

Bilayer Hydrogel Composed of Elastin-Mimetic Polypeptides as a Bio-Actuator with Bidirectional and Reversible Bending Behaviors

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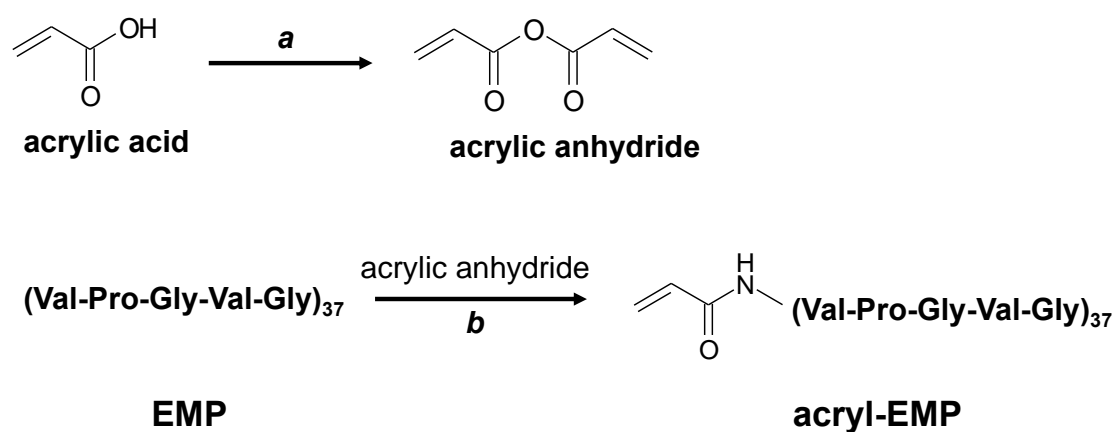
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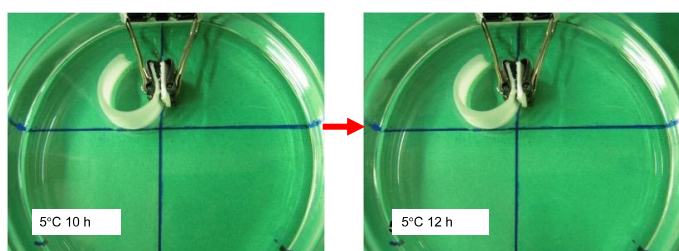


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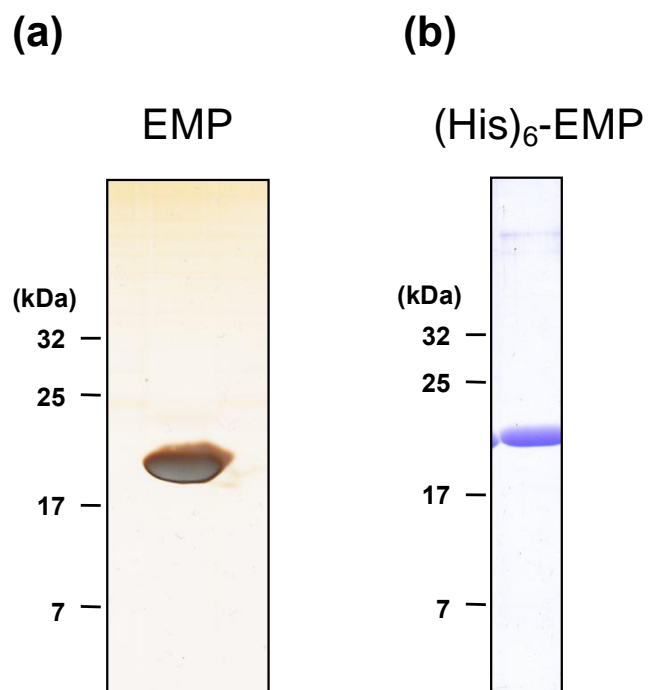


Figure S2. SDS-PAGE analysis of the purified EMP and (His)₆-EMP. The gels were visualized by silver staining for EMP (a) or CBB-R250 staining for (His)₆-EMP (b). The silver staining of SDS-PAGE showed that the EMP was highly purified.