

## Electronic Supplementary Information

# **Highly efficient photovoltaics and field-effect transistors based on copolymers of mono-fluorinated benzothiadiazole and quarterthiophene: synthesis and effect of the molecular weight on device performance**

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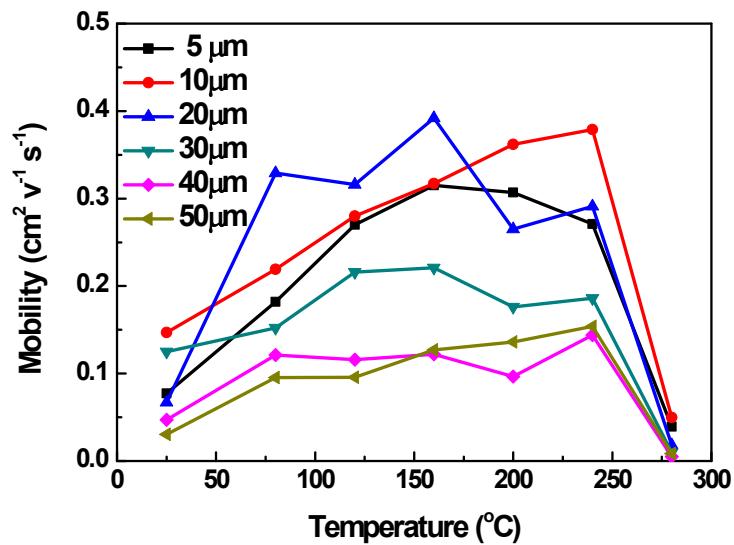
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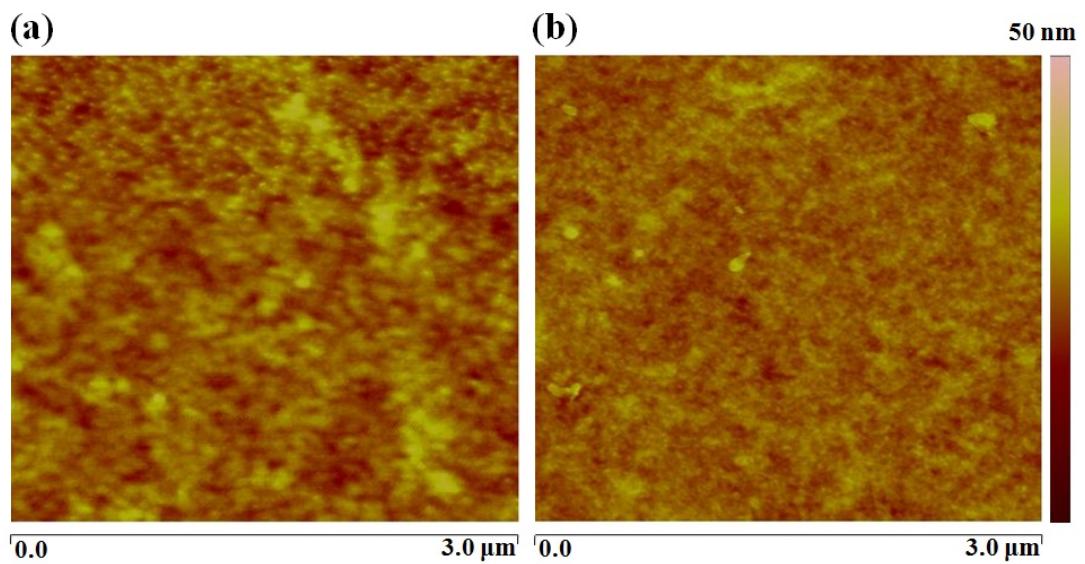
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**Table S1:** Optimized Electrical Parameters of Field-effect Transistors at Different Annealing Temperatures.

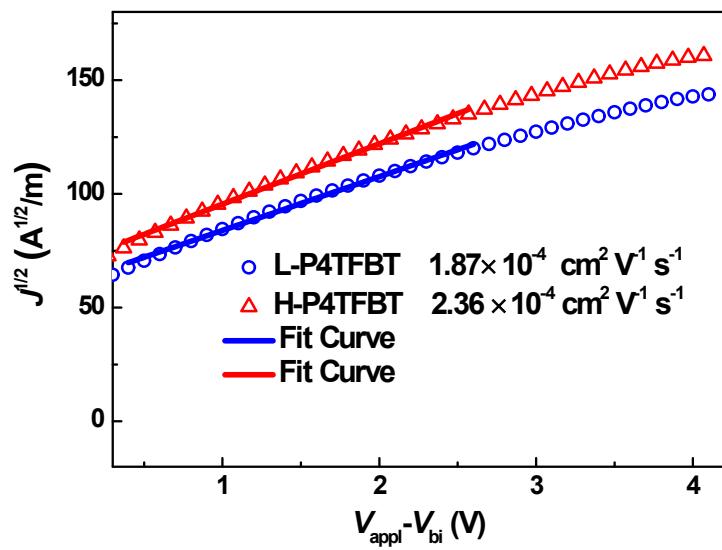
polymer	annealing temperature (°C)	$\mu_h$ (cm <sup>2</sup> V <sup>-1</sup> s <sup>-1</sup> )
	25	0.14
	80	0.32
	120	0.31
<b>H-P4TFBT</b>	160	0.39
	200	0.36
	240	0.37
	280	0.04



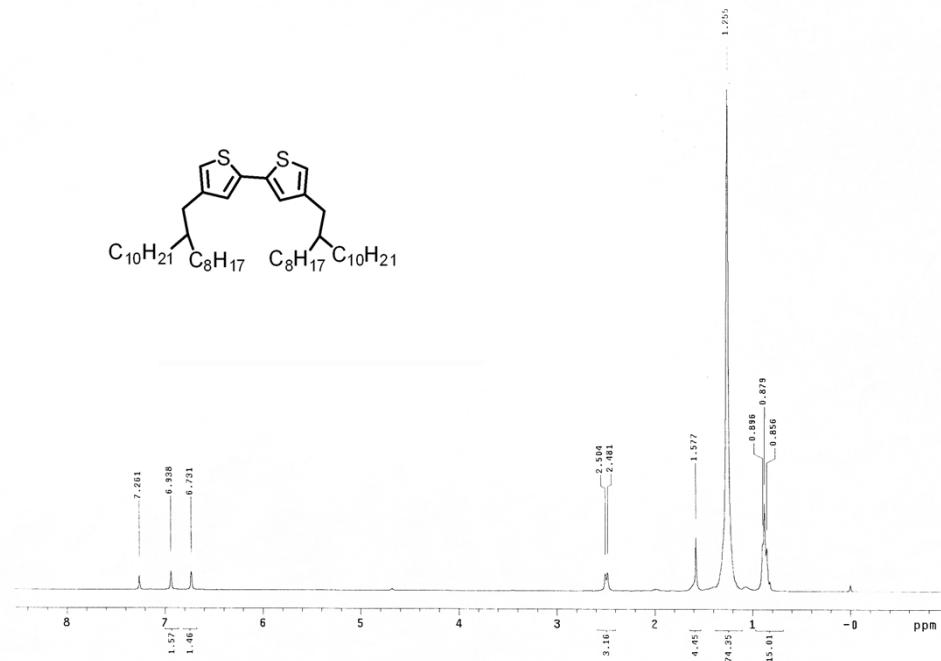
**Fig. S1** Evolution of field-effect hole mobilities for **H-P4TFBT** with different channel length ( $L$ ) and different annealing temperatures ( $T$ ).



**Fig. S2** AFM topographical height images ( $3 \mu\text{m} \times 3 \mu\text{m}$ ) of **H-P4TFBT** on OTS-modified SiO<sub>2</sub>/Si substrates. (a) without annealing and (b) with annealing at 160 °C.



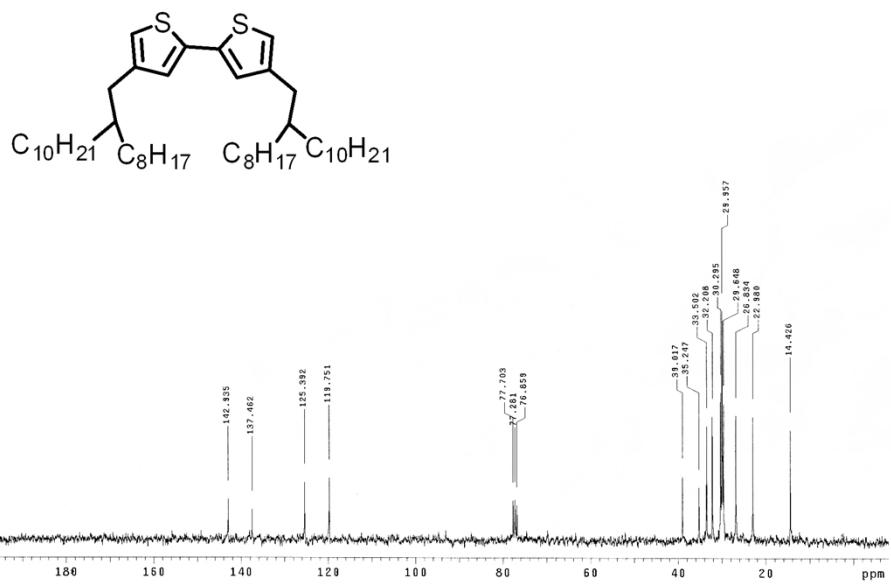
**Fig. S3** Current voltage characteristics of P4TFBT blends with PC<sub>71</sub>BM in SCLC devices, and the lines are fitted according to the SCLC model.



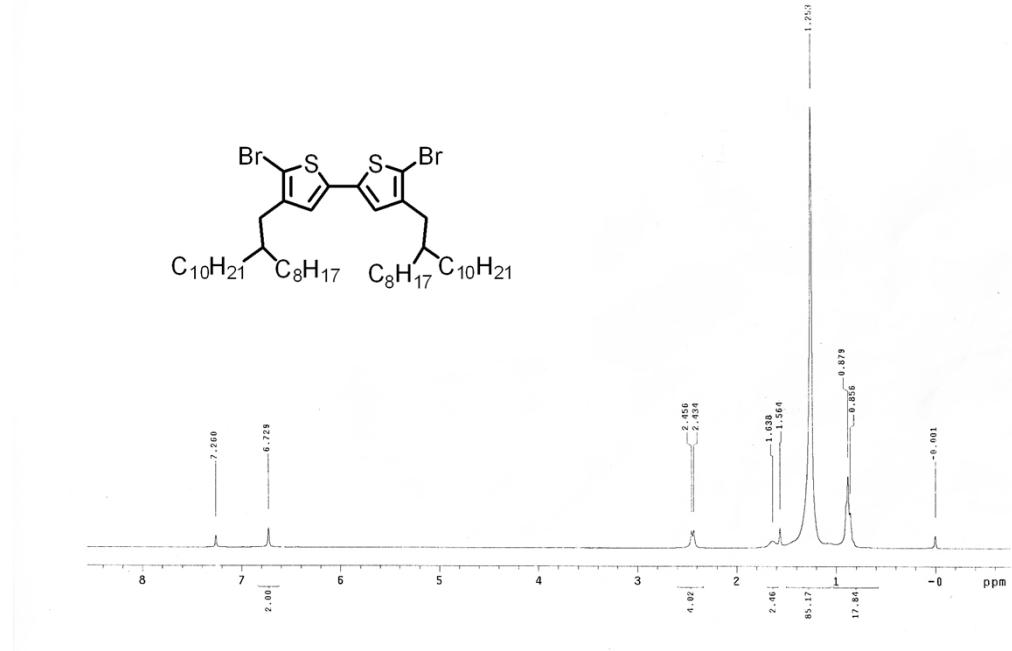
**Fig. S4**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR of 4,4'-bis(2-octyldodecyl)-2,2'-bithiophene.



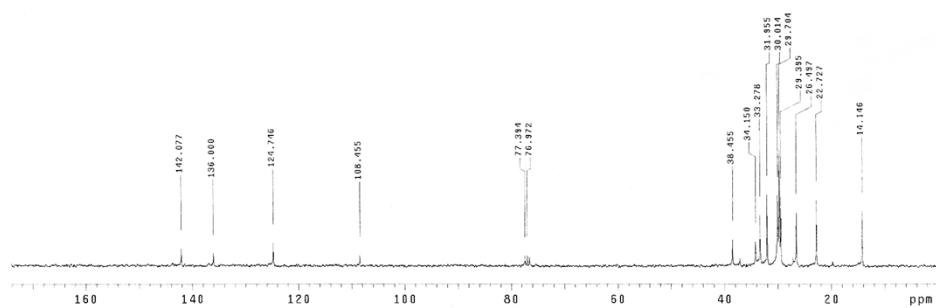
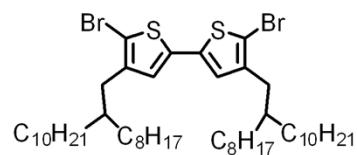
**Fig. S5** <sup>1</sup>H NMR of 4,4'-bis(2-octyldodecyl)-2,2'-bithiophene and a drop of D<sub>2</sub>O.



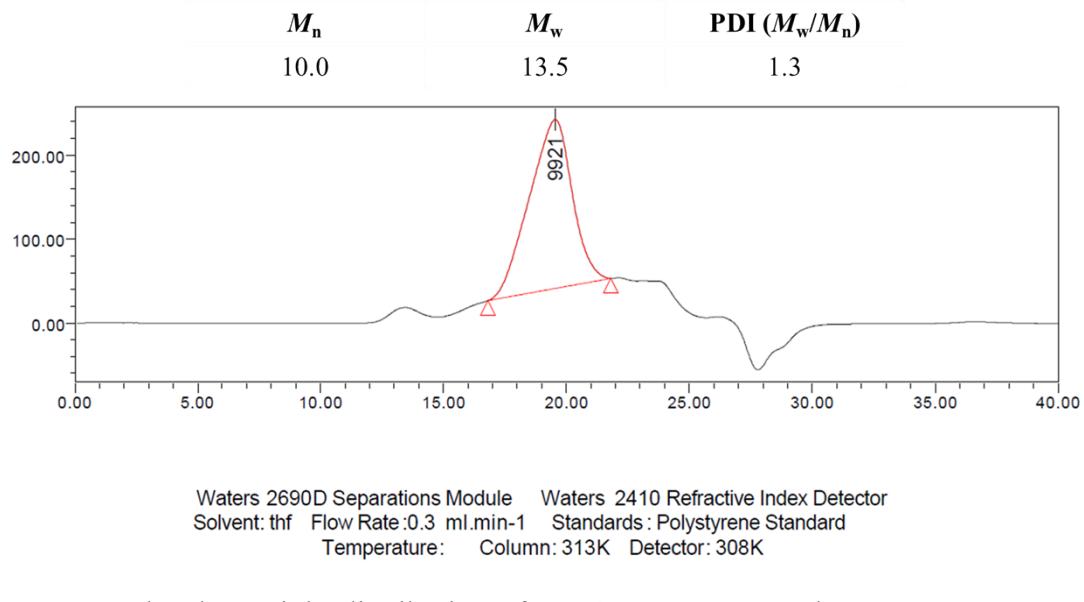
**Fig. S6**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR of 4,4'-bis(2-octyldodecyl)-2,2'-bithiophene.



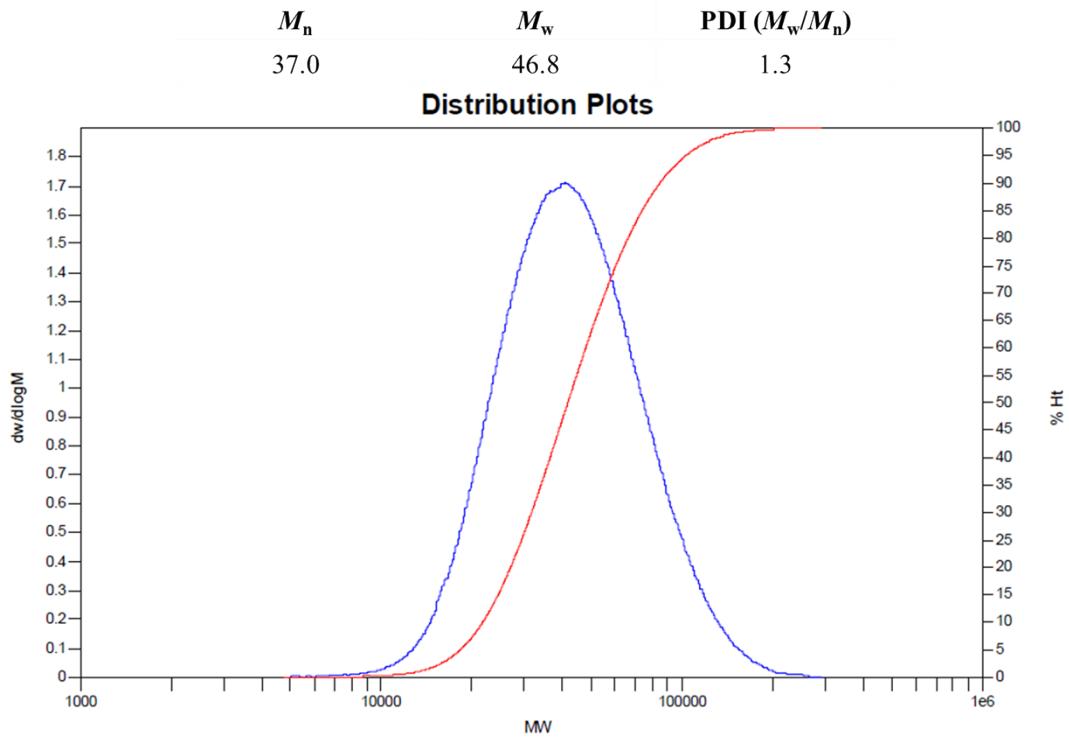
**Fig. S7**  $^1\text{H}$  NMR of 5,5'-dibromo-4,4'-bis(2-octyldodecyl)-2,2'-bithiophene.



**Fig. S8**  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR of 5,5'-dibromo-4,4'-bis(2-octyldodecyl)-2,2'-bithiophene.



**Fig. S9** Molecular weight distribution of **L-P4TFBT** measured at room temperature in tetrahydrofuran against PS standards.



**Fig. S10** Molecular weight distribution of **H-P4TFBT** measured at 150 °C in TCB against PS standards.