

Supporting Information

One-pot synthesis of polydopamine-Zn complex antifouling coatings on membranes for ultrafiltration under harsh conditions

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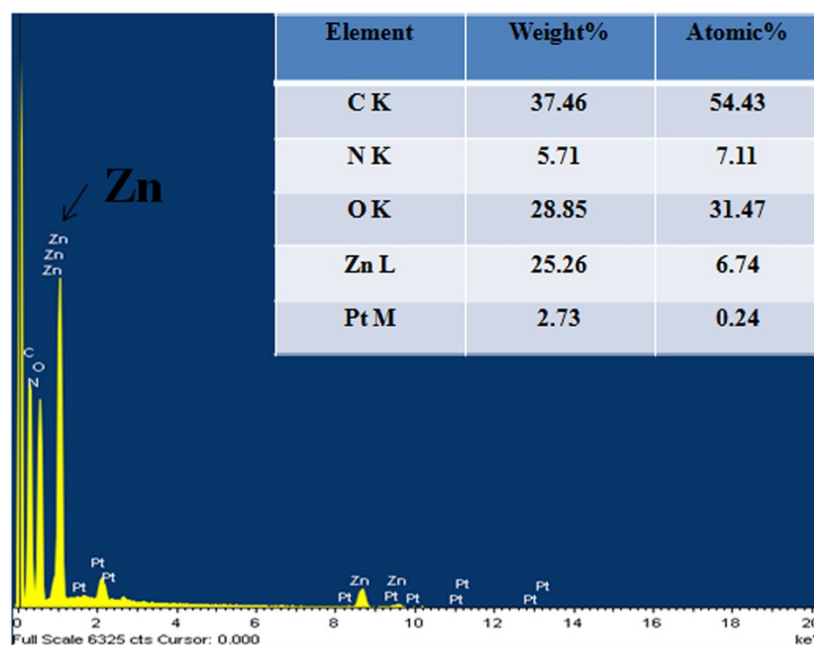


Figure S1. Elemental analysis of Zn-PDA complex powder sample by EDX measurement

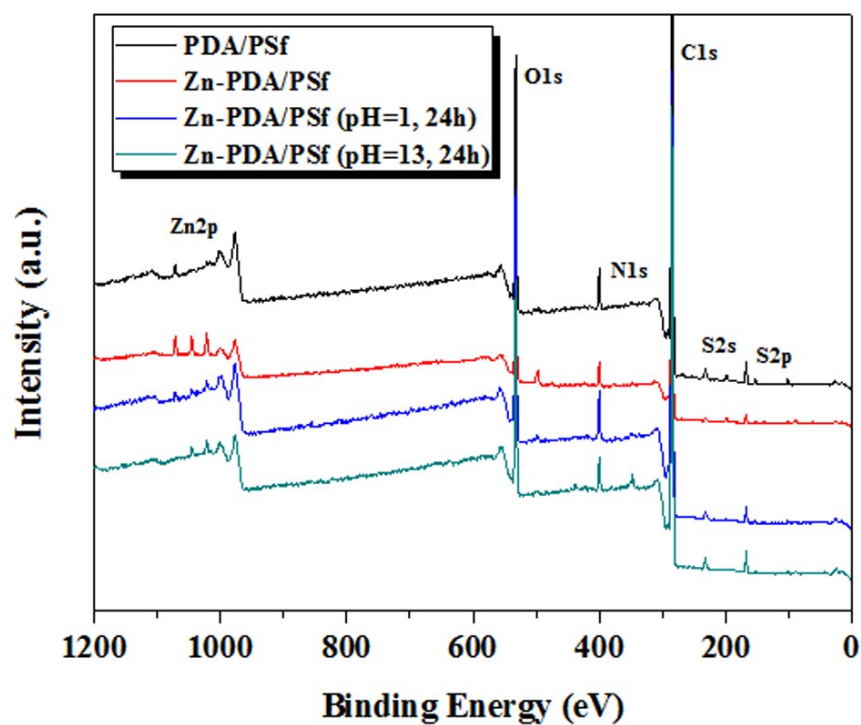


Fig. S2 XPS spectra of the original Zn-PDA/PSf membranes and the membranes after immersing in the acidic and alkaline solution for 24 h, respectively.

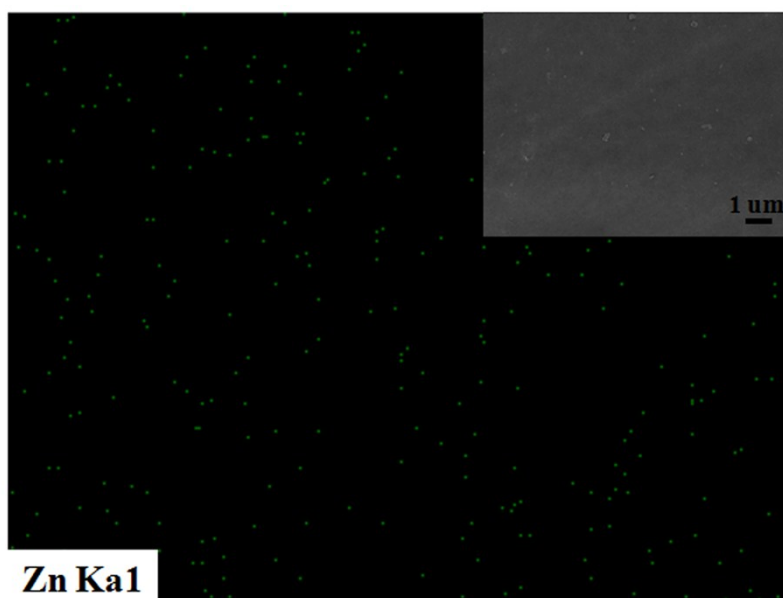


Figure S3. A SEM image showing the surface of a Zn-PDA/PSf membrane and the corresponding EDX mapping

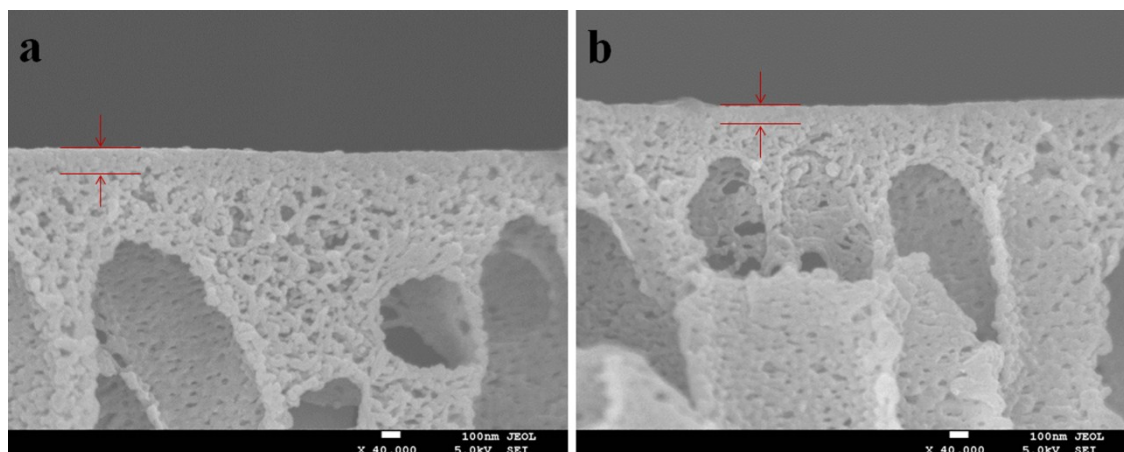


Figure S4. SEM images of the cross-sections of (a) PDA/PSf membrane, (b) Zn-PDA/PSf membrane.

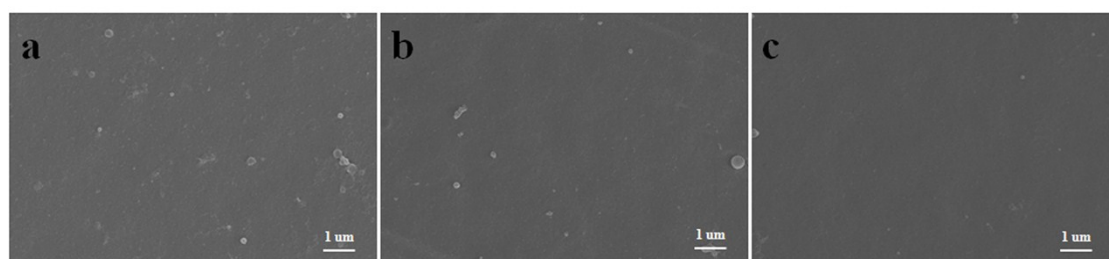


Fig. S5 SEM images of the surfaces of Zn-PDA/PSf membrane prepared at different dopamine: Zn²⁺ feed molar ratio: (a) 2:1, (b) 1:1, (c) 1:2.