
Supplementary information

Rheological Behavior of Blends of Metallocene Catalyzed Long-Chain Branched Polyethylenes. Part I: Shear Rheological and Thermorheological Behavior

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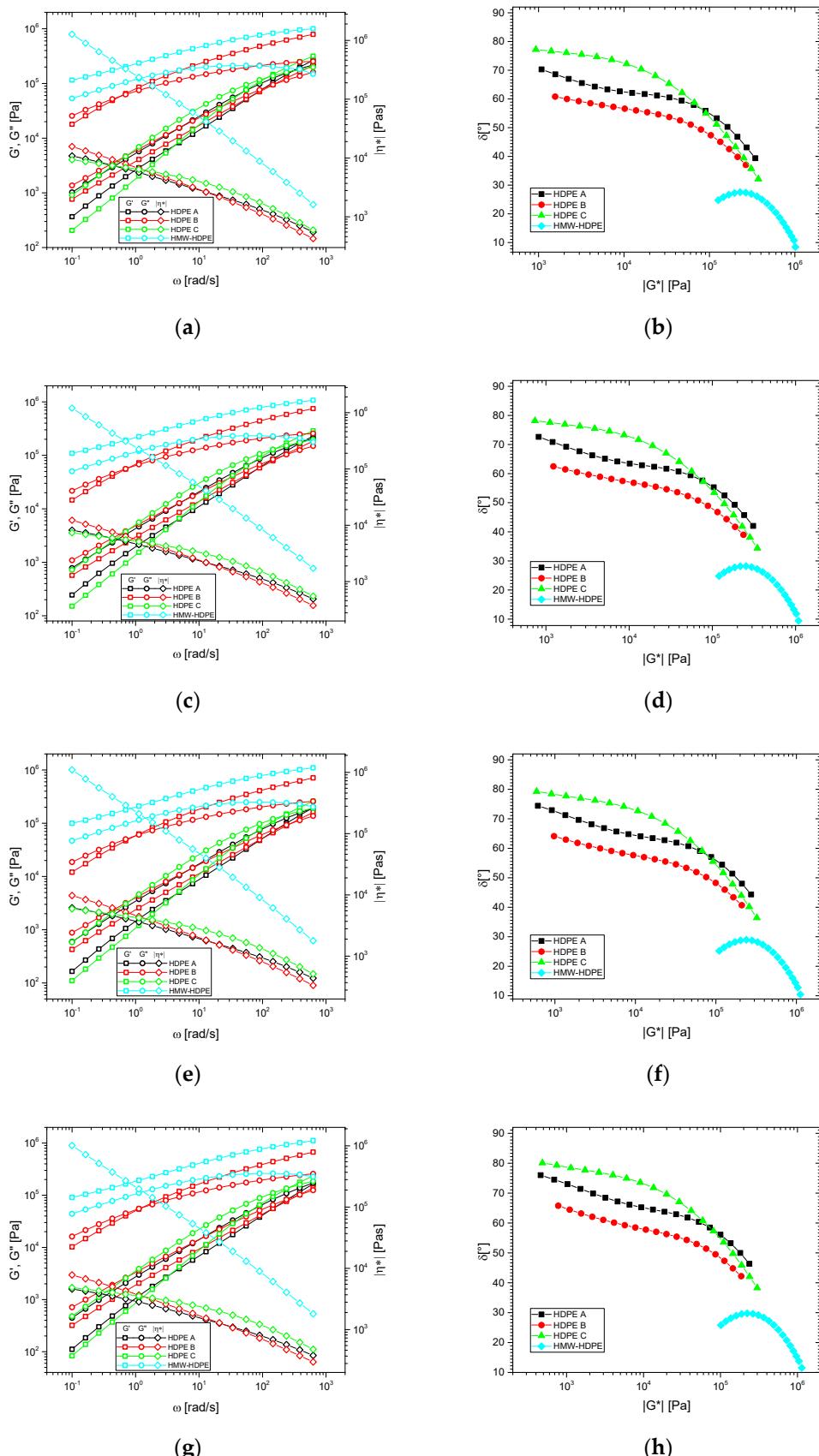


Figure 1. **a)** dynamic-mechanical modulus and viscosity functions of the individual blend components. $T = 170^\circ\text{C}$, $\gamma_0 \leq 5\%$. **c)** $T = 190^\circ\text{C}$. **e)** $T = 210^\circ\text{C}$. **g)** $T = 230^\circ\text{C}$. **b)** corresponding $\delta(|G^*|)$ -plots. $T = 170^\circ\text{C}$, $\gamma_0 \leq 5\%$. **d)** $T = 190^\circ\text{C}$. **f)** $T = 210^\circ\text{C}$. **h)** $T = 230^\circ\text{C}$.

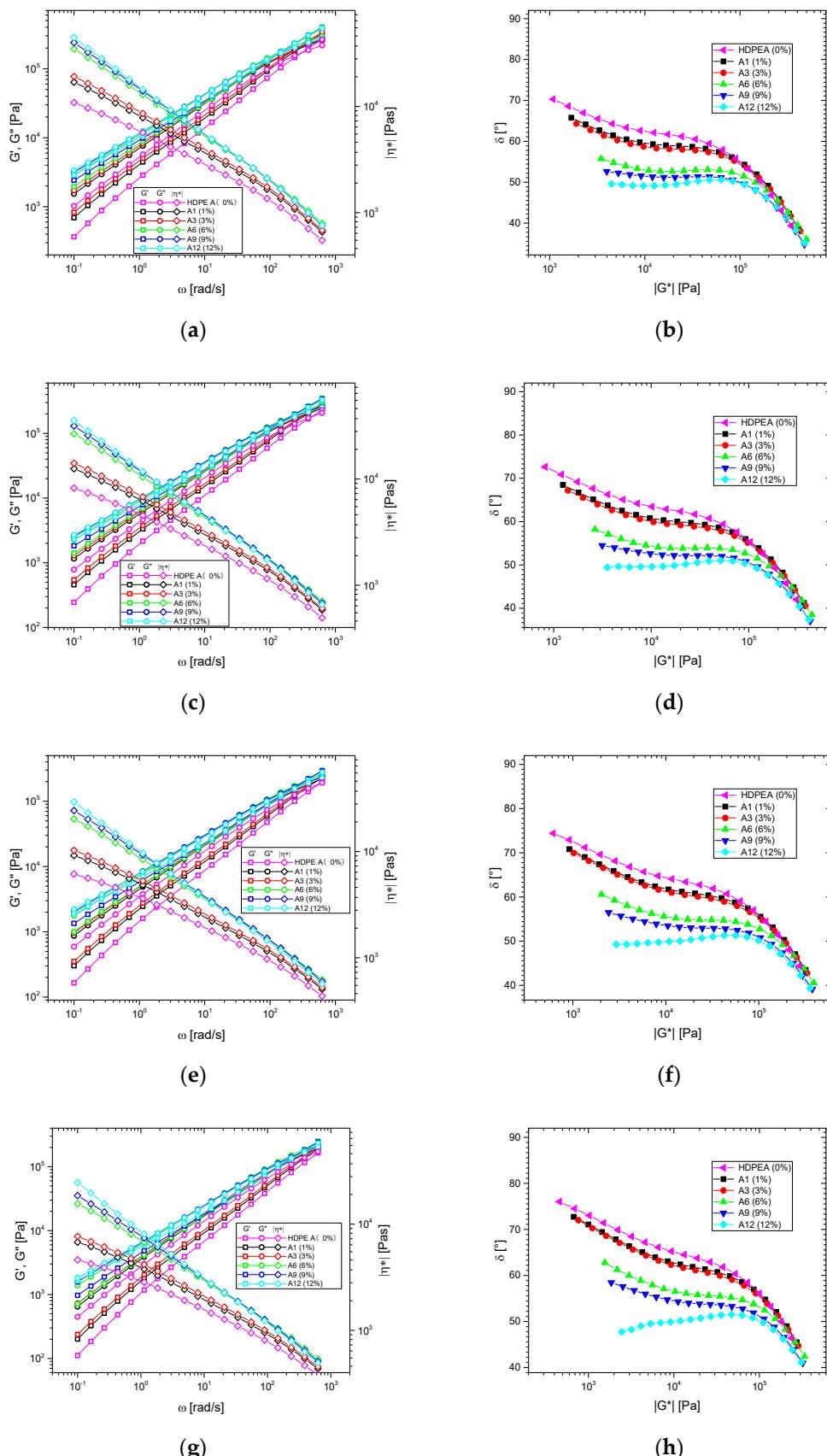


Figure 2. a) dynamic-mechanical modulus and viscosity functions of HDPE A, A1, A3, A6, A9, A12. T = 170 °C, $\rho_0 \leq 5\%$. c) T = 190 °C. e) T = 210 °C. g) T = 230 °C. b) corresponding $\delta(|G^*|)$ -plots. T = 170 °C, $\rho_0 \leq 5\%$. d) T = 190 °C. f) T = 210 °C. h) T = 230 °C.

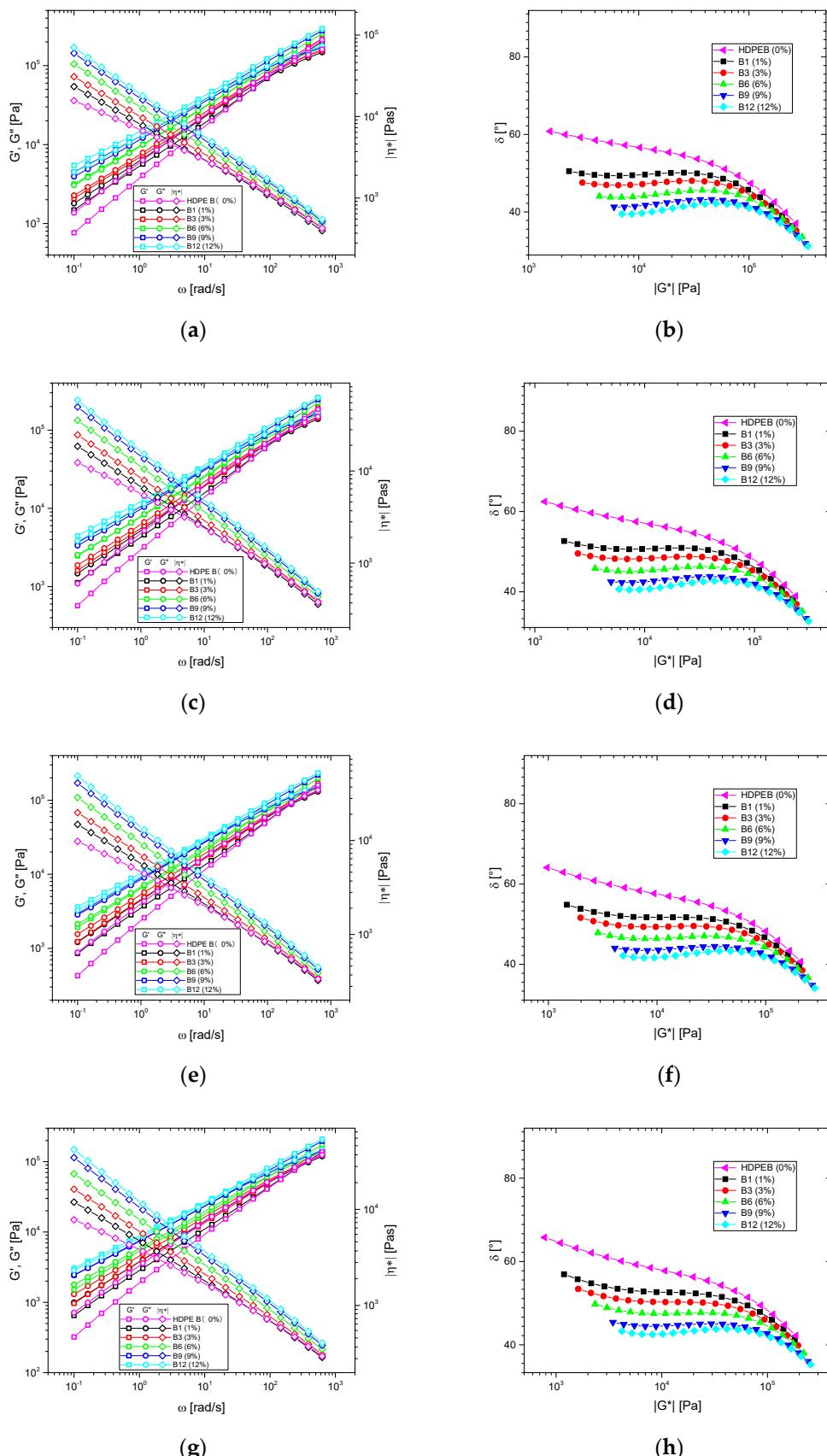


Figure 3. a) dynamic-mechanical modulus and viscosity functions of HDPE B, B1, B3, B6, B9, B12. $T = 170^\circ\text{C}$, $\gamma_0 \leq 5\%$. c) $T = 190^\circ\text{C}$. e) $T = 210^\circ\text{C}$. g) $T = 230^\circ\text{C}$. b) corresponding $\delta(|G^*|)$ -plots. $T = 170^\circ\text{C}$, $\gamma_0 \leq 5\%$. d) $T = 190^\circ\text{C}$. f) $T = 210^\circ\text{C}$. h) $T = 230^\circ\text{C}$.

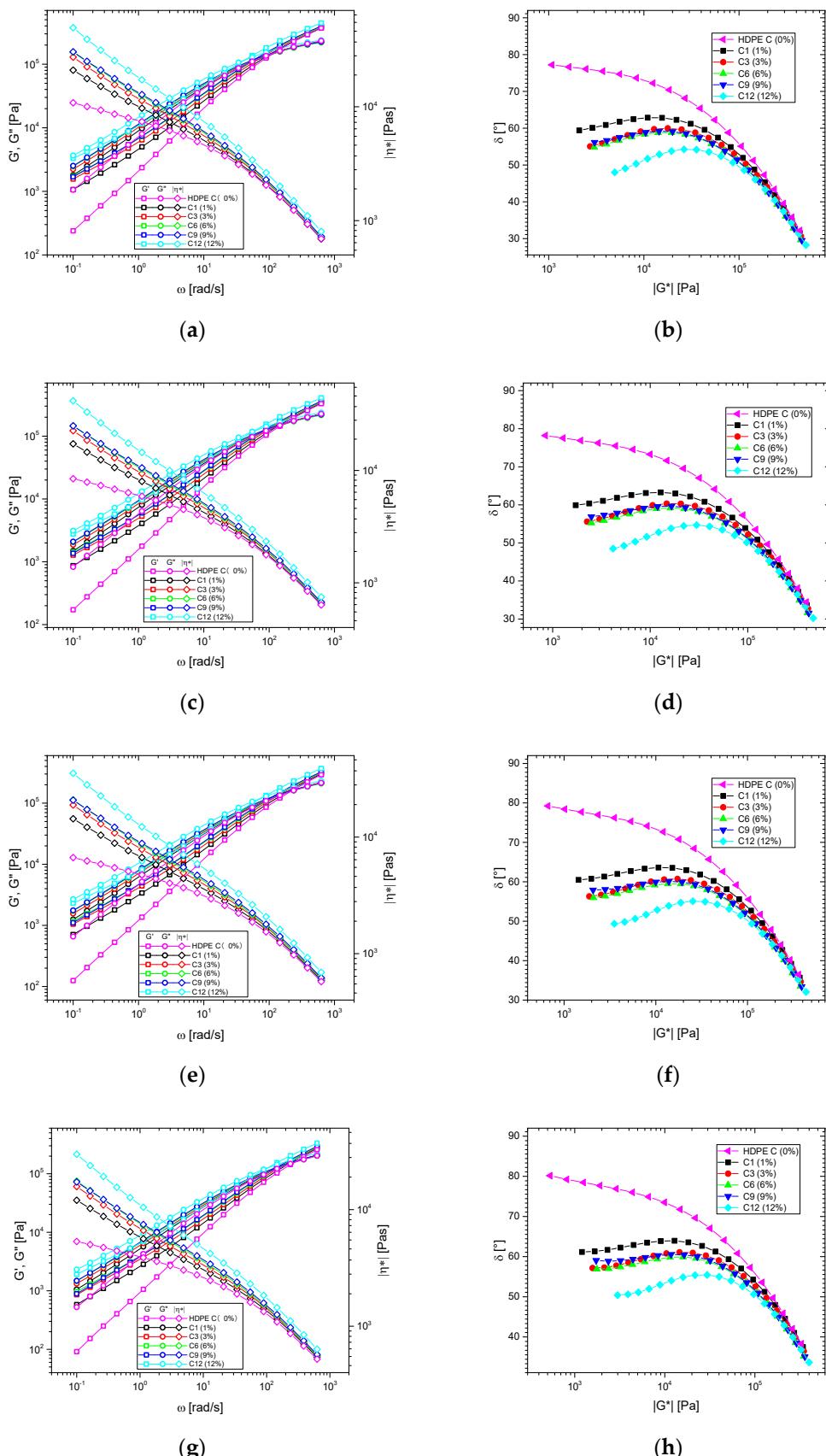


Figure 4. a) dynamic-mechanical modulus and viscosity functions of HDPE C, C1, C3, C6, C9, C12. $T = 170^\circ\text{C}$, $\gamma_0 \leq 5\%$. c) $T = 190^\circ\text{C}$. e) $T = 210^\circ\text{C}$. g) $T = 230^\circ\text{C}$. b) corresponding $\delta(|G^*|)$ -plots. $T = 170^\circ\text{C}$, $\gamma_0 \leq 5\%$. d) $T = 190^\circ\text{C}$. f) $T = 210^\circ\text{C}$. h) $T = 230^\circ\text{C}$.