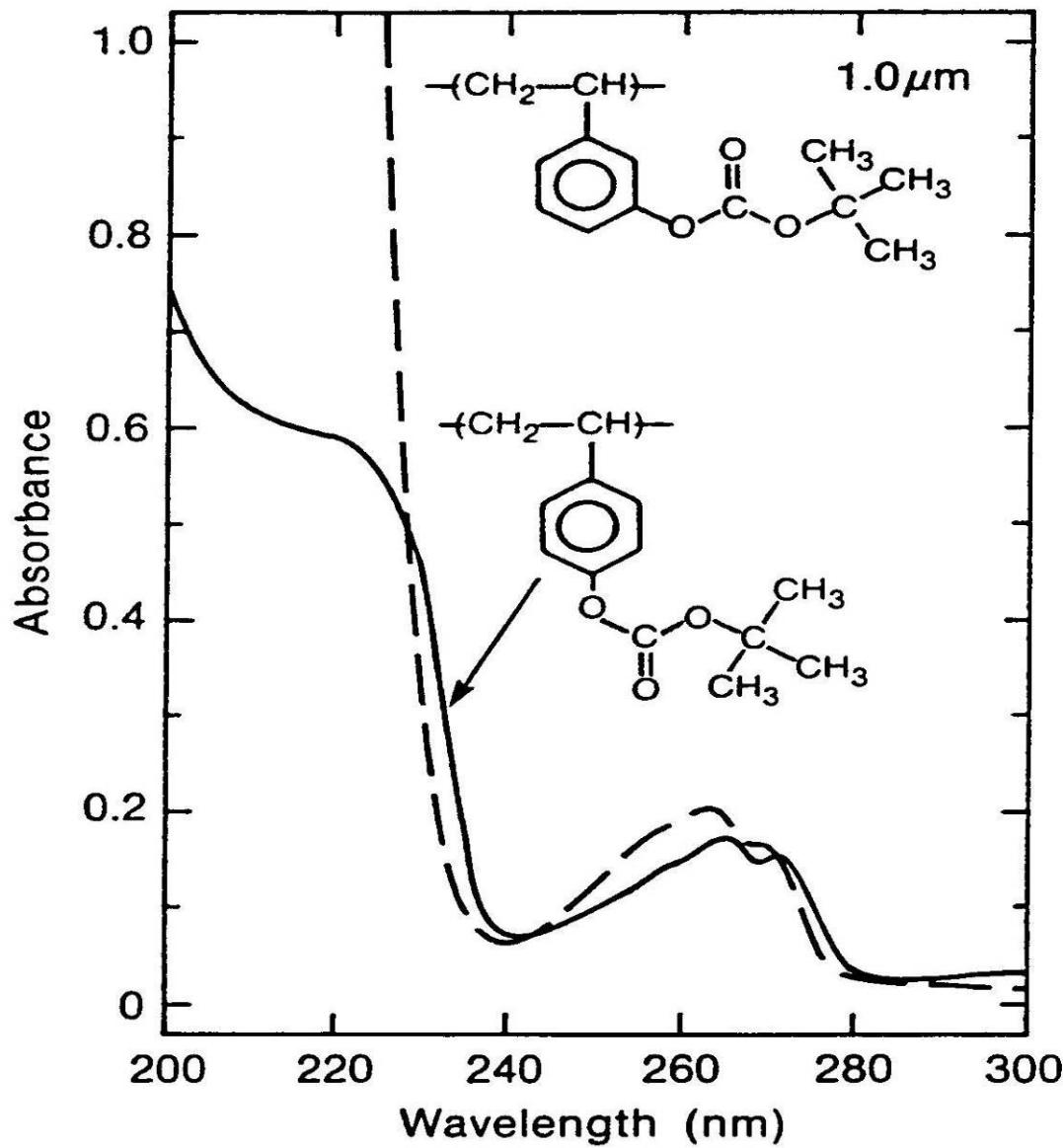


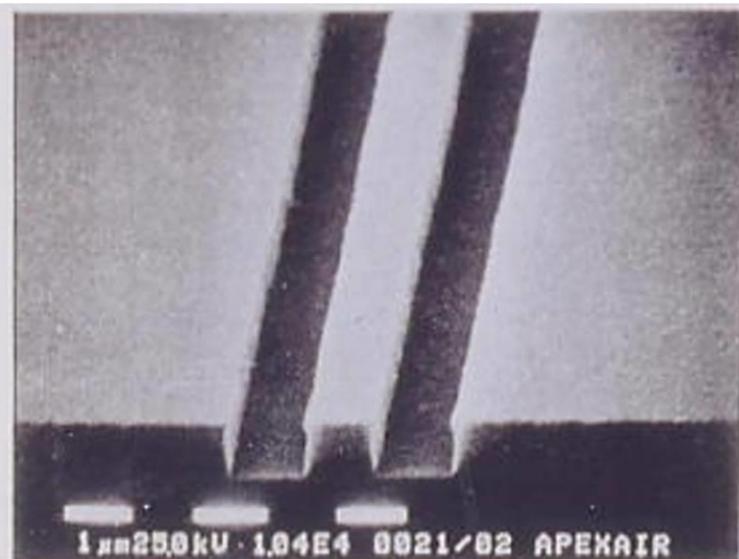
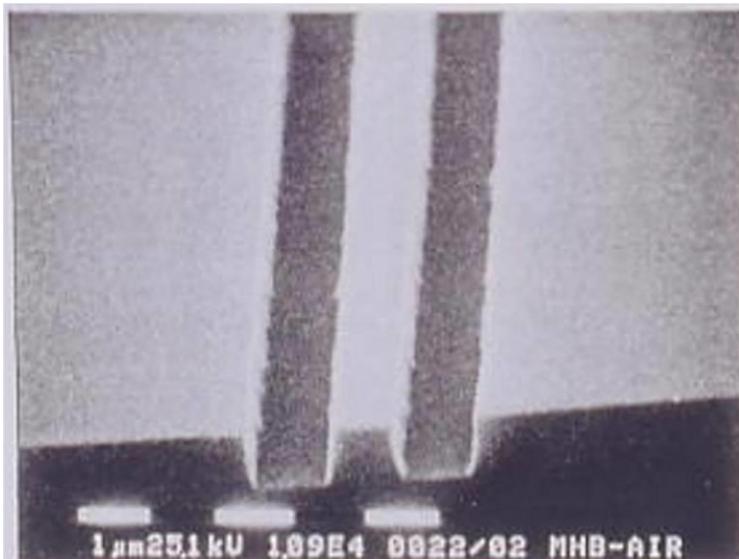
# NMP Uptake vs $T_g$ and Solubility Parameter



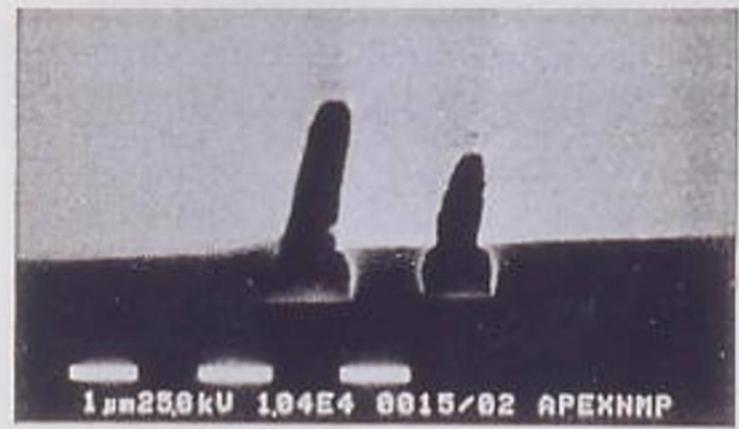
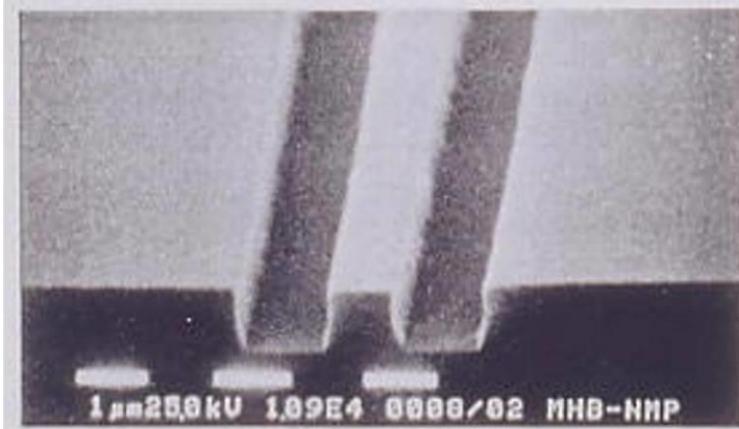
# Thermogravimetric analysis





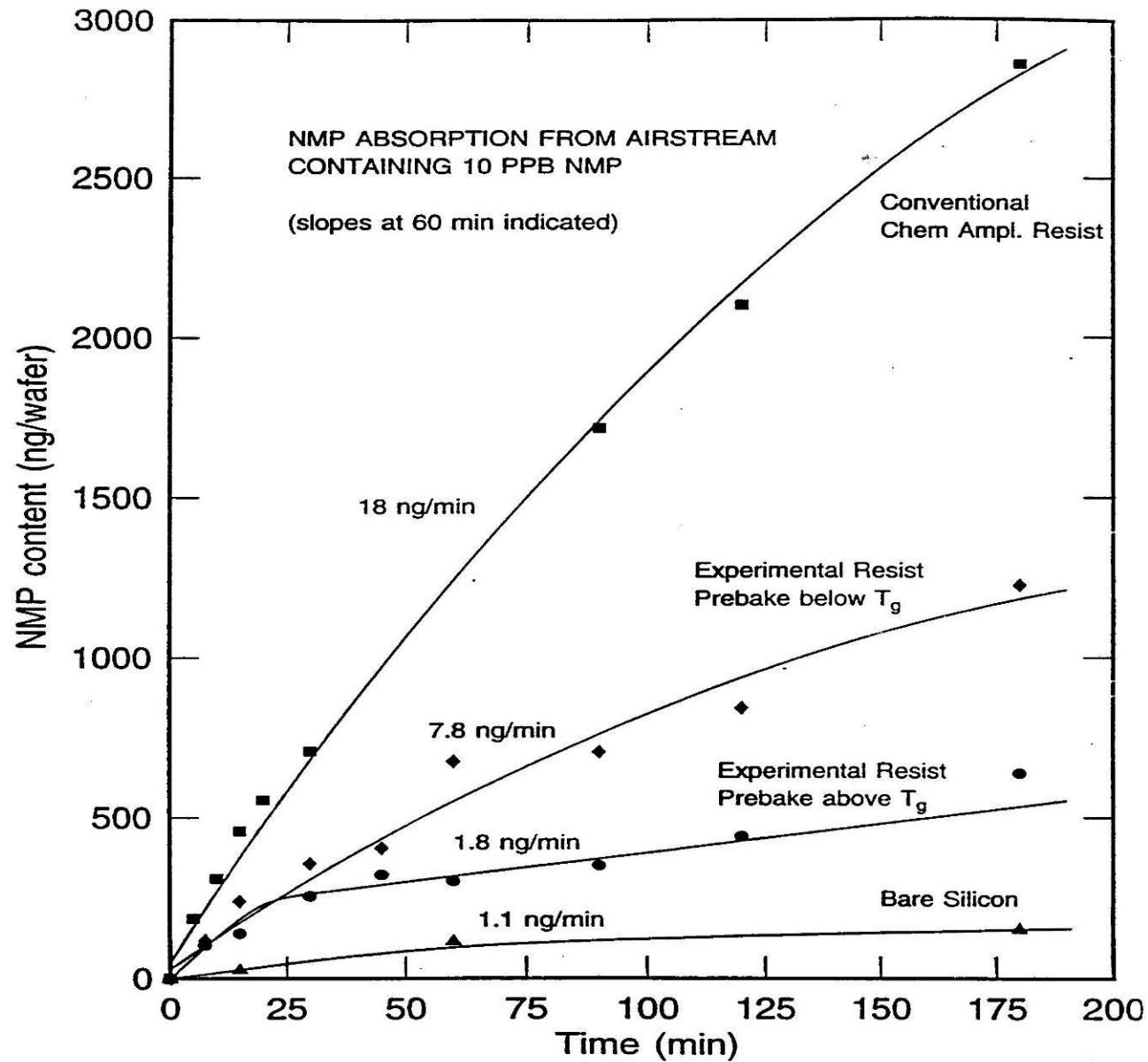


Filtered Air (15 min)

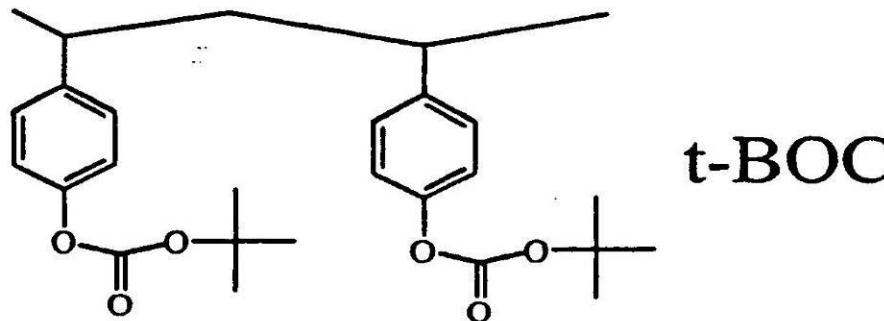


10 ppb NMP (15 min) before exposure

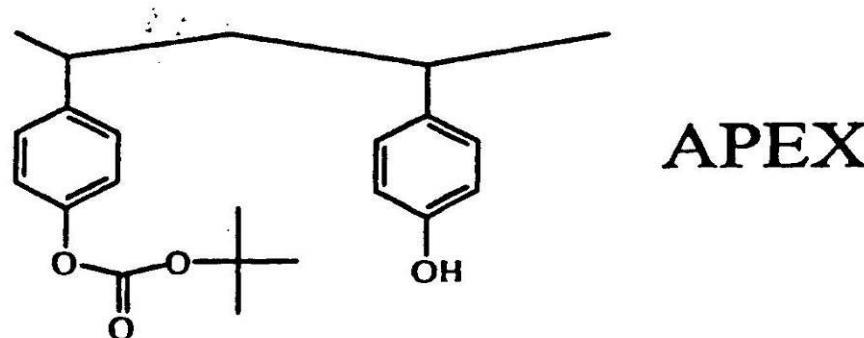
Effects of filtered air (top) and 10ppb NMP (bottom) on positive images printed in the meta- (left) and para- (right) P(HOST-co-BOCST) resists.



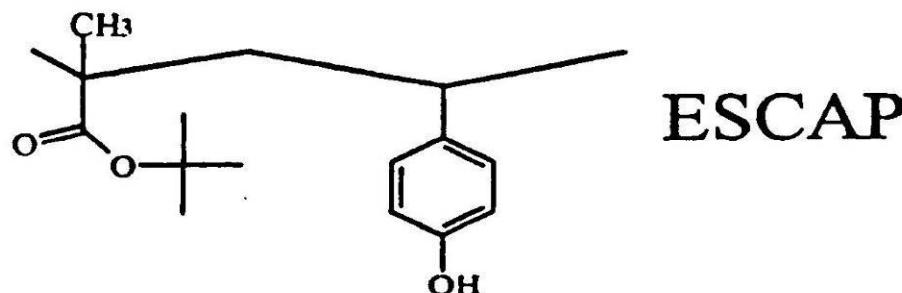
# The “Family”



t-BOC



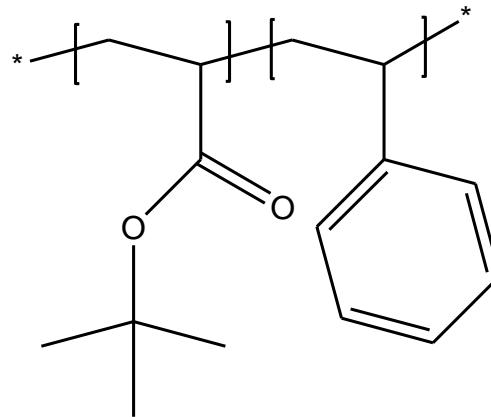
APEX



ESCAP



# ESCAP

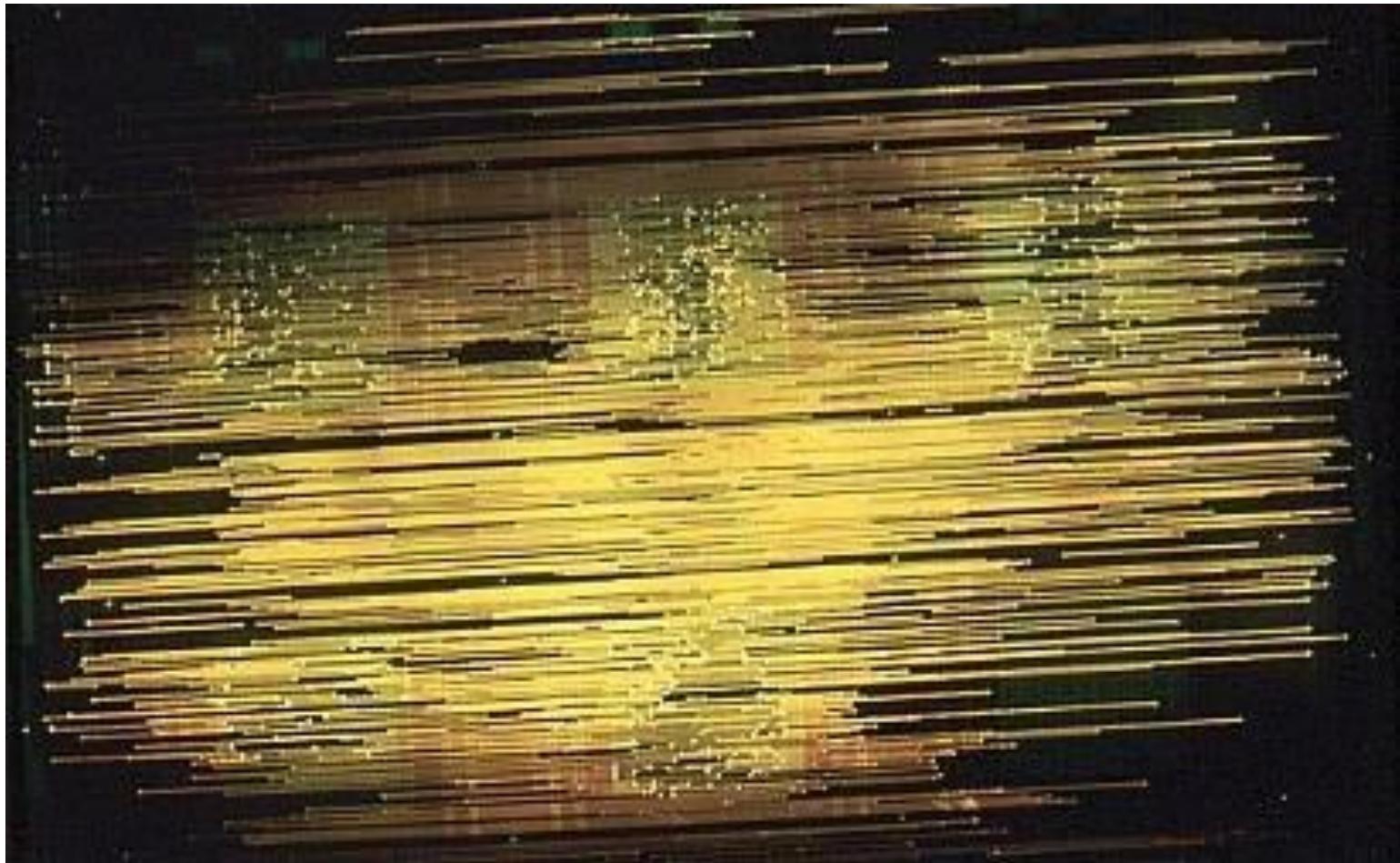


- Acrylic reduces solubility of NMP
- Acrylic ester more thermally stable than the t-butyl carbonate
- Enables post apply bake Temp > Tg
- Bake > Tg decreases permeance

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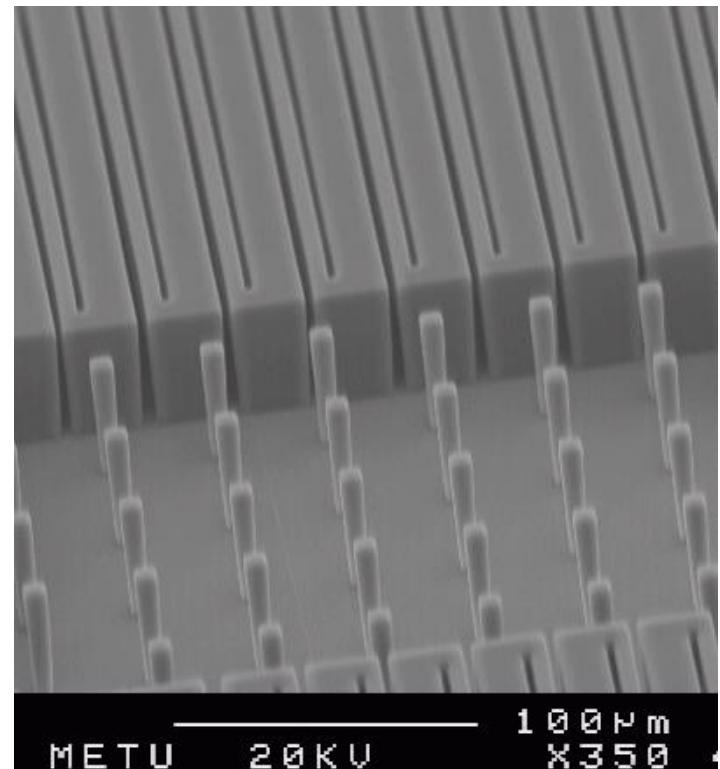
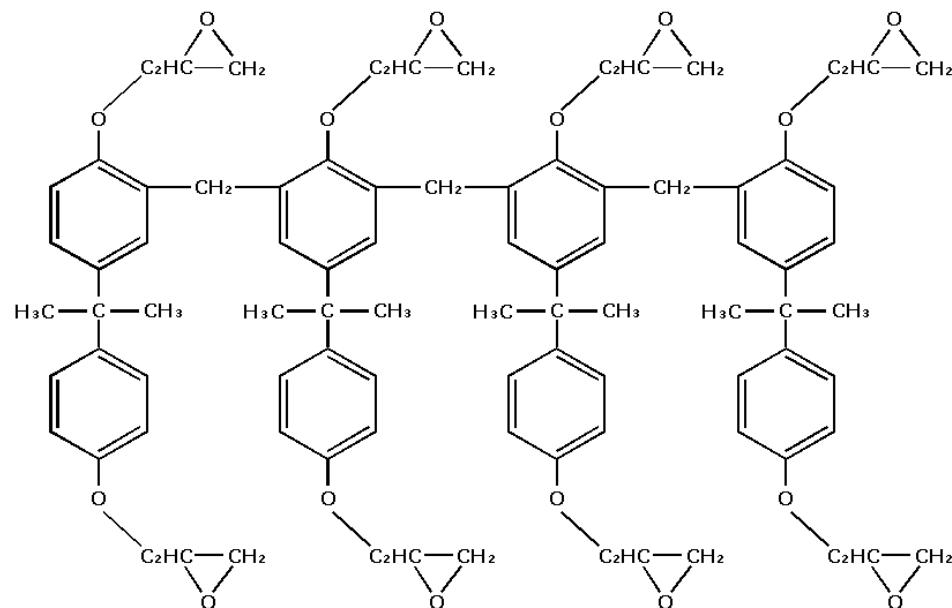
# IBM Mainframe Circuit Board



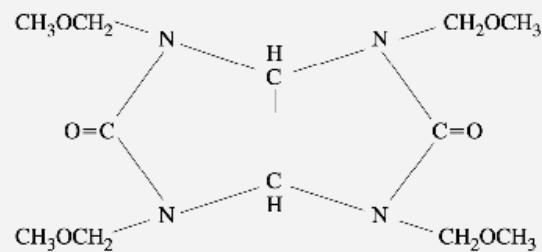
one of 20 layers printed circuit board that contained nearly a mile of wire interconnections used in IBM Mainframes.



# SU-8 Negative Resist

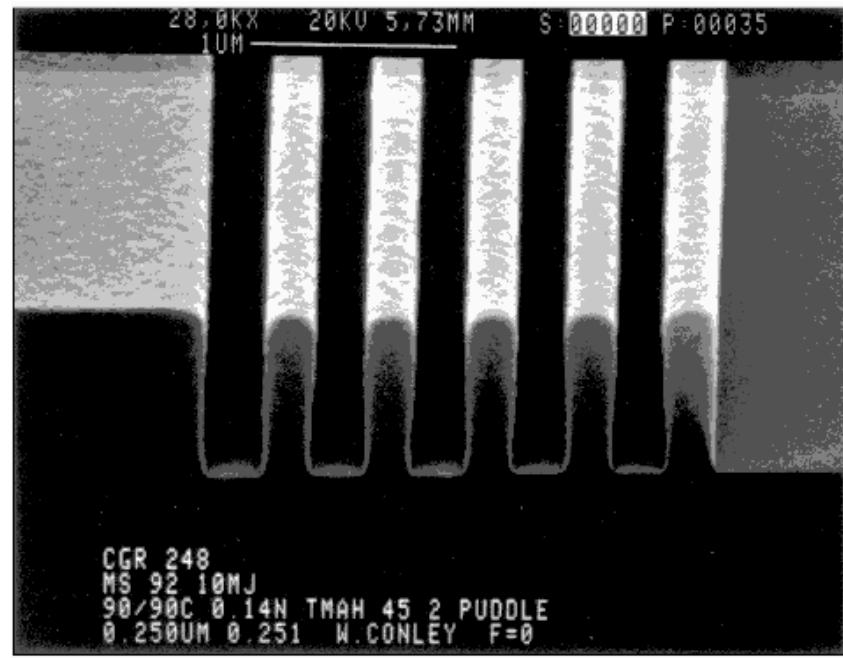
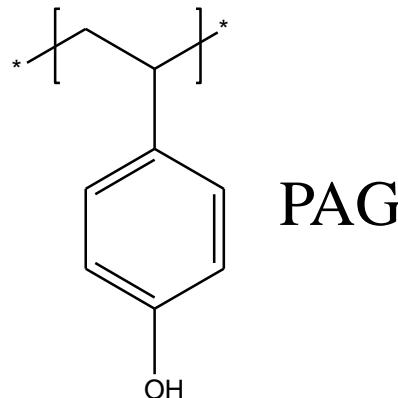


# IBM CGR Negative Resist



## Formula IX

Powderlink 1174 cross-linker.

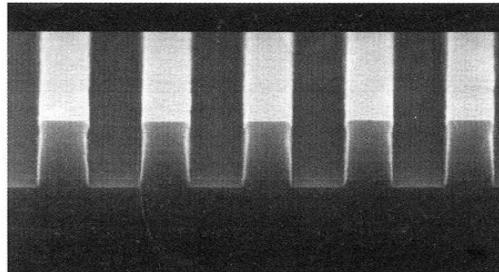


# ***Eliminate Contamination of DUV Resist***

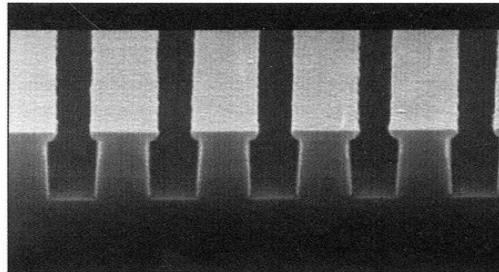
**Chemical  
Air Filter System**

***Superior contamination control for deep ultraviolet microlithography applications***

**The Problem:**  
**DUV photoresist patterns  
degrade after exposure**



*0.44 micron profile with no delay  
in alkaline contaminated environment.*

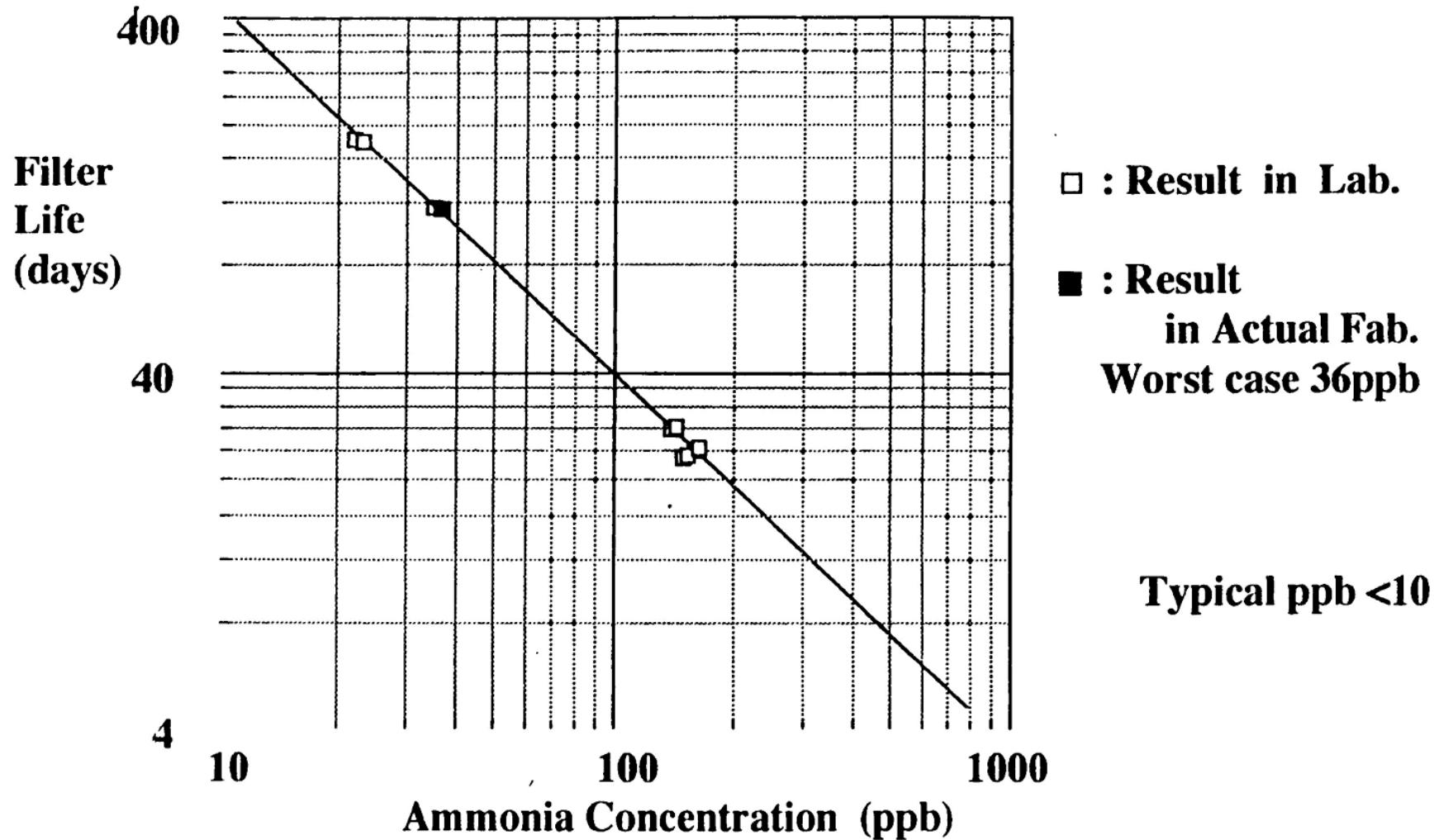


*0.44 micron profile after delay in alkaline  
contaminated environment.*

**The Solution:**  
**Remove gaseous alkaline  
contaminants with VaporSorb**



# Actual Data - Filter Life vs NH<sub>3</sub> Concentration



Entergris, Inc



Air purification system

