

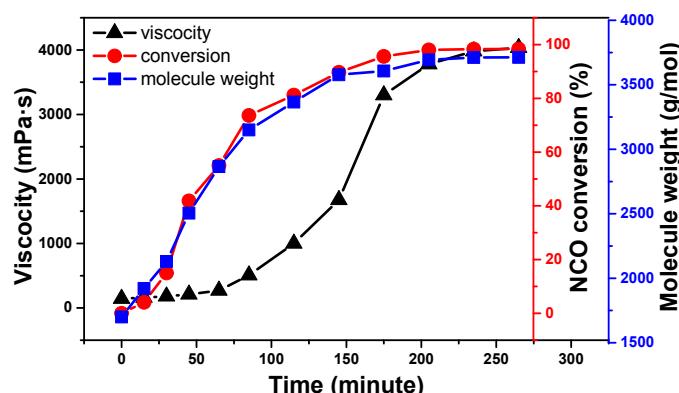
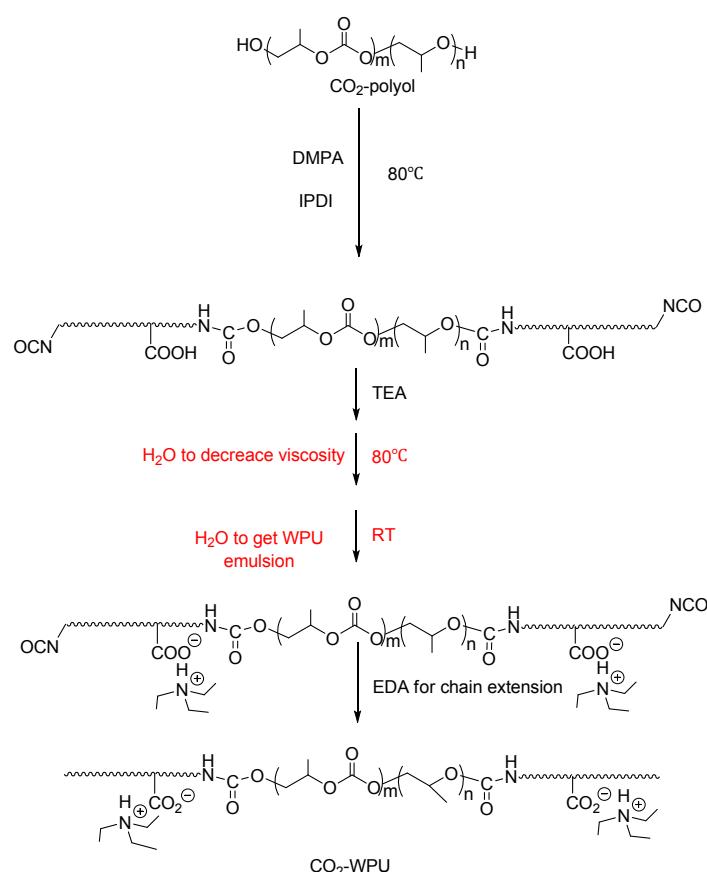
## Supporting Information

### Whole procedure solvent free route to CO<sub>2</sub> based waterborne polyurethane by elevated temperature dispersing strategy

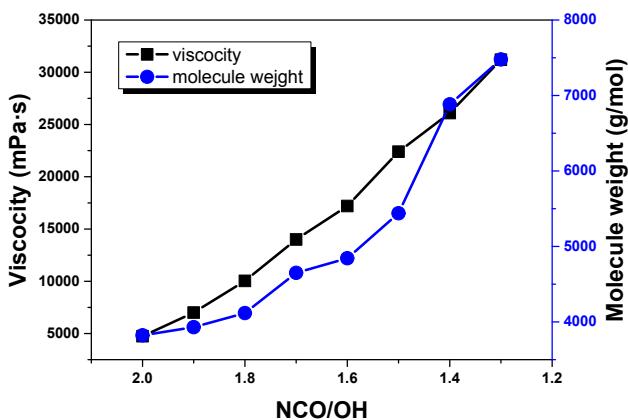
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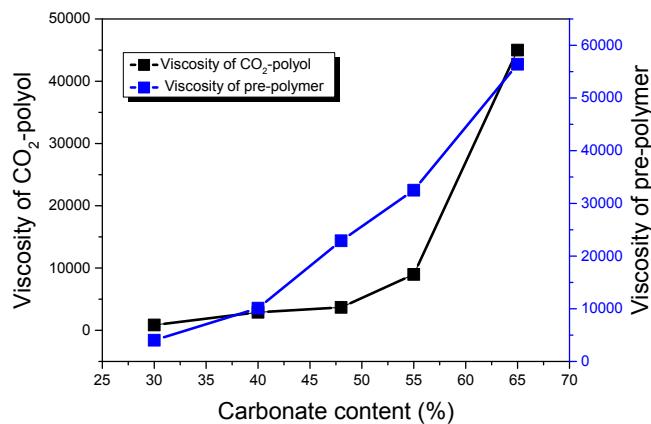
**Scheme S1.** Whole procedure VOC free preparation of CO<sub>2</sub>-WPU by elevated temperature dispersing (ETD)strategy.



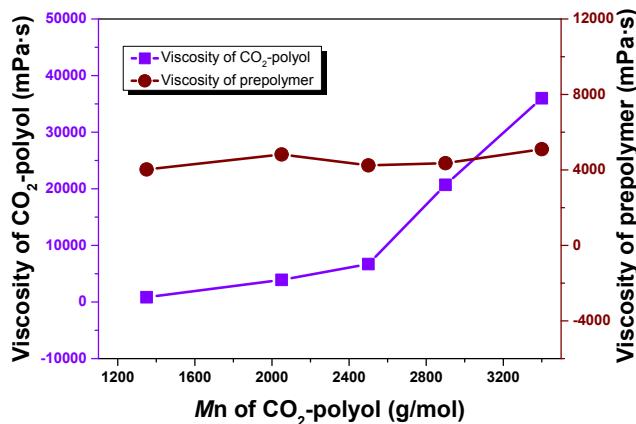
**Figure S1** Dependences of reactant viscosity, NCO conversion and molecular weight of reactant on reaction time (for typical CO<sub>2</sub>-WPU).



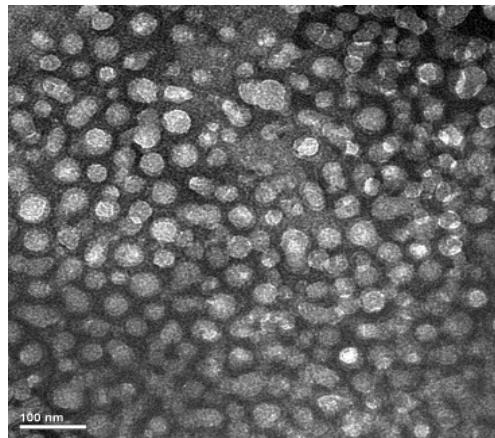
**Figure.S2** Dependence of viscosity and molecule weight of prepolymer on NCO/OH from IPDI and CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with  $M_n$  of 1350 g/mol and carbonate content of 30%.



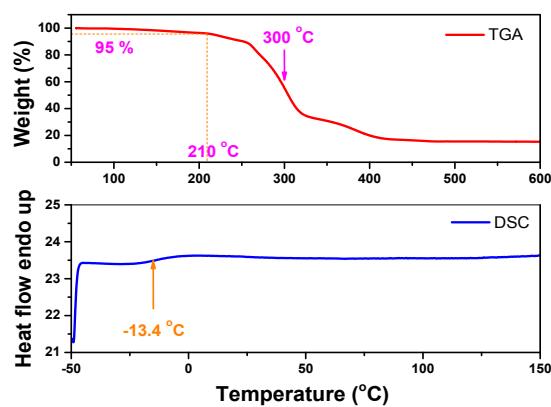
**Figure.S3** Dependence of viscosity of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol and prepolymer on carbonate content of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with similar  $M_n$  of 1400 g/mol, NCO/OH to be 2, and IPDI as the diisocyanate.



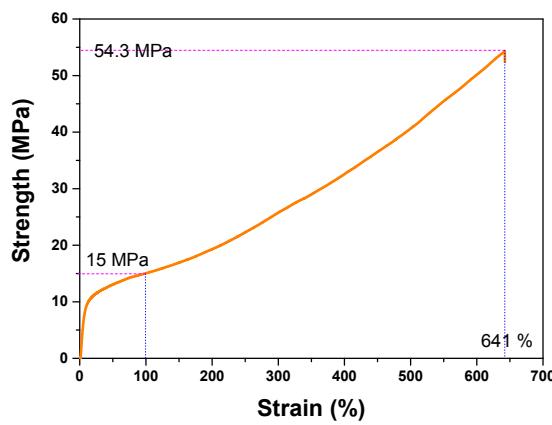
**Figure.S4** Dependence of viscosity of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol and prepolymer on molecule weight of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with uniform carbonate content of 30%, NCO/OH to be 2, and IPDI as the diisocyanate.



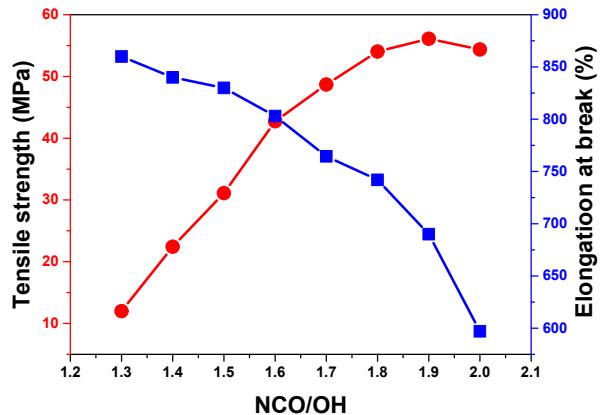
**Figure.S5** TEM image of CO<sub>2</sub>-WPU emulsion particles.



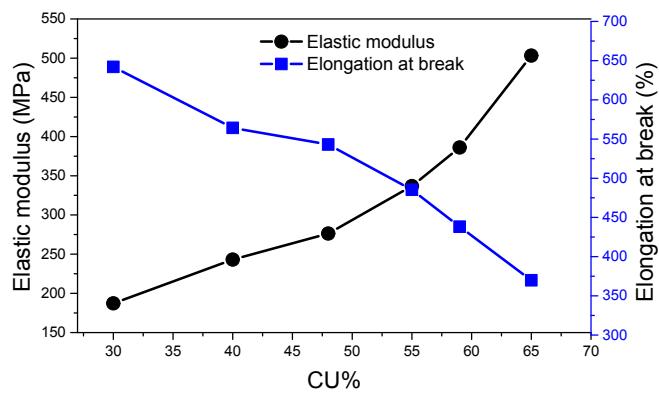
**Figure.S6** TGA and DSC trace of CO<sub>2</sub>-WPU multi-film.



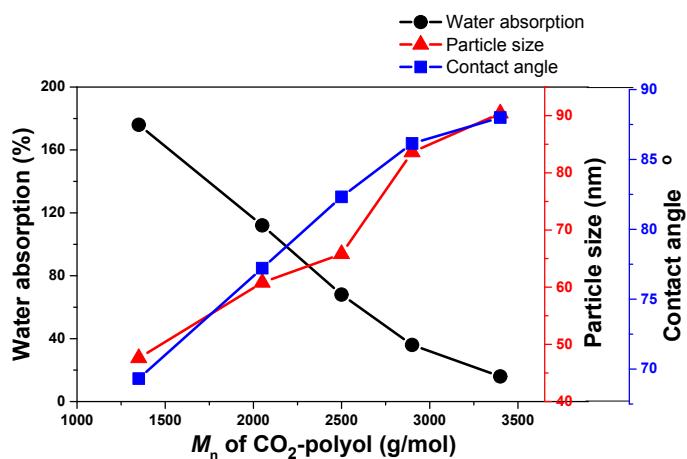
**Figure.S7** Tensile stress strain curve of typical CO<sub>2</sub>-WPU dried film.



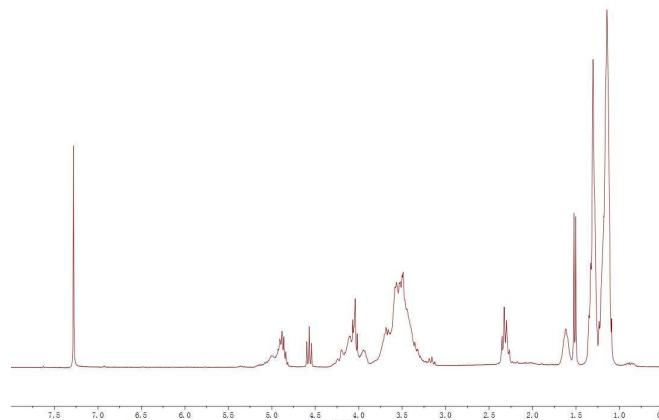
**Figure.S8** Dependence of tensile strength and elongation at break of CO<sub>2</sub>-WPUs on NCO/OH of prepolymer.



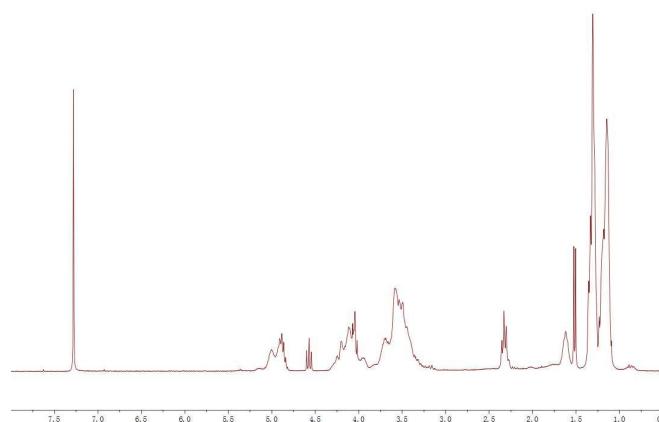
**Figure.S9** Dependence of elastic modulus and elongation at break of CO<sub>2</sub>-WPUs on carbonate content of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol.



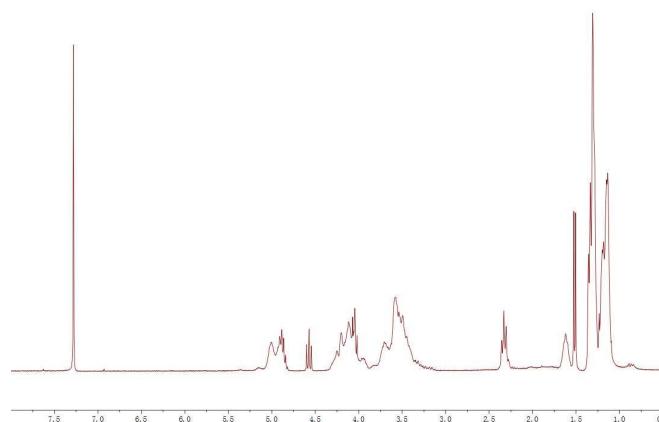
**Figure.S10** Dependence of particle size, contact angle, and water absorption on  $M_n$  of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol.



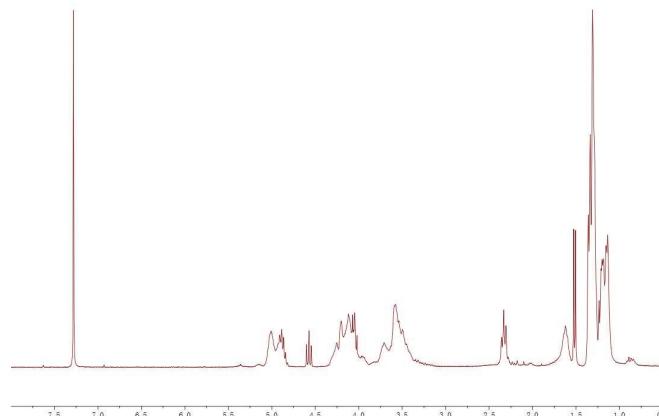
**Figure.S11a** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectral of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with carbonate content (CU%) and molecule weight ( $M_n$ ) respectively to be 30% and 1350 g/mol.



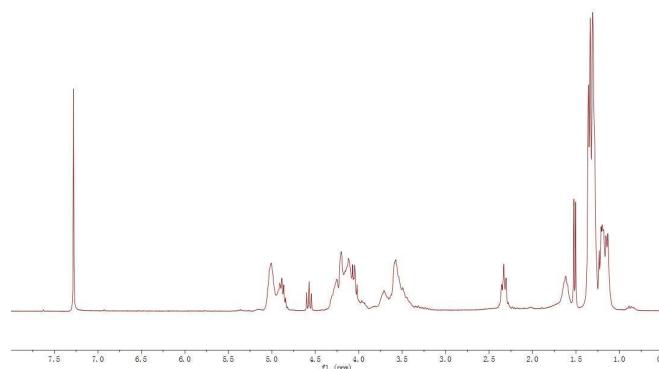
**Figure.S11b** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectral of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with CU% and  $M_n$  respectively to be 40% and 1450 g/mol.



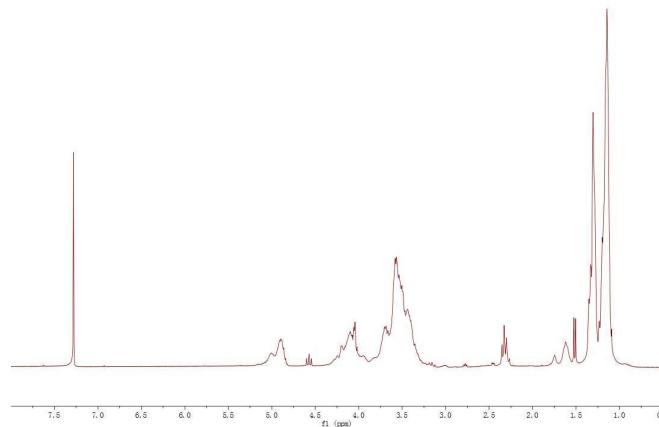
**Figure. S11c** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectral of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with CU% and  $M_n$  respectively to be 48% and 1400 g/mol..



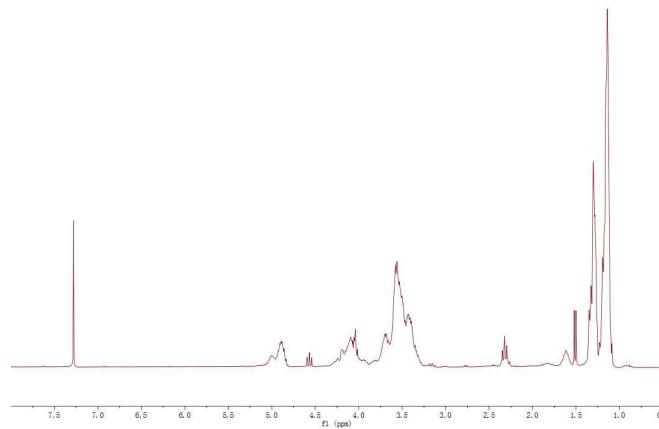
**Figure. S11d** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectral of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with CU% and  $M_n$  respectively to be 55% and 1400 g/mol.



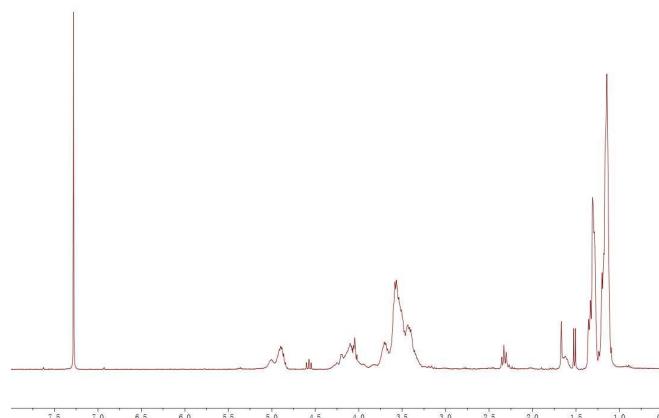
**Figure. S11e** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectral of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with CU% and  $M_n$  respectively to be 65% and 1450 g/mol.



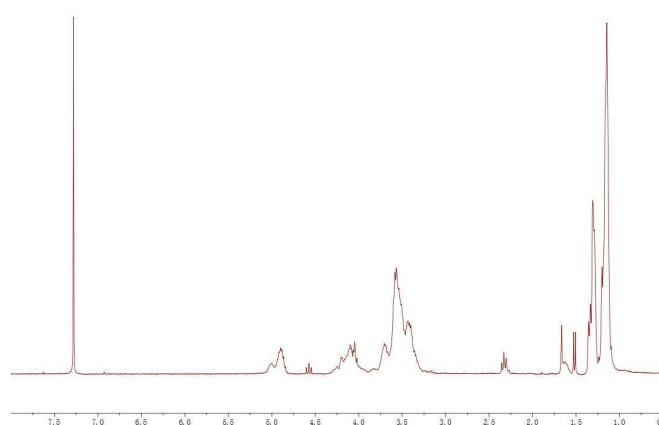
**Figure. S11f** <sup>1</sup>H-NMR spectral of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with CU% and  $M_n$  respectively to be 30% and 2050 g/mol.



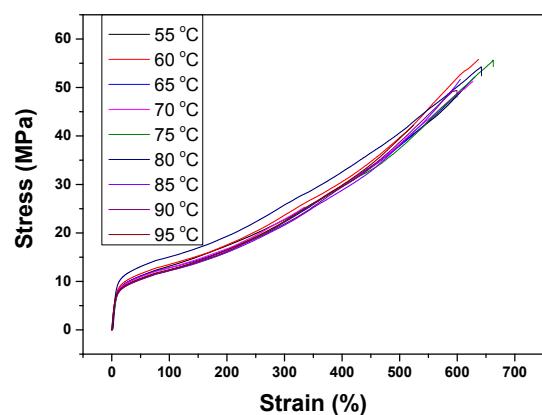
**Figure. S11g**  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectral of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with CU% and  $M_n$  respectively to be 30% and 2500 g/mol.



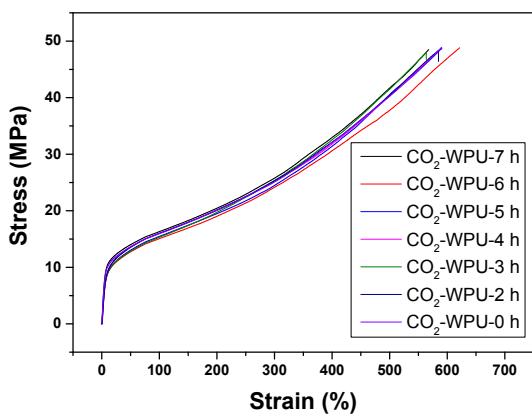
**Figure. S11h**  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectral of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with CU% and  $M_n$  respectively to be 30% and 2900 g/mol.



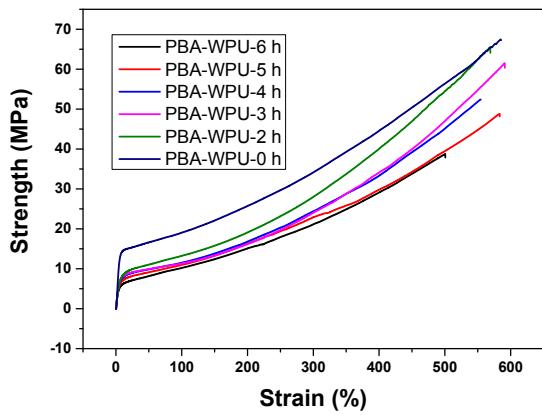
**Figure. S11i**  $^1\text{H}$ -NMR spectral of CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with CU% and  $M_n$  respectively to be 30% and 3400 g/mol.



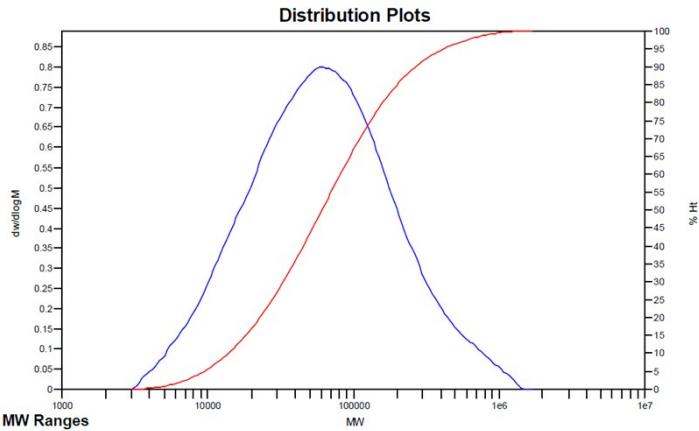
**Figure. S12.** Tensile stress strain curves of typical CO<sub>2</sub>-WPU with different dispersing temperature.



**Figure. S13.** Tensile stress strain curves of CO<sub>2</sub>-WPU from CO<sub>2</sub>-polyol with CU% and  $M_n$  respectively to be 30% and 2050 g/mol. after different immersion time in 0.5% NaOH aqueous solution.



**Figure. S14.** Tensile stress strain curves of PBA-WPU after different immersion time in 0.5% NaOH aqueous solution.



**Figure.S15** GPC spectra of typical CO<sub>2</sub>-WPU.