

## List of Symbols and Abbreviations

<b>T<sub>m</sub></b>	Melting temperature
<b>T<sub>g</sub></b>	Glass transition temperature
<b>LMW</b>	Low Molecular Weight species
<b>UV</b>	Ultraviolet
<b>IR</b>	Infrared
<b>dE/dx</b>	Energy loss per unit length
<b>XPS</b>	X-ray photoelectron spectroscopy
<b>ATR-FTIR</b>	Attenuated total reflection Fourier transform infrared
<b>AFM</b>	Atomic force microscopy
<b>Γ</b>	Interfacial tension
<b>PC</b>	Polycarbonate
<b>PET</b>	Polyethyleneterephthalate
<b>PTFE</b>	Polytetrafluoroethylene
<b>PES</b>	Polyethersulfone
<b>Hv</b>	Vicker's hardness number
<b>ASF</b>	Atomic sensitivity factor
<b>RMS</b>	Root mean squared roughness
<b>SFE (γ<sub>s</sub>)</b>	Surface Free Energy
<b>γ<sub>s</sub><sup>p</sup></b>	Polar component of SFE
<b>γ<sub>s</sub><sup>d</sup></b>	Dispersion component of SFE