

Supporting Information

**High-Performance Ultrathin Mixed-Matrix Membranes  
Based on Adhesive PGMA-co -POEM Comb-like  
Copolymer for CO<sub>2</sub> Capture**

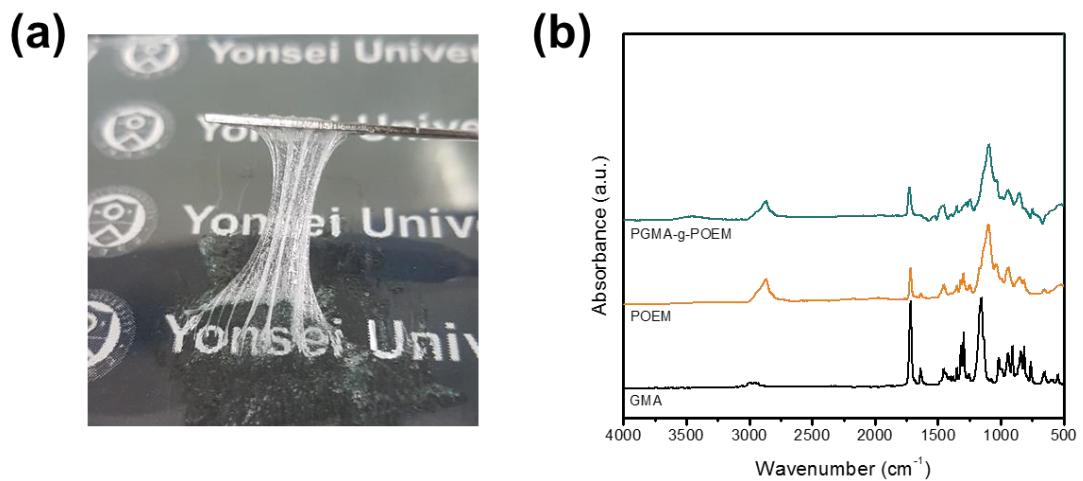
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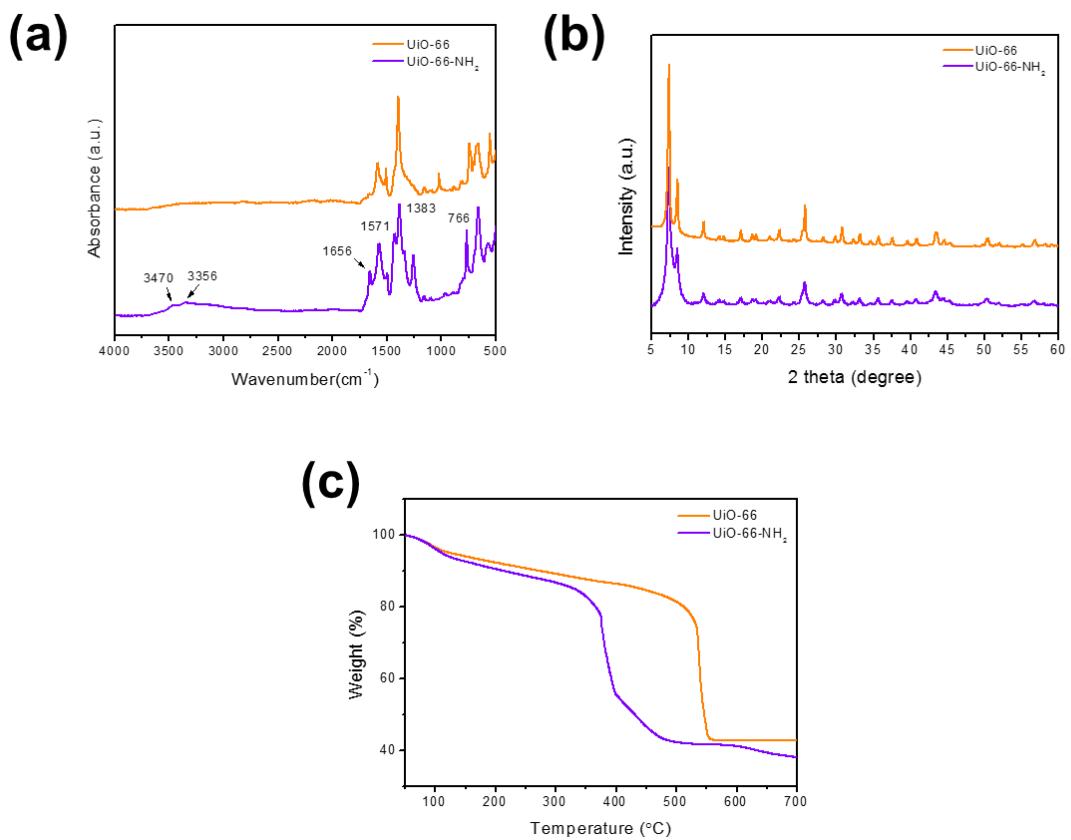
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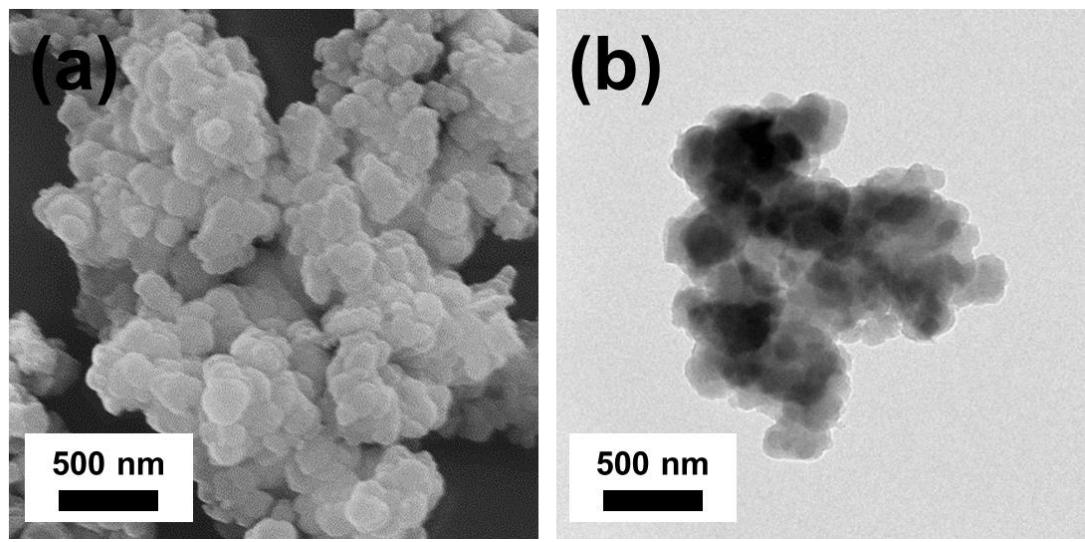
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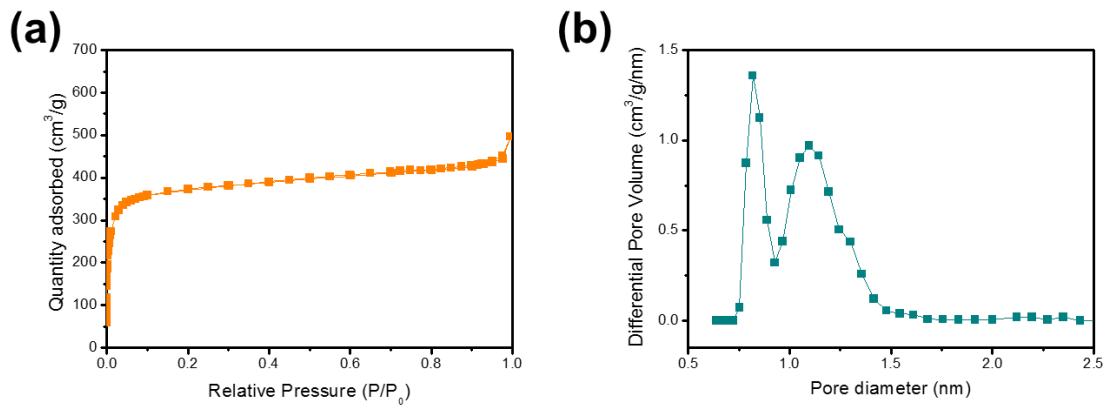
**Fig. S1.** (a) Photograph of the PGMA-co-POEM comb-like copolymer, showing its adhesive property; (b) FT-IR spectra of monomers and the PGMA-co-POEM comb-like copolymer.



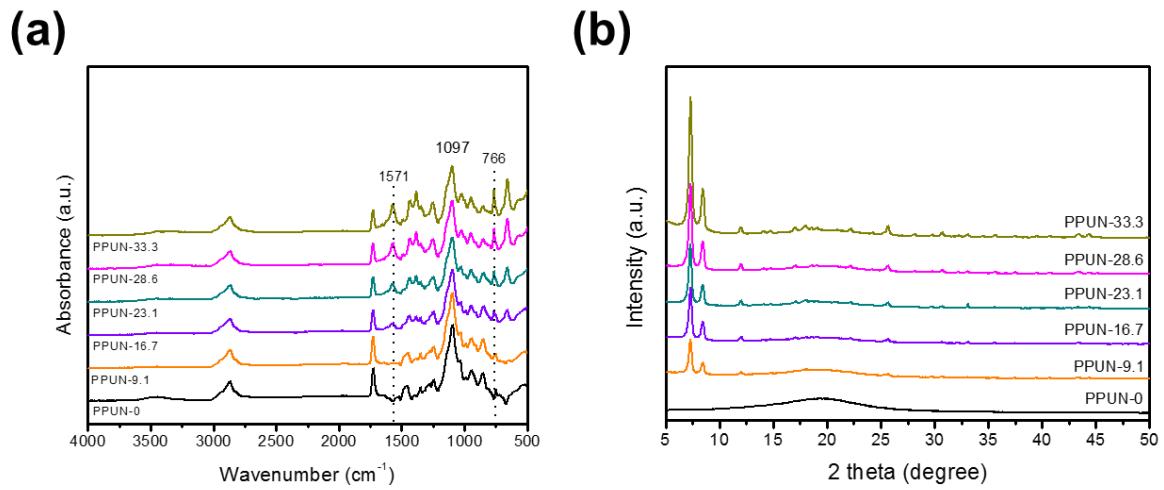
**Fig. S2.** (a) FT-IR spectra, (b) XRD patterns, and (c) TGA curves of  $\text{UiO-66-NH}_2$  and pristine  $\text{UiO-66}$  nanoparticles.



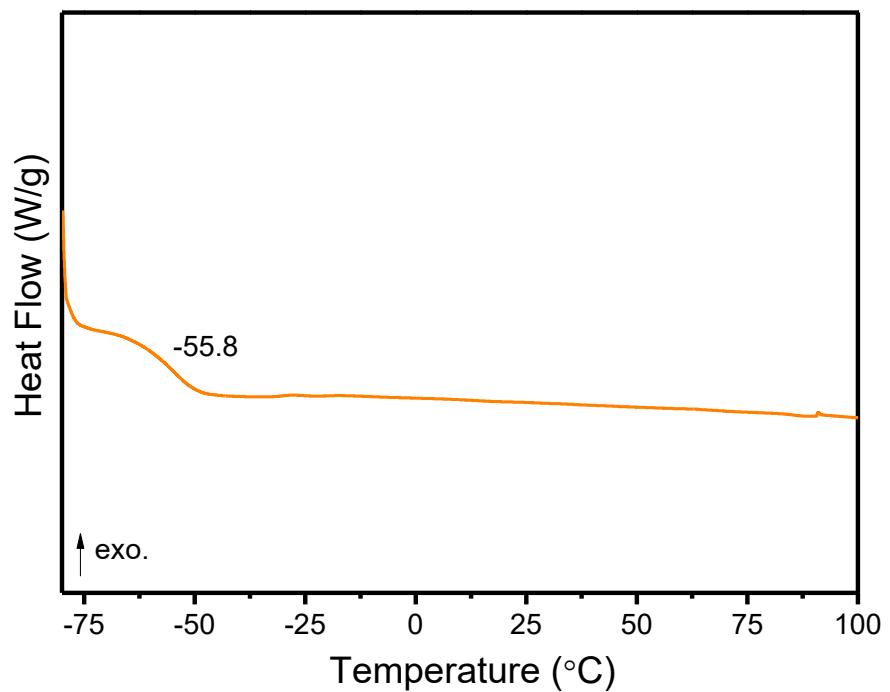
**Fig. S3.** (a) SEM and (b) TEM images of pristine UiO-66 nanoparticles.



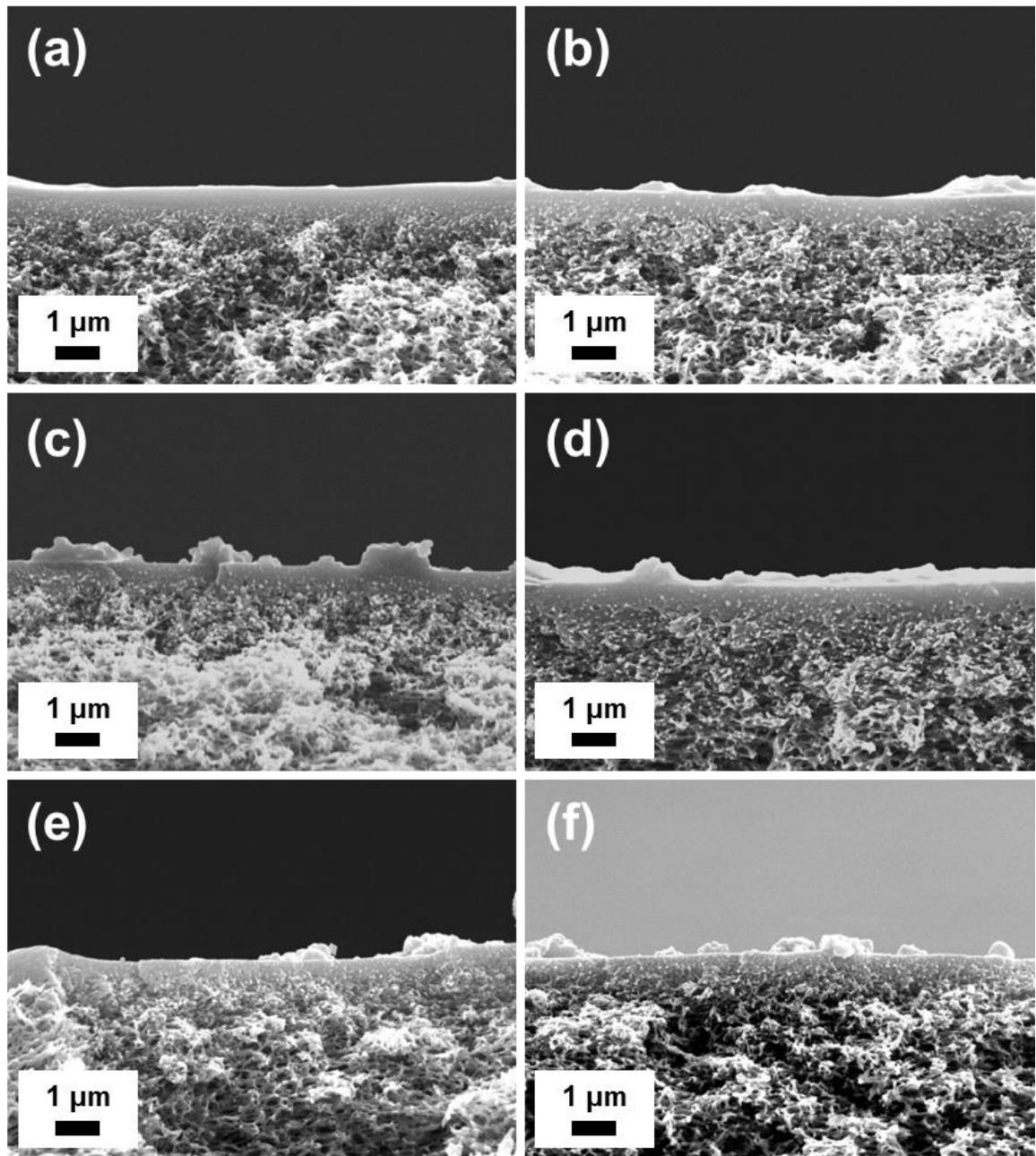
**Fig. S4.** (a) N<sub>2</sub> adsorption–desorption isotherm and (b) pore-size distribution of pristine UiO-66 nanoparticles.



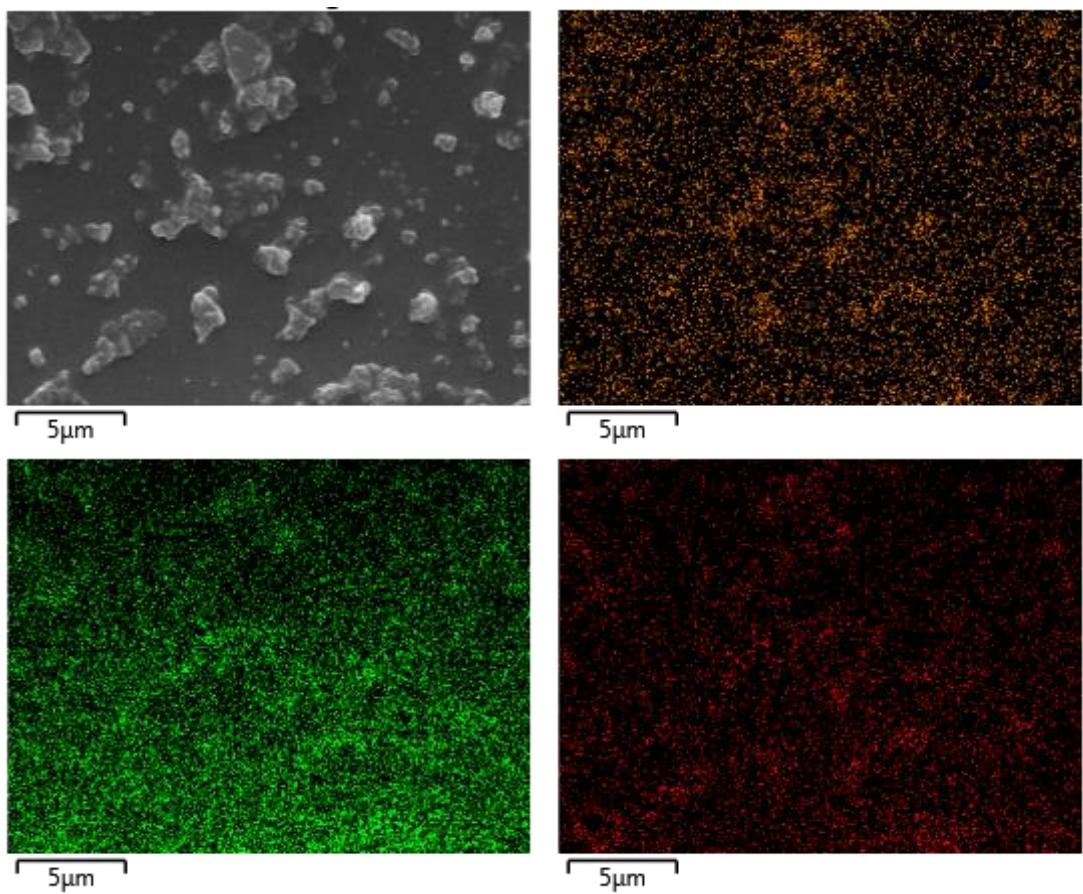
**Fig. S5.** (a) FT-IR spectra and (b) XRD patterns of PPUN membranes with different  $\text{UiO-66-NH}_2$  loadings.



**Fig. S6.** DSC curve of the PPU-9.1 membrane.



**Fig. S7.** Cross-sectional SEM images of PPUN membranes: (a) PPUN-0, (b) PPUN-9.1, (c) PPUN-16.7, (d) PPUN-23.1, (e) PPUN-28.6, and (f) PPUN-33.3.



**Fig. S8.** SEM-EDX surface mapping of PPUN-28.6 membrane (Zr signal: orange, C signal: green, O signal: red).

**Table S1.** BET surface areas and micropore volumes of the MOFs studied.

	UiO-66-NH <sub>2</sub>	UiO-66	Copolymer-grafted UiO-66-NH <sub>2</sub>
BET surface area (m <sup>2</sup> /g)	1001	1416	889
Micropore volume (cm <sup>3</sup> /g)	0.354	0.495	0.308

\* Micropore volume was calculated via the t-plot method.

**Table S2.** Pure-gas separation performance of PPUN membranes, measured at 25 °C and 1 bar.

Membrane	Permeance (GPU)		Selectivity CO <sub>2</sub> /N <sub>2</sub>
	CO <sub>2</sub>	N <sub>2</sub>	
PPUN-0	51	1.1	46.3
PPUN-9.1	100	2.0	50.1
PPUN-16.7	278	8.3	33.5
PPUN-23.1	354	10.3	34.4
PPUN-28.6	488	15.3	31.9
PPUN-33.3	366	15.1	24.2
PPU-28.6	666	29.7	22.4

**Table S3.** Gas separation performance of PPUN-28.6 membranes prepared with coating solutions of different concentrations.

Membrane	Polymer concentration	Permeance (GPU)		Selectivity
		CO <sub>2</sub>	N <sub>2</sub>	CO <sub>2</sub> /N <sub>2</sub>
PPUN-28.6	2.5%	488	15.3	31.9
	2%	962	29.1	33.1
	1.7%	1320	42.9	30.8

**Table S4.** Gas separation performances of various reported MMMs.

MMM	Filler loading (wt%)	$\text{CO}_2$ permeance (GPU)	$\text{CO}_2/\text{N}_2$ selectivity	Test condition	Feed gas	Ref.
ZIF-8 /PVAm	13.1	297	83	1.1 MPa /25 °C	Mixed gas (CO <sub>2</sub> /N <sub>2</sub> = 15/85)	[14]
UiO-66-NH <sub>2</sub> /PVAm	28.5	1295	91	0.3 MPa /25 °C	Mixed gas (CO <sub>2</sub> /N <sub>2</sub> = 15/85), humidified	[22]
NH <sub>2</sub> -ZIF-8 /polyamide (TFN)	N/A	1572	230	0.2 MPa /25 °C	Mixed gas (CO <sub>2</sub> /N <sub>2</sub> = 15/85), humidified	[36]
PEI-g-ZIF-8 /PVAm	16.7	1990	79.9	3 bar /25 °C	Mixed gas (CO <sub>2</sub> /N <sub>2</sub> = 15/85), humidified	[44]
ZIF-7 /Pebax	34	39	105	3.75 bar /20 °C	Pure gas	[45]
SiO <sub>2</sub> /PEGDMA9	5	1290	27	350 kPa/35 °C	Pure gas	[46]