Dihydrazone-based Dynamic Covalent Epoxy Networks with High Creep Resistance, Command Degradability, and Intrinsic Antibacteria from Bioresources

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Fig. S5 Representative tensile stress-strain curves of the original and reprocessed HBE-IPDA

Sample	Young's	Tensile	Elongation at		
	modulus	strength	break (%)		
	(MPa)	(MPa)			
Original	1991±34	95±4	8.7±0.5		
1 st reprocessed	1965±26	90±3	9.3±0.3		
2 nd reprocessed	2044±19	89±2	8.8±0.2		
3 rd reprocessed	2093±17	88±2	8.0±0.2		

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Fig. S7 Degradation rate of HBE-IPDA in 0.1 M HCl water/main solvent (2/8, v/v) solution with different main solvent at 50 °C.



Fig. S8 Degradation rate of HBE-IPDA in different acid water/acetone (2/8, v/v) solutions at 50 °C.



Fig. S9 Degradation rate of HBE-IPDA in 0.1 M HCl water/acetone solutions with different solvent ratios at 50 °C.



Fig. S10 The real-time ¹H NMR spectra of small-molecule model dihydrazone DBH after degradation at 23 °C for different times.



Fig. S11 The real-time 1H NMR spectra of dihydrazone CANs after degradation.

Main solvent	Methanol	Ethanol	THF	DMSO	DMF	Acetone									
Water/Mai n solvent, (v/v)	2/8	2/8	2/8	2/8	2/8	10/0	9/1	8/2	7/3	6/4	5/5	4/6	3/7	2/8	1/9
Contact angle (°)	28.3	36.4	20.6	24.1	41.5	83.8	74.1	67.9	62.2	51.7	42.9	39.7	34.6	28.1	23.8
Swelling degree (%)	25	9	18	21	5	1	1	5	7	9	13	17	23	27 (1*)	31

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*: Swelling test at 23 °C



Fig. S12 Digital photographs of static contact angle of HBE-D400.



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Calculation of topology-freezing temperatures (T_v s) and activation energies (E_a s).

Topology-freezing temperatures (T_v) and activation energies (E_a) were determined using the methodology reported in literature^{1,2}. The measured values of characteristic relaxation times (τ^*s) were plotted versus 1000/*T*. The plots were fit to the Arrhenius law in equation (1)

$$\tau^*(T) = \tau_0 * e^{E_a/RT} \tag{1}$$

(*R* : universal gas constant; 8.314 J K⁻¹ mol⁻¹)

Equation (1) can be transformed to equation (2):

$$\ln \tau^* (T) = \ln \tau_0^* + E_a / RT \tag{2}$$

For HBE-D400:

$$ln \tau^*(T) = 11.458 \times \frac{1000}{T} - 17.154$$
(3)

 $E_a/R = 11.458, E_a = 95.26 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

For HBE-IPDA:

$$ln \tau^*(T) = 11.208 \times \frac{1000}{T} - 17.145$$
(4)

 $E_a/R = 11.208, E_a = 93.18 \text{ kJ mol}^{-1}$

 T_{ν} is defined to be the temperature at which the material reaches a viscosity of 10¹² Pa. The relation of the viscosity η and the τ^* is known as the Maxwell relation equation (5)

$$\eta = G \times \tau^* = (E'/2(1+\nu)) \times \tau^*$$
(5)

(G : shear modulus, E' : storage modulus, v : Poisson's ratio)

Using the Poisson's ratio (v) of epoxy resin (0.38),

$$\eta = 0.284 \times E' \times \tau^* \tag{6}$$

The storage modulus of HBE-D400 from 170 °C to 185 °C is 9.3 MPa, and that of HBE-IPDA in the same temperature range is 13.1 MPa. Because η is 10¹² Pa at T_{ν} , τ *s at T_{ν} of HBE-D400 and HBE-IPDA are calculated to be 3.9× 10⁵ s and 2.7× 10⁵ s, respectively. Using these values and equation (3) and (4), T_{ν} was computed to be 109 °C for HBE-D400 and 105 °C for HBE-IPDA.

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